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Inheritance

- Software reusability
- Create new class from existing class instead of building it entirely from the scratch
  - Existing class’s data and behaviors
  - Adding new capabilities
  - Derived class inherits from base class
Class hierarchy

- Direct base class
  - Inherited explicitly (one level up hierarchy)
- Indirect base class
  - Inherited two or more levels up hierarchy
- Single inheritance
  - Inherits from one base class
- Multiple inheritance
  - Inherits from multiple base classes
    - Base classes possibly unrelated
Three Types of Inheritance

public

- Every object of derived class is also an object of base class
  - Base-class objects are not objects of derived classes
    - All cars are vehicles, but not all vehicles are cars
  - Can access non-private members of base class
    - To access private base-class members
      - Derived class must use inherited non-private member functions

private (later)

- Alternative to composition

protected (later)

- Rarely used

“is-a” vs “has-a”

“is-a”

- Inheritance
- Derived class object can be treated as base class object
  - Car is a vehicle
    - Vehicle properties/behaviors also apply to a car

“has-a”

- Composition
- Object contains one or more objects of other classes as members
  - Car has a steering wheel

Base Classes and Derived Classes

- **Object of one class “is an” object of another class**
  - Rectangle is quadrilateral
    - Class Rectangle inherits from class Quadrilateral
      - base class: quadrilateral
      - derived class: rectangle

- **Base class typically represents larger set of objects than derived classes**
  - Base class: Vehicle
  - Derived class: Car
Base Classes and Derived Classes Cont’d

- GraduatedStudent class is derived from Student class
- GraduatedStudent class is inherited from Student class
- Student class is super class of GraduatedStudent
- Graduated class is child class or subclass of Student class
Public Inheritance

class TwoDimensionalShape : public Shape

- Class TwoDimensionalShape inherits from class Shape

- **Base class private members**
  - Not accessible directly, but still inherited
  - Accessed through inherited public member functions

- **Base class public and protected members**
  - Inherited with original member access

- **friend functions**
  - Not inherited

```cpp
class BaseClass {
    // ...
};

class DerivedClass : public BaseClass {
    // ...
};
```

Public Inheritance Cont’d

class BaseClass {
    public:
        void public_method();
    protected:
        void protected_method();
    private:
        void private_method();
};

class DerivedClass : public BaseClass {
    public:
        void public_method();
    protected:
        void protected_method();
};

Protected Access Specifier

- Intermediate level of protection between public and private
- Protected methods/data cannot be accessible by other classes except for subclasses
- Other classes consider protected members as normal “private” members
- Subclasses consider protected members as normal “public” members
Protected Access Specifier Cont’d

- Protected members are accessible to
  - Base class members
  - Base class friends
  - Derived class members
  - Derived class friends
Protected Access Specifier Cont’d

- Public members in base class are public in derived class
- Protected members in base class are protected in derived class
- Derived-class members
  - Refer to public and protected members of base class
    - Simply use member names
  - Redefined base class members can be accessed by using base-class name and binary scope resolution operator (::)
Protected Inheritance

public and protected members in base class become protected in derived class

class BaseClass {
  public:
    void public_method();
  protected:
    void protected_method();
  private:
    void private_method();
};

class DerivedClass : protected BaseClass {
  protected:
    void public_method();
    protected:
    void protected_method();
};
Private Inheritance

class BaseClass {
  public:
    void public_method();
  protected:
    void protected_method();
  private:
    void private_method();
};

class DerivedClass : private BaseClass {
  private:
    void public_method();
  private:
    void protected_method();
};

Protected Data Members

- **Advantages**
  - Derived class can modify values directly
    - No set/get method call overhead

- **Disadvantages**
  - No validity checking
    - Derived class can assign invalid value
  - Implementation dependent
    - Derived class more likely dependent on base class implementation
    - Base class implementation may result in derived class’s modification
      - Fragile software
#ifndef COMMISSION_H
#define COMMISSION_H

#include <string>
using std::string;

class CommissionEmployee
{
public:
  CommissionEmployee( const string &, const string &, const string &,
                     double = 0.0, double = 0.0 );

  void setFirstName( const string & );
  string getFirstName() const;

  void setLastName( const string & );
  string getLastName() const;

  void setSocialSecurityNumber( const string & );
  string getSocialSecurityNumber() const;

  void setGrossSales( double );
  double getGrossSales() const;

  void setCommissionRate( double );
  double getCommissionRate() const;

  double earnings() const;
  void print() const;

protected:
  string firstName;
  string lastName;
  string socialSecurityNumber;
  double grossSales;
  double commissionRate;

};
#endif

double CommissionEmployee::earnings() const
{
  return commissionRate * grossSales;
}
Class

BasePlusCommissionEmployee

```cpp
#ifndef BASEPLUS_H
#define BASEPLUS_H

#include <string> // C++ standard string class
using std::string;

#include "CommissionEmployee.h"

class BasePlusCommissionEmployee : public CommissionEmployee
{
  public:
    BasePlusCommissionEmployee( const string &, const string &, const string &, double = 0.0, double = 0.0, double = 0.0 );

    void setBaseSalary( double );
    double getBaseSalary() const;
    double earnings() const;
    void print() const;

  private:
    double baseSalary;
};

#endif
```

The Best Software Engineering Practice

- Declare data members as private
  - Enables programmers to change the base-class implementation without having to change derived-class implementations
  - Use the protected access specifier when a base class should provide a service (i.e., a member function) only to its derived classes (and friends), not to other clients

- Provide public get and set functions

- Use get method to obtain values of data members

Set/get method slightly slower than direct access

- But today’s optimizing compiler inlines set/get methods
- Or you can explicitly specify “inline” keyword

```cpp
class BaseClass {
public:
   inline int  getx()const{ return x; }
   inline void setx( int v )
   {
      if( v > 100 ) error();
      else x = v;
   }
private:
   int x;
};
```

Selection of public/protected/private Methods

- According to the service range
  - for all other classes: public
  - for itself and subclasses: protected
  - only for itself: private
Constructors under Inheritance

- **Constructor in base class**
  - Does not construct derived class specific parts

- **Constructor in derived class**
  - Initialize its own data members
  - Invokes the constructor of the base class
    - Implicitly or explicitly
Constructors under Inheritance Cont’d

- Base of inheritance hierarchy
  - Last constructor called in chain
  - First constructor body to finish executing
  - `CommissionEmployee/BasePlusCommissionEmployee` hierarchy
    - `CommissionEmployee` constructor called last
    - `CommissionEmployee` constructor body finishes execution first

- Initializing data members
  - Each base-class constructor initializes its data members that are inherited by derived class

Constructors under Inheritance

Cont’d

class BaseClass
{
    public:
        BaseClass() { x = 1; }
    
    private:
        int x;
};

class DerivedClass : public BaseClass
{
    public:
        DerivedClass() { y = 2; }
    
        DerivedClass( int x ) : BaseClass( x ) { y = 2; }
    
    private:
        int y;
};

Constructors under Inheritance
Cont’d

class BaseClass
{
    public:
        // BaseClass() { x = 1; }
        BaseClass( int a ) { x = a; }

    private:
        int x;
    };

class DerivedClass : public BaseClass
{
    public:
        DerivedClass() { y = 2; }
        // error

    private:
        int y;
    };
Destructors under Inheritance

- Destroying derived-class object
  - Chain of destructor calls
    - Reverse order of constructor chain
    - Destructor of derived-class called first
    - Destructor of next base class up hierarchy next
      - Continue up hierarchy until final base reached
      - After final base-class destructor, object removed from memory
Destructors under Inheritance

Cont’d

class BaseClass
{
    public:
        BaseClass() { x = new int[100]; }
        ~BaseClass() { delete[] x; }
    private:
        int* x;
};

class DerivedClass : public BaseClass
{
    public:
        DerivedClass() { y = new int[10]; }
        ~DerivedClass() { delete[] y; }
    private:
        int* y;
};

# Base-class Member Accessibility in a Derived Class

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Customizing and Reusing Existing Software

- Derived class can
  - re-implement the behaviors of the base class
    - Known as “method overriding”
  - add new behaviors or data
    - We can use not only new behaviors but also the existing behaviors

- Factor out common attributes and behaviors and place these in a base class

- Use inheritance to form derived classes, endowing them with capabilities beyond those inherited from the base class

- The creation of a derived class does not affect its base class’s source code