

Project #1 – BigInt

In this project you are asked to implement a `BigInt` class capable of representing integers of any size. The following sample code demonstrates some of the capabilities of this class:

```
BigInt bi1("6719023671607102340917696123478609001");
BigInt bi2("-16719238679867620194861264901235");
BigInt bi3("1776701209370697029375029735609672306972");

// Outputs:
// -1769982202418328606901732234347458599206
cout << bi1 + bi2 - bi3;
```

Requirements

- `BigInt` must support the following interface:

```
namespace Project1
{
    class BigInt
    {
        friend const BigInt operator+(const BigInt &, const BigInt &);
        friend const BigInt operator-(const BigInt &, const BigInt &);
        friend bool operator==(const BigInt &, const BigInt &);
        friend bool operator!=(const BigInt &, const BigInt &);
        friend bool operator<(const BigInt &, const BigInt &);
        friend bool operator<=(const BigInt &, const BigInt &);
        friend bool operator>(const BigInt &, const BigInt &);
        friend bool operator>=(const BigInt &, const BigInt &);
        friend ostream &operator<<(ostream &, const BigInt &);
        friend istream &operator>>(istream &, BigInt &);

    public:
        BigInt();
        BigInt(const BigInt &);
        BigInt(long long);
        // Throws invalid_argument if string malformed (contains
        // anything other than a legally formatted number)
        BigInt(const string &);

        const BigInt &operator=(const BigInt &);
        const BigInt &operator+=(const BigInt &);
        const BigInt &operator-=(const BigInt &);

    private:
        // You decide what goes here...
    }
}
```

- Negative `BigInt`s must be supported
- All functions must be strongly exception safe & exception neutral
- Algorithms should be preferred over `for`/`do`/`while` loops

- Related operations (e.g. `operator+` and `operator+=`) must be properly implemented in terms of each other
- Duplicate code must be refactored into helper functions
- You may implement the internals of `BigInt` however you wish; the only restriction is that you may not use third-party big integer libraries (though you may look at them for inspiration)
- Your code must be ANSI-compliant, well organized, & stylistically clean

Grading - (150 total points available)

1. **(110 points)** One point for each passing unit test (there are 110 unit tests provided). Your `BigInt` implementation will be run against these tests.
2. **(10 points)** `BigInt` is strongly exception safe.
3. **(10 points)** `BigInt` is exception neutral.
4. **(10 points)** `BigInt` has no memory leaks.
5. **(10 points)** `BigInt` is implemented using only ANSI-compliant C++ features, the code is clean (e.g. no duplicate code), the code uses best practices (e.g. `operator+` implemented in terms of `operator+=`).

Turning in the assignment

- Place your `BigInt.h` and `BigInt.cpp` files in a zip file. Submit this zip file.