

# CS101 End Sem Practice

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# References

```
void func(int& ref) {  
    ref = ref * 2;  
}
```

```
int main() {  
    int a = 10;  
    func(a);  
    cout << a << endl;  
}
```

# Pointers

```
void func(int* ptr) {  
    *ptr = *ptr * 2;  
}
```

```
int main() {  
    int a = 10;  
    func(&a);  
    cout << a << endl;  
}
```

So why do we need pointers?

# Arrays (*arr* is just a pointer to the first element)

```
void print(int arr[], int n){  
    for(int i=0; i<n; i++){  
        cout << arr[i] << ' '  
    }  
}
```

```
int main(){  
    int arr[] = {7, 3, 2, 5, 1};  
    print(arr, 5);  
}
```

```
void print(int *arr, int n){  
    for(int i=0; i<n; i++){  
        cout << arr[i] << ' '  
    }  
}
```

```
int main(){  
    int arr[] = {7, 3, 2, 5, 1};  
    print(arr, 5);  
}
```

# But why does arr[i] still works?

writing

`arr[i]`

is the same as writing

`*(arr+i)`



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void print(int *arr, int n){  
    for(int i=0; i<n; i++){  
        cout << arr[i] << ' '  
    }  
}
```

```
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    int arr[] = {7, 3, 2, 5, 1};  
    print(arr, 5);  
}
```

`arr[i]` is the same as writing `i[arr]`

# Return an array

```
int* copyArr(int arr[]){
    int newArr[5];
    for(int i=0; i<5; i++){
        newArr[i] = arr[i];
    }
    return newArr;
}

int main(){
    int a[5] = {4, 3, 5, 7, 9};
    int *b;
    b = copyArr(a);
    for(int i=0; i<5; i++){
        cout << b[i] << ' ';
    }
}
```

a) 4 3 5 7 9

b) 0 0 0 0 0

c) Prints 5 garbage values

d) Unpredictable Behaviour

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    for(int i=0; i<5; i++){  
        newArr[i] = arr[i];  
    }  
    return newArr;  
}  
  
int main(){  
    int a[5] = {4, 3, 5, 7, 9};  
    int *b;  
    b = copyArr(a);  
    for(int i=0; i<5; i++){  
        cout << b[i] << ' ' ;  
    }  
}
```

But why?

The new array in the function was deleted as soon as the function ended

a) 4 3 5 7 9

b) 0 0 0 0 0

c) Prints 5 garbage values

d) Unpredictable Behaviour

# How can we fix this?

```
int* copyArr(int arr[]){
    int newArr[5];
    for(int i=0; i<5; i++){
        newArr[i] = arr[i];
    }
    return newArr;
}

int main(){
    int a[5] = {4, 3, 5, 7, 9};
    int *b;
    b = copyArr(a);
    for(int i=0; i<5; i++){
        cout << b[i] << ' ' ;
    }
}
```

# Dynamic Memory Allocation

```
int* copyArr(int arr[]){
    int* newArr = new int[5];
    for(int i=0; i<5; i++){
        newArr[i] = arr[i];
    }
    return newArr;
}

int main(){
    int a[5] = {4, 3, 5, 7, 9};
    int *b;
    b = copyArr(a);
    for(int i=0; i<5; i++){
        cout << b[i] << ' ' ;
    }
    delete[] b;
}
```



# Question - Pointers and Address

```
int main() {  
    int arr[5] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};  
    for(int i=0; i<6; i++){  
        cout << arr+i << ' ' << ' ' << endl;  
    }  
    cout << endl;  
  
    cout << arr << endl;  
    cout << &arr << endl;  
    cout << arr+1 << endl;  
    cout << (&arr)+1 << endl;  
}
```

## Output

0x61fef8 0x61fefc 0x61ff00 0x61ff04 0x61ff08 0x61ff0c

**Predict the next 4 lines of output**

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c	0x61fef8 0x61fef8 0x61fefc 0x61ff0c	d	0x61fef8 Random Address 0x61fefc Random Address

# Solution

```
int main() {  
    int arr[5] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};  
    for(int i=0; i<6; i++){  
        cout << arr+i << ' ' << ' ' << endl;  
    }  
    cout << endl;  
  
    cout << arr << endl;  
    cout << &arr << endl;  
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}
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void func(int* arr){
    cout << arr << endl;
    cout << &arr << endl;
    cout << arr+1 << endl;
    cout << (&arr)+1 << endl;
}

int main(){
    int arr[5] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};
    for(int i=0; i<6; i++){
        cout << arr+i << ' ';
    }

    cout << endl;
    func(arr);
}
```

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}

int main(){
    int arr[5] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};
    for(int i=0; i<6; i++){
        cout << arr+i << ' ';
    }

    cout << endl;
    func(arr);
}
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# Vectors

A vector in C++ is like a resizable array.

How can we initialize vectors?

```
vector<int> first;
```

```
vector<int> second (10);
```

```
vector<int> third (10, 5);
```

```
vector<int> fourth (third);
```

# Vector : Member Functions

```
vector<int> arr;
```

```
arr.resize(5, 10);
```

```
arr[3];
```

```
arr.size();
```

```
arr.empty();    // arr.size() == 0
```

```
arr.front();    // arr[0]
```

```
arr.back();     // arr[arr.size()-1]
```

```
arr.push_back(8);
```

```
arr.pop_back();
```

```
arr.clear();
```

# Pairs

A data structure consisting of two member elements (both can be of different types).

Member variables can be accessed using “first” and “second”.

```
std::pair<int, int> a = {5, 6};  
auto b = std::make_pair(8, "hello");  
std::cout << a.first << " " << a.second << std::endl; // prints 5 6  
std::cout << b.first << " " << b.second << std::endl; // prints 8 hello
```

# Question - Matrix Transpose

Fill in the blanks. Given below is a function to compute the transpose of a given 2D matrix.

```
vector<vector<int>> transpose(const vector<vector<int>> &M) {  
    vector<vector<int>> MT(_____, vector<int>(_____));  
    for (int i = 0; i < _____; i++)  
        for (int j = 0; j < _____; j++)  
            MT[j][i] = M[i][j];  
    return MT;  
}
```



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    for (int i = 0; i < ____; i++)  
        for (int j = 0; j < ____; j++)  
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        for (int j = 0; j < M[0].size(); j++)  
            MT[j][i] = M[i][j];  
    return MT;  
}
```

# Question - Two Sum

Given a vector of  $n$  integers and a target value, find the number of pairs of integers in the vector whose sum is equal to target.

For example, if  $v=\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$  and  $\text{target}=6$ , there are 2 pairs as follows:

- 1 5
- 2 4

Note: Naive solution with nested for loops will not pass the test cases with larger  $n$

```
#include <map>
#include <vector>

using std::map;
using std::vector;

int countPairs(vector<int> &v, int
target) {
    // TODO: Complete this function
    return 0; // dummy return
}
```

# Solution - Two Sum by brute force

Given a vector of  $n$  integers and a target value, find the number of pairs of integers in the vector whose sum is equal to target.

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```
int countPairs(vector<int> &v, int
target) {
    int count = 0;
    for (int i=0; i<v.size(); i++)
        for (int j=0; j<v.size();
j++)
            if (v[i] + v[j] ==
target)
                count++;
    return count;
}
```

# Solution - Two Sum using maps

Given a vector of  $n$  integers and a target value, find the number of pairs of integers in the vector whose sum is equal to target.

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```
int countPairs(vector<int> &v, int
target) {
    map<int, int> freq;
    int count = 0;
    for (int x : v) {
        int complement = target - x;
        count += freq[complement];
        freq[x]++;
    }
    return count;
}
```

What if complement or  $x$  don't already exist in `freq`?  
Any new key is initialized with a value of 0 by default

# Question - Dice Combinations

Count the number of ways to construct sum  $n$  by throwing a dice one or more times. Each throw produces an outcome between 1 and 6.

For example, if  $n=3$ , there are 4 ways:

- 1+1+1
- 1+2
- 2+1
- 3

```
int diceCmb(int n) {  
    if (_____)   
        return 1;  
  
    if (_____)   
        return 0;  
  
    return _____;  
}
```

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```
int diceCmb(int n) {  
    if (_____)  
        return 1;  
  
    if (_____)  
        return 0;  
  
    return diceCmb(n - 1)  
        + diceCmb(n - 2)  
        + diceCmb(n - 3)  
        + diceCmb(n - 4)  
        + diceCmb(n - 5)  
        + diceCmb(n - 6);  
}
```

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- 2+1
- 3

```
int diceCmb(int n) {  
    if (n == 0)  
        return 1;  
    if (n < 0)  
        return 0;  
    return diceCmb(n - 1)  
        + diceCmb(n - 2)  
        + diceCmb(n - 3)  
        + diceCmb(n - 4)  
        + diceCmb(n - 5)  
        + diceCmb(n - 6);  
}
```



# Solution - Dice Combinations with Memoization

```
#include <vector>
std::vector<int> memo;
// memo.resize(n, -1); // to be done in main
int diceCmb(int n) {
    if (n == 0)
        return 1;
    if (n < 0)
        return 0;
    if (memo[n] != -1)
        return memo[n];
    memo[n] = diceCmb(n - 1) + diceCmb(n - 2) + diceCmb(n - 3) +
              diceCmb(n - 4) + diceCmb(n - 5) + diceCmb(n - 6);
    return memo[n];
}
```

New vector to act  
as the memo

If n is found in memo, i.e.,  
if memo[n] is not -1, then  
our answer is memo[n]

Otherwise, compute the  
answer as usual and  
store it as memo[n]

# Classes

```
class Account{
    public:
        string accHolderName;
        int balance;
        vector<string> transactions;
};

int main(){
    Account acc;

    acc.accHolderName = "Alex";
    acc.balance = 0;

    acc.transactions.push_back("Init with Rs 0")
}
```

# Constructors

```
class Account{
    private:
        string accHolderName;
        int balance;
        vector<string> transactions;
    public:
        Account(string holderName){
            accHolderName = holderName;
            balance = 0;
            transactions.push_back("Init with Rs 0");
        }
};

int main(){
    Account acc ("Alex");
}
```

```

struct Node{
    int val;
    Node* next;

    Node(int value): val(value) {};
};

int counter = 53;

void addNode(Node &first){
    Node second (counter++);

    first.next = &second;
}

```

## Predict the output !!

a) 53 54	c) 53 0
b) 54 55	d) Unpredictable Behaviour

```

int main(){
    Node head (counter++);

    addNode(head);

    cout << head.val << endl;
    cout << head.next->val << endl;
}

```

```
struct Node{
    int val;
    Node* next;

    Node(int value): val(value) {};
};

int counter = 53;

void addNode(Node &first){
    Node* second = new Node (counter++);
    first.next = second;
}
```

## Solution:

### Make the node dynamically

Ideally the head node should also be defined dynamically  
And we should delete the memory we took at the end of the code

```
int main() {
    Node head (counter++);

    addNode (head);

    cout << head.val << endl;
    cout << head.next->val << endl;
}
```

# Question - Swapping function

Choose ALL the correct options to fill in the blanks

```
void swap(__ blank A__) {  
    __ blank B __;  
    temp = a;  
    a = b;  
    b = temp;  
}  
  
main_program {  
    int x = 0; y = 1;  
    swap(__ blank C __);  
    cout << x << " " << y << endl;  
}
```

- A) int a, int b  
int temp  
x, y
- B) int &a, int &b  
int \*temp  
x, y
- C) int \*a, int \*b  
int \*temp  
&x, &y
- D) int \*a, int \*b  
int temp  
&x, &y

# Solution - Swapping function

## Answer (b)

```
void swap(__ blank A__) {  
    __ blank B __;  
    temp = a;  
    a = b;  
    b = temp;  
}
```

```
main_program {  
    int x = 0; y = 1;  
    swap(__ blank C __);  
    cout << x << " " << y << endl;  
}
```

```
int &a, int &b  
int *temp  
x, y
```

## Question - Linked List

Implement a Linked List with methods to insert, remove and clear the list

Also, three different constructors (default, construct with an array and a vector), a copy constructor and a destructor for the List

Also, implement the += operator and the ostream << operator for the Linked List

# Solution - Linked List

```
#include <vector>
#include <iostream>

struct Node {
    int data;
    Node* next;
};

class LinkedList{
public:
    Node* head;
    Node* tail;
    int size;

    LinkedList();
    LinkedList(int data[], int len);

    LinkedList(std::vector<int> data);
    LinkedList(const LinkedList &list);
    ~LinkedList();

    void insert(int data);
    void remove(int data);
    void clear();

    LinkedList &operator+=(const LinkedList &list);
    friend std::ostream &operator<<(std::ostream &os,
    LinkedList &list);
};
```



# Solution - Linked List

```
void LinkedList::insert(int data){
    Node* newNode = new Node();
    newNode->data = data;
    newNode->next = nullptr;
    if(head == nullptr){
        head = newNode;
        tail = newNode;
    }else{
        tail->next = newNode;
        tail = newNode;
    }
    size++;
}
```

# Solution - Linked List

```
void LinkedList::remove(int data) {
    Node* current = head;
    Node* previous = nullptr;
    while (current != nullptr) {
        if (current->data == data) {
            if (previous == nullptr) {
                head = current->next;
            } else {
                previous->next = current->next;
            }
            size--;
            return;
        }
        previous = current;
        current = current->next;
    }
}
```

# Solution - Linked List

```
void LinkedList::clear() {  
    Node* current = head;  
    Node* next = nullptr;  
    while (current != nullptr) {  
        next = current->next;  
        delete current;  
        current = next;  
    }  
    head = nullptr;  
    tail = nullptr;  
    size = 0;  
}
```

# Solution - Linked List

```
LinkedList::LinkedList() {  
    head = nullptr;  
    tail = nullptr;  
    size = 0;  
}
```

```
LinkedList::LinkedList(int data[], int len) {  
    head = nullptr;  
    tail = nullptr;  
    size = 0;  
    for (int i = 0; i < len; i++) {  
        insert(data[i]);  
    }  
}
```

# Solution - Linked List

```
LinkedList::LinkedList(vector<int> data) {  
    head = nullptr;  
    tail = nullptr;  
    size = 0;  
    for (int i = 0; i < data.size(); i++) {  
        insert(data[i]);  
    }  
}
```

```
LinkedList::LinkedList(const LinkedList &list) {  
    head = nullptr;  
    tail = nullptr;  
    size = 0;  
    Node* current = list.head;  
    while (current != nullptr) {  
        insert(current->data);  
        current = current->next;  
    }  
}
```

# Solution - Linked List

```
LinkedList::~~LinkedList () {  
    clear();  
}  
  
LinkedList &LinkedList::operator+=(const LinkedList &list) {  
    LinkedList temp = list;  
    if (head == nullptr) {  
        head = temp.head;  
        tail = temp.tail;  
    } else {  
        tail->next = temp.head;  
        tail = temp.tail;  
    }  
    temp.head = nullptr;  
    temp.tail = nullptr;  
    size += temp.size;  
    return *this;  
}
```

# Solution - Linked List

```
ostream &operator<<(ostream &os, LinkedList &list) {  
    Node* current = list.head;  
    while (current != nullptr) {  
        os << current->data << " ";  
        current = current->next;  
    }  
    return os;  
}
```

# Something we want you guys to explore....

```
int main() {  
1    const int* a;  
2    int* const b;  
3    int x = 0;  
4    int* const d = &x;  
5    const int* e = &x;  
6    const int* const c = &x;  
7    const int* const f;  
8    int y = 0;  
9    *d = 3;  
10   *e = 4;  
11   *c = 5;  
12   d = &y;  
13   e = &y;  
14   c = &y;  
}
```