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CONTINUE Statements

Programming and Algorithms

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```
n = 3
for i in range(1,n+1):
    print("Hello World!")

Hello World!
Hello World!
```

Hello World!



What will we Cover?

- CONTINUE statements
- Use numeric and Boolean data types





CONTINUE Statements

- Affects the flow but does not terminate a for or a while loop
- Terminates the current iteration in the loop, meaning that part or the whole body of the loop is skipped

Example

Henry is baking cakes, but he is only adding the icing to every other cake.



CONTINUE Statements in Python

Could be used with while and for loops

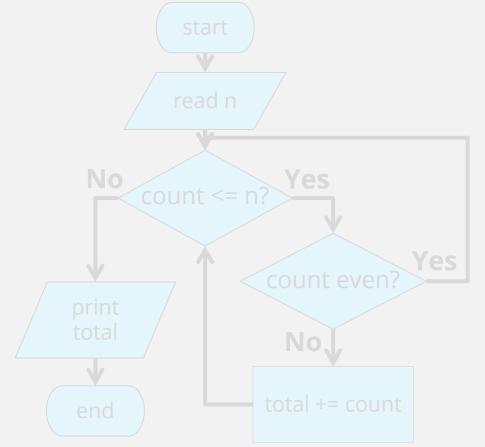
while <condition>:
 body(if <condition>:
 continue) _

Extra indentation for the continue statement

continue statement is written as part of the body of an if statement

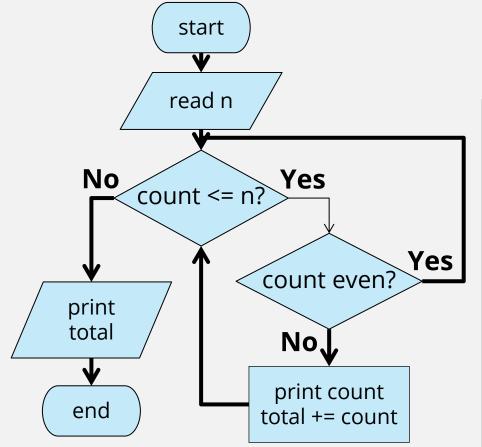


CONTINUE Statement Flow Chart





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Examples

```
n = int(input("enter n: "))
total = 0
for count in range(1, n+1):
    if count%2 == 0:
        continue
    total += count
    print("the count is", count)
print("the total is", total)
enter n: 6
the count is 1
the count is 3
the count is 5
the total is 9
```

Condition for continue



Examples

```
n = int(input("enter n: "))
print("divisors of", n, "are:")
for count in range(1, n+1):
    if n%count != 0:
        continue
    print(count)
                               Condition
                              for continue
enter n: 12
divisors of 12 are:
12
```



Try It Yourself

Write a program in Python environment that calculates the sum of every third number between **m** and **n**

Hint: m and n are given by the user input (using the input () function) at the start of the code

m and n are assumed to be of type int and m < n

For example, m = 2 and n = 14

