



**INF212**  
**ALGORITHMS AND PROGRAMMING**  
**LABORATORY LEAFLET**  
**STUDENT VERSION**

**LABORATORY-5: Structures and Memory  
Allocation**

Task	Explanation
1a	How to define, initialize structure and reach elements of structure
1b	How to define a pointer to a structure.
2	Create memory for int using dynamic memory allocation
3	Structure and memory allocation usage
4	Structure and function usage

**Task 1a: Write the code that prints the age, ID number and salary information of two employee on the screen. Implement it using structure.**

**Task 1b: Write a code that requests the student's name, id, midterm and final grade. Calculate average note of student and print. Implement it using pointer and structure.**

## Review:

Function	Use of Function
<code>malloc()</code>	Allocates requested size of bytes and returns a pointer first byte of allocated space
<code>calloc()</code>	Allocates space for an array elements, initializes to zero and then returns a pointer to memory
<code>free()</code>	deallocate the previously allocated space
<code>realloc()</code>	Change the size of previously allocated space

## Syntax of Functions

### `malloc()`

```
void *malloc(size_t nbyte)
```

```
int* ptr = (int*) malloc(100 * sizeof(int));
```

### `calloc()`

```
void *calloc(size_t nblock, size_t block_size);
```

```
float* ptr = (float*) calloc(25, sizeof(float));
```

### `realloc()`

```
void *realloc(void *block, size_t newSize);
```

```
ptr = (int*) realloc(ptr, 100 * sizeof(int));
```

### `free()`

```
free(ptr);
```

**Task 2: C program to create memory for int using malloc(), calloc() and realloc() and print the content**

**Task 3: Write a code that requests the student's name, number and GPA (Grade Points Average) and print. Implement it using structure, pointer and malloc(). (limit to three students)**

**Task 4: Request the real and imaginary parts of a complex number separately from the user, add the complex numbers and print. Implement it using structure and function (request two complex numbers respectively)**

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