

The next step is to determine whether x is equal to 25 and y is less than 10. If we assume a value of 20 for x and 5 for y , then

$x == 25$ is FALSE (0)

$y < 10$ is TRUE (1)

Note that since the operator $<$ enjoys a higher priority compared to $==$, $y < 10$ is tested first and then $x == 25$ is tested.

Finally we get:

if (FALSE && TRUE)

Because one of the conditions is FALSE, the complex condition is FALSE.

In the case of **&&**, it is guaranteed that the second operand will not be evaluated if the first is zero and in the case of **||**, the second operand will not be evaluated if the first is non-zero.

Table 3.8 Summary of C Operators

Operator	Description	Associativity	Rank
()	Function call	Left to right	1
[]	Array element reference		
+	Unary plus	Right to left	2
-	Unary minus		
++	Increment		
--	Decrement		
!	Logical negation		
~	Ones complement		
*	Pointer reference (indirection)		
&	Address		
sizeof	Size of an object		
(type)	Type cast (conversion)		
*	Multiplication	Left to right	3
/	Division		
%	Modulus		
+	Addition	Left to right	4
-	Subtraction		
<<	Left shift	Left to right	5
>>	Right shift		
<	Less than	Left to right	6
<=	Less than or equal to		
>	Greater than		
>=	Greater than or equal to		
==	Equality	Left to right	7
!=	Inequality		
&	Bitwise AND	Left to right	8
^	Bitwise XOR	Left to right	9
	Bitwise OR	Left to right	10
&&	Logical AND	Left to right	11
	Logical OR	Left to right	12
?:	Conditional expression	Right to left	13
=	Assignment operators	Right to left	14
* = /= %=			
+= -= &=			
^= =			
<<= >>=			
,	Comma operator	Left to right	15

Rules of Precedence and Associativity

- Precedence rules decides the order in which different operators are applied
- Associativity rule decides the order in which multiple occurrences of the same level operator are applied

Mathematical Functions

Mathematical functions such as cos, sqrt, log, etc. are frequently used in analysis of real-life problems. Most of the C compilers support these basic math functions. However, there are systems that have a more comprehensive math library and one should consult the reference manual to find out which functions are available. Table 3.9 lists some standard math functions.

Table 3.9 Math functions

Function	Meaning
Trigonometric	
acos(x)	Arc cosine of x
asin(x)	Arc sine of x
atan(x)	Arc tangent of x
atan 2(x,y)	Arc tangent of x/y
cos(x)	Cosine of x
sin(x)	Sine of x
tan(x)	Tangent of x
Hyperbolic	
cosh(x)	Hyperbolic cosine of x
sinh(x)	Hyperbolic sine of x
tanh(x)	Hyperbolic tangent of x
Other functions	
ceil(x)	x rounded up to the nearest integer
exp(x)	e to the x power (e^x)
fabs(x)	Absolute value of x.
floor(x)	x rounded down to the nearest integer
fmod(x,y)	Remainder of x/y
log(x)	Natural log of x, $x > 0$
log10(x)	Base 10 log of x, $x > 0$
pow(x,y)	x to the power y (x^y)
sqrt(x)	Square root of x, $x \geq 0$

- Note:**
1. **x** and **y** should be declared as **double**.
 2. In trigonometric and hyperbolic functions, **x** and **y** are in radians.
 3. All the functions return a **double**.
 4. C99 has added **float** and **long double** versions of these functions.
 5. C99 has added many more mathematical functions.
 6. See the Appendix "C99 Features" for details.