

Mathematical Library Tools in C

In C, the `<math.h>` library provides a collection of mathematical functions to perform standard mathematical operations. Below is a categorized list of commonly used tools from `<math.h>`:

1. Basic Arithmetic Functions

- `double ceil(double x)`: Returns the smallest integer greater than or equal to x.
- `double floor(double x)`: Returns the largest integer less than or equal to x.
- `double fabs(double x)`: Returns the absolute value of x.
- `double fmod(double x, double y)`: Returns the remainder of x / y.

2. Power and Exponential Functions

- `double pow(double x, double y)`: Returns x^y (x raised to the power y).
- `double sqrt(double x)`: Returns the square root of x.
- `double exp(double x)`: Returns e^x (exponential function).
- `double log(double x)`: Returns the natural logarithm ($\ln(x)$).
- `double log10(double x)`: Returns the base-10 logarithm of x.

3. Trigonometric Functions

- `double sin(double x)`: Returns the sine of x (angle in radians).
- `double cos(double x)`: Returns the cosine of x (angle in radians).
- `double tan(double x)`: Returns the tangent of x (angle in radians).
- `double asin(double x)`: Returns the arcsine (inverse sine) of x in radians.
- `double acos(double x)`: Returns the arccosine (inverse cosine) of x in radians.
- `double atan(double x)`: Returns the arctangent (inverse tangent) of x in radians.
- `double atan2(double y, double x)`: Returns the angle in radians between the positive x-axis and

the point (x, y).

4. Hyperbolic Functions

- double sinh(double x): Returns the hyperbolic sine of x.
- double cosh(double x): Returns the hyperbolic cosine of x.
- double tanh(double x): Returns the hyperbolic tangent of x.

5. Rounding and Modulus Functions

- double round(double x): Rounds x to the nearest integer.
- double trunc(double x): Returns the integer part of x by truncating the fractional part.

6. Special Functions

- double hypot(double x, double y): Returns $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ (Euclidean distance).
- double cbrt(double x): Returns the cube root of x.
- double exp2(double x): Returns 2^x .
- double log2(double x): Returns the base-2 logarithm of x.

Usage Example:

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <math.h>

int main() {
    double angle = 30.0;
    double radians = angle * M_PI / 180.0; // Convert degrees to radians

    printf("sin(30 degrees) = %f\n", sin(radians));
    printf("cos(30 degrees) = %f\n", cos(radians));
```

```
printf("sqrt(16) = %f\n", sqrt(16.0));  
printf("pow(2, 3) = %f\n", pow(2.0, 3.0));  
  
return 0;  
}
```

Important Notes:

1. Header File: Always include <math.h> to use these functions.
2. Linking Math Library: When compiling, link the math library using the -lm flag (e.g., gcc program.c -lm).
3. Return Type: Most functions return double. For single-precision or long double versions, use functions like sinf, cosf, sqrtf, sinl, cosl, etc.