

# PATTERNS

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## ① Solid rectangle

	1	2	3	4	5
1	*	*	*	*	*
2	*	*	*	*	*
3	*	*	*	*	*

User input → no. of rows

↓  
no. of lines

no. of columns

↳ no. of things  
in each line

② To print 5 stars in n rows

```

→ int main () {
    int n;
    cin >> n;
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
        cout << "*****" << endl;
    }
}

```

⇒ Now take m as no. of stars in each line

Eg, n=4 →

*	*	*
*	*	*
*	*	*
*	*	*

m=3

```

→ int main () {
    int n, m;
    cin >> n;
    cin >> m;
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
        for (int j = 1; j <= m; j++) {
            cout << "*";
        }
        cout << endl;
    }
}

```

## ⇒ Solid Square

user input  $\rightarrow n$

```
* * * * _ _ _ _ n
* * * * _ _ _ _ "
* * * * _ _ _ _ "
* * * * _ _ _ _ "
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
n n n n
```

```
→ int main () {
    int n;
    cout << "Enter no. of rows & columns";
    (in >> n;
    for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
        for (int j=1; j<=n; j++) {
            cout << "*" ;
        }
        cout << endl;
    }
}
```

→ ~~Example~~ Q →  $\begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow n=4$   
 (Number Square)

```

→ int main() {
    int n;
    cin >> n;
    for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
        for (int j=1; j<=n; j++) {
            cout << j;
        }
        cout << endl;
    }
}

```

## ⇒ Triangle Patterns

### ① Star triangle

```

1 *
2 * *      n=4
3 * * *
4 * * * *

```

```

int main() {
    for (int i=1; i<=n; i++)
    int n;
    cin >> n;
    for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
        for (int j=1; j<=i; j++) {
            cout << "*" ;
        }
        cout << endl;
    }
}

```

## ② Star Triangle reverse

\* \* \* \*

\* \* \*

\* \*

\*

$n=4$

1 2 3 4

→ 1 \* \* \* \* → 4 stars

2 \* \* \* → 3 "

3 \* \* → 2 "

4 \* → 1 "

⇒ Row no. + no. of stars =  $n+1$   
 no. of stars =  $n+1-i$

# `int main () {`

`int n;`

`cin >> n;`

`for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {`

`for (int j=1; j<=n+1-i; j++) {`

`cout << " * ";`

`}`

`cout << endl;`

`}`

`}`



## ③ Number Triangle

1

1 2

1 2 3

1 2 3 4

```

→ for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    for (int j=1; j<=i; j++) {
        cout << j;
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

→ ~~for~~ To print →

```

1 2 3 4
  1 2 3
    1 2
      1

```

Put  $j \leq n+1-i$  instead  $j \leq i$

## ④ Odd Number Triangle

1

1 3

1 3 5

1 3 5 7

 $n=4$ 

```

for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    for (int j=1; j<=2*i-1; j+=2) {
        cout << j;
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

OR

```

for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
    int a = 1;
    for (int j = 1; j <= i; j++) {
        cout << a;
        a += 2;
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

⇒ Alphabet Pattern

① Alphabet Square

A B C D

A B C D ⇒ n = 4

A B C D

A B C D

~~ASCII~~

ASCII of A = 65

" " B = 66

" " C = 67

```

for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
    for (int j = 1; j <= n; j++) {
        cout << (char) (j + 64) << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

⇒ Star Plus

	1	2	3	4	5
1	—	—	*	—	—
2	—	—	*	—	—
3	*	*	*	*	*
4	—	—	*	—	—
5	—	—	*	—	—

$n=5$  ∴

⇒ In this pattern we are only printing \* when row and column no. is equal to the mid of  $n$ .

→ `int main() {`

`int n;`

`cin >> n;`

`for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {`

`for (int j=1; j<=n; j++) {`

`if (i ==  $n/2+1$  || j ==  $n/2+1$ ) cout << "*";`

`else cout << " ";`

`} cout << endl;`

`}`

`}`

→ Star Cross

	1	2	3	4	5
--	---	---	---	---	---

1	*				*
---	---	--	--	--	---

2		*		*	
---	--	---	--	---	--

3			*		
---	--	--	---	--	--

4		*		*	
---	--	---	--	---	--

5	*				*
---	---	--	--	--	---

$n=5$

	1	2	3	4	5
1	*	(1,1)			
2		*	(2,2)		
3			*	(3,3)	
4				*	(4,4)
5					*
					(5,5)

Row no. = Column no.

1 2 3 4 5

1					
2					
3					
4					
5					

\* (5,1)  
\* (4,2)  
\* (3,3) →  $i+j = n+1$   
\* (2,4)  
\* (1,5)

```

for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    for (int j=1; j<=n; j++) {
        if (i==j || i+j==n+1) cout << "*";
        else cout << " ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

### ⇒ Floyd's Triangle

1  
2 3  
4 5 6  
7 8 9 10

extra variable  
↳ declare a variable outside of the loop  
→ then increment it by 1 after every iteration print

```

→ int main() {
    int n, k;
    cin >> n;
    k=1;
    for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
        for (int j=1; j<=i; j++) {
            cout << k;
            k++;
        }
    }
}

```



## ⇒ Binary Triangle

1 2 3 4  
 1 1  
 2 0 1  
 3 1 0 1  $n=4$   
 4 0 1 0 1

### ⇒ Method-1 (Using Extra Variable)

if  $(i \% 2 == 0) \rightarrow 1$  se start  
 else  $\rightarrow 0$  se start

& alternate 0 & 1

```

→ int a;
for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
    if (i % 2 == 0) a = 0; // row no. even
    else a = 1; // row no. odd
    for (int j = 1; j <= i; j++) {
        cout << a << " ";
        // flipping
        if (a == 1) a = 0; } or a = 1 - a
        else a = 1;
    }
}

```

### ⇒ Method-2

if  $(i == j) \rightarrow 1$   
 if  $i \& j$  both odd  $\rightarrow 1$   
 if  $i \& j$  both even  $\rightarrow 1$   
 else  $\rightarrow 0$

⇒

Star Triangle Elipped

1 2 3 4

```

1  _ _ _ *
2  _ _ * *
3  _ * * *
4  * * * *

```

spaces and stars

↓

↓

loop

loop

```

      *
    _ _ _
  +   * *
      * * *
      * * * *

```

→

```

for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {

```

//spaces

```

  for (int j=1; j<=n-i; j++) {

```

```

    cout << " ";

```

```

  }

```

```

  for (int k=1; k<=i; k++) {

```

```

    cout << "*" ;

```

```

  }

```

```

  cout << endl;

```

```

}

```

⇒ ⇒

Rhombus

```

_ _ _ * * * * → 3 space, 4 stars
* * * * * → 2 " , 4 stars
* * * * * ⇒ n=4 → 1 space, 4 stars
* * * * * → 0 space, 4 stars

```

```

_ _ _ _ _ * * * *
_ _ _ _ _ * * * *
_ _ _ _ _ * * * *
_ _ _ _ _ * * * *

```

```

→ for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    // Spaces
    for (int j=1; j<=n-i; j++) {
        cout << " ";
    }
    for (int k=1; k<=n; k++) {
        cout << "*" ;
    }
}

```

⇒ Star Pyramid

```

      *
     **
    ***
   ****
  *****

```

$n=4 \Rightarrow$

```

      *
     **
    ***
   ****
  *****

```

Odd Star  
triangle

→ Odd star triangle →

1 \* → 1

2 \*\* → 3

$\Rightarrow j=1$  to  $2i-1$

3 \*\*\* → 5

4 \*\*\*\* → 7

```

for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {
    for (int j=1; j<=2i-1; j++) {
        cout << "*" ;
    }
    cout << endl ;
}

```

④

For Pyramid

```

for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
    // Spaces
    for (int j = 1; j <= n - i; j++) {
        cout << " ";
    }
    for (int k = 1; k <= 2 * i - 1; k++) {
        cout << "* ";
    }
    cout << endl;
}

```

⇒ Number Pyramid Palindrome

1	1	1	1
2	1 2 1	2	1 2 1
3	1 2 3 2 1	3	1 2 3 2 1
4	1 2 3 4 3 2 1	4	1 2 3 4 3 2 1

→ To print ① 1

② 2 1 ⇒  $(j = i; j >= 1; j--)$   
 ③ 3 2 1  $\text{cout} << j;$

⇒ Number pyramid Palindrome

```

for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
    for (int k = 1; k <= n - i; k++) {
        cout << " ";
    }
    for (int j = 1; j <= i; j++) cout << j;
    for (int q = i - 1; q >= 1; q--) cout << q;
    cout << endl;
}

```



# ⇒ Star Pyramid Diamond

```

1      *
2     ***
3    *****
4   * * * * *
5  * * * * *
6   * * *
7      *
  
```

⇒  $i = 1$  to  $i \leq 2 * n - 1$

$n = 4$

nsp = no. of spaces =  $n - 1 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow$  nsp-- / nsp++

nst = no. of stars = 1  $\rightarrow$  nst++ = 2 / nst-- = 2

↓ still 4th line      ↓ After 4th line

```

→ int nst = 1
  int nsp = n - 1
  for (int i = 1; i <= 2 * n - 1; i++) {
    // Spaces
    for (int j = 1; j <= nsp; j++) {
      cout << " ";
    }
    if (i <= n - 1) nsp--;
    else nsp++;
    // Stars
    for (int k = 1; k <= nst; k++) {
      cout << "* ";
    }
    if (i <= n - 1) nst += 2;
    else nst -= 2;
    cout << endl;
  }
  
```

⇒

Number spiral

4 4 4 4 4 4 4

4 3 3 3 3 3 4

4 3 2 2 2 3 4

4 3 2 1 2 3 4 ⇒ n=4

4 3 2 2 2 3 4

4 3 3 3 3 3 4

4 4 4 4 4 4 4

⇒

Inverse of the above spiral

①

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

1 1 1 1 1 1 1

2 1 2 2 2 2 2 1

3 1 2 3 3 3 2 1

4 1 2 3 4 3 2 1

5 1 2 3 3 3 2 1

6 1 2 2 2 2 2 1

7 1 1 1 1 1 1 1

each i, j cell

has a value

 $\min(i, j)$ 

→

For i = 1 1 1 1

①

1 2 2 2

1 2 3 3

1 2 3 4

for (int i=1; i&lt;=n; i++)

for (int j=1; j&lt;=n; j++)

cout &lt;&lt; min(i, j) &lt;&lt; " ";

}

cout &lt;&lt; endl;

}

→

This will not work if either the row or column exceeds 4.  
i.e. for 5, 6 & 7,

We can bypass it if somehow we convert the  $i^{th}$  row no. 5, 6 & 7 to 3, 2 & 1 respectively by using pseudo row no.

And same for the column no.  $\nearrow$  pseudo row no.

→ We can apply if cond<sup>n</sup> if  $(a > n)$   
 $a = 2 * n - i;$