

Loop

# Session Objective

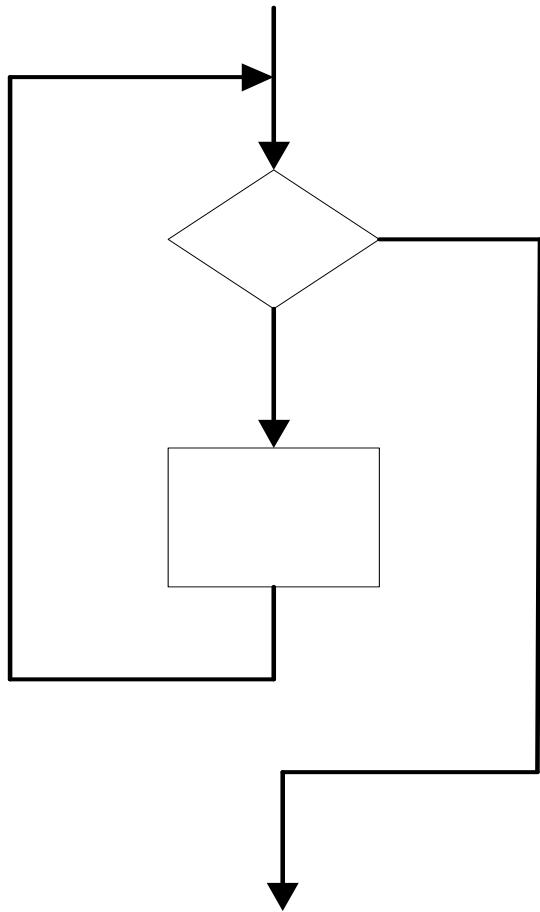
- To learn about different types of Control Statements

# Session Topics

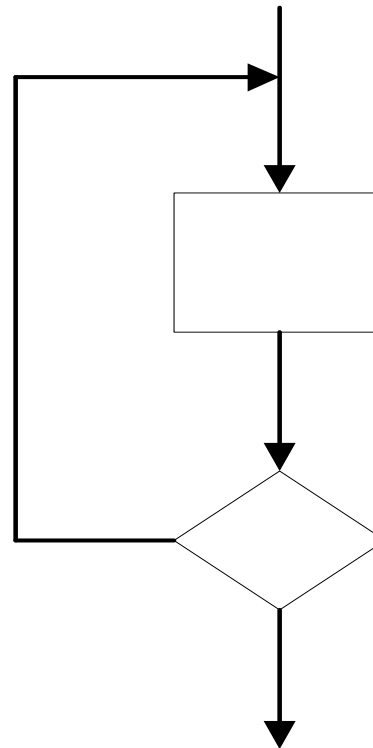
- Repetition or Iteration structure - for statement, continue statement, nested loop, while loop

# C Control Structure Looping

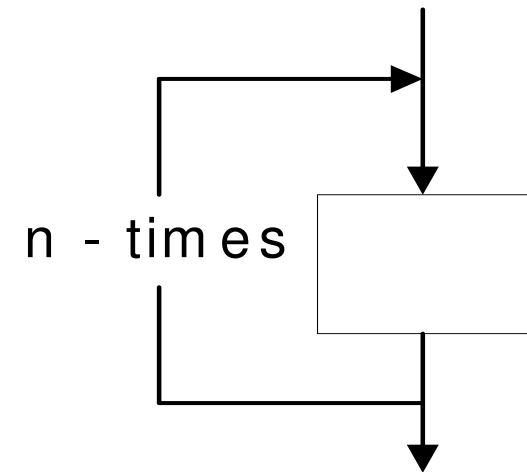
while



do-while



for



# Operators (contd...)

- A unary operator has one operand
  - Post and Pre increment and decrement
    - `a++,b--,++a,--b`
      - » `a = a++;`
- A binary operator has two operands
  - `a = b+c`
- A ternary operator has three operands
  - *`boolean-expr ? expression-1 : expression-2`*

# The ternary operator

- ***boolean-expr ? expression-1 : expression-2***
- This is like **if-then-else** for values rather than for statements
- If the ***boolean-expr*** evaluates to **true**, the result is ***expression-1***, else it is ***expression-2***
- Example: **max = a > b ? a : b ;** sets the variable **max** to the larger of **a** and **b**
- ***expression-1*** and ***expression-2*** need not be the same type, but either result must be useable (not a “void” function)
- *The ternary operator is right associative!*
  - To avoid confusion, use parentheses if your expression has more than one ternary operator

# **Increment and Decrement Operators**

- AKA unary operators**
- The increment operator ++ adds 1 to its operand, and the decrement operator -- subtracts 1.**
- If either is used as a prefix operator, the expression increments or decrements the operand before its value is used.**
- If either is used as a postfix operator, the increment and decrement operation will be performed after its value has been used.**

```
main( )
{
int a=5;
printf("a=%d",a++);
}
```

```
main()
{
int a=5;
printf("a=%d a=%d",a,++a,a++);
}
```

```
main()
{
int a=5;
printf("a=%d",++a);
}
```

```
main( )
{
int a=5;
printf("a=%d",a--);
printf("a=%d",--a);
printf("a=%d",a--);
}
```

```
main()
{
int a=5;
printf("a=%d",a--);
}
```

```
main()
{
int a=5;
printf("a=%d",a++);
printf("a=%d",++a);
printf("a=%d",a++);
}
```

```
main()
{
int a=5;
printf("a=%d",--a);
}
```



# The while Statement

- **Structure**

*while(expression)*  
*statement;*

or

*while(expression)*  
{  
*statement\_1;*  
*statement\_2;*  
}

## The while Statement Example

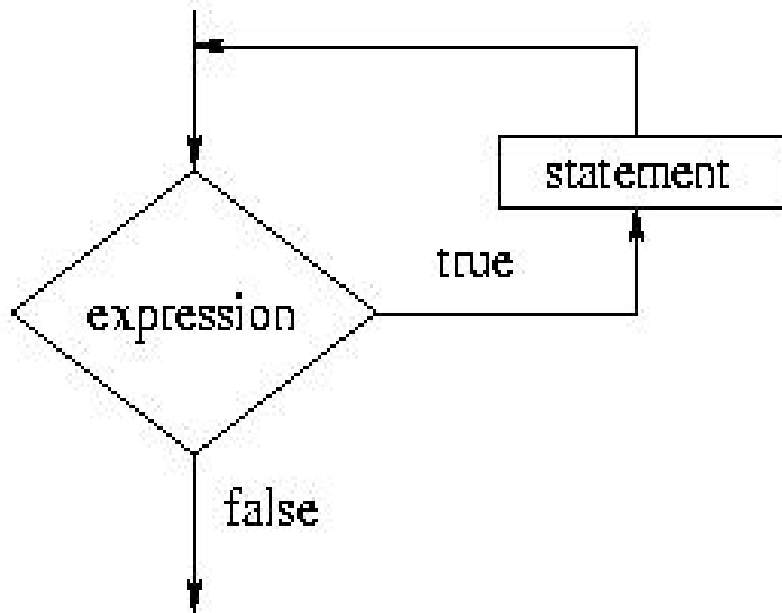
```
while (a < b)
{
printf ("%d\n",
a) ;
a = a + 1;
}
```

- \* **Operation:** *expression* is evaluated and if *TRUE* then *statement* (or *statement\_1* and *statement\_2*) is executed. The evaluation and executions sequence is repeated until the expression evaluates to be *FALSE*. If the expression is initially *FALSE* then *statement* is not executed at all.

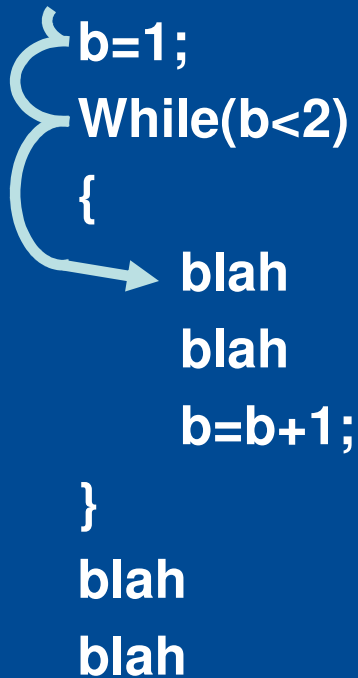
# Flowchart of a while Loop

- The syntax of a while loop is as follows:

```
while (expression)  
    statement
```



# Understanding a while loop

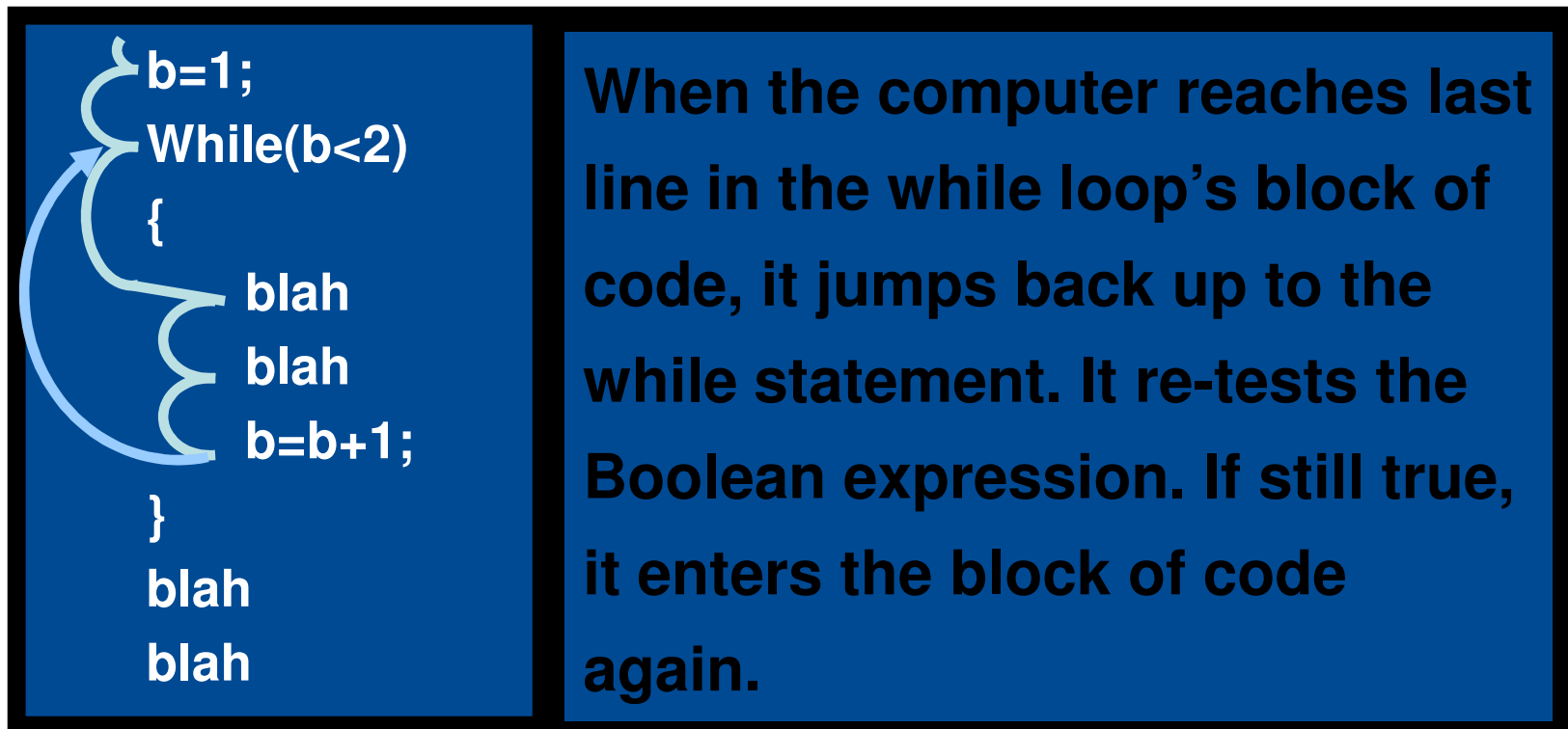


```
b=1;  
While(b<2)  
{  
    blah  
    blah  
    b=b+1;  
}  
blah  
blah
```

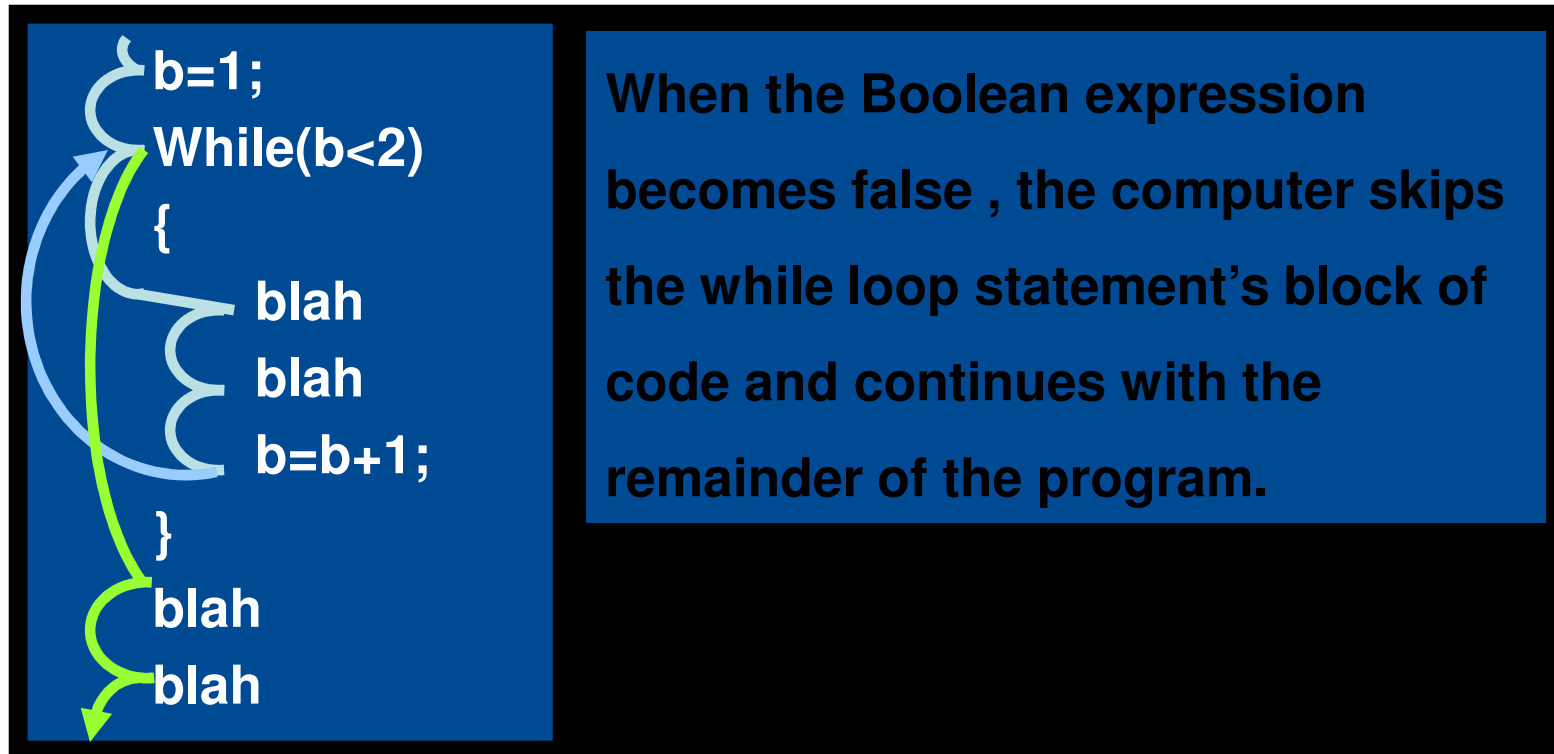
The diagram illustrates the execution of a while loop. A light blue arrow starts from the closing curly brace of the loop block and points back to the condition 'While(b<2)', indicating the loop's iterative nature.

When the computer reaches while statement, it tests to see if the Boolean expression is true. If true, it jumps into the block of code immediately below the while statement.

# Understanding a while loop



# Understanding a while loop



# Looping: A Real Example

- Let's say that you would like to create a program that prints a Fahrenheit-to-Celsius conversion table. This is easily accomplished with a for loop or a while loop:

```
main()
{
    int a;
    a = 0;
    while (a <= 100)
    {
        printf("%d degrees F = %d degrees C\n", a, (a - 32)
            * 5 / 9);
        a = a + 10;
    }
}
```

## Example:

```
int i = 0;  
while(i < 5) {  
    printf("%d ", i);  
    i++;  
}
```

Output:

0 1 2 3 4

```
main( )
{
int i = 1,sum=0;
while(i <=100 ){
    sum=sum+i;
printf("Sum=%d \t &
    i=%d\n",sum,i++);
}}
```

```
main( )
{
int i = 1,sum=0;
while(i <=100 ){
    sum=sum+i;
printf("Sum=%d \t &
    i=%d\n",sum,i=i+5
    );
}}
```

```
main( )
{
int i = 100,sum=0;
while(i >=1 ){
    sum=sum+i;
printf("Sum=%d \t &
    i=%d\n",sum,i--);
}}
```

```
main( )
{
int i = 100,sum=0;
while(i >=1 ){
    sum=sum+i;
printf("Sum=%d \t &
    i=%d\n",sum,i=i-
    5);
}}
```



```
main( )
{
int i = 1, sum=0;
while(i <=100 ){
if(i%2==0)
{
sum=sum+i;
}
printf("Sum=%d \t &
      i=%d\n", sum, i++);
}
}
```

```
main( )
{
int i = 1, sum=0;
while(i <=100 ){
if(i%2==1)
{
sum=sum+i;
}
printf("Sum=%d \t &
      i=%d\n", sum, i++);
}
}
```

Solve same problem using decrement (– – ) operator

```
main( )
{
int i = 1,sum=0;
while(i <=100 ){
if(i%2==0 &&
    i%5==0)
{
sum=sum+i;
}
printf("Sum=%d \t &
    i=%d\n",sum,i++);
}
}
```

```
main( )
{
int i = 100,sum=0;
while(i >=1){
    if(i%2==0 && i%5==0 &&
        i%10==0)
    {
sum=sum+i;
printf("Sum=%d \t & i=%d\n",sum,i);
} //bracket for if
    i=i-1;
} //bracket for while
} //bracket for main
```

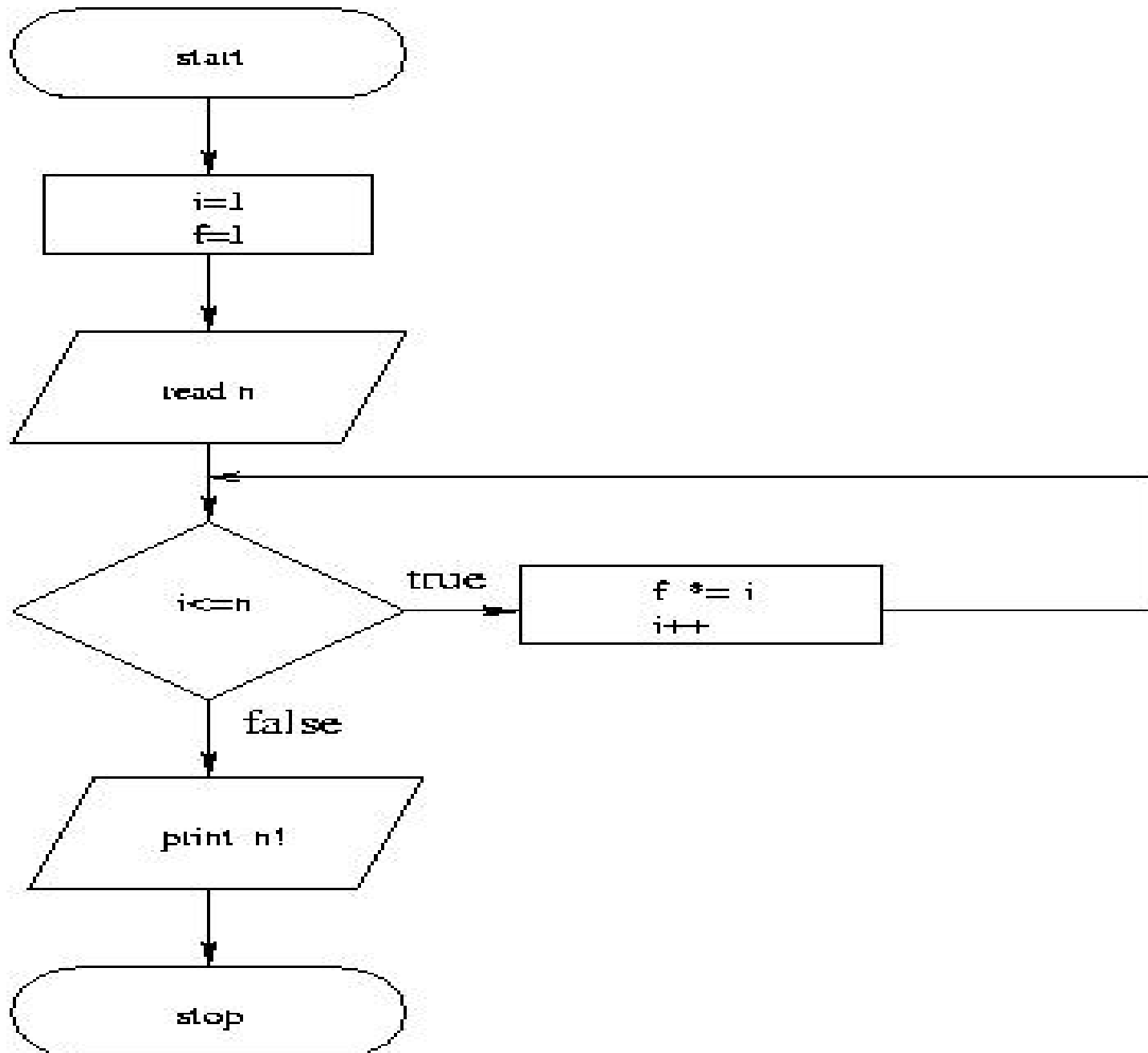
### Example:

*Calculating a factorial 5!. The factorial  $n!$  is defined as  $n*(n-1)!$*

```
main() {  
    /* declaration */  
    int i, f, n;  
    /* initialization */  
    i = 1;  
    f = 1;  
  
    /* processing */  
    printf("Please input a number\n");  
    scanf("%d", &n);  
    while (i <= n) {  
        f *= i;  
        i++;  
    }  
  
    /* termination */  
    printf("factorial %d! = %d\n", n, f);  
}
```

5

factorial 5! = 120



# **Control of Repetition**

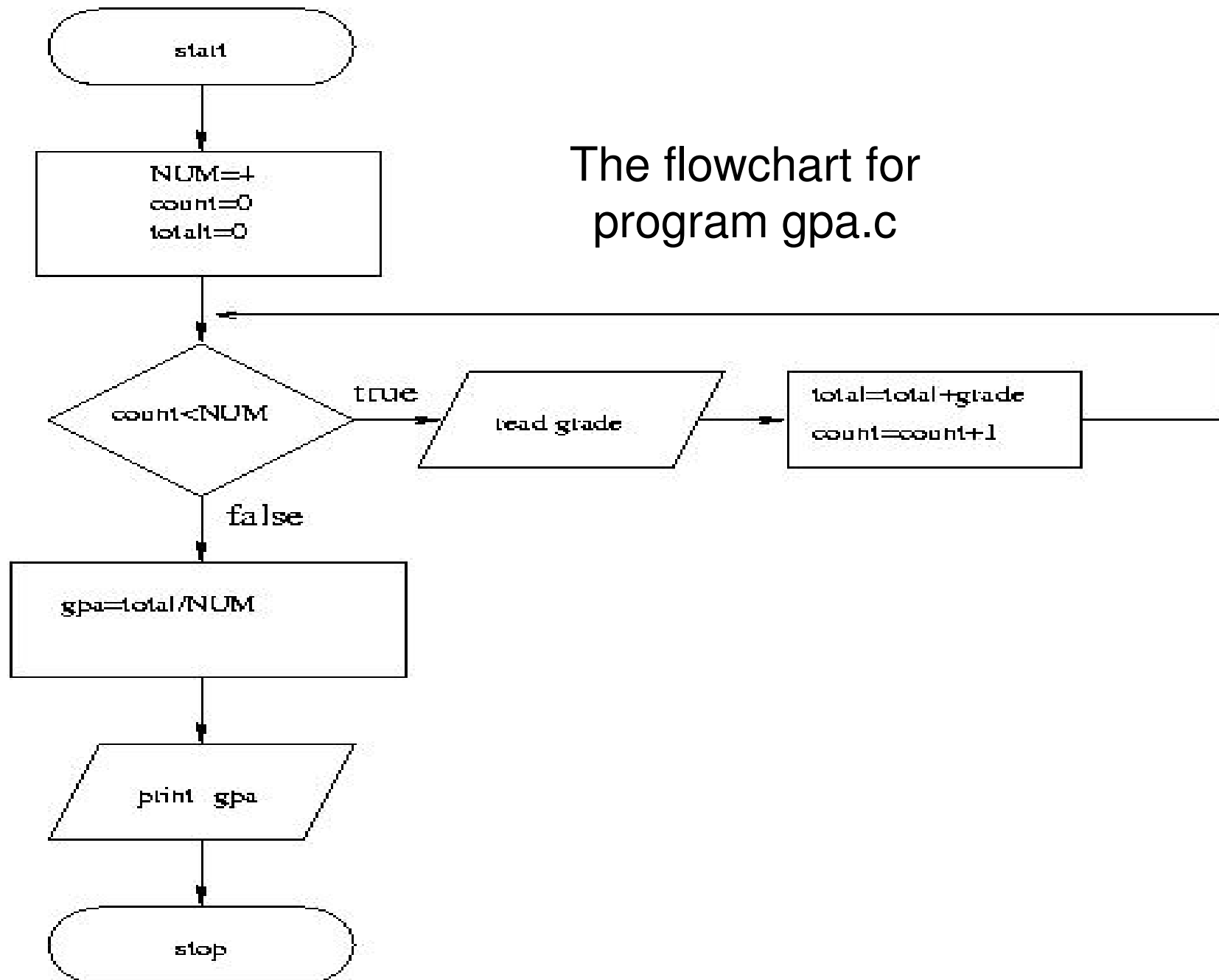
- **Counter-controlled repetition**
- **Sentinel-controlled repetition**

# Counter-controlled repetition

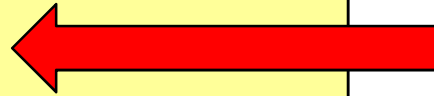
- Loop repeated until counter reaches a certain value.
- Definite repetition: number of repetitions is known

## Example:

***A student takes four courses in a quarter.  
Each course will be assigned a grade with the  
score from 0 to 4.  
Develop a C program to calculate the grade  
point average (GPA) for the quarter.***



```
#define NUM 4
main() {
    int count;
    double grade, total, gpa;
    count = 0;
    total = 0;
    /* processing */
    while(count < NUM) {
        printf("Enter a grade: ");
        scanf("%lf", &grade);
        total += grade;
        count++;
    }
    /* termination */
    gpa = total/NUM;
    printf("The GPA is: %f\n",
gpa);
}
```



**Macro**  
**NUM ≡ 4**

### Execution and Output:

```
Enter a grade: 4
Enter a grade: 3.7
Enter a grade: 3.3
Enter a grade: 4
The GPA is:
    3.750000
```

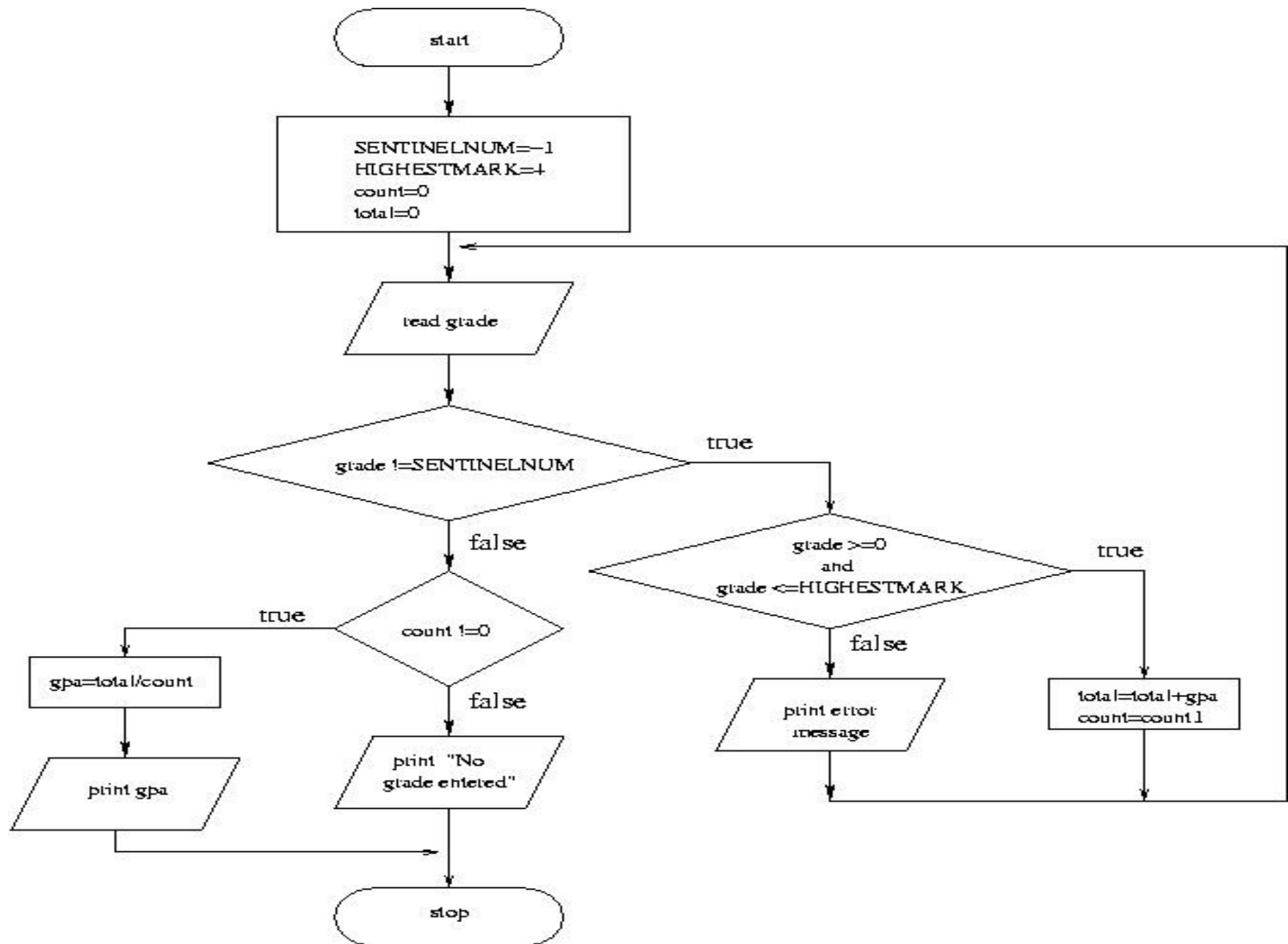


# Sentinel-controlled repetition

- Loop repeated until the sentinel (signal) value is entered.
- Indefinite repetition: number of repetitions is unknown when the loop begins execution.

## Example:

*Develop a GPA calculation program that will process grades with scores in the range of  $[0, 4]$  for an arbitrary number of courses.*



```
#define SENTINELNUM -1
#define HIGHESTMARK 4
main() {
    int count;
    double grade, total, gpa;
    /* initialization */
    count = 0;
    total = 0;
    printf("Enter a grade [0, %d] or %d to end: ",
           HIGHESTMARK, SENTINELNUM);
    scanf("%lf", &grade);
    while((int)grade != SENTINELNUM) {
        if(0 <= grade && grade <= HIGHESTMARK) {
            total += grade;
            count++;
        }
        else {
            printf("Invalid grade %c\n", '\a');
        }
        printf("Enter a grade [0, %d] or %d to end: ",
               HIGHESTMARK, SENTINELNUM);
        scanf("%lf", &grade);
    }
}
```

```
    /* termination */
    if(count != 0) {
        gpa = total/count;
        printf("The GPA is: %f\n",
gpa);
    }
    else
        printf("No grade entered.\n");
}
```

## Execution and Output:

```
Enter a grade [0, 4] or -1 to end: 4
Enter a grade [0, 4] or -1 to end: 3.7
Enter a grade [0, 4] or -1 to end: 3.3
Enter a grade [0, 4] or -1 to end: 4
Enter a grade [0, 4] or -1 to end: 10
Invalid grade
Enter a grade [0, 4] or -1 to end: 3.7
Enter a grade [0, 4] or -1 to end: -1
The GPA is: 3.740000
```

- **do-while Loop**

- The syntax of a do-while statement is as follows:

```
do  
  
    statement  
  
while (expression) ;
```

- The evaluation of the controlling expression takes place after each execution of the loop body.
    - The loop body is executed repeatedly until the return value of the controlling expression is equal to 0.

# The do-while Statement

- **Structure**

```
do
{
    statement;
} while(expression);
```

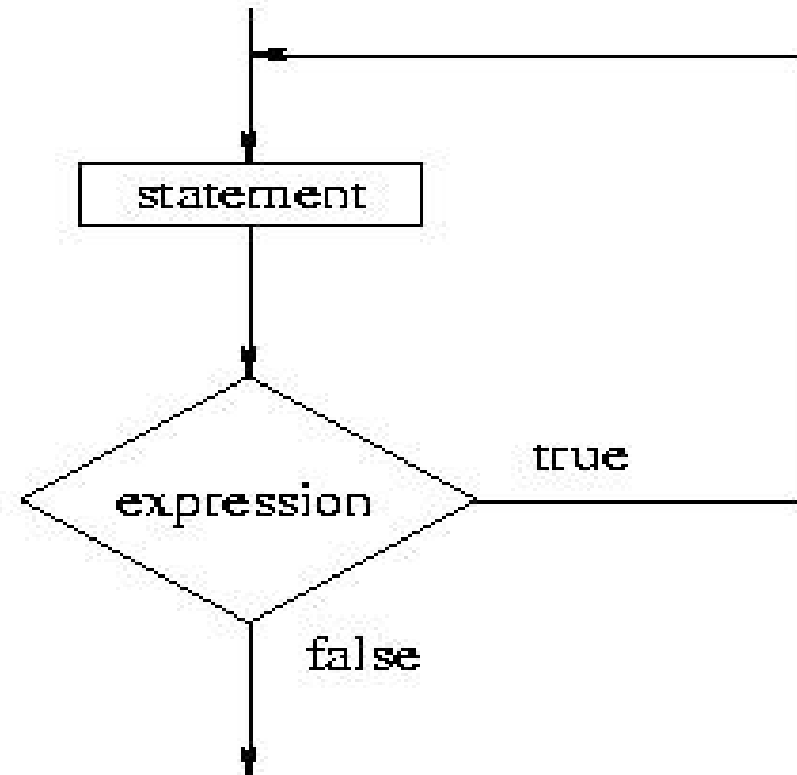
```
do {
    printf("%d\n", a);
    a = a + 1;
} while (a < b);
```

- **Operation:** Similar to the *while* control except that *statement* is executed before the *expression* is evaluated. This guarantees that *statement* is always executed at least one time even if *expression* is *FALSE*.

# Flowchart of a do-while loop

- The syntax of a do-while statement is as follows:

```
do  
    statement  
while (expression) ;
```



**Example:**

```
int i = 0;  
do {  
    printf("%d ", i);  
    i++;  
} while(i < 5);
```

**Output:**

0 1 2 3 4



- What is the output of the following example?

Example:

```
int i = 10;  
do {  
    printf("%d ", i);  
    i++;  
} while(i < 5);
```

Output: 10

# The for Statement

- **Structure:** *for(expr1; expr2; expr3)*  
    {  
        *statement;*  
    }
- **Operation:** The for loop in C is simply a shorthand way of expressing a while statement:  
    *expr1;*  
    *while(expr2)*  
    {  
        *statement;*  
        *expr3*  
    }
- The comma operator lets you separate several different statements in the initialization and increment sections of the for loop (but not in the test section).

# C Errors to Avoid

- Putting = when you mean == in an if or while statement
- Forgetting to increment the counter inside the while loop - If you forget to increment the counter, you get an infinite loop (the loop never ends).
- Accidentally putting a ; at the end of a for loop or if statement so that the statement has no effect - For example:

```
for (x=1; x<10; x++);  
printf("%d\n",x);
```

only prints out one value because the semicolon after the for statement acts as the one line the for loop executes.

- **For Loop**

- The syntax of a `for` statement is as follows:

```
for(expression1; expression2; expression3)  
    statement
```

- The expression `expression1` is evaluated as a void expression before the first evaluation of the controlling expression.
    - The expression `expression2` is the controlling expression that is evaluated before each execution of the loop body.
    - The expression `expression3` is evaluated as a void expression after each execution of the loop body.
    - Both `expression1` and `expression3` can be omitted. An omitted `expression2` is replaced by a nonzero constant.

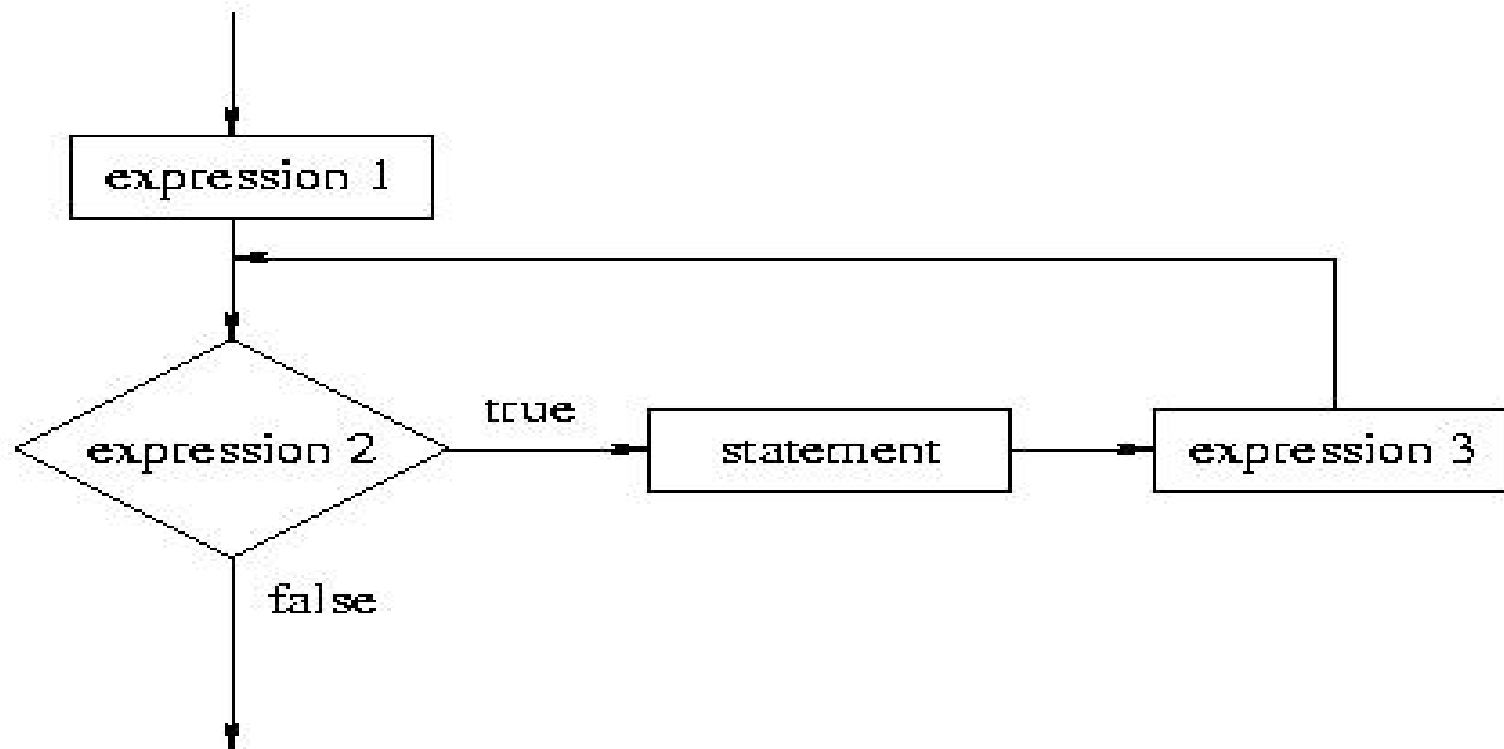
- The for-loop is semantically equivalent to the following while-loop:

```
expression1;  
while (expression2)  
{  
    statement  
    expression3;  
}
```

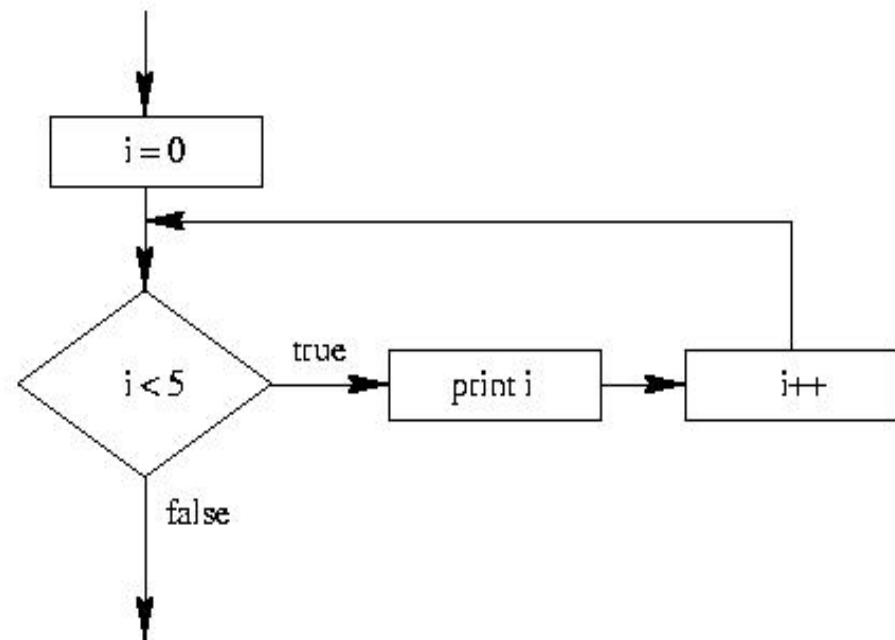
# Flowchart of a for Loop

The syntax of a for loop is as follows:

```
for (expression1; expression2; expression3)  
statement
```



```
int i;  
for(i = 0; i < 5; i++)  
{  
    printf("%d ", i);  
}
```



initialize control variable i      increment control variable

for ( i = 1; i < 5; i++ )

loop continuation condition

**Output:**

0 1 2 3 4

### Example:

Calculating a factorial 5!. The factorial  $n!$  is defined as  $n*(n-1)!$

```
main() {
    int i, f, n;
    printf("Please input a number\n");
    scanf("%d", &n);
    for(i=1, f=1; i<=n; i++)
    {
        f = f*i;
    }
    printf("factorial %d! = %d\n", n, f);
}
```

Execution and Output:

5

factorial 5! = 120



# Jump Statements

- **Break Statements**

- The break statement provides an early exit from the for, while, do-while, and for each loops as well as switch statement.
- A break causes the innermost enclosing loop or switch to be exited immediately.

**Example:**

```
int i;
for(i=0; i<5; i++)
{
    if(i == 3)
    {
        break;
    }
    printf("%d", i);
}
```

**Output : 0 1 2**

- **Continue Statements**

- The `continue` statement causes the next iteration of the enclosing `for`, `while` and `do-while` loop to begin.
- A `continue` statement should only appear in a loop body.

```
int i;
    for(i=0; i<5; i++)
    {
        if(i == 3)
        {
            continue;
        }
        printf("%d", i);
    }
```

Output : 0 1 2 4

# **Nested Loop**

Nested loop = loop inside loop

## Program flow

The inner loops must be finished before the outer loop resumes iteration.

Write a program to print a multiplication table.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	1									
2	2	4								
3	3	6	9							
4	4	8	12	16						
5	5	10	15	20	25					
6	6	12	18	24	30	36				
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49			
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64		
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	
10	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100

**Example:** A program to print a multiplication table.

```
main()
{
int i, j;
printf("1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9 10\n");
printf("-----\n");
for(i=1; i<= 10; i++)
    { /* outer loop */
        printf("%d  ", i);
        for(j=1; j<=i; j++)
            { /* inner loop */
                printf("%d  ", i*j);
            }
        printf("\n");
    }
printf("-----\n");
}
```

## **Solve all problem using while,do – while and for**

- WAP to find sum of ten numbers.
- WAP to display all numbers between 1 to 1000 that are perfectly divisible by 10.
- WAP to display all numbers between 2000 to 100 that are perfectly divisible by 13 and 15 and 17 and 19.
- WAP to find sum of all numbers between 500 to 1500 that are perfectly divisible by 3 and 5 and 15 and 45.
- WAP to find sum of all numbers between 10000 to 1000 that are perfectly divisible by 3 and 7 and 9 and 42.
- WAP to find factorial of given number
  - $N! = N * (N-1)!$
- WAP to check whether a given number is prime or not.
  - A number is prime if it is divisible by 1 and the number itself only
- WAP to generate all prime numbers between 100 to 1.

- WAP to generate multiplication table of any given number
- WAP to generate multiplication table of number 1 to 5.
- WAP to check whether a given program in Armstrong or not.
  - 153 is a Armstrong number because  $1^3+5^3+3^3=153$
- WAP to check whether a number is strong or not.
  - 145 is a strong number because  $1! + 4! + 5! = 145$
- WAP to check whether a number is perfect or not.
  - 28 is a perfect number because  $1+2+4+7+14 = 28$
- WAP to find GCD (HCF) of given two numbers.
- WAP to find LCM of given numbers.