

EXERCISE 1A*Last update 2023-10-13***Assignment A – vigenere**

Implement a variation of the Vigenere cipher ¹. Write a C-program **vigenere**, which reads in several files and prints its encrypted (respectively decrypted) content.

SYNOPSIS

```
vigenere [-d] [-o outfile] key [file...]
```

The program **vigenere** shall read files line by line and for each line encrypt (respectively decrypt) its content.

The default mode is encryption mode. If, on the other hand, the option **-d** is given, decryption mode is selected.

Your program must accept lines of any length. The program must be able to process data with the following characters [0-9] [A-Z] [a-z] . , : - ! = % and whitespace. Terminate the program with exit status **EXIT_SUCCESS**.

Let $L[i]$ denote the character at position i of the current line. Similarly $K[j]$ denotes the character at position j of the key. The length of the key is denoted by l_K . Letters are considered as numbers in the following formulation (Uppercase: A= 0, B= 1, C= 2, ... Z= 25, Lowercase: a= 0, b= 1, c= 2, ... z= 25). For each character the encryption is done as follows: $E[i] = (L[i] + K[i \bmod l_K]) \bmod 26$. Decryption is done as follows: $D[i] = (L[i] - K[i \bmod l_K] + 26) \bmod 26$.

Uppercase and lowercase letters of the file shall be handled separately (All uppercase letters are processed according to the described scheme and printed as uppercase. All lowercase letters are processed according to the described scheme and printed as lowercase.) All other characters (i.e. not [A-Z] [a-z]) are printed unmodified. The key shall be treated case-insensitive (i.e. **TestABC** ist the same key as **testabc**). The key shall only allow alphabet characters (i.e. [A-Z] [a-z]).

For example:

If $L[5] = d, K[1] = b, l_K = 4$, then (for encryption) $E[5] = (L[5] + K[5 \bmod 4]) \bmod 26 = (L[5] + K[1]) \bmod 26 = (3 + 1) \bmod 26 = 4$, and 4 corresponds to **e**. Because the input **d** is lowercase, the output **e** is lowercase too.

If $L[5] = E, K[1] = x, l_K = 4$, then (for decryption) $D[5] = (L[5] - K[5 \bmod 4] + 26) \bmod 26 = (L[5] - K[1] + 26) \bmod 26 = (4 - 23 + 26) \bmod 26 = 7$, and 7 corresponds to **H**. Because the input **E** is uppercase, the output **H** is uppercase too.

If one or multiple input files are specified (given as positional arguments after **key**), then **vigenere** shall read each of them in the order they are given. If no input file is specified, the program reads from *stdin*.

If the option **-o** is given, the output is written to the specified file (**outfile**). Otherwise, the output is written to *stdout*.

¹https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vigenere_cipher

Testing

Test your program with various inputs, such as:

```
$ ./vigenere Lemon
AttackatDawn
LxfopvefRnhr
Aaaaaa
Lemon

$ ./vigenere -d LEMON
LxfopvefRnhr
AttackatDawn

$ cat example.in
Crypto. Shortfor cryptography
$ ./vigenere -o example.out ABCD example.in
$ cat example.out
Csastp. Siqutgqucsastpiuaqjb
```

Mandatory testcases

Input shown in **blue** color. Output to *stdout* (and *stderr*) shown in black. (Note that in the following output sections `EXIT_SUCCESS` equals 0, and `EXIT_FAILURE` equals 1. Refer to `stdlib.h` for further details.) `^C` indicates `CTRL+C`, `^D` indicates `CTRL+D`. The placeholder `<usage message>` must be replaced by a proper usage message (printed to *stdout*), `<error message>` must be replaced by a meaningful error message (which is printed to *stderr*).

A-Testcase 01: usage-1

```
1 $>./vigenere -x
2 <usage message>
3 $>echo $?
4 1
```

A-Testcase 02: usage-2

```
1 $>./vigenere -d -d
2 <usage message>
3 $>echo $?
4 1
```

A-Testcase 03: usage-3

```
1 $>./vigenere -o
2 <usage message>
3 $>echo $?
4 1
```

A-Testcase 04: usage-4

```
1 $>./vigenere
2 <usage message>
3 $>echo $?
4 1
```

A-Testcase 05: easy-1

```
1 $>echo -e "Operating Systems.\nExtra secure" | ./vigenere "Test"
2 Htwktxagz Krlxwfl.
3 Xblkt kxvyjx
4 $>echo $?
5 0
```

A-Testcase 06: easy-2

```
1 $>echo -e "Htwktxagz Krlxwfl.\nXblkt kxvyjx\n..." | ./vigenere -d "TEST"
2 Operating Systems.
3 Extra secure
4 ...
5 $>echo $?
6 0
```

A-Testcase 07: key-error-1

```
1 $>echo -e "Input" | ./vigenere "Key123"
2 <error message>
3 $>echo $?
4 1
```

A-Testcase 08: file-1

```
1 $>echo -e "Keep the key 53cur3, Kerckhoff said.\nwhat? 53cur3?\nYes." > infile.txt
2 $>./vigenere -o outfile.txt Shannon infile.txt
3 $>echo $?
4 0
5 $>cat outfile.txt
6 Clec huw krl 53jue3, Clrpxvbxm fnwq.
7 ooag? 53jue3?
8 Qls.
```

A-Testcase 09: file-2

```
1 $>echo '.,:-!=% is this REALLY %n%% true???' > infile1
2 $>echo -e "testing\ntestTESTtestTESTtestTESTtestTESTtest" > infile2
3 $>./vigenere Welcome infile1 infile2
4 .,:-!=% tu flew TSMPHC %b%% xcws???
5 pidvwzk
6 pidvHQWPxpuhFIOXeggfXAWEvsexPIDVhqwp
7 $>echo $?
8 0
```

A-Testcase 10: long-line

```
1 $>( echo -n "yes"; printf -- "-%.0s" {1..8000}; echo "..." ) > longline
2 $>./vigenere "yes" longline > longgrep
3 $>echo $?
4 0
5 $>cat longgrep | tr -d "-"
6 wik...
```

A-Testcase 11: file-error-1

```
1 $>rm -rf nonExistingTestfile
2 $>./vigenere test nonExistingTestfile
3 <error message>
4 $>echo $?
5 1
```

A-Testcase 12: file-error-2

```
1 $>touch existingTestfile
2 $>chmod 0000 existingTestfile
3 $>echo "test" > existingTestfile
4 bash: existingTestfile: Permission denied
5 $>echo "test" | ./vigenere -o existingTestfile test
6 <error message>
7 $>echo $?
8 1
```

Coding Rules and Guidelines

Your score depends upon the compliance of your submission to the presented guidelines and rules. Violations result in deductions of points. Hence, before submitting your solution, go through the following list and check if your program complies.

Rules

Compliance with these rules is essential to get any points for your submission. A violation of any of the following rules results in 0 points for your submission.

1. All source files of your program(s) must compile via

```
$ gcc -std=c99 -pedantic -Wall -D_DEFAULT_SOURCE -D_BSD_SOURCE -D_SVID_SOURCE  
-D_POSIX_C_SOURCE=200809L -g -c filename.c
```

without *errors* and your program(s) must link without *errors*. The compilation flags must be used in the Makefile. The feature test macros must not be bypassed (i.e., by undefining these macros or adding some in the C source code).
2. The functionality of the program(s) must conform exactly to the assignment. The program(s) shall operate according to the specification/assignment given the test cases in the respective assignment. Additional white spaces or any other deviation from the specified input and output format may lead to a failure of the respective test case.

General Guidelines

Violation of following guidelines leads to a deduction of points.

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```

without *warnings and info messages* and your program(s) must link without warnings.
2. There must be a Makefile implementing the targets: **all** to build the program(s) (i.e. generate executables) from the sources (this must be the first target in the Makefile); **clean** to delete all files that can be built from your sources with the Makefile.
3. All targets of your Makefile must be idempotent. I.e. execution of **make clean**; **make clean** must yield the same result as **make clean**, and must not fail with an error.
4. The program shall operate according to the specification/assignment without major issues (e.g., segmentation fault, memory corruption).
5. Arguments have to be parsed according to UNIX conventions (we strongly encourage the use of **getopt(3)**). The program has to conform to the given synopsis/usage in the assignment. If the synopsis is violated (e.g., unspecified options or too many arguments), the program has to terminate with the usage message containing the program name and the correct calling syntax. Argument handling should also be implemented for programs without arguments.
6. Correct (=normal) termination, including a cleanup of resources.
7. Upon success the program has to terminate with exit code 0, in case of errors with an exit code greater than 0. We recommend to use the macros **EXIT_SUCCESS** and **EXIT_FAILURE** (defined in **stdlib.h**) to enable portability of the program.

8. If a function indicates an error with its return value, it *should* be checked in general. If the subsequent code depends on the successful execution of a function (e.g. resource allocation), then the return value *must* be checked.
9. Functions that do not take any parameters have to be declared with `void` in the signature, e.g., `int get_random_int(void);`.
10. Procedures (i.e., functions that do not return a value) have to be declared as `void`.
11. Error messages shall be written to `stderr` and should contain the program name `argv[0]`.
12. It is forbidden to use the functions: `gets`, `scanf`, `fscanf`, `atoi` and `atol` to avoid crashes due to invalid inputs.

FORBIDDEN	USE INSTEAD
<code>gets</code>	<code>fgets</code>
<code>scanf</code>	<code>fgets</code> , <code>sscanf</code>
<code>fscanf</code>	<code>fgets</code> , <code>sscanf</code>
<code>atoi</code>	<code>strtol</code>
<code>atol</code>	<code>strtol</code>

13. Documentation is mandatory. Format the documentation in Doxygen style (see Wiki and Doxygen's intro).
14. Write meaningful comments. For example, meaningful comments describe the algorithm, or why a particular solution has been chosen, if there seems to be an easier solution at a first glance. Avoid comments that just repeat the code itself
(e.g., `i = i + 1; /* i is incremented by one */`).
15. The documentation of a module must include: name of the module, name and student id of the author (`@author` tag), purpose of the module (`@brief`, `@details` tags) and creation date of the module (`@date` tag).
Also the Makefile has to include a header, with author and program name at least.
16. Each function shall be documented either before the declaration or the implementation. It should include purpose (`@brief`, `@details` tags), description of parameters and return value (`@param`, `@return` tags) and description of global variables the function uses (`@details` tag).
You should also document `static` functions (see `EXTRACT_STATIC` in the file `Doxyfile`). Document visible/exported functions in the header file and local (`static`) functions in the C file. Document variables, constants and types (especially `structs`) too.
17. Documentation, names of variables and constants shall be in English.
18. Internal functions shall be marked with the `static` qualifier and are not allowed to be exported (e.g., in a header file). Only functions that are used by other modules shall be declared in the header file.
19. All exercises shall be solved with functions of the C standard library. If a required function is not available in the standard library, you can use other (external) functions too. Avoid reinventing the wheel (e.g., re-implementation of `strcmp`).
20. Name of constants shall be written in upper case, names of variables in lower case (maybe with first letter capital).
21. Use meaningful variable and constant names (e.g., also semaphores and shared memories).
22. Avoid using global variables as far as possible.

23. All boundaries shall be defined as constants (macros). Avoid arbitrary boundaries. If boundaries are necessary, treat its crossing.
24. Avoid side effects with `&&` and `||`, e.g., write `if(b != 0) c = a/b;` instead of `if(b != 0 && c = a/b).`
25. Each `switch` block must contain a `default` case. If the case is not reachable, write `assert(0)` to this case (defensive programming).
26. Logical values shall be treated with logical operators, numerical values with arithmetic operators (e.g., test 2 strings for equality by `strcmp(...) == 0` instead of `!strcmp(...)`).
27. Indent your source code consistently (there are tools for that purpose, e.g., `indent`).
28. Avoid tricky arithmetic statements. Programs are written once, but read more times. Your program is not better if it is shorter!
29. For all I/O operations (read/write from/to `stdin`, `stdout`, files, sockets, pipes, etc.) use *either* standard I/O functions (`fdopen(3)`, `fopen(3)`, `fgets(3)`, etc.) *or* POSIX functions (`open(2)`, `read(2)`, `write(2)`, etc.). Remember, standard I/O functions are buffered. Mixing standard I/O functions and POSIX functions to access a common file descriptor can lead to undefined behaviour and is therefore forbidden.
30. If asked in the assignment, you must implement signal handling (`SIGINT`, `SIGTERM`). You must only use *async-signal-safe* functions in your signal handlers.
31. Close files, free dynamically allocated memory, and remove resources after usage.
32. Don't waste resources due to inconvenient programming. Header files shall not include implementation parts (exception: macros).
33. To comply with the given testcases, the program output must exactly match the given specification. Therefore you are only allowed to print any debug information if the compile flag `-DDEBUG` is set.