C Cheat Sheet

Comments

Single line comment

// this is a single-line comment

Multi-line comment

/* this is a multi-line comment

we can write multiple lines at once */

printf() and scanf()

printf("Hello welcome to Matrix Codez"); // it'll display output on the console

scanf("format specifier", variables); // to read input from user

int num;

scanf("%d", &num);

Escape Sequences

```
/b backspace
```

/f form feed

/n creates a new line

/r carriage return

/t horizontal tab

/" double quote

/' single quote

/v vertical tab

/a to alert

/0 to terminate a string

Data types

Integer

int variable_name;

Float

float variable_name;

Char

char variable_name;

Double

double variable_name;

Void

void

Variables

Valid Variables Invalid Variables

result 2number

sum int, float //we can't use keywords as

variables

_average num+ //special character

num1

Operators

Arithmetic Operators

+

// to add

For example int sum = x + y;

-

```
// to subtract
For example int subtract = x - y;

*

// to multiply
For example int product = x * y;

//

// Division
For example int division = x / y;

%

// Modulus this operator returns the remainder value
For example int modulus = x % y;

Relational Operators

// these operators the relation between two variables
```

// used to compare the values of two variables

| Operator | Example | Meaning | |
|----------|---------|---------------------------------|--|
| > | a > b | a is greater than b | |
| < | a < b | a is less than b | |
| >= | a >= b | a is greater than or equal to b | |
| <= | a <=b | a is less than or equal to b | |
| == | a == b | a is equal to b | |
| != | a !=b | a is not equal to b | |

For logical operators and bitwise operators look at our c tutorial

Precedence and Associativity rules

| Operator | Priority | Associativity |
|------------|----------|---------------|
| {}, (), [] | first | left to right |
| ++,,! | second | right to left |
| *,/,% | third | left to right |
| +,- | fourth | left to right |
| <,<=,>, | fifth | left to right |
| >=,==,!= | | |
| && | sixth | left to right |
| II | seventh | left to right |
| ? | eighth | right to left |
| =,+=,-=, | ninth | right to left |
| *=,/=,%= | | |

Conditional Statements

If Statement

```
if ( condition) {
  code block
}

If-else Statement

if ( condition ) {
  code block
}

else{
  code block
```

}

```
if else-if
if (condition) {
// Statements;
} else if (condition){
// Statements;
}
else
{
// Statements
}
Switch Case Statement
switch(expression)
case value1:
  block1:
 break;
case value2:
  block2;
  break;
... ... ... ... ... ...
default:
   default block;
   break;
}
statement;
```

Iterative statements or Loops

```
while loop
while ( condition)
{
  code block
  }
  do - while loop
  do
  {
  code block
  } while (condition);
  for loop
  for (int i = 0; i < count; i++)
  {
  code block
}</pre>
```

Functions

}

Function Definition

```
return_type function_name(parameter list)
{
The code block for the execution of our task
}
```

Recursion

```
void recurse()
{
......
recurse();
......}
```

Arrays

Declaration

```
data_type array_name[array_size];
```

To Access an Element from an array

```
int variable_name = array[index]; // index is start with 0
```

Strings

Declaration

```
// in c we don't have "strings" we use an array of characters as a string
char str_name[size];
gets() function
gets("Hello");
puts() function
puts("string");
strlen()
```

strlen(string_name);

Structures

Syntax

```
struct structureName
{
  dataType member1;
  dataType member2;
  ...
  dataType member n;
};
```

Union

Syntax

```
union unionName
{
  dataType member1;
  dataType member2;
  ...
  dataType member n;
};
```

Dynamic Memory Allocation

malloc()

```
ptr = (castType*) malloc(size);
calloc()
ptr = (castType*)calloc(n, size);
realloc()
ptr = realloc(ptr, x);
```

File Handling

Opening a file

```
filePointer = fopen(fileName.txt, w);
fscanf()
fscanf(FILE *stream, const char *format, ...);
fprintf()
fprintf(FILE *fptr, const char *str, ...);
```

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