

# Solution of NameDatabase2DArray

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## 1. Using pointer to array

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

#define cols 20
#define rows 5
int cnt = 0;
```

```
void print_menu()
{
    printf("***Name Data Base ***\n"
           "i : input\n"
           "d : delete\n"
           "p : print\n"
           "s : sort\n"
           "q : quit\n"
           "...Enter choice: ");
}
```

```
void input(char (*p)[cols])
{
    if (cnt == rows)
    {
        printf("Database is full. Cannot add more names.\n");
        return;
    }
    printf("Enter name: ");
    fgets(p[cnt], cols, stdin);
    p[cnt][strcspn(p[cnt], "\n")] = '\0'; // Remove the trailing newline
    printf("Name inserted successfully...!!!\n");
    cnt++;
}
```

```
void delete(char (*p)[cols])
{
    if (cnt == 0)
    {
        printf("Database is empty. Nothing to delete.\n");
        return;
    }
    int index;
    printf("Enter index to delete: ");
    scanf("%d", &index);
    if (index < 0 || index >= cnt)
    {
        printf("Invalid index. No name to delete.\n");
        return;
    }
}
```

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```
    }  
    for (int i = index; i < cnt - 1; i++)  
    {  
        strcpy(p[i], p[i + 1]);  
    }  
    cnt--;  
    printf("Name deleted successfully...!!!\n");  
}
```

```
void print(char (*p)[cols])  
{  
    if (cnt == 0)  
    {  
        printf("Database is empty. No names to print.\n");  
        return;  
    }  
    for (int i = 0; i < cnt; i++)  
    {  
        printf("Name %d: %s\n", i, p[i]);  
    }  
}
```

```
void sort(char (*p)[cols])  
{  
    for (int i = 0; i < cnt - 1; i++)  
    {  
        for (int j = 0; j < cnt - i - 1; j++)  
        {  
            if (strcmp(p[j], p[j + 1]) > 0)  
            {  
                char temp[cols];  
                strcpy(temp, p[j]);  
                strcpy(p[j], p[j + 1]);  
                strcpy(p[j + 1], temp);  
            }  
        }  
    }  
    printf("Sorted the Data Base...\n");  
}
```

```
int main()  
{  
    char names[rows][cols];  
    char choice;  
    while (1)  
    {  
        print_menu();
```

```
        scanf("%c", &choice);  
        fflush(stdin); // Clear the input buffer  
        switch (choice)
```

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```
    {
        case 'i':
            input(names);
            break;
        case 'd':
            delete (names);
            break;
        case 'p':
            print(names);
            break;
        case 's':
            sort(names);
            break;
        case 'q':
            printf("****Thanks for using name database***\n");
            return 0;
        default:
            printf("Invalid choice...!!!\n");
    }
}
return 0;
}
```

## 2. Using Dynamic Memory

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
```

```
int cnt = 0;
```

```
void print_menu()
{
    printf("***Name Data Base ***\n"
           "i : input\n"
           "d : delete\n"
           "p : print\n"
           "s : sort\n"
           "q : quit\n"
           "...Enter choice: ");
}
```

```
void *input(char *names[])
{
    char *newName = (char *)malloc(sizeof(char) * 20);
    printf("Enter name: ");
    fgets(newName, 20, stdin);
}
```

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```
newName[strcspn(newName, "\n")] = '\0'; // Remove the trailing newline
```

```
names = (char **)realloc(names, sizeof(char *) * (cnt + 1));
names[cnt++] = newName;
printf("Name inserted successfully...!!!\n");
return names;
}
```

```
void *delete(char *names[])
{
    if (cnt == 0)
    {
        printf("Database is empty. Nothing to delete.\n");
        return names;
    }
    int index;
    printf("Enter index to delete: ");
    if (scanf("%d", &index) != 1)
    {
        printf("Invalid input. Aborting...\n");
        // Clear the input buffer
        int c;
        while ((c = getchar()) != '\n' && c != EOF)
            ;
        return names;
    }
    if (index < 0 || index >= cnt)
    {
        printf("Invalid index. No name to delete.\n");
        return names;
    }
}
```

```
free(names[index]); // remove element at index
for (int i = index; i < cnt - 1; i++) // reload arr list
{
    names[i] = names[i + 1];
}
names = (char **)realloc(names, sizeof(char *) * (--cnt));
printf("Name deleted successfully...!!!\n");
return names;
}
```

```
void sort(char *names[])
{
    for (int i = 0; i < cnt - 1; i++)
    {
        for (int j = 0; j < cnt - i - 1; j++)
        {
            if (strcmp(names[j], names[j + 1]) > 0)
            {
                char *temp = names[j];
```

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```
        names[j] = names[j + 1];
        names[j + 1] = temp;
    }
}
}
printf("Sorted the Data Base...\n");
}
```

```
void print(char *names[])
{
    if (cnt == 0)
    {
        printf("Database is empty. No names to print.\n");
        return;
    }
    for (int i = 0; i < cnt; i++)
    {
        printf("Name %d: %s\n", i, names[i]);
    }
}
```

```
int main()
{
    char **names = NULL;
    char choice;
    while (1)
    {
        print_menu();
```

```
        scanf("%c", &choice);
        fflush(stdin); // Clear the input buffer
```

```
        switch (choice)
        {
            case 'i':
                names = input(names);
                break;
            case 'd':
                names = delete (names);
                break;
            case 'p':
                print(names);
                break;
            case 's':
                sort(names);
                break;
            case 'q':
                printf("****Thanks for using name database***\n");
                for (int i = 0; i < cnt; i++)
                {
                    free(names[i]);
```

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```
    }
    free(names);
    return 0;
default:
    printf("Invalid choice...!!!\n");
}
}
return 0;
}
```

## 3. Using Double Pointer

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>

int cnt = 0;
```

```
void print_menu()
{
    printf("****Name Data Base ***\n"
           "i : input\n"
           "d : delete\n"
           "p : print\n"
           "s : sort\n"
           "f : find\n"
           "q : quit\n"
           "...Enter choice: ");
}
```

```
char *getString(char *str, int maxlen)
{
    if (fgets(str, maxlen, stdin) == NULL)
    {
        return NULL;
    }
    str[strcspn(str, "\n")] = '\0'; // Remove the trailing newline
    return str;
}
```

```
void *input(char **names)
{
    char *newName = (char *)malloc(sizeof(char) * 20);
    printf("Enter name: ");
    if (getString(newName, 20) == NULL)
```

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```
{
    free(newName);
    return names;
}
names = (char **)realloc(names, sizeof(char *) * (cnt + 1));
names[cnt++] = newName;
printf("Name inserted successfully...!!!\n");
return names;
}
```

```
void print(char **names)
{
    if (cnt == 0)
    {
        printf("Database is empty. No names to print.\n");
        return;
    }
    for (int i = 0; i < cnt; i++)
    {
        printf("Name %d: %s\n", i, names[i]);
    }
}
```

```
void *delete(char **names)
{
    if (cnt == 0)
    {
        printf("Database is empty. Nothing to delete.\n");
        return names;
    }
    int index;
    printf("Enter index to delete: ");
    if (scanf("%d", &index) != 1)
    {
        printf("Invalid input. Aborting...\n");
        // Clear the input buffer
        int c;
        while ((c = getchar()) != '\n' && c != EOF)
            ;
        return names;
    }
    if (index < 0 || index >= cnt)
    {
        printf("Invalid index. No name to delete.\n");
        return names;
    }
    free(names[index]);
    for (int i = index; i < cnt - 1; i++)
    {
        names[i] = names[i + 1];
    }
}
```

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```
names = (char **)realloc(names, sizeof(char *) * (--cnt));
printf("Name deleted successfully...!!!\n");
return names;
}
```

```
void sort(char **names)
{
    for (int i = 0; i < cnt - 1; i++)
    {
        for (int j = 0; j < cnt - i - 1; j++)
        {
            if (strcmp(names[j], names[j + 1]) > 0)
            {
                char *temp = names[j];
                names[j] = names[j + 1];
                names[j + 1] = temp;
            }
        }
    }
    printf("Sorted the Data Base...\n");
}
```

```
void find(char **names)
{
    char *searchName = (char *)malloc(sizeof(char) * 20);
    printf("Enter name to search: ");
    if (getString(searchName, 20) == NULL)
    {
        free(searchName);
        return;
    }
    for (int i = 0; i < cnt; i++)
    {
        if (strcmp(names[i], searchName) == 0)
        {
            printf("Name found at index %d\n", i);
            free(searchName);
            return;
        }
    }
    printf("Name not found in the database.\n");
    free(searchName);
}
```

```
int main()
{
    char **names = NULL;
    char choice;
    while (1)
    {
        print_menu();
    }
}
```



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```
scanf("%c", &choice);  
fflush(stdin); // Clear the input buffer
```

```
switch (choice)  
{  
case 'i':  
    names = input(names);  
    break;  
case 'd':  
    names = delete (names);  
    break;  
case 'p':  
    print(names);  
    break;  
case 's':  
    sort(names);  
    break;  
case 'f':  
    find(names);  
    break;  
case 'q':  
    printf("***Thanks for using name database***\n");  
    for (int i = 0; i < cnt; i++)  
    {  
        free(names[i]);  
    }  
    free(names);  
    return 0;  
default:  
    printf("Invalid choice...!!!\n");  
}  
}  
return 0;  
}
```