

Lab 3 – Functional objects

Exercise 1. Function Pointers

Change the file `function_pointers.cpp` so that it will compile with `-std=c++03` flag.
Replace `auto` and `decltype` with appropriate function pointers.

Exercise 2. Lambda Expressions

Implement lambda expressions in the lines denoted by `// (n)` in the file `lambda.cpp`:

- (1) Function that compares two elements `a` and `b`:
`a < b` iff `a` is closer to center than `b`.
- (2) Function that compares according to Sharkowski ordering
http://www.scholarpedia.org/article/Sharkovsky_ordering
- (3) Function without parameters that return random integer number from interval `[a, b]` (`a` and `b` both included). Changing values of `a` or `b` should change the interval used by generator.
Use `std::rand` to generate random integer.
- (4) Function that generates a random even integer from interval `[a, b]`. The further changes of the `a` or `b` value do not change the behaviour of a closure.
- (5) Function that for given standard container (vector, list, deque) computes l_1 norm i.e. the sum of the absolute values of elements in the container.
Try to use `std::accumulate` algorithm with another lambda expression to implement it.
- (6) Function that for given array `a` and integer `n` returns a function with one parameter `x` that computes a value of a polynomial of degree `n` with coefficients `a` at the point `x`.

Exercise 3. Function Objects (Functors)

Implement class `Printer` that will have the following functionality:

```
Printer print(std::cout, "[", "]" );    // creates unary functor
                                     //that takes argument x of any type
                                     // and prints [ x ]

print("hello");    // [ hello ]

std::vector<int> v = {1, 2, 3, 4};
std::for_each(v.begin(), v.end(), print);    // [ 1 ] [ 2 ] [ 3 ] [ 4 ]

std::ofstream file("myFile.txt");
Printer filePrinter(file, "- ", "\n");
filePrinter(5);
filePrinter("My text");
/** myFile.txt
- 5
- My text
*/
```