

## **Expressions**

- Composed of operators and operands
- Evaluate into a value

Some Operators:

- Unary
  - $+A$
  - $-A$
  - $++A$
  - $--A$
  - $A++$
  - $A--$
- Binary
  - $A+B$
  - $A-B$
  - $A*B$
  - $A/B$
  - $A\%B$
  - $A = B$

## **Precedence and Associativity**

- Precedence
  - Which comes first
- Associativity
  - Left to right or right to left
- Group the operator with the operands
- But do not enforce execution order completely

## **Short Circuit**

- Enforces order of evaluation between LHS and RHS
- Compiler dependency
  - E.g. `if(--j || i++ & --j)`
    - LHS first, RHS MAYBE
    - Only apply to `||` and `&&`
- `Expr1 && expr2`
  - If `exp1` evaluate to 0, `exp2` is not done
  - If `exp1` evaluate to 1, `exp2` is then evaluate
- `Expr1 || expr2`

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### **Ternary operator**

if(exp1) exp2  
else exp3

Rewrite to: exp1 ? exp2 : exp3

exp1 != 0 result is exp2 else exp3

### **Precedence**

- Setting the priority of operation
- ++i , --i (pre increment)
  - Evaluate to the increment value of i
- i++ , i-- (post-increment)
  - Evaluate to the original value of i
  - Then increment itself

### **L-Value**

- Refers to objects with a memory location

### **R-Value**

- Temporary values
- Every C operator evaluate to an R value
- Will be discarded if not assign regardless