



Part III

Synchronization

A bit of C++ and ThreadMentor

I don't know what the programming language
of the year 2000 will look like, but I know it
will be called FORTRAN.

Basics

- C++ is a superset of C
 - Anything that works in C will work in C++
 - C++ is object-oriented (like Java)
- Files are named **name.cpp** or **name.cc**
- GNU compiler is g++
- Only covering enough to use C++ thread package for this course

iostream and namespace

- Include `iostream` for input/output.
- Then, add `using namespace std;`

Namespaces allows control over the scope of otherwise global names; entities like classes, objects and functions to be grouped together into sub-scopes

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

int main(...)
{
    // other C/C++ statements
}
```

Input with `cin` and `>>`

- Use `cin` and `>>` to read from `stdin`.
- For example, `cin >> n` reads in a data item from `stdin` to variable `n`.
- One more example: `cin >> a >> b` reads in two data items from `stdin` to variables `a` and `b` in this order.
- Thus, `cin` is easier to use than `scanf`.

Output with `cout` and `<<`

- Use `cout` and `<<` to write to `stdout`.
- For example, `cout << n` writes the content of variable `n` to `stdout`.
- One more example: `cout << a << b` writes the values of variables `a` and `b` to `stdout` in this order.
- Thus, `cout` is easier to use than `printf`.
- Formatted output with `cout` is tedious.

- The `\n` is `endl`: `cout << a << endl` prints the value of `a` and follows by a newline.
- You may want to add spaces to separate two printed values, in particular between two strings.
- The formatted output depends on some default setting of a system.
- `cout << a << ' ' << b << endl` is better than `cout << a << b << endl`.

cin/cout **Example 1**

```
#include <iostream>                                hello.cpp

using namespace std;

int main(void)
{
    cout << "Hello, world." << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

cin/cout **Example 2**

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

int main(void){
    int i, n, factorial;

    cout << "A positive integer --> ";
    cin >> n;
    factorial = 1;
    for (i = 1; i <= n; i++) factorial *= i;
    cout << "Factorial of " << n << " = "
         << factorial << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

factorial.cpp

cin/cout **Example 3**

```
int main(void)
{
    int x = 1;
    int y = 12;
    float f = 3.4;

    cout << x << y << f << endl;

    return 0;
}
```

```
$. /twoout
1123.4
```

What Is a `class`?

- A `class` is a type similar to a `struct`; but, a `class` type normally has member functions and member variables.

Interface to
objects of the
class

Only available in
the member
functions

```
class Sum_and_Product
{
    public:
        int a, b;
        void Sum(), Product();
        void Reset(int, int), Display();
    private:
        int MySum, MyProduct;
};
```

Semicolon easily overlooked. Beware.

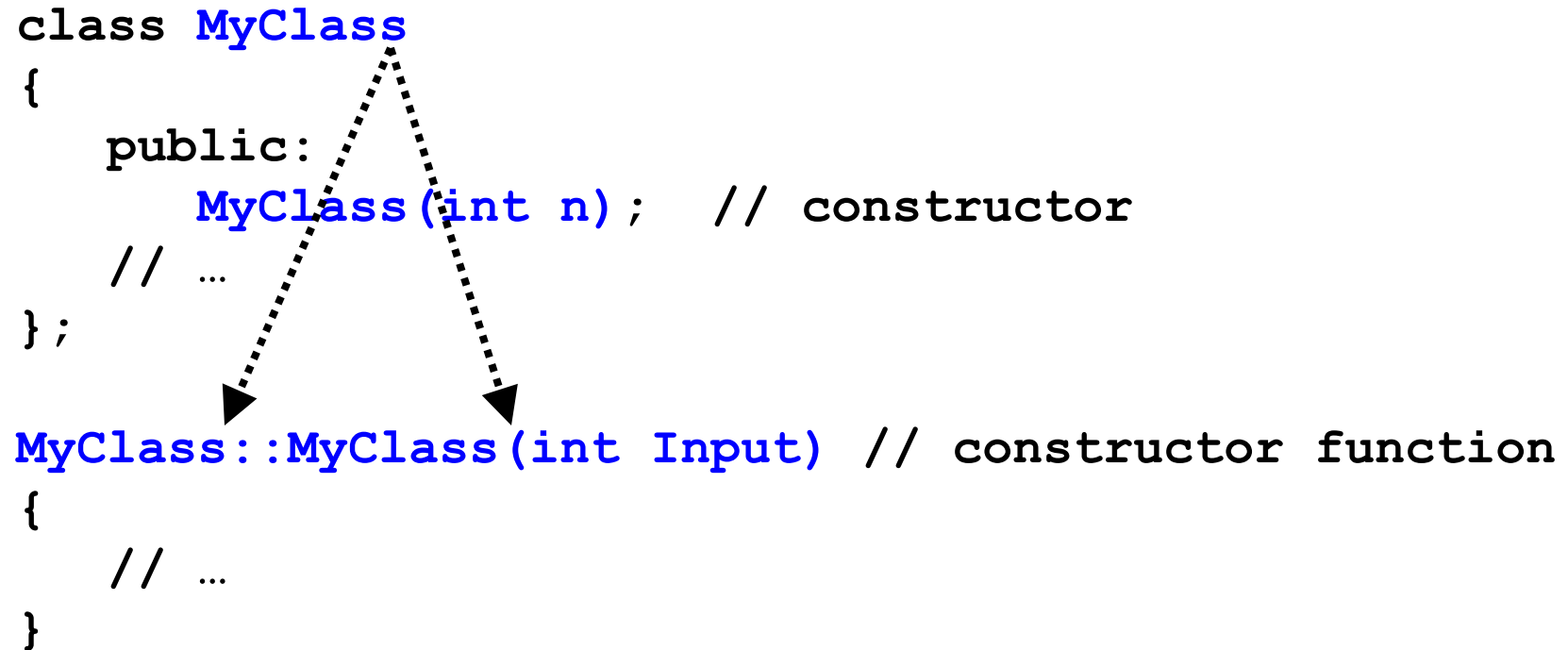
Constructors

- Constructors are member functions and are commonly used to initialize member variables in a class.
- A constructor is called when its class is created.
- A constructor has the same name as the class.
- A constructor definition **cannot** return a value, and no type, not even **void**, can be given at the beginning of the function or in the function header.

- Constructors are commonly used to initialize member variables in a class.

```
class MyClass
{
    public:
        MyClass(int n); // constructor
        // ...
};

MyClass::MyClass(int Input) // constructor function
{
    // ...
}
```



```
class Date
{
private:
    int month, day, year;
public:
    //These are constructors
    Date();
    Date(int, int, int);
        . . .
};
Date::Date()
{
    month = 0, day = 0, year = 0;
}
Date::Date(int Month, int Day, int Year)
{
    month = Month;
    day = Day;
    year = Year;
}
```

Member Functions

- Member functions are just functions.

```
class MyClass
{
    public:
        MyClass(int n);    // constructor
        void Display(...); // member function
        // ...
};

MyClass::Display(...)    // function
{
    // .....
}
```

Example

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

class MyAccount
{
    public:
        MyAccount(int Initial_Amount); // constructor
        int Deposit(int);              // member funct
        int Withdraw(int);             // member funct
        void Display(void);            // member funct

    private:
        int Balance;                  // private variable
};
```

account.cpp

```
MyAccount::MyAccount(int initial)                account.cpp
{
    Balance = initial;    // constructor initialization
}

int MyAccount::Deposit(int Amount)
{
    cout << "Deposit Request  = " << Amount << endl;
    cout << "Previous Balance = " << Balance << endl;
    Balance += Amount;
    cout << "New Balance      = " << Balance << endl
         << endl;
    return Balance;
}
```



```
int MyAccount::Withdraw(int Amount)           account.cpp
{
    cout << "Withdraw Request = " << Amount << endl;
    cout << "Previous Balance = " << Balance << endl;
    Balance -= Amount;
    cout << "New Balance      = " << Balance << endl
         << endl;
    return Balance;
}

void MyAccount::Display(void)
{
    cout << "Current Balance  = " << Balance << endl
         << endl;
}
```

```
int main(void)
{
    MyAccount NewAccount(0); // initial new account

    NewAccount.Display();    // display balance
    NewAccount.Deposit(20);   // deposit 20 (Bal=20)
    NewAccount.Deposit(35);   // deposit 35 (Bal=55)
    NewAccount.Withdraw(40);  // withdraw 40 (Bal=15)
    NewAccount.Display();    // current balance
    return 0;
}
```

account.cpp

```
int main(void)
{
    MyAccount *NewAccount;           // use pointer

    NewAccount = new MyAccount(0);  // create account
    NewAccount->Display();           // now use ->
    NewAccount->Deposit(20);
    NewAccount->Deposit(35);
    NewAccount->Withdraw(40);
    NewAccount->Display();
    return 0;
}
```

initial value here

This version uses a pointer.

The `new` operator creates an object and returns a pointer to it.

It is similar to `malloc()` in C. Use `delete` to deallocate.

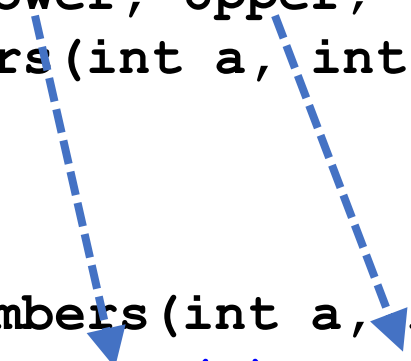
Constructors :

The Initialization Section

- There is a faster way, actually maybe a preferable way, to initialize member variables.

```
class Numbers
{
    public:
        int Lower, Upper;
        Numbers(int a, int b);    // constructor
        // ...
};

Numbers::Numbers(int a, int b)
    : Lower(a), Upper(b)    // init. section
{ // function body is empty
}
```

A diagram consisting of two dashed blue arrows. The first arrow originates from the 'int Lower' variable in the class declaration and points to the 'Lower(a)' expression in the initialization section of the constructor. The second arrow originates from the 'int Upper' variable and points to the 'Upper(b)' expression in the same initialization section.

Derived Classes

- Deriving a class from an existing one is called **inheritance** in C++.
- The newly created class is a **derived** class and the class from which the derived class is created is a **base** class.
- The constructor (and destructor) of a base class is not inherited.

- A derived class is just a class with the following syntax:

```
class derived-class-name : public base-class-name
{
    public:
        // public member declarations
        derived-class-constructor();
    private:
        // private member declarations
};
```

Derived class inherits everything in the public section of the base class

```
class Base
{
    public:
        int a;
        Base(int x=10):a(x)
            { cout << "Base constructor" << endl; }
} // use x to init a
};

class Derived: public Base
{
    public:
        int x;
        Derived(int m=20):x(m) // use m to init x
            { cout << "Derived constructor" << endl; }
};
```

derived-1.cpp

Default value

Base class constructor is called first. Then derived class constructor is called.

derived-1.cpp

```
int main(void)
{
    Base    X, *XX;
    Derived Y, *YY;

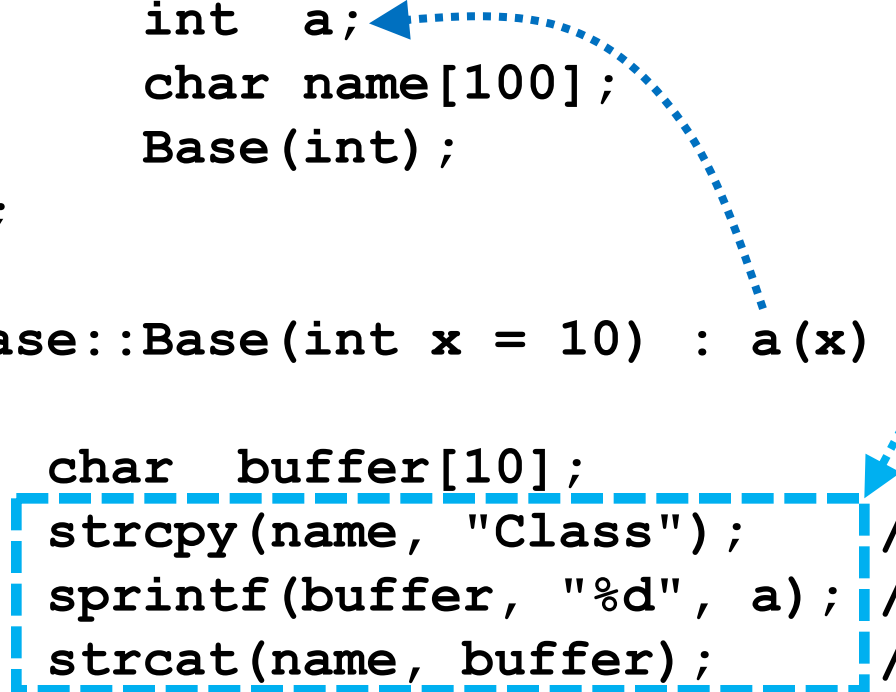
    cout << "Base's a value      = " << X.a << endl;
    cout << "Derived's a value = " << Y.a << endl;
    cout << "Derived's x value = " << Y.x << endl;
    cout << endl;
    XX = new Base(123);
    cout << "Base's a value = " << XX->a << endl;
    YY = new Derived(789);
    cout << "Derived's a value = " << YY->a << endl;
    cout << "Derived's x value = " << YY->x << endl;

    return 0;
}
```


derived-2.cpp

```
class Base
{
    public:
        int a;
        char name[100];
        Base(int);
};

Base::Base(int x = 10) : a(x)
{
    char buffer[10];
    strcpy(name, "Class"); // requires string.h
    sprintf(buffer, "%d", a); // requires stdio.h
    strcat(name, buffer); // requires string.h
    cout << "Base has " << a << " " << name << endl;
}
```



This is not the best way;
but, it works!

```
class Derived: public Base
{
    public:
        Derived(int m=20) : Base(m) {    }
};
```

derived-2.cpp

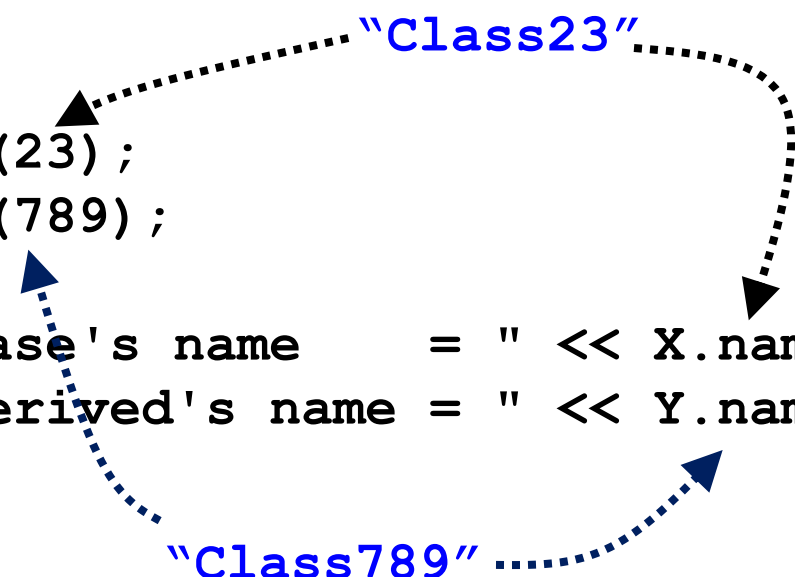
Call Base
constructor
with value m

use **m** to call constructor **Base**

```
int main(void)
{
    Base    X(23);
    Derived Y(789);

    cout << "Base's name    = " << X.name << endl;
    cout << "Derived's name = " << Y.name << endl;

    return 0;
}
```



Organization & Compilation

- Normally, the specification part and the implementation part of a class are saved in `.h` and `.cpp` files, respectively.

User of the class just includes this file

```
class MyAccount MyAccount.h
{
    public:
        MyAccount(int Initial_Amount) ;
        int  Deposit(int) ;
        int  Withdraw(int) ;
        void Display(void) ;

    private:
        int  Balance;
};
```

*Compile this into
object code to link
against*

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

using namespace std;

MyAccount::MyAccount(int initial)
    : Balance(initial)
{ /* function body is empty */ }

int MyAccount::Deposit(int Amount)
{
    cout << "Deposit Request  = " << Amount << endl;
    cout << "Previous Balance = " << Balance << endl;
    Balance += Amount;
    cout << "New Balance      = " << Balance
         << endl << endl;
    return Balance;
}

// other member functions
```

MyAccount.cpp

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

using namespace std;

int main(void)
{
    MyAccount *NewAccount;

    NewAccount = new MyAccount(0);
    NewAccount->Display();
    NewAccount->Deposit(20);
    NewAccount->Deposit(35);
    NewAccount->Withdraw(40);
    NewAccount->Display();
    return 0;
}
```

account-3.cpp

- Now we have the specification file `MyAccount.h`, the implementation file `MyAccount.cpp`, and the main program `account-3.cpp`.

- Compile the whole thing this way

```
g++ MyAccount.cpp account-3.cpp -o account-3
```

- Or, we may compile `MyAccount.cpp` to `MyAccount.o` and use it later:

```
g++ MyAccount.cpp -c
```

```
g++ account-3.cpp MyAccount.o -o account-3
```



The End