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Operator	empfohlene Variante
alle einstelligen	Member
= () [] ->	müssen Member sein !
alle der Form @=	Member
alle anderen zweistelligen	Friend

Sonderfälle

```
T X::operator [] (IndexT);           x x; IndexT i; T t;  
t = x[i]; // (x).op[](i)  
T X::operator () (T1, T2, ....Tn); T1 t1; ... Tn tn;  
t = x(t1,t2,...,tn); // (x).op()(t1,t2, ....tn) funktionale Objekte  
X& X::operator++ () ; ++x;  
x X::operator++ (int); x++; ☺ syntaktischer Hack  
T X::operator->(void);  
x->selector // (x).operator->();->selector
```

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kanonischer Zuweisungsoperator copy assignment

```
x& X::operator= (const X&);           x x1, x2;
```

wird implizit bereitgestellt* (mit shallow assignment Semantik), kann neu definiert werden, dann ist die komplette Semantik von "Zuweisung" nutzerdefiniert zu implementieren, incl. Zuweisung von enthaltenen Objekten bzw. Basisklassenbestandteilen

```
class A { public: /* copy assignment implicit or explicit */ };
class B : public A {public: B& operator= (const B&); };
B& B::operator=(const B& src) { // assign B member
    // how to assign the A-part ???
    A::operator= (src); // oder
    A* thisA = this;
    *thisA = src;
    return *this;
}
```

* nicht, wenn die Klasse konstante Member oder Referenzen enthält, oder Basis==-Operator(en) nicht aufrufbar ist !

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wenn ein nutzedefinierter Copy-Konstruktor vorliegt, ist zumeist auch der Zuweisungsoperator nutzerdefiniert zu implementieren

```
Stack& Stack::operator= (const Stack& src)
{
    if (&src==this) return *this; // self assignment
    top = src.top;
    max = src.max;
    // NOT: data = src.data;   as the implicit one does
    // leak in this->data, data sharing afterwards
    delete[] data;
    data = new int[max];
    for (int i=0; i<top; ++i) data[i]=src.data[i];
    return *this;
}
```

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Copy-Konstruktor und Copy-Assignment-Operator sind semantisch verwandt: meist gemeinsam bereitzustellen!

Kanonische und exception safe Implementation:

GotW #59 (Sutter: mxC++ Item 22)

What is the canonical form of strongly exception safe copy assignment?

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**What are the three common levels of exception safety?
Briefly explain each one and why it is important.**

The canonical Abrahams^{*} Guarantees are as follows.

1. **Basic Guarantee:** If an exception is thrown, **no resources are leaked**, and **objects remain in a destructible and usable -- but not necessarily predictable -- state**. This is the weakest usable level of exception safety, and is appropriate where client code can cope with failed operations that have already made changes to objects' state.
2. **Strong Guarantee:** If an exception is thrown, **program state remains unchanged**. This level always implies global commit-or-rollback semantics, including that no references or iterators into a container be invalidated if an operation fails. In addition, certain functions must provide an even stricter guarantee in order to make the above exception safety levels possible:
3. **Nothrow Guarantee:** The function **will not emit an exception under any circumstances**. It turns out that it is sometimes impossible to implement the strong or even the basic guarantee unless certain functions are guaranteed not to throw (e.g., destructors, deallocation functions).

(* http://www.boost.org/more/generic_exception_safety.html)

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Exception safe copy assignment → two steps:

First, provide a nonthrowing Swap() function that swaps the guts (state) of two objects:

```
void T::Swap( T& other ) // throw()  
{ /* ...swap the guts of *this and other... */ }
```

Second, implement operator=() using the "create a temporary and swap" idiom:

```
T& T::operator=( const T& other ) {  
    T temp( other ); // do all the work off to the side  
    Swap( temp ); // then "commit" the work using  
                  // nonthrowing operations only  
    return *this;  
}
```

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Beispiel Stack: stack.h

```
class Stack {
    int max, top;
    int *data;
    void swap(Stack&); // throw ();

protected:
    int* get_data() const {return data;}
    int get_top() const {return top;}
    int get_max() const {return max;}
public:
    explicit Stack(int dim=100);
    Stack(const Stack&);
    Stack& operator=(const Stack&);

    virtual ~Stack();
    virtual void push (int i);
    int pop();
    int full() const;
    int empty() const;
};
```

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Beispiel Stack: stack.cc

```
//...
Stack::Stack(int dim): max(dim), top(0), data(new int[dim]) { }

Stack::Stack(const Stack& o):max(o.max),top(o.top),data(new int[o.max]) {
    for (int i=0; i<top; ++i) data[i] = o.data[i];
}

#include <algorithm>
void Stack::swap(Stack& other) {           // never fails:
    std::swap(max, other.max);              // swapping
    std::swap(top, other.top);              // buildin types
    std::swap(data, other.data);           // always succeeds
}

Stack& Stack::operator=(const Stack& src) {
    Stack temp (src); // in case of failure: no change to this
    swap(temp);       // succeeds always
    return *this;
}
//...
```

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const reicht zur Unterscheidung von überladenen Funktionen (auch Operatoren) aus

typisches Idiom:

```
class Vector { int* data; int dim;
    void check(int i) const // WHY const?
        {if (i<0 || i>=dim) throw std::out_of_range("Vector");}
public:
    Vector(int d, int val=0): dim(d), data(new int[d])
        {for (int i=0; i<dim; ++i) data[i]=val;}
    Vector(const Vector&); // deep copy
    Vector& operator=(const Vector&); // deep assign
    int operator[] (int i) const { check(i); return data[i]; }
    int& operator[] (int i)           { check(i); return data[i]; }
};
const Vector cv(20, 3); int i = cv[11]; // NOT cv[11] = 3;
Vector v(20, 4); int j = v[13]; v[13] = 7;
```

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Nutzerdefinierte Ein- und Ausgabe

```
class SomeClass { ...  
  
friend std::ostream& operator<<  
    (std::ostream&, [const] SomeClass [&]);  
  
friend std::istream& operator>>  
    (std::istream&, SomeClass &c)  
  
};  
SomeClass o;  
cout << o << endl;      // op<< ( op<< ( cout, o ), endl );  
cin >> o;                // op>> ( cin, o );
```

- warum `friend` ?
- warum i/o-stream Referenzen?
- warum `SomeClass` Referenzen?