

Fixing Two-Phase Initialization

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`-fno-exceptions`

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        ret.m_state = make_unique_nothrow(n_arg);  
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        return ret;  
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    create(Arg n_arg) noexcept
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    if(!ret.m_state) { return unexpected(my_errc::error); }
    return ret;
}
```


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```
static expected<construction_token>
    preconstruct(Arg n_arg) noexcept
{
    construction_token t;
    t.state = make_unique_nothrow(n_arg);
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```
Foo(construction_token&& t) noexcept
:m_state(std::move(t.state))
{ }
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Inverse Two-Phase Initialisation (User's view)

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expected<Foo::construction_token> t1 = Foo::preconstruct(args);  
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```
auto t3 = Foo::preconstruct(args);  
std::vector<Foo> objects;  
objects.emplace_back(std::move(*t3));
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