#### **CS 159 – Homework #7**

**Due: Monday April 25 at 11:00pm** (time local to West Lafayette, IN). **10 Points Possible** 

**Problem:** Given a seed for the random number generator, a power (p) of 10 that represents the upper limit of the value to generate, begin by creating a data set of 1000 elements in the range from 0 to 10p - 1. For each number in this data set re-arrange its digits to make the largest integer possible. Display the five largest and smallest value found in the data set.

### **Example Execution #1:**

```
Enter seed value -> 9000
Enter maximum power of ten for range -> 3

Largest 5 values in data: 999 998 997 997
Smallest 5 values in data: 1 3 5 6 7
```

### **Example Execution #2:**

```
Enter seed value -> 1000
Enter maximum power of ten for range -> 4
```

Largest 5 values in data: 9998 9997 9997 9992 9990 Smallest 5 values in data: 64 66 71 74 85

## **Example Execution #3:**

```
Enter seed value -> 6000
Enter maximum power of ten for range -> 5
```

Largest 5 values in data: 99987 99986 99973 99887 99886 Smallest 5 values in data: 90 92 652 663 721

### **Example Execution #4:**

```
Enter seed value -> 4000
Enter maximum power of ten for range -> 8
```

Largest 5 values in data: 99998622 99998521 99994431 99988755 99988652 Smallest 5 values in data: 77320 87600 654332 755331 765522

# **Example Execution #5:**

```
Enter seed value -> 2028
Enter maximum power of ten for range -> 6

Largest 5 values in data: 999961 999877 999861 999841 999762
Smallest 5 values in data: 0 755 971 6421 7632
```

#### **Example Execution #6 (input validation demonstrated):**

```
Enter seed value -> 0

Error! Positive seed values only!!

Enter seed value -> 9624

Enter maximum power of ten for range -> 9

Error! Power of ten cannot exceed eight!

Enter maximum power of ten for range -> 0

Error! Power of ten must be positive!!

Enter maximum power of ten for range -> 8

Largest 5 values in data: 99998665 99998531 99997732 99992000 99988742

Smallest 5 values in data: 98833 655310 765441 765442 864322
```

**Academic Integrity Reminder:** Please review the policies of the course as they relate to academic integrity. The assignment you submit should be your own original work. You are to be consulting only course staff regarding your specific algorithm for assistance. Collaboration is not permitted on individual homework assignments.

#### **Additional Requirements:**

- 1. Add the homework assignment header file to the top of your program. A description of your program will need to be included in the assignment header. This particular header can be added to your file by entering : hhw while in command mode in vi.
- 2. Each of the example executions provided for your reference represents a single execution of the program. Your program must accept input and produce output exactly as demonstrated in the example executions, do not add any "bonus" features not demonstrated in the example executions. Your program will be tested with the data seen in the example executions and an unknown number of additional tests.
  - Input validation requirements are demonstrated in the sixth example execution.
- 3. For this assignment you will be **required** to implement the user-defined functions (from chapter 4). Failing to follow course standards as they relate to good user-defined function use will result in a **zero for this assignment**.
- 4. Revisit course standards as it relates what makes for good use of user-defined functions, what is acceptable to retain in the main function, and when passing parameters by address is appropriate. In many cases user-defined function use should result in a main function that only declares variables and makes function calls.
- 5. Course standards **prohibit** the use of programming concepts not yet introduced in lecture. For this assignment you may consider all material in the **first eight chapters** of the book, notes, and lectures to be acceptable for use.
  - Logic for each of the sorting algorithms introduced in the course can be found in the official text and notes packet. This code may be used in your assignments as long as you cite your source in the relevant function header and update all syntax to be in line with course standards.
  - The use of any dynamic array structures (chapters 9 and 10) would violate this requirement and result in **no** credit being awarded for your effort. See course standards below for array declaration expectations.
- 6. A program MUST compile, be submitted through Vocareum as demonstrated during the lab #0 exercise, and successfully submitted prior to the posted due date to be considered for credit. The C-file you submit must be named exactly: hw07.c, no variation is permitted.

#### **Course Programming and Documentation Standards Reminders:**

- It is common to make use of a symbolic/defined constant when the size of the array is known prior to the start of a program.
- The course standards expect all arrays to be of a fixed size. Variable-size arrays, even those demonstrated in chapter 8 of the text, would violate course standards.
- Code found inside the body of relevant selection and repetition constructs must be indented two additional spaces.
- Make use of { and } with all relevant selection and repetition constructs.
- See page 258 of your C programming text regarding the proper indentation for a switch construct.
- Use the course function header (vi shortcut: hfx while in command mode) for every user-defined function...
  - List and comment all parameters to a function, one per line, in the course function header.
  - All function declarations will appear in the global declaration section of your program.
  - The user-defined function definitions will appear in your program after the main function.
- Indent all code found within the main and all user-defined functions exactly two spaces.
- Place a **single space** between all operators and operands.
- Comment all variables to the right of each declaration. Declare only one variable per line.
- Notice that several programs (see program 2-9 on pages 74-75) in the programming text use a single line comment to indicate the start of the local declaration and executable statement sections of a function.
  - At no point during the semester should these two sections ever overlap.
- Select **meaningful identifiers** (names) for all variables in your program.

When you submit... only the final successful submission is kept for grading. All other submissions are over-written and cannot be recovered. You may make multiple submissions but only the last attempt is retained and graded.

- Verify in the confirmation e-mail sent to you by the course that you have submitted the correct file to the correct assignment.
- Leave time prior to the due date to seek assistance should you experience difficulties completing or submitting this assignment. All attempts to submit via a method other than through the appropriate assignment on Vocareum will be denied consideration.

**Assignment deadlines...** are firm and the electronic submission will disable promptly as advertised. We can only grade what you are able submit via Vocareum prior to the assignment deadline.