

## Section 3.1 C++11

## friend '11

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A(const A&&) { ++s_count; }
~A()        { --s_count; }

A& operator=(A&) = default; // see special members
A& operator=(A&&) = default; // " " "
// ...
};

int A::s_count; // definition (in .cpp file)

class B { /* similar to A (above) */ };
// ...

void test()
{
    // A::s_count = 0, B::s_count = 0
    A a1; // A::s_count = 1, B::s_count = 0
    B b1; // A::s_count = 1, B::s_count = 1
    A a2; // A::s_count = 2, B::s_count = 1
}
// A::s_count = 0, B::s_count = 0

```

In this example, we have multiple classes, each repeating the same common machinery. Let's now explore how we might refactor this example using the CRTP:

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template <typename T>
class InstanceCounter
{
protected:
    static int s_count; // declaration

public:
    static int count() { return s_count; }
};

template <typename T>
int InstanceCounter<T>::s_count; // definition (in same file as declaration)

struct A : InstanceCounter<A>
{
    A()          { ++s_count; }
    A(const A&) { ++s_count; }
    A(const A&&) { ++s_count; }
    ~A()         { --s_count; }

    A& operator=(const A&) = default;
    A& operator=(A&&)     = default;
    // ...
};

```

