# CSE 3318-003 Lab Assignment 1

#### Due February 8

### Goal:

Understanding of sorting concepts.

#### **Requirements:**

- 1. Write a C program to take a sequence of n integer values and remove duplicate occurrences, i.e. only the first occurrence of each value will remain. n will be the first input value and the sequence may be read using scanf()s. The phases for performing this task are:
  - a. Read input sequence of values, each value giving an ordered pair (value, position indicator).
  - b. Sort the pairs in ascending order by value in a stable fashion. If your chosen sort is stable, then the key is just the value. If your chosen sort is unstable, the key must be extended with the position indicator.
  - c. Using one pass ( $\Theta(n)$  time) over the sorted result, remove any occurrences beyond the first one for a key.
  - d. Sort the pairs using the (unique) position indicator as the key. (Stability is not an issue.)
  - e. Output the number of unique values followed by the values (without the position indicators).

The input will be read from standard input (stdin) as either keyboard typing or as a shell redirect (<) from a file. Prompts/menus are completely unnecessary!

2. Submit your program on Canvas by 3:45 p.m. on Wednesday, February 8. One of the comment lines should indicate the compilation command used on OMEGA.

## **Getting Started:**

- 1. You may use any sort you wish, but the standard library qsort () is highly recommended.
- 2. Processing for the input:

| Input: | a. Array of pairs | b. After sorting | c. Remove extras | d. After sorting | e. Output: |
|--------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------|
| 10     | 0:30              | 0:15             | 0:15             | 0:30             | 7          |
| 3      | 1:31              | 1: 2 4           | 1:24             | 1:72             | 3          |
| 3      | 2:72              | 2:28             | 2:30             | 2:53             | 7          |
| 7      | 3:53              | 3: 3 0           | 3:46             | 3:24             | 5          |
| 5      | 4:24              | 4: 3 1           | 4:53             | 4:15             | 2          |
| 2      | 5:15              | 5 <b>:</b> 3 7   | 5 <b>:</b> 7 2   | 5 <b>:</b> 4 6   | 1          |
| 1      | 6 <b>:</b> 4 6    | 6 <b>:</b> 4 6   | 6 <b>:</b> 9 9   | 6 <b>:</b> 9 9   | 4          |
| 4      | 7:37              | 7: 5 3           |                  |                  | 9          |
| 3      | 8:28              | 8:72             |                  |                  |            |
| 2      | 9 <b>:</b> 9 9    | 9:99             |                  |                  |            |
| 9      |                   |                  |                  |                  |            |