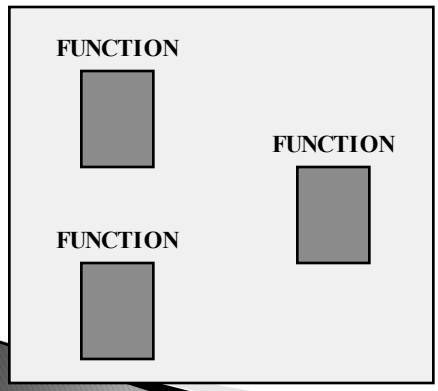
CS 1B Review Part 2

Topics

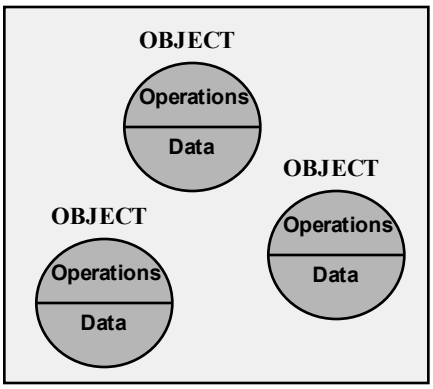
- Structured Programming vs. Object-Oriented Programming
- Using Inheritance to Create a New C++ class Type
- Using Composition (Containment) to Create a New C++ class Type
- Static vs. Dynamic Binding of Operations to Objects

Two Programming Paradigms

Structural (Procedural) PROGRAM

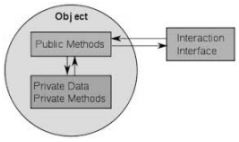


Object-Oriented PROGRAM (OOP)



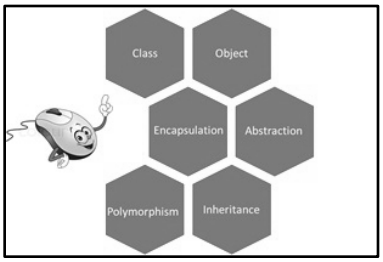
OOP vs. Structured Programming

- In OOP an object is a fundamental entity, while in structured programming a function is a fundamental entity
- In OOP objects are debugged, while in structured programming functions are debugged
- In structured programming a program is a collection of interacting functions, while in OOP a program is a collection of interacting objects
- In structured programming the programmer is action oriented, while in OOP the programmer is object oriented
- The object-oriented programming (OOP) implements Object Oriented Design (OOD)



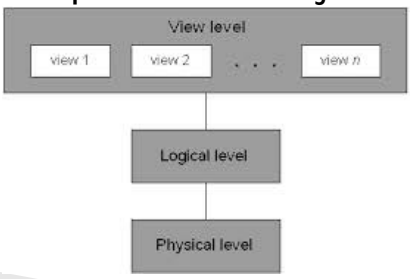
The Fundamentals of Object Oriented Design (OOD)

- Encapsulation
  - Combine data and operations on data in a single unit.
- Inheritance
  - Create new objects from existing objects
- Polymorphism
  - The ability to use the same expression to denote different operations



Object-Oriented Programming Language Features

1. Data abstraction
   - Separates the logical properties of a data type from its implementation
2. Inheritance of properties
3. Dynamic binding of operations to objects

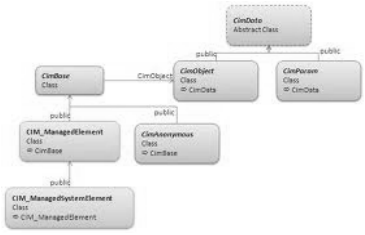


Terms

OOP Terms	C++ Equivalents
Object	Class object or class instance
Instance variable	Private data member
Method	Public member function
Message passing	Function call (to a public member function)

Relationship between C++ classes

- C++ classes can be related to each other in various ways



- The three most common ways
  - Two classes are independent (nothing in common)
  - Two classes are related by inheritance
  - Two classes are related by composition

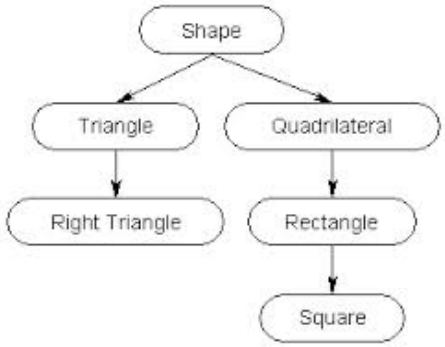
Inheritance

- Is a mechanism by which one class acquires (inherits) the properties (both data and operations) of another class
- The class being inherited from is called the base, parent or superclass
- The class that inherits is called the derived, child, or subclass
- The derived class is then "specialized" by adding properties specific to it
- Inheritance can be viewed as a tree-like, or hierarchical, structure wherein a base class is shown with its derived classes

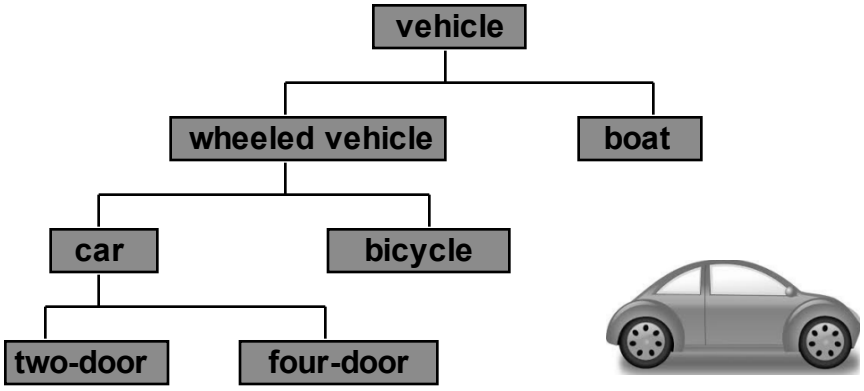
Why Inheritance?

- Inheritance is a facility that allows one to adapt code from other classes
- Suppose a new class is needed and a class already exists that represents part of what is needed
  - However it does not provide all needed services (functions)
- A new class can be created or derived from an existing class
- The derived class inherits all the services provided by the existing class
  - Additional services can be added

Inheritance Example



Inheritance Hierarchy Among Vehicles



Every car is a wheeled vehicle

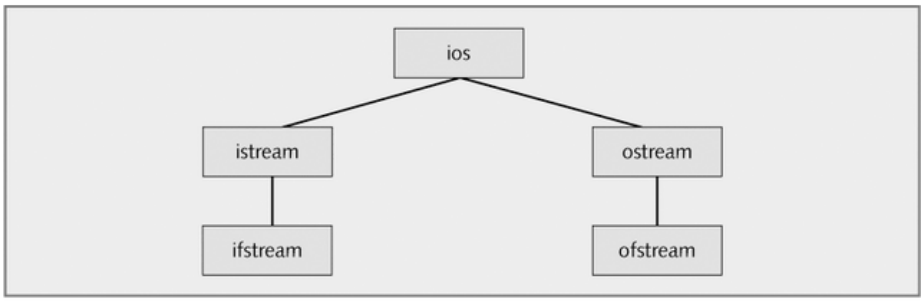
"is a" Relationship

- The inheritance relationship can be viewed as a "is a" relationship
- For example
  - Every car "is a" vehicle (a car inherits properties of a vehicle)
  - Every two door car "is a" car (a two-door car inherits properties of a car)

Vehicle Inheritance

```
class vehicle {/* . . . */};
class wheeledVehicle : public vehicle { /* . . . */};
class boat : public vehicle { /* . . . */};
class car : public  wheeledVehicle {/* . . . */ };
class bicycle : public  wheeledVehicle {/* . . . */ };
class two-door : public car {/* . . .*/};
class four-door : public car {/* . . .*/};
```

C++ Stream Classes



C++ stream classes hierarchy

ios class

- The class ios is the base class for all stream classes
- Classes istream and ostream are directly derived from the class ios
- The class ifstream is derived from the class istream, and the class ofstream is derived from the class ostream
- The class ios contains formatting flags and member functions to access and/or modify the setting of these flags
- To identify the I/O status, the class ios contains an integer status word
  - This integer status word provides a continuous update reporting the status of the stream
- The classes istream and ostream are responsible for providing the operations for the data transfer between memory and devices

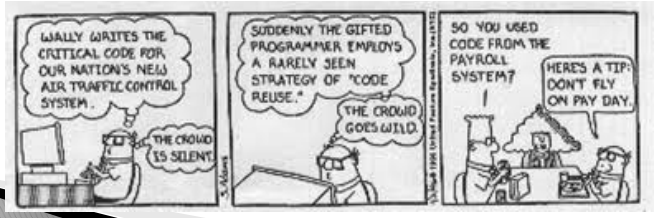
ios Derived Classes

- The class istream defines the extraction operator, >>, and functions such as get and ignore
- The class ostream defines the insertion operator, <<, which is used by the object cout
- The class ifstream is derived from the class istream to provide the file input operations
- The class ofstream is derived from the class ostream to provide the file output operations
- Objects of the type ifstream are used for file output; objects of the type ofstream are used for file output
- The header file fstream contains the definition of the classes ifstream and ofstream

Inheritance Allows One to Reuse Code

- A "child" or derived class inherits members from one or more base or "parent" classes

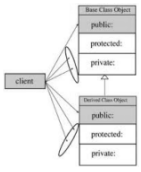
- Inherited members literally become part of the derived class without having to be rewritten or copied



Inheritance Allows for Adaptation of Code

- Inheritance allows one to create specialized classes that add to or modify the basic concept or behavior of a more generalized class
  - For example: A square is a special type of rectangle
- The derived (child) class inherits all the properties of the base (parent) class (except for the private members)
  - The data and operations defined in the base class are also defined in the derived class
- Specific properties are added to the derived class to make it unique
- Inheritance allows the creation of extensible data abstractions
  - The derived classes extends the base class by adding private data and public operations

Access Specifiers (Expanded View)



- public: (public interface)
  - Provides the interface between the client code and the class objects
  - Are accessible by both client code and derived classes
  - Function members (methods) are generally declared public
- private: (members are inaccessible to clients)
  - Not accessible by any client nor are they accessible by derived classes
  - Default
  - Data members are generally declare private
- protected:
  - Not accessible by client code but are accessible by derived classes

Access Method for Inheritance – 1

- **Public Inheritance**
  - **public** members of the base class become **public** members of the derived class and **protected** members of the base class become **protected** members of the derived class
  - A base class's **private** members are never accessible directly from a derived class, but can be accessed through calls to the **public** and **protected** members of the base class

Access Method for Inheritance – 2

- **Protected Inheritance**
  - **public** and **protected** members of the base class become **protected** members of the derived class
- **Private Inheritance**
  - **public** and **protected** members of the base class become **private** members of the derived class

Base Initialization list

- Data members can be initialized in a constructor using a “base initialization list”
- Data members are initialized after the parenthesis that ends the parameter list
  - On the function definition statement after a :
  - Not within the body of the function
- The invocation of a base class constructor within a child class constructor requires this syntax

Using a Base Initialization list

```
class Time
{
public :
    Time ( int initHrs, int initMins, int initSecs ) ;
    Time ( ) ;
 private :
    int         hrs ;
    int         mins ;
    int           secs ;
} ;
Time :: Time ( ) : hrs(0), mins(0), secs(0)
{    // empty body
}
Time :: Time (int initHrs, int initMins, int initSecs ):
            hrs (initHrs),
            mins (initMins),
            secs (initSecs)
{ // empty body }
```

Time Specification

```
class Time
{
public:
   void Set ( int hours, int minutes, int seconds );
   void Increment ( );
   void Write ( ) const;
   Time ( int initHrs, int initMins, int initSecs );
   Time ( );
 private:
   int          hrs;
   int          mins;
   int           secs;
};
```

Adding a data member

- Desire: Add time zone member
- Ways to accomplish this
  - Change the time class specification and implementation files
    - Not always possible since source code is sometimes proprietary
    - This method would also violate the encapsulation paradigm
  - Use inheritance principal
    - Create a new class, called ExtTime, that inherits the properties of the time class

The General Syntax of a Derived Class

```
class className: memberAccessSpecifier
   baseClassName
{
   member list
};
```

where memberAccessSpecifier is public, protected, or private

- When no memberAccessSpecifier is specified, it is assumed to be a private inheritance
- Example specifying inheritance

```
class ExtTime : public Time // Time is a public base
   class
```

memberAccessSpecifier

- public
  - All the public members of the base class (except for the constructors) are also public members of child class
  - Clients can invoke the public members (except for the constructors) of the base class for the derived class objects
- private
  - Public members of the base class are not public members of the derived class
  - Clients of the derived class cannot invoke the base class methods on the derived class objects
- A derived class cannot access the private members of its base class
  - Would violate the encapsulation paradigm
- All data members of the base class are also data members of the derived class
  - Similarly, the member functions of the base class (unless redefined) are also the member functions of the derived class

Steps Needed to Create a Child Class

- Procedure to create a child class
  - Add new data member(s)
  - Write new constructor(s) (required)
  - Add or overwrite member functions if necessary
- Constructor rules for derived classes
  - At run time, the base class constructor is implicitly called first, before the body of the derived class's constructor executes
  - If the base class constructor requires parameters, they must be passed by the derived class's constructor

Inherit the ExtTime Class from the Time Class

- For the ExtTime class
  - New data member zone is added
  - Member functions Set and Write are overridden
  - The increment function for the Time class can be invoked for ExtTime class objects (not overridden)
- The private members of ExtTime are hrs, mins, secs, (inherited from Time), and zone
- Note: every ExtTime object is a Time object
  - Time is the base class and ExtTime is the derived class

ExtTime Specification

```
enum ZoneType {EST, CST, MST, PST, EDT, CDT, MDT, PDT } ;
class ExtTime : public Time
{
public :
   void Set ( int hours, int minutes, int seconds ,
            ZoneType timeZone ) ;
   void Write ( ) const ;
   ExtTime ( int initHrs , int initMins , int initSecs ,
           ZoneType initZone ) ;
   ExtTime ( ) ;
 private :
   ZoneType zone ;      // added data member
} ;
```

ExtTime Constructors

```
ExtTime :: ExtTime ( ) : Time( )

{
        zone = EST ;
}
//*****************************************************

ExtTime :: ExtTime(int initHrs,
                int initMins,
                    int initSecs,
                ZoneType initZone )
               : Time (initHrs, initMins, initSecs)
{
        zone = initZone ;
}
```

Instantiating ExtTime objects

- ExtTime thisTime(8,35,0,PST) ;
  - The first three parameters are passed to the Time constructor before zone is set in the ExtTime constructor
- ExtTime thatTime ;
  - The default constructor of the Time class is called before the zone is set to EST

ExtTime Set function

```
void  ExtTime :: Set  (int          hours,
                       int          minutes,
                       int          seconds,
                       ZoneType     timeZone )
{
   Time :: Set (hours, minutes, seconds);  // calls base function
        zone  = timeZone ;
}
```

- There are two distinct Set( ) functions
  - Time::Set(...) and ExtTime::Set(...)
  - The ExtTime::Set() calls the Time::Set() to set the hrs, mins, secs
  - It cannot set hrs, mins, and secs since they are private members of the Time class
  - The ExtTime::Set( ) sets the zone

Redefinition of Member Functions

- To redefine a member function, the redefinition must have
  - Same name
  - Same signature as the function it replaces
- Otherwise there are two distinct functions
  - Original function (which is inherited)
  - The new function with a different signature
- (See example inherit1.cpp)

Avoiding Multiple Inclusion of Header Files

- Often several program files use the same header file containing typedef statements, constants, or class type declarations--but, it is a compile-time error to define the same identifier twice
- This preprocessor directive syntax is used to avoid the compilation error that would otherwise occur from multiple uses of #include for the same header file

```
#ifndef  Preprocessor_Identifier
#define  Preprocessor_Identifier
    .
    .
    .
#endif
```

- (See example inherit2.cpp)

Composition (or Containment)

- Is a mechanism by which the internal data (the state) of one class includes an object of another class
- One object is contained within a class
- There is no special syntax
- An object is declared to be one of the data members of another class
  - Like a struct within a struct
- Composition is a “has a” relationship
  - For example, a Timecard object “has a” Time object

TimeCard Class

- A typical timecard class would need
  - Employee id
  - Time the employees “punches in or punches out”
- The TimeCard class can use the Time class

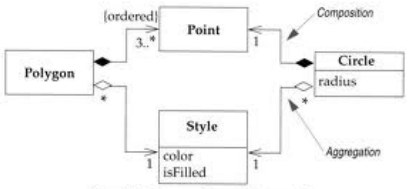


Figure 6-6: *Aggregation and Composition*

TimeCard Specification

```
class TimeCard
   {
   public:
      void  Punch (int   hours, int   minutes, int   seconds ) ;
      void  Print (  )  const ;
      TimeCard  (long   idNum, int  initHrs, int   initMins, int initSecs )
  ;
      TimeCard (  ) ;
    private:
      long    id ;
      Time   timeStamp  ;
   } ;
```

TimeCard Constructors

```
TimeCard :: TimeCard( )
{
                        id  =  0 ;
}
//*********************************************************
TimeCard :: TimeCard  (long   idNum, int      initHrs, int      initMins,  int
   initSecs ):  timeStamp (initHrs, initMins, initSecs)
{
                        id  =  idNum ;
}
```

Difference between Inheritance and Composition Constructors

- When using inheritance

```
ExtTime :: ExtTime(int initHrs, int initMins, int initSecs,
   ZoneType initZone ) : Time (initHrs, initMins, initSecs) //
   base class specified
```

- When using composition

```
TimeCard :: TimeCard (long idNum, int initHrs, int
   initMins, int initSecs : timeStamp (initHrs, initMins,
   initSecs) // member object specified
```

TimeCard Print Function

```
void TimeCard :: Print() const
  {
        cout << "ID: "<< id << " Time: " ;
        timeStamp.Write();
  }
```

- The timecard object can manipulate "id" via its member functions
- It must use the Time card member functions to access private members of the Time class
- The Print() and Punch() functions both invoke methods from the Time class
  - Otherwise the encapsulation paradigm would be violated
- See examples comp1.cpp and comp2.cpp

Multiple Member Objects

- When a class has several members that are objects of other classes
  - Constructors with parameters must specify the parameters for each base class

```
TimeCard :: TimeCard (long idNum, int initHrs,
  int initMins, int initSecs )
    : timeStamp (initHrs, initMins, initSecs),
      anotherTimeStamp (initHrs, initMins, initSecs)
```

- Member objects don't have to be from the same base class

Order in Which Constructors are Executed

- Given a class A
  - If A is a derived class its base class constructor is executed first
  - Finally, the body of A's constructor is executed
- Given Class A has a class member that is an object of class B
  - Class B's constructor is executed before Class A's

```
NewExtTime :: NewExtTime (int initHrs, int initMins,int
  initSecs, ZoneType initZone ) : Time (initHrs, initMins,
  initSecs), timeStamp (initHrs, initMins, initSecs) // Time is
  a base class and timeStamp is a member object
```

Multiple Inheritance

- C++ support multiple inheritance
- (see examples: multiple inheritance1 and 2)

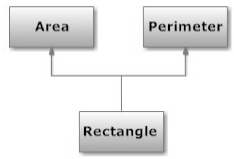


Figure: Multiple Inheritance Example