Programming in C++: Assignment Week 7

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Question 1

MCQ, Mark 1

- Q. When a virtual function is redefined by the derived class, it is called ——
 - a) Overloading
 - b) Overriding
 - c) Rewriting
 - d) All of these

Answer: b

Question 2

MCQ, Mark 1

- Q. How many parameters does a conversion operator may take?
 - a) 0
 - b) 1
 - c) 2
 - d) Any No.of

Answer: a

Question 3

MSQ, Mark 1

• Q. Look at following casting statements in the given code.

Consider the following code segment. What will be the content of the virtual function table (VFT) for the instance of class C in correct order?

MCQ, Marks 1

```
class A { public:
    virtual void f(int) { }
    virtual void g(double) { }
    virtual void d(char) { }
    int h(A *) { }
};
class B: public A { public:
    void f(int) { }
    virtual int h(B *) { }
};
class C: public B { public:
    void g(double) { }
    void d(char) { }
    int h(B *) { }
};
a. C::g(C*const, double)
   C::d(C*const, char)
   C::h(C*const, B*)
   B::f(B*const, int)
b. B::f(B*const, int)
  C::g(C*const, double)
   C::d(C*const, char)
   C::h(C*const, B*)
```

```
    c. C::d(C*const, char)
    C::h(C*const, B*)
    C::g(C*const, double)
    B::f(B*const, int)
    d. B::f(B*const, int)
    C::d(C*const, char)
    C::h(C*const, B*)
    C::g(C*const, double)
```

Answer: b)

Explanation: Virtual functions of the base class are placed first in the VFT, followed by its own virtual functions in the order of declaration in the class. Please refer to the course video lectures for more details.

Question 5

A class can be called as polymorphic if it contains

MSQ, Marks 1

- a. Virtual functions of its own
- b. Virtual functions of base classes
- c. Pure virtual functions
- d. Member functions and Virtual functions

```
Answer: a), b), c), d)
```

Explanation: A polymorphic class should contain at least one virtual function. It can be pure, non-pure or derived with or without non-virtual functions.

Question 6

MSQ, Mark 1

• Q. Look at the following code

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class A { } ;
int main(){
   int i = 20, *x ; double d = 35.6 ;
   A a , *p = &a ;
   x = (int *) p ; // statement-1
   i = (int) d ; // statement-2
   p = (A *) &i ; // statement-3
   return 0 ;
}
```

Look at the C-style casting in the above code and identify the correct equivalent C++ castings associated with the statement-1, 2 &3.

- a) const_cast, reinterpret_cast, static_cast
- b) reinterpret_cast, const_cast, static_cast

- c) static_cast, reinterpret_cast, static_cast
- d) reinterpret_cast, static_cast, reinterpret_cast,

Answer: d

Question 7

Which of the following cast operator/s can convert any class object pointer to any other class object pointer? $MSQ\ Marks\ 1$

- a. const_cast
- b. static_cast
- $c. reinterpret_cast$
- d. dynamic_cast

Answer: c)

Explanation: reinterpret_cast. Refer course material for more details.

Question 8

MCQ, Mark 1

- Q. What is the return type of the conversion operator?
 - a) void *
 - b) int *
 - c) float *
 - d) No return type

Answer: d

• Q. What is the output of the following program?

```
#include <iostream>
#include <typeinfo>
using namespace std;
class A { };
class B : public A {};
int main() {
   Aa; Bb;
   A *p = &a;
   A &r1 = a;
   bool b1 = typeid(a).name() == typeid(p).name();
   bool b2 = typeid(a).name() == typeid(A).name();
   bool b3 = typeid(A).name() == typeid(p).name();
   bool b4 = typeid(r1).name() == typeid(a).name();
   p = \&b;
   bool b5 = typeid(p).name() == typeid(b).name() ;
   bool b6 = typeid(p).name() == typeid(B).name();
   bool b7 = typeid(p).name() == typeid(A).name();
    cout << b1 << b2 << b3 << b4 <<b5 << b6 << b7 ;
   return 0;
}
 a) 1101001
 b) 1101010
 c) 0101000
 d) 0101001
```

Answer: c

Question 10

MCQ, Mark 1

• Q. Look at the code bellow, Replace the line-1 by a correct casting statement (if required).

```
class A { };
class B: public A { };
.......
A a ;
B *p = static_cast<B*>(&a) ; // Line-1

a) B *p = const_cast <B*> (&a) ;
b) B *p = reinterpret_cast <B*> (&a) ;
c) B *p = dynaqmic_cast <B*> (&a) ;
d) No changes required
```

Answer: c

Programming, Mark 3

• Problem statement: Look at the Following program

Note: Write proper constructor/conversion operator in appropriate class to make function convert() workable, which cast/convert 'unrelat' to 'unrelat_1' class type

```
------ Prefixed Fixed Code ------
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class unrelat{};
class unrelat_1 { };
------ Suffixed Fixed Code -------
int Convert( class unrelat_1 &c, class unrelat &d){
   int i = 5;
  cin >> i ;
   c = d;
  c = static_cast<unrelat_1>(d);
   c = (unrelat_1)d;
  return (i*10+35);
}
int main() {
  int out;
  unrelat_1 a;
  unrelat b;
  out = Convert(a, b);
  cout << out ;</pre>
  return 0;
```

Public

Input: 2
Output: 55
Input: 15
Output: 185

Private

Input: 1

Output: 45
Answer:
class unrelat_1 {
public:
 unrelat_1(){ }
 unrelat_1(const unrelat&) { }
};

```
Answer: -----OR------
class unrelat{
public:
    operator unrelat_1()
        { return unrelat_1(); }
};
```

MSQ, Mark 4

• **Problem Statement:** Write the appropriate constructor/operator function in following Program To cast 'unrelat' class to char * and vice versa

Note: Except class content, other section of code is not editable. write proper constructor/conversion operator function in appropriate class to make function convert() workable.

```
----- Prefixed Fixed Code ------
#include <iostream>
#include<cstring>
using namespace std;
----- Template Code (Editable) ------
class unrelat { public: char *str ;
// Write the appropriate constructor and/or
// conversion operator function here, as per the requirement to make convert() wo
};
char * Convert( class unrelat &a, char * i){
   char s[20];
   // unrelat ==> char *
   i = static_cast<char*>(a);
   i = (char *)a;
   strcat(i,"-success-");
   cin >> s;
   // char * ==> unrelat
   a = static_cast<unrelat>(s);
   a = (unrelat)s;
   strcat(i,a.str);
   return (i);
int main() {
   char * out;
   char input[20] ;
   cin >> input ;
   unrelat x (input);
   out = Convert(x, input);
   cout << out ;</pre>
   return 0;
}
```

• Answer:

Public

Input: my
 string

Output: my-success-string

Input: what
 is

Output: what-success-is

Private

Input: cast
 test

Output: cast-success-test

Explanation: To convert Built-in type to class type we require a proper constructor (Not Operator function). Similarly To convert (cast) a class type to Built-in type we require a proper operator function (Not constructor).

• **Problem statement:** Consider the following program. Write proper constructor / conversion operator as per the requirement in the editable section to match the outputs of test cases.

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class A {
   int i;
public:
   A(int ai) : i(ai) {}
   int get() const { return i; }
   void update() { ++i; }
};
class B {
   int i;
public:
   B(int ai) : i(ai) {}
   int get() const { return i; }
   //----- Template Code (Editable) ------
   -----
   //----- Suffix Fixed Code ------
   void update() { ++i; }
};
int main() {
   int i;
   cin >> i;
   A a(i++);
   B b(i);
   const B &r = static_cast<B>(a);
   a.update();
   cout << a.get() << ":";</pre>
   cout << r.get() << ":";
   const A &s = static_cast<A>(b);
   b.update();
   cout << b.get() << ":";</pre>
   cout << s.get() << ":";
   return 0;
}
//-----
```

Public 1

```
Input:
1
Output: 2:1:3:2:

Public 2

Input:
15
Output: 16:15:17:16:

Private

Input:
5
Output: 6:5:7:6:

Answer:

    B(A& a) : i(a.get()) {}
    operator A() { return A(i); }
```

Explanation: static_cast can explicitly call a single-argument constructor or a conversion operator (that is, User-Defined Cast) to handle the casting between two unrelated classes. Here both are present.