# INTRODUCTION OF COMPUTING

# Format Specifier

- The format specifier is used during input and output.
- ➤ It is a way to tell the compiler what type of data is in a variable during taking input using scanf() or printing using printf().

# Format Specifier

Variable Type	Keyword	Format	Size (in Bytes)
Short Integer	short	%d	2
Integer	int	%d	2 or 4
Long Integer	long	%ld	4
Floating Point	float	%f	4
Double-Precision Floating-Point	double	%f	8
Long Double-Precision Floating-Point	long double	%lf	12
Character	char	%с	1

### **Character Data Type**

To store character data types keyword **char** is used.

Example of char data types:- 'm', 'A', '5', '@', '?' e.t.c. Note that all are inside the single quotation.

- "a" is not a char data type because it is inside double quotation not in the single quotation.
- be 'abc' is not a char data type because inside a single quotation only one character must be present.
- > "is not a char data type, a blank single quotation is not a valid character.
- ' ' is a char data type, space is inside a single quotation and space is a valid character.
- <u>m</u> is not a char data type, it is a variable because it is not inside a single quotation.

## **Character Data Type**

signed char	1	-128 to 127	%C
unsigned char	1	0 to 255	%c

# **Integer Data Type**

The keyword **int** is used to declare integer data type.

- ➤ If integer data is small then we can use keyword **short** or **short int** and
- ➤ to store long integer number we can use **long** or **long int** keyword and
- ➤ to store very long number we can use **long long** or **long long int** keyword.

# **Integer Data Type**

Data type	Format specifier	Size (in bytes)
short int	%d	2
signed short int	%d	2
unsigned short int	%u	2
int	%d	4
signed int	%d	4
unsigned int	%u	4
long int	%ld	8
signed long int	%ld	8
unsigned long int	%lu	8
long long int	%lld	8
unsigned long long int	%llu	8

# **Integer Data Type**

#### NOTE:

- ➤ Size of data type int is 2 bytes in 32-bit environment and 4 bytes in 64-bit environment.
- If a signed integer has n bits, it can contain a number between  $-2^{n-1}$  to  $+(2^{n-1}-1)$
- ➤ In the binary number system, an unsigned integer containing "n" bits can have a value between 0 to 2<sup>n</sup>-1

# Floating point data type

By default, every floating-point number is treated as a double data type. Float and long double data type are also used for floating-point.

Data type	Format Specifier	Size (in bytes)
float	%f	4
double	%f	8
long double	%Lf	16

#### void

- As the name indicates this type has no values. Most of the times it is used to indicate that a function does not return any value.
- ➤ Void can't be used for storing and calculation in a program.

### **CHAPTER 2**

# **Types of Instructions**

"Program statements are called instruction." Instructions are commands.

- 1. Data Type Declaration Instruction This instruction is used to declare the type of variables used in a C program.
- 2. Arithmetic Instruction This instruction is used to perform arithmetic operations on constants and variables.
- 3. Control Instruction This instruction is used to control the sequence of execution of various statements in a C program.

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Ex.:
int bas;
float rs, grosssal;
char name, code;
```

There are several subtle variations of the type declaration instruction.

➤ While declaring the type of variable we can also initialize it as shown below.

int 
$$i = 10$$
,  $j = 25$ ;

float 
$$a = 1.5$$
,  $b = 1.99 + 2.4 * 1.44$ ;

The order in which we define the variables is sometimes important sometimes not. For example,

```
int i = 10, j = 25;
is same as
int j = 25, i = 10;
```

However,

```
float a = 1.5, b = a + 3.1; is alright, but
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float 
$$b = a + 3.1$$
,  $a = 1.5$ ;

is not. This is because here we are trying to use a before defining it.

> The following statements would work

$$a = b = c = 10$$
;

However, the following statement would not work

int 
$$a = b = c = d = 10$$
;

Once again we are trying to use **b** (to assign to a) before defining it.

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Ex.:
int ad;
float kot, deta, alpha, beta, gamma;
ad = 3200;
kot = 0.0056;
deta = alpha * beta / gamma + 3.2 * 2 / 5;
```

Integer mode arithmetic statement:

- Ex.: int i, king, issac, noteit;
- i = i + 1;
- king = issac \* 234 + noteit 7689;

Real mode arithmetic statement:

- Ex.: float qbee, antink, si, prin, anoy, roi;
- qbee = antink + 23.123 / 4.5 \* 0.3442;
- si = prin \* anoy \* roi / 100.0;

#### Mixed mode arithmetic statement:

- Ex.: float si, prin, anoy, roi, avg;
- int a, b, c, num;
- si = prin \* anoy \* roi / 100.0;
- avg = (a + b + c + num) / 4;

- C allows only one variable on left-hand side of =. That is, z = k \* l is legal, whereas k \* l = z is illegal.
- In addition to the division operator C also provides a modular division operator. This operator returns the remainder on dividing one integer with another.
- Thus the expression 10 / 2 yields 5, whereas, 10 % 2 yields 0.
- Note that the modulus operator (%) cannot be applied on a float.
- Also note that on using % the sign of the remainder is always same as the sign of the numerator. Thus -5 % 2 yields -1, whereas, 5 % -2 yields 1.

Arithmetic operations can be performed on **ints**, **floats and chars**. Thus the statements,

```
char x, y;
int z;
x = 'a';
y = 'b';
z = x + y;
```

• No operator is assumed to be present. It must be written explicitly. In the following example, the multiplication operator after b must be explicitly written.

```
a = c.d.b(xy) usual arithmetic statement

a = c * d * b * (x * y) C statement
```

There is no operator in C to perform exponentiation operation. Exponentiation has to be carried out as shown below:

```
# include <math.h>
# include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
float a;
a = pow ( 3.0, 2.0 );
printf ( "%f", a );
}
```

Here **pow()** function is a standard library function. It is being used to raise 3.0 to the power of 2.0. The **pow()** function works only with real numbers, hence we have used 3.0 and 2.0 instead of 3 and 2.

#include <math.h> is a preprocessor directive