

C++

Strings and streams

Training

Exercise 1 Reading

Consider the variable `name` of type `string`. The command `cin >> name` reads a string from the standard input and store it in `name`. When reading a string, blank characters at the beginning of strings are eliminated (spaces, tabs, end of file, etc.). The string is read up to the next blank or the end of file.

Predict the behavior of the following program when two names are entered (e.g. "Rolling Stones"), then try it out.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <string>

int main()
{
    std::cout << "Comment vous appelez vous ? ";
    std::string name;
    std::cin >> name;

    std::cout << "Salut " << name << std::endl
                                     << "Et quel est le votre ? ";
    std::cin >> name;
    std::cout << "Enchante " << name << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

Exercise 2 Goodbye printf and scanf

Write the following program (correct in both C and C++), using only C++ input/output.

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
    int n; float y;
    printf("Type an integer and float \n");
    scanf("%d %e", &n, &y);
    printf("the product of %d with %e\n is : %e", n,y,n*y);
    return 0;
}
```

Exercise 3 Compute the average

Write a program to calculate a student's EU average. The program will ask for the student's name and then the student's mid-term grade, final exam grade and set of homework grades. It will then display the result, with the mid-term grade counts for 20%, the exam for 40% and the homework average for 40% of the final grade.

1. Write the program without taking homework into account (assuming 40% mid-term, 60% exam).
2. Modify the precision of the result with 4 figures using `setprecision` function of `iomanip` library
3. Add entry and calculation of homework averages. The number of homework is not known a priori (and we don't need to ask for it).

Remark: C-d represents the end of the stream.

Exercise 4 Read/write in a file

The `fstream` library give the possibility to open (`open(nom, mode d'ouverture)`) or close (`close()`) a file and to use it as a stream. One can choose the opening mode:

- `read : fstream::in`
- `write : fstream::out`

1. Write a program to count the number of words in the file `travail.txt`. Check the result with the UNIX command `wc`.
2. Write a program that reads the file `prenom.txt` and copies the names containing the letter "a" into the file `lasnames_A.txt`.

