

## Functions: Parameters

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/*
    . Passing parameters to functions:
        . By value:
            . The function receives a copy of the value passed to it.
            . The original value is not modified.

        . By reference:
            . The function receives a reference to the value passed to it.
            . The original value is modified.

        . By Pointer:
            . The function receives a pointer to the value passed to it.
            . The original value is modified.

        . Default parameters:
            . Parameters that have default values.
            . They only have to show up in the declaration.
*/
```

## Parameters by value

```
void say_age(int age)    // Parameter
{
    ++age;
    fmt::println("Hello, you are {} years old! &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));
}

int main(){

    //Pass by value
    int age{ 23 }; // Local
    fmt::println("age (before call): {} &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));
    say_age(age); // Argument
    fmt::println("age (after call): {} &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));

}
```

## Parameters by const value

```
//Pass by const value
void say_age(const int age)
{
    //++age; //Can't assign to a variable that is const
    fmt::println("Hello, you are {} years old! &age: ", age, fmt::ptr(&age));
}

int main(){

    int age{ 23 }; // Local
    fmt::println("age (before call): {} &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));
    say_age(age); // Argument
    fmt::println("age (after call): {} &age: ", age, fmt::ptr(&age));

}
```

## Parameters by pointer

```
//Pass by pointer
void say_age(int *age)
{// Parameter
    ++(*age);
    fmt::println("Hello ,you are {} years old! &age: {}", *age, fmt::ptr(&age)); // 24
}

int main(){

    //Pass by pointer
    int age{ 23 }; // Local
    fmt::println("age (before call), {} &age: {} ", age, fmt::ptr(&age)); // 23
    say_age(&age); // Argument
    fmt::println("age (after call), {} &age: {} ", age, fmt::ptr(&age)); // 24

}
```

## Parameters by pointer to const

```
//Pass by pointer to const
int dog_count{ 10 }; // Global
void say_age(const int *age) //The value pointed to is constant
{
    //++(*age); //One way to do this

    //Another way to do this
    // int value = *age;
    // ++value;
    // *age = value;
    fmt::println("Hello , you are {} years old! &age :{} ", *age, fmt::ptr(&age)); // 24

    //But we can make the pointer point somewhere else
    age = &dog_count; //This compiles
}

int main(){

    //Pass by pointer to const
    int age{ 23 }; // Local
    fmt::println("age (before call): {} &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age)); // 23
    say_age(&age); // Argument
    fmt::println("age (after call): {} &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age)); // 24

}
```

## Parameters by const pointer to const

```
//Pass by const pointer to const
int dog_count{ 10 }; // Global
void say_age(const int *const age)
{
    //++(*age); // The value pointed to is const.
    fmt::println("Hello , you are {} years old! &age : {}", *age, fmt::ptr(&age)); // 24
    //age = & dog_count; // The pointer itself is const, you can't make it point somewhere else.
}

int main(){

    //Pass by const pointer to const
    int age{ 23 }; // Local
    fmt::println("age (before call): {} &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));
    say_age(&age); // Argument
    fmt::println("age (after call): {} &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));

}
```

## Parameters by reference

```
//Pass by reference
void say_age(int &age)
{
    ++age;
    fmt::println("Hello, you are {} years old! &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age)); // 24
}

int main(){
    //Pass by reference
    int age{ 23 }; // Local
    fmt::println("age (before call): {} &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));
    say_age(age); // Argument
    fmt::println("age (after call): {} &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));

}
```

## Parameters by const reference

```
//Pass by const reference
void say_age(const int &age)
{
    // ++age;
    fmt::println("Hello, you are {} years old! &age: {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age)); // 24
}

int main(){
    //Pass by const reference
    int age{ 23 }; // Local
    fmt::println("age (before call) : {} &age : {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));
    say_age(age); // Argument
    fmt::println("age (after call) : {} &age : {}", age, fmt::ptr(&age));

}
```

## Functions: Default parameters



```
//Default parameters: They only have to show up in the declaration.  
void compute(int age = 27, double weight = 72.4, double distance = 12.5){  
    fmt::println("Doing computations on age : {} weight :{} and distance :{}", age, weight, distance);  
}  
  
void greet_teacher()  
{  
    std::string_view name_sv = "teacher",  
    int homeworks = 12,  
    int exams = 4,  
    double pass_rate = 0.5,  
    std::string_view first_dpmt = "Computer Sce"){  
    fmt::println("Good morning {} !", name_sv);  
    fmt::println("In the past semester, we had {} homeworks, and {} exams. The pass rate was around {} ",  
    homeworks,  
    exams,  
    pass_rate);  
    fmt::println("The best performing department is {} ", first_dpmt);  
}
```