

Prefix and postfix increment operators



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Topics:

- . Unary prefix increment operator (member/non-member)
- . Unary postfix increment operator (member/non-member)
- . There also are
 - . decrement versions of these operators
 - . you can set them up as an exercise.

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Prefix operators



```
//The goal
fix_ops_1::Point p1(10, 10);
std::cout << "p1: " << p1 << "\n";
++p1;
p1.operator++(); //the operator is a member
std::cout << "p1: " << p1 << "\n";
```



```
//The goal
fix_ops_2::Point p1(10, 10);
std::cout << "p1: " << p1 << "\n";
++p1;
operator++(p1); // the operator is a non-member
std::cout << "p1: " << p1 << "\n";
```

Prefix and postfix increment operators

```
// Unary prefix operator+ as member
export class Point
{
    friend std::ostream &operator<<(std::ostream &os, const Point &p);

public:
    Point(double x, double y) : m_x(x), m_y(y) {}

    //prefix operator done as a member
    void operator++()
    {
        ++m_x;
        ++m_y;
    }

private:
    double length() const; // Function to calculate distance from the point(0,0)

private:
    double m_x{};
    double m_y{};
};
```

Prefix and postfix increment operators

```
//Unary prefix operator+ as non-member
export class Point
{
    friend std::ostream &operator<<(std::ostream &os, const Point &p);
    friend void operator++(Point &operand);

public:
    Point(double x, double y) : m_x(x), m_y(y) {}

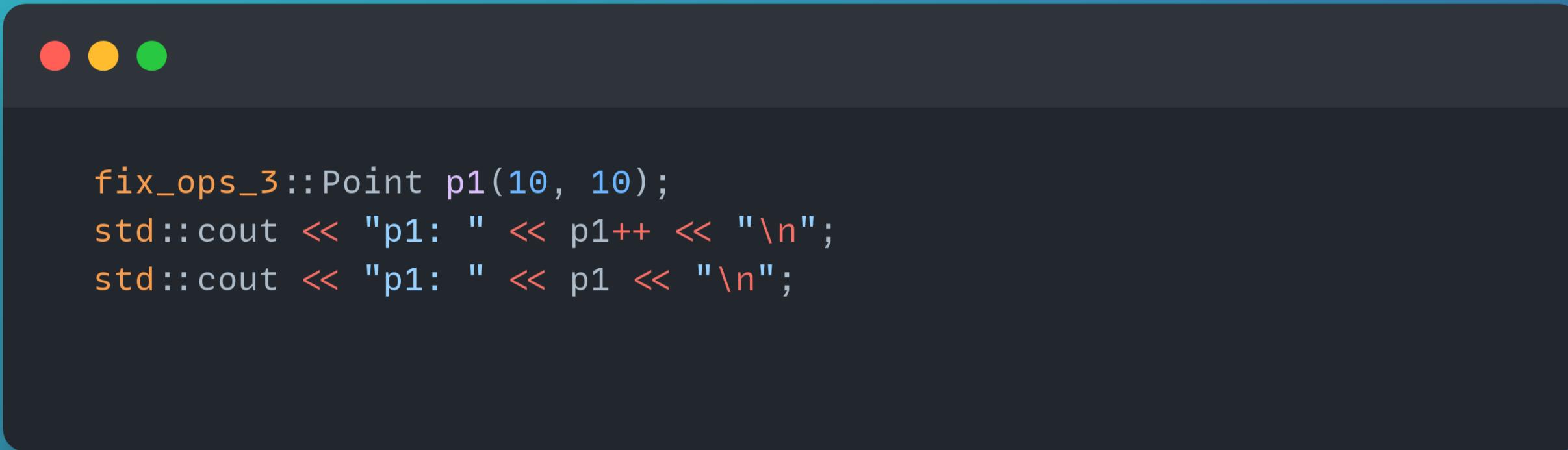
private:
    double length() const; // Function to calculate distance from the point(0,0)

private:
    double m_x{};
    double m_y{};
};

inline std::ostream &operator<<(std::ostream &os, const Point &p)
{
    os << "Point [ x: " << p.m_x << ", y: " << p.m_y << "]";
    return os;
}

//Unary prefix operator+ done as a non-member
inline void operator++(Point& operand){
    ++(operand.m_x);
    ++(operand.m_y);
}
```

Postfix operators



A screenshot of a terminal window with a dark background and light-colored text. The window has three small colored circles (red, yellow, green) in the top-left corner. The code inside the terminal is:

```
fix_ops_3::Point p1(10, 10);
std::cout << "p1: " << p1++ << "\n";
std::cout << "p1: " << p1 << "\n";
```

Prefix and postfix increment operators

```
//Unary postfix operator+ as member
export class Point
{
    friend std::ostream &operator<<(std::ostream &os, const Point &p);

public:
    Point(double x, double y) : m_x(x), m_y(y) {}

    //Prefix operator done as a member
    void operator++()
    {
        ++m_x;
        ++m_y;
    }

    //Postfix done as a member. Done in terms of prefix operator
    Point operator++(int){
        Point local_point(*this);
        ++(*this);
        return local_point;
    }

private:
    double length() const; // Function to calculate distance from the point(0,0)

private:
    double m_x{};
    double m_y{};
};
```

Prefix and postfix increment operators

```
//Unary postfix operator+ as a non-member
export class Point
{
    friend std::ostream &operator<<(std::ostream &os, const Point &p);
    friend void operator++(Point &operand);
    friend Point operator++(Point &operand, int);

public:
    Point(double x, double y) : m_x(x), m_y(y) {}

private:

private:
    double m_x{};
    double m_y{};
};

//Prefix operator+ done as a non-member
inline void operator++(Point& operand){
    ++(operand.m_x);
    ++(operand.m_y);
}

//Postfix operator++ done as non-member. In terms of prefix operator
Point operator++(Point &operand, int)
{
    Point local_point(operand);
    ++operand;
    return local_point;
}
```