

This document contains all the non-coding exercises of Chapter 2 of C++ Primer.

Exercise 2.1

The different integer types vary in their minimum bit sizes and so their minimum value range:

`short` 16 bits gives a value range of -32768 – 32767.

`int` 16 bits gives a value range of -32768 – 32767.

`long` 32 bits gives a value range of -2147483648 – 2147483647.

`long long` 64 bits gives a value range of -9223372036854775808 – 9223372036854775807.

`unsigned` types do not include negative values, that is, values ≥ 0 , for example if we consider `unsigned int` the value range is 0 – 65536. Of course a `signed` type takes negative values.

Lastly, both `float` and `double` represent decimal precision values. The difference is in the accuracy of precision, a `float` is precise to 6 significant digits and `double` is precise to 10 significant digits.

Exercise 2.2

They should all be `double` as they all involved decimal figures.

Exercise 2.3

Assuming the machine is 32 bits for integers the outputs are (in order):

- 32
- 4294967264
- 32
- -32
- 0
- 0

Exercise 2.4

See `ex24.cpp`.

Exercise 2.5

- (a) In order: character literal; wide character literal; string literal; wide character string literal.
- (b) In order: integer; unsigned integer; long integer; unsigned long integer; octal integer; hexadecimal integer.
- (c) In order: double; float; long double.
- (d) In order: integer; unsigned integer; double; double.

Exercise 2.6

In the first statement the definitions use integer literals so the values are what we expect, that is, `month = 9` and `day = 7`. In the second statement we try to define integers using octals however there is an error as `09` is not an octal and will throw an error.

Exercise 2.7

- (a) This is a string literal which represents “Who goes with Fergus?”
- (b) The value is 3.1 and is a long double.
- (c) The value is 1024 and is a float.
- (d) The value is 3.14 and is a long double.

Exercise 2.8

See `ex28.cpp`.

Exercise 2.9

- (a) Cannot use variable before it has been declared. To correct:

```
int input_value;  
std::cin >> input_value;
```
- (b) Cannot use double in list initialisation since narrowing value may lose data.
To correct:

```
double i = { 3.14 };
```

- (c) Cannot use variable to initialise another variable before it has been initialised.
To correct:
`double wage = 9999.99;`
`double salary = wage;`
- (d) This will initialise `i` to be an `int` but it will truncate it's value from 3.14 to 3.

Exercise 2.10

- `global_str` will be an empty string.
- `global_int` will be 0.
- `local_int` will be undefined.
- `local_str` will be an empty string.

Exercise 2.11

- (a) This is a definition since the variable is initialised and so memory is allocated for the variable.
- (b) This is a definition as the variable is defined locally and so memory is allocated for it.
- (c) This is a declaration of a variable as it specifies the variable is external without initialising its value.

Exercise 2.12

`double` is a reserved C++ keyword and so is invalid, `catch-22` does not include valid characters in an identifier and so is invalid and lastly, `1_or_2` is invalid as it begins with a number.

Exercise 2.13

Since `i` is defined globally and locally, within the block scope its value is that derived from initialisation within the block. So `j` will have value 100.

Exercise 2.14

The program is legal since variables can be redefined in an inner scope (here this is the `for` loop). The program prints `100 45` since the value of `sum` is the sum of the numbers 0–9.