

# DSA

## Lecture- 01

### Programming:

A Sequence of steps to solve a particular problem is called programming

### How to Solve a programming problem?

→ Given the problem,

- 1) Understand the problem i.e. Add two values
- 2) Check the given values i.e. 2 variables, datatypes
- 3) Figure out an approach i.e.  $Sum = a + b$
- 4) Code!

### Pseudo Code:

A Very Simple and high level form of computer language that is used in program design is called pseudo code.

### Flow chart:

The diagrammatic representation of an approach. This draws out all the steps of your approach in order is called flowchart

### Components:

#### 1) Terminators:

Specifies the start & end of the program is called Terminators

(Start)

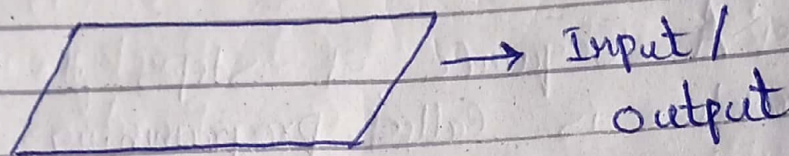
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(End)



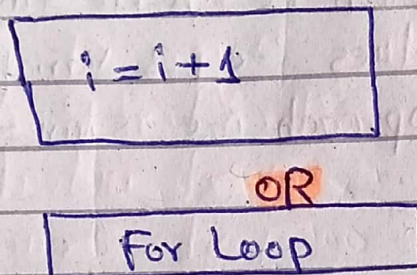
## 2) Parallelogram:

For using take **inputs** or  
Showing **output**

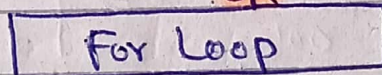


## 3) Process:

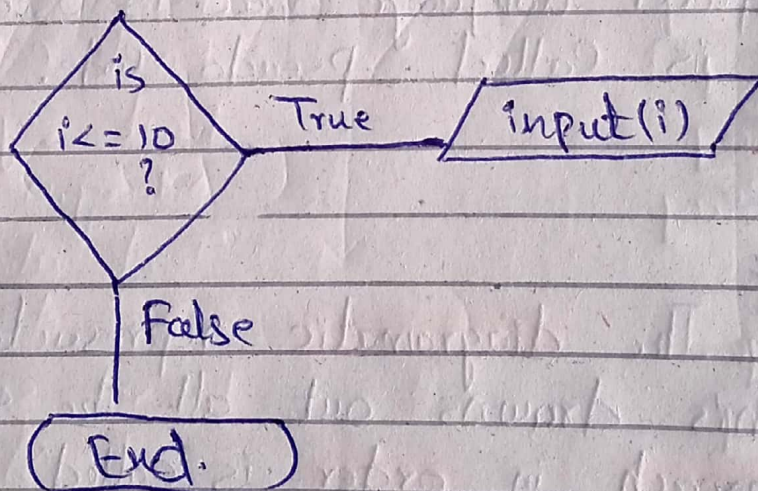
Used for **operations** and **processes**



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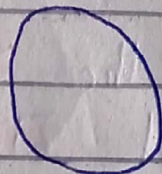


## 4) Decision Making:



## 5) Circle: ~~Circle~~

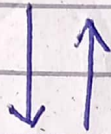
Connectors used in functions or  
Methods.





## 6) Arrows:

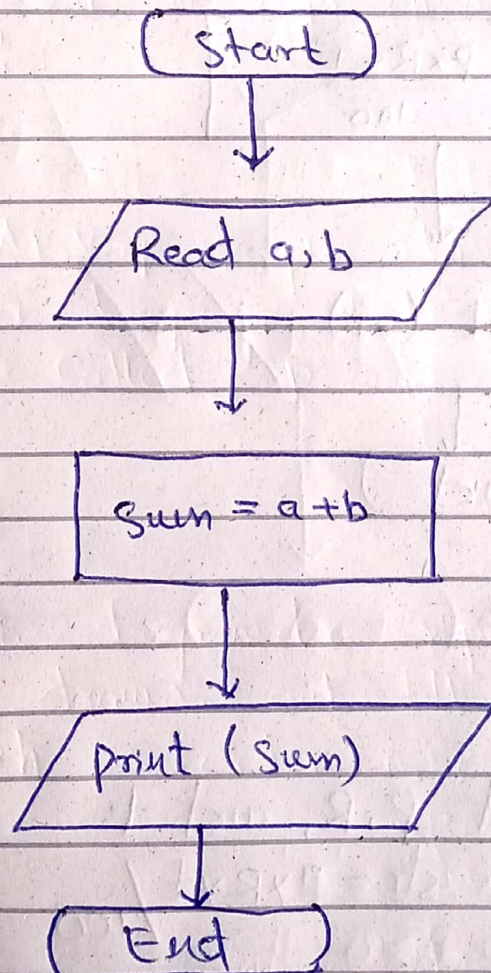
used to connect the component & show/tells the flow



## Examples

### 1) Flowchart & Pseudo code for adding 2 Numbers?

#### Flowchart:



#### Pseudo code:

- Input two number a & b
- let  $Sum = a + b$
- print Sum



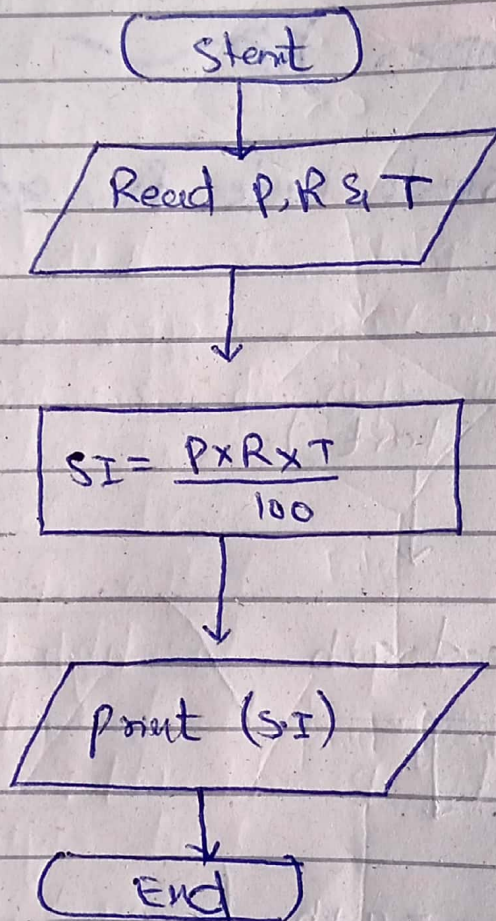
## 2) FlowChart & Pseudo Code to calculate Simple Interest ?

Formula:-  $S.I = \frac{P \times R \times T}{100}$

Annotations:

- $P$  → (Principal amount)
- $R$  → (Rate of interest)
- $T$  → (Time)

Flowchart:



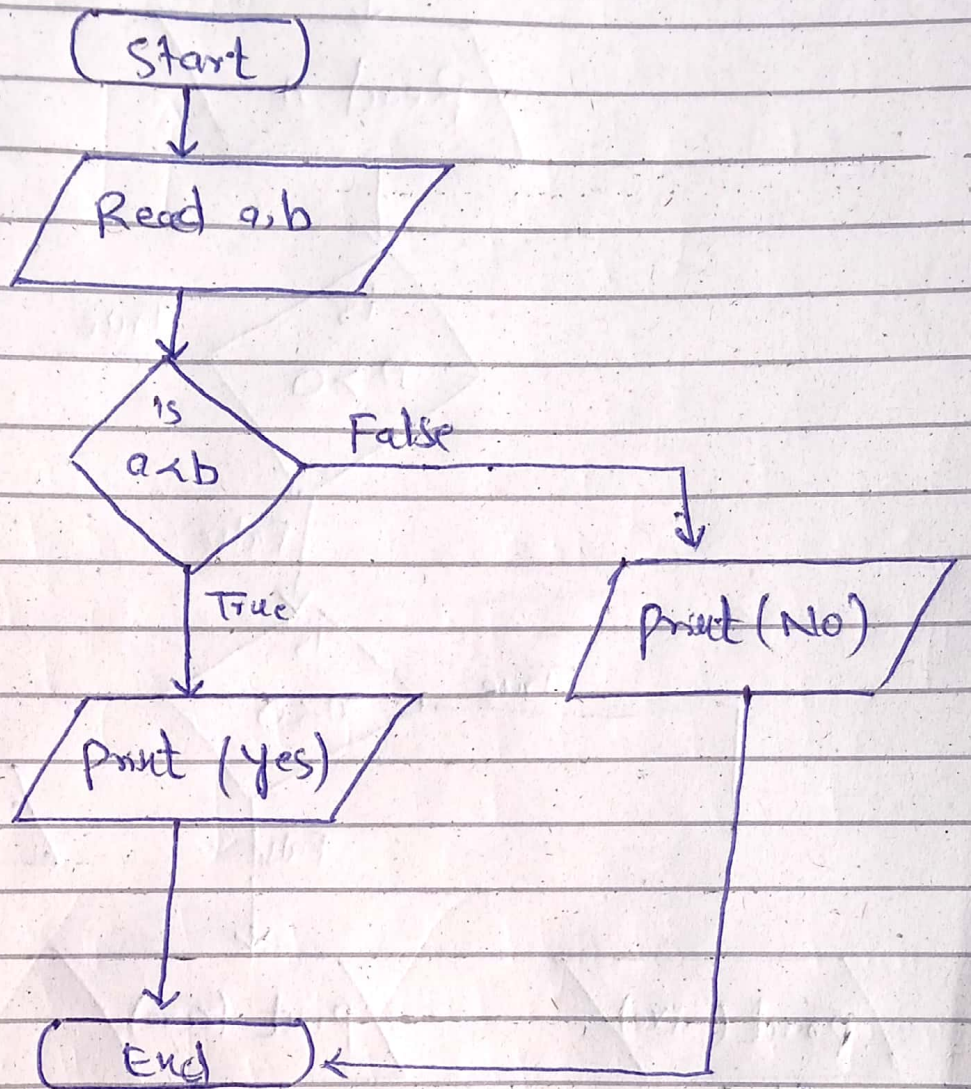
Pseudo Code:

- Read P, R, and T
- Make  $SI = \frac{P \times R \times T}{100}$
- Print SI



3) Determine  $a < b$ ?

Flowchart:-



Pseudo code:

```
→ Read a & b
→ if (a < b) then
    print "yes"
else
    print "no"
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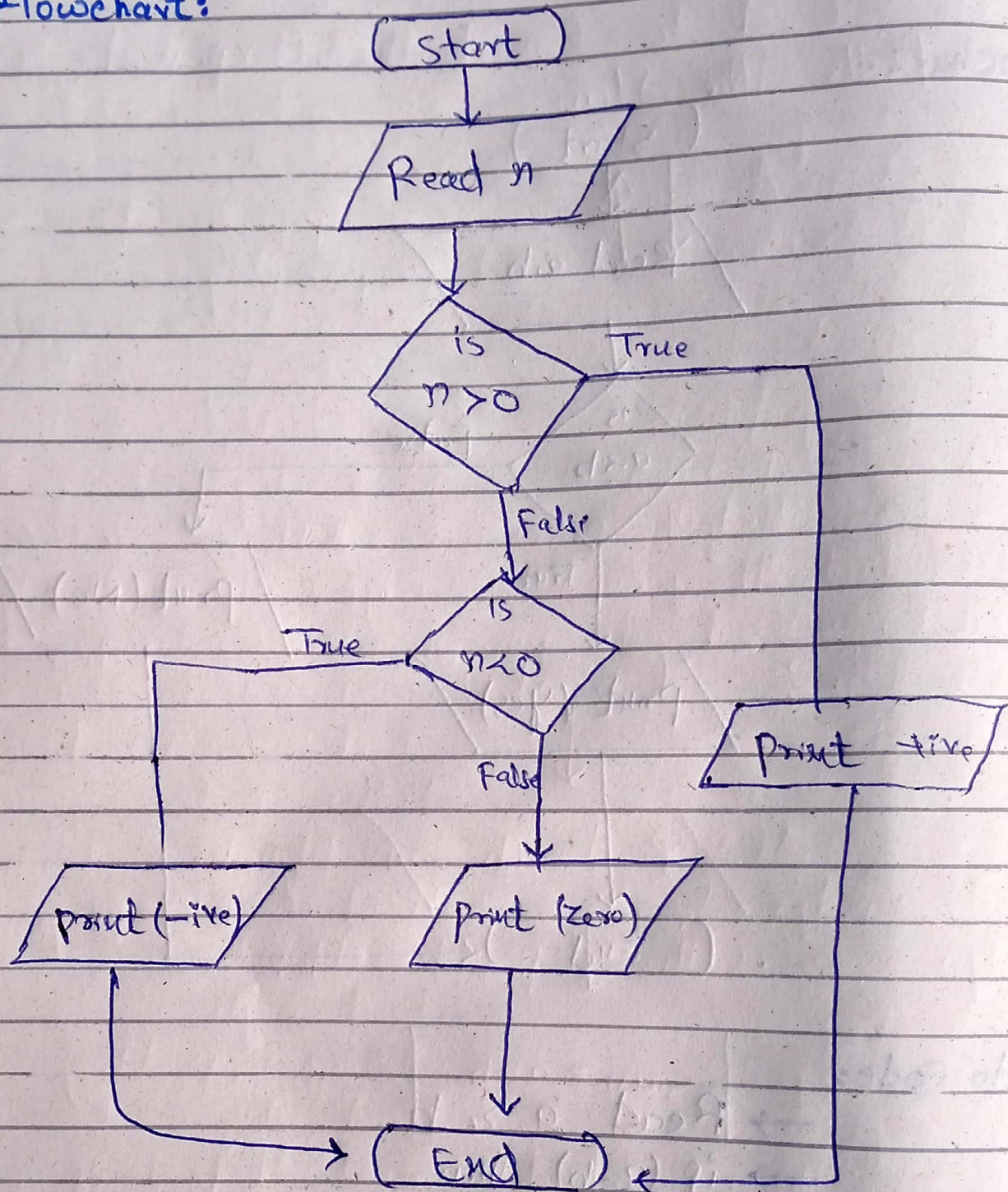
4) Flowchart & Pseudo code for Is n • is +ive, -ive or zero?

Given: n

Approach: if the given number is greater than 0 it is +ive or less than 0 it is negative otherwise Zero.



## Flowchart:



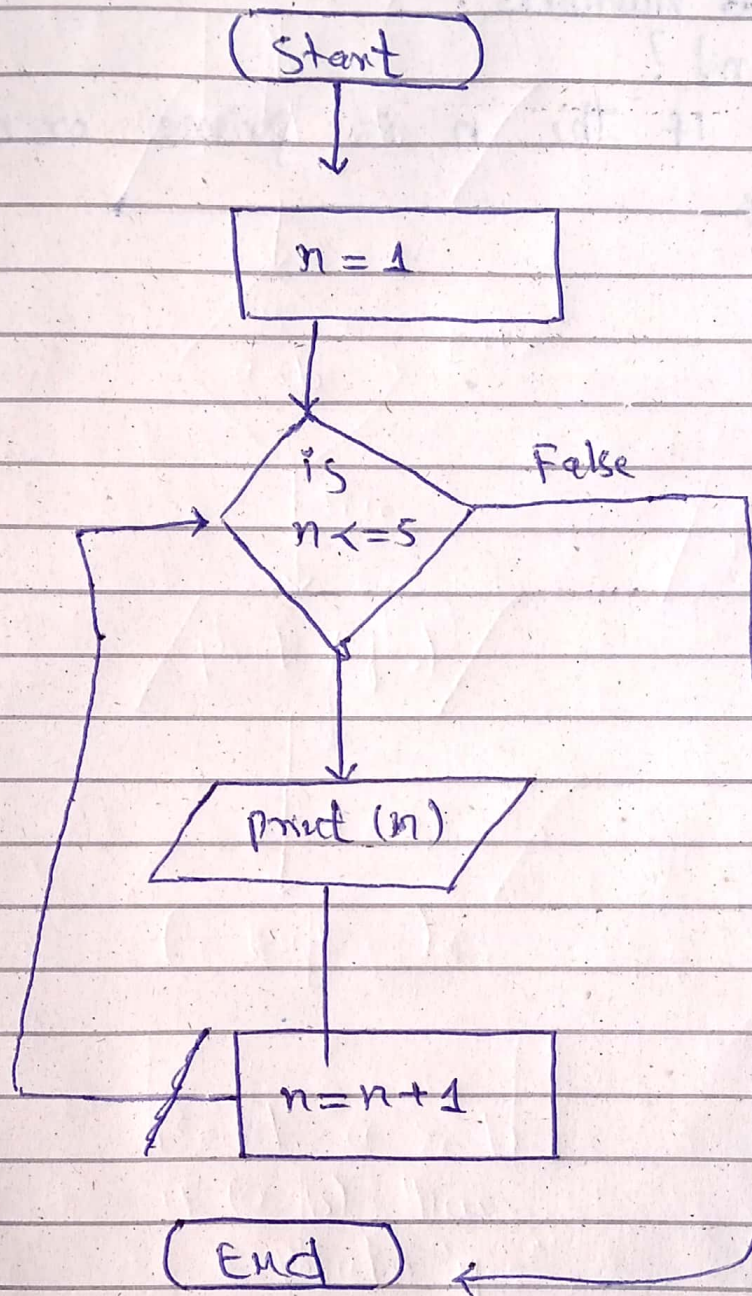
## Pseudo code:

```
→ Read 'n'
→ if n > 0 then
    Print +ive
elseif n < 0 then
    Print -ive
else
    Print zero
```



5) Flowchart & Pseudo code to print numbers 1 to 5?

Flowchart:



Pseudo code:

→ Set n to 1  
→ for(~~for~~ n <= 5; i++)  
    print (n)  
    OR  
→ while (n <= 5) then  
    print (n)  
    n = n + 1



# What is Programming Language?

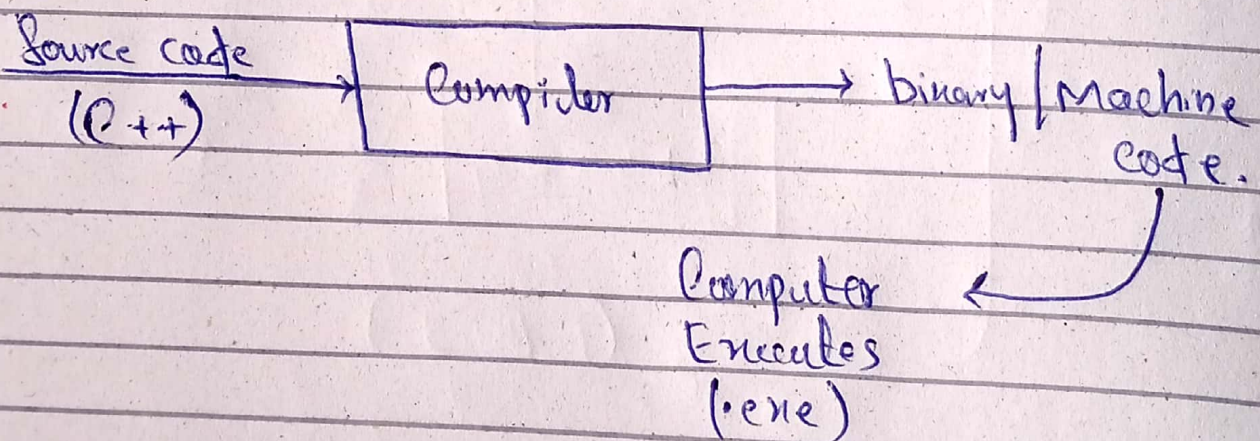
A programming language is a way to communicate with a computer. It is a formal language which consist of sets of strings that produce various kinds of machine output.

E-g: C, C++, Java, Python, R, Go etc.

## Syntax:

Every language must be written following some rules called **Syntax**.

→ A computer only understands binary codes of 0's & 1's. A compiler processes the statements of a programming language into machine code.





## HOMEWORK:

- 1) Read numbers from 1 to  $n$  & print only Even ~~or~~ numbers?
- 2) Find  $n!$ ?
- 3) Check if the  $n$  is prime or not?

