

Functions & Recursion

A function is an individual set of instructions invoke able for a single purpose. Functions allow to structure programs in segments of code to perform individual tasks. In C++ a function is a group of statements that is given a name, and which can be called from some point of the program. Following codes will explain the idea.

les_07_code_01.cpp

```
1.     #include<iostream>
2.     using namespace std;

3.     int square(int num1)
4.     {
5.         int squared;
6.         squared = num1 * num1;
7.         return squared;
8.     }

9.     int main()
10.    {
11.        int my_num;
12.        cout<<"Enter a number : ";
13.        cin>>my_num;
14.        cout<<"Square of "<<my_num<<" is "<<square(my_num);
15.        return 0;
16.    }
```

les_07_code_02.cpp

Alternate implementation of les_07_code_01.cpp

```
1.     #include<iostream>
2.     using namespace std;

3.     int square(int num1)
4.     {
5.         return num1*num1;
6.     }

7.     int main()
8.     {
9.         int my_num;
10.        cout<<"Enter a number : ";
11.        cin>>my_num;
12.        cout<<"Square of "<<my_num<<" is "<<square(my_num);
13.        return 0;
14.    }
```

les_07_code_03.cpp

Function with multiple parameters

```
1.  #include<iostream>
2.  using namespace std;

3.  int maximum(int a, int b, int c)
4.  {
5.      int largest;
6.      if (a>b)
7.          largest = a;
8.      else
9.          largest = b;
10.     if (c>largest)
11.         largest = c;
12.     return largest;
13. }

14. int main()
15. {
16.     int num1, num2, num3, max;
17.     cout<<"Enter three numbers : ";
18.     cin>>num1>>num2>>num3;
19.     max = maximum(num1,num2,num3);
20.     cout<<"Largest number you entered is "<<max;
21.     return 0;
22. }
```

les_07_code_04.cpp

Function call from other than main

```
1.  #include<iostream>
2.  using namespace std;
3.
4.  double ftoc(double temp)
5.  {
6.      return (temp-32.0)*(5.0/9.0);
7.  }
8.
9.  double ctof(double temp)
10. {
11.     return (temp*(9.0/5.0) + 32.0);
12. }
13.
14. double convertTemp(double temp, char scale)
15. {
16.     if(scale == 'c' || scale == 'C')
```

```
17.     {
18.     cout<<"Converted from F to C"<<endl;
19.     return ftoc(temp);
20.     }
21.
22.     else if (scale == 'f' || scale == 'F')
23.     {
24.     cout<<"Converted from C to F"<<endl;
25.     return ctof(temp);
26.     }
27.     else
28.     {
29.     cout<<"*****ERROR*****"<<endl<<"Invalid Scale"<<endl;
30.     return 0;
31.     }
32.     }
33.
34.     int main()
35.     {
36.     double act_temp, conv_temp;
37.     char conv_to;
38.     cout<<"Enter temperature and unit to convert to : ";
39.     cin>>act_temp>>conv_to;
40.     conv_temp=convertTemp(act_temp,conv_to);
41.     cout<<"The converted temperature is "<<conv_temp<<endl;
42.     return 0;
43.     }
```

les_07_code_05.cpp

Predicate Functions

```
1.     #include<iostream>
2.     using namespace std;
3.
4.     bool isEven(int num)
5.     {
6.     if (num%2 == 0)
7.     return true;
8.     else
9.     return false;
10.    }
11.
12.    int main(void)
13.    {
14.    int val;
15.    cout<<"Enter a number to test : ";
16.    cin>>val;
17.    if(isEven(val))
```

```
18.     cout<<val<<" is Even";
19.     else
20.     cout<<val<<" is Odd";
21.     return 0;
22.
23.     }
```

les_07_code_06.cpp

Predicate function to check vowel

```
1.     #include<iostream>
2.     using namespace std;
3.
4.     bool isVowel(char letter)
5.     {
6.     if(letter=='a' || letter=='e' || letter=='i' || letter=='o' || letter=='u')
7.     return true;
8.     else
9.     return false;
10.    }
11.
12.    int main()
13.    {
14.    char ltr;
15.    cout<<"Enter an alphabet in lower case only : ";
16.    cin>>ltr;
17.    if(isVowel(ltr))
18.    cout<<ltr<<" is a vowel.";
19.    else
20.    cout<<ltr<<" is a consonant.";
21.    return 0;
22.    }
```

les_07_code_07.cpp

Void Functions

```
1.     #include<iostream>
2.     using namespace std;
3.     void Heading()
4.     {
5.     cout<<"*****"<<endl;
6.     cout<<"** EE-163 Computers & Programming **"<<endl;
7.     cout<<"**       FE - Electrical       **"<<endl;
8.     cout<<"*****"<<endl;
9.     }

10.    int main(void)
11.    {
```

```
12.  Heading();
13.  return 0;
14.  }
```

les_07_code_08.cpp

Void Functions

```
1.  #include<iostream>
2.  using namespace std;
3.  void Heading(string course, string batch)
4.  {
5.  cout<<"*****"<<endl;
6.  cout<<"** "<<course<<"**"<<endl;
7.  cout<<"**      "<<batch<<"      **"<<endl;
8.  cout<<"*****"<<endl;
9.  }

10. int main(void)
11. {
12.  Heading("EE-163 Computers & Programming","FE - Electrical");
13.  return 0;
14.  }
```

les_07_code_09.cpp

```
1.  #include<iostream>
2.  using namespace std;

3.  int main()
4.  {
5.  int num1, num2;
6.  num1 = 13;
7.  num2 = 12;
8.  cout<<num1<<endl;
9.  cout<<num2<<endl;
10. int temp;
11. temp = num2;
12. num2 = num1;
13. num1 = temp;
14. cout<<num1<<endl;
15. cout<<num2<<endl;
16. return 0;
17. }
```

les_07_code_10.cpp

```
1.  #include<iostream>
2.  using namespace std;

3.  void swap(int a, int b)
```

```
4.    {
5.    int temp;
6.    temp = b;
7.    b = a;
8.    a = temp;

9.    }

10.   int main()
11.   {
12.   int num1, num2;
13.   num1 = 13;
14.   num2 = 12;
15.   cout<<num1<<endl;
16.   cout<<num2<<endl;
17.   swap(num1, num2);
18.   cout<<num1<<endl;
19.   cout<<num2<<endl;
20.   return 0;
21.   }
```

les_07_code_11.cpp

Pass by reference

```
1.    #include<iostream>
2.    using namespace std;

3.    void swap(int &a, int &b)
4.    {
5.    int temp;
6.    temp = b;
7.    b = a;
8.    a = temp;

9.    }

10.   int main()
11.   {
12.   int num1, num2;
13.   num1 = 13;
14.   num2 = 12;
15.   cout<<num1<<endl;
16.   cout<<num2<<endl;
17.   swap(num1, num2);
18.   cout<<num1<<endl;
19.   cout<<num2<<endl;
20.   return 0;
21.   }
```

Recursion

les_07_code_12.cpp

infinite_recursion.cpp

```
1.      #include<iostream>
2.      using namespace std;
3.      void infinite_recursion (void);

4.      //main
5.      int main ()
6.      {
7.      cout<<"Making an infinite call";
8.      infinite_recursion();
9.      }

10.     void infinite_recursion (void)
11.     {
12.     cout<<endl<<"Function call within function";
13.     infinite_recursion();
14.     }
```

les_07_code_13.cpp

factorial with recursion

```
1.      #include<iostream>
2.
3.      using namespace std;
4.
5.      unsigned long factorial(unsigned long val); //Prototype for
factorial function
6.      int main ()
7.      {
8.      unsigned long num;
9.      cout<<endl<<"Enter a No. to find its factorial ";
10.     cin>>num;
11.
12.     cout<<endl<<num<<" ! is = "<<factorial(num);
13.
14.     return 0;
15.
16.     }
17.
18.     unsigned long factorial(unsigned long val)
19.     {
20.     if(val == 1 || val == 0)
```

```

21.    {
22.    return 1;
23.    }
24.
25.    if(val>1)
26.    {
27.    cout<<endl<<"At Recursive call val was :"<<val;
28.    return val* factorial(val-1);
29.    }
30.    }

```

les_07_code_14.cpp

exponent of a number with recursion

```

1.    #include<iostream>
2.
3.    using namespace std;
4.    // Prototype
5.    int intpower(int base, int exp);
6.    // Calculates power for int base and exponent
7.    int main(void)
8.    {
9.    int a,b;
10.   cout<<"\nEnter two integers:";
11.   cin>>a>>b;
12.   cout<<"\n\n"<<a<<" ^ "<<b<<" = "<<intpower(a,b);
13.   return 0;
14.   }
15.   // Definition
16.   int intpower(int base,int exp)
17.   {
18.   if(base==0) // Base case 1
19.   {
20.   return 0;
21.   }
22.   if(exp==0) // Base case 2
23.   {
24.   return 1;
25.   }
26.   if(exp==1) // Base case 3
27.   {
28.   return base;
29.   }
30.
31.   if(exp>1) // Inductive step
32.   {
33.   return base*intpower(base,exp-1);
34.   }
35.   }

```


les_07_code_15.cpp

Multiple Functions

```
1.    #include<iostream>
2.    using namespace std;

3.    int fibonacci(int num);    // Function Prototype for fibonacci()
4.    int main(void)
5.    {
6.    int a,b;
7.    cout<<endl<<"Enter the Fibonacci number you wish to find:\n";
8.    cin>>a;
9.    b=fibonacci(a);            // Function Call
10.   cout<<"\nTerm "<<a<<" of Fibonacci sequence is "<<b<<endl;
11.   return 0;
12.   }
13.   int fibonacci(int num)      // Function Prototype
14.   {
15.   if(num==0)
16.   {
17.   return 0;
18.   }
19.   if(num==1)
20.   {
21.   return 1;
22.   }
23.   if(num>1)
24.   {
25.   return fibonacci(num-1)+fibonacci(num-2);
26.   }
27.   }
```