Tutorial 5: Functions

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Objective:

• This lab is intended to introduce functions in C.

Recommended Systems:

Any Flavour of Linux - We will be using Ubuntu Systems in the lab 5042

References:

- Unix concepts and applications, Fourth Edition, Sumitabha Das, TMH.
- Brian W. Kernighan and Dennis M. Ritchie, The C Programming Language, Prentice Hall of India.
- Byron Gottfried, Schum's Outline of Programming with McGraw-Hill.

Getting Started

- Switch on your monitor.
- Switch on your PC.
- Allow the machine to boot.
- Wait until the log in prompt comes.
- Supply your log-in and password
 - Log in : iiita
 - Password: iiita123

This opens your window manager (usually GNOME) with icons, the side panel, and so on.

- You are now ready to start your work
- Click on the terminal icon to open a shell (command prompt)

Tutorials: Compiling simple C Programs

- Eight programs have been provided in the Helpful resources Section of this lab exercise. Run each of them to know how they work.
- To run each of the c files follow the steps given in Tut -0.

- factorialRecursion.c: C program to find factorial of given number using recursion
- factorialUsingFunction.c : C program to find factorial of given number using function
- gcdIterative.c : C program to find GCD of two numbers
- gcdRecursive.c : C program to find GCD of two numbers using recursion
- ncr.c : Compute ⁿC_r using function
- power.c : Iterative C program to implement pow(x, n)
- rand.c : C program to generate random numbers
- swapFailure.c : Establishes the impossibility of swapping two values using parameters and local variables of a function.