

Copmpetitive Programming

Session 4

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Recap

What do we know so far?

- Stack
- Queue
- Vector
- Linked List



Here are the most commonly used features in C++11

- Type inference
- _INITIALIZER list
- Range-based for loop

They sound scary, but mostly simple to use and will make your life much easier.



Problem 1

Sort numbers, evens non-decreasing then odds non-increasing

input

4

2 5 6 3

output

2 6 5 3

input

5

1 3 5 4 4

output

4 4 5 3 1



Using compare functions



Sort with compare function

```
vector<int>v;
```

```
sort(v.begin(), v.end(), cmp);
```

```
// function to sort numbers in non-decreasing order
```

```
bool cmp(int first, int second){
```

```
    if(first <= second){
```

```
        // order is ok, don't change it
```

```
        return true;
```

```
    }else{
```

```
        //order is wrong, change it
```

```
        return false;
```

```
    }
```



Problem 2

Create a phonebook.

Add name and phone number, Get phone number of a person.

input

2 (number of addtions)

amr 1234

thabet 567890

2 (number of queries)

thabet

amr

output

567890

1234

input

3

a 123

b 456

c 789

3

a

b

d

output

123

456

doesn't exist



Map to the rescue



Map syntax

```
#include <map>
map<string, string>mp;

mp["amr"]="123"; // inserts {"amr", "123"} into mp
cout<<mp["amr"]; // outputs "123"
```



Internals of Map



More map syntax

```
#include <map>
map<int, int>mp;

if(mp.find(1)!=mp.end()) cout<<"one found"<<endl;
cout<<mp[1]<<endl; // {1,0} will be added to mp, and
                    will output 0
if(mp.find(1)!=mp.end()) cout<<"one found"<<endl;
```



Even more map syntax

```
#include <map>
map<int, int>mp;

// print all elements of a map
for(auto i:mp){ // i is pair<int,int>
    cout<<i.first<<" "<<i.second<<endl;
}
```



Problem 3

Output unique numbers only.

input

7

3 1 2 3 4 5 5

output

1 2 3 4 5

input

4

1 1 1 1

output

1



Set to the rescue



Set syntax

```
#include <set>
set<int>st;

st.insert(2); // st has {2}
st.insert(2); // st still has {2}
st.insert(1); // st has {1, 2}
```



Internals of set



Final notes

- Midterm Vacation.
- Self study priority queue



Thank you

