

1. Basic Data Types

2. Data type → Every value in c++ have some type that is called datatype

1.1 Integer Types

These types store whole numbers (both positive and negative).

- **int**: Standard integer type.
 - **Bit size**: 4 bytes (32 bits)
 - **Range**: -2,147,483,648 to 2,147,483,647
 - **Default value**: Compiler-dependent, usually 0 in global scope
 - **Example**:

cpp

```
int number = 10;
```

- **short**: Shorter integer type.
 - **Bit size**: 2 bytes (16 bits)
 - **Range**: -32,768 to 32,767
 - **Default value**: 0 (in global scope)
 - **Example**:

cpp

```
short smallNumber = 100;
```

- **long**: Longer integer type.
 - **Bit size**: 8 bytes (64 bits) on most modern systems (but can be 4 bytes on others)
 - **Range**: -9,223,372,036,854,775,808 to 9,223,372,036,854,775,807
 - **Default value**: 0 (in global scope)
 - **Example**:

cpp

```
long largeNumber = 1000000L;
```

- **long long**: Extended long integer type (introduced in C++11).
 - **Bit size**: 8 bytes (64 bits)
 - **Range**: Same as long

- **Default value:** 0 (in global scope)
- **Example:**

cpp

```
long long veryLargeNumber = 9000000000LL;
```

1.2 Unsigned Integer Types

These types store only non-negative integers.

- **unsigned int:** Integer without sign.
 - **Bit size:** 4 bytes (32 bits)
 - **Range:** 0 to 4,294,967,295
 - **Default value:** 0
 - **Example:**

cpp

```
unsigned int positiveNumber = 300;
```

- **unsigned short, unsigned long, and unsigned long long** work similarly to the signed versions but only store non-negative values.

1.3 char: Character type

- **Bit size:** 1 byte (8 bits)
- **Range:** -128 to 127 (or 0 to 255 for unsigned char)
- **Default value:** \0 (null character)
- **Example:**

cpp

```
char letter = 'A';
```

1.4 Floating Point Types

These types store real numbers (numbers with a fractional part).

- **float:** Single-precision floating-point.
 - **Bit size:** 4 bytes (32 bits)
 - **Range:** $\pm 3.4e-38$ to $\pm 3.4e+38$
 - **Default value:** 0.0 (in global scope)

- **Example:**

cpp

```
float decimalNumber = 3.14f;
```

- **double:** Double-precision floating-point.
 - **Bit size:** 8 bytes (64 bits)
 - **Range:** $\pm 1.7e-308$ to $\pm 1.7e+308$
 - **Default value:** 0.0 (in global scope)
 - **Example:**

cpp

```
double pi = 3.141592653589793;
```

- **long double:** Extended precision floating-point.
 - **Bit size:** 8 or 16 bytes (depends on the system)
 - **Range:** Compiler-dependent, usually larger than double
 - **Default value:** 0.0 (in global scope)
 - **Example:**

cpp

```
long double veryPreciseNumber = 3.141592653589793238462643383279;
```

2. Boolean Type

- **bool:** Stores true or false.
 - **Bit size:** 1 byte (typically)
 - **Default value:** false (in global scope)
 - **Example:**

cpp

```
bool isTrue = true;
```

3. Void Type

- **void:** Represents the absence of any type.
 - **Bit size:** Not applicable

- **Usage:** Used primarily in functions to indicate that they return no value.

- **Example:**

cpp

```
void doNothing() {  
    // No return value  
}
```

4. Derived Data Types

4.1 Pointers

Pointers store the memory address of another variable.

- **Bit size:** 4 bytes (32-bit systems) or 8 bytes (64-bit systems)
- **Default value:** nullptr
- **Example:**

cpp

```
int num = 10;  
int* ptr = &num;
```

4.2 Arrays

Arrays store multiple values of the same type.

- **Bit size:** Depends on the data type and the number of elements
- **Example:**

cpp

```
int arr[5] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};
```

5. Example Program

Here is a small program illustrating the use of various data types:

cpp

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

```

int main() {
    int number = 10;

    float decimalNumber = 3.14f;

    char letter = 'A';

    bool isTrue = true;


    cout << "Integer: " << number << endl;

    cout << "Float: " << decimalNumber << endl;

    cout << "Character: " << letter << endl;

    cout << "Boolean: " << (isTrue ? "true" : "false") << endl;


    return 0;
}

```

Output:

```
sql
```

Integer: 10

Float: 3.14

Character: A

Boolean: true

Summary:

Data Type	Bit Size	Range	Default Value
int	4 bytes (32 bits)	-2,147,483,648 to 2,147,483,647	0
short	2 bytes (16 bits)	-32,768 to 32,767	0
long	8 bytes (64 bits)	-9,223,372,036,854,775,808 to 9,223,372,036,854,775,807	0
char	1 byte (8 bits)	-128 to 127 or 0 to 255 (unsigned)	\0

Data Type	Bit Size	Range	Default Value
float	4 bytes (32 bits)	$\pm 3.4\text{e-}38$ to $\pm 3.4\text{e}+38$	0.0
double	8 bytes (64 bits)	$\pm 1.7\text{e-}308$ to $\pm 1.7\text{e}+308$	0.0
bool	1 byte	true or false	false