

# Selection Statements & Logical Operators

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## Recap

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## Remember

- Every statement ends with a semicolon (;).
- Programs always start from the `main()` function.
- All functional code needs to be inside a function.
- All functions must be enclosed in curly braces {}.

# Basic structure of C++

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```
1      #include <bits/stdc++.h>
2      using namespace std;
3
4      int main() {
5          // code here
6          return 0;
7      }
```

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# Variables Declaration

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```
1      int a;  
2      double b, pi=3.14;  
3      char c='A';
```

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# Basic Input/Output

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```
1      int a, b, c;  
2      cin >>a>>b>>c;  
3      cout<<"The result of a*10 is"<<a*10<<endl;
```

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## What's the value of each variable?

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```
1      int a, b;  
2      char c;  
3      //input: 10+5  
4      cin >>a>>c>>b;
```

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## A little tip

The result is `a=10`, `b=5`, `c='+'`

In C++, the input stream will read the whole input until it meets a whitespace, newline or another data type.

Therefore, `cin` will read 10 into `a`, then meet the character `'+'` and stop reading for `a`.

Next, `cin` will read `'+'` into `c`, then meet the character `'5'` and stop reading for `c`.

Finally, `cin` will read 5 into `b`.

This is a little tip for you to understand how `cin` works.

## **Force data type casting**

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## Idea of force data type casting

In C++, we should declare a variable with data type before we utilize it. But what if we assign a value with different data type to it?

In this case, C++ will automatically convert the assigned value to the data type of the variable.

For instance, we declare an integer variable `a`, but we assign a double value `3.14` to it.

In this case, C++ will automatically convert `3.14` to `3` and assign it to `a`.

# Conversion rules

- Integer to double: add a decimal point and a zero.
- Double to integer: remove the decimal point and the digits after it.
- Character to integer: convert the character to its ASCII code.
- Integer to character: convert the ASCII code to its corresponding character.

# Selection Statements

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## Preface: How to convert score to GPA?

Following is the GPA conversion table of an university.

Score	Grade	GPA
80-100	A	4.0
70-79	B	2.8
60-69	C	1.5
0-59	F	0.0

**Table 1:** Grade Conversion Table

## Solution without selection statements

With only variable operations, we can do it like this:

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```
1      #include<bits/stdc++.h>
2      using namespace std;
3
4      int main(){
5          int score;
6          double gpa;
7          cin >>score;
8          gpa=(score>59)*1.5+(score>69)*1.3+(score>79)*1.2;
9          cout<<gpa<<'\n';
10     }
```

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