

ENGG*1410 “Introductory Programming for Engineers” ,
Assignment #1
Review of C Concepts

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Start Date: Week #1, Due Date: Week #2 (Friday, 5:00 PM) in Dropbox

1. Answer the following questions related to problem solving in general:
 - What are the steps required for solving any programming problem?
 - What are the programming tools used by a programmer to convert algorithms into computer programs?
 - What is the difference between a flowchart and Pseudo-code?
2. Answer the following questions related to the Von Neumann Architecture:
 - Describe briefly the structure of the Von Neumann Computer.
 - What are the steps taken by any CPU to run a program?
3. Answer the following questions related to programming languages in general:
 - What is the difference between (a) Source Code, (b) Object Code, (c) Executable code?
 - What are the most important statement structures in any programming language?
 - How do you classify Computer Languages used?
 - What are the advantages of a High Level Language over Assembly Language?
4. Answer the following questions related to the C Language:
 - When was the C language created?
 - What was the C language originally developed to create?
 - Why should programmers learn the C language?
 - What is the difference between the compiler and pre-processor in the C Language?
 - What is the line **#include <stdio.h> at the top of a C source file for?**
 - **What are some uses for comments?**
 - **What is the function of the semicolon in a C statement?**

5. Get the “Hello, world!” program to work on your computer. If you are using a Linux/Unix machine, the instructions in the notes should get you started. If you are using a commercial compiler on a home computer, the compiler’s instruction manuals should tell you how to enter, compile, and run a program.
6. Write a program to print the numbers from 1 to 10 and their squares:

1	1
2	4
3	9
4	16
...	...
10	100