

# CS530

# HW1

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# Programming & Good Habbits

➡ **Always** check return code!

- `open()`, `write()`
- `malloc()`
- `switch (errno) { ... }`

➡ Initialize **all** variables!

- `int i=0;`
- `struct timeval timeout;`  
`memset(&timeout, 0, sizeof(struct timeval));`

➡ **Never** leak any resources!

- `malloc()` and `free()`
- `open()` and `close()`
- Delete temporary files

## Programming & Good Habbits (Cont...)

➡ **Don't** assume external input will be short

- ➡ use `strncpy()` and not `strcpy()`
- ➡ use `snprintf()` and not `sprintf()`
- ➡ use `sizeof()` and not a constant, for example,

```
unsigned char buf[80];
```

```
buf[0] = '\\0'; /* initialization */
```

```
strncpy(buf, sizeof(buf), *argv[1]);
```

```
buf[sizeof(buf)-1] = '\\0'; /* in case *argv[1] is long */
```

➡ Fix your code so that you have **zero** compiler warnings!

## Notes on gdb

➡ The debugger is your friend! Get to know it!

compile program with: `-g`

start debugging: `gdb hw1`

set breakpoint: `(gdb) break foo.c:123`

run program: `(gdb) run`

clear breakpoint: `(gdb) clear`

stack trace: `(gdb) where`

print field: `(gdb) print f.BlockType`

printf(): `(gdb) printf "%02x\n",buf[0]`

single-step at same level: `(gdb) next`

single-step into a function: `(gdb) step`

print field after every cmd: `(gdb) display f.BlockType`

assignment: `(gdb) set f.BlockType=0`

continue: `(gdb) cont`

quit: `(gdb) quit`



# Numbers

- ➔ 'Z' is 0x5a (hex)
  - ▬ integer: 90
  - ▬ hex: 0x5a
  - ▬ binary: 0101 1010
  - ▬ octal: 0132
  - ▬ hexstring representation: "5a"

- ➔ Memory
  - ▬ char buf[40]
  - ▬ hexstring: e7c16723f8e70c751ddd01c51d7c27d
    - buf[0] = 0xe7
    - buf[1] = 0xc1
    - buf[2] = 0x67
    - ...
    - buf[15] = 0x7d

# Hexdump

```

000000: 59 65 73 74 65 72 64 61 79 2c 0a 41 6c 6c 20 6d Yesterday,.All m
000010: 79 20 74 72 6f 75 62 6c 65 73 20 73 65 65 6d 65 y troubles seeme
000020: 64 20 73 6f 20 66 61 72 20 61 77 61 79 0a 4e 6f d so far away.No
000030: 77 20 69 74 20 6c 6f 6f 6b 73 20 61 73 20 74 68 w it looks as th
000040: 6f 75 67 68 0a 54 68 65 79 27 72 65 20 68 65 72 ough.They're her
000050: 65 20 74 6f 20 73 74 61 79 0a 4f 68 2c 20 49 20 e to stay.Oh, I
000060: 62 65 6c 69 65 76 65 0a 49 6e 20 79 65 73 74 65 believe.In yeste
000070: 72 64 61 79 2e 0a 0a 53 75 64 64 65 6e 6c 79 2c rday...Suddenly,
000080: 0a 49 27 6d 20 6e 6f 74 20 68 61 6c 66 20 74 68 .I'm not half th
000090: 65 20 6d 61 6e 20 49 20 75 73 65 64 20 74 6f 20 e man I used to
0000a0: 62 65 0a 54 68 65 72 65 27 73 20 61 20 73 68 61 be.There's a sha
0000b0: 64 6f 77 20 68 61 6e 67 69 6e 67 20 6f 76 65 72 dow hanging over
0000c0: 20 6d 65 2e 0a 4f 68 2c 20 79 65 73 74 65 72 64 me..Oh, yesterd
0000d0: 61 79 0a 43 61 6d 65 20 73 75 64 64 65 6e 6c 79 ay.Came suddenly
0000e0: 2e 0a 0a 57 68 79 20 73 68 65 20 68 61 64 20 74 ...Why she had t
0000f0: 6f 20 67 6f 2c 20 49 20 64 6f 6e 74 20 6b 6e 6f o go, I dont kno
000100: 77 0a 53 68 65 20 77 6f 75 6c 64 6e 27 74 20 73 w.She wouldn't s
000110: 61 79 2e 0a 49 20 73 61 69 64 20 73 6f 6d 65 74 ay..I said somet
000120: 68 69 6e 67 20 77 72 6f 6e 67 2c 20 6e 6f 77 20 hing wrong, now
000130: 49 20 6c 6f 6e 67 0a 46 6f 72 20 79 65 73 74 65 I long.For yeste
000140: 72 64 61 79 0a 0a 59 65 73 74 65 72 64 61 79 2c rday..Yesterday,
000150: 0a 4c 6f 76 65 20 77 61 73 20 73 75 63 68 20 61 .Love was such a
000160: 6e 20 65 61 73 79 20 67 61 6d 65 20 74 6f 20 70 n easy game to p
000170: 6c 61 79 0a 4e 6f 77 20 49 20 6e 65 65 64 20 61 lay.Now I need a
000180: 20 70 6c 61 63 65 20 74 6f 20 68 69 64 65 20 61 place to hide a
000190: 77 61 79 0a 4f 68 2c 20 49 20 62 65 6c 69 76 65 way.Oh, I belive
0001a0: 0a 49 6e 20 79 65 73 74 65 72 64 61 79 2e 20 0a .In yesterday.
0001b0: 0a 2d 2d 0a 0a 62 79 20 4a 6f 68 6e 20 4c 65 6e .--..by John Len
0001c0: 6e 6f 6e 20 61 6e 64 20 50 61 75 6c 20 4d 63 43 non and Paul McC
0001d0: 61 72 74 6e 65 79 0a -- -- -- -- -- -- -- -- artney.

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## Hexdump (Cont...)

➡ Binary file:

```

000000: 47 49 46 38 39 61 4b 00 6e 00 84 00 00 bf 60 60 GIF89aK.n.~..~`
000010: f9 ef ef 9f 10 10 b9 50 50 99 00 00 db a5 a5 f2 ~~~~..~PP~..~~~~
000020: df df b3 40 40 d2 8f 8f ec cf cf cc 7f 7f ff ba ~~~@~.....~.~
000030: 10 c6 70 70 ac 30 30 a6 20 20 ff ff ff e5 bf bf .~pp~00~ ..~~~~
000040: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 .....
000050: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 .....
000060: 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 21 f9 04 .....!~.
000070: 01 00 00 0f 00 2c 00 00 00 00 4b 00 6e 00 00 05 ...../.....K.n...
000080: fe e0 23 8e e3 62 9e 68 aa ae 6c eb a2 64 4c be ~#~b~h~l~dL~
000090: 74 6d df b2 78 12 7c ef ff c0 a0 70 48 f4 ad 64 tm~x.|~~~~pH~d
0000a0: c5 a4 72 c9 84 8d 98 d0 a8 b4 77 7a 4e af 58 61 ~r~.....wzN~Xa
0000b0: f5 91 ed 7a 79 26 d1 77 7c ad 06 73 e8 b4 7a cd ~~zy&~w|~.s~z~
0000c0: 0e ee 80 0b b6 7c 4e 27 b9 17 f0 78 7d cf cf e5 .~.~|N'~.~x}~~~
0000d0: f3 7d 81 81 7f 3f 61 82 87 74 84 46 7a 88 31 09 ~}~~.?a~t~Fz~l.
0000e0: 05 07 26 0e 29 07 00 05 01 73 8a 54 8c 8d 01 05 ..&.)....s~T~...
0000f0: 03 37 07 0c 10 6b 9a 60 9c 82 01 01 02 8f 07 3c .7...k~`~...~.<
000100: 0e 3f 95 97 29 0e 05 69 a6 04 86 87 0a 9e 03 4c .?~)~.i~.~.~.~L

```

➡ You must match the above format *exactly*

