

Directory Operations Exercises

directory_entry

- Briefly describe `std::filesystem::directory_entry`

directory_iterator

- Briefly describe `std::filesystem`'s `directory_iterator`
- What happens if the directory contains a subdirectory?
- Write a program that uses `directory_iterator` to display the names, properties and permissions of all the files in a directory

Creating a Directory

- Write down a statement that creates a new directory using `std::filesystem`
- What happens if the directory already exists?
- What are the default permissions on the new directory?
- How can these permissions be changed?

Creating a Directory

- Write a program that
 - Creates a directory and some files in it
 - Iterates over the entries in the directory
 - Displays the properties and permissions of all the entries

Creating Multiple Directories

- Write down a statement that uses `std::filesystem` to create a path that contains a sequence of new directories
- What happens if some of the "new" directories already exist?

remove_all()

- Briefly describe the remove_all function in std::filename

recursive_directory_iterator

- Briefly describe `std::filesystem::recursive_directory_iterator`
- Write a program that
 - Creates a directory and some files in it
 - Creates a sequence of new directories in the new directory
 - Recursively iterates over the entries in the directory
 - Displays the properties and permissions of all the entries

current_path()

- Briefly describe std::filesystem's current_path
- Write a program which
 - Creates a directory and some files in it
 - Sets the new directory to be the working directory
 - Displays the names of all the files in this directory
 - Changes the working directory back to its original value

Disk Space

- Briefly describe how to use `std::filesystem` to find the amount of storage on a disk
- Write a simple program which displays the amount of storage on your computer's disk in gigabytes