

SOI C++ Cheat-Sheet

C++ Template (with <soi> header)

```
#include <soi> // the soi header -- sets up everything
```

```
signed main() {  
    ...  
}
```

Interactive Tasks

```
signed main() {  
    interactive_task();  
}
```

Redirecting IO

```
signed main() {  
    redirect_input("sample01.in"); // read from sample01.in  
    redirect_output("sample01.out"); // write to sample01.out  
}
```

C++ Template (without <soi>)

```
#include <bits/stdc++.h> // includes everything  
using namespace std; // avoid typing std::  
  
#define int int64_t // make int to long long  
  
signed main() { // main must return int, and  
                // signed is an alias for int  
    // Disable synchronization between cin/cout and scanf/printf  
    ios_base::sync_with_stdio(false);  
  
    // Disable automatic flush of cout when reading from cin  
    // => REMOVE THIS FOR INTERACTIVE TASKS!  
    cin.tie(0);  
}
```

Redirecting IO

```
signed main() {  
    freopen("sample01.in", "r", stdin);  
    freopen("sample01.out", "w", stdout);  
}
```

Compile and Run

```
# Compiling C++ (program prog.cpp)  
$ g++ -Wall -Wextra -std=c++17 -g3 -ggdb3 \\  
-fsanitize=address,undefined \\  
-D GLIBCXX_DEBUG prog.cpp -o prog  
# -Wall -Wextra:  
# Enable warnings and extra warnings  
# -std=c++17:  
# Enable C++17 features  
# -g3 -ggdb3: Write debug informations for gdb  
# -D GLIBCXX_DEBUG:  
# Bounds-checking for containers and iterators  
# -fsanitize=address,undefined: catch undefined behaviour  
  
# testing  
$ ./prog <sample01.in # input sample01.in  
# input all *.in  
$ for f in *.in; do echo "-- $f --"; ./prog <$f; done
```

Container Overview

vector<T>: $v[i]$, $v.push_back(x)$, $v.pop_back()$.
map<K,V>: $m[k]=v$, $m.erase(k)$, $m.count(k)$.
set<T>: $s.insert(x)$, $s.erase(x)$, $s.count(x)$.
multimap<K,V>/multiset<T>: like map/set but allows duplicated keys.
deque<T>: like vector, but with $push_front$ and pop_front .
string: like $vector<char>$ but works with cin .
queue<T>/stack<T>: use $deque<T>$ or $vector<T>$ instead.
priority_queue<T>: Has operations ($top()$, $pop()$, $push(x)$), the largest element is at the beginning. To reverse the order:
// Smallest element at $pq.top()$
`priority_queue<int, vector<int>, greater<int>> pq;`

Containers

vector ("better array"):
`vector<int> v(n); // v={0,0,...,0}, v.size()==n`
`v.clear(); // v={}`
`v.push_back(5); // v={5}`
`int x = v[0]; // x=5`
`for (size_t i=0; i<v.size(); ++i) // custom loop`
`cout << v[i] << '\n';`
`for (vector<int>::iterator it=v.begin(); // iterators`
`it!=v.end(); ++it)`
`cout << *it << '\n';`
`for (auto it=v.begin(); it!=v.end(); ++it) // auto`
`cout << *it << '\n';`
`for (auto& elem : v) // range based for`
`cout << elem << '\n';`
map (key-value pairs, access by key, always sorted):
`map<string, int> m;`
`m["key"] = 5; // m={"key": 5}`
// If the key doesn't exist, it is inserted with default value
`int x = m["new"]; // x=0, m={"key": 5, "new": 0}`
`for (auto& elem : v) // range based for`
`cout << elem.first << ' ' << elem.second << '\n';`
`for (auto& [key, value] : v) // structured decomposition`
`cout << key << ' ' << value << '\n';`

Algorithms

`vector<int> v{5,4,3,2,1};`
`sort(v.begin(), v.end()); // sort everything`
`sort(v.begin()+1, v.begin()+4); // sort at indices 1,2,3`
// custom compare function: is lhs<rhs?
`bool comp(int lhs, int rhs) { return lhs<rhs; }`
`sort(v.begin(), v.end(), comp); // sort using comp`
// define custom less than operator
`bool operator<(const mystruct& lhs, const mystruct& rhs) {...}`
Other useful functions:
`vector<int> v{1,2,2,5,7,7,7,8};`
// v must be sorted
`bool b = binary_search(v.begin(), v.end(), 5); // b==true`
`auto it = lower_bound(v.begin(), v.end(), 5); // points to 5`
`v.erase(unique(v.begin(), v.end()), v.end()); // v={1,2,5,7,8}`
// v can be arbitrary
`auto it = find(v.begin(), v.end(), 5); // it points to first 5`
`reverse(v.begin(), v.end()); // reverse v`

Pass by value/reference

Bad: Pass by values. Makes a copy. For vectors: $\mathcal{O}(n)$:

```
int top(vector<int> v) { return v.back(); }
```

Ugly: Pass by mutable reference ($\mathcal{O}(1)$):

```
int top(vector<int>& v) { return v.back(); }
```

Good: Pass by const reference ($\mathcal{O}(1)$):

```
int top(vector<int> const& v) { return v.back(); }
```

Operator overloading

```
struct Point {  
    int x, y, id;  
};  
bool operator<(Point const& a, Point const& b){  
    return a.x < b.x;  
}  
bool operator==(Point const& a, Point const& b){  
    return a.x == b.x;  
}  
Point operator+(Point const& a, Point const& b){  
    return Point{a.x+b.x, a.y+b.y, -1};  
}
```

Pair, Tuple, Array

Pairs: Two fields, has comparison operators by default

```
pair<int, char> p{42, 'x'};  
cout << p.first << " " << p.second; // 42 x  
pair<int, char> q = make_pair(42, 'x');  
p.second = 'n';  
auto [a, b] = p; // unpack
```

Tuple: More fields than a tuple

```
tuple<int, int, bool, int, char> p;  
auto [a, b, c, d, e, f] = p; // unpack  
bool x = get<2>(p); // get at index
```

Arrays: use if all types are the same

```
array<int, 2> point{4, 2};  
auto [x, y] = p; // unpack like in a tuple  
cout << p[0] << " " << p[1] << '\n'; // index like an array
```

Debugging with GDB

```
$ gdb prog  
(gdb) run <sample01.in  
(gdb) bt # show backtrace  
(gdb) q # quit
```

Grader errors

TLE (Time limit exceeded): Estimate if your algorithm is fast enough. Set $\log(x) \approx 10$ (for all x) and plug in limits. 10^7 always passes, 10^8 if you optimize, 10^9 usually not.

RE (Runtime error): Out of bounds? Assertion error? Very deep recursion? Too much memory? Pop empty stack?