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Introduction to C++ Programming

What's in a name? that which we call a rose By any other name would smell as sweet.

— William Shakespeare

When faced with a decision, I always ask, "What would be the most fun?"

— Peggy Walker



"Take some more tea," the March Hare said to Alice, very earnestly. "I've had nothing yet, "Alice replied in an offended tone: "so I can't take more." "You mean you can't take less," said the Hatter: "it's very easy to take more than nothing."

— Lewis Carroll

High thoughts must have high language.

— Aristophanes



OBJECTIVES

- In this chapter you will learn:
- To write simple computer programs in C++.
- To write simple input and output statements.
- To use fundamental types.
- Basic computer memory concepts.
- To use arithmetic operators.
- The precedence of arithmetic operators.
- To write simple decision-making statements.

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2.1 Introduction

• C++ programming

- Facilitates disciplined approach to computer program design
- Programs process information and display results

• Five examples demonstrate

- How to display messages
- How to obtain information from the user
- How to perform arithmetic calculations
- How to make decisions

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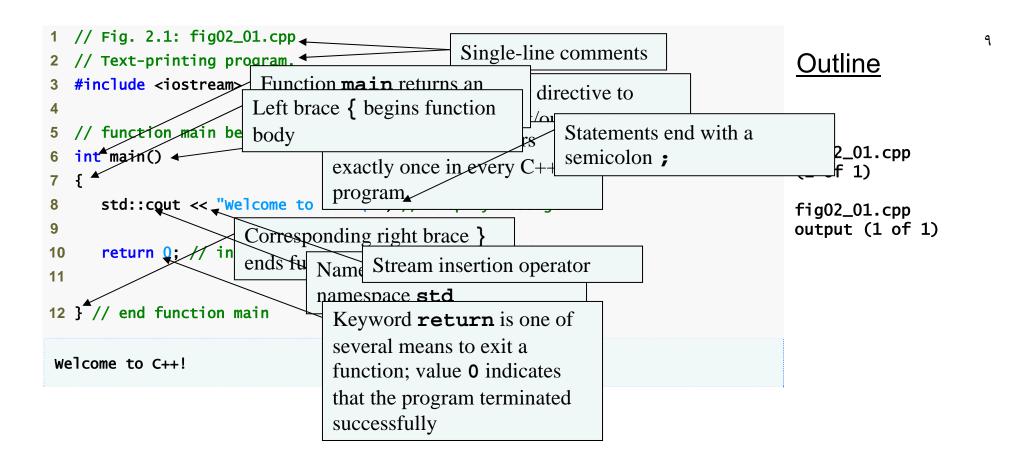
2.2 First Program in C++: Printing a Line of Text

- Simple program
 - Prints a line of text
 - Illustrates several important features of C++

Comments

- Explain programs to other programmers
 - Improve program readability
- Ignored by compiler
- Single-line comment
 - Begin with //
 - Example
 - // This is a text-printing program.
- Multi-line comment
 - Start with /*
 - End with */





Every program should begin with a comment that describes the purpose of the program, author, date and time. (We are not showing the author, date and time in this book's programs because this information would be redundant.)



• Preprocessor directives

- Processed by preprocessor before compiling
- Begin with #
- Example
 - #include <iostream>
 - Tells preprocessor to include the input/output stream
 header file <iostream>

White space

- Blank lines, space characters and tabs
- Used to make programs easier to read
- Ignored by the compiler



Common Programming Error 2.1

Forgetting to include the <iostream> header file in a program that inputs data from the key-board or outputs data to the screen causes the compiler to issue an error message, because the compiler cannot recognize references to the stream components (e.g., cout).

Use blank lines and space characters to enhance program readability.



Function main

- A part of every C++ program
 - Exactly one function in a program must be main
- Can "return" a value
- Example
 - int main()
 - This main function returns an integer (whole number)
- Body is delimited by braces ({})

Statements

- Instruct the program to perform an action
- All statements end with a semicolon (;)



- Namespace
 - std::
 - Specifies using a name that belongs to "namespace" std
 - Can be removed through use of using statements
- Standard output stream object
 - std::cout
 - "Connected" to screen
 - Defined in input/output stream header file <iostream>

- Stream insertion operator <<
 - Value to right (right operand) inserted into left operand
 - Example
 - std::cout << "Hello";
 - Inserts the string "Hello" into the standard output
 - Displays to the screen
- Escape characters
 - A character preceded by "\"
 - Indicates "special" character output
 - Example
 - "\n"
 - Cursor moves to beginning of next line on the screen



Common Programming Error 2.2

Omitting the semicolon at the end of a C++ statement is a syntax error. (Again, preprocessor directives do not end in a semicolon.) The syntax of a programming language specifies the rules for creating a proper program in that language. A syntax error occurs when the compiler encounters code that violates C++'s language rules (i.e., its syntax). The compiler normally issues an error message to help the programmer locate and fix the incorrect code. (cont...)



Common Programming Error 2.2

Syntax errors are also called compiler errors, compile-time errors or compilation errors, because the compiler detects them during the compilation phase. You will be unable to execute your program until you correct all the syntax errors in it. As you will see, some compilation errors are not syntax errors.



- return statement
 - One of several means to exit a function
 - When used at the end of main
 - The value 0 indicates the program terminated successfully
 - Example
 - return 0;



Many programmers make the last character printed by a function a newline (\n). This ensures that the function will leave the screen cursor positioned at the beginning of a new line. Conventions of this nature encourage software reusability—a key goal in software development.



Escape sequence	Description
\n	Newline. Position the screen cursor to the beginning of the next line.
\t	Horizontal tab. Move the screen cursor to the next tab stop.
\r	Carriage return. Position the screen cursor to the beginning of the current line; do not advance to the next line.
\a	Alert. Sound the system bell.
//	Backslash. Used to print a backslash character.
\'	Single quote. Use to print a single quote character.
\"	Double quote. Used to print a double quote character.

Fig. 2.2 | Escape sequences.



Indent the entire body of each function one level within the braces that delimit the body of the function. This makes a program's functional structure stand out and helps make the program easier to read.



Set a convention for the size of indent you prefer, then apply it uniformly. The tab key may be used to create indents, but tab stops may vary. We recommend using either 1/4-inch tab stops or (preferably) three spaces to form a level of indent.



2.3 Modifying Our First C++ Program

Two examples

- Print text on one line using multiple statements (Fig. 2.3)
 - Each stream insertion resumes printing where the previous one stopped
- Print text on several lines using a single statement (Fig. 2.4)
 - Each newline escape sequence positions the cursor to the beginning of the next line
 - Two newline characters back to back outputs a blank line



```
1 // Fig. 2.3: fig02_03.cpp
2 // Printing a line of text with multiple statements.
                                                                                      Outline
3 #include <iostream> // allows program to output data to the screen
4
  // function main begins program execution
                                                 Multiple stream insertion
                                                                                      fig02_03.cpp
  int main()
                                                 statements produce one line
7 {
                                                 of output
                                                                                      (1 \text{ of } 1)
     std::cout << "Welcome";</pre>
8
     std::cout << "to C++!\n";
9
10
      return 0; // indicate that program ended successfully
11
12
13 } // end function main
                                                                                      fig02_03.cpp
                                                                                      output (1 of 1)
Welcome to C++!
```



```
1 // Fig. 2.4: fig02_04.cpp
2 // Printing multiple lines of text with a single statement.
                                                                                      Outline
3 #include <iostream> // allows program to output data to the screen
4
                                               Use newline characters to
  // function main begins program execution/
                                               print on multiple lines
                                                                                      fig02_04.cpp
  int main()
7 {
                                                                                      (1 \text{ of } 1)
      std::cout << "Welcome\nto\n\nC++!\n";</pre>
8
9
      return 0; // indicate that program ended successfully
10
11
12 } // end function main
                                                                                      fig02_04.cpp
Welcome
                                                                                      output (1 of 1)
to
C++!
```



2.4 Another C++ Program: Adding Integers

Variables

- Location in memory where value can be stored
- Common data types (fundamental, primitive or built-in)
 - int integer numbers
 - char characters
 - double floating point numbers
- Declare variables with name and data type before use
 - int integer1;
 - int integer2;
 - int sum;



```
1 // Fig. 2.5: fig02_05.cpp
                                                                                                            ۲۸
2 // Addition program that displays the sum of two numbers.
                                                                                        Outline
3 #include <iostream> // allows program to perform input and output
4
  // function main begins program execution
  int main()
                                                                                        fig02_05.cpp
  {
7
                                         Declare integer variables
     // variable declarations
8
                                                                                       (1 \text{ of } 1)
      int number1; #/ first integer to add
9
      int number2; // second integer
10
                                    Use stream extraction
      int sum: */ sum of number1 a
11
                                    operator with standard input
12
      std::cout << "Inter first in stream to obtain user input
13
      std::cin >> number1; // read tirst integer from user into number1
14
15
      std::cout << "Enter second integer: "; // prompt user for data</pre>
16
      std::cin >> number2; // read second integer from user into number2
17
18
19
      sum = number1 + number2; // add the numbers; store result in sum
                                                                            Stream manipulator
20
                                                                            std::endl outputs a
      std::cout << "Sum is " << sum << std::endl; // display sum; end line
21
                                                                            newline, then "flushes output
22
      return 0; // indicate that program ended successfully
23
                                                                            buffer"
24
25 } // end function main
                                                       Concatenating, chaining or
                                                                                        fiq02_05.cpp
                                                       cascading stream insertion
Enter first integer: 45
                                                                                       output (1 \text{ of } 1)
Enter second integer: 72
                                                       operations
Sum is 117
```



2.4 Another C++ Program: Adding Integers (Cont.)

- Variables (Cont.)
 - Can declare several variables of same type in one declaration
 - Comma-separated list
 - int integer1, integer2, sum;
 - Variable names
 - Valid identifier
 - Series of characters (letters, digits, underscores)
 - Cannot begin with digit
 - Case sensitive



Place a space after each comma (,) to make programs more readable.

Some programmers prefer to declare each variable on a separate line. This format allows for easy insertion of a descriptive comment next to each declaration.

Portability Tip 2.1

C++ allows identifiers of any length, but your C++ implementation may impose some restrictions on the length of identifiers. Use identifiers of 31 characters or fewer to ensure portability.

Choosing meaningful identifiers helps make a program self-documenting—a person can understand the program simply by reading it rather than having to refer to manuals or comments.



Avoid using abbreviations in identifiers. This promotes program readability.



Avoid identifiers that begin with underscores and double underscores, because C++ compilers may use names like that for their own purposes internally. This will prevent names you choose from being confused with names the compilers choose.



Error-Prevention Tip 2.1

Languages like C++ are "moving targets." As they evolve, more keywords could be added to the language. Avoid using "loaded" words like "object" as identifiers. Even though "object" is not currently a keyword in C++, it could become one; therefore, future compiling with new compilers could break existing code.



Always place a blank line between a declaration and adjacent executable statements. This makes the declarations stand out in the program and contributes to program clarity.



If you prefer to place declarations at the beginning of a function, separate them from the executable statements in that function with one blank line to highlight where the declarations end and the executable statements begin.



2.4 Another C++ Program: Adding Integers (Cont.)

- Input stream object
 - std::cin from <iostream>
 - Usually connected to keyboard
 - Stream extraction operator >>
 - Waits for user to input value, press *Enter* (Return) key
 - Stores value in variable to right of operator
 - Converts value to variable data type
 - Example
 - std::cin >> number1;
 - Reads an integer typed at the keyboard
 - Stores the integer in variable number 1



Error-Prevention Tip 2.2

Programs should validate the correctness of all input values to prevent erroneous information from affecting a program's calculations.

2.4 Another C++ Program: Adding Integers (Cont.)

- Assignment operator =
 - Assigns value on left to variable on right
 - Binary operator (two operands)
 - Example:
 - sum = variable1 + variable2;
 - Add the values of variable1 and variable2
 - Store result in sum
- Stream manipulator std::endl
 - Outputs a newline
 - Flushes the output buffer

Place spaces on either side of a binary operator. This makes the operator stand out and makes the program more readable.



2.4 Another C++ Program: Adding Integers (Cont.)

- Concatenating stream insertion operations
 - Use multiple stream insertion operators in a single statement
 - Stream insertion operation knows how to output each type of data
 - Also called chaining or cascading
 - Example
 - - Outputs "Sum is "
 - Then, outputs sum of number1 and number2
 - Then, outputs newline and flushes output buffer

2.5 Memory Concept

Variable names

- Correspond to actual locations in computer's memory
 - Every variable has name, type, size and value
- When new value placed into variable, overwrites old value
 - Writing to memory is destructive
- Reading variables from memory nondestructive
- Example
 - sum = number1 + number2;
 - Value of Sum is overwritten
 - Values of number1 and number2 remain intact



Fig. 2.6 | Memory location showing the name and value of variable number 1.



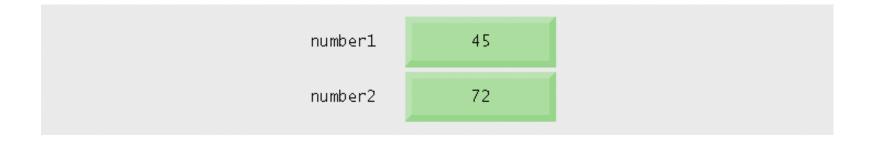


Fig. 2.7 | Memory locations after storing values for number1 and number2.



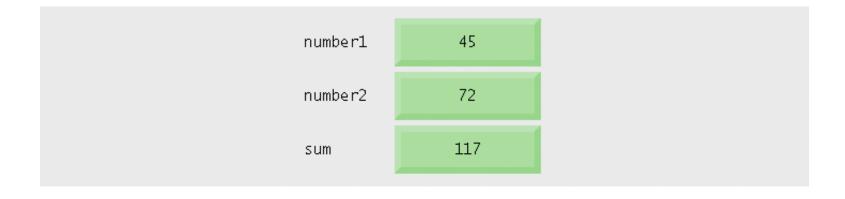


Fig. 2.8 | Memory locations after calculating and storing the sum of number1 and number2.



2.6 Arithmetic

Arithmetic operators

- *• Multiplication- /
 - Division
 - Integer division truncates remainder
 - 7 / 5 evaluates to 1
- %
 - Modulus operator returns remainder
 - 7 % 5 evaluates to 2



Attempting to use the modulus operator (%) with noninteger operands is a compilation error.



2.6 Arithmetic (Cont.)

• Straight-line form

- Required for arithmetic expressions in C++
- All constants, variables and operators appear in a straight line

Grouping subexpressions

- Parentheses are used in C++ expressions to group subexpressions
 - Same manner as in algebraic expressions
- Example
 - $\cdot a * (b + c)$
 - Multiple a times the quantity b + c



C++ operation	C++ arithmetic operator	Algebraic expression	C++ expression
Addition	+	f + 7	f + 7
Subtraction	-	p-c	p - c
Multiplication	*	bm or b + m	b * m
Division	/	x/y or $\frac{x}{y}$ or $x \div y$	x / y
Modulus	%	r mod s	r % s

Fig. 2.9 | Arithmetic operators.



2.6 Arithmetic (Cont.)

- Rules of operator precedence
 - Operators in parentheses evaluated first
 - Nested/embedded parentheses
 - Operators in innermost pair first
 - Multiplication, division, modulus applied next
 - Operators applied from left to right
 - Addition, subtraction applied last
 - Operators applied from left to right

Operator(s)	Operation(s)	Order of evaluation (precedence)	
()	Parentheses	Evaluated first. If the parentheses are nested, the expression in the innermost pair is evaluated first. If there are several pairs of parentheses "on the same level" (i.e., not nested), they are evaluated left to right.	
*	Multiplication	Evaluated second. If there are several, they are evaluated left to right.	
/	Division		
%	Modulus		
+	Addition	Evaluated last. If there are several, they are	
-	Subtraction	evaluated left to right.	

Fig. 2.10 | Precedence of arithmetic operators.



Some programming languages use operators ** or ^ to represent exponentiation. C++ does not support these exponentiation operators; using them for exponentiation results in errors.

Using redundant parentheses in complex arithmetic expressions can make the expressions clearer.



Step 1.
$$y = 2 * 5 * 5 + 3 * 5 + 7$$
; (Leftmost multiplication)
 $2 * 5 \text{ is}$ 10
Step 2. $y = 10 * 5 + 3 * 5 + 7$; (Leftmost multiplication)
 $10 * 5 \text{ is}$ 50
Step 3. $y = 50 + 3 * 5 + 7$; (Multiplication before addition)
 $3 * 5 \text{ is}$ 15
Step 4. $y = 50 + 15 + 7$; (Leftmost addition)
 $50 + 15 \text{ is}$ 65
Step 5. $y = 65 + 7$; (Last addition)
Step 6. $y = 72$ (Last operation—place 72 in y)

Fig. 2.11 | Order in which a second-degree polynomial is evaluated.



2.7 Decision Making: Equality and Relational Operators

Condition

- Expression can be either true or false
- Can be formed using equality or relational operators

• if statement

- If condition is true, body of the if statement executes
- If condition is false, body of the if statement does not execute

Standard algebraic equality or relational operator	C++ equality or relational operator	Sample C++ condition	Meaning of C++ condition
Relational operators			
>	>	x > y	x is greater than y
<	<	x < y	x is less than y
≥	>=	x >= y	x is greater than or equal to y
≤	<=	x <= y	x is less than or equal to y
Equality operators			
=	==	x == y	x is equal to y
≠	!=	x != y	x is not equal to y

Fig. 2.12 | Equality and relational operators.



A syntax error will occur if any of the operators ==, !=, >= and <= appears with spaces between its pair of symbols.

Reversing the order of the pair of symbols in any of the operators !=, >= and <= (by writing them as =!, => and =<, respectively) is normally a syntax error. In some cases, writing != as =! will not be a syntax error, but almost certainly will be a logic error that has an effect at execution time. (cont...)

You will understand why when you learn about logical operators in Chapter 5. A fatal logic error causes a program to fail and terminate prematurely. A nonfatal logic error allows a program to continue executing, but usually produces incorrect results.



Confusing the equality operator == with the assignment operator = results in logic errors. The equality operator should be read "is equal to," and the assignment operator should be read "gets" or "gets the value of" or "is assigned the value of." Some people prefer to read the equality operator as "double equals." As we discuss in Section 5.9, confusing these operators may not necessarily cause an easy-to-recognize syntax error, but may cause extremely subtle logic errors.



```
1 // Fig. 2.13: fig02_13.cpp
2 // Comparing integers using if statements, relational operators
                                                                                         Outline
3 // and equality operators.
4 #include <iostream> // allows program to perform input and output
5
  using std::cout; <del></del>// program uses cout
                                                                                         fig02_13.cpp
7 using std::cin; // program uses cir
                                                  using declarations eliminate
  using std::endl; <del>// program</del> uses endl
                                                  need for std:: prefix
                                                                                         (1 \text{ of } 2)
9
10 // function main begins program Declare variables
11 int main()
12 [
13
      int number1; #/ first
                              Can write cout and cin
      int number2; ∡// second
14
                              without std:: prefix
15
                                                    if statement compare
      cout ≮ "Enter two integers to compare: "
16
                                                                           If condition is true (i.e.,
                                                    of number1 and num
      cin >> number1 >> number2; // read two integ
17
                                                                            values are equal), execute this
18
                                                    if statement compares values
      if ( number1 == number2 )
19
                                                    of number 1 and par If condition is true (i.e.,
20
         cout << number1 << " == " << number2 << e
                                                     test for inequality
                                                                           values are not equal), execute
21
22
      if ( number1 != number2 )
                                                                            this statement
         cout << number1 << " != " << number2 << end]: *</pre>
23
24
      if ( number1 < number2 ) ◆
25
         cout << number1 << " < " << number2 << en</pre>
                                                    Compares two numbers using
26
27
                                                    relational operator < and >
      if ( number1 > number2 ) 
28
         cout << number1 << " > " << number2 << endl;</pre>
29
30
```



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if ( number1 <= number2 ) ▼</pre>
31
         cout << number1 << " <= " << number2 << end</pre>
32
                                                       Compares two numbers using
                                                                                             Outline
33
                                                        relational operators <= and >=
      if ( number1 >= number2 )
34
         cout << number1 << " >= " << number2 << endl;</pre>
35
36
                                                                                             fig02_13.cpp
37
      return 0; // indicate that program ended successfully
38
                                                                                             (2 \text{ of } 2)
39 } // end function main
Enter two integers to compare: 3 7
                                                                                             fig02_13.cpp
3 != 7
                                                                                             output (1 of 3)
3 < 7
3 <= 7
                                                                                             (2 \text{ of } 3)
Enter two integers to compare: 22 12
22 != 12
22 > 12
22 >= 12
                                                                                             (3 \text{ of } 3)
Enter two integers to compare: 7 7
7 == 7
7 <= 7
7 >= 7
```



Place using declarations immediately after the #include to which they refer.



Indent the statement(s) in the body of an if statement to enhance readability.

For readability, there should be no more than one statement per line in a program.



Placing a semicolon immediately after the right parenthesis after the condition in an if statement is often a logic error (although not a syntax error). The semicolon causes the body of the if statement to be empty, so the if statement performs no action, regardless of whether or not its condition is true. Worse yet, the original body statement of the if statement now would become a statement in sequence with the if statement and would always execute, often causing the program to produce incorrect results.



It is a syntax error to split an identifier by inserting white-space characters (e.g., writing main as main).

A lengthy statement may be spread over several lines. If a single statement must be split across lines, choose meaningful breaking points, such as after a comma in a comma-separated list, or after an operator in a lengthy expression. If a statement is split across two or more lines, indent all subsequent lines and left-align the group.



Opera	ators			Associativity	Туре
()				left to right	parentheses
*	/	%		left to right	multiplicative
+	-			left to right	additive
<<	>>			left to right	stream insertion/extraction
<	<=	>	>=	left to right	relational
==	!=			left to right	equality
=				right to left	assignment

Fig. 2.14 | Precedence and associativity of the operators discussed so far.



Refer to the operator precedence and associativity chart when writing expressions containing many opera-tors. Confirm that the operators in the expression are performed in the order you expect. If you are uncertain about the order of evaluation in a complex expression, break the expression into smaller statements or use parentheses to force the order of evaluation, exactly as you would do in an algebraic expression. Be sure to ob-serve that some operators such as assignment (=) associate right to left rather than left to right.



2.8 (Optional) Software Engineering Case Study: Examining the ATM Requirements Document

- Object-oriented design (OOD) process using UML
 - Performed in chapters 3 to 7, 9 and 13
 - Requirements document
 - Specifies overall purpose and what the system must do
- Object-oriented programming (OOP) implementation
 - Complete implementation in appendix G



- Requirements document
 - New automated teller machine (ATM)
 - Allows basic financial transaction
 - View balance, withdraw cash, deposit funds
 - User interface
 - Display screen, keypad, cash dispenser, deposit slot
 - ATM session
 - Authenticate user, execute financial transaction





Fig. 2.15 | Automated teller machine user interface.





Fig. 2.16 | ATM main menu.





Fig. 2.17 | ATM withdrawal menu.



- Analyzing the ATM system
 - Requirements gathering
 - Software life cycle
 - Waterfall model
 - Iteractive model
 - Use case modeling
- Use case diagram
 - Model the interactions between clients and its use cases
 - Actor
 - External entity



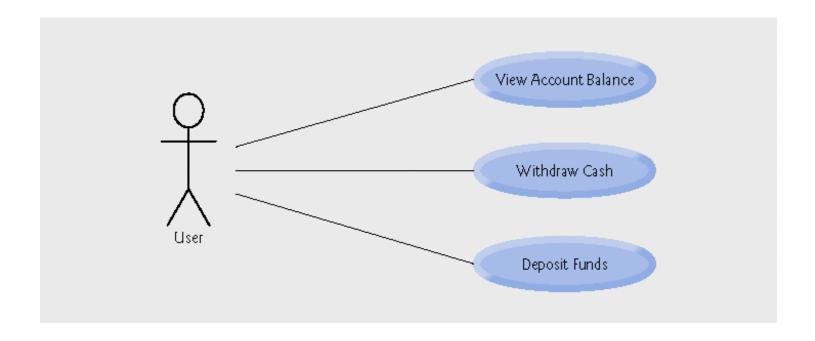


Fig. 2.18 | Use case diagram for the ATM system from the user's perspective.



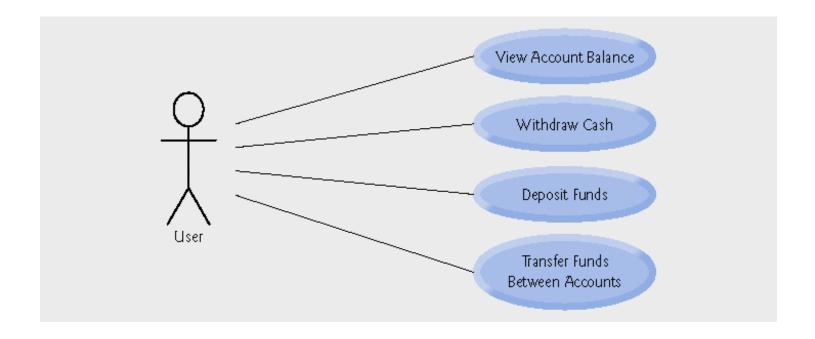


Fig. 2.19 | Use case diagram for a modified version of our ATM system that also allows users to transfer money between accounts.



- UML diagram types
 - Model system structure
 - Class diagram
 - Models classes, or "building blocks" of a system
 - Screen, keypad, cash dispenser, deposit slot.

- Model system behavior
 - Use case diagrams
 - Model interactions between user and the system
 - State machine diagrams
 - Model the ways in which an object changes state
 - Activity diagrams
 - Model an object's activity during program execution
 - Communication diagrams (collaboration diagrams)
 - Model the interactions among objects
 - Emphasize what interactions occur
 - Sequence diagrams
 - Model the interactions among objects
 - Emphasize when interactions occur