In C++ we don't say "Missing asterisk" we say "error C2664: 'void std::vector<block, std::allocator<_Ty>>::push_back(const block &)': cannot convert argument 1 from 'std::_Vector_iterator<std::_Vector_val<std::_Simple_types<block>>>>' to 'block & & &'' and i think that's beautiful
Logistics

• Midterm
  ○ Released today
  ○ No lecture tomorrow (02/10)
  ○ Due Saturday (2/11) @ 11:59pm

• Exercise 8
  ○ Released Wednesday (2/08)
  ○ Due Wednesday (2/15) @ 11am
Templates!
C++ Templates

- C++ syntax to generate code that works with **generic types**
- Generates a new implementation in assembly for every type it is used with:
  - e.g., calls to `Foo<int>()` and `Foo<double>()` generate two implementations
  - e.g., calls to `Foo<int>()` and another `Foo<int>()` require only one implementation
  - e.g., if `Foo` is never used, zero implementations are generated
C++ Template Function

template<typename T>
T Add3(T arg) {
    T result = arg + 3;
    return result;
}

What is the result of each line of code?
Add3<int>(3);  // uses Add3<int>, returns 6
Add3(5.5);     // uses Add3<double>, returns 8.5
Add3<char*>("a str"); // uses Add3<char*>, return ->"tr"
Add3<string>("a str"); // Compiler error! No `+` for string
                        // and int
C++ Template Class

- Very useful for implementing data structures that support *generic* types:

```cpp
typedef uint64_t HTKey_t;
typedef void* HTValue_t;
typedef struct {
    HTKey_t key;
    HTValue_t value;
} HTKeyValue_t;
```

```cpp
template<typename K, typename V>
struct HTKeyValue {
    K HTKey;
    V* HTValue;
};
```
Exercise 1
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// template type definition

```cpp
struct Node {

    // two-argument constructor

    ~Node() { delete value; } // destructor cleans up the payload

    // public field value
    // public field next

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C++
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C++
Containers!
C++ standard lib is built around templates

- **Containers** store data using various underlying data structures
  - The specifics of the data structures define properties and operations for the container

- **Iterators** allow you to traverse container data
  - Iterators form the common interface to containers
  - Different flavors based on underlying data structure

- **Algorithms** perform common, useful operations on containers
  - Use the common interface of iterators, but different algorithms require different ‘complexities’ of iterators
Common **C++ STL Containers** (and **Java equiv**)

- **Sequence containers** can be accessed sequentially
  - `vector<Item>` uses a dynamically-sized contiguous array (like `ArrayList`)
  - `list<Item>` uses a doubly-linked list (like `LinkedList`)

- **Associative containers** use search trees and are sorted by keys
  - `set<Key>` only stores keys (like `TreeSet`)
  - `map<Key,Value>` stores key-value pair<>’s (like `TreeMap`)

- **Unordered associative containers** are hashed
  - `unordered_map<Key,Value>` (like `HashMap`)
## Common C++ STL Methods

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Common STL Containers

Many more containers and methods!

See full documentation here:
http://www.cplusplus.com/reference/stl
Helpful C++ Features

● Using `auto` as a data type asks the compiler to infer for you – can save you a lot of typing, but makes it easier to lose track of types
  ○ Can add & (e.g., `auto& var`) to assign by reference instead of copying

● Range-for statement
  ○ Similar to Java’s `forEach`, with `decl` defining the loop variable and `expr` being the sequence to loop over

```cpp
for ( decl : expr ) {
    statements
}
```
Exercise 2
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using namespace std;
vector<string> ChangeWords(const vector<string>& words,
map<string,string>& subs) {
}
```
Exercise 2

```cpp
using namespace std;
vector<string> ChangeWords(const vector<string>& words, map<string,string>& subs) {
    vector<string> result;
    for (auto& word : words) {
        if (subs.find(word) != subs.end()) {
            result.push_back(subs[word]);
        } else {
            result.push_back(word);
        }
    }
    return result;
}
```
Exercise T9
Exercise T9 Set up

Before smartphones, mobile phones used a predictive text system called T9, based on the mapping of a single numpad key to any of the corresponding letters shown in the image to the right. Note that the ‘1’, ‘*’, and ‘#’ keys won’t be used and that ‘0’ corresponds to [Space].

Example: a user would type ‘8’, then ‘4’, then ‘3’ to get the word “the”, though it could also predict longer words like “they” or “there”.

Online T9 Emulator: https://www.sainsmograf.com/labs/t9-emulator/

We will use C++ STL to generate our T9 predictive dictionary!
Exercise T9 Set up

prefix → Predicted word list (red words are what user get)

843 → the  tid  ...  they  there  these  ...
8439 → they  ...
84373 → there  these  ...

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}
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```cpp
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void AddPrefixesToPredictions(const string& word) {
    // Add prefixes to predictions
}
```
Exercise T9 A Solution

```cpp
map<string, vector<string>> predictions; // global prediction map
void AddPrefixesToPredictions(const string& word) {

    string prefix;
    for (auto& c : word) {
        prefix += letters_to_keys[c];
        predictions[prefix].push_back(word);
    }
}
```
Exercise T9 B

```cpp
map<string, vector<string>> predictions; // global prediction map
void PrintPredictions() {
    2 : a, ax,
    29 : ax,
}
```
Exercise T9 B Solution

```cpp
map<string, vector<string>> predictions; // global prediction map
void PrintPredictions() {
    // loop over every prediction pair
    for (auto& pred_pair : predictions) {
        cout << pred_pair.first << " : ";
        ... 2 : a, ax,
        ... 29 : ax,
        ...
    }
}
```
Exercise T9 B Solution

```cpp
map<string, vector<string>> predictions; // global prediction map
void PrintPredictions() {
    // loop over every prediction pair
    for (auto& pred_pair : predictions) {
        cout << pred_pair.first << " : ";

        // loop over every vector entry
        for (auto& w : pred_pair.second) {
            cout << w << ", ";
        }
        cout << endl;
    }
}

2 : a, ax,
29 : ax,
```
Thanks for coming to section!