

# Virtual

- virtual method
- abstract class

## Oscillator

float getSample()

**Sine**  
void tick()

**Square**  
void tick()

**Square**  
void tick()



## Oscillator

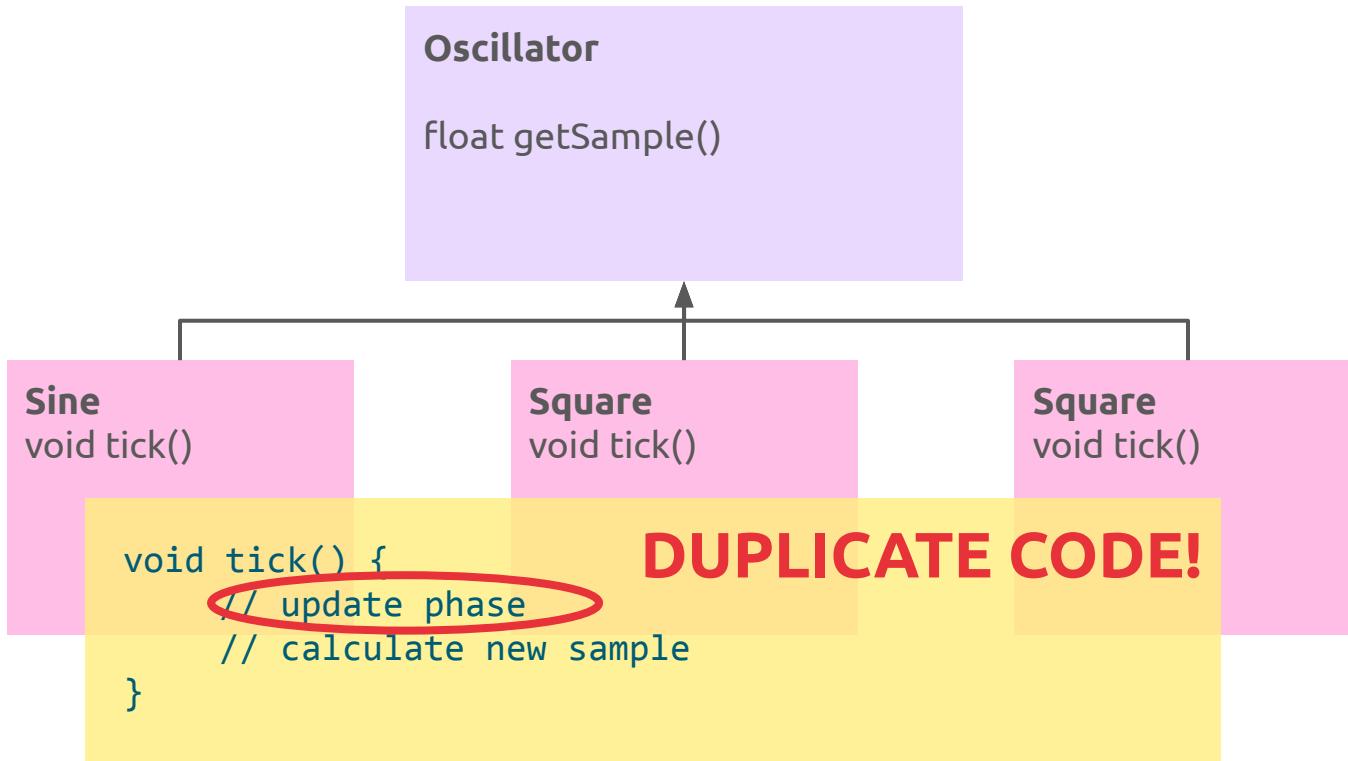
float getSample()

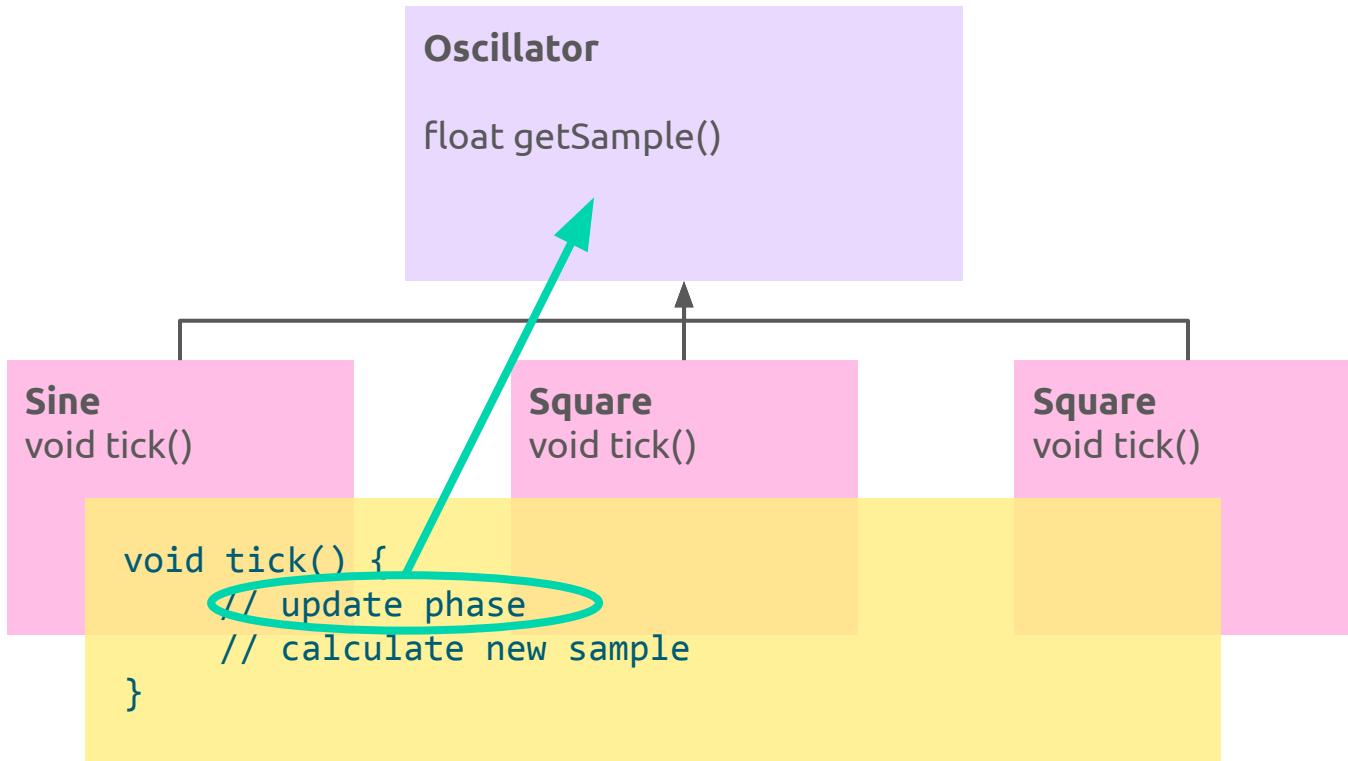
**Sine**  
void tick()

**Square**  
void tick()

**Square**  
void tick()

```
void tick() {  
    // update phase  
    // calculate new sample  
}
```





## Oscillator

```
float getSample()  
void updatePhase()
```

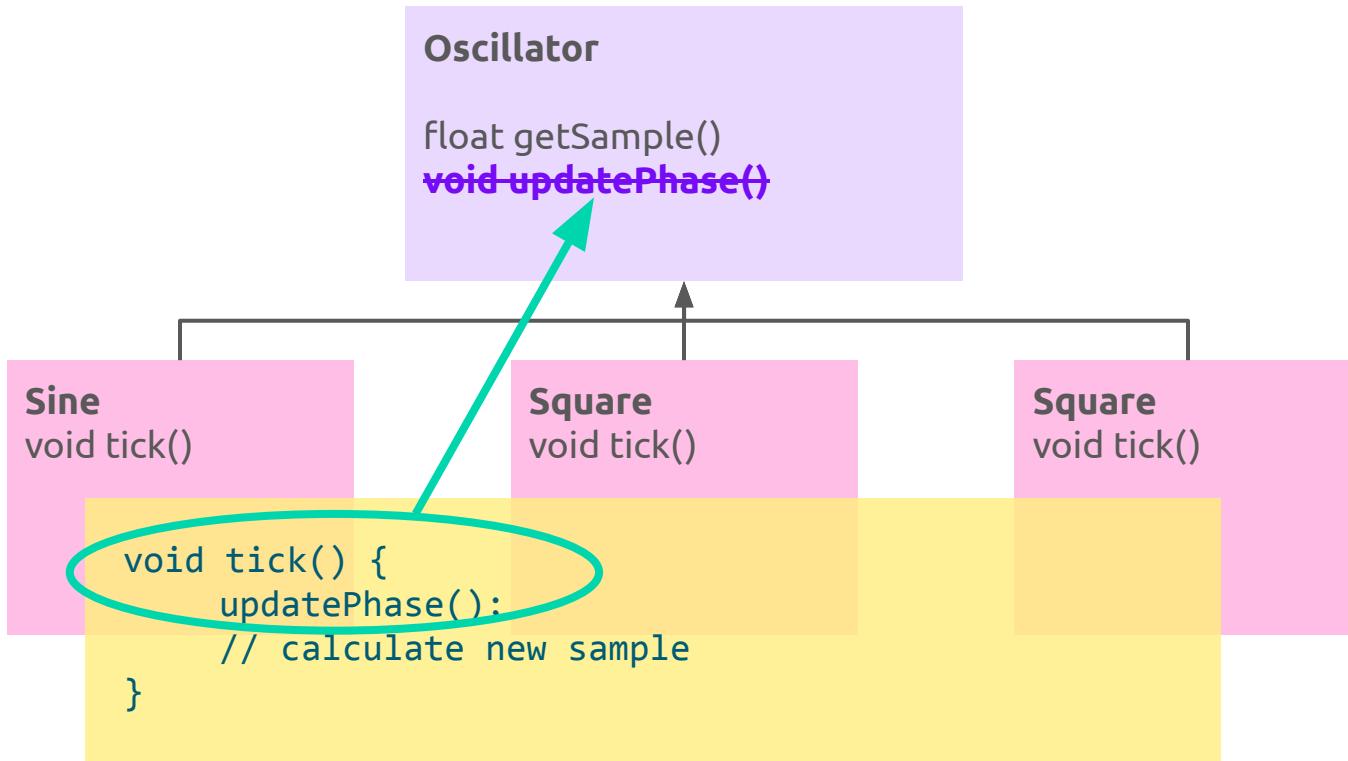
Sine  
void tick()

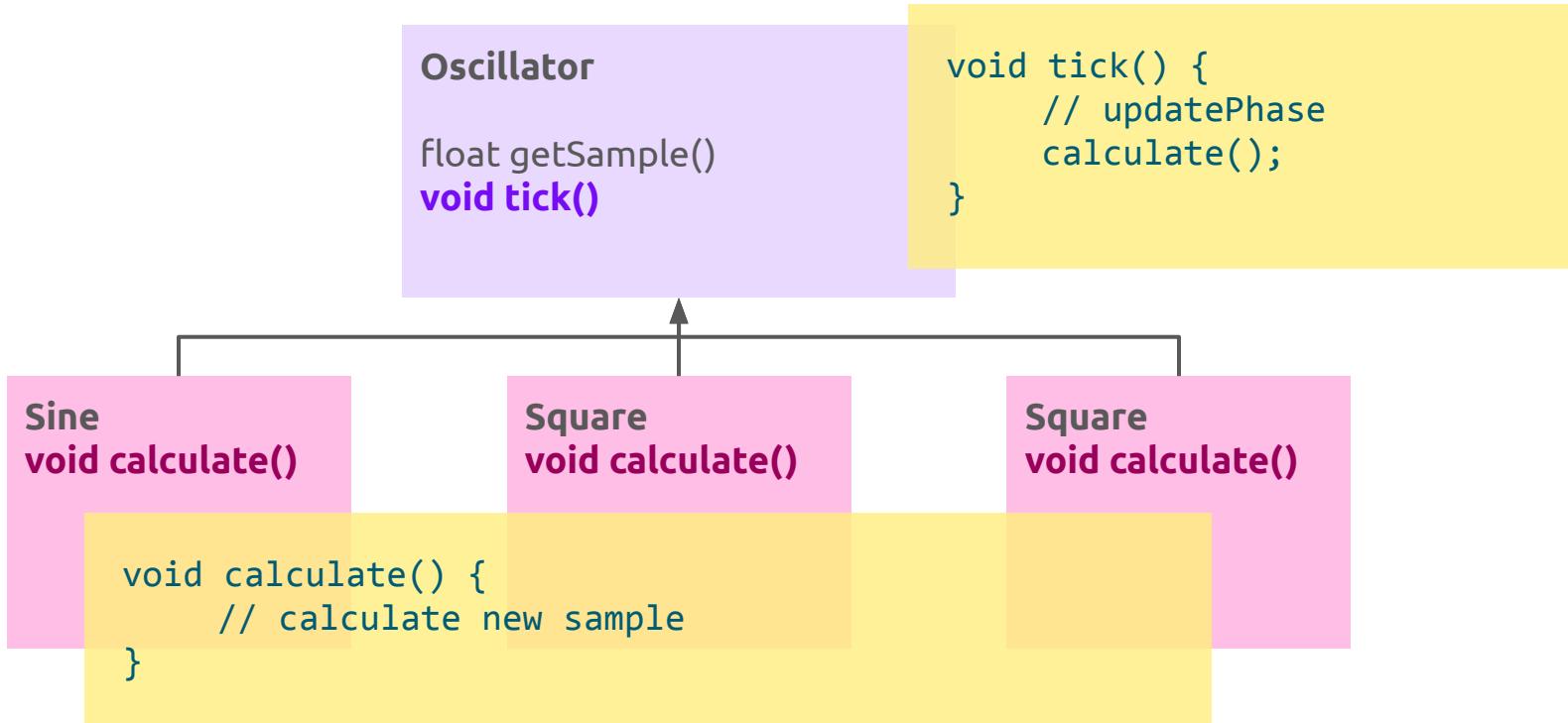
Square  
void tick()

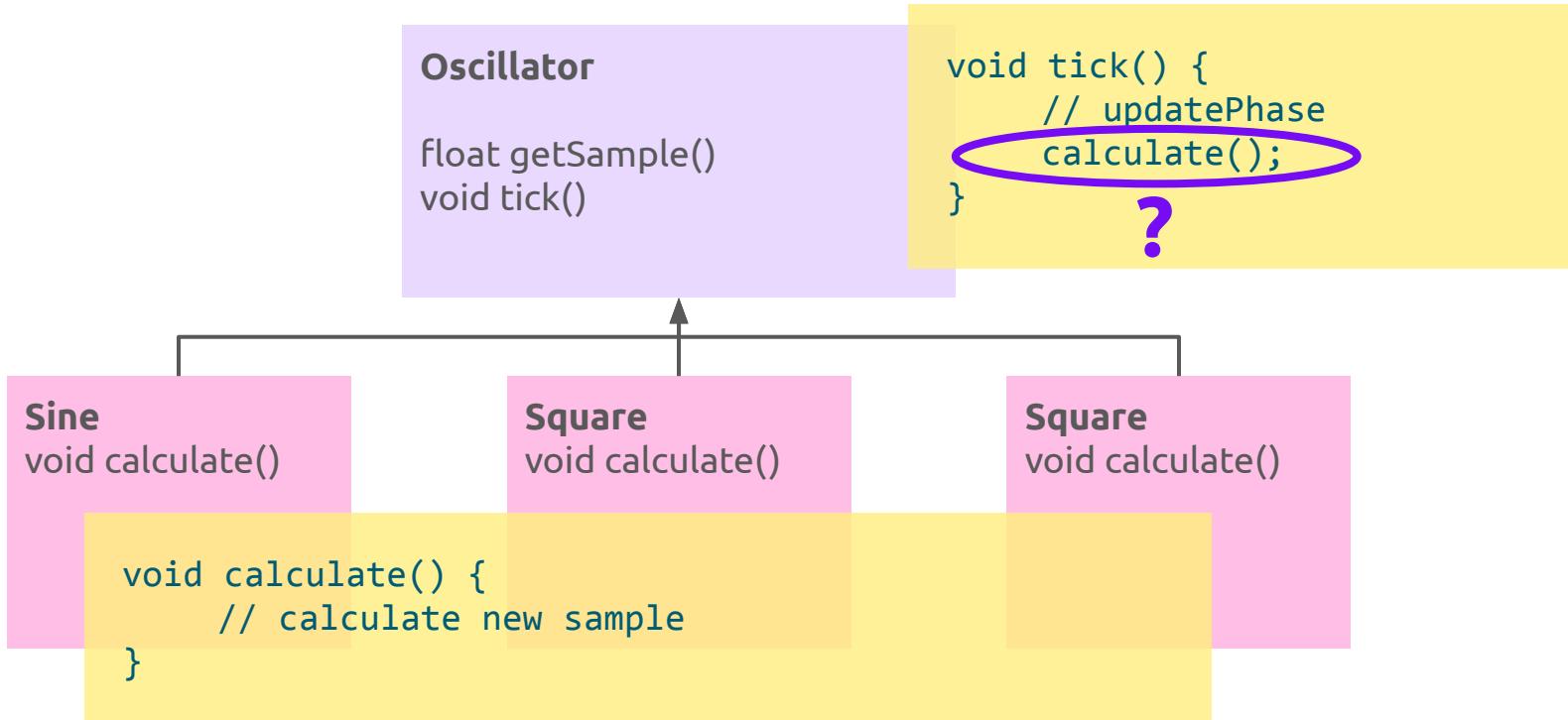
Square  
void tick()

```
void tick() {  
    updatePhase();  
    // calculate new sample  
}
```

**DUPLICATE CODE!**







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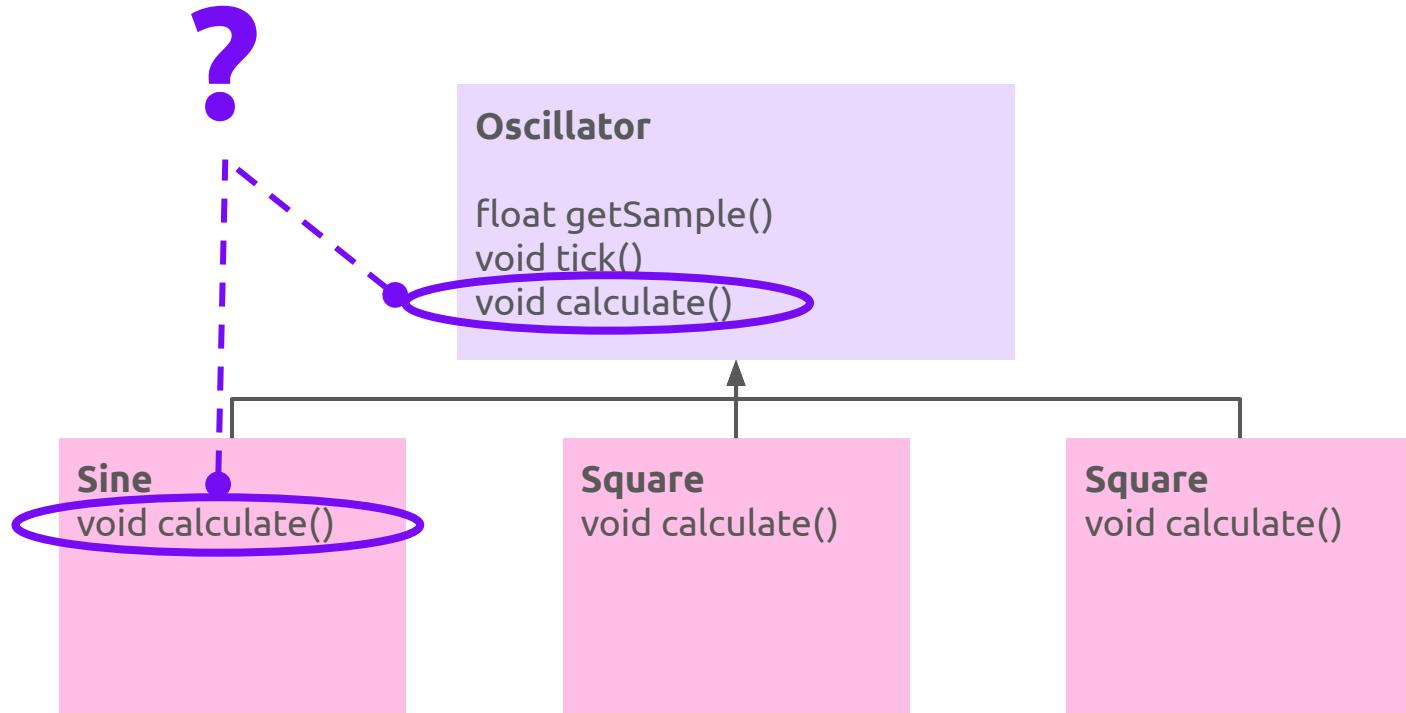
```
float getSample()  
void tick()  
void calculate()
```

Sine  
**void calculate()**

Square  
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## Oscillator

```
float getSample()  
void tick()  
virtual void calculate()
```

### Virtual

Sine  
void calculate()

*"Virtual functions are member functions whose behavior can be overridden in derived classes"*

<https://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/language/virtual>

Square

void calculate()

Square

void calculate()

## Oscillator

```
float getSample()  
void tick()  
virtual void calculate() = 0;
```

## Abstract class

*"Abstract classes are used to **represent general concepts** (for example, Shape, Animal), which **can be used as base classes** for concrete classes (for example, Circle, Dog).*

***No objects of an abstract class can be created*** (except for base subobjects of a class derived from it) ..."

[https://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/language/abstract\\_class](https://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/language/abstract_class)

## **Oscillator**

```
float getSample()  
void tick()  
virtual void calculate() = 0;
```

```
float sample  
float phase  
float freq  
int samplerate
```

**Sine**  
void calculate()

**Square**  
void calculate()

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void calculate()

