

→ Ambiguity resolution in inheritance:-

In inheritance ambiguity arises when in multiple inheritance a derived class is derived from two base classes. If there is ~~two~~ function in both classes with same name and in derived class that function is called then, it will be called from which class.

This is Ambiguity, it can be resolved by using scope resolution operator (::)

Example :-

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

Class A

{

void in(void)

{

cout<< "Hello, Hey" << endl;

}

};

class B

{

void ~~in~~(void)

{

cout << "Namaskar! " << endl;

}

};

class C : public A, public B

{

void in(void)

{

A::in();

}

void show(void)

{

B::in();

}

};

int main()

{

A o1;

o1.in();

B o2;

o2.in();

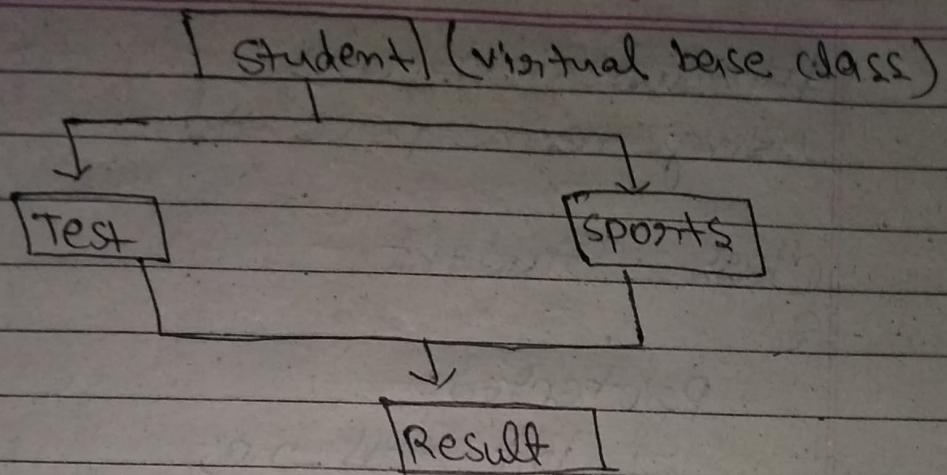
```
C Obj;  
Obj.Inc();  
return 0;  
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```

In single inheritance if a function is defined in base class and in derived class that same function is defined then while invoking that function for derived class , compiler automatically resolve that ambiguity and invoke that function which is defined in derived class.

→ Virtual base class :-

Virtual base class are made to solve ambiguity in inheritance. It controls the flow of data member and member function down the hierarchy. It checks for there is no same function or variables inherited in a class twice.

For example.



We have a class `student`, two classes derived from it `test` and `sports`. Both get one-one copy of functions and variable from `student`. `result` is derived from `test` and `sports`, so, in normal case it gets 2 copy of function & variable from `student`.

To prevent any ambiguity we make `student` a virtual base class, by doing so, now, compiler only pass one copy of `student` class to the `result` class, and checks for at any point there should not be 2 copy of `student's` ~~code examples~~ function and data member at one derived class.

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

```
class Student
{
```

protected:

```
int roll_no;
```

public:

```
void set_number(int a)
```

```
{
```

```
roll_no = a;
```

```
}
```

```
void print_number(void)
```

```
{
```

```
cout << "Your roll no is " << roll_no
```

```
<endl;
```

```
}
```

```
Class Test : virtual public Student
```

```
{
```

protected:

```
float maths, physics;
```

public:

```
void set_number(float m1, float m2)
```

```
{
```

```
maths = m1;
```

```
physics = m2;
```

```
}
```

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```
void print_marks(void)
{
```

```
cout << "Your marks is here : " << endl;
<< "Maths : " << maths << endl;
<< "Physics : " << physics << endl;
```

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Class Sports : virtual public Student
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protected :

float score;

public :

```
void set_score(float sc)
{
```

score = sc;

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```
void print_score(void)
{
```

```
cout << "Your PT score is "
    << score << endl;
```

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Class Result : public Test, Public sports
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private :

float total;

public :

void display(void)

{

total = mathst + physics + score;

print_number();

print_marks();

print_score();

cout << " Your total score is: "

<< total << endl;

}

};

int main()

{

Result Harry;

Harry.set_number(4200);

Harry.set_marks(78.9, 99.5);

Harry.set_score(9);

Harry.display();

return 0;

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→ Constructors in derived classes
and in ~~Inheritance~~ :-

In derive class to use constructors
there are some rules.

- If base class constructor doesn't have any arguments, there is no need of any constructor in derived class.
As when ~~an~~ object for derived class is made, constructor will automatically called.
- But if there are one or more arguments in the base class constructor, ~~derived~~ then constructor of base class will be invoked via object of derived class by passing arguments through them.
- If both base and derived classes have constructor, when object of derived class is made base class constructor is executed first then derived class constructor will execute.

- If there is more than one base class like in multiple inheritance, constructor will be invoked in the order of their declaration.

Ex:-

Class D: Public A, Public B

{

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then first constructor of A will be invoked then that of B, then constructors of derived class D will invoked if any.

- In ^{multilevel} multiple inheritance, the constructors are executed in order of inheritance.
- C++ supports a special syntax for passing arguments to multiple base classes constructors.
- The constructor of the derived class receives all the arguments at once and then ~~it~~ will pass to the respective base classes.

derived class formats

Derived class constructor (int a₁, int a₂, int a₃, int a₄)
Base 1 constructor (int a₁), Base 2 (int a₂)

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// code

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- If there is virtual base class among base classes, constructor of virtual class is called then constructor of other non-virtual base classes will be invoked in the order of their declaration.
- If there are multiple virtual base classes and multiple non-virtual base classes then first constructor of virtual base class will be invoked in order of declaration, then constructor of non-virtual base class will be invoked in their order of declaration then at last constructors of derived class will be invoked

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

```
class Base1
```

```
{
```

```
    int data1;
```

```
public:
```

```
Base1(int i)
```

```
{
```

```
    data1 = i;
```

```
y cout<<" Base1 constructor called"\<<endl;
```

```
void printBase1(void)
```

```
{
```

```
cout<<" The value of data1 is:"<<data1
      <<endl;
```

```
y
```

```
};
```

```
Class Base2
```

```
{
```

```
    int data2;
```

```
public:
```

```
Base2(int i)
```

```
{
```

```
    data2 = i;
```

```
y cout<<" Base2 constructor called"\<<endl;
```

```
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```

void printbase2(void)

{

cout << " value of data 2 is: " << d2 << endl;

{

};

class Derived: public base1, public base2

{

int d1, d2;

public:

Derived(int a, int b, int c, int d):

Base1(a), Base2(b)

{

d1=c;

d2=d;

cout << " Derived class constructor
called " << endl;

{

void printderived(void)

{

cout << " value of d1 is: " << d1 << endl;

cout << " value of d2 is: " << d2 << endl;

{

};

int main()

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Derived AK(5, 7, 9, 12);

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AK. print data1();

AK. print data2();

AK. print data derived();

return 0;

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→ initialization list / initialization section:-

Initialization list is used to pass value to the data member directly from the arguments of constructor.

Syntax:-

Class X

{

int b, c;

public :

initialization list.

X (int x, int y) : b(x), c(y)

{

cout;

}

y;

Same type of syntax we have seen when we pass values to the base class constructors through derived class constructors. We can use this with them too.

Class A

{

int a;
public:

A(int x): a(x)

{

//load;

}

};

Class B

{

int b;
Public:

B(int y): b(y)

{

//load;

}

};

Class D : public A, public B
{

int d1, d2;
public:

D (int p, int q, int r, int s) : A(p), B(q),
d1(r), d2(s)
{

// code;

}

};

int main()

{

// code;
return 0;

}

→ Revisiting pointers (~~new and delete keyword~~) :-

New keyword is used to allocate memory dynamically & return its address to a pointer.

Ex:-

```
int * ptr = new int(40);  
cout << *(ptr) << endl;
```

In outcome, we get 40.

```
int * arr = new int [3];
```

By writing this line of code we have dynamically allocation array of size 3.

```
arr[0] = 10;
```

```
arr[1] = 30;
```

```
arr[2] = 50;
```

Or

```
* (arr) = 10;
```

```
* (arr + 1) = 30;
```

```
* (arr + 2) = 50;
```

delete operator is used to release the memory allocated by new.

delete pter;

It will delete or free memory allocated while declaring pter as

```
int *pter = new int(40);
```

To delete or free memory allocated by array we have to write

delete [] {array name};

Ex -

```
delete [] arr;
```

→ pointers to object & array operator :-

As we can use pointer to reference and dereference to ~~a~~ variable, we can do same by ~~pointe~~ with objects.

Ex:-

int main()

{

 A Obj1;

 Obj1.getdata();

 Obj1.printdata();

 return 0;

}

We can write it ~~as~~ also as

int main()

{

 A *obj1;

 A Obj1;

 *ptr = Obj1;

 (*ptr).getdata();

 (*ptr).printdata();

}

Using objects with pointers will be easy with new operator as:

```
int main
{
```

```
A * obj1 = new A;
```

// by writing this code we have dynamically created an object for class 'A'.

```
(* obj1). getData();
```

```
(* obj1). setData();
```

```
return 0;
```

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Arrow operator (\rightarrow) is abbreviated form of dereferencing ~~and~~ and to an address and doing accessing some part of it. For example in the given line of code

```
(* obj1). getData();
```

we have dereference to an address stored in obj1 and accessed it getData() function. Same this can be written as,
 $obj1 \rightarrow \text{getData}();$

new, delete, and → (arrow) keyword are very helpful in complex programmes, so we need to learn them.

~~Example programme~~.

NOTE:- NOTE if you have a parametrized constructor and you have to pass arguments to that constructor you can do as.

Ex - `class name { * ptr = new class name (arg); }`

A * ptr = new A(3,5);

if A is class and constructor of A takes 2 integers arguments.

Example code:-

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

Class number
{

int a, b, c, d;

public:

number (int a, int b, int c, int d): a(a), b(b),
c(c), d(d)

cout << "First complex no is: " << a << " + " << b
<< "j" << endl;

cout << "Second complex no is: " << c << " + " << d << "i"
<< endl;

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Void Cal()

{

cout << "sum of both no is: "

<< a+c << " + " << b+d << "j" << endl;

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};

Int main()

{

number * ptr = new number(8, 10, 15, 19);

ptr -> cal();

return 0;

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