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#include "algostuff.hpp"
using namespace std;
int main()
     /* initialize source collection with ``.....abcdef.....'
      \begin{array}{l} \text{vector} & \text{char} \\ \text{source} \\ \text{(10, '.');} \\ \text{for (int c='a'; c<='f'; c++)} \end{array} \} 
          source.push_back(c);
     source.insert(source.end(),10,'.');
PRINT_ELEMENTS(source, "source: ");
     // copy all letters three elements in front of the 'a'
     vector<char> c1(source. begin(), source. end());
     copy (c1. begin()+10, c1. begin()+16, // source range
                                                      // destination range
             c1. begin()+7);
     PRINT_ELEMENTS (c1, "c1:
                                        ");
     // copy all letters three elements behind the 'f'
     vector < char > c2 (source. begin (), source. end ());
     copy_backward (c2. begin()+10, c2. begin()+16, // source range
                                                                 // destination range
                        c2. begin()+19);
     PRINT ELEMENTS (c2, "c2:
}
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