

Std class string member functions

Member Functions of the Standard Class string

Example	Remarks
Constructors	
string str;	Default constructor creates empty string object str.
string str("sample");	Creates a string object with data "sample".
string str(a_string);	Creates a string object str that is a copy of a_string; a_string is an object of the class string.
Element access	
str[i]	Returns read/write reference to character in str at index i. Does not check for illegal index.
str.at(i)	Returns read/write reference to character in str at index i. Same as str[i], but this version checks for illegal index.
str.substr(position, length)	Returns the substring of the calling object starting at position and having length characters.
Assignment/modifiers	
str1 = str2;	Initializes str1 to str2's data,
str1 += str2;	Character data of str2 is concatenated to the end of str1.
str.empty()	Returns <i>true</i> if str is an empty string; <i>false</i> otherwise.
str1 + str2	Returns a string that has str2's data concatenated to the end of str1's data.
str.insert(pos, str2);	Inserts str2 into str beginning at position pos.
str.remove(pos, length);	Removes substring of size length, starting at position pos.
Comparison	
str1 == str2 str1 != str2	Compare for equality or inequality; returns a Boolean value.
str1 < str2 str1 > str2 str1 <= str2 str1 >= str2	Four comparisons. All are lexicographical comparisons.
Finds	
str.find(str1)	Returns index of the first occurrence of str1 in str.
str.find(str1, pos)	Returns index of the first occurrence of string str1 in str; the search starts at position pos.
str.find_first_of(str1, pos)	Returns the index of the first instance in str of any character in str1, starting the search at position pos.
str.find_first_not_of(str1, pos)	Returns the index of the first instance in str of any character not in str1, starting the search at position pos.