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## CS 161 Week 5 Worksheet:

## Functions, References, and Scope

## **Functions**

1. What are pre-conditions and post-conditions? Pre-conditions and post-conditions become (slightly!) more important when the function in question has reference parameters. For each of the three following functions, write a brief description of their purpose, as well as their pre-conditions and post-conditions.

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double calc_average(double sum, int count){
    return sum/count;
}

void swap_chars(string &str) {
    char first = str.at(0);
    str.at(0) = str.at(1);
    str.at(1) = first;
}

void update_average(double &average, int &count, double new_val)
{
    double sum = average*count;
    sum += new_val;
    count += 1;
    average = sum/count;
}
```

- 2. What is a default argument, and where does it need to be?
- 3. Can you ever have multiple functions with the same name in C++? Explain.

## Variable References and Scope

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1. What is your understanding of Pass by Value and Pass by Reference?

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2. With what you now know, how would you make the following code work?
  void add one(int a){
        a++;
   }
   int main() {
        int a = 5;
        add one(a);
        cout << "5 plus 1 = " << a << endl;
        return 0;
   }
3. Fill in the blank line with a function call to swap the values of a and b.
  void swapnum(int& i, int& j) {
     int temp = i;
     i = j;
     j = temp;
   }
   int main() {
     int a = 10, b = 20;
     cout << "A is " << a << " and B is " << b << endl;</pre>
     cout << "A is " << a << " and B is " << b << endl;</pre>
     return 0;
   }
4. What will this program print?
   int main() {
     int s = 17;
     if (s < 3)
         int s = 10;
     else
         int s = 3;
     cout << s << endl;</pre>
     return 0;
```