

Lecture P5: Abstract Data Types



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Overview

Data type:

- Set of values and collection of operations on those values.
- Ex. `short int`
 - set of values between `-32,768` and `32,767`
 - arithmetic operations: `+` `-` `*` `/` `%`

Abstract data type (ADT):

- Data type whose representation is HIDDEN.
- Don't want client to directly manipulate data type.
- Operations ONLY permitted through interface.

Separate implementation from specification.

- INTERFACE: specify the allowed operations
- IMPLEMENTATION: provide code for operations
- CLIENT: code that uses operations

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Advantages of ADT's

Different clients can share the same ADT.

Can change ADT without changing clients.

Client doesn't (need to) know how implementation works.

Convenient way to organize large problems.

- Decompose into smaller problems.
- Substitute alternate solutions.
- Separation compilation.
- Build libraries.

Powerful mechanism for building layers of abstraction.

- Client works at a higher level of abstraction.

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Complex Number Data Type

Create data structure to represent complex numbers.

- See Sedgewick 4.8.
- Store in rectangular form: real and imaginary parts.

```
typedef struct {  
    double re;  
    double im;  
} Complex;
```

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Complex Number Data Type: Interface

Interface lists allowable operations on complex data type.

```
COMPLEX.h

typedef struct {
    double re;
    double im;
} Complex;

Complex COMPLEXadd (Complex, Complex);
Complex COMPLEXmult (Complex, Complex);
Complex COMPLEXpow (Complex, int);
Complex COMPLEXconj (Complex);
double COMPLEXmod (Complex);
double COMPLEXreal (Complex);
double COMPLEXimag (Complex);
Complex COMPLEXinit (double, double);
void COMPLEXprint(Complex);
```

interface goes in .h file

Complex Number Data Type: Client

Client program uses interface operations to calculate something:

```
client.c

#include <stdio.h>
#include "COMPLEX.h"

int main(void) {
    . . . your favorite application
    . . . that uses complex numbers

    return 0;
}
```

client can use interface

Complex Number Data Type: Implementation

Write code for interface functions.

```
complex.c

#include "COMPLEX.h"

Complex COMPLEXadd (Complex a, Complex b) {
    Complex t;
    t.re = a.re + b.re;
    t.im = a.im + b.im;
    return t;
}

Complex COMPLEXmult(Complex a, Complex b) {
    Complex t;
    t.re = a.re * b.re - a.im * b.im;
    t.im = a.re * b.im + a.im * b.re;
    return t;
}
```

implementation needs to know interface

Complex Number Data Type: Implementation

Write code for interface functions.

```
complex.c (cont)

double COMPLEXmod(Complex a) {
    return sqrt(a.re * a.re + a.im * a.im);
}

void COMPLEXprint(Complex) {
    printf("%f + %f i\n", a.re, a.im);
}

Complex COMPLEXinit(double x, double y) {
    Complex t;
    t.re = x;
    t.im = y;
    return t;
}
```

Separate Compilation

Client and implementation both include COMPLEX.h

Can be compiled jointly.

```
%gcc client.c complex.c
```

Can be compiled separately.

```
%gcc -c complex.c
```

```
%gcc -c client.c
```

```
%gcc client.o complex.o
```

Can Change Implementation

Can use alternate representation of complex numbers.

- Store in polar form: modulus and angle.

$$z = x + iy = r(\cos \theta + i \sin \theta) = r e^{i\theta}$$

```
typedef struct {  
    double r;  
    double theta;  
} Complex;
```

Alternate Interface

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Complex COMPLEXinit (double, double);  
void COMPLEXprint (Complex);
```

Alternate Implementation

Write code for interface functions.

```
complex.c  
  
#include "COMPLEX.h"  
  
Complex COMPLEXmod(Complex a) {  
    return a.r;  
}  
  
Complex COMPLEXmult(Complex a, Complex b) {  
    Complex t;  
    t.modulus = a.r * b.r;  
    t.angle = a.theta + b.theta;  
}
```

Some interface functions are now much easier to code up.

Alternate Implementation

Write code for interface functions.

```
complex.c

#include <math.h>

Complex COMPLEXadd(Complex a, Complex b) {
    Complex t;
    double x, y;
    x = a.r * cos(a.theta) + b.r * cos(b.theta);
    y = a.r * sin(a.theta) + b.r * sin(b.theta);
    t.r = sqrt(x*x + y*y);
    t.theta = arctan(y/x);
    return t;
}
```

Others are more annoying.

Multiple Implementations

Usually, there are several ways to represent and implement a data type.

Which is better: rectangular or polar representation of Complex numbers?

- Depends on application.
- Rectangular are better for additions and subtractions.
 - no need to evaluate arctangent function
- Polar are better for multiply and modulus.
 - no need to take square roots
- Get used to making tradeoffs.

This example may seem artificial.

- Essential for many real applications. . .

Rational Number Data Type

See Assignment 3.

- You will create data type for Rational numbers.
- Add associated operations (add, multiply, reduce) to Rational number data type.

```
typedef struct {
    int p; /* numerator */
    int q; /* denominator */
} Rational;
```

“Non ADT’s”

Is Complex data type an ABSTRACT data type?

- NO: Representation in interface.
 - Client can directly manipulate the data type: `a.re = 5.0;`
- Difficult to hide representation with user-defined sets of values.
- Possible to fix (see Sedgewick 4.8 or COS 217).

Are C built-in types like `int` ADT’s?

- ALMOST: we generally ignore representation.
- NO: set of values depends on representation.
 - might use `(x & 1)` to test if odd
 - works only if they’re stored as two’s complement integers
- CONSEQUENCE: strive to write programs that function properly independent of representation.
 - `(x % 2)` is portable way to test if odd
 - also, use `<limits.h>` for machine-specific ranges of `int`, `long`

ADT's for Stacks and Queues

Prototypical data type.

- Set of operations (insert, delete) on generic data.

Stack ("last in first out" or LIFO)

- push: add info to the data structure
- pop: remove the info MOST recently added
- initialize, test if empty

Queue ("first in first out" or FIFO)

- put: add info to the data structure
- get: remove the info LEAST recently added
- initialize, test if empty

Could use EITHER array or linked list
to implement EITHER stack or queue.



see Lecture P7

Stack Interface and Client

```
void STACKinit(void);
int  STACKempty(void);
void STACKpush(int);
int  STACKpop(void);
```

STACK.h

STACK of integers

client uses data type, without
regard to how it is represented
or implemented.

```
#include "STACK.h"
int main(void) {
    int a, b;
    . . .
    STACKinit();
    STACKpush(a);
    . . .
    b = STACKpop();
    return 0;
}
```

client.c

Stack Implementation with Arrays

Push and pop at the end of array.

Demo:



Drawback:



```
#include <stdlib.h>
#include "STACK.h"

int s[1000];
int N;

void STACKinit(void) {
    N = 0;
}

int STACKempty(void) {
    return N == 0;
}

void STACKpush(int item) {
    s[N++] = item;
}

int STACKpop(void) {
    return s[--N];
}
```

stackarray.c

Compilation

Client and implementation both include STACK.h

Can be compiled jointly.

```
%gcc client.c stackarray.c
```

Can be compiled separately.

```
%gcc -c stackarray.c
```

```
%gcc -c client.c
```

```
%gcc client.o stackarray.o
```

Balanced Parentheses

```

parentheses.c

int balanced(char a[]) {
    int i;
    STACKinit();
    for (i = 0; a[i] != '\0'; i++) {
        if (a[i] == '(')
            STACKpush(a[i]);
        else if (a[i] == ')') {
            if (STACKempty()) return 0;
            if (STACKpop() != '(') return 0;
        }
    }
    return STACKempty();
}
    
```

push all left parentheses

check for matching left parenthesis

balanced if stack is empty when no more input

Good: ((() ()))
 Bad: (()) (()

Balanced Parentheses

```

parentheses.c (cont)

#include <stdio.h>
#include "STACK.h"
#define NMAX 1000

int main(void) {
    int c, i = 0;
    char a[NMAX];

    while ((c = getchar()) != EOF)
        if (c == '(' || c == ')')
            a[i++] = c;
        a[i] = '\0';

    if (balanced(a)) printf("balanced\n");
    else printf("unbalanced\n");
    return 0;
}
    
```

Read from stdin, ignoring non-parentheses

check if balanced

Balanced Parentheses

Check if your C program has unbalanced parentheses.

```

Unix

% gcc parentheses.c stackarray.c
% a.out < myprog.c
% balanced
%
% a.out < parentheses.c
% unbalanced
    
```

How could valid C program have unbalanced parentheses?

Exercise: extend to handle square and curly braces.

- Good: { ([([]) ()]) }
- Bad: (([]])

ADT Review

Client can access data type ONLY through implementation.

- Example: STACK implementation.

Representation is HIDDEN in the implementation.

- Implementation uses arrays.
- Client is completely unaware of this.

Can change ADT without changing clients at all.

- In Lecture P7 we implement stack using linked lists instead of arrays.
- Obtain different time / space tradeoffs.

First Class ADT

So far, only 1 stack or queue per program.

```
STACKinit();  
.  
.  
.  
STACKpush(a);  
.  
.  
.  
b = STACKpop();
```

First Class ADT:

- ADT that is just like a built-in C type.
- Can declare multiple instances of them.
- Pass specific instances of them to interface as inputs.
- Details omitted in COS 126 - see Sedgewick 4.8 or COS 226 if interested.

```
Stack s1, s2;  
  
s1 = STACKinit();  
s2 = STACKinit();  
.  
.  
.  
STACKpush(s1, a);  
STACKpush(s2, b);  
.  
.  
.  
c = STACKpop(s2);
```

Reverse Polish (Postfix) Notation

Practical example of use of stack abstraction.

Put operator after operands in expression.

- Use stack to evaluate.
 - operand: push it onto stack.
 - operator: pop operands, push result.
- Systematic way to save intermediate results.

Example 1.

▪ 1 2 3 4 5 * + 6 * * 7 8 9 + + * +



Reverse Polish (Postfix) Notation

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Example 2a: convert 97531 from hex to decimal.

▪ 9 16 16 16 16 * * * * 7 16 16 16 * * * 5 16 16 * * 3 16 * 1 + + + +

Example 2b: convert 97531 from hex to decimal.

- $9 \cdot 16^4 + 7 \cdot 16^3 + 5 \cdot 16^2 + 3 \cdot 16^1 + 1$
- Stack never has more than two numbers on it!
- Horner's method (see lecture A3).