

Use case for `std::map`,
`std::pair`, and `std::vector`

std::map

<http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/map/map/>
<https://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/container/map>

class template

std::map

<map>

```
template < class Key,                      // map::key_type
           class T,                        // map::mapped_type
           class Compare = less<Key>,      // map::key_compare
           class Alloc = allocator<pair<const Key,T> > // map::allocator_type
           > class map;
```

Map

Maps are associative containers that store elements formed by a combination of a *key value* and a *mapped value*, following a specific order.

In a map, the *key values* are generally used to sort and uniquely identify the elements, while the *mapped values* store the content associated to this *key*. The types of *key* and *mapped value* may differ, and are grouped together in member type `value_type`, which is a `pair` type combining both:

```
typedef pair<const Key, T> value_type;
```

Internally, the elements in a map are always sorted by its *key* following a specific *strict weak ordering* criterion indicated by its internal `comparison object` (of type `Compare`).

map containers are generally slower than `unordered_map` containers to access individual elements by their *key*, but they allow the direct iteration on subsets based on their order.

The mapped values in a `map` can be accessed directly by their corresponding key using the *bracket operator* (`operator[]`).

Maps are typically implemented as *binary search trees*.

std::pair

<http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/utility/pair>
<https://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/utility/pair>

class template

std::pair

<utility>

```
template <class T1, class T2> struct pair;
```

Pair of values

This class couples together a pair of values, which may be of different types (T1 and T2). The individual values can be accessed through its public members `first` and `second`.

Pairs are a particular case of [tuple](#).



Template parameters

T1

Type of member `first`, aliased as `first_type`.

T2

Type of member `second`, aliased as `second_type`.

Application with map, pair and vector

Based on examples/07/map1.cpp and Examinee.h

```
#ifndef Examinee_h
#define Examinee_h

#include<string>

class Examinee {
public:
    Examinee(const std::string& name, int id) {
        name_ = name;
        id_ = id;
    }

    bool operator<(const Examinee& rhs) const {
        return id_ < rhs.id_;
    }

    std::string name() const {
        return name_;
    }

    int id() const {
        return id_;
    }

private:
    std::string name_;
    int id_;
};
#endif
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include <vector>
#include <map>
#include <utility>          // std::pair, std::make_pair
#include <string>

#include "Examinee.h"

int main() {

    // pair object to associate two different types of data
    std::pair<std::string, int> grade = std::make_pair("MQR", 24);

    // grades of an examinee stored in a vector
    std::vector< std::pair<std::string, int> > grades;
    grades.push_back( std::make_pair("MQR", 26) );
    grades.push_back( std::make_pair("Phys Lab", 27) );
    grades.push_back( std::make_pair("Cond Matt", 23) );

    Examinee gino("Gino", 110998);

    // databases of grades of all examinees
    //   key: examinee   value: grades
    std::map<Examinee, std::vector< std::pair<std::string, int> > > exams;
    exams[gino] = grades;

    Examinee tina("Tina", 121001);
    grades.clear(); // delete all previous values in the vector
    grades.push_back( std::make_pair("MQR", 29) );
    grades.push_back( std::make_pair("Phys Lab", 28) );
    grades.push_back( std::make_pair("Cond Matt", 25) );

    exams[tina] = grades; //CONTINUES...
```


Application with map, pair and vector

Based on examples/07/map1.cpp and Examinee.h

```
//CONTINUED...
// loop over entries in the map
for(std::map<Examinee, std::vector< std::pair<std::string, int> > >::iterator it = exams.begin(); it != exams.end(); it++ ) {

    // print out examinee data
    std::cout << "Examinee name: " << (it->first).name() << "\t id: " << (it->first).id() << std::endl;

    // loop over list of exams
    for(std::vector< std::pair<std::string, int> >::iterator vit = (it->second).begin(); vit != (it->second).end(); vit++) {

        // print name of each exams and relative grade
        std::cout << "\t Subject: " << vit->first << "\t grade: " << vit->second << std::endl;

    } // end: loop over grades

} // end: loop over examinees

return 0;
}
```

```
$ g++ -Wall -o map1 map1.cpp
$ ./map1
Examinee name: Gino          id: 110998
      Subject: MQR           grade: 26
      Subject: Phys Lab      grade: 27
      Subject: Cond Matt     grade: 23
Examinee name: Tina          id: 121001
      Subject: MQR           grade: 29
      Subject: Phys Lab      grade: 28
      Subject: Cond Matt     grade: 25
```

static data members and methods

Shared Data Among Objects

- Objects are instances of a class
 - Each object has a copy of data members that define the attributes of that class
 - Attributes are initialized in the constructors and modified via setters or dedicated member functions
- What if we wanted some data to be shared by ALL instances of a class?
 - Textbook example: keep track of how many instances of a class are created
- How can we do the book keeping?
 - External registry or counter
 - Where should such a counter live?
 - How can it keep track of ANYBODY creating objects?
 - How to handle the scope problem?

Examples of Sharing Data Among Objects

- High energy physics
 - Production vertex for particles in a collision
- A more fun example... Video Games!
 - WarCraft, StarCraft, Command and Conquer, Civilization, Halo, Clash of Clans, Fortnite, etc.: the humor and courage of your units depend on how many of them you have
 - If there are many soldiers you can easily conquer new territory
 - If you have enough resources you can build new facilities or increase personpower
- How can you keep track of all units and facilities present in all different parts of a complex game?
 - `static` might just do it!

Tolerance for Comparing Datum

- Comparison between two Datum objects
- When should == be true ?
- In a physics problem you often define a numerical tolerance, a detector precision, etc., when comparing quantities or measurements
 - All Datum objects could share a same tolerance for comparisons

```
Datum d1(1.01, 0.131);  
Datum d2(0.99, 0.128);  
  
if( d1 == d2 ) {  
    // do something  
    ...  
}
```

static Data Members

Based on `examples/07/Unit.h` and `Unit.cc`

- **static data member is common to ALL instances of a class**
 - All objects use **exactly** the same data member
 - There is really **only one copy** of static data members accessed by all objects

```
#ifndef Unit_h
#define Unit_h

#include <string>
#include <iostream>

class Unit {
public:
    Unit(const std::string& name);
    ~Unit();

    std::string name() const { return name_; }
    friend std::ostream& operator<<(std::ostream& os, const Unit& unit);

    static int counter_;

private:
    std::string name_;
};
#endif
```

```
#include "Unit.h"
using namespace std;

// init. static data member. NB: No static keyword necessary. Otherwise...
// compilation error!
int Unit::counter_ = 0;

Unit::Unit(const std::string& name) {
    name_ = name;
    counter_++;
}

Unit::~Unit() {
    counter_--;
}

ostream&
operator<<(ostream& os, const Unit& unit) {
    os << unit.name_ << " Total Units: " << unit.counter_;
    return os;
}
```

Example of static data member

Based on `examples/07/static1.cpp` and `Unit.*`

```
#include <iostream>
#include <string>
using namespace std;
#include "Unit.h"

int main() {
    Unit giorgio("Giorgio Parisi");
    cout << giorgio << endl;

    cout << "&giorgio.counter_: " << &giorgio.counter_ << endl;

    Unit* gan = new Unit("Gandalf");
    Unit neo("Neo");
    cout << "&neo.counter_: " << &neo.counter_ << endl;

    cout << "&(gandalf->counter_): " << &(gan->counter_) << endl;
    cout << neo << endl;

    delete gan;

    cout << neo << endl;

    return 0;
}
```

```
$ g++ -Wall -o static1 static1.cpp Unit.cc
$ ./static1
Giorgio Parisi Total Units: 1
&giorgio.counter_: 0x1040640f0
&neo.counter_: 0x1040640f0
&(gandalf->counter_): 0x1040640f0
Neo Total Units: 3
Neo Total Units: 2
```

All objects use the same variable!

Constructor and destructor in charge of bookkeeping

Using Member Functions with `static` Data

Based on `examples/07/Unit2.h` and `Unit2.cc`

- All usual rules for functions, arguments, etc., apply
- Nothing special about public or private static members or functions returning static members

```
#ifndef Unit2_h
#define Unit2_h

#include <string>
#include <iostream>

class Unit {
public:
    Unit(const std::string& name);
    ~Unit();

    std::string name() const { return name_; }
    friend std::ostream& operator<<(std::ostream& os, const Unit& unit);

    int getCount() const { return counter_; }

private:
    static int counter_;
    std::string name_;
};
#endif
```

```
#include "Unit2.h"
using namespace std;

// init. static data member
int Unit::counter_ = 0;

Unit::Unit(const std::string& name) {
    name_ = name;
    counter_++;
}

Unit::~~Unit() {
    counter_--;
}

// Global function
ostream& operator<<(ostream& os, const Unit& unit)
{
    os << "My name is " << unit.name_
        << "! Total Units: " << unit.counter_;
    return os;
}
```


Does it Make Sense to Ask Objects for static Data?

Based on `examples/07/static2.cpp` and `Unit2.*`

```
#include <iostream>
#include <string>
using namespace std;
#include "Unit2.h"

int main() {
    Unit piero("Piero");
    Unit* fra = new Unit("Francesca");
    cout << "piero.getCount(): " << piero.getCount() << endl;
    cout << "fra->getCount(): " << fra->getCount() << endl;

    delete fra;

    return 0;
}
```

```
$ g++ -Wall -o static2 static2.cpp Unit2.cc
$ ./static2
piero.getCount(): 2
fra->getCount(): 2
```

- `counter_` is not really an attribute of any object: it is a general feature of all objects of type `Unit`
- In principle we would like to know how many Units we have regardless of a specific `Unit` object
- But how can we use a function if no object has been created?

static Member Functions

- **static member functions** of a class can be called without having any object of the class!
- Mostly (but not only) used to access `static` data members
 - `static` data members exist before and after and regardless of objects
 - `static` functions play the same role
- Common use of static functions is in **utility classes** which have no data member
 - Some classes are mostly place holders for commonly used functionalities
 - We will see a number of such classes in ROOT

Example of static Member Function

Based on `examples/07/static3.cpp` and `Unit3.*`

```
#include "Unit3.h"
using namespace std;

// init. static data member
int Unit::counter_ = 0;

Unit::Unit(const std::string& name) {
    name_ = name;
    counter_++;
    cout << "Unit(" << name
          <<") called. Total Units: "
          << counter_ << endl;
}

Unit::~~Unit() {
    counter_--;
    cout << "~Unit() called for "
          << name_ << ". Total Units: "
          << counter_ << endl;
}

// Global function
ostream& operator<<(ostream& os, const Unit& unit) {
    os << "My name is " << unit.name_
        << "! Total Units: " << unit.counter_;
    return os;
}
```

```
#ifndef Unit3_h
#define Unit3_h

//...same Unit2.h

    static int getCount()

//...same Unit2.h
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include <string>
using namespace std;
#include "Unit3.h"

int main() {
    cout << "units: " << Unit::getCount() << endl;

    //...same static2.cpp

    cout << "units: " << Unit::getCount() << endl;

    return 0;
}
```

```
$ g++ -Wall -o static3 static3.cpp Unit3.cc
$ ./static3
units: 0
Unit(Piero) called. Total Units: 1
Unit(Francesca) called. Total Units: 2
piero.getCount(): 2
fra->getCount(): 2
~Unit() called for Francesca. Total Units: 1
units: 1
~Unit() called for Piero. Total Units: 0
```

Common Error with `static` Member Functions

Based on `examples/07/Unit3.cc` and `Unit3.h`

```
#ifndef Unit3_h
#define Unit3_h

#include <string>
#include <iostream>

class Unit {
public:
    Unit(const std::string& name);
    ~Unit();

    std::string name() const { return name_; }
    friend std::ostream& operator<<(std::ostream& os, const Unit& unit);

    static int getCount() const { return counter_; }

private:
    static int counter_;
    std::string name_;
};
#endif
```

```
$ g++ -Wall -o static3 static3.cpp Unit3.cc
./Unit3.h:15:27: error: static member function cannot have 'const'
qualifier
        static int getCount() const { return counter_; }
                             ^~~~~~
1 error generated.
```

static functions cannot be const!
They can be called without any object so
there is no reason to make them constant

Features of static Methods

Based on `examples/07/Unit4.cc` and `Unit4.h`

- They cannot be constant
 - `static` functions operate independently from any object
 - They can be called before and after any object is created
- They have no access to `this` pointer
 - Recall: `this` is specific to individual objects
- They cannot access non-static data members of the class
 - Non-static data members characterize objects: how can data members be modified if no object was created yet?

```
class Unit{
public:
    //Same as before...

    static int getGount(){
        name_ = "";
        return counter_;
    }

    //Same as before...
};
```

```
$ g++ -Wall -o Unit4.cc
./Unit4.h:16:7: error: invalid use of member 'name_' in static member function
    name_ = "";
    ^~~~~
1 error generated.
```

static Methods in Utility Classes

Based on `examples/07/Calculator.h`

- Classes with no data member and (only) static methods are often called **utility classes**

```
#ifndef Calculator_h
#define Calculator_h

#include <vector>
#include "Datum.h"

class Calculator {
public:
    Calculator();

    static Datum weightedAverage(const std::vector<Datum>&);
    static Datum arithmeticAverage(const std::vector<Datum>&);
    static Datum geometricAverage(const std::vector<Datum>&);

};

#endif
```

Example of Application

- Application to compute weighted average and error
 - Must accept arbitrary number of input data, each having a central value and an uncertainty
 - Compute weighted average of input data and uncertainty on the average
- Possible extensions
 - Provide different averaging methods
 - Uncertainties could be also asymmetric ($x^{+\sigma_1}_{-\sigma_2}$)
 - Consider also systematic errors
 - Compute correlation coefficient and take it into account when computing the average and its uncertainty

Possible Implementation

Based on `examples/07/wgtavg.cpp`

```
#include <vector>
#include <iostream>

#include "Datum.h" // basic data object
#include "InputService.h" // class to handles input of data
#include "Calculator.h" // implements various algorithms

using std::cout;
using std::endl;

int main() {

    std::vector<Datum> dati = InputService::readDataFromUser();

    Datum r1 = Calculator::weightedAverage(dati);
    cout << "weighted average: " << r1 << endl;

    Datum r2 = Calculator::arithmeticAverage(dati);

    Datum r3 = Calculator::geometricAverage(dati);

    return 0;
}
```


Interface of Classes

Based on examples/07/Datum.h, Calculator.h, InputService.h

```
#ifndef Datum_h
#define Datum_h
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

class Datum {
public:
    Datum();
    Datum(double x, double y);
    Datum(const Datum& datum);
    double value();
    double error();
    double significance();
    friend ostream& operator<<(ostream& os, const Datum& rhs);
private:
    double value_;
    double error_;
};

#endif
```

You see the interface but do not know how the methods are implemented!

```
#ifndef Calculator_h
#define Calculator_h

#include <vector>
#include "Datum.h"

class Calculator {
public:
    Calculator();

    static Datum weightedAverage(const std::vector<Datum>&);
    static Datum arithmeticAverage(const std::vector<Datum>&);
    static Datum geometricAverage(const std::vector<Datum>&);
};

#endif

#ifndef InputService_h
#define InputService_h

#include <vector>
#include "Datum.h"

class InputService {
public:
    InputService();
    static std::vector<Datum> readDataFromUser();

private:
};

#endif
```

Application for Weighted Average

Based on `examples/07/wgtavg.cpp`

```
#include <vector>
#include <iostream>

#include "Datum.h" // basic data object
#include "InputService.h" // class to handles input of data
#include "Calculator.h" // implements various algorithms

using std::cout;
using std::endl;

int main() {

    std::vector<Datum> dati = InputService::readDataFromUser();

    Datum r1 = Calculator::weightedAverage(dati);
    cout << "weighted average: " << r1 << endl;

    Datum r2 = Calculator::arithmeticAverage(dati);

    Datum r3 = Calculator::geometricAverage(dati);

    return 0;
}
```

```
$ g++ -c InputService.cc
$ g++ -c Datum.cc
$ g++ -c Calculator.cc
$ g++ -o wgtavg wgtavg.cpp InputService.o Datum.o Calculator.o
```


Questions

- What about reading a data file?
 - How to communicate the file name and where? In `main` or in `InputService`?
- Do you need any arguments for these functions?
- Who should compute correlation?
 - Should it be stored? If yes, where?
 - Should the data become an attribute of some object? If yes, in which class?
- What about generating pseudo-data to test our algorithms?
 - Where would this generation happen?
 - In the `main` method or in some class?

Back to Class Datum

Based on examples/07/Datum.*

- Use static data member to implement operator == for Datum

 Implement <= and >= similarly

```
#include "Datum.h"
#include <iostream>
#include <cmath>
using std::cout;
using std::endl;
using std::ostream;

double Datum::tolerance_ = 1e-4;

// functions ...

bool Datum::operator==(const Datum& rhs) const {
    return (fabs(value_-rhs.value_) < tolerance_ &&
            fabs(error_-rhs.error_) < tolerance_);
}
```

```
#ifndef Datum_h
#define Datum_h
#include <iostream>

class Datum {
public:
    Datum();
    Datum(double x, double y);
    Datum(const Datum& datum);
    ~Datum() { };

    double value() const { return value_; }
    double error() const { return error_; }
    double significance() const;
    void print() const;

    Datum operator+( const Datum& rhs ) const;
    const Datum& operator+=( const Datum& rhs );

    Datum sum( const Datum& rhs ) const;

    const Datum& operator=( const Datum& rhs );

    bool operator==(const Datum& rhs) const;
    bool operator<(const Datum& rhs) const;

    Datum operator*( const Datum& rhs ) const;
    Datum operator/( const Datum& rhs ) const;

    Datum operator*( const double& rhs ) const;

    friend Datum operator*(const double& lhs, const Datum& rhs);
    friend std::ostream& operator<<(std::ostream& os, const Datum& rhs);

    static void setTolerance(double val) { tolerance_ = val; };

private:
    double value_;
    double error_;
    static double tolerance_;
};

#endif
```


Using Datum::tolerance_

Based on examples/07/DatumApp1.cpp

```
#include "Datum.h"
#include <iostream>

using std::cout;
using std::endl;

int main() {

    Datum d1(-1.1,0.1);
    Datum d2(-1.0, 0.2);
    Datum d3(-1.11, 0.099);
    Datum d4(-1.10001, 0.09999999);

    cout << "d1: " << d1 << endl;
    cout << "d2: " << d2 << endl;
    cout << "d3: " << d3 << endl;
    cout << "d4: " << d4 << endl;

    for(double eps = 0.1; eps > 1e-8; eps /= 10) {
        Datum::setTolerance( eps );
        cout << "Datum tolerance = " << eps << endl;

        if( d1 == d2 ) cout << "\t d1 same as d2" << endl;
        if( d1 == d3 ) cout << "\t d1 same as d3" << endl;
        if( d1 == d4 ) cout << "\t d1 same as d4" << endl;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

```
$ g++ -Wall -o DatumApp1 DatumApp1.cpp Datum.cc
$ ./DatumApp1
d1: -1.1 +/- 0.1
d2: -1 +/- 0.2
d3: -1.11 +/- 0.099
d4: -1.10001 +/- 0.1
Datum tolerance = 0.1
        d1 same as d3
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 0.01
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 0.001
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 0.0001
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 1e-05
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 1e-06
Datum tolerance = 1e-07
Datum tolerance = 1e-08
```

I/O manipulators

Based on examples/07/DatumApp2.cpp

```
#include "Datum.h"
#include <iostream>
#include <iomanip>          // std::setprecision
using std::cout;
using std::endl;

int main() {

    Datum d1(-1.1,0.1);
    Datum d2(-1.0, 0.2);
    Datum d3(-1.101, 0.099);
    Datum d4(-1.10001, 0.09999999);

    cout << "d1: " << std::setprecision(9) << d1 << endl;
    cout << "d2: " << std::setprecision(9) << d2 << endl;
    cout << "d3: " << std::fixed << d3 << endl;
    cout << "d4: " << std::fixed << d4 << endl;

    for(double eps = 0.1; eps > 1e-8; eps /= 10) {
        Datum::setTolerance( eps );
        cout << "Datum tolerance = " << std::scientific << eps << endl;

        if( d1 == d2 ) cout << "\t d1 same as d2" << endl;
        if( d1 == d3 ) cout << "\t d1 same as d3" << endl;
        if( d1 == d4 ) cout << "\t d1 same as d4" << endl;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

```
$ g++ -Wall -o DatumApp2 DatumApp2.cpp Datum.cc
$ ./DatumApp2
d1: -1.1 +/- 0.1
d2: -1 +/- 0.2
d3: -1.101000000 +/- 0.099000000
d4: -1.100010000 +/- 0.099999990
Datum tolerance = 1.000000000e-01
        d1 same as d3
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 1.000000000e-02
        d1 same as d3
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 1.000000000e-03
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 1.000000000e-04
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 1.000000000e-05
        d1 same as d4
Datum tolerance = 1.000000000e-06
Datum tolerance = 1.000000000e-07
Datum tolerance = 1.000000000e-08
```