

Programming in C/C++

Exercise Sheet 06

!!! Deadline: Tue, Dec 10th, 23:55 !!!

Task 01:

Implement a class "MyTime" for simple time management. It shall have the following features:

- The constructor shall accept up to 3 `int` parameters in the order: hour, minute, second. If a parameter is not given, 0 is assumed. If second or minute are larger than 59 it should be adjusted to the interval [0;59] and the next time element (i.e. minute or hour) should be increased accordingly. Example: "0,0,75" will result in "0,1,15" internally. There is no restriction for the hour. You do not need to check for negative values.
- The methods `getHour()`, `getMinute()` and `getSecond()` return the hour, minute and second of a MyTime object as `int`.
- If a MyTime object is converted to an `int`, it shall return the number of seconds since 0:0:0.
- It shall be possible to add two MyTime objects using "+" and to add a MyTime object and an `int` in any order using "+".
- It shall be possible to add a MyTime object or an `int` to another MyTime object using "+=".
- When adding MyTime objects, seconds are added to seconds, minutes to minutes and hours to hours. When adding an `int` and a MyTime object, the `int` is interpreted as seconds. You can assume that only positive `ints` are added (but do not use "unsigned" as parameter type). The resulting time shall always be in correct bounds as defined for the constructor.
- It shall be possible to print a MyTime object using `<<`, e.g. `"std::cout << time;"`. Print out the time in the format 00:00:00 for hour:minute:seconds.
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Use the "const" modifier wherever possible. You can add private methods to your class if needed. Use the provided `timetest.cpp` file to test your solution and to create an executable.

Add a small report to answer the following question: Why is it not necessary to overload comparison operators to compare two MyTime objects?

Submission: Your source code files should be named "**mytime.cpp**" and "**mytime.hpp**".
Your executable should be named: **mytime**.

Points: (code 30 pts, comments 5 pts, report 5 pts)

Task 02:

Implement a class "SecArr" for secure access to an `int` array. The array is external, i.e. it should NOT be stored in the class. The class shall have the following features:

- The constructor accepts pointers to the first and the last element of the array. If the end pointer is before the start pointer, it prints a warning and sets the end pointer to the start pointer. Example:

```
int a[3] = {1,2,3};  
SecArr sptr(a, &a[2]);
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- The class provides access to the current array element using the `*` operator, e.g. `*sarr = 3`.
- Moving the current element with `++` and `--` (post- and pre-form) shall be possible. If the current position would be moved out of the bounds defined in the constructor, it prints a warning "Invalid index" and ignores the command.
- Access to an element relative to the current position shall be possible with `[]`, e.g. `sarr[1] = 2` sets the element after the current position. Likewise `sarr[-1] = 5` should set the element before the current position. If the designated element would be out of the bounds defined in the constructor, it prints a warning "Invalid index" and returns the last element of the array in the direction of iteration.

Add a small report to answer the following question: Why is it better to use pre-increment/pre-decrement instead of post-increment/post-decrement operators?

Submission: Your source code files should be named "**secarr.cpp**" and "**secarr.hpp**", also test your code with the provided file `secarrtest.cpp`. The executable file must be named **secarray**.

Points: (code 45 pts, comments 10 pts, report 5 pts)