

A+ Computer Science

BOOLEAN LOGIC

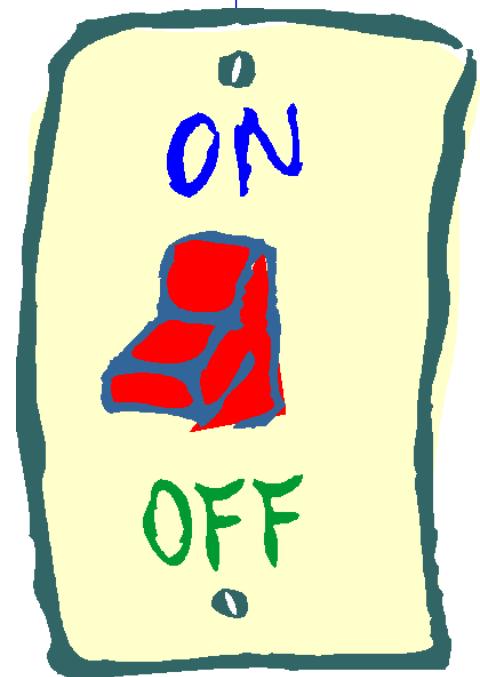
What is a boolean?

A boolean is any condition or variable that can be evaluated to true or false.

```
boolean stop = false;  
boolean go = true;
```

```
if(x>10) { }
```

```
while(z<20) { }
```



Precedence

(HIGH
! ++ --	
* / %	
+ -	
<< >> (bitwise shifts)	
< <= > >=	
== !=	
& (bitwise and)	
^ (bitwise xor)	
(bitwise or)	
&& (logical and)	
(logical or)	
= += -= *= /= %=	
,	LOW

Boolean Symbols

Name	Boolean Symbol logical and	Java Counterpart
and	\wedge logical and	<code>&&</code>
or	\vee logical or	<code> </code>
not	\neg logical not	<code>!</code>

Logical AND &&

&&

all conditions must be true

```
if (total==17 && 92==num)
{
    do something 1;
    do something 2;
}
```



Logical AND &&

&&

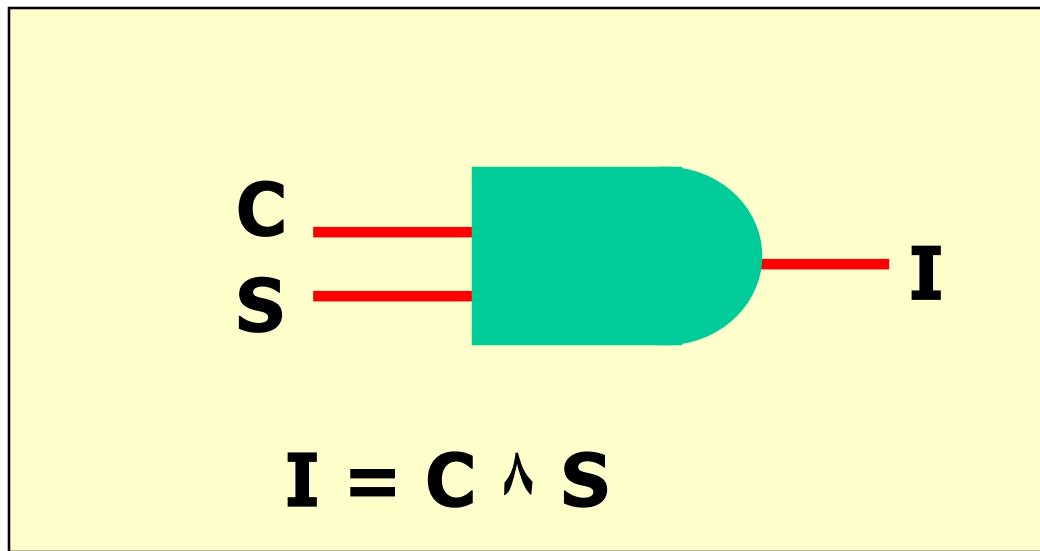
all conditions must be true

```
if ( C == true  
    && S == true )  
{  
    do something 1;  
    do something 2;  
}
```

C	S	I
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

Logical AND &&

Engineering Symbol



C	S	I
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1



Logical OR ||

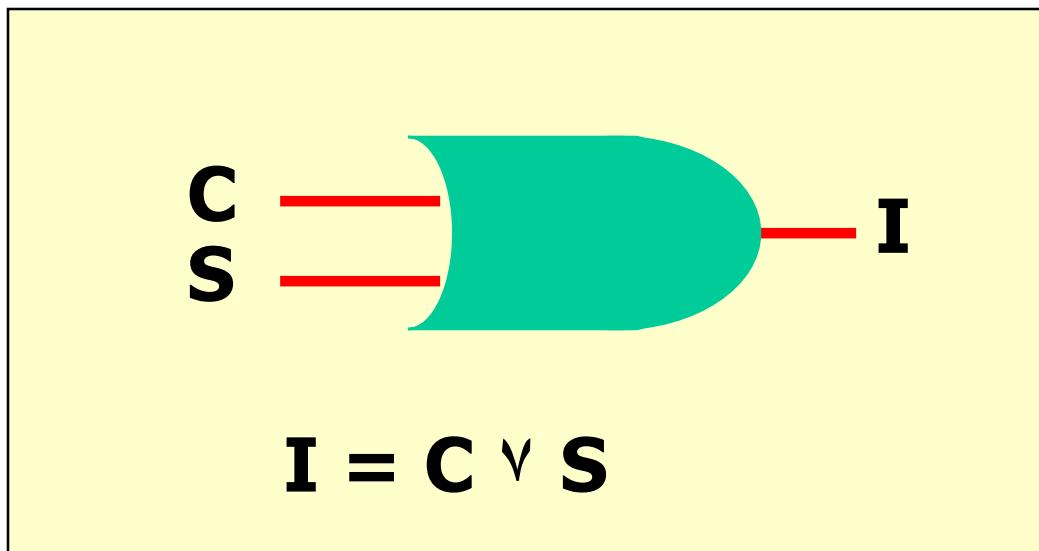
||

any condition can be true

```
if (total==9 || num==31)
{
    do something 1;
    do something 2;
}
```

Logical OR | |

Engineering Symbol



C	S	I
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

Boolean Rules

true and false = false

false and true = false

false and false = false

true and true = true

false or true = true

true or false = true

true or true = true

false or false = false



Logical NOT !

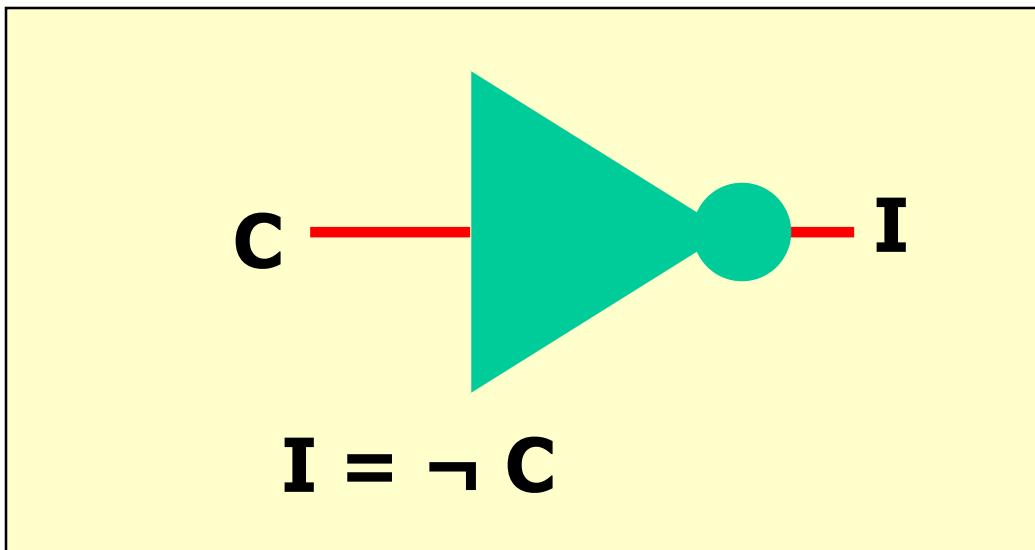
!

true (if condition is false)

```
if (! pass.equals("pass"))
{
    do something 1;
    do something 2;
}
```

Logical NOT !

Engineering Symbol



C	I
0	1
1	0



Logical XOR ^

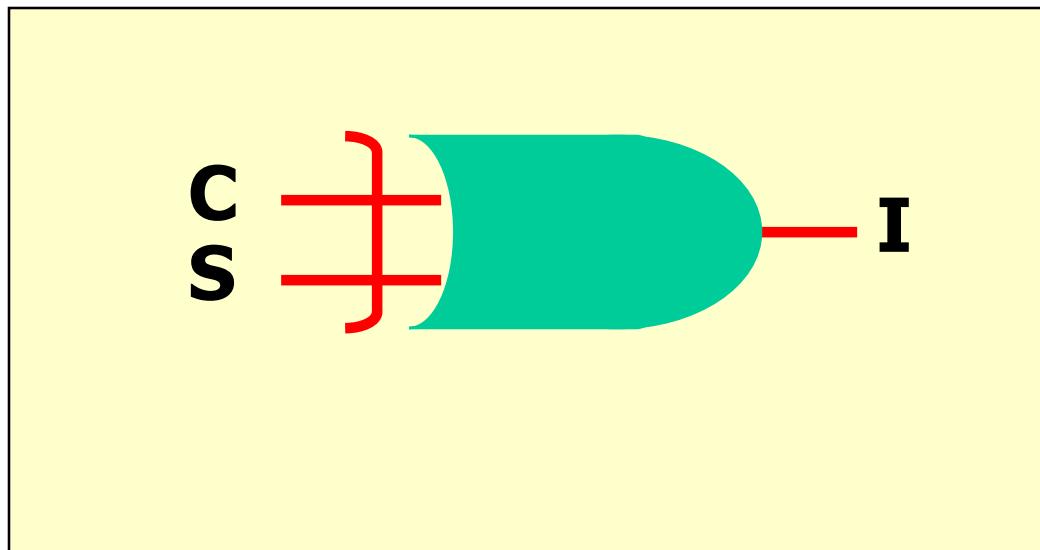
^

true if only one condition is true

```
if (total==34 ^ num==23)
{
    do something 1;
    do something 2;
}
```

Logical XOR ^

Engineering Symbol



C	S	I
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

logical.java



Nesting Ifs

```
int num=7;  
if(num>2)  
{  
    if(num<10)  
        System.out.println(">2<10");  
    if(num>10)  
        System.out.println(">2>10");  
}
```

OUTPUT

>2<10



Nesting Ifs

```
int num=17;  
if(num>2)  
{  
    if(num<10)  
        System.out.println(">2<10");  
    else  
        System.out.println("fun");  
}
```

OUTPUT

fun



Nesting Ifs

```
int x = 10;  
if( x >= 3 ){  
    System.out.println("aplus");  
    if( x >= 10 )  
        System.out.println("comp");  
    if( x < 10 )  
        System.out.println("sci");  
}  
System.out.println("rox");
```

OUTPUT

aplus
comp
rox



Nesting Ifs

```
int x = -5;
if( x >= 3 ){
    System.out.println("aplus");
    if( x >= 10 )
        System.out.println("comp");
    if( x < 10 )
        System.out.println("sci");
}
System.out.println("rox");
```

OUTPUT

rox

ifnesting.java

Common Boolean Laws



DeMorgan's Law

$$\neg(C \vee S) = \neg C \wedge \neg S$$

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DeMorgan's Law

DeMorgan's Law

`!(c | s) == !c&&!s`

Java Code

`!(c&&s) == !c | | !s`

Java Code

This is always used by AP and UIL!

DeMorgan's Law

```
boolean C = true;  
boolean S = true;  
boolean I = !( C && S );  
System.out.println( I );
```

OUTPUT

false

C	S	I
1	1	0
1	0	1
0	1	1
0	0	1



DeMorgan's Law

```
boolean C = false;  
boolean S = true;  
boolean I = !( C || S );  
System.out.println( I );
```

OUTPUT

false

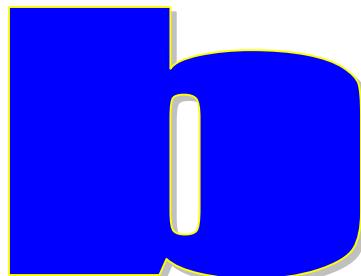
C	S	I
1	1	0
1	0	0
0	1	0
0	0	1

Truth Table Example

Which statement is represented by the truth table at right?

- A. $I = !(C \& S) \&\&(C \mid \mid S);$
- B. $I = C \mid \mid S \&\& S;$
- C. $I = C \& S;$
- D. $I \neq C \& S;$

C	S	I
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1



demorganslaw.java

Work on Programs!

Crank Some Code!

More Boolean Laws



Law of Absorption

$$C \wedge (C \vee S) = C$$

$$C \vee (C \wedge S) = C$$

Law of Absorption

Law of Absorption

`c&&(c|s)`

`c|&(c&s)`

Java Code

Java Code

This is used now and again by AP and UIL!



Truth Table Example

```
boolean C = true;  
boolean S = false;  
boolean I = C || ( C && S );  
System.out.println( I );
```

C	S	I
1	1	1
1	0	1
0	1	0
0	0	0

OUTPUT

true

Truth Table Example

```
boolean C = false;  
boolean S = true;  
boolean I = C && ( C || S );  
System.out.println( I );
```

OUTPUT

false

C	S	I
1	1	1
1	0	1
0	1	0
0	0	0

absorptionlaw.java



Distributive Law

$$C \wedge (S \vee I) = (C \wedge S) \vee (C \wedge I)$$

$$C \vee (S \wedge I) = (C \vee S) \wedge (C \vee I)$$

Distributive
Distributive

c&&(s || i)
is the same as
(c&&s) || (c&&i)

This is used now and again by AP and UIL!



Distributive Law

boolean C=true, S=true, I=false, ans;

ans=((C || (S && I))

==

((C || S) && (C || I)));

System.out.println(ans);

OUTPUT

true

distributivelaw.java

Short Circuit Evaluation

Short Circuit Evaluation

Java evaluates boolean expressions from left to right in most situations and stops the evaluation process once a condition is found that can complete the expression.

&& - and

|| - or



Short Circuit Evaluation

```
int total=9;  
boolean flipper = false;  
  
if(flipper || total>4)  
{  
    out.println("short");  
}  
out.println("check");
```

OUTPUT
**short
check**

Short Circuit Evaluation

```
int total=2;  
boolean flipper = true;  
  
if(flipper || total>4)  
{  
    out.println("short");  
}  
out.println("check");
```

OUTPUT
**short
check**



Short Circuit Evaluation

```
int total=2;  
boolean flipper = false;  
  
if(flipper || total>4)  
{  
    out.println("short");  
}  
out.println("check");
```

OUTPUT

check



Short Circuit Evaluation

```
int total=9, num=13;  
  
if (total<4 || ++num<15)  
{  
    out.println("short");  
}  
out.println(num);
```

OUTPUT
short
14



Short Circuit Evaluation

```
int total=9, num=13;  
  
if (total>4 && ++num>15)  
{  
    out.println("short");  
}  
out.println(num);
```

OUTPUT

14

Short Circuit Evaluation

```
int total=9, num=13;
```

```
if (total>4 || ++num>15 && total>0)
{
    out.println("short");
}
out.println(num);
```

OUTPUT

short
13

The && never happens!

shortone.java

shorttwo.java

shortthree.java

shortfour.java

Random Numbers



Random Numbers

```
double decOne;  
decOne = Math.random() * 10;  
int intOne;  
intOne = (int)(Math.random() * 10);
```

```
System.out.println(decOne);  
System.out.println(intOne);
```

OUTPUT

**8.44193167660682
6**

Random Numbers

reference variable

```
Random rand = new Random();
```

object instantiation

Always make Random vars instance vars!

Random

frequently used methods

Name	Use
nextInt(x)	returns a random int 0 to x(exclusive)
nextInt()	returns a random int MIN to MAX(exclusive)
nextDouble()	returns a random int 0.0 to 1.0(exclusive)

```
import java.util.Random;
```

Random Numbers

```
Random rand = new Random();
int intOne = rand.nextInt(10);          //0-9
System.out.println(intOne);
intOne = rand.nextInt(50)+1;            //1-50
System.out.println(intOne);
intOne = rand.nextInt(20)+20;           //20-39
System.out.println(intOne);
```

OUTPUT

7
29
37

randomone.java

dowhile.java
password.java



George Boole

George Boole's work is considered by many the starting point of Boolean Algebra. His work is also considered as a beginning of sorts for Comp Sci.

Alice in Wonderland
Lewis Carroll

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