# Fundamental Computer Programming- C++ Lab(I)

# LAB 7 Craps with functions

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# **Purposes**

- Learn earn how to use functions
- Learn how to measure the runtime of a program execution or a segment of code
- Learn how to use enumeration type
- Learn how to use random number generators

## **Functions**

Function definitions

```
return-value-type function-name( parameter-list )
{
    declarations and statements
}
```

- Use of functions to develop structured programs.
  - Function prototype (function declaration)

```
return-value-type function-name( parameter-list );
```

- Name
- Parameters
- Return type
- Scope rules (concept of local variables)
- Call a function

```
function-name( argument-list );
```

- Argument coercion, i.e., matching between arguments in function call and parameters in function definition
- return from a function

```
return expression;
```

```
// Fig. 5.3: fig05_03.cpp
 2 // Creating and using a programmer-defined function.
 3 #include <iostream>
    using namespace std:
    int square( int ); // function prototype
                       // Located outside the main function
    int main()
10
       // loop 10 times and calculate and output the
       // square of x each time
11
       for ( int x = 1; x <= 10; x++ )
12
          cout << square( x ) << " "; // function call</pre>
13
14
    cout << endl:</pre>
15
    } // end main
16
17
    // square function definition returns square of an integer
18
    int square(int y) // y is a copy of argument to function
19
20
21
       return y * y; // returns square of y as an int
    } // end function square
22
```

```
1 4 9 16 25 36 49 64 81 100
```

**Fig. 5.3** | Programmer-defined function square.

# **Argument Coercion**

Argument values that do not correspond precisely to the parameter types in the function prototype can be converted by the compiler to the proper type before the function is called.

For example, square (4.5) returns 16, not 20.25.

These conversions occur as specified by C++'s promotion

rules. Data types **Parameter** long double **Argument** double float (synonymous with unsigned long) unsigned long int (synonymous with long) long int Keep (synonymous with unsigned) Lose unsigned int information information int unsigned short int (synonymous with unsigned short) (synonymous with short) short int unsigned char char **Argument** bool

**Fig. 5.5** | Promotion hierarchy for fundamental data types.

# **Examples of Argument Coercion**

#### Information lost

```
Int square(int y)
{
Return y*y;
}

Int main() {
double x=2.25;
Cout << square(x) << end;
}</pre>
```

## Information kept

```
Int square( double y)
{
Return y*y;
}
Int main() {
int x=2;
Cout << square(x) << end;
}</pre>
```

## **Enumeration Type**

## enum Status (CONTINUE, WON, LOST);

### Status gameStatus;

- Status now becomes a type. It can be used to define a variable. For example, gameStatus is now a variable of type Status. It can have one of the following three values
  - ✓ CONTINUE, assigned a value of 0
  - ✓ WON, assigned a value of 1
  - √ LOST, assigned a value of 2

# Built-in Pseudo Random Number Generator

#include <cstdlib>

## rand();

 A random number generator. The values generated by this function between 0 and RAND\_MAX.

### srand(time(0)); // set up a seed

 time(0) is a function that returns current time in seconds. The return value can be used as a seed for srand(...) function.

## **Runtime Measurement**

```
#include <ctime>
  clock_t t1,t2;
  t1=clock();
  // place the most time consuming part of your code here, i.e., between
  // t1=clock() and t2=clock.
  // There should be no statement of using cin to get data from keyboard
  t2=clock();
  double diff=(double)t2-(double)t1;
  cout << "The runtime of my program = " << diff/CLOCKS PER SEC <<
endl;
```

# **Problem Description of Craps**

Chapter 5 Functions and an Introduction to Recursion 210 A player rolls two dice. Each die has six faces. These faces contain 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 spots. After the dice have come to rest, the sum of the spots on the two upward faces is calculated. If the sum is 7 or 11 on the first roll, the player wins. If the sum is 2, 3 or 12 on the first roll (called "craps"), the player loses (i.e., the "house" wins). If the sum is 4, 5, 6, 8, 9 or 10 on the first roll, then that sum becomes the player's "point." To win, you must continue rolling the dice until you "make your point." The player loses by rolling a 7 before making the point. The program in Fig. 5.10 simulates the game. In the rules, notice that the player must roll two dice on the first roll and on all subsequent rolls. We define function rollDice

# Original Code of Craps Game (1)

```
// Fig. 5.10: fig05 10.cpp
// Craps simulation.
#include ≤iostream>.
#include <cstdlib> // contains prototypes for functions srand and rand
#include <ctime> // contains prototype for function time
using namespace std;
int rollDice(); // rolls dice, calculates and displays sum
int main()
  Wenumeration with constants that represent the game status
  enum Status { CONTINUE, WON, LOST }; // all caps in constants
  int myPoint; // point if no win or loss on first roll
  Status gameStatus; // can contain CONTINUE, WON or LOST
```

# Original Code of Craps Game (2)

```
{\it W} randomize random number generator using current time:
srand(time(0));
int sumOfDice = rollDice(); // first roll of the dice
// determine game status and point (if needed) based on first roll
switch (sumOfDice)
  case 7: // win with 7 on first roll
  case 11: // win with 11 on first roll
    gameStatus = WON;
    break:
  case 2: // lose with 2 on first roll
  case 3: // lose with 3 on first roll.
  case 12: // lose with 12 on first roll
    gameStatus = LOST:
    break:
  default: // did not win or lose, so remember point
    gameStatus = CONTINUE; // game is not over
    myPoint = sumOfDice; // remember the point
    cout << "Point is " << myPoint << endl;</pre>
    break; // optional at end of switch
} // end switch
```

# Original Code of Craps Game (3)

```
// while game is not complete
 while (gameStatus == CONTINUE) // not WON or LOST
   sumOfDice = rollDice(); // roll dice again
   // determine game status
   if (sumOfDice == myPoint) // win by making point
     gameStatus = WON;
   else
     if (sumOfDice = 7) // lose by rolling 7 before point
       gameStatus = LOST;
  } // end while
 // display won or lost message
 if (gameStatus = WON)
   cout << "Player wins" << endl;
 else
   cout << "Player loses" << endl;
} // end main
```

# Original Code of Craps Game (4)

```
// roll dice, calculate sum and display results
int rollDice()
  // pick random die values
  int die 1 = 1 + \text{rand}() \% 6; // first die roll
  int die 2 = 1 + \text{rand}() \% 6; // second die roll
  int sum = die1 + die2; // compute sum of die values
  // display results of this roll
  cout << "Player rolled " << die1 << " + " << die2
    << " = " << sum << endl;
  return sum; // end function rollDice
```

## Output of Original Craps Game (5)

```
Player rolled 5 + 1 = 6
Point is 6
Player rolled 5 + 6 = 11
Player rolled 5 + 6 = 11
Player rolled 2 + 5 = 7
Player loses
```

```
Player rolled 6 + 4 = 10
Point is 10
Player rolled 3 + 4 = 7
Player loses
```

```
Player rolled 1 + 3 = 4
Point is 4
Player rolled 1 + 6 = 7
Player loses
```

# LAB 7: Craps with functions

- Modify the program Crap simulation given in Fig. 5.10 in the textbook "C++: How to Program" as follows:
  - Rewrite the main function in Fig. 5.10 into a function
    - ✓ The function prototype should be Status crapsFunc();
    - ✓ The return value should be either "WON" or "LOST".
    - ✓ The game rule is now modified as follows: If the sum is one of the numbers in A={ some numbers from 2 to 12) on the first roll, the player wins. If the sum is one of the numbers in B={some numbers from 2 to 12} on the first roll (called craps), the player loses. If the sum is one of the number in C={some numbers from 2 to 12} on the first roll, then the sum becomes the player's point. If you do not win or lost in the first roll, to win you must continue rolling the dice until you make your point and the player loses by rolling a number contained in D and  $D \subset A$ . The sets of A, B, and C should satisfy the following rules: 12}. A, B, C, and D are non-empty. For the example in the textbook,  $A=\{7, 11\}, B=\{2, 3, 12\}, C=\{4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10\}, and D=\{7\}.$
    - ✓ You should determine the numbers in the sets A, B, C, and D such that the player's win probability is as close to 0.63 as possible.

## Lab 7 cont1.

- ✓ You should still use rollDice() function to roll dices.
- ✓ You should delete lines 55~59 and lines 71~73
- ✓ You should not include line 19 in this function. Instead, include it into the new main() function discussed below.
- ✓ (Optional +20% if done) Within the rollDice(), you can replace the pseudo random number generator rand() by the LFSR pseudo random number generator you designed in Lab 6. The length of the LFSR should be 32. The seed of the LFSR in each run should be initially set to time(0). This LFSR pseudo random number generator should be implemented as a function called randLFSR(...); You should give a proper parameter list and a return-value type for this function. You can refer to page 5 of <a href="https://www.xilinx.com/support/documentation/application\_notes/xapp052.pdf">https://www.xilinx.com/support/documentation/application\_notes/xapp052.pdf</a> to determine the tap bit positions of your LFSR so that the cycle length is equal to 2<sup>n</sup> − 1 for an n-bit LFSR.

## Lab 7 cont2.

- Write a new main() function that reads an integer specifying the number of times the Craps game will be played in each run. The win probability should be as close to 0.63 as possible.
  - Print out a prompting message " Enter the number of times of Craps game to be played:" to get the number of times the Craps game being played at each run.
  - Print out the win probability in each run and the runtime for each run. Refer to the example input and output for more prompting messages. The x in [Rx] for an output prompting message is the run number. For example, [R1] refers to the prompting message for the output of first run
  - Repeat playing the game many runs until the player would like to stop playing. Print out the probability that is closest to 0.63 among all the runs you made.

## Lab 7 cont3.

 Calculate your grade for the Lab using the following formula: 100-abs(1.0-best WIN probability/0.63)\*1000

For example, if the best WIN probability is 0.629885, your score will be 100-abs(1.0-0.629885/0.63)\*1000 = 100-abs(1.0-99981...)\*1000=99. The grade should be calculated on the premise that you play the game 20 runs and the number of craps game in each run is 200000.

## **Example of Input & Output**

The win probability should be different for each run.

```
Enter the number of times of Craps games to be played: 200000
[R1] Win probability = 0.63273  Time elapsed: 1 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R2] Win probability = 0.63479 Time élapsed: 1 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R3] Win probability = 0.6323 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R4] Win probability = 0.633395 Time elapsed: 2 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R5] Win probability = 0.63262 Time elapsed: 2 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R6] Win probability = 0.631435 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R7] Win probability = 0.63328 Time elapsed: 2 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R8] Win probability = 0.6311 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R9] Win probability = 0.632935 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R10] Win probability = 0.631635 Time elapsed: 2 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R11] Win probability = 0.63347 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y [R12] Win probability = 0.632505 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R13] Win probability = 0.63173 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y [R14] Win probability = 0.629885 Time elapsed: 2 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R15] Win probability = 0.632195 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R16] Win probability = 0.633265 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R17] Win probability = 0.63018 Time elapsed: 1 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R18] Win probability = 0.63387 Time elapsed: 2 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R19] Win probability = 0.634255 Time elapsed: 2 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): y
[R20] Win probability = 0.63253 Time elapsed: 2 seconds
   Continue to play? (Y or y for yes): n
OUT] The best win probability = 0.629885 obtained at R14
```

# **Grading Policy**

- Your grade of the Lab will be calculated when the number of craps game in each is 200000 and you play it 20 runs.
- The grade will be equal to 100-abs(1.0-best WIN probability/0.63)\*1000 Here, abs() is a function calculating the absolute value of a given number.

# **Grading Rules for TA**

- Must check whether the original main() function is rewritten into a function Status crapsFunc().
- Must check whether the sets of A, B, C, and D satisfy the following rules:

```
A \cap B = \emptyset, B \cap C = \emptyset, A \cap C = \emptyset, and A \cup B \cup C = \{2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12\}. A, B, C, and D are non-empty and D \subset A
```

- Must check whether the win probability of the player is close to 0.63
- Must check whether the game can be replayed many times as shown in the output example.
- Must check that the best win probability appears among the runs just made.
- Must check whether runtime of each run is printed.
- Must check whether randLFSR(int) is used to generate pseudo random numbers for a bonus.