

# **Visual Studio Code and Google Colab**

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# VISUAL STUDIO CODE



**Visual Studio Code (VS Code)** is a free, open-source code editor developed by Microsoft.



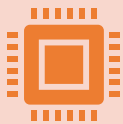
Lightweight yet powerful, it provides a rich programming environment that supports development in multiple languages, including JavaScript, Python, C++, Java, and more.



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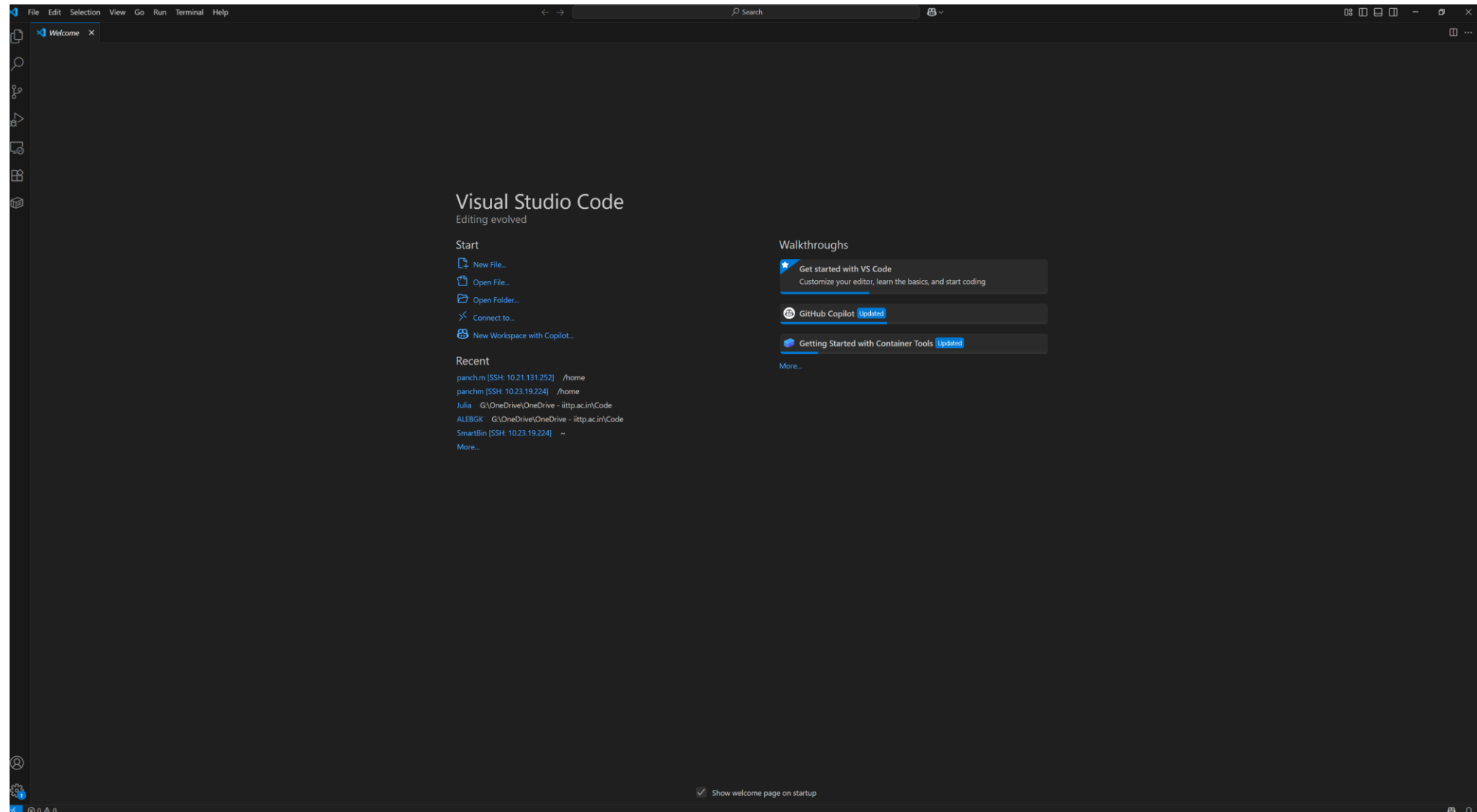


Its vast marketplace allows users to install extensions for frameworks, languages, themes, and developer tools, making it highly customizable to fit various workflows



Designed for speed and efficiency, VS Code works across Windows, macOS, and Linux, making it a popular choice for web developers, software engineers, and data scientists worldwide.

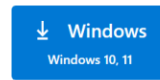
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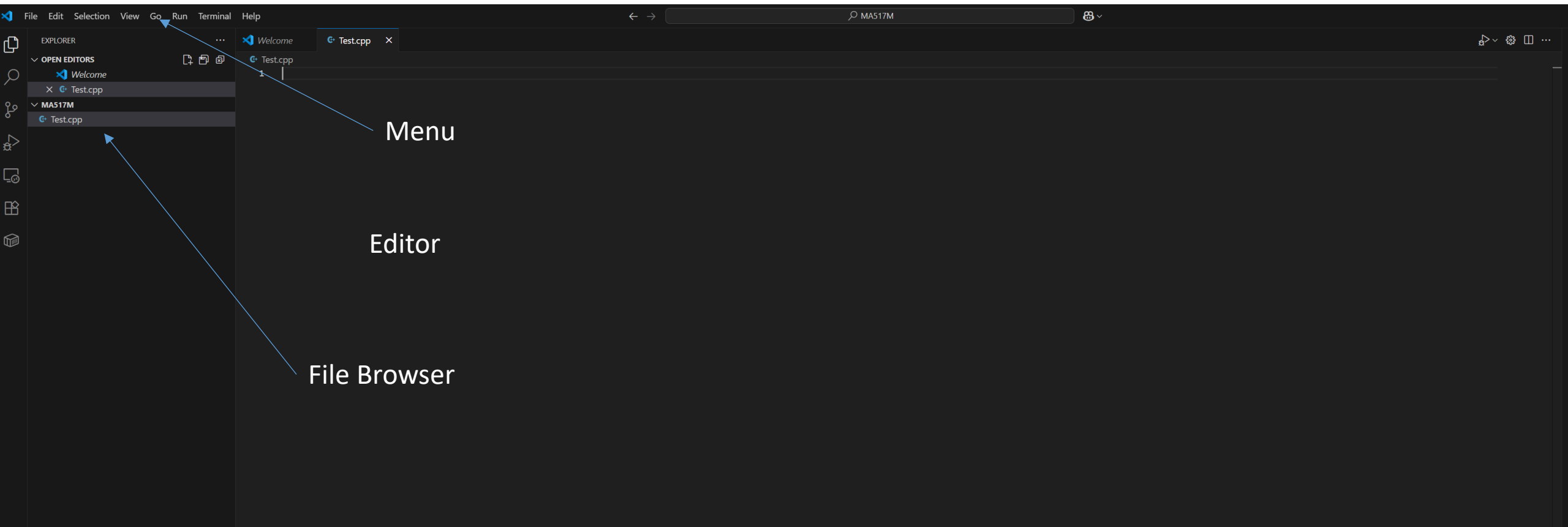
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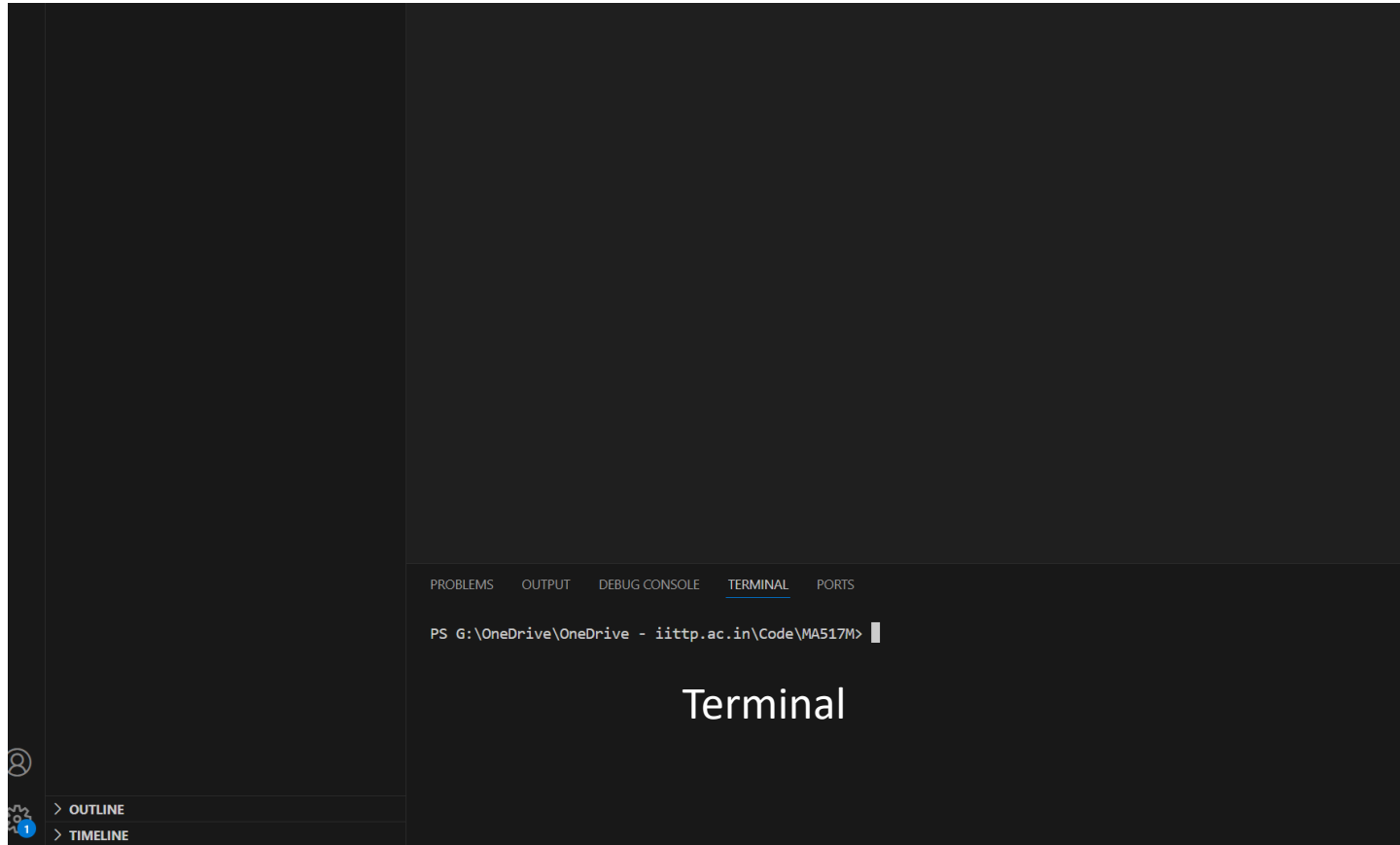
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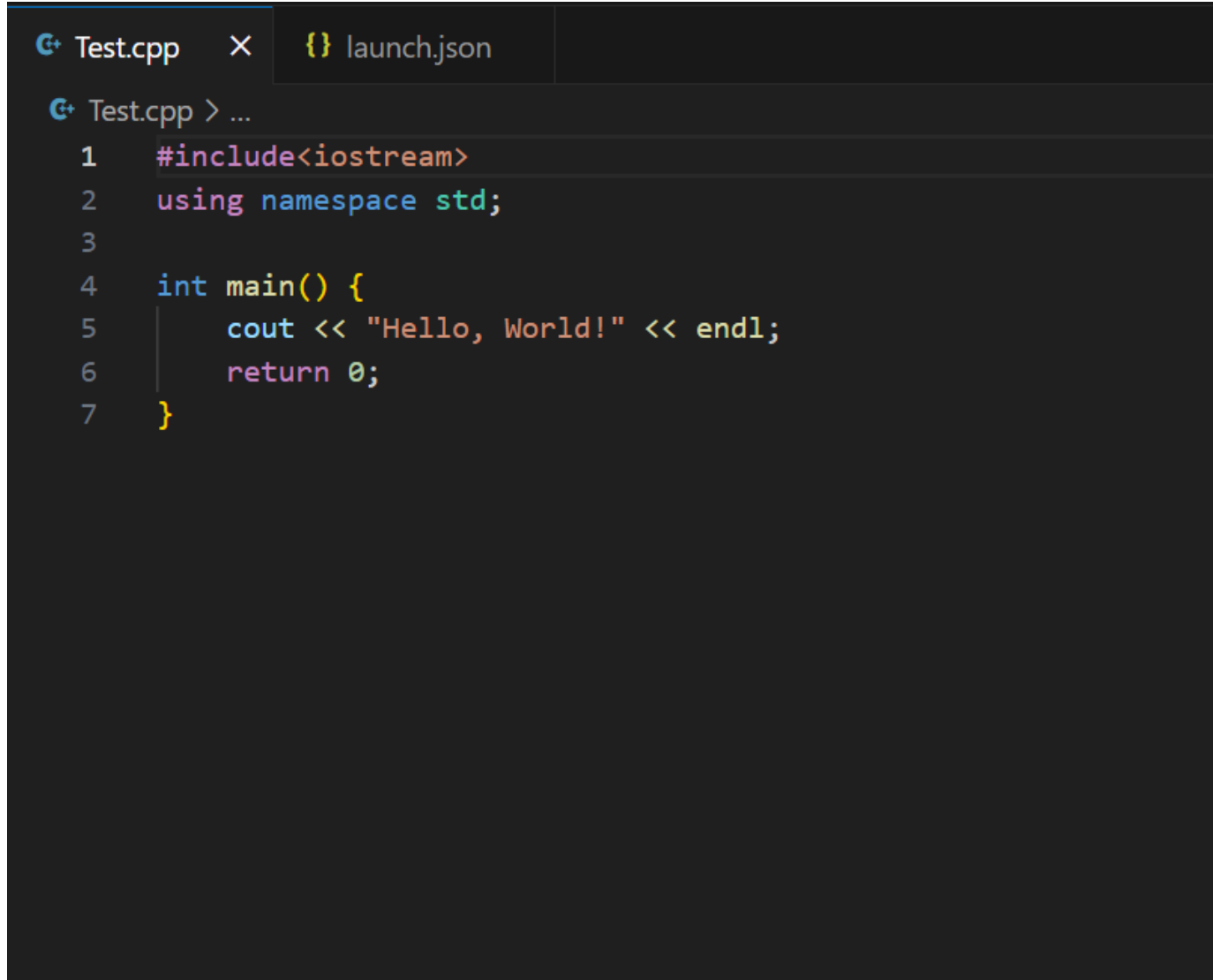
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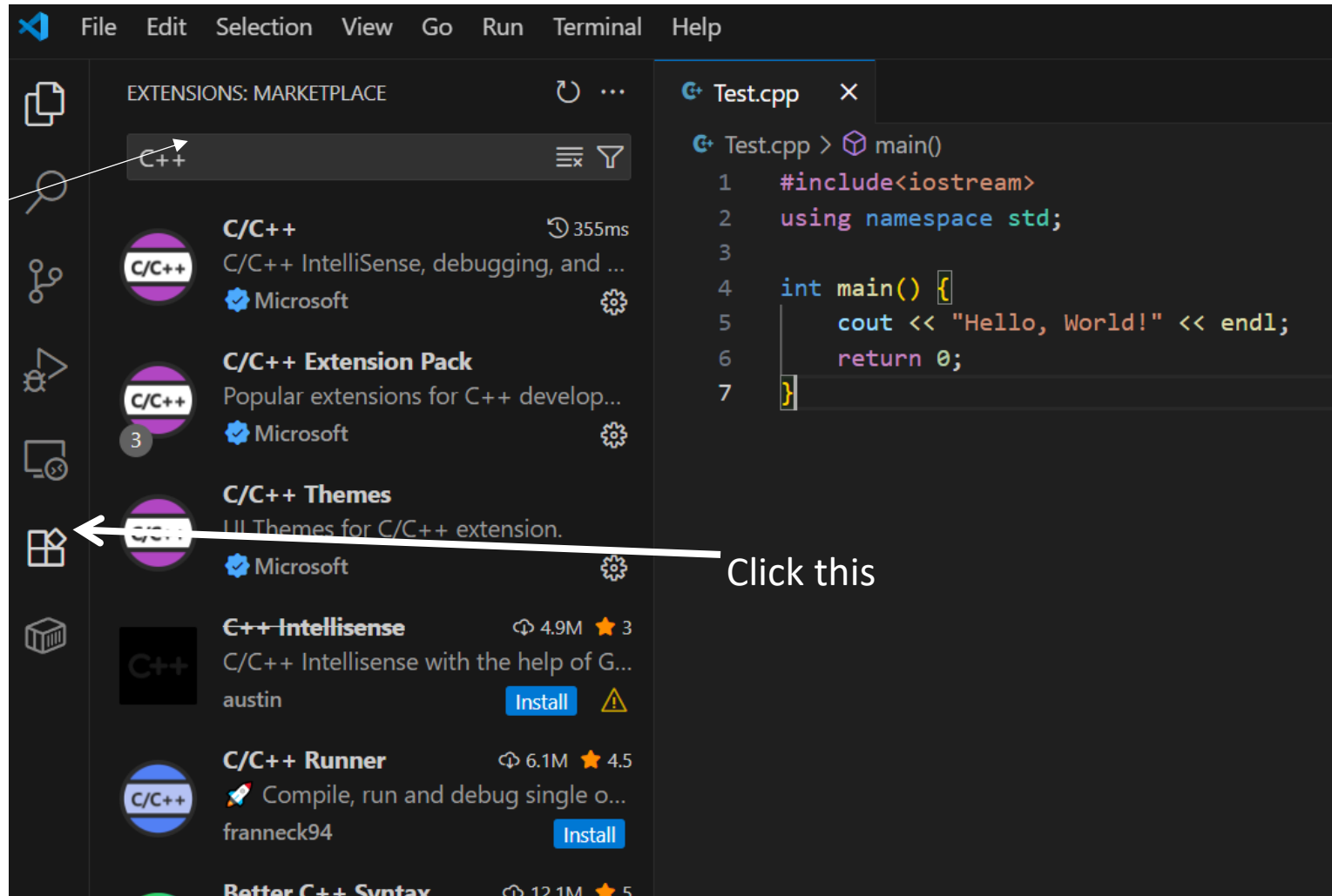


# SIMPLE PROGRAM

A screenshot of a code editor with a dark theme. At the top, there are two tabs: 'Test.cpp' with a close button (X) and 'launch.json' with a JSON icon. Below the tabs, the editor shows the content of 'Test.cpp'. The code is a simple C++ program that prints 'Hello, World!'. It includes the <iostream> header, uses the std namespace, and has a main function that outputs the string and returns 0. Line numbers 1 through 7 are visible on the left side of the code.

```
Test.cpp  X  {} launch.json
Test.cpp > ...
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2  using namespace std;
3
4  int main() {
5      cout << "Hello, World!" << endl;
6      return 0;
7  }
```

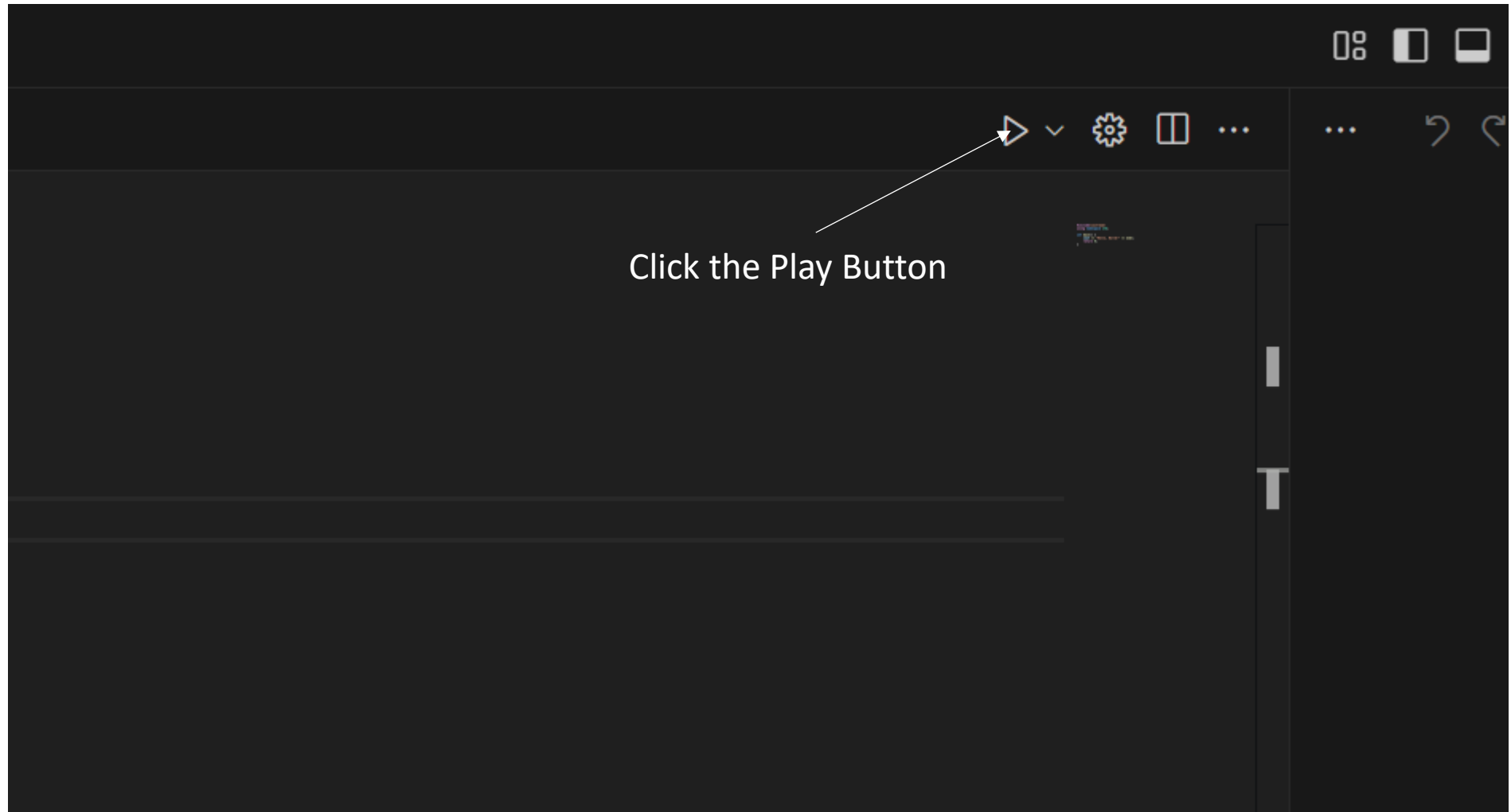
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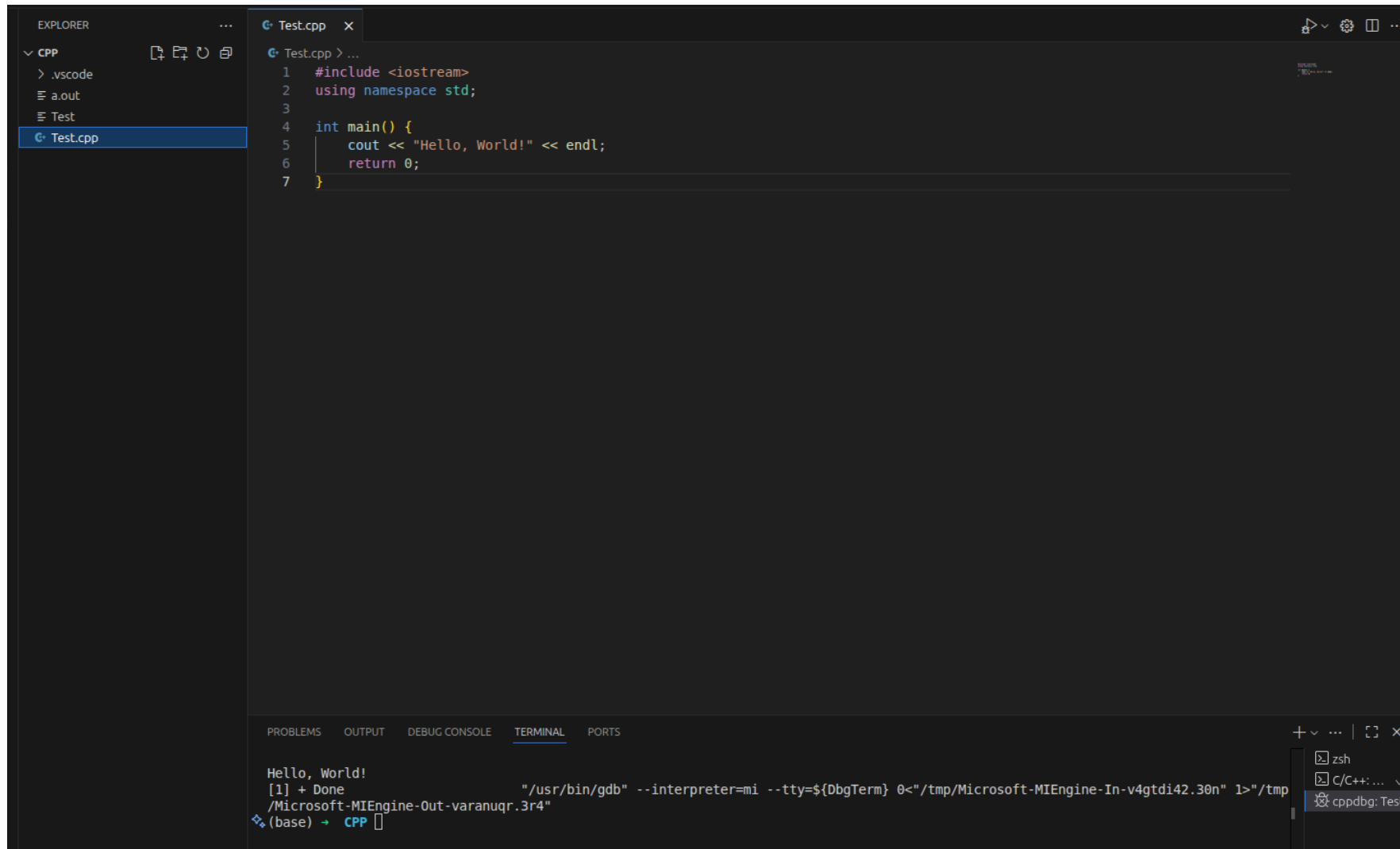
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# RUN AND EXECUTE



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The screenshot shows the Visual Studio Code editor with a C++ file named `Test.cpp` open. The code in the editor is as follows:

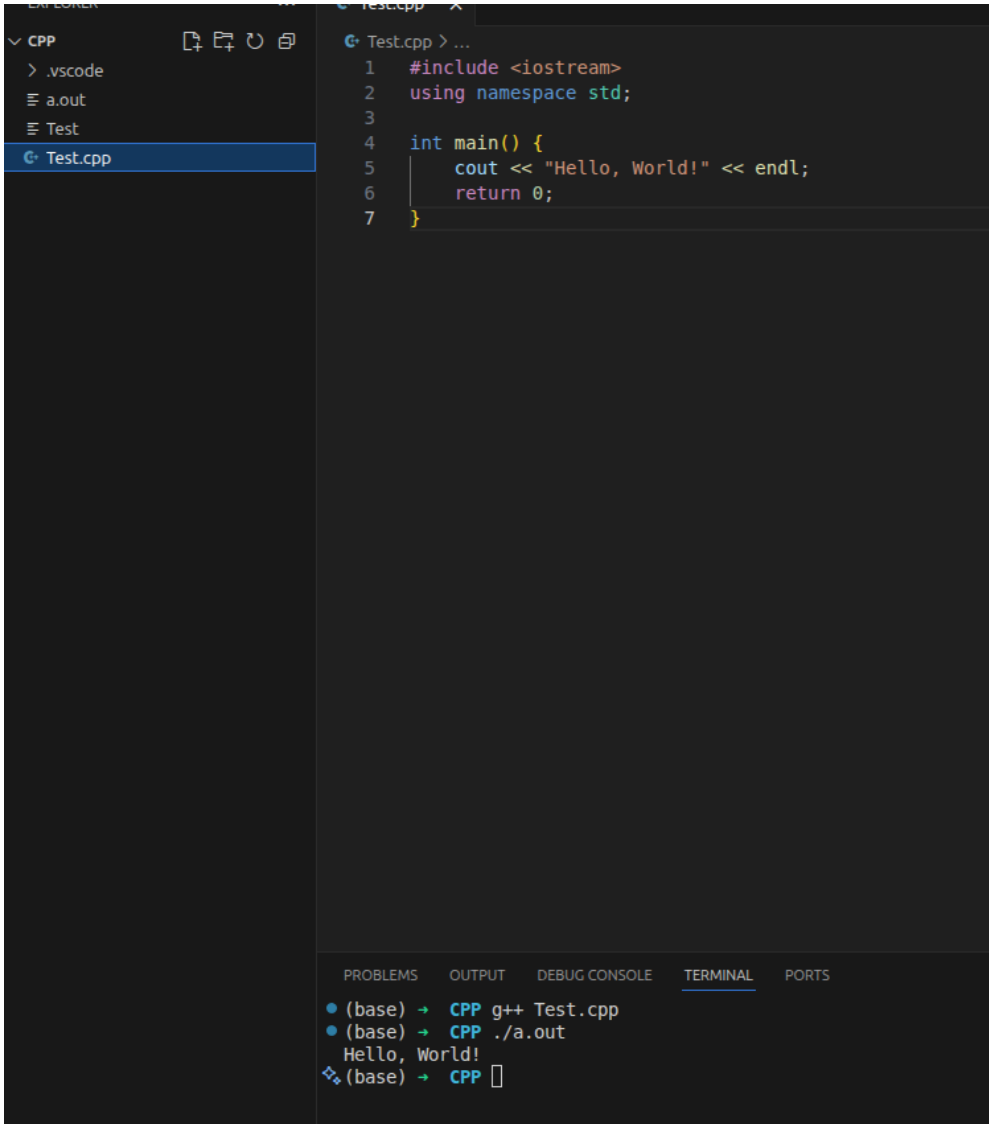
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6     return 0;
7 }
```

The Explorer sidebar on the left shows the project structure with `Test.cpp` selected. At the bottom, the TERMINAL panel is active, displaying the output of the program:

```
Hello, World!
[1] + Done
/usr/bin/gdb" --interpreter=mi --tty=${DbgTerm} 0<"/tmp/Microsoft-MIEngine-In-v4gtdi42.30n" 1>"/tmp/
/Microsoft-MIEngine-Out-varanuqr.3r4"
❖ (base) + CPP
```

The terminal also shows the command used to run the program: `g++ Test.cpp -o a.out`. The output of the program is `Hello, World!`.

# RUN AND EXECUTE



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The left sidebar shows the Explorer view with the file structure:

- CPP
  - .vscode
  - a.out
  - Test
  - Test.cpp

The bottom panel shows the TERMINAL view with the following output:

```
(base) → CPP g++ Test.cpp
(base) → CPP ./a.out
Hello, World!
(base) → CPP
```

```
g++ firstprogram.cpp
```

The command `g++ firstprogram.cpp` does the following:

- It loads the `firstprogram.cpp` file to the buffer memory
- It does all the 6 phases of compilation, preprocessing, lexical analyzing, syntax analyzing, semantic analyzing, intermediate code generation, code optimization and code generation.
- At the end of this phases, it will create an `a.out` file.
- This file is in machine language format.
- So, `g++` compiler successfully translated the high-level language to the machine-level language.

GOOGLE COLAB



**Visual Studio Code (VS Code)** is a free, cloud-based platform by Google that allows you to write and run Python code in a Jupyter Notebook environment – right from the browser.




It supports machine learning, data analysis, and deep learning workflows, with free access to powerful GPUs and TPUs.



Colab is ideal for sharing code, collaborating with others, and running experiments without any setup or local installation.

<https://colab.research.google.com/notebooks/intro.ipynb#>

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## What is Colaboratory?

Colaboratory, or "Colab" for short, allows you to write and execute Python in your browser, with

- Zero configuration required
- Free access to GPUs
- Easy sharing

Whether you're a **student**, a **data scientist** or an **AI researcher**, Colab can make your work easier. Watch [Introduction to Colab](#) to learn more, or just get started below!

### Getting started

The document you are reading is not a static web page, but an interactive environment called a **Colab notebook** that lets you write and execute code.

For example, here is a **code cell** with a short Python script that computes a value, stores it in a variable, and prints the result:

```
[ ] seconds in a day = 24 * 60 * 60
```

<https://colab.research.google.com/notebooks/intro.ipynb#>

The screenshot displays the Google Colab web interface. At the top, the browser address bar shows the URL <https://colab.research.google.com/notebooks/intro.ipynb#>. The Colab header includes the logo, 'Welcome To Colab', and a menu bar with 'File', 'Edit', 'View', 'Insert', 'Runtime', 'Tools', and 'Help'. On the right, there are buttons for 'Share', 'Gemini', and a user profile icon.

The left sidebar contains a 'Table of contents' with links to 'Welcome to Colab!', 'Getting started', 'Data science', 'Machine learning', 'More Resources', and 'Featured examples'. The main content area shows the 'Welcome' page with sections for 'Access Popular', 'Explore the Gemini API', and 'How to get started?'. A code snippet is visible: 

```
from google.colab import AI
response = ai.generate_text(prompt="Hello, Gemini!")
print(response)
```

An 'Open notebook' dialog box is open in the center. It has a search bar labeled 'Search notebooks' and a list of notebooks. The 'Recent' tab is selected, showing a table of notebooks:

Title	Last opened ↓	First opened ↑
🔗 Welcome To Colab	10:06 AM	10:06 AM

At the bottom of the dialog, there is a '+ New notebook' button and a 'Cancel' button.

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The screenshot shows the Google Colab web interface. The top navigation bar includes the Colab logo, the file name 'Untitled0.ipynb', and buttons for 'Share' and 'Relaunch to update'. Below this is a menu bar with 'File', 'Edit', 'View', 'Insert', 'Runtime', 'Tools', and 'Help'. The main editor area contains a code cell with the text 'start coding or generate with AI.' and a 'Run all' button. The right sidebar displays 'Release notes' for the 2025-07-22 update, listing various improvements and package upgrades.

**Menu**

**Editor/Shell**

To add code, click +Code

To run the code (python), click Runall or Play button

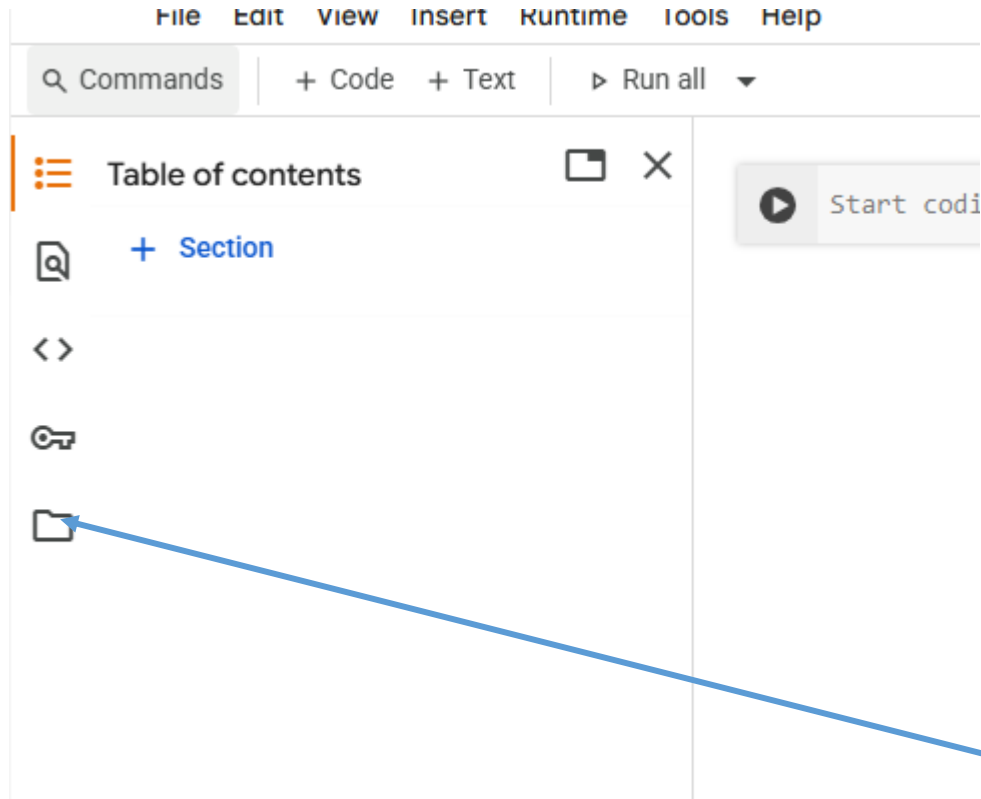
**Release notes**

Please follow our [blog](#) to see more information about new features, tips and tricks, and featured notebooks such as [Analyzing a Bank Failure with Colab](#).

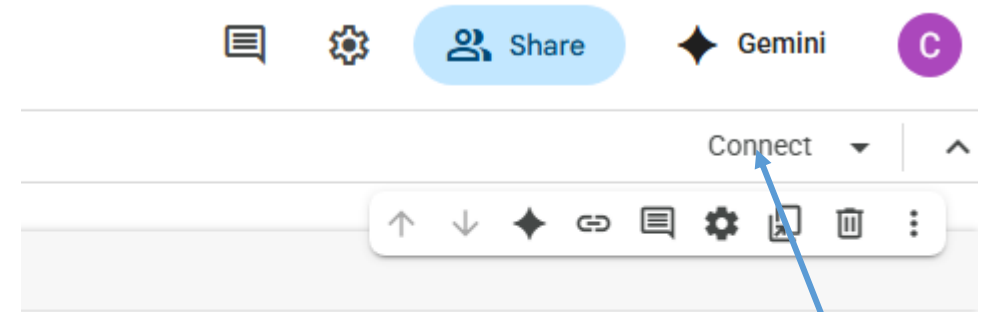
**2025-07-22**

- Terminal is now available to all users, free of charge! ([X](#), [Colab Notebook](#))
- The new Colab AI experience is now available to all users. This version has an agentic collaborator run with Gemini 2.5 Flash and enhances productivity with features like iterative querying, a next-gen data science agent, code transformation, and more to significantly improve coding workflows for developers. ([Blog](#), [X](#))
- Introducing our new google.colab.ai library! Pro & Pro+ subscribers can access powerful Gemini and Gemma models with just a few lines of code- no set up or API key required! Try it out! ([X](#), [Colab Notebook](#))
- Big news for data science in higher ed! Colab now offers 1-year Pro subscriptions free of charge for verified US students/faculty, interactive Slideshow Mode for lectures, & an AI toggle per notebook. Enhance teaching & learning in the upcoming academic year! Read all about it [here](#)))
- Gemini CLI installed on runtimes. Try it out in the Terminal! ([github](#), [npm](#))
- Python package upgrades
  - accelerate 1.7.0 -> 1.9.0
  - bigframes 2.6.0 -> 2.11.0
  - bigquery-magics 0.9.0 -> 0.10.1
  - cudf-cu12 25.2.1 -> 25.6.0
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The screenshot shows the 'Resources' panel in Google Colab. It displays the following information:

- Resources** (with a close button 'X')
- Notification: "You are not subscribed. [Learn more](#)"
- Notification: "You currently have zero compute units available. Resources offered free of charge are not guaranteed. Purchase more units [here](#)."
- Notification: "At your current usage level, this runtime may last up to 85 hours 40 minutes."
- [Manage sessions](#)
- Upgrade prompt: "Want more memory and disk space? [Upgrade to Colab Pro](#) X"
- Backend: "Python 3 Google Compute Engine backend"
- Time range: "Showing resources from 11:10 AM to 11:11 AM"
- System RAM**: 1.0 / 12.7 GB (with a progress bar)
- Disk**: 38.7 / 107.7 GB (with a progress bar)

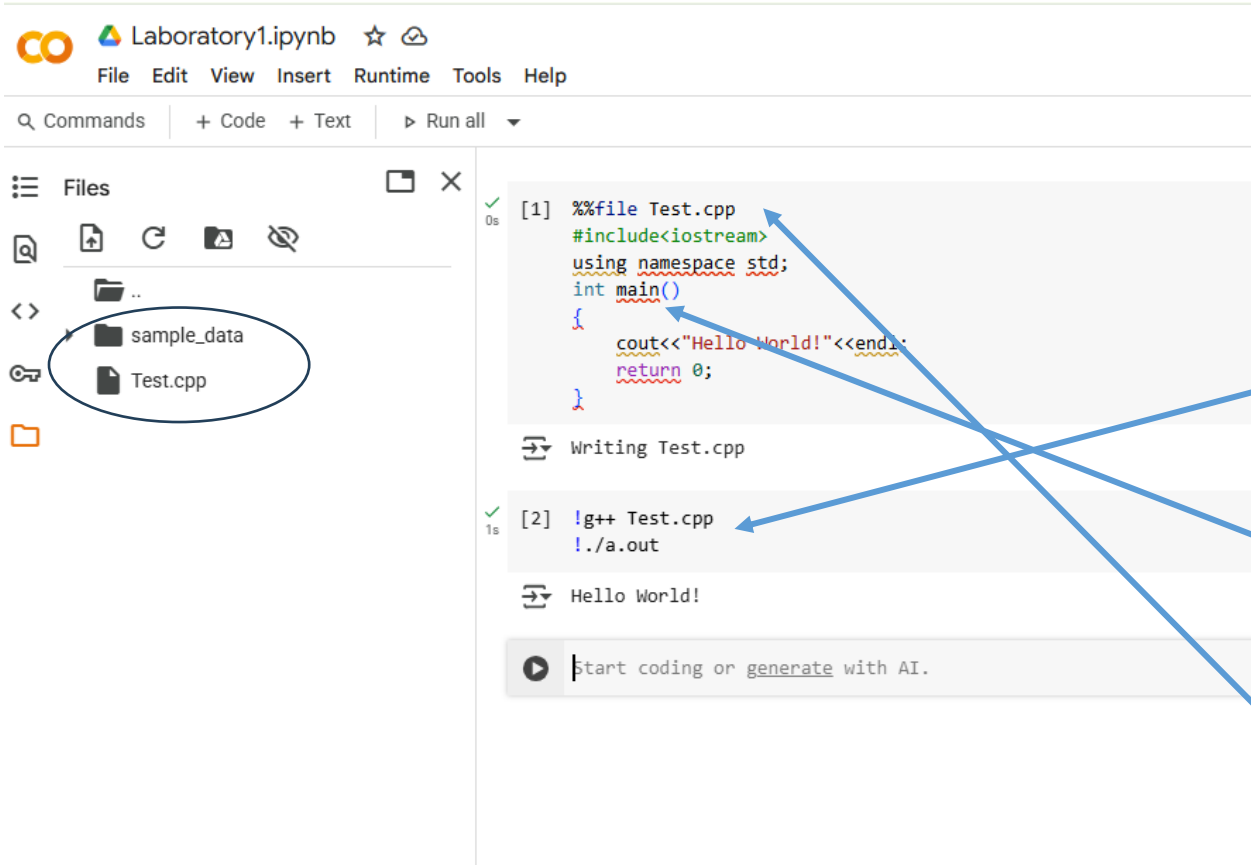
A blue arrow points from the 'Resources Allotted' label to the RAM and Disk progress bars.

Resources Allotted

The screenshot shows the top toolbar of the Google Colab interface. It includes icons for chat, settings, sharing, Gemini, and a 'Connected' status indicator. A blue arrow points from the 'Connected' label to the 'Connected' status indicator.

Connected

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The screenshot shows the Google Colab interface. On the left, the 'Files' panel displays a directory structure with 'sample\_data' and 'Test.cpp'. The main code area contains two cells. Cell [1] is a code cell with C++ code for a 'Hello World' program. Cell [2] is a shell command cell that compiles and runs the program. The output of cell [2] is 'Hello World!'. Below the code cells is a prompt to 'Start coding or generate with AI.'.

```
[1] %%file Test.cpp
#include<iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
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    return 0;
}
```

Writing Test.cpp

```
[2] !g++ Test.cpp
!./a.out
```

Hello World!

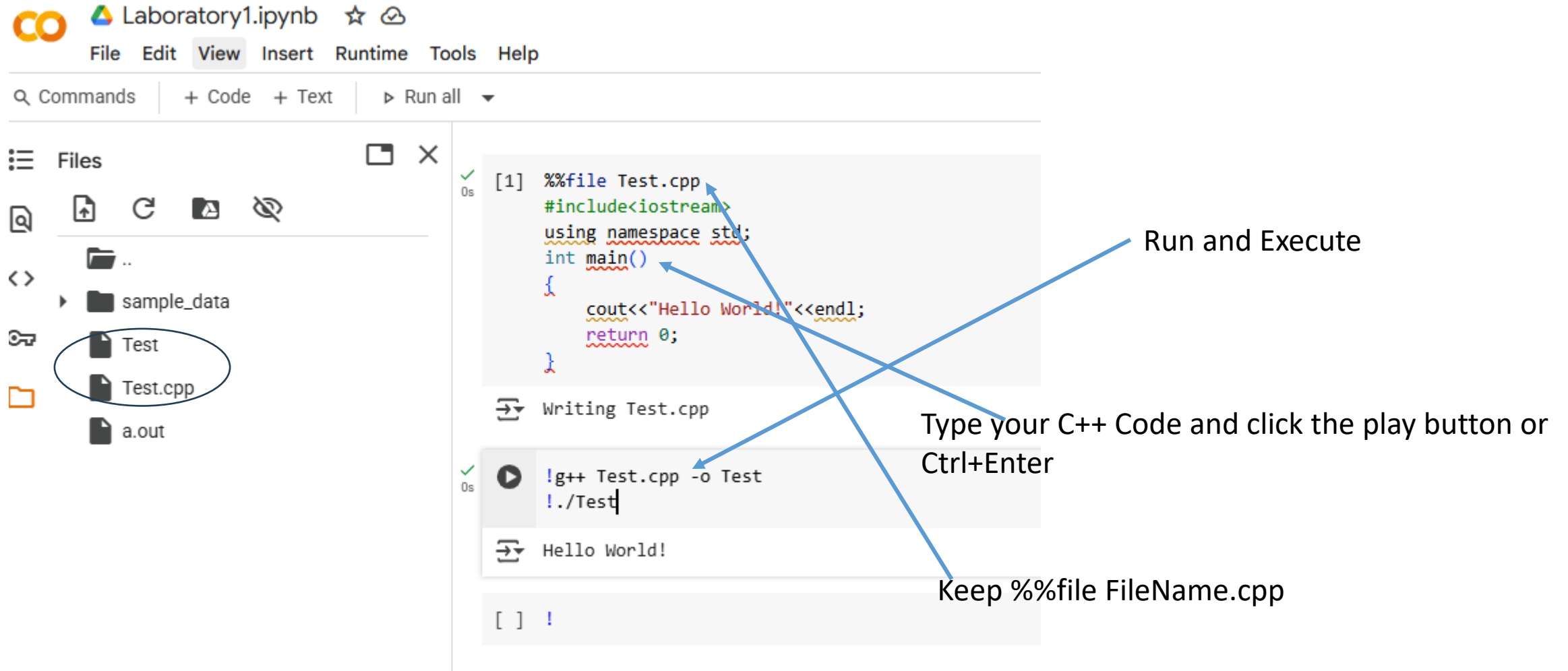
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Run and Execute

Type your C++ Code and click the play button or Ctrl+Enter

Keep %%file FileName.cpp

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The screenshot displays the Google Colab interface. On the left, the 'Files' sidebar shows a directory structure with 'sample\_data', 'Test', 'Test.cpp', and 'a.out'. The 'Test.cpp' file is circled. The main editor area shows a code cell with the following C++ code:

```
[1] %%file Test.cpp
#include<iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    cout<<"Hello World!"<<endl;
    return 0;
}
```

Below the code cell, the output shows 'Writing Test.cpp' and 'Hello World!'. A third cell contains the command to compile and run the code:

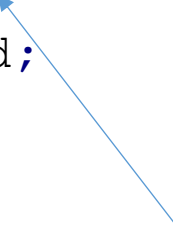
```
!g++ Test.cpp -o Test
!./Test
```

Annotations with arrows point to specific parts of the interface:

- 'Run and Execute' points to the play button icon in the third cell.
- 'Type your C++ Code and click the play button or Ctrl+Enter' points to the code area of the third cell.
- 'Keep %%file FileName.cpp' points to the first line of the code in the first cell.

# SIMPLE PROGRAM ANATOMY

```
#include<iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
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}
```

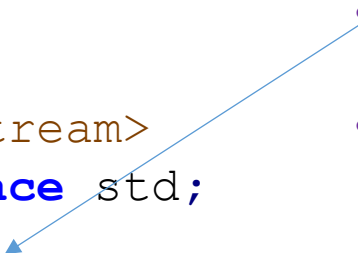


- A header file is required to create the program.
- It has plenty of libraries regarding input, output other basic operations.
- For, example, it contains `cin, cout`.
- **Without the inclusion of this file, the program won't run.**
- This file is included in the main part of the program during the pre-processing stage.
- The `iostream` library in C++ is a part of the C++ Standard Library that provides functionality for input and output operations

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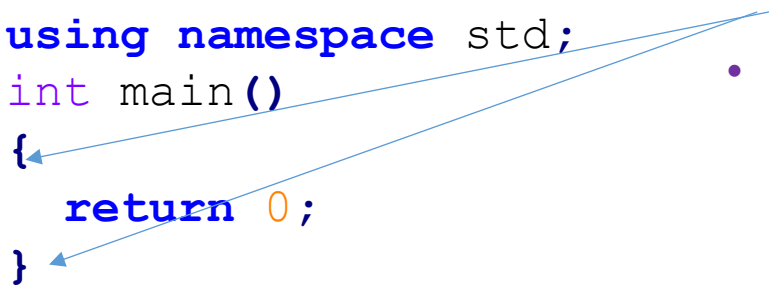
- It is used to import the entire `std` namespace into the current namespace of the program

```
#include<iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    return 0;
}
```



- It is the place where the main function begins the program execution
- Every C++ program must have a **main** function, and the behavior of the program is defined by the code written inside it.
- `int` denotes that the function should return an integer value to the operating system to denote the exit status of this program.
- If the function returns 0 (`return 0` for this case), then it is an indication that there are no errors after execution of this program.
- If an error occurs, a non-zero value is returned, often 1 or another positive integer.

```
#include<iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    return 0;
}
```



- The starting curly brace { of the program says that the body of the main function begins here.
- It denotes the scope of the function. The end curly brace denotes the end of the main function.

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  program works
  //Program compilation will read after this curly brace, till the end of the brace
  return 0; // This statement is returning the value 0 to indicate to the operating system that this
  application has reached the exit status
}
```

It is a bad practice to use using namespace std when you write a professional program.

However, for this laboratory purpose of this lab and for our convenience to write the program quickly, we will use this in all our C++ programming.

# COMMENT LINES

# SINGLE LINE COMMENT //

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# MULTILINE COMMENT LINE `/* */`

```
/* First Program  
A demonstration program  
Created by Panchatcharam  
Date: 11-08-2023 */
```

```
#include<iostream>  
using namespace std;  
int main()  
{  
    return 0;  
}
```

---

The backslash textbackslash is an escape character

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The escape sequence (`\n`) means newline

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The escape sequence (`\t`) means horizontal tab

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The escape sequence (`\\`) means insert a backslash in string

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The escape sequence (`\"`) means insert a double-quoter character in string

# DATA TYPES

# BASIC DATA TYPES

Variable Type	Description	Min	Max
signed char	7 bit ASCII character	-128	127
unsigned char	8 bit ASCII character	0	255
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unsigned short int	Unsigned integer 16 bit	0	$2^{16} - 1$
int	Signed integer 16 bit	$-(2^{15} - 1)$	$2^{15} - 1$
unsigned int	Signed integer 16 bit	0	$2^{16} - 1$
long int	Signed integer 32 bit	$-(2^{31} - 1)$	$2^{31} - 1$
unsigned long int	Unsigned integer 32 bit	0	$2^{32} - 1$
long long int	Signed integer 64 bit	$-(2^{63} - 1)$	$2^{63} - 1$
unsigned long long int	Unsigned integer 64 bit	0	$2^{64} - 1$
float	Single precision real 32 bit	$1.175 \times 10^{-38}$	$3.402 \times 10^{38}$
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- Note that -127,-(215-1),-(231-1),-(263-1) are guaranteed in most of the C compilers.
- However, some platform uses two's complement.
- Therefore, when you execute the next program in g++, you will get -128,-215,-231,-263.
- For more details, refer to the following links at page 22: ISO C and this wiki page.

[open-std.org/jtc1/sc22/wg14/www/docs/n1256.pdf](https://open-std.org/jtc1/sc22/wg14/www/docs/n1256.pdf)  
[C data types - Wikipedia](#)

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- Used to store various types of data
- Must be defined before usage
- Must be declared
- May be initialized while declaring
- The syntax of declaring the variable is

```
const VariableType VariableName1[=Value1];
```

# VARIABLE DECLARATION

```
const VariableType VariableName1[=Value1];
```

```
VariableType VariableName1[=Value1]  
[,VariableName2[=Value2],...VariableNameN[=ValueN]];
```

- ✓ The keyword `const` in front of the declaration makes it constant.
- ✓ It means, this variable can't be modified anywhere in the program after initialization.
- ✓ `VariableType` denotes the type of variable being declared.
- ✓ `VariableNameJ` denotes the  $J$ th variable to declare.
- ✓ `[ ]` denotes optional.
- ✓ `ValueJ` denotes the values assigned to the  $J$ th variable

# FOUR BASIC DATA TYPES

## char

- ✓ It is a keyword for character data types.
- ✓ 1 byte of memory space.
- ✓ Range: -128 to 127 or 0 to 255

## int

- ✓ It is a keyword for integer data types.
- ✓ 4 bytes of memory space.

## float

- ✓ It is a keyword to store single precision floating point or decimal value.
- ✓ Memory consumption: 4 bytes of memory

## double

- ✓ It is a keyword to store double precision floating point or decimal value.
- ✓ Memory consumption: 8 bytes of memory

# FOUR BASIC DATA TYPES

- ✓ Note: The memory consumption depends on the compilers.
- ✓ In order to find the correct memory consumption, use the following program and find its memory size.
- ✓ For more details, have a look at ISO C website

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    cout << "Size of char: " << sizeof(char) << " byte" << endl;
    cout << "Size of int: " << sizeof(int) << " bytes" << endl;
    cout << "Size of float: " << sizeof(float) << " bytes" << endl;
    cout << "Size of double: " << sizeof(double) << " bytes" << endl;
    cout << "Size of long double: " << sizeof(long double) << " bytes" <<
    endl;
    cout<<"Size of wchar_t: " << sizeof(wchar_t) << "bytes" <<endl;
    return 0;
}
```

# *Four basic data types*



Use meaningful variable names to improve code readability.



Initialize variables before using them to avoid undefined behavior.



Be mindful of memory usage and the range of values that can be stored in each data type.



Use appropriate data types based on the requirements of your program to balance precision, memory usage, and performance

# FOUR BASIC DATA TYPES

```
#include <iostream>
#include <climits>

using namespace std;
int main(void)
{
    cout<<"CHAR_MIN\t\t\t\t\t" << CHAR_MIN<<endl;
    cout<<"CHAR_MAX  = " << CHAR_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<"Signed CHAR_MIN  = " << SCHAR_MIN<<endl;
    cout<<"Signed CHAR_MAX  = " << SCHAR_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<"Unsigned CHAR_MAX = " << UCHAR_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<endl;

    cout<<"Short INT_MIN   = " << SHRT_MIN<<endl;
    cout<<"Short INT_MAX   = " << SHRT_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<"Unsigned Short INT_MAX = " << USHRT_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<endl;

    cout<<"INT_MIN     = " << INT_MIN<<endl;
    cout<<"INT_MAX     = " << INT_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<"Unsigned INT_MAX = " << UINT_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<endl;

    cout<<"LONG INT_MIN   = " << LONG_MIN<<endl;
    cout<<"LONG INT_MAX   = " << LONG_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<"Unsigned LONG INT_MAX = " << ULONG_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<endl;
```

```
    cout<<"LONG LONG INT_MIN  = " << LLONG_MIN<<endl;
    cout<<"LONG LONG INT_MAX  = " << LLONG_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<"Unsigned LONG LONG INT_MAX = " << ULLONG_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<endl;

    cout<<"FLOAT_MIN      = " << FLT_MIN<<endl;
    cout<<"FLOAT_MAX      = " << FLT_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<endl;

    cout<<"DOUBLE_MIN     = " << DBL_MIN<<endl;
    cout<<"DOUBLE_MAX     = " << DBL_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<endl;

    cout<<"LONG DOUBLE_MIN   = " << LDBL_MIN<<endl;
    cout<<"LONG DOUBLE_MAX   = " << LDBL_MAX<<endl;
    cout<<endl;
    return 0;
}
```

# FOUR BASIC DATA TYPES

### 3.4.3 Float

- 1 bit - **binary digit**
- 8 bits = 1 byte
- float has 4 bytes = 32 bits
- Single Precision, binary32, decimal32
- The storage format of the float is

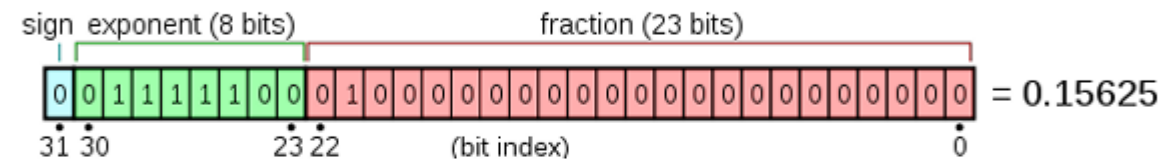
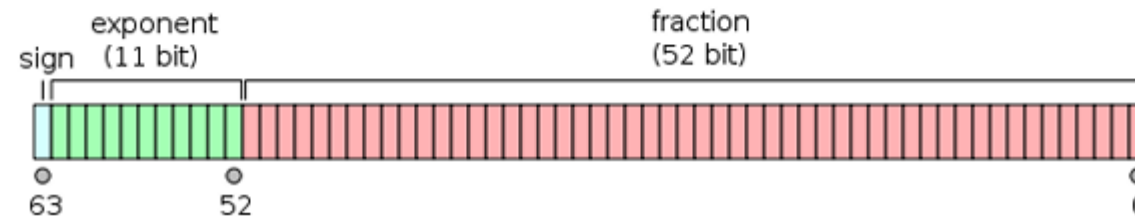


Figure 3.2: (Image Source: [Wikipedia](#))

### 3.4.4 Double

- double has 8 bytes = 64 bits
- Double Precision, binary64, decimal64
- You can use suffixes to explicitly indicate the type of a floating-point literal.
- For double, you can use d or D (e.g., 3.14d or 1.23D).
- The storage format of the double is



# OUTPUT REDIRECTION

Output in C++ can be done in multiple ways such using `cout`, output to a file using `fstream`. We can also output to a file using the terminal command

```
cout << VariableName;
```

# cout

- cout is defined in header file
- ostream- input output stream
- It is an object in ostream class
- Displays the output to the standard output device, that is monitor
- Associated with stdout stream
- c-refers character, out refers output
- cout- character output
- This object works with the insertion operator ( <<) to display stream of characters

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```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    int a = 5;
    float b = 7.5;
    double c = 8.9;
    char d = 'a';
    cout << a << "\t" << b << "\t" << c << "\t" << d << endl;
    cout << a << endl;
    cout << b << endl;
    cout << c << endl;
    cout << d << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

`outfile << VariableName;`

In order to send the output to a file, we use `fstream` which stands for file stream

- `ofstream`– output file stream, used to create files, write information to files
- `ifstream`– input file stream, used to read information from files
- `fstream`– file stream, includes the features of both `ofstream` and `ifstream`, it can create files, read from file, write to files.

```
#include<iostream>
#include<fstream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int a = 5, b = 7;
    ofstream myfile;
    myfile.open("Calculator.txt");
    myfile<<a<<" + "<<b<<" = "<<a+b<<endl;
    myfile<<a<<" - "<<b<<" = "<<a-b<<endl;
    myfile<<a<<" * "<<b<<" = "<<a*b<<endl;
    myfile<<a<<" / "<<b<<" = "<<a/b<<endl;
    myfile<<a<<" % "<<b<<" = "<<a%b<<endl;
    myfile.close();
    return 0;
}
```

# FORMATTED OUTPUT

`setw()` and `setfill()`

- If you would like to get a formatted output with alignments, you can use `setw()` and `setfill()` function with `cout`.
- The `setw()` function sets the width of the next output field.
- `setfill()`- A C stream function to fill character
- These functions are available under `iomanip` header files

```
#include <iostream>
#include <iomanip>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    cout<<setfill('0')<<setw(2)<<2<<" x "
<<setfill('0')<<setw(2)<<3<<" =
"<<setfill('0')<<setw(2)<<6<<endl;
    cout<<setfill('y')<<setw(10)<<456<<endl;
    return 0;
}
```

# FORMATTED OUTPUT

g++ -std=c++20 Program.cpp

```
#include <iostream>
#include <format>

int main() {
    double pi = 3.14159265;
    std::cout << std::format("Pi rounded to 3 decimal places: {:.3f}\n", pi);
    int x = 42, y = 1000;
    std::cout << std::format("x = {:06}, y = {:>10}\n", x, y);
    return 0;
}
```

INPUT

# INPUT FROM SCREEN

- ✓ `cin` is defined in header file
- ✓ It is an object in `iostream` class
- ✓ Reads the input from keyboard
- ✓ Associated with `stdin` stream
- ✓ `c`-refers character, `in` refers input
- ✓ `cin` - character input
- ✓ This object works with the extraction operator ( `>>` ) to receive stream of characters. The general syntax is

```
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cin >> VariableName;
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```
#include<iostream>
#include<fstream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int m,g,h,PE;
    cin>>m>>g>>h;
    PE=m*g*h;
    cout<<PE<<endl;
    return 0;
}
```

# INPUT FROM A FILE

```
infile >> VariableName;
```

`fstream` library provides classes for handling I/O operations.

It has classes like `ifstream`, `ofstream`

`ifstream` class is used for reading data from files

`ofstream` class is used for writing data to files

```
#include<iostream>
#include<fstream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int a,b,c,disc;
    ifstream myfile;
    myfile.open("TutorialInput.txt");
    myfile>>a>>b>>c;
    disc=b*b-4*a*c;
    myfile.close();
    cout<<disc<<endl;
    return 0;
}
```

**VARIABLE**

# WHAT IS A VARIABLE?

A variable is a named storage location. It stores a value of a particular data type.

- Programs process data
- A variable stores a piece of data for processing
- Variable because it can change the value stored
- It is used to store and manipulate data within a program
- Before you can use a variable, you need to declare it
- Initializing a variable assigns an initial value to it at the time of declaration

```
dataType VariableName;
```

```
int m;  
float g;  
double h;  
char name;
```

# VARIABLE EXAMPLE

```
#include<iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int a=4,b=5,c=1,disc;
    double root1,root2;
    disc=b*b-4*a*c;
    root1=(-b+sqrt(disc))/(2*a);
    root2=(-b-sqrt(disc))/(2*a);
    cout<<"Root 1="<<root1<<endl;
    cout<<"Root 2="<<root2<<endl;
    return 0;
}
```

# OPERATORS

# Arithmetic operators

An arithmetic operator is a symbol that performs a simple mathematical operation.



These operators allow you to perform addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, and more.



Operators are operated in the following precedence.



If more than one operator has the same precedence, then they are evaluated from left to right.



Be aware of the precedence of arithmetic operators

# ARITHMETIC OPERATORS

Operator	Description	Example	Precedence	Associativity
()	Parentheses	$(a + b) * c$	First	Left to Right
*	Multiplies	$a * b$	Third	Left to Right
/	Division	$a / b$	Third	Left to Right
%	Remainder after Division Modulo Division	$a \% b$ $5 \% 3 = 2$	Third	Left to Right
+	Addition	$a + b$	Fourth	Left to Right
-	Subtraction	$a - b$	Fourth	Left to Right
=	Assignment operator	$a = b$	14th	Right to Left
++	Increment by 1	$x ++$	First	Left to Right
--	Decrement by 1	$x --$	First	Left to Right
++	Increment by 1	$++ x$	Second	Right to Left
--	Decrement by 1	$-- x$	Second	Right to Left

# ARITHMETIC OPERATORS

```
#include<iostream>
using namespace std;
//This program shows different arithmetic operations for integer variables including increment and decrement operators
int main()
{
    int a=5,b=6,sum,diff,mul,div,moddiv,postinc,postdec,preinc,predec;
    sum=a+b;
    diff=a-b;
    mul=a*b;
    div=a/b;
    moddiv=b/a;
    cout<<a<<" + "<<b<<" = "<<sum<<endl;
    cout<<a<<" - "<<b<<" = "<<diff<<endl;
    cout<<a<<" * "<<b<<" = "<<mul<<endl;
    cout<<a<<" / "<<b<<" = "<<div<<endl;
    cout<<a<<" % "<<b<<" = "<<moddiv<<endl;
    postinc=a++; //a = 5, a++ = 6, but postinc = 5
    cout<<"postinc = "<<postinc<<endl;
    cout<<"a = "<<a<<endl;
    preinc=++b;
    cout<<"preinc = "<<preinc<<endl;
    cout<<"b = "<<b<<endl;
    postdec=a--;
    cout<<"postdec = "<<postdec<<endl;
    cout<<"a = "<<a<<endl;
    predec=--b;
    cout<<"predec = "<<predec<<endl;
    cout<<"b = "<<b<<endl;
    return 0;
}
```

# ARITHMETIC OPERATORS

```
#include<iostream>
#include<math.h>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    float a=5.5,b=1.5,sum,diff,mul,div,moddiv;
    sum=a+b;
    diff=a-b;
    mul=a*b;
    div=a/b;
    moddiv=fmod(b,a);
    cout<<a<<" + "<<b<<" = "<<sum<<endl;
    cout<<a<<" - "<<b<<" = "<<diff<<endl;
    cout<<a<<" * "<<b<<" = "<<mul<<endl;
    cout<<a<<" / "<<b<<" = "<<div<<endl;
    cout<<a<<" % "<<b<<" = "<<moddiv<<endl;
    return 0;
}
```



When using arithmetic operators with different data types, C++ performs implicit type conversions based on type promotion rules.



Be aware of potential loss of precision or unexpected results when mixing different data types.



Is it possible to use increment and decrement operators for float variable?

# Arithmetic operators

Divide by zero is undefined and causes fatal error and makes the program to terminate.

