

Operator Overloading - 2

→ Lets try overload some other operators as well "++"

++ → Pre-increment
 → Post-increment

— Pre-increment

int i = 5; $\boxed{5} \rightarrow 6$
 ++i;
cout << i; → 6

Exactly, this way we need to overload for our fraction class as well.

$\boxed{\begin{matrix} N=10 \\ D=2 \end{matrix}}$ ++f₁
 f₁

$$\frac{10}{2} + 1 = \frac{10+2}{2} = \left\{ \frac{N+D}{D} \right\}$$

→ f₃ = f₁ ⊕ f₂

binary operators, operators which need two operands (f₁, f₂) to work
in such case,

$\underbrace{f_1}_{\text{this}} + \underbrace{f_2}_{\text{argument}}$

→ ++f₁;

← unary operators, operators which need one operand
 ++f₁;
 ↑
 this

Lets Code it →

```
Void operator++() {  
    numerator = numerator + Denominator;  $\left(\frac{N+D}{D}\right)$   
    Simplify();  
}
```

```
int main() {  
    Fraction f1(10, 2);  
    ++f1;  
    f1.Print();  
}
```

"This Code Worked fine"

Now,

```
int i = 5;  
j = ++i;  
cout << i << " " << j;
```

↓ ↓
6 6

This must be possible in
fraction as well

```
Fraction f2 = ++f1;  
Print(f2)  
f2.Print();
```

but, this gives out Error —

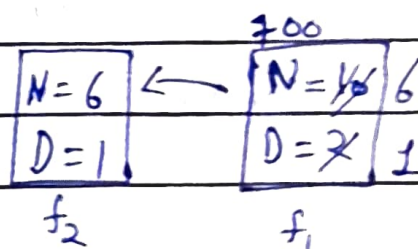
"no viable conversion from 'void' to
'fraction'"

we are getting Error as our "++" operator is 'void' type,
& Since this function is not returning anything How can we
give its value to "f₂".

→ Now the Question is what to Return?

Lets See —

```
int i = 5;  
int j = ++i;  
we are Returning 'i'.
```



Return this; (X)

it will Return address '700'

Return *this; (✓)

value of this → f₁

→ Now our Code is —

```
Fraction operator++() {  
    no — = num — + Den —;  
    Simplify();  
  
    Return *this;  
}
```

```
int main() {  
    Fraction f1(10, 2);          output :- 6/1  
    Fraction f2 = ++f1;         6/1      "works fine"  
    f1.Print();  
    f2.Print();  
}
```

→ but, Still Some issues Let See into this
If we do,

```
int main() {  
    Fraction f1(10, 2);  
    Fraction f2( = ++( ++f1 );  
    f1.Print();  
    f2.Print();  
}
```

Expected output :- 7/1
7/1

original output :- 6/1
7/1

⇒ Lets See why so,

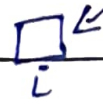
→ `int i = 5;`

Internally in system,

this '5' is saved in buffer memory 5
buffer

then 'i' is created

& then value of buffer got
copied into 'i'.



→ Now in function

```
int fun(int i) {  
    i++;  
    return i;  
}
```

```
main() {  
    cout << fun(5);  
}
```

6
buffer

`i = 6`

& we returned 'i' as '6'
to the main

Now, if we do

```
int j = fun(5);
```

then we can say, 'j' mai '6' chale
gaya then we are printing 'j'
but, what we are doing is

```
cout << fun(5);
```

i.e., bina receive kare directly print
kar rahi hai

To ho Raha ye hai ki,

To '6' Return hua - vo temporary buffer memory
mai receive hua, & then from buffer only
we print out the value as '6'.

→ Now in our case let's see ———,

f_1 , N=16
D=X
700 6

$f_2 = ++(++f_1)$

first $(++f_1)$ is called & we changed in our ' f_1 ' (6,1)
& we return *this (value of 700) or ' f_1 '

but, now this return goes into buffer memory 'x'.

N=6
D=1
X (800)

Now, this = 800,

Now, when we Execute $++(++f_1)$

this '++' got called on 'x'

& our 'x' become

N=7
O=1

x (800)

& then we call Return *this \Rightarrow *800 or value of 800

i.e, from buffer we Return our
output as (7,1)

but still in our f_1 , it is (6,1) as changes
are in buffer only.

\Rightarrow Now, Lets Code Such, to avoid this —

\rightarrow what we want is, System do not create 'buffer' & Pass
 f_1 only for more changes

i.e, Simple Solution we have to use "Pass by Reference".
so that "buffer will ultimately Point our f_1 ".

\Rightarrow final Code —

Fraction & operator++() {

num = num + Den;

Simplify();

Return *this;

}

output :- 7/1
7/1

"works fine"