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Data types

There are four fundamental datatypes
int, char, float, double.

- char is used to store any single character
- int is used to store integer value
- float is used for storing single precision floating point number
- double is used for storing double precision floating point number.

*. Type Qualifiers

- Size qualifiers - short, long
- Sign qualifiers - signed, unsigned

Data type	Qualifiers	Size (bytes)	range
char	char or signed char	1	-128 to 127
	unsigned char	1	0 to 255
int	int or signed int	2	-32768 to 32767
	unsigned int	2	0 to 65535
	short int or signed short int	1	-128 to 127
	unsigned short int	1	0 to 255
long int	long int or signed long int	4	-2147483648 to 2147483647
	unsigned long int	4	0 to 4294967295
	float	4	3.4E-38 to 3.4E+38
double	double	8	1.7E-308 to 1.7E+308
	long double	10	3.4E-4932 to <u>1.1E-4932</u> ↓ 1.1E-4932

Constant

Value that can't be changed during execution of the program.

Numeric

character

String

↳ Integer and Real constant

↳ Decimal 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 base 10

Octal 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 base 8

Hexadecimal,

0, 1, ..., 9, A, B, C, D, E, F, a, b, c, d, e, f

base 16

→ Integer Constant

Example

decimal 0, 123, 3705, 23

(0) Octal 0, 05, 077, 0892

(0X) Hexadecimal

x or X 0x, 0X23, 0x515, 0XF15B
0xab 0Xa1C

→ Real (Floating Point) Constant

0.5, 5.3, 0.007, 7.6789

→ Character Constant

Single character enclosed within single quotes.

'9' 'D' '\$' ' ' ' #'

space

→ String Constant

enclosed within double quotes (" ")

At the end of string 10 is placed by compiler.

" Kumar "

" 593 "

u 8 11

“ ”

u A u

→ Symbolic Constant

eg. π 3.14159265

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# define name value
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# define PI 3.14159265
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Capital

It can be
numeric, character, string