

Problem Solving Through programming in C

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Relational, logical Operators

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Relational operators

- Relational operators are used for comparison of two values to understand the type of relationship a pair of number shares.
- The result of comparisons is what is called a boolean: a value TRUE or FALSE. FALSE is represented by 0; anything else is TRUE.
- The relational operators are:
 - < (less than)
 - <= (less than or equal to)
 - > (greater than)
 - >= (greater than or equal to)
 - == (equal to)
 - != (not equal to)

The table shows description of relational operators and also shows the working of each operators :

Operator	Name	Description	Result
=	Equal to	Checks if the values of two operands are equal or not	x == 5 returns true
!=	Not equal to	Checks if the values of two operands are not equal or not	x != 5 returns false
<	Less than	Checks if the value of left operand is less than the value of right operand	x < 8 returns true
>	Greater than	Checks if the value of left operand is greater than the value of right operand	x > 8 returns false
<=	Less than equal to	Checks if the value of left operand is less than or equal to the value of right operand	x <= 5 returns true
>=	Greater than equal to	Checks if the value of left operand is greater than or equal to the value of right operand	x >= 5 returns true



Comparison Operators

Math Symbol	English	C Notation	C Sample	Math Equivalent
=	equal to	==	<code>x + 7 == 2*y</code>	$x + 7 = 2y$
≠	not equal to	!=	<code>ans != 'n'</code>	$\text{ans} \neq 'n'$
<	less than	<	<code>count < m + 3</code>	$\text{count} < m + 3$
≤	less than or equal to	<=	<code>time <= limit</code>	$\text{time} \leq \text{limit}$
>	greater than	>	<code>time > limit</code>	$\text{time} > \text{limit}$
≥	greater than or equal to	>=	<code>age >= 21</code>	$\text{age} \geq 21$

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
    int a = 5, b = 6;
    printf("\n%d", a == b);
    printf("\n%d", a != b);
    printf("\n%d", a > b);
    printf("\n%d", a < b);
    printf("\n%d", a >= b);
    printf("\n%d", a <= b);
    return 0;
}
```

Output

0
1
0
1
0
1

When the expression was true, we got 1 and when false, 0.

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

```
int main()
```

```
{
```

```
    int a = 10, b = 4;
```

```
    // greater than example
```

```
    if (a > b)
```

```
        printf("a is greater than b\n");
```

```
    else
```

```
        printf("a is less than or equal to b\n");
```

```
    // greater than equal to
```

```
    if (a >= b)
```

```
        printf("a is greater than or equal to b\n");
```

```
    else
```

```
        printf("a is lesser than b\n");
```

```
    // less than example
```

```
    if (a < b)
```

```
        printf("a is less than b\n");
```

```
    else
```

```
        printf("a is greater than or equal to b\n");
```

```
// lesser than equal to
if (a <= b)
    printf("a is lesser than or equal to b\n");
else
    printf("a is greater than b\n");

// equal to
if (a == b)
    printf("a is equal to b\n");
else
    printf("a and b are not equal\n");

// not equal to
if (a != b)
    printf("a is not equal to b\n");
else
    printf("a is equal b\n");

return 0;
}
```

Output:

**a is greater than b
a is greater than or equal to b
a is greater than or equal to b
a is greater than b
a and b are not equal
a is not equal to b**

Logical operators

(also called Boolean operators)

- These have Boolean operands and the result is also a Boolean.
- The basic Boolean operators are:
 - `&&` (logical AND)
 - `||` (logical OR)
 - `!` (logical NOT)

They are used to combine two or more conditions/constraints or to complement the evaluation of the original condition under consideration. They are described below:

1.Logical AND operator: The ' && ' operator returns true when both the conditions under consideration are satisfied. Otherwise it returns false. For example, `a && b` returns true when both `a` and `b` are true (i.e. non-zero).

2.Logical OR operator: The ' || ' operator returns true even if one (or both) of the conditions under consideration is satisfied. Otherwise it returns false. For example, `a || b` returns true if one of `a` or `b` or both are true (i.e. non-zero). Of course, it returns true when both `a` and `b` are true.

3.Logical NOT operator: The ' ! ' operator returns true the condition in consideration is not satisfied. Otherwise it returns false. For example, `!a` returns true if `a` is false, i.e. when `a=0`.

Truth Tables

AND

Exp_1	Exp_2	Exp_1 && Exp_2
true	true	true
true	false	false
false	true	false
false	false	false

OR

Exp_1	Exp_2	Exp_1 Exp_2
true	true	true
true	false	true
false	true	true
false	false	false

NOT

Exp	!(Exp)
true	false
false	true

For example

Logical Operators		
Operator	Description	Example
&&	AND	x=6 y=3 x<10 && y>1 Return True
 	OR	x=6 y=3 x==5 y==5 Return False
!	NOT	x=6 y=3 !(x==y) Return True

Eg:

if(age>55 && sal<1000)

if(number<0 || number>100)

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main()
{
    int a = 5, b = 0;
    printf("\n%d", a && b);
    printf("\n%d", a || b);
    printf("\n%d", !a);
    printf("\n%d", !b);
    return 0;
}
```

Output

0
1
0
1

Since a is non-zero but b is zero, so AND between them will be false (or 0). As only one of them is true (or non-zero). But with OR, since anyone of them (i.e. a) is non-zero, so, a || b is true (or 1). In this example, since the value of 'a' is non-zero, therefore it is true. So, !a makes it false. The case with !b is the opposite.

```
// C program to demonstrate working of logical operators
```

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

```
int main()
```

```
{
```

```
    int a = 10, b = 4, c = 10, d = 20;
```

```
    // logical operators
```

```
    // logical AND example
```

```
    if (a > b && c == d)
```

```
        printf("a is greater than b AND c is equal to d\n");
```

```
    else
```

```
        printf("AND condition not satisfied\n");
```

```
// logical OR example
if (a > b || c == d)
    printf("a is greater than b OR c is equal to d\n");
else
    printf("Neither a is greater than b nor c is equal to d\n");

// logical NOT example
if (!a)
    printf("a is zero\n");
else
    printf("a is not zero");

return 0;
}
```

Output:

AND condition not satisfied

a is greater than b OR c is equal to d

a is not zero