

The Stack Project: BracketMatcher

You are to write a function to determine if the brackets ([] () { }) are properly nested, i. e. , balanced.

The function will have a string as a parameter that can contain bracket and other characters. If the brackets are properly nested, the function will print the message

The brackets in your string are properly matched

Otherwise, it will print a message like this:

Bracket mismatch at index <i>: <left_bracket> and <right_bracket>

or

Unmatched bracket at index <i>: <unmatched bracker>

Thus, if the string argument is *"this is (and has been { adjective here })"*, then the output will be

The brackets in your string are properly matched.

On the other hand, if the input is *"[({ }])"*, then the output will be

Bracket mismatch at index 4: (and]

And if the input is *"[({ })] { ("*, then the output will be

Unmatched bracket at index 6: {

You will be provided the files *bracketMatcher.h* and *bracketMatcher.cpp*. Do not modify the (very simple) .h file. The .cpp file is partially filled; your job is to fill in the remaining code for the function `balanced(string str)`.

You should, of course, create a test program that repeatedly inputs a string and outputs the bracket matcher's message until the user enters an empty string.

The only file you will submit is *bracketMatcher.cpp*.