Programming Languages

- Computers do not understand human languages, so programs must be written in a language a computer can use.
- ➤ Programmers write instructions in various programming languages, some directly understandable by computers and others requiring intermediate translation steps.
- ➤ Three general language types:
 - ➤ Machine Language
 - ➤ Assembly Language
 - ➤ High-Level Language

Machine Language

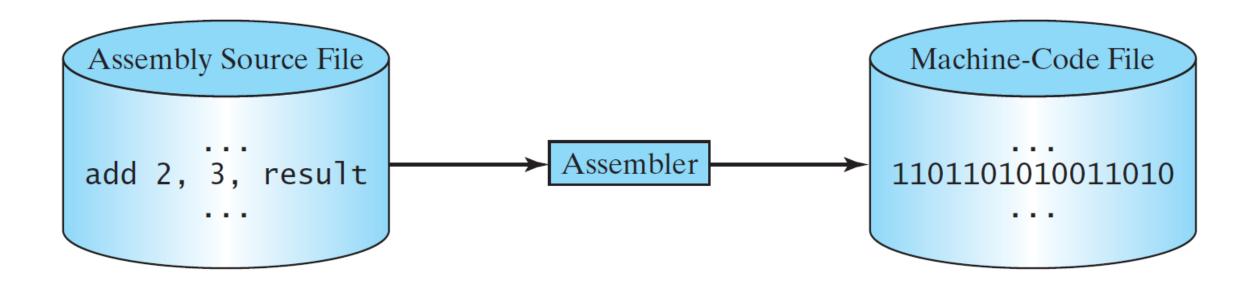
- Computer's native language—a set of built-in primitive instructions defined by its hardware design.
- ➤ Machine dependent—a particular machine language can be used on only one type of computer.
- Any computer can directly understand only its own machine language.
- These instructions are in the form of binary code.
- >Example:
 - > Add two numbers: **1101101010011010**

Assembly Language

- ➤ Machine Language issues:
 - **►** Tedious Process
 - ➤ Very difficult to read and modify
- > Assembly Language was created as an alternative to machine languages.
- >mnemonic—a short descriptive word to represent each of the machine-language instructions.
- ➤ Example: Add two numbers → add 2, 3, result

Assembler

Translator programs called assemblers convert assembly-language programs to machine language.



Assembly Language (Cont.)

- Although writing code in assembly language is easier than in machine language, it is still tedious to write code in assembly language.
- An instruction in assembly language corresponds to an instruction in machine code.
- ➤ low-level language—it is close in nature to machine language and is machine dependent

High-Level Language

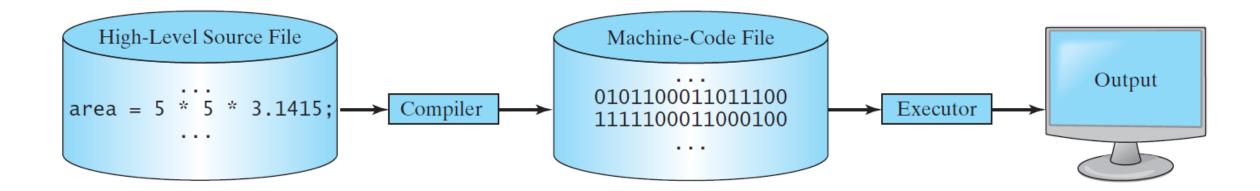
- ➤ Platform independent—you can write a program and run it in different types of machines.
- ➤ Allow you to write instructions that look almost like everyday English and contain commonly used mathematical notations.
- > statements—The instructions in a high-level programming language.
- ➤ Single statement can accomplish substantial tasks.
- A statement Example: computing area of a circle with a radius of 5
 - \triangleright area = 5 * 5 * 3.14159;

High-Level Language

- > source program or source code—A program written in a high-level language
- > A source program must be translated into machine code for execution.
 - **≻** Compiler
 - > Interpreter
- ➤ Java uses a clever mixture of compilation and interpretation to run programs.
- C, C++, Microsoft's .NET languages (e.g., Visual Basic, Visual C++ and C#) are among the most widely used high-level programming languages; Java is by far one of the most widely used.
- ➤ Java evolved from C++, which evolved from C

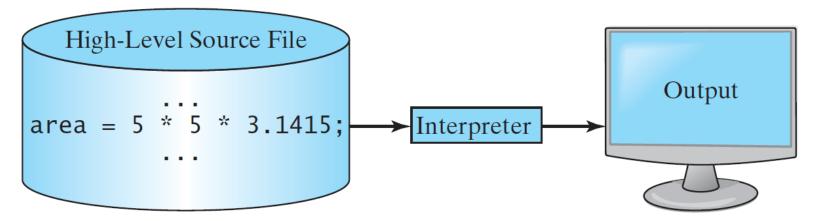
Compiler

- A compiler translates the entire source code into a machine-code file, and the machine-code file is then executed.
- ➤ It can take a considerable amount of computer time.



Interpreter

- An interpreter reads one statement from the source code, translates it to the machine code or virtual machine code, and then executes it right away.
- ➤ It is slower than **compiled** programs run.



History of Java

- ➤ Sun Microsystems funded an internal corporate research project, which resulted in a C++-based language named Java.
- ➤ Originally called *Oak*, Java was designed for use in embedded chips in consumer electronic appliances.
- The web exploded in popularity, Sun saw the potential of using Java to add dynamic content to web pages.
- ➤ In 1995, Java was redesigned for developing Web applications.

Java Language Specification and API

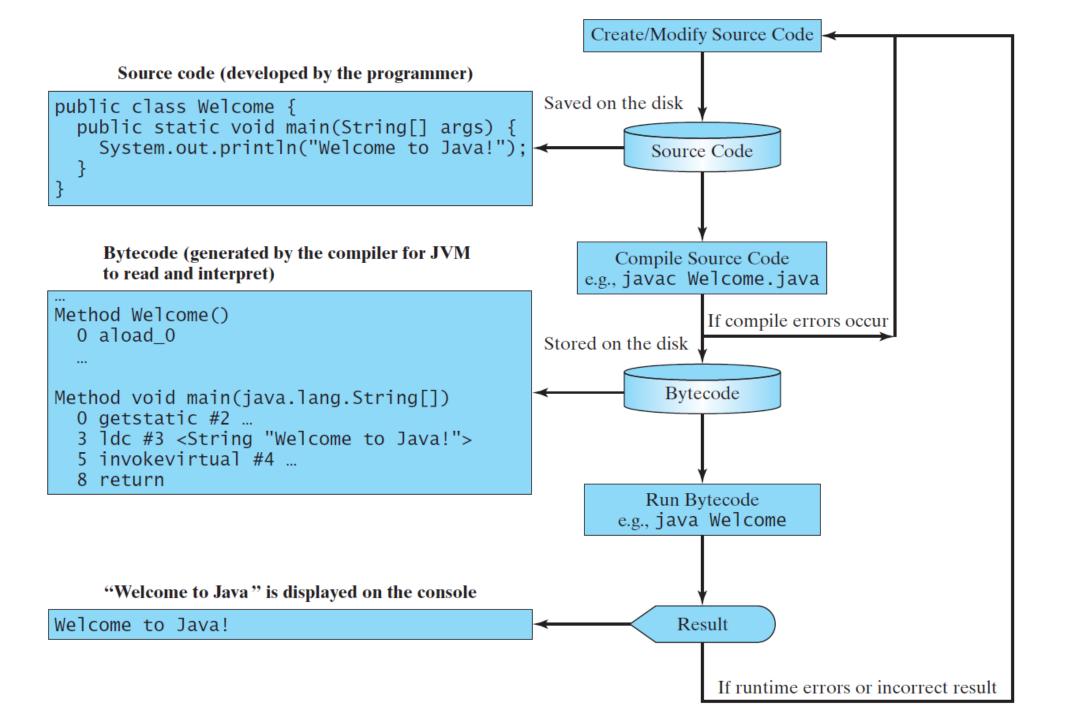
- The Java language specification is a technical definition of the Java programming language's syntax and semantics.
 - http://docs.oracle.com/javase/specs/
- > Java programs consist of pieces called classes.
- Classes include methods that perform tasks and return information when the tasks complete.
- ➤ Application Program Interface (API), also known as library, contains predefined classes and interfaces for developing Java programs.
 - https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/

Java Editions

- ➤ Java Standard Edition (Java SE) to develop client-side applications. The applications can run standalone or as applets running from a Web browser.
- ➤ Java Enterprise Edition (Java EE) to develop server-side applications, such as Java servlets, JavaServer Pages (JSP), and JavaServer Faces (JSF).
- ➤ Java Micro Edition (Java ME) to develop applications for mobile devices, such as cell phones.
- ➤ Java SE is a foundation that all other Java technology is based on it.

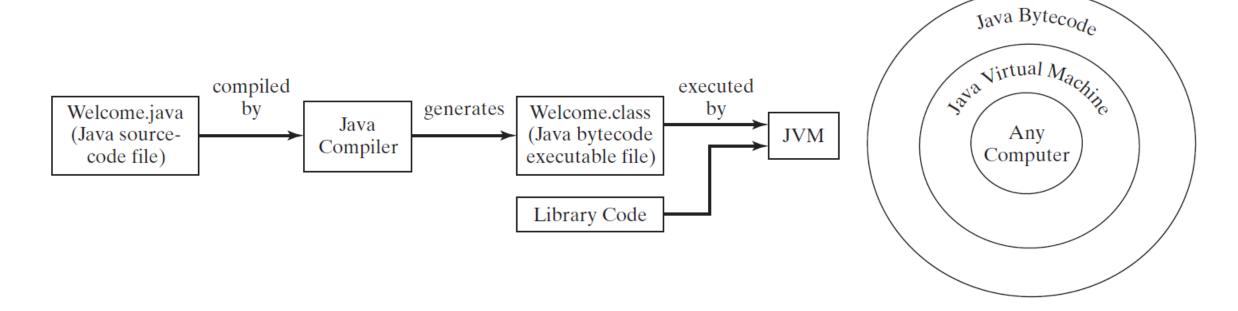
Java JDK

- ➤ Java Development Toolkit (JDK) consists of a set of separate programs, each invoked from a command line, for developing and testing Java programs.
- > Oracle releases each version of Java SE with a JDK.
- ➤ The latest **JDK** version of Java SE is Oracle JDK 1.8.0_112
 - http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/jdk8-downloads-2133151.html



Java Virtual Machine (JVM)

The bytecode is similar to machine instructions but is architecture neutral and can run on any platform that has a Java Virtual Machine (JVM).



Editor

- To create or edit a Java file, you can use editor program (normally known simply as an editor).
- The source file must end with the .java extension.
- ➤ Save the program
 - A file name ending with the .java extension indicates that the file contains Java source code.
 - It must have the same exact name as the public class name.
- Linux editors: vi, emacs, and jEdit.
- ➤ Windows editors: Notepad++, EditPlus (www.editplus.com), TextPad (www.textpad.com) and jEdit (www.jedit.org).

Java IDE

- ➤ Java development tool—software that provides an integrated development environment (IDE) for developing Java programs quickly.
 - **Eclipse**
 - **≻**NetBeans
 - **≻**TextPad
- Editing, compiling, building, debugging, and online help are integrated in one graphical user interface.

Compiling

➤ Use the command javac (the Java compiler) to compile a program. For example, to compile a program called Helloworld.java, you'd type

javac HelloWorld.java

If the program compiles, the compiler produces a .class file called Helloworld.class that contains the compiled version of the program.

Compiling (Cont.)

- ➤ Java compiler translates Java source code into bytecodes that represent the tasks to execute.
- The bytecode is similar to machine instructions but is architecture neutral and can run on any platform that has a Java Virtual Machine (JVM).
- ➤ Bytecodes are executed by the Java Virtual Machine (JVM)—a part of the JDK and the foundation of the Java platform.
- ➤ Virtual machine (VM)—a software application that simulates a computer
 - ➤ Hides the underlying operating system and hardware from the programs that interact with it.
- ➤ One of Java's primary advantages: Java bytecode can run on a variety of hardware platforms and operating systems.

Executing

- > Bytecodes are platform independent
 - They do not depend on a particular hardware platform.
- > Bytecodes are portable
 - The same bytecodes can execute on any platform containing a JVM that understands the version of Java in which the bytecodes were compiled.
- The JVM is invoked by the java command. For example, to execute a Java application called Helloworld, you'd type the command

```
java HelloWorld
```

Comment Style

- > Line comments
 - ➤ Beginning with //
- **▶** Block Comments
 - ➤ Begin with /* and end with */

Indentation and Spacing

- A consistent indentation style makes programs clear and easy to read, debug, and maintain.
- > Indentation is used to illustrate the structural relationships between a program's components or statements.
- >Example:
 - ➤System.out.println(3+4*4);
 - \triangleright System.out.println(3 + 4 * 4);

First Java Program!!!

Let's create our first Java program called HelloWolrd.java that just prints "Hello World!!!" into the output screen.

Programming Errors

- ➤ Programming errors can be categorized into three types:
 - >Syntax errors
 - >Runtime errors
 - >Logic errors

Syntax Errors

- Errors that are detected by the compiler are called **syntax errors** or compile errors.
- > Syntax errors result from errors in code construction:
 - > mistyping a keyword
 - > omitting some necessary punctuation
 - > using an opening brace without a corresponding closing brace
- > A single error will often display many lines of compile errors
 - Fix errors from the top line and work downward.
 - Fixing errors that occur earlier in the program may also fix additional errors that occur later

Example of Syntax Errors

```
public class ShowSyntaxErrors {
public static main(String[] args) {
    System.out.println("Welcome to Java);
}
```

Runtime Errors

- > Runtime errors are errors that cause a program to terminate abnormally.
- They occur while a program is running if the environment detects an operation that is impossible to carry out.
- Input mistakes typically cause runtime errors that are called input errors.
- >Examples:
 - >data-type error: if the program expects to read in a number, but instead the user enters a string.
 - division by zero: this happens when the divisor is zero for integer divisions.

Example of Runtime Error

```
public class ShowRuntimeErrors {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
     System.out.println(1 / 0);
}
```

Logic Errors

Logic errors occur when a program does not perform the way it was intended to.

```
public class ShowLogicErrors {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
     System.out.println("Celsius 35 is Fahrenheit degree ");
     System.out.println((9 / 5) * 35 + 32);
}
```

```
Celsius 35 is Fahrenheit degree 67
```

Common Errors

- ➤ Missing a closing brace
 - Each opening brace must be matched by a closing brace.
 - To avoid this error, type a closing brace whenever an opening brace is typed.
 - ➤ Most of the IDEs automatically inserts a closing brace for each opening brace typed.
- ➤ Missing a semicolon
 - Each statement ends with a statement terminator (;)

Common Errors (Cont.)

- ➤ Missing quotation marks for strings
 - To avoid this error, type a closing quotation whenever an opening quotation is typed.
 - ➤ Most of IDEs automatically insert a closing quotation mark for each opening quotation mark typed
- ➤ Misspelling names

```
public class Test {
  public static void Main(string[] args) {
    System.out.println((10.5 + 2 * 3) / (45 - 3.5));
}
```

Identifiers

- ➤ An identifier is a sequence of characters that consist of letters, digits, underscores (_), and dollar signs (\$).
- ➤ An identifier must start with a letter, an underscore (_), or a dollar sign (\$). It cannot start with a digit.
 - ➤ An identifier cannot be a keyword/reserved word.
 - **keywords** are reserved for use by Java and are always spelled with all **lowercase** letters.
 - An identifier cannot be true, false, or null.
 - An identifier can be of any length.

Variables

```
1. // Compute the first area
2. radius = 1.0;
3. area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
4. System.out.println("The area is " +
     area + " for radius " + radius);
1. // Compute the second area
2. radius = 2.0;
3. area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
4. System.out.println("The area is " +
     area + " for radius " + radius);
```

Declaring Variables

Assignment Statements

Declaration and Assignment in One Step

```
int x = 1;
double d = 1.4;
```

Constants

```
final datatype CONSTANTNAME = VALUE;
final double PI = 3.14159;
final int SIZE = 3;
```

Naming Conventions

- ➤ Choose meaningful and descriptive names.
- ➤ Variable and method names use lowercase.
 - If the name consists of several words, concatenate all in one, use lowercase for the first word, and capitalize the first letter of each subsequent word in the name. For example, the variables radius and area, and the method computeArea.

> Constants:

Capitalize all letters in constants, and use underscores to connect words. For example, the constant PI and MAX_VALUE

Numerical Data Types

Name	Range	Storage Size	
byte	-2^7 to $2^7 - 1$ (-128 to 127)	8-bit signed	byte type
short	-2^{15} to $2^{15} - 1$ (-32768 to 32767)	16-bit signed	short type
int	-2^{31} to $2^{31} - 1$ (-2147483648 to 2147483647)	32-bit signed	int type
long	-2^{63} to $2^{63}-1$	64-bit signed	long type
	(i.e., -9223372036854775808 to 9223372036854775807)		
float	Negative range: $-3.4028235E + 38 \text{ to } -1.4E - 45$	32-bit IEEE 754	float type
	Positive range: $1.4E - 45$ to $3.4028235E + 38$		
double	Negative range: $-1.7976931348623157E + 308$ to $-4.9E - 324$	64-bit IEEE 754	double type
	Positive range: 4.9E - 324 to 1.7976931348623157E + 308		

Numeric Operators

Name	Meaning	Example	Result
+	Addition	34 + 1	35
_	Subtraction	34.0 - 0.1	33.9
*	Multiplication	300 * 30	9000
/	Division	1.0 / 2.0	0.5
%	Remainder	20 % 3	2

Integer Division

```
+, -, *, /, and %
5 / 2 yields an integer 2.
5.0 / 2 yields a double value 2.5
5 % 2 yields 1 (the remainder of the
division)
```

The String Type

The char type only represents one character. To represent a string of characters, use the data type called String. For example,

```
String message = "Welcome to Java";
```

String is actually a predefined class in the Java. The String type is not a primitive type.

String Concatenation

```
// Three strings are concatenated
String message = "Welcome " + "to " + "Java";
// String Chapter is concatenated with number 2
String s = "Chapter" + 2; // s becomes Chapter2
// String Supplement is concatenated with character B
String s1 = "Supplement" + 'B'; // s1 becomes
SupplementB
```

```
// HelloWorld.java
public class HelloWorld {
     // method main executes the Java application
     public static void main (String[] args) {
           // this line prints a single line of text to default output
           System.out.println("Hello World !!!");
   } // end method main
} // end class HelloWorld
```

Class declaration

class HelloWorld

- Every Java program consists of at least one class that you define it.
- >Class keyword introduces a class declaration and is immediately followed by the ClassName.

Class Names

➤ By convention, begin with a capital letter and capitalize the first letter of each word they include

```
(e.g., SampleClassName)
```

- A class name is an identifier—a series of characters consisting of letters, digits, underscores (_) and dollar signs (\$) that does not begin with a digit and does not contain spaces.
- ➤ Java is case sensitive—uppercase and lowercase letters are distinct—so a1 and A1 are different (but both valid) identifiers.

Braces

- ➤ A left brace, {, begins the body of every class declaration.
- ➤ A corresponding right brace, }, must end each class declaration.
- Code between braces should be indented.
- This indentation is one of the spacing conventions mentioned earlier.

Declaring the main Method

public static void main(String[] args)

- > Starting point of every Java application.
- ➤ Parentheses after the identifier main indicate that it's a program building block called a method.
- > Java class declarations normally contain one or more methods.
- > JVM will not execute the application, if it does not have the main method.
- ➤ Methods perform tasks and can return information when they complete their tasks.
- > Keyword void indicates that this method will not return any information.

Body of the Method Declaration

- Enclosed in left and right braces.
- > Statements

System.out.println("Hello World !!!");

- Instructs the computer to perform an action
 - ▶ Print the string of characters contained between the double quotation marks.
- >A string is sometimes called a character string or a string literal.
- ➤ White-space characters in strings are **not** ignored by the compiler.

Body of the Method Declaration (Cont.)

- ➤ System.out.println method
 - Displays (or prints) a line of text in the command window.
 - The string in the parentheses the argument to the method.
 - ➤ Positions the output cursor at the beginning of the next line in the command window.

Modifying Our First Java Program (Cont.)

- Newline characters indicate to System.out's print and println methods when to position the output cursor at the beginning of the next line in the command window.
- ➤ Newline characters are white-space characters.
- The backslash (\) is called an escape character.
 - ➤ Indicates a "special character"
- ➤ Backslash is combined with the next character to form an escape sequence.
- The escape sequence \n represents the newline character.

```
// HelloWorld2.java
public class HelloWorld2 {
     // method main executes the Java application
     public static void main (String[] args) {
           System.out.print("Hello\nWorld\n!!!\n");
      } // end method main
} // end class HelloWorld2
```

Displaying Text with printf

- > System.out.printf method
 - > f means "formatted"
 - ➤ displays formatted data
- ➤ Multiple method arguments are placed in a comma-separated list.
- > Java allows large statements to be split over many lines.
 - > Cannot split a statement in the middle of an identifier or string.
- > Method printf's first argument is a format string
 - ➤ May consist of fixed text and format specifiers.
 - Fixed text is output as it would be by print or println.
 - Each format specifier is a placeholder for a value and specifies the type of data to output.
- Format specifiers begin with a percent sign (%) and are followed by a character that represents the data type.
- > Format specifier %s is a placeholder for a string.

```
// HelloWorld3.java
public class HelloWorld3 {
      // method main executes the Java application
      public static void main (String[] args) {
            System.out.printf("%s\n%s\n%s\n", "Hello ", "World ", "!!!");
      } // end method main
} // end class HelloWorld2
```

Escape Sequence

Escape Sequence	Name
\t	Tab
\n	Linefeed
\\	Backslash
\"	Double Quote

Relational Operators

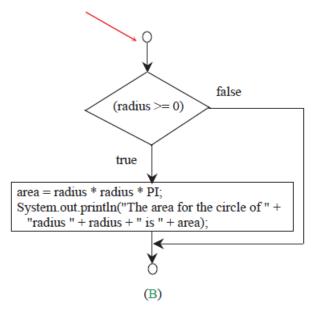
Java Operator	Mathematics Symbol	Name	Example (radius is 5)	Result
<	<	less than	radius < 0	false
<=	≤	less than or equal to	radius <= 0	false
>	>	greater than	radius > 0	true
>=	≥	greater than or equal to	radius >= 0	true
==	=	equal to	radius == 0	false
!=	≠	not equal to	radius != 0	true

Radius = 5

One-way if Statements

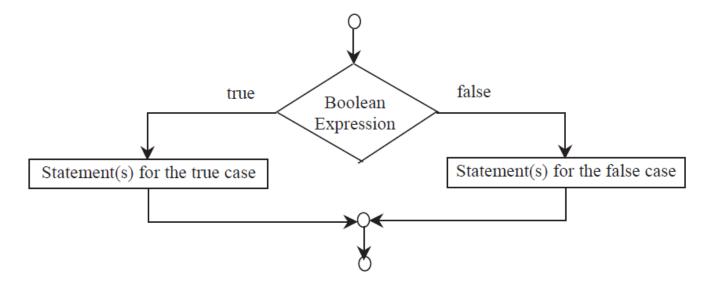
```
if (boolean-expression) {
 statement(s);
                                   false
                        Boolean
                       Expression
                       true
                       Statement(s)
                          (A)
```

```
if (radius >= 0) {
  area = radius * radius * PI;
  System.out.println("The area"
  + " for the circle of radius "
  + radius + " is " + area);
}
```



The Two-way if Statement

```
if (boolean-expression) {
   statement(s)-for-the-true-case;
}
else {
   statement(s)-for-the-false-case;
}
```



Conditional Operator

```
if (num % 2 == 0) {
   System.out.println(num + "is even ");
}
else {
   System.out.println(num + "is odd");
}
```

if...else Example

```
if (radius >= 0) {
    area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
    System.out.println("The area for the "
      + "circle of radius " + radius +
      " is " + area);
else {
    System.out.println("Negative input");
```

Conditional Operator (Cont.)

```
if (x > 0)
  y = 1
else
  y = -1;
is equivalent to
y = (x > 0) ? 1 : -1;
(boolean-expression) ? expression1 : expression2
System.out.println((num % 2 == 0)?
  num + "is even" : num + "is odd");
```

Note

if (i > 0) {

System.out.println("i is positive");

(b)

if i > 0 {

System.out.println("i is positive");

(a)

```
if (i > 0) {
    System.out.println("i is positive");
    Equivalent
    System.out.println("i is positive");

Equivalent
    System.out.println("i is positive");
```

Multiple Alternative if Statements

```
if (score \geq 90.0)
  grade = 'A';
else
  if (score \geq= 80.0)
    grade = 'B';
  else
    if (score \geq 70.0)
      grade = 'C';
    else
      if (score \geq 60.0)
        grade = 'D';
      else
        grade = 'F';
```

Equivalent

```
if (score \geq 90.0)
  grade = 'A';
else if (score \geq 80.0)
  grade = 'B';
else if (score \geq 70.0)
  qrade = 'C';
else if (score \geq 60.0)
  grade = 'D';
else
  grade = 'F';
```

Note

The else clause matches the most recent if clause in the same block.

```
int i = 1;
int j = 2;
int k = 3;

if (i > j)
   if (i > k)
       System.out.println("A");
else
       System.out.println("B");
```

Equivalent

```
int i = 1;
int j = 2;
int k = 3;

if (i > j)
   if (i > k)
       System.out.println("A");
   else
      System.out.println("B");
```

Common Errors

➤ Adding a semicolon at the end of an if clause is a common mistake.

```
if (radius >= 0);
{
    area = radius*radius*PI;
    System.out.println(
        "The area for the circle of radius " +
        radius + " is " + area);
}
```

This mistake is hard to find, because it is not a compilation error or a runtime error, it is a logic error.

TIP

```
if (number % 2 == 0)
                           Equivalent
                                      boolean even
  even = true;
                                         = number % 2 == 0;
else
  even = false;
                                                   (b)
           (a)
                           Equivalent
                                     if (even)
if (even == true)
                                        System.out.println(
  System.out.println(
                                          "It is even.");
    "It is even.");
                                                  (b)
          (a)
```

Logical Operators

Operator	Name	Description
!	not	logical negation
&&	and	logical conjunction
H	or	logical disjunction
٨	exclusive or	logical exclusion

Truth Table for Operator!

р	!p	Example (assume age = 24, weight = 140)
true	false	!(age > 18) is false, because (age > 18) is true.
false	true	!(weight == 150) is true, because (weight == 150) is false.

Truth Table for Operator &&

p_1	p ₂	p ₁ && p ₂	Example (assume age = 24, weight = 140)
false	false	false	
false	true	false	(age > 28) && (weight <= 140) is true, because (age > 28) is false.
true	false	false	
true	true	true	(age > 18) && (weight >= 140) is true, because (age > 18) and (weight >= 140) are both true.

Truth Table for Operator |

p_1	p ₂	p ₁ p ₂	Example (assume age = 24, weight = 140)
false	false	false	(age > 34) (weight >= 150) is false, because (age > 34) and (weight \rightarrow = 150) are both false.
false	true	true	
true	false	true	(age > 18) (weight < 140) is true, because (age > 18) is true.
true	true	true	

Shortcut Assignment Operators

Operator	Name	Example	Equivalent
+=	Addition assignment	i += 8	i = i + 8
-=	Subtraction assignment	i -= 8	i = i - 8
*=	Multiplication assignment	i *= 8	i = i * 8
/=	Division assignment	i /= 8	i = i / 8
% =	Remainder assignment	i %= 8	i = i % 8

Increment and Decrement Operators

Operator	Name	Description	Example (assume $i = 1$)
++var	preincrement	Increment var by 1, and use the new var value in the statement	<pre>int j = ++i; // j is 2, i is 2</pre>
var++	postincrement	Increment var by 1, but use the original var value in the statement	<pre>int j = i++; // j is 1, i is 2</pre>
var	predecrement	Decrement var by 1, and use the new var value in the statement	<pre>int j =i; // j is 0, i is 0</pre>
var	postdecrement	Decrement var by 1, and use the original var value in the statement	<pre>int j = i; // j is 1, i is 0</pre>

Increment and Decrement Operators (Cont.)

```
int i = 10;

Same effect as

int newNum = 10 * i++;

int newNum = 10 * i;

i = i + 1;
```

```
int i = 10;

int newNum = 10 * (++i);

Same effect as

i = i + 1;

int newNum = 10 * i;
```

Increment and Decrement Operators (Cont.)

Using increment and decrement operators makes expressions short, but it also makes them complex and difficult to read. Avoid using these operators in expressions that modify multiple variables, or the same variable for multiple times such as this:

int
$$k = ++i + i$$
;

Introducing while Loops

```
int count = 0;
while (count < 100) {
        System.out.println("Welcome to Java");
        count++;
}</pre>
```

while Loop Flow Chart

```
while (loop-continuation-condition) {
 // loop-body;
 Statement(s);
                        Loop
                                   false
                     Continuation
                      Condition?
                      Statement(s)
                      (loop body)
                         (A)
```

```
int count = 0;
while (count < 100) {
 System.out.println("Welcome to Java!");
 count++;
            count = 0:
                           false
           (count < 100)?
             true
 System.out.println("Welcome to Java!");
 count++:
```

Ending a Loop with a Sentinel Value

Often the number of times a loop is executed is not predetermined. You may use an input value to signify the end of the loop. Such a value is known as a sentinel *value*.

do-while Loop

```
Statement(s)
                                               (loop body)
                                                   Loop
                                        true
                                                Continuation
do {
                                                Condition?
  // Loop body;
                                                       false
  Statement(s);
} while (loop-continuation-condition);
```

```
for (initial-action; loop-
                                                int i;
   continuation-condition;
                                                for (i = 0; i < 100; i++) {
   action-after-each-iteration) {
                                                 System.out.println(
                                                   "Welcome to Java!");
  // loop body;
  Statement(s);
       Initial-Action
                                                        i = 0
           Loop
                        false
                                                                     false
                                                      (i \le 100)?
       Continuation
         Condition2
        true
       Statement(s)
                                                System.out.println(
       (loop body)
                                                  "Welcome to Java");
Action-After-Each-Iteration
                                                         i++
           (A)
                                                         (B)
```

Note

The <u>initial-action</u> in a <u>for</u> loop can be a list of zero or more commaseparated expressions. The <u>action-after-each-iteration</u> in a <u>for</u> loop can be a list of zero or more comma-separated statements. Therefore, the following two <u>for</u> loops are correct. They are rarely used in practice, however.

```
for (int i = 1; i < 100; System.out.println(i++));
for (int i = 0, j = 0; (i + j < 10); i++, j++) {
    // Do something
}</pre>
```

Note

➤ If the <u>loop-continuation-condition</u> in a for <u>loop</u> is omitted, it is implicitly true. Thus the statement given below in (a), which is an infinite loop, is correct. Nevertheless, it is better to use the equivalent loop in (b) to avoid confusion:

```
for (;;) {
// Do something
}

Equivalent
// Do something
}

(a)

While (true) {
// Do something
}

(b)
```

Caution

Adding a semicolon at the end of the <u>for</u> clause before the loop body is a common mistake, as shown below:

Caution (Cont.)

Similarly, the following loop is also wrong: int i=0; Logic Error while (i < 10); System.out.println("i is " + i); <u>i++;</u> In the case of the do loop, the following semicolon is needed to end the loop. int i=0; do { System.out.println("i is " + i);

Correct

<u>i++;</u>

while $(i<10); \leftarrow$

Which Loop to Use?

The three forms of loop statements, while, do-while, and for, are expressively equivalent; that is, you can write a loop in any of these three forms. For example, a while loop in (a) in the following figure can always be converted into the following for loop in (b):

```
while (loop-continuation-condition) {
   // Loop body
}

(a)
Equivalent  for ( ; loop-continuation-condition; )
   // Loop body
}
(b)
```

A for loop in (a) in the following figure can generally be converted into the following while loop in (b) except in certain special cases.

```
for (initial-action;
    loop-continuation-condition;
    action-after-each-iteration) {
    // Loop body;
}
Equivalent
    // Loop body;
action-after-each-iteration;
}
initial-action;
while (loop-continuation-condition) {
    // Loop body;
action-after-each-iteration;
}
```

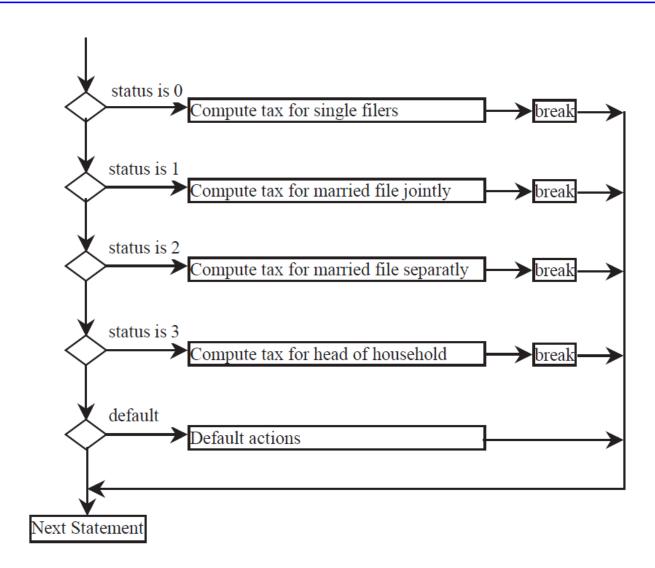
(b)

(a)

switch Statements

```
switch (status) {
 case 0: do something here;
       break;
 case 1: do something here;
       break;
 case 2: do something here;
       break;
 case 3: do something here;
       break;
 default: System.out.println("Errors: invalid status");
       System.exit(0);
```

switch Statement Flow Chart



Type Casting

```
Implicit casting
    double d = 3; (type widening)
Explicit casting
    int i = (int) 3.0; (type narrowing)
    int i = (int)3.9; (Fraction part is truncated)
What is wrong? int x = 5 / 2.0;
                     range increases
        byte, short, int, long, float, double
```