

Lecture 16: Call by value and call by reference.

Call by value :

- Call by value is a method in C++ to pass the value to the function argument.
- In case of call by value the copies of actual parameter are sent to the formal parameter.
- Means if we change the value inside the function that will not affect actual value.

Call by pointer :

- A call by pointer is a method in C++ to pass the values to the function arguments.
- In case of call by pointer, the address of actual parameter is sent to the formal parameter, which means that if we change the value inside the function that will affect the actual value.

Call by reference :

- Call by reference is method in C++ to pass the values to function arguments.
- In case of call by reference by reference, the reference of actual parameter is sent to formal parameter.

- Means if we change the values inside the function that will affect the actual values.

Lecture 17: Inline functions, Default arguments and constant

Inline function:

- Inline functions are used to reduce the function call. When one function is being called multiple times in the program it increases the execution time.
- Inline function is used to reduce time and increase efficiency.
- If the inline function is being used when the function is called, the inline function expands the whole function code at the point of a function call, instead of running the function.
- ★ - It is used when the function is small otherwise it will not perform well.
- ★ - It is not recommended when static variables are used.

