Chapter – 27 Putting it all together

Requirements

- •The program must be long enough to demonstrate modular programming
- •Short enough the fit into a chapter
- •Complex enough to demonstrate advanced C++ features
- •Simple enough for a student to understand
- •It must be useful.

The program selected is designed to read C++ files and generate simple statistics.

Specification

Preliminary Specification for a C++ Statistics Gathering Program

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The program stat gathers statistics about C++ source files and prints them. The command line is:

stat <files..>

Where <files..> is a list of source files. The following shows the output of the program on a short test file.

Specification

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Code Design

answer = (123 + 456) / 89; // Compute something

Token Module

Example:

Turns input into tokens (a series of "words")

```
becomes:
             The word "answer"
T ID
T_OPERATOR The character "="
T_L_PAREN Left Parenthesis
T_NUMBER The number 123
T_OPERATOR The character "+"
             The number 456
T NUMBER
             The right parenthesis
T R PAREN
T_OPERATOR The Divide operator
             The number 89
T NUMBER
T_OPERATOR The semicolon
T_COMMENT The // comment
T_NEW_LINE The end of line character
```

Other Modules

Character type module

Determines the type of a character (letter, digit, etc.)

Statistics class

Consumes tokens and outputs statistics.

Functional Description

char_type class.

Basically a big table indexed by character type.

Some extra code thrown in for specials like C_ALPHA_NUMRIC.

input_file

An ifstream with line buffering that copies each line to the output.

token class

Reads characters, outputs tokens.

There is one trick in the coding, the use of the TOKEN_LIST macro.

TOKEN_LIST

Functional description (cont.)

```
stat class
    public:

};

line_counter class
    Counts the number of T_NEW_LINE tokens.
```

brace_counter class

```
++cur_level;
break;
--cur_level;
break;
default:
break;
}
```

brace_counter class (cont.)

```
std::cout.setf(ios::left);
std::cout.width(2);

std::cout.unsetf(ios::left);
std::cout.width();
}
```

Functional Description

paren_counter class

Almost the same as brace counter.

comment_counter class

Keeps track of lines with comments, lines of code, lines with both comment and code and blank lines.

do_file procedure

Reads tokens and stuffs them into the statistics classes.

Uses the statistics list for stuffing:

```
&line_count,
   &paren_count,
   &brace_count,
   &comment_count,
   NULL
};
```

Test file

The Program

A tour of the source