

# Homework 4

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Computational Engineering with C++

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## 1. Create Vehicle class.

- a) Create a new class called Vehicle.
- b) It should have 5 private data members:  
year, miles, value, manufacturer, and model  
Use appropriate data types (ie int, float, bool, string, double, etc)
- c) Create public getter and setter methods for the 5 private members, called:  
setYear, setMiles, setValue, setManufacturer, setModel,  
getYear, getMiles, getValue, getManufacturer, getModel  
Again use appropriate data types, and appropriate argument types (or none).
- d) Create a 5-parameter constructor. Create a default constructor which instantiates a 2015 Chevrolet Colorado with 55,000 miles worth \$20,000. Use constructor initializers to set the private data members in the constructor.
- e) Demonstrate that your constructors and getter and setter methods all work by calling them and printing output to the screen. Include these screenshots in your submission.

Note: you may implement this Vehicle class above main(), or declare above and implement below, or have declarations and implementations in a header file, or declarations in a header file and implementations in a source file, whichever you prefer. You may also submit an executable (along with all source and/or header files) to ensure the TA doesn't have issues compiling your code on their OS and compiler.

## 2. Create Truck class.

- a. Create a derived Truck class which publicly inherits from Vehicle.
- b. It should have 2 private data members:  
awd, towing\_capacity  
Again use appropriate data types.
- c. Create public getter and setter methods for the 2 private members, called:

setAwd, setTowing\_capacity,  
getAwd, getTowing\_capacity

- d. Create a 7-parameter constructor. Create a default constructor which instantiates a default Vehicle with 4x4 and a towing capacity of 5000 lbs. Use constructor initializers to set the private data members upon instantiation.
- e. Demonstrate that your constructors and getter and setter methods all work by calling them and printing output to the screen. Include these screenshots in your submission.

Note: the same note on declaration/implementation of the Vehicle class applies to the Truck class. Just be consistent between the two classes.

### 3. Create a vector of Trucks.

- a. Create a vector of five Trucks. You may choose the 5 trucks you wish to create. Be reasonable in your estimations of value, towing capacity, etc, and give your sources (for new: manufacturers website; and for used: something like edmunds).  
*Hint: Create the vector of trucks with this statement:*  
`vector<Truck> trucks;`  
*This creates an empty Truck vector; then add one truck at a time with*  
`trucks.push_back(Truck(2015,5500,20000,"Chevy","Colorado",true,5000));`  
*Alternatively, you may instantiate the vector of five trucks at declaration:*  
`vector<Truck> trucks(5);`  
*This will create five default trucks, and you would then use the setter methods to set private member data:*  
`trucks.at(0).setYear(2015); // or trucks[0].setYear(2015);`
- b. Using the getter methods, print out all 7 private member variables for each of the five trucks in the Truck vector (show in an understandable way the 5 trucks you picked). Include a screenshot(s) with your submission.

### 4. Graduate students only.

- a. Find the average value of the 5 trucks.
- b. Determine the range of years of the 5 trucks.
- c. Determine the range in miles of the 5 trucks.
- d. Determine the most common manufacturer (if there is one).
- e. Print all this information to the screen in an understandable way.

Attach your source code, screenshots of output, and header (if used) files. Include compiled executables if you wish.