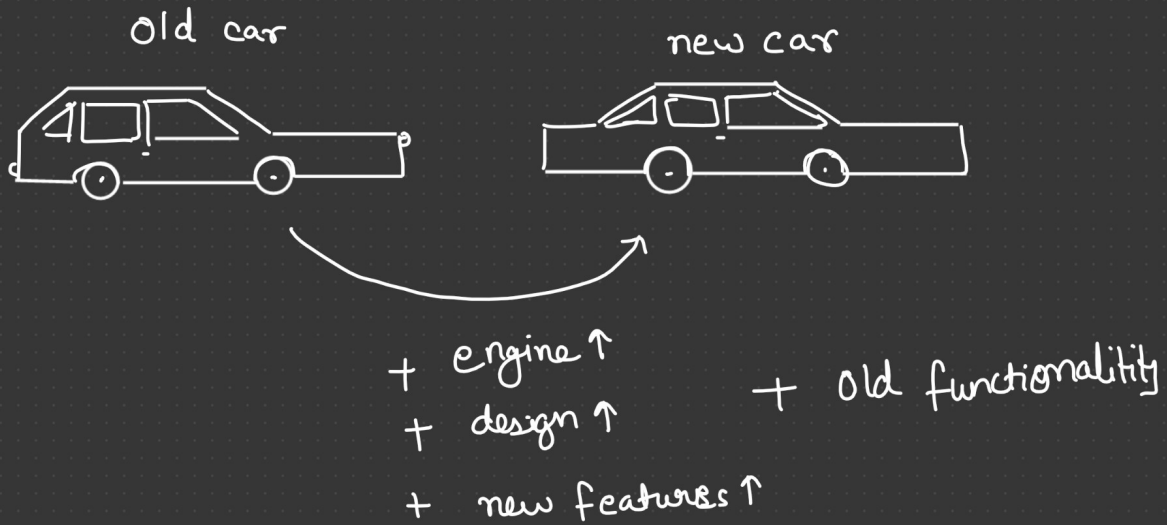


Inheritance

One of the main goal of oop's is to provide reusable code.



```
class Calculator
{
    add()
    {
    }
    sub()
    {
    }
}

class NewCalculator
{
    add() ✓
    sub() ✓
    mult() +
    divide() +
}

};
```

Parent class / Base class



child class / Derived class

class A
{

};

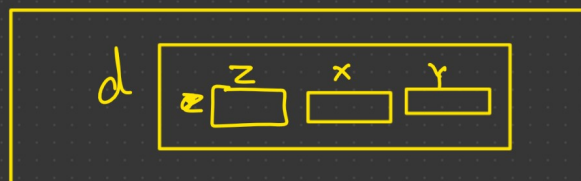
class B : public A
{

 +
 New
};

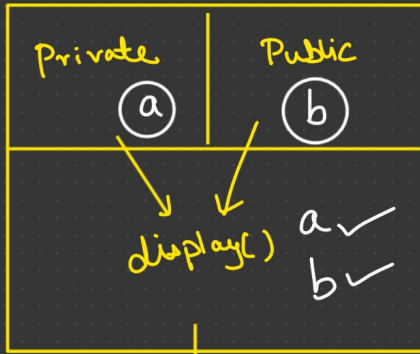
class ABC
{
 public :
 int x, y;
};

class DEF : public ABC
{
 public :
 int z;
};

```
int main()
{
    DEF d;
}
```

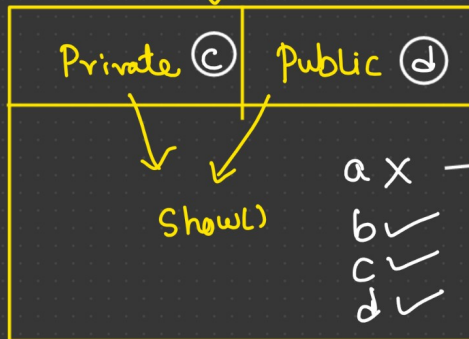


class A



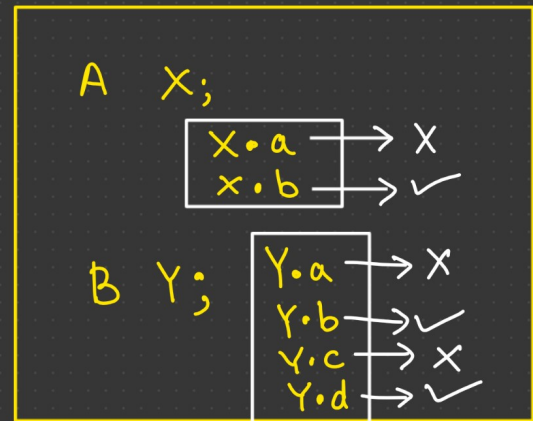
class B

public inheritance



private members
are not accessible
outside the class.

main()



```

class Parent
{
    public :
        int x, y;

        void display()
        {
            cout << x << y;
        }
};

```

```

class Child : public Parent
{
    public :
        int z;

        void display()
        {
            cout << x << y << z;
        }
};

```



```

int main()
{

```

```

    Parent a;
    Child b;

```

```

    Parent *p = &a;
    p->display();
} ① → parent class display() called

```

```

    Child *c = &b;
    c->display();
} ② → child class display() called.

```

Parent *p1 = &y; //1. parent class pointer can point to child class object
p1->display(); //2. Function of pointer type will be called

Child *c1 = &x; // It is an error Child class pointer cannot point to parent class object
c1->display(); // error

