

CSC2111 Computer Science I Lab

Lab 06

Objectives

1. Classes and Data Abstraction
2. User-defined classes
3. Implementation of a class in separate files

Example

- Write a program to define the class circle and implement the basic properties of a circle into files for implementing, the class (**header file**), defining the functions of the class (**cpp file that maps to the header file**), and testing the class by a driver program (**cpp file with a main function**).

Solution

Put your class definition and member variables and member functions prototypes in a header file with **the same name of your class.**

```
// This is circle.h file
class circle
{
public:
    void setRadius(double r); //Function to set the radius.
    double getRadius(); //Function to return the radius.
    double area(); //Function to return the area of a circle.

    circle(); //Constructor with a default parameter .The default value of the radius is 0.0;
    circle(double r); //parameterized Constructor. Create a circle with user defined radius.
    bool equal(circle& otherCircle) const; // compare this circle with another circle.
    void printCircle(); //Print a circle information.

private:
    double radius; //private variable
};
```

```

//Implementation for circle class in circleImp.cpp
#include <iostream>
#include <iomanip>
#include "circle.h"
using namespace std;

void circle::setRadius(double r)
{
    if (r >= 0)
        radius = r;
    else
        radius = 0;
}

double circle::getRadius()
{
    return radius;
}

double circle::area()
{
    return 3.1416 * radius * radius;
}

circle::circle()
{
    radius = 0;
}

circle::circle(double r)
{
    radius = r;
}

bool circle::equal(circle& otherCircle) const
{
    return(radius == otherCircle.radius);
}

void circle::printCircle()
{
    cout << "The radius of circle is " << radius << endl;
}

```

Create another file lets say circleImp.cpp and **include your class header file** into it then implement all member functions of your class in this file

```

//Implementation for driver program in mainProgram.cpp
#include <iostream>
#include <iomanip>
#include "circle.h"
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    circle circle1(10);
    circle circle2;

    double radius;

    cout << fixed << showpoint << setprecision(2);

    cout << "circle1 - "
         << "radius: " << circle1.getRadius()
         << ", area: " << circle1.area()
         << endl;

    cout << "circle2 information: ";
    circle2.printCircle();

    cout << "Enter the radius of a circle: ";
    cin >> radius;
    cout << endl;

    circle2.setRadius(radius);

    cout << "After setting the radius." << endl;
    cout << "circle2 - "
         << "radius: " << circle2.getRadius()
         << ", area: " << circle2.area()
         << endl;
    if (circle1.equal(circle2))
        cout << "circle1 and circle2 are equal! \n";
    else
        cout << "circle1 and circle2 are unequal! \n";
    return 0;
} //end main

```

Create a driver program with **the main() function** in another cpp file lets say mainProgram.cpp and **include your class header file** into it. Now you can create objects based on your new class and use corresponding actions by calling its member functions.

Keep all three **files in the same subdirectory unless compiler**

Output

C:\WINDOWS\system32\cmd.exe

```
circle1 - radius: 10.00, area: 314.16  
circle2 information: The radius of circle is 0.00  
Enter the radius of a circle: 10  
  
After setting the radius.  
circle2 - radius: 10.00, area: 314.16  
circle1 and circle2 are equal!  
Press any key to continue . . .
```