

Attributes

- Attributes are defined in the class body.
- Each instance of a class gets its one attributes

```
class Account{  
    . . . .  
private:  
    double balance;  
};
```

- Attributes of a class behave like usual variables but:
 - Static members must be defined outside the class body.
 - Only the memory classes `static` and `mutable` are allowed.

static

- Static attributes (class attributes) are used by all instances of a class.

- Class attributes



- Must be defined outside the class
- Can be used without an instance
- Should be defined in the source file

```
class Account{  
    . . .  
    static int deposits;  
};  
int Account::deposits = 0;
```