

## Assignment Set 3

## Week-4

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1. **DNA Sequences.** A DNA strand can be represented as a large string built with the four character symbols, A, T, G, and C. Each symbol represents an amino acid. The DNA has a double helix structure that consists of two such strands -- one is the compliment of the other. The symbols A and T are compliments of each other (these amino acids bind) -- similarly G and C are compliments of each other. A DNA strand is read in a particular direction. In the DNA the two complimentary strands are read in the opposite directions. For example, the **compliment** of the DNA subsequence ACGTACT is AGTACGT.



A DNA subsequence is **self-complimentary** if it is identical to its compliment.

If we locate the compliment AGTACGT in a given DNA strand, then we know that the sequence ACGTACT is present in the complimentary strand. When we search for a subsequence in a DNA, we can search only one of the strands, and use the compliment to determine whether the subsequence appears in the complimentary strand.

Write a C program that does the following:

- (a) It reads a DNA subsequence, Z, of length at most 10 from the user, and stores it in an array, `seq[]`, as a string. It then finds the compliment of Z and stores it in another array, `comp[]`, as a string. It then prints the compliment.
- (b) It determines whether Z is self-complimentary.
- (c) It reads another DNA subsequence, Q, of length at most 100. It finds the number of occurrences of Z in Q and the number of occurrences of Z in the compliment of Q. There may be overlapping occurrences, for example there are two occurrences of ATAT in GCATATATC. You may use string library functions such as `strncmp()` if you wish. For using string library functions, you need to include `string.h`

[Note that Z belongs to the compliment of Q iff the compliment of Z belongs to Q, so you need not find the compliment of Q]

2. **Inverse permutation.** An inverse permutation is a permutation in which each number and the index of the place which it occupies are exchanged. For example, the following are inverse permutations:

$a[] = \{ 2, 7, 4, 9, 8, 3, 5, 0, 6, 1 \}$

$b[] = \{ 7, 9, 0, 5, 2, 6, 8, 1, 4, 3 \}$

In general, if the permutation is in an array  $a[]$ , then its inverse is the array  $b[]$  such that  $a[b[i]] = b[a[i]] = i$ .

Write a C program that reads in a permutation of the integers 0 to n-1 from the user and prints the inverse permutation. Be sure to check that the input is a valid permutation.

3. **Decimal expansion of rational numbers.** Given two integers p and q, the decimal expansion of p/q has an infinitely repeating cycle. For example,  $1/33 = 0.03030303\dots$ . We use the notation  $0.(03)$  to denote that 03 repeats indefinitely. As another example,  $8639/70000 = 0.1234(142857)$ . Write a C program that reads in two integers p and q and prints the decimal expansion of p/q using the above notation.

[ Hint: Sequence of steps for 3/13:

	<b>Quotient</b>	<b>Remainder</b>
<b>Step-1</b>	$3/13 = 0$	$3\%13 = 3$
<b>Step-2</b>	$30/13 = 2$	$30\%13 = 4$
<b>Step-3</b>	$40/13 = 3$	$40\%13 = 1$
<b>Step-4</b>	$10/13 = 0$	$10\%13 = 10$
<b>Step-5</b>	$100/13 = 7$	$100\%13 = 9$
<b>Step-6</b>	$90/13 = 6$	$90\%13 = 12$
<b>Step-7</b>	$120/13 = 9$	$120\%13 = 3$
<b>Step-8</b>	$30/13 = 2$	$30\%13 = 4$

Step-8 is the same as Step-2. Hence the decimal expansion is  $0.(230769)$ . ]