

Chapter Six: More Conditionals and Loops

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- ▶ `switch` and `case` are reserved words

Syntax

```
switch ( expression ){  
    case value1 :  
        statement1  
    case value2 :  
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    case value3 :  
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    default :  
        statement4  
}
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- ▶ The type of a `switch` expression can only be integer, character, enumerated type, or String type. (No floating points)

switch statement example

Example

```
switch (option){  
    case 'A':  
        aCount++;  
        break;  
    case 'B':  
        bCount++;  
        break;  
    case 'C':  
        cCount++;  
        break;  
    default:  
        System.out.println("If no cases match...");  
}
```

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The Conditional Operator

Example 1

```
larger = ((num1 > num2) ? num1 : num2);
```

Example 2

```
System.out.println("Your change is " + count +  
    ((count == 1) ? "Dime" : "Dimes"));
```

Example 3

```
if (val <= 10)  
    System.out.println("It is not greater than 10.");  
else  
    System.out.println("It is greater than 10.");  
  
System.out.println("It is" +  
    ((val <= 10) ? " not" : "") +  
    " greater than 10.");
```

6.3: The do Statement

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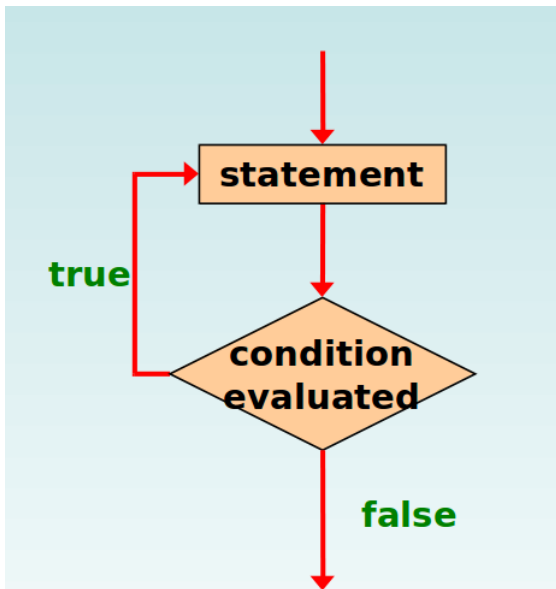
The do Statement

- ▶ The statement-list is executed once initially, **and then** the condition is evaluated
- ▶ The statement is executed repeatedly until the condition becomes false

Syntax

```
do{  
    statement-list;  
}while (condition);
```

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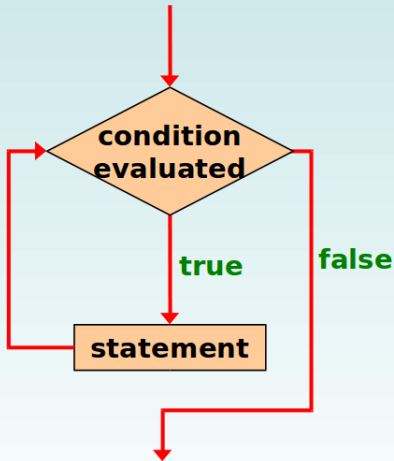
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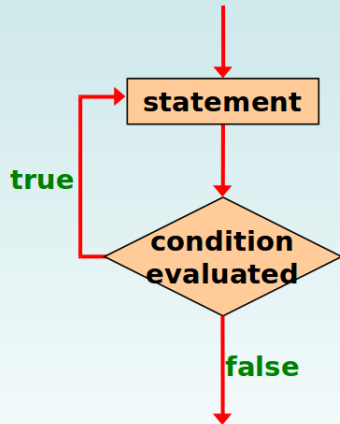
```
int count = 0;
do{
    count++;
    System.out.println(count);
} while (count < 5);
```

Comparing while/do Statements

The while Loop



The do Loop



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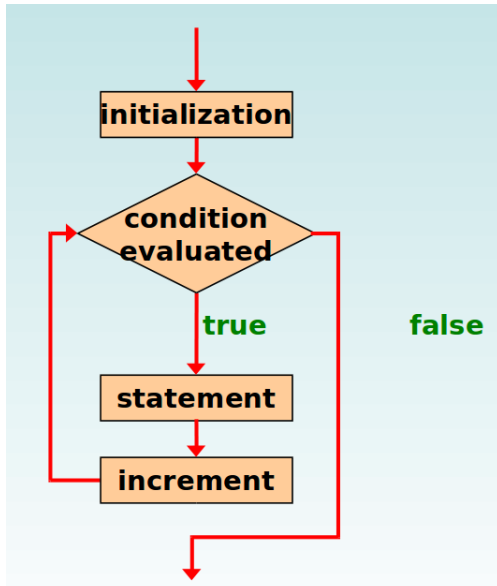
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- ▶ The increment portion is executed at the end of each iteration

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    System.out.println(count);
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for (int count = 1; count <= 5; count++)  
    System.out.println(count);
```

Example 2

```
for (int num = 100; num > 0; num -= 5)  
    System.out.println(num);
```

QUESTIONS ???

You don't understand anything until you learn it more than one way.

- Marvin Minsky