



Basic data type

■ char	8	−128 to 127
■ wchar_t	16	0 to 65,535
■ int	32	-2^{31} to $2^{31}-1$
■ float	32	$3.4E-38$ to $3.4E+38$
■ double	64	$1.7E-308$ to $1.7E+308$
■ bool	N/A	true or false
■ void		



Some Type Modifier

C++ allows the char, int, and double data types to have modifiers preceding them.

- signed
- unsigned
- long
- short



Some Type Modifier

- char, unsigned char , signed char
- int ,short int, long int
- Float (32), double(64)
- long double (80) $3.4E-4932$ to $1.1E+4932$



literal

- `wchar_t` `L'A'`
- `int` `1, 123, -234`
- `long int` `35000L, -34L`
- `unsigned int` `10000U, 987U, 40000U`
- `unsigned long` `12323UL, 900000UL`
- `float` `123.23F, 4.34e-3F`
- `double` `23.23, 123123.33, -0.9876324`
- `long double` `1001.2L`



Character Escape Sequences

- `\b` backspace
- `\f` form feed
- `\n` newline
- `\r` carriage return
- `\t` horizontal tab
- `\"` double quote
- `\'` single quote character



Character Escape Sequences

- `\\` backslash
- `\v` vertical tab
- `\a` alert
- `\?` ?
- `\N` octal constant (where N is an octal constant)
- `\xN` hexadecimal constant (where N is a hexadecimal constant)



Operators

- The precedence of the arithmetic operators is shown here:
- Highest `++`, `--`
- `-` (unary minus)
- `*`, `/`, `%`
- lowest `+`, `-`



Rules to check expression

- Unary operator > binary operator
- Look at right side of a variable. See further to right if it is a unary operator until there is a binary operator.
- The right side unary operator associativity is L to R
- Check far more left side of the variable until it is a binary operator or none .
- The left side unary operator associativity is R to L
- Check binary operator from L to R



Note

```
float x, result;
```

```
x = 1;
```

```
result = x / ++x;
```

- The value of result is not guaranteed to be consistent across different compilers, because it is not clear whether the computer should change the variable x before using it.

- **you should not use the same variable multiple times in a single expression when using operators with side effects.**



Arrays

- `type var_name[size]`



Array Initialization

`type-specifier array_name[size] = {value-list};`

- example
- `int i[10] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10};`
- `int i[] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10};`
- `char str[6] = "hello";`
- `int sqrs[3][2] = {1, 1, 2, 4, 3, 9}`
- `int sqrs[3][2] = {{1, 1},{ 2, 4},{ 3, 9}}`
- `int sqrs[][2] = {{1, 1},{ 2, 4},{ 3, 9}}`



Array Initialization -cont.

- `int i[10] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6}; ?`



pointer

- `type *name`
- `type *name[size]`
- Operator *: example `int *p; *p=5;`
- Operator &: example: `int i; int *p=&i;`



Functions

- `return_type fun_name(arg1,...)`
 - Passing Pointers and Arrays
 - Passing Strings
- Pointer to Function
 - `return_type (*pf) (arg1,...)`



Define a complex variable

- A declaration can have exactly one basic type, and it's always on the far left of the expression.
- The "basic types" are augmented with "derived types", and C has three of them:
 - `*` pointer to...
 - `[]` array of...
 - `()` function returning...



Rules

- The "array of" [] and "function returning" () type operators have higher precedence than "pointer to" *, and this leads to some fairly straightforward rules for decoding.
- Always start with the variable name
- always end with the basic type
- The "filling in the middle" part is summarize with this rule: "go right when you can, go left when you must"



Example:

`long **foo[7];`

- *foo is ... long*
- foo is *array of 7* ... long
- foo is array of 7 *pointer to* ... Long
- foo is array of 7 pointer to *pointer to* long



Example

```
int (*(*foo)())()
```

- foo is a pointer to function returning pointer to function returning int



Exaple:

```
■ char *(*(**foo [[8])()]][];
```



Answer

- foo is array of array of 8 pointer to pointer to function returning pointer to array of pointer to char



Reference Parameters

- `type &name = initial_value;`
- Normally used in function or class definition
- Return reference from function can be used as lvalue (put at the left side of equation).



Function Overloading

- See example `overload.cpp`



Default Function Arguments

- See example: `defaultparm.cpp`



Qualifiers

- `const`
- `volatile`



Storage Class Specifiers

- `register`
- `auto`
- `extern`
- `static`
- `mutable`



enumeration

- Enumerations are defined using the keyword `enum`, and this general format:
- `enum type-name { enumeration list } variable-list;`



Structures

- The general form of a structure declaration is shown here:

```
struct struct-type-name {  
    type element_name1;  
    type element_name2;  
    ...  
    type element_nameN;  
} structure-variables;
```



Example:

```
struct inv_type {  
    char item[40]; // name of item  
    double cost; // cost  
    double retail; // retail price  
    int on_hand; // amount on hand  
}
```



Bit-Fields

```
struct struct-type-name {  
    type name1 : length;  
    type name2 : length;  
    ...  
    type nameN : length;  
};
```



Example:

```
struct emp {  
    struct addr address;  
    float pay;  
    unsigned lay_off: 1; // lay off or active  
    unsigned hourly: 1; // hourly pay or wage  
    unsigned deductions: 3; // tax deductions  
};
```



Unions

Example:

```
union utype {  
    short int i;  
    char ch;  
};
```