C++ Course 2: C++ Language Basics 1

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C++ history

- 1979–1998 Development
- C++ 98 : First Official Standard
- C++ 11 : New (Big) Standard
  Rvalue references + move semantics
  Lambda expressions + **std::function**
  Concurrency (**thread**, **future**, …)
  Smart pointers **(shared_ptr**, **unique_ptr**)
  auto + **decltype**
- C++ 14, C++ 17 : Small changes only

Integer types

Integer types - Целые типы
char (8 bit) , **short** (16 bit), **int/long** (32 bit), **long long** (64 bit), **size_t** (32/64)

Sign modifiers - Модификаторы знака
signed (со знаком), **unsigned** (без знака), **signed** = default (except **char**)

For example:
int   :   −2147483648 .. 2147483647
unsigned int :   0 .. 4294967295

Fixed-width types (C++ 11):
int8_t, **int16_t**, **int32_t**, **int64_t**
uint8_t, **uint16_t**, **uint32_t**, **uint64_t**

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Result (OUCH !):

```
a + b = 4294967287
```

int and **unsigned int** have the same size (32 bit)
a+b has type **unsigned int**

int и **unsigned int** одинакового размера (32 bit)
a+b имеет тип **unsigned int**

numeric_limits : Example 2.1

Type alias - синоним типа

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// typedef long long MyType;    // C++ 98
```

numeric_limits<**MyType**> : Type information - информация о типе

```cpp
cout << boolalpha; // Write bool as true/false
cout << "sizeof(MyType) = " <<  sizeof(MyType) << endl;
cout << "is_signed = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: is_signed << endl;
cout << "is_integer = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: is_integer << endl;
cout << "is_exact = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: is_exact << endl;
cout << "has_infinity = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: has_infinity << endl;
cout << "has_quiet_NaN = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: has_quiet_NaN << endl;
cout << "digits = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: digits << endl;
cout << "digits10 = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: digits10 << endl;
cout << "lowest() = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: lowest() << endl;
cout << "min() = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: min() << endl;
cout << "max() = " << numeric_limits<MyType>:: max() << endl;
```

numeric_limits : Example 1.2

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```
sizeof(MyType) = 8
is_signed = true
is_integer = true
is_exact = true
has_infinity = false
has_quiet_NaN = false
digits = 63
digits10 = 18
lowest() = -9223372036854775808
min() = -9223372036854775808
max() = 9223372036854775807
```

Other types

Boolean:
bool (8 bit) : **false** (1), **true** (0)

Floating point – Плавающая точка:
float (32 bit), **double** (64 bit), **long double** (128 bit ?)
Always use **double** ! Всегда используйте **double** !

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double b = 1.0e15 + 0.1234;
cout << endl << "b - a = " << b-a << endl;
```

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```
b - a = 0.125
```

Or, if you take 1.0e-16

```
b - a = 0
```

Literals

```
1234                int
4000000000u         unsigned int
8'000'000'000ll     long long
8000000000ull       unsigned long long
1.23e-4             double
1.23e-4f            float
1.23e-4d            long double
'M'                 char
"Dina Meyer"        const char[11]  (including '\0', NOT std::string !)
false               bool

Hexadecimal, octal, binary (C++ 14) literals

0xFF                int (HEX) = 255
0100                int (OCTAL) = 64
0b100               int (BIN) = 4
```

Operators

Precedence level goes down the table		
Operator name	Associativity	Operators
Scope resolution (included in C++)	left to right	::
Primary	left to right	() [] . -> **dynamic_cast typeid**
Unary	right to left	**++ -- + - ! ~ & * (type_name) sizeof new delete**
Pointer to Member(C++)	left to right	*. ->
Multiplicative	left to right	* / %
Additive	left to right	+ -
Bitwise Shift	left to right	<< >>
Relational	left to right	< > <= >=
Equality	left to right	== !=
Bitwise AND	left to right	**&**
Bitwise Exclusive OR	left to right	^
Bitwise Inclusive OR	left to right	|
Logical AND	left to right	**&&**
Logical OR	left to right	||
Conditional	right to left	? :
Assignment	right to left	= += -= *= /= <<= >>= %= **&=** ^= |=
Comma	right to left	,

Some operators 1

&a Address of a variable **a** - Адрес переменной **a** (не путать со ссылкой!)

*b   Pointer **b** dereferencing - Разыменование указателя **b** (не путать с описанием указателя)

```
int a = 17;
int *b = &a;   // &a = address of a
cout << *b;   // Prints 17
```

a.c   Member access operator

b->c   Member access operator (pointer), equivalent to (*b).c

ns::c   Scope resolution (namespace members and static class members)

```
std::string a = "Mary had a little lamb";
std::string *b = &a;
std::cout << a.length() << std::endl;
std::cout << b->length() << std::endl;
```

Some operators 2

condition ? value1 : value2   Conditional operator - Условная операция

cout << (a > 0 ? a : -a);

a = b Assignment operator - Операция присваивания

a = b = (c = d + 13)*2;

, Comma operator

int a = 13;
int b = (a++, ++a, a+1);

All operators can be overloaded in C++
Все операции могут быть перегружены в C++

Variable declaration and initialization : Example 2.2

```
int i1(17);    // This does not work for class fields !
int i2 = 17;  // Not with an explicit constructor
int i3 = int(17);  // No copy/move here!
int i4{17};        // List initialization
int i5 = {17};   // Not with an explicit constructor
```

All this declarations call constructor **once**, no assignment/copy/move !
Конструктор вызывается 1 раз, нет присваивания/копирования/перемещения!

Does not exist in C++ ! - Такого нет в C++ !
```
Warrior w{
    name: "Karin Koenig",
    weapon: "Rapier",
    age: 25
};
```

auto, decltype, decltype(auto)

auto = Автоматическое определение типа

```cpp
int a = 13;
auto b = a;   // b is int = 13
```

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```cpp
decltype(a)  c = 14; // c is int = 14
```

decltype(auto) = Автоматическое определение типа по правилам **decltype** (C++ 14)

```cpp
int & d = a; // d is a reference to a
auto e = d; // e is int = 13, ref is ignored
decltype(auto)  f = d; // f is a ref to a
```

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```cpp
a = 22;
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```cpp
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a==**22**, b==13, c==14, d==**22**, e==13, f==**22**

Move and swap operations

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string s1("Brianna");
string s2 = move(s1);
```

std::swap = Поменять 2 объекта местами (без копирования)

```cpp
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string s4("Visas");
swap(s3, s4);
```

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s1 == ""

s2 == "Brianna"

s3 == "Visas"

S4 = "Mira"

Simplest cmake projects

My first CMake project (**CMakeLists.txt**)

```
add_executable(hello hello.cpp)
```

My second CMake project

```
# This is a comment
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.1)

project(hello)

set(CMAKE_CXX_STANDARD 14)

set(SRCS
#    somefile.h somefile.cpp
    hello.cpp
)

add_executable(${PROJECT_NAME} ${SRCS})
```

How to build a CMake project ?

```
mkdir build
cd build
cmake ..
cmake --build .
```

Rebuild after you have edited some source files ...

```
cmake --build .
```

Using *generators* (Example: Windows, MinGW)

```
mkdir build
cd build
cmake -G "MinGW Makefiles" ..
cmake --build .
```

CMake does not call the C++ compiler directly.

Generators use low-level build systems (**make**, **nmake**, **ninja, ...**)
and IDEs (Visual Studio, Code.Blocks, xcode)

if statement : Example 2.3

```cpp
if (a > 0)
    cout << "a is positive" << endl;
else if (0 == a)  {
    cout << "a is equal to zero" << endl;
} else
    cout << "a is negative" << endl;
```

{...} is a *block*

```cpp
{
    statement1;
    statement2;
    statement3;
}
```

Switch statement

```cpp
switch (m) {
case 1:
    cout << "January" << endl;
    break;
case 2:
    cout << "February" << endl;
    break;
case 3:
    cout << "March" << endl;
    break;
...
default:
    cout << "Wrong Month !" << endl;
}
```

switch works only for integer and **enum** types !

Don't forget **break** !

Loops

```cpp
for (int i=0;  i<10; ++i)
    cout << i << endl;


int j=0;
while (j < 10)
    cout << j++ << endl;


int k=0;
// This runs at least once !
do
    cout << k++ << endl;
while (k < 10);


for (char c: string("Tower"))
    cout << c;
```

Loops: bad style

```cpp
int i;
cout << "Enter a number (0 = exit) :" << endl;
cin >> i;
while (i != 0) {
    cout << i << " * 2 = " << i*2 << endl;

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    cin >> i;
}
```

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}
```

A piece of code is repeated 2 times = BAD

Кусок кода повторяется 2 раза

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for (;;) {
    cout << "Enter a number (0 = exit) :" << endl;
    cin >> i;
    if (0 == i)
        break;
    cout << i << " * 2 = " << i*2 << endl;
}
```

break exits the loop

break выходит из цикла