

main.cxx

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1 #include <cxopts.hpp> // command line argument parser library
   written by jarro2783 (https://github.com/jarro2783/cxopts)
2 #include <ui.hxx>
3 // define the alias to the value
4 #define SUCCESS 0
5 #define FAIL 1
6
7 auto main(int argc, char** argv) -> int{
8     // flags for program arguments
9     bool upAlphaFlag = false;
10    bool lowAlphaFlag = false;
11    bool numFlag = false;
12    bool specialCharFlag = false;
13    bool guiFlag = false;
14
15    // other variable change by the flags
16    unsigned int length = 0;
17    int state = -1; // execution state (-1 for init value)
18    bool flagEnabled = false;
19
20    // specifies options
21    cxopts::Options options("APCSP Create Task", "Random Password
Generator");
22    options.add_options()
23        ("A,upper", "Include upper case alphabets")
24        ("a,lower", "Include lower case alphabets")
25        ("n,number", "Include numbers")
26        ("s,special", "Include special characters")
27        ("g,gui", "Run the GUI version of program, other passed
arguments are ignored")
28        ("h,help", "Print help")
29        ("l,length", "Set the length of password", cxopts::value<
int>())
30    ;
31
32    // parse options from argv with fail safe
33    cxopts::ParseResult result;
34    try {
35        result = options.parse(argc, argv);
36    } catch (const cxopts::exceptions::parsing &e) {
37        printHelp();
38        std::cerr << e.what() << "\n";
39        return FAIL;
40    }
41
42    // sets flags and option value from options(argc and argv)
43    // help flag (show help doc and exit)
44    if (result.count("help")) {
45        printHelp();
46        return SUCCESS;
47    }
48
49    // GUI flag
50    if (result.count("gui")) guiFlag = true;
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52 // char flags
53 if (result.count("upper")) upAlphaFlag = true;
54 if (result.count("lower")) lowAlphaFlag = true;
55 if (result.count("number")) numFlag = true;
56 if (result.count("special")) specialCharFlag = true;
57 flagEnabled = checkFlags(upAlphaFlag, lowAlphaFlag, numFlag,
    specialCharFlag);
58
59 // length option
60 if (result.count("length") && !guiFlag && flagEnabled) {
61     length = result["length"].as<int>();
62 } else if (!guiFlag && flagEnabled) {
63     printHelp();
64     printLine("Error: no length argument");
65     return FAIL;
66 }
67
68 // run GUI version if -g option is present
69 if (guiFlag) {
70     state = rungui();
71 } else if (length > 0 && flagEnabled){ // otherwise run CUI
    version
72     state = runcui(length, upAlphaFlag, lowAlphaFlag, numFlag,
    specialCharFlag);
73 } else { // if no argument specified, report error and set
    execution state 1 (failure)
74     printHelp();
75     printLine("Error: No argument specified");
76     state = FAIL;
77 }
78 return state;
79 }

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passgen.hxx

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1 #ifndef PASSGEN_HXX
2 #define PASSGEN_HXX
3
4 #include <signal>
5 #include <cstdlib>
6 #include <ctime>
7 #include <exception>
8
9 namespace PassGen {
10     // declare functions (not defined yet)
11
12     /**
13     * @brief Get the list of upper alphabet letters
14     * @return char* - List of upper alphabet letters
15     */
16     auto getUpperAlpha() -> char*;
17
18     /**
19     * @brief Get the list of lower alphabet letters
20     * @return char* - List of lower alphabet letters
21     */
22     auto getLowerAlpha() -> char*;

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23
24 /**
25  * @brief Get the list of numbers
26  * @return char* - List of numbers
27  */
28 auto getNumber() -> char*;
29
30 /**
31  * @brief Get the list of special characters
32  * @return char* - List of special characters
33  */
34 auto getSpecialChars() -> char*;
35
36 /**
37  * @brief generate the password from list of characters and
38  * specified length
39  * @param charList list of characters (pure C string)
40  * @param len length of password to be generated (int)
41  * @return (char*) - generated password
42  */
43 auto passGen(const char *charList, const unsigned int& len) ->
44 char*;
45
46 // exceptions for PassGen namespace
47 namespace exceptions {
48     // base exception class
49     class exception : public std::exception {
50     public:
51         // constructor (sets m_message from msg argument)
52         explicit exception(char* msg) {m_message = msg;};
53         /**
54          * @brief show the content of the error message
55          * @return (char*) pure C string of error message
56          */
57         auto what() -> char* {return m_message;};
58     private:
59         char* m_message = nullptr; // error message (init
60         with nullptr)
61     };
62
63     // exception threw when something is failed to allocate its
64     memory
65     class memoryAllocationFailiure : public exception {
66     public:
67         explicit memoryAllocationFailiure() : exception((
68         char*)"Couldn't allocate memory space!") {};
69         // construct with the base class supplied with
70         specified error message
71     };
72
73     // exception threw when there is no content in charList (
74     PassGen::passgen())
75     class noCharList : public exception {
76     public:
77         explicit noCharList() : exception((char*)"No
78         character list specified!") {};
79         // construct with the base class supplied with

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72     specified error message
73     };
74     // exception to be used when unknown error occurred
75     class unknownError : public exception {
76     public:
77         explicit unknownError() : exception((char*)"Unknown
Error Caught : Mark me 0 :(") {});
78         // construct with the base class supplied with
specified error message
79     };
80 }
81 }
82
83 #endif // PASSGEN_HXX

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passgen.cxx

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1  #include <utils.hxx>
2  #include <passgen.hxx>
3
4  auto PassGen::getLowerAlpha() -> char* {
5      const int numOfLetters = 26; // 26 letters
6      char* output = nullptr; // initialize pointer
7      output = (char*)malloc(numOfLetters * sizeof(char) + 1); //
allocate memory for 26 letters and a terminate character
8      if (output == nullptr) {throw PassGen::exceptions::
memoryAllocationFailiure(); return nullptr;} // check if memory
allocation is failed
9      const int offset = 97; // 97th letter in ASCII (a)
10     // adds 26 letters (a-z)
11     for (int i = 0; i < numOfLetters; i++) {
12         output[i] = (char)(offset + i);
13     }
14     output[numOfLetters] = '\0'; // add terminate character at end
15     return output;
16 }
17
18 auto PassGen::getUpperAlpha() -> char* {
19     const int numOfLetters = 26; // 26 letters
20     char* output = nullptr; // initialize pointer
21     output = (char*)malloc(numOfLetters * sizeof(char) + 1); //
allocate memory for 26 letters + terminate character
22     if (output == nullptr) {throw PassGen::exceptions::
memoryAllocationFailiure(); return nullptr;} // check if memory
allocation is failed
23     const int offset = 65; // 65th letter in ASCII (A)
24     // adds 26 letters (A-Z)
25     for (int i = 0; i < numOfLetters; i++) {
26         output[i] = (char)(offset + i);
27     }
28     output[numOfLetters] = '\0'; // add terminate character at end
29     return output;
30 }
31
32 auto PassGen::getNumber() -> char* {
33     const int numOfLetters = 10; // 10 letters

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34     char* output = nullptr; // initialize pointer
35     output = (char*)malloc((numOfLetters) * sizeof(char) + 1);
36     if (output == nullptr) {throw PassGen::exceptions::
memoryAllocationFailiure(); return nullptr;} // check if memory
allocation is failed
37     const int offset = 48; // 48th letter in ASCII (0)
38     // adds 10 letters (0-9)
39     for (int i = 0; i < numOfLetters; i++) {
40         output[i] = (char)(offset + i);
41     }
42     output[numOfLetters] = '\0'; // add terminate character at end
43     return output;
44 }
45 }
46
47 auto PassGen::getSpecialChars() -> char* {
48     const int numOfLetters = 31; // 31 symbols
49     char* output = nullptr; // initialize pointer
50     output = (char*)malloc((numOfLetters) * sizeof(char) + 1);
51     if (output == nullptr) {throw PassGen::exceptions::
memoryAllocationFailiure(); return nullptr;} // check if memory
allocation is failed
52     int ind = 0;
53     // loop config and range exclusion config
54     const int start = 33;
55     const int end = 127;
56     const int numStart = 48;
57     const int numEnd = 57;
58     const int upperStart = 65;
59     const int upperEnd = 90;
60     const int lowerStart = 97;
61     const int lowerEnd = 122;
62     // adds special characters to output
63     for (int i = start; i < end; i++) {
64         if ((numStart <= i && i <= numEnd) || (upperStart <= i && i
<= upperEnd) || (lowerStart <= i && i <= lowerEnd)) {
65             continue; // skip at the number, upper case and lower
case alphabets
66         }
67         output[ind] = (char)(i);
68         ind++;
69     }
70     output[numOfLetters] = '\0'; // add terminate character at end
71     return output;
72 }
73
74 auto PassGen::passGen(const char *charList, const unsigned int& len
) -> char* {
75     if (strSize(charList) == 0) {throw PassGen::exceptions::
noCharList(); return nullptr;}
76
77     std::srand(time(nullptr)); // set random seed to current time
78
79     unsigned int randomCharPos = 0; // position of charList which
will be randomly selected
80     const char termChar = '\0';
81     const char backSlash = '\\';

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82     const int charListSize = strSize(charList);
83     char currentLetter = 0;
84     char previousLetter = 0;
85
86     char* output = new char[len+1]; // length of password + 1
87     terminating char
88     // return null pointer on the failiure of memory allocation
89     if (output == nullptr) {throw PassGen::exceptions::
90     memoryAllocationFailiure(); return nullptr;}
91
92     while (strSize(output) != len) { // to make sure output is in
93     desired length
94     for (int i = 0; i <= len; i++) {
95         if (i == len) {output[i] = termChar;} // ends with
96         terminating char
97         else { // adds other chars otherwise
98
99             // adds random character from charList
100            randomCharPos = std::rand()%charListSize;
101            output[i] = charList[randomCharPos];
102
103            // set current and previous letter for check
104            currentLetter = output[i];
105            previousLetter = output[i-1];
106
107            // checks escape sequences which causes issues
108            while (previousLetter == backSlash &&
109            ((currentLetter == 'a') || // '\a'
110            (currentLetter == 'b') || // '\b'
111            (currentLetter == 'c') || // '\c'
112            (currentLetter == 'n') || // '\n'
113            (currentLetter == 'f') || // '\f'
114            (currentLetter == 'r') || // '\r'
115            (currentLetter == 't') || // '\t'
116            (currentLetter == 'U') || // '\U'
117            (currentLetter == 'u') || // '\u'
118            (currentLetter == 'v') || // '\v'
119            (currentLetter == 'x') // '\x'
120            )) {
121                // regenerate random letter
122                randomCharPos = std::rand()%charListSize;
123                output[i] = charList[randomCharPos];
124
125                // re-set current letter
126                currentLetter = output[i];
127            }
128        }
129    }
130    return output;
131 }

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utils.hxx

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1  #ifndef UTILS_HXX
2  #define UTILS_HXX
3
4  #include <iostream>
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6  /**
7  * @brief return the size(length) of string (pure C char list)
8  * @param str pure C string to be measured
9  * @return (int) - size(length) of string
10 */
11 inline auto strSize(const char *str) -> int {
12     int out = 0;
13     int index = 0;
14     while (str[index] != 0) {
15         index++;
16         out++;
17     }
18     return out;
19 }
20
21 /**
22 * @brief print the passed in argument
23 * @param object takes any type of input that is able to stdout to
24   the console
25 * @return (void) - console output of the object
26 */
27 template<class T>
28 inline auto printLine(T object) -> void {
29     std::cout << object << std::endl;
30 }
31
32 /**
33 * @brief prints the help for the console application
34 * @return (void) - console output of help document
35 */
36 inline auto printHelp() -> void {
37     printLine("APCSPCreateTask - Random Password Generator\n");
38     printLine("[Usage]: APCSPCreateTask [-A -a -n -s -g] -l <length>\n");
39     printLine("[Options]:\n");
40     printLine("\t-A : include upper case alphabets in password\n");
41     printLine("\t-a : include lower case alphabets in password\n");
42     printLine("\t-n : include numbers in password\n");
43     printLine("\t-s : include special characters in password\n");
44     printLine("\t-l <number> : set the length of the password\n");
45     printLine("\t-g : run in GUI regardless of the previous options\n");
46     printLine("\t-h : print this help\n");
47 }
48
49 /**
50 * @brief checks if any flag is enabled
51 * @param upper boolean flag for upper case letters
52 * @param lower boolean flag for lower case letters
53 * @param num boolean flag for numbers
54 * @param special boolean flag for special characters
55 * @return (bool) - returns true if one of any flag is enabled
56 */
57 inline auto checkFlags(bool upper, bool lower, bool num, bool
58     special) -> bool {
59     bool isEnabled = (upper || lower || num || special);
60     return isEnabled;

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59 }
60
61 #endif // UTILS_HXX

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ui.hxx

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1  #ifndef UI_HXX
2  #define UI_HXX
3
4  #include <string>
5  #include <cstring>
6  #include <utils.hxx>
7  #include <passgen.hxx>
8  #include <gtkui.hxx>
9
10 /**
11  * @brief runs the CUI version of program
12  * @param len length of the password (int)
13  * @param upper boolean flag for upper case alphabets
14  * @param lower boolean flag for lower case alphabets
15  * @param num boolean flag for numbers
16  * @param special boolean flag for special characters
17  * @return (int) - execution state of program
18  */
19 inline auto runcui(const unsigned int& len, const bool& upper,
20                   const bool& lower, const bool& num, const bool& special) -> int
21 {
22     // appends letters to input
23     std::string input;
24     try {
25         if (upper) {input += PassGen::getUpperAlpha();}
26         if (lower) {input += PassGen::getLowerAlpha();}
27         if (num) {input += PassGen::getNumber();}
28         if (special) {input += PassGen::getSpecialChars();}
29     }
30     catch (PassGen::exceptions::memoryAllocationFailiure &e) {
31         printLine(e.what());
32         return 1;
33     }
34     catch (...) {
35         PassGen::exceptions::exception error = PassGen::exceptions
36         ::unknownError();
37         printLine(error.what());
38         return 1;
39     }
40
41     // converts to std::string to pure C string
42     char *cInput = new char[input.length() + 1];
43     strcpy(cInput, input.c_str());
44
45     // generate password, report error and exit with status of 1 (
46     // failiure) if any caught
47     char *out = nullptr;
48     try {
49         out = PassGen::passGen(cInput, len);
50     }
51     catch (PassGen::exceptions::memoryAllocationFailiure &e) {

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48     printLine(e.what());
49     return 1;
50 }
51 catch (PassGen::exceptions::noCharList &e) {
52     printLine(e.what());
53     return 1;
54 }
55 catch (...) {
56     PassGen::exceptions::exception error = PassGen::exceptions
57     ::unknownError();
58     printLine(error.what());
59     return 1;
60 }
61 // prints password, and exit with status of 0 (success)
62 std::cout << "Generated Password: " << out << std::endl;
63 return 0;
64 }
65
66 /**
67 * @brief runs the GUI version of program
68 * @return (int) - execution state of program
69 */
70 inline auto rungui() -> int {
71     // run the GTK application
72     auto app = Gtk::Application::create("apcsp.passgen");
73     return app->make_window_and_run<PassGenUI>(0,nullptr); // run
74     GTK app with no arguments
75 }
76 #endif // UI_HXX

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gtkui.hxx

```

1  #ifndef GTKUI_HXX
2  #define GTKUI_HXX
3
4  #include "glibmm/ustring.h"
5  #include <gtkmm.h> // GTK GUI Library (C++ wrap)
6  #include <passgen.hxx>
7
8  class PassGenUI : public Gtk::Window
9  {
10 public:
11     PassGenUI(); // constructor
12     ~PassGenUI() override; // destructor
13
14     /**
15      * @brief The button event for m_generate_button
16      * @return (void) Generate password, set to m_output_buffer,
17      and show to the user
18      */
19     auto on_generate_button_clicked() -> void; // button event
20     /**
21      * @brief Show error dialog
22      * @param e PassGen::exceptions::exception exception to be
23      reported

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22      * @param extraMsg Glib::ustring Extra message to be shown
      along side the reported exception
23      * @return (void) Show the dialog
24      */
25      auto showErrorDialog(PassGen::exceptions::exception &e,
      Glib::ustring extraMsg) -> void;
26  private:
27      const int winHeight = 480;
28      const int winWidth = 640;
29      const int widgetMargin = 10;
30      const int maxLength = 8192;
31      Gtk::CheckButton m_upper_check, m_lower_check, m_num_check,
      m_special_chars_check; // checkboxes
32      Gtk::Box m_char_checks, m_output_box, m_main_box; // boxes
      (containers)
33      Gtk::Label m_title;
34      Gtk::Button m_generate_button;
35      Gtk::SpinButton m_num_input; // length input
36      Glib::RefPtr<Gtk::Adjustment> m_num_input_adj = Gtk::
      Adjustment::create(0, 0, maxLength); // sets range for
      m_num_input (0-maxLength)
37      Glib::RefPtr<Gtk::CssProvider> m_output_style = Gtk::
      CssProvider::create();
38      Gtk::ScrolledWindow m_output_scroll;
39      Gtk::TextView m_output;
40      Glib::RefPtr<Gtk::TextBuffer> m_output_buffer = Gtk::
      TextBuffer::create(); // text buffer for m_output
41  };
42
43  #endif // GTKUI_HXX

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gtkui.cxx

```

1  #include "glibmm/ustring.h"
2  #include "passgen.hxx"
3  #include "utils.hxx"
4  #include <gtkui.hxx>
5
6  PassGenUI::PassGenUI():
7  // initialize widgets
8  m_generate_button("Generate"),
9  m_main_box(Gtk::Orientation::VERTICAL, widgetMargin),
10 m_char_checks(Gtk::Orientation::VERTICAL, widgetMargin),
11 m_output_box(Gtk::Orientation::VERTICAL, widgetMargin),
12 m_upper_check("Include Upper Case Letters"),
13 m_lower_check("Include Lower Case Letters"),
14 m_num_check("Include Numbers"),
15 m_special_chars_check("Include Special Characters"),
16 m_title("Password Generator")
17 {
18     // set window props
19     set_title("AP CSP Create Task - Password Generator");
20     set_default_size(winWidth, winHeight);
21     // link the button event to the function
22     m_generate_button.signal_clicked().connect(sigc::mem_fun(*this,
      &PassGenUI::on_generate_button_clicked));
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24 // populate the widgets and other boxes in main box
25 set_child(m_main_box);
26 m_main_box.set_margin(widgetMargin);
27 m_num_input.set_adjustment(m_num_input_adj);
28 m_main_box.append(m_title);
29 m_main_box.append(m_char_checks);
30 m_main_box.append(m_num_input);
31 m_main_box.append(m_generate_button);
32 m_main_box.append(m_output_box);
33
34 // populate the widgets in letter configuration section
35 m_char_checks.append(m_upper_check);
36 m_char_checks.append(m_lower_check);
37 m_char_checks.append(m_num_check);
38 m_char_checks.append(m_special_chars_check);
39
40 // populate the widgets in ouput section and configure widgets
41 m_output_scroll.set_child(m_output);
42 m_output_scroll.set_expand();
43 m_output.set_editable(false);
44 m_output.set_monospace(true);
45 m_output.set_cursor_visible(false);
46 m_output_style->load_from_data("#m_output {font-size: 14pt;}");
47 m_output.set_name("m_output");
48 m_output.get_style_context()->add_provider(m_output_style, 1);
49 m_output.set_wrap_mode(Gtk::WrapMode::CHAR);
50 m_output_box.append(m_output_scroll);
51 m_output.set_buffer(m_output_buffer);
52 }
53
54 PassGenUI::~PassGenUI() = default;
55
56 auto PassGenUI::showErrorDialog(PassGen::exceptions::exception &e,
57     Glib::ustring extraMsg="") -> void {
58     Glib::RefPtr<Gtk::AlertDialog> m_Alert = Gtk::AlertDialog::
59     create();
60     m_Alert->set_message("Error!");
61     m_Alert->set_detail((Glib::ustring)e.what() + "\n" + extraMsg);
62     m_Alert->show(*this);
63 }
64
65 auto PassGenUI::on_generate_button_clicked() -> void {
66     // appends letters to input according to the flags
67     std::string input;
68     try {
69         if (m_upper_check.get_active()) {input += PassGen::
70         getUpperAlpha();}
71         if (m_lower_check.get_active()) {input += PassGen::
72         getLowerAlpha();}
73         if (m_num_check.get_active()) {input += PassGen::getNumber
74         ();}
75         if (m_special_chars_check.get_active()) {input += PassGen::
76         getSpecialChars();}
77     }
78     catch (PassGen::exceptions::memoryAllocationFailiure &e) {
79         showErrorDialog(e, "Please free some memory.");
80         return;
81     }
82 }

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75     }
76     catch (...) {
77         PassGen::exceptions::exception error = PassGen::exceptions
78         ::unknownError();
79         showErrorDialog(error);
80         return;
81     }
82     // convert std::string to pure C string
83     char* cInput = new char[input.length() + 1];
84     strcpy(cInput, input.c_str());
85
86     // get the length of password to be generated
87     int len = m_num_input.get_value_as_int();
88
89     // generate password
90     char* passwd = nullptr;
91     try {
92         passwd = PassGen::passGen(cInput, len);
93     }
94     // Show error alert dialog when passwd threw exceptions
95     catch (PassGen::exceptions::memoryAllocationFailiure &e) {
96         showErrorDialog(e, "Please free some memory.");
97         return;
98     }
99     catch (PassGen::exceptions::noCharList &e) {
100         showErrorDialog(e, "Please check the form.");
101         return;
102     }
103     catch (...) {
104         PassGen::exceptions::exception error = PassGen::exceptions
105         ::unknownError();
106         showErrorDialog(error);
107         return;
108     }
109
110     // Show the passwd by setting text and buffer
111     Glib::uststring output = Glib::convert(passwd, "UTF-8", "ISO
112     -8859-1"); // convert to appropriate type and encoding of text
113     m_output_buffer->set_text(output);
114     m_output.set_buffer(m_output_buffer);

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