

MODULE :-3 INTRODUCTION TO OOPS PROGRAMMING

[THEORY EXERCISE]

1. Introduction to C++

1. What are the key differences between Procedural Programming and Object-Oriented Programming (OOP)?

Ans :-

<u>Feature</u>	<u>Procedural Programming (POP)</u>	<u>Object-Oriented Programming (OOP)</u>
Approach	Follows a top-down approach	Follows a bottom-up approach
Structure	Program is divided into functions	Program is divided into objects and classes
Data Handling	Data is exposed and shared among functions	Data is hidden inside objects (encapsulation)
Reusability	Limited code reusability	Promotes reusability through inheritance
Security	Less secure (no access modifiers)	More secure (data hiding and abstraction)
Example Languages	C, Pascal, FORTRAN	C++, Java, Python (OOP style)
Real-World Mapping	Difficult to map to real-world entities	Maps directly to real-world objects

2. List and explain the main advantages of OOP over POP.

Ans :-

Modularity

- Programs are divided into objects which are easier to manage.

Reusability

- Classes can be reused in other programs using inheritance.

Data Security

- Data is hidden using private access, and access is given through methods only.

Easy to Maintain

- Programs are easy to update, test, and debug.

Real-world Modeling

- Objects in programs represent real-world things (like Car, Employee).

Extensibility

- New features can be added easily using inheritance and polymorphism.

3. Explain the steps involved in setting up a C++ development environment

Ans :- To write and run C++ programs, follow these steps:

◊ Step 1: Install a C++ Compiler

1. For Windows: Use MinGW, Code::Blocks, or Dev-C++

2. For Linux: Install g++ using terminal

```
sudo apt install g++
```

Step 2: Choose an IDE or Editor

1. IDEs: Code::Blocks, Dev-C++, Visual Studio

2. Editors: VS Code, Notepad++

◊ Step 3: Write Your Program

Save your code with .cpp extension.

◊ Step 4: Compile the Program

◊ Step 5: Run the Program

Using terminal:

```
g++ hello.cpp -o hello
```

```
./hello
```

4. What are the main input/output operations in C++? Provide examples.

Ans :- C++ uses `cin` for input and `cout` for output, from the `iostream` header.

◊ Input (`cin`)

Used to get values from the user.

```
int age;
cout << "Enter your age: ";
cin >> age;
```

◊ Output (`cout`)

Used to print messages or values.

```
cout << "You entered age: " << age;
```

◊ Full Example:

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main() {
    int age;
    cout << "Enter your age: ";
    cin >> age;
    cout << "Your age is " << age;
    return 0;
}
```

2. Variables, Data Types, and Operators

1. What are the different data types available in C++? Explain with examples.

Ans :- C++ has two main types of data types:

1. Built-in (Primitive)
2. User-defined (like struct, class)

◊ Built-in Data Types:

Data Type	Description	Example
int	Stores integers	int age = 20;
float	Stores decimal numbers (single precision)	float price = 10.5;
double	Stores decimal numbers (double precision)	double pi = 3.14159;
char	Stores a single character	char grade = 'A';
bool	Stores true or false	bool pass = true;
void	No value (used for functions)	void show();

◊ User-Defined Data Types:

struct, class, enum

◊ Derived Data Types:

Arrays, Pointers, References

2. Explain the difference between implicit and explicit type conversion in C++.

Ans :- ◊ Implicit Type Conversion (Type Promotion):

1. Done automatically by the compiler.

2. Happens when we assign one data type to another type with higher range.

```
int a = 5;
float b = a; // int is automatically converted to float
```

◊ Explicit Type Conversion (Type Casting):

- Done manually by the programmer.
- Use casting syntax to convert one type to another.

Example:

```
float f = 5.67;  
int a = (int)f; // float manually converted to int
```

3. What are the different types of operators in C++? Provide examples of each.

Ans :- C++ provides many types of operators:

Operator Type	Description	Example
Arithmetic	+, -, *, /, %	a + b, a * b
Relational	==, !=, >, <, >=, <=	a > b, a == b
Logical	&&, , !	(a > b) && (a < c)
Assignment	=, +=, -=, *=, /=	a = 5;, a += 2;
Increment/Decrement	++, --	a++, --b
Bitwise	&, ^, ~, <<, >>	
Conditional (Ternary)	?:	(a > b) ? a : b
Sizeof	Returns size of a variable	sizeof(int)

4. Explain the purpose and use of constants and literals in C++.

Ans :- ◊ Constants:

Values that do not change during program execution.

Declared using the const keyword.

Example:

```
const float PI = 3.14;
```

◊ Literals:

- Fixed values written directly in code.

Types of Literals:

Type	Example
Integer Literal	10, -99
Float Literal	3.14, 0.005
Character Literal	'A', '@'
String Literal	"Hello", "C++"
Boolean Literal	true, false

Use:

Constants and literals make code clear, safe, and easy to maintain. They prevent accidental changes to important values.

3. Control Flow Statements

1. What are conditional statements in C++? Explain the if-else and switch statements.

Ans :- Conditional statements are used to make decisions in a program. They help the program choose different paths based on conditions.

◊ if-else Statement:

Used when you want to check a condition and execute code accordingly.

Syntax:

```
if (condition) {  
    // code if true  
} else {  
    // code if false  
}
```

Example:

```
int age = 18;  
if (age >= 18) {  
    cout << "Eligible to vote.";  
} else {  
    cout << "Not eligible.";  
}
```

◊ **switch Statement:**

Used when you want to check multiple possible values of a variable.

Syntax:

```
switch (expression) {  
    case value1:  
        // code  
        break;  
    case value2:  
        // code  
        break;  
    default:  
        // code if no match  
}
```

Example:

```
int day = 2;  
switch (day) {  
    case 1: cout << "Monday"; break;  
    case 2: cout << "Tuesday"; break;  
    default: cout << "Other day";  
}
```

2. What is the difference between for, while, and do-while loops in C++?

Ans :- Loops are used to repeat a block of code multiple times.

Loop Type	Description	Syntax Example	Executes at least once?
for	Use when you know how many times to repeat	for (int i=0; i<5; i++)	✗ No
while	Use when you want to repeat while a condition is true	while (i < 5)	✗ No

Loop Type	Description	Syntax Example	Executes at least once?
do-while	Same as while but runs at least once	do {} while (i < 5);	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes

Example:

```
// for loop
for (int i = 1; i <= 3; i++) {
    cout << i << " ";
}
```

3. How are break and continue statements used in loops? Provide examples.

Ans:- ◊ break Statement:

Used to exit the loop immediately.

Example:

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 5; i++) {
    if (i == 3) break;
    cout << i << " ";
}
// Output: 1 2
```

◊ continue Statement:

Skips the current iteration and continues with the next loop cycle.

Example:

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 5; i++) {
    if (i == 3) continue;
    cout << i << " ";
}
// Output: 1 2 4 5
```

4. Explain nested control structures with an example.

Ans :- Nested control structures mean using one control statement inside another.

You can have:

1. if inside if (nested if)
2. loops inside loops (nested loops)

3.if inside loops, and vice versa

Example: Nested for loop

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 3; i++) {  
    for (int j = 1; j <= 2; j++) {  
        cout << "i=" << i << ", j=" << j << endl;  
    }  
}
```

Output:

```
i=1, j=1  
i=1, j=2  
i=2, j=1  
i=2, j=2  
i=3, j=1  
i=3, j=2
```

Nested structures are useful in patterns, tables, matrix programs, etc.

4. Functions and Scope

1. What is a function in C++? Explain the concept of function declaration, definition, and calling.

Ans:- A function in C++ is a block of code that performs a specific task. It helps to organize code, avoid repetition, and make programs easier to read and maintain.

◊ 3 Main Parts of a Function:

1. Function Declaration (Prototype)

- Tells the compiler about the function's name, return type, and parameters.
- Written before main() or in header files.

Example:

```
int add(int a, int b); // Declaration
```

2. Function Definition

- Contains the actual code (logic) of the function.

Example:

```
int add(int a, int b) {  
    return a + b;  
}
```

3. Function Call

- Used to execute the function.

Example:

```
int result = add(5, 3);
```

2. What is the scope of variables in C++? Differentiate between local and global scope.

Ans :- Scope refers to the area of the program where a variable can be accessed or used.

◊ Local Scope:

- Variable declared inside a function or block.
- Only accessible within that block.

Example:

```
void show() {  
    int x = 10; // local variable  
    cout << x;  
}
```

◊ Global Scope:

- Variable declared outside all functions.
- Accessible by all functions in the same file.

Example:

```
int x = 100; // global variable  
  
void show() {  
    cout << x;  
}
```

3.Explain recursion in C++ with an example.

Ans :- Recursion means a function calling itself to solve a smaller version of the problem.

It's useful in:

- Factorial
- Fibonacci
- Tree traversals
- Backtracking

Example: Factorial using recursion

```
int factorial(int n) {  
    if (n == 0) return 1;  
    else return n * factorial(n - 1);  
}
```

Explanation:

- If $n = 3$, it works like:
 $3 * \text{factorial}(2) \rightarrow 3 * 2 * \text{factorial}(1) \rightarrow 3 * 2 * 1 * \text{factorial}(0) \rightarrow \text{return } 1$

4.What are function prototypes in C++? Why are they used?

Ans . :- A function prototype is a declaration of a function before it is used.

It tells the compiler:

- Function name
- Return type
- Number and type of arguments

◊ Syntax:

```
return_type function_name(parameter_list);
```

◊ Example:

```
int add(int, int); // Function prototype
```

◊ Why Use Function Prototypes?

- Helps the compiler check for correct function usage
- Supports modular programming (functions can be written after main)
- Reduces errors due to wrong function calls

5. Arrays and Strings

1. What are arrays in C++? Explain the difference between single-dimensional and multi- dimensional arrays.

Ans :- An array is a collection of elements of the same data type stored at contiguous memory locations.

◊ Features:

- Fixed size
- Elements are accessed using index (starts from 0)

◊ Single-Dimensional Array (1D):

- Stores elements in a single row (like a list)

Example:

```
int marks[5] = {80, 90, 85, 75, 95};
```

- marks[0] is 80, marks[1] is 90, etc.

◊ Multi-Dimensional Array (2D or more):

- Stores data in tables (rows and columns)

Example (2D Array):

```
int matrix[2][3] = {  
    {1, 2, 3},  
    {4, 5, 6}  
};
```

- Access element like matrix[1][2] → 6

2. Explain string handling in C++ with examples.

Ans :- C++ supports two types of strings:

◊ (a) C-style strings (char arrays):

- An array of characters ending with '\0' (null character)

Example:

```
char name[10] = "Jay";  
cout << name;
```

◊ (b) C++ strings (using <string> library):

- Easier and safer than C-style strings.

Example:

```
#include <iostream>  
#include <string>  
using namespace std;  
  
int main() {  
    string name = "Jay";  
    cout << "Name is " << name;  
    return 0;  
}
```

3. How are arrays initialized in C++? Provide examples of both 1D and 2D arrays.

Ans :- ◊ 1D Array Initialization:

```
int nums[5] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};
```

Or

```
int nums[] = {10, 20, 30};
```

◊ 2D Array Initialization:

```
int table[2][3] = {  
    {1, 2, 3},  
    {4, 5, 6}  
};
```

Accessing:

```
cout << table[1][2]; // Output: 6
```

4. Explain string operations and functions in C++.

Ans :- When using C++ strings (<string>), we can perform many operations easily.

◊ Common String Functions and Operations:

Function/Operation	Description	Example
length() or size()	Returns number of characters	str.length()
+	Concatenates strings	"Hello " + "World"
==, !=	Compares strings	if (str1 == str2)
substr(start, len)	Gets part of string	str.substr(1,3)
append()	Adds string at end	str1.append("test")
at(index)	Gets character at index	str.at(0)
empty()	Checks if string is empty	str.empty()
find("word")	Finds position of word	str.find("a")

Example:

```
string str = "Hello";  
string str2 = "World";  
string result = str + " " + str2; // "Hello World"  
cout << result.length(); // Output: 11
```

6. Introduction to Object-Oriented Programming

1. Explain the key concepts of Object-Oriented Programming (OOP).

Ans :- OOP (Object-Oriented Programming) is a method of programming where the focus is on objects and classes instead of just functions and logic. It helps organize code in a modular and reusable way.

◊ Main OOP Concepts (4 Pillars):

Concept	Description
Encapsulation	Hiding internal details and only exposing necessary parts (using classes)
Abstraction	Showing only essential features and hiding background details
Inheritance	Reusing existing class features in a new class
Polymorphism	One function or operator behaves differently in different situations

2. What are classes and objects in C++? Provide an example.

Ans :- ◊ Class:

A class is a blueprint or template for creating objects. It defines properties (data) and behaviors (functions).

◊ Object:

An object is an actual instance of a class. It represents a real-world entity.

Example:

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

class Car {
public:
    string brand;
    int year;

    void showDetails() {
        cout << brand << " - " << year << endl;
    }
};

int main() {
    Car myCar;           // Object creation
    myCar.brand = "Toyota";
    myCar.year = 2020;
    myCar.showDetails(); // Calling class function
    return 0;
}
```

3. What is inheritance in C++? Explain with an example.

Ans :- Inheritance means one class (child) can acquire the properties and functions of another class (parent).

It allows code reuse and is a key feature of OOP.

◊ Types of Inheritance:

- Single
- Multiple
- Multilevel
- Hierarchical
- Hybrid

Example: Single Inheritance

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

class Animal {
public:
    void eat() {
        cout << "Eating..." << endl;
    }
};

class Dog : public Animal {
public:
    void bark() {
        cout << "Barking..." << endl;
    }
};

int main() {
    Dog d;
    d.eat();    // Inherited from Animal
    d.bark();  // Own function
    return 0;
}
```

4. What is encapsulation in C++? How is it achieved in classes?

Ans :- Encapsulation means binding data and methods together in a class and hiding the internal details from outside code.

◊ How it is achieved:

- By making data members private
- Providing access through public functions (getters/setters)

Example:

```
class Student {  
private:  
    int rollNo; // Private: can't access directly  
  
public:  
    void setRollNo(int r) {  
        rollNo = r;  
    }  
  
    int getRollNo() {  
        return rollNo;  
    }  
};  
  
int main() {  
    Student s;  
    s.setRollNo(101);  
    cout << s.getRollNo(); // Accessing private data via public function  
}
```

Encapsulation protects data from unauthorized access and makes the program more secure and manageable.