

Part I: Testing

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Save as `catch.h` or `catch.hpp`

Adding third-party source into your Git repo is usually not a great option, but it's reasonable in this case

Needs at least `--std=c++14`

Writing Tests

sum.cpp

```
#include "catch.h"

int sum(int a[], int n) {
    int i, s = 0;
    for (i = 0; i < n; i++)
        s += a[i];
    return s;
}

TEST_CASE( "sum" ) {
    int a[] = { 1, 2, 3 };
    CHECK( sum(a, 0) == 0 );
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Makes **TEST_CASE**
and **CHECK** available

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#define CATCH_CONFIG_RUNNER
#include "catch.h"

int main(int argc, char **argv) {
    Catch::Session().run(1, argv);
    return 0;
}
```

Writing Tests

Must be before `#include "catch.h"`

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Runs all test cases

Writing Tests

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Use `argc` to let Catch2 have arguments

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```
#define CATCH_CONFIG_RUNNER
#include "catch.h"

int main(int argc, char **argv) {
    Catch::Session().run(1, argv);
    return 0;
}
```

Even if you don't use `Catch::Session().run`, exactly one `.cpp` must have
`#define CATCH_CONFIG_RUNNER`

Part 2: Classes in C++

Simple Class

```
class Posn {
public:
    int x;
    int y;

    Posn(int x, int y) {
        this->x = x;
        this->y = y;
    }

    virtual bool close_to_origin(int d) {
        return (abs(x) < d) && (abs(y) < d);
    }
};
```

Simple Class

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    }  
};
```

needed to allow override

Separating Declaration and Implementation

```
class Posn {  
public:  
    int x;  
    int y;  
  
    Posn(int x, int y);  
    virtual bool close_to_origin(int d);  
};  
  
Posn::Posn(int x, int y) {  
    this->x = x;  
    this->y = y;  
}  
  
bool Posn::close_to_origin(int d) {  
    return (abs(x) < d) && (abs(y) < d);  
}
```

Separating Declaration and Implementation

```
class Posn {  
public:  
    int x;  
    int y;  
  
    Posn(int x, int y);  
    virtual bool close_to_origin(int d);  
};
```

connects to the **Posn** declaration

```
Posn::Posn(int x, int y) {  
    this->x = x;  
    this->y = y;  
}  
  
bool Posn::close_to_origin(int d) {  
    return (abs(x) < d) && (abs(y) < d);  
}
```

Separating Declaration and Implementation

posn.h

```
class Posn {  
public:  
    int x;  
    int y;  
  
    Posn(int x, int y);  
    virtual bool close_to_origin(int d);  
};
```

posn.cpp

```
Posn::Posn(int x, int y) {  
    this->x = x;  
    this->y = y;  
}  
  
bool Posn::close_to_origin(int d) {  
    return (abs(x) < d) && (abs(y) < d);  
}
```

Referring to Classes

```
class Circle {  
public:  
    Posn* center;  
    int radius;  
  
    Circle(Posn* center, int radius) {  
        this->center = center;  
        this->radius = radius;  
    }  
  
    int area() {  
        return radius * radius * 3.14;  
    }  
};
```

Referring to Classes

Use **Posn***
to refer to a
Posn object

```
class Circle {  
public:  
    Posn* center;  
    int radius;  
  
    Circle(Posn* center, int radius) {  
        this->center = center;  
        this->radius = radius;  
    }  
  
    int area() {  
        return radius * radius * 3.14;  
    }  
};
```

Referring to Classes

```
class Circle {  
public:  
    Posn* center;  
    int : new Circle(new Posn(1, -3), 10)  
  
    Circle(Posn* center, int radius) {  
        this->center = center;  
        this->radius = radius;  
    }  
  
    int area() {  
        return radius * radius * 3.14;  
    }  
};
```

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    Circle(Posn* center, int radius) {  
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        return radius * radius * 3.14;  
    }  
};
```

So far, could declare with
`class Posn;`
before `class Circle...`

Referring to Classes

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    Posn* center;  
    int radius;  
  
    Circle(Posn* center, int radius) {  
        this->center = center;  
        this->radius = radius;  
    }  
  
    int area() {  
        return radius * radius * 3.14;  
    }  
  
    bool covers_origin() {  
        return center->close_to_origin(radius);  
    }  
};
```

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class Circle {  
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    Posn* center;  
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};
```

Needs `#include "posn.h"`

Separating Declaration and Implementation

circle.h

```
class Posn;

class Circle {
public:
    Posn* center;
    int radius;

    Circle(Posn* center, int radius);
    int area();
    bool covers_origin();
};
```

circle.cpp

```
#include "posn.h"
#include "circle.h"

Circle::Circle(Posn* center, int radius) {
    this->center = center;
    this->radius = radius;
}

int Circle::area() {
    return radius * radius * 3.14;
}

bool Circle::covers_origin() {
    return center->close_to_origin(radius);
}
```

Separating Declaration and Implementation

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class Posn;

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Avoid `#include "...h"`
in `.h` files

circle.cpp

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#include "posn.h"
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```

Subclasses

posn3d.h

```
#include "posn.h"

class Posn3D : public Posn {
    int z;

    Posn3D(int x, int y, int z);

    virtual bool close_to_origin(int d);
};
```

posn3d.cpp

```
#include "posn3d.h"

Posn3D::Posn3D(int x, int y, int z)
: Posn(x, y)
{
    this->z = z;
}

bool Posn3D::close_to_origin(int d) {
    return (Posn::close_to_origin(d)
        && (abs(z) < d));
}
```

Subclasses

Means **extends**

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Posn3D::Posn3D(int x, int y, int z)
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}

bool Posn3D::close_to_origin(int d) {
    return (Posn::close_to_origin(d)
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}
```

Subclasses

Needed for subclassing

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    Posn3D(int x, int y, int z);

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Superclass constructor

Subclasses

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};
```

posn3d.cpp

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#include "posn3d.h"

Posn3D::Posn3D(int x, int y, int z)
: Posn(x, y)
{
    this->z = z;
}

bool Posn3D::close_to_origin(int d) {
    return (Posn::close_to_origin(d)
        && (abs(z) < d));
}
```

Super method call

Subclasses

posn3d.h

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class Posn3D : public Posn {
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    Posn3D(int x, int y, int z);

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```

Can't avoid `#include "posn.h"`
in `posn3d.h`

posn3d.cpp

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: Posn(x, y)
{
    this->z = z;
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bool Posn3D::close_to_origin(int d) {
    return (Posn::close_to_origin(d)
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}
```

Constructor Convention

When a slide has a class declaration without a constructor

```
class Circle {  
    public:  
        Posn* center;  
        int radius;  
};
```

assume a default constructor that takes each field:

```
Circle(Posn* center, int radius) {  
    this->center = center;  
    this->radius = radius;  
}
```

The compiler doesn't know this convention, so you have to type it out!

Equals Convention

When a slide has a class declaration without an `equals` method

```
class Circle {  
    public:  
        Posn* center;  
        int radius;  
};
```

assume a implementation that compares each field:

```
virtual bool equals(Circle *other) {  
    return (this->center->equals(other->center)  
        && this->radius == other->radius);  
}
```

The compiler doesn't know this convention, so you have to type it out!

Part 3: Interface-like Classes in C++

Simple Arithmetic Expressions

1

2 + 3

4 * 5

6 * (7 + 8)

(1 + 2) * (3 + 4 * 6)

Each of those is an *expression*

An *expression* can be nested in another *expression*

To calculate the result, we can ignore details like whitespace and parentheses

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Three kinds of *expressions*:

- number
- addition of two expressions
- multiplication of two expressions

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Abstract syntax *grammar*

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Abstract syntax *grammar*

$\langle \text{expr} \rangle = \langle \text{number} \rangle$

“or” $\mid \langle \text{expr} \rangle + \langle \text{expr} \rangle$

$\mid \langle \text{expr} \rangle * \langle \text{expr} \rangle$

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| $\langle \text{expr} \rangle + \langle \text{expr} \rangle$
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Gray box corresponds to literal text

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| $\langle \text{expr} \rangle + \langle \text{expr} \rangle$
| $\langle \text{expr} \rangle * \langle \text{expr} \rangle$

$\langle \text{expr} \rangle$ corresponds to an interface, and
three classes should implement it

Arithmetic Representation Classes

$\langle \text{expr} \rangle = \langle \text{number} \rangle$
| $\langle \text{expr} \rangle + \langle \text{expr} \rangle$
| $\langle \text{expr} \rangle * \langle \text{expr} \rangle$

```
class Expr { };
```

```
class Num : public Expr {  
};
```

```
class Add : public Expr {  
};
```

```
class Mult : public Expr {  
};
```

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class Expr { };
```

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class Num : public Expr {  
public:  
    int val;  
};
```

```
class Add : public Expr {  
public:  
    Expr *lhs;  
    Expr *rhs;  
};
```

```
class Mult : public Expr {  
public:  
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```

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class Expr { };
```

```
class Num : public Expr {  
public:  
    int val;  
  
    Num(int val) {  
        this->val = val;  
    }  
};
```

```
class Add : public Expr {  
public:  
    Expr *lhs;  
    Expr *rhs;  
  
    Add(Expr *lhs, Expr *rhs) {  
        this->lhs = lhs;  
        this->rhs = rhs;  
    }  
};
```

```
class Mult : public Expr {  
public:  
    Expr *lhs;  
    Expr *rhs;  
  
    Mult(Expr *lhs, Expr *rhs) {  
        this->lhs = lhs;  
        this->rhs = rhs;  
    }  
};
```

Arithmetic Representation Classes

42
⇒
new Num(42)

⟨expr⟩ = ⟨number⟩
| ⟨expr⟩ + ⟨expr⟩
| ⟨expr⟩ * ⟨expr⟩

```
class Expr { };
```

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class Num : public Expr {  
public:  
    int val;  
  
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    }  
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    Expr *lhs;  
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    Mult(Expr *lhs, Expr *rhs) {  
        this->lhs = lhs;  
        this->rhs = rhs;  
    }  
};
```

Arithmetic Representation Classes

42+2

⇒

```
new Add(new Num(42),  
        new Num(2));
```

⟨expr⟩ = ⟨number⟩
| ⟨expr⟩ + ⟨expr⟩
| ⟨expr⟩ * ⟨expr⟩

```
class Expr { };
```

```
class Num : public Expr {  
public:  
    int val;  
  
    Num(int val) {  
        this->val = val;  
    }  
};
```

```
class Add : public Expr {  
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    Expr *lhs;  
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    }  
};
```

```
class Mult : public Expr {  
public:  
    Expr *lhs;  
    Expr *rhs;  
  
    Mult(Expr *lhs, Expr *rhs) {  
        this->lhs = lhs;  
        this->rhs = rhs;  
    }  
};
```

Arithmetic Representation Classes

`((42)+2)`

$\Rightarrow$

```
new Add(new Num(42),
        new Num(2));
```

$\langle \text{expr} \rangle = \langle \text{number} \rangle$
| $\langle \text{expr} \rangle + \langle \text{expr} \rangle$
| $\langle \text{expr} \rangle * \langle \text{expr} \rangle$

```
class Expr { };
```

```
class Num : public Expr {
public:
    int val;

    Num(int val) {
        this->val = val;
    }
};
```

```
class Add : public Expr {
public:
    Expr *lhs;
    Expr *rhs;

    Add(Expr *lhs, Expr *rhs) {
        this->lhs = lhs;
        this->rhs = rhs;
    }
};
```

```
class Mult : public Expr {
public:
    Expr *lhs;
    Expr *rhs;

    Mult(Expr *lhs, Expr *rhs) {
        this->lhs = lhs;
        this->rhs = rhs;
    }
};
```

Arithmetic Representation Classes

`((42)+2)`

⇒

```
new Add(new Num(42),  
        new Num(2));
```

$\langle \text{expr} \rangle = \langle \text{number} \rangle$

| $\langle \text{expr} \rangle + \langle \text{expr} \rangle$

For tests, we'll need a way to compare expressions

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class Expr { };
```

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    Num(int val) {  
        this->val = val;  
    }  
};
```

```
class Add : public Expr {  
public:  
    Expr *lhs;  
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    Add(Expr *lhs, Expr *rhs) {  
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    }  
};
```

Arithmetic Representation Classes

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| $\langle \text{expr} \rangle * \langle \text{expr} \rangle$

```
class Expr {  
public:  
    virtual bool equals(Expr *e) = 0;  
};
```

```
class Num : public Expr {  
public:  
    int val;  
  
    Num(int val) {  
        this->val = val;  
    }  
};
```

```
class Add : public Expr {  
public:  
    Expr *lhs;  
    Expr *rhs;  
  
    Add(Expr *lhs, Expr *rhs) {  
        this->lhs = lhs;  
        this->rhs = rhs;  
    }  
};
```

```
class Mult : public Expr {  
public:  
    Expr *lhs;  
    Expr *rhs;  
  
    Mult(Expr *lhs, Expr *rhs) {  
        this->lhs = lhs;  
        this->rhs = rhs;  
    }  
};
```

Arithmetic Representation Classes

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= 0 means each subclass *must* override

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```

Implementing Equality

```
bool Class::equals(Interface *o) {  
    Class *c = dynamic_cast<Class*>(o);  
    if (c == NULL)  
        return false;  
    else  
        return ...check this and c fields equal ...;  
}
```

Bolierplate, but easy to get wrong, so make sure you have tests for `equals`

Implementing Equality

```
class Animal {  
    virtual bool equals(Animal *o) = 0;  
};
```

```
class Tiger : public Animal {  
    std::string color;  
    int stripe_count;  
  
    bool equals(Animal *a) {  
        return ...;  
    }  
};
```

```
class Snake : public Animal {  
    std::string color;  
    int weight;  
    std::string food;  
  
    bool equals(Animal *a) {  
        return ...;  
    }  
};
```

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class Tiger : public Animal {  
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    int stripe_count;  
  
    bool equals(Animal *a) {  
        Tiger *t = dynamic_cast<Tiger*>(a);  
        if (t == NULL)  
            return false;  
        else  
            return (this->color == t->color  
                    && this->stripe_count == t->stripe_count);  
    }  
};
```

```
class Snake : public Animal {  
    std::string color;  
    int weight;  
    std::string food;  
  
    bool equals(Animal *a) {  
        return ...;  
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class Snake : public Animal {  
    std::string color;  
    int weight;  
    std::string food;  
  
    bool equals(Animal *a) {  
        Snake *s = dynamic_cast<Snake*>(a);  
        if (s == NULL)  
            return false;  
        else  
            return (this->color == s->color  
                    && this->weight == s->weight  
                    && this->food == s->food);  
    }  
};
```