# Study Guide Project

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In this project, we display questions and answer them. If the answer is correct, we display true, otherwise, we display false. This project can serve as a study guide for our courses or Civics (History and Government) Questions for the Naturalization Test, as in https://www.uscis.gov/sites/default/files/document/questions-and-answers/100q.pdf.

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### 1 Task A

### 1.1 Requirements

In this task, we initialize two questions and their expected answers, then take answers from users. If a user-input answer matches exactly, **including spelling**, **spaces and cases**, to the provided expected answer, display true, otherwise, display false.

The first question is as follows.

#### What is -1 + 5 / 3?

The expected answer is 0. Explanation is as follows.

- 1. Division operator / has higher precedance than plus operator +, so 5 / 3 runs first. Since both numerator 5 and denominator 3 are integers, the division result should be an integer. It is like to divide 5 pens among three person, each person gets 1 pen. That is, 5 / 3 returns 1.
- 2. Add -1 and the result of 5 / 3, which is 1, the sum is 0.

The second question is

Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a condition to represent that n does NOT satisffy 0 < n < 100.

An expected answer is  $(n \le 0 \mid \mid n \ge 100)$ . That is, either n is less than or equal to 0 or n is larger than or equal to 100. Here is an explanation.

- 1. Pay attention to borderline case. For example,  $n \le 0$  cannot be replaced by  $n \le 0$ . Reason: when n is 0, it does not satisfy  $0 \le n \le 100$ .
  - Similarly,  $n \ge 100$  cannot be replaced by  $n \ge 100$ .
- 2. A condition in C++ should be enclosed in a pair of parentheses.
- 3. Cannot write as  $(n \le 0 \&\& n \ge 100)$ , where && means and. Never can integer n satisfy  $n \le 0$  and  $n \ge 100$ . That is, integer that is less than or equal to 0 and at the same time is larger than or equals to 100 does not exist.

# 1.2 Steps of Task A

- 1. Name the source code as checkAnswer.cpp.
- 2. Declare two string variables, one for question text, the other for expected answer.
  - (a) Even though some answers are numbers, for example, the answer to question What is -1 + 5 / 3 ? is 0, we still need to save them as strings, to be consistent with all other problems whose answers are strings.
- 3. Initialize question text to be the question text of the first problem and expected answer to be the corresponding value.
- 4. Delcare a string variable to hold user answer.
- 5. Use getline function to input from console and put the value to user answer.
  - (a) cin >> variable; takes input from console and stop at the first space character or new line character, whichever is encountered first. The variable can be of primitive type of int, double, string, and char. That is, >> (extraction or push from) operator reads a word from the keyboard buffer, then extract the value to the corresponding type of the variable as in cin >> variable;
  - (b) getline(cin, stringVariable); takes a whole line from console and put the value to stringVariable. The first parameter of getline is either the Standard input stream object like cin or an ifstream object, which reads input from a file. The second parameter must be a string variable. That is, getline can only save the input to a string.
- 6. If the input user answer match exactly to the expected answer, print true, otherwise, print false.
  - (a) Hint: you may print a boolean (type bool in C++) value cout << boolean\_expression;, where boolean\_expression is obtained by comparing two variables. If the result is true, the print out is 1, otherwise, the print out is 0.
    - However, we would like to see word "true" instead of 1 and "false" instead of 0. We can use boolalpha from standard name space, illustrated as follows. Then, if the boolean expression returns true, then the print is true, otherwise, the print is false.

```
cout << boolean_expression;</pre>
```

7. Work the second problem similarly.

A sample input is as follows.

```
What is -1 + 5 / 3 ?
Your Answer: 2
false
Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a condition to represent that
    n does NOT satisify 0 < n < 100.
Your Answer: (n >= 0 && n <= 100)
false</pre>
```

Another sample run is as follows.

```
What is -1 + 5 / 3 ?
Your Answer: 0
true

Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a condition to represent that n does NOT satisify 0 < n < 100.
Your Answer: (n <= 0 || n >= 100)
true
```

#### 1.3 Resources

Please read class notes on January 30, 2025 and February 3, 2025 to learn input and output statements. You may also use branch statements.

Pay attention to the difference between cin >> variable; and getline(cin, stringVariable);.

### 2 Task B

# 2.1 Requirements

In this task, we do the following.

- 1. Define a source code called checkAnswer\_array.cpp.
- 2. Declare and initialize two arrays of strings.
  - (a) The first array stores question texts. Save the following questions in the given order.

```
Given char arr[] = {'A', 'B', 'C'}, what is arr[1]?

Given string arr[] = {"Hello", "Hi", "Hey"}, what is arr[2]?

Given two double variables a and b, find out the return of a^b, that is, a raised to the power of b. Hint: use pow function.
```

```
Suppose n is properly declared and initialized as an integer. Write a
      statement to throw away the least significant digit from n. For example, if
       n is 12, after the statement, n changes to be 1.
  Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a statement to
      declare lastDigit as an integer and initialize it to be the least
      significant digit of integer n. Suppose n is 123, after the statement,
      lastDigit is 3.
10
  What is the output?
11
  #include <iostream>
12
  using namespace std;
13
14
  int main() {
15
       int count = 0;
16
       for (int i = -6; i < 2; i += 3)
17
           count++;
19
       cout << count << endl;</pre>
20
       return 0;
21
  }
22
23
  Write a condition to represent that char variable ch is none of the following:
24
       'a', 'b', or 'c'.
```

Here are codes to declare and initialize the array called texts.

```
string texts[] = {
1
      "Given char arr[] = \{'A', 'B', 'C'\}, what is arr[1]?",
2
      "Given string arr[] = {\"Hello\", \"Hi\", \"Hey\"}, what is arr[2]?",
      "Given two double variables a and b, find out the return of a^b, that is,
     a raised to the power of b. Hint: use pow function.",
      "Suppose n is properly declared and initialized as an integer. Write a
     statement to throw away the least significant digit from n. For example, if
      n is 12, after the statement, n changes to be 1.",
      "Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a statement to
     declare lastDigit as an integer and initialize it to be the least
     significant digit of integer n. Suppose n is 123, after the statement,
     lastDigit is 3.",
      "What is the output?\n#include <iostream>\nusing namespace std;\n\nint
7
     main() {\n}
                   int count = 0; n
                                        for (int i = -6; i < 2; i += 3)\n
                   cout << count << endl;\n</pre>
     count++;\n\n
                                                 return 0; n}",
      "Write a condition to represent that char variable ch is none of the
     following: 'a', 'b', or 'c'."
      };
```

Here is some explanation.

- i. To include double quotes symbols " inside a string, need to use escape sequence \", as shown in Line 3.
  - Without backslash \ immediately before double quotes ", double quotes " by itself is treated as beginning or end of a string literal, which results in compilation error.
- ii. Similarly, \n is a newline character. That is, move to the next line. See Line 7.

```
_{1} ["Given string arr[] = {\"Hello\", \"Hi\", \"Hey\"}, what is arr[2]?"
```

(b) The second array saves the expected answers for the above problems. The answers are as follows. Warning: need to save each answer as a string and save in the second array in the same order.

```
'B'

"Hey"

pow(a, b)

n /= 10;

int lastDigit = n % 10;

(ch != 'a' && ch != 'b' && ch != 'c')
```

- 3. Display the above question texts, get answers from users. Compare answers with users. If the user answer matches the expected answer, display "true" (without quotes), otherwise, display "false".
- 4. Find out the number of correct answers and print out the value.
- 5. Calculate percentage of correct answers.
- 6. If percentage is at least 90%, print "excellent", otherwise, if percentage is at least 80%, print "good", otherwise, if percentage is at least 60%, print "pass", otherwise, print "please ask help ASAP".

# 2.2 A sample run when result is excellent

Highlight parts are user inputs.

```
Question 1: Given char arr[] = {'A', 'B', 'C'}, what is arr[1]?

Enter your answer: 'B'

true

Question 2: Given string arr[] = {"Hello", "Hi", "Hey"}, what is arr[2]?

Enter your answer: "Hey"

true

Question 3: Given two double variables a and b, find out the return of a^b, that is, a raised to the power of b. Hint: use pow function.
```

```
Enter your answer: pow(a, b)
  true
11
12
  Question 4: Suppose n is properly declared and initialized as an integer. Write a
13
      statement to throw away the least significant digit from n. For example, if n is 12,
       after the statement, n changes to be 1.
  Enter your answer: n \neq 10;
14
  true
15
16
  Question 5: Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a statement to
17
      declare lastDigit as an integer and initialize it to be the least significant digit
      of integer n. Suppose n is 123, after the statement, lastDigit is 3.
  Enter your answer: int lastDigit = n % 10;
  true
19
  Question 6: What is the output?
21
  #include <iostream>
  using namespace std;
23
24
   int main() {
25
       int count = 0;
26
       for (int i = -6; i < 2; i += 3)
27
           count++;
28
29
       cout << count << endl;</pre>
30
       return 0;
31
32
  Enter your answer: 3
33
  true
34
  Question 7: Write a condition to represent that char variable ch is none of the
36
      following: 'a', 'b', or 'c'.
  Enter your answer: (ch != 'a' && ch != 'b' && ch != 'c')
37
  true
38
39
  number of correct problems: 7
  percentage of correct: 100%
41
  excellent
42
```

# 2.3 A sample run when result is good

Highlight parts are user inputs.

```
Question 1: Given char arr[] = {'A', 'B', 'C'}, what is arr[1]?

Enter your answer: 'B'
true
```

```
Question 2: Given string arr[] = {"Hello", "Hi", "Hey"}, what is arr[2]?
  Enter your answer: "Hey"
  true
  Question 3: Given two double variables a and b, find out the return of a^b, that is, a
9
      raised to the power of b. Hint: use pow function.
  Enter your answer: pow(a, b)
10
  true
11
12
  Question 4: Suppose n is properly declared and initialized as an integer. Write a
13
      statement to throw away the least significant digit from n. For example, if n is 12,
       after the statement, n changes to be 1.
  Enter your answer: n \neq 10;
14
  true
15
16
  Question 5: Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a statement to
      declare lastDigit as an integer and initialize it to be the least significant digit
      of integer n. Suppose n is 123, after the statement, lastDigit is 3.
  Enter your answer: int lastDigit = n % 10;
18
  true
19
20
  Question 6: What is the output?
^{21}
  #include <iostream>
22
  using namespace std;
23
  int main() {
25
       int count = 0;
26
       for (int i = -6; i < 2; i += 3)
27
           count++;
29
       cout << count << endl;</pre>
30
       return 0;
31
  Enter your answer: 3
33
  true
35
  Question 7: Write a condition to represent that char variable ch is none of the
      following: 'a', 'b', or 'c'.
  Enter your answer: (ch != 'a' || ch != 'b' || ch != 'c')
37
  false
38
  number of correct problems: 6
40
  percentage of correct: 85.7143%
41
  good
```

#### 2.4 Resources

To finish Task B, you need to learn array and repetition statements. See notes on Feb 6 and Feb 10.

# 3 Task C

In Task A, we can only work two problems. In Task B, we organize two arrays, one for question text, the other for expected answers. However, if we want to add more problems, we need to change the source codes, recompile and rerun the code.

In this task, we read from a text file with following formats. Then organize the contents in an array of questions. Then answer questions.

```
question: question text
answer: expected answer for the question
explanation: explan why we get the answer
version: year and version of an exam
label: problem label in the original exam
type: keywords for related topics for the question
```

Note that question text and answer are must, but explanation, type, version, and label can be optional. The following is cs135\_midterm\_f24\_v2.txt, which contains the ten short-answer questions in the midterm of Fall 2024, V2.

```
question: Given char arr[] = {'A', 'B', 'C'}, what is arr[1]?
  answer: 'B'
  explanation: arr[1] is the second element of array arr, which is 'B' in this example.
  version: f24 v2
  label: 1.1
  type: array
  question: Declare function increase, given an integer array arr with size many elements
      , increase each element of the array by 1. Return type is void. Define the function
      header (no implementation is needed).
  answer: void increase(int arr[], int size);
  explanation: (1) the first parameter is int arr[], the name of array arr, which also
10
      implies the address of the first element of array.
   (2) the second parameter represents the number of elements of the array.
11
  version: f24 v2
12
  label: 1.2
13
  type: function; array
14
15
16
  question: Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a statement to
      declare lastDigit as an integer and initialize it to be the least significant digit
      of integer n. Suppose n is 123, after the statement, lastDigit is 3.
  answer: int lastDigit = n % 10;
  explanation: (1) operator % is called remainder or modular operator.
```

```
(2) For example, 12 % 10 means the remainder when dividing 12 pens among 10 students,
     each student gets 1 pen, and there are 2 pens left.
  (3) In general, n % 10 returns the last digit, or the rightmost digit (least
21
     significant digit), of n.
  (4) int lastDigit = n % 10; is a statement to declare lastDigit as an int and
22
     initialize it by the last digit of n.
  version: f24 v2
23
  label: 1.3
24
  type: modular; remainder
25
26
27
  question: What is the output?
28
29
  string tens_name(int n);
30
31
  int main() {
32
      cout << tens_name(82) << endl;</pre>
      return 0;
34
35
36
  string tens_name(int n) {
37
      if (n < 20 \mid \mid n > 99)
38
         return "";
39
40
      string names[] = {"", "", "twenty", "thirty", "forty", "fifty", "sixty", "seventy",
41
      "eighty", "ninety"};
42
      return names[n / 10];
43
  }
44
  answer: eighty
  explanation: (1) When calling tens_name(82), n in tens_name is initialized to be 82.
46
  (2) Since 82 is not less than 20 or 82 is not larger than 99, no return "";
  (3) 82 / 10 is integer division. It is like to divide 82 pens among 10 students, each
48
     student get 8 pens. So 82 / 10 returns 8.
  (4) names [n / 10] is names [82 / 10], which is names [8].
49
                    2
                            3
                                     4
                                            5
                                                             7
           0 1
                                                     6
  index
51
52
  53
          |""|""|"twenty"|"thirty"|"forty"|"fifty"|"sixty"|"seventy"|"eighty"|...
54
          55
  (5) The return of tens_name(82) is "eighty".
57
  (6) In main function, print tens_name(82), so the print out is "eighty" (without quotes
58
     ).
version: f24 v2
```

```
label: 1.4
60
  type: modular; remainder; array
61
62
  question: Given string greeting = "How are you?"; What is the value for greeting.substr
64
      (4, 5)?
  answer: "are y"
65
  explanation: (1) greeting.substr(4, 5) extracts a substring from greeting from its
      index 4 and span 5 characters.
   (2) The character indexed at 4 in string greeting with value "How are you?" is the
67
      fifth character, which is letter 'a'.
   (3) Starting from letter 'a', take a total of 5 letters. And we get "are y".
68
  version: f24 v2
  label: 1.5
70
  type: string; substring
71
72
  question: What is the value of 2 - 3 / 2?
74
  answer: 1
   explanation: (1) operator / has higher precedence than operator -.
76
   (2) 3 / 2 is integer division, which returns 1. It can be interpreted as 3 pens divided
       by 2 persons, each person gets one (1) pen.
   (3) 2 - 3 / 2 is the same as 2 - 1, which is 1.
  version: f24 v2
  label: 1.6
80
   type: arithmetic; integer division
81
82
  question: The area of a trapezoid with bases a, b, and height h is (a+b)/2 h. Assume
83
      that a, b, h are properly declared as double types and initialized, write a
      statement to declare area and save the value of the area.
  answer: double area = 1 / 2.0 * (a+b) * h;
  explanation: (1) Cannot use 1 / 2. * (a + b) * h; which is not a statement.
   (2) Cannot use double area = 1 / 2 * (a + b) * h; since 1 / 2 returns 0.
86
   (3) 1 / 2.0 returns 0.5.
  version: f24 v2
88
  label: 1.7
  type: arithmetic; integer division
90
  question: What is the output of the following code?
92
93
  #include <iostream>
94
  using namespace std;
95
96
  int main() {
97
       int count = 0;
98
       for (int i = 9; i \ge 2; i = 3)
```

99

```
count++;
100
101
       cout << count << endl;</pre>
102
103
      return 0;
104
   }
105
106
   answer: 3
107
   explanation: Variable i starts from 9 and counts starts from 0.
108
   +----+
109
    i | i >= 2 ? | count++;
                             | i -= 3 |
110
   +----+
111
   | 9 | yes
                   | count is 1 | i is 6 |
   +----+
113
    6 | yes
                   | count is 2 | i is 3 |
   +----+
115
                  | count is 3 | i is 0 |
   | 3 | yes
116
   +----+
117
   | 0 | no
118
   +----+
119
120
   After the loop, print the value of count, which is 3.
121
   version: f24 v2
122
   label: 1.8
123
   type: repetition
124
125
   question: Write a statement to call foo function on integer variables a and b, both are
126
       properly declared and initialized.
   void foo(int& a, int& b);
127
   answer: foo(a, b);
   explanation: (1) int& means to pass by reference, it is like the original copy of int.
129
      So the first paramerer is a.
   (2) Similarly, the second parameter is b. Do not forget to add; after calling the
130
      function.
   (3) Return type of foo(a, b) is void. There is no need to use a variable to hold the
131
      return of foo function.
   version: f24 v2
132
   label: 1.9
133
   type: function
134
135
   question: Write a condition in C++ to represent that an integer variable n is in the
136
      range of [60,80], where both ends are included, that is, 60 <= n <= 80 in mathematic
       representation.
   answer: (n >= 60 \&\& n <= 80)
137
   explanation: (1) && means and. That is, n \ge 60 and n \le 80.
138
   (2) Condition in C++ needs to be enclosed in a pair of parentheses.
139
```

```
(3) Warning: cannot write (n >= 60 && n <= 80) as (60 <= n <= 80). Otherwise, suppose n is 90, then 60 <= n returns true, which is 1.

(4) Also, 1 <= 80 returns true. However, 90 is not in [60,80].

version: f24 v2
label: 1.10
type: condition
```

```
Here is another file civics_65_20.txt.
  source: https://www.uscis.gov/sites/default/files/document/questions-and-answers/100q.
      pdf
  rev 1/19
  Civics Questions for the 65/20 Exemption
3
  The Immigration and Nationality Act provides for special consideration of the civics
5
      test for applicants who, at the time of filing their Form N-400, Application for
      Naturalization, are over 65 years old and have been a permanent resident for at
      least 20 years. These applicants qualify to take the civics test in the language of
      their choice. They are also given special consideration as they are only required to
       study 20 of the 100 civics test questions for the naturalization test.
6
  question: What is one right or freedom from the First Amendment?
   answer: speech
  type: Principles of American Democracy
10
11
  question: What is the economic system in the United States?
12
  answer: capitalist economy
13
   type: Principles of American Democracy
14
15
  question: Name one branch or part of the government.
16
  answer: Congress
17
  type: System of Government
18
19
  question: What are the two parts of the U.S. Congress?
   answer: the Senate and House (of Representatives)
21
   type: System of Government
23
  question: Who is one of your state's U.S. Senators now?
   answer: Chuck Shumer
25
  type: System of Government
^{26}
  question: In what month do we vote for President?
28
  answer: November
29
  type: System of Government
30
```

question: What is the name of the President of the United States now?

```
answer: Donald Trump
  type: System of Government
35
  question: What is the capital of your state?
  answer: Albany
37
  type: System of Government
38
  question: What are the two major political parties in the United States?
  answer: Democratic and Republican
41
  type: System of Government
42
  question: What is one responsibility that is only for United States citizens?
44
  answer: serve on a jury
  type: Rights and Responsibilities
46
  question: How old do citizens have to be to vote for President?
48
  answer: eighteen (18) and older
  type: Rights and Responsibilities
50
  question: When is the last day you can send in federal income tax forms?
52
  answer: April 15
  type: Rights and Responsibilities
54
  question: Who was the first President?
56
  answer: (George) Washington
57
  type: Colonial Period and Independence
58
59
  question: What was one important thing that Abraham Lincoln did?
61
  answer: freed the slaves (Emancipation Proclamation)
  type: 1800s
63
  question: Name one war fought by the United States in the 1900s.
65
  answer: World War II
66
  type: Recent American History and Other Important Historical Information
67
  question: What did Martin Luther King, Jr. do?
69
  answer: fought for civil rights
  type: Recent American History and Other Important Historical Information
71
72
  question: What is the capital of the United States?
73
  answer: Washington, D.C.
  type: Geography
75
76
  question: Where is the Statue of Liberty?
77
```

answer: New York (Harbor)

```
type: Geography

question: Why does the flag have 50 stars?
answer: because there are 50 states
type: Symbols

question: When do we celebrate Independence Day?
answer: July 4
type: Holidays
```

### 3.1 Represent a question

To represent a question, we use a struct called Question, defined as follows. In C++, struct is a type that may contain different types of elements.

```
struct Question {
   string text; //question text
   string answer;
   string explanation;
   string version;
   string type;
   string label;
};
```

Here is an example on how to use Question type.

```
#include <iostream>
   #include <string>
   using namespace std;
3
  //define Question outside a function,
  //so that every function defined after struct Question
  //can use it.
   struct Question {
       string text; //question text
       string answer;
10
       string explanation;
11
       string version;
       string type;
13
       string label;
  };
15
   int main() {
17
       Question q;
18
19
       q.text = "What is the value of 2 - 3 / 2?";
20
       q.answer = "1";
21
```

```
q.version = "f24 midterm v2";
22
                   q.type = "arithmetic; integer division";
23
                   q.label = "1.6";
24
                   q.explanation = "(1) operator / has higher precedence than operator -. \ln(2) 3 / 2
25
                 is integer division, which returns 1. It can be interpreted as 3 pens divided by 2
                 persons, each person gets one (1) pen.\n(3) 2 - 3 / 2 is the same as 2 - 1, which is
                    1.";
                   \text{cout} << \text{"}\ 033[1m" << \text{"question 1: "} << \text{"}\ 033[0m" << \text{"}\ 033[35m" << q.text << \text{"}\ 033[0m" << q.text << q.t
26
                 " << endl;
                   //\033[1m bold font]
27
                   //\033[0m] regular font
28
                   //\sqrt{033[35m is pink color]}
29
                   //\033[Om is black color]
                    cout << "\033[1m" << "Enter you answer: " << "\033[0m";</pre>
31
                    cout << "\033[34m"; //blue color
33
                   string userAns;
                   getline(cin, userAns); //input is shown in blue font
35
                    cout << "\033[0m"; //restore back to black color</pre>
37
                   if (userAns != q.answer)
38
                            cout << "\033[31m" << "false" << "\033[0m" << endl; //\033[31m red color]
39
                    //display false in red font
                //\033[0m is black color, after display false in red font,
40
                 //restore back to black color
41
                   else
                               cout << "\033[32m" << "true" << "\033[0m" << endl; //\033[32m green color //
43
                 display true in green font
44
                   return 0;
45
       }
46
```

Note that we display **question:** and **answer:** both in bold fonts. Display question text in pink font, user input in blue font. If user answer is correct (ie, match expected answer), then print true in green color, otherwise, print false in red font.

Note that color fonts are optional.

Here is a sample input/output when output is false.

```
question 1: What is the value of 2 - 3 / 2?
Enter you answer: 2
false
```

Here is a sample input/output when output is true.

```
question 1: What is the value of 2 - 3 / 2?
Enter you answer: 1
true
```

### 3.2 Requirements

- 1. Name the source code checkAnswer\_file.cpp.
- 2. Download civics\_65\_20.txt from link to civics exam and cs135\_midterm\_f24\_v2.txt from cs135 midterm f24 v2 to the same folder as the source code.
- 3. The text files are in the following format.
  - (a) Question text is after question: There is a space after question: A question text may spread more than one line.
  - (b) Answer follows answer: . There is a space after answer: . An answer may spread more than one line.
  - (c) Followed by explanation: Explanation may spread more than one line.
  - (d) Followed by version: .
  - (e) Followed by type: . There can be more than one type. If so, the types are separated by a semi-column symbol ;.

Here is an example.

question: Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a statement to declare lastDigit as an integer and initialize it to be the least significant digit of integer n. Suppose n is 123, after the statement, lastDigit is 3.

answer: int lastDigit = n % 10;

- explanation: (1) operator % is called remainder or modular operator.
- (2) For example, 12 % 10 means the remainder when dividing 12 pens among 10 students, each student gets 1 pen, and there are 2 pens left.
- (3) In general, n % 10 returns the last digit, or the rightmost digit (least significant digit), of n.
- (4) int lastDigit = n % 10; is a statement to declare lastDigit as an int and initialize it by the last digit of n.

version: f24 v2

8 label: 1.3

9 type: modular; remainder

(f) Note that explanation, version, label, and type are optional. Here are another example from civics\_65\_20.txt.

```
question: What is the capital of the United States?
answer: Washington, D.C.
type: Geography
```

- 4. Define struct Question before main function.
- 5. In main function, do the following.
  - (a) Enter a file name.

- (b) Declare an array of Questions with capacity 200 or more. Yes, we can have an array of non-primitive type.
- (c) Read the text file and fill in the entries of the above array.

To make sure that your code reads the file correctly, you may print the contents of the array as an intermediate steps. You can comment this piece code out in submission.

i. A file may have several lines before the first question as in civics\_65\_20.txt, which helps to explain the cotents of the file.

A file might contain empty lines as well.

- (d) Then for each question in the array, display question text, solicit a user answer, compare that answer with expected answer. If true, display "true", otherwise, display "false".
- (e) You have at most three tries to answer a question. If a user fails to answer the question correctly in three tries, and if the explanation entry of the question is not empty, display explanation.
- (f) Count the number of questions correctly answered (may be take more than one try).
- (g) Count the percentage of correctly answered questions.
- (h) If percentage is at least 90%, print "excellent", otherwise, if percentage is at least 80%, print "good", otherwise, if percentage is at least 60%, print "pass", otherwise, print "please ask help ASAP".

### 3.3 Sample input/output

For simplicity, I do not display bold font or color fonts. You can use them to make your output look nice.

```
question 1: Given char arr[] = {'A', 'B', 'C'}, what is arr[1]?
  Enter you answer: 'C'
  number of tries: 1
  false
  Enter you answer: 'A'
  number of tries: 2
6
  false
  Enter you answer: 'B'
8
  number of tries: 3
9
10
11
  question 2: Declare function increase, given an integer array arr with size many
12
      elements, increase each element of the array by 1. Return type is void. Define the
      function header (no implementation is needed).
  Enter you answer: void increase(int arr[]);
13
  number of tries: 1
14
  false
  Enter you answer: void increase(int arr[], int size)
16
  number of tries: 2
^{17}
  false
18
  Enter you answer: void increase(int[] arr, int size);
  number of tries: 3
  false
```

```
22
  Explanation: (1) the first parameter is int arr[], the name of array arr, which also
23
      implies the address of the first element of array.
   (2) the second parameter represents the number of elements of the array.
^{24}
25
26
  question 3: Assume that n is properly declared and initialized. Write a statement to
      declare lastDigit as an integer and initialize it to be the least significant digit
      of integer n. Suppose n is 123, after the statement, lastDigit is 3.
  Enter you answer: int lastDigit = n / 10;
28
  number of tries: 1
  false
  Enter you answer: int lastDigit = n % 10;
  number of tries: 2
  true
34
  question 4: What is the output?
   string tens_name(int n);
36
   int main() {
38
       cout << tens_name(82) << endl;</pre>
39
       return 0;
40
  }
41
42
  string tens_name(int n) {
43
       if (n < 20 \mid \mid n > 99)
44
          return "";
45
46
       string names[] = {"", "", "twenty", "thirty", "forty", "fifty", "sixty", "seventy",
47
       "eighty", "ninety"};
48
       return names[n / 10];
  }
50
  Enter you answer: twenty
52
  number of tries: 1
  false
  Enter you answer: thirty
  number of tries: 2
56
  false
  Enter you answer: ninety
  number of tries: 3
  false
60
61
  Explanation: (1) When calling tens_name(82), n in tens_name is initialized to be 82.
```

(2) Since 82 is not less than 20 or 82 is not larger than 99, no return "";

```
(3) 82 / 10 is integer division. It is like to divide 82 pens among 10 students, each
64
      student get 8 pens. So 82 / 10 returns 8.
   (4) names [n / 10] is names [82 / 10], which is names [8].
65
66
                     2
                            3
                                     4
                                            5
                                                     6
                                                            7
                                                                   8
   index
           0 1
67
68
   69
          |""|""|"twenty"|"thirty"|"forty"|"fifty"|"sixty"|"seventy"|"eighty"|...
70
          71
72
   (5) The return of tens_name(82) is "eighty".
73
   (6) In main function, print tens_name(82), so the print out is "eighty" (without quotes
74
      ).
75
76
   question 5: Given string greeting = "How are you?"; What is the value for greeting.
77
      substr(4, 5)?
   Enter you answer: "are"
78
   number of tries: 1
   false
80
   Enter you answer: "are you"
   number of tries: 2
   false
83
   Enter you answer: "re yo"
   number of tries: 3
   false
86
87
   Explanation: (1) greeting.substr(4, 5) extracts a substring from greeting from its
88
      index 4 and span 5 characters.
   (2) The character indexed at 4 in string greeting with value "How are you?" is the
      fifth character, which is letter 'a'.
   (3) Starting from letter 'a', take a total of 5 letters. And we get "are y".
90
91
   question 6: What is the value of 2 - 3 / 2?
93
   Enter you answer: 2
   number of tries: 1
95
   false
   Enter you answer: 1
   number of tries: 2
98
   true
99
100
   question 7: The area of a trapezoid with bases a, b, and height h is (a+b)/2 h. Assume
101
      that a, b, h are properly declared as double types and initialized, write a
      statement to declare area and save the value of the area.
```

Enter you answer: double area = 1 / 2.0 \* (a+b) \* h;

```
number of tries: 1
103
   true
104
105
   question 8: What is the output of the following code?
106
   #include <iostream>
107
   using namespace std;
108
109
   int main() {
110
        int count = 0;
111
        for (int i = 9; i \ge 2; i = 3)
112
            count++;
113
114
        cout << count << endl;</pre>
115
116
        return 0;
117
118
119
120
   Enter you answer: 3
121
   number of tries: 1
122
   true
123
124
   question 9: Write a statement to call foo function on integer variables a and b, both
125
       are properly declared and initialized.void foo(int& a, int& b);
126
   Enter you answer: foo(int a, int b);
   number of tries: 1
128
   false
   Enter you answer: foo(&a, &b);
   number of tries: 2
   false
132
   Enter you answer: foo(a, b);
   number of tries: 3
134
   true
135
136
   question 10: Write a condition in C++ to represent that an integer variable n is in the
137
        range of [60,80], where both ends are included, that is, 60 \le n \le 80 in
       mathematic representation.
   Enter you answer: 60 <= n <= 80
138
   number of tries: 1
139
   false
140
   Enter you answer: n \ge 60 \mid \mid n \le 80
   number of tries: 2
   false
143
   Enter you answer: (n \ge 60 \mid \mid n \le 80)
number of tries: 3
```

```
false
146
147
   Explanation: (1) && means and. That is, n \ge 60 and n \le 80.
148
   (2) Condition in C++ needs to be enclosed in a pair of parentheses.
149
   (3) Warning: cannot write (n >= 60 && n <= 80) as (60 <= n <= 80). Otherwise, suppose n
150
        is 90, then 60 <= n returns true, which is 1.
   (4) Also, 1 \le 80 returns true. However, 90 is not in [60,80].
151
152
153
   number of correct problems: 6
154
   percentage of correct: 60%
155
   pass
156
```

# 3.4 Yet another sample input/output

```
question 1: What is one right or freedom from the First Amendment?
  Enter you answer: speech
  number of tries: 1
  true
  question 2: What is the economic system in the United States?
  Enter you answer: capitalist economy
  number of tries: 1
  true
10
  question 3: Name one branch or part of the government.
11
  Enter you answer: Congress
12
  number of tries: 1
  true
14
15
  question 4: What are the two parts of the U.S. Congress?
16
  Enter you answer: Democrat and Republican
  number of tries: 1
  false
  Enter you answer: Senator and House
  number of tries: 2
  false
  Enter you answer: Senator and House (of representatives)
  number of tries: 3
  false
26
27
  question 5: Who is one of your state's U.S. Senators now?
28
  Enter you answer: Chuck Schmer
  number of tries: 1
```

```
false
  Enter you answer: Chuck Shumer
  number of tries: 2
  true
35
  question 6: In what month do we vote for President?
36
   Enter you answer: November
  number of tries: 1
   true
40
   question 7: What is the name of the President of the United States now?
41
  Enter you answer: Donald Trump
42
  number of tries: 1
   true
44
  question 8: What is the capital of your state?
46
  Enter you answer: Albany
  number of tries: 1
48
  true
50
  question 9: What are the two major political parties in the United States?
  Enter you answer: Democrat and Republican
  number of tries: 1
  false
  Enter you answer: Democratic and Republican
  number of tries: 2
56
  true
57
   question 10: What is one responsibility that is only for United States citizens?
59
  Enter you answer: serve on jury
  number of tries: 1
  false
  Enter you answer: vote
  number of tries: 2
  false
  Enter you answer: I do not know
  number of tries: 3
  false
69
70
  question 11: How old do citizens have to be to vote for President?
71
  Enter you answer: 18 and older
  number of tries: 1
  false
  Enter you answer: 19 and older
```

number of tries: 2

```
false
   Enter you answer: 20 and older
   number of tries: 3
   false
80
81
82
   question 12: When is the last day you can send in federal income tax forms?
83
   Enter you answer: april 15
   number of tries: 1
85
   false
86
   Enter you answer: April 15
   number of tries: 2
88
   true
90
   question 13: Who was the first President?
91
   Enter you answer: (George) Washington
   number of tries: 1
   true
94
   question 14: What was one important thing that Abraham Lincoln did?
96
   Enter you answer: free the slaves
   number of tries: 1
98
   false
   Enter you answer: freed the slaves (Emancipation Proclamation)
100
   number of tries: 2
101
   true
102
103
   question 15: Name one war fought by the United States in the 1900s.
104
   Enter you answer: World War II
   number of tries: 1
   true
107
108
   question 16: What did Martin Luther King, Jr. do?
109
   Enter you answer: fought for the civil rights
   number of tries: 1
111
   false
   Enter you answer: fought for civil rights
   number of tries: 2
   true
115
116
   question 17: What is the capital of the United States?
117
   Enter you answer: Washington, D.C.
   number of tries: 1
119
   true
120
121
question 18: Where is the Statue of Liberty?
```

```
Enter you answer: New York (harbor)
   number of tries: 1
124
   false
   Enter you answer: New York (Harbor)
126
   number of tries: 2
127
   true
128
129
   question 19: Why does the flag have 50 stars?
130
   Enter you answer: because there are 50 states
131
   number of tries: 1
132
   true
133
134
   question 20: When do we celebrate Independence Day?
135
   Enter you answer: July 4
136
   number of tries: 1
137
   true
138
139
   number of correct problems: 17
140
   percentage of correct: 85%
   good
142
```

#### 3.5 resources

Read file reading, string processing, and nested repetition statements.

You may want to use  $starts\_with$  method of string class, which comes in c++20. So you need to run your code as follows.

To use string class, need to use #include <string>.

```
g++ -std=c++20 checkAnswer_file.cpp -o checkAnswer
./checkAnswer
```

Also, to find the length of a c-style string like "question: ", you need to import #include <string.h> and use strlen("question: ").

# 3.6 bonus: regex match

We notice that in the above approach, we need the user's answer is an exact match of the expected answer, case to case, letter to letter, even space is required. And it does not choose another valid answer.

We will add regular expression match to this problem.