# ASSIGNMENT-1 ON GDB

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## 1. Consider the program in folder assign1

### a>Compile it so that it compiles with debugging symbols [using proper option]

ans: [be22114@localhost ~]$ gcc -g a.c -o a

[be22114@localhost ~]$ gdb a

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This GDB was configured as "x86_64-redhat-linux-gnu".
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Reading symbols from /home/usr/student/ug/yr22/be22114/a...done.
(gdb)
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### b> Put breakpoint to function f1.

(gdb) b f1

Breakpoint 1 at 0x4005fb: file b.c, line 3.

### c> Put breakpoint to line 10 of b.c

(gdb) b b.c:10

Breakpoint 2 at 0x400657: file b.c, line 10.

### d> Run the program until it finishes. Which

**commands are you using to take it to completion?**

**Command:** r (to start execution of the program)

c (continue until the program finishes)

(gdb) r

Starting program: /home/usr/student/ug/yr22/be22114/a

Enter a number between 2 and 6 (non-inclusive):

4

You have entered 4

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=50, y=163) at b.c:3

3 printf("The numbers are : ");

Missing separate debuginfos, use: debuginfo-install glibc-2.17-157.el7_3.2.x86_64

(gdb) c

Continuing.

The numbers are : < 50, 163>

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffffe314, q=0x7fffffffe310) at b.c:10

10 *p = (*p) - (*q);

(gdb) c

Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=163, y=50) at b.c:3

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3           printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb) c
Continuing.
After operation 1 The numbers are : < 163, 50>

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=33, y=109) at b.c:3
3           printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb) c
Continuing.
The numbers are : < 33, 109>

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffffe314, q=0x7fffffffe310) at b.c:10
10          *p = (*p) - (*q);
(gdb) c
Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=109, y=33) at b.c:3
3           printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb) c
Continuing.
After operation 2 The numbers are : < 109, 33>
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Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=25, y=81) at b.c:3
3           printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb) c
Continuing.
The numbers are : < 25, 81>

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffffe314, q=0x7fffffffe310) at b.c:10
10          *p = (*p) - (*q);
(gdb) c
Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=81, y=25) at b.c:3
3           printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb) c
Continuing.
After operation 3 The numbers are : < 81, 25>

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=20, y=65) at b.c:3
3           printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb) c
Continuing.
The numbers are : < 20, 65>
```

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffffe314, q=0x7fffffffe310) at b.c:10

10 *p = (*p) - (*q);

(gdb) c

Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=65, y=20) at b.c:3

3 printf("The numbers are : ");

(gdb) c

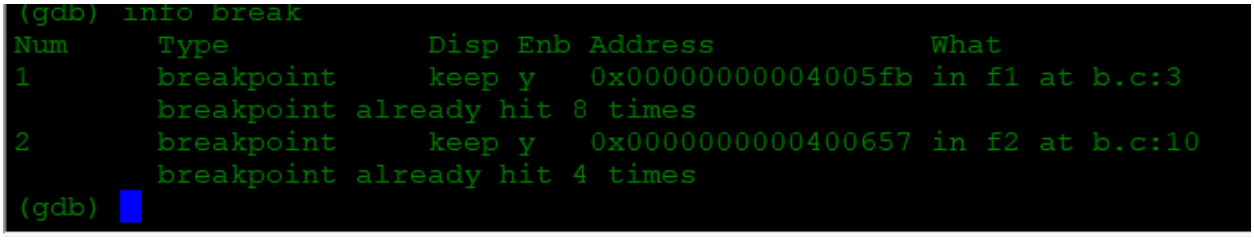
Continuing.

After operation 4 The numbers are : < 65, 20>

[Inferior 1 (process 9856) exited with code 04]

**e> How many times breakpoint “1” is hit in one run of the program ?**

**ans:** 8 times breakpoint 1 hit




**f> How many times breakpoint “2” is hit in one run of the program**

**ans:** breakpoint 2 hit 4 times.

```
(gdb) info break
Num     Type           Disp Enb Address            What
1       breakpoint     keep y   0x00000000004005fb in f1 at b.c:3
        breakpoint already hit 8 times
2       breakpoint     keep y   0x0000000000400657 in f2 at b.c:10
        breakpoint already hit 4 times
(gdb)
```

**g> How you can see details about a breakpoint ?**

**ans:** info break N (where N is the breakpoint number)

info b 1

info b 2

```
(gdb) info b 1
Num     Type           Disp Enb Address            What
1       breakpoint     keep y   0x00000000004005fb in f1 at b.c:3
        breakpoint already hit 8 times
(gdb) info b 2
Num     Type           Disp Enb Address            What
2       breakpoint     keep y   0x0000000000400657 in f2 at b.c:10
        breakpoint already hit 4 times
(gdb)
```

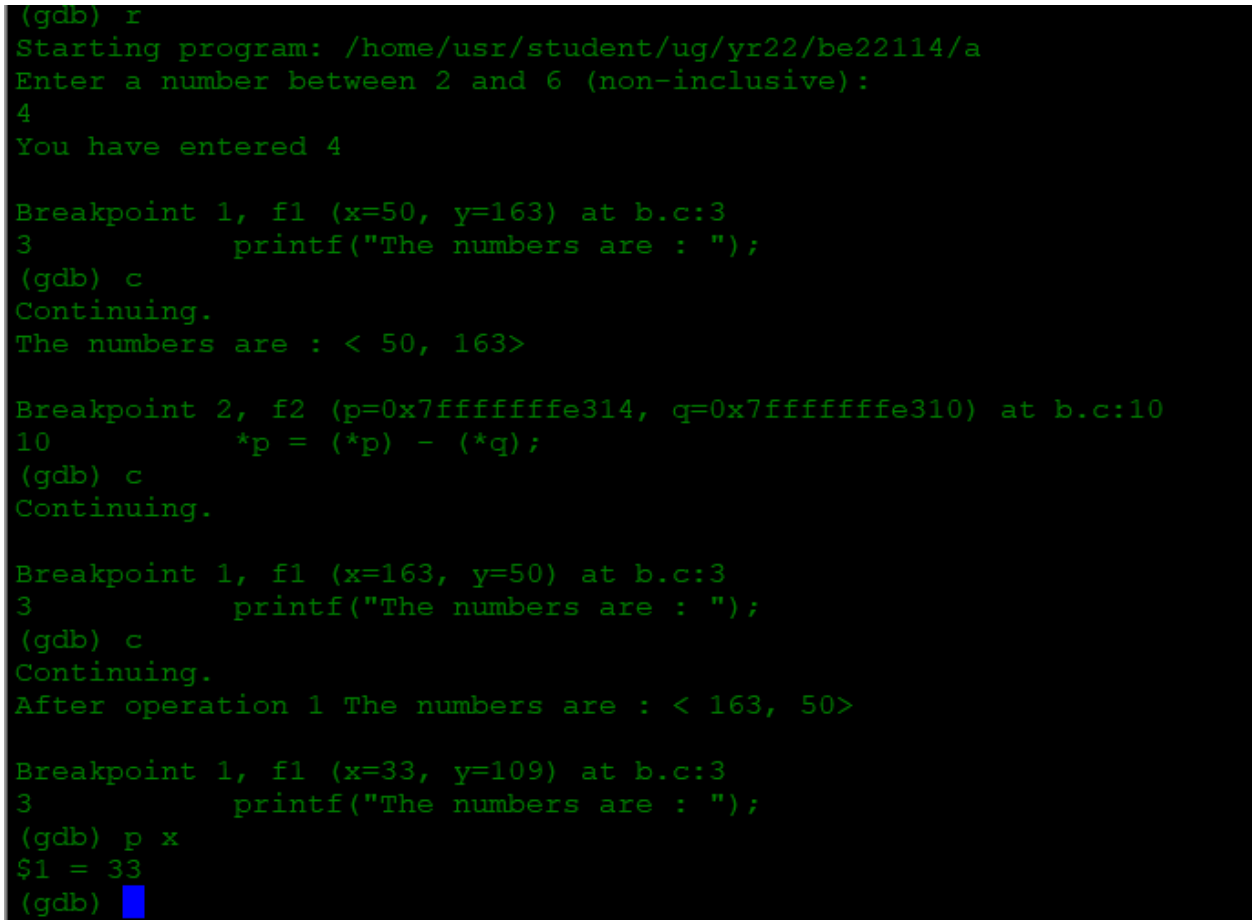
**h> How you can see details about all breakpoints ?**

**command:** info break

```
(gdb) info break
Num     Type           Disp Enb Address            What
1       breakpoint     keep y   0x00000000004005fb in f1 at b.c:3
        breakpoint already hit 8 times
2       breakpoint     keep y   0x0000000000400657 in f2 at b.c:10
        breakpoint already hit 4 times
(gdb)
```

**i> What is value of variable x in f1 when breakpoint "1" is hit for 3 rd time ? How you can examine it ?**

**Ans:** Value of x is 33 when breakpoint hits 3rd time




**j> Rerun the program.put a breakpoint at function**

**f0. list 5 lines where it has stopped with breakpoint 3 for firsttime.**

**Ans: command:**

**For breakpoint:** b f0

Breakpoint 3 at 0x400679: file a.c , line 6.

**Rerun**: r (rerun if require press y again)

c (keep executing until the finishing of the program)

List 5 lines : s (executed n times for n lines here 5 times

```
Starting program: /home/usr/student/ug/yr22/be22114/a

Breakpoint 3, f0 (p=0x7fffffffe318) at a.c:6
6           int x, cntr = 1;
(gdb) s
7           printf("Enter a number between 2 and 6 (non-inclusive): \n");
(gdb) s
Enter a number between 2 and 6 (non-inclusive):
8           scanf("%d", &x);
(gdb) s
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9           while ((x <= 2) || (x >=6)) {
(gdb) s
19          printf("You have entered %d\n",x);
(gdb) s
You have entered 4
20          *p = x;
(gdb) c
Continuing.

Breakpoint 1, f1 (x=50, y=163) at b.c:3
3           printf("The numbers are : ");
(gdb) c
Continuing.
The numbers are : < 50, 163>

Breakpoint 2, f2 (p=0x7fffffffe314, q=0x7fffffffe310) at b.c:10
10          *p = (*p) - (*q);
(gdb)
```

**>> Explore : Complete this rerun. Now see what is the change in details of breakpoint s by using command used in “h”(input is 4)**

Original : the additional breakpoint f3 is hit once

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Num     Type           Disp Enb Address            What
1       breakpoint     keep y   0x0000555555555362 in f1 at b.c:3
        breakpoint already hit 8 times
2       breakpoint     keep y   0x00005555555553c5 in f2 at b.c:10
        breakpoint already hit 4 times
```

Changed :

```
(gdb) info break
Num     Type           Disp Enb Address            What
1       breakpoint     keep y   0x0000555555555362 in f1 at b.c:3
        breakpoint already hit 8 times
2       breakpoint     keep y   0x00005555555553c5 in f2 at b.c:10
        breakpoint already hit 4 times
3       breakpoint     keep y   0x00005555555551a9 in f0 at a.c:6
        breakpoint already hit 1 time
```