Lecture 10 – Review for Mid-1

CST238 – Intro to Data Structures
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Lecture Objectives

- After completion of this lecture, you will be able to
  - recognize main topics covered so far.
  - recall the topics for the first midterm.

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What will be tested in Mid-1?

- Quiz-style problem solving
- Programming in C++
- Closed book/note and no calculator.
  - However, you can bring two pages of notes (= total four sides).

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C++ Basics

- Variables and data types
- Expressions and statements
- Functions
- Programmer-defined data types
  - typedef, enum
- **`sizeof`** operator
- etc…

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A Pointer Variable

- A variable that can hold a memory address.
  e.g., **`int * ptr1;`**
  `typedef int * IntPtr;`
  `IntPtr ptr2;`
- Address operator (**&**) to determine the address of a variable
- Example

```
int intVar1 = 100;
int * p;
p = & intVar1;
```

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Dereferencing Operator (*)

- A pointer variable stores address of a memory location (= variable)
  - To access content of that location, use dereferencing operator *
- Example

```
int intVar = 100;
int * iPtr;
iPtr = &intVar;
int  anotherInt =  *iPtr;
```

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Exercise: Determine execution result.

1. int v1 = 84;
2. int v2 = 99;
3. int * p1, * p2;
4. p1 = &v1;
5. p2 = &v2;
6. *p1 = *p2;
7. cout << *p1 << " " << v1 << endl;

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new Operator

- Dynamic memory allocation
  - An anonymous (= nameless) memory location can be allocated with the **new** operator.
- Example

```
int * intPtr;
intPtr = new int;
*intPtr = 100;
*intPtr = *intPtr + 7;
delete intPtr;
```

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Array

- A sequence of variables of the same data type.
- Static array
  - Compiler can determine the memory required statically.
  - e.g., double score[50];
- Dynamic array
  - Dynamic allocation of memory for an array with **new** and **delete**.
  - e.g., **`arrayPtr = new int[50];`**

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Array Access through a Pointer

- In general, it is faster but somewhat harder to understand.
- Example
  1. int a[10];
  2. int * pa;
  3. pa = &a[0];
  4. *pa = 100;
  5. *(pa+1) refers to the contents of a[1]
  6. pa+i is the address of a[i],
  7. *(pa+i) is the content of a[i].

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An array name is a constant.

- int a[100]
- int *p;
- int i;
- a = &i; // NO
- a++; // NO
- p = a; // OK
- p++; // OK
- p = NULL; // OK
- p = &i; // OK

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Example – strcpy () (1 of 2)

```
1.  /* array index version */
2.  void strcpy1(char dest[ ], char source[ ])
3.  {
4.      int i = 0;
5.      while (1) {
6.          dest[i] = source[i];
7.          if (dest[i] == '\0')
8.              break;
9.          i++;
10.     }
11. }
```

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Example – strcpy () (2 of 2)

```
1. /* pointer version */
2. void strcpy2(char * dest, char * source)
3. {
4.     while ((*dest = *source) != '\0') {
5.         dest++;
6.         source++;
7.     }
8. }
```

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An Array of Pointers

```
1.  #include <iostream>
2.  using namespace std;
3.  int main() {
4.      int i, j;
5.      double * arrayPtr[10];
6.      for (i = 0; i < 10; i++) {
7.          arrayPtr[i] = new double [5];
8.          for (j = 0; j < 5; j++) {
9.              *(arrayPtr[i]+j) = j;
10.         }
11.     }
12. }
```

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C++ Class

- A C++ class has
  - data members
  - functions (or methods)
- A class is a heart of object oriented programming.

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A Class Library

- Class declaration is placed in a header file
  - The file has `.h` extension
  - It typically contains data items and prototypes
- Implementation file
  - The file has the same prefix as the header file.
  - But it has `.cpp` extension
- A program that uses the class library is called a client program.

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Time.h – Interface for **`Time`** Class

```
1.  // Figure 4.2 of text
2.  #include <iostream>

3.  class Time
4.  {
5.  public:
6.      void set(unsigned hours, unsigned minutes, char am_pm);
7.      void display(ostream & out) const;

8.  private:
9.      unsigned myHours;
10.     unsigned myMinutes;
11.     char myAMorPM;        // 'A' or 'P'
12.     unsigned myMilTime;   // military time equivalent
13. };
```

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Time.cpp – Implementation of **`Time`** Class

```
1.  #include <iostream>    // Figure 4.3 of text
2.  using namespace std;
3.  #include "Time.h"
4.  // Prototype of utility function
5.  int toMilitary (unsigned hours, unsigned minutes, char am_pm);

6.  void Time::set(unsigned hours, unsigned minutes, char am_pm) {
7.    if (hours >= 1 && hours <= 12 && minutes >= 0 && minutes <= 59 &&
8.        (am_pm == 'A' || am_pm == 'P')) {
9.      myHours = hours;
10.     myMinutes = minutes;
11.     myAMorPM = am_pm;
12.     myMilTime = toMilitary(hours, minutes, am_pm);
13.   }
14.   else
15.     cerr << "*** Can't set time with these values ***\n";
16. }
```

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driver.cpp – Test Driver for **`Time`** Class

```
1. // Figure 4.4
2. #include <iostream>
3. using namespace std;
4. #include "Time.h"

5. int main() {
6.    Time mealTime;

7.    mealTime.set(5, 30, 'P');

8.    cout << "We'll be eating at ";
9.    mealTime.display(cout);
10.   cout << endl;

11.   cout << "\nNow trying to set time with illegal hours \n";
12.   mealTime.set(13, 0, 'A');
13.}
```

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Constructors

```
1.    Time::Time()
2.      : myHours(12), myMinutes(0), myAMorPM('A'),
3.        myMilTime(0)
4.    {
5.    }

6.    Time::Time(unsigned initHours, unsigned initMinutes, char initAMPM)
7.    {
8.       // Check class invariant
9.       if (initHours >= 1 && initHours <= 12 &&
10.          initMinutes >= 0 && initMinutes <= 59 &&
11.          (initAMPM == 'A' || initAMPM == 'P')) {
12.             myHours = initHours;
13.             myMinutes = initMinutes;
14.             myAMorPM = initAMPM;
15.             myMilTime = toMilitary(initHours, initMinutes, initAMPM);
16.       }
17.       else
18.          cerr << "*** Invalid initial values ***\n";
19.    }
```

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Accessors (or get functions)

- Example: getHours()
  1. In the class declaration:
     unsigned getHours() const;
  2. In the class implementation:
     Time::getHours() const { return myHours; }
  3. In the driver, instead of
     cout << mealTime.myHour; // error! Why?

     cout << mealTime. getHours();

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Mutators (or set functions)

- Example
  1. In the class declaration:
     void set(unsigned hours, unsigned minutes, char am_pm);
  2. In the class implementation:
     void Time::set(unsigned hours, unsigned minutes, char am_pm) {… myHours = hours; myMinutes = minutes; …….}
  3. In the driver, instead of
     mealTime.myHour = 8; //error!

     mealTime.set(8, 0, 'P');

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Overloading Functions (1 of 2)

- The name of a function can be overloaded, provided *no two definitions of the function have the same signature*.
- Example

```
Time();
Time(unsigned initHours,
     unsigned initMinutes,
     char initAMPM);
```

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Overloading Functions (2 of 2)

- Two functions with the same name and the same parameter types but with different return types are not allowed.
- Example

```
bool SetHours(int number);
void SetHours(int number);
// They are invalid.
```

- Why overloading functions?

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