
gcem

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EXAMPLES

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GCE-Math (**G**eneralized **C**onstant **E**xpression **M**ath) is a templated C++ library enabling compile-time computation of mathematical functions.

- The library is written in C++11 `constexpr` format, and is C++11/14/17 compatible.
- Continued fraction and series expansions are implemented using recursive templates.
- The `gcem::` syntax is identical to the C++ standard library (`std::`).
- Tested and accurate to machine precision against the C++ standard library.
- Released under a permissive, non-GPL license.

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The library is actively maintained, and is still being extended. A list of features includes:

- **basic library functions:**

- `abs`, `max`, `min`, `pow`, `sqrt`
- `exp`, `expm1`, `log`, `log1p`, and more

- **trigonometric functions:**

- basic: `cos`, `sin`, `tan`
- inverse: `acos`, `asin`, `atan`, `atan2`

- **hyperbolic (area) functions:**

- `cosh`, `sinh`, `tanh`, `acosh`, `asinh`, `atanh`

- **algorithms:**

- `gcd`, `lcm`

- **special functions:**

- factorials and the binomial coefficient: `factorial`, `binomial_coef`
- beta, gamma, and multivariate gamma functions: `beta`, `lbeta`, `lgamma`, `tgamma`, `lmgamma`
- the Gaussian error function and inverse error function: `erf`, `erf_inv`
- (regularized) incomplete beta and incomplete gamma functions: `incomplete_beta`, `incomplete_gamma`
- inverse incomplete beta and incomplete gamma functions: `incomplete_beta_inv`, `incomplete_gamma_inv`

General Syntax

GCE-Math functions are written as C++ templates with `constexpr` specifiers, the format of which might be confusing to users unfamiliar with template-based programming. As an example, the [Gaussian error function](#) (`erf`) is defined as:

```
template<typename T>
constexpr
return_t<T>
erf(const T x) noexcept;
```

where a set of internal templated `constexpr` functions will implement a continued fraction expansion to return a value of type `return_t<T>`. This output type (`'return_t<T>'`) is generally determined by the input type, e.g., `int`, `float`, `double`, `long double`, etc. When `T` is an intergral type, the output will be upgraded to `return_t<T> = double`, otherwise `return_t<T> = T`. For types not covered by `std::is_integral`, recasts should be used.

3.1 Examples

To calculate 10!:

```
#include "gcem.hpp"

int main()
{
    constexpr int x = 10;
    constexpr int res = gcem::factorial(x);

    return 0;
}
```

Inspecting the assembly code generated by Clang:

```
push    rbp
mov     rbp, rsp
xor     eax, eax
mov     dword ptr [rbp - 4], 0
mov     dword ptr [rbp - 8], 10
mov     dword ptr [rbp - 12], 3628800
pop     rbp
ret
```

We see that a function call has been replaced by a numeric value ($10! = 3628800$).

Similarly, to compute the log-Gamma function at a point:

```
#include "gcem.hpp"

int main()
{
```

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```

constexpr long double x = 1.5;
constexpr long double res = gcem::lgamma(x);

return 0;
}

```

Assembly code:

```

.LCPI0_0:
    .long    1069547520          # float 1.5
.LCPI0_1:
    .quad   -622431863250842976 # x86_fp80 -0.120782237635245222719
    .short  49147
    .zero   6
main:
    # @main
    push   rbp
    mov    rbp, rsp
    xor    eax, eax
    mov    dword ptr [rbp - 4], 0
    fld   dword ptr [rip + .LCPI0_0]
    fstp  tbyte ptr [rbp - 32]
    fld   tbyte ptr [rip + .LCPI0_1]
    fstp  tbyte ptr [rbp - 48]
    pop    rbp
    ret

```

3.1.1 Test suite

To build the full test suite:

```

# clone gcem from GitHub
git clone -b master --single-branch https://github.com/kthohr/gcem ./gcem
# compile tests
cd ./gcem/tests
make
./run_tests

```

3.2 Mathematical functions

3.2.1 Algorithms

template <typename T1, typename T2>

constexpr common_t<T1, T2> gcem::gcd(const T1 a, const T2 b)

Compile-time greatest common divisor (GCD) function.

Return the greatest common divisor between integers a and b using a Euclidean algorithm.

Parameters

- a: integral-valued input.
- b: integral-valued input.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2>
constexpr common_t<T1, T2> gcem::lcm(const T1 a, const T2 b)
    Compile-time least common multiple (LCM) function.
```

Return the least common multiple between integers a and b using the representation

$$\text{lcm}(a, b) = \frac{|ab|}{\text{gcd}(a, b)}$$

where $\text{gcd}(a, b)$ denotes the greatest common divisor between a and b .

Parameters

- a : integral-valued input.
- b : integral-valued input.

<i>gcd</i>	greatest common divisor
<i>lcm</i>	least common multiple

3.2.2 Basic functions

```
template <typename T>
constexpr T gcem::abs(const T x)
    Compile-time absolute value function.
```

Return the absolute value of x , $|x|$.

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::exp(const T x)
    Compile-time exponential function.
```

Return $\exp(x)$ using

$$\exp(x) = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{x}{1 + x - \frac{\frac{1}{2}x}{1 + \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{\frac{1}{3}x}{1 + \frac{1}{3}x - \ddots}}}}$$

The continued fraction argument is split into two parts: $x = n + r$, where n is an integer and $r \in [-0.5, 0.5]$.

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::expm1(const T x)
    Compile-time exponential-minus-1 function.
```

Return $\exp(x) - 1$ using

$$\exp(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^k}{k!}$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr T gcem::factorial(const T x)
    Compile-time factorial function.
```

Return Computes the factorial value $x!$. When x is an integral type (`int`, `long int`, etc.), a simple recursion method is used, along with table values. When x is real-valued, `factorial(x) = tgamma(x+1)`.

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::log(const T x)
    Compile-time natural logarithm function.
```

Return $\log_e(x)$ using

$$\log\left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right) = \frac{2x}{1 - \frac{x^2}{3 - \frac{4x^2}{5 - \frac{9x^3}{7 - \ddots}}}}, \quad x \in [-1, 1]$$

The continued fraction argument is split into two parts: $x = a \times 10^c$, where c is an integer.

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::log1p(const T x)
    Compile-time natural-logarithm-plus-1 function.
```

Return $\log_e(x + 1)$ using

$$\log(x + 1) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k-1} x^k}{k}, \quad |x| < 1$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2>
constexpr common_t<T1, T2> gcem::max(const T1 x, const T2 y)
    Compile-time pairwise maximum function.
```

Return Computes the maximum between x and y , where x and y have the same type (e.g., `int`, `double`, etc.)

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.
- y : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2>
constexpr common_t<T1, T2> gcem: :min (const T1 x, const T2 y)
    Compile-time pairwise minimum function.
```

Return Computes the minimum between x and y , where x and y have the same type (e.g., `int`, `double`, etc.)

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.
- y : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2>
constexpr common_t<T1, T2> gcem: :pow (const T1 base, const T2 exp_term)
    Compile-time power function.
```

Return Computes $base$ raised to the power exp_term . In the case where exp_term is integral-valued, recursion by squaring is used, otherwise $base^{exp_term} = e^{exp_term \log(base)}$

Parameters

- $base$: a real-valued input.
- exp_term : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr int gcem: :sgn (const T x)
    Compile-time sign function.
```

Return a value y such that

$$y = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x > 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem: :sqrt (const T x)
    Compile-time square-root function.
```

Return Computes \sqrt{x} using a Newton-Raphson approach.

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

<i>abs</i>	absolute value
<i>exp</i>	exponential function
<i>expm1</i>	exponential minus 1 function
<i>factorial</i>	factorial function
<i>log</i>	natural logarithm function
<i>log1p</i>	natural logarithm 1 plus argument function
<i>max</i>	maximum between two numbers
<i>min</i>	minimum between two numbers
<i>pow</i>	power function
<i>sgn</i>	sign function
<i>sqrt</i>	square root function

3.2.3 Hyperbolic functions

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::cosh(const T x)
    Compile-time hyperbolic cosine function.
```

Return the hyperbolic cosine function using

$$\cosh(x) = \frac{\exp(x) + \exp(-x)}{2}$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::sinh(const T x)
    Compile-time hyperbolic sine function.
```

Return the hyperbolic sine function using

$$\sinh(x) = \frac{\exp(x) - \exp(-x)}{2}$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::tanh(const T x)
    Compile-time hyperbolic tangent function.
```

Return the hyperbolic tangent function using

$$\tanh(x) = \frac{x}{1 + \frac{x^2}{3 + \frac{x^2}{5 + \frac{x^2}{7 + \ddots}}}}$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

Inverse hyperbolic functions

template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::acosh(const T x)
 Compile-time inverse hyperbolic cosine function.

Return the inverse hyperbolic cosine function using

$$\operatorname{acosh}(x) = \ln\left(x + \sqrt{x^2 - 1}\right)$$

Parameters

- x: a real-valued input.

template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::asinh(const T x)
 Compile-time inverse hyperbolic sine function.

Return the inverse hyperbolic sine function using

$$\operatorname{asinh}(x) = \ln\left(x + \sqrt{x^2 + 1}\right)$$

Parameters

- x: a real-valued input.

template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::atanh(const T x)
 Compile-time inverse hyperbolic tangent function.

Return the inverse hyperbolic tangent function using

$$\operatorname{atanh}(x) = \frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{1+x}{1-x}\right)$$

Parameters

- x: a real-valued input.

<i>cosh</i>	hyperbolic cosine function
<i>sinh</i>	hyperbolic sine function
<i>tanh</i>	hyperbolic tangent function
<i>acosh</i>	inverse hyperbolic cosine function
<i>asinh</i>	inverse hyperbolic sine function
<i>atanh</i>	inverse hyperbolic tangent function

3.2.4 Special functions

template <typename T1, typename T2>
constexpr common_t<T1, T2> gcem::binomial_coef(const T1 n, const T2 k)
 Compile-time binomial coefficient.

Return computes the Binomial coefficient

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

also known as ‘n choose k’.

Parameters

- n: integral-valued input.
- k: integral-valued input.

template <typename T1, typename T2>

constexpr common_return_t<T1, T2> gcem::log_binomial_coef (const T1 n, const T2 k)

Compile-time log binomial coefficient.

Return computes the log Binomial coefficient

$$\ln \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} = \ln \Gamma(n+1) - [\ln \Gamma(k+1) + \ln \Gamma(n-k+1)]$$

Parameters

- n: integral-valued input.
- k: integral-valued input.

template <typename T1, typename T2>

constexpr common_return_t<T1, T2> gcem::beta (const T1 a, const T2 b)

Compile-time beta function.

Return the beta function using

$$B(\alpha, \beta) := \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} (1-t)^{\beta-1} dt = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)\Gamma(\beta)}{\Gamma(\alpha+\beta)}$$

where Γ denotes the gamma function.

Parameters

- a: a real-valued input.
- b: a real-valued input.

template <typename T1, typename T2>

constexpr common_return_t<T1, T2> gcem::lbeta (const T1 a, const T2 b)

Compile-time log-beta function.

Return the log-beta function using

$$\ln B(\alpha, \beta) := \ln \int_0^1 t^{\alpha-1} (1-t)^{\beta-1} dt = \ln \Gamma(\alpha) + \ln \Gamma(\beta) - \ln \Gamma(\alpha + \beta)$$

where Γ denotes the gamma function.

Parameters

- a: a real-valued input.
- b: a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::tgamma (const T x)
    Compile-time gamma function.
```

Return computes the ‘true’ gamma function

$$\Gamma(x) = \int_0^{\infty} y^{x-1} \exp(-y) dy$$

using a polynomial form:

$$\Gamma(x+1) \approx (x+g+0.5)^{x+0.5} \exp(-x-g-0.5) \sqrt{2\pi} \left[c_0 + \frac{c_1}{x+1} + \frac{c_2}{x+2} + \dots + \frac{c_n}{x+n} \right]$$

where the value g and the coefficients (c_0, c_1, \dots, c_n) are taken from Paul Godfrey, whose note can be found here: <http://my.fit.edu/~gabdo/gamma.txt>

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::lgamma (const T x)
    Compile-time log-gamma function.
```

Return computes the log-gamma function

$$\ln \Gamma(x) = \ln \int_0^{\infty} y^{x-1} \exp(-y) dy$$

using a polynomial form:

$$\Gamma(x+1) \approx (x+g+0.5)^{x+0.5} \exp(-x-g-0.5) \sqrt{2\pi} \left[c_0 + \frac{c_1}{x+1} + \frac{c_2}{x+2} + \dots + \frac{c_n}{x+n} \right]$$

where the value g and the coefficients (c_0, c_1, \dots, c_n) are taken from Paul Godfrey, whose note can be found here: <http://my.fit.edu/~gabdo/gamma.txt>

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2>
constexpr return_t<T1> gcem::lmgamma (const T1 a, const T2 p)
    Compile-time log multivariate gamma function.
```

Return computes log-multivariate gamma function via recursion

$$\Gamma_p(a) = \pi^{(p-1)/2} \Gamma(a) \Gamma_{p-1}(a-0.5)$$

where $\Gamma_1(a) = \Gamma(a)$.

Parameters

- a : a real-valued input.
- p : integral-valued input.

Incomplete integral functions

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::erf(const T x)
    Compile-time Gaussian error function.
```

Return computes the Gaussian error function

$$\operatorname{erf}(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^x \exp(-t^2) dt$$

using a continued fraction representation:

$$\operatorname{erf}(x) = \frac{2x}{\sqrt{\pi}} \exp(-x^2) \frac{1}{1 - 2x^2 + \frac{4x^2}{3 - 2x^2 + \frac{8x^2}{5 - 2x^2 + \frac{12x^2}{7 - 2x^2 + \ddots}}}}$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2, typename T3>
constexpr common_return_t<T1, T2, T3> gcem::incomplete_beta(const T1 a, const T2 b,
    const T3 z)
```

Compile-time regularized incomplete beta function.

Return computes the regularized incomplete beta function,

$$\frac{\mathbf{B}(z; \alpha, \beta)}{\mathbf{B}(\alpha, \beta)} = \frac{1}{\mathbf{B}(\alpha, \beta)} \int_0^z t^{\alpha-1} (1-t)^{\beta-1} dt$$

using a continued fraction representation, found in the Handbook of Continued Fractions for Special Functions, and a modified Lentz method.

$$\frac{\mathbf{B}(z; \alpha, \beta)}{\mathbf{B}(\alpha, \beta)} = \frac{z^\alpha (1-t)^\beta}{\alpha \mathbf{B}(\alpha, \beta)} \frac{a_1}{1 + \frac{a_2}{1 + \frac{a_3}{1 + \frac{a_4}{1 + \ddots}}}}$$

where $a_1 = 1$ and

$$a_{2m+2} = -\frac{(\alpha+m)(\alpha+\beta+m)}{(\alpha+2m)(\alpha+2m+1)}, \quad m \geq 0$$

$$a_{2m+1} = \frac{m(\beta-m)}{(\alpha+2m-1)(\alpha+2m)}, \quad m \geq 1$$

The Lentz method works as follows: let f_j denote the value of the continued fraction up to the first j terms; f_j is updated as follows:

$$c_j = 1 + a_j/c_{j-1}, \quad d_j = 1/(1 + a_j d_{j-1})$$

$$f_j = c_j d_j f_{j-1}$$

Parameters

- a: a real-valued, non-negative input.
- b: a real-valued, non-negative input.
- z: a real-valued, non-negative input.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2>
```

```
constexpr common_return_t<T1, T2> gcem::incomplete_gamma(const T1 a, const T2 x)
    Compile-time regularized lower incomplete gamma function.
```

Return the regularized lower incomplete gamma function evaluated at (a, x) ,

$$\frac{\gamma(a, x)}{\Gamma(a)} = \frac{1}{\Gamma(a)} \int_0^x t^{a-1} \exp(-t) dt$$

When a is not too large, the value is computed using the continued fraction representation of the upper incomplete gamma function, $\Gamma(a, x)$, using

$$\Gamma(a, x) = \Gamma(a) - \frac{x^a \exp(-x)}{a - \frac{x}{a+1 + \frac{x}{a+2 - \frac{(a+1)x}{a+3 + \frac{2x}{a+4 - \ddots}}}}}$$

where $\gamma(a, x)$ and $\Gamma(a, x)$ are connected via

$$\frac{\gamma(a, x)}{\Gamma(a)} + \frac{\Gamma(a, x)}{\Gamma(a)} = 1$$

When $a > 10$, a 50-point Gauss-Legendre quadrature scheme is employed.

Parameters

- a: a real-valued, non-negative input.
- x: a real-valued, non-negative input.

Inverse incomplete integral functions

```
template <typename T>
```

```
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::erf_inv(const T p)
    Compile-time inverse Gaussian error function.
```

Return Computes the inverse Gaussian error function, a value x such that

$$f(x) := \operatorname{erf}(x) - p$$

is equal to zero, for a given p . GCE-Math finds this root using Halley's method:

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)/f'(x_n)}{1 - 0.5 \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} \frac{f''(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}}$$

where

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \operatorname{erf}(x) = \exp(-x^2), \quad \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \operatorname{erf}(x) = -2x \exp(-x^2)$$

Parameters

- p : a real-valued input with values in the unit-interval.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2, typename T3>
constexpr common_t<T1, T2, T3> gcem::incomplete_beta_inv(const T1 a, const T2 b,
const T3 p)
```

Compile-time inverse incomplete beta function.

Return Computes the inverse incomplete beta function, a value x such that

$$f(x) := \frac{\mathbf{B}(x; \alpha, \beta)}{\mathbf{B}(\alpha, \beta)} - p$$

equal to zero, for a given p . GCE-Math finds this root using Halley's method:

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)/f'(x_n)}{1 - 0.5 \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} \frac{f''(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}}$$

where

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\mathbf{B}(x; \alpha, \beta)}{\mathbf{B}(\alpha, \beta)} \right) = \frac{1}{\mathbf{B}(\alpha, \beta)} x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1}$$

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \left(\frac{\mathbf{B}(x; \alpha, \beta)}{\mathbf{B}(\alpha, \beta)} \right) = \frac{1}{\mathbf{B}(\alpha, \beta)} x^{\alpha-1} (1-x)^{\beta-1} \left(\frac{\alpha-1}{x} - \frac{\beta-1}{1-x} \right)$$

Parameters

- a : a real-valued, non-negative input.
- b : a real-valued, non-negative input.
- p : a real-valued input with values in the unit-interval.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2>
constexpr common_return_t<T1, T2> gcem::incomplete_gamma_inv(const T1 a, const T2 p)
```

Compile-time inverse incomplete gamma function.

Return Computes the inverse incomplete gamma function, a value x such that

$$f(x) := \frac{\gamma(a, x)}{\Gamma(a)} - p$$

equal to zero, for a given p . GCE-Math finds this root using Halley's method:

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)/f'(x_n)}{1 - 0.5 \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} \frac{f''(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}}$$

where

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\gamma(a, x)}{\Gamma(a)} \right) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(a)} x^{a-1} \exp(-x)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} \left(\frac{\gamma(a, x)}{\Gamma(a)} \right) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(a)} x^{a-1} \exp(-x) \left(\frac{a-1}{x} - 1 \right)$$

Parameters

- a: a real-valued, non-negative input.
- p: a real-valued input with values in the unit-interval.

<i>binomial_coef</i>	binomial coefficient
<i>log_binomial_coef</i>	log binomial coefficient
<i>beta</i>	beta function
<i>lbeta</i>	log-beta function
<i>tgamma</i>	gamma function
<i>lgamma</i>	log-gamma function
<i>lmgamma</i>	log-multivariate gamma function
<i>erf</i>	error function
<i>incomplete_beta</i>	incomplete beta function
<i>incomplete_gamma</i>	incomplete gamma function
<i>erf_inv</i>	inverse error function
<i>incomplete_beta_inv</i>	inverse incomplete beta function
<i>incomplete_gamma_inv</i>	inverse incomplete gamma function

3.2.5 Trigonometric functions

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::cos(const T x)
    Compile-time cosine function.
```

Return the cosine function using

$$\cos(x) = \frac{1 - \tan^2(x/2)}{1 + \tan^2(x/2)}$$

Parameters

- x: a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::sin(const T x)
    Compile-time sine function.
```

Return the sine function using

$$\sin(x) = \frac{2 \tan(x/2)}{1 + \tan^2(x/2)}$$

Parameters

- x: a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T>
constexpr return_t<T> gcem::tan(const T x)
    Compile-time tangent function.
```

Return the tangent function using

$$\tan(x) = \frac{x}{1 - \frac{x^2}{3 - \frac{x^2}{5 - \ddots}}}$$

To deal with a singularity at $\pi/2$, the following expansion is employed:

$$\tan(x) = -\frac{1}{x - \pi/2} - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k 2^{2k} B_{2k}}{(2k)!} (x - \pi/2)^{2k-1}$$

where B_n is the n-th Bernoulli number.

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

Inverse trigonometric functions

template <typename T>

constexpr return_t<T> gcem::acos(const T x)

Compile-time arccosine function.

Return the inverse cosine function using

$$\operatorname{acos}(x) = \operatorname{atan}\left(\frac{\sqrt{1-x^2}}{x}\right)$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input, where $x \in [-1, 1]$.

template <typename T>

constexpr return_t<T> gcem::asin(const T x)

Compile-time arcsine function.

Return the inverse sine function using

$$\operatorname{asin}(x) = \operatorname{atan}\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}\right)$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input, where $x \in [-1, 1]$.

template <typename T>

constexpr return_t<T> gcem::atan(const T x)

Compile-time arctangent function.

Return the inverse tangent function using

$$\operatorname{atan}(x) = \frac{x}{1 + \frac{x^2}{3 + \frac{4x^2}{5 + \frac{9x^2}{7 + \ddots}}}}$$

Parameters

- x : a real-valued input.

```
template <typename T1, typename T2>
```

```
constexpr common_return_t<T1, T2> gcem::atan2(const T1 y, const T2 x)
```

Compile-time two-argument arctangent function.

Return

$$\text{atan2}(y, x) = \begin{cases} \text{atan}(y/x) & \text{if } x > 0 \\ \text{atan}(y/x) + \pi & \text{if } x < 0 \text{ and } y \geq 0 \\ \text{atan}(y/x) - \pi & \text{if } x < 0 \text{ and } y < 0 \\ +\pi/2 & \text{if } x = 0 \text{ and } y > 0 \\ -\pi/2 & \text{if } x = 0 \text{ and } y < 0 \end{cases}$$

The function is undefined at the origin, however the following conventions are used.

$$\text{atan2}(y, x) = \begin{cases} +0 & \text{if } x = +0 \text{ and } y = +0 \\ -0 & \text{if } x = +0 \text{ and } y = -0 \\ +\pi & \text{if } x = -0 \text{ and } y = +0 \\ -\pi & \text{if } x = -0 \text{ and } y = -0 \end{cases}$$

Parameters

- y : a real-valued input.
- x : a real-valued input.

<i>cos</i>	cosine function
<i>sin</i>	sine function
<i>tan</i>	tangent function
<i>acos</i>	arccosine function
<i>asin</i>	arcsine function
<i>atan</i>	arctangent function
<i>atan2</i>	two-argument arctangent function

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