

pset 4: Forensics

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Toolbox



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- File I/O
- copy.c
- bitmaps
 - ▣ padding!
- JPEGs

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File I/O Toolbox



- `fopen`
- `fread`
- `fwrite`
- `fputc`
- `fseek`
- `sprintf`
- `fclose`
- `feof`

Opening Files

```
FILE* inptr = fopen("foo.bmp", "r");
```

- ▣ Opens foo.bmp for reading

```
FILE* outptr = fopen("bar.bmp", "w");
```

- ▣ Opens bar.bmp for writing

Reading Files

```
fread(&data, size, number, inptr);
```

- `&data`: pointer to a struct which will contain the bytes you're reading
- `size`: size of each element to read
 - ▣ `sizeof`
- `number`: number of elements to read
- `inptr`: `FILE*` to read from

Reading Files

```
fread(&data, sizeof(DOG), 2, inptr);
```

vs.

```
fread(&data, 2 * sizeof(DOG), 1, inptr);
```

Writing Files

```
fwrite(&data, size, number, outptr);
```

- `&data`: pointer to the struct that contains the bytes you're reading from
- `size`
- `number`
- `outptr`: FILE* to write to

Writing Files

```
fputc(chr, outptr);
```

- **chr**: char to write
- **outptr**: FILE* to write to

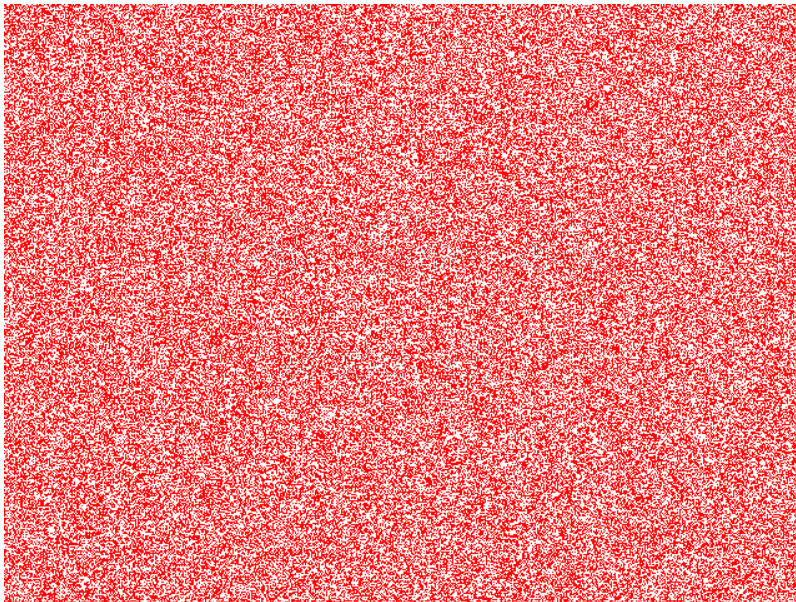
File Position Indicator

```
fseek(inptr, amount, from);
```

- *inptr*: FILE* to seek in
- *amount*: number of bytes to move cursor
- *from*:
 - ▣ SEEK_CUR (current position in file)
 - ▣ SEEK_SET (beginning of file)
 - ▣ SEEK_END (end of file)

Whodunit

```
./whodunit clue.bmp verdict.bmp
```



TODO

- Understand the structure of bitmaps
 - ▣ Metadata
 - ▣ Pixel colors
 - ▣ Padding

Bitmaps

- An arrangement of bytes

offset	type	name	
0	WORD	bfType	} BITMAPFILEHEADER
2	DWORD	bfSize	
6	WORD	bfReserved1	
8	WORD	bfReserved2	
10	DWORD	bfOffBits	
14	DWORD	biSize	} BITMAPINFOHEADER
18	LONG	biWidth	
22	LONG	biHeight	
26	WORD	biPlanes	
28	WORD	biBitCount	
30	DWORD	biCompression	
34	DWORD	biSizeImage	
38	LONG	biXPelsPerMeter	
42	LONG	biYPelsPerMeter	
46	DWORD	biClrUsed	
50	DWORD	biClrImportant	
54	BYTE	rgbtBlue	} RGBTRIPLE
55	BYTE	rgbtGreen	
56	BYTE	rgbtRed	
57	BYTE	rgbtBlue	} RGBTRIPLE
58	BYTE	rgbtGreen	
59	BYTE	rgbtRed	

...

- bmp.h

Header

- biSizeImage
 - ▣ total size of image (in bytes)
 - includes pixels and padding
- biWidth
 - ▣ width of image (in pixels)
 - does not include padding
- biHeight
 - ▣ height of image (in pixels)
- structs
 - ▣ BITMAPFILEHEADER, BITMAPINFOHEADER

Pixel color

- Each color is represented by 3 bytes:
 - ▣ amount of blue
 - ▣ amount of green
 - ▣ amount of red

ff0000 → blue

ffffff → white

smiley.bmp



ffffff	ffffff	0000ff	0000ff	0000ff	0000ff	ffffff	ffffff
ffffff	0000ff	ffffff	ffffff	ffffff	ffffff	0000ff	ffffff
0000ff	ffffff	0000ff	ffffff	ffffff	0000ff	ffffff	0000ff
0000ff	ffffff	ffffff	ffffff	ffffff	ffffff	ffffff	0000ff
0000ff	ffffff	0000ff	ffffff	ffffff	0000ff	ffffff	0000ff
0000ff	ffffff	ffffff	0000ff	0000ff	ffffff	ffffff	0000ff
ffffff	0000ff	ffffff	ffffff	ffffff	ffffff	0000ff	ffffff
ffffff	ffffff	0000ff	0000ff	0000ff	0000ff	ffffff	ffffff

Padding

- Each pixel is 3 bytes
- Size of each scanline must be a multiple of 4 bytes
- If the number of pixels isn't a multiple of 4, we need "padding"
 - ▣ Padding is just zeros (**0x00**)

```
xxd -c 12 -g 3 -s 54 small.bmp
```



```
0000036: 00ff00 00ff00 00ff00 000000  . . . . .  
0000042: 00ff00 ffffffff 00ff00 000000  . . . . .  
000004e: 00ff00 00ff00 00ff00 000000  . . . . .
```

[illegible]

RGBTRIPLE

- struct to represent pixels

```
RGBTRIPLE triple;  
triple.rgbtBlue = 0x00;  
triple.rgbtGreen = 0xff;  
triple.rgbtRed = 0x00;
```

What color is this?

TODO

- ☑ Understand the structure of bitmaps
- ☐ Make the bmp readable!
 - ▣ Open `clue.bmp` file
 - ▣ Read each scanline, pixel by pixel
 - ▣ Change pixels as needed
 - ▣ Write the scanline into `verdict.bmp`, pixel by pixel

copy.c

- Opens a file
- Read each scanline, pixel by pixel
- Copies each pixel into the output file's scanline

```
cp copy.c whodunit.c
```

TODO

- ☑ Understand the structure of bitmaps
- ☐ Make the bmp readable
 - ☑ Open `clue.bmp` file
 - ☑ Read each scanline, pixel by pixel
 - ▣ **Change pixels as needed**
 - ☑ Write the scanline into `verdict.bmp`, pixel by pixel

Changing pixel color

- For a given pixel `triple`, you can access:
 - ▣ `triple.rgbtBlue`
 - ▣ `triple.rgbtGreen`
 - ▣ `triple.rgbtRed`
- Hmm, that's handy!

Resize

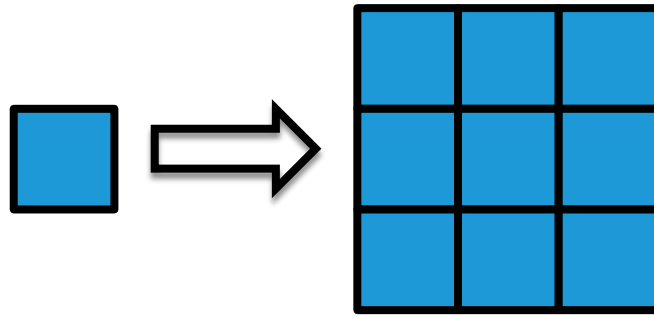
Scale bmp image by a factor of n

Usage: `./resize n infile outfile`

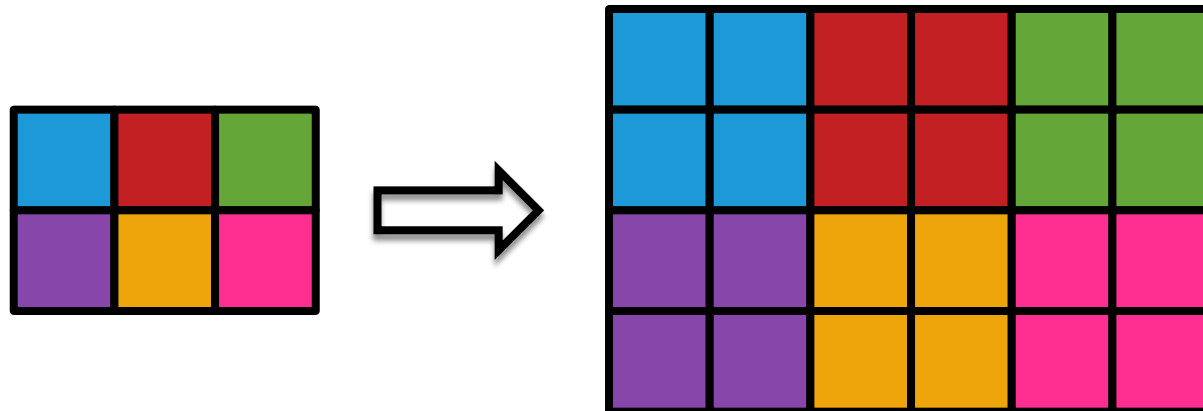
Resize

- Every pixel repeated n times
- Every row repeated n times

$n = 3$



$n = 2$



TODO

- Open file
- Update header info for outfile

Update header info

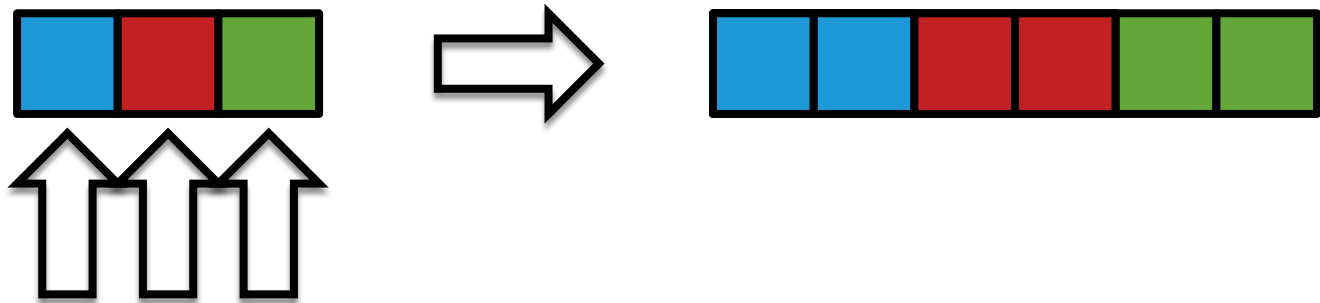
- New bmp → new header info
- What's changing?
 - ▣ file size
 - ▣ image size
 - ▣ width
 - ▣ height
- Which structs need to be changed?
How do you access those variables?

TODO

- ☑ Open file
- ☑ Update header info for outfile
- ☑ Read each scanline, pixel by pixel
- ☐ Resize Horizontally
- ☐ Padding!
- ☐ Resize Vertically

Resize Horizontally

$n = 2$



TODO

- ☒ Open file
- ☒ Update header info for outfile
- ☒ Read each scanline, pixel by pixel
- ☒ Resize Horizontally
- ☐ Padding!
- ☐ Resize Vertically

Padding

- Padding isn't an RGBTRIPLE
 - ▣ we can't fread padding
- Infile image and outfile image have different padding!

Padding

- If the number of pixels isn't a multiple of 4, we need to **add** “padding” such that the scanline has a multiple of 4 bytes
 - ▣ Padding is just zeros (**0x00**)
- Hmm... a formula would come in handy!

TODO

- ☒ Open file
- ☒ Update header info
- ☒ Read each scanline, pixel by pixel
- ☒ Resize Horizontally
- ☒ Padding!
- ☐ Resize Vertically

Resize Vertically

- Several different ways to do this!
 1. “Rewrite” methods
 - Remember pixels in an array
 - Write array as many times as needed
 2. “Re-copy” methods
 - Go back to the start of the original row
 - Repeat the horizontal resizing

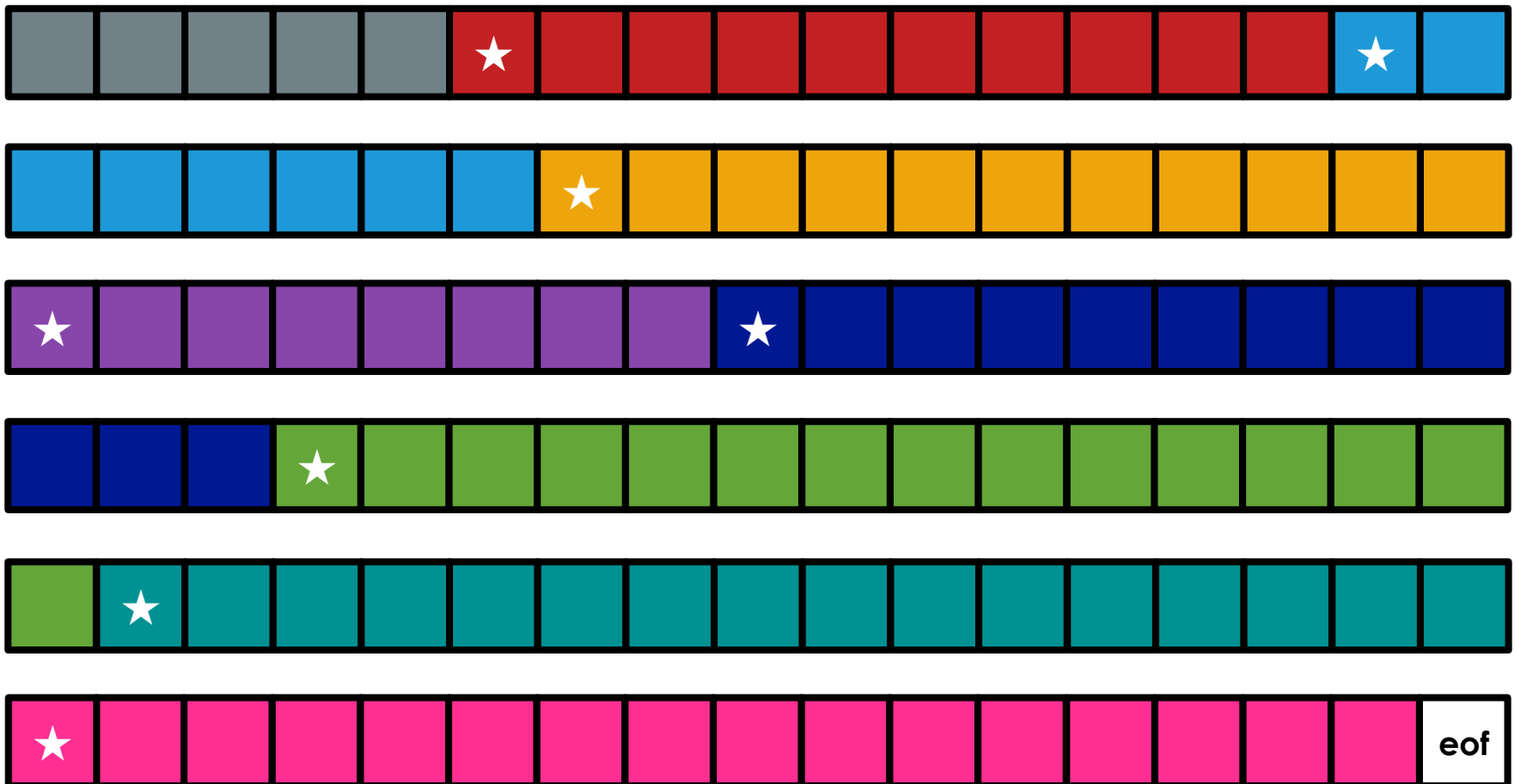
Recover

JPEGs

- JPEGs are also just sequences of bytes
- Each JPEG starts with either:
 - ▣ 0xff 0xd8 0xff 0xe0
 - ▣ 0xff 0xd8 0xff 0xe1
- JPEGs are stored side-by-side on the CF card

Recover

Each  represents 512 bytes



Pseudocode

open card file

repeat until end of file

 read 512 bytes into a buffer

 start of a new jpg?

 yes → ...

 no → ...

 already found a jpg?

 no → ...

 yes → ...

close last jpg

close card file

Making JPG files

- Filenames: ###.jpg
- JPEGs named in the order in which they are found, starting at 0.
 - ▣ (So keep track!)
- `sprintf(title, "%d.jpg", 2);`
 - ▣ title: char array to store the resultant string
 - ▣ Hmm... this gives 2.jpg, not 002.jpg
 - How long is each array?

Contest!

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