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CSCI 200 - Fall 2023

Foundational Programming Concepts & Design

Style Guidelines

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```
// this is a single line comment

/*
 * this is a block comment that
 * can span several lines
 */

// place all header files you've written together, in alphabetical order
// include only the header files you need
#include "AbstractClass.h"
#include "Class.h"
#include "ConcreteClass.h"
#include "Functions.h"
#include "Template.hpp"

// place all C++ standard libraries together, in alphabetical order
// include only the libraries you need
#include <fstream>           // for file streams (ifstream, ofstream)
#include <iomanip>           // for I/O Manipulators (precision, aligning, etc.)
#include <iostream>         // for standard input/output
#include <string>            // for string library
#include <vector>            // for vector library
using namespace std;       // we are using the standard namespace

// place all C standard libraries together, in alphabetical order
```

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#include <cstdlib>           // for srand(), rand()
#include <ctime>              // for time()

/*
 * any variables defined above main() are in global scope and can be
 * accessed anywhere. This is generally BAD.
 * Only declare & define constants in global scope.
 * Constants are named using UPPER_SNAKE_CASE to denote it as an
 * immutable value
 */
const double PI_VALUE = 3.1415926535;

// structs are named using UpperCamelCase to denote it is a datatype
struct Classroom {
    string buildingName;
    int roomNumber;
};

// every program must have a main() function
// - it is the entry point to our program
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) { // the curly brace begins a new code block
    srand( (unsigned int)time(0) ); // seed the RNG - do this once per program as first st

    // indent the contents of a code block two spaces length

    // main() accepts parameters corresponding to the command line arguments
    // used to call and start the program
    // argc holds how many arguments there are
    cout << "Program run with " << argc << " arguments:" << endl;
    for(int i = 0; i < argc; i++) {
        // argv contains each argument in an array of C-strings
        cout << "\t" << i << ": " << argv[i] << endl;
    }

    // Template for variable declaration
    // anything inside of [brackets] is optional
    // Version1: [modifiers] dataType identifierName [= initialValue];
    // Version2: [modifiers] dataType identifierName[(initialValue)];

    int ageOfColosseum;           // declare a variable
                                // use lowerCamelCase to make a descriptive variable n
    ageOfColosseum = 1940;        // define a variable (assign a value)

    int numRomanEmperors = 71;    // declare and define a variable in one line

    const int VATICAN_BUILT = 1626; // declare and define a constant
                                // must define a constant when it is declared
                                // use UPPER_SNAKE_CASE to make a descriptive constant

    // declare (and define) multiple variables of the same type at once
    char firstInitial = 'I', secondInitial('T'), currentEmperorInitial;

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cout << "There have been " << numRomanEmperors << " emperors and the current is "
    << currentEmperorInitial << "." << secondInitial << "."
    << endl;

cout << "The Colosseum was built in 70-80 A.D. and is "
    << ageOfColosseum << " years old." << endl;
cout << endl;

// when prompting the user to enter a value via cin, precede the input with a prompt
// using cout so the user knows what to enter
int currentYear;
cout << "Please enter the current 4 digit year (e.g. 1999): ";
cin >> currentYear;
cout << "St. Peter's Basilica was built in " << VATICAN_BUILT
    << " and is " << (currentYear - VATICAN_BUILT) << " years old." << endl;

if( currentYear >= 2400 ) {
    // indent the contents of a new code block
    cout << "Duck Dodgers of the 24th and a Half Century!" << endl;
} else if( currentYear >= 2000 ) { // place else if and else on the same line the pr
    cout << "In the year 2000, robots will do 80% of the work. - Conan O'Brien." << endl;
} else {
    // use curly braces to denote a code block for if/else if/else even if the code
    // block only has one statement
    cout << "Let's party like it's 1999. - Prince" << endl;
}

for( int i = 0; i < 10; i++ ) {
    // indent the contents of a new code block
    // use a code block for a for loop even if it contains only a single statement
    cout << i << endl;
}

char userResponse;
do {
    cout << "Enter a letter (q to quit): ";
    cin >> userResponse;
} while( userResponse != 'q' ); // place the while on the same line as the end of the

// be aware of floating point precision and output
cout << "PI was assigned: 3.1415926535" << endl;
cout << "Our value of PI is: " << PI_VALUE << endl;
cout << "Our value of PI is: " << setprecision(10) << PI_VALUE << endl;
cout << "Our value of PI is: " << setprecision(20) << PI_VALUE << endl;

// for function calls, add spaces within the () and after each argument
cout << "5 + 3 = " << calculator_add( 5, 3 ) << endl;
cout << "5 - 3 = " << calculator_sub( 5, 3 ) << endl;

ClassRoom lectureLab; // create a variable of our custom struct type

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cout << "The length of the building name is: "
    << lectureLab.buildingName.length() // access string functions with dot operator
    << endl;

// Template for vector declaration
//      anything inside of [brackets] is optional
// Version1: [const] vector< dataType > identifierName;
// Version2: [const] vector< dataType > identifierName[(initialSize)];
// Version3: [const] vector< dataType > identifierName[(initialSize, initialValue)];
vector<int> numbers;           // create an empty vector of integers
numbers.push_back( 5 );       // add the value 5 to the vector
numbers.at( 0 ) = 6;          // access individual elements using the at() function

Calculator fourFunctionCalc( 4.5, 3.5 ); // object names follow lowerCamelCase
cout << fourFunctionCalc.getLeftHandSide() << " + " << fourFunctionCalc.getRightHandSide()
    << fourFunctionCalc.add() << endl;
fourFunctionCalc.setLeftHandSide( 13.0 );
fourFunctionCalc.setRightHandSide( 1.5 );
cout << fourFunctionCalc.getLeftHandSide() << " / " << fourFunctionCalc.getRightHandSide()
    << fourFunctionCalc.divide() << endl;

unsigned int arraySize;
cout << "How many elements do you have? ";
cin >> arraySize;

// pointer variables begin with a p and follow lowerCamelCase style
int* pArray = new int[arraySize]; // allocate an array of integers
for( unsigned int i = 0; i < arraySize; i++ ) {
    cout << "Enter array value: ";
    cin >> pArray[i];
}
delete[] pArray; // deallocate the array of integers

cout << "3 + 4 = "
    << apply_add_operator( 3, 4 ) << endl;

cout << "\"Hello,\" + \"World\" = "
    << apply_add_operator( "Hello,", "World" ) << endl;

cout << "0.5 + 0.25 = "
    << apply_add_operator( 0.5f, 0.25f ) << endl;

AListInt* const P_list = new ArrayInt(); // declare pointer as abstract type and point at
// pointer is constant and will not point at any

try {
    P_list->insert( 0, 5 ); // list contents: 5
    P_list->insert( 1, 7 ); // list contents: 5 7
    cout << "List size is " << P_list->getSize() << endl; // prints 2
    cout << "List contents are " << P_list->toString() << endl;
    P_list->remove( 0 ); // list contents: 7
    cout << "List contents are " << P_list->toString() << endl;
}

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delete P_list;

return 0;                                // alert the OS our program exited with result 0
} // the curly brace ends the code block that it corresponds to
  // every open brace needs a matching end brace

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```

// place header guards around all your header files
// make the name of the file the name of the value to test for
// use UPPER_SNAKE_CASE for your definition value
#ifndef FUNCTIONS_H           // ask compiler if FUNCTIONS_H has been defined
#define FUNCTIONS_H          // if not, define FUNCTIONS_H

// place ALL function prototypes into the header file
// use lower_snake_case for top level free functions

/**
 * @brief adds two integers together
 * @desc Returns the integer sum of two integer parameters
 * @param x first operand to add
 * @param y second operand to add
 * @return sum of x and y
 */
int calculator_add( int x, int y );

/**
 * @brief subtracts two integers
 * @desc Returns the integer difference of y from x (x - y)
 * @param value to start with
 * @param value to subtract
 * @return difference of x and y
 */
int calculator_sub( int x, int y );

#endif // FUNCTIONS_H        // ends the corresponding #ifndef

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int calculator_add( int x, int y ) {           // function definition
    return x + y;
}

int calculator_sub( int x, int y ) {
    return x - y;
}

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```

// place header guards around all your header files
// make the name of the file the name of the value to test for
// use UPPER_SNAKE_CASE for your definition value
#ifndef TEMPLATE_HPP                // ask compiler if TEMPLATE_HPP has been defined
#define TEMPLATE_HPP                // if not, define TEMPLATE_HPP

// when a function or class is templated, its type cannot be known with the corresponding
// usage.  place the corresponding declaration and definition together in a single
// hpp file to denote
// *.h* - this is a header file containing declarations
// *.pp - this file contains definitions

// place the definitions at the top of the follow to maintain abstraction

/**
 * @brief resolves the binary plus operator for two values of the same type
 * @desc resolves the binary plus operator for two values of the same type as long
 * as the operator is defined for the correspond type
 * @param VAL_ONE left hand side of addition
 * @param VAL_TWO right hand side of addition
 * @return VAL_ONE + VAL_TWO
 */
template<typename T>
T apply_add_operator(const T VAL_ONE, const T VAL_TWO);

//-----

// place the corresponding function declarations below to maintain abstraction

template<typename T>
T apply_add_operator(const T VAL_ONE, const T VAL_TWO) {
    return VAL_ONE + VAL_TWO;
}

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```
// place header guards around all your header files
// make the name of the file the name of the value to test for
// use UPPER_SNAKE_CASE for your definition value
#ifndef CLASSNAME_H                // ask compiler if CLASSNAME_H has been defined
#define CLASSNAME_H                // if not, define CLASSNAME_H

// place a single Class declaration into its own file

class Calculator {                  // class names follow UpperCamelCase
public:
    /**
     * @brief creates a default calculator
     * @desc Creates a default calculator with both operands set to 1
     */
    Calculator();                  // provide a default constructor
    /**
     * @brief creates a default calculator
     * @desc Creates a default calculator with both operands set to 1
     * @param LHS left hand side of calculation
     * @param RHS right hand side of calculation
     */
    Calculator(const double, const double);    // provide a parameterized constructor

    // create The Big Three if appropriate for memory management
    // Calculator(const Calculator&);           // copy constructor
    // ~Calculator();                          // destructor
    // Calculator& operator=(const Calculator&); // copy assignment operator

    // create getters and setters (if appropriate) for your private data members
    /**
     * @brief return the left hand side operand
     * @return value of left hand side operand
     */
    double getLeftHandSide() const;    // getters are const functions
    /**
     * @brief set the left hand side operand
     * @param LHS value of left hand side operand
     */
    void setLeftHandSide(const double);

    /**
     * @brief return the right hand side operand
     * @return value of right hand side operand
     */
    double getRightHandSide() const;
    /**
     * @brief set the right hand side operand
     * @param RHS value of right hand side operand
     */
    void setRightHandSide(const double);
};
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    * @param RHS value of right hand side operand
    */
    void setRightHandSide(const double);

    // add any other related functions and mark as const if they do not change the callee
    /**
     * @brief return the sum of the operands
     * @return LHS + RHS
     */
    double add() const;
    /**
     * @brief return the difference of the operands
     * @return LHS - RHS
     */
    double subtract() const;
    /**
     * @brief return the product of the operands
     * @return LHS * RHS
     */
    double multiply() const;
    /**
     * @brief return the division of the operands
     * @return LHS / RHS
     */
    double divide() const;

private:
    double _leftHandSide;           // private members begin with _
    double _rightHandSide;
};

#endif // CLASSNAME_H                // ends the corresponding #ifndef

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```

#include "Class.h"                // include the file with the corresponding prototypes

Calculator::Calculator() {
    _leftHandSide = 1.0;
    _rightHandSide = 1.0;
}

Calculator::Calculator(const double LHS, const double RHS) {
    _leftHandSide = LHS;
    _rightHandSide = RHS;
}

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}

void Calculator::setLeftHandSide(const double LHS) {
    _leftHandSide = LHS;
}

double Calculator::getRightHandSide() const {
    return _rightHandSide;
}

void Calculator::setRightHandSide(const double RHS) {
    _rightHandSide = RHS;
}

double Calculator::add() const {
    return _leftHandSide + _rightHandSide;
}

double Calculator::subtract() const {
    return _leftHandSide - _rightHandSide;
}

double Calculator::multiply() const {
    return _leftHandSide * _rightHandSide;
}

double Calculator::divide() const {
    if( _rightHandSide != 0 ) {
        return _leftHandSide / _rightHandSide;
    } else {
        return 0.0;
    }
}

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```

// place header guards around all your header files
// make the name of the file the name of the value to test for
// use UPPER_SNAKE_CASE for your definition value
#ifndef COMPARABLE_H                // ask compiler if COMPARABLE_H has been defined
#define COMPARABLE_H                // if not, define COMPARABLE_H

#include <string>

// interfaces begin with an I
class IComparable {                  // class names follow UpperCamelCase
public:
    virtual ~IComparable() {}        // interfaces must have a virtual destructor

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*
* @return std::string holding the object information
*/
virtual std::string toString() const = 0;

/**
* @brief determines if two objects are equivalent
*
* @return true if objects are equivalent
* @return false otherwise
*/
virtual bool equals(const IComparable&) const = 0;
};

#endif//COMPARABLE_H

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```

// place header guards around all your header files
// make the name of the file the name of the value to test for
// use UPPER_SNAKE_CASE for your definition value
#ifndef ABSTRACT_CLASSNAME_H // ask compiler if ABSTRACT_CLASSNAME_H has been defined
#define ABSTRACT_CLASSNAME_H // if not, define ABSTRACT_CLASSNAME_H

#include "Comparable.h"

// place a single Class declaration into its own file

// abstract classes begin with an A
class AListInt : public IComparable { // class names follow UPPERCASE
public:
    /**
    * @brief initialize list size to zero
    * @desc initializes list size to zero
    */
    AListInt();

    /**
    * @brief Destroy the AListInt object
    * @desc Abstract classes must have a virtual destructor
    */
    virtual ~AListInt();

    /**

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    */
    int getSize() const;

    /**
     * @brief returns the value at a given position
     *
     * @param POS position to retrieve
     * @return int value at POS
     * @throws std::out_of_range if POS is not within [0, size)
     */
    virtual int get(const int POS) const = 0;

    /**
     * @brief add an integer value to the list
     * @desc inserts the corresponding value immediately before the specified position.
     *       list size is increased by one
     * @param POS position to insert before
     * @param VAL value to insert
     */
    virtual void insert(const int POS, const int VAL) = 0;    // create an abstract function

    /**
     * @brief removes the value at the corresponding position
     * @desc if the position is within range, removes the corresponding element. list size
     *       is decreased by one
     * @param POS position to remove at
     */
    virtual void remove(const int POS) = 0;    // create a pure virtual function with no definition

    /**
     * @brief prints the contents of the list delimited by spaces
     *
     * @return std::string string representation of list
     */
    std::string toString() const override final;

    /**
     * @brief compares if contents of lists are equivalent by checking their string representation
     *
     * @return true if strings are equal
     * @return false otherwise
     */
    bool equals(const IComparable&) const override final;

protected:
    int mSize;    // protected data members begin with m
};

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AbstractClass.cpp (Download file)

```
#include "AbstractClass.h"

#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

AListInt::AListInt() {
    cout << "AListInt() called" << endl;
    mSize = 0;
}

AListInt::~~AListInt() {
    cout << "~AListInt() called" << endl;
}

int AListInt::getSize() const {
    return mSize;
}

std::string AListInt::toString() const {
    string str = "";
    for(int i = 0; i < mSize; i++) {
        str += to_string( get(i) );
        if(i != mSize - 1) {
            str += " ";
        }
    }
    return str;
}

bool AListInt::equals(const IComparable& OTHER) const {
    return this->toString() == OTHER.toString();
}
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ConcreteClass.h (Download file)

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// make the name of the file the name of the value to test for
// use UPPER_SNAKE_CASE for your definition value
#ifndef CONCRETE_CLASSNAME_H
#define CONCRETE_CLASSNAME_H

// place a single Class declaration into its own file

#include "AbstractClass.h"

class ArrayInt final : public AListInt {    // class names follow UpperCamelCase
// use public inheritance to follow the exposed interface of the parent class
// mark concrete classes as final to close them
public:
    /**
     * @brief Construct a new ArrayInt object
     * @desc initializes a new ArrayInt
     */
    ArrayInt();

    /**
     * @brief Destroy the ArrayInt object
     * @desc deletes the internal array
     */
    ~ArrayInt();

    /**
     * @brief returns the value at a given position
     *
     * @param POS position to retrieve
     * @return int value at POS
     * @throws std::out_of_range if POS is not within [0, size)
     */
    int get(const int POS) const override final;

    /**
     * @brief add an integer value to the list
     * @desc inserts the corresponding value immediately before the specified position.
     * list size is increased by one
     * @param POS position to insert before
     * @param VAL value to insert
     */
    void insert(const int POS, const int VAL) override final;    // mark concrete functions

    /**
     * @brief removes the value at the corresponding position
     * @desc if the position is within range, removes the corresponding element. list size
     * is decreased by one
     * @param POS position to remove at
     */
    void remove(const int POS) override final;    // mark concrete functions as overridden and
private:
    int* _pArray;    // derived classes can add their own additions

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ConcreteClass.cpp (Download file)

```
#include "ConcreteClass.h"           // include the file with the corresponding prototypes

#include <exception>
#include <iostream>
#include <string>
using namespace std;

ArrayInt::ArrayInt() {
    cout << "ArrayInt() called" << endl;
    _pArray = nullptr;
}

ArrayInt::~~ArrayInt() {
    cout << "~ArrayInt() called" << endl;
    delete _pArray;
}

int ArrayInt::get(const int POS) const {
    if(_pArray == nullptr) {
        string msg = "array is uninitialized";
        throw out_of_range(msg);
    }
    if(POS < 0 || POS >= mSize) {
        string msg = to_string(POS);
        msg += " is out of range for array of length ";
        msg += to_string(mSize);
        throw out_of_range(msg);
    }
    return _pArray[POS];
}

void ArrayInt::insert(const int POS, const int VAL) {
    // provide proper implementation
    mSize++;
    if(_pArray != nullptr) _pArray[POS] = VAL;
}

void ArrayInt::remove(const int POS) {
    // provide proper implementation
    mSize--;
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Makefile (Download file)

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# COMMENTS BEGIN WITH A HASH

# THE NAME OF YOUR EXECUTABLE
TARGET = StyleGuideExample
# ALL CPP COMPILABLE IMPLEMENTATION FILES THAT MAKE UP THE PROJECT
SRC_FILES = main.cpp AbstractClass.cpp Class.cpp ConcreteClass.cpp Functions.cpp

# NO EDITS NEEDED BELOW THIS LINE

CXX = g++
CXXFLAGS = -O2
CXXFLAGS_DEBUG = -g
CXXFLAGS_ERRORS = -Werror -Wall -Wextra -Wconversion -Wdouble-promotion -Wunreachable-code
CPPVERSION = -std=c++17

OBJECTS = $(SRC_FILES:.cpp=.o)

ifeq ($(shell echo "Windows"), "Windows")
    TARGET := $(TARGET).exe
    DEL = del
    Q =
else
    DEL = rm -f
    Q = "
endif

all: $(TARGET)

$(TARGET): $(OBJECTS)
    $(CXX) -o $@ $^

.cpp.o:
    $(CXX) $(CXXFLAGS) $(CPPVERSION) $(CXXFLAGS_DEBUG) $(CXXFLAGS_ERRORS) -o $@ -c $<

clean:
    $(DEL) $(TARGET) $(OBJECTS)

depend:
    @sed -i.bak '/^# DEPENDENCIES/, $d' Makefile
    @$(DEL) sed*
    @echo $(Q)# DEPENDENCIES$(Q) >> Makefile
    @$(CXX) -MM $(SRC_FILES) >> Makefile

.PHONY: all clean depend
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