



Lab No. 4: Introduction to I/O Statements, Operators and String in C++

Objective:

This lab is about familiarization with cin and cout and string in C++ and with different operators in C++.

C++ User Input

You have already learned that **cout** is used to output (print) values. Now we will use **cin** to get user input.

cin is a predefined variable that reads data from the keyboard with the extraction operator (**>>**).

In the following example, the user can input a number, which is stored in the variable **x**. Then we print the value of **x**:

Example

```
int x;  
cout << "Type a number: "; // Type a number and press enter  
cin >> x; // Get user input from the keyboard  
cout << "Your number is: " << x; // Display the input value
```

String Types

The **string** type is used to store a sequence of characters (text). This is not a built-in type, but it behaves like one in its most basic usage. String values must be surrounded by double quotes:

Example

```
string greeting = "Hello";  
cout << greeting;
```

To use strings, you must include an additional header file in the source code, **<string>** library:

Example

```
// Include the string library
#include <string>

// Create a string variable
string greeting = "Hello";

// Output string value
cout << greeting;
```

Boolean Types

A boolean data type is declared with the **bool** keyword and can only take the values **true** or **false**.

When the value is returned, **true = 1** and **false = 0**.

Example

```
bool isCodingFun = true;
bool isFishTasty = false;
cout << isCodingFun; // Outputs 1 (true)
cout << isFishTasty; // Outputs 0 (false)
```

Arithmetic Operators

Arithmetic operators are used to perform common mathematical operations.

| Operator | Name | Description | Example |
|----------|----------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| + | Addition | Adds two values | a + b |
| - | Subtraction | Subtracts one value from another | a - b |
| * | Multiplication | Multiplies two values | a * b |
| / | Division | Divides one value by another | a / b |
| % | Modulus | Returns the division remainder | a % b |

Assignment Operators

Assignment operators are used to assign values to variables.

In the example below, we use the **assignment** operator (=) to assign the value **10** to a variable called **x**:

Example

```
int x = 10;
```

Comparison Operators

Comparison operators are used to compare two values.

Note: The return value of a comparison is either true (1) or false (0).

In the following example, we use the **greater than** operator (>) to find out if 5 is greater than 3:

Example

```
int x = 5;  
int y = 3;  
cout << (x > y); // returns 1 (true) because 5 is greater than 3
```

A list of all comparison operators:

| Operator | Description | Example |
|----------|---|---|
| = | Simple assignment operator, Assigns values from right side operands to left side operand | C = A + B will assign value of A + B into C |
| += | Add AND assignment operator, It adds right operand to the left operand and assign the result to left operand | C += A is equivalent to C = C + A |
| -= | Subtract AND assignment operator, It subtracts right operand from the left operand and assign the result to left operand | C -= A is equivalent to C = C - A |
| *= | Multiply AND assignment operator, It multiplies right operand with the left operand and assign the result to left operand | C *= A is equivalent to C = C * A |
| /= | Divide AND assignment operator, It divides left operand with the right operand and assign the result to left operand | C /= A is equivalent to C = C / A |
| %= | Modulus AND assignment operator, It takes modulus using two operands and assign the result to left operand | C %= A is equivalent to C = C % A |

Compound assignment (+=, -=, *=, /=, %=, >>=, <<=, &=, ^=, |=)

Compound assignment operators modify the current value of a variable by performing an

operation on it. They are equivalent to assigning the result of an operation to the first operand:

| expression | equivalent to... |
|----------------------------------|---|
| <code>y += x;</code> | <code>y = y + x;</code> |
| <code>x -= 5;</code> | <code>x = x - 5;</code> |
| <code>x /= y;</code> | <code>x = x / y;</code> |
| <code>price *= units + 1;</code> | <code>price = price * (units+1);</code> |

and the same for all other compound assignment operators. For example:

```
// compound assignment operators  
#include <iostream>  
using namespace std;
```

```
int main ()  
{  
    int a, b=3;  
    a = b;  
    a+=2;           // equivalent to a=a+2  
    cout << a;  
}
```

Expressions

Multiplication, mode and division have higher precedence than addition and subtraction.

Associativity: left to right

C++ String

Strings are used for storing text

A string variable contains a collection of characters surrounded by double quotes

Example: Create a variable of type string and assign it a value:

```
string greeting = "Hello";
```

String Concatenation: The + operator can be used between strings to add them together to make a new string. This is called concatenation

String Length: To get the length of a string, use the length() or size() function

Access Strings: You can access the characters in a string by referring to its index number inside square brackets []

Note: String indexes start with 0: [0] is the first character. [1] is the second character, etc.

User Input Strings: Use the extraction operator >> on cin to display a string entered by a user

TASKS:

1. Take two integers as input from user apply arithmetic assignment operations on them and print them on screen.
2. Write a code in C++ that takes values of a and b from the user and displays result of polynomial $a^2 + 2ab + b^2$.
3. Write a C++ program that takes two complex number from user and add them. Print the resultant complex number.
4. Write a C++ program to prompt the user to input 3 integer values and print these values in forward and reversed order.
5. Write a C++ program that take an integer value and character from user and display the integer and character on the console window.
6. Write a program that asks the user to enter a value for x and then displays value of following polynomial $2x^5 + 3x^4 - x^3 - 2x^2 + 7x - 6$. To calculate x^5 you will have to use pow (x, 5).

Note: include math.h library for pow.

7. Write a C++ program that take seconds from user and displays time in hours minutes and seconds format. For example, if user enters 3700, output should be 1 hour 1 minute and 40 seconds.
8. Write a C++ program to swap two variables values with and without using third variables.
9. Write a C++ program to enter a string s1 and copy it to another string s2.
10. Write a C++ program to calculate the distance between the two points. Note: x_1, y_1, x_2, y_2 are all double values. Formula:

$$d = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$

11. Complete the following table by writing the value of each expression in the Value column according to C++ language rules.

| Expression | Value |
|------------------------|-------|
| 28 / 4 - 2 | |
| 6 + 12 * 2 - 8 | |
| 4 + 8 * 2 | |
| 6 + 17 % 3 - 2 | |
| 2 + 22 * (9 - 7) | |
| (8 + 7) * 2 | |
| (16 + 7) % 2 - 1 | |
| 12 / (10 - 6) | |
| (19 - 3) * (2 + 2) / 4 | |

12. Write a C++ program to find quotient and remainder of two integers, by taking input from the user.

13. Write a C++ program which takes a character and display its previous character using decrement operator.

14. Write a program which asks for a number input from the keyboard. Add 34 to the number and then divide it by 2. Now, take modulus of that number with 4, then again add 4 to the number and then multiply the resultant value by 5. Display the result.

15. Write a program in C++ to compute the specified expressions and print the output.

$(25 * 3.5 - 3 * 7.5) + 3 / (40.5 - 4.5)$

16. Write a C++ program to take two strings s1 and s2 from user and display the following output.

```
Enter first string: Waseem Khan
Enter second string: Muhammad Farooq
The string s1 : Waseem Khan
The string s2 : Muhammad Farooq
The length of string s1 : 11
The length of string s2 : 15
S1 + S2 = Waseem Khan Muhammad Farooq
Access the index 2 in s1= s
Access the index 6 in s2= a
```

17. Write a program that takes as input from the user the numerators and denominators of two fractions & gives the sum, difference, multiple and division of the two fractions. Assume that the numerators and denominators are integers.

```
Enter Numerator 1 : 3
Enter Denominator 1 : 7
Enter Numerator 2 : 8
Enter Denominator 2 : 9

3/7 + 8/9 = 83/63
3/7 - 8/9 = -29/63
3/7 x 8/9 = 24/63
3/7 / 8/9 = 27/56
```

18. Write a program that takes, as input from the user, the radius of a sphere, and outputs:

- The diameter of the sphere
- The surface area of the sphere
- The volume of the sphere