#### Looping in Fortran

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## **Indexed Do loops**

```
integer :: i
do i=1,10
  ! code with i
end do
```

You can include a step size (which can be negative) as a third parameter:

```
do i=1,10,3
  ! code with i
end do
```



# While loop

The while loop has a pre-test:

```
do while (i<1000)
  print *,i
  i = i*2
end do</pre>
```



## Exit and cycle

Loop without counter or while test:

```
do
  call random_number(x)
  if (x>.9) exit
  print *,"Nine out of ten exes agree"
end do
  Compare to \n{break} in C++.
```

Skip rest of current iteration:

```
do i=1,100
  if (isprime(i)) cycle
  ! do something with non-prime
end do
```

Compare to continue in C++.



#### Exercise 1

Read an integer and set a boolean variable to determine whether it is prime by testing for the smaller numbers if they divide that number.

Print a final message

Your number is prime

or

Your number is not prime: it is divisible by ....

where you report just one found factor.



## Implied do loops

Normally, each print statement is on a new line; use an implied loop to print on one line.

Print \*, 
$$(2*i, i=1, 20)$$

You can iterate multiple expressions:

These loops can be nested:

Print \*,( 
$$(i*j, i=1,20)$$
,  $j=1,20$ )

Also useful for Read.



#### Exercise 2

Use the implied do-loop mechanism to print a triangle:

```
2 2
3 3 3
4 4 4 4
```

up to a number that is input.

