# Problem Set 1 Exercise #19: Body Mass Index

**Reference:** Week 4 Lecture notes

**Learning objectives:** Selection statements **Estimated completion time:** 25 minutes

#### **Problem statement:**

Given a person's weight in kilograms and height in meters, his/her BMI (Body Mass Index) is calculated based on this formula:

BMI = Weight / Height<sup>2</sup>

The following table shows the body types according to a person's gender and BMI:

	Female	Male
Underweight	BMI ≤ 19	BMI ≤ 20
Acceptable	BMI > 19 and ≤ 24	BMI > 20 and ≤ 25
Overweight	BMI > 24	BMI > 25

Write a program **bmi.c** to do the following:

- 1. Read the user's gender (type int), weight (type double) and height (type double).
- 2. Call a function **body\_type()** that takes in the above values, and returns the body type which is an integer.
- 3. Upon obtaining the body type, display a suitable advice for the user.

The gender is encoded using the following integers:

- 0 to represent female
- 1 to represent male

The body type is encoded using the following integers:

- -1 to represent underweight
- 0 to represent acceptable
- 1 to represent overweight

### Sample run #1:

```
Enter your gender (0 for female, 1 for male): 0
Enter your weight (kg) and height (m): 62 1.6
Time to join the gym!
```

### Sample run #2:

```
Enter your gender (0 for female, 1 for male): 1
Enter your weight (kg) and height (m): 62 1.6
Great! Maintain it!
```

## Sample run #3:

```
Enter your gender (0 for female, 1 for male): 1
Enter your weight (kg) and height (m): 61.5 1.8
Stuff yourself with more food!
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