

# Exam 1 Review

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# Exam 1

- Monday, October 15
- In class, closed book, closed notes, clean desk
- 15% of your final grade
- 80 minutes to complete it
- Bring your ID card!
- Bring a number 2 pencil and eraser.
- NO: calculators or cell phones.
- NO: headphones/earbuds.

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# Exam Format

- 100 points total
  - 50 pts: 25 Multiple choice (scantron form)
  - 50 pts: Written part:
    - ▶ Demonstrating the search/sort algorithms
    - ▶ Writing functions/code on test paper
- Tasks:
  - Tracing code (what is the output)
  - Finding errors in code
  - Demonstrate general knowledge about C++ and programming
  - Programming (writing code, like in the PAs)

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# Content from Textbook

- Chapter 6: 6.1-5, 7-10, and 12-16
- Chapter 7: 7.1-3, 5, and 7-8
- Chapter 11: 11.2-8
- Chapter 8: 8.1 and 8.3
- Chapter 9: 9.1-9
- Linux material from the Linux lecture (slides 1-13)

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## Unit 1: Functions, Arrays & Structs

- Passing parameters by reference and by value
- Scope rules
- Passing arrays to functions,
- Processing arrays (sum, max, min)
- Partially filled arrays
- Arrays of structures
- Overloaded functions and default arguments
- Be able to write code with functions, arrays and structures. (Be familiar with PA1 and PA2).

## C++ Linux

- What is Linux?
- Linux file system
- Basic shell commands

pwd	more/less/cat
ls	cp
cd	mv
mkdir	rm
rmdir	man

- Basic file editing (nano, etc.)
- edit, compile, run
- know how to **use** the commands

nano
g++
a.out

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## Unit 2: Searching, Sorting & Analysis

- Searching
  - Linear Search
  - Binary Search
- Sorting
  - Bubble Sort
  - Selection Sort
- Efficiency
  - Growth rate functions: which are faster/slower
  - Efficiency of each searching/sorting algorithm

You **will** need to be familiar with the code in slides  
—Probably won't need to write from scratch

You **will** need to be able to demonstrate the algorithms  
—see exercises at end

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## Unit 3: Pointers & Dynamic Memory Allocation

- Address operator (&)
- Pointer variables: how to define (data type)
- Dereferencing operator (\*)
- Pointers and arrays
  - \* an array variable is the address of its first element
  - \*  $\text{array}[\text{index}] = *(\text{array} + \text{index})$
- Pointer arithmetic (if ptr points to a var of type d):
  - \*  $\text{ptr} + n = \text{address in ptr} + n * \text{sizeof}(d)$

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## Unit 3: Pointers & Dynamic Memory Allocation, cont.

- Comparing pointers
- Pointers as function parameters
  - \* Pass by reference using pointers as parameters
  - \* Pointers used as parameters accepting arrays as arguments
- Dynamic memory allocation
  - \* new operator
  - \* new with arrays
  - \* delete
  - \* return pointers from functions (duplicateArray),

Rewrite leftCircularShift() to return a **new** array, instead of changing the argument array.

## Sample Problem: multiple choice

Given the following program:

```
int main () {
    int *ptr1;
    int fool = 42;
    int x[] = {10,20,30};

    ptr1 = &fool;
    *ptr1 = 13;

    cout << "A- " << fool << endl;
    cout << "B- " << ptr1 << endl;
    cout << "C- " << *(x+1) << endl;
}
```

If the output includes an address, choose (e) something else

- (2 pts) What is the output of this program on the line labeled A?
  - (a)A- 42 (b)A- 13 (c)A- 10 (d)A- 20 (e) something else
- (2 pts) What is the output of this program on the line labeled B?
  - (a)B- 42 (b)B- 13 (c)B- 10 (d)B- 20 (e) something else
- (2 pts) What is the output of this program on the line labeled C?
  - (a)C- 10 (b)C- 11 (c)C- 20 (d)C- 30 (e) something else<sup>10</sup>

## Demonstrating Searching Example

The target of your search is 101. Use the following array of integers (values on top, indexes on bottom):

1	7	8	14	20	42	55	67	78	101	112	122	170	179	190
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14

What are the first three values (in order) that the target value 101 will be compared to during

- Linear Search?
- Binary Search?

What are the first four values (in order) that the target value 114 will be compared to during

- Linear Search?
- Binary Search?

## Demonstrating Sorting Example

Use the following array for both questions (values on top, indexes on bottom):

11	8	14	7	12	18	2	17
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Show the contents of the array after 2 passes of the selection sort

Show the contents of the array after 1 pass of the bubble sort

## Example Programming Problem

Given the following struct definition:

```
struct Player {  
    string name;  
    int number;  
    int points;  
};
```

Write a function called `addPlayer` that takes 2 arguments: a partially filled array of `Player` and the number of elements it currently contains (`count`). It should add one player to the array by inputting the necessary values from the user (assume the name has no spaces).

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## How to Study

- Review the slides (Unit 1-3, Linux)
  - \* understand all the concepts, quiz yourself
- Use the book to help understand the slides
  - \* there will be no questions over material (or code) that is in the book but not on the slides
- Review programming assignments (fix yours!)
  - \* get printouts of solutions in my office
- Review the Squarecap questions
- Do some practice exercises from the book
- Practice, practice, practice! Write code! Sleep!

Algorithm  
Workbench

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