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### Bachelor of Computer Applications

(For Students with Speech and Hearing Impairment)

Course: Programming in C unit-5



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# EUNCTIONS

## **FUNCTIONS**

### it is used for the following purpose:

- Reusability and reduction of codings.
- Used to avoid repetitions of statements.
- Easy to debug and understand.
- Functions default return type is INT.

Also it is the good software approach.

Functions can be return separately and it is stored as header files in include folder and can be used as other header files.

### TYPES

- 1. With argument, with return
- 2. With argument, without return
- 3. Without argument, without return

# BOINTERS

### POINTERS:

•Pointer is the variable that hold the address of the another variable

•For fast execution, pointers are used in almost all the programs.

### BASIC OPERATOR:

- $\circ$  &  $\rightarrow$  address operator.
- $\circ$   $\rightarrow$  Indirection operator.
- & → Gives the address of the particular variable.
- $\circ$   $\star$   $\rightarrow$  gives the value of the variable.

- o \* → Pointers & variables
- o \* → Pointers & arrays
- o \* → Pointers & structures.
- o \* → Pointers & functions

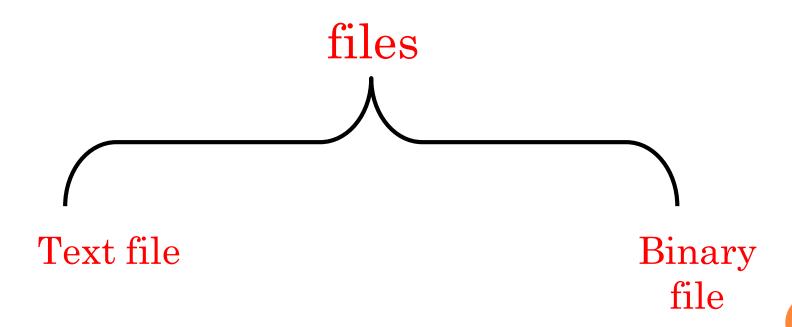
- opointers can access variable outside the function.
- oIt is more efficient to handle data tables.
- oit reduces the length and complexity of the program.
- oit increases the execution speed
- oit saves the data storage space in memory.

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/*PROGRAM FOR POINTERS*/
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
void main()
 int x;
 int *ptr;
 x=20;
 ptr = &x;
 clrscr();
 printf("\nTHE ADDRESS OF X IS %u",ptr);
 printf("\nTHE CONTENT OF PTR %d",*ptr);
 printf("\nx VALUE IS %d",x);
 printf("\nADDRESS OF x IS %u",&x);
                                      gm End
  getch();
```

# LES

# FILES

Files are permanent storage area for the data.



### TEXT FILES:

- Opening
- Processing
- Closing

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For opening,

Filepointer = fopen("path of file", mode);

mode → w , w+ → writing to file

r , r+ → reading from file

a , a+ → adding
```

### **Functions:**

# • Thank You