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COS110 - Program design: Introduction

Practical 5 Specifications:

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1 General instructions:

- This assignment should be completed individually, no group effort is allowed.
- Be ready to upload your assignment well before the deadline as no extension will be granted.
- You may not import any of C++'s built-in data structures. Doing so will result in a mark of zero. You may only make use of 1-dimensional native arrays where applicable. If you require additional data structures, you will have to implement them yourself.
- If your code does not compile you will be awarded a mark of zero. Only the output of your program will be considered for marks, but your code may be inspected for the presence or absence of certain prescribed features.
- If your code experience a runtime error you will be awarded a mark of zero. Runtime errors are considered as unsafe programming.
- All submissions will be checked for plagiarism.
- Read the entire specification before you start coding.
- \bullet Ensure your code compiles with C++98

2 Plagiarism

The Department of Computer Science considers plagiarism as a serious offence. Disciplinary action will be taken against students who commit plagiarism. Plagiarism includes copying someone else's work without consent, copying a friend's work (even with consent) and copying material (such as text or program code) from the Internet. Copying will not be tolerated in this course. For a formal definition of plagiarism, the student is referred to http://www.library.up.ac.za/plagiarism/index.htm (from the main page of the University of Pretoria site, follow the Library quick link, and then choose the Plagiarism option under the Services menu). If you have any form of question regarding this, please ask one of the lecturers, to avoid any misunderstanding. Also note that the OOP principle of code re-use does not mean that you should copy and adapt code to suit your solution.

3 Outcomes

The aim of this practical is to gain experience with polymorphism in a somewhat complex class hierarchy.

4 Introduction

Implement the UML diagram and functions as described on the following pages.

Me: *explains polymorphism*

Friend: So the subclass the same thing as the superclass?

Me:



Figure 1: Meme

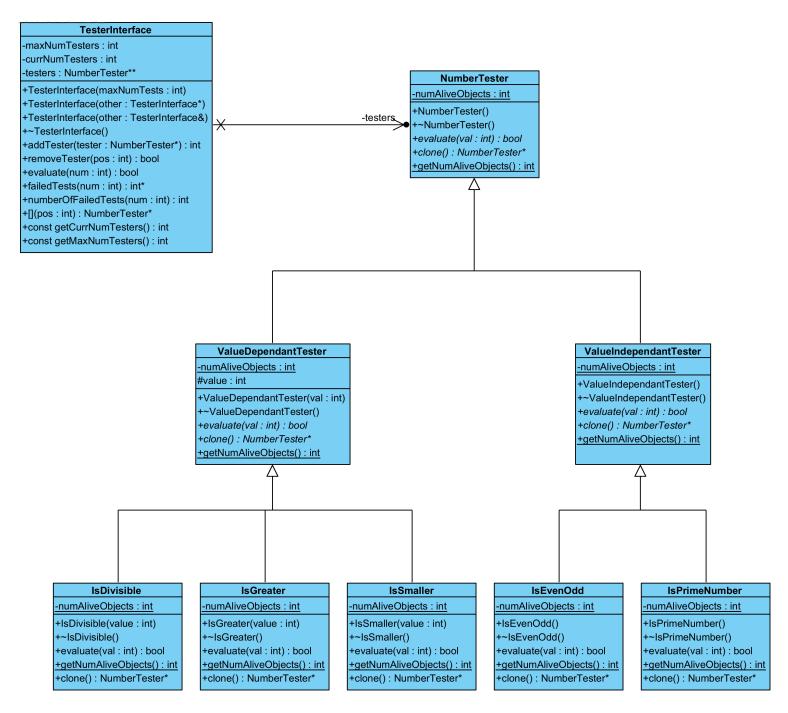


Figure 2: Class diagrams

5 Classes:

5.1 NumberTester:

- members:
 - numAliveObjects: int
 - * This is a static variable of the NumberTester class.
 - * This variable will keep track of the number of current instantiated NumberTester objects.
 - * This variable should be initially initialized to a value of 0.
- functions:
 - NumberTester():
 - * This is the constructor for the NumberTester class.
 - * This function should increment the numAliveObjects variable.
 - ~NumberTester()
 - * This is the destructor for the NumberTester class.
 - * This function should decrement the numAliveObjects variable.
 - evaluate(val: int): bool
 - * This is a pure virtual function.
 - clone(): NumberTester*
 - * This is a pure virtual function.
 - getNumAliveObjects(): int
 - * This is a static function.
 - * This function should return the static numAliveObjects member of NumberTester class.

5.2 ValueDependantTester

This class has a **public inheritance** relationship with NumberTester.

- member:
 - numAliveObjects: int
 - * This is a static variable of the ValueDependantTester class.
 - * This variable will keep track of the number of current instantiated ValueDependantTester objects.
 - * This variable should be initially initialized to a value of 0.
 - value: int
 - * This is the value that will be used by objects of this class.
- functions:
 - ValueDependantTester(val: int)
 - * This is the constructor for the ValueDependantTester class.
 - * This function should initialize the value member with the passed in parameter.
 - * This function should also increment the numAliveObjects variable.

- ~ValueDependantTester()
 - * This is the destructor for the ValueDependantTester class.
 - * This function should decrement the numAliveObjects variable.
- evaluate(val: int): bool
 - * This is a pure virtual function.
- clone(): NumberTester*
 - * This is a pure virtual function.
- getNumAliveObjects(): int
 - * This is a static function.
 - * This function should return the static numAliveObjects member of ValueDependantTester class.

5.3 ValueIndependantTester:

This class has a **public inheritance** relationship with NumberTester.

- members:
 - numAliveObjects: int
 - * This is a static variable of the ValueIndependentTester class.
 - * This variable will keep track of the number of current instantiated ValueIndependentTester objects.
 - * This variable should be initially initialized to a value of 0.
- functions:
 - ValueIndependantTester():
 - * This is the constructor for the ValueIndependentTester class.
 - * This function should increment the numAliveObjects variable.
 - ~ ValueIndependentTester()
 - * This is the destructor for the ValueIndependantTester class.
 - * This function should decrement the numAliveObjects variable.
 - evaluate(val: int): bool
 - * This is a pure virtual function.
 - clone(): NumberTester*
 - * This is a pure virtual function.
 - getNumAliveObjects(): int
 - * This is a static function.
 - * This function should return the static numAliveObjects member of ValueIndependantTester class.

5.4 IsDivisible

This class has a **public inheritance** relationship with ValueDependantTester.

- members:
 - numAliveObjects: int
 - * This is a static variable of the IsDivisible class.
 - * This variable will keep track of the number of current instantiated IsDivisible objects.
 - * This variable should be initially initialized to a value of 0.
- functions:
 - IsDivisible(int value):
 - * This is the constructor for the IsDivisible class.
 - * This function should increment the numAliveObjects variable.
 - * This function should also initialize the inherited value member with the passed in member
 - ~IsDivisible()
 - * This is the destructor for the IsDivisible class.
 - * This function should decrement the numAliveObjects variable.
 - evaluate(val: int): bool
 - * This function should determine if the passed in value is divisible with the inherited value member.
 - * If it is, then the function should return true else false.
 - clone(): NumberTester*
 - * This function should return a new IsDivisible pointer initialized with the inherited variable member.
 - getNumAliveObjects(): int
 - * This is a static function.
 - * This function should return the static numAliveObjects member of IsDivisible class.

5.5 IsGreater

This class has a **public inheritance** relationship with ValueDependantTester.

- members:
 - numAliveObjects: int
 - * This is a static variable of the IsGreater class.
 - * This variable will keep track of the number of current instantiated IsGreater objects.
 - * This variable should be initially initialized to a value of 0.

• functions:

- IsGreater(int value):
 - * This is the constructor for the IsGreater class.
 - * This function should increment the numAliveObjects variable.
 - * This function should also initialize the inherited value member with the passed in member
- ~IsGreater()
 - * This is the destructor for the IsGreater class.
 - * This function should decrement the numAliveObjects variable.
- evaluate(val: int): bool
 - * This function should determine if the passed in value is strictly greater than the inherited value member.
 - * If it is then, the function should return true else false.
- clone(): NumberTester*
 - * This function should return a new IsGreater pointer initialized with the inherited variable member.
- getNumAliveObjects(): int
 - * This is a static function.
 - * This function should return the static numAliveObjects member of IsGreater class.

5.6 IsSmaller

This class has a **public inheritance** relationship with ValueDependentTester.

- members:
 - numAliveObjects: int
 - * This is a static variable of the IsSmaller class.
 - * This variable will keep track of the number of current instantiated IsSmaller objects.
 - * This variable should be initially initialized to a value of 0.
- functions:
 - IsSmaller(int value):
 - * This is the constructor for the IsSmaller class.
 - * This function should increment the numAliveObjects variable.
 - * This function should also initialize the inherited value member with the passed in member
 - ~IsSmaller()
 - * This is the destructor for the IsSmaller class.
 - * This function should decrement the numAliveObjects variable.
 - evaluate(val: int): bool
 - * This function should determine if the passed in value is strictly smaller than the inherited value member.
 - * If it is, then the function should return true else false.

- clone(): NumberTester*
 - * This function should return a new IsSmaller pointer initialized with the inherited variable member.
- getNumAliveObjects(): int
 - * This is a static function.
 - * This function should return the static numAliveObjects member of IsSmaller class.

5.7 IsEvenOdd:

This class has a **public inheritance** relationship with ValueIndependentTester.

- members:
 - numAliveObjects: int
 - * This is a static variable of the IsEvenOdd class.
 - * This variable will keep track of the number of current instantiated IsEvenOdd objects.
 - * This variable should be initially initialized to a value of 0.
- functions:
 - IsEvenOdd():
 - * This is the constructor for the IsEvenOdd class.
 - * This function should increment the numAliveObjects variable.
 - ~IsEvenOdd()
 - * This is the destructor for the IsEvenOdd class.
 - * This function should decrement the numAliveObjects variable.
 - evaluate(val: int): bool
 - * This function should test if the passed in value is even or odd.
 - * If it is even the function should return true else false.
 - clone(): NumberTester*
 - * This function should return a new IsEvenOdd pointer.
 - getNumAliveObjects(): int
 - * This is a static function.
 - * This function should return the static numAliveObjects member of IsEvenOdd class.

5.8 IsPrimeNumber:

This class has a **public inheritance** relationship with ValueIndependentTester.

- members:
 - numAliveObjects: int
 - * This is a static variable of the IsPrimeNumber class.
 - * This variable will keep track of the number of current instantiated IsPrimeNumber objects.
 - * This variable should be initially initialized to a value of 0.

• functions:

- IsPrimeNumber():
 - * This is the constructor for the IsPrimeNumber class.
 - * This function should increment the numAliveObjects variable.
- ~IsPrimeNumber()
 - * This is the destructor for the IsPrimeNumber class.
 - * This function should decrement the numAliveObjects variable.
- evaluate(val: int): bool
 - * This function should test if the passed in value is a prime number or not.
 - * If it is a prime number the function should return true else false.
- clone(): NumberTester*
 - * This function should return a new IsPrimeNumber pointer.
- getNumAliveObjects(): int
 - * This is a static function.
 - * This function should return the static numAliveObjects member of IsPrimeNumber class.

5.9 TesterInterface

- members:
 - maxNumTesters: int
 - * This is the maximum number of testers that can be held by the interface.
 - * This is also the size of the testers array.
 - currNumTesters: int
 - * This is the current amount of tests held by the interface.
 - testers: NumberTester**
 - * This is a dynamic array of dynamic NumberTester objects.
 - * The array should initially be populated with nulls.

• functions:

- TesterInterface(maxNumTests: int)
 - * This is the parameterized constructor for the TesterInterface class and should initialize all appropriate member variables.
 - * If maxNumTests is less than 1 then initialize the array with a size of 0 and initialize maxNumTests with 0.
- TesterInterface(other: TesterInterface*)
 - * This is a copy constructor for the TesterInterface class.
 - * This function should make a deep copy of the passed in parameter
 - * If the passed in parameter is NULL initialize all the int variables with a value of 0 and the array with a size of 0.
 - * Hint: remember there is a difference between a null array and an array with a size of 0
- TesterInterface(other: TesterInterface&)
 - * This is a copy constructor for the TesterInterface class.
 - * This function should make a deep copy of the passed in parameter

- ~TesterInterface()
 - * This is the destructor for the TesterInterface class.
 - * This function should deallocate all the dynamic memory allocated.
- addTester(tester: NumberTester*): int
 - * This function should add a deep copy of the passed in NumberTester object to the first index containing null of the testers array and increment the currNumTesters.
 - * The function should return the index that the new object was inserted into.
 - * If the passed in parameter is null the function should return -1 and not alter the array.
 - * If the array is full the function should return -1 and not alter the array.
 - * Hint: use the clone function to make a deep copy of the passed in parameter
- removeTester(pos: int): bool
 - * This function should remove the NumberTester* at the passed in parameter's index in the array and decrement the currNumTesters variable.
 - * The NumberTester* object should be deleted and set to null.
 - * If the function was able to successfully remove the NumberTester then the function should return true.
 - * If the passed in parameter's index in the array is null then the function should return false.
 - * If the passed in parameter's index is outside the bounds of the array the function should return false.
- evaluate(num: int): bool
 - * This function should iterate through all the NumberTesters currently in the testers array and pass the passed in parameter to the their evaluate function.
 - * If all the NumberTesters in the array return true then the function should return true else it should return false.
 - * If the array is empty the function should return false.
- failedTests(num: int): int*
 - * This function should return an array containing all the indexes of tests that returned an evaluation result of false.
 - * The array should be sized exactly to the number of tests that failed.
 - * If no tests failed or if the array does not contain any NumberTesters the function should return an array of size 0.
- numberOfFailedTests(num: int): int
 - * This function should return the amount of NumberTester's evaulations that failed.
 - * If no tests failed or if the array is empty the function should return 0.
- [] (pos: int): NumberTester*
 - * This is the overloaded form of the operator[].
 - * This function should return the pointer at passed in index.
 - * If the index is outside of the bounds of the array the function should return null.
- const getCurrNumTesters(): int
 - * This is a const function and should return the currNumTesters variable.
 - * In the appropriate h file decalre the function as: int getCurrNumTesters() const.
- const getMaxNumTesters(): int
 - * This is a const function and should return the maxNumTesters variable.
 - * In the appropriate h file decalre the function as: int getMaxNumTesters() const.

6 Source files

- IsDivisible.h,cpp
- IsEvenOdd.h, cpp
- IsGreater.h, cpp
- IsPrimeNumber.h, cpp
- IsSmaller.h, cpp
- NumberTester.h, cpp
- TesterInterface.h, cpp
- ValueDependantTester.h, cpp
- ValueIndependantTester.h, cpp

7 Allowed libraries

- cstddef
 - Note this is imported such that the NULL constant is defined.
 - Add this to all your h files.

8 Submission

You need to submit your source files, only the cpp files, on the Fitch Fork website (https://ff.cs.up.ac.za/). All methods need to be implemented (or at least stubbed) before submission. Place the above mentioned files in a zip named uXXXXXXXX.zip where XXXXXXXX is your student number. There is no need to include any other files or h files in your submission. Your code should be able to be compiled with the C++98 standard

For this practical you will have 10 upload opportunities. Upload your archive to the Practical 5 slot on the Fitch Fork website.