

# CSCI 200: Foundational Programming Concepts & Design

## Lecture 07



### FUNctions

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# Previously in CSCI 200



- Debugging
  - Enable compiler warnings  
`g++ -Wall -Wextra -Werror`
  - Print Lines  
`cout << "here" << endl;`
  - gdb / lldb – Debugger
    - Enable debugging  
`g++ -g`

# Questions?



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# Learning Outcomes For Today



- Identify the parts of a function.
- Explain the difference between a parameter and an argument for a function. Discuss what can be returned from a function and what a void function is.
- Explain the meaning of the DRY principle and appropriate uses for functions.
- **SOLID**: Discuss how functions contribute towards the Principle of Single Responsibility.

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# Functions in Math



- $f(x) = 2x + 1$
- $\cos(90) = 0$
- What is the name of each?
- What is the input of each?
- What is the output of each?

# Functions are Abstractions



- Complex operations are in a “black box”
- Are reusable
  - **Don't Repeat Yourself (DRY)**: put complex operations in ONE place and reference multiple times
    - `WORM Principle`: Write Once Read Many  
(aka Write Once Use Many)
  - **Single Responsibility Principle**: Function handles one major task instead of many minor tasks
    - **S**`LID Principles`
  - **Modular**:
    - Can be moved from project to project
    - And/Or Can be replaced by a different implementation with matching interface
- Simplifies our code



# Functions we've already used



- `pow()`, `sqrt()`, `abs()`, `rand()`, `srand()`, `time()`
- Library Functions
  - You didn't write them
  - Provided for you!
- `main()`
  - User-defined Functions
  - Functions **you** create (declare & implement)

# int main()



```
int main() {  
    // do stuff  
    return 0;  
}
```

- main() is a function that takes nothing as input and returns an integer as output

# Example: volume



```
#include <iostream>

using namespace std;

int main() {
    int length(20), width(11), height(9), boxVolume;

    boxVolume = length * width * height;
    cout << "The volume is " << boxVolume << endl;

    length = length + 5;
    boxVolume = length * width * height;
    cout << "The new volume is " << boxVolume << endl;

    return 0;
}
```

# Example: volume



```
#include <iostream>

using namespace std;

int compute_volume( int l, int w, int h ) {
    return l * w * h;
}

int main() {
    int length(20), width(11), height(9), boxVolume;
    boxVolume = compute_volume( length, width, height );
    cout << "The volume is " << boxVolume << endl;
    length = length + 5;
    boxVolume = compute_volume( length, width, height );
    cout << "The new volume is " << boxVolume << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

# Anatomy of a Function



Function Header

```
int compute_volume( int l, int w, int h ) {  
    return l * w * h;  
}
```

Function Body

Function Definition

# Function Header



- `compute_volume()` is a function that accepts three ints as input and returns an int as output

```
int compute_volume( int l, int w, int h )
```

↑  
Return Type  
(output)

↑  
Name

↑  
Parameters  
(input)

# Three Ways To Declare Functions



1. Above `main()`
  - (Today)
2. Declare prototype, then definition
3. Use an external file

# Example: volume



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

```
int compute_volume( int l, int w, int h ) {
    return l * w * h;
}
```

```
int main() {
    int length(20), width(11), height(9);

    cout << "The volume is "
         << compute_volume( length, width, height ) << endl;

    return 0;
}
```



# Function Rules



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

Return Type matches return value

```
int compute_volume( int l, int w, int h ) {
    int v;
    v = l * w * h;
    return v;
}
```

Function input (arguments) match parameters

```
int main() {
    int length(20), width(11), height(9);
    int boxVolume = compute_volume( length, width, height );
    cout << "The volume is " << boxVolume << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

# void Functions



- If no output is needed from the function, use special data type **void**
- **return** statement in function is optional

```
void print_smiley() {  
    cout << ":)" << endl;  
    return;  
}
```

# Function Documentation



```
/**
 * @brief adds two values together
 * @param x left hand value
 * @param y right hand value
 * @return sum of x and y
 */
int add( int x, int y ) {
    return x + y;
}
```

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# Parameters & Arguments



- Function `add()` takes two `int` parameters `x` and `y`

```
int add( int x, int y ) {  
    return x + y;  
}
```

# Parameters & Arguments



- “I call the add() function passing it two int arguments a and b”

```
int add( int x, int y ) {  
    return x + y;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int a(2), b(3);  
    cout << "2+3 is " << add(a, b) << endl;  
    return 0;  
}
```

# Parameters & Arguments



- A function specifies parameters for input
- A function call passes arguments as input

```
int add( int x, int y ) {  
    return x + y;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int a(2), b(3);  
    cout << "2+3 is " << add(a, b) << endl;  
    return 0;  
}
```

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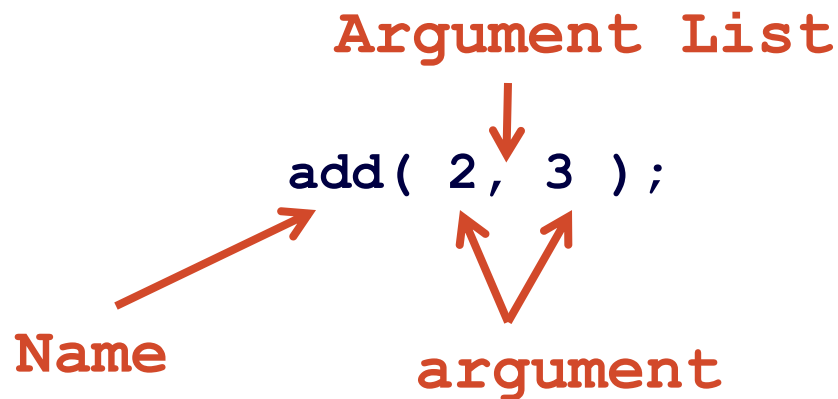
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# Calling a function



- Call / Use / Invoke a function



- “We call add, passing it two integer arguments”
  - We know because of documentation or the function header

# Pass By Value



- Primitive arguments are passed by value

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int add( int x, int y ) {  
    return x + y;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int a(2), b(3);  
    cout << "2+3 is " << add(a, b) << endl;  
    return 0;  
}
```

- When evaluating the function, x & y have a value of 2 & 3 respectively

# Precedence Table

Precedence	Operator	Associativity
1	Parenthesis: ( )	Innermost First
2	Postfix Unary Operators: a++ a-- f()	Left to Right
3	Prefix Unary Operators: ++a --a +a -a !a (type)a &a	Right to Left
4	Binary Operators: a*b a/b a%b	Left to Right
5	Binary Operators: a+b a-b	Left to Right
6	Relational Operators: a<b a>b a<=b a>=b	Left to Right
7	Relational Operators: a==b a!=b	Left to Right
8	Logical Operators: a&&b	Left to Right
9	Logical Operators: a  b	Left to Right
10	Assignment Operators: a=b a+=b a-=b a*=b a/=b a%=b	Right to Left

# Will this compile?



```
void fake_function( int x, y ) {  
    // it does something  
    return;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int a, b;  
    fake_function( a, b );  
    return 0;  
}
```

# Will this compile?



```
void fake_function( int x, int y ) {  
    // it does something  
    return;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int a(4), b(7);  
    fake_function( a, b );  
    return 0;  
}
```

# Will this compile?



```
int fake_function( int x, int y ) {  
    // it does something  
    return x, y;  
}  
  
int main() {  
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    fake_function( a, b );  
    return 0;  
}
```

# Will this compile?



```
int fake_function( int x, int y ) {  
    // it does something  
    return x; ;-y;  
}  
  
int main() {  
    int a(4), b(7);  
    fake_function( a, b );  
    return 0;  
}
```

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# To Do for Next Time



- Work on L2A

# Structured Programming Quiz



- Make Canvas Full Screen
  - Put everything else away
- Access Code:
- 12 Minutes

