

Programming fundamentals

Lecture 7: Switch statement, Nested if, loops

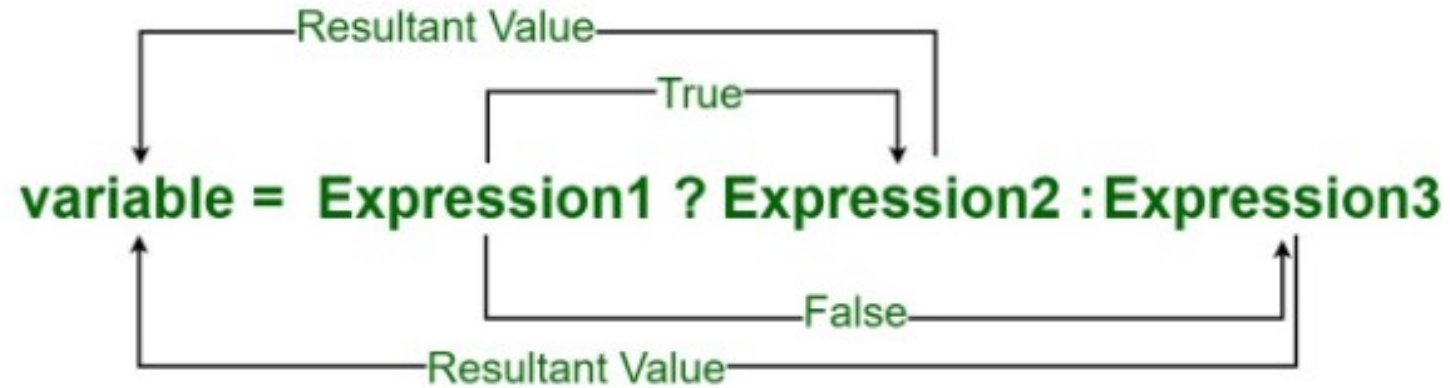
Recap

- operators, and
- conditional statements

Agenda

- Conditional operator
- Nested if
- Switch Statement, Break Statement, goto Statement
- Repetitive structure: while loop, break/continue

Conditional operator



OR



Consider this code:

```
if ( n1 > n2 )
{
    max = n1;
}
else
{
    max = n2;
}
```

OR

```
#include <iostream>
Using namespace std;
int main()
{
    // variable declaration
    int n1 = 5, n2 = 10, max;

    // Largest among n1 and n2
    max = (n1 > n2) ? n1 : n2;

    // Print the largest number
    Cout<<"Largest number between";
    Cout<<n1<< n2<< max<<endl;

    return 0;
}
```

```
cout << ( grade >= 60 ? "Passed" : "Failed" );
```

OR

```
grade >= 60 ? cout << "Passed" : cout << "Failed";
```

If we want to print something

```
#include <iostream>
#include <string>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    int n1 = 5, n2 = 10, max;

    // Largest among n1 and n2
    string m = (n1 > n2) ? "n1 is greater" : "n2 is greater";
    cout << m;
    return 0;
}
```

Nested if...else Statements

- if...else selection statements *inside* other if...else selection statements
- C++ compiler always associates an else with the *immediately preceding*

```
if ( x > 5 )  
    if ( y > 5 )  
        cout << "x and y are > 5";  
    else  
        cout << "x is <= 5";
```

```
int x = 9,y=3;
```

```
C:\> Microsoft Visual Studio Debug Console  
x is <=5
```

```
if ( x > 5 )  
{  
    if ( y > 5 )  
        cout << "x and y are > 5";  
}  
else  
    cout << "x is <= 5";
```

Some built-in functions

- Rand() `#include <cstdlib>`
- **sqrt(), sin(), cos(), tan(), log(), ceil(), and floor()** `#include <cmath>.`
- Generating random number between a range

Example: nested if

```
#include <iostream>
#include <cstdlib>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int magic; // magic number
    int guess; // user's guess
    magic = rand(); // get a random number
    cout << "Enter your guess: ";
    cin >> guess;
    if (guess == magic) {
        cout << "** Right **\n";
        cout << magic << " is the magic number.\n";
    }
    else {
        cout << "...Sorry, you're wrong.";
        // use a nested if statement
        if (guess > magic)
            cout << " Your guess is too high.\n";
        else
            cout << " Your guess is too low.\n";
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Switch statement

- the value of an expression is successively tested against a list of integer or character constants.
- When a match is found, the statement sequence associated with that match is executed. The general form of the **switch** statement is

```
switch(expression) {  
    case constant1:  
        statement sequence  
        break;  
    case constant2:  
        statement sequence  
        break;  
    case constant3:  
        statement sequence  
        break;  
    .  
    .  
    .  
    default:  
        statement sequence  
}
```

- **break** statement causes program flow to exit from the entire **switch** statement and resume at the next statement outside the **switch**
- The **switch** expression must evaluate to either a character or an integer value. (Floating-point expressions, for example, are not allowed.) Frequently, the expression controlling the **switch** is simply a variable.
- The **default** statement sequence is performed if no matches are found. The **default** is optional; if it is not present, no action takes place if all matches fail.
- When a match is found, the statements associated with that **case** are executed until the **break** is encountered or, in the case of the **default** or the last **case**, the end of the **switch** is reached.

Difference from if statements

- The **switch** differs from the **if** in that **switch** can test only for equality (i.e., for matches between the **switch** expression and the **case** constants)

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int num;
    cin >> num;
    switch (num)
    {
        case 1:
            cout << "You entered 1\n";
            break;
        case 2:
            cout << "You entered 2\n";
            break;
        case 3:
            cout << "You entered 3\n";
            break;
        default:
            cout << "Default case.\n";
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Nested switch

```
switch(ch1)
{
    case 'A':
        cout << "This A is part of outer switch";
        switch(ch2) {
            case 'A':
                cout << "This A is part of inner switch";
                break;
            case 'B': // ...
        }
        break;
    case 'B': // ...
}
```

Goto statement

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int num;
    cin >> num;
    abc:
    cout << "control shifted after goto"<<endl;
    switch (num) {
        case 1:
            cout << "You entered 1\n";
            break;
        case 2:
            cout << "You entered 2\n";
            break;
        case 3:
            cout << "You entered 3\n";
            goto abc;
            break;
        default:
            cout << "Default case.\n";
    }

    return 0;
}
```

Loops

- While
- Do-while
- for

While loop

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int x = 0;
    cout << x << endl;
    cout << x+1 << endl;
    cout << x + 2 << endl;
    cout << x + 3 << endl;
    cout << x + 4 << endl;
    cout << x + 5 << endl;
    cout << x + 6 << endl;
    cout << x + 7 << endl;
    cout << x + 8 << endl;
    cout << x + 9 << endl;
    cout << x + 10 << endl;
    return 0;
}
```

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int x = 0;
    while (x != 11)
    {
        cout << x<<endl;
        x += 1;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Another example..

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int num = 0;
    while (num != 100)
    {
        cout << "Enter a number (100 to stop): ";
        cin >> num;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Infinite loop

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int x = 0;
    while (1)
    {
        cout << x<<endl;
        x += 1;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

continue

- To bypass the loop's normal control structure
- The **continue** statement forces the next iteration of the loop to take place, skipping any code between itself and the conditional expression that controls the loop

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int x = 0; int num = 0;
    while(x <= 5)
    {
        x++;
        cout << "before if iteration#" << x << endl;
        if ((num++) % 2==1) continue;
        cout << x << endl;
        cout << "after if iteration#" << x << endl;
    }
    return 0;
}
```

These statements will
be skipped if **continue**
gets executed



Microsoft Visual Studio Debug Console

```
before if iteration#1
1
after if iteration#1
before if iteration#2
before if iteration#3
3
after if iteration#3
before if iteration#4
before if iteration#5
5
after if iteration#5
before if iteration#6
```

Using break to Exit Loops

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int x = 0; int num = 0;
    while(x <= 5)
    {
        if ((num++) % 2 == 1)
            break;
        cout << "Num: " << num << endl;

    }
    return 0;
}
```

Recommended reads

- Dietal & Dietal
 - Chapter 4