

Matrix Operations Documentation

Program Overview

This C++ program performs various matrix operations including input, display, transpose, and zigzag traversal of a 2D array.

Key Components

1. Matrix Input

```
cout<<"Enter the number of rows: ";  
  
cin>>m;  
  
cout<<"Enter the number of columns: ";  
  
cin>>n;  
  
int arr[m][n];
```

The program starts by taking user input for matrix dimensions and elements.




2. Matrix Display

```
for(int i=0;i<m;i++){  
    for(int j=0;j<n;j++){  
        cout<<arr[i][j]<<" ";  
    }  
    cout<<endl;  
}
```

Uses nested loops to display the matrix elements in a grid format.

3. Matrix Transpose

```
for(int i=0;i<m;i++){  
    for(int j=i+1;j<m;j++){  
        int temp=arr[i][j];  
        arr[i][j]=arr[j][i];  
        arr[j][i]=temp;  
    }  
}
```

-  Swaps elements across the main diagonal
-  Uses temporary variable for swapping
-  Only traverses upper triangular matrix to avoid double swapping

4. 🔄 Zigzag Traversal

```
for(int i=0;i<m;i++){  
    if(i%2==0){  
        for(int j=0;j<n;j++){  
            cout<<arr[i][j]<<" ";  
        }  
    }  
    else{  
        for(int j=n-1;j>=0;j--){  
            cout<<arr[i][j]<<" ";  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Implements alternating row traversal:

- ➡ Even rows: Left to right
- ⬅ Odd rows: Right to left

🕒 Time Complexity Analysis

Operation	Time Complexity
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📥 Matrix Input	$O(m \times n)$
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📤 Matrix Display	$O(m \times n)$
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🔄 Matrix Transpose	$O(m^2)$
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↔ Zigzag Traversal	$O(m \times n)$
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💡 Potential Improvements

- ✅ Add input validation for matrix dimensions
- 💾 Implement dynamic memory allocation instead of fixed arrays
- ⚠ Add error handling for invalid inputs
- ⚡ Optimize transpose operation for non-square matrices