Computer Programming

Programming in the Large

Large Software Systems

- Abstraction
  - Procedural abstraction
  - Data abstraction
  - Information hiding
  - Code reuse
- Tools to reduce complexity
  - Using more than one files
    - Header files and function libraries
    - global variables and extern storage class
  - Conditional compilation
  - Arguments to function main
  - Macros

Abstraction to Manage Complexity

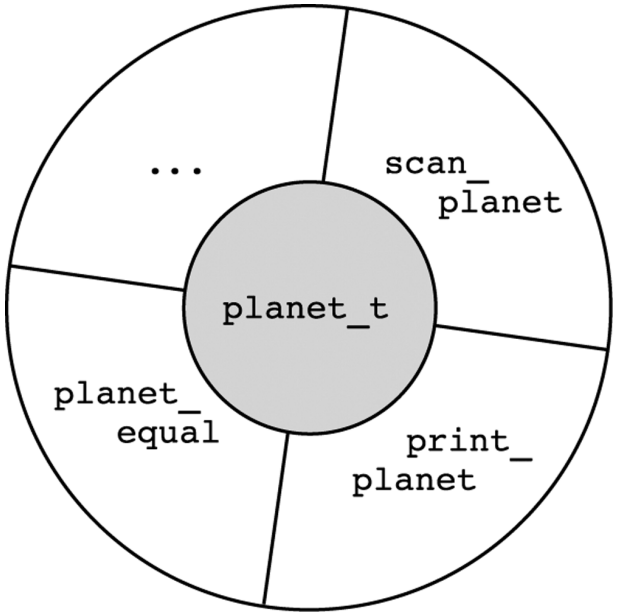
- Procedural Abstraction
  - Break down the problem into solvable chunks
    - Functional decomposition
  - Separate what is to e achieved from the details of how to be achieved
    - Ex: We use function fopen without knowing how it performs the job. We only need to know its parameters

Abstraction to Manage Complexity

- Data abstraction
  - Describe what information is stored without specifying how the information is organized in memory
  - Logical view vs physical view
  - Ex: double

Abstraction to Manage Complexity

- Information Hiding
  - Other modules only access the data through its operators
    - Internal implementation is hidden
    - Implementation can be changed

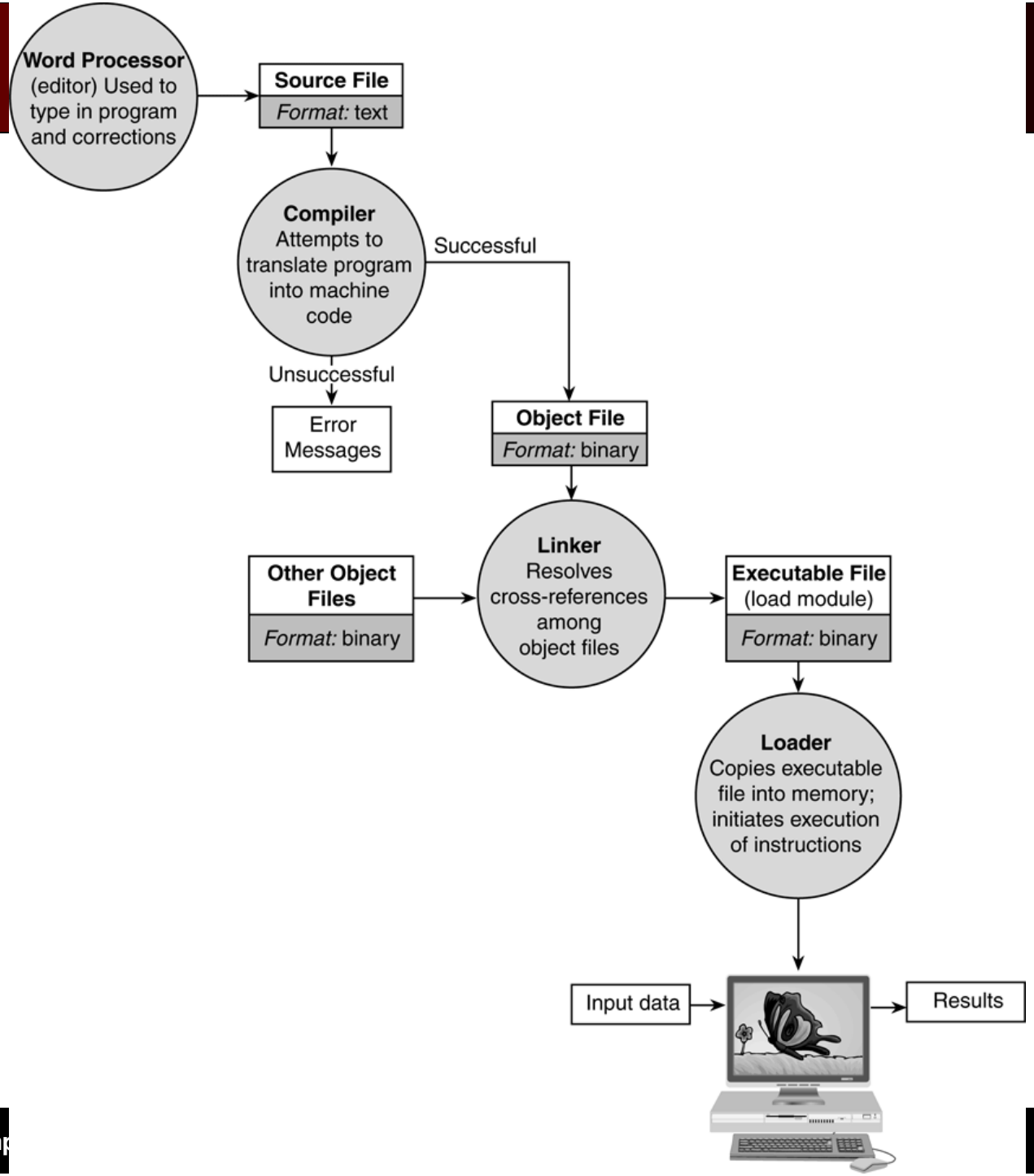


Abstraction to Manage Complexity

- Reusable code:
  - Code can be used in many applications
  - One way: **encapsulate** data and its operations in a library

Personal Libraries

- Standard libraries are very usable
- Personal libraries extends this
  - Provides abstraction
- Two files:
  - Header files: describes what the functions in the library do
  - Implementation files: shows how the functions do it


Word Processor
(editor) Used to type in program and corrections
Source File
Format: text
Compiler
Attempts to translate program into machine code
Successful
Unsuccessful
Error Messages
Object File
Format: binary
Other Object Files
Format: binary
Linker
Resolves cross-references among object files
Executable File
(load module)
Format: binary
Loader
Copies executable file into memory; initiates execution of instructions
Input data
Results

Header file

- Contains
  - information about library for compilation
  - Information for programmers to use the library
- includes:
  - Macro definitions
  - Type definitions
  - Function prototypes
- Provides an interface between a library and programmer that uses the library

- Notes:
  - Use of extern in function prototypes
  - Use of "…." in include
  - Use of library name as a prefix in constants

Header File planet.h

```
1.  /*  planet.h
2.   *
3.   *  abstract data type planet
4.   *
5.   *  Type planet_t has these components:
6.   *       name, diameter, moons, orbit_time, rotation_time
7.   *
8.   *  Operators:
9.   *       print_planet, planet_equal, scan_planet
10.  */
11.
12. #define PLANET_STRSIZ  10
13.
14. typedef struct { /* planet structure */
15.       char name[PLANET_STRSIZ];
16.       double diameter;       /* equatorial diameter in km                    */
17.       int    moons;          /* number of moons                              */
18.       double orbit_time,     /* years to orbit sun once                      */
19.              rotation_time;  /* hours to complete one revolution on
20.                                 axis                                         */
21. } planet_t;
22.
```

(continued)

```
23. /*
24.  *  Displays with labels all components of a planet_t structure
25.  */
26. extern void
27. print_planet(planet_t pl);  /* input - one planet structure                    */
28.
29. /*
30.  *  Determines whether or not the components of planet_1 and planet_2
31.  *  match
32.  */
33. extern int
34. planet_equal(planet_t planet_1,  /* input - planets to                        */
35.              planet_t planet_2); /*         compare                           */
36.
37. /*
38.  *  Fills a type planet_t structure with input data.  Integer returned as
39.  *  function result is success/failure/EOF indicator.
40.  *       1 => successful input of planet
41.  *       0 => error encountered
42.  *       EOF => insufficient data before end of file
43.  *  In case of error or EOF, value of type planet_t output argument is
44.  *  undefined.
45.  */
46. extern int
47. scan_planet(planet_t *plnp); /* output - address of planet_t structure to fill */
```

Portion of Program

```
1.  /*
2.   *  Beginning of source file in which a personal library and system I/O library
3.   *  are used.
4.   */
5.
6.  #include <stdio.h>      /* system's standard I/O functions                    */
7.
8.  #include "planet.h"     /* personal library with planet_t data type and
9.                              operators                                         */
10. . . .
```

Implementation file

- Source file contains
  - Code of all library functions
  - Additional information for compilation of functions
- Includes
  - Comments
  - Include directives
  - Define directives needed inside the library
  - Type declarations needed inside the library
  - Function definitions

Implementation File planet.c

```
1.  /*
2.   *
3.   *       planet.c
4.   */
5.
6.  #include <stdio.h>
7.  #include <string.h>
8.  #include "planet.h"
9.
10. /*
11.  *  Displays with labels all components of a planet_t structure
12.  */
13. void
14. print_planet(planet_t pl)  /* input - one planet structure */
15. {
16.       printf("%s\n", pl.name);
17.       printf("  Equatorial diameter: %.0f km\n", pl.diameter);
18.       printf("  Number of moons: %d\n", pl.moons);
19.       printf("  Time to complete one orbit of the sun: %.2f years\n",
20.              pl.orbit_time);
21.       printf("  Time to complete one rotation on axis: %.4f hours\n",
22.              pl.rotation_time);
23. }
24.
```

(continued)


```
25. /*
26.  *  Determines whether or not the components of planet_1 and planet_2 match
27.  */
28. int
29. planet_equal(planet_t planet_1,  /* input - planets to                    */
30.              planet_t planet_2)  /*         compare                      */
31. {
32.       return (strcmp(planet_1.name, planet_2.name) == 0     &&
33.               planet_1.diameter == planet_2.diameter        &&
34.               planet_1.moons == planet_2.moons              &&
35.               planet_1.orbit_time == planet_2.orbit_time    &&
36.               planet_1.rotation_time == planet_2.rotation_time);
37. }
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46.  *  undefined.
47.  */
48. int
49. scan_planet(planet_t *plnp) /* output - address of planet_t structure to
50.                                        fill                              */
51. {
52.       int result;
53.
54.       result = scanf("%s%lf%d%lf%lf",  plnp->name,
55.                                        &plnp->diameter,
56.                                        &plnp->moons,
57.                                        &plnp->orbit_time,
58.                                        &plnp->rotation_time);
59.       if (result == 5)
60.             result = 1;
61.       else if (result != EOF)
62.             result = 0;
63.
64.       return (result);
```

Storage Classes

- auto
  - Formal parameters and local variables of functions
  - Allocated on the stack and deallocated automatically
- extern
  - Names of functions
    - They are already at the top level

Storage Classes

```
void
fun_one(int arg_one, int arg_two)
{
        int one_local;
        . . .
}

int
fun_two (int a2_one, int a2_two)
{
        int local_var;
        . . .
}

int
main (void)
{
        int num;
        . . .
}
```

Colored names are auto and boldface ones are extern

Storage Classes

- auto
  - Formal parameters and local variables of functions
  - Allocated on the stack and deallocated automatically
- extern
  - Names of functions
  - Global variables
    - Variables declared at the top level

Declaration of a Global Variable

```
/* eg1.c */

int global_var_x;

void
afun(int n)
   . . .
```

```
/* eg2.c */

extern int global_var_x;

int
bfun(int p)
   . . .
```

Global variables

- Should be avoided as much as possible
  - Unrestricted access
  - Reduces readability and maintainability
- Global constants are OK
  - Example in the following

Variables of Storage Class extern


```
/* fileone.c */

typedef struct {
        double real,
               imag;
} complex_t;

/* Defining declarations of
   global structured constant
   complex_zero and of global
   constant array of month
   names */
const complex_t complex_zero
      = {0, 0};
const char *months[12] =
      {"January", "February",
       "March", "April", "May",
       "June", "July", "August",
       "September", "October",
       "November", "December"};


int
f1_fun1(int n)
{ . . . }

double
f1_fun2(double x)
{ . . . }

char
f1_fun3(char c1, char c2)
{   double months; . . . }
```

```
/* filetwo.c */

/* #define's and typedefs
    including  complex_t */


void
f2_fun1(int x)
{ . . . }

/* Compiler-notifying
   declarations -- no
   storage allocated */
extern const complex_t
       complex_zero;
extern const char
       *months[12];


void
f2_fun2(void)
{ . . . }

int
f2_fun3(int n)
{ . . . }
```

Storage Classes

- auto
- extern
- static
  - Allocated and initialized once prior to program execution
    - Heap is used instead of stack
  - Remains until the program termination
  - Retains data from one call to another
    - Function does not behave solely based on the parameter values
  - Ex: static double matrix[50][40];
- register
  - Advise compiler to use register for the variable
    - Used for variable accessed more often than others
  - Ex: register int row, col;

Premature Exit on Negative Data

```
1.  /*
2.   * Computes n!
3.   * n is greater than or equal to zero -- premature exit on negative data
4.   */
5.  int
6.  factorial(int n)
7.  {
8.       int i,           /* local variables */
9.           product = 1;
10.
11.      if (n < 0) {
12.            printf("\n***Function factorial reports ");
13.            printf("ERROR:  %d! is undefined***\n", n);
14.            exit(1);
15.      } else {
16.           /* Compute the product n x (n-1) x (n-2) x ... x 2 x 1 */
17.           for  (i = n;  i > 1;  --i) {
18.              product = product * i;
19.           }
20.
21.           /* Return function result */
22.           return (product);
23.      }
24. }
```

Conditional Compilation

- Selecting parts of program to be compiled and omitted
  - Debugging (tracing) printf statements
  - including header files
  - Software design for variety of computers

```
#if defined (DEBUG)
    printf(….);
#endif
```

- Define constant macro DEBUG for debugging

```
#elif
#else
#undef
```

Conditional Compilation

```
1.  /*
2.   *  Computes an integer quotient (m/n) using subtraction
3.   */
4.  int
5.  quotient(int m, int n)
6.  {
7.        int ans;
8.  #if defined (TRACE)
9.        printf("Entering quotient with m = %d, n = %d\n", m, n);
10. #endif
11.
12.       if (n > m)
13.             ans = 0;
14.       else
15.             ans = 1 + quotient(m - n, n);
16.
17. #if defined (TRACE)
18.      printf("Leaving quotient(%d, %d) with result = %d\n", m, n, ans);
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7.        int ans;
8.
9.  #if defined (TRACE_VERBOSE)
10.       printf("Entering quotient with m = %d, n = %d\n", m, n);
11. #elif defined (TRACE_BRIEF)
12.       printf(" => quotient(%d, %d)\n", m, n);
13. #endif
14.
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18.             ans = 1 + quotient(m - n, n);
19.
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21.       printf("Leaving quotient(%d, %d) with result = %d\n", m, n, ans);
22. #elif defined (TRACE_BRIEF)
23.       printf("quotient(%d, %d) => %d\n", m, n, ans);
24. #endif
25.
26.       return (ans);
27. }
```

Duplicate Inclusion

- Header file that protects itself from effects of duplicate inclusion

```
1.  /*  Header file planet.h
2.   *
3.   *  abstract data type planet
4.   *
5.   *  Type planet_t has these components:
6.   *       name, diameter, moons, orbit_time, rotation_time
7.   *
8.   *  Operators:
9.   *       print_planet, planet_equal, scan_planet
10.  */
11.
12. #if !defined (PLANET_H_INCL)
13. #define PLANET_H_INCL
14.
15. #define PLANET_STRSIZ  10
16.
```

```
16.
17. typedef struct { /* planet structure */
18.       char name[PLANET_STRSIZ];
19.       double diameter;       /* equatorial diameter in km                    */
20.       int    moons;          /* number of moons                              */
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49.  */
50. extern int
51. scan_planet(planet_t *plnp); /* output - address of planet_t structure to
52.                                          fill                               */
53.
54. #endif
```

Arguments to Function main

- Function main has two formal parameters
  - Integer: argument count
  - Array of pointers to strings: arguments

```
int main(int argc, char *argv[])
```

  - While you run your program

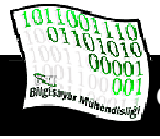
```
> prog opt1 opt2
```

  - argc has value of 3
  - argv[0] is “prog”, argv[1] is “opt1”, argv[2] is “opt2”

  - EX: backup program

Arguments to Function main


```c
/*
 *  Makes a backup of the file whose name is the first command line argument.
 *  The second command line argument is the name of the new file.
 */
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

int
main(int   argc,    /* input - argument count (including program name) */
     char *argv[])  /* input - argument vector                          */
{
      FILE *inp,    /* file pointers for input     */
           *outp;   /*    and backup files        */
      char  ch;     /* one character of input file */

      /* Open input and backup files if possible                        */
      inp = fopen(argv[1], "r");
      if (inp == NULL) {
            printf("\nCannot open file %s for input\n", argv[1]);
            exit(1);
      }

      outp = fopen(argv[2], "w");
      if (outp == NULL) {
            printf("\nCannot open file %s for output\n", argv[2]);
            exit(1);
      }

      /* Make backup copy one character at a time                       */
      for (ch = getc(inp);  ch != EOF;  ch = getc(inp))
         putc(ch, outp);

      /*  Close files and notify user of backup completion              */
      fclose(inp);
      fclose(outp);
      printf("\nCopied %s to %s\n", argv[1], argv[2]);

      return(0);
}
```



Macros

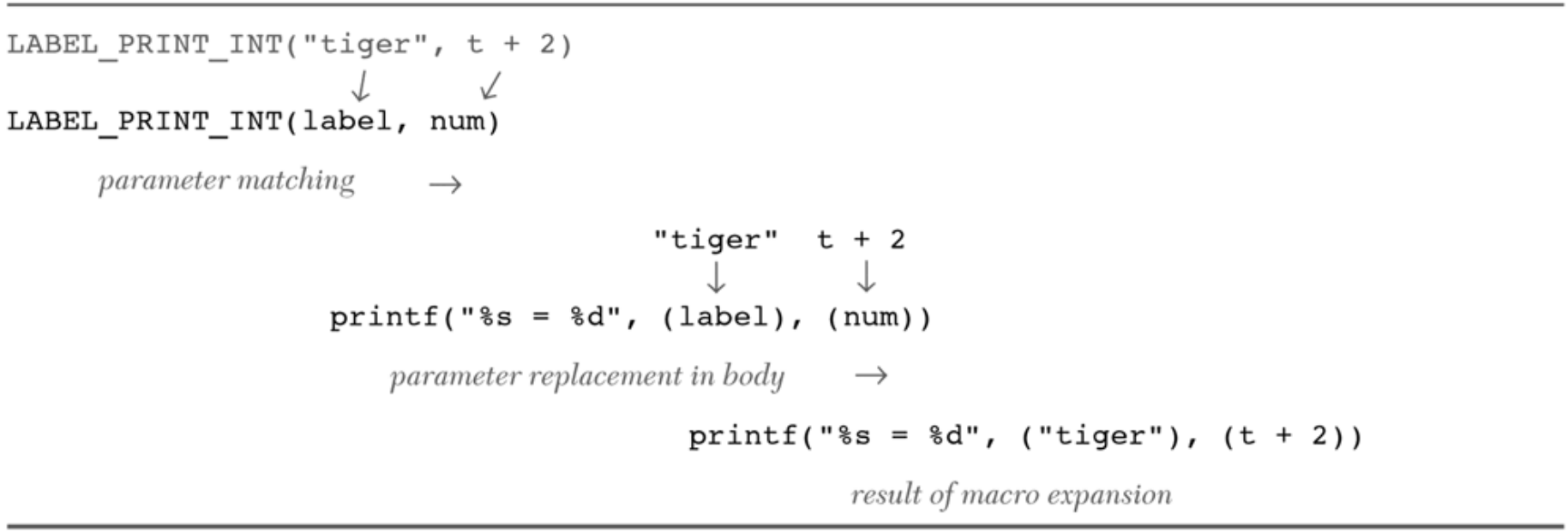
- Constant macros: defines symbolic names
- Macros can have formal parameters
  - Gives a name to frequently used operation
  - No overhead of function calls

```
#define macro_name(parameter_list) macro_body

#define SQUARE(x) ((x)*(x))

#define ROOT(a,b,c) ((-(b)+sqrt((b)*(b)-4*(a)*(c)))/(2*(a)))
```

Macro with Formal Parameters

```
1.  /*  Shows the definition and use of a macro                          */
2.
3.  #include <stdio.h>
4.
5.  #define LABEL_PRINT_INT(label, num) printf("%s = %d", (label), (num))
6.
7.  int
8.  main(void)
9.  {
10.         int r = 5, t = 12;
11.
12.         LABEL_PRINT_INT("rabbit", r);
13.         printf("     ");
14.         LABEL_PRINT_INT("tiger", t + 2);
15.         printf("\n");
16.
17.         return(0);
18. }
19. rabbit = 5     tiger = 14
```

Macro Expansion of Macro Call



Importance of Parentheses in Macro Body

Version 1

```
#define SQUARE(n)  n * n
```

Version 2

```
#define SQUARE(n)  ((n) * (n))
```

```
. . .
double x = 0.5, y = 2.0;
int    n = 4, m = 12;

printf("(%.2f + %.2f)squared = %.2f\n\n",
       x, y, SQUARE(x + y));

printf("%d squared divided by\n", m);
printf("%d squared is %d\n", n,
       SQUARE(m) / SQUARE(n));
```

```
(0.5 + 2.0)squared = 3.5

12 squared divided by
4 squared is 144
```

```
(0.5 + 2.0)squared = 6.25

12 squared divided by
4 squared is 9
```

Macro Expansions of Macro Calls

Version 1	Version 2
`SQUARE(x + y)` becomes `x + y * x + y` *Problem: Multiplication done before addition.*	`SQUARE(x + y)` becomes `((x + y) * (x + y))`
`SQUARE(m) / SQUARE(n)` becomes `m * m / n * n` *Problem: Multiplication and division are of equal precedence; they are performed left to right.*	`SQUARE(m) / SQUARE(n)` becomes `((m) * (m)) / ((n) * (n))`

Macros

- Notes:
  - No space between macro name and (
  - Do not use semicolon at the end of the macro
  - Use parenthesis for each formal parameter
  - Avoid using operators with side effects in expressions as arguments in a macro call

```
#define ROOT(a,b,c) ((-(b)+sqrt((b)*(b)-4*(a)*(c)))/(2*(a)))
r = ROOT(++n1, n2, n3);
r = ((-(n2)+sqrt((n2)*(n2)-4*(++n1)*(n3)))/(2*(++n1)));
```

  - Macro with more than one lines is possible
    - Use \ at the end of the line

```
#define INDEXED_FOR(ct, st, end) \
      for ((ct)=(st); (ct) < (end); ++(ct))
```