

# Vector

- C++ vector is a dynamic array that stores collection of elements of same type in contiguous memory.
- It has the ability to resize itself automatically when an element is inserted or deleted.

# Inserting elements

```
#include <iostream>
#include <vector>
using namespace std;

int main() {
    vector<char> v = {'a', 'f', 'd'};

    // Inserting 'z' at the back
    v.push_back('z');

    // Inserting 'c' at index 1
    v.insert(v.begin() + 1, 'c');

    for (int i = 0; i < v.size(); i++)
        cout << v[i] << " ";
    return 0;
}
```

**Output**  
a c f d z

# Finding vector size

```
#include <iostream>
#include <vector>
using namespace std;

int main() {
    vector<char> v = {'a', 'c', 'f', 'd', 'z'};

    // Finding size
    cout << v.size();

    return 0;
}
```

**Output**  
5

# Updating elements

```
#include <iostream>
#include <vector>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    vector<char> v = {'a', 'c', 'f', 'd', 'z'};

    // Accessing and printing values
    cout << v[3] << endl;
    cout << v.at(2) << endl;

    // Updating values using indexes 3 and 2
    v[3] = 'D';
    v.at(2) = 'F';

    cout << v[3] << endl;
    cout << v.at(2);
    return 0;
}
```

**Output**  
d f D F

# Traversing

```
#include <iostream>
#include <vector>
using namespace std;

int main() {
    vector<char> v = {'a', 'c', 'f', 'd', 'z'};

    // Traversing vector using range based for loop
    for (int i = 0; i < v.size(); i++)
        cout << v[i] << " ";
    return 0;
}
```

**Output**

a c f d z

# Delete elements

```
#include <iostream>
#include <vector>
#include <algorithm>
using namespace std;

int main() {
    vector<char> v = {'a', 'c', 'f', 'd', 'z'};

    // Deleting last element 'z'
    v.pop_back();

    // Deleting element 'f'
    v.erase(find(v.begin(), v.end(), 'f'));

    for (int i = 0; i < v.size(); i++) {
        cout << v[i] << " ";
    }
    return 0;
}
```

## Output

a c d

# C++ STL Sorting Algorithm

```
#include <iostream>
#include <algorithm>
#include <vector>
```

```
using namespace std;
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    // initialize vector of int type
    vector<int> v = {3, 2, 5, 1, 4};
```

```
    // sort vector elements in ascending order
    sort(v.begin(), v.end());
```

```
    // print the sorted vector
    for (int i=0;i<v.size();i++) {
        cout << v[i] << " ";
    }
    return 0;
}
```

**Output**

1 2 3 4 5

# C++ STL Sorting Algorithm

```
#include <iostream>
#include <algorithm>
#include <vector>
using namespace std;

int main() {
    // initialize vector of int type
    vector<int> v = {3, 2, 5, 1, 4};

    // sort vector elements in descending order
    sort(v.begin(), v.end(), greater<int>());

    // print the sorted vector
    for (int i = 0; i < v.size(); i++) {
        cout << v[i] << " ";
    }

    return 0;
}
```

**Output**  
5 4 3 2 1



# Inserting in 2D vector

```
#include <bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;

int main() {
    vector<vector<int>> v = {{1, 2, 3},{4, 5, 6}};

    // Insert a new row at the end
    v.push_back({7, 8, 9});

    // Insert value in 2nd row at 2nd position
    v[1].insert(v[1].begin() + 1, 10);

    for (int i = 0; i < v.size(); i++) {
        for (int j = 0; j < v[i].size(); j++) {
            cout << v[i][j] << " ";
        }
        cout << endl;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

## Output

```
1 2 3
4 10 5 6
7 8 9
```