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CSPS103: Object Oriented Programming

Lecture-10

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OBJECTIVES

In this lecture, you will learn to:

Inline Functions

♦Call by value in C++

Call by reference in C++

*****Default arguments



An inline function is a function that is expanded inline at the point at which it is invoked, instead of actually being called.

The reason that inline functions are an important addition to C++ is that they allow you to create very efficient code.

Each time a normal function is called, a significant amount of overhead is generated by the calling and return mechanism.

Although expanding function calls in line can produce faster run times, it can also result in larger code size because of duplicated code.

□A function can be defined as an inline function by prefixing the keyword inline to the function header as given below:

```
inline function header {
function body
}
```

// A program illustrating inline function

```
#include<iostream.h>
#include<conio.h>
inline int max(int x, int y){
if(x>y)
return x;
else
return y;
}
int main() {
int a,b;
cout<<"enter two numbers";
cin>>a>>b;
cout << "The max is: " << max(a,,b) << endl;
return 0;
}
```



CALL BY VALUE IN C++

□ In call by value, original value is not modified.

□ In call by value, value being passed to the function is locally stored by the function parameter in stack memory location.

□ If you change the value of function parameter, it is changed for the current function only.

□ It will not change the value of variable inside the caller method such as main().



EXAMPLE : CALL BY VALUE IN C++

```
#include <iostream.h>
void change(int data);
int main()
```

{

```
int data = 3;
```

change(data);

```
cout << "Value of the data is: " << data<< endl;
return 0;
```

```
}
```

```
void change(int data)
```

```
{
```

```
data = 5;
```

}



CALL BY REFERENCE IN C++

□In call by reference, original value is modified because we pass reference (address).

□Here, address of the value is passed in the function, so actual and formal arguments share the same address

space.

Hence, value changed inside the function, is reflected inside as well as outside the function.



EXAMPLE : CALL BY REFERENCE IN C++

```
#include<iostream.h>
void swap(int *x, int *y)
{
int swap;
swap=*x;
*x=*y;
*y=swap;
}
int main()
{
int x=500, y=100;
swap(&x, &y); // passing value to function
cout<<"Value of x is: "<<x<<endl;
cout<<"Value of y is: "<<y<<endl;
return 0;
}
```



 \Box C++ allows a function to assign a parameter a default value when no argument corresponding to that parameter is specified in a call to that function.

The default value is specified in a manner syntactically similar to a variable initialization.

□All default parameters must be to the right of any parameters that don't have defaults.

We cannot provide a default value to a particular argument in the middle of an argument list.

□When you create a function that has one or more default arguments, those arguments must be specified only once: either in the function's prototype or in the function's definition if the definition precedes the function's first use.

Example

```
#include <iostream.h>
#include<conio.h>
int sum(int a, int b=20){
return(a + b);
}
int main (){
int a = 100, b=200, result;
result = sum(a, b); //here a=100 , b=200
cout << "Total value is :" << result << endl;
result = sum(a); //here a=100, b=20(using default value)
cout << "Total value is :" << result << endl;
return 0;
}
```



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Multiple Choice Question:

Q1. How many minimum number of functions should be present in a C++ program for its execution?

a) 0

- b) 1
- c) 2
- d) 3



MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTION

Multiple Choice Question:

Q2. Which is more effective while calling the functions?

- a) call by value
- b) call by reference
- c) call by pointer
- d) call by object



Multiple Choice Question:

Q3. How many ways of passing a parameter are there in c++?

a) 1 b) 2 c) 3

d) 4



Multiple Choice Question:

Q4. Which of the following is the default return value of functions in C++?

a) int

- b) char
- c) float

d) void



MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTION

Multiple Choice Question:

Q5. By default how the value are passed in c++?

- a) call by value
- b) call by reference
- c) call by pointer
- d) call by object



Summary

In this lecture, you learned that:

> Concepts of :

- 1) Inline Functions
- 2) Call by value in C++
- 3) Call by reference in C++
- 4) Default arguments

