Control Flow

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IF Statement

If Statement

```
if (CONDITION) {
   STATEMENTS
} else {
  STATEMENTS
     public static void test(int x) {
           if (x > 5) {
              System.out.println(x + " is > 5");
```

Comparison operators

- x > y: x is greater than y
- x < y: x is less than y
- x >= y: x is greater than or equal to x
- x <= y: x is less than or equal to y

- x == y: x equals y
- (equality: ==, assignment: =)

Boolean operators

- &&: logical AND
- ||: logical OR

```
if (x > 6) {
    if (x < 9) {
        ...
    }
}</pre>
```

Multibranch if-else Statements

```
syntax
   if (Boolean Expression 1)
      Statement 1
   else if (Boolean Expression 2)
      Statement 2
   else if (Boolean Expression 3)
      Statement 3
   else if ...
   else
      Default Statement
```

Compound Boolean Expressions

- Boolean expressions can be combined using the "and" (&&) operator.
- example
 if ((score > 0) && (score <= 100))
 ...

not allowed

```
if (0 < score <= 100)
```

. . .

Negating a Boolean Expression

- A boolean expression can be negated using the "not" (!) operator.
- syntax!(Boolean_Expression)
- example
 (a || b) && !(a && b)
 which is the exclusive or

Using ==, cont.

- == is not appropriate for determining if two objects have the same value.
 - if (s1 == s2), where s1 and s2 refer to strings, determines only if s1 and s2 refer the a common memory location.

```
String bir = new String("1"); //"1";
String iki = new String("1"); //"1";
if (bir==iki) {
    System.out.println("esitler");
}
else{
    System.out.println("esit degiller");
}
```

Using ==, cont.

 To test the equality of objects of class String, use method equals.

```
s1.equals(s2)
or
s2.equals(s1)
```

 To test for equality ignoring case, use method equalsIgnoreCase.

```
("Hello".equalsIgnoreCase("hello"))
```

Nested Statements

- An if-else statement can contain any sort of statement within it.
- In particular, it can contain another if-else statement.
 - An if-else may be nested within the "if" part.
 - An if-else may be nested within the "else" part.
 - An if-else may be nested within both parts.

Nested Statements, cont.

```
    syntax

   if (Boolean_Expression_1)
      if (Boolean_Expression_2)
         Statement 1)
      else
         Statement 2)
   else
      if (Boolean_Expression 3)
         Statement 3)
      else
         Statement 4);
```

The switch Statement

 The switch statement is a mutltiway branch that makes a decision based on an *integral* (integer or character) expression.

 The switch statement begins with the keyword switch followed by an integral expression in parentheses and called the controlling expression.

The switch Statement, cont.

- The action associated with a matching case label is executed.
- If no match is found, the case labeled default is executed.
 - The default case is optional, but recommended, even if it simply prints a message.
- Repeated case labels are not allowed.

The switch Statement, cont.

```
import java.util.*;
public class MultipleBirths
    public static void main(String[] args)
        int numberOfBabies;
        System.out.print("Enter number of babies: ");
        Scanner keyboard = new Scanner(System.in);
        numberOfBabies = keyboard.nextInt();
        switch (numberOfBabies) controlling expression
            case 1:
             System.out.println("Congratulations.");
 case label
            break; break statement
            case 2:
                System.out.println("Wow. Twins.");
                break:
            case 3:
                System.out.println("Wow. Triplets.");
                break;
            case 4:
            case 5:
                System.out.println("Unbelieveable.");
                System.out.println(numberOfBabies + " babies");
                break;
            default:
                System.out.println("I don't believe you.");
                break;
```

```
Sample Screen Dialog 1
```

Enter number of babies: 1 Congratulations.

Sample Screen Dialog 2

Enter number of babies: 3 Wow. Triplets.

Sample Screen Dialog 3

Enter number of babies: 4 Unbelievable. 4 babies

Sample Screen Dialog 4

Enter number of babies: 6 I don't believe you.

Switch Example

```
int i=1; // outputs for differing values of i:(0,1,2,3)
switch (i) {
    case 0:
       System.out.println("zero");
        break;
    case 1:
       System.out.println("one");
    case 2:
       System.out.println("two");
    default:
       System.out.println("default");
```

The Conditional Operator

```
if (n1 > n2)
    max = n1;
else
    max = n2;

can be written as

max = (n1 > n2) ? n1 : n2;
```

 The ? and : together are call the conditional operator or ternary operator.

LOOPS

Java Loop Statements: Outline

- The while Statement
- The do-while Statement
- The for Statement

the while Statement, cont.

```
import java.util.*;
public class WhileDemo
    public static void main(String[] args)
        int count, number;
        System.out.println("Enter a number");
        Scanner keyboard = new Scanner(System.in);
        number = keyboard.nextInt();
        count = 1;
        while (count <= number)</pre>
            System.out.print(count + ", ");
            count++;
        System.out.println();
        System.out.println("Buckle my shoe.");
```

Sample Screen Dialog 1

```
Enter a number:
2
1, 2,
Buckle my shoe.
```

Sample Screen Dialog 2

```
Enter a number:
3
1, 2, 3,
Buckle my shoe.
```

Sample Screen Dialog 3

```
Enter a number:

0

The loop body is iterated zero times.

Buckle my shoe.
```

Display 3.6 A while Loop

The do-while Statement

- Also called a do-while loop
- Similar to a while statement, except that the loop body is executed at least once

```
    syntax
        do
        Body_Statement
        while (Boolean_Expression);
```

– don't forget the semicolon!

The do-while Statement, cont.

Sample Screen Dialog 1

```
Enter a number:
2
1, 2,
Buckle my shoe.
```

Sample Screen Dialog 2

```
Enter a number:
3
1, 2, 3,
Buckle my shoe.
```

Sample Screen Dialog 3

```
Enter a number:

0

1,

Buckle my shoe.

The loop body is always executed at least one time.
```

Display 3.8 A do-while Loop

The for Statement

- A for statement executes the body of a loop a fixed number of times.
- Example

```
for (count = 1; count < 3; count++)
     System.out.println(count);
System.out.println("Done");
//watch out the usage of '{' and '}'</pre>
```

Multiple Initialization, etc.

example

```
for (n = 1, p = 1; n < 10; n++)
p = p * n;
```

- Only one boolean expression is allowed, but it can consist of &&s, ||s, and !s.
- Multiple update actions are allowed, too.

```
for (n = 1, p = 1; n < 10; n++, p=p * n) rarely used
```

Example

```
for (n = 20, p = 1; p < n; n++, p=p * 5){

System.out.println("n: "+n+" "+"p: "+p);
}
```

What is the output of this code?

The Empty for Statement

What is printed by

```
int product = 1, number;
for (number = 1; number <= 10; number++);
    product = product * number;
System.out.println(product);?</pre>
```

The last semicolon in

```
for (number = 1; number <= 10; number++);
produces an empty for statement.</pre>
```

for(;;){System.out.println("infinite loop");}

Choosing a Loop Statement

- If you know how many times the loop will be iterated, use a for loop.
- If you don't know how many times the loop will be iterated, but
 - it could be zero, use a while loop
 - it will be at least once, use a do-while loop.
- Generally, a while loop is a safe choice.

The break Statement in Loops

- A break statement can be used to end a loop immediately.
- The break statement ends only the innermost loop or switch statement that contains the break statement.
- break statements make loops more difficult to understand.
- Use break statements sparingly (if ever).

Example

```
for(int i=0; i<2; i++){
       System.out.println("i: "+i);
       for (int j = 0; j < 3; j++) {
            System.out.println("j:"+j);
            if (j==1) {
               break;
```

The break Statement in Loops, cont.

```
import java.util.*;
public class BreakDemo
    public static void main(String[] args)
        int itemNumber;
        double amount, total;
        Scanner keyboard = new Scanner(System.in);
        System.out.println("You may buy ten items, but");
        System.out.println("the total price must not exceed $100.");
        total = 0:
        for (itemNumber = 1: itemNumber <= 10: itemNumber++)</pre>
            System.out.print("Enter cost of item #"
                                            + itemNumber + ": $"):
            amount = keyboard.nextDouble();
            total = total + amount;
            if (total >= 100)
                System.out.println("You spent all your money.");
                break:
            System.out.println("Your total so far is $" + total);
            System.out.println("You may purchase up to "
                          + (10 itemNumber) + " more items.");
        System.out.println("You spent $" + total);
```

Sample Screen Dialog

```
You may buy ten items, but
the total price must not exceed $100.
Enter cost of item #1: $90.93
Your total so far is $90.93
You may purchase up to 9 more items.
Enter cost of item #2: $10.50
You spent all your money.
You spent $101.43
```

Branching Statements

```
for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
    if (i == 50) {
       break:
    System.out.println("i value : " + i);
for (int i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
    if (i == 50) {
        continue:
    System.out.println("i value : " + i);
```

The exit Method

- Sometimes a situation arises that makes continuing the program pointless.
- A program can be terminated normally by System.exit(0).

Example

```
if (numberOfWinners == 0)
{
    System.out.println("/ by 0");
    System.exit(0);
}
```

Embedded Loops

```
for (int i = 0; i < 3; i++) {
    for (int j = 2; j < 4; j++) {
        System.out.println (i + " " + j);
    }
}</pre>
```

Ending a Loop

- If the number of iterations is known before the loop starts, the loop is called a countcontrolled loop.
 - use a for loop.
- Asking the user before each iteration if it is time to end the loop is called the ask-beforeiterating technique.
 - appropriate for a small number of iterations
 - Use a while loop or a do-while loop.

Ending a Loop, cont.

- For large input lists, a sentinel value can be used to signal the end of the list.
 - The sentinel value must be different from all the other possible inputs.
 - A negative number following a long list of nonnegative exam scores could be suitable.

90

()

10

-1

Example: class ExamAverager

```
import java.util.*;
 Determines the average of a list of (nonnegative) exam scores.
 Repeats for more exams until the user says she/he is finished.
public class ExamAverager
    public static void main(String[] args)
        System.out.println("This program computes the average of");
        System.out.println("a list of (nonnegative) exam scores.");
        double sum;
        int numberOfStudents;
        double next;
        String answer:
        Scanner keyboard = new Scanner(System.in);
        do
        {
            System.out.println();
            System.out.println("Enter all the scores to be averaged.");
            System.out.println("Enter a negative number after");
            System.out.println("you have entered all the scores.");
            sum = 0;
            numberOfStudents = 0:
            next = keyboard.nextDouble();
            while (next >= 0)
                sum = sum + next;
                numberOfStudents++;
                next = keyboard.nextDouble();
            if (numberOfStudents > 0)
                System.out.println("The average is "
                                     + (sum/numberOfStudents));
           else
                System.out.println("No scores to average.");
            System.out.println("Want to average another exam?");
            System.out.println("Enter yes or no.");
            answer = keyboard.next();
        }while (answer.equalsIgnoreCase("yes"));
```

Sample Screen Dialog

```
This program computes the average of
a list of (nonnegative) exam scores.
Enter all the scores to be averaged.
Enter a negative number after
you have entered all the scores.
100
90
100
90
-1
The average is 95.0
Want to average another exam?
Enter yes or no.
yes
Enter all the scores to be averaged.
Enter a negative number after
you have entered all the scores.
90
70
80
-1
The average is 80.0
Want to average another exam?
Enter yes or no.
```

Naming Boolean Variables

- Choose names such as isPositive or systemsAreOk.
- Avoid names such as numberSign or systemStatus.

Precedence Rules in Boolean Expressions

Highest Precedence

First: the unary operators +, -, ++, --, and!

Second: the binary arithmetic operators *, /, %

Third: the binary arithmetic operators +, -

Fourth: the boolean operators <, >, <=, >=

Fifth: the boolean operators ==, !=

Sixth: the boolean operator &

Seventh: the boolean operator |

Eighth: the boolean operator &&

Ninth: the boolean operator | |

Lowest Precedence

Display 3.16

Precedence Rules

Precedence Rules, cont.

 In what order are the operations performed?

```
score < min/2 - 10 || score > 90
score < (min/2) - 10 || score > 90
score < ((min/2) - 10) || score > 90
(score < ((min/2) - 10)) || score > 90
(score < ((min/2) - 10)) || (score > 90)
```