Homework 8: Introduction to C++

For the following exercises, write your code in one .cpp file for each problem. Be sure to use a plain text editor (i.e., NOT Word).

Make sure that you codes compile without error in order to get credit. Do not hesitate to ask for help if needed!

Problem 1 (5 pts)

Type the source code from lecture notes 8, reproduced below, in a text file, save it as Area.cpp, compile it, and run it.

Please do not just cut and paste, but type it yourself. You'll learn much more about what to be careful about this way.

Again, the line numbers are just there for convenience, and should not be typed into the source code.

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_{-} Area-using.cpp _{-}
   #include <cstdlib>
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   #include <iostream>
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   #include <iomanip>
   #include <cmath>
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   using std::cin;
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   using std::cout;
   using std::endl;
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   constexpr double PI = std::acos(-1);
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   int main(int argc, char** argv)
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     double radius, circum, area;
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     cout << "pi = " << std::setprecision(16) << PI << endl;</pre>
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     cout << "Enter a radius in meters: ";</pre>
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     cin >> radius;
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     circum = 2.*PI*radius;
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     area = PI*pow(radius,2);
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     cout << "Radius: " << radius << " m" << endl;</pre>
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     cout << "Circumference: " << circum << " m" << endl;</pre>
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     cout << "Area: " << area << " m^2" << endl;</pre>
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     return EXIT_SUCCESS;
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     // end main
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Problem 2 (10 pts)

Once your program is working, try and modify it to introduce various types of errors on purpose and compile to see what kind of error messages the compiler gives.

Before doing that, make a copy of your working program, for example called Area-wrong.cpp and work on that copy rather than the original.

Try the following errors one at a time and explain what you observe (using comments within the file) in each case:

- Try and introduce spelling errors in various keywords, such as include, using, double, cout, ...
- Try and introduce spelling errors in one variable name, either in its declaration or when it is used (but not both)
- Try removing various symbols, such as a comma, star, or semicolon in various places and compile each time.
- Try changing the name of the main function and see what happens
- Try removing one of the include statements
- Try removing one of the using statements
- Try removing the return statement (might not break anything)
- Try getting rid of the curly brackets
- Replace double by int, compile and run the program. What difference do you notice?

Problem 3 (5 pts)

Write another program similar to Area.cpp that will ask for a radius, calculate the volume $(V=4/3\pi R^3)$ and surface area $(A=4\pi R^2)$ of a sphere of that radius, and print the results to the screen.

Make sure that the result is correct before submitting!