

## STRUCTURES

Practice questions:

1. student
  2. customer
  3. employee
1. **(student)** You are required to write a C program to process an array of student records. For each student record, it stores the student id and name. In the program, you need to write the following three functions:
- The function `inputStud()` reads in students' information according to an input student size.
  - The function `printStud()` prints the student information on the display. It will print the message "Empty array" if the student list is empty.
  - The function `removeStud()` takes in three parameters. It removes the *target* student name from the array which has *\*size* numbers in it. If *\*size* is equal to zero the function should issue an error message "Array is empty". If the *target* name does not appear in the array, the function should issue an error message "The target does not exist". The program defines the constant *SIZE* as the maximum number of student records which can be stored in the array. The function will return 0 if the removal operation is successful, 1 if the array is empty or 2 if the number does not exist in the array.

The prototypes of the three functions are given below:

```
void inputStud(Student *s, int size);
void printStud(Student *s, int size);
int removeStud(Student *s, int *size, char *target);
```

The structure definition for the structure Student is given below:

```
typedef struct {
    int id;
    char name[50];
} Student;
```

A sample program template is given below to test the functions:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#define SIZE 50
typedef struct {
    int id;
    char name[50];
} Student;
void inputStud(Student *s, int size);
void printStud(Student *s, int size);
int removeStud(Student *s, int *size, char *target);
int main()
{
    Student s[SIZE];
    int size=0, choice;
    char target[80], *p;
    int result;

    printf("Select one of the following options: \n");
    printf("1: inputStud()\n");
    printf("2: removeStud()\n");
    printf("3: printStud()\n");
    printf("4: exit()\n");
    do {
        printf("Enter your choice: \n");
```

```

scanf("%d", &choice);
switch (choice) {
    case 1:
        printf("Enter size: \n");
        scanf("%d", &size);
        printf("Enter %d students: \n", size);
        inputStud(s, size);
        break;
    case 2:
        printf("Enter name to be removed: \n");
        scanf("\n");
        fgets(target, 80, stdin);
        if (p=strchr(target, '\n')) *p = '\0';
        printf("removeStud(): ");
        result = removeStud(s, &size, target);
        if (result == 0)
            printf("Successfully removed\n");
        else if (result == 1)
            printf("Array is empty\n");
        else if (result == 2)
            printf("The target does not exist\n");
        else
            printf("An error has occurred\n");
        break;
    case 3:
        printStud(s, size);
        break;
}
} while (choice < 4);
return 0;
}
void inputStud(Student *s, int size)
{
    /* Write your code here */
}
void printStud(Student *s, int size)
{
    /* Write your code here */
}
int removeStud(Student *s, int *size, char *target)
{
    /* Write your code here */
}

```

Some sample input and output sessions are given below:

(1) Test Case 1:  
 Select one of the following options:  
 1: inputStud()  
 2: removeStud()  
 3: printStud()  
 4: exit()  
 Enter your choice:  
1  
 Enter size:  
3  
 Enter 3 students:  
 Student ID:  
11  
 Student Name:  
Hui Siu Cheung

Student ID:  
12  
Student Name:  
Kenny B  
Student ID:  
13  
Student Name:  
Victor Leong  
Enter your choice:  
3  
The current student list:  
Student ID: 11 Student Name: Hui Siu Cheung  
Student ID: 12 Student Name: Kenny B  
Student ID: 13 Student Name: Victor Leong  
Enter your choice:  
4

(2) Test Case 2:

Select one of the following options:  
1: inputStud()  
2: removeStud()  
3: printStud()  
4: exit()  
Enter your choice:  
1  
Enter size:  
3  
Enter 3 students:  
Student ID:  
11  
Student Name:  
Hui Siu Cheung  
Student ID:  
12  
Student Name:  
Kenny B  
Student ID:  
13  
Student Name:  
Victor Leong  
Enter your choice:  
2  
Enter name to be removed:  
Victor Leong  
removeStud(): Successfully removed  
Enter your choice:  
3  
The current student list:  
Student ID: 11 Student Name: Hui Siu Cheung  
Student ID: 12 Student Name: Kenny B  
Enter your choice:  
4

(3) Test Case 3:

Select one of the following options:  
1: inputStud()  
2: removeStud()  
3: printStud()  
4: exit()  
Enter your choice:

```

1
Enter size:
3
Enter 3 students:
Student ID:
11
Student Name:
Hui Siu Cheung
Student ID:
12
Student Name:
Kenny B
Student ID:
13
Student Name:
Victor Leong
Enter your choice:
2
Enter name to be removed:
Victor Hui
removeStud(): The target does not exist
Enter your choice:
3
The current student list:
Student ID: 11 Student Name: Hui Siu Cheung
Student ID: 12 Student Name: Kenny B
Student ID: 13 Student Name: Victor Leong
Enter your choice:
4

```

(4) Test Case 4:  
Select one of the following options:

```

1: inputStud()
2: removeStud()
3: printStud()
4: exit()
Enter your choice:
2
Enter name to be removed:
Victor Hui
removeStud(): Array is empty
Enter your choice:
3
The current student list:
Empty array
Enter your choice:
4

```

2. **(customer)** Write a C program that repeatedly reads in customer data from the user and prints the customer data on the screen until the customer name "End Customer" (i.e., first\_name last\_name) is read. Your program should include the following two functions: the function `nextCustomer()` reads and returns a record for a single customer to the caller via a pointer parameter `acct`, and the function `printCustomer()` takes a parameter `acct` and then prints the customer information. The prototypes of the two functions are given below:

```

void nextCustomer(struct account *acct);
void printCustomer(struct account acct);

```

The structure definition for **struct account** is given below:

```

struct account {
    struct
    {
        char lastName[10];
        char firstName[10];
    } names;
    int accountNum;
    double balance;
};

```

A sample program template is given below to test the functions:

```

#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
struct account {
    struct
    {
        char lastName[10];
        char firstName[10];
    } names;
    int accountNum;
    double balance;
};
void nextCustomer(struct account *acct);
void printCustomer(struct account acct);
int main()
{
    struct account record;
    int flag = 0;

    do {
        nextCustomer(&record);
        if ((strcmp(record.names.firstName, "End") == 0) &&
            (strcmp(record.names.lastName, "Customer") == 0))
            flag = 1;
        if (flag != 1)
            printCustomer(record);
    } while (flag != 1);
}
void nextCustomer(struct account *acct)
{
    /* Write your code here */
}
void printCustomer(struct account acct)
{
    /* Write your code here */
}

```

Some sample input and output sessions are given below:

(1) Test Case 1:  
Enter names (firstName lastName):  
SC Hui  
Enter account number:  
123  
Enter balance:  
6789.89  
Customer record:  
SC Hui 123 6789.89  
Enter names (firstName lastName):  
End Customer

(2) Test Case 2:  
Enter names (firstName lastName):

SC Hui

Enter account number:

123

Enter balance:

6789.89

Customer record:

SC Hui 123 6789.89

Enter names (firstName lastName):

FY Tan

Enter account number:

13

Enter balance:

69.89

Customer record:

FY Tan 13 69.89

Enter names (firstName lastName):

End Customer

(3) Test Case 3:  
Enter names (firstName lastName):

End Customer

3. (**employee**) Write a C program that creates an array of structures to hold the employee information below:

```
typedef struct {  
    char name[40];  
    char telno[40];  
    int id;  
    double salary;  
} Employee;
```

You are required to implement the following three functions:

- The function `readin()` reads a number of persons' names and their corresponding telephone numbers, passes the data to the caller via the parameter `p`, and returns the number of names that have entered. The character '#' is used to indicate the end of user input.
- The function `search()` allows the user to query the array using the name field. If the name is found, the program displays the message "Employee found at index location: x". The function `search()` finds the employee data of an input name `target`, and then prints the name, telephone number, id and salary on the screen. If the input name cannot be found, then it will print the error message "Name not found" on the screen.
- If the name is not found and the array is not full, the user can then add the name as a new record into the array. Assume that the maximum size of the array is 100. The function `addEmployee()` adds a new employee record into the array. The message "Added at position: x" will be printed. If the database is full, an error message "Database is full" will be printed on the screen. The function returns the updated size of the array after adding the new employee record.

The prototypes of the functions are given below:

```
int readin(Employee *emp);  
int search(Employee *emp, int size, char *target);  
int addEmployee(Employee *emp, int size, char *target);
```

A sample program template is given below to test the functions:

```

#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#define MAX 100
typedef struct {
    char name[40];
    char telno[40];
    int id;
    double salary;
} Employee;
void printEmp(Employee *emp, int size);
int readin(Employee *emp);
int search(Employee *emp, int size, char *target);
int addEmployee(Employee *emp, int size, char *target);
int main()
{
    Employee emp[MAX];
    char name[40], *p;
    int size, choice, result;

    printf("Select one of the following options: \n");
    printf("1: readin() \n");
    printf("2: search() \n");
    printf("3: addEmployee() \n");
    printf("4: print() \n");
    printf("5: exit() \n");
    do {
        printf("Enter your choice: \n");
        scanf("%d", &choice);
        switch (choice) {
            case 1:
                size = readin(emp);
                break;
            case 2:
                printf("Enter search name: \n");
                scanf("\n");
                fgets(name, 40, stdin);
                if (p=strchr(name, '\n')) *p = '\0';
                result = search(emp, size, name);
                if (result != 1)
                    printf ("Name not found! \n");
                break;
            case 3:
                printf("Enter new name: \n");
                scanf("\n");
                fgets(name, 40, stdin);
                if (p=strchr(name, '\n')) *p = '\0';
                result = search(emp, size, name);
                if (result != 1)
                    size = addEmployee(emp, size, name);
                else
                    printf("The new name has already existed in the database\n");
                break;
            case 4:
                printEmp(emp, size);
                break;
            default:
                break;
        }
    } while (choice < 5);
    return 0;
}

```

```

void printEmp(Employee *emp, int size)
{
    int i;

    printf("The current employee list: \n");
    if (size==0)
        printf("Empty array\n");
    else
    {
        for (i=0; i<size; i++)
            printf("%s %s %d %.2f\n", emp[i].name, emp[i].telno, emp[i].id,
                emp[i].salary);
    }
}

int readin(Employee *emp)
{
    /* Write your code here */
}

int search(Employee *emp, int size, char *target)
{
    /* Write your code here */
}

int addEmployee(Employee *emp, int size, char *target)
{
    /* Write your code here */
}

```

Some sample input and output sessions are given below:

(1) Test Case 1:

Select one of the following options:

- 1: readin()
- 2: search()
- 3: addEmployee()
- 4: print()
- 5: exit()

Enter your choice:

1

Enter name:

Hui Siu Cheung

Enter tel:

12345678

Enter id:

11

Enter salary:

123.45

Enter name:

#

Enter your choice:

4

The current employee list:

Hui Siu Cheung 12345678 11 123.45

Enter your choice:

5

(2) Test Case 2:

Select one of the following options:

- 1: readin()
- 2: search()
- 3: addEmployee()
- 4: print()



```

5: exit()
Enter your choice:
1
Enter name:
Hui Siu Cheung
Enter tel:
12345678
Enter id:
11
Enter salary:
123.45
Enter name:
Kenny B
Enter tel:
23456789
Enter id:
12
Enter salary:
1234.45
Enter name:
#
Enter your choice:
4
The current employee list:
Hui Siu Cheung 12345678 11 123.45
Kenny B 23456789 12 1234.45
Enter your choice:
2
Enter search name:
Kenny B
Employee found at index location: 1
Kenny B 23456789 12 1234.45
Enter your choice:
5

```

(3) Test Case 3:  
Select one of the following options:

```

1: readin()
2: search()
3: addEmployee()
4: print()
5: exit()
Enter your choice:
1
Enter name:
Hui Siu Cheung
Enter tel:
12345678
Enter id:
11
Enter salary:
123.45
Enter name:
Kenny B
Enter tel:
23456789
Enter id:
12
Enter salary:
1234.45
Enter name:

```

```

#
Enter your choice:
4
The current employee list:
Hui Siu Cheung 12345678 11 123.45
Kenny B 23456789 12 1234.45
Enter your choice:
2
Enter search name:
Kenny BB
Name not found!
Enter your choice:
5

```

- (4) Test Case 4:
- Select one of the following options:
- ```

1: readin()
2: search()
3: addEmployee()
4: print()
5: exit()
Enter your choice:
1
Enter name:
Hui Siu Cheung
Enter tel:
12345678
Enter id:
11
Enter salary:
123.45
Enter name:
Kenny B
Enter tel:
23456789
Enter id:
12
Enter salary:
1234.45
Enter name:
#
Enter your choice:
4
The current employee list:
Hui Siu Cheung 12345678 11 123.45
Kenny B 23456789 12 1234.45
Enter your choice:
3
Enter new name:
Kenny Tan
Enter tel:
12344321
Enter id:
13
Enter salary:
2345.67
Added at position: 2
Enter your choice:
4
The current employee list:
Hui Siu Cheung 12345678 11 123.45

```

```
Kenny B 23456789 12 1234.45
Kenny Tan 12344321 13 2345.67
Enter your choice:
5
```