

String STL

- `str.push_back(ch)` : insert a character `ch` at the end of a string. TC-O(1)
- `str.pop_back()` : delete the last character of the string. TC-O(1)
- `str.back()` : return last character of a string. TC-O(1)
- `str.front()` : return the first element of the string. TC-O(1)
- `swap(str[i], str[j])` : swap characters at index `i` and `j`. TC-O(1)
- `str.size()` : return length of string. TC-O(1)
- `toupper(ch)` : converts a given character to uppercase.
- `tolower(ch)` : converts a given character to lowercase.
- `string s = string(x, '*');` insert a character to a string `x` times.

Sort a string : TC-O(nlogn)

`sort(str.begin(), str.end())` : sort string according to alphabetical order.

`sort(str.rbegin(), str.rend())` : sort string in reverse of alphabetical order.

Reverse a string : TC-O(n)

<code>reverse(s.begin(), s.end());</code>	reverse whole string
<code>reverse(s.begin(), s.begin()+x);</code>	reverse first <code>x</code> characters
<code>reverse(s.end()-x, s.end());</code>	reverse last <code>x</code> characters

Question: Reverse every word in given string. Ex- `s="geeks for geek"`

output- skeeg rof keeg

`str.erase()` : TC-O(n)

`erase()` : erase all string

`s.erase (pos)` : erase all character after `pos` index.

`erase (idx, len)` : erase `len` character from `idx` index

`erase (iterator pos)` : erase character at `pos` index.

`erase (iterator beg, iterator end)` : erase characters from `beg` to `end`.

```

1 // string::erase
2 #include <iostream>
3 #include <string>
4
5 int main ()
6 {
7     std::string str ("This is an example sentence.");
8     std::cout << str << '\n';
9
10    // "This is an example sentence."
11    //          ^^^^^^^^
12    str.erase (10,8);
13    std::cout << str << '\n';
14
15    // "This is an sentence."
16    //          ^
17    str.erase (str.begin()+9);
18    std::cout << str << '\n';
19
20    // "This is a sentence."
21    //          ^^^^^^
22    str.erase (str.begin()+5, str.end()-9);
23    std::cout << str << '\n';
24
25    // "This sentence."
26    return 0;
27 }

```

str.find(): TC-O(n)

Function Template:

Default pos=0

size_t find (string str, size_t pos);

We can also search for a partial string

In below syntax, note that n is number of characters to match.

size_t find (string str, size_t pos, size_t n);

Function Return:

The function returns the index of the first occurrence of sub-string, if the sub-string is not found it returns string::npos(string::pos is static member with value as the highest possible for the size_t data structure)

```

1 // string::find
2 #include <iostream>          // std::cout
3 #include <string>            // std::string
4
5 int main ()
6 {
7     std::string str ("There are two needles in this haystack with needles.");
8     std::string str2 ("needle");
9
10    // different member versions of find in the same order as above:
11    std::size_t found = str.find(str2);
12    if (found!=std::string::npos)
13        std::cout << "first 'needle' found at: " << found << '\n';
14
15    found=str.find("needles are small",found+1,6);
16    if (found!=std::string::npos)
17        std::cout << "second 'needle' found at: " << found << '\n';
18
19    found=str.find("haystack");
20    if (found!=std::string::npos)
21        std::cout << "'haystack' also found at: " << found << '\n';
22
23    found=str.find('.');
24    if (found!=std::string::npos)
25        std::cout << "Period found at: " << found << '\n';
26
27    // let's replace the first needle:
28    str.replace(str.find(str2),str2.length(),"preposition");
29    std::cout << str << '\n';
30
31    return 0;
32 }

```

s.substr():

string s="abcdefg";

string s1=s.substr(1,3); s1="bcd"

Converting string to integer :

string s = "123";

int num;

// using stoi() to store the value of str1 to x

num = stoi(s);

stof() - convert string to float

stod() - convert string to double

stold() - convert string to long double

stoll() - convert string to long long

Converting integer to string :

```
float numf = 123.4567;  
int num = 123;
```

```
string str1 = to_string(numf);  
string str2 = to_string(num);
```

Pairs

Pair is a container that stores two data elements in it. It is not necessary that the two values or data elements have to be of the same data type.

Syntax:

```
pair <datatype 1, datatype2 > pair_name;
```

The first value given in above pair could be accessed by using pair_name.first similarly, the second value could be accessed using pair_name.second.

```
//ex- pair<char,int> p;
```

Vector of Pairs

Vector of Pairs is a vector filled with pairs instead of any primitive data type.

To declare a vector of pairs we can use the syntax : *vector<pair<string,int>> a;*

To add a pair to an existing vector of pairs we can use the statement below:

```
v.push_back(make_pair("ABC",15));  
v.push_back({"ABC",15});
```

push_back function helps in adding the elements to a vector, make_pair function converts the parameters into pairs.

<https://tutorialspoint.dev/language/cpp/sorting-vector-of-pairs-in-c-set-1-sort-by-first-and-second>