

**PIC 10A 1C. Midterm 1 Review Problems. TA: Eric Kim. [Solutions] (Updated: 2/9/2016 v2)**

## 1. Re-re-repeat

Write a program that asks the user for a single word, and checks to see if the input word is a "repetition". A word is a repetition if it starts and ends with the same subword. For instance, the following are considered repetition words: cancan, tutu, mama, papa, aa, abab, zaazaa.

To illustrate, here are some example expected outputs for your program:

```
Please enter a word: cancan
The word 'cancan' is a repetition!
Please enter a word: powder
The word 'powder' is not a repetition.
```

### [Solution]

```
#include <iostream>
#include <string>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    string wd;
    cout << "Please enter a word: ";
    cin >> wd;
    size_t wrlen = wd.size();
    string w1 = wd.substr(0, wd.size()/2);
    string w2 = wd.substr((wd.size()/2));
    if (w1 == w2) {
        cout << "The word '" << wd << "' is a repetition!";
    } else {
        cout << "The word '" << wd << "' is not a repetition.";
    }
    return 0;
}
```

## 1. Be the Compiler

Determine the output of the following code snippets. If the code crashes, does not compile, or never finishes running, explain why. Assume that we have included: <iostream>, <string>, <cmath>, and are using the standard namespace. The first is done for you.

Code	Output
<code>cout &lt;&lt; "Hello" &lt;&lt; 42;</code>	Hello42
<code>cout &lt;&lt; (3/2) + 1;</code>	2
<code>cout &lt;&lt; 'hi ther' &lt;&lt; 'e';</code>	CompileError: Should use

	double-quotes "hi ther"! String literal (double-quotes) vs single quotes (for single characters).
<code>cout &lt;&lt; "What \"is\" 'is'.";</code>	What "is" 'is'
<code>cout &lt;&lt; "\\a//a\\";</code>	\a//a\
<code>int a = 3; if ( (a % 2) == 0) {     cout &lt;&lt; "Abra"; } else if (((a+1) &lt;= 2)    ((a*2) &gt;= 6)) {     cout &lt;&lt; "Kadabra"; } else {     cout &lt;&lt; "Alakazam"; }</code>	Kadabra
<code>bool a = false; if (a)     cout &lt;&lt; "meow";     cout &lt;&lt; "bark";</code>	bark
<code>int i = 1; while (i &lt; 3) {     i = i * 2; } cout &lt;&lt; "i is: " &lt;&lt; i;</code>	i is: 4
<code>int n = 2; bool flag = true; while ( (n % 2) == 0 ) {     if (flag) {         n = (2*n);         flag = false;     } else {         n -= 2;         flag = true;     } } cout &lt;&lt; "n is: " &lt;&lt; n;</code>	Infinite loops! n oscillates between 2 and 4, which are both even numbers.

### 3. The Prime Directive

A number is prime if it is only evenly divisible by itself and 1. For instance, 7 is prime because no other integer evenly divides it other than 7 and 1. On the other hand, 14 is not prime, because it is evenly divisible by 2 and 7. By definition, 1 is not a prime number. The first few prime numbers are: 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, ...

Louis Reasoner wants to write a program that asks the user for a number, and checks to see if it is prime.

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    int n;
    cout << "Enter a number: ";
    cin >> n;
    int i = 2;
    bool isprime = true;
    while (i < n) {
        if ((n % i) == 0) {
            isprime = false;
            i = i + 1;
        } else {
            i = i + 1;
        }
    }
    if (isprime)
        cout << n << " is prime!";
    else
        cout << n << " is NOT prime!";
    return 0;
}
```

Alyssa P. Hacker looks over his code, and comments that the code, while correct, can be made faster for cases where the number is not prime by making a small modification. What could Alyssa be referring to?

### [Solution]

In the while loop, as soon as we detect that  $n$  is not prime, we should break out of the while loop immediately and output to the user. However, the current code will continue going through the while-loop rather needlessly. The change is simple: add a break statement after setting `isprime` to false:

```
...
while (i < n) {
    if ( (n % i) == 0 ) {
        isprime = false;
        break;    // Modification!
    } else {
        i = i + 1;
    }
}
```

...

## 4. De Morgan

Determine if each row is logically equivalent. Assume that a, b, and c are integers defined elsewhere. The first has been done for you.

<pre>if ( !(a == 3) &amp;&amp; (b == 5) )     cout &lt;&lt; 1; else     cout &lt;&lt; 2;</pre>	<pre>if ( (a != 3)    (b != 5) )     cout &lt;&lt; 1; else     cout &lt;&lt; 2;</pre>
<pre>if ( (a &gt; 3) &amp;&amp; (b &lt; 5) )     cout &lt;&lt; 1; else     cout &lt;&lt; 2;</pre>	<pre>if ( !(a &lt;= 3)    (b &gt;= 5) )     cout &lt;&lt; 1; else     cout &lt;&lt; 2;</pre>
<pre>if ( a    b    c ) {     cout &lt;&lt; 1; } else     cout &lt;&lt; 2;</pre>	<pre>if ( !a &amp;&amp; b &amp;&amp; c )     cout &lt;&lt; 1; else     cout &lt;&lt; 2;</pre>
<pre>if ( (a&lt;3) &amp;&amp; ((b&lt;1)   (c&gt;5)) )     cout &lt;&lt; 1; else     cout &lt;&lt; 2;</pre>	<pre>if ( (a&lt;3) &amp;&amp; !((b&gt;=1)&amp;&amp;(c&lt;=5)) )     cout &lt;&lt; 1; else     cout &lt;&lt; 2;</pre>

**Write Answers Here:**

- (a) Logically Equivalent
- (b) Logically Equivalent
- (c) Not Logically Equivalent
- (d) Logically Equivalent

## 5. Compiling Your Thoughts

Briefly describe the input and output of each step of the C++ compilation process. The first step has been done for you (preprocessor).

Preprocessor Input: C++ source code.  Output: "Expanded" source code, ie with #include and other preprocessor directives expanded out.
Compiler

<p>Input: C++ source code, ie the output of the preprocessor.</p> <p>Output: Assembly code, in human-readable format (ie "mov \$42, %rax");</p>
<p>Assembler</p> <p>Input: Assembly code, ie output of compiler.</p> <p>Output: Machine code. Not human-readable, ie binary code(01100100...). Resulting file is called an object file.</p>
<p>Linker</p> <p>Input: Object file(s).</p> <p>Output: Executable.</p>

## 6. All Your Base

Complete the following table, converting to/from binary/decimal as needed. The first row has been completed for you.

Decimal (Base 10)	Binary (Base 2)
3	0011
1	0001
2	0010
11	1011
16	10000
20	10100