

Assignment No. - 10

1. What is concept of structure in c programming? Explain with example.

→ structure is a concept which comes under a userdefined datatype.

- Structure is a collection of heterogeneous elements i.e. as per user need he can take data type in structure, so structure is called as userdefined datatype.

- The concept of structure can store primitive, userdefined, derived data type in it.

- Structure in c and it is used in c++ & java as class.

c.g. keyword

struct Demo

{

int x;
float a;
int i;
double d;

};

} structure members (Body)

obj1		
Demo::x	12	100
Demo::a	1.1	104
Demo::i	10	108
Demo::d	10.1011101	112
		120

- The Structure will get memory when we define object / structure variable. now each member of structure gets separate memory to each data member.

- Here total 120 byte memory gets allocated to structure.

- we cannot initialize the data elements in structure, for that we need to use direct accessing (• dot) operator.

- struct Demo obj1;

obj1.x = 12;

obj1.a = 1.1;

obj1.i = 10;

obj1.d = 10.1011101;

Q.2. What is the difference between Structure & union.

- • Structure and union are considered as user defined data types.
- Structure and union can hold any heterogeneous datatype based on programmer requirement.
- Structure can store any primitive, derived & user defined data type in it.
- In case of union memory gets allocated for only the largest member of a union.
- As the memory gets allocated for only one member we can store only one value at a time.
- But in case of Structure we can store all the values of all the members at a time.

Example -

1. Structure

struct Demo

{

int i;

float j;

double k; }

struct Demo obj;

obj.i = 10;

obj.j = 10.10;

obj.k = 9.1243;

100	obj	
	10	Demo::i
104		
	10.10	Demo::j
108		
	9.1243	Demo::k
116		

"16 bytes"

2. Union

Union Demo

{ float a;

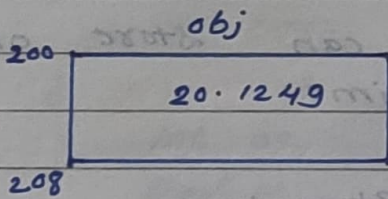
int b;

double c;

} obj;

obj.c = 20.1249;

	Demo::a
	Demo::b
	Demo::c



"8 bytes"

Q.3. which type of data we can store in Structure ?

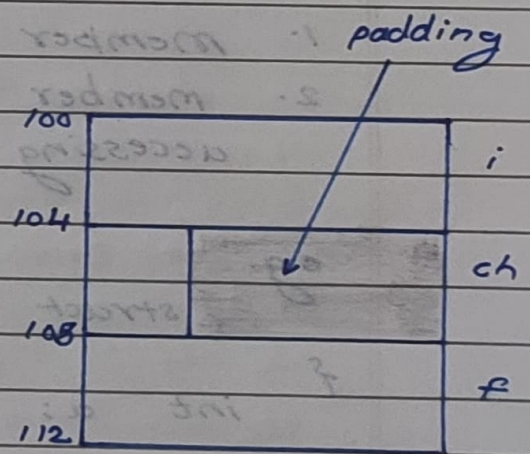
- we can store any of the data type in structure
- i.e
1. Primitive
 2. derived
 3. User defined

Q.4. what is meant by padding in memory allocation of structure.

→ Structure padding is defined as the process of adding one or more empty bytes between datatypes to align data in memory.

for e.g. -

```
struct Demo
{
    int i ;
    char ch;
    float f;
};
```



- In above example we expected 12 bytes of memory, but when we execute it we get 16 bytes.

- These 3 bytes are considered as padding.
- Padding is considered as allocated memory inside the object that we cannot access.
- It is considered as wastage of memory.
- To access element in faster way compiler assign some extra spaces that space is called as padding.

Q.5. How many ways we can initialize the member of structure.

→ There are 3 ways to initialize members of Structure:

1. member initialization list
2. member by member using direct accessing operator.

e.g.

struct Demo	1. list
{ int a; float b; char c; }	obj = { 10, 1.1, 'A' };
{ obj, obj1;	2. obj.a = 10; obj.b = 1.1; obj.c = 'A';

Q.6. what is array between array & structure.

Q.7. Draw the memory layout.

1. struct Demo

```
{
    int i;
    float f;
    double d;
}
```

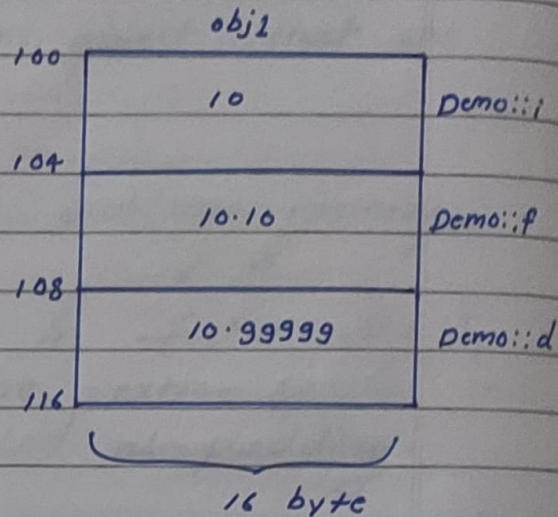
};

struct Demo obj1;

obj1.i = 10;

obj1.f = 10.10;

obj1.d = 10.99999;



2. struct Demo

```
{
    int arr[3];
    float f;
    double d;
}
```

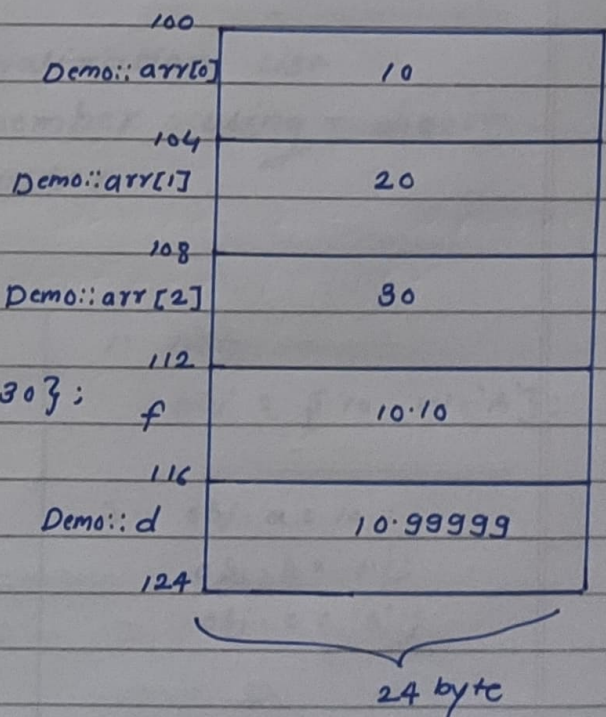
};

struct Demo obj; Demo::arr[2]

obj.arr[3] = {10, 20, 30};

obj.f = 10.10;

obj.d = 10.99999;



Q.8. Why we can not initialise members of structure at time of declaration?

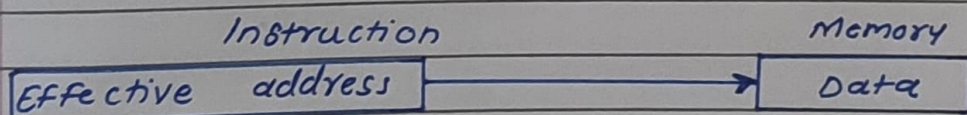
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- Structure members can not be initialized like other variables inside the structure definition.

This is because when a structure is defined no memory is allocated to the structure's data members at this point.

- Memory is not allocated when a structure variable is declared.
- Memory allocated to the structure when object of that structure created.

Q.9. What is difference between direct access and indirect access operator.

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- Direct accessing : In direct accessing mode, the address field in the instruction contains the effective address of the operand & no intermediate memory access is required.



- Indirect accessing : The address field in the instruction contains the memory location

or register where the effective address of operand is present.

Q. 10. Detect the problem.

→ 1. Struct Demo

```

{
    int i;
    float f = 10.0; // cannot initialize
    double d;        variable while
                    declaring
                    structure.
};

```

2. Struct Demo

```

{
    int i;
    float p;
    double i;
};

```

// we cannot declare two variables with same identifier / name.