

Two Examples for critical Template Problems (from Tokyo)

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Here are my examples from Tokyo regarding the indirect instantiation. The first is unique for separate translation units. The second was formulated using different translation units, which I reformulated for namespace usage.

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// ****
// unit 1           // unit 2
class D;
class A { D* aa; };

template <class T>
void foo (T t)
{
    f(t)->aa->dd++;
}

// ****
// unit 1           // unit 2           // unit 3
template <class T>
void f(T*);
template <class T>
void g(T*);

class A1{};
class A2{};

void h(A1*);
void h(A2*);

A1 *a1;
A2 *a2;

template <class T>
void f(T* t)
{
    g(t);
    g(b1);
}

// template <>
// void f<B2>(B2* t)
void foo (B2* t)
{
    g(t);
    g(b1);
}

void bar()
{
    f(a1);
    g(a2);
}

// ***** and here the version using namespaces (assume the three
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// columns are a single translation unit )

// ****

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```

namespace N2 {
template <class T>
void f(T* );
} // N2
namespace N3 {
template <class T>
void g(T* );
} // N3

namespace N1 {
class A1{};
class A2{};

void h(A1* );
void h(A2* );

A1 *a1;
A2 *a2;
}

void bar()
{
    N2::f(a1);
    N3::g(a2);
}

} // N1

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```

namespace N2 {
class B1{};
class B2{};

void h(B1* );
void h(B2* );

B1 *b1;
B2 *b2;
}

template <class T>
void f(T* t)
{
    N3::g(t);
    N3::g(b1);
}

// template <>
// void f<B2>(B2* t)
void foo (B2* t)
{
    N3::g(t);
    N3::g(b1);
}

} // N2

```

```

namespace N3 {

```