

CS & IT ENGINEERING

C Programming

C Tokens

Lecture No.- 04



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Recap of Previous Lecture



- Binary operators
(Two operands)
- Arithmetic ✓
- Logical ✓
- Bitwise & shift ✓
- Relational
- Assignment

Topics to be Covered

- Relational operators
- Assignment operator
- Ternary operator
- Operator Precedence & Associativity





Relational operators (or) Comparison operators

— These operators verify relation among 2 operands by comparing their values.

Operator

Meaning

<

Less than

<=

Less than or Equal to

>

Greater than

>=

Greater than or Equal to

!=

Not Equal to

==

Equal to

These operators compare both operands, returns True (or) 1 if relation satisfy
Otherwise, returns False (or) 0.

Examples :

$a = -1, b = 2, c = 0, d = 2$

$i = a >= b; \quad -1 >= 2 \quad \text{False} / 0$

$j = c < d; \quad 0 < 2 \quad \text{True} / 1$

$k = b <= d; \quad 2 <= 2 \quad \text{True} / 1$

$l = a > c; \quad -1 > 0 \quad \text{False} / 0$

$x = a != c; \quad -1 != 0 \quad \text{True} / 1$

$y = \underline{b == c}; \quad 2 == 0 \quad \text{False} / 0$

`Printf("%d %d %d %d %d %d", i, j, k, l, x, y);`

o/p: 0 1 1 0 1 0

Assignment operator (=)

- It assigns (gives, allocates, makes), RHS value to LHS

Operand 1 = Operand 2 ;

↑
Assigns op2 value to op1

- Operand 1 must be a variable
- Operand 2 can be any valid Expression.

$a = b + c$ Valid

$i = 5 + 4 / 3 - 2$ Valid

$x + y = z$ Invalid

Compound (or) Short-hand assignment

Operand 1 operator = Operand 2

\Rightarrow Operand 1 = Operand 1 Operator Operand 2

Ex: 1) $a += b \Rightarrow a = a + b$

2) $x /= y \Rightarrow x = x / y$

3) $i <<= 3 \Rightarrow i = i << 3$

4) $p -= q + r \Rightarrow p = p - (q + r)$
 $\Rightarrow p = p - q - r$

Ternary Operator \Rightarrow which Perform operation Using 3 operands.

\Rightarrow $?$: Symbol is Called Ternary operator

\Rightarrow Syntax: $\frac{\text{Expression 1}}{\text{operand 1}} ? \frac{\text{Expression 2}}{\text{operand 2}} : \frac{\text{Expression 3}}{\text{operand 3}}$

— operand 1 is Evaluated.

If it's Result is TRUE — operand 2 Evaluated, operand 3 is Ignored.

Otherwise \Rightarrow FALSE — operand 2 Ignored, operand 3 is Evaluated

— As operand 2 or operand 3, which should be Evaluated is Conditional, $?$: operator is also known as Conditional Operator.

— $?$: order will be Right to Left.

Examples

① $a=5, b=9, c;$

$c = a > b ? a : b;$

$5 > 9 ? \text{FALSE}$

$c = b$

$\Rightarrow c = 9$

② $a=1, b=0, c=-2$

$d = \underbrace{a}_{\text{op1}} ? \underbrace{b > c}_{\text{op2}} : \underbrace{a < c}_{\text{op3}};$

$1 ? \Rightarrow 1 \text{ is Non-Zero} \Rightarrow \text{True}$

$d = b > c \Rightarrow d = 0 > -2 (\text{True})$
 $\Rightarrow \boxed{d=1}$

③ $P=-3, q=2, x=0$

$x = ? ? \left[\begin{array}{c} q ? x ? q : P : x \\ \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \end{array} \right] : q ;$

$x ? q : P \Rightarrow 0 ? \text{False} \Rightarrow P$

$q ? P : x \Rightarrow 2 ? \text{True} \Rightarrow P$

$P ? P : q \Rightarrow -3 ? \text{True} \Rightarrow P$

$x = P \Rightarrow \boxed{x=-3}$

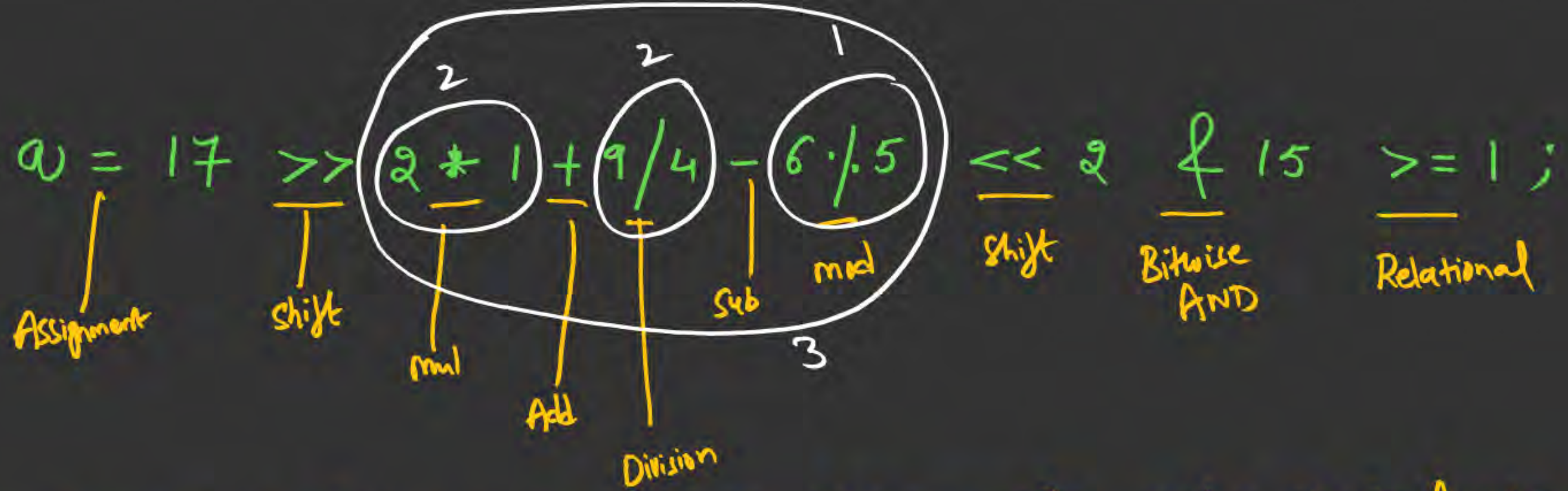
④ $a=5, b=7, c=0, d=-2, e=0$

$P = \underbrace{a \leq b}_{\text{op1}} ? \underbrace{b \neq c}_{\text{op2}} : \underbrace{c == e ? a > d : c \neq a}_{\text{op3}};$

$= 5 \leq 7 \text{ True} \Rightarrow \text{op3 ignored}$

$P = b \neq c$

$P = 7 \neq 0 \Rightarrow P = \text{True} \Rightarrow \boxed{P=1}$



- When, Two or more operators exist in the expression, Then, order of Evaluation is given by Operator Precedence (Pre-defined) [Priority or Rank]
- If Two or more operators, with same Precedence, Then order of Evaluation is given by Associativity (Left to Right (or) Right to Left)

→ Ex:

$2 * 1 = 2$	$2 + 2 = 4$	$2 \ll 2 = 2 * 2^2 = 8$	$8 \& 1 = 0$
$9 / 4 = 2$	$4 - 1 = 3$		
$6 / 5 = 1$	$17 \gg 3 = 17 / 2^3$		
	$= 2$		
		$15 \geq 1 \text{ True} = 1$	$a = 0$

Operator Precedence & Associativity Table

Operator	Name	Precedence	Associativity	Operator	Name	Precedence	Associativity
(), [], ++, --, •, →	Brackets Postfix member access	1	L TO R	<, <=, >, >=	Relational	6	L TO R
				!=, ==		7	L TO R
				& ^ 	Bitwise AND Bitwise XOR Bitwise OR	8 9 10	L TO R
++, -- +, -, *, &, !, ~, sizeof	[Prefix] Unary	2	R TO L	&& 	Logical AND Logical OR	11 12	
				?:	Ternary	13	R TO L
				=, +=, -=, *=, <<=, /=,	Assignment	14	R TO L
* / %	Arithmetic	3	L TO R	/	Comma	15	L TO R
+ -		4	L TO R				
<<, >>	Shift	5	L TO R				



2 mins Summary



- Special Symbols: The symbols that are not operators

Ex: @, \$, {, }, #

- Relational operators

- Assignment Operator

- Ternary

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