

Lab 7

1-3. Methods and attributes

```
class My_Class {
public:
    int var_a = 53455345;
    void func(){ var_a = 9999999;}
};

int main() {
    My_Class obj_1;
    //std::cout << obj_1.a << "\n";
    obj_1.func();
    int b = obj_1.var_a;
    //std::cout << obj_1.a << "\n";
}
```

Classes are almost identical to structures – they stored exactly the same way(except when they have virtual members).

In this example class variable `var_a` is pushed into stack. Method `func()` is called as a usual function, but the name of it changes to `_ZN8My_Class4funcEv` to show that it belongs to a certain class.

```
.type _ZN8My_Class4funcEv, @function
_ZN8My_Class4funcEv:
.LFB1522:
    .cfi_startproc
    endbr64
    pushq %rbp
    .cfi_def_cfa_offset 16
    .cfi_offset 6, -16
    movq %rsp, %rbp
    .cfi_def_cfa_register 6
    movq -8(%rbp), %rdi
    movq -8(%rbp), %rax
    movl $9999999, (%rax)
    nop
    popq %rbp
    .cfi_def_cfa 7, 8
    ret
    .cfi_endproc
.LFE1522:
.size _ZN8My_Class4funcEv, .-_ZN8My_Class4funcEv
.text
.globl main
.type main, @function
main:
.LFB1523:
    .cfi_startproc
    endbr64
    pushq %rbp
    .cfi_def_cfa_offset 16
    .cfi_offset 6, -16
    movq %rsp, %rbp
    .cfi_def_cfa_register 6
    subq $16, %rsp
    movl $53455345, -8(%rbp)
    leaq -8(%rbp), %rax
    movq %rax, %rdi
    call _ZN8My_Class4funcEv
    movl -8(%rbp), %eax
    movl %eax, -4(%rbp)
    movl $0, %eax
    leave
```

`%rdi` is responsible for “this”: as we can see, the address of `var_a` in stack is transferred to `%rdi` before function call and it is used in function itself as a pointer to `var_a`.

5. Encapsulation

```
class My_Class {  
private:  
    int private_ = 1111111;  
protected:  
    int protected_ = 2222222;  
public:  
    int public_ = 333333;  
  
    void my_print()  
    {  
        private_ = 10;  
        protected_ = 20;  
        public_ = 30;  
    }  
};  
  
int main() {  
    My_Class obj_1;  
    //std::cout << obj.a << "\n";  
    obj_1.my_print();  
}
```

```
movl    $1111111, -12(%rbp)  
movl    $2222222, -8(%rbp)  
movl    $333333, -4(%rbp)
```

The compiler emits no code in relation to these access modifiers. It's purely a compile-time thing, it will remember if something is private and show an error message if you try to access it from the outside, but in the compiled code there's no concept of public or private or anything, it's just bytes.

And, of course, at the machine code level you can always do whatever you want. The only exception is when different access modifiers cause different optimizations to apply, so e.g. some member might disappear because the compiler knows it can never be accessed from the outside and it can simply rewrite expressions so it doesn't need it.

6. Inheritance

```
class Animal
{
public:
    int animal_legs = -10;
    int animal_tail = -10;
};

class Predator: public Animal
{
public:
    int predator_legs = -20;
    int predator_tail = -20;
};

class Bear: public Predator
{
public:
    int bear_legs = -30;
    int bear_tail = -30;
};

int main()
{
    Bear bear;
    bear.animal_legs = 4;
    bear.predator_legs = 10;
    bear.bear_legs = 100;
}
```

```
main:
.LFB1522:
    .cfi_startproc
endbr64
    pushq    %rbp
    .cfi_def_cfa_offset 16
    .cfi_offset 6, -16
    movq     %rsp, %rbp
    .cfi_def_cfa_register 6
    movl     $-10, -32(%rbp)
    movl     $-10, -28(%rbp)
    movl     $-20, -24(%rbp)
    movl     $-20, -20(%rbp)
    movl     $-30, -16(%rbp)
    movl     $-30, -12(%rbp)
    movl     $4, -32(%rbp)
    movl     $10, -24(%rbp)
    movl     $100, -16(%rbp)
```

Local variables from each class are initialized (added to stack) in the same order as they are placed in code.

7. Polymorphism

```
class Animal
{
public:
    int animal_var = 0;
    virtual void print(int a) {animal_var = a;}
};

class Predator: public Animal
{
public:
    int predator_var = 0;
    virtual void print(int a) {predator_var = 2 * a;}
};

int main()
{
    Predator predator;
    predator.print(10);
}
```

```

_ZN8Predator5printEi:
.LFB1523:
.cfi_startproc
endbr64
pushq %rbp
.cfi_def_cfa_offset 16
.cfi_offset 6, -16
movq %rsp, %rbp
.cfi_def_cfa_register 6
movq %rdi, -8(%rbp)
movl %esi, -12(%rbp)
movl -12(%rbp), %eax
leal (%rax,%rax), %edx
movq -8(%rbp), %rax
movl %edx, 12(%rax)
nop
popq %rbp
.cfi_def_cfa 7, 8
ret
.cfi_endproc

.LFE1523:
.size _ZN8Predator5printEi, .-_ZN8Predator5printEi
.text
.globl main
.type main, @function

main:
.LFB1524:
.cfi_startproc
endbr64
pushq %rbp
.cfi_def_cfa_offset 16
.cfi_offset 6, -16
movq %rsp, %rbp
.cfi_def_cfa_register 6
subq $32, %rsp
movq %fs:40, %rax
movq %rax, -8(%rbp)
xorl %eax, %eax
leaq 16+_ZTV8Predator(%rip), %rax
movq %rax, -32(%rbp)
movl $0, -24(%rbp)
movl $0, -20(%rbp)
leaq -32(%rbp), %rax
movl $10, %esi
movq %rax, %rdi
call _ZN8Predator5printEi
movl $0, %eax
movq -8(%rbp), %rdx
xorq %fs:40, %rdx
je .L4
call __stack_chk_fail@PLT

.section .data.rel.ro.local._ZTV8Predator,"awG",@progbits,_ZTV8Predator,
.align 8
.type _ZTV8Predator, @object
.size _ZTV8Predator, 24
_ZTV8Predator:
.quad 0
.quad _ZTI8Predator
.quad _ZN8Predator5printEi
.weak _ZTI8Predator
.section .data.rel.ro._ZTI8Predator,"awG",@progbits,_ZTI8Predator,comdat
.align 8
.type _ZTI8Predator, @object
.size _ZTI8Predator, 24
_ZTI8Predator:
.quad _ZTVN10__cxxabiv120__si_class_type_infoE+16
.quad _ZTS8Predator
.quad _ZTI6Animal
.weak _ZTS8Predator
.section .rodata._ZTS8Predator,"aG",@progbits,_ZTS8Predator,comdat
.align 8
.type _ZTS8Predator, @object
.size _ZTS8Predator, 10
_ZTS8Predator:
.string "8Predator"
.weak _ZTI6Animal
.section .data.rel.ro._ZTI6Animal,"awG",@progbits,_ZTI6Animal,comdat
.align 8
.type _ZTI6Animal, @object
.size _ZTI6Animal, 16
_ZTI6Animal:
.quad _ZTVN10__cxxabiv117__class_type_infoE+16
.quad _ZTS6Animal
.weak _ZTS6Animal
.section .rodata._ZTS6Animal,"aG",@progbits,_ZTS6Animal,comdat
.align 8
.type _ZTS6Animal, @object
.size _ZTS6Animal, 8
_ZTS6Animal:
.string "6Animal"

```

In case of using virtual functions we can notice, that class Predator is used as a global variable. Thus, besides the %rdi

register(“this”), each copy of the object has to carry around an extra pointer(in this case it’s %rax, which is added to stack).