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ECE160: Foundations of Computer Engineering I (Spring 2023)
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#### LAB #9

Monday, March 27 (L1) and Wednesday, March 29 (L2)

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- o To review loops and functions (Exam#2 problems)
- To practice how to open a file using fopen()/fopen\_s() and different modes ("r", "w", "a") (L#18)
- o To practice how to write to a file using fprintf() (L#18)

## SUBMISSION REQUIREMENT

- 1. Please follow "Submission Guidelines" in the lab section of the course website to submit your solution (program files) to the class M: drive by 5pm, Wednesday, March 29
- 2. Suggested format for naming your solution files: lab#-your last name-p#.cpp For example: lab9-xing-p1.cpp for problem 1; lab9-xing-p2.cpp for problem 2; ...

### **EXERCISES**

1. Correct errors in the following program and then run the program to understand what task the program can perform. (Hint: 14 errors)

```
/* This is a debugging problem in Exam 2 */
#include "stdlib.h"
#include "stdio.h"
#include "time.h"

int my160function(void)

void main(void);
{

    int max=7;
    int k, myrand;
    FILE mypointer;
    srand(time(NULL));
    mypointer = fopen("my160file.txt", w);
    for (k=0, k<=Max, k++)
```

```
{
          myrand = my160function(void);
          fprintf("The %dth random number generated is %d\n", k, myrand);
          fprintf(mypointer, "%d%d\n", myrand);
     }
     fclose(myfile.txt);
}

void my160function(void);
{
     int rand1;
     rand1== rand()%101+30;
     return rand1
}
```

2. Add missing header files that include the standard library functions called in the main() function of the following program. Then run the program and understand the output of each printf().

```
#include "stdlib.h"
int mfib(int n);
void main(void)
   double a = 7.76;
   double b = 4.0;
   double c = 3.1;
   double d, e, f;
   d = floor(a * 10) / 10 + sqrt(b) * ceil(c);
   printf("%5.2f\n", d);
   e = ceil(pow(2.0, 4.0) / 10);
   printf("%4.2f\n", e);
   f = fabs(floor(-1.8) / 2) - floor(1.8) / 2;
   printf("%4.2f\n", f);
   printf("%d\n", mfib(0));
   printf("%d\n", mfib(1));
   printf("%d\n", mfib(4));
}
```

```
int mfib(int n)
{
    if ((n == 0) || (n == 1))
        return (n + 1);
    else
        return (mfib(n - 1) * mfib(n - 2));
}
```

3. Run the program and understand the output on the screen.

```
#include "stdio.h"
void main(void)
       int j;
       int a = 14;
       int b = 10;
       int ld_a, ld_b;
       for (j = 7; j > 0; j--)
              if ((j == 4) || (j == 6))
                     continue;
              if (j == 2)
                     break;
              printf("%d\n", j * 2);
       }
       ld_a = a \% 10;
       ld_b = b \% 10;
       printf("%d\n%d\n", ld_a, ld_b);
       if (ld_a < ld_b)
              printf("%d\n", a);
       else
              printf("%d\n", b);
}
```

- 4. Write a complete C program that can perform the following tasks:
  - a. Input 10 numbers from the keyboard and compute the sum of these numbers. <u>A</u> loop is required to implement this task.

- b. Then, code the summation result by extracting the least significant digit (LSD) of the sum using the modulo % operation (e.g., 95%10=5) and then subtracting this LSD from the sum. You are required to define and call a function to do this coding task.
- c. Finally, output the coded sum on the screen.

You may refer to Lecture#13, Slide 14 & solution for an example of the program implementing task a; refer to Lab#8 Exercise#1 for an example of the code function in task b.

**Testing:** If you input 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, the sum is 95; the LSD of the sum is 5, and the coded sum will be 90, which is obtained by subtracting the LSD 5 from 95. The number 90 should be displayed on the screen when the program runs.

- 5. Modify your program in Lab8, Exercise 4 so that the program can perform the following tasks
  - a. Generate 2 random numbers (refer to L#17, Slides 10 &11)
  - b. Then compute the greatest common divisor (gcd) of these two integers using the Euclidean algorithm,
  - c. Then write the two random numbers generated and the computed gcd (one per line) to a file named gcd.txt. (refer to L#18, Slides 26 & 27)

After you run the program, check the file gcd.txt in your folder to confirm the content.

**For example,** if two random numbers generated are 16938 and 19168, then the gcd of them is 2. The following data should be displayed as the content of the file gcd.txt

16938

19168

2