

2021-09-26 -- Scratchpad of CSE213 (Sec-1)

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Overhauling Required concepts in C++:  
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a) Reviewing "function"

- Jargon:
  - function call
  - function prototype
  - function definition
- pass-by-value
  - int doSome(int x){....}
- pass-by-reference
  - int doSome(int& x){....}
- pass-by-address
  - int doSome(int\* ptr){....}
- return-by-value
  - int doSome(){....}
- return-by-reference
  - int& doSome(){....}
- function vs method

In this course:

"function"	--> Global function
"method"	--> Member function of struct/class

b) Difference between struct and class

c) function and method chaining

d) function and method overloading

e) operator overloading

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int      int      int      int      --> array can be an option

int      string   float                  --> struct/class  
id      name      cgpa

- if your purpose is merely to form a heterogeneous collection, they  
you can use either struct/class

- But, if you want to exploit full potential of Object Orientation,

class is the defacto choice

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#### a) Reviewing "function"

- Jargon:

- function call

- function will be called by its name and TYPICALLY the call terminates with semi-colon

- parametr will be passed (if any) without type

```
int main(){
    int x, y=20; cin>>x; //10
    doSome(x);           //function call
    return 0;
}
```

- function prototype

- It establishes the identity of the function

- Also ends with semi-colon

- Parameter names are optional

```
returnType fnName(paraType1, paraType2, paraType3);
```

```
void
```

```
non-void
```

```
int main(){
    int x, y=20; cin>>x; //10
    doSome(x);           //function call
    return 0;
}
```

- function definition

- Its the body of the function

- A block "{ }" of code is associated with the definition

```
returnType fnName(paraType1 paraName1, paraType2
paraName2, paraType3 paraName3){
```

```
}
```

- pass-by-value

```
int doSome(int x){....}
```

- pass-by-reference

```
int doSome(int& x){....}
```

- pass-by-address

```
int doSome(int* ptr){....}
```

- return-by-value

```
int doSome(){....}
```

- return-by-reference

```
int& doSome(){....}
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1) return type void, with zero parameter

Ex:

2) return type void, with one parameter

```
void printMessage(String msg){ //definition
    cout<<msg<<endl;
}
```

```
int main(){
    printMessage("Success");
    doSome();          //doSome is called, and main is the
caller
    return 0;
}
```

3) return type void, with >1 parameters

```
int main(){
    int arr[] = {11,23,44,1,56};
    sort(arr,5);
    return 0;
}
```

4) return type nonVoid, with zero parameter

5) return type nonVoid, with one parameter

6) return type nonVoid, with >1 parameters

```
int globalArr[10];
```

```
void doSome(){.... int w;...}
int getSum(int a, int b){
    doSome();
    return a+b;
}
```

```

    }
    int getSumOfArray(int a[], int sz){
        int i,sum=0;
        for(i=0;i<sz;i++) sum += a[i];
        return sum;
    }

    int main(){
        int p=10, q=20,, result;
        int arr[] = {11,23,44,1,56};
        result = getSum(p,q);
        result = getSumOfArray(arr,5);
        return 0;
    }

```

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d) function and method overloading:

- if we have multiple definitions of a function, then when a call is encountered, it is important for the compiler to be able to decide which definition to execute for that specific call (binding definition to a call).
- To make this happen, the signature of ALL definitions must be unique
- signature is function with parameter-list without considering return type

```

    int getSum(int a, int b){          //version-1
        return a+b;
    }
    int getSum(int a[], int sz){      //version-2
        int i,sum=0;
        for(i=0;i<sz;i++) sum += a[i];
        return sum;
    }

    int main(){
        int p=10, q=20,, result;
        int arr[] = {11,23,44,1,56};
        result = getSum(p,q);
        result = getSum(arr,5);
        return 0;
    }

```