# **C PROGRAMING TRAINING COURSE**

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# Day 4: Function pointer, Overflow Buffer, Debugging

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Total Tests: 05 questions

Maximum Score: 100 points

Total Time: 120 mins

Modify the code to make it work properly as required. Code is written in C language, C99 standard, and compiled under

## Test 1

Score: 20

Use fooptr to print out 11 on the screen.

```
#include <stdio.h>
void f(int (*x)(int));
int main()
{
    int i = 10;
    // your code goes here
}
```

## Test 2

Score: 20

Not using showMe variable, print out HUMAX

```
#include <stdio.h>

void main()
{
    char showMe[] = "HUMAX";
    int foo = 0;
    int bar = 0;
    // Your code goes here
}
```

### Test 3

#### Score: 40

A list of callback fucntions is based on a node declared as below:

```
struct _command {
   int *(callback)(int); // A command will excecute a callback function
   struct _command *next;
};
```

Now create a list of commands.

```
struct _command * initCommandList();
void insertCommand(command * list, int *(callback)(int)); // if command is already in the list, skip inserting, if r
```

Assume that we want to do 4 operations:

```
int add5(int a){return a + 5};
int sub4(int a){return a - 4};
int mul3(int a){return a * 3};
int div2(int a){return a / 2};
```

To calculating an expression like y = ((((x + 5) - 4) \* 3) / 2), we can using a list of above functions in specific order.

Make a command list struct \_command \*orderOfFunctions to hold the functions. Write a function int calculate(int a, struct \_command \* orderOfFunctions) to make the right calculation.

## Test 4

#### Score: 10

It's easy to modify data on stack. scanf() is not safe, it can do it. scanf() does not check how much memory is reserved for writing, so it can write more than it's expected. What if the input string is longer than buffer?

## Test 5

Score: 10

Write missing piece of code and run it. You mission is to change the function pointer, from NULL to puts. The address of function puts is given by entering as argument when you call the app. If the function puts is already in system memory, how can we find it?

Tools

**GDB** 

Valgrind

Ltrace

**GDB CheatSheet** 

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>
int main(int argc, char *argv[]){
       int (*fp)(char *);
       if(argc!=2){ printf("insert 0xaddress\n"); exit(-1); }
       // read input address
       // assign it to fp
        // ok, check the pointer
        if((int(*)(char *))&puts == fp)
           fp("Well done! You had 'puts'. Excecuted it for you :)");
        }
        else
        {
           exit(-1);
        }
        exit(1);
}
```

End of the test.

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