



Lecture-1

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C++ Programming Basics

Procedural Aspects

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The Very First C++ Code

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- Let the computer greet you.

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

// every program has a main
int main()
{
    // print hello world and shift to
    // the next line
    cout << "Hello World" << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

- Save the above into a file "hello.cpp".



Compiling a C++ Code

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- `g++ -c hello.cpp.`
- This only compiles the code and checks if all the syntaxes make sense or not.
- How do we run this?
- `g++ -o hello.exe hello.cpp`
- `./hello.exe.`



Program To Illustrate Basic Features of C++

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Task *Write a program that takes in two integers and as input and prints the sum of all integers between them.*

- It should be able to take in two integers, lets say "a" and "b".
- It should print the final sum.
- It should have a way to understand $a > b$ or vice-versa.



Variable Declaration

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```
int a, b;
```

- Explicitly tell the computer which type of variable you want to use.
- Moreover, computer creates and allocates memory for this.
- Basic Numerical Variables:
 - int
 - double
- Operation which can be performed on numerical variables:
 - `a = a + b;` `a += b;`
 - `a = a - b;` `a -= b;`
 - `a = a * b;` `a *= b;`
 - `a = a / b;` `a /= b;`
 - `a = a % b;` `a %= b;`
 - `a = a + 1;` `a++;`
 - `a = a - 1;` `a--;`



The "if " statement

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```
if (a>b)
{
    cout <<' 'since a > b we need to swap
        between them' ' ;
    . . . .
```

- It is used to control the flow of the program.
- Control options are:

```
■ if (??)
{
    ...
}
else
{
    ...
}
```



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- nested if's;

```
if (x > z)
{
    if (p > q)
    {
        // Both conditions have to be met
        y = 10.0;
    }
}
```
- multiple if's;

```
if (i > 100)
{
    y = 2.0;
}
else if (i < 0)
{
    y = 10.0
}
else
{
    y = 5.0; }
```



Loops

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```
for (int i = a; i <= b; i++)  
{
```

- Executes a collection of statements certain number of times.
- `int i = a;` this both declares and initialises "i".
- `i <= b;` checks for the validity until when the loop has to run.
- `i++` increments the loop counter.



Other loops

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- The while loop:

```
while (x > 1.0)
{
    x * = 0.5;
}
```
- The do while loop:

```
do
{
    x *= 0.5 ;
} while (x > 1.0)
```



Arrays

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- For a type T , $T[n]$ is the type “one-dimensional array of n elements of type T ”, where n is a positive integer.
- the elements are indexed from 0 to $n-1$ and are stored contiguously one after another in memory, e.g.

```
float vec[3]; // array of 3 floats : vec[0]
               // vec[1] ,vec[2]
int sg[30]; // array of 30 ints: sg[0],
             // ..., sg[29]
vec[0] = 1.0; // accessing element 0 of vec
vec[1] = 2.0; // accessing element 1 of vec
for(int i = 0; i < 30; i++) sg[i] = i*i + 7;
int j =sg[29]; // accessing the last
               // element of sg
```