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# 高级语言程序设计

## High-level Language Programming

### **Lecture 5** Programming Control Structures

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# Programming Control Structures

## *Course Overview*

- The basics of algorithms
  - How to describe algorithms
- The building blocks of algorithms
  - Sequence
  - Selection
  - Iteration
- Rational operation
  - Logical expression and operators

# Algorithms

- An **algorithm** describes **how to solve a problem**; it is a **procedure** that takes in **input**, follows a certain set of steps, and then produces an **output**

Example problem: Given a set of five cards (randomly shuffled), pick the **largest one**



**Input:** A set of 5 cards

**Output:** The card with the largest value

**Procedure:** Up to the designer of the algorithm



# Algorithms

- Which **existing algorithms** to use?
- How to make **new algorithms** that are correct and efficient?



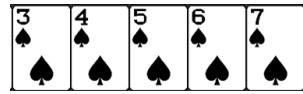
- How to **describe** an algorithm? (for others to understand)

# The ways to describe an algorithm

- **Language description:** Might be in the form of text that describes the algorithm; generally does not involve implementation details of the algorithm.
- **Pseudocode:** Loosely formalizing an algorithm, with **general implementation details**; (programming) language-specific details are left out so as not to complicate things.
- **Flowchart:** Visual representation that depicts the step-by-step procedure of an algorithm; can help **simplify complex algorithms** into **visually understandable** forms.
- **Implementation:** An implementation in a given programming language will be a piece of code that is understandable and runnable by a computer; it will fulfill the goals and procedure of the algorithm.

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Example of language description:

**Input:** A set of 5 cards

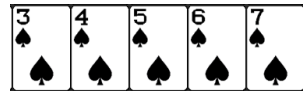
**Output:** The card with the largest value

**Procedure:**

Hold the first card in your hand and compare it with the remaining cards one by one. If the card you're holding has a smaller value, swap it with the card you're comparing it to.

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Example of pseudo-code:

**Input:** Given a set of card values  $\{c_i\}$ , with card index  $i = 0,1,2,3,4$

**Output:** the largest value  $res$

**Procedure:**

Initialize  $res = c_0$

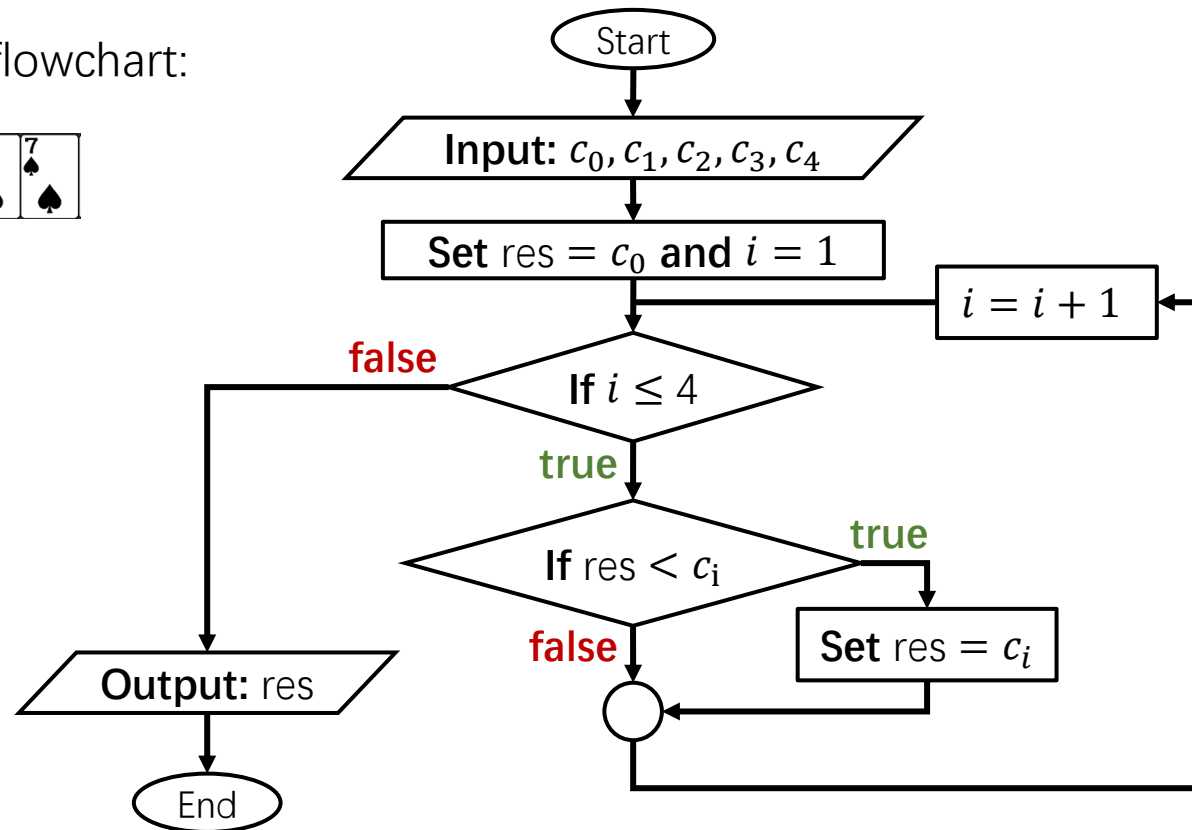
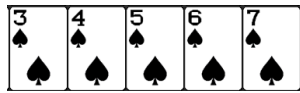
For each card index  $i$  from 1 to 4:  
    if  $res < c_i$ , then let  $res = c_i$

End

# The ways to describe an algorithm

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Example of flowchart:





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Example of C++ implementation:



```
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1  #include<iostream>
2
3  int main()
4  {
5      int c[5] = {5, 6, 7, 3, 4};
6
7      int res = c[0];
8
9      for(int i = 1; i <= 4; ++i)
10     {
11         if(res < c[i])
12         {
13             res = c[i];
14         }
15     }
16
17     std::cout << res << std::endl;
18
19     return 0;
20 }
```

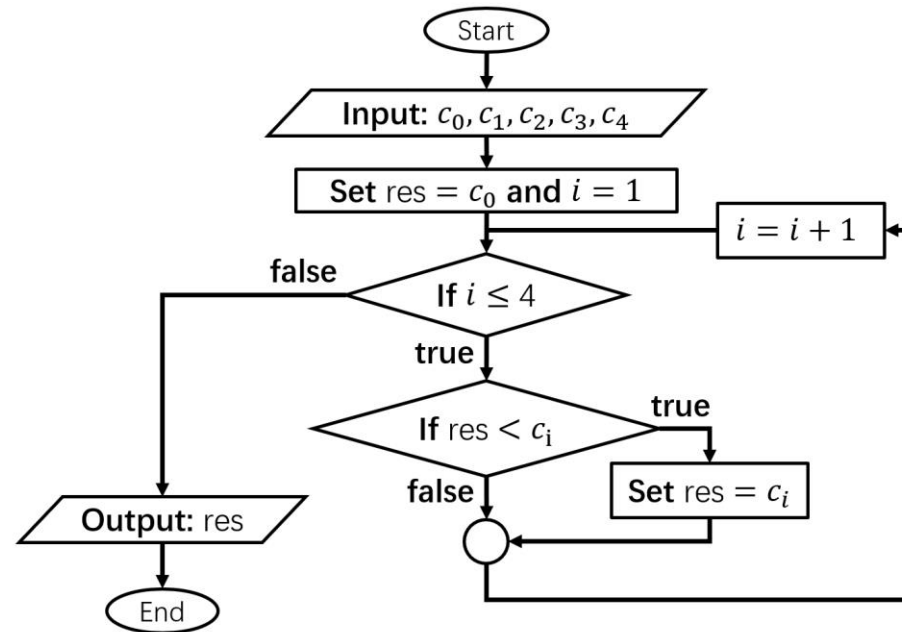
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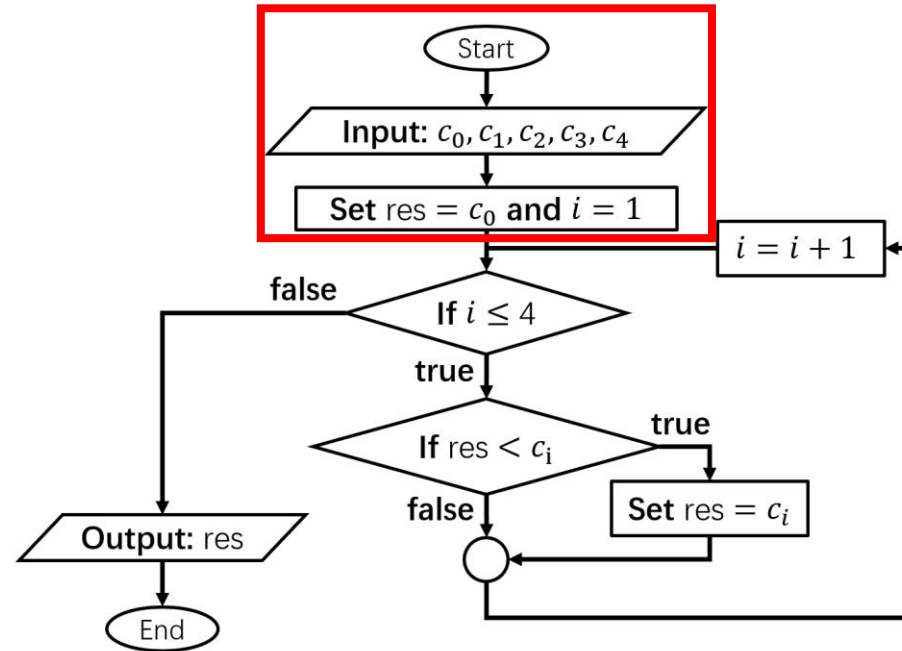
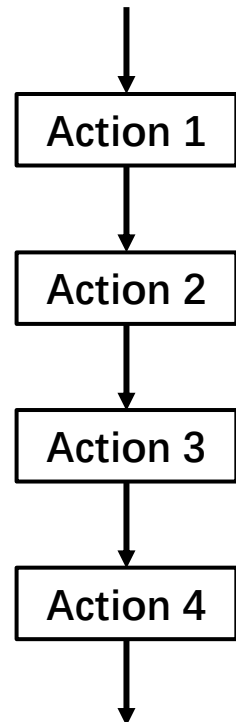
# The building blocks of algorithms

- An algorithm is made up of three basic **building blocks**:
  - Sequence
  - Selection
  - Iteration



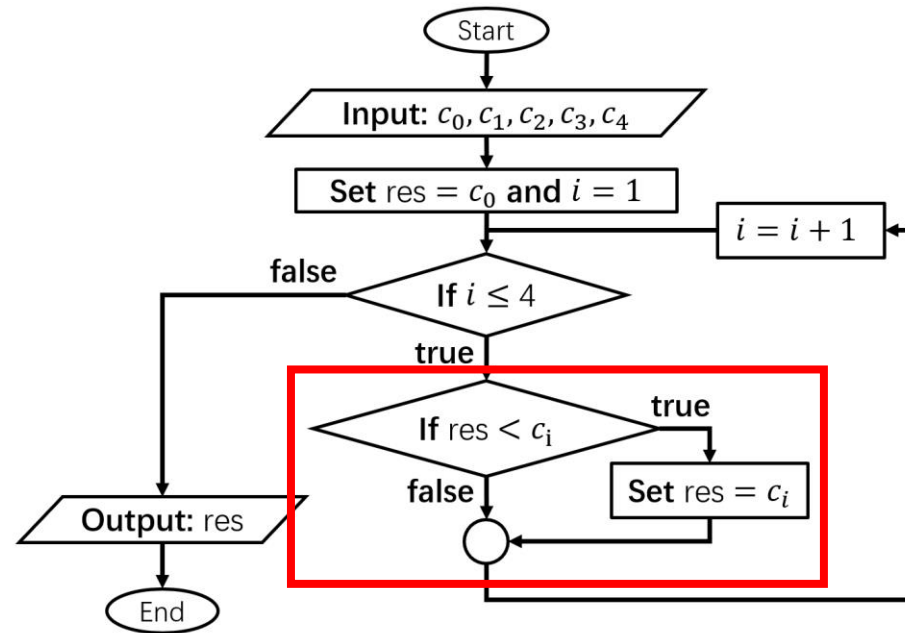
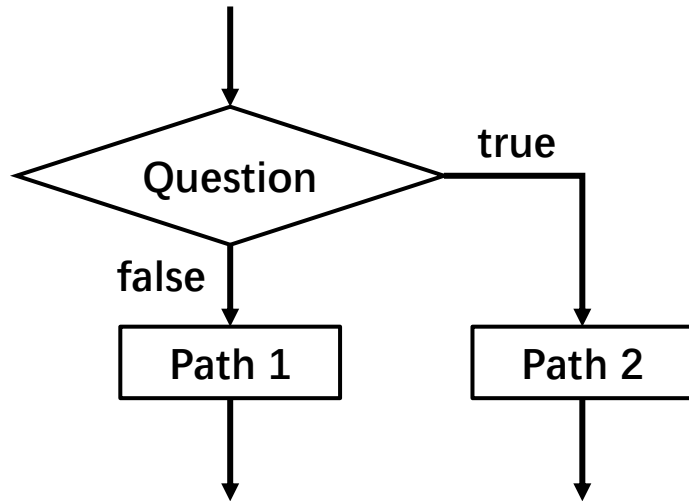
# Sequence

- A **sequence** is a series of actions (code statements) that is completed in a specific order, until all of the actions in the sequence have been carried out



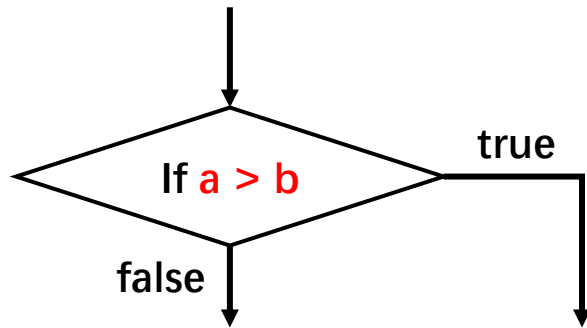
# Selection

- Instead of following a specific order of actions, **selection** ask a question in order to figure out which path to take next.

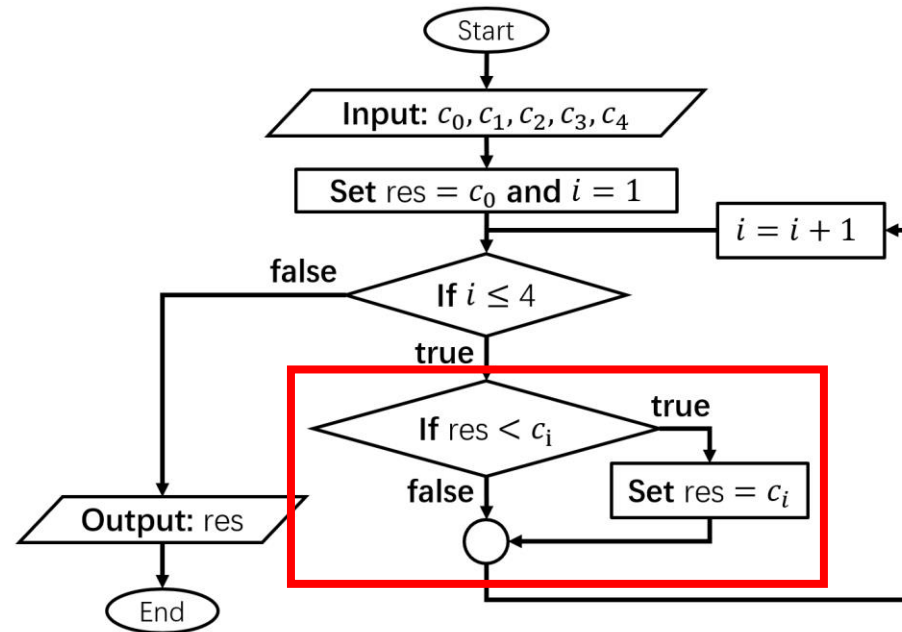


# Selection

- Use **relational operation** for the selecting question



```
if(a > b)
{
    // Path 1
}
else
{
    // Path 2
}
```



# Relational operation

- **Compare two** values or expressions; the comparison will return a boolean value (either **true** or **false**) as the result (= 1 or = 0)

*operand1*      **relational\_operator**      *operand2*

Example:

$a > b$

$a \leq b$

$a \neq b$

Relational Operator	Meaning
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Example:  $a > b$

*expression1*    **relational\_operator**    *expression2*

Example:  $(a + b) > (a < b)$

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(An **Expression** contains only identifiers, literals, and operators)

# Relational operation

Relational Operator	Meaning	Examples	Result
>	Greater than	29 > 6	1 (true)
<	Less than	13 < 5	0 (false)
>=	Greater than equal to	5 >= 5	1 (true)
<=	Less than equal to	9 <= 12	1 (true)
==	Equal to	7 == 5	0 (false)
!=	Not equal to	7 != 5	1 (true)

**No space, be sure to put '=' at the end:    >=    <=    !=**  
**A common mistake for new programmer: misuse of '=' and "=="**



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15		Logical OR

Example:  $2 \leq 4 - 3$

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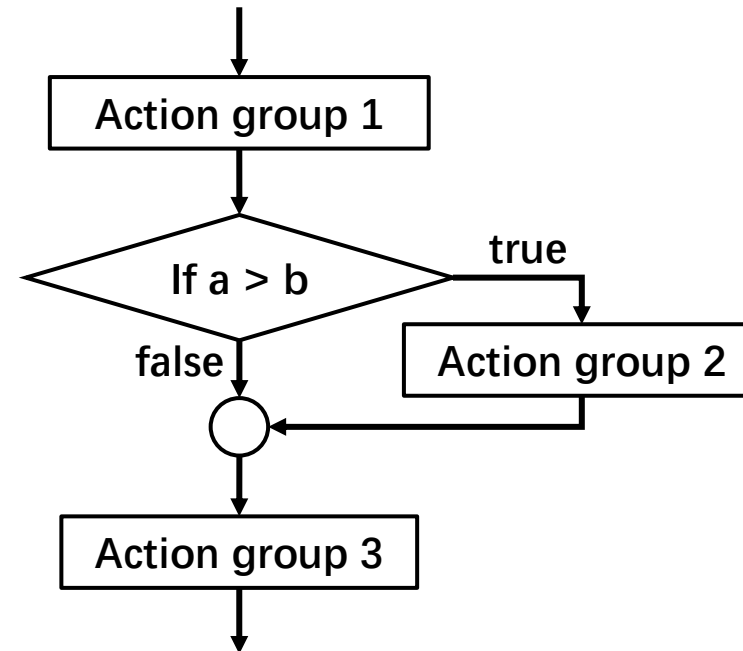
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Example:  $2 \leq 4 - 3$   
 $2 \leq (4 - 3)$   
 $2 \leq 1$   
false (0)

# Single Selection

- Single Selection

```
// Action group 1
if(a > b)
{
    // Action group 2
}
// Action group 3
```



Action: one line of code statement

Action group: multiple lines of code statement

# Single Selection

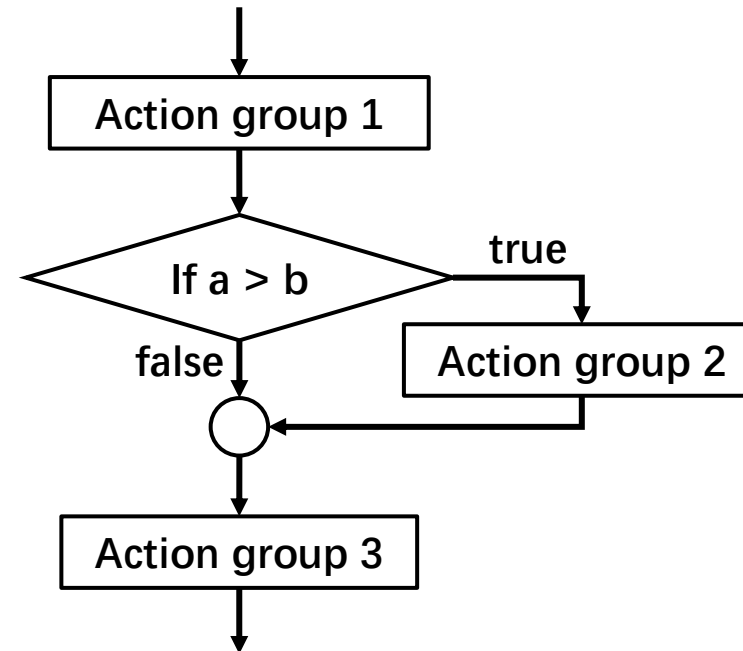
- Single Selection

```
if(a > b)
{
    c = c + 1;
    d = 2 * c;
    // and more actions
}
```

Use curly brackets

```
if(a > b){
    c = c + 1;
    d = 2 * c;
    // and more actions
}
```

Different coding style



# Single Selection

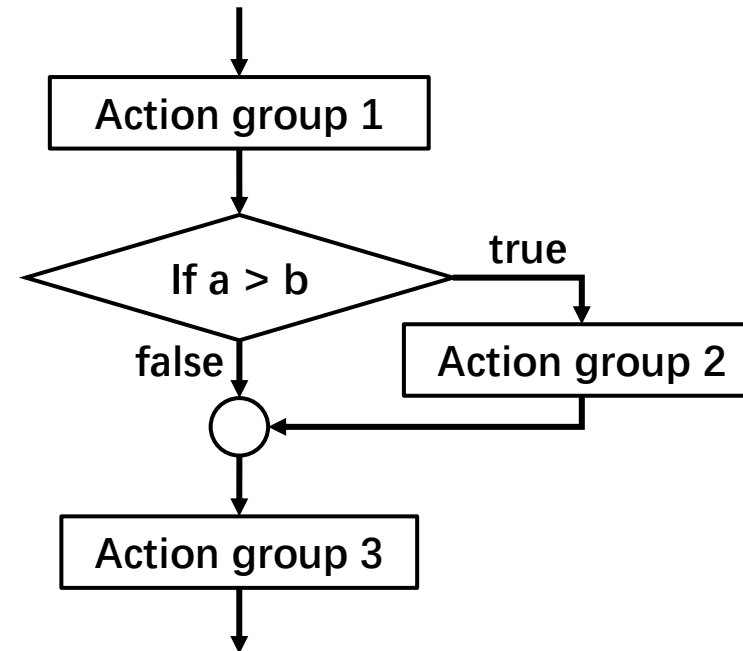
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}
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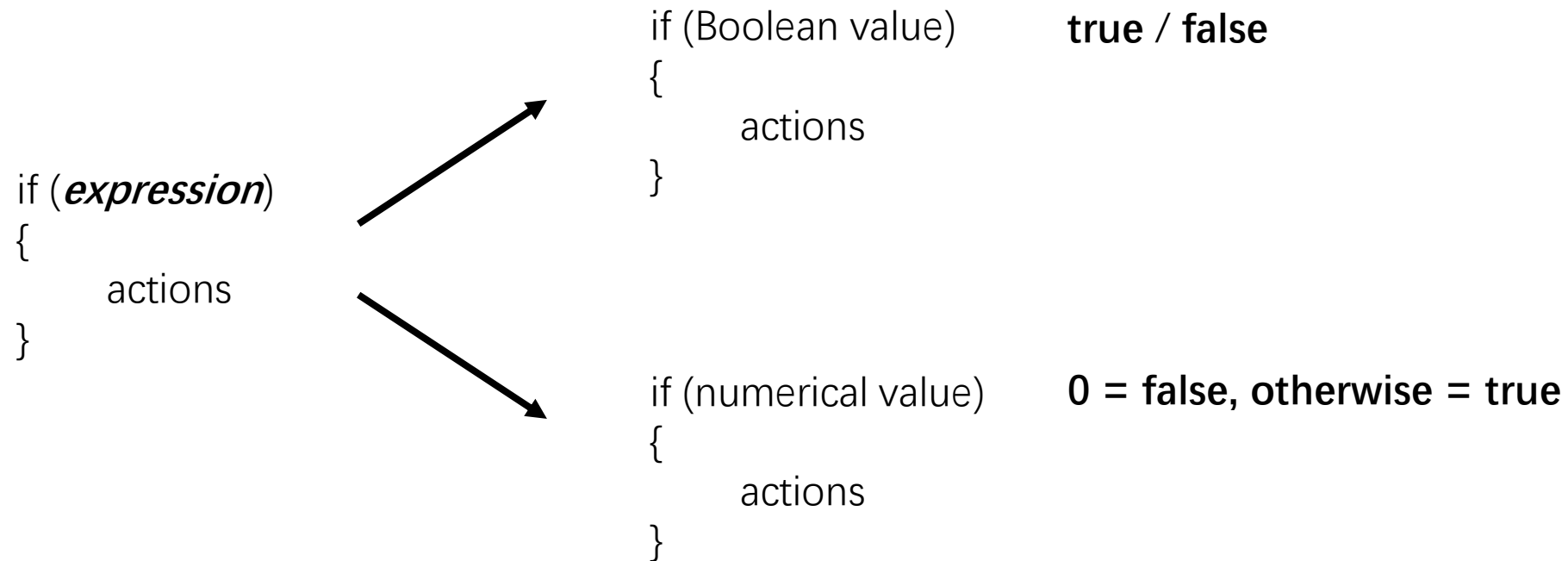
```
if(a > b){
    c = c + 1;
    d = 2 * c;
    // and more actions
}
```

```
if(a > b) c = c + 1;
```

Without curly brackets, one action (code statement) only, not suggested for beginners



# Single Selection

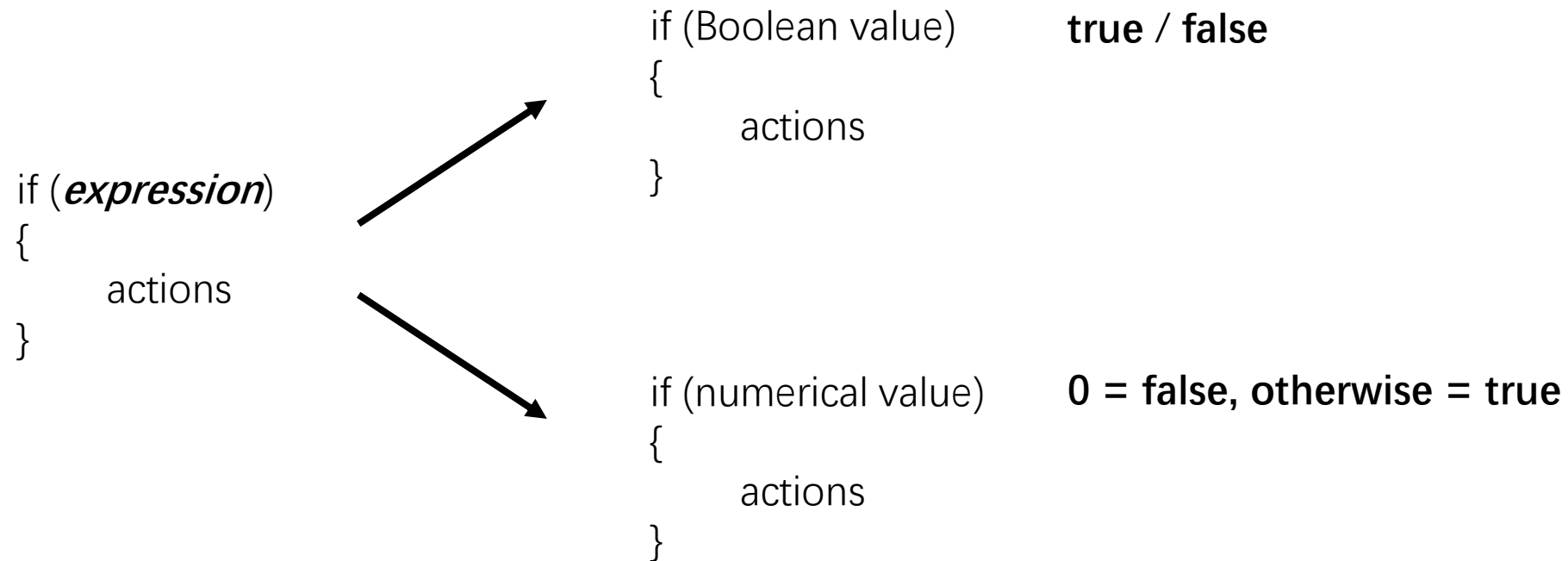


```
int c = 0;  
  
if(100) c=1;
```

```
int c = 0;  
  
if(0.0001) c=1;
```

c = ?

# Single Selection



```
int c = 0;  
  
if(100) c=1;
```

```
int c = 0;  
  
if(0.0001) c=1;
```

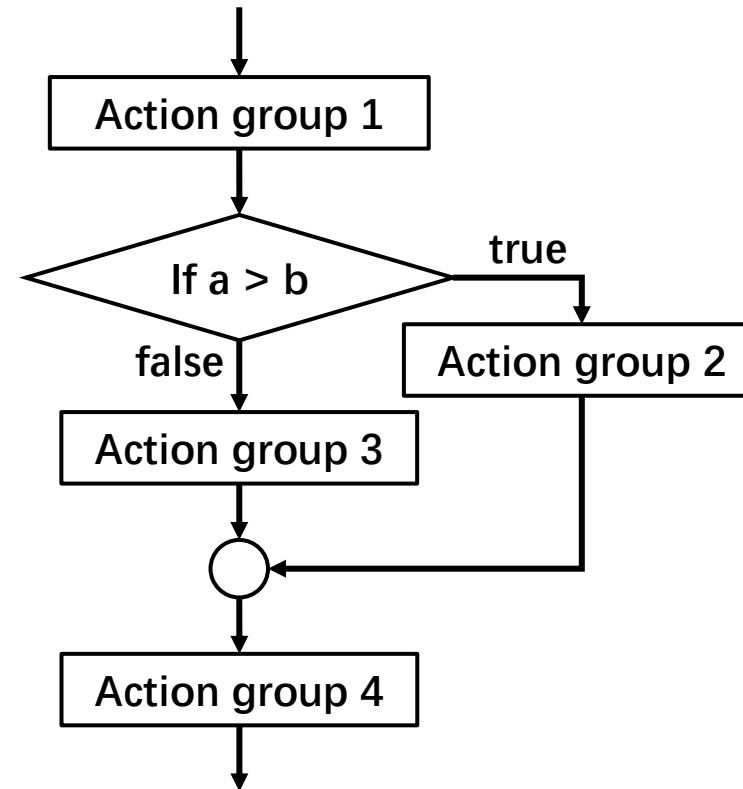
**c = 1 in both cases**

# Double Selection

- Double Selection

```
// Action group 1
if(a > b)
{
    // Action group 2
}
else
{
    // Action group 3
}
// Action group 4
```

```
if(a > b) c = 1;
else c = 2; Valid, but not suggested
```



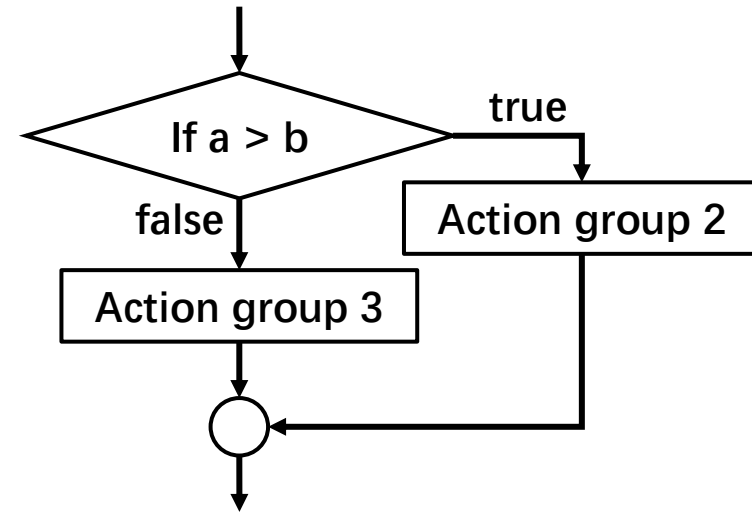


# Double Selection

Which is more efficient?

```
if(a > b)
{
    // Action group 2
}
else
{
    // Action group 3
}
```

```
if(a > b)
{
    // Action group 2
}
if(a <= b)
{
    // Action group 3
}
```



# Conditional operator

- Shortest form of writing conditional statements
- Can use as inline conditional statement in place of if-else statement
- Syntax:

**expression ? statement\_1 : statement\_2**

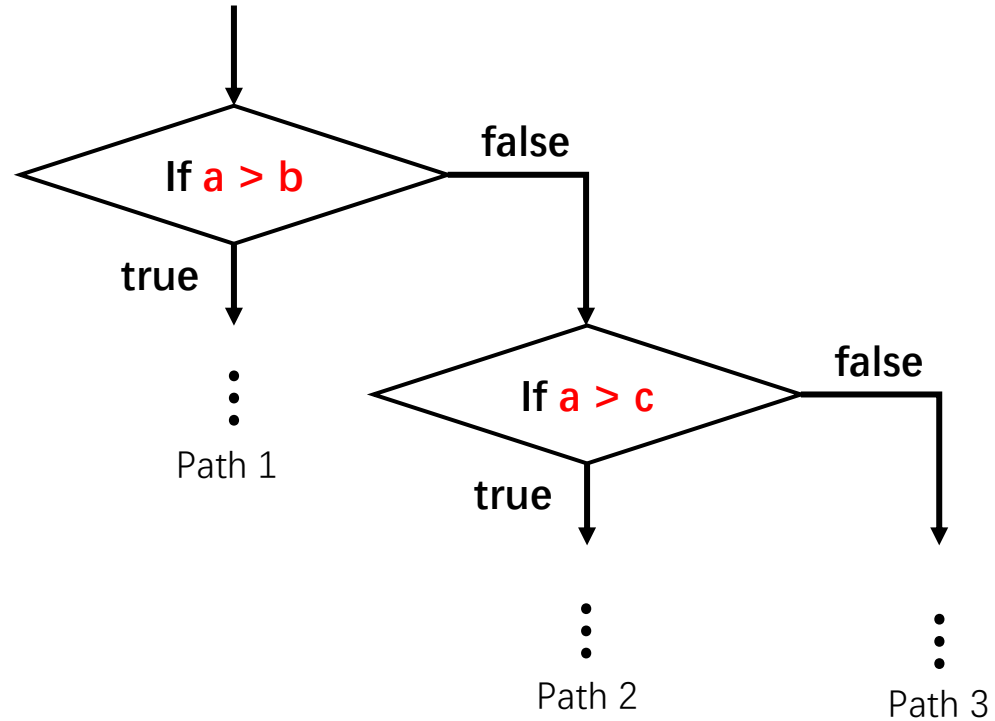
Example

```
max_value = a > b ? a : b;
```

**is equivalent to**

```
if(a > b)
{
    max_value = a;
}
else
{
    max_value = b;
}
```

# Multiple selection

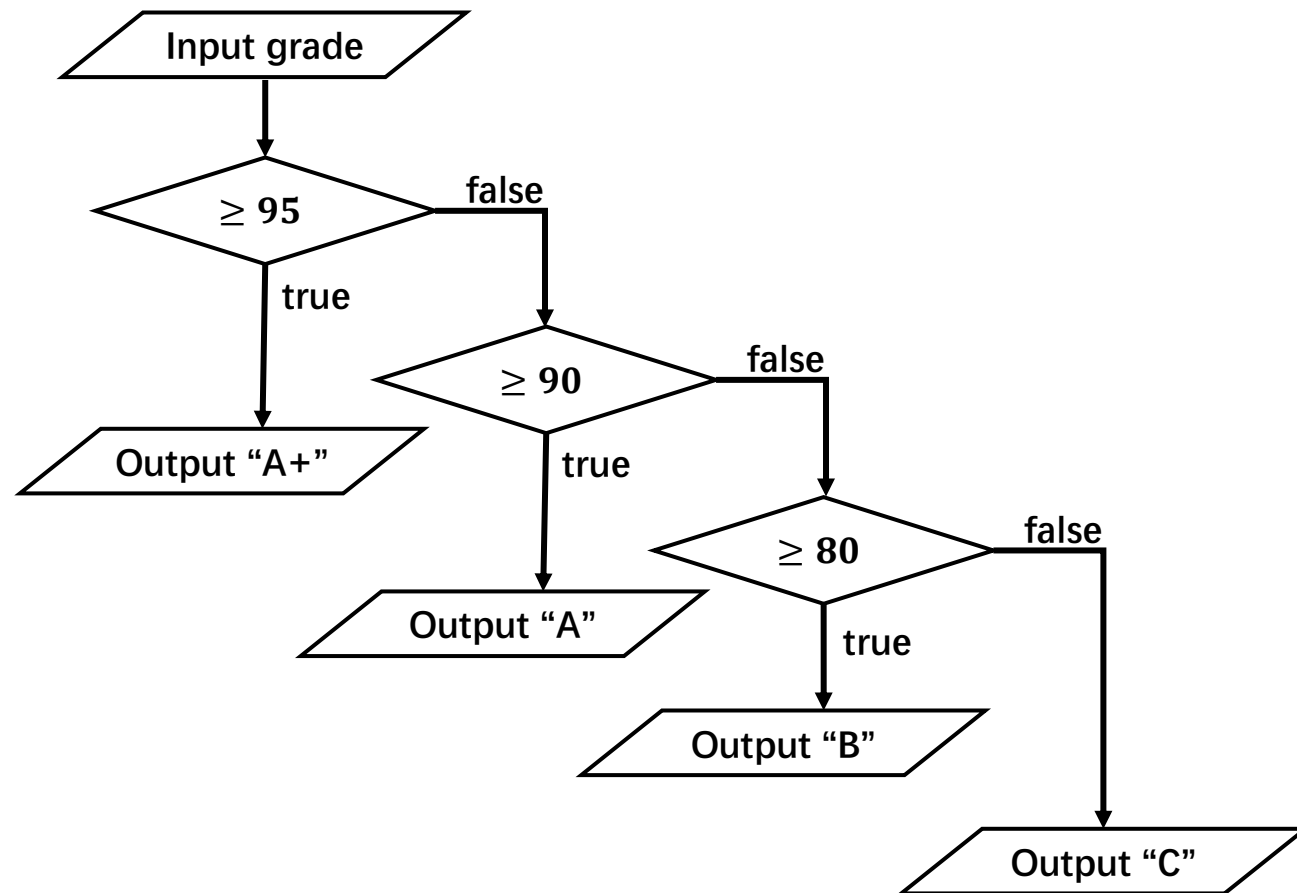


```
if(a > b)
{
    // Path 1
}
else if(a > c)
{
    // Path 2
}
else
{
    // Path 3
}
```

Can add multiple **"else if"**, but one **"else"** only

# Multiple selection

Example: a simple grade conversion system



```
int grade;
std::cin >> grade;

if(grade >= 95)
{
    std::cout << "A+";
}
else if(grade >= 90)
{
    std::cout << "A";
}
else if(grade >= 80)
{
    std::cout << "B";
}
else
{
    std::cout << "C";
}
```

# Multiple selection: switch statements

- A **switch** is a control statement in which the control of the program depends on **the value passed to switch function**. When a match is found, the statements associated with that constant are executed.

- Syntax

```
switch( expression )  
{  
    case value_1:  
        {Action group 1}  
        break;  
    case value_2:  
        {Action group 2}  
        break;  
    :  
    default:  
        {Action group n}  
        break;  
}
```

← The result of **expression** must be of **int** or **char** type

→ The value must be a **constant**, and don't forget the colon

# Multiple selection: switch statements

## Example

```
main.cpp +
1 #include<iostream>
2
3 int main()
4 {
5     int month = 2;
6
7     switch(month)
8     {
9         case 1:
10             std::cout << "Jan";
11             break;
12         case 2:
13             std::cout << "Feb";
14             break;
15         case 3:
16             std::cout << "Mar";
17             break;
18         default:
19             std::cout << month;
20             break;
21     }
22
23     return 0;
24 }
```

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```
main.cpp +
1 #include<iostream>
2
3 int main()
4 {
5     int month = 3;
6
7     switch(month)
8     {
9         case 1:
10             std::cout << "Jan";
11             break;
12         case 2:
13             std::cout << "Feb";
14             break;
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```

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```
main.cpp +
1 #include<iostream>
2
3 int main()
4 {
5     int month = 12;
6
7     switch(month)
8     {
9         case 1:
10             std::cout << "Jan";
11             break;
12         case 2:
13             std::cout << "Feb";
14             break;
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# Multiple selection: switch statements

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Equivalent implementation  
using if-else statements

```
main.cpp +
1 #include<iostream>
2
3 int main()
4 {
5     int month = 2;
6
7     if(month == 1)
8     {
9         std::cout << "Jan";
10    }
11    else if(month == 2)
12    {
13        std::cout << "Feb";
14    }
15    else if(month == 3)
16    {
17        std::cout << "Mar";
18    }
19    else
20    {
21        std::cout << month;
22    }
23
24     return 0;
25 }
```

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# Multiple selection: switch statements

What if we remove the “break”?

```
main.cpp +
1  #include<iostream>
2
3  int main()
4  {
5      int month = 1;
6
7      switch(month)
8      {
9          case 1:
10             std::cout << "Jan";
11
12             case 2:
13                 std::cout << "Feb";
14                 break;
15             case 3:
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# Multiple selection: switch statements

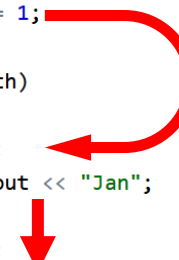
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# Logical expression and operators

- So far, we use only a single expression

```
// Action group 1
if(a > b)
{
    // Action group 2
}
// Action group 3
```

- What about conditioning on multiple expressions?

Example: want to search movies of 1990's (between 1990 and 2000)

```
if(year < 2000)
{
    if(year >= 1990)    Inconvenient!
    {
        std::cout << "1990's";
    }
}
```

# Logical expression and operators

- **Logical operators** are symbols that can combine or modify conditions to make logical evaluations.
- Syntax

*operand\_a*      **logical\_operator**    *operand\_b*

Symbol	Description
<b>&amp;&amp;</b>	AND: <b>true</b> only if both operands are <b>true</b>
<b>  </b>	OR: <b>true</b> if any of the operands is <b>true</b>
<b>!</b>	NOT: reverse the logic

**logical\_operator**    *single\_operand*



<i>a</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>a &amp;&amp; b</i>	<i>a    b</i>	<i>!a</i>	<i>!b</i>
0	0	0	0	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	0
1	0	0	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	0	0

# Logical expression and operators

Example: Search movies of 1990's

```
if(year >= 1990 && year < 2000)
{
    std::cout << "1990's";
}
```

(year >= 1990) && (year < 2000)

Precedence	Operator	Description
1	::	Scope resolution
2	a++ a--	Suffix/postfix increment and decrement
	type() type{}	Functional cast
	a()	Function call
	a[]	Subscript
	. ->	Member access
3	++a --a	Prefix increment and decrement
	+a -a	Unary plus and minus
	! ~	Logical NOT and bitwise NOT
	( type)	C-style cast
	*a	Indirection (dereference)
	&a	Address-of
	sizeof	Size-of <sup>[note 1]</sup>
	co_await	await-expression (C++20)
	new new[]	Dynamic memory allocation
	delete delete[]	Dynamic memory deallocation
4	.* ->*	Pointer-to-member
5	a*b a/b a%b	Multiplication, division, and remainder
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16	a?b:c	Ternary conditional <sup>[note 2]</sup>
	throw	throw operator
	co_yield	yield-expression (C++20)
	=	Direct assignment (provided by default for C++ classes)
	+= -=	Compound assignment by sum and difference
	*= /= %=	Compound assignment by product, quotient, and remainder
	<<= >>=	Compound assignment by bitwise left shift and right shift
17	&= ^=  =	Compound assignment by bitwise AND, XOR, and OR
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# Logical expression and operators

## Example

```
int a = 3, b = 2, c = 1;
```

```
std::cout << (a > b > c);
```

Output ?

# Logical expression and operators

## Example

```
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```

```
std::cout << (a > b > c);
```

= (a > b) > c

= 1 > c

= 0

```
int a = 3, b = 2, c = 1;
```

```
std::cout << (a > b && b > c);
```

= (a > b) && (b > c)

= 1 && 1

= 1

# Iteration

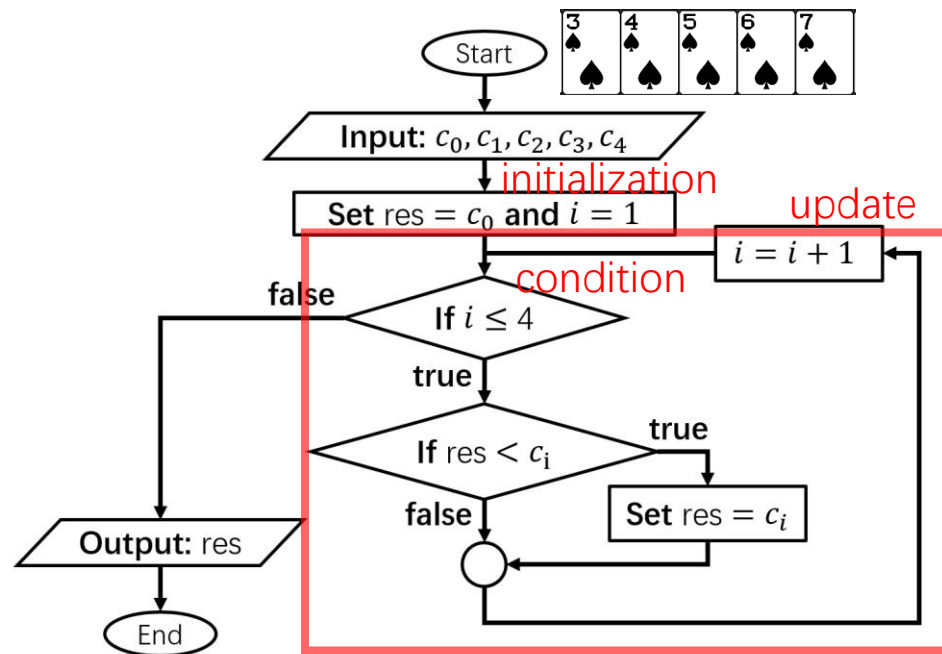
- In computer programming, **loops** are used to repeat a block of code
- For example, to show a message 100 times, instead of writing the cout statement 100 times, we can use a loop structure
- Three types of loops in C++
  - **for** loop
  - **while** loop
  - **do-while** loop

# “for” loop

- Syntax

Use semicolons!

```
for (initialization ; condition ; update )  
{  
    Actions  
}
```



```
main.cpp +  
1  #include<iostream>  
2  
3  int main()  
4  {  
5      int c[5] = {5, 6, 7, 3, 4};  
6  
7      int res = c[0];  
8  
9      for(int i = 1; i <= 4; ++i)  
10     {  
11         if(res < c[i])  
12         {  
13             res = c[i];  
14         }  
15     }  
16  
17     std::cout << res << std::endl;  
18  
19     return 0;  
20 }
```

Annotations in the code block:  
- 'initialization' points to `int res = c[0];`  
- 'condition' points to `i <= 4`  
- 'update' points to `++i`  
- 'Actions' points to the `if(res < c[i]) { res = c[i]; }` block



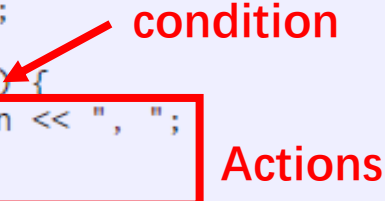
# “while” loop

- Syntax

```
while (condition)
{
    Actions
}
```

```
// custom countdown using while
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main ()
{
    int n = 10;
    while (n>0) {
        cout << n << ", ";
        --n;
    }
    cout << "liftoff!\n";
}
```



```
10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, liftoff!
```

# “do-while” loop

- Syntax

```
do
{
    Actions
}
while (condition)
```

*Compared to the while loop structure*

```
while (condition)
{
    Actions
}
```

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main()
{
    float num, total;

    total = 0;
    num = 1;

    do
    {
        cout << "Please enter a number" ;
        cin >> num;
        total += num;
        cout << "The running total is" << total << endl << endl;
    }
    while(num != 0);

    cout << "The final total is" << total << endl;
}
```

condition

Actions

# HOMEWORK

# Homework 5

- 1. Rewrite the following if-else using a switch statement:

```
if ( marriage_status == 'S' )
    cout << "single" ;
else if ( marriage_status == 'M' )
    cout << "married" ;
else if ( marriage_status == 'W' )
    cout << "widowed" ;
else if ( marriage_status == 'E' )
    cout << "separated" ;
else if ( marriage_status == 'D' )
    cout << "divorced" ;
else
    cout << "error: invalid code" ;
```

# Homework 5

- 2. In a triangle, the sum of any two sides must be greater than the third side. Write a program to input three numbers and determine if they form a valid triangle.
- 3. Rewrite the following using a for loop.

```
int i = 0, total = 0 ;  
while ( i < 10 )  
{  
    cin >> n ;  
    total += n ;  
    i++ ;  
}
```

# Homework 5

- 4. What is displayed when the following program is run and the number 1234 is entered?

```
int num ;  
cout << "Please enter a number " ;  
cin >> num ;  
do  
{  
    cout << num % 10 ;  
    num /= 10 ;  
}  
while ( num != 0 ) ;
```

- 5. Write a program to find the sum of all the odd integers in the range 1 to 99.

# Homework 5

- 6. Write a program to display the following triangles:

```
  *
 * *
* * *
* * * *

      *
     * *
    * * *
   * * * *
```

Hint:

*	<i>space</i>	<i>space</i>	<i>space</i>
*	*	<i>space</i>	<i>space</i>
*	*	*	<i>space</i>
*	*	*	*

(Bonus) Modify the size of the triangles (number of stars) by taking the keyboard input from a user. The example above has 4 stars in the last row.