Creative Software Design

Inheritance, Const & Class

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Today's Topics

• Inheritance

Overriding

• Constructor, Destructor & Inheritance

• Multiple Inheritance

• Const & Class

Fundamental Principles of Object Oriented Programming

- Encapsulation (Covered)
 - Binding the data with the code that manipulates it into a single unit (class) & hiding details of the unit (data hiding).

- Inheritance (Today's topic)
 - When a class inherits another class, it has the same behavior or characteristics of another.

- Polymorphism (Will cover)
 - The ability to create a variable, a function, or an object that has more than one form.

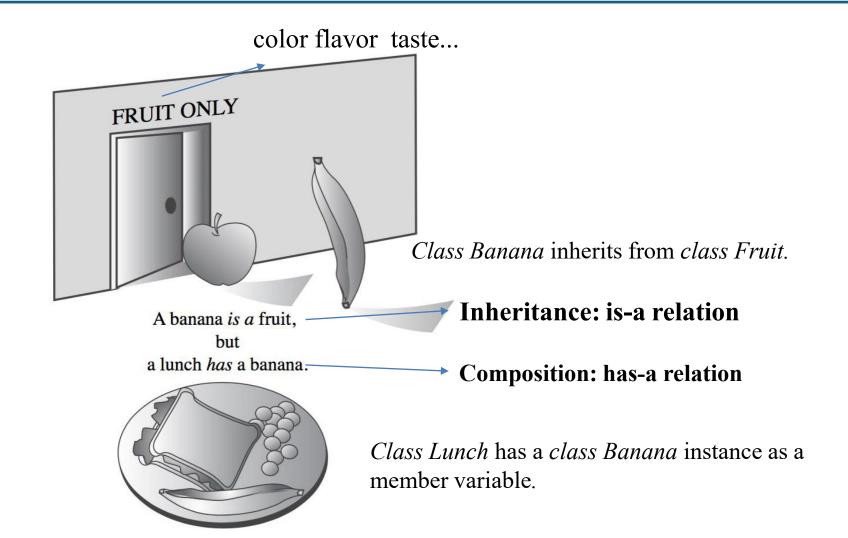
Inheritance

• Build a class on top of an existing class.

- The goal is to
 - reuse the code for similar functionalities
 - and write the code for only additional functionalities.

• This allows you to establish **relationships** between classes.

Inheritance: Is-a Relationship



Inheritance: Is-a Relationship

• "Is-a" relationship: use (public) inheritance when A is a B.

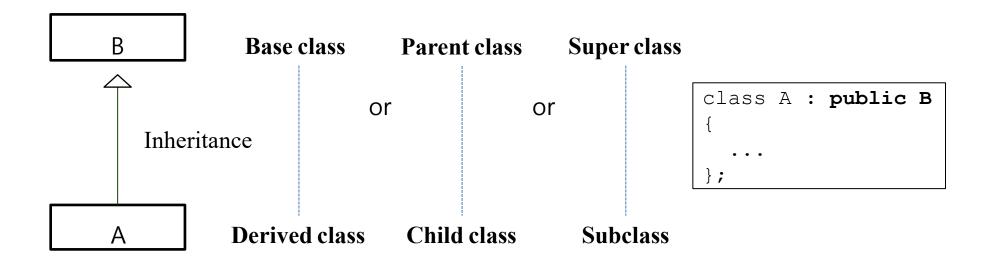
• A car is a vehicle. A truck is a vehicle. A cart is a vehicle...

• A student is a person. A professor is a person...

• A person is an animal. A dog is an animal...

Inheritance

- If a class A inherits from another class B,
 - Class A implicitly "has" the member variables and functions of class B.
 - Class A can have additional member variables and functions.



(UML class diagram)

UML Class Diagram Example

• Unified Modeling Language (UML): for visualize the design of a software system.

```
Circle

-x: int
-y: int
-radius: double

+getArea(): double
```

```
+: public-: private#: protectedvariable: data type
```

method(parameter): return type

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Circle {
private:
    int x, y;
    double radius;
public:
    Circle(int px, int py, double pradius) {
        x=px, y=py, radius=pradius;}
    double getArea() { return 3.14*radius*radius; }
int main()
    Circle c(2,3,4);
    cout << c.getArea() << endl;</pre>
```

An Inheritance Example

```
class Car {
public:
 Car() {}
 void Accelerate();
 void Decelerate();
  LatLng GetLocation();
  double GetSpeed();
  double GetWeight();
  int GetCapacity();
private:
  LatLng location ;
  double speed ;
  double weight ;
  int capacity ;
                            Car
} ;
                       -location_: LatLng
```

-speed : double

-weight : double

-capacity: int

+Accelerate()

+Decelerate()

+GetCapacity(): int

```
+getLocation(): LatLng
+GetSpeed(): double
+GetWeight(): double
```

```
class Truck {
public:
  Truck() {}
  void Accelerate();
  void Decelerate();
  LatLng GetLocation();
  double GetSpeed();
  double GetWeight();
  double GetMaxLoad();
private:
  LatLng location ;
  double speed ;
  double weight ;
                                 Truck
};
                           -location : LatLng
                           -speed_: double
                           -weight_: double
                           -max load : double
                           +Accelerate()
                           +Decelerate()
                           +getLocation(): LatLng
                           +GetSpeed(): double
                           +GetWeight(): double
                           +GetMaxLoad(): double
```

An Inheritance Example

```
// Vehicle class.
 class Vehicle {
   public:
    Vehicle() {}
    void Accelerate();
    void Decelerate();
    LatLng GetLocation();
    double GetSpeed();
    double GetWeight();
   private:
    LatLng location ;
    double speed ;
    double weight;
                           Vehicle
                       -location : LatLng
                       -speed_: double
                       -weight_: double
                       +Accelerate()
                       +Decelerate()
                                                  Truck
    Car
                       +getLocation(): LatLng
                                             -max load : double
                       +GetSpeed(): double
-capacity: int
                       +GetWeight(): double
+GetCapacity(): int
                                             +GetMaxLoad(): double
```

```
// Car class.
class Car : public Vehicle {
public:
 Car() : Vehicle() {}
 int GetCapacity();
private:
 int capacity ;
// Truck class.
class Truck : public Vehicle {
public:
  Truck() : Vehicle() {}
  double GetMaxLoad();
```

private:

double max load ;

An Inheritance Example

```
// Vehicle class.
 class Vehicle {
   public:
    Vehicle() {}
    void Accelerate();
    void Decelerate();
    LatLng GetLocation();
    double GetSpeed();
    double GetWeight();
   private:
    LatLng location ;
    double speed ;
    double weight;
                           Vehicle
                       -location : LatLng
                       -speed_: double
                       -weight_: double
                       +Accelerate()
                       +Decelerate()
    Car
                                                  Truck
                       +getLocation(): LatLng
                                             -max load : double
                       +GetSpeed(): double
-capacity: int
                       +GetWeight(): double
                                             +GetMaxLoad(): double
+GetCapacity(): int
```

```
// Car class.

class Car : public Vehicle {
  public:
    Car() : Vehicle() {}

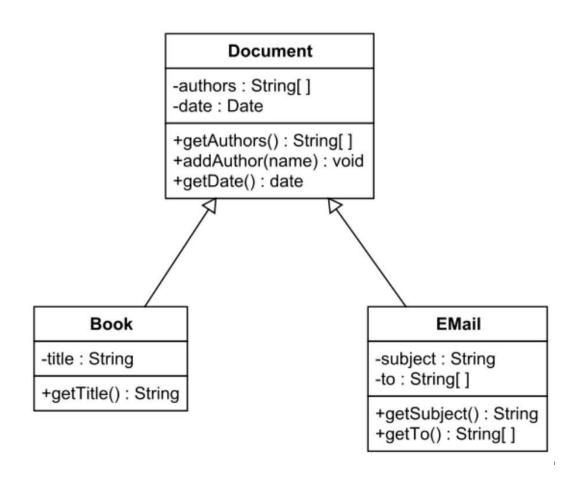
  int GetCapacity();

private:
  int capacity_;
};
```

```
// Main routine.

int main() {
   Car car;
   cout << car.GetCapacity() << endl;
   cout << car.GetSpeed() << endl;
   cout << car.GetWeight() << endl;
   return 0;
}</pre>
```

Another Inheritance Example



Quiz #1

• What is the difference between inheritance and composition?

Overriding vs. Overloading

- Function overloading
 - provides multiple definitions of function by changing signatures (i.e. changing the number, order, or data type of parameters but leaving the function name the same)
 - can be used without inheritance, in the same scope

```
int Print(int a) { ... }
int Print(int a, int b) { ... }
```

Function overriding

• Redefinition of base class function in the derived class with same signatures

Overriding Member Function

- You can override a member function to provide a custom functionality of the derived class.
- Redefine a member function with the same name as the inherited function.
 - All ancestor's member functions with the same name will be hide.
 - To access the ancestor's member functions, use Ancestor::MemberFunction().

An Example of Overriding

```
// Vehicle class.
class Vehicle {
public: Vehicle() {}
  void Accelerate();
  void Decelerate();
  LatLng GetLocation();
  double GetSpeed();
  double GetWeight();
private:
 LatLng location ;
  double speed ;
 double weight ;
};
```

```
// Car class.
class Car : public Vehicle {
public:
  Car() : Vehicle() {}
  int GetCapacity();
  // Override the parent's GetWeight().
  double GetWeight() {
   return Vehicle::GetWeight() + passenger weight;
private:
  int capacity ;
  double passenger weight;
};
```

```
// Main routine.

int main() {
   Car car;
   cout << car.GetCapacity() << endl;
   cout << car.GetSpeed() << endl;
   cout << car.GetWeight() << endl;
   return 0;
}</pre>
```

An Example of Overriding

```
// Vehicle class.
class Vehicle {
public: Vehicle() {}
  void Accelerate();
  void Decelerate();
  LatLng GetLocation();
  double GetSpeed();
  double GetWeight();
private:
 LatLng location ;
  double speed ;
  double weight ;
};
```

```
// Car class.
class Car : public Vehicle {
public:
  Car() : Vehicle() {}
  int GetCapacity();
  // Override the parent's GetWeight().
  double GetWeight() {
   return Vehicle::GetWeight() + passenger weight;
                 =weight ?
private:
  int capacity ;
  double passenger weight ;
};
```

```
// Main routine.

int main() {
   Car car;
   cout << car.GetCapacity() << endl;
   cout << car.GetSpeed() << endl;
   cout << car.GetWeight() << endl;
   return 0;
}</pre>
```

An Example of Overriding

```
// Vehicle class.
class Vehicle {
public: Vehicle() {}
  void Accelerate();
  void Decelerate();
  LatLng GetLocation();
  double GetSpeed();
  double GetWeight();
protected:
 LatLng location ;
  double speed ;
  double weight;
};
```

```
public: everyone can access.

private: only its member functions can access.

protected: its member functions and the member functions of descendant classes can access.
```

```
// Car class.
class Car : public Vehicle {
  public:
    Car() : Vehicle() {}

  int GetCapacity();
  // Override the parent's GetWeight().
  double GetWeight() {
    return weight_ + passenger_weight_;
  }

private:
  int capacity_;
  double passenger_weight_;
};
```

```
// Main routine.
int main() {
   Car car;
   cout << car.GetCapacity() << endl;
   cout << car.GetSpeed() << endl;
   cout << car.GetWeight() << endl;
   return 0;
}</pre>
```

Constructor, Destructor & Inheritance

- Constructor and destructor call order:
 - Constructors are called from base class to derived class.
 - Destructors are called in reverse order.

Order of Inheritance

Order o	f Constructor Call	Order of Destructor Call		
1. C()	(Class C's Constructor)	1. ~A()	(Class A's Destructor)	
2. B()	(Class B's Constructor)	2. ~B()	(Class B's Destructor)	
3. A()	(Class A's Constructor)	3. ~C()	(Class C's Destructor)	

```
class Parent {
public:
 Parent() { cout << " Parent"; }</pre>
 ~Parent() { cout << " ~Parent"; }
} ;
class Child : public Parent {
public:
 Child() { cout << " Child"; }</pre>
 ~Child() { cout << " ~Child"; }
};
class Test : public Child {
public:
 Test() { cout << " Test"; }
 ~Test() { cout << " ~Test"; }
} ;
```

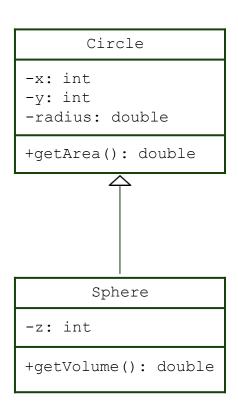
```
int main() {
    {
        Child child;
        cout << endl;
    }
    cout << endl;
    {
        Test test;
        cout << endl;
    }
    cout << endl;
}</pre>
```

```
Parent Child

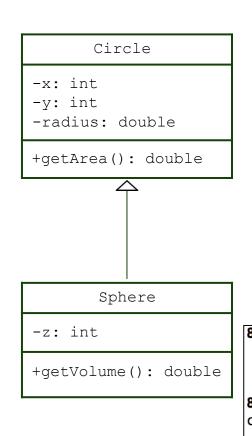
~Child ~Parent

Parent Child Test

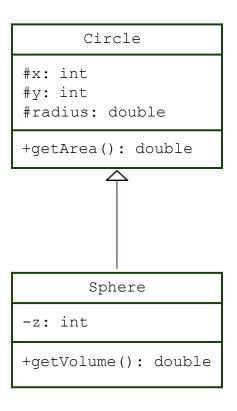
~Test ~Child ~Parent
```



```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Circle {
private:
    int x, y;
    double radius;
public:
    Circle(int px, int py, double pradius) {
        x=px; y=py; radius=pradius;}
    double getArea() { return 3.14*radius*radius; }
class Sphere: public Circle{
private:
    int z:
public:
    Sphere(int px, int py, double pradius, int pz){
        cout << "Sphere" << endl;</pre>
        x=px; y=py; radius=pradius; z=pz;}
    double getVolumn(){
        return 4.0/3*3.14*radius*radius*radius;
};
int main()
    Circle c(2,3,4.0);
    cout << c.getArea() << endl;</pre>
    Sphere s(2,3,4.0,5);
    cout << s.getVolumn() << endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```



```
#include <iostream>
          using namespace std;
          class Circle {
          private:
              int x, y;
              double radius;
          public:
              Circle(int px, int py, double pradius) {
                  x=px; y=py; radius=pradius;}
              double getArea() { return 3.14*radius*radius; }
          class Sphere: public Circle{
          private:
                                     implicitly calls Circle's default constructor
              int z:
                                     which is not defined
          public:
              Sphere(int px, int py, double pradius, int pz){
                  cout << "Sphere" << endl;</pre>
                  x=px; y=py; radius=pradius; z=pz;}
              double getVolumn(){
                  return 4.0/3*3.14*radius*radius*radius:
8 10.cc:18:5: error: constructor for 'Sphere' must explicitly initialize the
      base class 'Circle' which does not have a default constructor
    Sphere(int px, int py, double pradius, int pz){
8_10.cc:4:7: note: 'Circle' declared here
class Circle {
8_10.cc:20:9: error: 'x' is a private member of 'Circle'
        x=px; y=py; radius=pradius; z=pz;}
8 10.cc:6:9: note: declared private here
    int x, y;
```



```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Circle {
protected:
   int x, y;
    double radius;
public:
    Circle(){ cout << "Circle: no parameter" << endl; }</pre>
   Circle(int px, int py, double pradius) {
        cout << "Circle: with parameters" << endl;</pre>
        x=px; y=py; radius=pradius;}
    double getArea() { return 3.14*radius*radius; }
class Sphere: public Circle{
private:
    int z:
public:
    Sphere(int px, int py, double pradius, int pz){
        cout << "Sphere" << endl:
        x=px; y=py; radius=pradius; z=pz;}
    double getVolumn(){
        return 4.0/3*3.14*radius*radius*radius;
};
                                             Circle: with parameters
int main()
                                             50.24
    Circle c(2,3,4.0);
                                             Circle: no parameter
    cout << c.getArea() << endl;</pre>
                                             Sphere
    Sphere s(2,3,4.0,5);
                                             267.947
    cout << s.getVolumn() << endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```

Constructor, Destructor

```
Circle
#x: int
#y: int
#radius: double
+qetArea(): double
          \triangle
       Sphere
-z: int
+getVolume(): double
```

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
                                                             le 2
class Circle {
protected:
   int x, y;
   double radius:
public:
    Circle(int px, int py, double pradius) {
        cout << "Circle: with parameters" << endl;</pre>
        x=px; y=py; radius=pradius;}
    double getArea() { return 3.14*radius*radius; }
};
class Sphere: public Circle{
private:
   int z:
public:
    //Sphere(int px, int py, double pradius, int pz){
    // cout << "Sphere" << endl;</pre>
            x=px; y=py; radius=pradius; z=pz;}
    Sphere(int px, int py, double pradius, int pz):
      Circle(px, py, pradius), z(pz){
        cout << "Sphere" << endl;
                               explicitly calls Circle's constructor
    double getVolumn(){
        return 4.0/3*3.14*radius*radius*radius;
};
                                    Circle: with parameters
                                    50.24
int main()
                                    Circle: with parameters
                                    Sphere
    Circle c(2,3,4.0);
                                    267.947
    cout << c.getArea() << endl;</pre>
    Sphere s(2,3,4.0,5);
    cout << s.getVolumn() << endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```

Constructor, Destruct

```
#x: int
#y: int
#radius: double

+getArea(): double

Sphere

-z: int

+getVolume(): double
```

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Circle {
protected:
    int x, y;
    double radius;
public:
    //Circle(){ cout << "Circle: no parameter" << endl; }</pre>
    //Circle(int px, int py, double pradius) {
          cout << "Circle: with parameters" << endl;</pre>
          x=px; y=py; radius=pradius;}
    double getArea() { return 3.14*radius*radius; }
class Sphere: public Circle{
private:
    int z:
public:
    Sphere(int px, int py, double pradius, int pz){
        cout << "Sphere" << endl;</pre>
          x=px; y=py; radius=pradius; z=pz;}
    //Sphere(int px, int py, double pradius, int pz):
    // Circle(px, py, pradius), z(pz){
          cout << "Sphere" << endl:
    // }
    double getVolumn(){
        return 4.0/3*3.14*radius*radius*radius;
};
int main()
  //Circle c(2,3,4.0);
                                                      Sphere
 // cout << c.getArea() << endl;</pre>
                                                      267.947
    Sphere s(2,3,4.0,5);
    cout << s.getVolumn() << endl;</pre>
    return 0;
```

Quiz #2

• What is the expected output? (including compile/runtime error)

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class A{
public:
        A(int a=0){
                 cout << "A's constructor" << endl;</pre>
};
class B : A{
public:
         B(){
                 cout << "B's constructor" << endl;</pre>
};
int main()
         B b;
        return 0;
```

Person Example - outline

```
// Person class.
class Person {
public:
 Person (const string& name);
 const string& name();
 const string& address();
 void ChangeAddress(const string& addr);
};
// Student class.
class Student : public Person {
public:
 Student (const string& name);
 void RegisterClass(int class id);
 int GetNumClasses();
 int ComputeTuition();
} ;
```

```
// Employee class
class Employee : public Person {
 public:
  Employee(const string& name, int salary);
  int salary();
  int ComputeIncomeTax();
  void SetSalary(int salary);
} ;
// Faculty class
class Faculty : public Employee {
 public:
  Faculty (const string& name, int salary);
  void TeachClass(int class id);
} ;
```

Person Example - implementation

person.h

```
#ifndef PERSON H
#define PERSON H
#include <string>
class Person {
public:
  Person(const std::string& name)
      : name (name) {}
  const std::string& name() {
    return name ;
  const std::string& address() {
    return address ;
 void ChangeAddress(const std::string& addr) {
    address = addr;
 private:
 std::string name , address ;
#endif
```

student.h

```
#ifndef STUDENT H
#define STUDENT H
#include <set>
#include "person.h"
class Student : public Person {
 public:
  Student(const std::string& name)
      : Person(name) {}
 void RegisterClass(int class id) {
    registered classes .insert(class id);
 int GetNumClasses() {
    return registered classes .size();
  int ComputeTuition() {
    return registered classes .size() * 100
       + 500;
 private:
 std::set<int> registered classes ;
#endif
```

Person Example - implementation

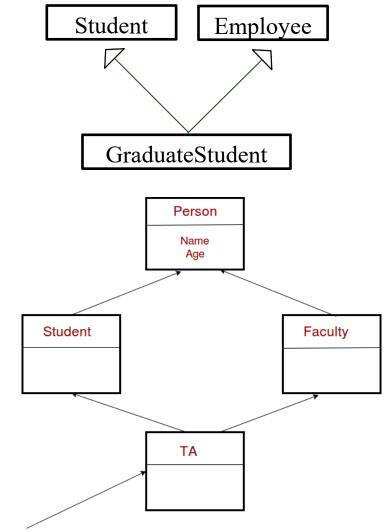
main.cc

```
#include "employee.h"
#include "faculty.h"
#include "student.h"
using namespace std;
int main() {
 Student john("John"), david("David");
 Employee susan("Susan", 200);
 Faculty daniel ("Daniel", 100);
 john.ChangeAddress("New York");
 david.RegisterClass(101);
 daniel. TeachClass (101);
 daniel. TeachClass (102);
 return 0;
```

Multiple Inheritance

- Inheriting from two or more base classes.
 - The derived class has all the members of base classes

- Issues
 - Ambiguity
 - What happens if base classes has samenamed members?
 - The diamond problem
 - What happens if parent classes are derived from the same grandparent class?



Multiple Inheritance: Example

```
class Person {
public:
 // ...
};
class Student : public Person {
public:
// . . .
class Employee : public Person {
public:
// ...
};
// Multiple inheritance example.
class GraduateStudent
    : public Student, public Employee
 public:
  GraduateStudent (const string& name,
                  int salary)
      : Student (name),
        Employee(name + "*", salary) {
```

```
int main() {
   GraduateStudent mark("Mark", 50);

   cout << mark.GetNumClasses() << endl;
   cout << mark.salary() << endl;
   return 0;
}</pre>
```

Multiple Inheritance: Example

```
class Person {
public:
 // ...
class Student : public Person {
public:
 // ...
 void DoSomething();
class Employee : public Person {
public:
 // ...
 void DoSomething();
// Multiple inheritance example.
class GraduateStudent
    : public Student, public Employee {
public:
  GraduateStudent(const string& name,
                  int salary)
      : Student (name),
        Employee(name + "*", salary) {}
};
```

```
int main() {
   GraduateStudent mark("Mark", 50);

// Error - ambiguous function DoSomething
   mark.DoSomething();

return 0;
}
```

Multiple Inheritance

- Actually, you can avoid these problem by using virtual inheritance in C++.
- General advice: Avoid using multiple inheritance as much as possible.
 - It is commonly believed that multiple inheritance tends to mass things up.
 - That's why Java forbids multiple inheritance.
- Note that multiple inheritance from *interfaces* (pure abstract classes in C++) can be very helpful.
 - Java only allows multiple inheritance from *interfaces* ("implements" multiple interfaces in Java)

Const: review

- Const variables
 - const int MAX = 100;

- Const parameters
 - int sum(const int x, const int y) { . . . }

- Pointer to const and const pointer
 - const int *pNum = &num
 - int* const p = &a;

Const & Class

- Const member variables
 - should be initialized in *member initializer list* of constructor

- Const member functions
 - Can read the value of member variables
 - Cannot change the value of member variables
- Const object
 - Cannot change the value of member variables on a const object
 - Cannot call non-const member functions on a const object

Const: member variables

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Circle {
private:
 double Radius;
 const double PI;
                                             ???
public:
Circle(double r=0, double p){Radius = r; PI=p;}
void SetRadius(double r) { Radius = r;}
 double GetArea() const { return PI*Radius*Radius;}
int main(){
 Circle cir(2,4);
 cout << cir.GetArea() << endl;</pre>
 return 0;
```

Const: member variables

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Circle {
private:
 double Radius;
 const double PI;
public:
 //Circle(double r=0, double p){Radius = r; PI=p;}
 Circle(double r, double p): Radius(r), PI(p){}
 void SetRadius(double r) { Radius = r;}
 double GetArea() const { return PI*Radius*Radius;}
int main(){
 Circle cir(2,4);
 cout << cir.GetArea() << endl;</pre>
 return 0;
```

- Const member variables
 - should be initialized in *member initializer list* of constructor

Const: member function

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Circle {
private:
  double Radius;
  const double PI;
public:
  //Circle(double r=0, double p){Radius = r; PI=p;}
  Circle(double r, double p): Radius(r), PI(p){}
  void SetRadius(double r) const { Radius = r;}
                                                         ???
  double GetArea() const { return PI*Radius*Radius;}
int main(){
 Circle cir(2,4);
  cir.SetRadius(5.0);
  cout << cir.GetArea() << endl;</pre>
  return 0;
```

Const: member function

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Circle {
private:
 double Radius;
 const double PI;
public:
 //Circle(double r=0, double p){Radius = r; PI=p;}
 Circle(double r, double p): Radius(r), PI(p){}
 void SetRadius(double r) { Radius = r;}
 double GetArea() const { return PI*Radius*Radius;}
int main(){
 Circle cir(2,4);
 cir.SetRadius(5.0);
 cout << cir.GetArea() << endl;</pre>
 return 0;
```

- Const member functions
 - Can read member variables, cannot update member variables

Const: object

- Const object
 - Cannot update member variables
 - Cannot call non-const member functions

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Circle {
    private:
        double Radius;
        const double PI;
    public:
        Circle(double r = 0): Radius(r), PI(3.14){}
        void SetRadius(double r) {Radius = r;}
        double GetArea() const { return (PI*Radius*Radius);}
int main()
 Circle cir(2);
  cout << cir.GetArea() << endl;</pre>
  const Circle cir2(3);
  cout << cir2.GetArea() << endl;</pre>
                         //compile error
  //cir2.SetRadius(5);
  return 0;
```

Quiz #3

• What is the expected output? (including compile/runtime error)

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Point
    int x, y;
public:
Point(int i = 0, int j = 0)
  {x = i; y = j; }
   int getX() const { return x; }
   int getY() {return y;}
};
int main()
    const Point t;
    cout << t.getX() << " ";</pre>
    cout << t.getY();</pre>
    return 0;
```

An Inheritance Example - Revisited

```
// Vehicle class.
 class Vehicle {
   public:
    Vehicle() {}
    void Accelerate();
    void Decelerate();
    LatLng GetLocation();
    double GetSpeed();
    double GetWeight();
   private:
    LatLng location ;
    double speed ;
    double weight;
                           Vehicle
                       -location : LatLng
                       -speed_: double
                       -weight_: double
                       +Accelerate()
                       +Decelerate()
                                                  Truck
    Car
                       +getLocation(): LatLng
                                             -max load : double
                       +GetSpeed(): double
-capacity: int
                       +GetWeight(): double
+GetCapacity(): int
                                             +GetMaxLoad(): double
```

```
// Car class.

class Car : public Vehicle {
  public:
    Car() : Vehicle() {}

  int GetCapacity();

  private:
   int capacity_;
};

// Truck class.
```

```
// Truck class.

class Truck : public Vehicle {
  public:
    Truck() : Vehicle() {}

    double GetMaxLoad();

  private:
    double max_load_;
};
```

Class Inheritance Types

- Types of inheritance: public, protected, and private.
 - Depending on the inheritance types, the parent's member has different access control IN the child class.
 - Most commonly used type is public inheritance
 - (and probably it's the only useful inheritance).

Type of inheritance	Parent's public member	Parent's protected member	Parent's private member
public	public	protected	x (not accessible)
protected	protected	protected	x (not accessible)
private	private	private	x (not accessible)

Example of Private Inheritance

```
class A {
 public:
  void APublic() {}
 protected:
  void AProtected() {}
 private:
  void APrivate() {}
};
// Private inheritance.
class CA : private A {
public:
  void CAPublic() {
    APublic(); // OK.
    AProtected(); // OK.
    APrivate(); // Error.
  void CAPublic2() {}
 protected:
  void CAProtected() {
 private:
  void CAPrivate() {
```

```
// Main routine.

int main() {
   CA ca;
   ca.APublic();  // Error.
   ca.CAPublic();  // Error
   ca.CAPublic2();  // OK.
   ...
}
```