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## **Question:**

Develop a program that takes an input file given source program and produces a filtered file by removing the comments and white space (extra spaces, tabs and newline characters).

## **Code (implemented in C++):**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdbool.h>

int main(void)
{
    FILE *p1,*p2;
    char c;
    p1 = fopen("input1.c", "r");
    p2 = fopen("output.txt","w");

    if(!p1) printf("\nFile can't be opened!");
    else
    {
        bool flag1 = false;
        bool flag2 = false;
        bool flag3 = false;
        while((c = fgetc(p1)) != EOF)
        {
            if(c!=' ')
            {
                flag3 = false;
            }
            if(c=='/')
            {
                if(((c = fgetc(p1)) != EOF))
```

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        {
            if(c=='/')
            {
                flag1 = true;
            }
            if(c=='*')
            {
                flag2 = true;
            }
        }
    }
    else if(c!='\n' && c!='\t' && flag1 == false && flag2 == false &&
flag3 == false)
    {
        fputc(c, p2);
    }
    else if(flag1==true && c=='\n')
    {
        flag1=false;
    }
    else if(flag2==true && c=='*')
    {
        if((c = fgetc(p1)) != EOF && c=='/')
        {
            flag2=false;
        }
    }
    else
    {
        printf("skipped: %c\n",c);
    }
    if(c==' ' && flag3 == false)
    {
        flag3=true;
    }

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    }
    }
}

fclose(p1);
fclose(p2);

p2 = fopen("output.txt","r");

while((c=fgetc(p2))!=EOF)
printf("%c",c);

fclose(p2);
return 0;
}

```

## **Input (input1.c):**

```

#include<stdio.h>
int main(void)
{
// Single Line Comment
printf ("Hello");
/* Multi
Line
Comment
*/
printf("World");
return 0;
}

```

## Output:

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#include<stdio.h>int main(void){printf ("Hello");printf("World");return 0;}
Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 0.610 s
Press any key to continue.
```