Conditional Expressions and Statements

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Conditional Expressions

- Expressions which evaluate to TRUE or FALSE
- Also known as boolean expression
- Expression can be combination of individual conditions

Ex: 3 < 5 || 3 > 15, 100

Operators you can use

Relational operators (>, <, >=, <=, ==, !=)

Logical operators (&&, ||, !)

Bitwise operators (&, |, !)

Conditional Statements

Also known as decision making and branching statements.

C program execution is sequential in nature.

To change the order of execution, conditional statements are used.

Example: If (अगर) it does not rain, then (फिर) we will play cricket. Else (अन्यथा), we will play video games.

Types of Conditional/Control Statements

if statement

switch statement

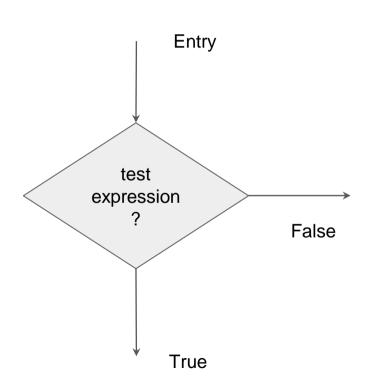
Conditional operator statement (?:) [We know it as Ternaty Operator]

goto statement

IF Statement

Syntax

```
if( test expression ) {
        statement 1;
        statement 2;
        statement 3;
}
```

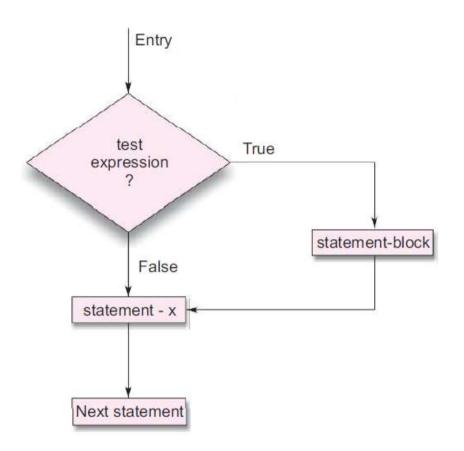


Types of IF statements

- Simple if statements
- if ... else statements
- Nested if ... else statements
- else if ladder

Simple IF Statement

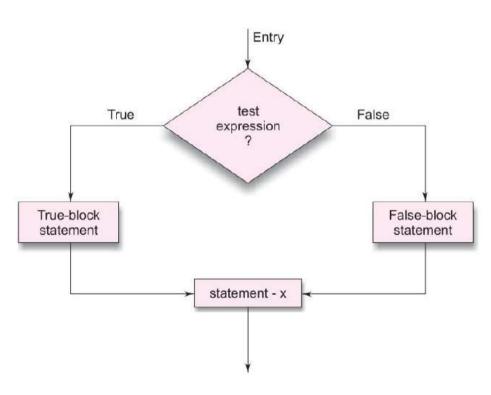
```
if ( test-expression ) {
          statement or block;
}
statement - x;
next statement;
```



```
main()
             int a, b, c, d;
             float ratio;
             printf("Enter four integer values\n");
             scanf("%d %d %d %d", &a, &b, &c, &d);
             if (c-d != 0) /* Execute statement block */
                             ratio = (float)(a+b)/(float)(c-d);
                             printf("Ratio = %f\n", ratio);
I/P: 10 11 12 13
O/P: -21
I/P: 10 11 12 12
O/P: blank output
```

IF ... ELSE Statement

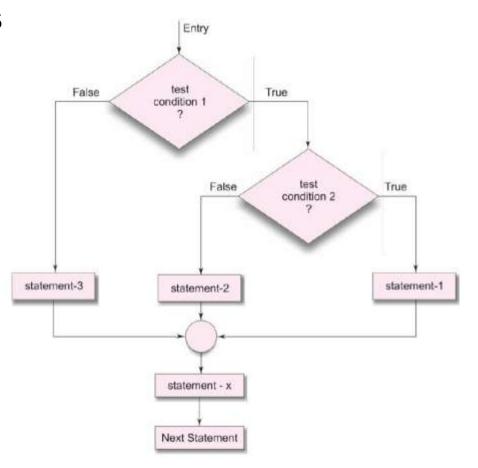
```
if ( test-expression ) {
          statement or block (if true);
else {
          statement or block (otherwise);
statement - x;
next statement;
```



```
main()
             int a, b, c, d;
             float ratio;
             printf("Enter four integer values\n");
             scanf("%d %d %d %d", &a, &b, &c, &d);
             if (c-d != 0) /* Execute statement block */
                             ratio = (float)(a+b)/(float)(c-d);
                             printf("Ratio = %f\n", ratio);
             else
                              printf("c - d is zero\n");
I/P: 10 11 12 13
O/P: -21
I/P: 10 11 12 12
O/P: c – d is zero
```

Nested IF - ELSE Statements

```
if ( test-expression-1 ) {
                if ( test-expression-2 ) {
                 else
else {
                 statement or block - 1;
statement - x;
next statement;
```



```
main()
               int a, b, c, d;
               float ratio;
               printf("Enter four integer values\n");
               scanf("%d %d %d %d", &a, &b, &c, &d);
               if (c-d != 0) /* Execute statement block */
                                 if(a > b) 
                                                  ratio = (float)(a+b)/(float)(c-d);
                                                  printf("Ratio = %f\n", ratio);
                                 else
                                                  ratio = (float)(a-b)/(float)(c-d);
                                                  printf("Ratio = %f\n", ratio);
               else
                                 printf("c - d is zero\n");
```

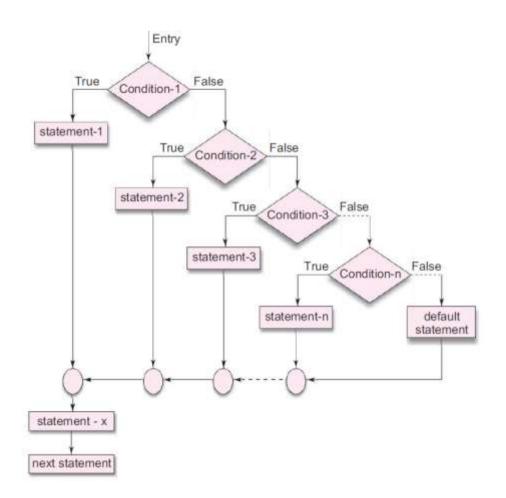
Enter four integer values 10 11 12 13 Ratio = 1.000000

```
main()
               float A, B, C;
               printf("Enter three values\n");
              scanf("%f %f %f", &A, &B, &C);
               printf("\nLargest value is ");
               if (A>B)
                                if (A>C)
                                                 printf("%f\n", A);
                                else
                                                 printf("%f\n", C);
               else
                                if (C>B)
                                                 printf("%f\n", C);
                                else
                                                 printf("%f\n", B);
```

What does the program do?

ELSE - IF Ladder

```
if ( test-expression-1 ) {
                 statement or block - 1;
else if (test-expression-2) {
                 statement or block - 2;
    else if (test-expression-3) {
                 statement or block - 3;
         else if (test-expression-4) {
                 statement or block - 4;
             else {
statement - x;
next statement:
```



Questions

State true or false

- Every line in a C program should end with a semicolon.
- o In C language, lowercase letters are significant.
- Every C program ends with an END word.
- main() is where the program begins its execution.
- The closing brace of the main() in a program is the logical end of the program.
- Comments cause the computer to print the text enclosed between /* and */ when executed.

Questions

- The _____ Function is used to display the output on the screen.
- The escape sequence character _____ causes the cursor to move to the next line on the screen.

What is the output?

```
/* A simple program
int main()
{
     /* Does nothing */
}
```

Comma Operator

- In C language, the comma operator (represented by the token,) is a binary operator that evaluates its first operand and discards the result.
- Then it evaluates the second operand and returns this value (and type).

Example: Operator VS Separator

```
#include <stdio.h>
void main() {
    int a, b;
    int i = (a=2, b=3, a + b);
    printf("%d", i);
}
```