

# C++ Constructor

In C++, constructor is a special method which is invoked automatically at the time of object creation. It is used to initialize the data members of new object generally. The constructor in C++ has the same name as class or structure.

There can be two types of constructors in C++.

- Default constructor
- Parameterized constructor

## C++ Default Constructor

A constructor which has no argument is known as default constructor. It is invoked at the time of creating object.

Let's see the simple example of C++ default Constructor.

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```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
class Employee
{
    public:
        Employee()
        {
            cout<<"Default Constructor Invoked"<<endl;
        }
};

int main(void)
```

```
{  
    Employee e1; //creating an object of Employee  
    Employee e2;  
    return 0;  
}
```

Output:

```
Default Constructor Invoked  
Default Constructor Invoked
```



## C++ Parameterized Constructor

A constructor which has parameters is called parameterized constructor. It is used to provide different values to distinct objects.

Let's see the simple example of C++ Parameterized Constructor.

```
#include <iostream>  
using namespace std;  
class Employee {  
    public:  
        int id;//data member (also instance variable)  
        string name;//data member(also instance variable)  
        float salary;  
        Employee(int i, string n, float s)  
        {  
            id = i;  
            name = n;  
        }  
}
```

```
        salary = s;
    }
    void display()
    {
        cout<<id<<"  "<<name<<"  "<<salary<<endl;
    }
};

int main(void) {
    Employee e1 =Employee(101, "Sonoo", 890000); //creating an object of Employee
    Employee e2=Employee(102, "Nakul", 59000);
    e1.display();
    e2.display();
    return 0;
}
```

Output:

```
101  Sonoo  890000
102  Nakul  59000
```

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