Software Engineering 2 (C++)

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The Parts of a C++ Program

```
// sample C++ program ← comment
#include <iostream>← preprocessor directive
using namespace std; which namespace to use
int main() ← beginning of function named main
{ ← beginning of block for main
      cout << "Hello, there!"; ← output statement string literal
      return 0; ← send 0 to operating system
} ----- end of block for main
```

Note: For Visual Studio and Visual C++ IDE, use system("PAUSE") to prevent console from disappearing!

The C++ string Class

- Special data type supports working with strings
- #include <string>
- Can define string variables in programs:

```
string firstName, lastName;
```

Can receive values with assignment operator:

```
firstName = "George";
lastName = "Washington";
```

Can be displayed via cout

```
cout << firstName << " " << lastName;</pre>
```

Program 10-15

```
// This program demonstrates the string class.
#include <iostream>
#include <string> // Required for the string class.
using namespace std;

int main()

{
    string movieTitle;

    movieTitle = "Wheels of Fury";
    cout << "My favorite movie is " << movieTitle << endl;
    return 0;
}</pre>
```

Program Output

My favorite movie is Wheels of Fury

Input into a string Object

Use cin >> to read an item into a string:

```
string firstName;
cout << "Enter your first name: ";
cin >> firstName;
```

Program 10-16

```
1 // This program demonstrates how cin can read a string into
 2 // a string class object.
 3 #include <iostream>
 4 #include <string>
 5 using namespace std;
6
 7 int main()
8
9
      string name;
10
11
      cout << "What is your name? ";
12 cin >> name;
13
      cout << "Good morning " << name << endl;</pre>
14
      return 0;
15 }
```

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

```
What is your name? Peggy [Enter]
Good morning Peggy
```

Input into a string Object

 Use getline function to put a line of input, possibly including spaces, into a string:

```
string address;
cout << "Enter your address: ";
getline(cin,address);</pre>
```

string Comparison

Can use relational operators directly to compare string objects:

- Comparison is performed similar to strcmp function.
 i.e. if str1 is alphabetically greater than str2 (compares ASCII values of each character)
- Result is true or false

Program 10-18

```
1 // This program uses relational operators to alphabetically
 2 // sort two strings entered by the user.
 3 #include <iostream>
 4 #include <string>
 5 using namespace std;
 6
7 int main ()
8
9
       string name1, name2;
10
11
      // Get a name.
12
       cout << "Enter a name (last name first): ";
13
       getline(cin, namel);
14
      // Get another name.
15
16
       cout << "Enter another name: ";
1.7
       getline(cin, name2);
18
       // Display them in alphabetical order.
19
20
       cout << "Here are the names sorted alphabetically:\n";
21
       if (name1 < name2)
         cout << name1 << end1 << name2 << end1;
22
23
       else if (name1 > name2)
         cout << name2 << end1 << name1 << end1;
24
25
       else
26
         cout << "You entered the same name twice!\n";
      return 0;
27
28 }
```

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

```
Enter a name (last name first): Smith, Richard [Enter]
Enter another name: Jones, John [Enter]
Here are the names sorted alphabetically:
Jones, John
Smith, Richard
```

Other Definitions of C++ strings

Definition	Meaning
string name;	defines an empty string object
<pre>string myname("Chris");</pre>	defines a string and initializes it
string yourname(myname);	defines a string and initializes it
string aname(myname, 3);	defines a string and initializes it with first 3 characters of myname
string verb(myname,3,2);	defines a string and initializes it with 2 characters from myname starting at position 3
string noname('A', 5);	defines string and initializes it to 5 'A's

string Operators

OPERATOR	MEANING
>>	extracts characters from stream up to whitespace, insert into string
<<	inserts string into stream
=	assigns string on right to string object on left
+=	appends string on right to end of contents on left
+	concatenates two strings
[]	references character in string using array notation
>, >=, <, <=, ==, !=	relational operators for string comparison. Return true or false

string Operators

```
string word1, phrase;
string word2 = " Dog";
cin >> word1; // user enters "Hot Tamale"
              // word1 has "Hot"
phrase = word1 + word2; // phrase has
                         // "Hot Dog"
phrase += " on a bun";
for (int i = 0; i < 16; i++)
     cout << phrase[i]; // displays</pre>
                // "Hot Dog on a bun"
```

Program 10-20

```
1 // This program demonstrates the C++ string class.
 2 #include <iostream>
3 #include <string>
4 using namespace std;
6 int main ()
7 {
      // Define three string objects.
 8
9
      string str1, str2, str3;
10
11
     // Assign values to all three.
12
    str1 = "ABC";
13
    str2 = "DEF";
14
     str3 = str1 + str2;
15
16
     // Display all three.
   cout << str1 << endl;
17
18
   cout << str2 << endl;
19
      cout << str3 << endl;
20
21
   // Concatenate a string onto str3 and display it.
22 str3 += "GHI";
23
      cout << str3 << endl;
24
      return 0;
25 }
```

Program Output

ABC DEF ABCDEF ABCDEFGHI

string Member Functions

- Are behind many overloaded operators
- Categories:
 - assignment: assign, copy, data
 - modification: append, clear, erase, insert, replace, swap
 - space management: capacity, empty, length, resize, size
 - substrings: find, substr
 - comparison: compare

See:

- http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/str
ing/string/

string Member Functions

```
string word1, word2, phrase;
cin >> word1; // word1 is "Hot"
word2.assign(" Dog");
phrase.append(word1);
phrase.append(word2); // phrase has "Hot Dog"
phrase.append(" with mustard relish", 13);
         // phrase has "Hot Dog with mustard"
phrase.insert(8, "on a bun ");
cout << phrase << endl; // displays</pre>
         // "Hot Dog on a bun with mustard"
```

Program 10-21

```
// This program demonstrates a string
   // object's length member function.
   #include <iostream>
 4 #include <string>
   using namespace std;
 6
   int main ()
 8
 9
      string town;
10
11
   cout << "Where do you live? ";
12 cin >> town;
cout << "Your town's name has " << town.length();</pre>
14 cout << " characters\n";
15 return 0;
16 }
```

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

Where do you live? Jacksonville [Enter]
Your town's name has 12 characters

Working with Characters and string Objects

- Remember to use #include <string>
- Using cin with the >> operator to input strings can cause problems (Pr 3-18):
- It passes over and ignores any leading whitespace characters (spaces, tabs, or line breaks)
- To work around this problem, you can use a C++ function named getline.

Using getline

Program 3-19

```
// This program demonstrates using the getline function
 2 // to read character data into a string object.
 3 #include <iostream>
 4 #include <string>
   using namespace std;
 6
    int main()
 8
 9
       string name;
       string city;
10
11
12
       cout << "Please enter your name: ";
13
      getline(cin, name);
       cout << "Enter the city you live in: ";
14
15
       getline(cin, city);
16
17
       cout << "Hello, " << name << endl;
       cout << "You live in " << city << endl;
18
19
       return 0;
20 }
```

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

```
Please enter your name: Kate Smith [Enter]
Enter the city you live in: Raleigh [Enter]
Hello, Kate Smith
You live in Raleigh
```

Working with Characters and string Objects

- To read a single character:
 - Use cin: char ch; cout << "Strike any key to continue";</pre> cin >> ch: Problem: will skip over blanks, tabs, <CR> - Use cin.get(): cin.get(ch); Will read the next character entered, even whitespace

Using cin.get()

Program 3-21

```
1 // This program demonstrates three ways
 2 // to use cin.get() to pause a program.
 3 #include <iostream>
 4 using namespace std;
 5
 6 int main()
      char ch;
 8
 9
     cout << "This program has paused. Press Enter to continue.";
10
     cin.get(ch);
11
     cout << "It has paused a second time. Please press Enter again.";
12
13
     ch = cin.get();
     cout << "It has paused a third time. Please press Enter again.";
14
15 cin.get();
      cout << "Thank you!";
16
      return 0;
17
18 }
```

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

```
This program has paused. Press Enter to continue. [Enter]
It has paused a second time. Please press Enter again. [Enter]
It has paused a third time. Please press Enter again. [Enter]
Thank you!
```

Working with Characters and string Objects

- Mixing cin >> and cin.get() in the same program can cause input errors that are hard to detect
- To skip over unneeded characters that are still in the keyboard buffer, use cin.ignore():

string Member Functions and Operators

To find the length of a string:

```
string state = "Texas";
int size = state.length();
```

To concatenate (join) multiple strings:

```
greeting2 = greeting1 + name1;
greeting1 = greeting1 + name2;
```

```
Or using the += combined assignment operator: greeting1 += name2;
```

More Mathematical Library Functions

- Require cmath header file
- Take double as input, return a double
- Commonly used functions:

sin	Sine
COS	Cosine
tan	Tangent
sqrt	Square root
log	Natural (e) log
abs	Absolute value (takes and returns an int)

More Mathematical Library Functions

- These require cstdlib header file
- rand(): returns a random number (int) between 0 and the largest int the computer holds. Yields same sequence of numbers each time program is run.
- srand(x): initializes random number generator with unsigned int x

The if Statement-What Happens

To evaluate:

```
if (expression)
    statement;
```

- If the expression is true, then statement is executed.
- If the expression is false, then statement is skipped.

Expanding the if Statement

 To execute more than one statement as part of an if statement, enclose them in { }:

```
if (score > 90)
{
    grade = 'A';
    cout << "Good Job!\n";
}</pre>
```

- { } creates a <u>block</u> of code
- Remember: No semicolon after if (expression)

Relational Operators

Standard algebraic equality or relational operator	C++ equality or relational operator	Sample C++ condition	Meaning of C++ condition
Relational operators			
>	>	x > y	x is greater than y
<	<	x < y	x is less than y
≥	>=	x >= y	x is greater than or equal to y
≤	<=	x <= y	x is less than or equal to y
Equality operators			
=	==	x == y	x is equal to y
≠	!=	x != y	x is not equal to y

Fig. 2.12 | Equality and relational operators.

The if/else statement

General Format:

```
if (expression)
          statement1;  // or block
else
          statement2;  // or block
```

if-else-if Statements

Insert as many else if clauses as necessary

```
else
{
    statement;
    statement;
    etc.
}

These statements are executed if none of the
    expressions above are true.
```

Nested if Statements

- An if statement that is nested inside another if statement
- Nested if statements can be used to test more than one condition

Nested if Statements

```
20
       // Determine the user's loan qualifications.
       if (employed == 'Y')
21
22
23
          if (recentGrad == 'Y') //Nested if
24
25
              cout << "You qualify for the special ";
              cout << "interest rate.\n";</pre>
26
27
28
```

Logical Operators

- Used to create relational expressions from other relational expressions
- Operators, meaning, and explanation:

& &	AND	New relational expression is true if both expressions are true
	OR	New relational expression is true if either expression is true
!	NOT	Reverses the value of an expression – true expression becomes false, and false becomes true

Logical Operators-Examples

int x = 12, y = 5, z = -4;

(x > y) & (y > z)	true
(x > y) & (z > y)	false
$(x \le z) (y == z)$	false
$(x \le z) (y != z)$	true
! (x >= z)	false

The logical && operator in Program

```
21
      // Determine the user's loan qualifications.
22
      if (employed == 'Y' && recentGrad == 'Y')
23
      {
24
         cout << "You qualify for the special "
25
               << "interest rate.\n";</pre>
26
      }
      else
27
28
      {
         cout << "You must be employed and have\n"
29
               << "graduated from college in the\n"
30
31
               << "past two years to qualify.\n";</pre>
32
      }
```

The logical | | Operator in Program

```
23
      // Determine the user's loan qualifications.
      if (income >= MIN_INCOME | | years > MIN_YEARS)
24
25
         cout << "You qualify.\n";
26
      else
27
28
         cout << "You must earn at least $"
29
              << MIN INCOME << " or have been "
30
              << "employed more than " << MIN YEARS
31
              << " years.\n";
32
```

The logical! Operator in Program

```
23
     // Determine the user's loan qualifications.
      if (!(income >= MIN INCOME | years > MIN YEARS))
24
25
26
         cout << "You must earn at least $"
27
              << MIN INCOME << " or have been "
28
              << "employed more than " << MIN YEARS
29
              << " years.\n";
3.0
31
     else
32
         cout << "You qualify.\n";
```

Logical Operator-Notes

- ! has highest precedence, followed by & &,
 then | |
- If the value of an expression can be determined by evaluating just the subexpression on left side of a logical operator, then the sub-expression on the right side will not be evaluated (short circuit evaluation)

Comparing Characters

- Characters are compared using their ASCII values
- 'A' < 'B'
 - The ASCII value of 'A' (65) is less than the ASCII value of 'B'(66)
- '1' < '2'
 - The ASCII value of '1' (49) is less than the ASCI value of '2' (50)
- Lowercase letters have higher ASCII codes than uppercase letters, so 'a' > 'Z'

Relational Operators Compare Characters

```
10
     // Get a character from the user.
11
      cout << "Enter a digit or a letter: ";
12
      ch = cin.get();
13
14
     // Determine what the user entered.
15
      if (ch >= '0' && ch <= '9')
16
         cout << "You entered a digit.\n";
      else if (ch >= 'A' && ch <= 'Z')
17
18
         cout << "You entered an uppercase letter.\n";
19
      else if (ch >= 'a' && ch <= 'z')
20
         cout << "You entered a lowercase letter.\n";
21
     else
22
         cout << "That is not a digit or a letter.\n";
```

Comparing string Objects

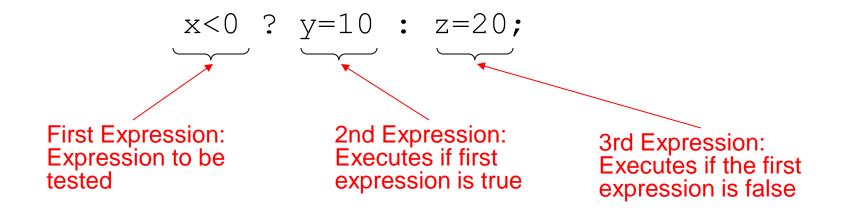
 Like characters, strings are compared using their ASCII values

```
string name1 = "Mary";
string name2 = "Mark";
name1 > name2 // true
name1 <= name2 // false
name1 != name2 // true
name1 < "Mary Jane" // true
```

The characters in each string must match before they are equal

The Conditional Operator

- Can use to create short if/else statements
- Format: expr ? expr : expr;



The Conditional Operator

```
1 // This program calculates a consultant's charges at $50
2 // per hour, for a minimum of 5 hours. The ?: operator
3 // adjusts hours to 5 if less than 5 hours were worked.
4 #include <iostream>
5 #include <iomanip>
6 using namespace std;
8 int main()
9 {
     const double PAY_RATE = 50.0; // Hourly pay rate
10
     const int MIN_HOURS = 5;  // Minimum billable hours
11
12
  double hours, // Hours worked
13
            charges; // Total charges
14
15
    // Get the hours worked.
16
    cout << "How many hours were worked? ";
17
     cin >> hours;
18
     // Determine the hours to charge for.
19
20
     hours = hours < MIN HOURS ? MIN HOURS : hours;
21
22
     // Calculate and display the charges.
23
     charges = PAY RATE * hours;
     cout << fixed << showpoint << setprecision(2)</pre>
24
          << "The charges are $" << charges << endl;
25
26
     return 0;
27 }
```

The switch Statement

- Used to select among statements from several alternatives
- In some cases, can be used instead of if/else if statements

switch Statement Format

```
switch (expression) //integer
 case exp1: statement1;
 case exp2: statement2;
 case expn: statementn;
 default: statementn+1;
```

The switch Statement

Program 4-23

```
1 // The switch statement in this program tells the user something
 2 // he or she already knows: the data just entered!
   #include <iostream>
   using namespace std;
   int main()
       char choice;
 9
10
       cout << "Enter A, B, or C: ";
11
    cin >> choice;
12
       switch (choice)
13
14
          case 'A': cout << "You entered A.\n";
15
                    break:
16
         case 'B': cout << "You entered B.\n";
17
                    break;
18
         case 'C': cout << "You entered C.\n";
19
                    break:
20
          default: cout << "You did not enter A, B, or C!\n";
21
22
       return 0;
23 }
```

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

```
Enter A, B, or C: B [Enter]
You entered B.
```

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

```
Enter A, B, or C: F [Enter]
You did not enter A, B, or C!
```

break and default statements

Program 4-25

```
1 // This program is carefully constructed to use the "fall through"
 2 // feature of the switch statement.
    #include <iostream>
    using namespace std;
    int main()
       int modelNum; // Model number
 8
 9
10
       // Get a model number from the user.
11
       cout << "Our TVs come in three models:\n";
       cout << "The 100, 200, and 300. Which do you want? ";
12
13
       cin >> modelNum;
14
15
       // Display the model's features.
16
       cout << "That model has the following features:\n";</pre>
17
       switch (modelNum)
18
19
          case 300: cout << "\tPicture-in-a-picture.\n";
20
          case 200: cout << "\tStereo sound.\n";
21
          case 100: cout << "\tRemote control.\n";
22
                    break;
23
          default: cout << "You can only choose the 100,";
                    cout << "200, or 300.\n";
24
25
26
       return 0;
                                                                    Continued...
27 }
```

break and default statements

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

Our TVs come in three models:
The 100, 200, and 300. Which do you want? 100 [Enter]
That model has the following features:
Remote control.

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

Our TVs come in three models:
The 100, 200, and 300. Which do you want? 200 [Enter]
That model has the following features:
Stereo sound.
Remote control.

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

Our TVs come in three models:
The 100, 200, and 300. Which do you want? 300 [Enter]
That model has the following features:
 Picture-in-a-picture.
 Stereo sound.
 Remote control.

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

Our TVs come in three models: The 100, 200, and 300. Which do you want? **500 [Enter]** That model has the following features: You can only choose the 100, 200, or 300.

The Increment and Decrement Operators

++ is the increment operator.

It adds one to a variable.

```
val++; is the same as val = val + 1;
```

 ++ can be used before (prefix) or after (postfix) a variable:

```
++val; val++;
```

The Increment and Decrement Operators

• -- is the decrement operator.

It subtracts one from a variable.

```
val--; is the same as val = val - 1;
```

 -- can be also used before (prefix) or after (postfix) a variable:

```
--val; val--;
```

Prefix vs. Postfix

- ++ and -- operators can be used in complex statements and expressions
- In prefix mode (++val, --val) the operator increments or decrements, then returns the value of the variable
- In postfix mode (val++, val--) the operator returns the value of the variable, then increments or decrements

Prefix vs. Postfix - Examples

```
int num, val = 12;
cout << val++; // displays 12,
             // val is now 13;
cout << ++val; // sets val to 14,
               // then displays it
num = --val; // sets val to 13,
             // stores 13 in num
num = val--; // stores 13 in num,
             // sets val to 12
```

Notes on Increment and Decrement

Can be used in expressions:

```
result = num1++ + --num2;
```

 Must be applied to something that has a location in memory. Cannot have:

```
result = (num1 + num2) ++;
```

Can be used in relational expressions:

```
if (++num > limit)
```

pre- and post-operations will cause different comparisons

Introduction to Loops: The while Loop

- Loop: a control structure that causes a statement or statements to repeat
- General format of the while loop:

```
while (expression) statement;
```

 statement; can also be a block of statements enclosed in {

The while Loop - How It Works

```
while (expression) statement;
```

- expression is evaluated
 - if true, then statement is executed, and expression is evaluated again
 - if false, then the loop is finished and program statements following statement execute

The while loop

Program 5-3

```
1 // This program demonstrates a simple while loop.
 2 #include <iostream>
   using namespace std;
   int main()
       int number = 1;
 9
      while (number <= 5)
10
11
          cout << "Hello\n";
12
         number++;
13
14
       cout << "That's all!\n";
15
       return 0;
16 }
```

Program Output

```
Hello
Hello
Hello
Hello
That's all!
```

How the while Loop in Program Works

```
Test this expression.

If the expression is true, perform these statements.

cout << "Hello\n"; number++;

After executing the body of the loop, start over.
```

The while Loop is a Pretest Loop

expression is evaluated before the loop executes. The following loop will never execute:

```
int number = 6;
while (number <= 5)
{
    cout << "Hello\n";
    number++;
}</pre>
```

Example of an Infinite Loop

```
int number = 1;
while (number <= 5)
{
   cout << "Hello\n";
}</pre>
```

Using the while Loop for Input Validation

 Input validation is the process of inspecting data that is given to the program as input and determining whether it is valid.

 The while loop can be used to create input routines that reject invalid data, and repeat until valid data is entered.

Input Validation Example

A Counter Variable Controls the Loop in Program

Program 5-6

A Counter Variable Controls the Loop in Program

```
while (num <= MAX_NUMBER)

cout << num << "\t\t" << (num * num) << endl;

num++; //Increment the counter.

return 0;

return 0;
</pre>
```

Program Output

The do-while Loop

- do-while: a posttest loop execute the loop, then test the expression
- General Format:

```
do
    statement; // or block in { }
while (expression);
```

 Note that a semicolon is required after (expression)

An Example do-while Loop

```
int x = 1;
do
{
    cout << x << endl;
} while(x < 0);</pre>
```

Although the test expression is false, this loop will execute one time because do-while is a posttest loop.

A do-while Loop

Program 5-7

```
1 // This program averages 3 test scores. It repeats as
 2 // many times as the user wishes.
 3 #include <iostream>
 4 using namespace std;
 5
6 int main()
7
 8
       int score1, score2, score3; // Three scores
      double average; // Average score char again; // To hold Y or 1
                                 // To hold Y or N input
10
11
12
      do
13
     // Get three scores.
14
15
        cout << "Enter 3 scores and I will average them: ";
16
         cin >> score1 >> score2 >> score3;
17
18
         // Calculate and display the average.
          average = (score1 + score2 + score3) / 3.0;
19
          cout << "The average is " << average << ".\n";
20
21
22
        // Does the user want to average another set?
     cout << "Do you want to average another set? (Y/N) ";
24
          cin >> again;
       } while (again == 'Y' || again == 'y');
25
26
       return 0;
27 }
```

A do-while Loop

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

```
Enter 3 scores and I will average them: 80 90 70 [Enter]
The average is 80.
Do you want to average another set? (Y/N) y [Enter]
Enter 3 scores and I will average them: 60 75 88 [Enter]
The average is 74.3333.
Do you want to average another set? (Y/N) n [Enter]
```

The for Loop

- Useful for counter-controlled loop
- General Format:

```
for(initialization; test; update)
    statement; // or block in { }
```

 No semicolon after the update expression or after the)

for Loop - Example

```
int count;
for (count = 1; count <= 5; count++)
  cout << "Hello" << endl;</pre>
```

A for Loop

Program 5-9

```
1 // This program displays the numbers 1 through 10 and
 2 // their squares.
 3 #include <iostream>
 4 using namespace std;
 6 int main()
      const int MIN NUMBER = 1, // Starting value
               MAX NUMBER = 10; // Ending value
10
      int num;
11
   cout << "Number Number Squared\n";</pre>
12
13
     cout << "----\n";
14
15
      for (num = MIN NUMBER; num <= MAX NUMBER; num++)
        cout << num << "\t\t" << (num * num) << endl;
16
17
18
     return 0;
19 }
```

A for Loop

```
Program Output
Number Number Squared
            16
            25
            36
            49
            64
            81
10
            100
```

The for Loop is a Pretest Loop

- The for loop tests its test expression before each iteration, so it is a pretest loop.
- The following loop will never iterate:

```
for (count = 11; count <= 10; count++)
  cout << "Hello" << endl;</pre>
```

for Loop - Modifications

• You can have multiple statements in the initialization expression. Separate the statements with a comma:

for Loop - Modifications

 You can also have multiple statements in the test expression. Separate the statements with a comma:

Test Expression

for Loop - Modifications

 You can omit the initialization expression if it has already been done:

```
int sum = 0, num = 1;
for (; num <= 10; num++)
   sum += num;</pre>
```

for Loop - Modifications

 You can declare variables in the initialization expression:

```
int sum = 0;
for (int num = 0; num <= 10;
num++)
    sum += num;</pre>
```

The scope of the variable num is the for loop.

Sentinels

- <u>sentinel</u>: value in a list of values that indicates end of data
- Special value that cannot be confused with a valid value, e.g., -999 for a test score
- Used to terminate input when user may not know how many values will be entered

A Sentinel in Program

Program 5-13

```
1 // This program calculates the total number of points a
 2 // soccer team has earned over a series of games. The user
 3 // enters a series of point values, then -1 when finished.
 4 #include <iostream>
5 using namespace std;
 6
   int main()
 8
9
      int game = 1, // Game counter
10
           points, // To hold a number of points
          total = 0; // Accumulator
11
12
13
      cout << "Enter the number of points your team has earned\n";
14
       cout << "so far in the season, then enter -1 when finished.\n\n";
      cout << "Enter the points for game " << game << ": ";
15
16
      cin >> points;
17
18
       while (points !=-1)
19
20
         total += points;
21
         game++;
22
         cout << "Enter the points for game " << game << ": ";
23
         cin >> points;
24
       }
25
       cout << "\nThe total points are " << total << endl;</pre>
26
       return 0;
27 }
```

A Sentinel in Program

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold Enter the number of points your team has earned so far in the season, then enter -1 when finished. Enter the points for game 1: 7 [Enter] Enter the points for game 2: 9 [Enter] Enter the points for game 3: 4 [Enter] Enter the points for game 4: 6 [Enter] Enter the points for game 5: 8 [Enter] Enter the points for game 6: -1 [Enter] The total points are 34

Deciding Which Loop to Use

- The while loop is a conditional pretest loop
 - Iterates as long as a certain condition exits
 - Validating input
 - Reading lists of data terminated by a sentinel
- The do-while loop is a conditional posttest loop
 - Always iterates at least once
 - Repeating a menu
- The for loop is a pretest loop
 - Built-in expressions for initializing, testing, and updating
 - Situations where the exact number of iterations is known

Nested Loops

- A <u>nested loop</u> is a loop inside the body of another loop
- Inner (inside), <u>outer</u> (outside) loops:

```
for (row=1; row<=3; row++) //outer
for (col=1; col<=3; col++)//inner
    cout << row * col << endl;</pre>
```

Nested for Loop in Program

```
26
      // Determine each student's average score.
      for (int student = 1; student <= numStudents; student++)
27
28
29
                         // Initialize the accumulator.
         total = 0:
30
         for (int test = 1; test <= numTests; test++)
31
32
            double score;
33
            cout << "Enter score " << test << " for "
34
            cout << "student " << student << ": ";
35
            cin >> score;
36
            total += score;
                                           Inner Loop
37
38
         average = total / numTests;
39
         cout << "The average score for student " << student;
         cout << " is " << average << ".\n\n";
40
                                                    Outer Loop
41
```

Nested Loops - Notes

- Inner loop goes through all repetitions for each repetition of outer loop
- Inner loop repetitions complete sooner than outer loop
- Total number of repetitions for inner loop is product of number of repetitions of the two loops.

Breaking Out of a Loop

 Can use break to terminate execution of a loop

 Use sparingly if at all – makes code harder to understand and debug

 When used in an inner loop, terminates that loop only and goes back to outer loop

The continue Statement

- Can use continue to go to end of loop and prepare for next repetition
 - while, do-while loops: go to test, repeat
 loop if test passes
 - for loop: perform update step, then test,
 then repeat loop if test passes
- Use sparingly like break, can make program logic hard to follow