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1 // Example illustrating member functions
2 // ECE3090
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5 #include <iostream>
6
7 using namespace std; // We will discuss namespaces later
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9 // Define an arbitrary fixed size limit for queues
10 #define MAX_QUEUE_SIZE 100
11
12 class LIFOQueue
13 { // Define a last-in-first-out queue with fixed size
14 public:
15     LIFOQueue(); // Constructor
16     // Define member functions to manage the elements of the queue
17     // Note the use of the "const" keyword after some of the member function
18     // declarations. This indicates that the member function promises
19     // not to change any of the member variables.
20     bool Enque(int); // Enque a new integer element
21     int Deque(); // Remove an element
22     unsigned Length() const; // Return the number of elements in the queue
23     bool Empty() const; // Returns true if the queue is empty
24     void Clear(); // Remove all elements in the queue
25     void Print() const; // Print the queue contents
26     // Does it make sense to define an addition operator for LIFOQueue objects?
27     // We will define one using "member function operators"
28     // Note we don't need the "left hand side" argument. Why?
29     LIFOQueue operator+(const LIFOQueue& rhs);
30     // Also add an "indexing operator". See discussion in the implementation
31     // also note the return type. Will discuss in class
32     int& operator[](unsigned);
33
34 private:
35     // Note the use of "private:" above. This is discussed in the
36     // comments in the main program.
37
38     // Define the variables needed for the queue
39     int queue[MAX_QUEUE_SIZE]; // The actual data in the queue
40     unsigned length; // Number of elements in the queue
41 };
42
43 // Implement the member functions for the LIFOQueue object
44 // Constructor
45 LIFOQueue::LIFOQueue()
46     : length(0) // Set length to zero
47 { // We can leave the "queue" variable uninitialized. WHY?
48 }
49
50 bool LIFOQueue::Enque(int newElement)
51 {
52     // First check if queue is full.
53     if (length == MAX_QUEUE_SIZE) return false; // Cannot enqueue
54     // Ok to enqueue this new value
55     queue[length++] = newElement;
56     // The line below (commented out) is equivalent

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57     //this->queue[this->length++] = newElement;
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59     // Note that when we refer to a variable in a member function,
60     // the compiler automatically assumes we mean the member variable
61     // if there is one by that name.  Also notice that all member functions
62     // always define a pointer "this", that points to an object of the
63     // correct type (LIFOQueue in this case).
64     return true;
65 }
66
67 int LIFOQueue::Deque()
68 {
69     // First check if queue is empty.
70     if (length == 0)
71     { // It's hard to decide what to do here.  "This should never happen".
72         cout << "Oops, Deque called on empty queue" << endl;
73         // For this example we will just exit the program.
74         exit(0);
75     }
76     return queue[--length];
77     // As above, we are referring to member variables by name.  eg. "queue"
78     // and "length".  Also as before we could have said:
79     //return this->queue[--(this->length)];
80 }
81
82 unsigned LIFOQueue::Length() const
83 { // Return the length (number of elements) in the queue
84     return length;
85 }
86
87 bool LIFOQueue::Empty() const
88 { // Return true if empty (length is zero)
89     return length == 0;
90 }
91
92 void LIFOQueue::Clear()
93 { // Remove all elements in the queue
94     // Here we would be tempted to write:
95     // while (!Empty()) { Deque();}
96     // Does the below do exactly the same thing?
97     // Which is best?
98     length = 0;
99 }
100
101 void LIFOQueue::Print() const
102 {
103     // Notice that in a member function, we can refer to other member
104     // functions in the same class by name.  eg. "Empty()" below.
105     if (Empty())
106     {
107         cout << "Queue is empty" << endl;
108         return;
109     }
110     for (int i = 0; i < Length(); ++i)
111     {
112         cout << "Element " << i << " is " << queue[i] << endl;

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113     }
114 }
115
116 // Implement the addition operator
117 LIFOQueue LIFOQueue::operator+(const LIFOQueue& rhs)
118 { // Notice the left hand side argument is "this"
119   // Make a new LIFOQueue and add all elements in lhs + rhs
120   LIFOQueue returnValue;
121   // Add the left-hand-side values (from "this")
122   for (int i = 0; i < Length(); ++i)
123     { // Add all elements from "this"
124       returnValue.Enqueue(queue[i]);
125     }
126   // Add the right-hand-side values
127   for (int i = 0; i < rhs.Length(); ++i)
128     { // Add all elements from "rhs"
129       returnValue.Enqueue(rhs.queue[i]);
130     }
131   return returnValue;
132 }
133
134 // Implement the indexing operator
135 int& LIFOQueue::operator[](unsigned index)
136 { // return the value at the "index" element
137   // The length check below, uncomment if desired
138   //if (index >= length) exit(); // !! Not clear what to do here
139   return queue[index];
140 }
141
142 int main()
143 { // Illustrate the use of the member functions
144   LIFOQueue q1;
145   // Add elements until the queue fills up
146   int i = 0;
147   while(true)
148     {
149       if (!q1.Enqueue(i++)) break; // If q1.Enqueue() is false, queue is full
150     }
151   // Note the syntax above and below.  variable name DOT function name
152   // It calls the "Print()" function with "this" as "address of q1"
153   q1.Print();
154   // Remove elements one at a time
155   while (!q1.Empty())
156     {
157       int k = q1.Dequeue();
158       cout << "Dequeued element " << k << endl;
159     }
160
161   // Add element 2 ten times
162   for (int i = 0; i < 10; ++i)
163     {
164       q1.Enqueue(2);
165     }
166   // Define a second queue
167   LIFOQueue q2;
168   // Add element 3 ten times to q2

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169 for (int i = 0; i < 10; ++i)
170     {
171         q2.Enqueue(3);
172     }
173 // Use the addition operator
174 LIFOQueue q3 = q1 + q2;
175 // The above called the addition operator with "address of q1" as the
176 // "this", and q2 as the "right-hand-side"
177 cout << "Printing q3 after addition" << endl;
178 q3.Print();
179 // Add again in reverse order
180 LIFOQueue q4 = q2 + q1;
181 cout << "Printing q4 after addition" << endl;
182 q4.Print();
183 // So, what about the addition operator? Did our implementation make sense?
184 // What might have been a better choice?
185 // Call the copy constructor
186 LIFOQueue q5(q4);
187 // We did not define a copy constructor, so what happened above?
188 cout << "Printing q5 after copy constructor" << endl;
189 q5.Print();
190 // Illustrate the indexing operator
191 LIFOQueue q6;
192 // First populate the queue with some values
193 for (int i = 0; i < 10; ++i)
194     {
195         q6.Enqueue(i);
196     }
197 // Now use indexing operator to retrieve them
198 for (unsigned i = 0; i < q6.Length(); ++i)
199     {
200         int v = q6[i]; // Return the "i'th" element of q6
201         cout << "Element " << i << " is " << v << endl;
202     }
203
204 // Now use indexing operator on LEFT HAND SIDE!
205 for (unsigned i = 0; i < q6.Length(); ++i)
206     {
207         q6[i] = q6[i] * 10;
208     }
209 // And print it out
210 cout << "After LHS indexing loop" << endl;
211 for (unsigned i = 0; i < q6.Length(); ++i)
212     {
213         int v = q6[i]; // Return the "i'th" element of q6
214         cout << "Element " << i << " is " << v << endl;
215     }
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218
219 // The fact that member variables "length" and "queue" are declared
220 // "private" means that they cannot be referenced except in member
221 // functions. In other words, the below (commented out) would not
222 // compile if it was uncommented.
223 // int qlength = q1.length;
224 // Even though q1.length definitely exists, since it is private it

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225 // cannot be referenced here. However, we defined a member function
226 // "Length() const" that returned the value of length. Why is this
227 // better?
228 }
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