

why C++?

easier to talk about data representation

"closer to the hardware"

directly allocate memory

more obvious translation to assembly/machine code

heavily related to Java

C++ history

- K&R C (first published 1972) Dennis Ritchie, Bell Labs based on BCPL (1967) meant to be easy to make efficient compilers for
- C with classes (1979) Bjarne Stoustrup, Bell Labs efficiecy of C with features of other languages?
- early C++ (1985) Bjarne Stroustrup, Bell Labs
- ANSI/ISO standard C++ (1998) standardization effort started in 1989 (!) what current compilers try to implement still actively being updated

why not C++?

some not great syntax choices
made in 1980s, standardized in 1990s–2010s
based on C (1970s, standardized in 1980s)
makes compromises for compatibility

incompleteness

the C++ language has a lot of features

...and is still changing

we will teach a particular subset of it

C++ hello world

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outside of any class! called a function

main

```
int main() { ... }
function outside of any class
must have return type of int
this class: always return 0 from main
```

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using directive

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    return 0;
#include <iostream>
int main() {
    std::cout << "Hello_World!" << std::endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```

using directive

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using single things

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    return 0;
#include <iostream>
using std::cout;
using std::endl;
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instead of import java...

between Java files

```
Foo.java
public class Foo {
    Bar x = new Bar();
                                    Java compiler
                                    looks for
           Bar.java
                                    Bar.java
public class Bar {
```

declare before use

functions, classes must be declared before they are used

compiler processes each file in order compiler processes files seperately

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declaration versus definition (1)

```
#include <iostream>
bool even(int number);
bool odd(int number) {
    return !even(number);
bool even(int number) {
    if (number == 0) {
        return true;
    } else {
        return odd(number - 1);
```

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    return !d
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bool odd(int number) definition (and declaration)
    return !even(numb
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        return true;
    } else {
        return odd(number - 1);
```

declaration versus definition (2)

```
#include <iostream>
using namepace std;
int max(int a, int b);
int main(void) {
    int x=37, y=52;
    cout << max(x, y) << endl;
    return 0;
int max(int a, int b) {
    return (a > b) ? a : b;
```

declaration versus definition (2)

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```

functions and prototypes

functions — methods not associated with class

prototype or definition must appear before function can be used

declare before use

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declaration versus definition (3)

```
even.cpp
bool even(int number) {
   return number % 2 == 0;
}
```

C++: header files (1)

bool even(int number)

return number % 2 == 0;

```
main.cpp
#include <iostream>
#include "even.h"
int main() {
  if (even(42)) {
    std::cout << "42_is_even"
              << std::endl;
  return 0;
                                     C++ compiler
                                     reads from
            even.h
                                     even.h
extern bool even(int number);
           even.cpp
```

2

C++: header files (2)

```
main.cpp
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main() {
  cout << "Hello,_World!"
       << endl:
                                   C++ compiler
                                   reads from
 iostream (comes w/ compiler)
                                   iostream
  class ostream {
  };
  extern ostream cout;
```

header files

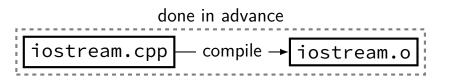
```
header files contain declarations (mostly)
```

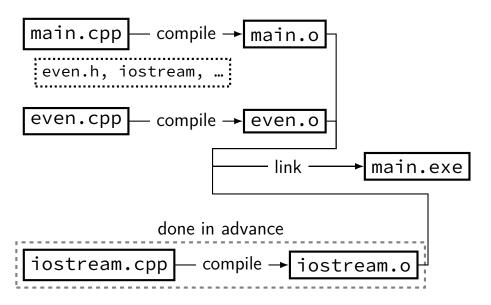
alternative to placing prototypes, etc. in every file convention: every .cpp file has a .h file

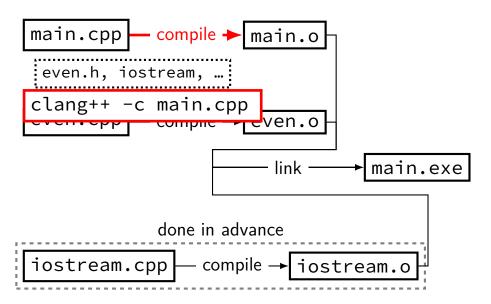
```
main.cpp — compile → main.o

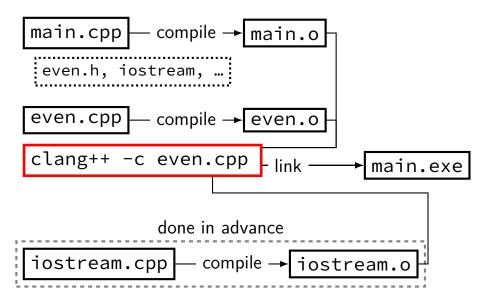
even.h, iostream, ...

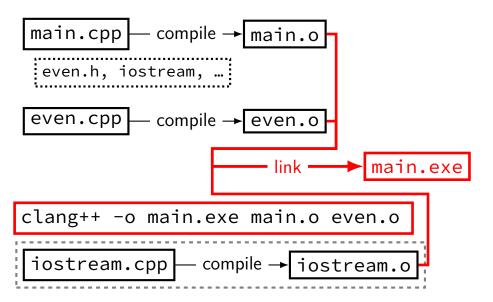
even.cpp — compile → even.o
```

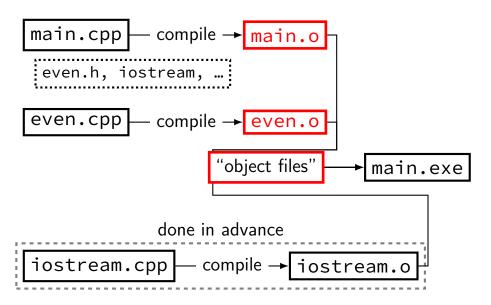












```
main.cpp — compile → main.o
even.h, iostream, ...
even.cpp
           — compile → even.o
  clang++ -o main.exe main.cpp even.cpp
  (does all steps, but doesn't keep some files)
             done in advance
iostream.cpp — compile → iostream.o
```

on commands

```
clang++ file1.cpp file2.cpp
   makes a.out or a.exe
   file1.h, etc. not part of command
clang++ -o main.exe file1.cpp file2.cpp
   makes main.exe
clang++ -Wall -o main.exe file1.cpp file2.cpp
   makes main.exe with more compiler warnings
clang++ -Wall -c file1.cpp
   makes file1.o (not executable)
```

Why clang++?

clang++ our compiler of choice on lab machines better than version of g++ on lab machines/VM

a note on compiler warnings

```
int foo() {
    int bad;
    return 42;
default: almost no warnings
 clang++ -c foo.cpp
add -Wall: more warnings
$ clang++ -Wall -c foo.cpp
foo.cpp:2:9: warning: unused variable 'bad' [-Wunused-variable
    int bad:
1 warning generated.
```

basic I/O

```
#include <iostream>
using std::cout; using std::cin; using std::endl;
// or using namespace std;
int main() {
   int number;
   cout << "Enter_a_number:_";
   cin >> number;
   cout << "You_entered_" << number << endl;
}</pre>
```

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    cout << "Enter_a_number:_";</pre>
    cin >> number;
    cout << "You_entered_" << number << endl;</pre>
cin is a global istream object
cout is a global ostream object
```

char

short, int, long

float, double
bool

char

8-bit characters (ASCII, not Unicode) actually integers

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    actually integers
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    size depends on machine
float, double
bool
    yes, not boolean
```

unsigned int, unsigned short, unsigned long like int, short, long — but only positive values (more on this later0

classes

Java: IntCell.java (1)

```
public class IntCell {
    public IntCell() { this(0); }
    public IntCell(int initialValue) {
        storedValue = initialValue;
    }
    public int getValue() {
        return storedValue;
    public void setValue(int newValue) {
        storedValue = newValue;
    }
    private int storedValue;
```

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    }
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```

C++ version: three files

IntCell.h — "header file" with declarations only
 #included by both files below

IntCell.cpp — implementation of class

TestIntCell.cpp — example main() that uses class

```
#ifndef INTCELL_H
#define INTCELL_H
class IntCell {
  public:
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 );
    int getValue() const;
    void setValue(int val);
  private:
    int storedValue;
};
#endif
```

```
#ifndef INTCELL_H
#define INTCELL_H
class IntCell {
  public:
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 ):
           "boilerplate"
           used to keep preprocessor from including file twice
           (more on this later)
  private:
    int storedValue;
#endif
```

```
#ifndef INTCELL_H
#define INTCELL H
class IntCell {
  public:
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 ):
                      everything after this is public
    int getValue()
void setValue(i
                      until private:
                       (default is private)
  private:
    int storedValue;
#endif
```

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#ifndef INTCELL_H
#define INTCELL_H
class IntCell {
  public:
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 );
    int getValue() cor
void setValue(int constructor declaration
  private:
    int storedValue;
#endif
```

```
#ifndef INTCELL_H
#define INTCELL H
class IntCell {
  public:
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 );
    int getva default argument
    void set must be part of declaration (not definition)
  private:
    int storedValue;
#endif
```

```
#ifndef INTCELL_H
#define INTCELL H
class IntCell {
 public:
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 );
    int getValue() const;
    void setValue(int val);
 private:
   int stored could have two explicit constructors, too:
              IntCell();
#endif
              IntCell(int initialValue);
```

```
#ifndef INTCFLL H
#define method declarations
        (official C++ name for methods: "member functions")
class Ir
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 );
    int getValue() const;
    void setValue(int val);
  private:
    int storedValue;
#endif
```

```
#ifndef INTCEL "const" after parenthesis —
#define INTCEL
               indicates method does not change object
class IntCell
  public:
               (this is const — enforced by compiler)
    IntCell(
    int getValue() const;
    void setValue(int val);
  private:
    int storedValue;
#endif
```

```
#ifndef INTCELL_H
#define INTCELL H
class IntCell {
  public:
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 );
    int getVal instance variable
    void setVa (official C++ name: "member variable")
  private:
    int storedValue;
#endif
```

```
#ifndef INTCELL_H
#define INTCELL_H
class IntCell {
  public:
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 );
    int getValue() con
void setValue(int semicolon is required!
  private:
    int storedValue;
#endif
```

```
#include "IntCell.h"
IntCell::IntCell( int initialValue ) :
        storedValue( initialValue ) {
int IntCell::getValue() const {
    return storedValue;
void IntCell::setValue( int val ) {
    storedValue = val;
```

```
#include "IntCell.h"
IntCell::IntCell( int initialValue ) :
        storedValue( initialValue ) {
int IntCell::getValue() const {
    return storedValue;
void Intc all method declarations prefixed with "ClassName::"
          :: seperates class/namespace names from
          names within the class/namespace
```

```
#include "IntCell.h"
IntCell::IntCell( int initialValue ) :
        storedValue( initialValue ) {
int IntCell declaration had "int initialValue = 0"
           not repeated in definition (doing so is an error)
    return
void IntCell::setValue( int val ) {
    storedValue = val;
```

```
#include "IntCell.h"
IntCell::IntCell( int initialValue ) :
        storedValue( initialValue ) {
  special syntax for initializing member variables
   used to call constructors (otherwise — default constructors used!)
   : variable1(value), variable2(anotherValue), ...
void IntCell::setValue( int val ) {
    storedValue = val;
```

```
#include "I const (method called on const object)
            defintion and declaration
IntCell::In sto (repeated in case both const and non-const
            method with same name, arguments)
int IntCell::getValue() const {
    return storedValue:
void IntCell::setValue( int val ) {
    storedValue = val;
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include "IntCell.h"
using namespace std;
int main( ) {
    IntCell m1;
    IntCell m2(37);
    // output: 0 37
    cout << m1.getValue( ) << "_"</pre>
         << m2.getValue( ) << endl;
    m1 = m2;
    m2.setValue( 40 );
    // output: 37 40
    cout << m1.getValue( ) << "_"
         << m2.getValue( ) << endl;
    return 0;
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include "IntCell.h"
using namespace std;
int main( ) {
    IntCell m1;
    IntCell m2( 3 not a reference — cannot be null
    // output: 0
                   represents the object itself
    cout << ml.ge
         << m2.getValue( ) << endl;
    m1 = m2;
    m2.setValue( 40 );
    // output: 37 40
    cout << m1.getValue( ) << "_"
         << m2.getValue( ) << endl;
    return 0;
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include "IntCell.h"
using namespace std;
int main( ) {
   IntCell m1;
   IntCell m2( 37 ) calls the default constructor
   // output: 0 37 IntCell::IntCell()
    cout << m1.getVa
         << m2.getValue( ) << endl;
   m1 = m2;
    m2.setValue( 40 );
    // output: 37 40
    cout << m1.getValue( ) << "_"
         << m2.getValue( ) << endl;
    return 0;
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include "IntCell_b"
using namespace s calls IntCell(37) constructor
int main( ) {
    IntCell m1;
    IntCell m2( 37 );
    // output: 0 37
    cout << m1.getValue( ) << "_"
         << m2.getValue( ) << endl;
    m1 = m2;
    m2.setValue( 40 );
    // output: 37 40
    cout << m1.getValue( ) << "_"
         << m2.getValue( ) << endl;
    return 0;
```

```
#include <iostream>
#include "IntCell.h"
using namespace std;
int main( ) {
    IntCell m1 copies m2 into m1
    IntCell m2
               like assigning each member variable
    // output:
    cout << m1 C++ objects are values (not references)</pre>
         << m2
    m1 = m2;
    m2.setValue( 40 );
    // output: 37 40
    cout << m1.getValue( ) << "_"
         << m2.getValue( ) << endl;
    return 0;
```

C++: Rational.h

```
#ifndef RATIONAL H
#define RATIONAL H
class Rational {
  public:
    Rational();
    Rational(int numerator, int denominator);
    ~Rational();
    void print() const;
    Rational times(Rational b) const;
    Rational plus(Rational b) const;
    Rational reciprocal() const;
    Rational divides(Rational b) const;
  private:
    int num, den; // the numerator and denominator
    static int gcd(int m, int n); // helper function
};
```

#endif

```
#ifndef RATIONAL H
#define RATIONAL H
class Rat
  public: marked const
    Ratio since they don't change the object they're called on
    Rationac, me nameracor, me denominacor
    ~Rational();
    void print() const;
    Rational times(Rational b) const;
    Rational plus(Rational b) const;
    Rational reciprocal() const;
    Rational divides(Rational b) const;
  private:
    int num, den; // the numerator and denominator
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};
```

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#define RATIONAL H
class Rational {
  public:
                         default constructor
    Rational():
    Rational(int numerator, int denominator);
    ~Rational();
    void print() const;
    Rational times(Rational b) const;
    Rational plus(Rational b) const;
    Rational reciprocal() const;
    Rational divides(Rational b) const;
  private:
    int num, den; // the numerator and denominator
    static int gcd(int m, int n); // helper function
};
```

```
#ifndef RATIONAL H
#define RATIONAL H
class Rational {
  public:
                        another constructor
    Rational();
    Rational(int numerator, int denominator);
    ~Rational();
    void print() const;
    Rational times(Rational b) const;
    Rational plus(Rational b) const;
    Rational reciprocal() const;
    Rational divides(Rational b) const;
  private:
    int num, den; // the numerator and denominator
    static int gcd(int m, int n); // helper function
};
```

```
#ifndef RATIONAL H
#define RATIONAL H
class Rational {
  public:
                destructor — not actually useful yet
    Rational();
    Rational(int numerator, int denominator);
    ~Rational();
    void print() const;
    Rational times(Rational b) const;
    Rational plus(Rational b) const;
    Rational reciprocal() const;
    Rational divides(Rational b) const;
  private:
    int num, den; // the numerator and denominator
    static int gcd(int m, int n); // helper function
};
```

```
#ifndef RATIONAL H
#define RATIONAL H
class Rational {
  public:
    Rational()
    Ration static — like Java, method doesn't take object
   ~Ratio only appears on declaration
    Rational times(Rational b) const;
    Rational plus(Rational b) const;
    Rational reciprocal() const;
    Rational divides(Rational b) const;
  private:
    int num, den; // the numerator and denominator
    static int gcd(int m, int n); // helper function
```

```
// default constructor: initialize to 0/1
Rational::Rational() : num(0), den(1) {
Rational::Rational(int numerator, int denominator) {
    if (denominator == 0) {
        cout << "Denominator_is_zero" << endl;</pre>
    int g = gcd(numerator, denominator);
    num = numerator / g;
    den = denominator / g;
```

```
// default constructor: initialize to 0/1
Rational::Rational() : num(0), den(1) {
Rational::Rational(int numerator, int denominator) {
    if (denom
             probably should throw exception instead?
    int g = gcd(numerator, denominator);
    num = numerator / g;
    den = denominator / g;
```

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Rational::Rational(int numerator, int denominator) {
   int g = gcd(numerator, denominator);
   num = numerator
   den = denominator / g;
```

```
// default constructor: initialize to 0/1
Rational::Rational() : num(0), den(1) {
Rational::Ration
    if (denomina member variables initialized in body
        cout << | instead of : LIST syntax
    int g = gcd(numerator, denominator);
    num = numerator
    den = denominator / g;
```

C++: Rational.cpp — times

```
Rational Rational::times(Rational b) const {
    return Rational(num * b.num, den * b.den);
}
```

C++: Rational.cpp — times

```
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    return Rational(num * b.num, den * b.den);
}
```

syntax to create new Rational object

C++: Rational.cpp — times

```
Rational Rational::times(Rational b) const {
   return Rational(num * b.num, den * b.den);
}
```

need to mark definition const because it's possible to have const and non-const function with same name

IntCell.h

```
#ifndef INTCELL_H
#define INTCELL_H
class IntCell {
  public:
    IntCell( int initialValue = 0 ):
           "boilerplate"
           used to keep preprocessor from including file twice
           (more on this later)
  private:
    int storedValue;
#endif
```

preprocessor

two steps to compilation

```
preprocessing
    #include, #define, #ifdef, etc
    can run alone: clang++ -E file.cpp
compilation
```

the preprocessor is dumb

```
Foo.h

class Foo { /* ... */ };

Bar.h

#include "Foo.h"
class Bar { /* ... uses Foo ... */ };

main.cpp

#include "Foo.h"
#include "Bar.h"
```

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Foo.h
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                    Bar.h
#include "Foo.h"
 class Bar { /* ... uses Foo ... */ };
                   main.cpp
#include "Foo.h"
 #include "Bar.h"
In file included from main.cpp:2:
In file included from ./Bar.h:1:
./Foo.h:1:7: error: redefinition of 'Foo'
class Foo {};
./Foo.h:1:7: note: previous definition is here
class Foo {};
```

running the preprocessor alone

```
(some lines omitted)
prompt$ clang++ -E main.cpp
# 1 "main.cpp"
# 1 "./Foo.h" 1
# 2 "main.cpp" 2 (as a temporary file)
# 1 "./Bar.h" 1
# 1 "./Foo.h" 1
class Foo {};
# 2 "./Bar.h" 2
class Bar {};
```

running the preprocessor alone

```
(some lines omitted)
prompt$ clang++ -E main.cpp
# 1 "main.cpp"
# 1 "./Foo.h" 1
                   line numbers/file names for error messages
class Foo {};
# 2 "main.cpp" 2
# 1 "./Bar.h" 1
# 1 "./Foo.h" 1
class Foo {};
# 2 "./Bar.h" 2
class Bar {};
```

#define

```
/* make 'F00' equivalent to 'something' */
#define FOO something
/* make 'BAR' equivalent to '' */
#define BAR
foo is FOO.
bar is BAR.
prompt$ clang++ -E define-example1.cpp
. . .
foo is something.
bar is .
```

#ifndef

#ifndef FOO

```
foo not defined first time
#endif
#define F00
#ifndef F00
if shown after preprocessing:
foo not defined second time
#endif
prompt$ clang++ -E define-example2.cpp
if shown after preprocessing:
foo not defiend first time
```

if shown after preprocessing:

#ifndef

```
#ifndef F00
if shown after preprocessing:
foo not defined first time
#endif
#define F00
#ifndef F00
if shown after preprocessing:
foo not defined second time
#endif
```

omitted since after #define of FOO

```
prompt$ clang++ -E define-example2.cpp
...
if shown after preprocessing:
foo not defiend first time
```

the boilerplate

preprocessor commands (subset)

```
#define NAME replacement
#undef NAMF
#ifndef NAME, #ifdef NAME
#if expression
   e.g. #if defined(X) && defined(Y)
#define NAME(X, Y) thing w/ X and Y
   NAME(foo, bar) \rightarrow thing w/ foo and bar
```

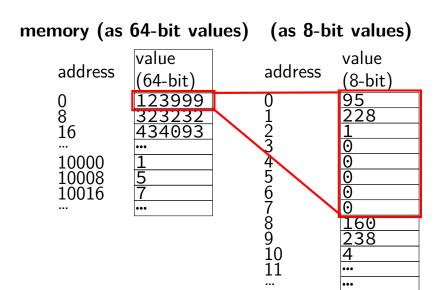
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store memory addresses the location of values

memory?

value
(64-bit)
(04-bit)
123999
323232
434093
•••
1
5
7
•••

memory?



```
long aLong = 42;
int anInt = 43;
int anotherInt = 44;
```

memory (as 64-bit values)

address value ... 10000 42 10008 43 | 44 10016

```
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int anInt = 43;
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```

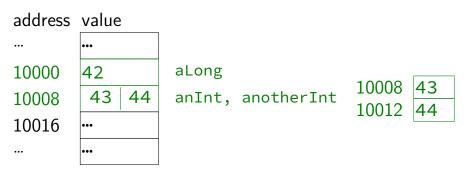
```
address value ... ... ... aLong along anInt, anotherInt 10016 ... ... ...
```

```
long aLong = 42;
int anInt = 43;
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```

```
address value
        •••
•••
10000
        42
                     aLong
                                            10008
                                                    43
         43
10008
              44
                    anInt, anotherInt
                                            10012
                                                    44
10016
        •••
        •••
...
```

```
long aLong = 42;
int anInt = 43;
int anotherInt = 44;
```

all variables kept in memory (array of bytes where 'everything' is stored)



```
address value
...
10000 42 anInteger
10008 ? pointerToAnInteger
...
```

&: "address of"

memory (as 64-bit values)

```
address value
...
10000 42
10008 ?
10016 ...
```

anInteger pointerToAnInteger

```
*: "dereference"
use value
at address
```



```
address value
...

10000 42 43
10008 10000 pointerToAnInteger
10016 ...
...
```

declaring pointers

```
float *X; // X is a pointer to float
float* X; // X is a pointer to float
float * X; // X is a pointer to float

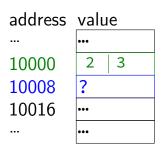
Rational *Y; // Y is a pointer to Rational
Rational* Y; // Y is a pointer to Rational
Rational **Z; // Z is a pointer to pointer to Rational
```

declaring multiple pointers

```
float *X, *Y; // X and Y are pointers to float
float *Z, ThisIsProbablyAMistake;
    // Z is a pointer to float
    // ThisIsProbablyAMistake is a float
```

```
Rational aFraction(2, 3);
Rational *pointerToFraction;
pointerToFraction = &aFraction;
*pointerToFraction =
          (*pointerToFraction).times(*pointerToFraction);
```

memory



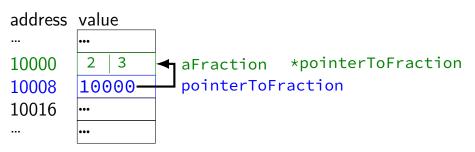
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memory

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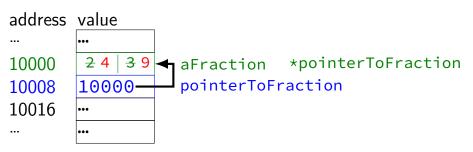
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```

memory



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pointerToFraction = &aFraction;
*pointerToFraction =
          (*pointerToFraction).times(*pointerToFraction);
```

memory



dereference operator

```
"foo is a pointer to Type")

cout << *foo; — output value foo points to

*foo = 42; — set value foo points to to 42
```

(different than declaration: Type *foo means

expression: *foo is "value pointed to by foo"

dereference v declare

```
int *pointer = &foo;
// same as:
int *pointer;
pointer = &foo;
```

dereference v declare

```
int *pointer = &foo;
// same as:
int *pointer;
pointer = &foo;

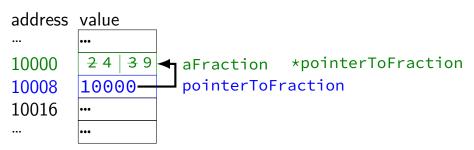
int *pointer = &foo;
*pointer = bar; // sets foo to bar
pointer = &bar; // changes where pointer points
```

address-of operator

```
in an expression: &foo is "address of foo"
    (different than declaration: int &foo = 42; means
    'foo is a reference" — more on that later)
returns address of variable/value
    &variable, &array[42], &obj.instVar
    error if applied to temporary values (e.g. \&(2+2))
cout << &foo; — output address of foo
foo = &bar; — set foo to be a pointer to bar
```

```
Rational aFraction(2, 3);
Rational *pointerToFraction;
pointerToFraction = &aFraction;
*pointerToFraction =
         (*pointerToFraction).times(*pointerToFraction);
```

memory



-> operator

NULL

```
NULL or 0 — explicitly invalid pointer
    for NULL: #include <cstddef>, etc.
int anInt = 42;
int *pointer = NULL;
int *pointer = 0; // same as above
// NOT same as: int *pointer;
*pointer = anInt; // ERROR: crash (hopefully)
anInt = *pointer; // ERROR: crash (hopefully)
pointer = anInt; // ERROR: need cast
if (pointer == NULL) { ... }
if (!pointer) { ... } // same as above
if (pointer != NULL) { ... }
if (pointer) { ... } // same as above
```

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if (!pointer) { ... } // same as above
if (pointer != NULL) { ... }
if (pointer) { ... } // same as above
```

crash (hopefully)

but not always — not required

Java — using a null pointer triggers NullPointerException C++ — using a null pointer usually crashes

uninitialized values

uninitialized pointers are not always null
whatever was stored in that part of memory before

might crash or might silently point to something important

```
int valueOne = 42, valueTwo = 100;
int *pointer = &valueOne;
int **ptrToPtr = &pointer;
**ptrToPtr -= 10;
*ptrToPtr = &valueTwo;
**ptrToPtr += 10;
// output: 32 110 110
cout << valueOne << "_" << valueTwo << "_"
     << *pointer << endl;
address value
10000
        42
10004
        100
10008
        10000
10016
        10008
10024
```

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// output: 32 110 110
cout << valueOne << "_" << valueTwo << "_"
     << *pointer << endl:
address value
10000
        42
                               value0ne
        100
10004
                               valueTwo
10008
        10000
                               pointer
                               ptrToPtr
10016
        10008
10024
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        <del>42</del> 32
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        100
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10016
        10008
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     << *pointer << endl:
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        <del>42</del> 32
                               ∹ value0ne
                                 valueTwo
10004
        <del>100</del>
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10008
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        10008
10024
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**ptrToPtr += 10;
// output: 32 110 110
cout << valueOne << "_" << valueTwo << "_"
     << *pointer << endl:
address value
10000
        <del>42</del> 32
                                 value0ne
        <del>100</del> 43
10004
                                 valueTwo
        10000 10004
                                 pointer
10008
                                 ptrToPtr
10016
        10008
10024
```

swap

```
void swap(Rational *a, Rational *b) {
    Rational temp = *a;
    *a = *b;
    *b = temp;
}
...
Rational first(4, 3);
Rational second(2, 7);
swap(&first, &second);
first.print(); // output: 2/7
```

pointer question

```
int a = 10, b = 20;
int *p; int *q;
p = &a;
q = p;
p = \&b;
*p += 1;
*a = b;
What are the values of a. b?
A. a=10, b=21 D. a=21, b=21
 B. a=11, b=21 E. something else
C. a=20, b=21 F. possible crash
```

inline methods (1)

```
class Foo {
public:
    Foo();
    int getValue() const {
        return value;
    }
    void setValue(int newValue) {
        value = newValue;
private:
    int value;
    . . .
};
```

inline methods (1)

```
class Foo {
public:
    Foo();
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    }
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   member function implemented in class declaration
   this is allowed — even though implementation in many .cpp files
    . . .
};
```

inline methods (1)

```
class Foo {
public:
    Foo();
    int getValue() const {
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    }
    void setValue(int newValue) {
        value = newValue;
         only advisible for very short methods
         one copy of method for each C++ file that uses class
    . . .
};
```

inline methods (2)

```
class Foo {
public:
    Foo();
    int getValue() const;
private:
    int value;
    . . .
inline int Foo::getValue() const {
    return value;
```

inline methods (2)

```
class Foo {
public:
    Foo();
    int getValue() const;
private:
    int value;
    return inline keyword — same as putting in class itself
           still only advisible for short methods
           must be included by every .cpp that uses class
```

inline methods (2)

```
class Foo {
public:
    Foo();
    int getValue() const;
private:
    int value;
    . . .
inline int Foo::getValue() const {
    return value;
```

C++ local variables (1)

```
Rational getTwoThirds() {
    Rational twoThirds(2, 3);
    return twoThirds;
}
```

two thirds is copied when function returns

C++ local variables (2)

```
HugeValue computeHugeInteger() {
    HugeValue theHugeNumber = ...;
    return theHugeNumber;
}
copy huge number — very inefficiect?
```

C++: pointer to local variables?

Rational *brokenGetTwoThirds() {

```
Rational twoThirds(2, 3);
return &twoThirds; // ERROR
}
twoThirds no longer exists when function returns
address likely to be reused for something else
```

new in C++

```
Rational *getTwoThirds() {
    Rational *twoThirdsPointer = new Rational(2, 3);
    return twoThirdsPointer;
HugeValue *computeHugeNumber() {
    HugeValue *theHugeNumber = new HugeValue;
    ... /* set *theHugeNumber */ ...
    return theHugeNumber;
does not copy — returns a pointer
new allocates space somewhere
```

need for delete (1)

```
Rational *getTwoThirds() {
    Rational *twoThirdsPointer;
    twoThirdsPointer = new Rational(2, 3);
    return twoThirdsPointer;
}

void showTwoThirds() {
    Rational *twoThirdsPointer = getTwoThirds();
    twoThirdsPointer->print();
}
```

what happens to where twoThirdsPointer points?

need for delete (1)

```
Rational *getTwoThirds() {
    Rational *twoThirdsPointer;
    twoThirdsPointer = new Rational(2, 3);
    return twoThirdsPointer;
void showTwoThirds() {
    Rational *twoThirdsPointer = getTwoThirds();
    twoThirdsPointer->print();
what happens to where twoThirdsPointer points?
memory remains used and allocated
"memory leak"
```

need for delete (2)

```
Rational *getTwoThirds() {
    Rational *twoThirdsPointer = new Rational(2, 3);
    return twoThirdsPointer;
void showTwoThirds() {
    Rational *twoThirdsPointer = getTwoThirds();
    twoThirdsPointer->print();
int main() { showTwoThirds(); aThing(); return 0; }
      local variable
                           allocated with new
twoThirdsPointer |
                        → twoThirds
```

need for delete (2)

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                        ─├ twoThirds
```

fixed example

```
Rational *getTwoThirds() {
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}

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    delete twoThirdsPointer;
    // accessing twoThirdsPointer is now an ERROR
}
```

fixed example

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    return twoThirdsPointer;
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    Rational *twoThirdsPointer = getTwoThirds();
    twoThirdsPointer->print();
    delete twoThirdsPointer;
    // accessing twoThirdsPointer is now an ERROR
an error — but may or may not crash (!)
whatever ends up at same address
```

C++: fixed-sized arrays

```
int arrayOfTenValues[10];
...
int fourthValue = arrayOfTenValues[3];
arrayOfTenValues[5] = newSixthValue;
```

C++: variable sized arrays?

```
int n;
cout << "Enter_size:_";</pre>
cin >> n;
int brokenArrayOfNValues[n];
not part of C++
(but some compilers allow an extension)
$ clang++ -Wall -pedantic -c test.cpp
test.cpp:3:29: warning: variable length arrays are a C99 featu
    int brokenArrayOfNValues[n];
```

C++: dynamic arrays (1)

```
int n;
cout << "Enter_size:_";</pre>
cin >> n;
// use the user's input to create an array of int
int * ages = new int [n];
address
                   value
10000
                   90000
                               ages
                   •••
90000
                               ages[0]
                               ages[1]
90004
90008
                               ages[2]
                   •••
90000+(n-1)\times4
                               ages[n-1]
```

C++: dynamic arrays (1)

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cin >> n;
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                   90000
                               ages
                   •••
90000
                               ages[0]
                               ages[1]
90004
90008
                               ages[2]
                   •••
90000+(n-1)\times4
                               ages[n-1]
```

C++: dynamic arrays (2)

```
int * ages = new int [n];
... /* use ages[i] */ ...
delete[] ages;

must explicitly free memory ...
...otherwise, remains allocated (until program exits)
"memory leak"
```

C++: dynamic arrays (2)

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C++: dynamic arrays (3)

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new/delete

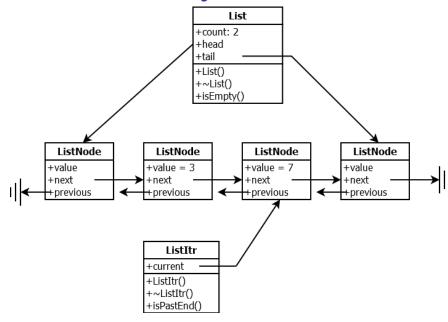
new/delete

delete[] form needed for new with arrays
idea: size information must be stored for arrays,
but single values

new/delete

new TYPE(arg1, arg2) — calls constructor built-in constructors for primitive types takes value to copy

next lab: doubly-linked list



```
class ListNode {
public:
    ListNode();
                                // Constructor
private:
    int value;
    ListNode *next, *previous;
    friend class List;
    friend class ListItr;
};
```

```
class ListNode {
public:
     ListNode();
                                          // Constructor
private:
     int value;
     ListNode *next, *previous;
     friend c * binds to name — declares two pointers;
friend c (why I write * next to names)
};
```

```
class ListNode {
public:
    ListNode();
                                // Constructor
                  the class List can access
private:
                  private members of ListNode
    int value;
    ListNode *next, previous,
    friend class List;
    friend class ListItr;
```

```
class ListNode {
public:
    ListNode();
                                // Constructor
                  the class ListItr can access
private:
                  private members of ListNode
    int value;
    ListNode *next, previous,
    friend class List;
    friend class ListItr;
```

```
class Foo {
public:
  Foo();
private:
  ListNode *head;
Foo::Foo() {
  ListNode *head = new ListNode; // BROKEN!
what's wrong with this?
```

```
Foo object
class Foo {
public:
                                   head
  Foo();
private:
  ListNode *head;
                               local variables
                                   head
Foo::Foo() {
  ListNode *head = new ListNode; // BROKEN!
what's wrong with this?
```

```
ListNode
                                 Foo object
class Foo {
                                                  next
public:
                                   head
                                                  prev
  Foo();
private:
  ListNode *head;
                                local variables
};
                                   head
Foo::Foo() {
  ListNode *head = new ListNode; // BROKEN!
what's wrong with this?
```

```
class Foo {
public:
  Foo();
private:
  ListNode *head;
};
Foo::Foo() {
  ListNode temp;
  head = &temp;
what's wrong with this?
```

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```
Foo object
class Foo {
public:
                                    head
  Foo();
private:
  ListNode *head;
                               local variables
                                   temp:
Foo::Foo() {
                                    next
  ListNode temp;
                                    prev
  head = &temp;
```

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```
Foo object
class Foo {
public:
                                    head
  Foo();
private:
  ListNode *head;
                               local variables
                                   temp:
};
Foo::Foo() {
                                    next
  ListNode temp;
                                    prev
  head = &temp;
what's wrong with this?
```

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what's wrong with this?

```
Foo object
class Foo {
public:
                                    head
  Foo();
private:
  ListNode *head;
                                local variables
                                   temp:
};
Foo::Foo() {
                                    next
  ListNode temp;
                                    prev
  head = &temp;
```

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```
class Foo { long x, y; };
int main() {
    cout << "sizeof(long):_" << sizeof(long) << endl;</pre>
    cout << "sizeof(Foo):_" << sizeof(Foo) << endl;
    Foo *quux = new Foo;
    Foo *bar = new Foo;
    long diff = ((long)bar)-((long)quux);
    cout << "First_foo:_" << bar << endl;</pre>
    cout << "Second_foo:_" << quux << endl;</pre>
    cout << "Difference:_" << diff << endl;</pre>
    delete quux; delete bar;
    return 0;
```

```
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    cout << "sizeof(Foo):_" << sizeof(Foo) << endl;
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    Foo *bar = new Foo;
    long diff = ((long)bar)-((long)quux);
    cout << "First_foo:_" << bar << endl;</pre>
    cout << "Second_foo:_" << quux << endl;</pre>
    cout << "Difference:_" << diff << endl;</pre>
    delete quux; delete bar;
    return 0;
```

sizeof operator — how many bytes is X?

```
class Foo { long x, y; };
int main() {
    cout << "sizeof(long):_" << sizeof(long) << endl;</pre>
    cout << "sizeof(Foo):_" << sizeof(Foo) << endl;
    Foo *quux = new Foo;
    Foo *bar = new Foo;
    long diff = ((long)bar)-((long)quux);
    cout << "First_foo:_" << bar << endl;</pre>
    cout << "Second_foo:_" << quux << endl;</pre>
    cout << "Difference:_" << diff << endl;</pre>
    delete quux; delete bar;
    return 0;
```

convert pointers to integers, subtract = distance in memory

```
class Foo { long x, y; };
int main() {
    cout << "sizeof(long):_" << sizeof(long) << endl;</pre>
    cout << "sizeof(Foo):_" << sizeof(Foo) << endl;
    Foo *quux = new Foo;
    Foo *bar = new Foo;
    long diff = ((long)bar)-((long)quux);
    cout << "First_foo:_" << bar << endl;</pre>
    cout << "Second_foo:_" << quux << endl;</pre>
    cout << "Difference:_" << diff << endl;</pre>
    delete quux; delete bar;
    return 0;
```

prints out address

memory.cpp output

```
One (of many) possible output:
sizeof(long): 8
sizeof(Foo): 16
1st Foo: 0x1ec4030
2nd Foo: 0x1ec4050
Difference: 32
32 bytes apart? — 16 extra bytes?
implementation of new storing metadata
    need extra space somewhere to track size, etc.
```

C++ references

```
int x, y;
int &referenceToX = x;
x = 42; y = 100;
cout << referenceToX << "_";  // output: 42
referenceToX = y;  // sets x
cout << referenceToX << "_";  // output: 100
y = 99;
cout << x << "_" << y;  // output: 100 99</pre>
```

references

'alternate name' for a value

like pointers that are automatically dereferenced stored like pointers! same issues with values that stop existing

can only bind references at initialization

swap with references

```
void swapWithPointers(int *x, int *y) {
    int temp = *y;
    *y = *x;
    *x = temp;
void swapWithReferences(int &x, int &y) {
    int temp = y;
    y = x;
    x = temp;
```

using swap

```
int main(void) {
    int x = 42, y = 100;
    swapWithPointers(&x, &y);
    cout << x << "_" << y << endl;
        // output: 100 42
    x = 42; y = 100;
    swapWithReferences(x, y);
    cout << x << "_" << y << endl;
        // output: 100 42
    return 0;
```

references to classes

```
class Square {
public:
    int sideLength;
};
Square *ptr = ...;
doSomethingWith(ptr->sideLength);
doSomethingWith((*ptr).sideLength);
Square &ref = ...;
doSomwthingWith(ref.sideLength);
```

* and &

```
int *p = q — p is a pointer to int
initially contains address q
&y — pointer to y
int *p = &y; cout << *p — outputs y's value
int *p; p = &y; cout << *p — outputs y's value
int &r = y — \frac{r}{bound} is a reference to int bound to y
int &r = y; cout << r — outputs y's value
```

reminder: re arrow syntax

```
Rational r; r.num = 4;
Rational *p = new Rational;
(*p).num = 4;
(*p).print();
p->num = 4; // "follow the pointer"
p->print();
Rational &ref = r;
ref.num = 4;
ref.print();
```

pass-by-value (1)

```
class IntWrapper { public: int value; };
void foo(IntWrapper arg) {
    arg.value = 42;
int main(void) {
    IntWrapper iw;
    iw.value = 100;
    foo(iw);
    cout << iw.value;</pre>
                    A: 42 C: crashes/doesn't compile
what is the output?
                    B: 100 D: none of the above
```

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    IntWrapper iw;
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    foo(iw);
    cout << iw.value;</pre>
                    A: 42 C: crashes/doesn't compile
what is the output?
                    R: 100 D: none of the above
```

pass-by-value (2)

```
class IntWrapper { public: int value; };
void foo(IntWrapper & arg) {
    arg.value = 42;
int main(void) {
    IntWrapper iw;
    iw.value = 100;
    foo(iw);
                                 arg bound to iw
    cout << iw.value;</pre>
                    A: 42 C: crashes/doesn't compile
what is the output?
```

B: 100 D: none of the above

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pass-by-value (2)

```
class IntWrapper { public: int value; };
void foo(IntWrapper & arg) {
    arg.value = 42;
int main(void) {
    IntWrapper iw;
    iw.value = 100;
    foo(iw);
                                 arg bound to iw
    cout << iw.value;</pre>
```

what is the output?

A: 42 C: crashes/doesn't compile
B: 100 D: none of the above

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pass-by-value (3)

```
class IntWrapper { public: int value; };
void foo(IntWrapper *arg) {
    arg.value = 42;
int main(void) {
    IntWrapper iw;
    iw.value = 100;
    foo(&iw);
    cout << iw.value;</pre>
                    A: 42 : C: crashes/doesn't compile
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```

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                   R: 100 D: none of the above
```

pointers don't have member variables

pass-by-value (4)

```
class IntWrapper { public: int value; };
void foo(IntWrapper *arg) {
    arg->value = 42; // same as: (*arg).value = 42;
int main(void) {
    IntWrapper iw;
    iw.value = 100;
    foo(&iw);
    cout << iw.value;</pre>
                   A: 42 C: crashes/doesn't compile
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```

pass-by-value (4)

```
class IntWrapper { public: int value; };
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int main(void) {
    IntWrapper iw;
    iw.value = 100;
    foo(&iw);
    cout << iw.value;</pre>
                   A: 42 C: crashes/doesn't compile
what is the output?
                   B: 100 D: none of the above
```

pass-by-value (4)

```
class IntWrapper { public: int value; };
void foo(IntWrapper *arg) {
    arg->value = 42; // same as: (*arg).value = 42;
int main(void) {
    IntWrapper iw;
    iw.value = 100;
    foo(&iw);
    cout << iw.value;</pre>
                    A: 42 C: crashes/doesn't compile
what is the output?
                    B: 100 D: none of the above
pointer's value (address) is copied
```

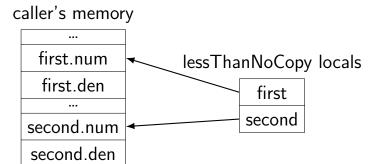
avoiding copying

avoiding copying

first.num
first.den
second.num
second.den

lessThanCopy locals
first.num
first.den
second.num
second.den

avoiding copying



```
// no copy, modifies original
void foo(Rational& value) {
    value = Rational(4, 3);
// makes copy, modifies copy
void fooBroken1(Rational value) {
    value = Rational(4, 3); // BROKEN
// makes const(ant) copy, error modifying
void fooBroken2(const Rational value) {
    value = Rational(4, 3); // ERROR
// no copy, error modifying
void fooBroken3(const Rational& value) {
    value = Rational(4, 3); // ERROR
```

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    value = Rational(4, 3); // ERROR
// no copy, error modifying
void fooBroken3(const Rational& value) {
    value = Rational(4, 3); // ERROR
```

return-by-reference

```
int counter; // global variable
int &get_counter_reference() {
    return counter;
}
...
get_counter_reference() = 42;
cout << get counter_reference() << endl; // output: 42</pre>
```

return-by-reference — caution

```
int &get_counter_reference() {
    int counter = 0;
    return counter; // ERROR
}
...
get_counter_reference() = 42;
    // ERROR -- writing unallocated object
```

return-by-reference — caution

```
int &get_counter_reference() {
    int counter = 0;
    return counter; // ERROR
get_counter_reference() = 42;
    // ERROR -- writing unallocated object
same problem as:
int &get counter pointer() {
    int counter = 0;
    return &counter; // ERROR
*get_counter_pointer() = 42;
    // ERROR -- writing unallocated object
```

reference member variables

```
class Foo {
public:
    Foo(int &x) : refToX(x) {}
    int &refToX;
};
  int value = 42;
  Foo foo(value);
  foo.refToX = 100;
  cout << value << endl; // output: 100</pre>
```

reference member variables

```
class Foo {
public:
    Foo(int &x) : refToX(x) {}
    int &refToX;
};
  int value = 42;
  Foo foo(value);
  foo.refToX = 100;
  cout << value << endl; // output: 100</pre>
```

Should you ever do this? Almost certainly not.

implicit methods

```
class Foo {};
Foo has the following methods:
    Foo() — default constructor
    Foo(const Foo&) — copy constructor
    ~Foo() — destructor
    Foo &operator=(const Foo&) — assignment operator
created by compiler, but you can override
```

default constructor/destructor (1)

```
class Foo { public: Foo(); ~Foo(); };
Foo::Foo() { cout << "Foo::Foo()" << endl; }
Foo::~Foo() { cout << "Foo::~Foo()" << endl; }
int main() {
    Foo local:
                                 output:
                                Foo::Foo()
    cout << "(1)\n";
                                (1)
    Foo *ptr = new Foo;
    cout << "(2)\n";
                                Foo::Foo()
    delete ptr;
                                Foo::~Foo()
    cout << "(3)\n";
                                (3)
    return 0;
                                Foo::~Foo()
```

default constructor/destructor (2)

```
class Foo { public: Foo(); ~Foo(); };
Foo::Foo() { cout << "Foo::Foo()" << endl; }
Foo::~Foo() { cout << "Foo::~Foo()" << endl; }
int main() {
    Foo *foos = new Foo[3];
                                output:
                                Foo::Foo()
    cout << "(1)\n";
                                Foo::Foo()
    delete[] foo;
};
                                Foo::Foo()
                                Foo::~Foo()
                                Foo::~Foo()
                                Foo::~Foo()
```

why destructors (1)

```
class DynamicArray {
     ...
     ~DynamicArray();
private:
     int *pointer; // allocated with new int[...]
};
...
DynamicArray::~DynamicArray() {
     delete[] pointer;
}
```

why destructors (2)

```
close files, network connections, ...
#include <fstream>
void writeSomeText() {
    std::ofstream out("output.txt");
    out << "This_is_some_text\n";
    // ofstream::~ofstream() called here
    // no explicit close needed!
}</pre>
```

copy constructors, operator= (1)

```
Foo a, b; // invokes Foo::Foo() twice
// invokes Foo::Foo(const Foo&)
Foo copy1(a);
// invokes Foo::Foo(const Foo&)
Foo copy2 = a;
// invokes Foo::operator=(const Foo&);
b = a;
// invokes Foo::operator=(const Foo&);
b.operator=(a);
```

default implementations (1)

```
// equivalent to default implementation:
Rational::Rational(const Rational &other)
    : den(other.den), num(other.num) {
// equivalent to default implementation:
Rational &Rational::operator=(
        const Rational &other) {
    // copy all members
    den = other.den;
    num = other.num;
    // return reference to this so
    // foo = bar = baz
   // works
    return *this;
```

default implementations (2)

```
class Foo { public: Foo(); ~Foo(); };
Foo::Foo() { cout << "Foo::Foo()" << endl; }
Foo::~Foo() { cout << "Foo::~Foo()" << endl; }
class Bar { public: Foo x; };
int main() {
                                   output:
    Bar local:
                                   Foo::Foo()
    cout << "(1)\n";
                                   (1)
    Bar *ptr = new Bar;
                                   Foo::Foo()
    cout << "(2)\n";
                                   (2)
    delete ptr;
                                   Foo::~Foo()
    cout << "(3)\n";
                                   (3)
    return 0;
                                   Foo::~Foo()
};
```

default implementations (3)

```
class Foo { public: Foo(); ~Foo(); };
Foo::Foo() { cout << "Foo::Foo()" << endl; }
Foo::~Foo() { cout << "Foo::~Foo()" << endl; }
class Bar { public: Bar(); ~Bar(); Foo x; };
Bar::Bar() {} Bar::~Bar() {}
                                   output:
int main() {
                                   Foo::Foo()
    Bar local:
                                   (1)
    cout << "(1)\n";
                                   Foo::Foo()
    Bar *ptr = new Bar;
                                   (2)
    cout << "(2)\n";
                                   Foo::~Foo()
    delete ptr;
                                   (3)
    cout << "(3)\n";
                                   Foo::~Foo()
    return 0;
};
```

default implementations (3)

```
class Foo { public: Foo(); ~Foo(); };
Foo::Foo() { cout << "Foo::Foo()" << endl; }
Foo::~Foo() { cout << "Foo::~Foo()" << endl; }
class Bar { public: Bar(); ~Bar(); Foo x; };
Bar::Bar() {} Bar::~Bar() {}
                                   output:
int main() {
                                   Foo::Foo()
    Bar local:
                                   (1)
    cout << "(1)\n";
                                   Foo::Foo()
    Bar *ptr = new Bar;
                                   (2)
    cout << "(2)\n";
                                   Foo::~Foo()
    delete ptr;
                                   (3)
    cout << "(3)\n";
                                   Foo::~Foo()
    return 0;
};
```

missing defaults?

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

class Foo {
public:
    Foo(int x) { cout << "x_=_" << x << endl; }
};

int main(void) {
    Foo x;
}</pre>
```

```
example.cpp:10:9: error: no matching constructor for initialization of 'Foo'
Foo x;
....
```

rule: no implicit default constructor if there are others can still explicitly write Foo() {}

operator=

```
class Foo { public:
    Foo& operator=(const Foo& other);
}
Foo & Foo::operator=(const Foo& other) {
    cout << "called_Foo::operator=";
    return *this;
}
int main() {
    Foo x, y;
    x = y; // output: called Foo::operator=
}</pre>
```

overrided operators can do whatever

```
class Bar {};
class Foo { public:
    Foo();
    Foo& operator=(const Bar& other);
    int count;
Foo::Foo() : count(0) {}
Foo & Foo::operator=(const Bar& other) {
    cout << "count=" << ++count;
    return *this;
int main() {
    Foo x;
    x = Bar();
        // output count=1
    x = Bar();
        // output count=2
```

more operator overriding (1)

```
// ostream &ostream::operator<<(const char*)</pre>
cout << "Foo" << endl:
    // istream &istream::operator>>(int&)
cin >> number;
#include <string>
using std::string;
   // string::string(const char*)
string x = "This_is_the_first_part.";
string y = "_And_this_is_the_second_part.";
    // string string::operator+(const string&) const
string y = x + z;
    // string &string::operator+=(const char*)
y += "_And_this_is_the_third_part.";
```

more operator overloading (2)

```
class Rational {
    Rational operator*(const Rational& other)
        const;
    Rational operator+(const Rational& other)
        const;
Rational x(2, 4), y(4, 5);
Rational z = x * y + y;
```

operator overloading with methods

```
int x = 42;
cout << "The_value_is:_" << x << endl;</pre>
// same as:
cout.operator<<("The_value_is:_").operator<<(x).operator<<(endl);</pre>
/* approximate code ... */
class ostream {
    ostream &operator<(int value);</pre>
};
ostream &ostream::operator<<(int value) {</pre>
    return *this;
```

operator overloading with functions

```
#include <string>
using std::cout; using std::string; using std::endl;
string x = ...; // like Java String class
cout << x << x << endl;
// same as:
operator<<((operator<<((cout, x), x).operator<<((endl);</pre>
ostream& operator<<(ostream& out, const string &s) {
    return out;
```

C++ combined example

test class to demo constructors, operator=, etc.

single file (slides page in git) with all examples for test class: cpptest.cpp

this lecture: in independent pieces

C++ combined example (.h)

```
// test.h:
class test {
    static int idcount;
    const int id;
    int value;
  public:
    test();
    test(int v);
    test(const test& x);
    ~test();
    test& operator=(const test& other);
    friend ostream& operator<<(ostream& out,</pre>
                                 const test& f);
};
```

C++ combined example (.h)

```
// test.h:
class test {
    static int idcount;
    const int id;
    int value;
  public:
    test();
                          const — must be set in constructor
    test(int v);
    test(const test& x);
    ~test();
    test& operator=(const test& other);
    friend ostream& operator<<(ostream& out,</pre>
                                 const test& f);
};
```

C++ combined example (.h)

```
// test.h:
class test {
    static int idcount;
    const int id;
    int value;
  public:
                           friend function for
    test();
                           outputting to an ostream (like cout)
    test(int v);
    test(const test& x);
    ~test();
    test& operator=(const test& other);
    friend ostream& operator<<(ostream& out,
                                 const test& f);
};
```

```
// test.cpp:
int test::idcount = 0;
ostream & operator << (ostream & out, const test & f) {
  out << "test[id=" << f.id << ",v="
      << f.value << "]@" << &f;
  return out;
test::test(const test& x) : id(x.id), value(x.value) {
  cout << "calling_test(" << x <<");_object_created_is_" << *this</pre>
       << endl;
test &test::operator=(const test &other) {
  cout << "calling_" << *this</pre>
```

<< ".operator=(" << other << ")" << endl;

cout << "calling_" << *this</pre>

return *this;

```
// test.cpp:
int test::idcount = 0;
ostream & operator << (ostream & out, const test & f) {
  out << "test[id=" << f.id << ",v="
      << f.value << "]@" << &f;
  return out;
                   class test { static int idcount; ... }
test::test(const test& x) : id(x.id), value(x.value) {
  cout << "calling_test(" << x <<");_object_created_is_" << *this</pre>
       << endl;
test &test::operator=(const test &other) {
```

<< ".operator=(" << other << ")" << endl;

```
// test.cpp:
int test::idcount = 0;
ostream & operator << (ostream & out, const test & f) {
  out << "test[id=" << f.id << ",v="
       << f.value << "]@" << &f:
                               const, so must be on initialization list
  return out;
test::test(const test& x) : id(x.id), value(x.value) {
  cout << "calling_test(" << x <<");_object_created_is_" << *this</pre>
        << endl;
test &test::operator=(const test &other) {
  cout << "calling_" << *this</pre>
```

<< ".operator=(" << other << ")" << endl;

```
// test.cpp:
int test::idcount = 0;
ostream & operator << (ostream & out, const test & f) {
  out << "test[id=" << f.id << ",v="
      << f.value << "]@" << &f;
  return out;
                  called like assignment doesn't actually assign!
test::test(const test& x) : id(x.id), value(x.value) {
  cout << "calling_test(" << x <<");_object_created_is_" << *this</pre>
       << endl;
test &test::operator=(const test &other) {
  cout << "calling_" << *this
```

<< ".operator=(" << other << ")" << endl;

```
// test.cpp:
int test::idcount = 0;
ostream & operator << (ostream & out, const test & f) {
  out << "test[id=" << f.id << ",v="
      << f.value << "]@" << &f;
  return out;
                        return out so chains of << work
test::test(const test& x) : id(x.id), value(x.value) {
  cout << "calling_test(" << x <<");_object_created_is_" << *this</pre>
       << endl;
test &test::operator=(const test &other) {
  cout << "calling_" << *this</pre>
```

<< ".operator=(" << other << ")" << endl;

trivial test object (1)

```
int main() {
    cout << "about_to_create_aa" << endl;
    test aa;
    cout << "aa_is:_" << aa << endl;
    return 0;
}

about to create aa
calling test(); object created is test[id=0,v=0]@0x7ffc82ba9440
aa is: test[id=0,v=0]@0x7ffc82ba9440
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=0]@0x7ffc82ba9440</pre>
```

trivial test object (1)

```
int main() {
    cout << "about_to_create_aa" << endl;
    test aa;
    cout << "aa_is:_" << aa << endl;
    return 0;
}

about to create aa
calling test(); object created is test[id=0,v=0]@0x7ffc82ba9440
aa is: test[id=0,v=0]@0x7ffc82ba9440
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=0]@0x7ffc82ba9440</pre>
```

trivial test object (1)

```
int main() {
    cout << "about_to_create_aa" << endl;
    test aa;
    cout << "aa_is:_" << aa << endl;
    return 0;
}

about to create aa
calling test(); object created is test[id=0,v=0]@0x7ffc82ba9440
aa is: test[id=0,v=0]@0x7ffc82ba9440
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=0]@0x7ffc82ba9440</pre>
```

trivial test object (2)

```
int main() {
    cout << "about_to_create_b" << endl;
    test b(1);
    cout << "b_is:_" << b << endl;
    return 0;
}

about to create b
calling test(1); object created is test[id=0,v=1]@0x7fffb1438590
b is: test[id=0,v=1]@0x7fffb1438590
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=1]@0x7fffb1438590</pre>
```

trivial test object (2)

```
int main() {
    cout << "about_to_create_b" << endl;
    test b(1);
    cout << "b_is:_" << b << endl;
    return 0;
}
about to create b
calling test(1); object created is test[id=0,v=1]@0x7fffb1438590
b is: test[id=0,v=1]@0x7fffb1438590
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=1]@0x7fffb1438590</pre>
```

trivial test object (2)

```
int main() {
    cout << "about_to_create_b" << endl;
    test b(1);
    cout << "b_is:_" << b << endl;
    return 0;
}

about to create b
calling test(1); object created is test[id=0,v=1]@0x7fffb1438590
b is: test[id=0,v=1]@0x7fffb1438590
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=1]@0x7fffb1438590</pre>
```

gotcha: Object foo() makes no Object

```
int main() {
    cout << "before_test_a()" << endl;
    test a();
    cout << "a_is:_" << a << endl;
    return 0;
}
before test a()</pre>
```

a is: 1

Object foo(): warnings

```
$ clang++ -Wall -pedantic -o testgotcha \
                 testgotcha.cpp test.cpp
testgotcha.cpp:7:11: warning: empty parentheses
                    interpreted as a function
                    declaration [-Wvexing-parse]
    test a();
testgotcha.cpp:7:11: note: remove parentheses to
                     declare a variable
    test a();
          ۸ ~
testgotcha.cpp:8:25: warning: address of function 'a'
                     will always evaluate to 'true'
                     [-Wpointer-bool-conversion]
    cout << "a is: " << a << endl;
```

declaring function inside a function???

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
// instead of declaring here...
int main() {
    // legal to declare here, but...
    // you probably should NEVER do this
    int foo(int x);
    cout << foo(21) << endl;
    // output: 42
    return 0;
int foo(int x) { return x * 2; }
```

new

```
int main() {
    test *c = new test(2);
    cout << "created_*c:_" << *c << endl;
    test *d = new test;
    cout << "created_*d:_" << *d << endl;
    return 0;
}

calling test(2); object created is test[id=0,v=2]@0x144dc20
created *c: test[id=0,v=2]@0x144dc20
calling test(); object created is test[id=1,v=0]@0x144e050
created *d: test[id=1,v=0]@0x144e050</pre>
```

new

```
test *c = new test(2);
cout << "created_*c:_" << *c << endl;
test *d = new test;
cout << "created_*d:_" << *d << endl;
return 0;
}

calling test(2); object created is test[id=0,v=2]@0x144dc20
created *c: test[id=0,v=2]@0x144dc20
calling test(); object created is test[id=1,v=0]@0x144e050
created *d: test[id=1,v=0]@0x144e050</pre>
```

new + delete

```
int main() {
    test *c = new test(2);
    test *d = new test;
    delete c;
    return 0;
}
```

```
calling test(2); object created is test[id=0,v=2]@0xe91c20
calling test(); object created is test[id=1,v=0]@0xe92050
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=2]@0xe91c20
```

assignment

```
test b(1);
    test aa;
    cout << "b_is:_" << b << endl;
    cout << "aa_is:_" << aa << endl;</pre>
    aa = b;
    cout << "aa_is:_" << aa << endl;
    return 0;
calling test(1); object created is test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc153722a0
calling test(); object created is test[id=1,v=0]@0x7ffc15372298
b is: test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc153722a0
aa is: test[id=1,v=0]@0x7ffc15372298
calling operator=(test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc153722a0)
aa is: test[id=1,v=0]@0x7ffc15372298
calling \simtest() on test[id=1,v=0]@0x7ffc15372298
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc153722a0
```

assignment

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cout << "b_is:_" << b << endl;
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calling test(1); object created is test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc153722a0
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calling \simtest() on test[id=1,v=0]@0x7ffc15372298
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```

assignment

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    cout << "aa_is:_" << aa << endl;
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calling \simtest() on test[id=1,v=0]@0x7ffc15372298
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc153722a0
```

copy-construction

```
int main() {
    test b(1);
    test aa = b;
    cout << "b_is:_" << b << endl;
    cout << "aa_is:_" << aa << endl;</pre>
    return 0;
calling test(1); object created is test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b630
calling test(test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b630);
    object created is test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b628
b is: test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b630
aa is: test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b628
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b628
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b630
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int main() {
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    object created is test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b628
b is: test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b630
aa is: test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b628
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b628
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=1]@0x7ffc3f61b630
```

```
test bar(test param) {
  return test(10);
int main() {
  test *c = new test(2); // oops: never deleted
  cout << "about_to_call_bar" << endl;</pre>
  test e = bar(*c);
  cout << "done_calling_bar" << endl;</pre>
calling test(2); object created is test[id=0,v=2]@0x17b1c20
about to call bar
calling test(test[id=0,v=2]@0x17b1c20); object created is test[id=0
calling test(10); object created is test[id=1,v=10]@0x7ffcea937530
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=2]@0x7ffcea937528
done calling bar
calling ~test() on test[id=1,v=10]@0x7ffcea937530
```

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calling test(10); object created is test[id=1,v=10]@0x7ffcea937530
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=2]@0x7ffcea937528
done calling bar
calling ~test() on test[id=1,v=10]@0x7ffcea937530
```

```
test bar(test param) {
  return test(10);
int main() {
  test *c = new test(2); // oops: never deleted
  cout << "about test e = bar(* "return value optimization" or "copy elision":
  cout << "done_ compiler omitted copy constructor call for e
                  (created return value directly inside e)
calling test(2); object created is test[id=0,v=2]@0x17b1c20
about to call bar
calling test(test[id=0,v=2]@0x17b1c20); object created is test[id=0
calling test(10); object created is test[id=1,v=10]@0x7ffcea937530
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=2]@0x7ffcea937528
done calling bar
calling ~test() on test[id=1,v=10]@0x7ffcea937530
```

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  test e = bar(*c); | very different addresses for local vars
  cout << "done_call
                     versus new'd objects
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about to call bar
calling test(test[id=0,v=2]@0x17b1c20); object created is test[id=0
calling test(10); object created is test[id=1,v=10]@0x7ffcea937530
calling ~test() on test[id=0,v=2]@0x7ffcea937528
done calling bar
```

calling ~test() on test[id=1,v=10]@0x7ffcea937530

some remaining C++ topics

```
containers in the C++ standard library
    equivalent to java.util.*
```

templates equivalent to Java's *generics*

the string class

backup slides

argument-dependent lookup

```
given foo(x, y, z) where x is an XNamespace:: X, etc.
C++ looks for foo in: (not necessairily in this order)
    the current namespace
    the global namespace
    XNamespace
    YNamespace
    ZNamespace
    anything from using directives
x + y is a like operator+(x, y) for this purpose
```