

C++

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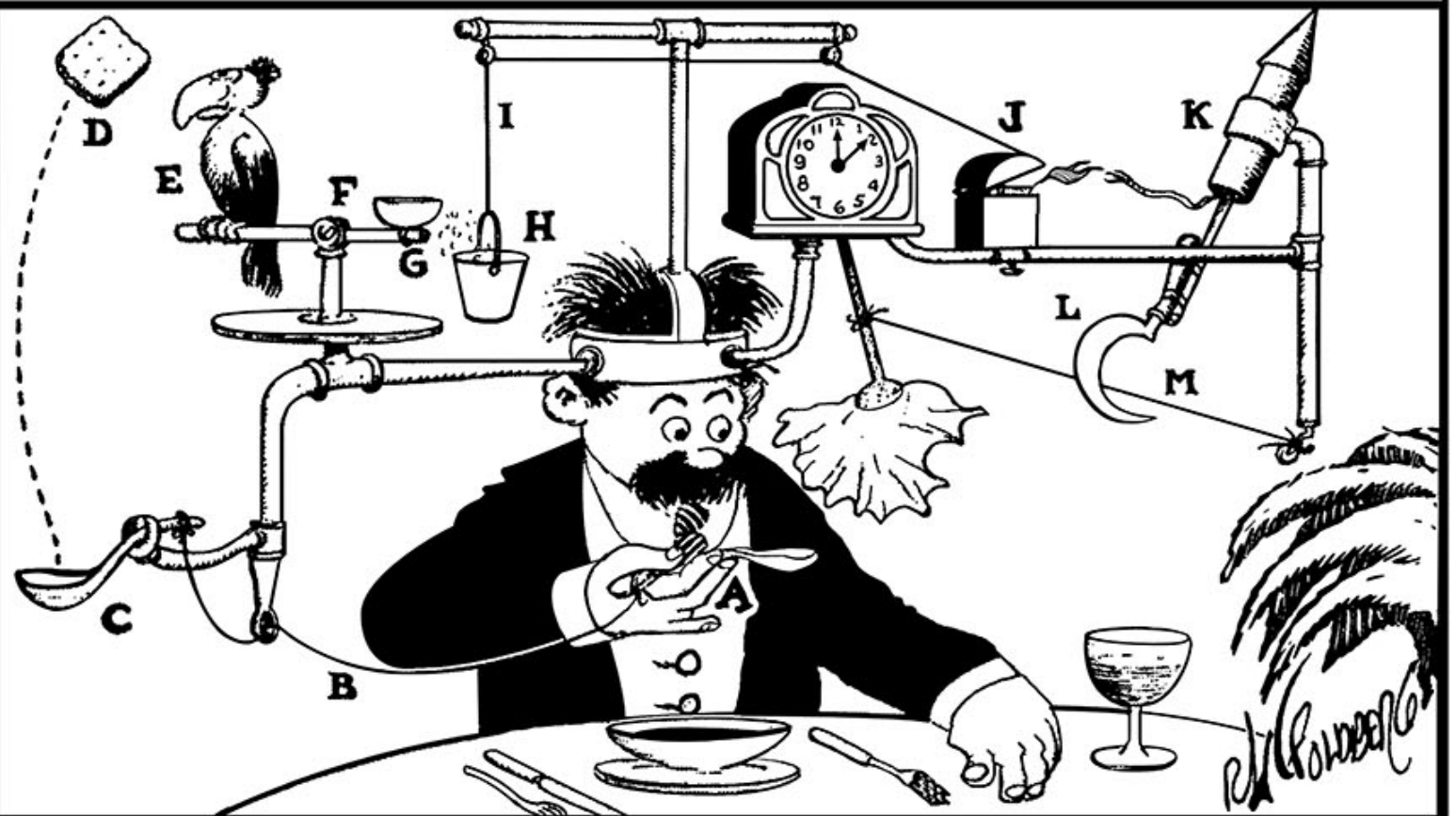
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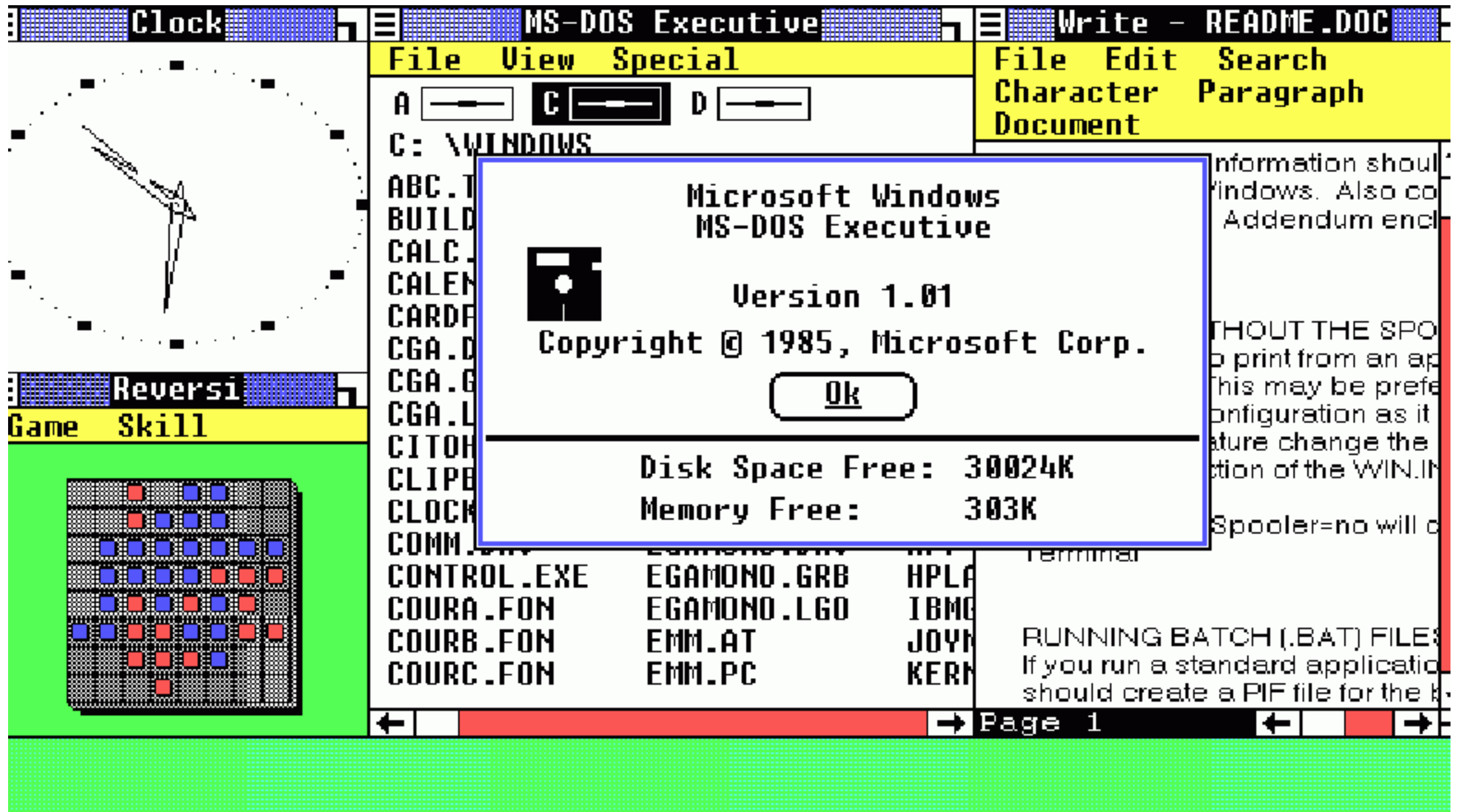
-Albert Einstein

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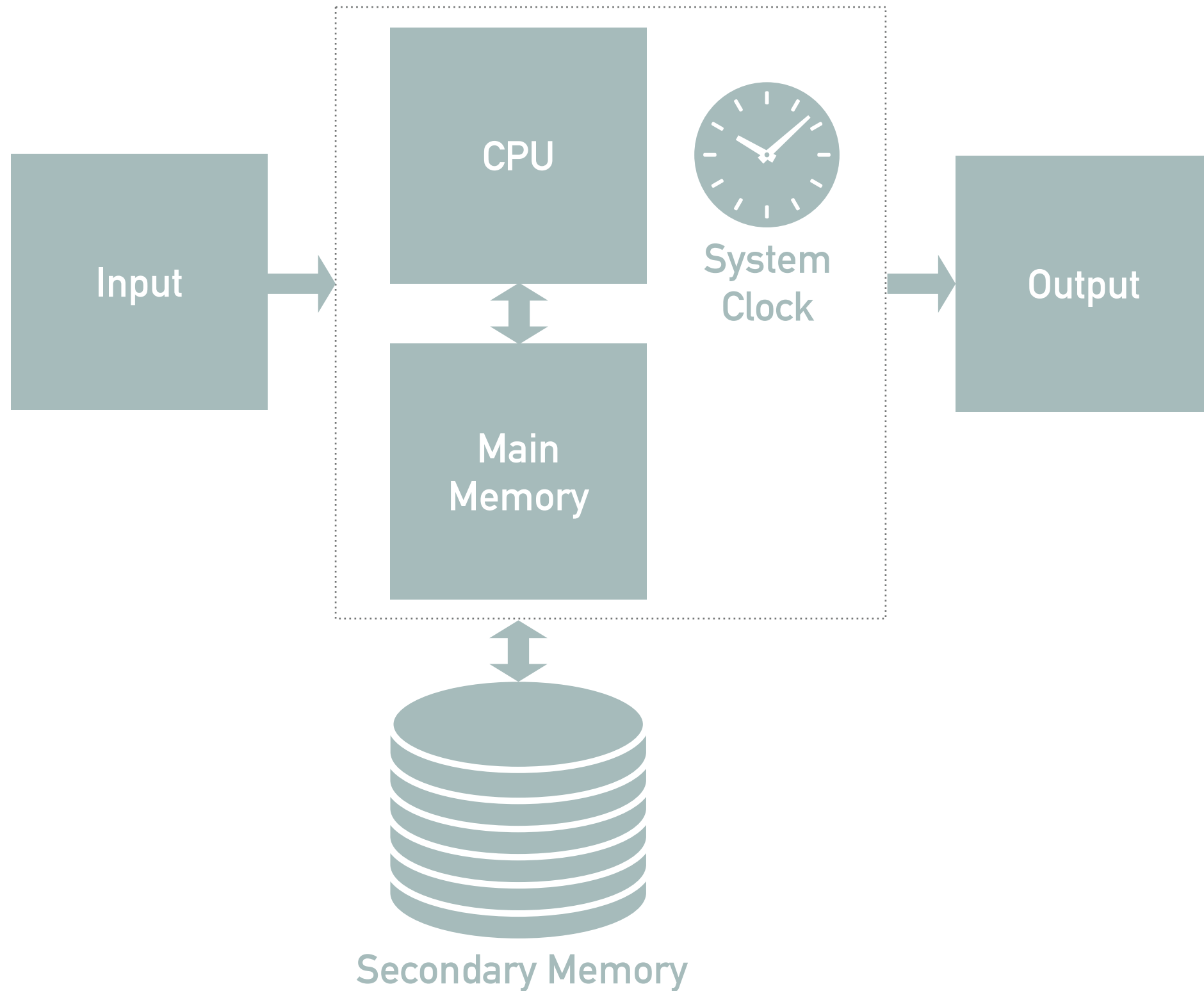
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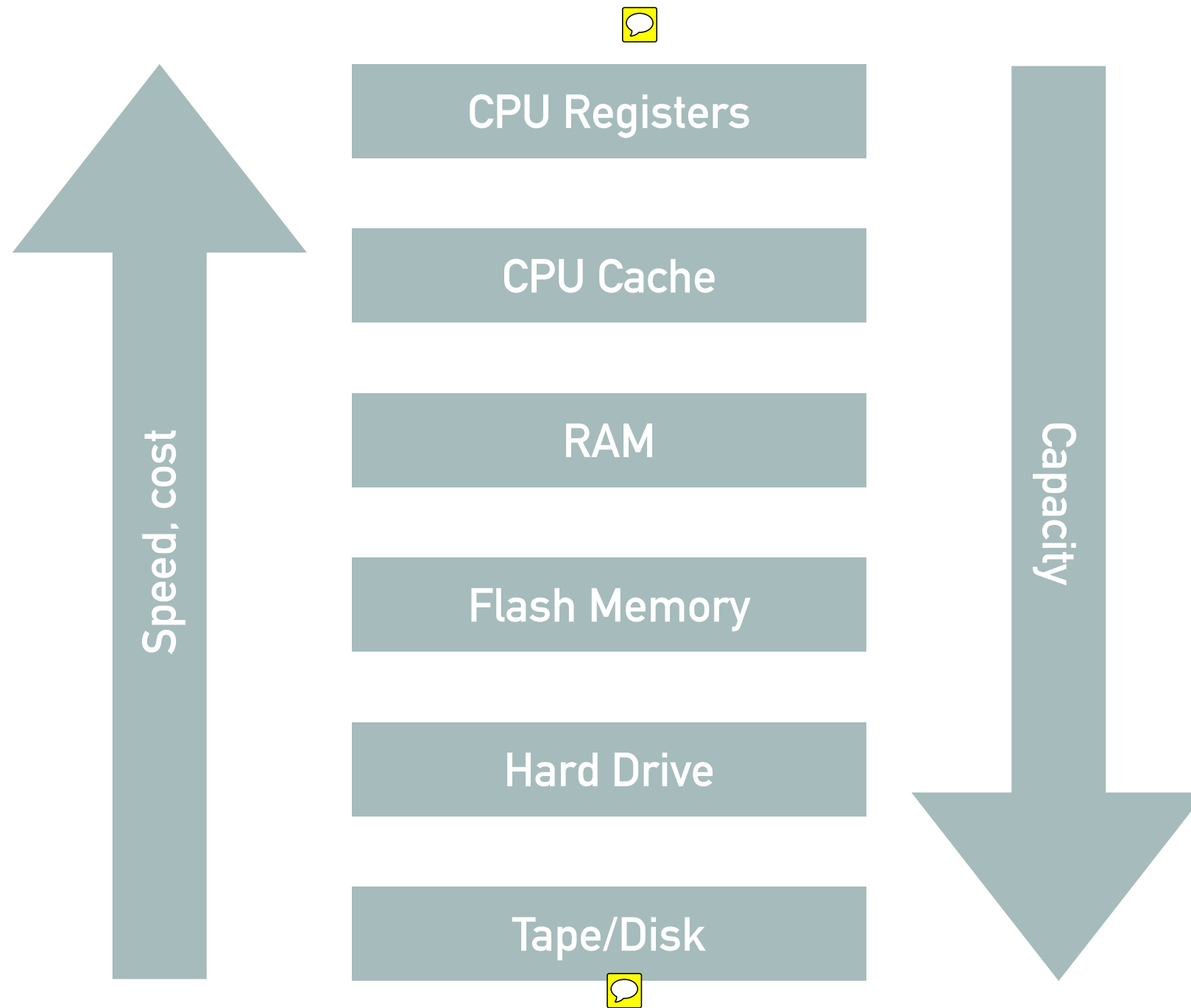
MICROSOFT WINDOWS – THE BEGINNINGS



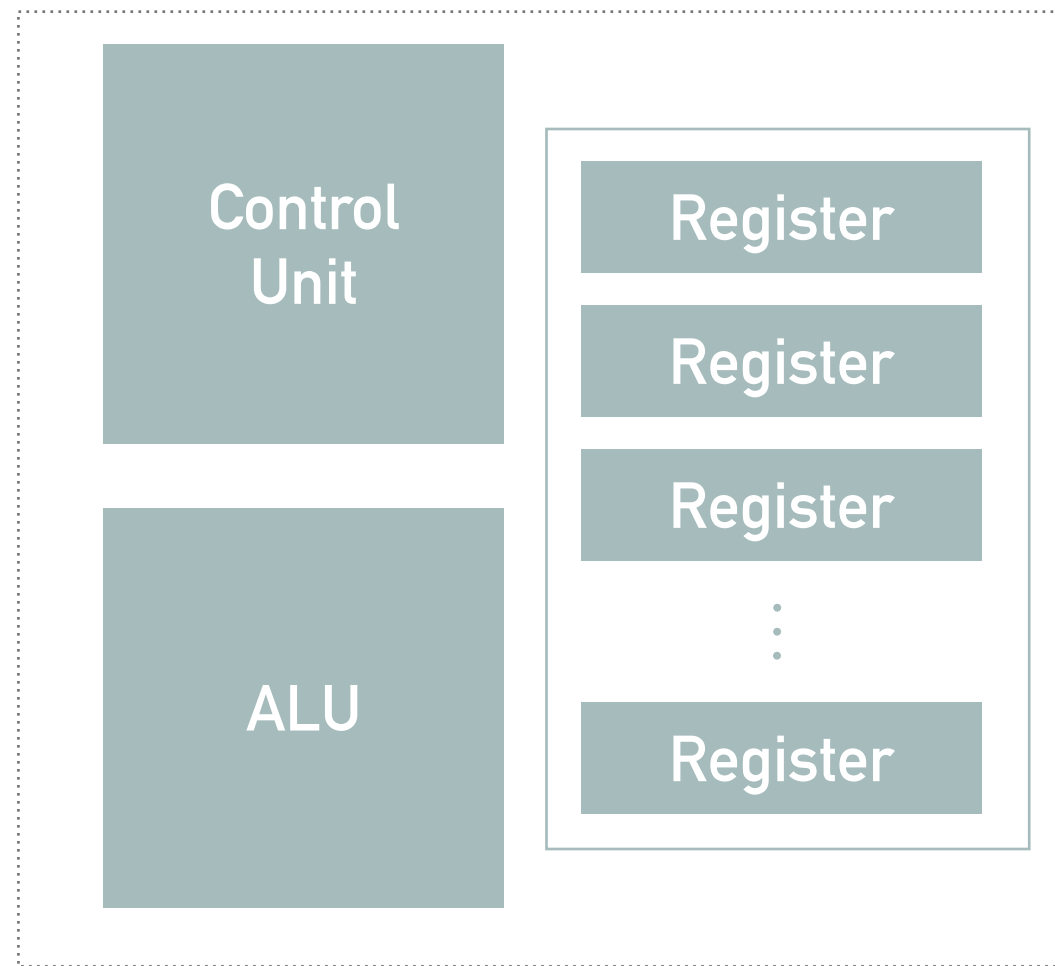
COMPUTER SYSTEM



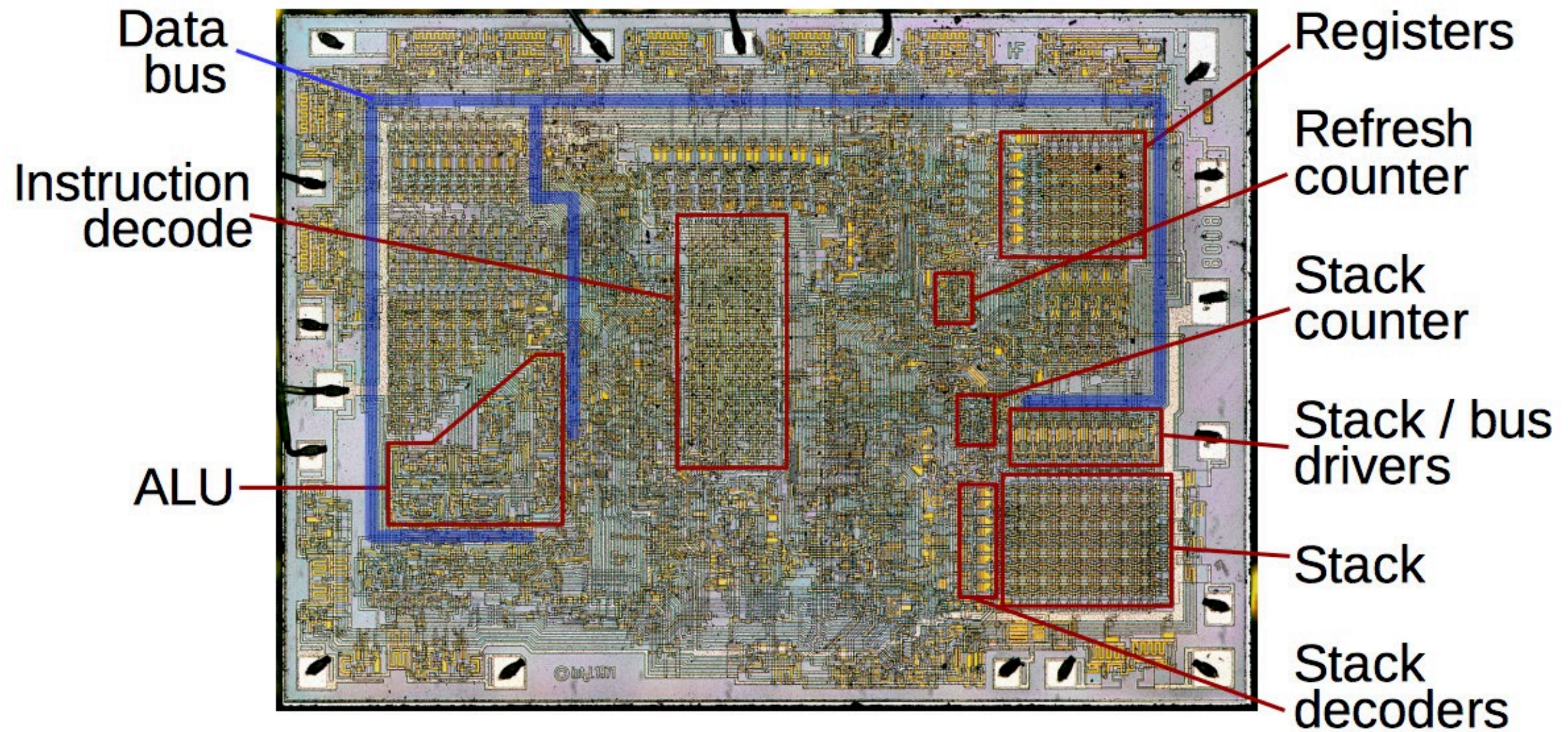
MEMORY HIERARCHY



CPU COMPONENTS



CPU COMPONENTS – INTEL 8008

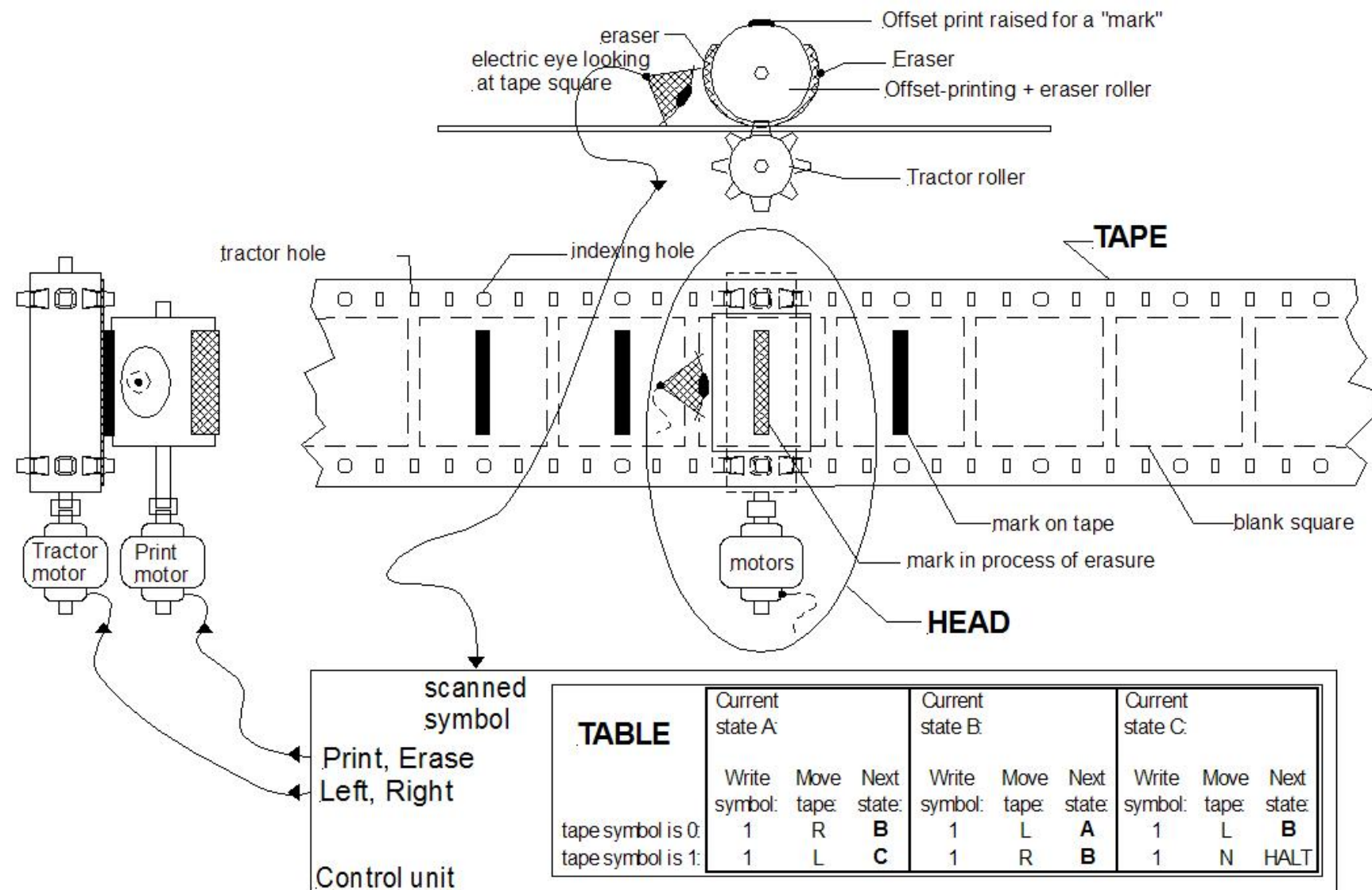


DATA REPRESENTATION



- Storage unit
 - Bit - "Low" or "High" state representing 0/1
 - Byte - Sequence of 8 bits
 - Word - Sequence of bytes, varies (e.g., 8 bytes in a 64 bit system)
- Notation
 - Binary - 0, 1
 - Octal - 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7
 - Hexadecimal - 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, A, B, C, D, E, F

TURING MACHINE



A fanciful mechanical Turing machine's TAPE and HEAD. The TABLE instructions might be on another "read only" tape, or perhaps on punch-cards. Usually a "finite state machine" is the model for the TABLE.

TURING MACHINE

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CODING THE COMPUTER – ASSEMBLY/MACHINE CODE

<https://schweigi.github.io/assembler-simulator/>

; Simple example

; Writes Hello World to the output

JMP start

hello: DB "Hello World!"

; Variable

DB 0

; String terminator

start:

MOV C, hello

; Point to var

MOV D, 232

; Point to output

CALL print

HLT

; Stop execution

print:

; print(C:*from, D:*to)

PUSH A

PUSH B

MOV B, 0

.loop:

MOV A, [C]

; Get char from var

MOV [D], A

; Write to output

INC C

INC D

CMP B, [C]

; Check if end

JNZ .loop

; jump if not

POP B

POP A

RET

CPU AND APPLICATIONS

- **Multitasking:** When **blocked** by a task, CPU makes a **context switch** to another task
- **Multiprogramming:** Based on multitasking, CPU switches between different programs when blocked
- **Multithreading:** Switches happen between different "threads" of control within a program
- **Multiprocessing:** Pieces of a single program execute simultaneously in different processors
- **SIMD** (Single Instruction, Multiple Data): CPU processes multiple blocks of data simultaneously

OPERATING SYSTEM

- Core functions
 - Virtual machine: Hide the underlying hardware/software details to provide simplified access through **system calls**
 - Resource manager: Manage and orchestrate the different components for efficiency
- Popular operating systems
 - Microsoft Windows
 - Unix: Many variants like Linux and BSD Unix
 - Apple MacOS: Also based on Unix

TYPES OF LANGUAGES

- Level of abstraction
 - Low level: Assembly/Machine
 - High level: E.g., C/C++, Python
- Code generation
 - Interpreted: E.g., Python, JavaScript
 - Compiled: E.g., C/C++ (binary), Java (byte code)
- Nature of typing
 - Static vs. dynamic typing
 - Strong vs. weak typing

SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT

- Modularity
 - High **cohesion**, low **coupling**
 - Can be independently developed, tested, and maintained
 - **Top-down** (with **stubs**) vs. **Bottom-up** (with **drivers**) development
- Algorithms
- Grading criteria
 - Operation: Correctness, addressing requirements
 - Organization: Separation into logical modules and functions, especially for testability
 - Code quality: Readability, robustness, efficiency

ORIGINS OF C++

- The "C" programming language
 - Created by **Dennis Ritchie**
 - Used to build the **Unix** operating system
 - Largely compatible with C++ and can be mixed freely
- The "C++" language
 - Created by **Bjarne Stroustrup**
 - Meant to improve on C, like adding **classes** for **object oriented** design to improve cohesion and modularity
 - Recent standards: **C++11** (largest set of changes), **C++14**, and **C++17**

C++ DEVELOPMENT

- Write source code
 - Definitions in source files (.cpp)
 - Declarations in header files (.h)
- Compile the source code into **object** files (.o)
- Link the object files with **libraries** to create an **executable** file (no extension on Linux/Mac, .exe on Windows)
- **Standard libraries** are linked automatically along with compilation, so the compile and link stages are one

ERRORS

➤ Compile time errors

- Incorrect use of language syntax, illegal access of undeclared functions, etc.
- Code won't even compile, so they're easy to catch and fix

➤ Run time errors

- Mistakes in logic (AKA **bugs**), illegal access of memory leading to **exceptions**, etc.
- May not always occur and can be difficult to track down
- **Unit testing** lets you test individual modules before they become part of the full application
- **Debugging** is the process of catching the bugs using **breakpoints** and step/step run through the code

SIMPLE C++ PROGRAM

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Preprocessor directive, starts with #

System header file, note the <>

Main function, every program contains exactly one of these

Local header file, note the ""

#include <iostream>

#include "hello.h"

Block, enclosed by {}

Return type

int main() {

Variable

Assignment

std::string greeting = "Hello, world";

All statements end with ;

Namespace

String constant

Variable type

std::cout << greeting << std::endl;

}

Output through stream

INPUT/OUTPUT

➤ Input

- `cin` for input stream, in `<iostream>`, namespace `std`
- Read to variable "hours" with `cin >> hours`
- Can be chained like `cin >> hours >> minutes`

➤ Output

- `cout` for output stream, also in `<iostream>`
- Write variable "hours" with `cout << hours`
- Can also be chained with `cout << hours << endl`

COMMENTS

- Type 1

- `// This is a comment`

- Single line only

- Use sparingly, for short explanations of code that is not readily understood; do NOT parrot the code

- Type 2

- `/* This is a comment */`

- Single or multi line

- Use at top of file, function, etc. to explain what is happening inside those entities

TYPES

- **Primitive types**
 - Core, built-in types
 - Common types: **bool**, **char**, **short**, **int**, **float**, **double**, **long double** in increasing width in bytes
- **Non primitive types**
 - Built from primitive and other non primitive types
 - Common types: **std::string**, fixed width integers (e.g., **uintmax_t**)
- Keyword **auto** may be used in place of a type (after C++11)
- Use **decltype** to get type of another variable, like **decltype(foo) bar** to declare **bar** to be of same type as **foo**
- Cast one type to another with **static_cast** (e.g., **static_cast<float>(10)**)
- Can get width in bytes with **sizeof()**

VARIABLES

- Need to be **declared** by specifying a **type**
- Use **identifier** (name) that follows the **camelBack** naming convention (e.g., `timeOfDay`)
- Must be named to reflect their function (e.g., use **studentName** rather than **sn**, **n**, etc.)
- Made read-only by using keyword **const**, in which case they should follow upper **snake** naming convention (e.g., `TIME_OF_DAY`)
- Can be **initialized** at the time of declaration or **assigned** a value later

VARIABLE MANIPULATIONS

➤ Arithmetic operations

- `+`, `-`, `*`, `/` for basic add, subtract, multiply, and divide
- `%` for modulo (remainder after dividing, like $11 \% 3 = 2$)
- The result depends on the operands: e.g., $11 / 2 = 5$, but $11 / 2.0 = 5.5$
- `++` increments and `--` decrements, before or after expression is evaluated depending where it is placed (e.g., `i + j--` decrements after)
- Some assignments can be simplified (e.g., `a = a + 10` as `a += 10`)

➤ Boolean operations

- `&&` for boolean AND (e.g., `true && false = false`)
- `||` for boolean OR (e.g., `true || false = true`)
- `!` for boolean NOT (e.g., `!true = false`)
- Use parenthesis to force evaluation order (e.g., `(a || !b) && c`)

FLOW CONTROL - IF

- Used for **branching**
- Employs a **boolean expression** and a **block**
- Always create explicit blocks using **braces**
- Combine with **else** to chain

```
if (colors > 6) {                                // colors > 6
    std::cout << "Too many colors" << std::endl;
} else if (colors < 3) {                          // colors < 3
    std::cout << "Too few colors" << std::endl;
} else {                                         // colors = 3, 4, 5, or 6
    std::cout << "Perfect!" << std::endl;
}

std::string size = colors > 4 ? "Large" : "Small"; // Conditional assignment
```

FLOW CONTROL – SWITCH

- Used for **branching** based on a single expression value
- Value should be **int** or **enum**
- Don't forget the **break**

```
switch (code) {  
    case 101:  
        printf("Fire\n");  
        break;  
    case 220:  
        printf("Earthquake\n");  
        break;  
    case 311:  
        printf("Flood\n");  
        break;  
    default:  
        printf("Unknown\n");  
        break;  
}
```

FLOW CONTROL – WHILE

- Used for **looping**, checks first
- Employs a **boolean expression** and a **block**
- Always create explicit blocks using **braces**
- Use **break** to quit midway, **continue** to skip

```
int count = 10;
while (count > 0) {                                     // Prints 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1 (NOT 0)
    std::cout << "Count: " << count-- << std::endl;
}
count = 10;
while (count > 0) {                                     // Prints 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4 (note the start/end values)
    std::cout << "Count: " << --count << std::endl;
    if (count < 5) {
        break;
    }
}
```

FLOW CONTROL – DO-WHILE

- Used for **looping**, checks after one loop
- Employs a **boolean expression** and a **block**
- Always create explicit blocks using **braces**
- Use **break** to quit midway, **continue** to skip

```
int count = 0;
do {
    std::cout << "Count: " << count-- << std::endl;
} while (count > 0);
count = 10;
do {
    std::cout << "Count: " << --count << std::endl;
    if (count < 6) {
        break;
    }
} while (count > 6);
```

// Prints 0, even though condition is false

// Prints 9, 8, 7, 6 (note the start/end values)

FLOW CONTROL – FOR

- Used for **looping**, by far the most popular
- Employs an **initialization**, a **boolean expression**, a post-loop operation like **increment**, and a **block**
- Always create explicit blocks using **braces**
- Use **break** to quit midway, **continue** to skip

```
for (int i = 0; i < 5; ++i) {                                // Prints 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 (NOT 5)
    std::cout << i << std::endl;
}
for (int i = 0; i < 5; ++i) {                                // Prints 0, 1, 3, 4 (NOT 2)
    if (i == 2) {
        continue;
    }
    std::cout << i << std::endl;
}
```

FUNCTIONS

- Isolate related logic into a **cohesive** entity
- Use when:
 - The same logic is run repeatedly (e.g., sort numbers)
 - Isolating it makes the code easier to read and understand
- **Declared** in the header file and **defined** in the source file

The diagram illustrates the components of a C++ function declaration and its usage. The function declaration is `int product(int a, int b = 0) { return a * b; }`. Annotations with arrows point to specific parts: 'Return type' points to `int`; 'Formal parameters' points to `int a` and `int b`; 'Default value' points to `= 0`; and 'Return value' points to `a * b`. Below the declaration, the function is called in `std::cout << product(10, 20) << std::endl;`. An annotation 'Actual parameters' with arrows points to the values `10` and `20` passed to the function.

```
int product(int a, int b = 0) {  
    return a * b;  
}
```

```
std::cout << product(10, 20) << std::endl;
```

FUNCTIONS – CONTINUED

```
int product(int a, int b) {  
    return a * b;  
}
```

```
/**  
 * This overloads the above product() by using different formal  
 * parameters and types. Parameter "c" is passed by reference.  
 */
```

```
void product(int a, int b, int &c) {  
    c = a * b;  
}
```

```
int main() {  
    std::cout << product(10, 20) << std::endl;  
  
    int result;  
    product(10, 20, result);  
    std::cout << result << std::endl;  
}
```

ARRAYS – SINGLE DIMENSION

```
#include <stdio>

int main() {
    // Space allocated automatically
    int numbers[] = {10, -200, 3};

    // Prints the 3 numbers above
    for (int i = 0; i < 3; ++i) {
        printf("%d\n", numbers[i]);
    }

    // Also iterate this way
    for (int number : numbers) {
        printf("%d\n", number);
    }
}
```

ARRAYS – MULTIPLE DIMENSIONS

```
#include <stdio>
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    // Note the "3" for second dimension
```

```
    int matrix[][3] = {
```

```
        {-2, 44, 200},
```

```
        {10, 1, 123}
```

```
    };
```

```
    // Prints all the numbers above.
```

```
    for (int i = 0; i < 2; ++i) {
```

```
        for (int j = 0; j < 3; ++j) {
```

```
            printf("numbers[%d][%d] = %d\n", i, j, matrix[i][j]);
```

```
        }
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

ARRAYS – PASS TO FUNCTIONS

```
// Pass size because a[] doesn't disclose it
void processSingle(int a[], int size) {
}
```

```
// Other dimensions must be defined
void processMulti(int a[][5][3], int size) {
}
```

```
// Prevent elements being changed with const
void readSingle(const int a[], int size) {
}
```

```
int main() {
    int single[3];
    int multi[2][5][3];

    processSingle(single, 3);
    processMulti(multi, 2);
}
```

ARRAYS – LIMITATION OF FIXED SIZE

```
#include <stdio>
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    // Space allocated for 3
```

```
    int numbers[3];
```

```
    // Add to pre-allocated space
```

```
    numbers[0] = 100;
```

```
    numbers[1] = 200;
```

```
    numbers[2] = 300;
```

```
    // Print the 3 numbers above.
```

```
    for (int number : numbers) {
```

```
        printf("%d\n", number);
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```


FILE STREAMS

```
#include <fstream>
#include <cstdlib>

int main() {
    std::string buffer;
    std::ifstream ifs("original.txt");
    std::ofstream ofs;
    ofs.open("output/copy.txt");

    if (ifs.fail() || ofs.fail()) {
        exit(1);
    }

    while (std::getline(ifs, buffer)) {
        ofs << buffer << std::endl;
    }

    ifs.close();
    ofs.close();

    exit(0);
}
```

// Stream declarations
// For exit()

// Buffer for the copy
// Input stream initialized
// Uninitialized
// Opened explicitly, note path

// Call fail() to see if successful
// Exit with error or use assert() to confirm

// Reads line, ends on EOF
// Copy each line to output file

// Always close!

// Successful exit

FILE STREAMS - CONTINUED

```
#include <fstream> // Stream declarations
#include <cstdlib> // For exit()
#include <vector>

struct Name {
    std::string first;
    std::string last;
};

int main() {
    std::ifstream ifs("names.txt"); // List of names
    std::vector<Name> names; // Vector to store the names
    Name name; // Name struct as buffer

    while (ifs >> name.first >> name.last) { // Read and also check for EOF
        names.push_back(name); // Add name to vector
    }

    ifs.close(); // Always close!

    exit(0); // Successful exit
}
```

ENUM

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
enum ColorA {  
    AR, AW, AB  
};
```

```
// AR = 0, AW = 1, AB = 2
```

```
enum ColorB {  
    BR = 10, BW = 20, BB = 10  
};
```

```
// OK for both BR and BB to be 10
```

```
enum ColorC {  
    CR, CW = 20, CB  
};
```

```
// CR = 0, CW = 20, CB = 21
```

```
int main() {  
    ColorA c1 = ColorA::AR;  
    ColorA c2 = AB;
```

```
// In enum's namespace  
// Also global, so must be unique
```

```
    std::cout << c2 << std::endl;  
}
```

```
// Prints as int: 2
```

ENUM CLASS

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
enum class ColorA {  
    R, W, B  
};
```

```
// R = 0, W = 1, B = 2
```

```
enum class ColorB {  
    R = 10, W = 20, B = 10  
};
```

```
// OK for both R and B to be 10
```

```
enum class ColorC {  
    R, W = 20, B  
};
```

```
// R = 0, W = 20, B = 21
```

```
int main() {  
    ColorA c1 = ColorA::R;  
    ColorC c2 = ColorC::B;
```

```
// Must access through namespace
```

```
    std::cout << (int) c2 << std::endl;  
}
```

```
// Not int, needs to be type cast
```

C STRINGS

```
#include <cstring>
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    char name[] = "Jose";
```

```
// Length = 5, has '\0' at the end
```

```
    char school[] = {'P', 'C', 'C'};
```

```
// Length = 3, a char array, not C string
```

```
    char buffer[6];
```

```
// Can hold up to a 5-char string
```

```
    name[0] = 'R';
```

```
// name = "Rose"
```

```
    name[6] = 'A';
```

```
// Out of bounds, will corrupt adjacent data
```

```
    strcpy(buffer, "Hi");
```

```
// buffer = "Hi"
```

```
    int len = strlen(buffer);
```

```
// Counts non-null values, so 2 (NOT 3)
```

```
    int res = strcmp(buffer, "Hi");
```

```
// Equal, so 0
```

```
    strcat(buffer, ".");
```

```
// buffer = "Hi."
```

```
}
```

STRING CLASS

```
#include <string>
#include <iostream>
#include <cstring>

using namespace std;
int main() {
    // All are equivalent and initialize using a C string
    string a = "Hello";
    string b("Hello");
    string c = {"Hello"};
    string d {"Hello"};

    cout << a + ", world" << endl;
    a[0] = 'F';

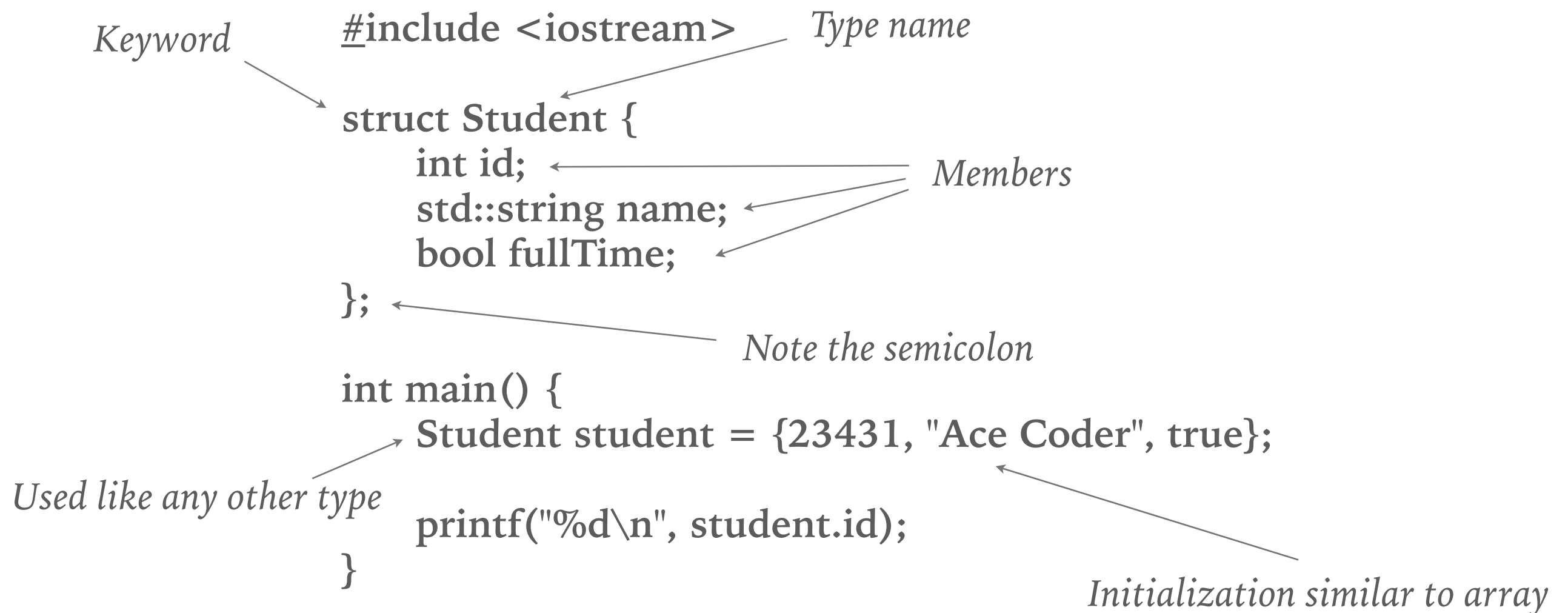
    cout << a.length() << endl;
    cout << strlen(a.c_str()) << endl;
    cout << a.empty() << endl;
    cout << a.substr(1, 2) << endl;
    cout << a.find("o", 2) << endl;
    cout << (a == b) << endl;
    cout << (a < b) << endl;
}

// Concatenate with + operator
// Access directly by indexing

// Length (5 here)
// Convert to C string and check length (also 5)
// Check if empty (false here)
// Get substring (el here)
// Find index of substring (4 here)
// Check equality with == operator (false here)
// Check ordering with < operator (true here)
```

STRUCT

- Useful for holding multiple variables, especially of different type together as a single entity
- All **struct** entities are really special kind of **classes**



The diagram shows a C++ code snippet with several annotations pointing to specific parts of the code:

```
#include <iostream>

struct Student {
    int id;
    std::string name;
    bool fullTime;
};

int main() {
    Student student = {23431, "Ace Coder", true};
    printf("%d\n", student.id);
}
```

Annotations:

- Keyword* points to `struct`.
- Type name* points to `Student`.
- Members* points to the list of variables: `int id;`, `std::string name;`, and `bool fullTime;`.
- Note the semicolon* points to the closing brace and semicolon `};`.
- Used like any other type* points to `Student student` in the initialization line.
- Initialization similar to array* points to the curly braces in `{23431, "Ace Coder", true};`.

STRUCT – ACCESS MEMBERS DIRECTLY

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
struct Student {  
    int id;  
    std::string name;  
};
```

```
void getStudent(Student &student) {  
    std::cin >> student.id >> student.name;  
}
```

```
int main() {  
    Student student;  
  
    getStudent(student);  
    std::cout << student.id << "\t" << student.name << std::endl;  
}
```

STRUCT – ACCESS MEMBERS THROUGH POINTER

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
struct Student {  
    int id;  
    std::string name;  
};
```

```
void getStudent(Student &student) {  
    std::cin >> student.id >> student.name;  
}                                     // Access by "."
```

```
void setName(Student *studentp, std::string name) {  
    studentp->name = name;  
}                                     // Access by "->"
```

```
int main() {  
    Student student;  
  
    getStudent(student);  
    setName(&student, "Johnny Sokko");  
    std::cout << student.id << "\t" << student.name << std::endl;  
}
```