

OBJECT ORIENTED PROGRAMMING...

Working with Classes



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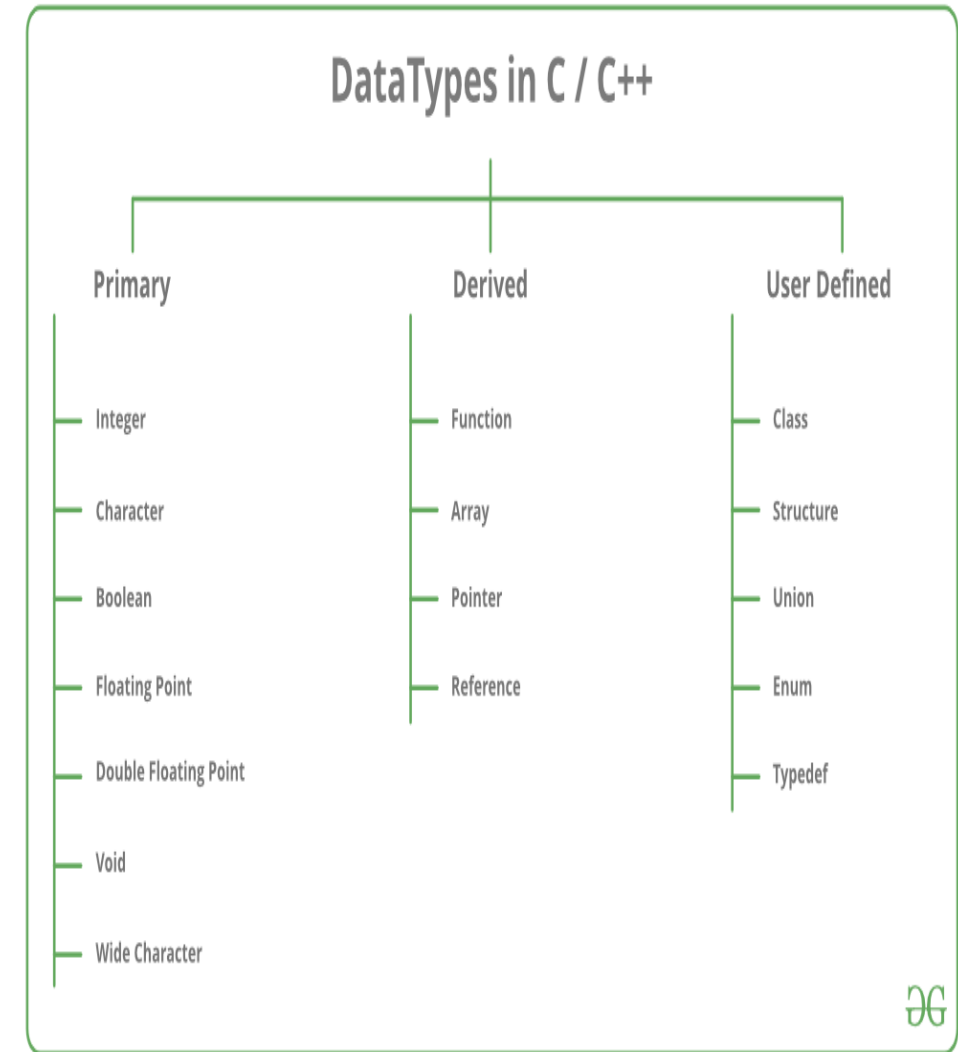
- The type of data the variables can store.
- The compiler allocates some memory for the variable at the declaration based on the data-type.
- Every data type requires a different amount of memory.

Example:

- Integer: Keyword (int) - Requires 4 bytes of memory space and ranges from -2147483648 to 2147483647.
- Character: Keyword (char) - Requires 1 byte of memory space and ranges from -128 to 127 or 0 to 255.

DATA TYPES

- **Build-in/Primitive Data Types:**
 - Built-in or predefined data types
 - Can be used directly by the user to declare variables.
 - Example: int, char , float, bool, void etc.
- **Derived Data Types:**
 - Derived from the primitive or built-in datatypes
 - Example: Function, Array, Pointer, Reference
- **User-Defined Data Types:**
 - Defined by user.
 - Example: Class, Structure, Enum, Typedef



DERIVED DATA TYPES

Derived from the primitive or built-in datatypes.

- **Function** - a block of code or program segment that is defined to perform a specific well-defined task. All the lines of code are put together inside a single function and this can be called anywhere required

Syntax: `ReturnType FunctionName(parameters)`

- **Array** - a collection of items stored at continuous memory locations. Represent many instances in one variable

Syntax: `DataType ArrayName[size_of_array];`

- **Pointers** - a symbolic representation of addresses. A pointer points to an address which holds the data

Syntax: `datatype *var_name;`

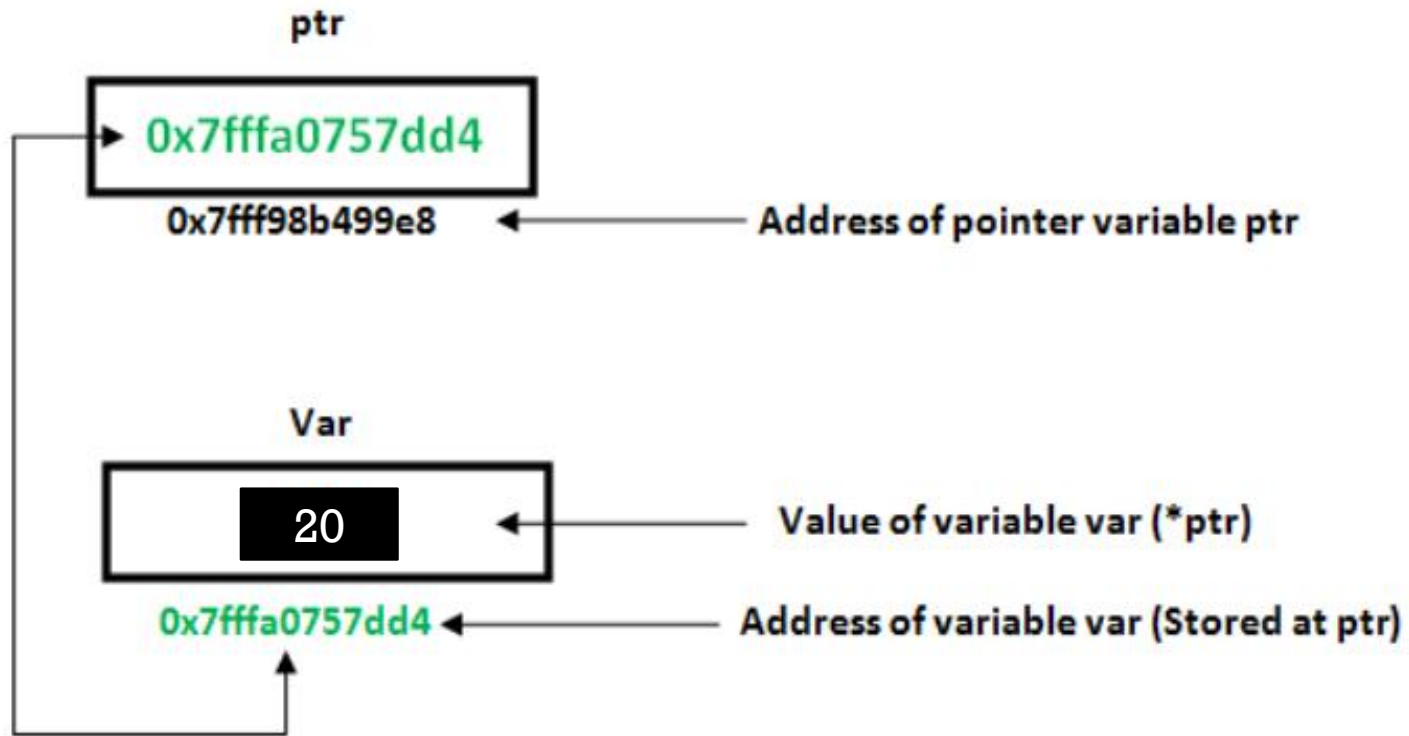
- **References** - an alternative name for an existing variable. Declared as a reference by putting '&'

ACTIVITY:

WRITE THE OUTPUT

```
Value at ptr = 0x6ffdfc
Value at var = 20
Value at *ptr = 20
20 0x6ffdfc
Value of var = 40
```

```
1  #include<iostream>
2  using namespace std;
3
4  void geeks()
5  {
6      int var = 20;
7
8      int* ptr;
9
10     ptr = &var;
11
12     cout << "Value at ptr = " << ptr << "\n";
13     cout << "Value at var = " << var << "\n";
14     cout << "Value at *ptr = " << *ptr << "\n";
15
16     int &ref = var;
17     cout << ref << " "<<&ref<< endl;
18
19     ref = 40;
20     cout<< "Value of var = " <<var<<endl;
21 }
22
23 int main()
24 {
25     geeks();
26     return 0;
27 }
```



```

1  #include <iostream>
2  using namespace std;
3
4  int main()
5  {
6      int i = 10; // simple or ordinary variable.
7      int* p = &i; // single pointer
8      int** pt = &p; // double pointer
9      int*** ptr = &pt; // triple pointer
10
11     cout << "i = " << i << "\t"
12         << "p = " << p << "\t"
13         << "pt = " << pt << "\t"
14         << "ptr = " << ptr << '\n';
15
16     int a = 5;
17     int& S = a;
18     int& S0 = S;
19     int& S1 = S0;
20
21     cout << "a = " << a << "\t"
22         << "S = " << S << "\t"
23         << "S0 = " << S0 << "\t"
24         << "S1 = " << S1 << '\n';
25     return 0;
26 }

```

USER-DEFINED DATA TYPES

- Variables of simple data types (float, char, and int) represent one item of information.
 - float: Price of sugar, char: a character, int: number of students
- But just as groceries are organized into bags, employees into departments, and words into sentences.....
- Organize simple variables into more complex entities.
- In C/C++ we define *structure to get this done*.



EXERCISE

Write a simple C structure to store details of a student (Name, age, height & weight) and print these student details on the console

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

```
struct Student {  
    char name[50];  
    int age;  
    float height;  
    float weight;  
};
```

```
int main() {  
    struct Student s1 = {"Mala", 20, 175.5, 65.0};  
    printf("Name: %s\n", s1.name);  
    printf("Age: %d\n", s1.age);  
    printf("Height: %.2f cm\n", s1.height);  
    printf("Weight: %.2f kg\n", s1.weight);  
    return 0;  
}
```

STRUCTURES

- A user-defined data type in C/C++
- Store a group of data (similar data types or non-similar data types)
- Creates a data type that can be used to group items of possibly different types into a single type
- The 'struct' keyword is used to create a structure.
- Structure members can be initialized with declaration in C++
- Contain two types of members:
 - Data Member: Variables of different/similar data types in C++.
 - Member Functions: Can include functions inside a structure declaration.


```

1  #include<iostream>           //include the header file
2  using namespace std;         //use names for objects and variables
3
4  struct Student{
5      string name = " ";
6      int age =0;
7      float height = 0.0;
8      float weight = 0.0;
9  };
10
11 int main()
12 {
13     Student S1;
14     S1.name="Mala";
15     S1.age=10;
16     S1.height=7.5;
17     S1.weight=23;
18
19     cout<<S1.name<<endl;
20     cout<<S1.age<<endl;
21     cout<<S1.height<<endl;
22     cout<<S1.weight<<endl;
23 }

```

STRUCTURES

- A structure is an aggregate of data types built using elements of other types

```
struct date{  
    int day;  
    char month[10];  
    int year;  
};
```

- Each structure definition must end with a semicolon ; (structure termination)

- The data items in a structure are called the *members* of the structure.
- Has three members:
 - *day*-an integer,
 - *month*-a character array,
 - *year*-an integer.

[ACTIVITY] Declare a structure variable called 'today'

```
date today;
```

STRUCTURE SYNTAX

Structure Name

Creates a new data type

struct date{

int day;

char month[10];

int year;

} ;

Structure members

Structure Termination

STRUCTURES

- Defining a Structure Variable
 - Structure variables are declared like variables of other types
 - Example:
`date today, dateArray[10], *datePtr, &dateRef = dateObject;`
 - Arrays of structures can also be defined.
`date dateArray[10];`
 - The variable name must be used to distinguish one variable from another (date1, date2)
- In C - need to include the keyword **struct** in defining structure variables. But in C++ it is optional.

Example C

`Struct date today;` (In C++ the keyword **struct** is not necessary)

ACCESSING MEMBERS OF THE STRUCTURE

- Member access operators:
 - Dot operator (.)
- Syntax
Name of the structure variable.member name;
- Structure members are treated just like other variables.

[ACTIVITY] Print member day of the variable 'today'

```
cout << "Day" << today.day << endl;
```

EXERCISE 1: INITIALIZING STRUCTURE VARIABLES

```
#include<iostream>

using namespace std;

//defining the structure date

struct date{

    int day;

    char month[10];

    int year;

}; // end of structure definition

int main()

{

    date today={28,"November",2024};

    cout<<"Day:"<<today.day

        <<" Month:"<<today.month

        <<" Year:"<<today.year<<endl;

}
```

ACTIVITY

```
1  #include<iostream>
2  #include<string.h>
3
4  using namespace std;
5
6  //defining the structure date
7  struct date{
8      int day;
9      char month[10];
10     int year;
11 }yesterday,d1; // end of structure definition
12
13
14 int main()
15 {
16     yesterday.day=27;
17     strcpy(yesterday.month,"November");
18     yesterday.year=2024;
19
20     d1=yesterday;
21
22     cout<<"YESTERDAY"<<endl
23         <<"Day:"<<yesterday.day
24         <<" Month:"<<yesterday.month
25         <<" Year:"<<yesterday.year<<endl;
26
```

```
27 //Display values of d1
28     cout<<"YESTERDAY = D1"<<endl
29         <<"Day:"<<d1.day
30         <<" Month:"<<d1.month
31         <<" Year:"<<d1.year<<endl;
32
33     date today={28,"November",2024};
34
35     cout<<"TODAY"<<endl
36         <<"Day:"<<today.day
37         <<" Month:"<<today.month
38         <<" Year:"<<today.year<<endl;
39
40     d1=today;
41     cout<<"D1 = TODAY"<<endl
42         <<"Day:"<<d1.day
43         <<" Month:"<<d1.month
44         <<" Year:"<<d1.year<<endl;
45 }//end of main
46
```

STRUCTURES...

- In standard C: Functions are **not** allowed to be defined within a structure; Hold only data
- In C++ : Both Data & Functions can be declared in the structure.
- The members of a structure are visible to all functions that are within the scope of the structure (by Default members are PUBLIC).

ACTIVITY

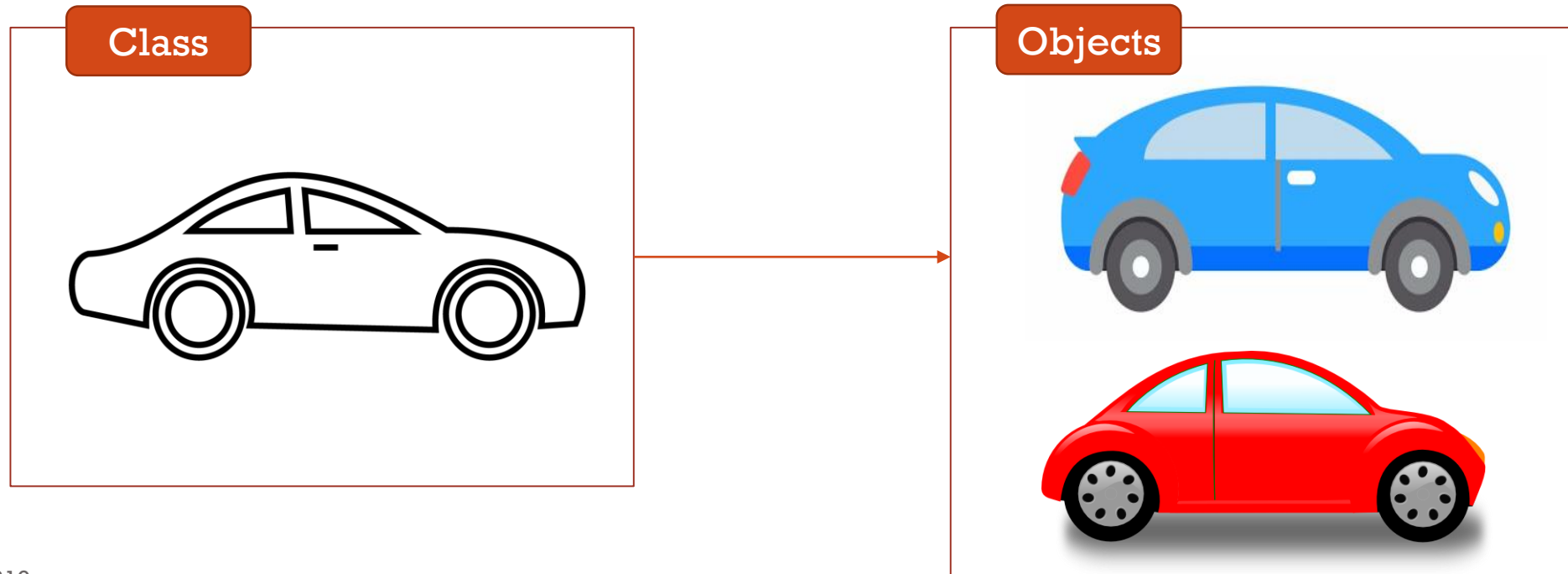
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2  #include<string.h>
3  using namespace std;
4
5  //defining the structure date
6  struct date{
7      int day;
8      char month[10];
9      private:
10     int year=2024;
11
12     public:
13     void printYear()
14     {
15         cout<<"Year: "<<year<<endl;
16     }
17 }; // end of structure definition
18
19 int main()
20 {
21     date today;
22     today.day=28;
23     strcpy(today.month,"November");
24
25     cout<<"Day:"<<today.day
26         <<" Month:"<<today.month;
27     today.printYear();
28 }
```

STRUCTURES VS CLASSES

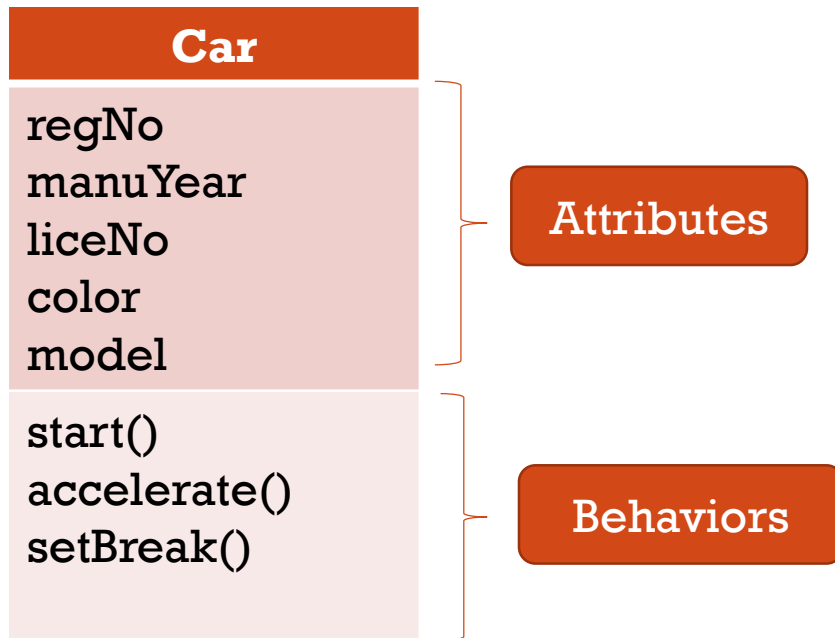
- Classes in C++ are a natural evolution of the C notion of structures.
- Both are user-defined data types.
- Both hold a bunch of different data types.
- A class is a user-defined blueprint or prototype from which objects are created.
- A class combines the fields and methods(member function which defines actions) into a single unit.
- The syntactical distinction between structures and classes in C++ is minimal...
- Classes in C++: by default members are PRIVATE.

WORKING WITH CLASSES

- Two main building blocks of Object Orientation.
- A class is a **template** for objects, and an object is an **instance** of a class.



CLASSES IN C++



class car

{

public:

Access specifier

int regNo;

int manuYear;

string liceNo;

string color;

string model;

Data Members

void start();

int accelerate();

void setBreak();

Member Functions

};

End of the class Definition

Class Body

CLASS MEMBERS

Functions that are declared within a class are called **member functions**

Variables that are declared within a class are called **data members**

CREATING OBJECTS

- An object is created from a class.
- To create an object, specify the class name, followed by the object name.
 - Example: `car myRedCar;`
- To access the class attributes/member functions, use the dot syntax (.) on the object.
 - Example: `myRedCar.regNo;`

```
Int main()
{
    car myRedCar;
    car myBlueCar={456,2018,"CP345","Blue","B"};
}
```

DECLARE OBJECTS

Syntax:

```
ClassName ObjectName;
```

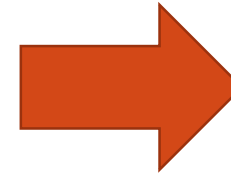
DOT OPERATOR

- Whenever you refer to a member of a class from code outside the class definition, you must prefix the member's name with the *dot operator* and the name of the object it belongs to.
- The member may be either data or a function.

objectName.memberName

ACTIVITY

```
1  #include<iostream>
2  using namespace std;
3
4  class car
5  {
6      int regNo;
7      int manuYear;
8      string liceNo;
9      string color;
10     string model;
11
12     void start();
13     int accelerate();
14     void setbreak();
15 };
16
17 int main()
18 {
19     car myRedCar ={234,2017,"Wp4567","Red","C"};
20     car myBlueCar={456,2018,"CP345","Blue","B"};
21
22     cout<<"My Red Car: "<<myRedCar.liceNo<<" "<<endl;
23     cout<<"My Blue Car: " <<myBlueCar.liceNo<<" "<<endl;
24 }
```

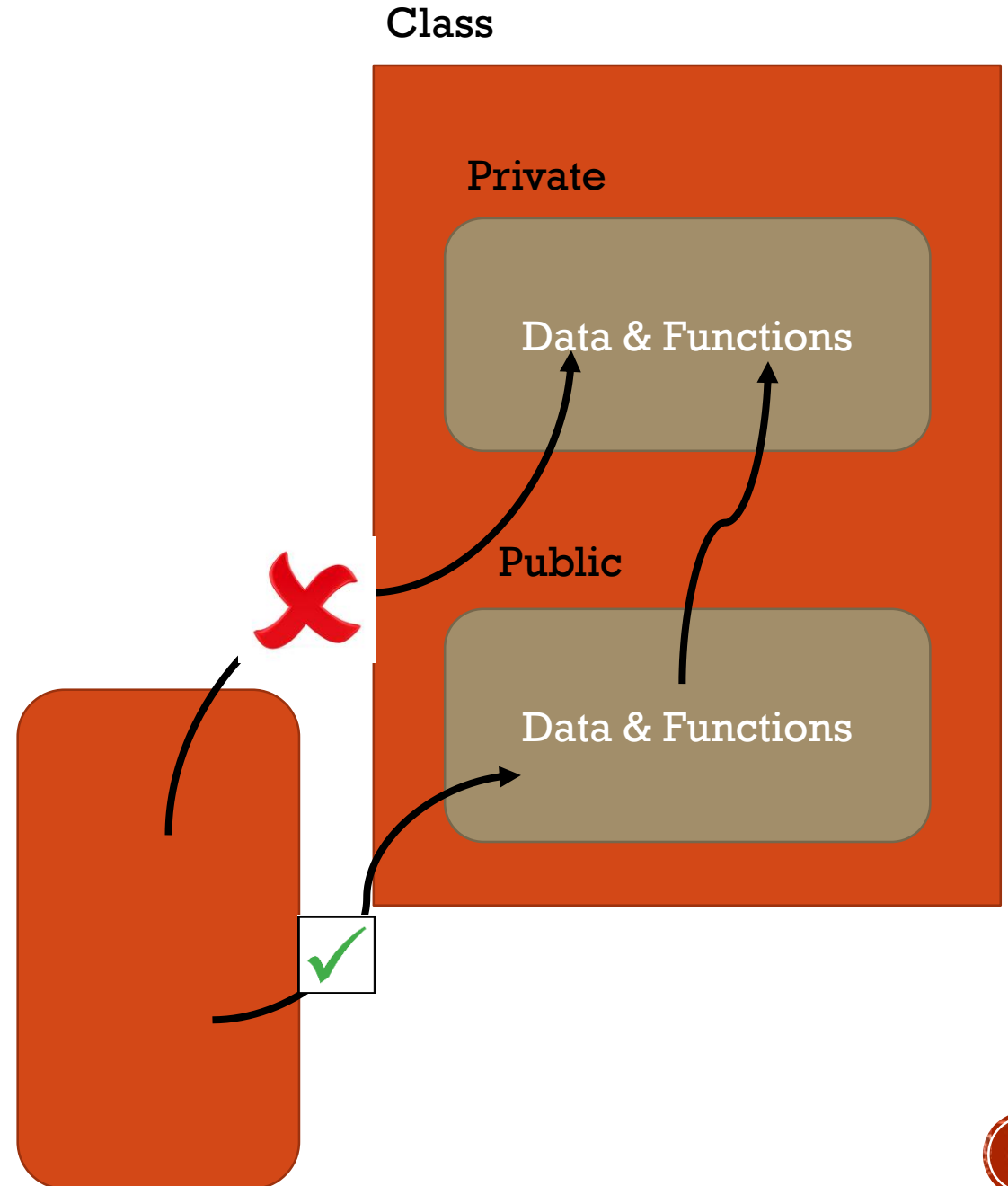


Compilation Error

The default access model for classes is private so all members after the class header and before the first member access specifier are private

ACCESS SPECIFIERS

- Define how the members (attributes and methods) of a class can be accessed.
- *Data hiding*: Key feature of object-oriented programming
 - The data is concealed/wrapped within a class so that it cannot be accessed mistakenly directly or by functions outside the class.
 - Private data or functions can only be accessed from within the class.
 - Public data or functions are accessible from outside the class.
- Hide data from parts of the program that don't need to access it.
- Data in one class is hidden from other classes.

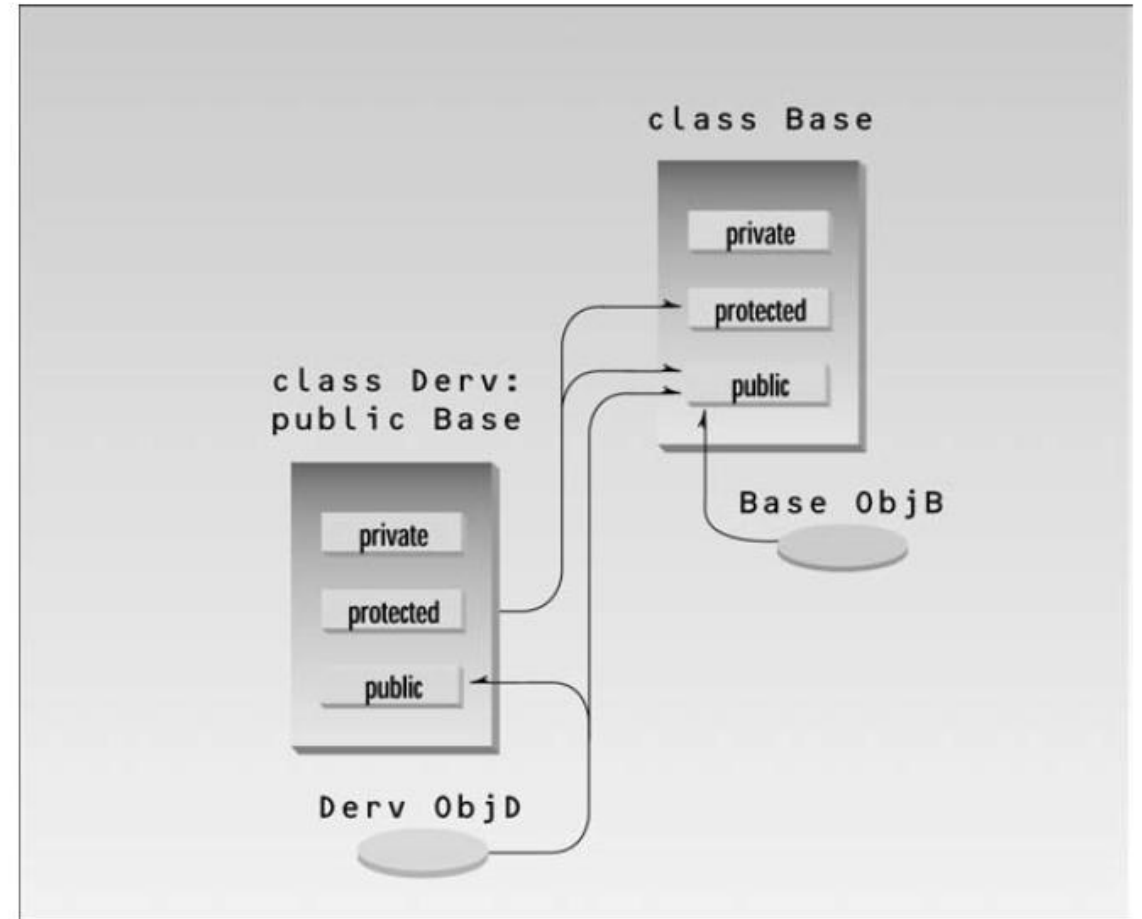
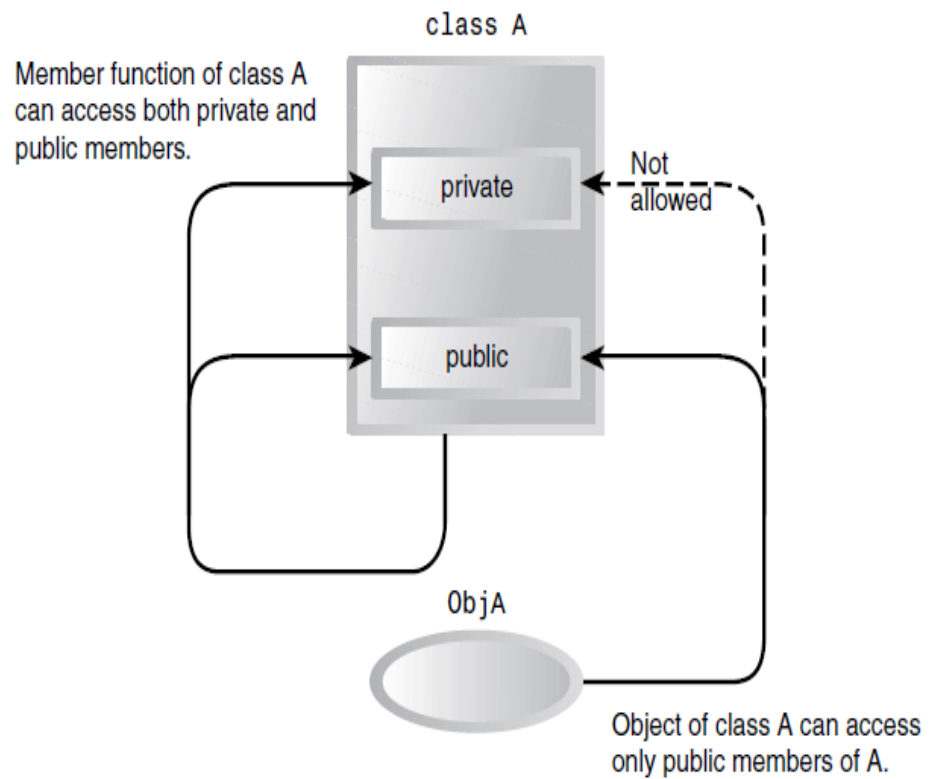


ACCESS SPECIFIERS

Keyword **public**:
makes subsequent
members public (can
be accessed by non-
member functions)

Keyword **private**:
makes subsequent
members private
(cannot be accessed
by non-member
functions)

Keyword **protected**:
Somewhat similar to
the keyword private.

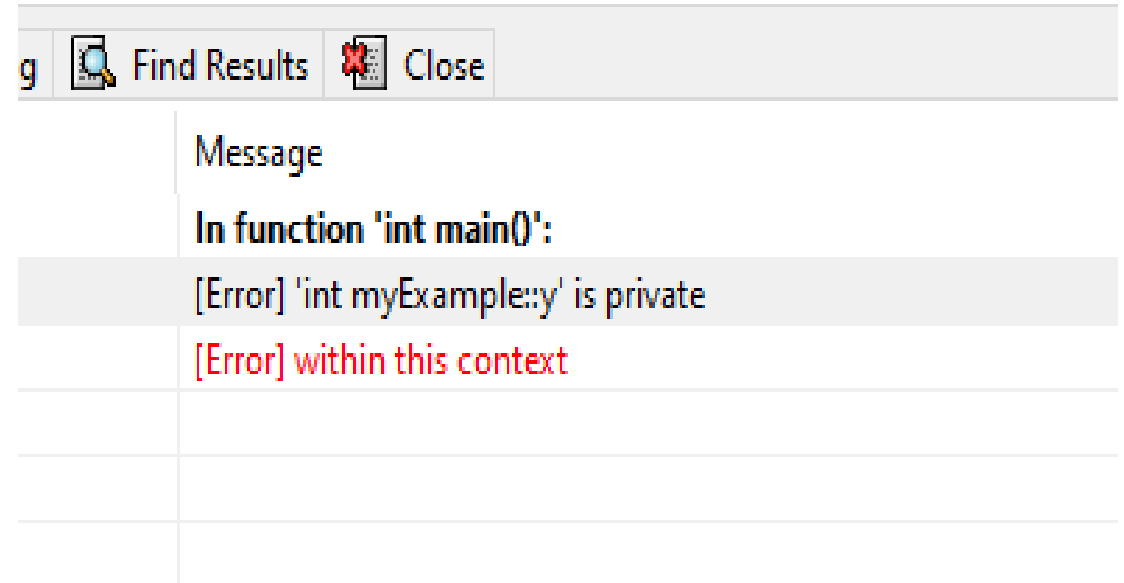


ACCESS SPECIFIERS-EXAMPLE

```
class myExample
{
    public: // Public access specifier
        int x; // Public attribute
    private: // Private access specifier
        int y; // Private attribute
};

int main() {
    myExample E1;
    E1.x = 3;
    E1.y = 4;
}
```

OUTPUT ?



DEFINING CLASSES

```
class ClassName{           //class Name
AccessSpecifier:           //public, private or protected
Datamembers;               //Variables/Attributes
MemberFunctions(){}        //Methods to access member functions/Behavior
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};                           //end of the class Name
```

ACTIVITY

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- Define two functions called
 - setDate to initialize values by passing parameters
 - getDate to print the value (Date) on the console
- Create a variable called “today” of data type Date
- Set the value to 13/November/2025
- Display the value on the console

CLASS: DATE

```
1  #include<iostream>
2  using namespace std;
3
4  class date
5  {
6      int day;
7      string month;
8      int year;
9
10     void setDate(int D,string M,int Y){
11         day = D;
12         month = M;
13         year = Y;
14     }
15
16     void getDate(){
17         cout<<"Day:"<<day<<" Month:"<<month<<" Year:"<<year<<endl;
18     }
19 }; // end of class definition
20
```


CLASS AS A DATA TYPE

- Once a class has been declared, it can be used as object/array declarations

Example:



```
Car carObj,           // object of type Car  
Car carArray[10];     // array of Car objects  
Car *newCar;          // Object pointer
```

The class name becomes
the new type specifier.

DATA MEMBERS AND MEMBER FUNCTIONS

Accessing Data members / Member functions

- DOT (.) Operator
 - Example: `MyObject.variableX; MyObject.func();`
- Refer to a member of a class via a pointer to an object, (->) Operator

A pointer variable, or simply a pointer, contains the location, or address in the memory, of a memory cell

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- Create a variable called “today” of data type Date
- Set the value to 13/November/2025
- Display the value on the console
- **Create a pointer variable called ptrDate to assign the value of “today”**
- **Display the value of ptrDate**

ACCESS OPERATOR (->): EXAMPLE

```
int main()
{
    date today;
    today.setDate(5,"December",2024);

    date *ptrDate;
    ptrDate=&today;

    cout<<"CHECK POINTER"<<endl;
    ptrDate->getDate();
}
```

Date today;



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- Accessing a data member depends on the access modifier of the data member.

Defining Member functions in classes

- Inside class definition
- Outside class definition
 - use the scope resolution :: operator along with class name and function name.

```
4 class Date{
5     int day;
6     string month;
7     int year;
8
9     public:
10    void setDate(int, string, int);
11    void getDate();
12 };
13
14 void Date::setDate(int d, string m, int y){
15     day=d;
16     month=m;
17     year=y;
18 }
19
20 void Date::getDate(){
21     cout<<"Day: "<<day<<" Month: "<<month<<" Year: "<<year<<endl;
22 }
```

DEFINING MEMBER FUNCTIONS

- The scope resolution operator (::) can be used to define member functions outside the class definition.
- Member functions defined inside a class definition are automatically treated as inline functions.
- Member functions that contain more than one statement should be defined outside their class definition.
- Members of a class have class scope – data members can be referred to directly inside the member functions from that class.