



C++ BASICS

RELEVANT TO CSI 228

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BASICS

- C++ language extends the C programming language with additional features such as type checking, object-oriented programming, exception handling etc.
 - C++ was developed by Bjarne Stroustrup in 1979.
 - File extension .cpp
- **Why C++ in this course?**
 - The Standard Template Library (STL) of C++ provides useful codes
 - STL is a set of C++ template classes to provide common programming data structures and functions such as lists, stacks, arrays, etc. It is a library of container classes, algorithms, and iterators.

SIMILARITIES WITH C

- Variables, Operators
- struct
- Array
- Function
- Pointer
- Strings
- If, if...else-if statement, switch case, for loop, while loop, do-while loop, continue statement, break statement, goto statement
- Recursion



can use the same code as written in c

BASICS

C++

```
1 #include<iostream>
2 using namespace std;
3
4 int main()
5 {
6     cout<<"Hello World!";
7     return 0;
8 }
```

for details explanation: <https://beginnersbook.com/2017/08/first-cpp-program/>

C

```
1 #include<stdio.h>
2
3 int main()
4 {
5     printf("Hello World!");
6     return 0;
7 }
```

VARIABLES AND DATA TYPES

- int
- char
- **bool**
 - holds Boolean value true or false
- double
- float

```
1 #include <iostream>
2 #include <cstdio>
3 using namespace std;
4
5 int main()
6 {
7     bool b1 = true;
8     bool b2 = false;
9     if (b1) {
10         printf("inside first if\n");
11         if (b2) {
12             printf("inside first nested if\n");
13         }
14     }
15     printf("end\n");
16     return 0;
17 }
```

Output:
inside first if
end

```

1  #include <iostream>
2  #include <stdio>
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7      bool b1 = true;
8      bool b2 = false;
9      bool b3 = 0;
10     bool b4 = 1;
11     if (b1) {
12         printf("inside first if\n");
13         if (b2) {
14             printf("inside first nested if\n");
15         }
16         if (b3) {
17             printf("inside second nested if\n");
18         }
19         if (b4) {
20             printf("inside third nested if\n");
21         }
22     }
23     printf("end\n");
24     return 0;
25 }

```

Output:

inside first if
inside third nested if
end

scanf(), printf() EQUIVALENT

C++

```
1  #include <iostream>
2  using namespace std;
3  int main()
4  {
5      int a;
6      cin >> a;
7      cout << a;
8      return 0;
9  }
```

C

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main()
3  {
4      int a;
5      scanf("%d",&a);
6      printf("%d",a);
7      return 0;
8  }
```

scanf(), printf() EQUIVALENT

```
1 #include <iostream>
2 using namespace std;
3 int main()
4 {
5     char str[100];
6     /* input single word */
7     cin >> str;
8     cout << str;
9     /* discards the input buffer */
10    cin.sync();
11    /* input a line */
12    cin.get(str, 100);
13    cout << str;
14    return 0;
15 }
```

which one is
the C++ code?

```
1 #include <stdio.h>
2 int main()
3 {
4     char str[100];
5     /* input single word */
6     scanf("%s", str);
7     printf("%s", str);
8     /* discards the input buffer */
9     fflush(stdin);
10    /* input a line */
11    fgets(str, 100, stdin);
12    printf("%s", str);
13    return 0;
14 }
```


IF YOU PREFER scanf(), printf() OVER cin, cout

```
1  #include <iostream>
2  #include <cstdio>
3  using namespace std;
4  int main()
5  {
6      int a;
7      scanf("%d",&a);
8      printf("%d",a);
9      return 0;
10 }
```

STANDARD TEMPLATE LIBRARY (STL)

- STL is a set of C++ template classes to provide common programming data structures and functions such as lists, stacks, arrays, etc. It is a library of container classes, algorithms, and iterators.
- We are going to use
 - Sorting
 - vector
 - priority queue

VECTOR

- `#include <vector>`
- To know more about vectors: <https://www.edureka.co/blog/vectors-in-cpp/>

Vector

```
1  #include <iostream>
2  #include <cstdio>
3  #include <vector>
4  using namespace std;
5  int main()
6  {
7      /* initialization - way 1 */
8      vector<int> list2 = {1, 10, 200};
9      /* initialization - way 2 */
10     vector<int> list4;
11     int x;
12     for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++)
13     {
14         cin >> x;
15         list4.push_back(x);
16     }
17     /* size of vector */
18     printf("size: %d\n", list4.size());
```

```
19     /* iterate over vector - way 1 */
20     for (int i = 0; i < list4.size(); i++)
21     |     printf("[%d] %d\n", i, list4[i]);
22     /* delete from index i */
23     int i = 2;
24     list4.erase(list4.begin() + i);
25     /* iterate over vector - way 2 */
26     for (int x : list4)
27     |     printf("%d\n", x);
28 }
```

Input:

11 753 2 8 91

Output:

size: 5

[0] 11

[1] 753

[2] 2

[3] 8

[4] 91

11

753

8

91

Vector

```
1  #include <bits/stdc++.h>
2
3
4  using namespace std;
5  int main()
6  {
7      /* initialization - way 1 */
8      vector<int> list2 = {1, 10, 200};
9      /* initialization - way 2 */
10     vector<int> list4;
11     int x;
12     for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++)
13     {
14         cin >> x;
15         list4.push_back(x);
16     }
17     /* size of vector */
18     printf("size: %d\n", list4.size());
```

```
19     /* iterate over vector - way 1 */
20     for (int i = 0; i < list4.size(); i++)
21     |     printf("[%d] %d\n", i, list4[i]);
22     /* delete from index i */
23     int i = 2;
24     list4.erase(list4.begin() + i);
25     /* iterate over vector - way 2 */
26     for (int x : list4)
27     |     printf("%d\n", x);
28 }
```

Input:

11 753 2 8 91

Output:

size: 5

[0] 11

[1] 753

[2] 2

[3] 8

[4] 91

11

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91

SORTING

- sort array
- sort vector
- sort structure

SORT Array

```
1  #include <iostream>
2  #include <stdio>
3  #include <bits/stdc++.h>
4  using namespace std;
5  int main()
6  {
7      int arr[] = {100, 512, 6, 724, 31, 14, 2, 0};
8      /* Length of the array */
9      int len = sizeof(arr) / sizeof(arr[0]);
10     /* print the array */
11     for (int i = 0; i < len; i++)
12         printf("%d ", arr[i]);
13     printf("\n");
14     /* sort the array */
15     sort(arr, arr + len);
16     /* print the array */
17     for (int i = 0; i < len; i++)
18         printf("%d ", arr[i]);
19     printf("\n");
20
21     return 0;
22 }
```

Output:

```
100 512 6 724 31 14 2 0
0 2 6 14 31 100 512 724
```

Default order/
Ascending order

SORT Array

```
1 #include <iostream>
2 #include <cstdio>
3 #include <bits/stdc++.h>
4 using namespace std;
5 int main()
6 {
7     int arr[] = {100, 512, 6, 724, 31, 14, 2, 0};
8     /* Length of the array */
9     int len = sizeof(arr) / sizeof(arr[0]);
10    /* print the array */
11    for (int i = 0; i < len; i++)
12        printf("%d ", arr[i]);
13    printf("\n");
14    /* sort the array */
15    sort(arr, arr + len);
16    /* print the array */
17    for (int i = 0; i < len; i++)
18        printf("%d ", arr[i]);
19    printf("\n");
20
21    return 0;
22 }
```

Output:

```
100 512 6 724 31 14 2 0
0 2 6 14 31 100 512 724
```

Default order/
Ascending order

```
1 #include <iostream>
2 #include <cstdio>
3 #include <bits/stdc++.h>
4 using namespace std;
5 int main()
6 {
7     int arr[] = {100, 512, 6, 724, 31, 14, 2, 0};
8     /* Length of the array */
9     int len = sizeof(arr) / sizeof(arr[0]);
10    /* print the array */
11    for (int i = 0; i < len; i++)
12        printf("%d ", arr[i]);
13    printf("\n");
14    /* sort the array */
15    sort(arr, arr + len, greater<int>());
16    /* print the array */
17    for (int i = 0; i < len; i++)
18        printf("%d ", arr[i]);
19    printf("\n");
20
21    return 0;
22 }
```

Output:

```
100 512 6 724 31 14 2 0
724 512 100 31 14 6 2 0
```

Descending order

SORT Array of struct

```
1 #include <bits/stdc++.h>
2 using namespace std;
3 struct Pair
4 {
5     int a, b;
6 };
7 bool comp(Pair p1, Pair p2)
8 {
9     return p1.b < p2.b;
10 }
11 int main()
12 {
13     /* an array of struct */
14     Pair arr[] = {{5, 100}, {3, 9}, {3, 12}, {1, 6}, {5, 5}, {8, 16}};
15     int n = sizeof(arr) / sizeof(arr[0]);
16     /* sort the array */
17     sort(arr, arr + n, comp);
18     /* print the array */
19     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
20     {
21         printf("a:%d b:%d\n", arr[i].a, arr[i].b);
22     }
23
24     return 0;
25 }
```

Output:

a:5 b:5
a:1 b:6
a:3 b:9
a:3 b:12
a:8 b:16
a:5 b:100

this function is a must for sorting an array of struct

No default order. Order must
be specified by a function

SORT Array of struct

```
1  #include <bits/stdc++.h>
2  using namespace std;
3  struct Pair
4  {
5      int a, b;
6  };
7  bool comp2(Pair p1, Pair p2)
8  {
9      return p1.b / p1.a > p2.b / p2.a;
10 }
11 int main()
12 {
13     /* an array of struct */
14     Pair arr[] = {{5, 100}, {3, 9}, {3, 12}, {1, 6}, {5, 5}, {8, 16}};
15     int n = sizeof(arr) / sizeof(arr[0]);
16     /* sort the array */
17     sort(arr, arr + n, comp2);
18     /* print the array */
19     for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
20     {
21         printf("a:%d b:%d ratio:%d\n", arr[i].a, arr[i].b, arr[i].b/arr[i].a);
22     }
23
24     return 0;
25 }
```

Output:

```
a:5 b:100 ratio:20
a:1 b:6 ratio:6
a:3 b:12 ratio:4
a:3 b:9 ratio:3
a:8 b:16 ratio:2
a:5 b:5 ratio:1
```

No default order. Order must be specified by a function

REFERENCES

- <https://beginnersbook.com/2017/08/c-plus-plus-tutorial-for-beginners/>
- <https://www.edureka.co/blog/vectors-in-cpp/>