Scanf()

Inputting Variables

- Variables (any form) can be inputted into programs by the user
 - Allows for different actions by the same program



Inputting Variables

- There are many ways to do this...
 - Most basic: scanf()

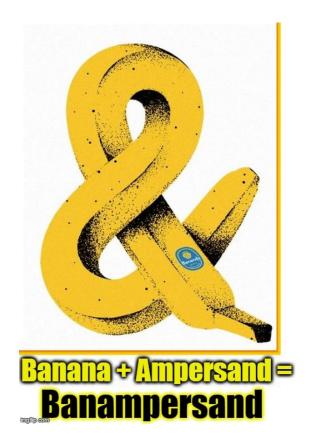
- Similar to printf()
 - o Found in <stdio.h>
 - Uses %d & %f notation



Scanf()

• Main difference: use "&" before every variable used in scanf()

int num; scanf("%d", &num); /*Takes the next number entered into the computer, stores it in "num" variable*/



Scanf() - Behind the scenes

- Takes the next input typed the screen
 - Input ends with a "\n"
 - If the input does not match the type specified (int, float, char, etc...), an error is thrown



Scanf() - Behind the scenes

- Puts that input into the memory location specified by the variable
 - The variable MUST be declared before using it in scanf()



Challenge 1

 Scan in two numbers: print the sum and the product of those two numbers

