

CS & IT ENGINEERING



Programming in C
Control Flow Statements
Lec - 05



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Switch Statements

Switch statement

- * switch is a keyword
- * Used to provide selection statement with multiple choices.
- * Multiple choices are provided using keyword : case

$2+3 \times 3 \Rightarrow 11$
Eval.
switch(expression) {

1
case constant₁ :

Code 1

break ;

11
case constant₂ :

Code 2 ✓✓

break ;

3
case constant₃ :

block of statements

break ;

default :

Code

break ;

}
↙

2 step

① matching

```
int i = 3;
switch(i) {
```

```
case 1 : printf("One");
        break;
```

```
case 3 : printf("Three");
        break;
```

```
default : printf("Wrong");
          break;
}
```

by default
sequentially

2 step
① matching

```
int i = 3;  
switch(i) {
```

case 1 :

```
printf("One");  
break;
```

case 3 : →

```
printf("Three");  
break;
```

default :

```
printf("Wrong");  
break;
```

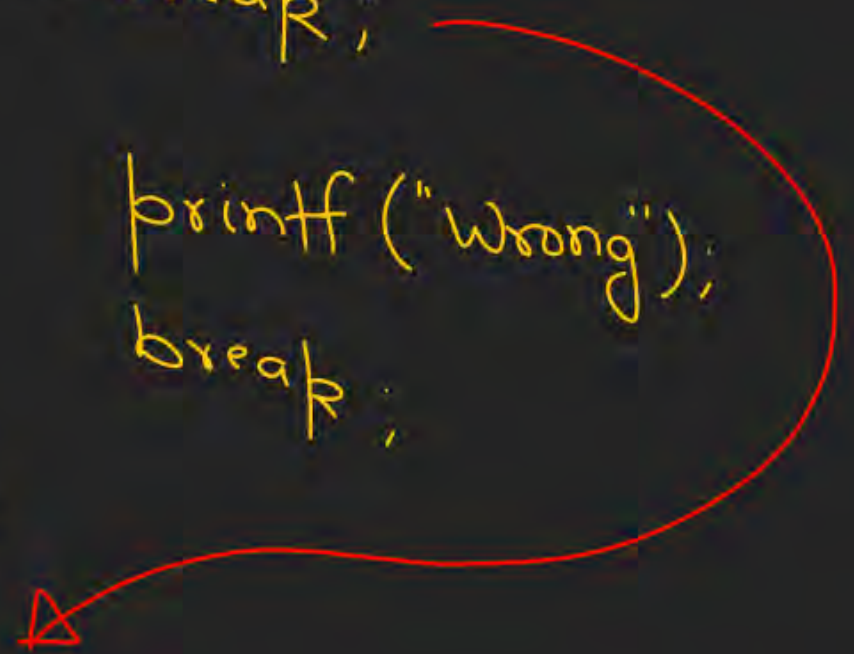
}


① continue
↳ only for loops

② continue → switch
ud ke lal

by default
sequentially

Three




```
int i;  
i = 3;   
switch(i) {
```


~~case 3 :~~

~~case 1 :~~

~~default :~~

}

 printf("Three");

 printf("One");

break;

printf("Zero");
break;

ThreeOne

Switch(expression)

Expression that
Eval. to be int value

{

—

—

/

/

/

}

10

10 + 20

10 && 30

10 < 10

10 < 20 && 3 > 5

10 == 20

int a=1, b=2 a+b*3

17 38 → Va ke laak default : —
break
}

✓ printf("Pankaj");

'A'

'A' + 2

'A' ✓

switch('A'){

Case 67 : Code
break;

Code 65 : Code
break;

```
switch ( 7 printf("Anushka"))  
{
```

```
case 1 : printf("1");  
        break;
```

```
default : printf("Hello");  
          break;  
}
```

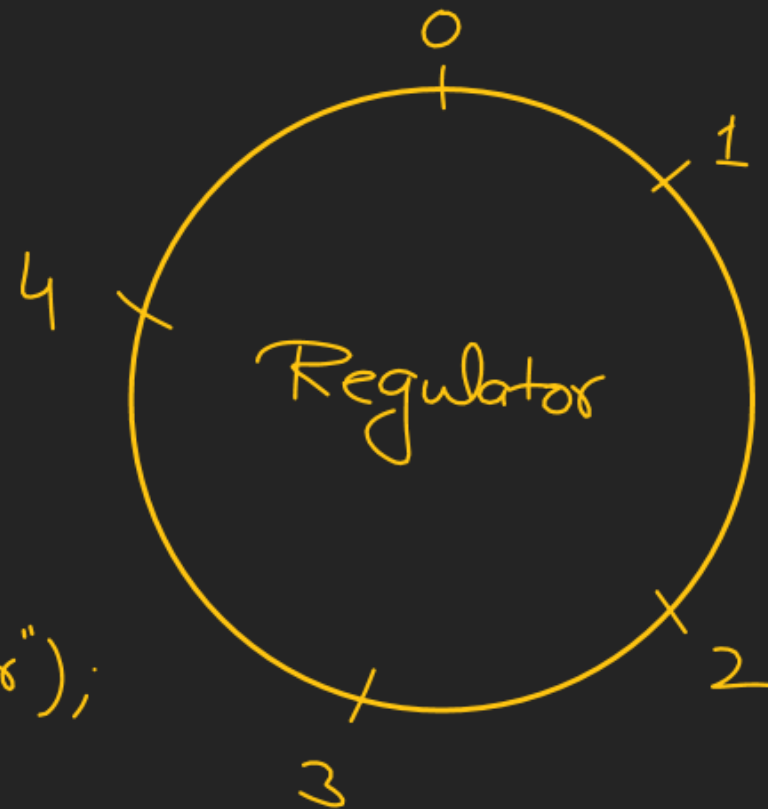
AnushkaHello


```
switch(i) {
```

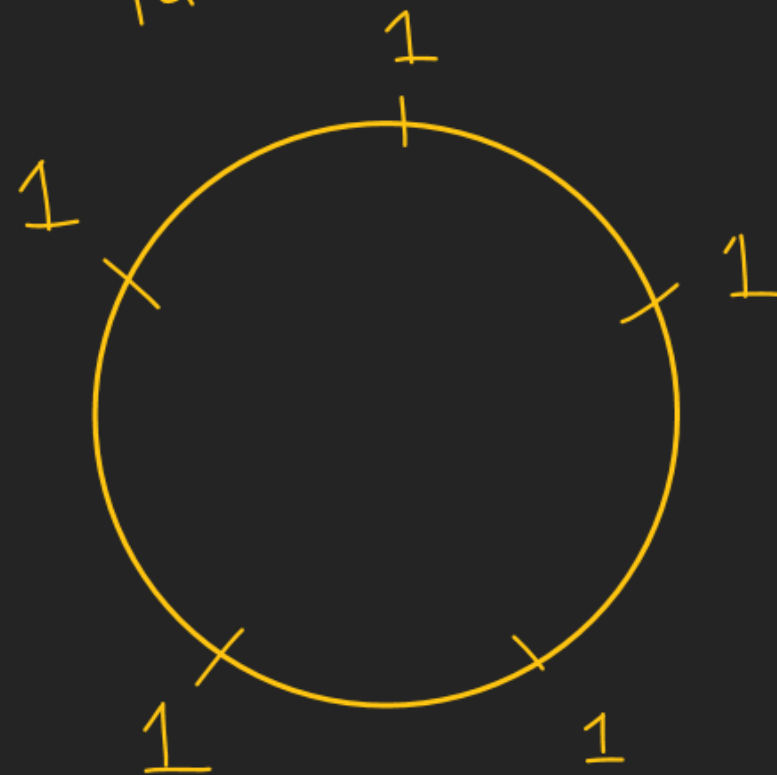
```
case 4: pf("4");  
break;
```

```
case 3+1: pf("four");  
break;  
}
```

↙



Duplicate case labels are not allowed.



Not for all compilers

low, high

1 to 10 → code

```
switch(i) {
```

Case 1 ... 10:

1 space



break;

Case 11 ... 20:

3 dots



break;

}


```
int i = 2;  
switch(i+2) {
```

```
    case 2: printf("2");
```

```
        break;
```

```
        printf("Hello");
```

ignore

```
    case 4: printf("4");
```

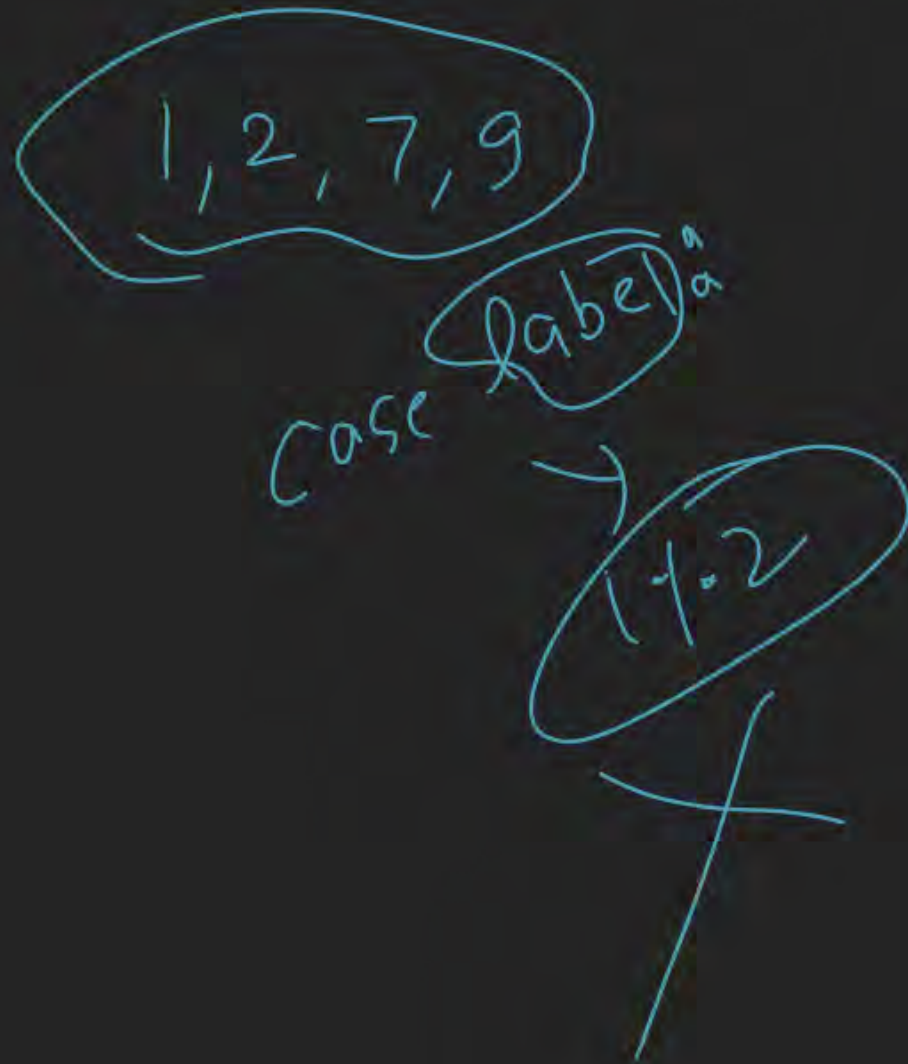
```
        break;
```

```
}
```

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set of values 1, 3, 5, 7 \Rightarrow code

2, 4, 6 \Rightarrow code



switch(¹i) {

switch

case 1 %

case 3 %

case 5 %

case 7 %

printf("Ponkaj");
break;

i = 1

a = 3, b = 2

a = (a == b) == 0;

switch(i) {

ignore a = a + 10; X
}

a = (0 == 0)

a = 1

1 << 2 + 1

1 << 3

1 << 3

⇒ 8

↓
==
==

① break is optional.

② Order of case labels does not matter.

③ Position of default does not matter.

④ default is optional.

⑤ switch(i); ✓

int i = 3
switch(i) {

✓✓

}

⑥ switch() ;
Exp. is not optional
Compiler ud Re
laot

⑦ case labels must be constant.
OR

Any exp. containing all constants

Case 1 : ✓

Case 1+2 : ✓

Case 1 < 2 && 3 > 5 : ✓

Case a : X

Case a+2 : X

Case printf() : X

Case 'A' : ✓

Case 'a' : ✓

Case 'A'+2 : ✓

