

# C++ Cheat Sheet: & Learn Now

# **Boiler plate**

```
#include
using namespace std;
int main() {
cout << "Welcome To Cheat Sheet by Pratham Choudhary";
return 0;
}</pre>
```

#### cout < <

It prints output on the screen used with the insertion operator

```
cout << "This is C++ Programming";</pre>
```

## cin > >

It takes input from the user used with the extraction operator

```
cin >> variable_name;
```

# **Data Types**

The data type is the type of data

#### **Character type**

Typically a single octet(one byte). It is an integer type

char variable\_name;

#### Integer type

The most natural size of integer for the machine

int variable\_name;

## Float type

A single-precision floating-point value

floct variable\_name;

#### **Double type**

A double-precision floating-point value

double variable\_name;

## **Void type**

Represents the absence of the type

void main()

#### **Boolean type**

The bool type represents 0/false or 1/true.

bool variable\_name;

# **Escape Sequences**

It is a sequence of characters starting with a backslash, and it doesn't represent itself when used inside string literal.

## **Alarm or Beep**

It produces a beep sound

cout<<"\a";

## **Backspace**

It adds a backspace

cout<<"\b";

#### Form feed

cout<<"\f";

#### **Newline**

**Newline Character** 

cout<<"\n";

## Carriage return

cout<<"\r";

#### Tab

It gives a tab space

cout<<"\t";

#### **Backslash**

It adds a backslash

cout<<"\\";

## Single quote

It adds a single quotation mark

cout<<"\";

## **Question mark**

It adds a question mark

cout<<"\?";

#### Octal No.

It represents the value of an octal number

cout<<"\nnn";

#### Hexadecimal No.

It represents the value of a hexadecimal number

cout<<"\xhh";

#### Null

The null character is usually used to terminate a string

cout<<"\0";

#### **Comments**

A comment is a code that is not executed by the compiler, and the programmer uses it to keep track of the code.

# Single line comment

// It's a single line comment

#### **Multi line comment**

```
/* It's a
multi-line
comment
*/
```

# Strings

It is a collection of characters surrounded by double quotes

#### **Declaration**

```
// Include the string library
#include

// String variable
string variable1 = "Hello World";
```

## append function

It is used to concatenate two strings

```
string firstName = "Choudhary";
string lastName = "Shab";
string fullName = firstName.append(lastName);
cout << fullName;</pre>
```

## length function

It returns the length of the string

```
string variable1 = "Cheat Sheet";
cout << "The length of the string is: " << variable1.length();
```

## Accessing and changing string characters

```
string variable1 = "Hello World";
variable1[l] = 'i';
cout << variable1;
```

## **Maths**

C++ provides some built-in math functions that help the programmer to perform mathematical operations efficiently.

#### max function

It returns the larger value among the two

```
cout << max(25, 140);
```

#### min function

It returns the smaller value among the two

```
cout << min(55, 50);
```

## sqrt function

It returns the square root of a supplied number

```
#include
cout << sqrt(144);
```

#### ceil function

It returns the value of x rounded up to its nearest integer

```
double a=ceil(1.9);
```

#### floor function

It returns the value of x rounded down to its nearest integer

```
double a=floor(1.02);
```

#### pow function

It returns the value of x to the power of y

```
int a=pow(x, y);
```

# **Decision Making Instructions**

Conditional statements are used to perform operations based on some condition.

#### If Statement

```
if (condition) {
// This block of code will get executed, if the condition is True
}
```

#### **If-else Statement**

```
if (condition) {
// If condition is True then this block will get executed
} else {
// If condition is False then this block will get executed
}
```

#### if else-if Statement

```
if (condition) {
  // Statements;
}
else if (condition){
  // Statements;
}
else{
  // Statements
}
```

## **Ternary Operator**

It is shorthand of an if-else statement.

```
variable = (condition) ? expressionTrue : expressionFalse;
```

#### **Switch Case Statement**

It allows a variable to be tested for equality against a list of values (cases).

```
switch (expression)
{
case constant-expression:
statement1;
statement2;
break;
case constant-expression:
statement;
break;
...
default:
statement;
}
```

## **Iterative Statements**

Iterative statements facilitate programmers to execute any block of code lines repeatedly and can be controlled as per conditions added by the programmer.

## while Loop

It iterates the block of code as long as a specified condition is True

```
while (/* condition */)
{
/* code block to be executed */
}
```

## do-while loop

It is an exit controlled loop. It is very similar to the while loop with one difference, i.e., the body of the do-while loop is executed at least once even if the condition is False

```
do
{
/* code */
} while (/* condition */);
```

## for loop

It is used to iterate the statements or a part of the program several times. It is frequently used to traverse the data structures like the array and linked list.

```
for (int i = 0; i < count; i++)
{
/* code */
}</pre>
```

#### **Break Statement**

break keyword inside the loop is used to terminate the loop

break;

#### **Continue Statement**

continue keyword skips the rest of the current iteration of the loop and returns to the starting point of the loop

continue;

## References

Reference is an alias for an already existing variable. Once it is initialized to a variable, it cannot be changed to refer to another variable. So, it's a const pointer.

## **Creating References**

```
string var1 = "Valuel"; // varl variable
string &var2 = var1; // reference to varl
```

## **Pointers**

Pointer is a variable that holds the memory address of another variable

#### **Declaration**

```
datatype *var_name;
var_name = &variable2;
```

## **Functions & Recursion**

Functions are used to divide an extensive program into smaller pieces. It can be called multiple times to provide reusability and modularity to the C program.

#### **Function Definition**

```
return_type function_name(data_type parameter...){
//code to be executed
}
```

#### **Function Call**

```
function_name(arguments);
```

#### **Recursion**

Recursion is when a function calls a of itself to work on a minor problem. And the function that calls itself is known as the Recursive function.

```
void recurse()
{
... .. ...
recurse();
... .. ...
}
```

# **Object-Oriented Programming**

It is a programming approach that primarily focuses on using objects and classes. The objects can be any real-world entities.

#### Class

```
class Class_name {
public: // Access specifier
// fields
// functions
// blocks
};
```

## **Object**

```
Class_name ObjectName;
```

#### **Constructors**

It is a special method that is called automatically as soon as the object is created.

```
class className { // The class
public: // Access specifier
className() { // Constructor
cout << "Code With Harry";
}
;;
int main() {
className obj_name;
return 0;
}</pre>
```

## **Encapsulation**

Data encapsulation is a mechanism of bundling the data, and the functions that use them and data abstraction is a mechanism of exposing only the interfaces and hiding the implementation details from the user.

```
#include
using namespace std;
class ExampleEncap{
private:
/* Since we have marked these data members private,
* any entity outside this class cannot access these
* data members directly, they have to use getter and
* setter functions.
*/
int num;
char ch;
public:
/* Getter functions to get the value of data members.
```

```
* Since these functions are public, they can be accessed
* outside the class, thus provide the access to data members
* through them
int getNum() const {
return num;
char getCh() const {
return ch;
/* Setter functions, they are called for assigning the values
* to the private data members.
void setNum(int num) {
this->num = num;
void setCh(char ch) {
this \rightarrow ch = ch;
int main(){
ExampleEncap obj;
obj.setNum(100);
obj.setCh('A');
cout<
```

# File Handling

File handling refers to reading or writing data from files. C provides some functions that allow us to manipulate data in the files.

## Creating and writing to a text file

```
#include
#include
using namespace std;
int main() {
    // Create and open a text file
    ofstream MyFile("filename.txt");
    // Write to the file
MyFile << "File Handling in C++";
    // Close the file
MyFile.close();
}</pre>
```

## Reading the file

It allows us to read the file line by line

getline()

## Opening a File

It opens a file in the C++ program

```
void open(const char* file_name,ios::openmode mode);
```

#### in

Opens the file to read(default for ifstream)

```
fs.open ("test.txt", std::fstream::in)
```

#### out

Opens the file to write(default for ofstream)

fs.open ("test.txt", std::fstream::out)

## binary

Opens the file in binary mode

fs.open ("test.txt", std::fstream::binary)

#### app

Opens the file and appends all the outputs at the end

fs.open ("test.txt", std::fstream::app)

#### ate

Opens the file and moves the control to the end of the file

fs.open ("test.txt", std::fstream::ate)

#### trunc

Removes the data in the existing file

fs.open ("test.txt", std::fstream::trunc)

#### nocreate

Opens the file only if it already exists

fs.open ("test.txt", std::fstream::nocreate)

#### noreplace

Opens the file only if it does not already exist

fs.open ("test.txt", std::fstream::noreplace)

## closing a file

It closes the file

myfile.close()

# **Exception Handling**

An exception is an unusual condition that results in an interruption in the flow of the program.

## try and catch block

A basic try-catch block in python. When the try block throws an error, the control goes to the except block

```
try {
// code to try
throw exception; // If a problem arises, then throw an exception
}
catch () {
// Block of code to handle errors
}
```



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