- Solution

This lesson explains the solution for the exercise in the previous lesson.

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we'll cover the following ^
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The solution to the previous exercise can be found below:

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#include <iostream>
#include <typeinfo>
template<typename T1, typename T2>
auto add(T1 first, T2 second) -> decltype(first + second){
    return first + second;
int main(){
  std::cout << std::endl;</pre>
  // -> int
  std::cout << typeid( add(1, false) ).name() << std::endl;</pre>
  std::cout << typeid( add('a', 1) ).name() << std::endl;</pre>
  std::cout << typeid( add(false, false) ).name() << std::endl;</pre>
  // -> double
  std::cout << typeid( add(true, 3.14) ).name() << std::endl;</pre>
  std::cout << typeid( add(1, 4.0) ).name() << std::endl;</pre>
  std::cout << std::endl;</pre>
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Explanation

• From lines 14 to 16, we can see various arithmetic operations that get implicitly cast to the int data type.

- When booleans and integers are operated together, the result is a cast to int.
- From lines 19 to 20, we can see arithmetic operations that get implicitly cast to the double data type.
- The result of arithmetic operations between integers and doubles is a double.

Further information: typeid

This concludes the concept of automatic type deduction. Next, we'll tackle explicit casts in C++.