



Programming in c++ Lecture_2

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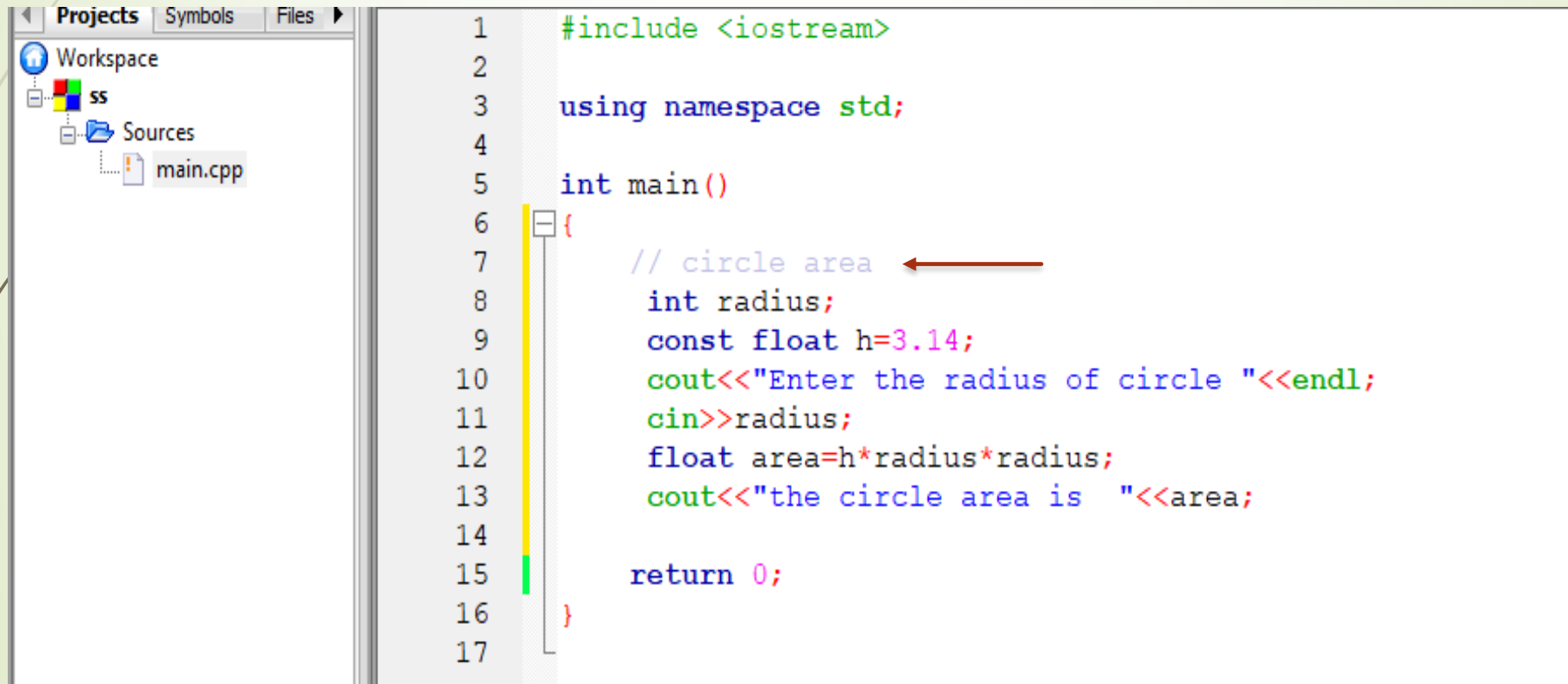


C++ Comments

- **Comments** can be used to explain C++ code
- to make it more readable. It can also be used to prevent execution when testing alternative code.
- Comments can be **singled-lined or multi-lined**.

Single-line comments

- **Single-line** comments start with two forward slashes (`//`).
- Any text between `//` and the end of the line is ignored by the compiler (will not be executed)



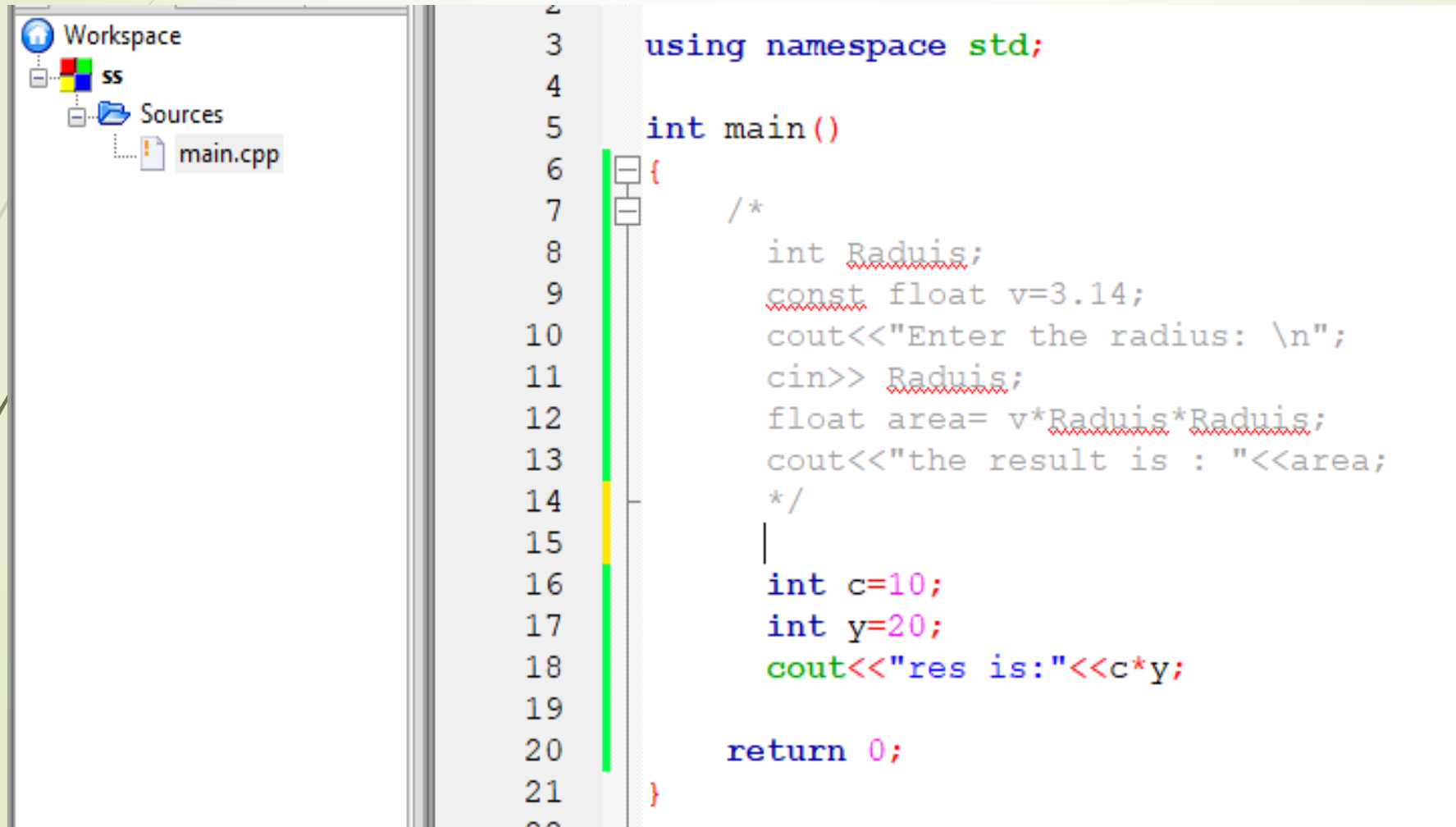
The screenshot shows a C++ IDE with a project named 'ss' and a source file 'main.cpp'. The code in 'main.cpp' is as follows:

```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7      // circle area ←
8      int radius;
9      const float h=3.14;
10     cout<<"Enter the radius of circle "<<endl;
11     cin>>radius;
12     float area=h*radius*radius;
13     cout<<"the circle area is "<<area;
14
15     return 0;
16 }
17
```

A red arrow points to the single-line comment `// circle area` on line 7.

C++ Multi-line Comments

Multi-line comments start with `/*` and ends with `*/`.
Any text between `/*` and `*/` will be ignored by the compiler.



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```
2
3 using namespace std;
4
5 int main()
6 {
7     /*
8         int Raduis;
9         const float v=3.14;
10        cout<<"Enter the radius: \n";
11        cin>> Raduis;
12        float area= v*Raduis*Raduis;
13        cout<<"the result is : "<<area;
14    */
15
16    int c=10;
17    int y=20;
18    cout<<"res is:"<<c*y;
19
20    return 0;
21 }
```

C++ Operators

- Operators are used to perform operations on variables and values.
- C++ divides the operators into the following groups:
 - Arithmetic operators
 - Assignment operators
 - Comparison operators
 - Logical operators

Name	Symbol	Arity	Usage
Add	+	binary	$x + y$
Subtract	-	binary	$x - y$
Multiply	*	binary	$x * y$
Divide	/	binary	x / y
Modulus	%	binary	$x \% y$
Minus	-	unary	$-x$

Operators

- ▶ Special built-in symbols that have functionality, and work on operands
- ▶ **operand** - an input to an operator
- ▶ **Arity** - how many operands an operator takes
 - ▶ *unary operator* - has one operand
 - ▶ *binary operator* - has two operands
 - ▶ *ternary operator* - has three operands
- ▶ Examples:

```
int x, y = 5, z;  
z = 10; // assignment operator (binary)  
x = y + z; // addition (binary operator)  
x = -y; // -y is a unary operation (negation)  
x++; // unary (increment)
```

Unary operators perform an operation using a single variable or value.

- A **unary operator** in C++ is an operator that works on only one operand.

◆ Common Unary Operators in C++

Operator	Name	Example	Description
<code>++</code>	Increment	<code>++x</code> or <code>x++</code>	Increases the value of <code>x</code> by 1
<code>--</code>	Decrement	<code>--x</code> or <code>x--</code>	Decreases the value of <code>x</code> by 1
<code>-</code>	Unary minus	<code>-x</code>	Changes the sign of <code>x</code>
<code>+</code>	Unary plus	<code>+x</code>	Indicates a positive value (rarely used)
<code>!</code>	Logical NOT	<code>!x</code>	Reverses a boolean value (<code>true</code> → <code>false</code>)



The operator = works between these **two operands**, so it's **binary**.

A **binary operator** is an operator that operates on **two operands**.

For example:

```
cpp
```

```
x = y;
```

Here:

- `x` → **left operand** (the variable being assigned to)
- `y` → **right operand** (the value being assigned)

The operator `=` works between these **two operands**, so it's **binary**.

Arithmetic Operators

- Arithmetic operators are used to perform common mathematical operations.

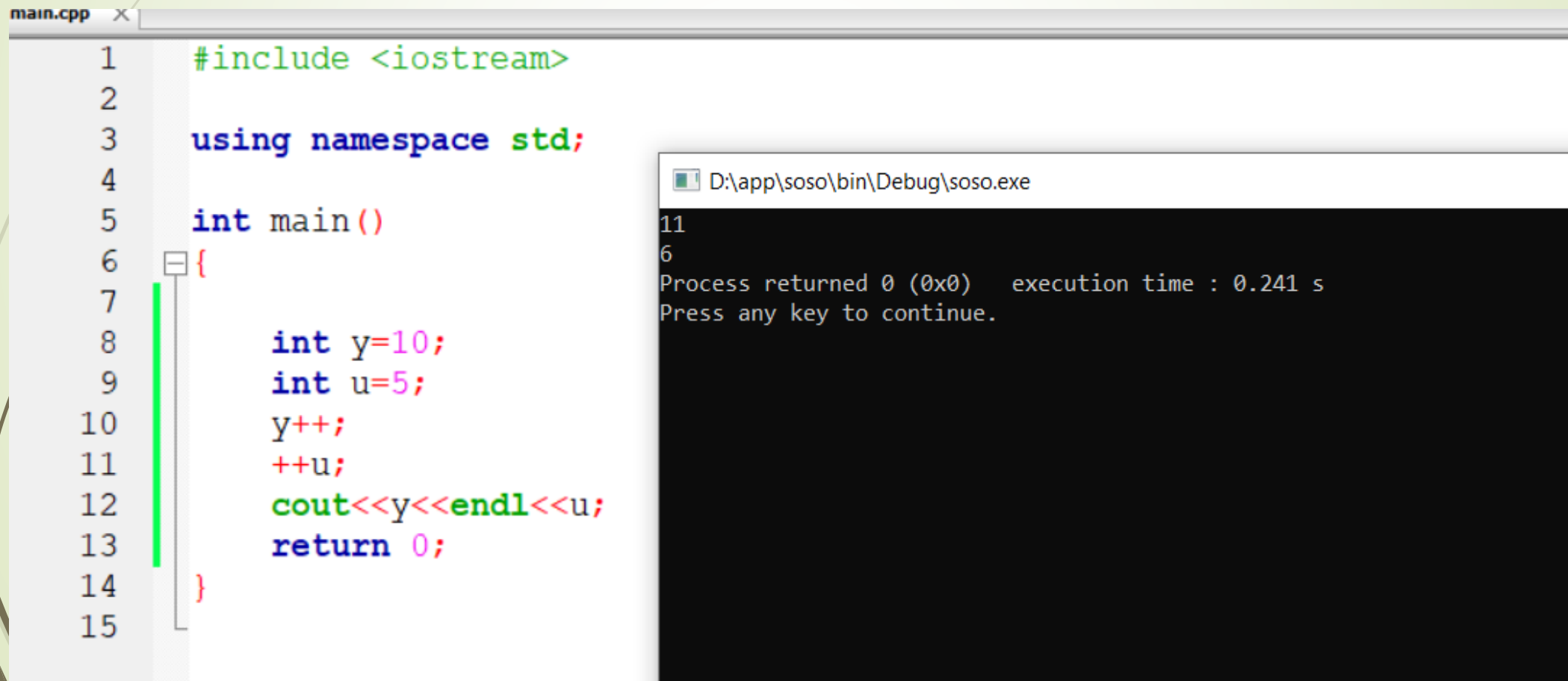
Arithmetic Operators

Arithmetic operators are used to perform common mathematical operations.

Operator	Name	Description	Example
+	Addition	Adds together two values	$x + y$
-	Subtraction	Subtracts one value from another	$x - y$
*	Multiplication	Multiplies two values	$x * y$
/	Division	Divides one value from another	x / y
%	Modulus	Returns the division remainder	$x \% y$
++	Increment	Increases the value of a variable by 1	$++x$
--	Decrement	Decreases the value of a variable by 1	$--x$

Increment and decrement

- ➡ **Increment** : increase the variable value by 1



The screenshot shows a C++ IDE with a file named `main.cpp` and a debug console window. The code in `main.cpp` is as follows:

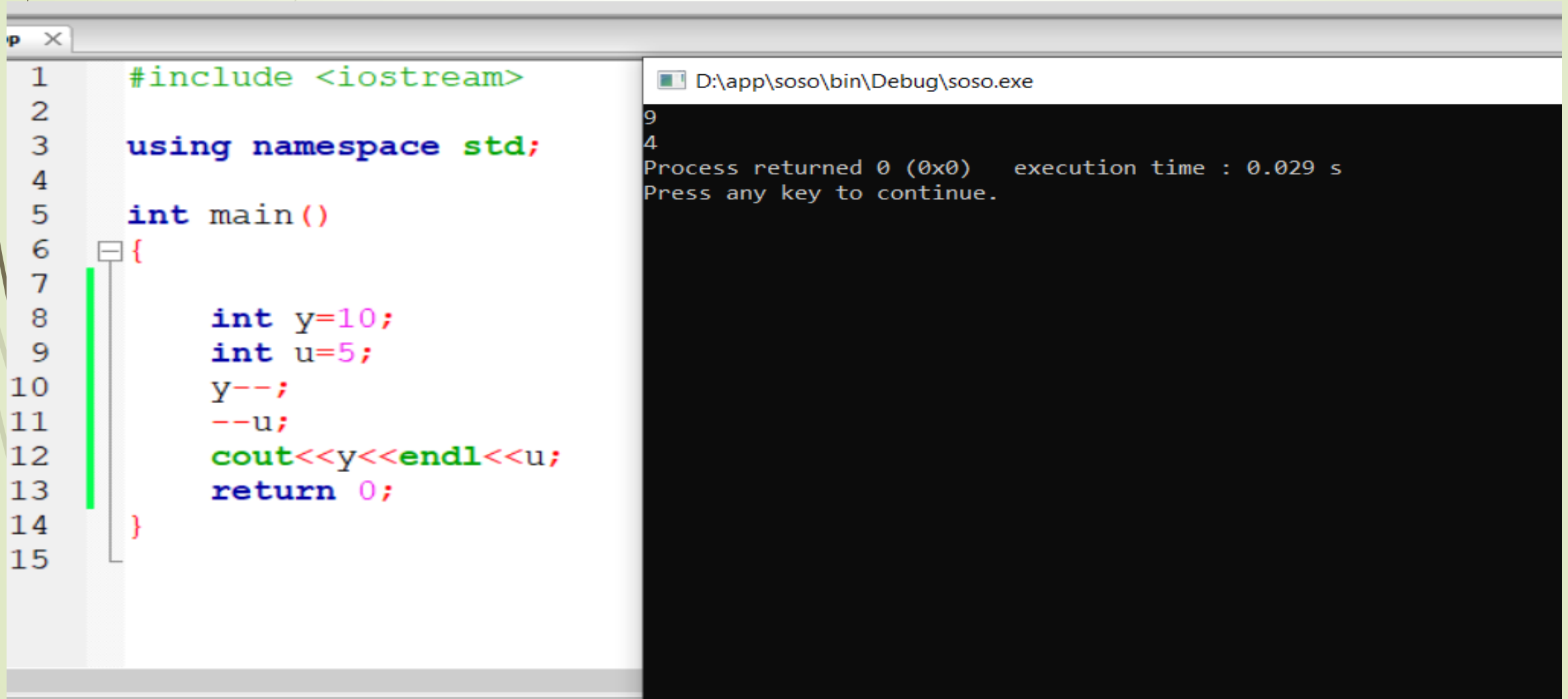
```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7
8      int y=10;
9      int u=5;
10     y++;
11     ++u;
12     cout<<y<<endl<<u;
13     return 0;
14 }
15
```

The debug console window, titled `D:\app\soso\bin\Debug\soso.exe`, shows the output of the program:

```
11
6
Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 0.241 s
Press any key to continue.
```

Decrement

- **Decrement** : decrease the variable value by 1



The screenshot shows a C++ IDE with a code editor on the left and a console window on the right. The code in the editor defines two integer variables, `y` and `u`, with initial values of 10 and 5 respectively. Both variables are then decremented by 1 using the `--` operator. The program then prints the values of `y` and `u` using `cout`. The console window shows the output of the program, which is the values of `y` and `u` after decrementing, followed by the message "Process returned 0 (0x0) execution time : 0.029 s Press any key to continue."

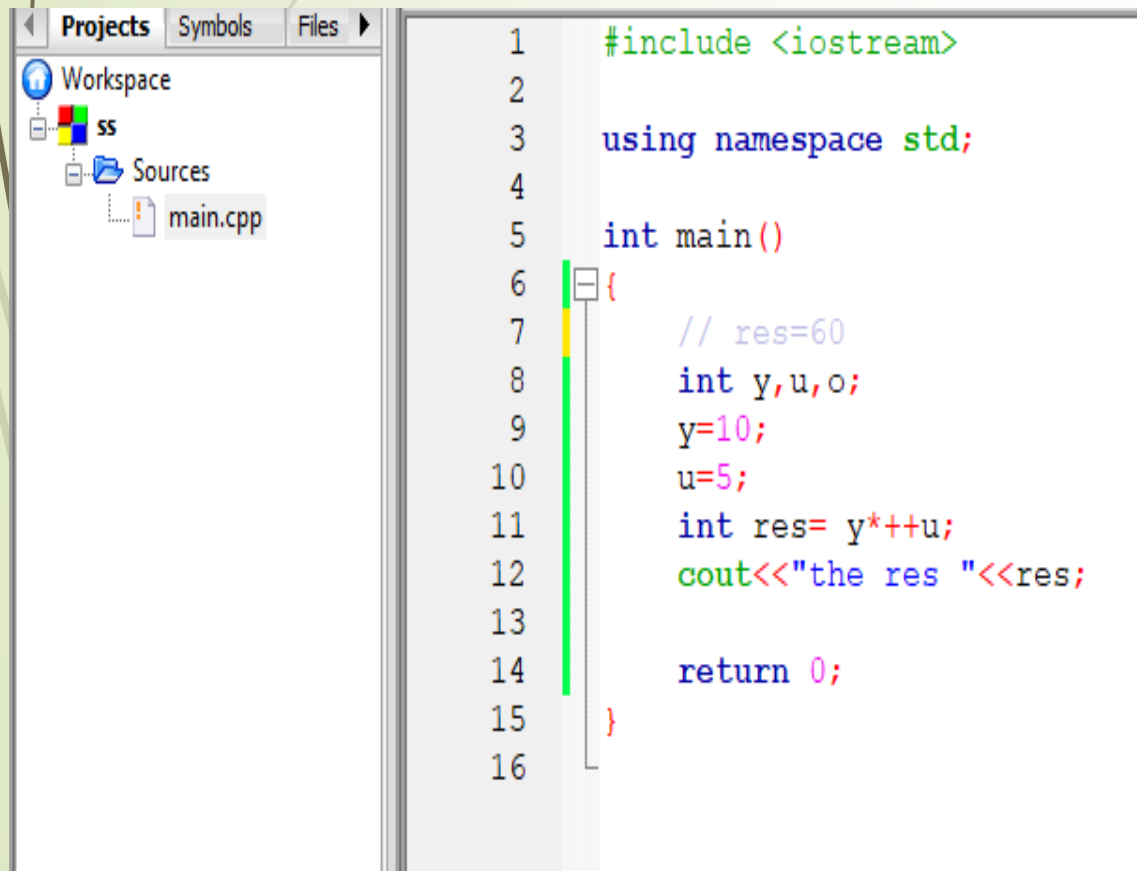
```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7
8      int y=10;
9      int u=5;
10     y--;
11     --u;
12     cout<<y<<endl<<u;
13     return 0;
14 }
15
```

D:\app\soso\bin\Debug\soso.exe

9
4
Process returned 0 (0x0) execution time : 0.029 s
Press any key to continue.

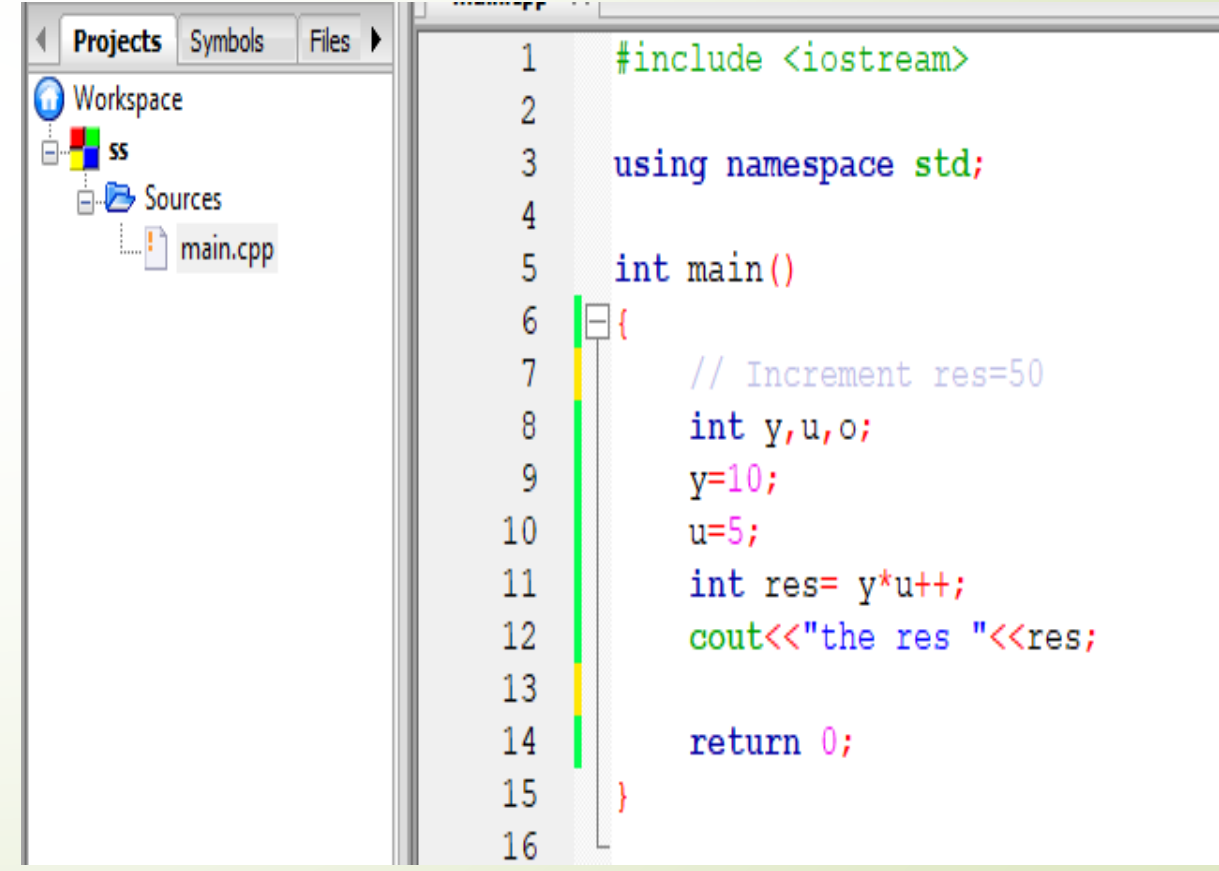
Difference between ++x and x++

both ++x and x++ are used to increment variable x by 1.. the prime difference is that: ++x i.e. **pre-increment** operator uses the principle 'change-then-use' while, x++ i.e. **post-increment** operator uses the principle 'use-then-change'.



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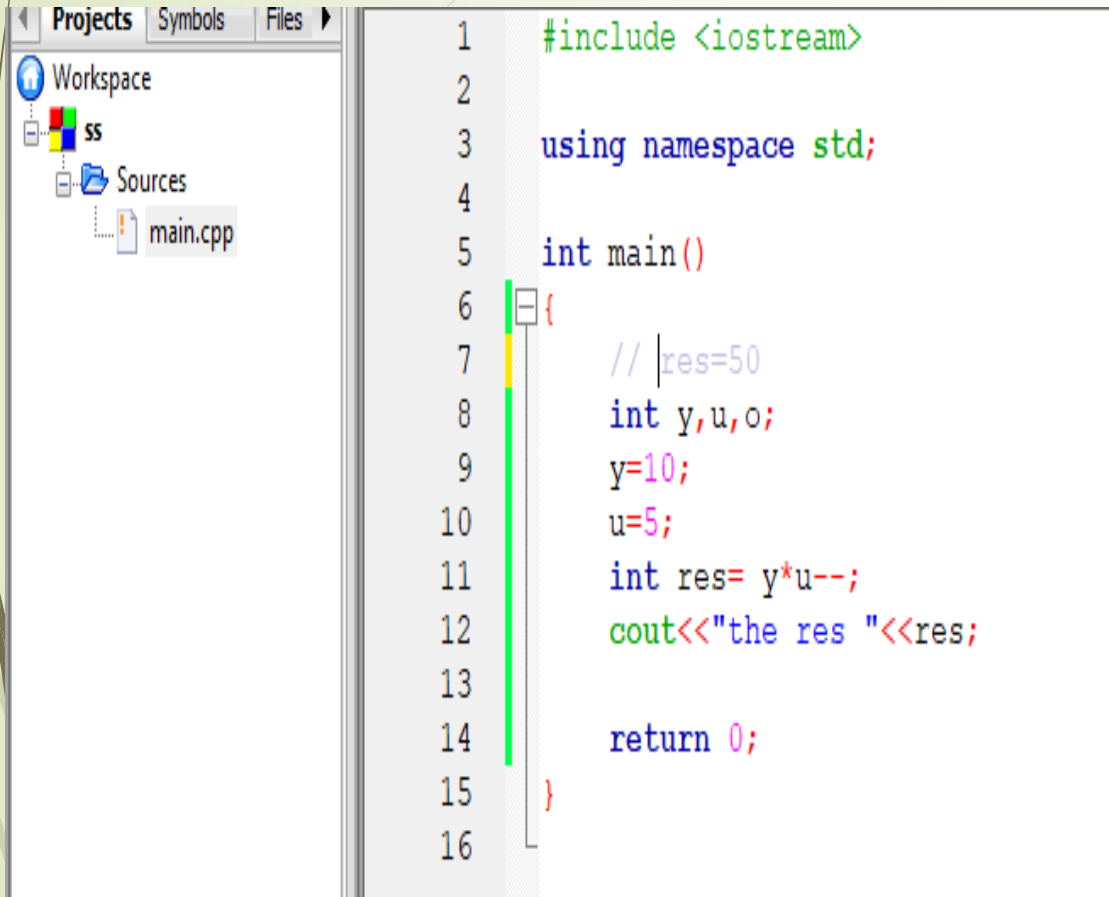
```
1 #include <iostream>
2
3 using namespace std;
4
5 int main()
6 {
7     // res=60
8     int y,u,o;
9     y=10;
10    u=5;
11    int res= y*++u;
12    cout<<"the res "<<res;
13
14    return 0;
15 }
```



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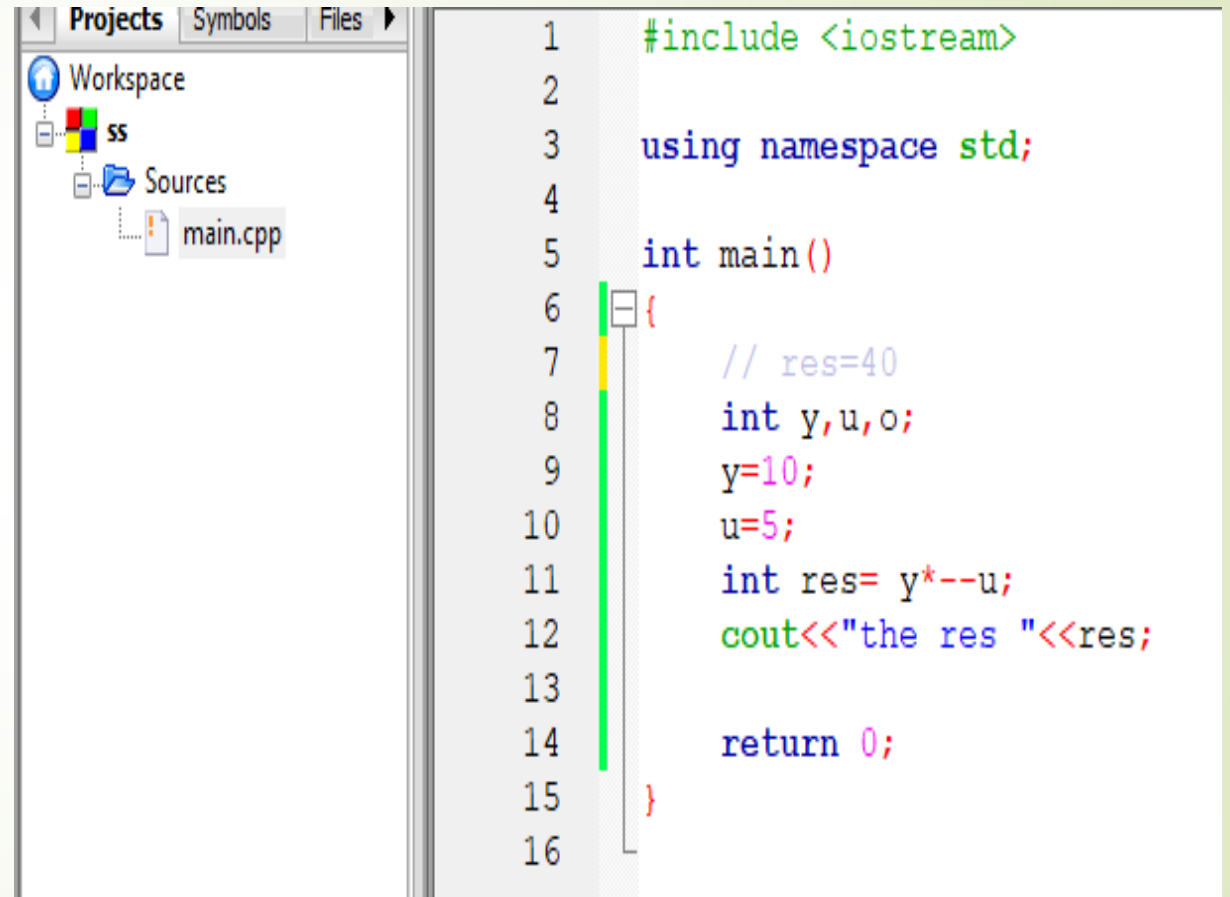
```
1 #include <iostream>
2
3 using namespace std;
4
5 int main()
6 {
7     // Increment res=50
8     int y,u,o;
9     y=10;
10    u=5;
11    int res= y*u++;
12    cout<<"the res "<<res;
13
14    return 0;
15 }
```

Difference between --x and x--



```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7      // res=50
8      int y,u,o;
9      y=10;
10     u=5;
11     int res= y*u--;
12     cout<<"the res "<<res;
13
14     return 0;
15 }
16
```

The screenshot shows a C++ IDE with a project named 'ss' and a source file 'main.cpp'. The code defines a variable 'u' with the value 5 and calculates 'res' as 'y * u--', where 'y' is 10. The output of the program is 'the res 45'.



```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7      // res=40
8      int y,u,o;
9      y=10;
10     u=5;
11     int res= y*--u;
12     cout<<"the res "<<res;
13
14     return 0;
15 }
16
```

The screenshot shows a C++ IDE with a project named 'ss' and a source file 'main.cpp'. The code defines a variable 'u' with the value 5 and calculates 'res' as 'y * --u', where 'y' is 10. The output of the program is 'the res 40'.



Operator Precedence

1	! Logical not (Highest)
2	() Parenthesis
3	*, /, %
4	+, -
5	>, >=, <, <=
6	==, !=
7	&& (AND)
8	 (OR)
9	= (Lowest)

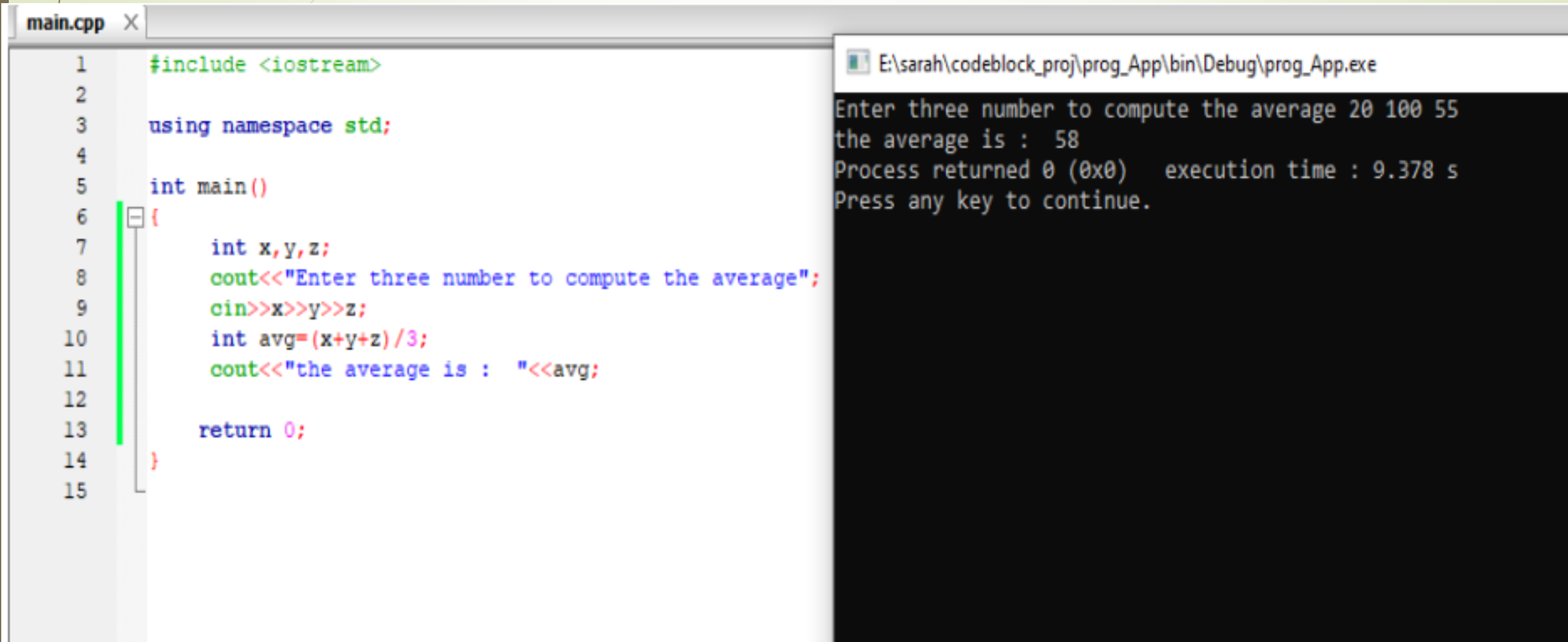
Arithmetic Expressions

- Use spacing to make expressions readable
 - Which is easier to read?

$$x+y*z \quad \text{or} \quad x + y * z$$

- Precedence rules for operators are the same as used in your algebra classes
- Use parentheses to alter the order of operations
$$x + y * z \quad (\text{y is multiplied by z first})$$
$$(x + y) * z \quad (\text{x and y are added first})$$

Write c++ program that ask the user to enter 3 numbers and then program compute the average of these number and print the result on screen?



The image shows a screenshot of the Code::Blocks IDE. On the left, the 'main.cpp' editor window displays the following C++ code:

```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7      int x,y,z;
8      cout<<"Enter three number to compute the average";
9      cin>>x>>y>>z;
10     int avg=(x+y+z)/3;
11     cout<<"the average is : "<<avg;
12
13     return 0;
14 }
15
```

On the right, the 'E:\sarah\codeblock_proj\prog_App\bin\Debug\prog_App.exe' console window shows the program's execution:

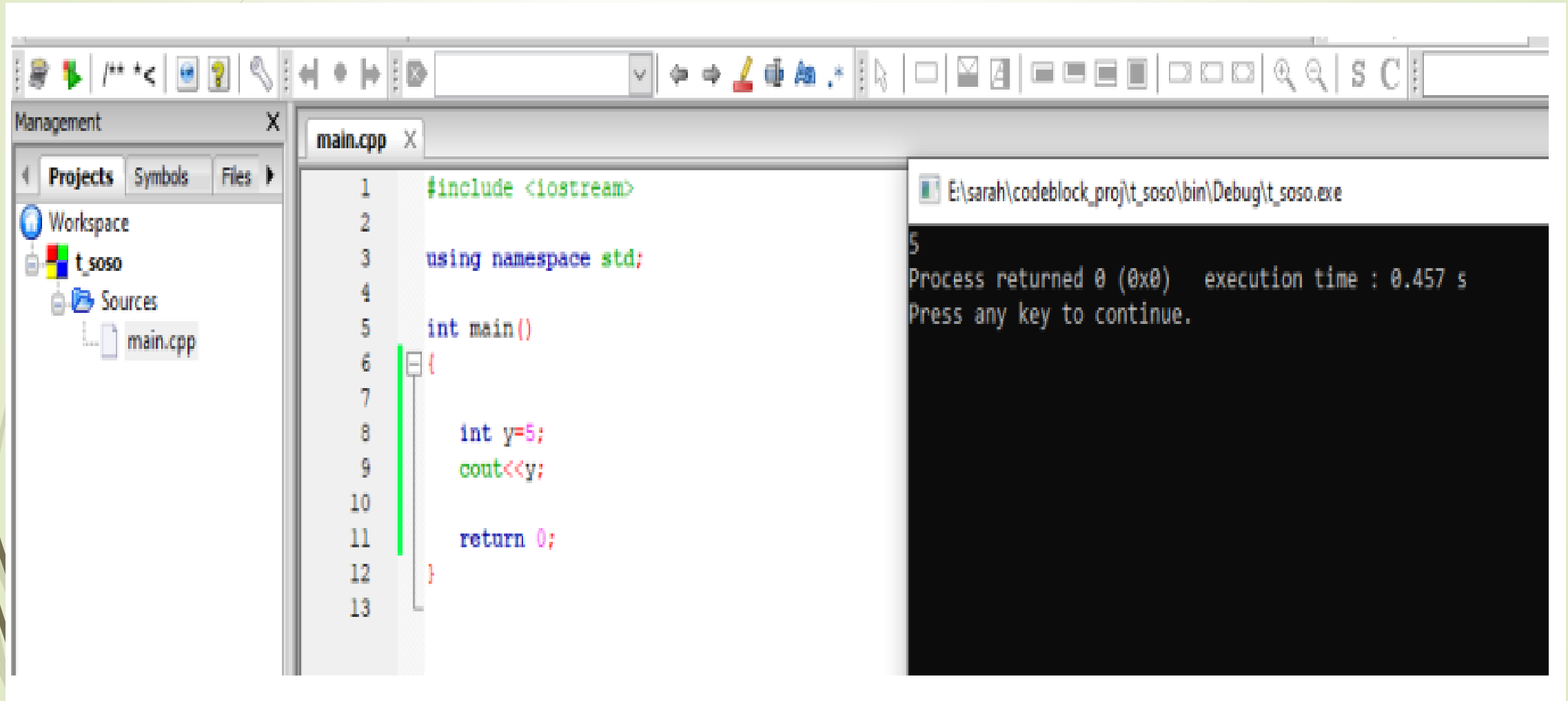
```
Enter three number to compute the average 20 100 55
the average is : 58
Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 9.378 s
Press any key to continue.
```

Operator Shorthand(Assignment)

- Assignment operators are used to assign values to variables.

Operator	Example	Same As
=	x = 5	x = 5
+=	x += 3	x = x + 3
-=	x -= 3	x = x - 3
*=	x *= 3	x = x * 3
/=	x /= 3	x = x / 3
%=	x %= 3	x = x % 3

In the example below, we use the assignment operator (=) to assign the value 5 to a variable called x:



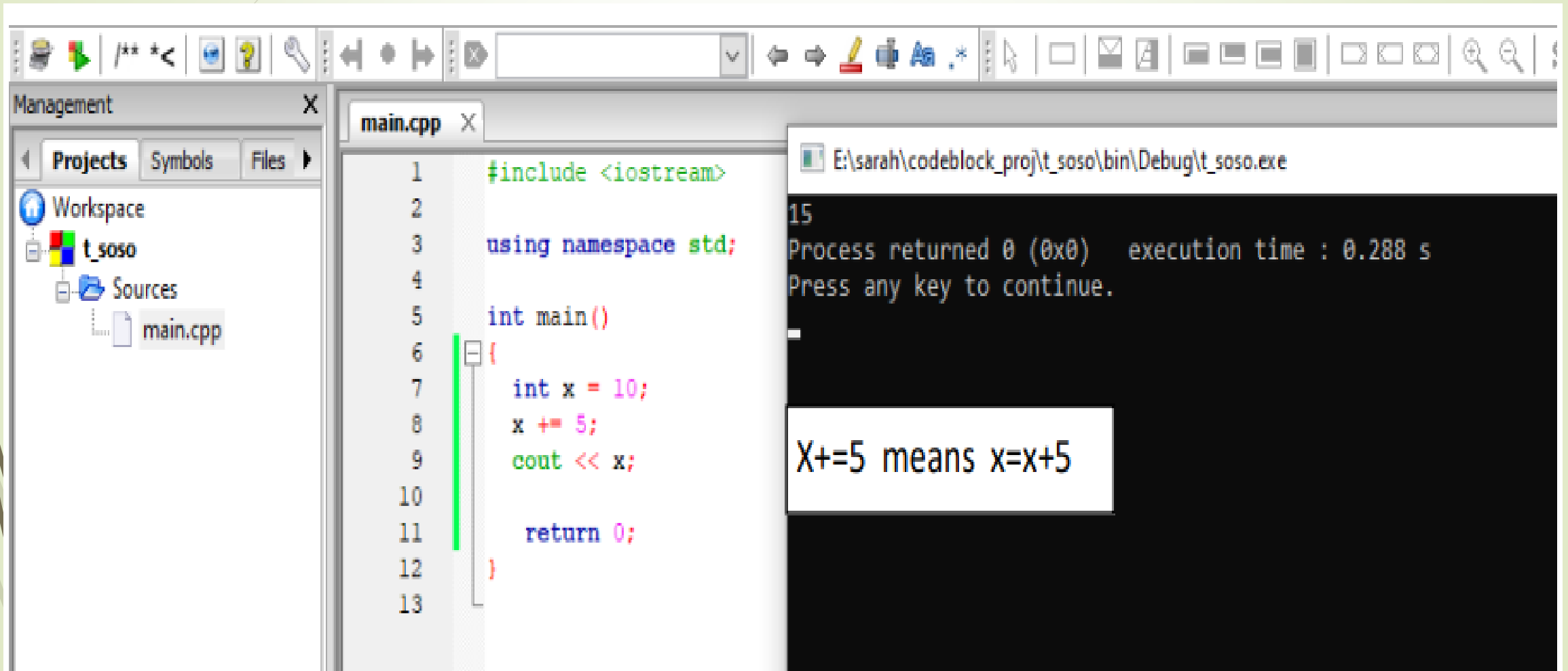
The screenshot displays the Code::Blocks IDE interface. On the left, the 'Management' pane shows a project named 't_soso' with a source file 'main.cpp'. The main editor window shows the following C++ code:

```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7
8      int y=5;
9      cout<<y;
10
11     return 0;
12 }
13
```

On the right, a terminal window titled 'E:\sarah\codeblock_proj\t_soso\bin\Debug\t_soso.exe' shows the output of the program:

```
5
Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 0.457 s
Press any key to continue.
```

The addition assignment operator ($+=$) adds a value to a variable:



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```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7      int x = 10;
8      x += 5;
9      cout << x;
10
11     return 0;
12 }
13
```

On the right, a terminal window titled 'E:\sarah\codeblock_proj\t_soso\bin\Debug\t_soso.exe' shows the program's output:

```
15
Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 0.288 s
Press any key to continue.
-
```

A white text box is overlaid on the terminal output, stating: $x+=5$ means $x=x+5$.

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

```
int main() {
    int x = 5;
    x *= 3;
    cout << x;
    return 0;
}
```

15

Example 3:

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

```
int main() {
    double x = 5;
    x /= 3;
    cout << x;
    return 0;
}
```

1.66667

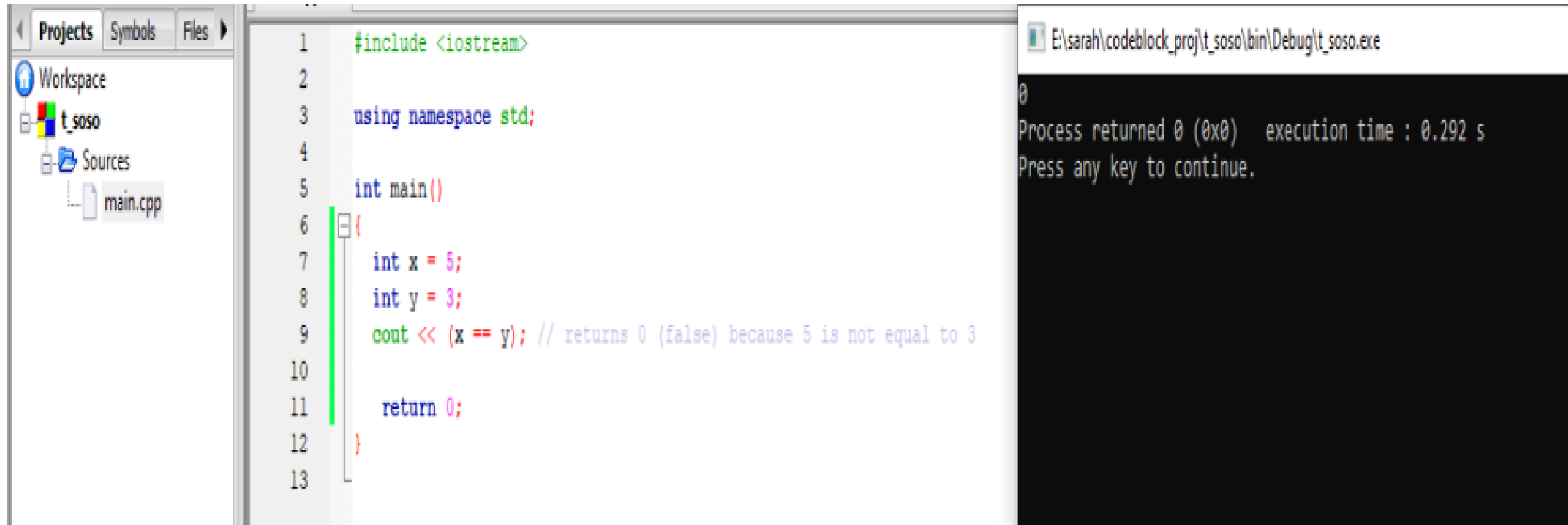
Comparison Operators

- In order to evaluate a comparison between two expressions we can use the relational and equality operators. The result of a relational operation is a Boolean value that can only be true or false, according to its Boolean result.
- Comparison operators are used to compare two values. Note: The return value of a comparison is either true (1) or false (0).

A list of all comparison operators:

Operator	Name	Example
==	Equal to	x == y
!=	Not equal	x != y
>	Greater than	x > y
<	Less than	x < y
>=	Greater than or equal to	x >= y
<=	Less than or equal to	x <= y

Example1:



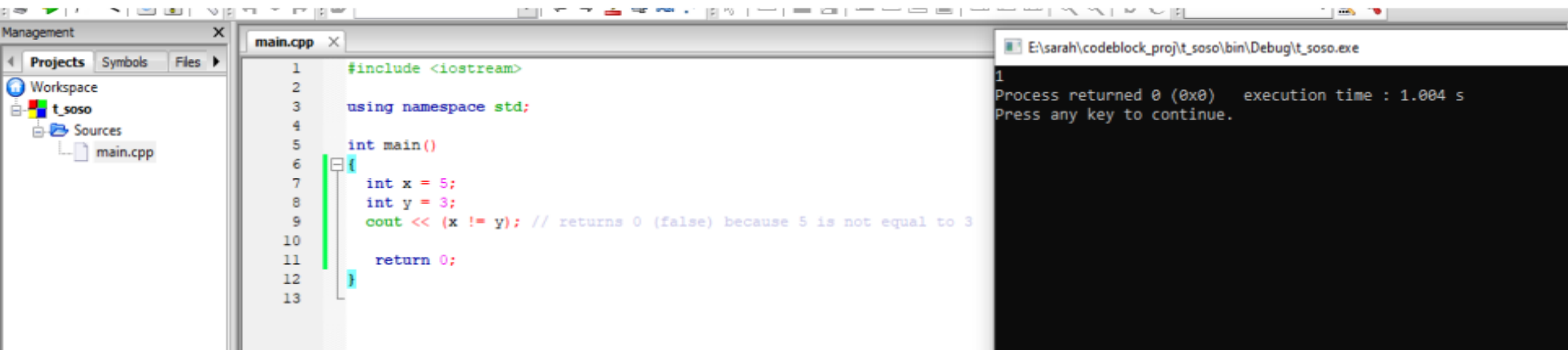
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```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7      int x = 5;
8      int y = 3;
9      cout << (x == y); // returns 0 (false) because 5 is not equal to 3
10
11     return 0;
12 }
13
```

To the right, a debug console window titled 'E:\sarah\codeblock_proj\t_soso\bin\Debug\t_soso.exe' shows the output of the program:

```
0
Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 0.292 s
Press any key to continue.
```

Example2:



```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7      int x = 5;
8      int y = 3;
9      cout << (x != y); // returns 0 (false) because 5 is not equal to 3
10
11      return 0;
12  }
13
```

Process returned 0 (0x0) execution time : 1.004 s
Press any key to continue.

Example 3

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

int main() {
    int x = 5;
    int y = 3;
    cout << (x > y); // returns 1 (true) because 5 is greater than 3
    return 0;
}
```

1



```
1
2
3
4 int main() {
5     int a, b;
6     a = 3;
7     b = 5;
8     bool result;
9
10    result = (a == b);    // false
11    cout << "3 == 5 is " << result << endl;
12
13    result = (a != b);    // true
14    cout << "3 != 5 is " << result << endl;
15
16    result = a > b;    // false
17    cout << "3 > 5 is " << result << endl;
18
19    result = a < b;    // true
20    cout << "3 < 5 is " << result << endl;
21
22    result = a >= b;    // false
23    cout << "3 >= 5 is " << result << endl;
24
25    result = a <= b;    // true
26    cout << "3 <= 5 is " << result << endl;
27
```

^ /tmp/TMLJL7aFRY.o

3 == 5 is 0

3 != 5 is 1

3 > 5 is 0

3 < 5 is 1

3 >= 5 is 0

3 <= 5 is 1

Logical Operators

Operator	Name	Description	Example
&&	Logical and	Returns true if both statements are true	<code>x < 5 && x < 10</code>
	Logical or	Returns true if one of the statements is true	<code>x < 5 x < 4</code>
!	Logical not	Reverse the result, returns false if the result is true	<code>!(x < 5 && x < 10)</code>

Example for And &&

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
using namespace std;
```

```
int main()
```

```
{
```

```
    int y=10;
```

```
    int v=-5;
```

```
    if( y>0 &&v>0 ){
```

```
        cout<< y/v;
```

```
    }
```

```
    else{
```

```
        cout<<" there is a negative value";
```

```
    }
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

E:\sarah\codeblock_proj\eee\bin\Debug\eee.exe

there is a negative value

Process returned 0 (0x0) execution time : 0.174 s

Press any key to continue.

Example :Or ||

main.cpp X

```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7      string grade;
8      int score;
9      cout<<"enter grade and  score"<<endl;
10     cin>>grade >>score;
11
12     if(grade=="good" || score>=65){
13         cout<<"you passed and go to the next step";
14     }
15     else{
16
17         cout<<"please try again";
18     }
19
20     return 0;
21 }
22
```

E:\sarah\codeblock_proj\eee\bin\Debug\eee.exe

```
enter grade and  score
good 70
you passed and go to the next step
Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 13.834 s
Press any key to continue.
```

Example for Not

```
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7
8      int num1, num2;
9      float res;
10     cout<<"enter num1 and num2"<<endl;
11     cin>>num1>>num2 ;
12
13     if((num1>=10) && !(num2==0)){
14         res=num1/num2;
15         cout<<res;
16     }
17     else{
18
19         cout<<"retype num2 not equal zero";
20     }
21
22     return 0;
23 }
24
```

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enter num1 and num2

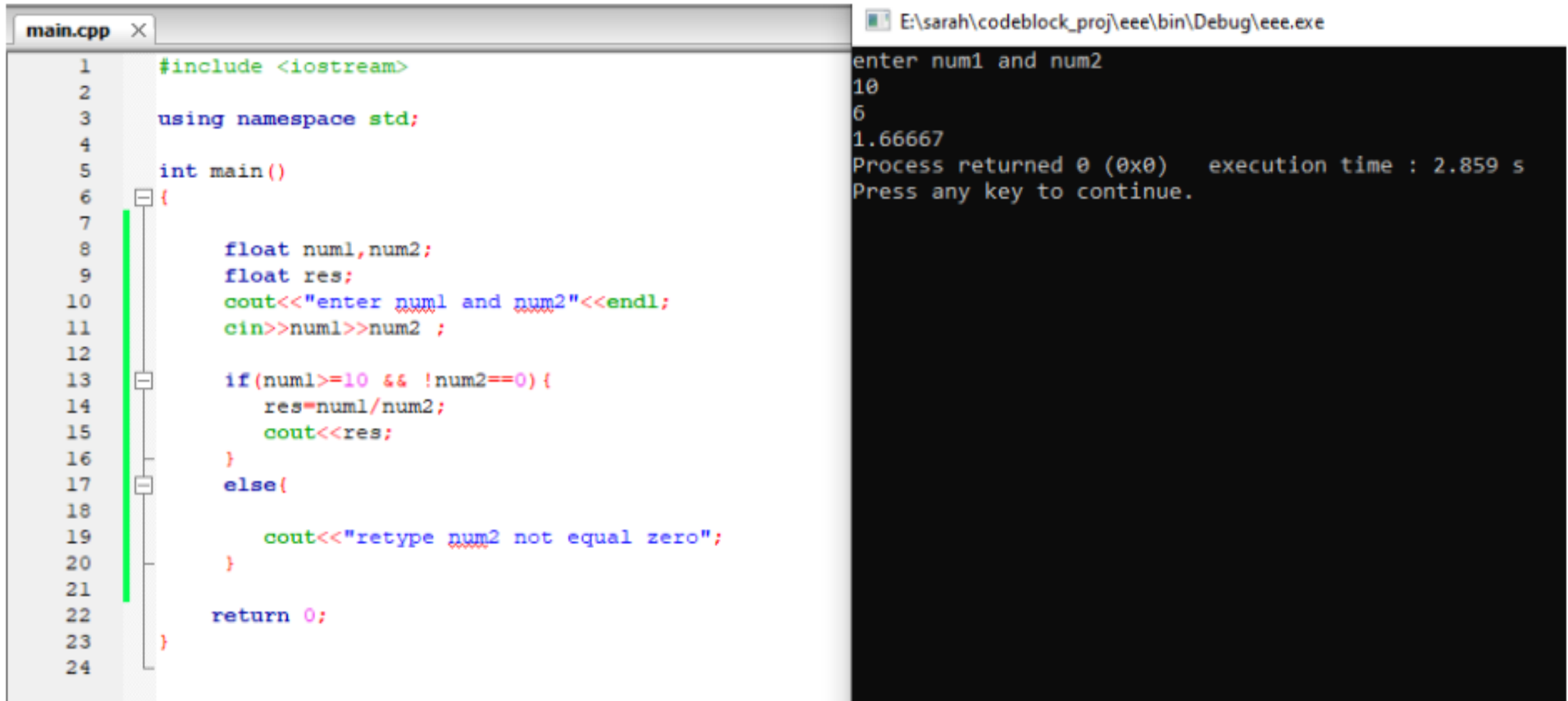
10 5

2

Process returned 0 (0x0) execution time : 5.899 s

Press any key to continue.

This also right



```
main.cpp X
1  #include <iostream>
2
3  using namespace std;
4
5  int main()
6  {
7
8      float num1, num2;
9      float res;
10     cout<<"enter num1 and num2"<<endl;
11     cin>>num1>>num2 ;
12
13     if(num1>=10 && !num2==0){
14         res=num1/num2;
15         cout<<res;
16     }
17     else{
18
19         cout<<"retype num2 not equal zero";
20     }
21
22     return 0;
23 }
24
```

```
E:\sarah\codeblock_proj\eee\bin\Debug\eee.exe
enter num1 and num2
10
6
1.66667
Process returned 0 (0x0)   execution time : 2.859 s
Press any key to continue.
```

AND

- Boolean expressions can be combined into more complex expressions with
 - `&&` -- The AND operator
 - True if both expressions are true
 - ❖ Syntax: `(Comparison_1) && (Comparison_2)`
- Example: `if ((2 < x) && (x < 7))`
 - ❑ True only if `x` is between 2 and 7
 - ❑ Inside parentheses are optional but enhance meaning

OR

- `||` :The OR operator (no space!)
 - True if either or both expressions are true
- Syntax: `(Comparison_1) || (Comparison_2)`
- Example: `if ((x == 1) || (x == y))`
 - ❑ True if x contains 1
 - ❑ True if x contains the same value as y
 - ❑ True if both comparisons are true

NOT

- ➡ ! -- negates any Boolean expression
 - ➡ !(x < y)
 - ➡ True if x is NOT less than y
 - ➡ !(x == y)
 - ➡ True if x is NOT equal to y
- ➡ ! Operator can make expressions difficult to understand...use only when appropriate


Inequalities

- Be careful translating inequalities to C++
- if $x < y < z$ translates as

if ((x < y) && (y < z))

NOT

if (x < y < z)



```
int main()
```

```
{
```

```
    int y=5;
```

```
    int c=33, z=10;
```

```
    if (y<c && c<z ) {
```

```
        cout<<"true:";
```

```
    }
```

```
    else {
```

```
        cout<<"false:";
```

```
    }
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

Example

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

int main() {
    int a, b;

    // 2 is assigned to a
    a = 2;

    // 7 is assigned to b
    b = 7;

    cout << "a = " << a << endl;
    cout << "b = " << b << endl;
    cout << "\nAfter a += b;" << endl;

    // assigning the sum of a and b to a
    a += b; // a = a + b
    cout << "a = " << a << endl;

    return 0;
}
```

Output

```
a = 2
b = 7
```

```
After a += b;
a = 9
```


Conditional operator (?)

- The conditional operator evaluates an expression returning a value if that expression is true and a different one if the expression is evaluated as false. Its format is:

```
condition ? result1 : result2
```

If condition is true the expression will return result1, if it is not it will return result2.

```
7==5 ? 4 : 3    // returns 3, since 7 is not equal to 5.  
7==5+2 ? 4 : 3  // returns 4, since 7 is equal to 5+2.  
5>3 ? a : b     // returns the value of a, since 5 is greater than 3.  
a>b ? a : b     // returns whichever is greater, a or b.
```



```
// conditional operator
```

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

```
int main ()  
{  
    int a,b,c;  
  
    a=2;  
    b=7;  
    c = (a>b) ? a : b;  
  
    cout << c;  
  
    return 0;  
}
```

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C++ Program to Find the Size of a Data Types

```
int main() {  
  
    int integerType;  
    char charType;  
    float floatType;  
    double doubleType;  
  
    // Calculate and Print  
    // the size of integer type  
    cout << "Size of int is: " << sizeof(integerType)  
        << "\n";  
  
    // Calculate and Print  
    // the size of doubleType  
    cout << "Size of char is: " << sizeof(charType) << "\n";  
  
    // Calculate and Print  
    // the size of charType  
    cout << "Size of float is: " << sizeof(floatType)  
        << "\n";  
  
    // Calculate and Print  
    // the size of floatType  
    cout << "Size of double is: " << sizeof(doubleType)  
        << "\n";  
  
    return 0;  
}
```

D:\app\dody\bin\Debug\dody.exe

```
Size of int is: 4  
Size of char is: 1  
Size of float is: 4  
Size of double is: 8
```

```
Process returned 0 (0x0)   executi  
Press any key to continue.
```

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