

CMSC 240

SOFTWARE SYSTEMS
DEVELOPMENT

CMSC 240: Fall 2020

Homework

- <http://www.mathcs.richmond.edu/~blawson/cmssc240>
- Read:
 - ▣ Syllabus
 - ▣ Chapters 1, 2, 3 of C++ Primer Plus
- Tutorial:
 - ▣ *Unix Tutorial for Beginners* (Intro, Tutorial 1, Tutorial 2)

Linux / Unix



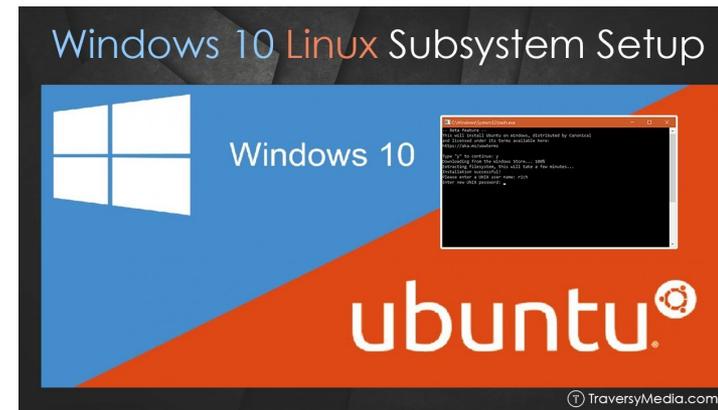
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- ❑ Macs (G20, G22, G30, 225): Unix
- ❑ Linux Boxes (225): Linux
- ❑ Windows Linux Subsystem (G24)



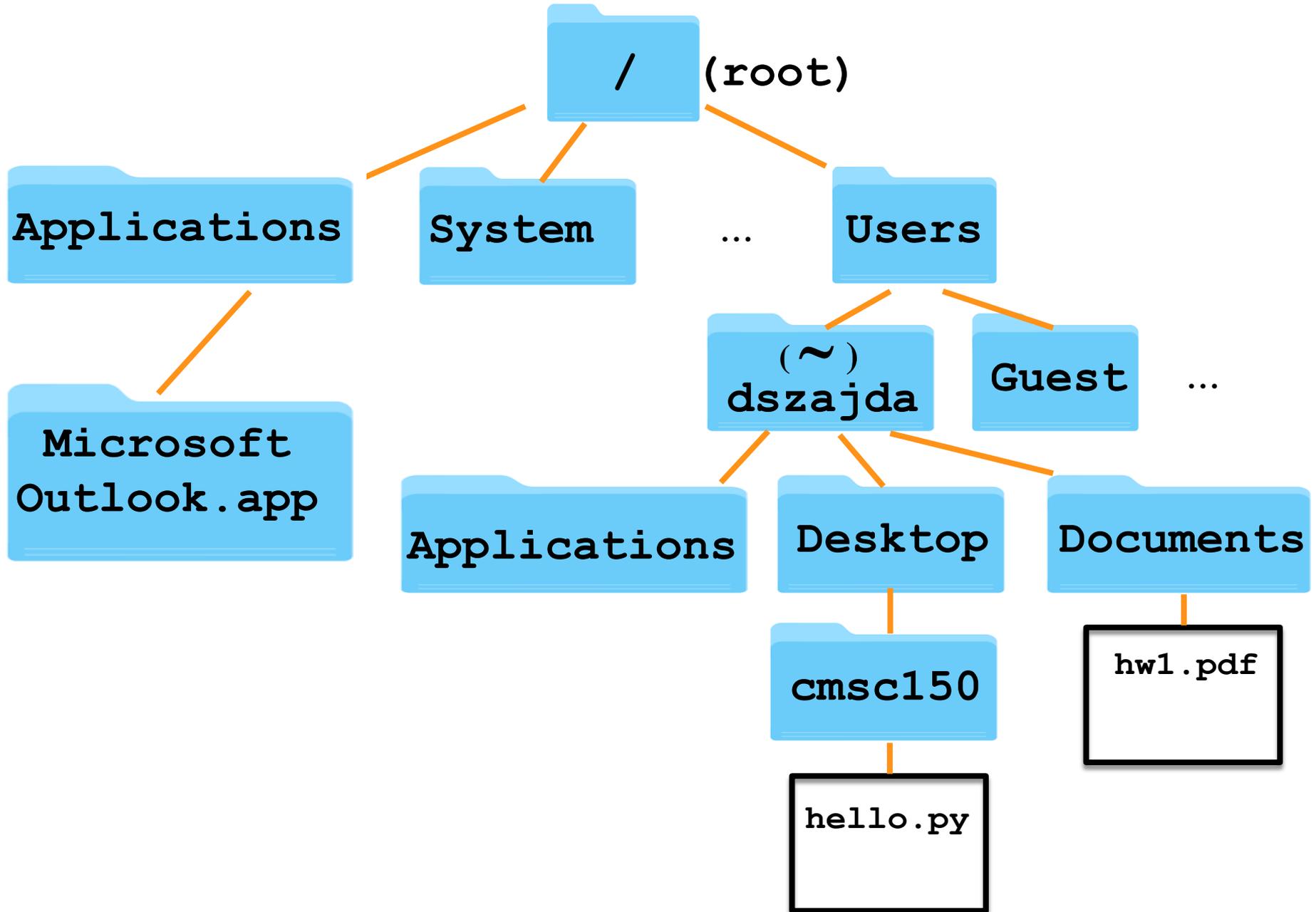
- ❑ *nix primarily uses a command prompt
 - ▣ Interact via commands typed in window
 - ▣ Similar to DOS command prompt



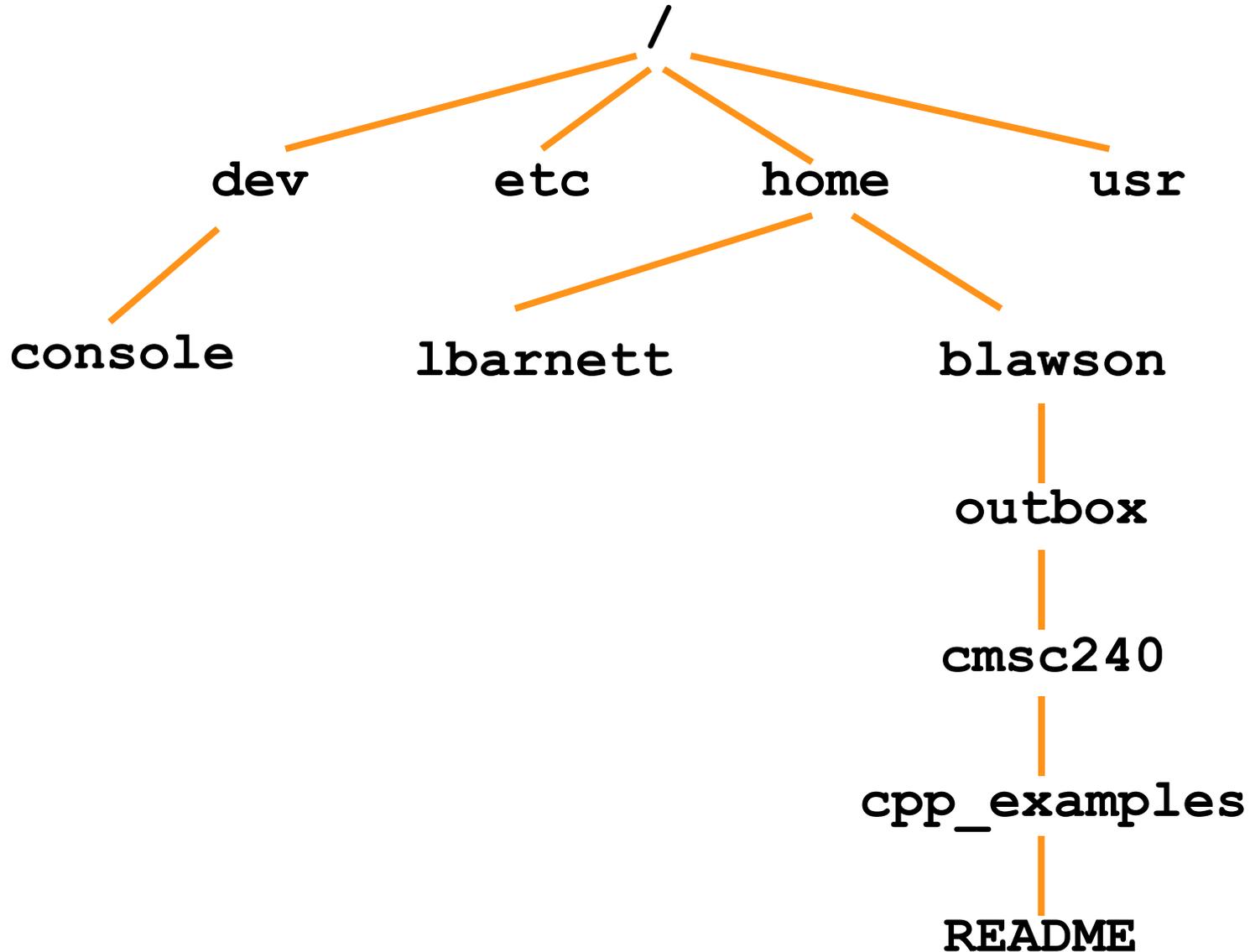
Example Terminal Commands

- `cd ~`
- `mkdir cmsc240`
- `cd cmsc240`
- `pwd`
- `echo "Hi!" > myFile.txt`
- `cat myFile.txt`
- `cp myFile.txt yourFile.txt`
- `mv yourFile.txt ourFile.txt`
- `mkdir tmpDir`
- `mv ourFile.txt tmpDir`
- `ls`
- `cd ..`
- change to home directory
- make a new cmsc240 directory
- cd to the cmsc240 directory
- print the working directory
- redirect output to a new file
- display contents of file
- make a copy of the file
- rename the new file
- make another new directory
- move the file copy to new dir
- list current directory contents
- change to parent directory

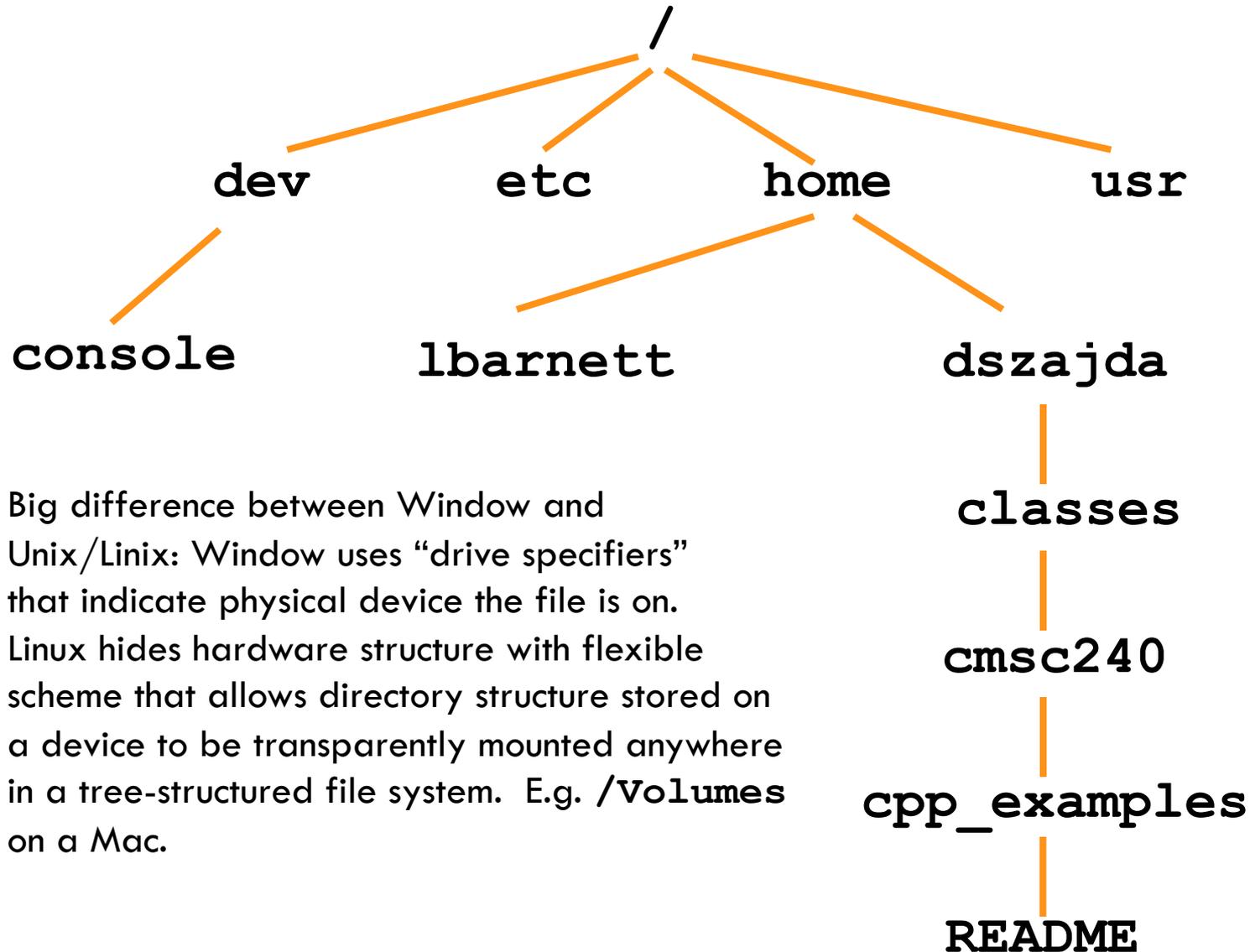
Example Unix File System (on Mac)



Example Unix File System (on Linux)



Example Unix File System (on Linux)



Unix/Linux File System

- Special directory names:
 - ▣ Root directory: /
 - ▣ Current directory: .
 - ▣ Parent directory: .. (allows you to go up)
 - ▣ User's home directory: ~
 - ▣ Some other user's home: ~sb4tc

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- Special cases:
 - ▣ `cd` (with no arg) goes to your home directory
 - ▣ `cd .` does nothing
 - ▣ `cd ..` moves to the parent of the current directory
 - ▣ `ls` allows wildcards, e.g., `ls *.cpp` lists all files ending in `.cpp`

Need Help? Use “man” pages...

- man ls
- man cd

- Navigating a manual page:
 - ▣ <return> advances line at a time
 - ▣ <space> advances page at a time
 - ▣ b reverses page at a time
 - ▣ /keywd searches for keywd
 - ▣ q quits

Writing Your First C++ Program

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using namespace std;

int main() {
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    return 0;
}
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```
int main() {
```

```
    std::cout << "Hello!" << std::endl;
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

More on namespaces later

Writing Your First C++ Program

```
#include <cstdio>
```

```
int main() {
```

```
    int count{5};
```

```
    printf("Count is %d\n.", count);
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```

C++ Crash Course uses C-style printing

C Format Specifiers

- `%d` Integer format specifier
- `%f` Float format specifier
- `%c` Character format specifier
- `%s` String format specifier
- `%u` Unsigned int format specifier
- `%ld` Long int format specifier
- `%x` or `%X` Hex format specifier (lower or UPPER)
- Augmenting options control field width, etc:
 - `%8.5f` would cause “ 1.23400” (note leading space)

Writing Your First C++ Program

```
#include <cstdio>

void myfunc(char *mystring) {
    printf(mystring);
    return 0;
}
```

Yes, you can do this. **DON'T!** It's a security vulnerability: "format string bug"

Writing Your First C++ Program

```
#include <cstdio>
```

```
void myfunc(char *mystring) {  
    printf("%s", mystring);  
    return 0;  
}
```

Do this instead.

Compile & Execute Your Program

```
□ g++ hello.cpp -o hello
```

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Unlike Java, there is no compilation first to platform-independent byte code.

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Allows the Mac default clang compiler to compile “modern” C++

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Note order of config parameters not usually important. I tend to put executable first.

“Modern C++”

- This is the first version of the full-unit CMSC 240
- In this course you will learn “Modern C++”
 - ▣ So if you consult notes from earlier versions of this course, code might look very different from what we do
- C++ “versions”: C++98, C++03, C++ 11, C++ 14, C++ 17, C++ 20
 - ▣ I learned C++ in 1997. Similar time frame for Profs Lawson, Barnett
 - I learned modern C++ during Summer 2020, and am still learning (it’s a very powerful, very feature rich, very complex language)
 - ▣ The change is not “minor” – complete language revision.
 - We will learn modern C++ from the start

“Modern C++”

- C++ is a powerful language that provides low level access to memory
 - ▣ Which is great for system programming
 - ▣ But which also leaves one open to pernicious bugs if one is not careful...

“Modern C++”

- C++ is a powerful language that provides low level access to memory (and won't prevent bad judgement)

```
#include <cstdio>

int main(int argc, char** argv) {

    int a_array[12];

    for (auto i: a_array) {
        a_array[i] = -100;
    }

    int myarray[10];

    printf("%x\t%x\n", myarray[-8], myarray[10]);

}
```

Command-Line Parameters (a.k.a. Arguments)

```
#include <iostream>
```

```
int main(int argc, char* argv[])
```

```
{
```

```
    if (argc != 2) // argc counts the num of CLPs
```

```
    {
```

```
        std::cerr << "Usage: " << argv[0]
```

```
                << " <first name>" << std::endl;
```

```
        exit(0);
```

```
    }
```

```
    std::cout << "Hello " << argv[1] << std::endl;
```

```
    return 0;
```

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}
```

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                << " <first name>" << std::endl;
```

```
        return 0;
```

```
    }
```

```
    std::cout << "Hello " << argv[1] << std::endl;
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```



So what is
argv?

Converting Command-Line Args

```
...
int bar(int param)
{
    return(8675309 + param);
}

int main(int argc, char* argv[])
{
    // check for correct # of CLAs!!
    char* offsetAsString { argv[1] };
    int offset          { std::stoi(offsetAsString)  };
    std::cout << bar(offset) << std::endl;
    return 0;
}
```

char* is a type:
C-style string

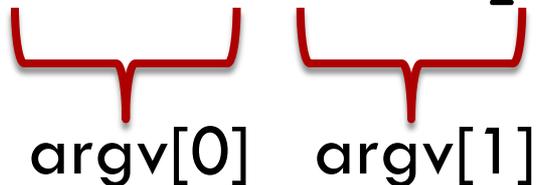
stoi(): converts
string to integer

Compile & Execute Your Program

- `g++ -o hello hello.cpp`

- `ls -l *`

- `./hello`

- `./hello Lilly`


The diagram shows two red curly braces under the command `./hello Lilly`. The first brace is under `./hello` and points to `argv[0]` below it. The second brace is under `Lilly` and points to `argv[1]` below it.

C-Style Arrays

```
...
int main()
{
    std::cout << "Enter 10 integers: " << std::endl;

    int array[10];
    for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++) {
        std::cin >> array[i];
    }

    std::cout << "In reverse, you entered: ";
    for (int i = 9; i >= 0; i--) {
        std::cout << array[i] << " ";
    }
    std::cout << std::endl;

    return 0;
}
```

C-style arrays
do not
have a length field

C-Style Arrays

```
...  
int main()  
{
```

Problems with C-style arrays:

- 1) doesn't know its own size
- 2) converts to a pointer to its first element
(more on pointers later)

```
}
```

C++ Arrays: `std::array` for fixed size

```
...
int main()
{
    std::array<int, 10> array;

    std::cout << "Enter " << array.size() << " integers: " << std::endl;
    for (int i = 0; i < array.size(); i++) {
        std::cin >> array[i];
    }

    std::cout << "You entered: ";
    for (int val : array) This is a range-based loop
    {
        std::cout << val << " ";
    }
    std::cout << std::endl;

    // omission of return 0; ==> implicitly returns 0
}
```

C++ Arrays: `std::vector` for dynamic size

```
...
int main()
{
    std::vector<int> vector;

    std::cout << "Enter a non-negative integer, or -1 to quit: ";
    int num = 0;
    while (std::cin >> num) {
        if (num == -1) break;
        vector.push_back(num);
        std::cout << "Enter a non-negative integer, or -1 to quit: ";
    }

    std::cout << "You entered: ";
    for (auto val : vector)
    {
        std::cout << val << " ";
    }
    std::cout << std::endl;
}
```

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    while (std::cin >> num) {
        if (num == -1) break;
        vector.push_back(num);
        std::cout << "Enter a non-negative integer, or -1 to quit: ";
    }

    std::cout << "You entered: ";
    for (auto val : vector)
    {
        std::cout << val << " ";
    }
    std::cout << std::endl;
}
```

vector is almost always preferred over an array. If you know exactly how many elements you'll have, array has slightly less overhead. But vector is more flexible and has more operations. It should be your primary sequential container.

Functions in C++: With Prototype

```
#include <iostream>

int foo(); // declaration (AKA function prototype)

int main()
{
    std::cout << foo() << std::endl; // call foo()
    return 0;
}

int foo() // definition
{
    return(8675309);
}
```

It's like declaring variables before using them: either define functions before calling them , or you have to "declare" them.

Functions in C++: Without Prototype

```
#include <iostream>

int foo() // definition (occurs before call)
{
    return(8675309);
}

int main()
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Functions in C++: With Prototype

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#include <iostream>

int foo(char); // declaration (AKA function prototype)

int main()
{
    std::cout << foo() << std::endl; // call foo()
    return 0;
}

int foo(char initial) // definition
{
    return(8675309);
}
```

Also, declaration provides interface: no need for formal parameters in declaration.

Functions in C++: With Prototype

```
#include <iostream>

int foo(char initial) // definition
{
    return(8675309);
}
```

Note: In most cases, no difference in return statements with or without parens. However, one exception can be found here: <https://stackoverflow.com/questions/4762662/are-parentheses-around-the-result-significant-in-a-return-statement>

Functions in C++: Parameters

```
#include <iostream>

int bar(int param)
{
    return(8675309 + param);
}

int main()
{
    int offset {10}; // same as int offset = 10;
    std::cout << bar(offset) << std::endl; // call bar
    return 0;
}
```

= versus {}-list initialization

- From Stroustrup (*A Tour of C++*, 2nd Ed., Section 1.4.2):

The = form is traditional and dates back to C, but if in doubt, use the general {}-list form. If nothing else, it saves you from conversions that lose information:

```
int i1 = 7.8; // i1 becomes 7 (surprise?)  
int i2 {7.8}; // error: floating-point to integer conv.
```

- This is a feature introduced in C++ 2011, so you will need to indicate that in your compile command (by including the std compiler flag I mentioned previously)

I highly recommend Stroustrup book. AFTER you have learned C++.

C++: Input and Output

- Standard input / standard output streams
 - ▣ `#include <iostream>`
 - ▣ `std::cin` / `std::cout`
- File input / file output streams
 - ▣ `#include <fstream>`
 - ▣ `std::ifstream` / `std::ofstream`
- Streams for console and files all work the same
 - ▣ `>>` reads whitespace-delimited words from input stream
 - ▣ `<<` prints text/variables to output stream
 - ▣ to read entire line, use `getline(cin, stringvar)`

Example of Opening an Input File

- Remember to `#include <fstream>`
- To open an input file for reading:

```
string fname { "phone.txt"};

ifstream infile {fname};

if (!infile)
{
    cerr << "Could not open file: " << fname << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

- Then use `infile` where you would use `cin`, with `>>`
- Make sure to close when done...

```
infile.close();
```

File Reading Example

- (a) enter this C++ program as `fileInput.cpp`
- (b) compile the program:
`g++ fileInput.cpp -o fileInput`
- (c) create a text file containing two numbers
- (d) run, passing in the name of your text file:
`./fileInput numbers.txt`

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

void error(std::string msg, std::string arg)
{
    std::cerr << msg << arg << std::endl;
    exit(0);
}

int main(int argc, char* argv[])
{
    // appropriately check for # of CLAs!!
    std::ifstream infile {argv[1]};
    if (!infile) {
        error("Unable to open file: ", argv[1]);
    }

    std::string number1;
    std::string number2;
    infile >> number1 >> number2;
    std::cout << number1 << " : " << number2 << std::endl;
    infile.close();
}
```

Example of Opening an Output File

- Remember to `#include <fstream>`

- To open an output file for reading:

```
string fname {"myOutput.txt"};
ofstream outfile {fname};
if (!outfile)
{
    // cerr appropriate error message
    return 0;
}
```

- Then use `outfile` where you would use `cout`, with `<<`

- Make sure to close when done...

```
outfile.close();
```

File Writing Example

```
#include <fstream>
#include <iostream>

void error(std::string msg, std::string arg)
{
    std::cerr << msg << arg << std::endl;
    exit(0);
}

int main(int argc, char* argv[])
{
    // appropriately check for # of CLAs!!
    std::ofstream outfile {argv[1]};
    if (!outfile)
    {
        error("Unable to open file: ", argv[1]);
    }

    for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++)
    {
        outfile << (866 + 1) << " - " << (530 * 10 + 9 + i);
        outfile << std::endl;
    }

    outfile.close();
}
```

- (a) enter this C++ program as
fileOutput.cpp
- (b) compile the program:
g++ fileOutput.cpp -o fileOutput
- (c) run, passing in the name of a text file:
./fileOutput newNumbers.txt
- (d) display the contents of the new output file:
cat newNumbers.txt

Week 1 Assignment

- Write, compile, and test 7 short C++ programs from these slides
 - Name as follows, submitting to hw1 in shared Box folder
-
- | | | |
|----|-----------------------------|---|
| 1. | <code>args.cpp</code> | Slide 23 on command-line arguments |
| 2. | <code>array.cpp</code> | Slide 29 on <code>std::array</code> in C++ |
| 3. | <code>vector.cpp</code> | Slide 30 on <code>std::vector</code> in C++ |
| 4. | <code>prototype.cpp</code> | Slide 32 on functions w/ prototype |
| 5. | <code>params.cpp</code> | Slide 36 on function parameters |
| 6. | <code>fileInput.cpp</code> | Slide 40 on file input example |
| 7. | <code>fileOutput.cpp</code> | Slide 42 on file input example |
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- For #7, #8, include checks for number of CLAs (see logic on slide 24)

Full Example of Reading Input File

- See course web page for Lab 1

- Or accessible on Linux machines:

 - see `~blawson/outbox/cmsc240/cpp_examples`

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

void error(std::string msg, std::string arg)
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    exit(0);
}

int main(int argc, char* argv[])
{
    // appropriately check for # of CLAs!!
    std::ifstream infile {argv[1]};
    if (!infile) {
        error("Unable to open file: ", argv[1]);
    }

    std::string number1;
    std::string number2;
    infile >> number1 >> number2;
    std::cout << number1 << " : " << number2 << std::endl;
    infile.close();
}
```

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    {
        error("Unable to open file: ", argv[1]);
    }

    for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++)
    {
        outfile << (866 + 1) << " - " << (530 * 10 + 9 + i);
        outfile << std::endl;
    }

    outfile.close();
}
```