

Heat Index (with DO loops)

Worksheet 5

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The purpose of this worksheet is to practice the use of the (nested) DO loop construct.

The heat index (HI), also known as apparent temperature, is an index that combines air temperature and relative humidity to determine the temperature perceived by a human. (In other words, the heat index is a measure of how hot it feels.) The heat index is given by

$$HI(T, R) = c_1 + c_2 T + c_3 R + c_4 T R + c_5 T^2 + c_6 R^2 + c_7 T^2 R + c_8 T R^2 + c_9 T^2 R^2, \quad (1)$$

where HI is the heat index (in degrees Fahrenheit), T the temperature (in degrees Fahrenheit), and R the relative humidity (percentage value between 0 and 100). The constant coefficients c_i ($i = 1, \dots, 9$) are given by³

$$\begin{aligned}c_1 &= -42.379 \\c_2 &= 2.049015 \\c_3 &= 10.14333 \\c_4 &= -0.224755 \\c_5 &= -6.83783 \times 10^{-3} \\c_6 &= -5.481717 \times 10^{-2} \\c_7 &= 1.22874 \times 10^{-3} \\c_8 &= 8.5282 \times 10^{-4} \\c_9 &= -1.99 \times 10^{-6}\end{aligned}$$

Equation (1) is valid for temperatures of $60 \leq T$ (Fahrenheit) ≤ 90 and relative humidities ranging from 30% to 85%.

Task

Write a structured and well commented Fortran program which uses the nested DO loop construct to compute the heat index, $HI(T, R)$, for temperatures $T = 60, 70, 80, 90$ Fahrenheit and relative humidities $R = 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80\%$.

Program design

- There is no keyboard input.
- Your code must contain a preamble.
- Use the `PARAMETER` statement to assign numerical values to the coefficients c_i .
- The outer DO loop determines the temperature T , the inner DO loop determines the relative humidity R .
- The terminal output produced by the program should be as follows:

Temperture=	60	Relative Humidity=	30	HI=	78.6597748
Temperture=	60	Relative Humidity=	40	HI=	81.9063187
Temperture=	60	Relative Humidity=	50	HI=	82.9904480
Temperture=	60	Relative Humidity=	60	HI=	81.9122467

³See, for instance, http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Heat_index

Temperture=	60 Relative Humidity=	70 HI=	78.6716003
Temperture=	60 Relative Humidity=	80 HI=	73.2685623
Temperture=	70 Relative Humidity=	30 HI=	76.1021652
Temperture=	70 Relative Humidity=	40 HI=	77.0056534
Temperture=	70 Relative Humidity=	50 HI=	76.9349976
Temperture=	70 Relative Humidity=	60 HI=	75.8902588
Temperture=	70 Relative Humidity=	70 HI=	73.8712769
Temperture=	70 Relative Humidity=	80 HI=	70.8781433
Temperture=	80 Relative Humidity=	30 HI=	79.1912613
Temperture=	80 Relative Humidity=	40 HI=	79.9305725
Temperture=	80 Relative Humidity=	50 HI=	80.8044052
Temperture=	80 Relative Humidity=	60 HI=	81.8127441
Temperture=	80 Relative Humidity=	70 HI=	82.9556274
Temperture=	80 Relative Humidity=	80 HI=	84.2328491
Temperture=	90 Relative Humidity=	30 HI=	87.9270325
Temperture=	90 Relative Humidity=	40 HI=	90.6810303
Temperture=	90 Relative Humidity=	50 HI=	94.5986633
Temperture=	90 Relative Humidity=	60 HI=	99.6798782
Temperture=	90 Relative Humidity=	70 HI=	105.924423
Temperture=	90 Relative Humidity=	80 HI=	113.332626

Submission Instructions: Rename your Fortran source code to `LastFirst_WS5.f90`. Email a copy of your source code to `ewhart317@gmail.com`. Put `Last First WS 5` in the subject line.