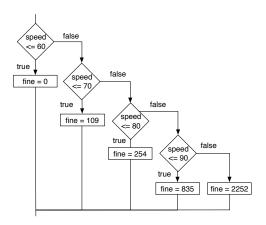
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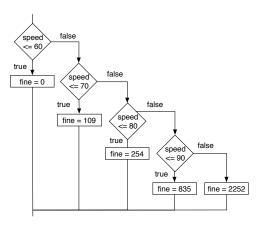
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How many possible paths of code?



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#### Lecture 6: While loops

Using a while loop; break

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#### while

**Syntax:** while (condition) statement

"While the condition is true, repeat what's in the statement."

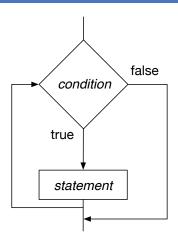
#### Steps of while:

- 1 while (condition) do
- 2 · statement
  - condition is checked: if it is true then go on to Step 2
  - statement is executed, then go on to Step 1

The while loop continues until condition is checked at Step 1 is false.

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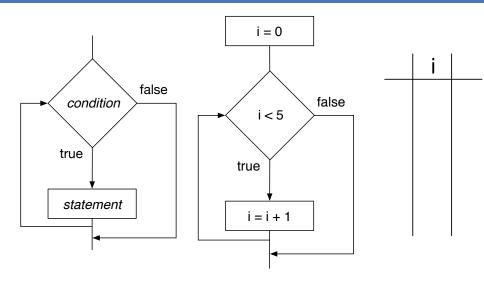
#### while loop diagram



- begin with the condition
- check the condition
- if it's true, execute the statement; otherwise, exit the loop
- go back to the condition

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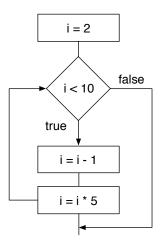
# while loop example



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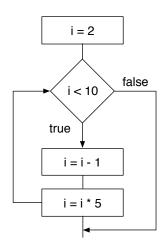
## while loop diagram to code

#### code?



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## while loop desk checking

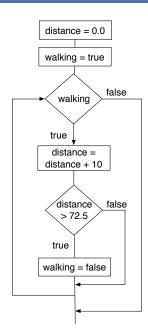


What is the final value of i?

How many iterations will there be in total?

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# while loop desk check



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#### while example

```
public class SandBucket {
      public static void main(String [] args) {
          double bucketCapacity = 5.0;
          double bucketFilled = 0.0;
          double sandHandful = 0.20;
          while (bucketFilled < bucketCapacity)</pre>
          {
               bucketFilled = bucketFilled + sandHandful;
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               System.out.println("bucketFilled = " + bucketFilled);
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```

How many iterations?

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#### while (true)

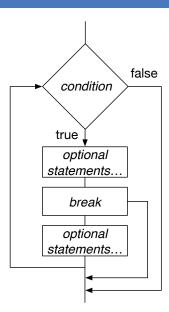
while (true) would imply an infinite loop

break; is a statement used to leave the body of a loop

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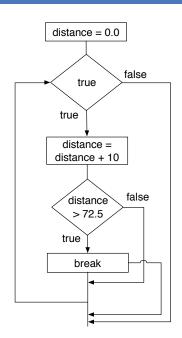
#### break

- break is a special reserved word
- When used in loops, it means "break from the current iteration of this loop"
- It isn't allowed in an if statement.



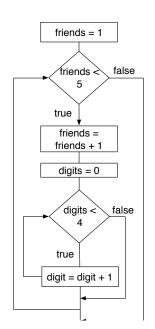
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#### break example



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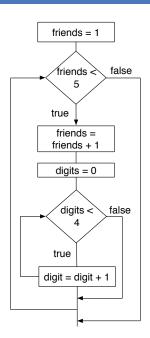
### Nested loop example



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## Nested loop example



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#### programming exercise

Write a program to describe a fisherman's catch. Each time a fish is caught it is first weighed, then thrown in a bucket. Your program will keep track of how many fish are caught and the total weight of the bucket. If the bucket exceeds a certain heavy weight the fisherman will stop fishing. The program will display the number of fish caught and the total weight.

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## programming exercise (cont.)

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