

# Problem Statement: Advanced Shopping System with Discounts (Single Inheritance)

## Objective:

Design and implement a C++ program that simulates a shopping system using **single inheritance**. The goal is to reinforce your understanding of class inheritance, constructor initialization, and parameter passing between parent and child classes.

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## Background:

You are building a program for a shopping mall that manages **customer purchases**. The program must keep track of a customer's membership level, apply the appropriate discount, and calculate the total bill. Membership levels affect discount rates:

Membership Level	Discount Rate
Gold	20%
Silver	10%
Regular	5%

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## Class Design Requirements:

### ◇ Class **Customer** (Parent Class)

- **Attributes:**

- `string name`
- `string membership`
- `float discountRate`

- **Constructor:**

- Accepts the customer's name and membership level.
- Initializes the appropriate discount rate based on the membership.
- Prints a message when the constructor is called.

### ◇ Class **Purchase** (Child Class – inherits from **Customer**)

- **Attributes:**

- `int itemCount`
- `float pricePerItem`
- `float totalAmount`
- `float finalAmount`

- **Constructor:**

- Accepts name, membership, item count, and price per item.
  - Passes the appropriate parameters to the parent class constructor.
  - Calculates:
    - `totalAmount = itemCount * pricePerItem`
    - `finalAmount = totalAmount - (discountRate * totalAmount)`
  - **Method:**
    - `void displayInvoice()` – displays a formatted bill with all information.
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### ✓ Expected Output Example:

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Customer constructor called for Alice with membership: Gold
Purchase constructor called

--- Invoice ---
Customer: Alice
Membership: Gold
Items Bought: 5
Total Amount: $500
Discount Applied: 20%
Final Amount to Pay: $400
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### 📌 Tasks:

1. Implement the above classes and logic as described.
  2. Demonstrate inheritance and constructor chaining clearly in your code.
  3. Format your output to display a clean invoice.
  4. Add at least one additional validation (e.g., item count cannot be negative).
  5. Include meaningful comments in your code.
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### 🌟 Bonus Challenge (Optional):

- Add a **tax calculation** (e.g., 5%) **after applying the discount**.
  - Extend the `Customer` class to handle multiple purchase histories.
  - Introduce different product categories with their own discount adjustments.
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### 📄 Submission Guidelines:

- Submit your `.cpp` file with meaningful class names and clean formatting.
  - Include sample output in comments.
  - Code should compile and run without errors.
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