

# CPE101 Programming Languages I

## Week 12 Functions

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# Functions

## ▶ Functions

- Modules in C
- Programs combine user-defined functions with library functions
- C standard library has a wide variety of functions

# Benefits of Functions

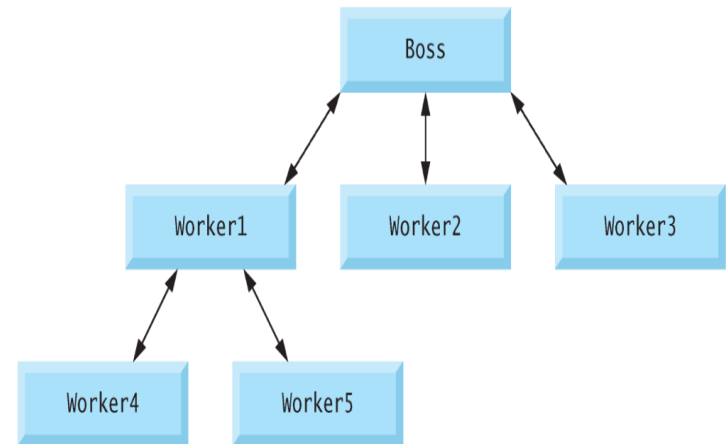
- Benefits of Functions
  - Divide and conquer
    - Construct a program from smaller pieces or components
    - These smaller pieces are called modules.
    - Functions allow you to modularize a program.
    - Experience has shown that the best way to develop and maintain a large program is to construct it from smaller pieces or **modules**, each of them is more manageable than the original program.
  - Software reusability
    - Use existing functions as building blocks for new programs
    - Abstraction - hide internal details (library functions)
  - Avoid code repetition

# Functions

- The variables defined in a function are the local variables of this function.
  - Only known in the body of the function
- Parameters
  - Most functions have a list of **parameters** that provide the means for communicating information between functions
  - Also local variables of the function
- Function calls
  - Provide function name and arguments (data)
  - Function performs operations or manipulations
  - Function returns results

# Functions

- Function call analogy:
- Boss asks worker to complete task
- Worker gets information, does task, returns result
- Information hiding: boss does not know details



# Defining Functions

- Format of a function definition :

```
return_value_type function_name ( parameter_list )  
{  
    definitions_and_statements  
}
```

- *function\_name* is any valid identifier.
- *return\_value\_type* is the data type of the result returned to the caller
- *return\_value\_type* void indicates that a function does not return a value.
- Together, the *return\_value\_type*, *function\_name* and *parameter\_list* are referred to as the function **header**.

# Defining Functions

- **parameter\_list** is a comma-separated list that specifies the parameters received by the function when it's called.
- If a function does not receive any values, *parameter-list* is **void**.
- A type must be listed explicitly for each parameter

# Defining Functions

- The *definitions\_and\_statements* within fancy parentheses form the **function body**.
- The function body is also referred to as a **block**.
- Variables can be declared in any block, and blocks can be nested.
- **A function cannot be defined inside another function.**



# Defining Functions

- There are three ways to return control from a called function to the point at which a function was invoked.
- If the function does not return a result
  - Control is returned simply when the function-ending right fancy bracket is reached.
  - or by executing the statement `return;`
- If the function does return a result, the statement `return expression;` returns the value of *expression to the caller*.

# Function Prototype

- Identity of a function.
- Prototype only needed if function definition comes after use in program.
- The function that has a prototype given below:
  - `int maximum( int x, int y, int z );`
  - Takes 3 integer parameters.
  - Returns integer value.

# Function Prototype

- If a function call does not match the function prototype compilation error is produced.
- An error is also generated if the function prototype and the function definition disagree.
- Another important feature of function prototypes is the **coercion of arguments**, i.e., the forcing of arguments to the appropriate type.
- For example, the math library function `sqrt` can be called with an integer argument even though the function prototype in `<math.h>` specifies a double argument, and the function will still work correctly.
  - The statement ;
  - `printf( "%.3f\n", sqrt( 4 ) );`
  - correctly evaluates `sqrt( 4 )`, and prints the value 2.000

# Defining Functions

```
/* finding maximum of three integers */
#include <stdio.h>

int max(int x, int y, int z); //function prototyp

int main()
{
    int a, b, c;
    printf("plesase enter three numbers");
    scanf("%d%d%d",&a,&b,&c);
    printf("the maximum number is %d",max(a,b,c));
    return 0;
}

int max(int x, int y, int z)
{
    int maximum;
    if(x>y)
    {
        if(x>z)
        |   maximum=x;
        else
        |   maximum=z;
    }
    else if(y>z)
    |   maximum=y;
    else
    |   maximum=z;

    return maximum;
}
```

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örneği yazdık

# Header Files

- Each standard library has a corresponding **header** containing the function prototypes and definitions of various data types.
- `<stdlib.h>` , `<math.h>` , etc
- Load with `#include <file name>`
  - `#include <math.h>`
- Custom header files
  - Create file with functions.
  - Save as `filename.h`
  - Load in other files with `#include "filename.h"`
  - Reuse functions.

# Header Files

- **math.h** → Mathematics library functions
- **ctype.h** → Functions for testing characters for certain properties, functions to convert into uppercase or lowercase etc.
- **stdio.h** → Standard input/output functions
- **stdlib.h** → Functions for converting numbers to text or text to number, memory management, random number generation and other utility functions.
- **string.h** → String processing functions
- **time.h** → Time and date functions

# Mathematic Library Functions

- Mathematic Library Functions
  - Perform common mathematical calculations.
  - `#include <math.h>`
- Format for calling functions
  - `Function_name( arguments );`
- If multiple arguments, use comma-separated list
- All math functions return data type `double`
- Arguments may be constants, variables, or expressions

# Mathematic Library Functions

Function	Description	Example
<code>sqrt( x )</code>	square root of $x$	<code>sqrt( 900.0 ) IS 30.0</code> <code>sqrt( 9.0 ) IS 3.0</code>
<code>exp( x )</code>	exponential function $e^x$	<code>exp( 1.0 ) IS 2.718282</code> <code>exp( 2.0 ) IS 7.389056</code>
<code>log( x )</code>	natural logarithm of $x$ (base $e$ )	<code>log( 2.718282 ) IS 1.0</code> <code>log( 7.389056 ) IS 2.0</code>
<code>log10( x )</code>	logarithm of $x$ (base 10)	<code>log10( 1.0 ) IS 0.0</code> <code>log10( 10.0 ) IS 1.0</code> <code>log10( 100.0 ) IS 2.0</code>
<code>fabs( x )</code>	absolute value of $x$	<code>fabs( 13.5 ) IS 13.5</code> <code>fabs( 0.0 ) IS 0.0</code> <code>fabs( -13.5 ) IS 13.5</code>
<code>ceil( x )</code>	rounds $x$ to the smallest integer not less than $x$	<code>ceil( 9.2 ) IS 10.0</code> <code>ceil( -9.8 ) IS -9.0</code>
<code>floor( x )</code>	rounds $x$ to the largest integer not greater than $x$	<code>floor( 9.2 ) IS 9.0</code> <code>floor( -9.8 ) IS -10.0</code>



# Mathematic Library Functions

Function	Description	Example
<code>pow( x, y )</code>	$x$ raised to power $y$ ( $x^y$ )	<code>pow( 2, 7 )</code> IS 128.0 <code>pow( 9, .5 )</code> IS 3.0
<code>fmod( x, y )</code>	remainder of $x/y$ as a floating-point number	<code>fmod( 13.657, 2.333 )</code> IS 1.992
<code>sin( x )</code>	trigonometric sine of $x$ ( $x$ in radians)	<code>sin( 0.0 )</code> IS 0.0
<code>cos( x )</code>	trigonometric cosine of $x$ ( $x$ in radians)	<code>cos( 0.0 )</code> IS 1.0
<code>tan( x )</code>	trigonometric tangent of $x$ ( $x$ in radians)	<code>tan( 0.0 )</code> IS 0.0

# Example: Square function

```
#include <stdio.h>
float kareAl(float);

void main()
{
    int sayac;
    for(sayac = 1; sayac<=10; sayac++)
    {
        printf("Sayi:%d Karesi:%d\n", sayac, kareAl(sayac));
    }

    printf("\n%.2f", kareAl(4.5));
}

float kareAl(float a)
{
    return a*a;
}
```

# Example: Arithmetic functions

```
#include <stdio.h>
int toplam(int, int);
int cikar(int, int);
int carp(int, int);
float bol(int, int);

void main()
{
    int secim,s1,s2;
    while(1)
    {
        printf("1-Topla\n2-Cikar\n3-Carp\n4-Bol\n5-Cikis\n");
        scanf("%d", &secim);
        printf("Sayilari gir:");
        scanf("%d %d", &s1, &s2);

        if(secim == 1)
            printf("Sonuc = %d", toplam(s1,s2));
        else if(secim == 2)
            printf("Sonuc = %d", cikar(s1,s2));
        else if(secim == 3)
            printf("Sonuc = %d", carp(s1,s2));
        else if(secim == 4)
            printf("Sonuc = %.2f", bol(s1,s2));
        else if(secim == 5)
            exit(0);
        else printf("Yanlis giris");
    }
}
```

```
int toplam(int a, int b)
{
    return a+b;
}
int cikar(int a, int b)
{
    return a-b;
}
int carp(int a, int b)
{
    return a*b;
}
float bol(int a, int b)
{
    return (float)a/b;
}
```

# Example: Exponent function

```
#include <stdio.h>
double usAl(double, double);

void main()
{
    double a,b;
    printf("Taban ve us degeri gir:");
    scanf("%lf %lf", &a, &b);
    printf("%.2f", usAl(a,b));
}

double usAl(double x, double y)
{
    int sayac;
    double sonuc=1.0;
    for(sayac=0;sayac<y;sayac++)
    {
        sonuc *= x;
    }
    return sonuc;
}
```

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