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 1: // $Id: powerint.cpp,v 1.14 2016-06-13 13:44:54-07 - - $
 2:
 3: //
 4: // NAME
 5: //     powerint - power function raising a double to an int power
 6: //
 7: // SYNOPSIS
 8: //     double powi (double base, int exponent);
 9: //
10: // DESCRIPTION
11: //     The powi() function computes the value of base raised to the
12: //     power exponent.
13: //
14: // RETURN VALUES
15: //     Upon successful completion, powi() returns the value of base
16: //     raised to the power of exponent.  If exponent is 0, 1.0 is
17: //     returned regardless of the value of base (a number, 0, NaN,
18: //     or +-Infinity).  Otherwise multiplication and division are
19: //     subject to the rules of IEEE-754 floating point arithmetic,
20: //     for CPUs which support that.
21: //
22: // MATHEMATICS USED
23: //
24: //     powi (x, - n)   => powi (1 / x, n)
25: //     powi (x, 2 n)   => powi (x ** 2, n / 2)
26: //     powi (x, n + 1) => x * powi (x, n)
27: //
28: //     .EQ
29: //     x sup { - n }   = { ( 1 / x ) ) } sup n
30: //     x sup { 2 n }   = ( x sup 2 ) sup { n / 2 }
31: //     x sup { n + 1 } = x ( x sup n )
32: //     .EN
33: //
34: //     $$
35: //     x ^ { - n}    = { ( 1 / x ) } ^ n
36: //     x ^ { 2 n }   = ( x ^ 2 ) ^ ( n / 2 )
37: //     x ^ { n + 1 } = x ( x ^ n )
38: //     $$
39: //
40: //
41:
42: #include <cstdlib>
43: #include <iomanip>
44: #include <iostream>
45: #include <libgen.h>
46: #include <limits>
47: #include <sstream>
48: #include <string>
49: #include <typeinfo>
50: #include <vector>
51:
52: using namespace std;
53:
54: const int DIGITS = numeric_limits<double>::digits10 + 6;
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55:
56: template <typename item_t>
57: item_t from_string (const string& arg) {
58:     stringstream stream {arg};
59:     item_t result;
60:     stream >> result;
61:     return result;
62: }
63:
64: void print_powi (double base, int exponent, double result) {
65:     cout << "powi: " << base << " ** " << exponent << " * "
66:          << result << endl;
67: }
68:
69: double powi (double base, int exponent) {
70:     double result = 1.0;
71:     print_powi (base, exponent, result);
72:     if (exponent < 0) {
73:        base = 1.0 / base;
74:        exponent = - exponent;
75:        print_powi (base, exponent, result);
76:     }
77:     while (exponent > 0) {
78:        if (exponent % 2 == 0) { /* is even */
79:           base *= base;
80:           exponent /= 2;
81:        }else {
82:           result *= base;
83:           --exponent;
84:        }
85:        print_powi (base, exponent, result);
86:     }
87:     return result;
88: }
89:
90: int main (int argc, char** argv) {
91:     vector<string> args (&argv[1], &argv[argc]);
92:     for (auto arg = args.cbegin(); arg != args.cend(); ++arg) {
93:        double base = from_string<double> (*arg);
94:        if (++arg == args.cend()) break;
95:        int exponent = from_string<int> (*arg);
96:        cout << endl << setprecision (DIGITS);
97:        double result = powi (base, exponent);
98:        cout << "ANSWER: " << base << " ** " << exponent
99:             << " == " << result << endl;
100:     }
101:     return 0;
102: }
103:
104: /*
105: //TEST// valgrind --leak-check=full --show-reachable=yes \
106: //TEST//        --log-file=powerint.out.grind \
107: //TEST//      powerint 2 2 2 9 2 15 2 16 2 24 \
108: //TEST//      >powerint.out 2>&1
109: //TEST// mkpspdf powerint.ps powerint.cpp* powerint.out*
110: */
111:
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    1: @@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@ mkc: starting powerint.cpp
    2: powerint.cpp:
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    4: cpplint.py.perl powerint.cpp
    5: Done processing powerint.cpp
    6: g++ -g -O0 -Wall -Wextra -fdiagnostics-color=never -std=gnu++17 -Wold-st
yle-cast powerint.cpp -o powerint -lm
    7: rm -f powerint.o
    8: @@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@@ mkc: finished powerint.cpp
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 1:
 2: powi: 2 ** 2 * 1
 3: powi: 4 ** 1 * 1
 4: powi: 4 ** 0 * 4
 5: ANSWER: 2 ** 2 == 4
 6:
 7: powi: 2 ** 9 * 1
 8: powi: 2 ** 8 * 2
 9: powi: 4 ** 4 * 2
10: powi: 16 ** 2 * 2
11: powi: 256 ** 1 * 2
12: powi: 256 ** 0 * 512
13: ANSWER: 2 ** 9 == 512
14:
15: powi: 2 ** 15 * 1
16: powi: 2 ** 14 * 2
17: powi: 4 ** 7 * 2
18: powi: 4 ** 6 * 8
19: powi: 16 ** 3 * 8
20: powi: 16 ** 2 * 128
21: powi: 256 ** 1 * 128
22: powi: 256 ** 0 * 32768
23: ANSWER: 2 ** 15 == 32768
24:
25: powi: 2 ** 16 * 1
26: powi: 4 ** 8 * 1
27: powi: 16 ** 4 * 1
28: powi: 256 ** 2 * 1
29: powi: 65536 ** 1 * 1
30: powi: 65536 ** 0 * 65536
31: ANSWER: 2 ** 16 == 65536
32:
33: powi: 2 ** 24 * 1
34: powi: 4 ** 12 * 1
35: powi: 16 ** 6 * 1
36: powi: 256 ** 3 * 1
37: powi: 256 ** 2 * 256
38: powi: 65536 ** 1 * 256
39: powi: 65536 ** 0 * 16777216
40: ANSWER: 2 ** 24 == 16777216
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 1: ==9235== Memcheck, a memory error detector
 2: ==9235== Copyright (C) 2002-2017, and GNU GPL'd, by Julian Seward et al.
 3: ==9235== Using Valgrind-3.13.0 and LibVEX; rerun with -h for copyright i
nfo
 4: ==9235== Command: powerint 2 2 2 9 2 15 2 16 2 24
 5: ==9235== Parent PID: 9234
 6: ==9235==
 7: ==9235==
 8: ==9235== HEAP SUMMARY:
 9: ==9235==     in use at exit: 0 bytes in 0 blocks
10: ==9235==   total heap usage: 26 allocs, 26 frees, 891 bytes allocated
11: ==9235==
12: ==9235== All heap blocks were freed -- no leaks are possible
13: ==9235==
14: ==9235== For counts of detected and suppressed errors, rerun with: -v
15: ==9235== ERROR SUMMARY: 0 errors from 0 contexts (suppressed: 0 from 0)
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