

Project 1 - BlackJack

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Game Rules

- Every player is given an initial investment of \$100.
- The dealer is given two (2) random cards, one of which is displayed to the user.
- The player is given two (2) random cards, both displayed to the user.
- The player can choose to hit or stand so long as his value is less than 21.
- If the player reaches \$0, then the game is over.
- The value for aces for the dealer is always 11.
- The value for aces for the player is what the player decides (11 or 1).
- All face cards are worth 10 points (Jack, King, Queen).
- The dealer is forced to draw a card if his value is 17 or less.

Pseudo Code In-Text (Explained in English)

The code starts by declaring 22 variables. 5 of those variables are the controllers for the cards, so they are set to use the random seed initialized to give a random value between 1 and 11. Afterward, the rules are printed out, as well as the prize money. Then, we open the file where the user name and age are stored, and we make sure that it is not the EOF (End Of File), then we ask the user if this is his name, if so, we store his name and age to the proper variables and move on, if none of the users are him, then he declares his own new user. We then move on to checking age, if they are younger than 18, they cannot play, otherwise, we welcome them, and make sure to take note of their name and age in our file. The user is then prompted if he wants to play or not. If he chooses not to play, then the program exits and closes the opened files. If he chooses to play, the user is given the initial value of \$100 and has to make a bet below \$100 and greater than \$0. If it is an invalid bet, exit the program. If the bet is valid, take away that value from money, then continue to get the face card, both dealer cards, both player cards, and if the user has an ace, prompt them with what value they want their ace to hold (11 or 1). We calculate the

totals, and if the dealer has less than or equal to 17, he has to draw cards until that value is met or exceeded. We also give the user an option to hit or stand. Then we do the winnings of who won and who lost and make sure to deduct or add that value to money. And then we go through it all again.

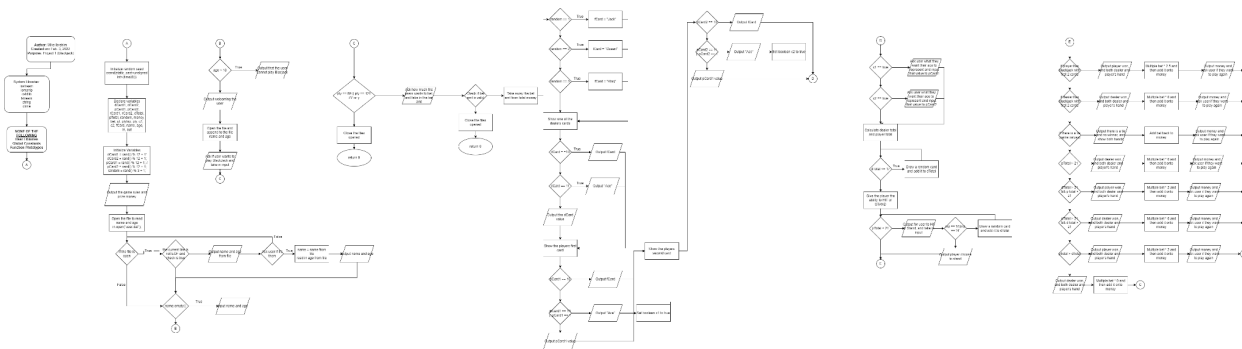
Summary

- Lines: 255 (spaces included)
- Number of variables: 25

The project can be extended in the following project through the usage of functions and arrays. It includes many concepts that were covered through the lessons, and a couple of concepts not covered.

The project took me a decent bit of time, it was the tedious things that took a very long time. I do believe I could've done a better job, but there was such a strict time period, and during that period, I think I did a good job.

Flowchart



[Image with zoom accessibility can be accessed here](#)

References

- Presentations offered by professor and Gaddis/Savitch
- Zoom lectures by professor
- Microsoft Documentation of <fstream> library

Program

```
//System Libraries
#include <iostream> //I/O Library
#include <iomanip> //Formatting Library
#include <cmath> //Math Functions
#include <cstdlib> //Random Function Library
#include <fstream> //File Library
#include <string> //String Library
#include <ctime> //Time Library
using namespace std;

//Function Prototypes

int main(int argc, char** argv) {
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```
//Initialize Random Seed
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srand(static_cast<unsigned int>(time(0)));
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//Declare Variables
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unsigned short dCard1, dCard2, pCard1, pCard2, rCard1, rCard2; //Variable for Dealer Cards, Player Cards, and 2
random cards that will be pulled out for dealer to draw, and for player to her
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unsigned short dTotal, pTotal;
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//Calculates the total of all cards
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```
unsigned short random;
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//Random value to choose
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which Face Card is presented
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float money = 100.0f;
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```
//Initial Money the user starts
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with, in dollars ($)
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float bet;
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```
//How much the
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user wants to bet in dollars ($)
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int ul = 0;
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```
//User input asking
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player whether they want their ACE to represent a value of 11 or 1
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char plyInp, ply = 'n';
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//PlyInp is for player input, asking
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if the users want to HIT or STAND. Ply is to check if the user wants to play Blackjack or No
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bool c1 = false, c2 = false;
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//C1 is the check to see if the first card
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for the user is an ACE, C2 is the check to see if their second card is an ACE
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string fCard = "";
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//The face card name
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based on the random value
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string name = "";
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//Users name
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unsigned short age;
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//Users Age
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```
fstream in, out;
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```
//File input and output
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```
//Initialize the values
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dCard1 = rand() % 12 + 1; //Dealer Card 1
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dCard2 = rand() % 12 + 1; //Dealer Card 2
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pCard1 = rand() % 12 + 1; //Player Card 1
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pCard2 = rand() % 12 + 1; //Player Card 1
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random = rand() % 3 + 1; //Randomt to choose which 3 cards they have
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//Start playing the game
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cout << "*" | ***** | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | *****Welcome to Blackjack***** | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | Rules | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | 1: The value for Aces is what the player decides. | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | 2. The value for Aces for the Dealer is always 11 | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | 3: All face cards are worth 10 points (Jack, King, Queen) | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | 4. The dealer is forced to draw a card if his value is 17 or less | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | Prize Money | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | The Player will start with $100.00. | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | If the player gets a Blackjack and the dealer does not, then the ... | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | ... player will receive 1.5x their initial bet. | "*" << endl;
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cout << "*" | The game is over once the player has no money left.          | "*" << endl;
cout << "*" | ***** | "*" << endl;

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string data; //To store in file information

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char user; //For user to confirm if it's them or not

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bool check = true; //To stop the while loop asking the user if it's them

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int count = 0; //Makes sure we are only checking the name section in the file, and not the age

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in.open("user.dat"); //Open the file

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if (in.is_open()) { //Check if the file is open

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    while (in.peek() != EOF && check) { //While the next line is not "END OF FILE" and if the user hasn't confirmed it is
        them yet

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            getline(in, data); //Get the line and save it to data

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            if (count % 2 == 0) { //Check if the line is on a name

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                cout << "Is this you?" << endl;

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                cout << data << endl;

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                cin >> user;

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                if (user == 'y' || user == 'Y') { //If the user confirms that this is them

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                    check = false; //End the while loop

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                    name = data; //Name is data which is used in the getline

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                    in >> age; //Age is read from the file
                }
            }
        }
    }
}

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        cout << "Name: " << name << endl;
        cout << "Age: " << age << endl;
    }
}
count++;
}

if (name.empty()) { //If the user never confirmed their name, then ask them for name and age
    cout << "What is your name? " << endl;
    cin >> name;
    cout << "How old are you " << name << "?" << endl;
    cin >> age;
}
}

if (age < 18) { //Age restriction
    cout << "Unfortunately, you are too young to play Blackjack. You can play in " << 18 - age << " years." << endl;
    return 0;
} else { //Initial Welcoming
    cout << "Welcome " << name << " let's begin!" << endl;
    out.open("user.dat", ios::app); //Write the users name and age (new lines)
    out << name << "\n" << age << "\n";
}
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    cout << "Would you like to play BlackJack?" << endl;
    cin >> ply;
}

while (ply == 89 || ply == 121) //If the user input is capital Y or lowercase Y
{
    cout << setprecision(2) << fixed; //Set precision to output money
    cout << "How much would you like to bet with your $" << setw(4) << money << endl;
    cin >> bet;
    if (bet <= 0 || bet > money) { //If bet is an invalid money, a negative number or more money than they have
        cout << "Invalid bet, you cannot play the game." << endl;
        return 0;    //exit
    } else {
        cout << "Bet of $" << setw(4) << bet << " is placed!" << endl;
        money -= bet; //Take away the bet from their money
    }

    switch (random) {    //Get Face Card
    case 1:
        fCard = "Jack";
        break;
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case 2:
    fCard = "Queen";
    break;
case 3:
    fCard = "King";
    break;
}

cout << "The Dealer's card that is shown: " << endl;    //Show one dealers card (FACE-UP)
switch (dCard1) {
case 10: cout << fCard << endl;
    break;
case 11: cout << "Ace" << endl;
    break;
default:
    cout << dCard1 << endl;
}

cout << "The value of the players cards: " << endl;

if (pCard1 == 10) {                                //Show Player Card 1
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        cout << fCard << " and ";
    } else if (pCard1 == 11 || pCard1 == 1) {
        cout << "Ace and ";
        c1 = true;
    } else {
        cout << pCard1 << " and ";
    }

    if (pCard2 == 10){                //Show Player Card 2
        cout << fCard << endl;
    } else if (pCard2 == 11 || pCard2 == 1) {
        cout << "Ace" << endl;
        c2 = true;
    } else {
        cout << pCard2 << endl;
    }

    if (c1) {                        //If player's card 1 is an ACE, ask them what value they want for it
        cout << "What do you want your Ace for Card 1 to represent? 11 or 1: ";
        cin >> ul;
        if (ul == 11 || ul == 1) {
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        pCard1 = ul;
    }
}

if (c2) {                                //If player's card 2 is an ACE, ask them what value they want for it
    cout << "What do you want your Ace for Card 2 to represent? 11 or 1: ";
    cin >> ul;
    pCard2 = (ul == 1 || ul == 11) ? ul : 0;
}

//Calculate the totals
dTotal = dCard1 + dCard2;
pTotal = pCard1 + pCard2;

if (dTotal <= 17) {                      //If the dealer has a value 17 or less, then they are forced to draw a card
    do {
        cout << "Dealer drew a card" << endl;
        rCard1 = rand() % 12 + 1;    //Random Card for Dealer to pull if below 16
        dTotal += rCard1;
    } while (dTotal <= 17);
}
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if (pTotal < 21) {           //Allow the user to choose between HIT or STAND
    do {
        cout << "HIT or STAND? H/S: " << endl;
        cin >> plyInp;
        if (plyInp == 72 || plyInp == 104) { //Hit (H or h)
            cout << "Player has choose to HIT:" << endl;
            rCard2 = rand() % 12 + 1;    //Random Card for Player to pull
            if (rCard2 == 10) {          //If card is 10, pick a facecard
                cout << fCard << endl;
            } else if (rCard2 == 11 || rCard2 == 1) {    //If the value is an Ace then ask them what they
                cout << "Ace" << endl;
                cout << "What do you want your Ace for the Card to repesent? 11 or 1: " << endl;
                cin >> ul;
                if (ul == 11 || ul == 1) {
                    rCard2 = ul;
                }

            } else {
                cout << rCard2 << endl;
            }
        }
    } while (true);
}

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        pTotal += rCard2;
    } else if (plyInp == 83 || plyInp == 115) {    //Stand (S or s)
        cout << "Player choose to STAND!" << endl;
    }
    } while (pTotal < 21 && (plyInp == 72 || plyInp == 104)); //Keep going as long as they want to HIT and
their total is less than 21
    }

    cout << endl;
    if ((pCard1 == 10 && pCard2 == 11) || (pCard1 == 11 && pCard2 == 10)) {    //Check if player got Blackjack off
the bat
        cout << "BlackJack! You win!" << endl;
        cout << "Dealer's Hand: " << dTotal << endl;
        cout << "Player's Hand: " << pTotal << endl;
        bet *= 2.5;
    } else if ((dCard1 == 10 && dCard2 == 11) || (dCard1 == 11 && dCard2 == 10)) { //Check if dealer got Blackjack off
the bat
        cout << "BlackJack! You Lost. Dealer Won!" << endl;
        cout << "Dealer's Hand: " << dTotal << endl;
        cout << "Player's Hand: " << pTotal << endl;
        bet *= 0;
    } else if (dTotal == pTotal) {    //If both dealer and player have the same total (TIE) then it is a bust

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dealer wins

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cout << "There is a tie. Both dealer and player have to push. No money is lost." << endl;
cout << "Dealer's Hand: " << dTotal << endl;
cout << "Player's Hand: " << pTotal << endl;
} else {
    if (pTotal > 21) {          //If the player has more than 21, then they lost
        cout << "Player lost, value is: " << pTotal << endl;
        cout << "Dealer's Hand: " << dTotal << endl;
        bet *= 0;
    } else if (dTotal > 21 && pTotal < 21) {      //If the dealer is greater than 21 but player is less than 21
        cout << "Dealer lost, value is: " << dTotal << endl;
        cout << "Player's Hand: " << pTotal << endl;
        bet += bet;
    } else if (pTotal > 21 && dTotal > 21) {      //If both the dealer and player have greater than 21, then the
        cout << "Player lost, value is: " << pTotal << endl;
        cout << "Dealer's Hand: " << dTotal << endl;
        bet *= 0;
    } else {
        if (pTotal > dTotal) {                  //If the player has more points than the dealer
            cout << "Player Won! Value is: " << pTotal << endl;
            cout << "Dealer's Hand: " << dTotal << endl;
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        bet += bet;
    } else {                                     //The dealer has more points than player
        cout << "Dealer Won! Value is: " << dTotal << endl;
        cout << "Player's Hand: " << pTotal << endl;
        bet *= 0;
    }
}

money += bet;

cout << "This is your current balance " << name << " $" << setw(4) << money << endl;
cout << "Play again? Y/N" << endl;
cin >> ply;
}

in.close();
out.close();

return 0;
}
```