


C PROGRAMMING

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- 👉 C is a procedural programming language.
 - 👉 It was initially developed by Dennis Ritchie in the year 1972, at the Bell Telephone Laboratories to develop the UNIX operating system.
 - 👉 C programming is considered as the base for the other programming languages, that's why it is known as mother language.
 - 👉 C language is the system programming language because it can be used to do low-level programming.
 - 👉 It is generally used to create hardware devices, operating system, drivers, kernels etc.
 - 👉 The main features of the C language includes low-level memory access, a simple set of keywords & a clean style.
 - 👉 It is used in lot of scientific computing like AI/ML, weather forecasting etc.
 - 👉 C/C++ code is very faster than a code written in java, python.

C-TOKENS

- 👉 C tokens are the basic building blocks in C lang.
 - 👉 C token are the smallest individuals units.
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|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| ● Keywords | ● Identifiers | ● Constants |
| ● Operators | ● Special Symbols | |

Keyword



Keywords are **predefined** & **reserve** words used in programming that have special meanings to compiler.

Eg. `int money;` Here, `int` is keyword and `money` is variable.

Keywords are **auto**, **break**, **char**, **continue**, **default** etc.

These are keywords in C language.

Identifiers



Identifiers refers to **name** given to entities such as variables, functions, structures etc.

Identifiers must be **unique**, as they are created to give a unique name to an entity to identify it during the execution of program.

Identifiers names must be **different** from keywords.

Eg. `int money;` Here `money` & `accountbalance` are identifiers.
`double accountbalance;`

Constants



A constant is a value that **can't be changed** in the program.

Eg. Decimal constant \rightarrow 10, 20, 450 etc.

Character constant \rightarrow 'a', 'b' etc; Octal constant \rightarrow 021, 033, 016 etc.

Operators



An operator is simply a symbol that is used to **perform operations**.

There can be many types of operations like arithmetic, logical, bitwise etc.

Eg. Arithmetic Operators $[+, -, *, /]$

Relational Operators $[<, <=, >, >=, ==, !=]$

Logical Operators $[\&\&, \|\|, !]$

Special Symbols



In programming language, the special symbols have some **special meaning** and they can not be used for other purposes.

Eg. `[]`, `()`, `{}`, `;`, `*`, `=`, `#` etc.

! Exclamation mark

- Underscore

: Colon

Number sign

+ plus sign

; semicolon

% Percent sign

,

" Quotation mark

& Ampersand

/ slash

? Question mark

* Asterisk

= Equal to sign

. Period.

C-PROGRAM

👉 A C program basically consists

of the following parts -

- Preprocessor Commands
- Functions
- Variables
- Statements & Expressions
- Comments

Hello, World program

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main() {
    /*first program*/
    printf("Hello, World!\n");
    return 0; }
```

O/P: Hello, World!

👉 Let us take a look at the various parts of the above 'Hello, World!' program -

👉 The first line of the program `#include <stdio.h>` is a **pre-processor command** which tells a c compiler to include `stdio.h` file before going to actual compilation.

👉 The next line `int main()` is the **main function** where the **program execution begins**.

👉 The next line `/*-----*/` will be ignored by the compiler, so such lines are called **comments** in the program.

👉 The next line `printf(---)` is another function which causes the message "Hello, World!" to be displayed on screen.

👉 The next line `return 0;` terminates the main function & returns the **value 0**.

DATA TYPE

👉 Data types refers to an extensive system used for **declaring variables or functions** of different types.

👉 The type of a variable determines how much **space** it **occupies** in storage.

👉 Different data types have **different ranges** to store nos.

👉 Basically data types are of different types -

- Primary Data Type (char, float, int)
- User defined Data Type (Enum, typedef)
- Derived Data Type (Pointers, Arrays, structures, Union)

Primary Data Type

known as **fundamental data types** because they are **pre-defined** in C language.

Primary data types in C are of **4 types**: **int**, **char**, **float** & **double**.

Primary data types are also

S. N.	Data Type	Memory (bytes)	Range	Format Specifier
1.	int	4	-2^{31} to $2^{31}-1$	%d
2.	char	1	-128 to 127	%c
3.	float	4	$1.2E-38$ to $3.4E+38$	%f
4.	double	8	$2.3E-308$ to $1.7E+308$	%lf

INTEGER Data Type

The **int** data type is used to store **integer** values.

It can be **signed** or **unsigned**.

It has generally **32 bits** (4 bytes).

By default integer is **signed**.

Range:

signed int - -2^{N-1} to $2^{N-1}-1$

unsigned int - 0 to 2^N-1

CHARACTER Data Type

The **char** data type is used to store the **characters**.

Characters must be **inside** single quotes.

It is usually **1 byte**. Range: -2^{N-1} to $2^{N-1}-1$

Whenever we enter a character type variable, the character is stored as integer value in the address location.

1 nibble = 4 bits
1 byte = 8 bits

FLOAT Data Type

The **float** data type is used to store the **floating point numbers**.

The numbers that have a **fractional part** are called floating point numbers.

It has generally **4 bytes**.

These can represent a much larger and wider range of digits as compared to integer data type.

Range:

$1.2E-38$ to $3.4E+38$

DOUBLE Data Type

The **double** data type is used to store **floating numbers**.

It occupies **twice** as much **memory** as float data type.

It has generally **8 bytes**. Range: $2.3E-308$ to $1.7E+308$

Eq. int - 10, 20, 30, 100, 1000, 586 etc.

char - 'a', 'D', 'L', 'm', 's', 'X', 'N', 'K', 'o', 'Q', 'R' etc.

float - 0.7, 0.33, 8.21, 6.43, 1000.29, 562.01 etc.

double - 32.334000, 194.4698300 etc.

Enumeration Data Type

a user defined data type.

It is mainly used to assign names to integral constants.

Value assigned must be in range of signed int.

Syntax: enum enumname { };
enum enumname;

Enumeration (enum) is

Eg. Enum data type

```
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
int main() {  
    enum letter {a,b,d,f};  
    enum letter y=d;  
    printf("%d", y);  
    return 0;  
}
```

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Conversion Specifier

The conversion specifier character specifies whether to interpret the corresponding argument as a character, a string, a pointer, an integer or a floating number.

%.d	signed int	%ld	long int	%.p	Pointer
%.u	unsigned int	%.lld	long long int	%.s	String
%.hi	short signed int	%.lu	unsigned long int	%.x	Hexa decimal
%.hu	short unsigned int	%.llu	unsigned long long int	%.o	Octa integer

Variables

A variable is a name given to storage area that our programs can manipulate.

Two main Concepts of variable-

- Declaration
- Initialization & Usage

Variable name starts with lower case or underscore (_).

int a,b,c,d; → **declaring** multiple variables in single line.

int a=5; int b=5; → **declaring & initializing** variables.

Constants

A constant is a value that **can't** be **changed** in the program.

Types → char, string, integer, real valued.

- String → "GATE", "BOOK",
"India is my Country",
"Newton Desk"

Eg. Variables

```
void main() {  
    int a;  
    a=10;  
    a=5; }  
}
```

NOTE Here, value is changing from 10 to 5, value is varied, so it is a **variable**.

- Char → '#', 'g', '&', 'a' etc.
'abc' → X Not a char
' ' → X empty can't be char
a → X Not valid, must be in single quotes.

OPERATORS

An operator is a symbol that tells the compiler to perform specific mathematical or logical functions.

ARITHMETIC OPERATORS

operator	Description
+	Adds two operands.
-	subtracts second operand from first.
*	Multiplies both operands.
/	Divides numerator by de-num ^r .
%	Modulus operator and remainder of after an integer division.
++	Increment operator increases the integer value by one.
--	Decrement operator decreases the integer value by one.

Example

```
int main() {
    int a=17, b=4;
    printf("Sum = %d\n", a+b);
    printf("Diff. = %d\n", a-b);
    printf("Quotient = %d\n", a/b);
    printf("Remainder = %d\n", a%b);
    printf("a = %d\n", ++a);
    return 0;
}
```

O/P: Sum = 21
Diff. = 13
Quotient = 4
Remainder = 1
a = 18

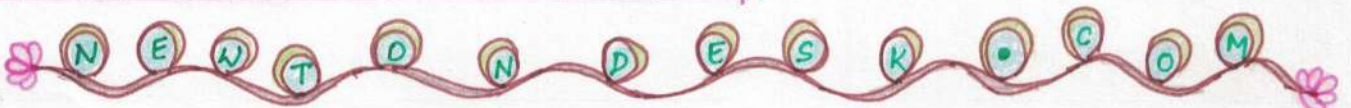
RELATIONAL OPERATORS

oprs.	Description
==	checks if the values of two operands are equal or not. If yes then the condition becomes true.
!=	checks if the values of two operands are equal or not. If no, then the condition becomes true.
>	The value of left operand is greater than the value of right operand.
<	The value of left operand is less than the value of right operand.
>=	The value of left operand is greater than or equal to the value of right operand.
<=	The value of left operand is less than or equal to the value of right operand.

Example

```
int main() {
    int a=12, b=4;
    if (a>b)
        printf("%d is greater than %d\n", a, b);
    if (a==b)
        printf("%d is equal to %d\n", a, b);
    if (a!=b)
        printf("%d is not equal to %d\n", a, b);
    return 0;
}
```

O/P: 12 is greater than 4.
12 is not equal to 4.



LOGICAL OPERATORS

oprs.	Description
&&	Logical AND → If both the operands are non zero then conditions becomes true.
	Logical OR → If any of the two operands is non zero , then cond. ⁿ becomes true.
!	Logical NOT → It is used to reverse the logical state of its operand.

NOTE // True → 1 ; False → 0

• **Short circuit in case of '&&'** → if there is a condition anywhere in expression that return **false**, then rest of the cond.ⁿ after that will not evaluated

• **Short circuit in case of '||'** → if there is a cond.ⁿ anywhere in expression that return **true**, then rest of the conditions after that will not be evaluated.

BITWISE OPERATORS

oprs.	Description
&	Binary AND → It copies a bit to the result if it exists in both operands.
	Binary OR → It copies a bit if it exists in either operands.
^	Binary XOR → It copies the bit if it is set in only one operand.
~	Binary One's complement → It has the effect of flipping bits.
<<	Binary Left shift → The value is moved left by the number of bits specified by right operand.
>>	Binary Right shift → The left operand value is moved right by the no. of bits specified.

TRUTH TABLE

P	Q	P & Q	P Q	P ^ Q
0	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	1
1	0	0	1	1
1	1	1	1	0

NOTE

- In bitwise left/right shift the trailing and leading pos.ⁿ are filled with zeros.
- Left shifting is equivalent to **multiplication** by 2nd right operand.
- Right shifting is equivalent to **division** by 2nd right operand.

ASSIGNMENT OPERATORS

oprs.	Description	oprs.	Description
=	Assignment op. ^r → Assigns value from right to left operand.	+=	ADD & assignment op. ^r → It adds right operands & assign to left operand.
-=	Subtract and assignment op. ^r → It subtracts the right operand and assign to left operand.	*=	Multiply and assignment op. ^r → It multiplies the right operand & assign to left.

/=	Divide and Assignment op ^r → It divides the left operand with the right operand & assigns to left operand.	%=	Modulus and Assignment op ^r → It takes modulus using two operands & assigns the result to left operand.
<<=	Left shift and assignment op.	>>=	Right shift and assignment op.
&=	Bitwise and assignment op.	^=	Bitwise EX-OR & assignment op.
=	Bitwise OR & assignment op.		

MISCELLANEOUS OPERATOR

sizeof()	Returns the size of variable.	&	Returns the address of variable.
*	Pointer to a variable.	?:	Conditional expression.

sizeof OPERATOR [size of U]

sizeof() operator computes the **size** of variable (byte).

- It is a **unary** operator.
 - For **float** values use like this i.e. **10.2f** otherwise it will be treated as **double(10.2)** or use **typecasting** for float and double.
 - For **character** data type i.e. **char** values use **typecasting** or directly use datatype or variable.
 - Operands can be **variable**, **constant** data type.
- Eg.** `sizeof(x);`, `sizeof(int);`, `sizeof(5);`

TYPE CASTING

It refers to **changing** an variable of **one data type** into **another**.

- The compiler will automatically change one type of data into another if it make sense.

Types → IMPLICIT TYPE

- When the type conversion is performed **automatically** by the compiler without programmer's intervention such type of conversion is known as **implicit type conversion** or **type promotion**.

Eg.

```
int x;
for (x=97; x<=122; x++)
{
    printf("%c", x);
}
```



EXPLICIT TYPE

- The type conversion performed by the programmer by **posing the data type** of expression of specific type is known as **explicit type conversion**.

Eg.

```
int x;
for (x=97; x<=122; x++)
{
    printf("%c", (char) x);
}
```