

Variables and Operators

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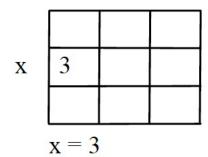
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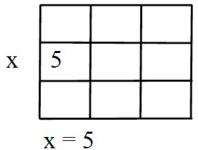
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Variables

- A container (storage area) to hold data
- Can only hold <u>one thing at a time</u>
- The contents of the container (variable) may change or vary
- Must be defined with a statement (called a variable definition)





<u>Image Source</u>: "Let Us C" by Yashwant Kanetkar

Declaring a Variable

int LaptopPrice;

double LaptopPriceWithTax, SalesTax;



Initializing a Variable

```
int LaptopPrice; // Declaration
LaptopPrice = 1099; // Initialization
```

```
// Declaration and Initialization at the
// same statement
int LaptopPrice = 1099;
```

```
// Declaration
double LaptopPriceWithTax, SalesTax;
// Initialization
LaptopPriceWithTax = 1208.90;
SalesTax = 0.0975;
```

```
// Declaration and Initialization at the same statement
double LaptopPriceWithTax = 1208.90, SalesTax = 0.0975;
```



Floating-point Literals

```
// Declaration of variables
double LaptopPriceWithTax, SalesTax;
// Decimal notations to initialize
LaptopPriceWithTax = 1208.90;
SalesTax = 0.0975;
```

```
// Declaration of variables
double LaptopPriceWithTax, SalesTax;
// E notation to initialize
LaptopPriceWithTax = 1.2089E3;
SalesTax = 9.75e-5;
```



Constant Variables

- Constant variables' values are fixed for the duration of the program.
- We use const keyword to define the variable.

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
        // Declaration and initialization of the constant variable
        // Variable's name could also be declared as "SALES TAX"
        const double kSalesTax = 0.0975;
        // Declaration and initialization of the other variables
        int LaptopPrice = 1099;
        double LaptopPriceWithTax = 1208.90;
        kSalesTax = 0.0675; // Error - cannot be modified
        return 0;
```

<u>Further Reading on Naming Convention</u>: https://google.github.io/styleguide/cppguide.html#Constant_Names



C++ Operators

- Arithmetic Operators
- Assignment Operators
- Relational Operators
- Logical Operators
- Bitwise Operators
- Other Operators



C++ Arithmetic Operators

- Addition
- Subtraction
- Multiplication
- Division
- Modulo (remainder after division)



Output Tracing – Addition



Output Tracing – Addition



Output Tracing – Subtraction



Output Tracing – Subtraction

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Output Tracing - Subtraction

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main()
{
    // Declaration and initialization of the variables
    int x = 10, y = 15;
    unsigned int sub;
    sub = x - y; // Performing the subtraction
    cout << sub << endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

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Output Tracing - Subtraction

4,294,967,291

Range for the *unsigned* integers is 0 to $2^{32} - 1$



Output Tracing - Multiplication



Output Tracing - Multiplication





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```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main()
{
     // Declaration and initialization of the variables
     int x = 6, y = 4;
     double div;
     div = x / y; // Performing the division
     cout << div << endl;
     return 0;
}</pre>
```



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```





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```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main()
{
    // Demonstration of multiple combinations of division
    cout << 6 / 4 << endl;
    cout << 6.0 / 4 << endl;
    cout << 6 / 4.0 << endl;
    cout << 6.0 / 4.0 << endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

```
1
1.5
1.5
1.5
```



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Increment and Decrement

- Prefix increment and decrement
 - Pre-increment (++expr)
 - Pre-decrement (--expr)
- Variable's value is first incremented and then used inside the expression.
- Postfix increment and decrement
 - Post-increment (expr++)
 - Pre-increment (expr--)
- Variable's value is first used in a expression and then incremented

```
1 int x = 10, a;
2 // x = x + 1 and then a = x (modified)
3 a = ++x;
4 cout << "x: " << x << ", a: " << a << endl;
x: 11, a: 11</pre>
```

```
1 int x = 10, a;
2 // a = x (old) and then x = x + 1
3 a = x++;
4 cout << "x: " << x << ", a: " << a << endl;</pre>
```

```
x: 11, a: 10
```

Further Reading:

- (1) https://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/language/operator_incdec
- (2) https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/pre-increment-and-post-increment-in-c/



Sizeof Operator

sizeof operator queries the size of the object or type

```
sizeof(int); // Returns 4 (hint: 4 bytes)

double myVar = 10.6;
sizeof(myVar); // Returns 8 (hint: 8 bytes)
```

<u>Further Reading (Optional)</u>: https://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/language/sizeof



Operator	Example	Equivalent to	Value of res for x = 5
=	res = x	res = x	
+=	res += x	res = res + x	
-=	res -= x	res = res - x	
*=	res *= x	res = res * x	
/=	res /= x	res = res / x	
%=	res %= x	res = res % x	



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=	res = x	res = x	5
+=	res += x	res = res + x	10
-=	res -= x	res = res - x	5
*=	res *= x	res = res * x	25
/=	res /= x	res = res / x	
%=	res %= x	res = res % x	



C++ Assignment Operators

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==	Is equal to	bool res = a == b	false
!=	Not equal to	bool res = a != b	
>	Greater than	bool res = a > b	
<	Less than	bool res = a < b	
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Operator	Meaning	Example	Value of res for a = 3 and b = -5
&&	Logical AND True if all the operands are true.	bool res = (a > 0) && (b > 0)	
	Logical OR True if at least one of the operands is true.	bool res = (a > 0) (b > 0)	
!	Logical NOT True only if the operand is false.	bool res = !(a > 0)	



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C++ Operator Precedence

Precedence	Operator	Description	Associativity	
1	a++, a	Post-increment, post-decrement	Left-to-right	
2	++a,a, sizeof	Pre-increment, pre-decrement, size of	Right-to-left	
3	a * b, a / b, a % b	Multiplication, division, modulus		
4	a + b, a - b	Addition, subtraction	Left-to-right	
5	< <= > >=	Relational operator		
6	== !=	Equality operator	Lent-to-right	
7	&&	Logical AND		
8		Logical OR		

<u>Further Reading</u>: https://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/language/operator_precedence



Arithmetic Expressions

- Use of parentheses
- Brackets [] or braces {} may NOT be used.
- C++ operator precedence

```
x = 4
w = 2
y = 3 * (x + 10 / w)
10 / 2
5

3 * (x + 5)
4 + 5
9

3 * 9
y = 27
Preferred
y = 3 * (x + (10 / w))
y = 3 * (x + (10 / w))
y = 3 * (x + (10 / w))
y = 3 * (x + (10 / w))
y = 27
```

Image source: ZyBooks - Chapter 2 (2.7.3)



Output Tracing

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
       int a = 2;
       cout << a + a * a - a << endl;</pre>
       cout << a * ++a - a << endl;
       cout << a << endl;</pre>
       return 0;
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```



Output Tracing

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       cout << a * ++a - a << endl;
       cout << a << endl;</pre>
       return 0;
4
6
```



Character Data Type (1/2)

- Character (char)
 - Size: 1 byte or 8 bits
 - Signed range: -128 to +128
 - *Unsigned* range: 0 to 255
- Created by enclosing a single character inside <u>single</u> quotation marks

char LetterGrade = 'A';

Further Reading (Optional): https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/cpp/cpp/fundamental-types-cpp?view=msvc-160



Character Data Type (2/2)

Internally stored as numbers

dec	oct	hex	ch	dec	oct	hex	ch	dec	oct	hex	ch
32	40	20	(space)	64	100	40	@	96	140	60	`
33	41	21	!	65	101	41	Α	97	141	61	а
34	42	22	"	66	102	42	В	98	142	62	b
35	43	23	#	67	103	43	С	99	143	63	С
36	44	24	\$	68	104	44	D	100	144	64	d
37	45	25	%	69	105	45	Е	101	145	65	е
38	46	26	&	70	106	46	F	102	146	66	f
39	47	27	•	71	107	47	G	103	147	67	g
40	50	28	(72	110	48	Н	104	150	68	h
41	51	29)	73	111	49	I	105	151	69	i
42	52	2a	*	74	112	4a	J	106	152	6a	j
43	53	2b	+	75	113	4b	K	107	153	6b	k
44	54	2c	,	76	114	4c	L	108	154	6c	ι
45	55	2d	-	77	115	4d	М	109	155	6d	m
46	56	2e		78	116	4e	N	110	156	6e	n
47	57	2f	/	79	117	4f	0	111	157	6f	o
48	60	30	0	80	120	50	Р	112	160	70	р
49	61	31	1	81	121	51	Q	113	161	71	q
50	62	32	2	82	122	52	R	114	162	72	r
51	63	33	3	83	123	53	S	115	163	73	s
52	64	34	4	84	124	54	Т	116	164	74	t
53	65	35	5	85	125	55	U	117	165	75	u
54	66	36	6	86	126	56	V	118	166	76	v
55	67	37	7	87	127	57	W	119	167	77	W
56	70	38	8	88	130	58	X	120	170	78	x
57	71	39	9	89	131	59	Y	121	171	79	у
58	72	3a	:	90	132	5a	Z	122	172	7a	z

<u>Further Explanation</u>: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jjqgP9dpD1k&list=PLhQjrBD2T381L3iZyDTxRwOBuUt6m1FnW&index=1&t=793s



- Implicit conversion
 - Automatically performed when a value is copied to a <u>compatible type</u>

```
short sMyVar = 20;
int iMyVar;
iMyVar = sMyVar;
```

Further Reading (Optional): https://www.cplusplus.com/doc/tutorial/typecasting/



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```

```
int iMyVar = 20;
double dMyVar;
dMyVar = iMyVar;
cout << "int: " << iMyVar << ", double: " << dMyVar << endl;
int: 11, double: 201</pre>
```



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```

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int: 11, double: 201</pre>
```

```
int iMyVar;
double dMyVar = 20.5;
iMyVar = dMyVar;
cout << "int: " << iMyVar << ", double: " << dMyVar << endl;
int: 20, double: 20.5</pre>
```



```
int iMyVar;
double dMyVar = 20.5;
iMyVar = dMyVar;
cout << "int: " << iMyVar << ", double: " << dMyVar << endl;
int: 20, double: 20.5</pre>
```

Higher Data Type long double double no data loss data loss long short **Lower Data Type**

<u>Image Source:</u> https://www.programiz.com/cpp-programming/type-conversion



- Explicit Conversion
 - Manually change data from one type to another

```
(data_type)expression;

int iMyVar = 20;
double dMyVar;
dMyVar = (double)iMyVar;
```

```
data_type(expression);

int iMyVar = 20;
double dMyVar;
dMyVar = double(iMyVar);
```

```
static_cast<data_type>(expression);
int iMyVar = 20;
double dMyVar;
dMyVar = static_cast<double>iMyVar;
```



Random Number (rand)

- A pseudo-random integral number in the range between 0 and RAND_MAX.
- RAND_MAX (a constant defined in <cstdlib>) is a machine dependent value, but is at least 32,767 which is (2¹⁶-1)/2.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <cstdlib>
using namespace std;

int main() {
    cout << rand() << endl;
    cout << "(RAND_MAX: " << RAND_MAX <</pre>
")" << endl;

return 0;
}</pre>
```

