

C++ Programming

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What we are going to cover in this module?

- 1 : Introduction to C++
- 2 : Function features
- 3 : class and object
- 4 : namespaces, new-delete
- 5 : References , deep-shallow copy
- 6 : Object oriented concept
- 7 : composition
- 8 : Inheritance
- 9 : virtual function
- 10: static, const, friend
- 11: template and Exception
- 12: Design pattern



Limitations of C Programming

- C is said to be process oriented, structured programming language.
- When program becomes complex, understating and maintaining such programs is very difficult.
- Language don't provide security for data.
- Using functions we can achieve code reusability, but reusability is limited. The programs are not extendible.



Characteristics of Language

1. It has own syntax
2. It has its own rule(semantics)
3. It contain tokens:
 - Identifier
 - Keyword
 - Constant/literal
 - Operator
 - Separator / punctuators
4. It contains built in features.
5. We use language to develop application(CUI, GUI, Library)



Classification of high level Languages

1. Procedure Oriented Programming language(POP)
 - ALGOL, FORTRAN, PASCAL, BASIC, C etc.
 - "FORTRAN" is considered as first high level POP language.
 - All POP languages follows "TOP Down" approach
2. Object oriented programming languages(OOP)
 - Simula, Smalltalk, C++, Java, C#, Python, Go
 - "Simula" is considered as first high level OOP language.
 - more than 2000 lang. are OO.
 - All OOP languages follows "Bottom UP" approach
3. Object based programming languages -
Object based languages supports the usage of object.
e.g- VB, Javascript



History of C++

- @1960 ← OOP designed by Alen Kay American computer scientist these are concept, theory not any programing language. It is a process / programming methodology which is used to solve real world problems.
- @1960 ← simula is first oop language designed by Ole-Johan Dahl and Kristen Nygaard. Problem with simula is that performance wise it is very slow.
- @1972 ← C is developed by Dennis Ritchie at AT&T bell laboratories.
- @1979 ← Bjarne Stroustrup develop "C with Classes"
- @1983 ← C++ (rename 'C with classes') with added features. New features were added, including virtual functions, operator overloading ,references
- @1998 ← C++ is standardized by the ANSI
(American National Standards Institute)



OOPS(Object Oriented Programming Language)

- It is a programming methodology to organize complex program in to simple program in terms of classes and object such methodology is called oops.
- It is a programming methodology to organized complex program into simple program by using concept of abstraction , encapsulation , polymorphism and inheritance.
- Languages which support abstraction , encapsulation polymorphism and inheritance are called oop language.



Main Function

- main should be entry point function of C/C++
- Calling/invoking main function is responsibility of operating system.
- Hence it is also called as Callback function.

[In cpp extension of file is -> .cpp
compiler name is -> g++]

Helloworld.cpp



Functions / User Defined Functions

- It is a set of instructions written to gather as a block to complete specific functionality.
- Function can be reused.
- It is a subprogram written to reduce complexity of source code
- Function may or may not return value.
- Function may or may not take argument
- Function can return only one value at time
- **Writing function helps to**
 - improve readability of source code
 - helps to reuse code
 - reduces complexity
- **Types of Functions**
 - Library Functions
 - User Defined Functions



User Defined Functions

A function is a group of statements that together perform a task.

- **Function declaration / Prototype / Function Signature**

<return type> <functionName> ([<arg type>...]);

- **Function Definition**

```
<return type> < functionName > ([<arg type> <identifier>...])  
                                {  
                                //function body  
                                }
```

- **Function Call**

<location> = < functionName >(<arg value/address>);



Inline Function

- C++ provides a keyword *inline* that makes the function as inline function.
- Inline functions get replaced by compiler at its call statement. It ensures faster execution of function.
- Inline is a request made to compiler.
- If a function is inline, the compiler places a copy of the code of that function at each point where the function is called at compile time.

When to use Inline function?

- We can use the inline function when performance is needed.



Default Arguments

- In C++, functions may have arguments with the default values. Passing these arguments while calling a function is optional.
- A default argument is a default value provided for a function parameter/argument.
- If the user does not supply an explicit argument for a parameter with a default argument, the default value will be used.
- If such argument is not passed, then its default value is considered. Otherwise arguments are treated as normal arguments.
- Default arguments should be given in right to left order.
 - ```
int sum (int a, int b, int c=0, int d=0) {
 return a + b + c + d;
}
```
  - The above function may be called as
    - Res=sum(10,20);
    - Res=sum(10,20,40);
    - Res=sum(10,30,40,50);



# Function Overloading

- Functions with same name and different signature are called as overloaded functions.
  - Return type is not considered for function overloading.
  - Function call is resolved according to types of arguments passed.
  - Function overloading is possible due to name mangling done by the C++ compiler (Name mangling process , mangled name)
  - Differ in number of input arguments
  - Differ in data type of input arguments
  - Differ at least in the sequence of the input arguments
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- Example :
    - `int sum(int a, int b) { return a+b; }`
    - `float sum(float a, float b) { return a+b; }`
    - `int sum(int a, int b, int c) { return a+b+c};`



# Data Types in C++

- It describes 3 things about variable / object
  1. Memory : How much memory is required to store the data.
  2. Nature : Which type of data memory can store
  3. Operation : Which operations are allowed to perform on data stored inside memory.
- Fundamental Data Types (int,char,float,double)
- Derived Data Types ( Array, Function, Pointer, Union ,Structure)

Two more additional data types that c++ supports are

1. **bool** :- it can take *true* or *false* value. It takes one byte in memory.
2. **wchar\_t** :- it can store 16 bit character. It takes 2 bytes in memory.



# Structure

- Structure is a collection of similar or dissimilar data. It is used to bind logically related data into a single unit.
- This data can be modified by any function to which the structure is passed.
- Thus there is no security provided for the data within a structure.
- This concept is modified by C++ to bind data as well as functions.

## Access Specifier

- By default all members in structure are accessible everywhere in the program by dot(.) or arrow(→) operators.
- But such access can be restricted by applying access specifiers.
  - private: Accessible only within the struct
  - public: Accessible within & outside struct



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# Thank You

