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/*
 * STL: Standard Template Library
 * -- Data Structures and Algorithms
// First Example:
using namespace std;
vector<int> vec;
vec.push back(4);
vec.push back(1);
vec.push back(8); // vec: {4, 1, 8}
vector<int>::iterator itr1 = vec.begin(); // half-open: [begin, end)
vector<int>::iterator itr2 = vec.end();
for (vector<int>::iterator itr = itr1; itr!=itr2; ++itr)
   cout << *itr << " "; // Print out: 4 1 8</pre>
sort(itr1, itr2); // vec: {1, 4, 8}
/*
 * STL Headers
#include <vector>
#include <deque>
#include <list>
#include <set> // set and multiset
#include <map> // map and multimap
#include <unordered_set> // unordered set/multiset
#include <unordered_map> // unordered map/multimap
#include <iterator>
#include <algorithm>
#include <numeric>
                      // some numeric algorithm
#include <functional>
/*
 * Vector
*/
vector<int> vec; // vec.size() == 0
vec.push back(4);
vec.push back(1);
vec.push back(8); // vec: {4, 1, 8}; vec.size() == 3
// Vector specific operations:
cout << vec[2]; // 8 (no range check)</pre>
cout << vec.at(2); // 8 (throw range error exception of out of range)</pre>
for (int i; i < vec.size(); i++) {</pre>
   cout << vec[i] << " ";
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for (list<int>::iterator itr = vec.beqin(); itr!= vec.end(); ++itr)
   cout << *itr << " ";
for (it: vec)
                // C++ 11
   cout << it << " ";
// Vector is a dynamically allocated contiguous array in memory
int* p = \&vec[0]; p[2] = 6;
// Common member functions of all containers.
// vec: {4, 1, 8}
if (vec.empty()) { cout << "Not possible.\n"; }</pre>
cout << vec.size(); // 3</pre>
vector<int> vec2(vec); // Copy constructor, vec2: {4, 1, 8}
vec.clear();  // Remove all items in vec; vec.size() == 0
vec2.swap(vec); // vec2 becomes empty, and vec has 3 items.
// Notes: No penalty of abstraction, very efficient.
/* Properties of Vector:
 * 1. fast insert/remove at the end: O(1)
 * 2. slow insert/remove at the begining or in the middle: O(n)
 * 3. slow search: O(n)
 */
/*
 * Deque
deque<int> deq = { 4, 6, 7 };
deq.push_front(2); // deq: {2, 4, 6, 7}
deq.push back(3); // deq: {2, 4, 6, 7, 3}
// Deque has similar interface with vector
cout << deq[1]; // 4
/* Properties:
 * 1. fast insert/remove at the begining and the end;
 * 2. slow insert/remove in the middle: O(n)
 * 3. slow search: O(n)
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/*
 * list
 * -- double linked list
*/
list<int> mylist = \{5, 2, 9\};
mylist.push back(6); // mylist: { 5, 2, 9, 6}
mylist.push front(4); // mylist: { 4, 5, 2, 9, 6}
list<int>::iterator itr = find(mylist.begin(), mylist.end(), 2); // itr -
> 2
mylist.insert(itr, 8);
                        // mylist: {4, 5, 8, 2, 9, 6}
                         // O(1), faster than vector/deque
itr++;
                         // itr -> 9
mylist.erase(itr);
                         // mylist: {4, 8, 5, 2, 6}
                                                     0(1)
/* Properties:
 * 1. fast insert/remove at any place: O(1)
 * 2. slow search: O(n)
 * 3. no random access, no [] operator.
mylist1.splice(itr, mylist2, itr a, itr b ); // O(1)
/*
   Associative Container
   Always sorted, default criteria is <
   No push back(), push front()
 */
/*
 * set
 * - No duplicates
 */
  set<int> myset;
                     // myset: {3}
 myset.insert(3);
                     // myset: {1, 3}
 myset.insert(1);
  myset.insert(7);
                      // \text{ myset: } \{1, 3, 7\}, O(\log(n))
  set<int>::iterator it;
  it = myset.find(7); // O(log(n)), it points to 7
                  // Sequence containers don't even have find() member
function
  pair<set<int>::iterator, bool> ret;
  ret = myset.insert(3); // no new element inserted
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if (ret.second==false)
                    // "it" now points to element 3
     it=ret.first;
  myset.insert(it, 9); // myset: {1, 3, 7, 9} O(log(n)) => O(1)
                        // it points to 3
  myset.erase(it);
                           // myset: {1, 7, 9}
  myset.erase(7);  // myset: {1, 9}
     // Note: none of the sequence containers provide this kind of erase.
// multiset is a set that allows duplicated items
multiset<int> myset;
// set/multiset: value of the elements cannot be modified
*it = 10; // *it is read-only
/* Properties:
 * 1. Fast search: O(log(n))
 * 2. Traversing is slow (compared to vector & deque)
 * 3. No random access, no [] operator.
 */
/*
 * map
 * - No duplicated key
 */
map<char,int> mymap;
mymap.insert ( pair<char,int>('a',100) );
mymap.insert ( make pair('z',200) );
map<char,int>::iterator it = mymap.begin();
mymap.insert(it, pair<char,int>('b',300)); // "it" is a hint
it = mymap.find('z'); // O(log(n))
// showing contents:
for ( it=mymap.begin() ; it != mymap.end(); it++ )
  cout << (*it).first << " => " << (*it).second << endl;</pre>
// multimap is a map that allows duplicated keys
multimap<char,int> mymap;
// map/multimap:
// -- keys cannot be modified
     type of *it: pair<const char, int>
//
     (*it).first = 'd'; // Error
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// Associative Containers: set, multiset, map, multimap
// What does "Associative" mean?
/*
 * Unordered Container (C++ 11)
   - Unordered set and multiset
     - Unordered map and multimap
 * Order not defined, and may change overtime
   Default hash function defined for fundamental types and string.
 * No subscript operator[] or at()
 * No push back(), push front()
 */
/*
 * unordered set
  unordered set<string> myset = { "red", "green", "blue" };
  unordered set<string>::const iterator itr = myset.find ("green"); //
0(1)
  if (itr != myset.end())
                           // Important check
     cout << *itr << endl;</pre>
  myset.insert("yellow"); // O(1)
  vector<string> vec = {"purple", "pink"};
  myset.insert(vec.begin(), vec.end());
// Hash table specific APIs:
  cout << "load factor = " << myset.load factor() << endl;</pre>
  string x = "red";
  cout << x << " is in bucket #" << myset.bucket(x) << endl;</pre>
  cout << "Total bucket #" << myset.bucket count() << endl;</pre>
// unordered multiset: unordered set that allows duplicated elements
// unordered map: unordered set of pairs
// unordered multimap: unordered map that allows duplicated keys
// hash collision => performance degrade
/* Properties of Unordered Containers:
 * 1. Fastest search/insert at any place: O(1)
       Associative Container takes O(log(n))
       vector, deque takes O(n)
       list takes O(1) to insert, O(n) to search
 * 2. Unorderd set/multiset: element value cannot be changed.
      Unorderd map/multimap: element key cannot be changed.
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/*
 * Associative Array
 * - map and unordered map
*/
unordered map<char, string> day = {{'S', "Sunday"}, {'M', "Monday"}};
cout << day['S'] << endl; // No range check</pre>
cout << day.at('S') << endl; // Has range check</pre>
vector<int> vec = \{1, 2, 3\};
vec[5] = 5; // Compile Error
day['W'] = "Wednesday"; // Inserting {'W', "Wednesday}
day.insert(make pair('F', "Friday")); // Inserting {'F', "Friday"}
day.insert(make pair('M', "MONDAY")); // Fail to modify, it's an
unordered map
day['M'] = "MONDAY";
                                   // Succeed to modify
void foo(const unordered map<char, string>& m) {
   //m['S'] = "SUNDAY";
   //cout << m['S'] << endl;
   auto itr = m.find('S');
   if (itr != m.end())
      cout << *itr << endl;</pre>
foo(day);
//
   cout << m['S'] << endl;
//
   auto itr = m.find('S');
//
   if (itr != m.end() )
        cout << itr->second << endl;</pre>
//
//Notes about Associative Array:
//1. Search time: unordered map, O(1); map, O(log(n));
//2. Unordered map may degrade to O(n);
//3. Can't use multimap and unordered multimap, they don't have []
operator.
/*
* Array
*/
int a[3] = \{3, 4, 5\};
array<int, 3 > a = \{3, 4, 5\};
a.begin();
a.end();
a.size();
a.swap();
array<int, 4 > b = \{3, 4, 5\};
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/*
 * Container Adaptor
 * - Provide a restricted interface to meet special needs
 * - Implemented with fundamental container classes
   1. stack: LIFO, push(), pop(), top()
   2. queue: FIFO, push(), pop(), front(), back()
    3. priority queue: first item always has the greatest priority
                     push(), pop(), top()
 */
 * Another way of categorizing containers:
 * 1. Array based containers: vector, deque
 * 2. Node base containers: list + associative containers + unordered
containers
 * Array based containers invalidates pointers:
      - Native pointers, iterators, references
 */
 vector<int> vec = \{1, 2, 3, 4\};
 int* p = \&vec[2]; // p points to 3
 vec.insert(vec.begin(), 0);
 cout << *p << endl; // 2, or ?</pre>
/*
 * Iterators
// 1. Random Access Iterator: vector, deque, array
vector<int> itr;
itr = itr + 5; // advance itr by 5
itr = itr - 4;
if (itr2 > itr1) ...
++itr; // faster than itr++
--itr;
// 2. Bidirectional Iterator: list, set/multiset, map/multimap
list<int> itr;
++itr:
--itr;
// 3. Forward Iterator: forward list
forward list<int> itr;
++itr;
// Unordered containers provide "at least" forward iterators.
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// 4. Input Iterator: read and process values while iterating forward.
int x = *itr;
// 5. Output Iterator: output values while iterating forward.
*itr = 100;
// Every container has a iterator and a const iterator
set<int>::iterator itr;
set<int>::const iterator citr; // Read only access to container elements
set<int> myset = \{2,4,5,1,9\};
for (citr = myset.begin(); citr != myset.end(); ++citr) {
   cout << *citr << endl;</pre>
   //*citr = 3;
for each (myset.cbegin(), myset.cend(), MyFunction); // Only in C++ 11
// Iterator Functions:
advance(itr, 5); // Move itr forward 5 spots. itr += 5;
distance(itr1, itr2); // Measure the distance between itr1 and itr2
/* Iterator Adaptor (Predefined Iterator)
 * - A special, more powerful iterator
 * 1. Insert iterator
 * 2. Stream iterator
 * 3. Reverse iterator
 * 4. Move iterator (C++ 11)
 */
// 1. Insert Iterator:
vector<int> vec1 = \{4,5\};
vector<int> vec2 = \{12, 14, 16, 18\};
vector<int>::iterator it = find(vec2.begin(), vec2.end(), 16);
insert iterator< vector<int> > i itr(vec2,it);
copy(vec1.begin(), vec1.end(), // source
                               // destination
     i itr);
     //vec2: {12, 14, 4, 5, 16, 18}
// Other insert iterators: back_insert_iterator, front_insert_iterator
// 2. Stream Iterator:
vector<string> vec4;
copy(istream_iterator<string>(cin), istream iterator<string>(),
            back inserter(vec4));
copy(vec4.begin(), vec4.end(), ostream iterator<string>(cout, " "));
// Make it terse:
copy(istream iterator<string>(cin), istream iterator<string>(),
            ostream_iterator<string>(cout, " "));
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// 3. Reverse Iterator:
vector<int> vec = \{4, 5, 6, 7\};
reverse iterator<vector<int>::iterator> ritr;
for (ritr = vec.rbegin(); ritr != vec.rend(); ritr++)
   cout << *ritr << endl;  // prints: 7 6 5 4</pre>
/*
 * Algorithms
 * - mostly loops
*/
vector<int> vec = \{4, 2, 5, 1, 3, 9\};
vector<int>::iterator itr = min element(vec.begin(), vec.end()); // itr -
// Note 1: Algorithm always process ranges in a half-open way: [begin,
sort(vec.begin(), itr); // vec: { 2, 4, 5, 1, 3, 9}
reverse(itr, vec.end()); // vec: { 2, 4, 5, 9, 3, 1} itr => 9
// Note 2:
vector<int> vec2(3);
copy(itr, vec.end(), // Source
                     // Destination
     vec2.begin());
     //vec2 needs to have at least space for 3 elements.
// Note 3:
vector<int> vec3;
copy(itr, vec.end(), back inserter(vec3)); // Inserting instead of
overwriting
                  // back insert iterator Not efficient
vec3.insert(vec3.end(), itr, vec.end()); // Efficient and safe
// Note 4: Algorithm with function
bool isOdd(int i) {
  return i%2;
int main() {
  vector<int> vec = \{2, 4, 5, 9, 2\}
   vector<int>::iterator itr = find if(vec.begin(), vec.end(), isOdd);
                                   // itr -> 5
}
// Note 5: Algorithm with native C++ array
int arr[4] = \{6,3,7,4\};
sort(arr, arr+4);
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// Vector pitfalls:
// Reallocate vector
// Remove items
 * Reasons to use C++ standard library:
 * 1. Code reuse, no need to re-invent the wheel.
 * 2. Efficiency (fast and use less resources). Modern C++ compiler are
usually
     tuned to optimize for C++ standard library code.
 * 3. Accurate, less buggy.
 * 4. Terse, readable code; reduced control flow.
 * 5. Standardization, guarenteed availability
 * 6. A role model of writing library.
 * 7. Good knowledge of data structures and algorithms.
 */
/*
 * vector
*/
 class Dog;
// Example 1:
  vector<Dog> vec(6); // vec.capacity() == 6, vec.size() == 6,
                       // 6 Dogs created with default constructor
// Example 2:
  vector<Dog> vec; // vec.capacity() >= 0, vec.size() == 0
  vec.resize(6); // vec.capacity() >= 6, vec.size() == 6,
                   // 6 Dogs created with default constructor
// Example 3:
  vector<Dog> vec;
  vec.reserve(6); // vec.capacity() >= 6, vec.size() == 0,
                    // no default constructor invoked
/*
 * Strategy of avoiding reallocation:
 * 1. If the maximum number of item is known, reserve(MAX);
 * 2. If unknown, reserve as much as you can, once all data a inserted,
      trim off the rest.
 */
 * deque
 * - No reallocation
   deque has no reserve() and capacity()
 * - Slightly slower than vector
 */
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/*
 * Which one to use?
* - Need to push front a lot? -> deque
 * - Performance is important? -> vector
 */
/*
 * 1. Element type
    - When the elements are not of a trivial type, deque is not much
less
 * efficient than vector.
*/
 * 2. Memory Availability
 * Could allocation of large contiquous memory be a problem?
 * - Limited memory size
   - Large trunk of data
*/
 * 3. Frequency of Unpredictable Growth
 vector<int> vec;
 for (int x=0; x<1025; x++)
    vec.push back(x); // 11 reallocations performed (growth ratio = 2)
           //
                workaround: reserve()
 * 4. Invalidation of pointers/references/iterators because of growth
 vector<int> vec = \{2, 3, 4, 5\};
 int* p = &vec[3]
 vec.push back(6);
  cout << *p << endl; // Undefined behavior</pre>
 deque<int> deq = \{2, 3, 4, 5\};
 p = \&deq[3];
 deq.push back(6);
  cout << *p << endl; // OK
  // push front() is OK too
  // deque: inserting at either end won't invalidate pointers
// Note: removing or inserting in the middle still will invalidate
        pointers/references/iterators
* 5. Vector's unique feature: portal to C
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*/
  vector<int> vec = \{2, 3, 4, 5\};
  void c fun(const int* arr, int size);
  c fun(&vec[0], vec.size());
  // Passing data from a list to C
  list<int> mylist;
  vector<int> vec(mylist.gegin(), mylist.end());
  c_fun(&vec[0], vec.size());
  // NOTE: &vector[0] can be used as a raw array.
  // Exception: vector<bool>
  void cpp fun(const bool* arr, int size);
  vector<bool> vec = {true, true, false, true};
  cpp_fun(&vec[0], vec.size()); // Compiler Error: &vec[0] is not a bool
pointer
       // workaround: use vector<int>, or bitset
/*
 * Summary:
 * 1. Frequent push front()
                                - deque
 * 2. High performance
                                - vector
 * 3. Non-trivial data type - deque
                                - deque
 * 4. Contiguous memory
 * 5. Unpredictable growth
* 6. Pointer integrity
                                - deque
 * 6. Pointer integrity
                               - deque
 * 7. Talk to C
                                - vector
 */
  // Backups
  vector<int> vec = \{2, 3, 4, 5\};
  cout << vec.capacity() << endl;</pre>
  vec.push back(6);
 * Vector Reallocation:
* 1. A new memory space of 8 int is allocated (Assume growth factor is
 * 2. A new vector is constructed with {2,3,4,5,6} at the new memory
space.
 * 3. The old memory is release.
 */
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