



Lecture One

An overview of C++

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Object Oriented Programming (OOP)

- Emphasis is on **data** rather than **procedure**
- **Programs** are divided into **classes**. **Instance** of a class is called **object**.
- **Data** and **functions** are build **around objects**
- Data doesn't **flow freely** around the system
 - ✓ Data is hidden, no access from external functions
 - ✓ Data of an object can be accessed only by the functions associated with that object
- **Objects communicate** with each other through **functions**
- **new data and functions** can be easily added.

Example: C++, Java, Smalltalk



Features of OOP

Three Key Features of OOP

Encapsulation

- ❖ Wrap up **data** and **functions/methods** together
- ❖ **Insulation** of data from **direct access** by the program – **data hiding**

Polymorphism

- ❖ **One Interface, multiple methods**
- ❖ **Function overloading:**
 - (1) Use a **single name** to **multiple methods**;
 - (2) **different** number and types of **arguments**.
- ❖ **Operator overloading:**
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Inheritance

- ❖ One class **inherits** the **properties** of another class
- ❖ provide **hierarchical classifications**
- ❖ Permits **reuse** of common **code** and **data**

- ❖ Representing essential features **without details**
- ❖ Class defines a list of **abstract attributes** (**data members**) and **methods** to operate on these attributes

Abstraction



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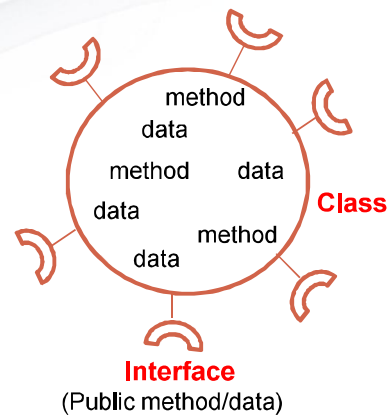
```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

class myclass {
    int a;
public:
    myclass(); // constructor
    int geta() { return a; }
};

myclass::myclass(){
    cout << "In constructor\n";
    a = 10;
}

int main(){
    myclass ob;

    cout << a;           // wrong -Error
    cout << ob.geta();   // OK
    return 0;
}
```





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

class date {
    int month, day, year;
public:
    date(char *str);
    date(int d, int m, int y) {
        day = d;
        month = m;
        year = y;
    }
    void show() {
        cout << day << '/' << month << '/' << year << '\n';
    }
};
```

```
date::date(char *str){
    sscanf(str, "%d%c%d%c%d", &day,
        &month, &year);
}
```

```
int main() {
    date sdate("31/12/99");
    date idate(31, 12, 99);
```

```
sdate.show();
idate.show();
return 0;
}
```

Operator overloading:

```
a = 4 + 6;
ob1 = ob2 + ob3;
```



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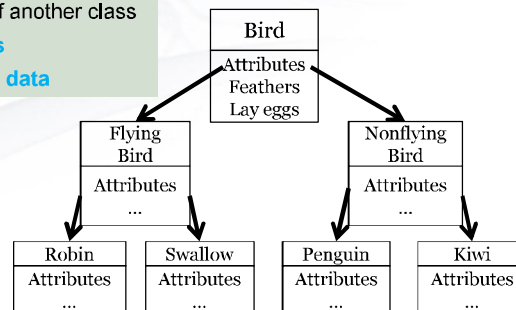
❖ provide **hierarchical classifications**

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

class base {
    int x;
public:
    void setx(int n) { x = n; }
    void showx() { cout << x << '\n'; }
    int getx() { return x; }
};
```

```
class derived: public base {
    int y;
public:
    void sety(int n) { y = n; }
    void showy() {
        cout << y << '\n';
        cout << y+getx() << '\n';
    }
};
```



```
int main(){
    derived ob;

    ob.setx(10);
    ob.sety(20);
    ob.showx();
    ob.showy();
    return 0;
}
```



Abstraction

Abstract Class and Method:

✿ **Abstract class** is a superclass without a complete implementation of every method.

- There can be **no objects** of an abstract class.
- Abstract can be used to create **object references**.

✿ **Abstract method** refers to **subclasser responsibility** to override it, otherwise, it will report a **warning message**.

- **Constructor** and **static method** cannot be **Abstract**.

Java Code

```
Abstract class Figure {
    double dim1, dim2;
    Figure(double a, double b){ dim1 = a; dim2 = b;}
    abstract double area();
}
class Rectangle extends Figure {
    Rectangle(double a, double b) {super(a, b);}
    double area(){ return dim1*dim2;}
}
class Traingle extends Figure {
    Triangle(double a, double b) {super(a, b);}
    double area(){ return 0.5*dim1*dim2;}
}
```

```
class Dispatch {
    public static void main(String args[]){
        Rectangle r = new Rectangle(4,5);
        Triangle t = new Triangle(4, 3);
        Figure figref;

        figref = r;
        System.out.println("area: "+ figref.area());
    }
}
```



Programming with C++

Two versions of C++:

Old version of C++:

```
#include <iostream.h>

int main(){
    /* program code */
    return 0;
}
```

- Includes **filename**

New version of C++:

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

int main(){
    /* program code */
    return 0;
}
```

- Includes **stream** which is mapped to file by compiler

Filename used in Old Version	File stream used in New Version
iostream.h	iostream
string.h	cstring
math.h	cmath
graphics.h	cgraphics



Bjarne Stroustrup
(1979)



C/C++ I/O

General form of C++ Console I/O

- > **Input Command:** `cin >> variable;`
- > **Output Command:** `cout << expression;`

C I/O	C++ I/O
a) Input Statements	
<code>scanf("%s", strName);</code>	<code>cin >> strName;</code>
<code>scanf("%d", &iCount);</code>	<code>cin >> iCount;</code>
<code>scanf("%f", &fValue);</code>	<code>cin >> fValue;</code>
<code>scanf("%d %d %d", &day, &month, &year);</code>	<code>cin >> day >> month >> year;</code>
b) Output Statements	
<code>printf("%s%c%s%c", "Hello", ' ', "World", '!');</code>	<code>cout << "Hello" << ' ' << "World" << '!';</code>
<code>printf("Value of iCount is: %d", iCount);</code>	<code>cout << "Value of iCount is: " << iCount;</code>
<code>printf("Enter day, month, year");</code>	<code>cout << "Enter day, month, year: ";</code>



Namespaces

- A **namespace** is a **declarative region** that **localizes** the names of identifiers to **avoid name collisions**.
- The contents of new-style headers are placed in the **std namespace**.
- A newly created class, function or global variable can put in-
 - (1) an existing namespace;
 - (2) a new namespace; and
 - (3) unnamed namespace.

```
#include <iostream>

int main() {
    char str[16];

    std::cout << "Enter a string: ";
    std::cin >> str;
    std::cout << "String: " << str;

    return 0;
}
```

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

int main() {
    char str[16];

    cout << "Enter a string: ";
    cin >> str;
    cout << "String: " << str;

    return 0;
}
```



Scope Resolution Operator (::)

Scope Resolution Operator is used for **two purposes**:

To access a **hidden global variable**

```
#include <iostream>

int count = 0;

int main(void) {
    int count = 0;
    ::count = 1; // set global count to 1
    count = 2;   // set local count to 2

    return 0;
}
```

To access a **hidden member class** or **member variable** with a **class**

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

class X {
public:
    static int count;
};

int X::count = 10; // define static data member

int main () {
    int X = 0; // hides class type X
    cout << X::count << endl; // use static member of class X
}
```



C++ Comments

- Multi-line comments
/* one or more lines of comments */
- Single line comments
// ...



Some differences between C and C++

SL#	Area	C	C++
1.	Empty parameter list	void is mandatory. <code>char fl(void);</code>	void is optional. <code>char fl();</code>
2.	Function prototype	Function prototype is optional but recommended.	All functions must be prototyped.
3.	Returning a value	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ A non-void function is not required to actually return a value. If it doesn't, a garbage value is returned. ➤ “Default-to-int” rule: If a function does not explicitly specify the return type, an integer return type is assumed. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ If a function is declared as returning a value, it must return a value. ➤ C++ has dropped the “default-to-int” rule.
4.	Local variable declaration	Local variables are declared at the start of a block , prior to any action statement.	Local variables can be declared anywhere .
5.	bool data type	-	C++ defines the bool data type and also keywords true and false .