

String Library Functions in C

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- ▶ String Library Functions



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- ▶ **String Library Functions**
- ▶ **Some examples**



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System Requirements



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- ▶ **Ubuntu OS v. 11.10**



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- ▶ **gcc Compiler v. 4.6.1**



Introduction



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- ▶ Various operations such as copying, concatenation, searching are supported



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 - **Wollo**



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strcmp()



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- **strcmp(char str1, char str2, int n);**



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- ▶ **Syntax**
 - ▶ **strcmp(char str1, char str2, int n);**
 - ▶ eg. **int strcmp(char ice, char icecream, 2);**



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► Syntax

- **strcmp(char str1, char str2, int n);**
 - eg. **int strcmp(char ice, char icecream, 2);**
 - **0**



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Summary

- ▶ **String library functions**

- ▶ **strlen()**
- ▶ **strcpy()**
- ▶ **strcmp()**
- ▶ **strncpy()**
- ▶ **strncmp()**



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Assignment

- ▶ Write a C Program to concatenate String best and String bus
- ▶ Hint: `strcat(char str1, char str2);`
- ▶ Explore the other functions in string library



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