

Part 2 -Basics

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C++ Type System

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Type System

WHAT IS A TYPE SYSTEM

- A type system is a set of rules that govern the behavior and form the basis of the grammar of a language.
- How a programming languages dictate the notation if types and how types are assumed form the basis of its type system.

C++

- C++ has a strong type system
- C++ is statically typed
- C++ has a very rigorous definition of its type system and the various relationship between types
- C++ has the following type categories
 - Literals
 - Values
 - Types
 - Typeclasses



Types

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Integral and Floating-Point Types

- bool Boolean type 8-bits I-byte
- *char* character type 8-bits I-byte
- wchar_t wide character type 16-bits or 32-bits 2-bytes or 4-bytes
- *int* integer type 32-bits 4-bytes
- float single precision, floating-point type binary32 format
- double double precision, floating-point type binary64 format

Other Types

- void incomplete type denotes no return.
- nullptr literal for a pointer to nothing
- std::nullptr_t type of nullptr
- std::size_t Platform specific, maximum unsigned integer value
- std::ptrdiff_t Type returned by the subtraction of two pointers
- auto Automatic type (via deduction)

Variables

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Initialisation

WHAT ARE VARIABLES AND WHAT IS INITIALISATION

- A variable is an object or entity that has a single type and a single value.
- Variables store data for later use.
- Initialisation is the process of giving a variable a value of the variables type
- In C++, there are many ways to initialise a variable depending on the context.

KINDS OF INITIALISATIONS

- Default
- Value
- Copy
- Direct
- Aggregate
- List



Qualifiers

SIGNED-NESS AND SIZE

- signed Makes integral signed
- unsigned Make integral unsigned
- short Integral with at least 16-bits (2-bytes)
- Long Integral with at least 32-bits (4-bytes)
- Long Long Integral with at least 64-bits (8-bytes)
- unsigned can be used in combination with the size qualifiers increase the maximum possible value.

STORAGE AND MUTABILITY

- static Declares static storage
- inline In-lines a function call
- const Data is immutable
- constexpr Data may be evaluated at compile time
- volatile Data is likely to change outside the compilers insight.

Automatic Type Deduction

- C++ allows for the elision of type declaration through the use of type deduction.
- Type deduction takes the surrounding context of an expression and is able to infer what type a variable should be.
- Automatic types are introduced using the auto keyword.
- The type on the right-hand-side must be obvious to the compiler.
- E.g. auto a = {1}; Here it is clear that a is an int.

Value Categories

LVALUES

- Found on the left-hand-side of the assignment operator (=).
- Indicates copy semantics when used in the right-hand side of =.

RVALUES

- Found on the right-hand-side of the assignment operator (=).
- Indicates a temporary value.
- Indicates move semantics.

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Basic Arithmetic

OPERATORS

- C++ has the typical operators you would expect to do basic arithmetic with integral and floating-point types.
- + Addition and unary posigate
- - Subtraction and unary negate
- * Multiplication
- / Division
- % Modulus
- ++ Increment (prefix and postfix)
- -- Decrement (prefix and postfix)

ABOUT DIVISION AND MODULO

- P Division of two integral types will perform integer division, where the remained will be discarded.
- You must cast an integral to a floating point type.
- Modulo does not work on floating point types.

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
   auto a{10};
   auto b{3};
    std::cout << "a + b = " << a + b << std::endl; ///< a + b = 13
    std::cout << "a - b = " << a - b << std::endl; ///< a - b = 7
    std::cout << "a * b = " << a * b << std::endl; ///< a * b = 30
    std::cout << "a / b = " << a / b << std::endl; ///< a / b = 3??
    std::cout << "a % b = " << a % b << std::endl; ///< a % b = 1
   return 0;
```

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a{10};
    auto b{3};
    auto c{3.};
    auto d{10.};
    std::cout << "a / c = " << a / c << std::endl; ///< a / c = 3.33333
    std::cout << "d / b = " << d / b << std::endl; ///< d / b = 3.33333
    return 0;
```

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto e\{-5.43\};
    auto f{0.71};
    std::cout << "e + f = " << e + f << std::endl;
                                                          ///< e + f = -4.72
    std::cout << "-e + f = " << -e + f << std::endl;
                                                    ///< -e + f = 6.14
                                                     ///< e - f = -6.14
    std::cout << "e - -f = " << e - f << std::endl;
    std::cout << "e - -f = " << e - -f << std::endl;
                                                          ///< e - -f = -4.72
    return 0;
```



```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto g{1};
    auto h{5};
    std::cout << "g++ = " << g++ << std::endl;
                                                 ///< q++ = 1
    std::cout << "g = " << g << std::endl;
    std::cout << "++g = " << ++g << std::endl;
                                                 ///< ++q = 3
    std::cout << "g = " << g << std::endl;</pre>
    std::cout << "h-- = " << h-- << std::endl;
    std::cout << "h = " << h << std::endl;
    std::cout << "--h = " << --h << std::endl; ///< --h = 3
    std::cout << "h = " << h << std::endl;
    return 0;
```

Casting

- Casting allows for conversion of the type from and expression to a new type
- const_cast<T>(/* expr */);
 Changes cv-qualifications
- static_cast<T>(/* expr */); Converts type
- reinterpret_cast<T>(/* expr */); Reinterprets the underlying bits
- dynamic_cast<T>(/* expr */); Allows fir casting up, down and across the class hierarchies
- static_cast<T>() is the one we will use most.

Casting Example

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
{
    auto a{10};
    auto b{3};

    /// Explicitly cast `b` to a `double`
    std::cout << "a / b = " << a / static_cast<double>(b) << std::endl; ///< a / b = 3.33333
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

Bitwise Arithmetic

OPERATORS

- Bitwise operators allow for the manipulation of the underlying bits of a value in memory.
- & And
- | Or
- ^ Xor
- << Left Shift
- >> Right Shift

FLOATING POINTS

- Bitwise operators only work for integral types.
- They do not work for floating point types.

```
#include <bitset>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
  auto i{5};
  auto j{4};
   std::cout << "i & j = " << (i & j) << std::endl;
   std::cout << "& " << std::bitset<8>{j} << std::endl;</pre>
   std::cout << "----" << std:: endl;</pre>
   return 0;
```



```
///< i & j = 4

///< i & j = 00000100
```



```
#include <bitset>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
  auto i{5};
  auto j{4};
   std::cout << "i | j = " << (i | j) << std::endl;
   std::cout << "----" << std:: endl;</pre>
   std::cout << " " << std::bitset<8>{i | j} << std::endl;</pre>
   return 0;
```



```
///< i | j = 4

///< i | j = 00000101
```



```
#include <bitset>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
  auto i{5};
  auto j{4};
   std::cout << "i ^ j = " << (i ^ j) << std::endl;
   std::cout << "^ " << std::bitset<8>{j} << std::endl;</pre>
   std::cout << "----" << std:: endl;</pre>
   return 0;
```



```
///< i ^ j = 00000001
```

```
#include <bitset>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
  auto i{5};
  auto j{4};
   std::cout << "i << j = " << (i << j) << std::endl;
   std::cout << "<< " << std::bitset<8>{j} << std::endl;</pre>
   std::cout << "-----" << std:: endl;</pre>
   return 0;
```



```
///< i << j = 4

///< i << j = 01010000
```



```
#include <bitset>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
  auto i{5};
  auto j{4};
   std::cout << "i >> j = " << (i >> j) << std::endl;
   std::cout << ">> " << std::bitset<8>{j} << std::endl;</pre>
   std::cout << "-----" << std:: endl;</pre>
   return 0;
```



```
///< i >> j = 4
_///<_i >> j = 00000000
```



Arithmetic Assignment

- In C++, there are also assignment variants of all the arithmetic operators that perform the binary operation and then assign the result to the left point (argument).
- += Add assign
- -= Sub assign
- *= Multiply assign
- /= Divide assign
- %= Modulo assign

- &= And assign
- |= Or assign
- ^= Xor assign
- <<= Left Shift assign
- >>= Right shift assign

Arithmetic Assignment Example

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto k{5};
    auto 1{2};
    k += 1;
    std::cout << "k += 1 -> k = " << k << std::endl;
   k *= 1:
    std::cout << "k *= 1 -> k = " << k << std::endl;
   1 = k;
    std::cout << "l |= k -> l = " << l << std::endl;
   k <<= 1:
    std::cout << "k <<= 1 -> k = " << k << std::endl; ///< k = 229376
   1 \stackrel{\wedge}{=} k;
    std::cout << "1 ^= k -> 1 = " << 1 << std::endl;
    k &= 1;
    std::cout << "k &= 1 -> k = " << k << std::endl;
    1 -= k;
    std::cout << "l -= k -> l = " << l << std::endl; ///< l = 14
    return 0;
```



Size operator

- You can obtain the size of a type; in bytes using the sizeof() operator.
- This returns a std::size_t type.



Sizeof Operator Example

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {10};
    auto b {3.5};
    auto c {'c'};
    std::cout << "sizeof (a) = " << sizeof (a) << std::endl; ///< sizeof (a) = 4
    std::cout << "sizeof (b) = " << sizeof (b) << std::endl; ///< sizeof (b) = 8</pre>
    std::cout << "sizeof (c) = " << sizeof (c) << std::endl; ///< sizeof (c) = 1
    return 0;
```

IO

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Character Streams

WHAT ARE STREAMS?

- Streams are a sequential buffer of elements.
- Streams connect your program to various IO devices.
- Streams are used to take input, write to files and control any form of buffered output.
- Streams can have manipulators composed within the stream.

STREAM OBJECTS

- std::cout Mounted to C standard output.
- std::cin Mounted to C standard input.
- std::cerr Mounted to C standard error.
- std::clog Mounted to C standard error (doesn't depend on stdout).

Character Streams Example 1

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {0};
    auto b {0};
    std::cout << "Enter two numbers: ";</pre>
    std::cin >> a >> b;
    std::cout << "a = " << a << std::endl;
    std::cout << "b = " << b << std::endl;
    std::cout << "a + b = " << (a + b) << std::endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```

Character Streams Example 2

```
#include <iomanip>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
   auto a {255};
   auto b {0.01};
   std::cout << "a: oct = " << std::oct << a << std::endl; ///< 377
   std::cout << "a: hex = " << std::hex << a << std::endl; ///< ff</pre>
   std::cout << "a: dec = " << std::dec << a << std::endl: ///< 255
   std::cout << std::fixed << b << std::endl; ///< 0.010000
   std::cout << std::scientific << b << std::endl; ///< 1.000000e-02
   std::cout << std::defaultfloat << b << std::endl; ///< 0.01</pre>
   return 0;
```

Equality, Ordering and Logical Operators

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Equality and Ordering

EQUALITY

- C++ has a strict sense of equality
- Equality and inequality are checked using binary operators
- == Returns true if they are equal, otherwise false
- != Returns false if they are equal, otherwise true

ORDERING

- Ordering is the notion of how objects relate to each other, e.g. order of numbers
- There are four ordering operators in C++
- Operators are read from left to right
- < Less than
- > Greater than
- <= Less than or equal
- >= Greater than or equal

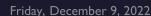
Spaceships!

THREE-WAY COMPARISON OPERATOR

- There is another comparison operator in C++ called the three-way comparison (or spaceship) operator.
- <=> Returns one of three ordering categories
- Each ordering category holds a variant state indicating the result of the comparison
- These states can one -1, 0 or 1 as an implicit value

ORDERING CATEGORIES

- The three ordering categories are
 - std::strong_ordering
 - std::weak_ordering
 - std::partial_ordering
- Each category having there own set of preconditions about the properties of the types that were compared



Logical Operators

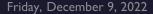
EQUALITY

- These operators compare the values of Boolean expressions
- The binary logical operators have short circuiting properties allowing faster execution
- ! Logical Not, inverts Boolean value (unary)
- && Logical And
- || Logical Or

LOGICAL XOR

- You may wonder why there is no logical Xor in C++ (^^). This is for two reasons.
- Short circuiting can not occur for Xor based operations, both points must be evaluated
- The truth table of a logical Xor like operation can occur using the expression !(a) != !(b)

```
#include <iomanip>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {1};
    auto b {2};
    std::cout << std::boolalpha;</pre>
    std::cout << "a == b => " << (a == b) << std::endl; ///< false
    std::cout << "a != b => " << (a != b) << std::endl; ///< true
    std::cout << "a == a => " << (a == a) << std::endl; ///< true
    std::cout << "a != a => " << (a != a) << std::endl; ///< false
    std::cout << std::noboolalpha;</pre>
    return 0;
```



```
#include <iomanip>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {1};
    auto b {2};
    std::cout << std::boolalpha;</pre>
    std::cout << "a < b => " << (a < b) << std::endl; ///< true
    std::cout << "a > b => " << (a > b) << std::endl;
                                                           ///< false
    std::cout << "a <= a => " << (a <= a) << std::endl; ///< true
    std::cout << "a >= a => " << (a >= a) << std::endl;
                                                           ///< true
    std::cout << "a <= b => " << (a <= b) << std::endl; ///< true
    std::cout << "a >= b => " << (a >= b) << std::endl; ///< false
    std::cout << std::noboolalpha;</pre>
    return 0;
```

```
#include <compare>
#include <iomanip>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {1};
    auto b {2};
    auto aa = a <=> a;
    auto ab = a <=> b;
    std::cout << std::boolalpha;</pre>
    std::cout << "((a <=> a) < 0) => " << ((a <=> a) < 0) << std::endl;
                                                                              ///< false
    std::cout << "((a <=> a) == 0) => " << ((a <=> a) == 0) << std::endl;
                                                                              ///< true
    std::cout << "((a <=> a) > 0) => " << ((a <=> a) > 0) << std::endl;
                                                                              ///< false
    std::cout << "((a <=> b) < 0) => " << ((a <=> b) < 0) << std::endl;
                                                                              ///< true
    std::cout << "((a <=> b) == 0) => " << ((a <=> b) == 0) << std::endl;
                                                                              ///< false
    std::cout << "((a <=> b) > 0) => " << ((a <=> b) > 0) << std::endl;
                                                                              ///< false
    return 0;
```

```
#include <iomanip>
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {1};
    auto b {2};
    auto c {3};
    std::cout << std::boolalpha;</pre>
    std::cout << "((a < b) && (a < c)) => " << ((a < b) && (a < c)) << std::endl;
                                                                                           ///< true
    /// if `c` is greater than `b` or if `a` is greater than `c`
    std::cout \ll ((c > b) | (a > c)) \Rightarrow \ll ((c > b) | (a > c)) \ll std::endl;
                                                                                           ///< true
    /// if `a` is not greater than `b` or if `a` is equal to `c`
    std::cout << "(!(a > b) || (a == c)) => " << (!(a > b) || (a == c)) << std::endl;</pre>
                                                                                           ///< true
    /// if `a` is not greater than `b` xor if `a` is not greater than `c`
    std::cout << "(!(a > b) != !(a < c)) => " << (!(a > b) != !(a > c)) << std::endl;
                                                                                           ///< false
    std::cout << std::noboolalpha;</pre>
    return 0;
```



Conditionals

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Scope

WHAT IS SCOPE?

- Scope is a way to separate different logical sections of code.
- Scope blocks (or code blocks) are denoted by a pair of braces { }.

EXAMPLE

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
{
    auto a {4};

    {
        auto b {6};
        std::cout << a << std::endl;
        std::cout << b << std::endl;
    }

    std::cout << a << std::endl;
    //< Will fail here, comment out to run

    return 0;
}</pre>
```

Conditional Expressions

IF-EXPRESSIONS AND ELSE-CLAUSE

- if-expressions allows for section code to be run conditionally
- Can be used in combination with an elseclause to create a two variant branch in your program
- Encodes 'if something is true, do this, else do this'.

ELSE-IF-EXPRESSIONS

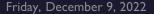
- You can combine else-clause with an ifexpression to create an else-ifexpression.
- Allows for multiple conditions to be check in series.

Conditional Expressions Example 1

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {1};
    auto b {2};
    if (a < b)
        std::cout << "a is less then b" << std::endl;</pre>
    if (a == b)
        std::cout << "a is equal to b" << std::endl;</pre>
    if (a > b)
        std::cout << "a is greater then b" << std::endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```

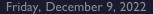
Conditional Expressions Example 2

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {1};
    auto b {2};
    if (a == b)
        std::cout << "a is equal to b" << std::endl;</pre>
    else
        std::cout << "a is not equal to b" << std::endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```



Conditional Expressions Example 3

```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {1};
    auto b {2};
    if (a < b)
        std::cout << "a is less then b" << std::endl;</pre>
    else if (a == b)
        std::cout << "a is equal to b" << std::endl;</pre>
    else if (a > b)
        std::cout << "a is greater then b" << std::endl;</pre>
    else
        std::cout << "a is unordered to b" << std::endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```



Loops

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While Loops

WHILE LOOP

- Repeats a give section of code as long as a condition is met
- Condition is checked at the start of every loop
- Can be escaped with a break-term or return-expression.

DO-WHILE LOOP

- Repeats a give section of code as long as a condition is met
- Condition is checked at the end of every loop
- Loop runs at least once
- Can be escaped with a break-term or return-expression.

For Loops

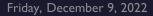
FOR LOOP

- Similar to a while-loop but encodes the initialiser, conditional and state change in a single expression
- Used to iteratively move through a (usually) numeric range

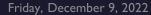
RANGE-FOR LOOP

- Yields a new value from a range of elements
- Continuous through range until it is exhuasted

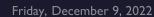
```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {10};
    while (a > 0)
        std::cout << "a = " << a << std::endl;</pre>
        --a;
    return 0;
```



```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    auto a {0};
    do
        std::cout << "a = " << a << std::endl;</pre>
        --a;
    } while (a > 0);
    return 0;
```



```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
{
    for (auto i {0}; i < 10; ++i)
        std::cout << "i = " << i << std::endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```



```
#include <iostream>
auto main () -> int
    std::cout << "[ ";
    for (auto i : {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10})
        std::cout << i << ", ";
    std::cout << "]" << std::endl;</pre>
    for (auto s : {"It's over Anakin!", "I have the high ground!"})
        std::cout << s << std::endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```

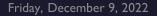
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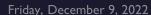
Functions

- Functions allow for the encapsulation of code
- Functions are the most basic more of abstraction in all of computer science
- They allow for repeated use of the same section of code
- Functions allow for data to be manipulated efficiently and concisely
- Reduces code complexity by breaking down a system into various components
- Functions can have side effects that is not evident from just its signature
- Functions can return nothing using the void keyword.



Functions Example 1

```
#include <iostream>
int add(int x, int y)
{ return x + y; }
auto main () -> int
    auto a {4};
    auto b {7};
    auto c {-3};
    int d = add(5, 7);
    std::cout << add(a, b) << std::endl;</pre>
    std::cout << add(a, c) << std::endl;</pre>
    std::cout << add(a, d) << std::endl;</pre>
    std::cout << add(b, c) << std::endl;</pre>
    std::cout << add(b, d) << std::endl;</pre>
    std::cout << add(c, d) << std::endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```

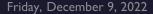


Functions Example 2

```
#include <iostream>
int sum(int s, int f)
    auto acc {0};
    for (auto i {s}; i < f; ++i)
        acc += i;
    return acc;
auto main () -> int
    std::cout << sum(0, 5) << std::endl;</pre>
    std::cout << sum(-3, 8) << std::endl;</pre>
    std::cout << sum(-11, -5) << std::endl;</pre>
    std::cout << sum(4, 19) << std::endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```

Functions Example 3

```
#include <iostream>
void println(auto s)
{ std::cout << s << std::endl; }
auto main () -> int
    println("Hello World!");
    return 0;
```



Discussion

- Any questions?
- Need help?
- Open discussion.
- Concerns?



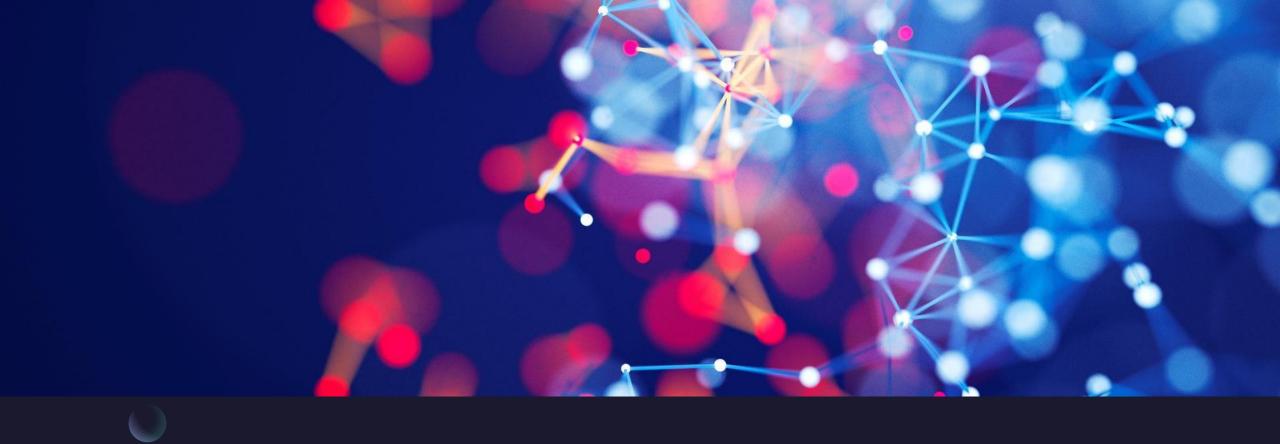
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Pointers

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References

Dynamic Memory The Standard Library



Summary

This week you learnt about C++'s type system, what variables are and how to perform actions using operators. We also looked at ordering, equality conditional expressions and functions. We also looked at IO in C++ and looping.

Thank You

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