

Midterm Exam

For this exam, you are allowed to use a one-sided cheatsheet (8.5"x11") written in your own handwriting.

No calculators, computers, or textbooks are allowed.

The lines `#include <iostream>`, `using namespace std;` and the declaration/return of `main` are left out of most of the programs inside, but you should assume they are included.

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8	10	
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* Problem 0: fill out this cover page.

1 Expressions (10 points)

What is the type and value of each of the following expressions? If it would not compile, write X in both boxes.

Expression	Type	Value
<code>1 * 1 + 2 * 2</code>	int	5
<code>(double) (3 / 4)</code>	double	0.0
<code>3 / 3.0</code>	double	1.0
<code>(4 > 5) (5 < 4)</code>	bool	false
<code>false == false == false</code>	bool	false

2 True/False (10 points)

Circle each correct answer.

- (a) Anything that can be done with a `while` loop could be done with a `for` loop instead.

true

false

- (b) A function body may contain more than one `return` statement.

true

false

- (c) If `a` is an array, then `a[1]` is the same as `(*a)+1`.

true

false

- (d) If `ptr` is an `int*`, then `ptr+5` is the address 5 bytes after `ptr`.

true

false

- (e) The expression `new int` returns an `int` pointer rather than an `int`.

true

false

3 Short Answer / Multiple Choice (9 points)

(a) When using command line arguments, what is the data type of `argv[1]`?

char* (or "C string", since it is null-terminated)

(b) When declaring/defining a function, if some input parameter `x` is a multidimensional array, which dimension sizes of `x` do you **have to** list?

Circle only one answer.

- (i) all dimension sizes
- (ii) only the first dimension size
- (iii) only the last dimension size
- (iv) all dimension sizes except the first dimension
- (v) all dimension sizes except the last dimension

(c) Billy Bruin wrote this code, which is supposed to create the string "****":

```
char str[50];  
for (int i = 0; i < 4; i++) str[i] = '*';
```

What problem(s) does it have that can cause a bug?

Circle all that apply.

- (i) Billy should fill all 50 characters of the array.
 - (ii) Billy should set the elements of the array to "*" instead of '*'.
 (iii) Billy should add a null character immediately after the last *.
 - (iv) Billy should use the `new` operator to create the array.
- (d) Remember that when you pass an array to a function, the argument is just the name of the array (e.g., `printHistogram(testCounts)` or `showRGBBMP(image)`). Describe, in at most 10 words, what information is really being passed to the function when we call it on an array name in this way.

the array's starting address

4 Code Analysis (7 points)

Assume that `first` and `second` are two variables of `int` type, with unknown values. We run the following code:

```
1:  if (first < second) {
2:      cout << 'A';
3:      if (first > 20)
4:          cout << 'B';
5:  }
6:  else if (first > second) {
7:      cout << 'C';
8:      if (first > 32)
9:          cout << 'D';
10: }
11: else {
12:     cout << 'E';
13: }
14: cout << endl;
```

- (a) Given that the values of `first` and `second` are unknown, which possible lines of output could have been produced when this code is executed? *Circle all possible options that could have been printed.*

(i) A

(ii) B

(iii) C

(iv) D

(v) E

(vi) AB

(vii) AC

(viii) CD

(ix) BD

(x) ACE

- (b) Suppose we change the `else if` on line 6 to `if`. What two options become possible that were not possible before? (They are not in the above list.)

AE

ABE

5 Code Tracing (9 points)

Consider the following code fragment.

```
1:  int inputs[7] = {0, 3, 2, 2, 1, 2, 0};
2:  int freqs[4] = {0, 0, 0, 0};
3:  for (int i=0; i<7; i++) {
4:      freqs[inputs[i]] += 1;
5:  }
6:
7:  for (int i=0; i<4; i++) {
8:      for (int j=0; j<freqs[i]; j++) {
9:          cout << i << " ";
10:     }
11: }
12: cout << endl;
```

(a) When we reach line 6, what are the values in `freqs`?

`freqs[0]:` **2** `freqs[1]:` **1** `freqs[2]:` **3** `freqs[3]:` **1**

(b) What line of output does the program produce?

 0 0 1 2 2 2 3

(c) Describe, in ten words or less, what this program does. (I.e., describe the relationship between `inputs` and the printed output, in general.)

 prints all values in inputs[],

 sorted in increasing order

6 Debugging (9 points)

Here is a buggy program. It is supposed to take as input a number n followed by n more integers, and then print out their average. For example if the input is

```
3
1 2 4
```

then the output should be 2.33333 (which is $\frac{1+2+4}{3}$).

```
1:    int n;
2:    cin >> n;
3:    double total = 0.0;
4:    int count = 0;
5:    for (int i=0; i<n; n++) {
6:        double val;
7:        cin >> val;
8:        total == total + val;
9:    }
10:   cout << "The average was: " << (val/n) << endl;
```

The program has 3 bugs. For each bugs described below, indicate the line number it occurs on, and describe how to fix it in at most 10 words. (Each fix is a simple change on a single line, you should not define new variables or make complex changes.)

- (a) When we try to compile the program it gives us a “scope” error.

Bug is on line number: 10

To fix this error: change "val/n" to "total/n"

- (b) When we fix that error, it compiles. When we run the program on the test input above, it loops infinitely! What bug is causing this?

Bug is on line number: 5

To fix this error: change "n++" to "i++"

- (c) When we fix that error, we run the program on the test input above. It prints out 0 instead of the correct output. What bug is causing this?

Bug is on line number: 8

To fix this error: change "==" to "="

7 Passing Semantics (8 points)

Consider the following program.

```
1: void two(int *s, int t) {
2:     t += *s;
3:     *s += t + 1;
4:     t += 4;
5: }
6:
7: int main() {
8:     int u = 4, v = 3;
9:     two(&u, v);
10:    return 0;
11: }
```

(a) What are the values of `*s` and `t` at the end of the call to `two` (i.e., at line 5)?

`*s`: 12

`t`: 11

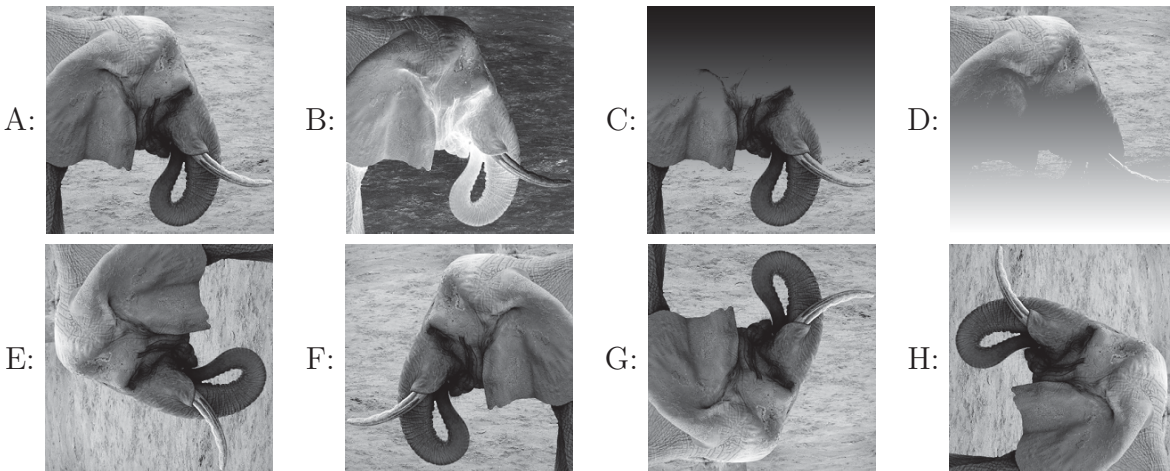
(b) What are the values of `u` and `v` when the `main` function returns (i.e., at line 10)?

`u`: 12

`v`: 3

8 Graphics (10 points)

In this grid, **A** is the picture `elephant.bmp` from class, and 7 other images are shown.



Below, there is a program missing a line, and 6 possible lines to replace the missing one. For each possible replacement, indicate which picture would be shown if we ran the program using that line as the missing line. *Some pictures may occur more than once or not at all.* Remember that `SIZE` is defined to be equal to 256.

```

unsigned char src[SIZE][SIZE];
unsigned char dest[SIZE][SIZE];
readGSBMP("elephant.bmp", src);
for (int i=0; i<SIZE; i++) {
    for (int j=0; j<SIZE; j++) {
        // MISSING LINE
    }
}
showGSBMP(dest);

```

Missing Line	Letter of Resulting Image
<code>dest[i][j] = src[i][j];</code>	A
<code>dest[i][j] = min(i, src[i][j]);</code>	C
<code>dest[255-i][j] = src[255-i][j];</code>	A
<code>dest[i][j] = 255-src[i][j];</code>	B
<code>dest[i][j] = src[i][255-j];</code>	F
<code>dest[i][j] = src[j][i];</code>	E

9 Composition (12 points)

Write a function `void reverse(char* dest, char* src)` that puts the reverse of the C string `src` into the C string `dest`. For example

```
char word1[] = "reward";
char word2[80];
reverse(word2, word1);
cout << word2;
```

should print out `drawer`.

You may assume that we have included `<cstring>` so that the utility function `strlen` is available. You may also assume that `src` points to a valid null-terminated character array and `dest` is large enough to hold the desired string. If you run out of space, write your solution on the back of the previous page.

```
void reverse(char* dest, char* src) {

    int len = strlen(src);
    for (int i=0; i<len; i++) {
        dest[len-1-i] = src[i]; // copy start to end, etc
    }
    dest[len] = '\0';
    // note, many other solutions are possible!

}
```

10 Composition (15 points)

Define a function `extremes` to find the minimum and maximum values in an array of `ints`. Specifically, your function should take 4 arguments: the array itself, the length of the array, and pointers where it should write the min and max. For example, if we test your function with

```
const int len = 6;
int data[len] = {6, 3, 9, 5, 1, 8};
int min, max;
extremes(data, len, &min, &max);
cout << min << " " << max << endl;
```

then it should print out `1 9`. Assume the second argument (the array length) is always greater than or equal to 1. *Your function must not alter the array.* If you run out of space, write your solution on the back of the previous page **and clearly indicate below that you have done so.**

```
void extremes(int data[], int len, int* min, int* max) {
    *min = data[0]; // initialize to some value in array
    *max = data[0];
    for (int i=1; i<len; i++) { // 0 was already checked
        if (data[i] < *min) {
            *min = data[i];
        }
        if (data[i] > *max) {
            *max = data[i];
        }
    }
}
// note, many other solutions are possible!
```

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