

CS-202

C++ Classes – Operator(s) (Pt.1)

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Course Week

Course , Projects , Labs:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			Lab (4 Sections)	
	CLASS	RL – Session	CLASS	
PASS Session	PASS Session	Project DEADLINE	NEW Project	

Your 4th Project will be announced today Thursday 2/15.

3rd Project Deadline was this Wednesday 2/14.

- NO Project accepted past the 24-hrs delayed extension (@ 20% grade penalty).
- Send what you have in time!
- Check out **WebCampus** CS-202 Announcements for some **help** !

Today's Topics

C++ Classes Cheatsheet

- Declaration
- Members, Methods, Interface
- Implementation – Resolution Operator (`::`)
- Instantiation – Objects
- Object Usage – Dot Operator (`.`)
- Object Pointer Usage – Arrow Operator (`->`)
- Classes as Function Parameters, Pass-by-Value, by-(`const`)-Reference, by-Address
- Protection Mechanisms – `const` Method signature
- Classes – Code File Structure
- Constructor(s), Initialization List(s), Destructor
- `static` Members – Variables / Functions

Operator Overloading

Class Cheatsheet

Declaration:

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Class (Type) Name

- Type Name is up to you to declare!
- Members in Brackets
- Semicolon

Conventions:

- Begin with Capital letter.
- **camelCase** for phrases.
- General word for Class of Objects.

Class Cheatsheet

Declaration:

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Access Specifiers

➤ Provide Protection Mechanism

Encapsulation - Abstraction:

➤ “Data Hiding”

Class Cheatsheet

Declaration:

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Member Variables

➤ All necessary Data
inside a single Code Unit.

Conventions:

➤ Begin with **m_<variable_name>**.

Encapsulation - Abstraction:

➤ Abstract Data Structure

Class Cheatsheet

Declaration:

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Member Function / Class Methods

➤ All necessary Data
& Operations
inside a single Code Unit.

Conventions:

➤ Use **camelCase** (or **CamelCase**).

Encapsulation - Abstraction:

➤ Abstract Data Structure

Class Cheatsheet

Usual-case Class Interface Design:

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        bool setEngineTiming(double [16]);  
  
    private:  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

public Class Interface:
➤ Class Methods

private Class Access:
➤ Class Data

Class Interface to Member Data should
“go through” Member Functions.

Class Cheatsheet

Class Implementation:

```
class Car {  
    ...  
    bool addGas(float gallons);  
    float getMileage();  
};
```

```
float Car::addGas(float gallons) {  
    /* actual code here */  
}
```

```
float Car::getMileage() {  
    /* actual code here */  
}
```

An Implementation
needs to exist for
Class Methods

Scope Resolution Operator
(::)

➤ Indicates which Class Method
this definition implements.

Class Cheatsheet

Class Instantiation - Implicit:

`<type_name> <variable_name>;`

`Car` `myCar;` `Object`

Create (Construct) a variable of specific Class type.

Will employ “*Default Constructor*”
➤ Compiler will auto-handle *Member Variables*’ initialization !

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Class Object Usage:

`<variable_name>.<member_name>;`

Dot Operator – Member-of
(.)

➤ Which Object this Member references.

```
Car myCar;
```

```
float mileage = myCar.getMileage();  
strcpy(myCar.m_licensePlates, "Gandalf");
```

Member Variables &
Member Functions

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Class Object Pointers:

```
<type_name>* <variable_name_Pt>;
```

```
Car myCar;
```

Object

```
Car* myCar_Pt;
```

Pointer to Object

```
myCar_Pt = &myCar;
```

```
(*myCar_Pt).getMileage();
```

- Dereferencing to get to Object.
Works the same as any pointer.

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```


Class Cheatsheet

Class Object Pointer Usage:

`<variable_name_Pt>-><member_name>;`

Arrow Operator – Member-access

`(->)`

➤ Structure (Class) Pointer Dereference

```
Car myCar;
```

```
Car* myCar_Pt = &myCar;
```

```
myCar_Pt->getMileage();
```

```
strcpy(myCar_Pt->m_licensePlates, "Gandalf");
```

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Class Object Pointer Usage:

`<variable_name_Pt>-><member_name>;`

Arrow Operator – Member-access

`(->)`

➤ Structure (Class) Pointer Dereference

Why?

Chaining Operator Precedence (`.` , `->`)

`(* (* (*topClass).subClass).subSubClass).method();`

`topClass->subClass->subSubClass->method();`

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Classes

Class Cheatsheet

Class Object in Function – By-Value:

```
Car myCar;  
strcpy(myCar.m_licensePlates, "Gandalf");  
printCapPlatesMileage(myCar);  
cout << myCar.m_licensePlates;  
  
void printCapPlatesMileage(Car car){  
    char* lP = car.m_licensePlates;  
    while (*lP = toupper(*lP)) { ++lP; }  
  
    cout << car.m_licensePlates << endl;  
    cout << car.getMileage() << endl;  
}
```

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Note:

Will work with Local Object Copy !

Classes

Class Cheatsheet

Class Object in Function – By-Reference:

```
Car myCar;  
strcpy(myCar.m_licensePlates, "Gandalf");  
printModifyCapPlates(myCar);  
cout << myCar.m_licensePlates;  
  
void printModifyCapPlates(Car& car) {  
    char* lP = car.m_licensePlates;  
    while (*lP = toupper(*lP)) { ++lP; }  
    cout << car.m_licensePlates << endl;  
}
```

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Note:

Will modify Object Data !

Classes

Class Cheatsheet

Class Object in Function – By-**const**-Reference:

```
Car myCar;  
strcpy(myCar.m_licensePlates, "Gandalf");  
printCapPlates(myCar);  
cout << myCar.m_licensePlates;  
  
void printCapPlates(const Car& car){  
    char* lP = (char*)malloc(sizeof(  
        car.m_licensePlates));  
    strcpy(lP, car.m_licensePlates);  
  
    char* lP_0 = lP;  
    while (*lP = toupper(*lP)) { ++lP; }  
  
    cout << lP_0 << endl;  
}
```

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Note:
Not allowed to modify Object Data !

Classes

Class Cheatsheet

Class Object in Function – By-Address:

```
Car myCar;  
Car* myCar_Pt = &myCar;  
strcpy(myCar_Pt->m_licensePlates, "Gandalf");  
printModifyCapPlates(myCar_Pt);  
cout << myCar.m_licensePlates;  
  
void printModifyCapPlates(Car* car_Pt) {  
    char* lP = car_Pt->m_licensePlates;  
    while (*lP = toupper(*lP)) { ++lP; }  
  
    cout << car_Pt->m_licensePlates  
        << endl;  
}
```

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage();  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Note:

Will modify Object Data !

Class Cheatsheet

Protection Mechanisms – **const** Method signature:

A “promise” that Method doesn’t modify Object

```
Car myCar;
cout << myCar.getMileage() << endl;
cout << myCar.addGas(10.0F) << endl;

float Car::getMileage() const {
    return m_mileage;
}

float Car::addGas(float gallons) {
    if (m_gallons += gallons > MAX_GALLONS)
        m_gallons = MAX_GALLONS;
    return m_gallons;
}
```

```
class Car {
public:
    float addGas(float gallons);
    float getMileage() const;
    char m_licensePlates[9];
protected:
    float m_gallons;
    float m_mileage;
private:
    bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);
    double m_engineTiming[16];
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Protection Mechanisms – Access Specifiers:

public

Anything that has access to a **Car** Object (scope-wise) also has access to all **public** Member Variables and Functions.

- “Normally” used for Functions.
- Need to have at least one **public** Member.

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage() const ;  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```


Class Cheatsheet

Protection Mechanisms – Access Specifiers:

private

Members (Variables and Functions) that can ONLY be accessed by Member Functions of the **Car** Class.

- Cannot be accessed in **main()**, in other files, or by other functions.
- If not specified, Members default to **private**.
- Should specify anyway – good coding practices!

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage() const ;  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

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Protection Mechanisms – Access Specifiers:

protected

Members that can be accessed by:

- Member Functions of the **Car** Class.
- Member Functions of any *Derived* Class.

```
class Hybrid : Car { A Derived Class  
    ...  
    float gasToElectricRatio();  
};
```

```
float Hybrid::gasToElectricRatio() {  
    if (m_gallons < ...) { return ...; }  
}
```

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage() const ;  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Member Functions – Accessors (“Getters”)

Name starts with **get**, ends with Member name.

Allows retrieval of non-**public** Data Members.

```
float Car::getMileage() const {  
    return m_mileage;  
}
```

Note: Don't generally take in arguments.

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage() const;  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Member Functions – Mutators (“Setters”)

Name starts with **set**, ends with Member name.

Controlled changing of non-**public** Data Members.

```
bool Car::setEngineTiming(double t_in[16]) {
    for (int i=0; i<16; ++i) {
        if (t_in[i]<... || t_in[i]>...) { return false; }
    }
    for (int i=0; i<16; ++i) {
        m_engineTiming[i]=t_in[i];
    }
    return true;
}
```

Note: In simple case, don't **return** anything (**void**).
In controlled setting, return success/fail (**bool**).

```
class Car {
public:
    float addGas(float gallons);
    float getMileage() const;
    char m_licensePlates[9];
protected:
    float m_gallons;
    float m_mileage;
private:
    bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);
    double m_engineTiming[16];
};
```


Classes

Class Cheatsheet

Member Functions – Facilitators (“Helpers”)

Provide support for the Class’s operations.

```
float Car::addGas(float gallons) {  
    if (m_gallons += gallons > MAX_GALLONS)  
        m_gallons = MAX_GALLONS;  
    return m_gallons;  
}
```

Note:

public if generally called outside Function.

private/protected if only called by Member Functions.

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getMileage() const ;  
        char m_licensePlates[9];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);  
        double m_engineTiming[16];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Classes and Code File Structure

Class Header File: **Car.h**

```
#ifndef CAR_H
#define CAR_H

#define NUMVALVES 16

class Car {
public:
    float addGas(float gallons);
    float getMileage() const;
    char m_licensePlates[9];
protected:
    float m_gallons, m_mileage;
private:
    bool setEngineTiming(double[16]);
    double m_engineTiming[NUMVALVES];
};

#endif
```

Class Source File: **Car.cpp**

```
#include <iostream>
#include "Car.h"

#define MAX_GALLONS 20.0

float Car::getMileage() const {
    return m_mileage;
}

float Car::addGas(float gallons) {
    if (m_gallons += gallons > MAX_GALLONS)
        m_gallons = MAX_GALLONS;
    return m_gallons;
}

bool Car::setEngineTiming(double t_in[16]) {
    for (int i=0; i<16; ++i) {
        if (t_in[i]<... || t_in[i]>...) return false;
    }
    for (int i=0; i<16; ++i) {
        m_engineTiming[i]=t_in[i];
    }
    return true;
}
```

Class Cheatsheet

Classes and Code File Structure

Note: Compile all your source (.cpp) files together with
`g++ car_program.cpp Car.cpp`

Program File: `car_program.cpp`

```
#include <iostream>
#include <...>
#include "Car.h"

int main() {
    Car myCar;
    Car* myCar_Pt = &myCar;

    strcpy(myCar_Pt->m_licensePlates, "Gandalf");
    printCapPlates(myCar_Pt);
    cout << myCar.m_licensePlates << endl;

    cout << myCar.getMileage() << endl;
    cout << myCar.addGas(10.0F) << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

Class Cheatsheet

Constructor(s):

Special Function:

- Prototype is named same as Class.
- Have no **return** type.

“Constructors have no names and cannot be called directly.”

“They are invoked when initialization takes place.”

“They are selected according to the rules of initialization.”

- Constructors that may be called without any argument are *Default* constructors.
- Constructors that take another Object of the same type as the argument are *Copy* and *Move* constructors.

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        Car();  
        Car(char licPlts[PLT],  
            float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
            const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
        Car(const Car & car);  
  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getGallons() const;  
        float getMileage() const;  
        char m_licensePlates[PLT];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
        double m_engineTiming[VLV];  
};
```


Class Cheatsheet

Default (empty) **ctor**:

➤ Function Prototype:
`Car()` ;

➤ Function Definition:

```
Car::Car() {  
    strcpy(m_licensePlates, DFT_PLTS);  
    m_gallons = DFT_GLNS;  
    m_mileage = 0;  
    m_engineTiming = _def_DFT_TIM;  
}
```

Note:

➤ The compiler will (implicitly) provide a *Default* Constructor if none is specified.

```
class Car {  
    public:  
    Car();  
    Car(char licPlts[PLT],  
        float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
        const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
    Car(const Car & car);  
    float addGas(float gallons);  
    float getGallons() const ;  
    float getMileage() const ;  
    char m_licensePlates[PLT];  
    protected:  
    float m_gallons;  
    float m_mileage;  
    private:  
    bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]) ;  
    double m_engineTiming[VLV];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Overloaded (parametrized) **ctor**:

➤ Function Prototype (w/ Default Parameters):

```
Car(char licPlts[PLT],  
    float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
    const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);
```

➤ Function Definition (no Default Parameters):

```
Car::Car(char licPlts[PLT], float glns,  
        float mileage, const double engTim[VLV]) {  
    strcpy(m_licensePlates, licPlts);  
    m_gallons = glns;  
    m_mileage = mileage;  
    for (int i=0; i<VLV; ++i)  
        m_engineTiming[i] = engTim[i];  
}
```

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        Car();  
        Car(char licPlts[PLT],  
            float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
            const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
        Car(const Car & car);  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getGallons() const ;  
        float getMileage() const ;  
        char m_licensePlates[PLT];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
        double m_engineTiming[VLV];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Overloaded (parametrized) **ctor**:

- Function Prototype (w/ Default Parameters):

```
Car(char licPlts[PLT],  
    float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
    const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);
```

- Function Definition (no Default Parameters):

```
Car::Car(char licPlts[PLT], float glns,  
         float mileage, const double engTim[VLV]) {  
    /* num of args resolves implementation */  
}
```

Note:

If you define an *Overloaded* Constructor the compiler will not automatically generate a *Default*.

```
class Car {  
public:  
    Car();  
    Car(char licPlts[PLT],  
        float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
        const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
    Car(const Car & car);  
    float addGas(float gallons);  
    float getGallons() const;  
    float getMileage() const;  
    char m_licensePlates[PLT];  
protected:  
    float m_gallons;  
    float m_mileage;  
private:  
    bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
    double m_engineTiming[VLV];  
};
```


Class Cheatsheet

Overloaded (parametrized) **ctor**:

➤ Function Prototype (w/ Default Parameters):

```
Car(char licPlts[PLT],  
    float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
    const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);
```

➤ Sequential Interpretation of Default Params:

```
Car car("Gandalf", 5., 0., new double[VLV]  
    {0., 1., 2., 3., ..., 3., 0., 1., 2.});
```

or

```
Car car("Gandalf", 5., 0.);
```

or

```
Car car("Gandalf", 5.);
```

or

```
Car car("Gandalf");
```


No Parameter
skipping !

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        Car();  
        Car(char licPlts[PLT],  
            float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
            const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
        Car(const Car & car);  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getGallons() const ;  
        float getMileage() const ;  
        char m_licensePlates[PLT];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
        double m_engineTiming[VLV];  
};
```


Class Cheatsheet

Overloaded (parametrized) **ctor**:

- Function Prototype(s) of different versions must not produce same signatures:


`Car(char licPlts[PLT], float glns);`
`Car(char[PLT], float);`


`Car(char licPlts[PLT], float mlg);`
`Car(char[PLT], float);`

```
class Car {
public:
    Car();
    Car(char licPlts[PLT],
        float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,
        const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);
    Car(const Car & car);
    float addGas(float gallons);
    float getGallons() const;
    float getMileage() const;
    char m_licensePlates[PLT];
protected:
    float m_gallons;
    float m_mileage;
private:
    bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);
    double m_engineTiming[VLV];
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Copy (class-object) **ctor**:

➤ Function Prototype:

```
Car(const Car &car);
```

➤ Function Definition:

```
Car::Car(const Car & car) {  
    strcpy(m_licensePlates, car.m_licensePlates);  
    m_gallons = car.m_gallons;  
    m_mileage = car.m_mileage;  
    for (int i=0; i<VLV; ++i)  
        m_engineTiming[i] = car.m_engineTiming[i];  
}
```

Same Class:

➤ Access to **private** Members of input Object.

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        Car();  
        Car(char licPlts[PLT],  
            float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
            const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
        Car(const Car & car);  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getGallons() const ;  
        float getMileage() const ;  
        char m_licensePlates[PLT];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
        double m_engineTiming[VLV];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Copy (class-object) **ctor**:

- The compiler will (implicitly) provide a *Shallow-Copy* Constructor if none is specified.

Class now contains raw Pointer Member (**char***):

- Handle memory allocation for Member Data.

```
Car::Car() {  
    m_licensePlates = (char*)malloc(PLT);  
    /* rest of Default ctor statements */  
}  
Car::Car(const char* licPlts, float glns,  
         float mileage, const double engTim[VLV]) {  
    m_licensePlates = (char*)malloc(PLT);  
    /* rest of Overloaded ctor statements */  
}
```

```
class Car {  
public:  
    Car();  
    Car(const char * licPlts,  
         float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
         const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
  
    float addGas(float gallons);  
    float getGallons() const;  
    float getMileage() const;  
    char * m_licensePlates;  
  
protected:  
    float m_gallons;  
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    bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
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};
```


Class Cheatsheet

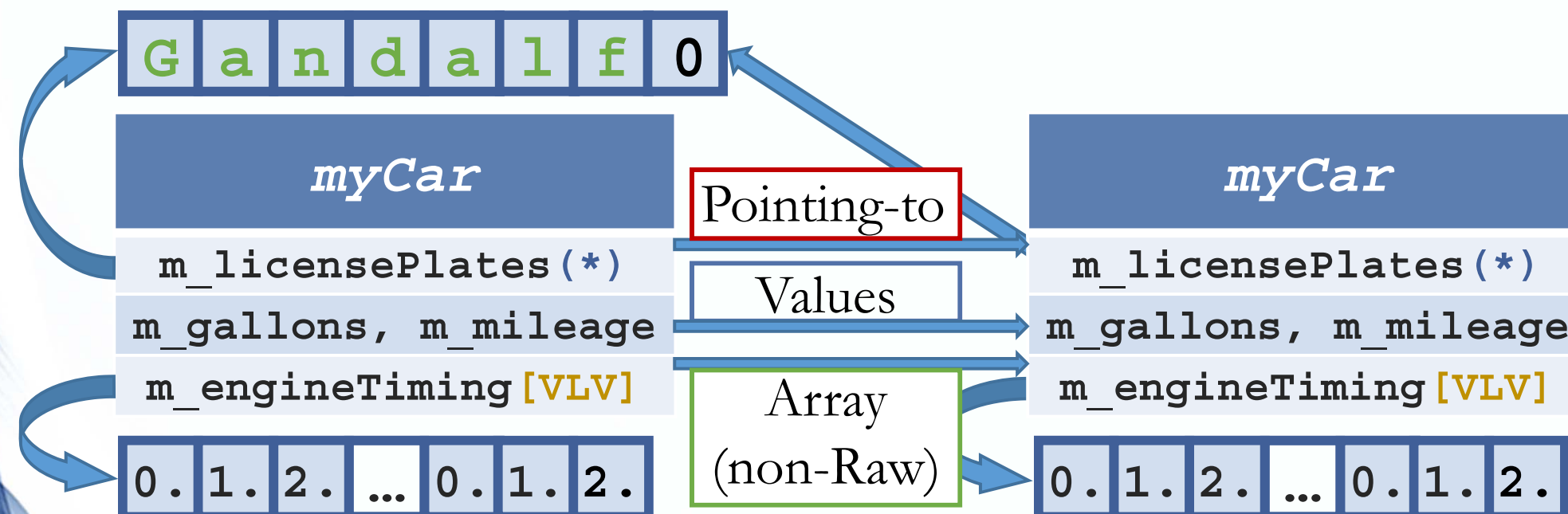
Copy (class-object) **ctor**:

- The compiler will (implicitly) provide a *Shallow-Copy* Constructor if none is specified.

Shallow-Copy **ctor** copies raw Pointer, not Data!

```
Car myCar("Gandalf");
```

```
Car myCarCpy(myCar);
```



```
class Car {
public:
    Car();
    Car(const char * licPlts,
        float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,
        const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);

    float addGas(float gallons);
    float getGallons() const;
    float getMileage() const;
    char * m_licensePlates;

protected:
    float m_gallons;
    float m_mileage;

private:
    bool setEngineTiming(double[VLV]);
    double m_engineTiming[VLV];
};
```


Class Cheatsheet

Copy (class-object) **ctor**:

➤ Explicitly Implement *Deep-Copy* Constructor.

Deep-Copy **ctor** will allocate-&-copy Data!

Function Definition:

```
Car::Car(const Car &car){  
    m_licensePlates = (char*)malloc(PLT);  
    strcpy(m_licensePlates, car.m_licensePlates);  
    m_gallons = car.m_gallons;  
    m_mileage = car.m_mileage;  
    for (int i=0; i<VLV; ++i)  
        m_engineTiming[i] = car.m_engineTiming[i];  
}
```

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        Car();  
        Car(const char * licPlts,  
            float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
            const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
        Car(const Car & car);  
        float addGas(float gallons);  
        float getGallons() const ;  
        float getMileage() const ;  
        char * m_licensePlates;  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons;  
        float m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
        double m_engineTiming[VLV];  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Copy (class-object) **ctor**:

```
Car myCar("Gandalf");
```

```
Car myCarCpy(myCar);
```

```
myCar.m_licensePlates[4] = 0;
```

```
cout << myCar.m_licensePlates << ", "  
      << myCarCpy.m_licensePlates << endl;
```

Shallow-Copy **ctor** will only **copy raw Pointer**:

➤ Output: **Gand, Gand**

Explicit *Deep-Copy* **ctor** will **allocate-copy Data**:

➤ Output: **Gand, Gandalf**

Note:

➤ Always undesired? No, C++11 has *Move* **ctor**.
However user-based raw Pointer solution(s) are unsafe !

```
class Car {  
public:  
    Car();  
    Car(const char * licPlts,  
        float glns=DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0,  
        const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
    Car(const Car &car);  
    float addGas(float gallons);  
    float getGallons() const ;  
    float getMileage() const ;  
    char * m_licensePlates;  
protected:  
    float m_gallons;  
    float m_mileage;  
private:  
    bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]) ;  
    double m_engineTiming[VLV] ;  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

Initialization List(s) (**ctor** Definition only):

- By-name Initialization of Data Members.
- Allows *Instantiation-time* Initialization.

```
Car::Car(const char * licPlts, float glns,  
        float mlg, int fId,  
        const double engTim[VLV]) :  
    m_gallons( glns ), m_mileage( mlg ),  
    m_frameId( fId ) {  
    // m_frameId = fId; wouldn't work (const) !  
}
```

Note: With a **const** Member, needs to exist an *Initialization List* for every Constructor !

```
Car myCar("Gandalf", 0, 0, 11000); //11000 years
```

```
class Car {  
public:  
    Car();  
    Car(const char* licPlts, float glns  
        =DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0, int fId=NO_F  
        ,const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
    Car(const Car & car);  
    float addGas(float gallons);  
    float getGallons() const ;  
    float getMileage() const ;  
    char * m_licensePlates;  
protected:  
    float m_gallons;  
    float m_mileage;  
private:  
    bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]) ;  
    double m_engineTiming[VLV] ;  
    const int m_frameId;  
};
```


Class Cheatsheet

Initialization List(s):

➤ Class-with-*Composistion* Initialization.

```
class Driver {  
    public:  
        Driver() {}  
        Driver(char name[PLT], int fId);  
    private:  
        char m_name[PLT];  
        Car m_car;  
};  
  
Driver::Driver(const char* name, int fId=NO_F) :  
    m_name(name), m_car(name,0,0,fId) {  
    // Driver & m_car instantiated & initialized  
}
```

ctor-in-ctor Call

Driver ctor Parameter re-used for Car ctor.

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        Car();  
        Car(char licPlts[PLT], float glns  
            =DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0, int fId=NO_F  
            ,const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
        Car(const Car & car);  
        float addG/M(float gal/mil);  
        float getG/M() const;  
        char m_licensePlates[PLT];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons, m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
        double m_engineTiming[VLV];  
        const int m_frameId;  
};
```


Class Cheatsheet

Delegating Constructor (C++11):

- Can have one **ctor** invoke another **ctor**.

```
Car(char licPlts[PLT], int fId) :  
    Car(licPlts, DFT_GLNS, 0, fId, DFT_TIM);
```

Default Member Initialization (C++11):

- Can set default Member values in Declaration.
- Any *Initialization List* appearance of the member will have precedence over this default.

```
class Car {  
public:  
    Car();  
    Car(char licPlts[PLT], float glns  
        =DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0, int fId=NO_F  
        ,const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
    Car(char licPlts[PLT], int fId) :  
        Car(licPlts, DFT_GLNS, 0, fId, DFT_TIM);  
    float addG/M(float gal/mil);  
    float getG/M() const ;  
    char m_licensePlates[PLT] = "Gdf";  
protected:  
    float m_gallons = DFT_GLNS;  
    float m_mileage = 0;  
private:  
    bool setEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
    double m_engineTiming[VLV] = {...};  
    const int m_frameId;  
};
```

Class Cheatsheet

static Data Members:

- Class state properties, not bound to an Object.
- Manipulated via the Class or an Object (if not **private**).

```
Car::Car() { carFactoryCnt++; } //dflt ctor  
cout << Car::carFactoryCnt;    //via class  
Car myCar1; //call dflt ctor, increment cnt  
cout << myCar1.carFactoryCnt;  //via object
```

static Member Function:

- Can only manipulate & address **static** Data Members and **static** Member Functions.

```
Car myCar2; //call dflt ctor, increment cnt  
cout << Car::getCarFactoryCnt() << "==" <<  
      << myCar1.getCarFactoryCnt() << "==" <<  
      << myCar2.getCarFactoryCnt() ; //2==2==2
```

```
class Car { //Class Header  
public:  
    Car();  
    Car(char licPlts[PLT], float glns  
        =DFT_GLNS, float mlg=0, int fId=NO_F  
        , const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
    ...  
    static int getCarFactoryCnt();  
private:  
    // declaration of static member  
    static int s carFactoryCnt;  
};
```

```
#include <Car.h> //Class Source  
  
// definition of static member  
int Car::s_carFactoryCnt = 0;  
int Car::getCarFactoryCnt() {  
    return Car::s_carFactoryCnt;  
} ...
```

Class Cheatsheet

static Local Variables in Class Methods:

- Statically allocated data.
- Initialized the first time Class Function block is entered.
- Lifetime until program exits!

```
float Car::addG(float gallons){  
    static int refill_cnt = 0;  
    cout<<"Refilled "<< ++refill_cnt <<" times"<<endl;  
    m_gallons += gallons;  
}
```

```
Car myCar1, myCar2;
```

```
myCar1.addG(10.0);
```

```
Output: Refilled 1 times
```

```
myCar2.addG(10.0);
```

```
Output: Refilled 2 times
```

Note: Visible only in Function block (of no use to Class) !

```
class Car {  
    public:  
        Car();  
        Car(char licPlts[PLT],float glns  
            =DFT_GLNS,float mlg=0,int fId=NO_F  
            ,const double engTim[VLV]=DFT_TIM);  
        Car(const Car &car);  
        float addG/M(float gallons);  
        float getG/M() const ;  
        static int getCarFactoryCnt();  
        char m_licensePlates[PLT];  
    protected:  
        float m_gallons, m_mileage;  
    private:  
        bool getEngineTiming(double [VLV]);  
        double m_engineTiming[VLV];  
        const int m_frameId;  
        static int s_carFactoryCnt;  
};
```


Operator Overloading

Operators in Classes – Introduction

Remember Aggregate Class Initialization:

```
class Vacation{
    public:
        Vacation(int numDays, const Date & firstDay);
    private:
        int m_tripLength;
        Date m_startDay;
};

Vacation::Vacation(int numDays, const Date & firstDay) {
    m_tripLength = numDays;
    m_startDay = firstDay;
}
```

```
class Date{
    public:
        Date();
        Date(int month,
            int day=DFT_D,
            int year=DFT_Y,
            bool gregorian=true);
        Date(const Date &date);

        void setM/D/Y(int mdY);
        int getM/D/Y() const;
        void shiftNextDay();
    private:
        int m_month, m_day,
            m_year;
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}
```

What would be the “meaning” of this (=) among *Dates* ?

Compiler creates a default *Assignment* Operator (=) for Class Objects: a *Member-Copy*.

```
class Date{
    public:
        Date();
        Date(int month,
            int day=DFT_D,
            int year=DFT_Y,
            bool gregorian=true);
        Date(const Date &date);

        void setM/D/Y(int mdY);
        int getM/D/Y() const;
        void shiftNextDay();
    private:
        int m_month, m_day,
            m_year;
        const bool m_gregorian;
};
```

Operator Overloading

Operators (+, -, %, ==, etc.) and Built-in Types (int, double, etc.)

In reality they represent Functions.

- Simply “called” with different syntax:

x + **7** ;

(+) is binary operator with x and 7 as operands.

- It's just a more intuitive notation for humans, instead of:

+(**x**, **7**) ;

The diagram consists of two blue-bordered boxes. The first box, labeled "Function Name", contains the text "Function Name" and has a blue arrow pointing upwards to the green "+" symbol in the code snippet above. The second box, labeled "Function Arguments", contains the text "Function Arguments" and has a blue arrow pointing leftwards to the "(x, 7)" part of the code snippet above.

Operator Overloading

Operator(s) and Custom Types

Useful to have an Operator work with user-defined types?

➤ Operator (**+**) :

classObject3 **=** *classObject1* **+** *classObject2*;

```
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    Money();
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          int cents=0);
    Money(const Money &m);
    void setD/C(int dc);
    int getD/C() const;
private:
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Particular challenges to keep it meaningful?

➤ `myMoney` **=** `myMoney` **+** `salaryMoney`;

`#{1000,125}` **=** `#{0,75}` **+** `#{1000,50}`

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public:
    Money();
    Money(int dollars,
          int cents=0);
    Money(const Money &m);
    void setD/C(int dc);
    int getD/C() const;
private:
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    int m_cents;
};
```

Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Overloading *Binary* Operator (`==`):

- Non-Member Function of Class *Money*.
- Like overloading functions, Operator is Function name.

Syntax:

```
bool operator ==(const Money& amount1,  
                  const Money& amount2);
```

```
83 bool operator ==(const Money& amount1, const Money& amount2)  
84 {  
85     return ((amount1.getDollars( ) == amount2.getDollars( ))  
86             && (amount1.getCents( ) == amount2.getCents( )));  
87 }
```

- “Compares” *Money* Objects.

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
           int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    void setD/C(int dc);  
    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
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    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
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    int m_cents;  
};
```


Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Overloading *Unary* Operator (-):

- Non-Member Function of Class *Money*.
- Like overloading functions, Operator is Function name.

Syntax:

```
const Money operator -(const Money& amount) {  
    return Money(-amount.GetD(), -amount.GetC());  
}
```

Example:

```
Money moneyIn(1000, 0);  
Money moneyOut = -moneyIn;
```

- “Negates” a *Money* Object.
- Returns an *Unnamed* Object.

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
           int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    void setD/C(int dc);  
    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
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    int m_cents;  
};
```

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```

Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Overloading Operator (**+**):

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Syntax:

```
const Money operator +(const Money& amount1,  
                        const Money& amount2);
```

“Adds” *Money* Objects:

- Overloads **+** for operands of type *Money*.
- Uses **const**-Reference Parameters for efficiency.
- Returned value is of type *Money*, *Unnamed* Object.

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
          int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    void setD/C(int dc);  
    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
    int m_dollars;  
    int m_cents;  
};
```


Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Still, like a regular *Overloaded* Function:

- Non-Member Function of Class *Money*.
- More “involved” than Member-by-Member adding.

```
52 const Money operator +(const Money& amount1, const Money& amount2)
53 {
54     int allCents1 = amount1.getCents( ) + amount1.getDollars( )*100;
55     int allCents2 = amount2.getCents( ) + amount2.getDollars( )*100;
56     int sumAllCents = allCents1 + allCents2;
57     int absAllCents = abs(sumAllCents); //Money can be negative.
58     int finalDollars = absAllCents/100;
59     int finalCents = absAllCents%100;
60
61     if (sumAllCents < 0)
62     {
63         finalDollars = -finalDollars;
64         finalCents = -finalCents;
65     }
66
67     return Money(finalDollars, finalCents);
68 }
```

```
class Money{
public:
    Money();
    Money(int dollars,
           int cents=0);
    Money(const Money &m);
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67  }
```

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Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Overloading Operator (**+**):

➤ A Member Function of Class *Money*.

Syntax (Function Prototype):

```
const Money operator +(const Money& m) const;
```

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
           int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    const Money operator +  
    (const Money& m) const;  
    void setD/C(int dc);  
    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
    int m_dollars;  
    int m_cents;  
};
```

Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Overloading Operator (**+**):

- A Member Function of Class *Money*.
- Calling Object serves as 1st parameter.

Syntax (Function Prototype):

```
const Money operator+(const Money& m) const;
```

Example:

```
Money cost(1, 50), tax(0, 15), total;
```

```
total = cost + tax;
```

Intuitively:

```
total = cost.operator+(tax);
```

Calling Object

```
class Money{
public:
    Money();
    Money(int dollars,
          int cents=0);
    Money(const Money &m);

    const Money operator +
        (const Money& m) const;

    void setD/C(int dc);
    int getD/C() const;

private:
    int m_dollars;
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Example:

```
Money cost(1, 50), tax(0, 15), total;
```

```
total = cost + tax;
```

Intuitively:

```
total = cost.operator+(tax);
```

Operator Member
Function

Calling Object

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
           int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
  
    const Money operator +  
    (const Money& m) const;  
  
    void setD/C(int dc);  
    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
    int m_dollars;  
    int m_cents;  
};
```


Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Overloading Operator (**+**):

➤ Non-Member Function version.

```
const Money operator+(const Money&a, const Money&b) {  
    return Money(a.GetD() + b.GetD(),  
                 a.GetC() + b.GetC() );  
}
```

No access to Parameter **private** Members

➤ Member Function of Class **Money** version.

```
const Money Money::operator+(const Money&b) const {  
    return Money(m_dollars + b.m_dollars,  
                 m_cents + b.m_cents );  
}
```

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}
```

Calling Object's
Members

Class Method (access to
Parameter **private** Members)

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    Money(const Money &m);  
    const Money operator +  
    (const Money& m) const;  
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};
```

Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Overloading Operator (`+`), Twice:

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```
const Money operator+(const Money&a, const Money&b)
{   return Money(1);   }
```

➤ Member Function of Class *Money* version.

```
const Money Money::operator+(const Money&b) const
{   return Money(2);   }
```

warning: ISO C++ says that these are ambiguous, even though the worst conversion for the first is better than the worst conversion for the second.

```
class Money{
public:
    Money();
    Money(int dollars,
           int cents=0);
    Money(const Money &m);

    const Money operator +
    (const Money& m) const;

    void setD/C(int dc);
    int getD/C() const;

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Money m1, m2, m3 = m1 + m2;

Result: 1

Money m1, m2, m3 = m1 .operator+ (m2);

Result: 2

```
class Money{
public:
    Money();
    Money(int dollars,
           int cents=0);
    Money(const Money &m);

    const Money operator +
    (const Money& m) const;

    void setD/C(int dc);
    int getD/C() const;

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    int m_dollars;
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};
```


Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Overloading Operator (-), Twice (w/ intention):

➤ Non-Member Function: *Unary*.

```
const Money operator-(const Money &amount) {  
    return Money(-amount.GetD(), -amount.GetC());  
}
```

➤ Member Function of Class: *Binary*.

```
const Money Money::operator-(const Money&b) const {  
    Money tmpMoney(m_dollars - b.m_dollars,  
                   m_cents - b.m_cents );  
    /* create temporary object and work with it  
       as we go, code to try and fix rollover. */  
    return tmpMoney;  
}
```

```
class Money {  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
          int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    const Money operator-  
    (const Money& m) const;  
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};
```

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const Money operator-(const Money &amount);
```

➤ Member Function of Class: *Binary*.

```
const Money Money::operator-(const Money&b) const;
```

Note:

Cannot change Operator Precedence & Associativity rules.

Example calls:

```
Money myPocket(10), myDebts(6,25);
```

```
Money myLiving = myPocket - myDebts; Binary  
           {3,75}
```

```
Money notMyDebts = - myDebts; Unary  
           {-6,-25}
```

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
           int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    const Money operator-  
    (const Money& m) const;  
    void SetD/C(int dc);  
    int GetD/C() const;  
private:  
    int m_dollars;  
    int m_cents;  
};
```


Operator Overloading

Overloading Operator(s)

Overloading Operator (=) (half the story, the rest for later) :

- Must be Member Operator.
- If not specified, defaults to Member-Copy Assignment.
- Remember *Deep-Copy* vs *Shallow-Copy*.

```
void Money::operator=(const Money & amount){  
    m_dollars = amount.dollars;  
    m_cents = amount.m_cents;  
    strcpy(m_owner, amount.m_owner);  
}
```

← Value-copy

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
           int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    void operator=  
        (const Money& m);  
    void setD/C(int dc);  
    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
    int m_dollars;  
    int m_cents;  
    char * m_owner;  
};
```


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    strcpy(m_owner, amount.m_owner);  
}
```

Value-copy

User-guaranteed Data-copy on raw Pointers

Note: Class **ctor** needs to have properly allocated memory for the raw Pointer Data.

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
           int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    void operator=  
        (const Money& m);  
    void setD/C(int dc);  
    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
    int m_dollars;  
    int m_cents;  
    char * m_owner;  
};
```

Operator Overloading

Return by-**const**-Value

Overloading Operator (**+**), again:

➤ Returned: type **Money**, *Unnamed Object*.

```
const Money operator+(const Money&a, const Money&b) {  
    return Money(a.getD() + b.getD(),  
                 a.getC() + b.getC());  
}
```

Why **const**-Value ?

```
Money a(4, 50), b(3, 25), c(2, 10);
```

```
(a + b);
```

Evaluates to: *Unnamed Object*

```
class Money{  
    public:  
        Money();  
        Money(int dollars,  
              int cents=0);  
        Money(const Money &m);  
        const Money operator-  
        (const Money& m) const;  
        void setD/C(int dc);  
        int getD/C() const;  
    private:  
        int m_dollars;  
        int m_cents;  
};
```

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                 a.getC() + b.getC());  
}
```

Why **const**-Value ?

```
Money a(4, 50), b(3, 25), c(2, 10);
```

```
(a + b);
```

Evaluates to: *Unnamed Object*

```
c = (a + b);
```

OK...

```
class Money{  
    public:  
        Money();  
        Money(int dollars,  
              int cents=0);  
        Money(const Money &m);  
        const Money operator-  
        (const Money& m) const;  
        void setD/C(int dc);  
        int getD/C() const;  
    private:  
        int m_dollars;  
        int m_cents;  
};
```


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```
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    return Money(a.getD() + b.getD(),  
                 a.getC() + b.getC());  
}
```

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```
Money a(4, 50), b(3, 25), c(2, 10);
```

```
(a + b);
```

Evaluates to: *Unnamed Object*

```
c = (a + b);
```

OK...

```
(a + b) = c;
```

No !!!

Prevents (&protects) us from
altering the returned value...

```
error: passing 'const Money' as 'this' argument discards  
qualifiers [-fpermissive]
```

```
class Money{  
    public:  
        Money();  
        Money(int dollars,  
              int cents=0);  
        Money(const Money &m);  
        const Money operator-  
        (const Money& m) const;  
        void setD/C(int dc);  
        int getD/C() const;  
    private:  
        int m_dollars;  
        int m_cents;  
};
```


Operator Overloading

Return by-**const**-Reference (?)

Overloading Operator (**+**), again:

➤ Returned: type **Money&**, *Unnamed Object Reference*.

```
const Money& operator+(const Money&a, const Money&b)  
{  
    return Money(a.getD() + b.getD(),  
                 a.getC() + b.getC() );  
}
```

warning: returning reference to temporary.

➤ Makes a temporary Object, goes out of scope!

```
class Money{  
    public:  
        Money();  
        Money(int dollars,  
              int cents=0);  
        Money(const Money &m);  
        const Money operator-  
        (const Money& m) const;  
        void setD/C(int dc);  
        int getD/C() const;  
    private:  
        int m_dollars;  
        int m_cents;  
};
```

Operator Overloading

Return by-**const**-Reference (?)

Overloading Operator (**+**), again:

➤ Returned: type **Money&**, *Unnamed Object Reference*.

```
const Money& operator+(const Money&a, const Money&b)  
{  
    return Money(a.getD() + b.getD(),  
                  a.getC() + b.getC() );  
}
```

warning: returning reference to temporary.

➤ Makes a temporary Object, goes out of scope!

```
Money a(4, 50), b(3, 25);
```

```
const Money* ab Pt = &(a + b);
```

```
cout << ab_Pt->getD()  
<< ", " << ab_Pt->getC();
```

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No!
This is UNSAFE!

Function **return** does not guarantee an immediate *Stack* frame wipe!

```
class Money{  
    public:  
        Money();  
        Money(int dollars,  
              int cents=0);  
        Money(const Money &m);  
        const Money operator-  
(const Money& m) const;  
        void setD/C(int dc);  
        int getD/C() const;  
    private:  
        int m_dollars;  
        int m_cents;  
};
```

Operator Overloading

Return by-Reference

Overloading Operator (`[]`):

- Returned: `<type_id>&`, internal Member Reference.

```
int& Money::operator[] (const int index) {  
    return m_transID[index];  
}
```

- Accessing (`private`) Data Member by-Reference.

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
           int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    int& operator[] (const  
                    int index);  
    void setD/C(int dc);  
    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
    int m_dollars;  
    int m_cents;  
    int m_transID[T_HIST];  
};
```

Operator Overloading

Return by-Reference (!)

Overloading Operator (`[]`):

➤ Returned: `<type_id>&`, internal Member Reference.

```
int& Money::operator[] (const int index) {  
    return m_transID[index];  
}
```

➤ Accessing (`private`) Data Member by-Reference:

```
Money hugeCheck(1000000);
```

```
int transCnt = 0;
```

```
hugeCheck[transCnt++] = BANK_TRANS;
```

```
hugeCheck[transCnt++] = BRIBE_TRANS;
```

```
hugeCheck[transCnt++] = BANK_TRANS;
```

```
if (hugeCheck[1] == BRIBE_TRANS)  
{ cout << "Illegal Activity!"; }
```

Write-to

Read-from

```
class Money{  
public:  
    Money();  
    Money(int dollars,  
           int cents=0);  
    Money(const Money &m);  
    int& operator[] (const  
                     int index);  
    void setD/C(int dc);  
    int getD/C() const;  
private:  
    int m_dollars;  
    int m_cents;  
    int m_transID[T_HIST];  
};
```


Operator Overloading

Remember All Operators ?

Overload just about anything, but be VERY careful...

- `[]`
- `*` : Multiplication, Pointer Dereference
- `/` : Division
- `+` : Addition, Unary Positive
- `-` : Subtraction, Unary Negative
- `++` : Increment, Pre-and-Post
- `--` : Decrement, Pre-and-Post
- `=` : Assignment
- `<=`, `>=`, `<`, `>`, `==`, `!=` : Comparisons
- Many, many others...

Operator Overloading

Remember All Operators ?

Some are out, some should be kept untouched...

- `?` : Ternary Conditional is not Overloadable.
- `&&`, `||`, built-in versions are defined for `bool` types.
Use “Short-Circuit Evaluation”, also available in C++.
- When overloaded no longer uses “Short-Circuit”, but “Complete Evaluation”.
Generally should not overload these operators,
(also Operator Overloading had better “make sense”).

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Time for Questions !