

# Do-While loop

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# While / For loop review

- In While/For loops, the terminating condition is checked at the *beginning* of each loop

```
int i = 0;  
while (i < 10) {  
    printf("%d\n", i);  
    i++;  
}
```



# Do-While loop

- Performs in the exact opposite manner
- Checks the condition **AFTER** each repetition

```
do {  
    /*Code goes here*/  
} while (<terminating condition>);
```



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} while (i < 10);
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# Do-While loop

- Advantage: the code will ALWAYS run at least once
  - This is helpful when you need that code to run once (then make decisions after that first execution)
- Ex: Menu options

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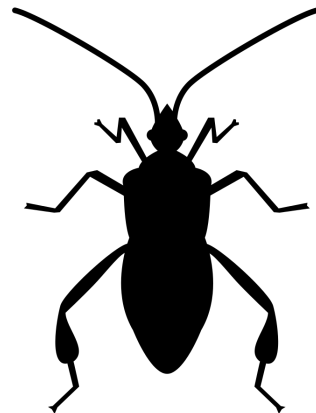
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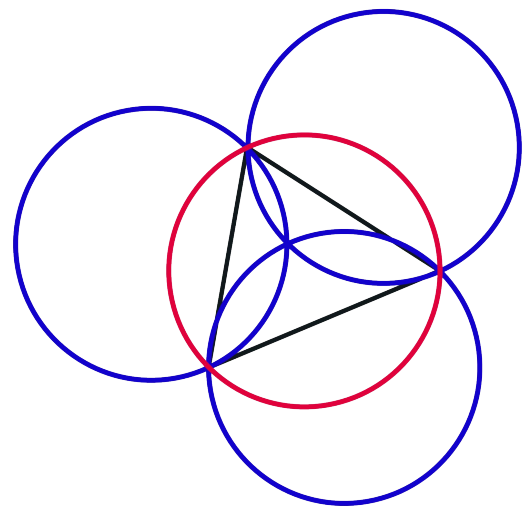
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- Disadvantages: Looks very similar to a while loop, but executes entirely differently
  - Can introduce bugs into your code if not properly executed



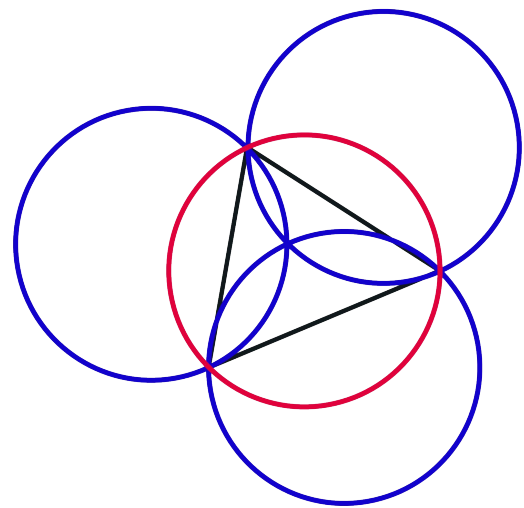
# Structured Program Theorem

- Developed in 1966 by Corrado Bohm and Giuseppe Jacopini
- States that all logical statements (therefore, all computer programs) can be written as a sequence of while loops and if statements.



# Structured Program Theorem

- Developed in 1966 by Corrado Bohm and Giuseppe Jacopini
- Therefore, do-while loops (and for loops) are unnecessary
- Also, argues against *break* and *continue* statements (since they execute out of sequence)





# Do-While Coding Challenge: Bank

- Create a functional bank, using a do-while loop
  - Scan in an “initial deposit”
  - 5 Options:
    - 1) Deposit (add) money
    - 2) Withdraw (subtract) money
    - 3) Calculate interest, at 5%, on current amount
    - 4) Show current amount
    - 5) Quit program (use do-while loop)

