



Program and Programming Style

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The Practice of Programming (Kernighan & Pike) Chapter 1

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Goals of this Lecture



- Help you learn about:
 - Good **program** (noun) style
 - Good **programming** (verb) style
- Why?
 - A large program that is well styled is
 - easier to maintain and
 - more likely to be correct
 - than a large program that is poorly styled
 - A power programmer knows the qualities of a well styled program, and how to go about developing one

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Overview



- Program style: qualities of a good program
 - Well structured
 - Uses common idioms
 - Uses descriptive names
 - Contains proper comments
 - Modular
- Programming style: how to create a good program
 - Top-down design
 - Successive refinement
 - Example: left and right justifying text

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Part 1: Program Style



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Program Style



- Who reads your code?

- The compiler
- Other programmers



```
typedef struct{double x,y,z}vec;vec U,black,amb={.02,.02,.02};struct sphere{vec cen,color;double rad,kd,ks,kt,kl,ir}*s,*best,sph[10];best,sph[10];.05,.2,.85,0,.1,7,-1,.8,-.5,1,.5,.2,1,.7,.3,0,0,.05,1,2,1,.8,-.5,1,.8,.8,1,.3,.7,0,0,.1,2,3,,-6,.15,1,,-8,1,.7,0,0,0,.0,.6,1,5,-3,-3,.12,,-8,1,,-1,.5,.0,0,0,.0,.5,1,5,};yx;double u,b,tmin,sqrt(),tan();double vdot(A,B)vec A,B;{return A.x*B.x+A.y*B.y+A.z*B.z;}vec vcomb(a,A,B)double a;vec A,B;{B.x+=a*A.x;B.y+=a*A.y;B.z+=a*A.z;return B;}vec vunit(A)vec A;{return vcomb(1./sqrt(vdot(A,A)),A,black);}struct sphere*intersect(P,D)vec P,D;{best=0;tmin=le30;s=sph+5;while(s->sph)=vdot(D,U=vcomb(-1.,P,s-cen)),u=b-b-vdot(U,U)+s-rad*s-rad,u=u0?sqrt(u):le31,u=b-u-le-77b-u:b+u,tmin=le-7&u=tmin?best=s,u:tmin;return best;}vec trace(level,P,D)vec P,D;{double d,eta,e;vec N,color;struct sphere*s,*l;if((level--)=return black;if(s=intersect(P,D));else return amb;color=amb;eta=s-ir;d= -vdot(D,N=vunit(vcomb(-1.,P=vcomb(tmin,D,P),s-cen)));if(d<0)N=vcomb(-1.,N,black),eta=l/eta,d=d;l=sph+5;while(l--sph);if((e=l -kl*vdot(N,U=vunit(vcomb(-1.,P,l-cen))))0&&intersect(P,U)==1)color=vcomb(e ,1-color,color);U=s-color;color.x*=U.x;color.y*=U.y;color.z*=U.z;e=l-eta* eta*(1-d*d);return vcomb(s-kt,e?trace(level,P,vcomb(eta,D,vcomb(eta*d-sqr(e),N,black))):black,vcomb(s-ks,trace(level,P,vcomb(2*d,N,D)),vcomb(s-kd,color,vcomb(s-kl,U,black))));}main(){printf("%d %d\n",32,32);while(yx<32*32)U.x=yx*32-32/2,U.y=32/2-yx++/32,U.z=32/2/tan(25/114.5915590261),U=vcomb(255.,trace(3,black,vunit(U)),black),printf("%f %f %f\n",U);}
```

This is a working ray tracer! (courtesy of Paul Heckbert)

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Program Style



- Why does program style matter?

- Bugs often caused by programmer's misunderstanding
 - What does this variable do?
 - How is this function called?
 - Good code = human readable code

- How can code become easier for humans to read?

- Convey program structure
- Use common idioms
- Choose descriptive names
- Compose proper comments
- Use modularity

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Structure: Spacing

- Use readable/consistent spacing
 - Example: Assign each array element `a[j]` to the value `j`.
 - Bad code

```
for (j=0; j<100; j++) a[j]=j;
```

- Good code

```
for (j=0; j<100; j++)
a[j] = j;
```

- Can often rely on auto-indenting feature in editor

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Structure: Indentation (cont.)

- Use readable/consistent indentation
 - Example: Checking for leap year (does Feb 29 exist?)

```
if (month == FEB) {
    if (year % 4 == 0)
        if (day > 29)
            legal = FALSE;
    else
        if (day > 28)
            legal = FALSE;
}
```

Wrong code
(else matches “if day > 29”)

```
if (month == FEB) {
    if (year % 4 == 0) {
        if (day > 29)
            legal = FALSE;
    }
    else {
        if (day > 28)
            legal = FALSE;
    }
}
```

Right code

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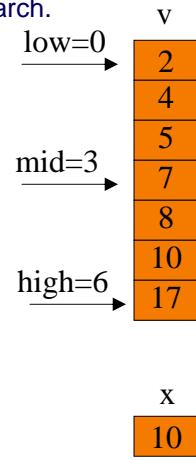
Structure: Indentation (cont.)



- Use “else-if” for multi-way decision structures

- Example: Comparison step in a binary search.
- Bad code

```
if (x < v[mid])
    high = mid - 1;
else
    if (x > v[mid])
        low = mid + 1;
    else
        return mid;
```



- Good code

```
if (x < v[mid])
    high = mid - 1;
else if (x > v[mid])
    low = mid + 1;
else
    return mid;
```

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Structure: “Paragraphs”



- Use blank lines to divide the code into key parts

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>

int main(void)

/* Read a circle's radius from stdin, and compute and write its
diameter and circumference to stdout. Return 0 if successful. */

{
    const double PI = 3.14159;
    int radius;
    int diam;
    double circum;

    printf("Enter the circle's radius:\n");
    if (scanf("%d", &radius) != 1)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "Error: Not a number\n");
        exit(EXIT_FAILURE); /* or: return EXIT_FAILURE; */
    }
    ...
}
```

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Structure: “Paragraphs”



- Use blank lines to divide the code into key parts

```
diam = 2 * radius;  
circum = PI * (double)diam;  
  
printf("A circle with radius %d has diameter %d\n",  
      radius, diam);  
printf("and circumference %f.\n", circum);  
  
return 0;  
}
```

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Structure: Expressions



- Use natural form of expressions
 - Example: Check if integer `n` satisfies `j < n < k`
 - Bad code

```
if (!(n >= k) && !(n <= j))
```

- Good code

```
if ((j < n) && (n < k))
```

- Conditions should read as you'd say them aloud
 - Not “Conditions shouldn't read as you'd never say them aloud”!

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Structure: Expressions (cont.)



- Parenthesize to resolve ambiguity

- Example: Check if integer `n` satisfies `j < n < k`
- Moderately bad code

```
if (j < n && n < k)
```

- Moderately better code

```
if ((j < n) && (n < k))
```

- Good to make the groupings explicit
 - Relational operators (e.g., ">") have precedence over logical operators (e.g., "&&"), but who can remember these things?

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Structure: Expressions (cont.)



- Parenthesize to resolve ambiguity (cont.)

- Example: read and print character until the end-of-file.
- Wrong code (what will it do???)

```
while (c = getchar() != EOF)  
    putchar(c);
```

- Right code

```
while ((c = getchar()) != EOF)  
    putchar(c);
```

- Must make the grouping explicit
 - Logical operator ("!=") has precedence over assignment ("=")

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Structure: Expressions (cont.)



- Break up complex expressions

- Example: Identify chars corresponding to months of year
- Bad code

```
if ((c == 'J') || (c == 'F') || (c ==  
'M') || (c == 'A') || (c == 'S') || (c  
== 'O') || (c == 'N') || (c == 'D'))
```

- Good code

```
if ((c == 'J') || (c == 'F') ||  
(c == 'M') || (c == 'A') ||  
(c == 'S') || (c == 'O') ||  
(c == 'N') || (c == 'D'))
```

- Lining up the parallel structures is helpful, too!

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C Idioms



- Use C idioms

- Example: Set each array element to 1.0.
- Bad code (or, perhaps just "so-so" code)

```
i = 0;  
while (i <= n-1)  
    array[i++] = 1.0;
```

- Good code

```
for (i=0; i<n; i++)  
    array[i] = 1.0;
```

- We'll see many C idioms throughout the course
- Don't feel obliged to use C idioms that decrease clarity

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Naming



- Use descriptive names for globals and functions
 - E.g., `display`, `CONTROL`, `CAPACITY`
- Use concise names for local variables
 - E.g., `i` (not `arrayIndex`) for loop variable
- Use case judiciously
 - E.g., `Buffer_Insert` (`Module_function`)
`CAPACITY` (constant)
`buf` (local variable)
- Use a consistent style for compound names
 - E.g., `frontsize`, `frontSize`, `front_size`
- Use active names for functions
 - E.g., `getchar()`, `putchar()`, `Check_Octal()`, etc.

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Comments



- Master the language and its idioms
 - Let the code speak for itself
 - And then...
- Compose comments that add new information
~~`i++; /* add one to i */`~~
- Comment sections (“paragraphs”) of code, not lines of code
 - E.g., “Sort array in ascending order”
- Comment global data
 - Global variables, structure type definitions, etc.
- Compose comments that agree with the code!!!
 - And change as the code itself changes. ☺

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Comments (cont.)



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#include <stdio.h>
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int main(void)

/* Read a circle's radius from stdin, and compute and write its
   diameter and circumference to stdout. Return 0 if successful. */

{
    const double PI = 3.14159;
    int radius;
    int diam;
    double circum;

    /* Read the circle's radius. */
    printf("Enter the circle's radius:\n");
    if (scanf("%d", &radius) != 1)
    {
        fprintf(stderr, "Error: Not a number\n");
        exit(EXIT_FAILURE); /* or: return EXIT_FAILURE; */
    }
    ...
}
```

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Comments (cont.)



```
/* Compute the diameter and circumference. */
diam = 2 * radius;
circum = PI * (double)diam;

/* Print the results. */
printf("A circle with radius %d has diameter %d\n",
       radius, diam);
printf("and circumference %f.\n", circum);

return 0;
}
```

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Function Comments



- Describe what a caller needs to know to call the function properly
 - Describe what the function does, not how it works
 - Code itself should be readable enough to reveal how it works...
 - If not, compose “paragraph” comments within definition
- Describe inputs: parameters, files read, global variables used
- Describe outputs: return value, parameters, files written, global variables affected
- Refer to parameters by name

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Function Comments (cont.)



- Bad function comment

```
/* decomment.c */

int main(void) {

    /* Read a character. Based upon the character and
       the current DFA state, call the appropriate
       state-handling function. Repeat until
       end-of-file. */

    ...
}
```

- Describes how the function works

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Function Comments (cont.)



- Good function comment

```
/* decomment.c */

int main(void) {

    /* Read a C program from stdin.
       Write it to stdout with each comment replaced
       by a single space.
       Preserve line numbers.
       Return 0 if successful, EXIT_FAILURE if not. */

    ...
}
```

- Describes **what the function does**

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Modularity



- Big programs are harder to write than small ones
 - “A dog house can be built without any particular design, using whatever materials are at hand. A house for humans, on the other hand, is too complex to just throw together.” – K. N. King
- Abstraction is the key to managing complexity
 - Abstraction allows programmer to know *what* something does without knowing *how*
- Examples of function-level abstraction
 - Function to sort an array of integers
 - Character I/O functions, e.g. `getchar()` and `putchar()`
 - Mathematical functions, e.g. `lcm()` and `gcd()`
- Examples of file-level abstraction
 - (Described in a later lecture)

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Part 2: Programming Style

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Bottom-Up Design is Bad

- Bottom-up design 😞
 - Design one part in detail
 - Design another part in detail
 - Repeat until finished
- Bottom-up design in painting
 - Paint upper left part of painting in complete detail
 - Paint next part of painting in complete detail
 - Repeat until finished
 - Note: Unlikely to produce a good painting
- Bottom-up design in programming
 - Write first part of program in complete detail
 - Write next part of program in complete detail
 - Repeat until finished
 - Note: Unlikely to produce a good program

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...

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Top-Down Design is Good



- Top-down design 😊

- Design entire product with minimal detail
- Successively refine until finished

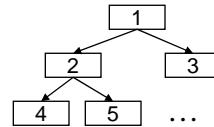
- Top-down design in **painting**

- Sketch the entire painting with minimal detail
- Successively refine the entire painting



- Top-down design in **programming**

- Define main() function in pseudocode with minimal detail
- Refine each pseudocode statement
 - Small job => replace with real code
 - Large job => replace with function call
- Recurse in (mostly) breadth-first order
- Bonus: Product is naturally modular



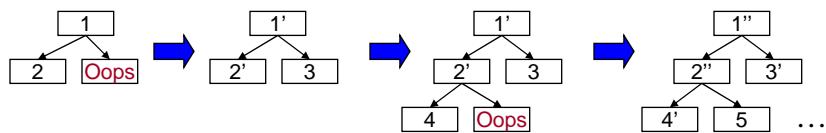
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Top-Down Design in Reality



- Top-down design in programming **in reality**

- Define main() function in pseudocode
- Refine each pseudocode statement
 - Oops! Details reveal design error, so...
 - Backtrack to refine existing (pseudo)code, and proceed
- Recurse in (mostly) breadth-first order, until all functions are defined



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Example: Text Formatting



- Goals of the example
 - Illustrate good program and programming style
 - Especially function-level modularity and top-down design
 - Illustrate how to go from problem statement to code
 - Review and illustrate C constructs
- Text formatting (derived from King Section 15.3)
 - Input: ASCII text, with arbitrary spaces and newlines
 - Output: the same text, left and right justified
 - Fit as many words as possible on each 50-character line
 - Add even spacing between words to right justify the text
 - No need to right justify the very last line
 - Simplifying assumptions
 - Word ends with space, tab, newline, or end-of-file
 - No word is longer than 20 characters

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Example Input and Output



I Tune every heart and every voice.
N Bid every bank withdrawal.
P Let's all with our accounts rejoice.
U In funding Old Nassau.
T In funding Old Nassau we spend more money every year.
 Our banks shall give, while we shall live.
T We're funding Old Nassau.

O
U Tune every heart and every voice. Bid every bank
T withdrawal. Let's all with our accounts rejoice.
P In funding Old Nassau. In funding Old Nassau we
U spend more money every year. Our banks shall give,
T while we shall live. We're funding Old Nassau.

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Thinking About the Problem



- I need a notion of “word”
 - Sequence of characters with no white space, tab, newline, or EOF
 - All characters in a word must be printed on the same line
- I need to be able to read and print words
 - Read characters from stdin till white space, tab, newline, or EOF
 - Print characters to stdout followed by white space(s) or newline
- I need to deal with poorly-formatted input
 - I need to remove extra white spaces, tabs, and newlines in input
- Unfortunately, I can’t print the words as they are read
 - I don’t know # of white spaces needed till I read the future words
 - Need to buffer the words until I can safely print an entire line
- But, how much space should I add between words?
 - Need at least one space between adjacent words on a line
 - Can add extra spaces evenly to fill up an entire line

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Writing the Program



- Key constructs
 - Word
 - Line
- Next steps
 - Write pseudocode for main()
 - Successively refine
- Caveats concerning the following presentation
 - Function comments and some blank lines are omitted because of space constraints
 - Don’t do that!!!
 - Design sequence is idealized
 - In reality, much backtracking would occur

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The Top Level

- First, let's sketch main()...

```
int main(void) {
    <Clear line>
    for (;;) {
        <Read a word>
        if (<No more words>) {
            <Print line with no justification>
            return 0;
        }
        if (<Word doesn't fit on this line>) {
            <Print line with justification>
            <Clear line>
        }
        <Add word to line>
    }
    return 0;
}
```

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Reading a Word

```
#include <stdio.h>
enum {MAX_WORD_LEN = 20};
int main(void) {
    char word[MAX_WORD_LEN + 1];
    int wordLen;
    <Clear line>
    for (;;) {
        wordLen = ReadWord(word);
        if (<No more words>) {
            <Print line with no justification>
            return 0;
        }
        if (<Word doesn't fit on this line>) {
            <Print line with justification>
            <Clear line>
        }
        <Add word to line>
    }
    return 0;
}
```

- Now let's successively refine. What does <Read a word> mean? The job seems complicated enough that it should be delegated to a distinct function...

```
int ReadWord(char *word) {
    <Skip over whitespace>
    <Store chars up to MAX_WORD_LEN in word>
    <Return length of word>
}
```

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Reading a Word (cont.)



- The ReadWord() function seems easy enough to design. So let's flesh it out...

```
int ReadWord(char *word) {  
    int ch, pos = 0;  
  
    /* Skip over whitespace. */  
    ch = getchar();  
    while ((ch == ' ') || (ch == '\n') || (ch == '\t'))  
        ch = getchar();  
  
    /* Store chars up to MAX_WORD_LEN in word. */  
    while ((ch != ' ') && (ch != '\n') && (ch != '\t') && (ch != EOF)) {  
        if (pos < MAX_WORD_LEN) {  
            word[pos] = (char)ch;  
            pos++;  
        }  
        ch = getchar();  
    }  
    word[pos] = '\0';  
  
    /* Return length of word. */  
    return pos;  
}
```

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Reading a Word (cont.)



```
int ReadWord(char *word) {  
    int ch, pos = 0;  
  
    /* Skip over whitespace. */  
    ch = getchar();  
    while (IsWhitespace(ch))  
        ch = getchar();  
  
    /* Store chars up to MAX_WORD_LEN in word. */  
    while (!IsWhitespace(ch) && (ch != EOF)) {  
        if (pos < MAX_WORD_LEN) {  
            word[pos] = (char)ch;  
            pos++;  
        }  
        ch = getchar();  
    }  
    word[pos] = '\0'; int IsWhitespace(int ch) {  
        return (ch == ' ') || (ch == '\n') || (ch == '\t');  
    }  
    /* Return length */  
    return pos;  
}
```

- Hmmm. ReadWord() contains some duplicate code. That could affect maintainability, and often is a sign of poor design. Let's factor the duplicate code into a function, and call the function from two places...

- Really clever? Use isspace() from ctype.h

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Saving a Word

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
enum {MAX_WORD_LEN = 20};
enum {MAX_LINE_LEN = 50};
int main(void) {
    char word[MAX_WORD_LEN + 1];
    int wordLen;
    char line[MAX_LINE_LEN + 1];
    int lineLen = 0;
    <Clear line>
    for (;;) {
        wordLen = ReadWord(word);
        if (<No words>) {
            <Print line>
            return 0;
        }
        if (<Word found>)
            <Print word>
        <Clear line>
        AddWord(word, line, &lineLen);
    }
    return 0;
}
```

- Now, back to main(). What does <Add word to line> mean? The job seems complicated enough to demand a distinct function...

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Saving a Word (cont.)

- AddWord() is almost complete already, so let's get that out of the way...

```
void AddWord(const char *word, char *line, int *lineLen) {
    /* If line already contains some words, append a space. */
    if (*lineLen > 0) {
        line[*lineLen] = ' ';
        line[*lineLen + 1] = '\0';
        (*lineLen)++;
    }

    strcat(line, word);
    (*lineLen) += strlen(word);
}
```

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Printing the Last Line



```
...
int main(void) {
    char word[MAX_WORD_LEN + 1];
    int wordLen;
    char line[MAX_LINE_LEN + 1];
    int lineLen = 0;
    <Clear line buffer>
    for (;;) {
        wordLen = ReadWord(word);

        /* If no more words, print line
         * with no justification. */
        if ((wordLen == 0) && (lineLen > 0)) {
            puts(line);
            return 0;
        }
        if (<Word doesn't fit on this line>) {
            <Print line with justification>
            <Clear line buffer>
        }
        AddWord(word, line, &lineLen);
    }
    return 0;
}
```

- Again, back to main(). What do <No more words> and <Print line with no justification> mean? Those jobs seem easy enough that we need not define additional functions...

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Deciding When to Print



```
...
int main(void) {
    char word[MAX_WORD_LEN + 1];
    int wordLen;
    char line[MAX_LINE_LEN + 1];
    int lineLen = 0;
    <Clear line buffer>
    for (;;) {
        wordLen = ReadWord(word);

        /* If no more words, print line
         * with no justification. */
        if ((wordLen == 0) && (lineLen > 0)) {
            puts(line);
            return 0;
        }
        /* If word doesn't fit on this line, then... */
        if ((wordLen + 1 + lineLen) > MAX_LINE_LEN) {
            <Print line with justification>
            <Clear line buffer>
        }
        AddWord(word, line, &lineLen);
    }
    return 0;
}
```

- What does <Word doesn't fit on this line> mean? That's somewhat tricky, but involves little code...

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Printing with Justification



- Now, to the heart of the program. What does <Print line with justification> mean? Certainly that job demands a distinct function. Moreover, it's clear that the function must know how many words are in the given line. So let's change main() accordingly...

```
...  
int main(void) {  
    ...  
    int numWords = 0;  
    <Clear line>  
    for (;;) {  
        ...  
        /* If word doesn't fit on this line, then... */  
        if ((wordLen + 1 + lineLen) > MAX_LINE_LEN) {  
            WriteLine(line, lineLen, numWords);  
            <Clear line>  
        }  
  
        AddWord(word, line, &lineLen);  
        numWords++;  
    }  
    return 0;  
}
```

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Printing with Justification (cont.)



- And write pseudocode for WriteLine()...

```
void WriteLine(const char *line, int lineLen, int numWords) {  
    <Compute number of excess spaces for line>  
  
    for (i = 0; i < lineLen; i++) {  
        if (<line[i] is not a space>)  
            <Print the character>  
        else {  
            <Compute additional spaces to insert>  
  
            <Print a space, plus additional spaces>  
  
            <Decrease extra spaces and word count>  
        }  
    }  
}
```

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Printing with Justification (cont.)



```
void WriteLine(const char *line, int lineLen, int numWords)
{
    int extraSpaces, spacesToInsert, i, j;

    /* Compute number of excess spaces for line. */
    extraSpaces = MAX_LINE_LEN - lineLen;

    for (i = 0; i < lineLen; i++) {
        if (line[i] != ' ')
            putchar(line[i]);
        else {
            /* Compute additional spaces to insert. */
            spacesToInsert = extraSpaces / (numWords - 1);

            /* Print a space, plus additional spaces. */
            for (j = 1; j <= spacesToInsert + 1; j++)
                putchar(' ');

            /* Decrease extra spaces and word count. */
            extraSpaces -= spacesToInsert;
            numWords--;
        }
    }
    putchar('\n');
}
```

- Let's go ahead and complete WriteLine()
- ...

The number of gaps

Example:
If extraSpaces is 10
and numWords is 5,
then gaps will contain
2, 2, 3, and 3 extra
spaces respectively

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Clearing the Line



- One step remains. What does <Clear line> mean? It's an easy job, but it's done in two places. So we probably should delegate the work to a distinct function, and call the function in the two places...

```
...
int main(void) {
    ...
    int numWords = 0;
    ClearLine(line, &lineLen, &numWords);
    for (;;) {
        ...
        /* If word doesn't fit on this line, then... */
        if ((wordLen + 1 + lineLen) > MAX_LINE_LEN) {
            WriteLine(line, lineLen, numWords);
            ClearLine(line, &lineLen, &numWords);
        }
        addWord(word);
        numWords++;
    }
    return 0;
}

void ClearLine(char *line, int *lineLen, int *numWords) {
    line[0] = '\0';
    *lineLen = 0;
    *numWords = 0;
}
```

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Modularity: Summary of Example



- To the user of the program
 - Input: Text in messy format
 - Output: Same text left and right justified, looking mighty pretty
- Between parts of the program
 - Word-handling functions
 - Line-handling functions
 - main() function
- The many benefits of modularity
 - Reading the code: In small, separable pieces
 - Testing the code: Test each function separately
 - Speeding up the code: Focus only on the slow parts
 - Extending the code: Change only the relevant parts

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Summary



- Program style
 - Convey program structure (spacing, indentation, parentheses)
 - Use common C idioms
 - Choose consistent and descriptive names (for variables, functions)
 - Compose proper comments, especially for functions
 - Modularity (divide program into modules, and files)
- Programming style
 - Think about the problem
 - Use top-down design and successive refinement
 - But know that backtracking inevitably will occur
- Reading this week
 - Required, King book: chapters 16, 17, and 19
 - Recommended: K&P book: chapters 1 and 2

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Appendix: The “justify” Program



```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>

enum {MAX_WORD_LEN = 20};
enum {MAX_LINE_LEN = 50};

int IsWhitespace(int ch) {

    /* Return 1 (TRUE) iff ch is a whitespace character. */

    return (ch == ' ') || (ch == '\n') || (ch == '\t');
}
```

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Appendix: The “justify” Program



```
int ReadWord(char *word) {

    /* Read a word from stdin. Assign it to word. Return the length
       of the word, or 0 if no word could be read. */

    int ch, pos = 0;

    /* Skip over whitespace. */
    ch = getchar();
    while (IsWhitespace(ch))
        ch = getchar();

    /* Store chars up to MAX_WORD_LEN in word. */
    while (!IsWhitespace(ch) && (ch != EOF)) {
        if (pos < MAX_WORD_LEN) {
            word[pos] = (char)ch;
            pos++;
        }
        ch = getchar();
    }
    word[pos] = '\0';

    /* Return length of word. */
    return pos;
}
```

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Appendix: The “justify” Program



```
void ClearLine(char *line, int *lineLen, int *numWords) {  
    /* Clear the given line. That is, clear line, and set *lineLen  
     * and *numWords to 0. */  
  
    line[0] = '\0';  
    *lineLen = 0;  
    *numWords = 0;  
}  
  
void AddWord(const char *word, char *line, int *lineLen) {  
  
    /* Append word to line, making sure that the words within line are  
     * separated with spaces. Update *lineLen to indicate the  
     * new line length. */  
  
    /* If line already contains some words, append a space. */  
    if (*lineLen > 0) {  
        line[*lineLen] = ' ';  
        line[*lineLen + 1] = '\0';  
        (*lineLen)++;  
    }  
    strcat(line, word);  
    (*lineLen) += strlen(word);  
}
```

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Appendix: The “justify” Program



```
void WriteLine(const char *line, int lineLen, int numWords) {  
  
    /* Write line to stdout, in right justified form. lineLen  
     * indicates the number of characters in line. numWords indicates  
     * the number of words in line. */  
  
    int extraSpaces, spacesToInsert, i, j;  
  
    /* Compute number of excess spaces for line. */  
    extraSpaces = MAX_LINE_LEN - lineLen;  
  
    for (i = 0; i < lineLen; i++) {  
        if (line[i] != ' ')  
            putchar(line[i]);  
        else {  
            /* Compute additional spaces to insert. */  
            spacesToInsert = extraSpaces / (numWords - 1);  
  
            /* Print a space, plus additional spaces. */  
            for (j = 1; j <= spacesToInsert + 1; j++)  
                putchar(' ');  
  
            /* Decrease extra spaces and word count. */  
            extraSpaces -= spacesToInsert;  
            numWords--;  
        }  
    }  
    putchar('\n');  
}
```

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Appendix: The “justify” Program



```
int main(void) {  
  
    /* Read words from stdin, and write the words in justified format  
     * to stdout. */  
  
    /* Simplifying assumptions:  
     * Each word ends with a space, tab, newline, or end-of-file.  
     * No word is longer than MAX_WORD_LEN characters. */  
  
    char word[MAX_WORD_LEN + 1];  
    int wordLen;  
  
    char line[MAX_LINE_LEN + 1];  
    int lineLen = 0;  
    int numWords = 0;  
  
    ClearLine(line, &lineLen, &numWords);  
  
    ...
```

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Appendix: The “justify” Program



```
...  
  
for (;;) {  
    wordLen = ReadWord(word);  
  
    /* If no more words, print line  
     * with no justification. */  
    if ((wordLen == 0) && (lineLen > 0)) {  
        puts(line);  
        break;  
    }  
  
    /* If word doesn't fit on this line, then... */  
    if ((wordLen + 1 + lineLen) > MAX_LINE_LEN) {  
        WriteLine(line, lineLen, numWords);  
        ClearLine(line, &lineLen, &numWords);  
    }  
  
    AddWord(word, line, &lineLen);  
    numWords++;  
}  
return 0;
```

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