Week 2: Data & Operations

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W2 Practical.cpp
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Objective: Use variables of different data types and perform arithmetic operations. **Task:** Create a program that calculates the area and perimeter of a rectangle. Define variables for the length and width, perform the calculations, and print the results in a user-friendly format.

Solution:

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C++
#include <iostream>
int main() {
  // Define variables for length and width. Use 'double' for decimal precision.
  double length = 8.5;
  double width = 3.0;
  // Calculate the area (length * width).
  double area = length * width;
  // Calculate the perimeter (2 * (length + width)).
  double perimeter = 2 * (length + width);
  // Print the results.
  std::cout << "Rectangle Dimensions:" << std::endl;</pre>
  std::cout << "Length: " << length << " metres" << std::endl;
  std::cout << "Width: " << width << " metres" << std::endl;
  std::cout << "-----" << std::endl;
  std::cout << "Calculated Area: " << area << " square metres" << std::endl;
  std::cout << "Calculated Perimeter: " << perimeter << " metres" << std::endl;
  return 0;
}
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