

# Lecture Notes on Jan/26/2023

## Chapters 2 and 3

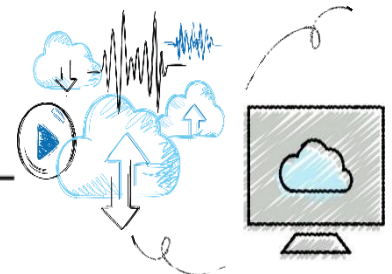
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## Allocating Memory with Constants and Variables (1 of 2)

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- Named constant: memory location whose content cannot change during execution
- Syntax to declare a named constant

```
const dataType identifier = value;
```

- In C++, **const** is a reserved word

### EXAMPLE 2-11

Consider the following C++ statements:

```
const double CONVERSION = 2.54;  
const int NO_OF_STUDENTS = 20;  
const char BLANK = ' ';
```



## Allocating Memory with Constants and Variables (2 of 2)

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- Variable: memory location whose content may change during execution
- Syntax to declare one or multiple variables

```
dataType identifier, identifier, . . . ;
```

### EXAMPLE 2-12

Consider the following statements:

```
double amountDue;  
int counter;  
char ch;  
int x, y;  
string name;
```



## Putting Data into Variables

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- Ways to place data into a variable
  - Use C++'s assignment statement
  - Use input (read) statements



## Assignment Statement (1 of 4)

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- The assignment statement takes the form:

```
variable = expression;
```

- Expression is evaluated and its value is assigned to the variable on the left side
- A variable is said to be initialized the first time a value is placed into it
- In C++, = is called the assignment operator



## Assignment Statement (2 of 4)

### EXAMPLE 2-13

Suppose you have the following variable declarations:

```
int num1, num2;  
double sale;  
char first;  
string str;
```

Now consider the following assignment statements:

```
num1 = 4;  
num2 = 4 * 5 - 11;  
sale = 0.02 * 1000;  
first = 'D';  
str = "It is a sunny day.";
```



## Assignment Statement (3 of 4)

- Example 2-14 illustrates a walk-through (tracing values through a sequence)

|                    | Values of the Variables/Statement |                               |                              | Explanation  |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| Before Statement 1 | <div>?</div> <div>num1</div>      | <div>?</div> <div>num2</div>  | <div>?</div> <div>num3</div> |  |
| After Statement 1  | <div>18</div> <div>num1</div>     | <div>?</div> <div>num2</div>  | <div>?</div> <div>num3</div> | <div>num1 = 18;</div>  |
| After Statement 2  | <div>45</div> <div>num1</div>     | <div>?</div> <div>num2</div>  | <div>?</div> <div>num3</div> | <div>num1 + 27 = 18 + 27 = 45.</div> <div>This value is assigned to</div> <div>num1, which replaces the old</div> <div>value of num1.</div>        |
| After Statement 3  | <div>45</div> <div>num1</div>     | <div>45</div> <div>num2</div> | <div>?</div> <div>num3</div> | <div>Copy the value of num1</div> <div>into num2.</div>  |
| After Statement 4  | <div>45</div> <div>num1</div>     | <div>45</div> <div>num2</div> | <div>9</div> <div>num3</div> | <div>num2 / 5 = 45 / 5 = 9.</div> <div>This</div> <div>value is assigned to num3. So</div> <div>num3 = 9.</div>                                    |
| After Statement 5  | <div>45</div> <div>num1</div>     | <div>45</div> <div>num2</div> | <div>2</div> <div>num3</div> | <div>num3 / 4 = 9 / 4 = 2.</div> <div>This</div> <div>value is assigned to num3,</div> <div>which replaces the old value</div> <div>of num3.</div> |



## Assignment Statement (4 of 4)

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- Given `int` variables `x`, `y`, and `z`. How is this legal C++ statement evaluated?

$$x = y = z$$

- The assignment operator is evaluated from right to left
  - The associativity of the assignment operator is from right to left





## Saving and Using the Value of an Expression

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- Declare a variable of the appropriate data type
- Assign the value of the expression to the variable that was declared
  - Use the assignment statement
- Wherever the value of the expression is needed, use the variable holding the value



# Declaring and Initializing Variables

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- Not all types of variables are initialized automatically
- Variables can be initialized when declared:

```
int first = 13, second = 10;  
char ch = ' ';  
double x = 12.6;
```

- All variables must be initialized before they are used
  - But not necessarily during declaration



## Input (Read) Statement (1 of 3)

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- **cin** is used with **>>** to gather one or more inputs

```
cin >> variable >> variable ...;
```

- This is called an input (read) statement
- The stream extraction operator is **>>**
- For example, if miles is a **double** variable:  
**cin >> miles;**
  - Causes the computer to get a value of type double and places it in the variable **miles**



## Input (Read) Statement (2 of 3)

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- Using more than one variable in **cin** allows more than one value to be read at a time
- Example: if **feet** and **inches** are variables of type **int**, this statement:

```
cin >> feet >> inches;
```

- Inputs two integers from the keyboard
- Places them in variables **feet** and **inches** respectively



## Input (Read) Statement (3 of 3)

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### EXAMPLE 2-17

Suppose we have the following statements:

```
int feet;  
int inches;
```

Suppose the input is:

```
23 7
```

Next, consider the following statement:

```
cin >> feet >> inches;
```



# Increment and Decrement Operators

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- Increment operator (**++**): increase variable by 1
  - Pre-increment: **++variable**
  - Post-increment: **variable++**
- Decrement operator: (**--**) decrease variable by 1
  - Pre-decrement: **--variable**
  - Post-decrement: **variable--**
- What is the difference between the following?

```
x = 5;  
y = ++x;
```

```
x = 5;  
y = x++;
```



## Output (1 of 4)

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- The syntax of **cout** and **<<** is:

```
cout << expression or manipulator << expression or manipulator...;
```

- Called an output statement
- The stream insertion operator is **<<**
- Expression evaluated and its value is printed at the current cursor position on the screen



## Output (2 of 4)

- A manipulator is used to format the output
  - Example: **endl** causes the insertion point to move to beginning of next line

### EXAMPLE 2-21

Consider the following statements. The output is shown to the right of each statement.

| Statement   | Output          |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 <code>cout &lt;&lt; 29 / 4 &lt;&lt; endl;</code>                    | 7               |
| 2 <code>cout &lt;&lt; "Hello there." &lt;&lt; endl;</code>            | Hello there.    |
| 3 <code>cout &lt;&lt; 12 &lt;&lt; endl;</code>                        | 12              |
| 4 <code>cout &lt;&lt; "4 + 7" &lt;&lt; endl;</code>                   | 4 + 7           |
| 5 <code>cout &lt;&lt; 4 + 7 &lt;&lt; endl;</code>                     | 11              |
| 6 <code>cout &lt;&lt; 'A' &lt;&lt; endl;</code>                       | A               |
| 7 <code>cout &lt;&lt; "4 + 7 = " &lt;&lt; 4 + 7 &lt;&lt; endl;</code> | 4 + 7 = 11      |
| 8 <code>cout &lt;&lt; 2 + 3 * 5 &lt;&lt; endl;</code>                 | 17              |
| 9 <code>cout &lt;&lt; "Hello \nthere." &lt;&lt; endl;</code>          | Hello<br>there. |





## Output (3 of 4)

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- The new line character (new line escape sequence) is ' `\n`'
  - May appear anywhere in the string
- Examples

```
cout << "Hello there.";  
cout << "My name is James.";
```

Output:

Hello there.My name is James.

```
cout << "Hello there.\n";  
cout << "My name is James.";
```

Output:

Hello there.

My name is James.



## Output (4 of 4)

**TABLE 2-4** Commonly Used Escape Sequences

|                 | Escape Sequence  | Description   |
|-----------------|------------------|---|
| <code>\n</code> | Newline          | Cursor moves to the beginning of the next line                        |
| <code>\t</code> | Tab              | Cursor moves to the next tab stop                                     |
| <code>\b</code> | Backspace        | Cursor moves one space to the left                                    |
| <code>\r</code> | Return           | Cursor moves to the beginning of the current line (not the next line) |
| <code>\\</code> | Backslash        | Backslash is printed  |
| <code>\'</code> | Single quotation | Single quotation mark is printed                                      |
| <code>\"</code> | Double quotation | Double quotation mark is printed                                      |



## Preprocessor Directives (1 of 2)

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- C++ has a small number of operations
- Many functions and symbols needed to run a C++ program are provided as collection of libraries
- Every library has a name and is referred to by a header file
- Preprocessor directives are processed by the preprocessor program
- All preprocessor commands begin with #
- No semicolon is placed at the end of these commands



## Preprocessor Directives (2 of 2)

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- Syntax to include a header file

```
#include <headerFileName>
```

- For example:

```
#include <iostream>
```

- Causes the preprocessor to include the header file **iostream** in the program
- Preprocessor commands are processed before the program goes through the compiler



## namespace and Using cin and cout in a Program

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- **cin** and **cout** are declared in the header file **iostream**, but within **std namespace**
- To use **cin** and **cout** in a program, use the following two statements:

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



## Using the `string` Data Type in a Program

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- To use the **`string`** type, you need to access its definition from the header file `string`
- Include the following preprocessor directive:

```
#include <string>
```



## Creating a C++ Program (1 of 3)

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- A C++ program is a collection of functions, one of which is the function **main**
- The syntax of the function **main** used in this book has this form:

```
int main()
{
    statement_1
    .
    .
    .
    statement_n
    return 0;
}
```



## Creating a C++ Program (2 of 3)

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- Source code is comprised of preprocessor directives and program statements
- The source code file (source file) contains the source code
- The compiler generates the object code (file extension **.obj**)
- Executable code (file extension **.exe**) results when object code is linked with the system resources
- The first line of the function **main** is called the heading of the function:

```
int main()
```





## Creating a C++ Program (3 of 3)

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- The statements enclosed between the curly braces ( { and } ) form the body of the function
- A C++ program contains two types of statements:
  - Declaration statements declare things, such as variables
  - Executable statements perform calculations, manipulate data, create output, accept input, etc.



## Debugging: Understanding and Fixing Syntax Errors (1 of 2)

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- Sample program with line numbers added on the left

```
1. #include <iostream>
2.
3. using namespace std;
4.
5. int main()
6. {
7.     int num
8.
9.     num = 18;
10.
11.     tempNum = 2 * num;
12.
13.     cout << "Num = " << num << ", tempNum = " < tempNum << endl;
14.
15.     return ;
16. }
```



## Debugging: Understanding and Fixing Syntax Errors (2 of 2)

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- Compile the program
  - Compiler will identify the syntax errors
  - The line numbers where the errors occur are specified:

```
ExampleCh2_Syntax_Errors.cpp
```

```
c:\examplech2_syntax_errors.cpp(9): error C2146: syntax error:  
missing ';' before identifier 'num'
```

```
c:\examplech2_syntax_errors.cpp(11): error C2065: 'tempNum':  
undeclared identifier
```



## Program Style and Form: Syntax

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- Syntax rules indicate what is legal and what is not legal
- Errors in syntax are found in compilation

```
int x;          //Line 1
```

```
int y          //Line 2
```

```
double z;      //Line 3
```

```
y = w + x;    //Line 4
```

- Compilation errors would occur at:
  - Line 2 (missing semicolon)
  - Line 4 (identifier **w** used but not declared)



## Use of Blanks

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- In C++, you use one or more blanks to separate numbers when data is input
- Blanks are also used to separate reserved words and identifiers from each other and from other symbols
- Blanks must never appear within a reserved word or identifier



## Use of Semicolons, Brackets, and Commas

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- All C++ statements end with a semicolon
  - Also called a statement terminator
- { and } are not C++ statements
  - Can be regarded as delimiters
- Commas separate items in a list
  - Declaring more than one variable following a data type



# Semantics

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- Semantics: set of rules that gives meaning to a language
  - Possible to remove all syntax errors in a program and still not have it run
  - Even if it runs, it may still not do what you meant it to do
- Example:  $2 + 3 * 5$  and  $(2 + 3) * 5$ 
  - Both are syntactically correct expressions but have different meanings



# Naming Identifiers

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- Identifiers can be self-documenting
  - `CENTIMETERS_PER_INCH`
- Avoid run-together words
  - `annualsale`
- Solutions may include:
  - Capitalizing the beginning of each new word: `annualSale`
  - Inserting an underscore just before a new word: `annual_sale`





## Prompt Lines

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- Prompt lines: executable statements that inform the user what to do

```
cout << "Please enter a number between 1 and 10 and "  
      << "press the return key" << endl;  
cin >> num;
```

- Always include prompt lines when input is needed from users



# Documentation

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- A well-documented program is easier to understand and modify
- You use comments to document programs
- Comments should appear in a program to:
  - Explain the purpose of the program
  - Identify who wrote it
  - Explain the purpose of particular statements



## Form and Style

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- Consider two ways of declaring variables:

- Method 1

```
int feet, inches;
```

```
double x, y;
```

- Method 2

```
int feet,inches; double x,y;
```

- Both are correct; however, the second is harder to read



## More on Assignment Statements

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- Two forms of assignment
  - Simple and compound
  - Compound operators provide more concise notation
- Compound operators: `+=`, `-=`, `*=`, `/=`, `%=`
- Simple assignment statement example

`x = x * y;`

- Compound assignment statement example

`x *= y;`



## Reading Assignment – Very Important for “GU – ECE 111”

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- Malik, D.S., 2014. **C++ programming: Program design including data structures.** Cengage Learning.
  - “Chapter 1: **An Overview of Computers and Programming Languages**”.
  - “Chapter 2: **Basic Elements of C++**”.



## Chapter 3 - Objectives (1 of 2)

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- In this chapter, you will:
  - Learn what a stream is and examine input and output streams
  - Explore how to read data from the standard input device
  - Learn how to use predefined functions in a program
  - Explore how to use the input stream functions **get**, **ignore**, **putback**, and **peek**



## Chapter 3 - Objectives (2 of 2)

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- Become familiar with input failure
- Learn how to write data to the standard output device
- Discover how to use manipulators in a program to format output
- Learn how to perform input and output operations with the **string** data type
- Learn how to debug logic errors
- Become familiar with file input and output



## I/O Streams and Standard I/O Devices (1 of 3)

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- I/O: sequence of bytes (stream of bytes) from source to destination
  - Bytes are usually characters, unless program requires other types of information
  - Stream: sequence of characters from the source to the destination
  - Input stream: sequence of characters from an input device to the computer
  - Output stream: sequence of characters from the computer to an output device





## I/O Streams and Standard I/O Devices (2 of 3)

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- Use **`iostream`** header file to receive data from keyboard and send output to the screen
  - Contains definitions of two data types:
    - **`istream`**: input stream
    - **`ostream`**: output stream
  - Has two variables:
    - **`cin`**: stands for common input
    - **`cout`**: stands for common output



## I/O Streams and Standard I/O Devices (3 of 3)

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- Variable declaration is similar to:
  - `istream cin;`
  - `ostream cout;`
- To use `cin` and `cout`, the preprocessor directive `#include <iostream>` must be used
- Input stream variables: type `istream`
- Output stream variables: type `ostream`



## cin and the Extraction Operator >> (1 of 7)

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- The syntax of an input statement using **cin** and the extraction operator >> is

```
cin >> variable >> variable...;
```

- The extraction operator >> is binary
  - Left-side operand is an input stream variable
    - Example: **cin**
  - Right-side operand is a variable



## cin and the Extraction Operator >> (2 of 7)

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- No difference between a single **cin** with multiple variables and multiple **cin** statements with one variable in each statement

```
cin >> payRate >> hoursWorked;
```

```
cin >> payRate;  
cin >> hoursWorked;
```

- When scanning, >> skips all whitespace
  - Blanks and certain nonprintable characters
- >> distinguishes between character **2** and number **2** by the right-side operand of >>
  - If type **char** or **int** (or **double**), the **2** is treated as a character or as a number **2**, respectively



## cin and the Extraction Operator >> (3 of 7)

**TABLE 3-1** Valid Input for a Variable of the Simple Data Type

| Data Type of a      | Valid Input for a  |
|---------------------|--|
| <code>char</code>   | One printable character except the blank.  |
| <code>int</code>    | An integer, possibly preceded by a + or - sign.  |
| <code>double</code> | A decimal number, possibly preceded by a + or - sign. If the actual data input is an integer, the input is converted to a decimal number with the zero decimal part. |

- Entering a `char` value into an `int` or `double` variable causes serious errors, called input failure



## cin and the Extraction Operator >> (4 of 7)

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- When reading data into a **char** variable
  - >> skips leading whitespace, finds and stores only the next character
  - Reading stops after a single character
- To read data into an **int** or **double** variable
  - >> skips leading whitespace, reads + or – sign (if any), reads the digits (including decimal for floating-point variables)
  - Reading stops on whitespace or a non-digit character



## cin and the Extraction Operator >> (5 of 7)

### EXAMPLE 3-1

Suppose you have the following variable declarations:

```
int a, b;  
double z;  
char ch;
```

The following statements show how the extraction operator >> works.

|   | Statement                               | Input      | Value Stored in Memory   |
|---|---|------------|--|
| 1 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; ch;</code>           | A          | <code>ch = 'A'</code>  |
| 2 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; ch;</code>           | AB         | <code>ch = 'A'</code> , 'B' is held for later input                      |
| 3 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a;</code>            | 48         | <code>a = 48</code>  |
| 4 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a;</code>            | 46.35      | <code>a = 46</code> , .35 is held for later input                        |
| 5 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; z;</code>            | 74.35      | <code>z = 74.35</code>   |
| 6 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; z;</code>            | 39         | <code>z = 39.0</code>  |
| 7 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; z &gt;&gt; a;</code> | 65.78 38   | <code>z = 65.78</code> , <code>a = 38</code>                             |
| 8 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a &gt;&gt; b;</code> | 4 60       | <code>a = 4</code> , <code>b = 60</code>                                 |
| 9 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a &gt;&gt; z;</code> | 46 32.4 68 | <code>a = 46</code> , <code>z = 32.4</code> , 68 is held for later input |



## cin and the Extraction Operator >> (6 of 7)

### EXAMPLE 3-2

Suppose you have the following variable declarations:

```
int a;  
double z;  
char ch;
```

The following statements show how the extraction operator >> works.

|   | Statement   | Input           | Value Stored in Memory                      |
|---|---|-----------------|---|
| 1 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a &gt;&gt; ch &gt;&gt; z;</code> | 57 A 26.9       | <code>a = 57, ch = 'A',<br/>z = 26.9</code> |
| 2 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a &gt;&gt; ch &gt;&gt; z;</code> | 57 A<br>26.9    | <code>a = 57, ch = 'A',<br/>z = 26.9</code> |
| 3 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a &gt;&gt; ch &gt;&gt; z;</code> | 57<br>A<br>26.9 | <code>a = 57, ch = 'A',<br/>z = 26.9</code> |
| 4 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a &gt;&gt; ch &gt;&gt; z;</code> | 57A26.9         | <code>a = 57, ch = 'A',<br/>z = 26.9</code> |





## cin and the Extraction Operator >> (7 of 7)

### EXAMPLE 3-3

Suppose you have the following variable declarations:

```
int a, b;  
double z;  
char ch, ch1, ch2;
```

The following statements show how the extraction operator >> works.

|   | Statement   | Input        | Value Stored in Memory  |
|---|---|--------------|---|
| 1 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; z &gt;&gt; ch &gt;&gt; a;</code> | 36.78B34     | <code>z = 36.78</code> , <code>ch = 'B'</code> ,<br><code>a = 34</code>           |
| 2 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; z &gt;&gt; ch &gt;&gt; a;</code> | 36.78<br>B34 | <code>z = 36.78</code> , <code>ch = 'B'</code> ,<br><code>a = 34</code>           |
| 3 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a &gt;&gt; b &gt;&gt; z;</code>  | 11 34        | <code>a = 11</code> , <code>b = 34</code> , computer<br>waits for the next number |
| 4 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a &gt;&gt; z;</code>             | 78.49        | <code>a = 78</code> , <code>z = 0.49</code>                                       |
| 5 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; ch &gt;&gt; a;</code>            | 256          | <code>ch = '2'</code> , <code>a = 56</code>                                       |
| 6 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; a &gt;&gt; ch;</code>            | 256          | <code>a = 256</code> , computer waits for the<br>input value for <code>ch</code>  |
| 7 | <code>cin &gt;&gt; ch1 &gt;&gt; ch2;</code>         | A B          | <code>ch1 = 'A'</code> , <code>ch2 = 'B'</code>                                   |