

Computer Programming using C

Flow Control-Part II

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The Use of the function scanf()

- ❑ It is used for input from keyboard

- ❑ The scanf() statement

`scanf ("%d" , &x) ;`

- ❑ The above scanf() statement has two arguments which are separated by a comma;
- ❑ The first argument is called the **control string**, where the conversion character (e.g.,d) defines the format that the input is interpreted.
- ❑ In this example, the control string contains the format specifier %d, which causes the input typed at the keyboard to be interpreted as a decimal integer.
- ❑ The second argument is **address**. The symbol **& is the address operator**; &x causes the value of x to be stored at the address of the variable x.

The Use of the function scanf()

- ❑ The scanf() statement `scanf ("%d", &x) ;`
- ❑ The conversion characters in scanf(f) are shown in the follow table

scanf() conversion	
Conversion character	How characters in the input are converted
c	character
d	decimal integer
f	floating-point number (float)
lf	floating-point number (double)
Lf	floating-point number (long double)
s	string

1. Repetition – The `while` Statement

```
while (expr)
    statement;
next_statement;
```

- As long as (i.e. while) `expr` is true (non-zero), repeatedly execute `statement`.
- When `expr` evaluates to false (zero), execute `next_statement`.

Examples



```
1  int i = 1, sum = 0;  
2  
3  while (i <= 4) {  
4      sum += i;  
5      i++;  
6  }  
7  printf ("%d\n", sum);
```

Examples

```
1 int i = 1, sum = 0;
2
3 while (i <= 4) {
4     sum += i;
5     i++;
6 }
7 printf ("%d\n", sum);
```

Output 10



	Before		Condition	After	
	i	sum	i <= 4	i	sum
1 st	1	0	true	2	1
2 nd	2	1	true	3	3
3 rd	3	3	true	4	6
4 th	4	6	true	5	10
5 th	5	10	false	/	/

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5      int cnt=0, n, max, x;
6
7      printf ("How many numbers do you wish to enter? ");
8      scanf ("%d", &n);
9      printf ("\nEnter %d decimal numbers:\n", n);
10     scanf ("%d", &x);
11
12     max = x;
13     cnt++;
14
15     while (cnt < n) {
16         scanf ("%d", &x);
17         if (max < x)
18             max = x;
19         cnt++;
20     }
```

```
21  
22     printf ("\nMaximum value: %d\n", max);  
23  
24     return (0);  
25 }
```



```
21  
22     printf ("\nMaximum value: %d\n", max);  
23  
24     return (0);  
25 }
```

How many numbers do you wish to enter? 4

Enter 4 decimal numbers:

4 3 99 20

Maximum value: 99

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5      int data, sum=0;
6
7      scanf("%d", &data);
8
9      while (data>=0) {
10         sum += data;
11         scanf("%d", &data);
12     }
13
14     printf ("The sum is %d\n", sum);
15
16     return (0);
17 }
```

10

20

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-1

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5      int data, sum=0;
6
7      scanf("%d", &data);
8
9      while (data>=0) {
10         sum += data;
11         scanf("%d", &data);
12     }
13
14     printf ("The sum is %d\n", sum);
15
16     return (0);
17 }
```

10

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-1

The sum is 60

Example

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main(void)
3  {
4      int number = 0;
5      while (number < 5)
6      {
7          switch (number)
8          {
9              default:
10                 printf("Gagusa\n");
11                 case 0:
12                     printf("Girene\n");
13                     break;
14                 case 3:
15                     printf("Lefkosa\n");
16                     break;
17                 case 2:
18                     ++number;
19                 case -1:
20                     printf("Iskele\n");
21                     break;
22                 case 1:
23                     printf("Karpaz\n");
24                     }
25                 ++number;
26             }
27             getchar();
28             return(0);
29     }
```

Example

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main(void)
3  {
4      int number = 0;
5      while (number < 5)
6      {
7          switch (number)
8          {
9              default:
10                 printf("Gagusa\n");
11                 case 0:
12                     printf("Girene\n");
13                     break;
```

```
14     case 3:
15         printf("Lefkosa\n");
16         break;
17     case 2:
18         ++number;
19     case -1:
20         printf("Iskele\n");
21         break;
22     case 1:
23         printf("Karpaz\n");
24         }
25     ++number;
26     }
27     getchar();
28     return(0);
29 }
```

Example

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main(void)
3  {
4      int number = 0;
5      while (number < 5)
6      {
7          switch (number)
8          {
9              default:
10                 printf("Gagusa\n");
11                 case 0:
12                     printf("Girene\n");
13                     break;
```

Number=0

```
14  case 3:
15      printf("Lefkosa\n");
16      break;
17  case 2:
18      ++number;
19  case -1:
20      printf("Iskele\n");
21      break;
22  case 1:
23      printf("Karpaz\n");
24      }
25      ++number;
26      }
27      getchar();
28      return(0);
29  }
```

Example

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main(void)
3  {
4      int number = 0;
5      while (number < 5)
6      {
7          switch (number)
8          {
9              default:
10                 printf("Gagusa\n");
11                 case 0:
12                     printf("Girene\n");
13                     break;
```

Number=1

```
14  case 3:
15      printf("Lefkosa\n");
16      break;
17  case 2:
18      ++number;
19  case -1:
20      printf("Iskele\n");
21      break;
22  case 1:
23      printf("Karpaz\n");
24      }
25      ++number;
26      }
27      getchar();
28      return(0);
29  }
```

Example

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main(void)
3  {
4      int number = 0;
5      while (number < 5)
6      {
7          switch (number)
8          {
9              default:
10                 printf("Gagusa\n");
11                 case 0:
12                     printf("Girene\n");
13                     break;
```

Number=2

```
14  case 3:
15      printf("Lefkosa\n");
16      break;
17  case 2:
18      ++number;
19  case -1:
20      printf("Iskele\n");
21      break;
22  case 1:
23      printf("Karpaz\n");
24      }
25      ++number;
26      }
27      getchar();
28      return(0);
29  }
```


Example

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main(void)
3  {
4      int number = 0;
5      while (number < 5)
6      {
7          switch (number)
8          {
9              default:
10                 printf("Gagusa\n");
11                 case 0:
12                     printf("Girene\n");
13                     break;
```

Number=4

```
14  case 3:
15      printf("Lefkosa\n");
16      break;
17  case 2:
18      ++number;
19  case -1:
20      printf("Iskele\n");
21      break;
22  case 1:
23      printf("Karpaz\n");
24      }
25      ++number;
26  }
27  getchar();
28  return(0);
29  }
```

Example

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main(void)
3  {
4      int number = 0;
5      while (number < 5)
6      {
7          switch (number)
8          {
9              default:
10                 printf("Gagusa\n");
11                 case 0:
12                     printf("Girene\n");
13                     break;
```

Number=5

```
14     case 3:
15         printf("Lefkosa\n");
16         break;
17     case 2:
18         ++number;
19     case -1:
20         printf("Iskele\n");
21         break;
22     case 1:
23         printf("Karpaz\n");
24         }
25     ++number;
26     }
27     getchar();
28     return(0);
29 }
```

Infinite Loop Using while

```
while (1)  
    statement;  
next_statement;
```

Infinite Loop Using while

```
while (1)
    statement;
next_statement;
```

- Stop the program in the operating system level, for example, Ctrl-C in DOS.
- There is a break statement for terminating the loop (discussed later).
- **Never** use!

2. Repetition – The do-while Statement

do

statement;

while (expr);

next_statement;

- Similar to `while`.
- But `statement` executed at least once because `expr` is evaluated at bottom.

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5      int cnt=0, max=0, n, x;
6
7      printf ("How many numbers do you wish to enter? ");
8      scanf ("%d", &n);
9      printf ("\nEnter %d decimal numbers:\n", n);
10
11     do {
12         scanf ("%d", &x);
13         if (max < x)
14             max = x;
15         cnt++;
16     } while (cnt < n);
17
18     printf ("\nMaximum value: %d\n", max);
19
20     return (0);
21 }
```

Same output as the
while loop example
provided n >= 1.

3. Repetition – The for Statement

```
for (expr1; expr2; expr3)  
    statement;  
next_statement;
```

Execution Steps:

1. **expr1** is evaluated.

2. **expr2** is evaluated.

- if true (non-zero),
 - (a) **statement** is executed.
 - (b) **expr3** is executed.
 - (c) goto step (2) again.

○ if false (zero), **next_statement** is executed.

- **expr1** – initialization
- **expr2** – condition
- **expr3** – (increment)

while Equivalent to the for Statement

```
for (expr1; expr2; expr3)
    statement;
next_statement;
```

```
expr1;
while (expr2) {
    statement;
    expr3;
}
next_statement;
```



```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5      int count, i;
6
7      printf("Count? ");
8      scanf("%d", &count);
9      printf("\n");
10
11     for (i = 0; i < count; i++)
12         printf("%d\n", count - i);
13
14     printf("Go!\n");
15
16     return (0);
17 }
```

Count? 5

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5      int count, i;
6
7      printf("Count? ");
8      scanf("%d", &count);
9      printf("\n");
10
11     for (i = 0; i < count; i++)
12         printf("%d\n", count - i);
13
14     printf("Go!\n");
15
16     return (0);
17 }
```

Count? 5

5

4

3

2

1

Go!

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5
6      int i, n, factorial=1;
7
8      printf ("n ? ");
9      scanf ("%d", &n);
10
11     for (i=1; i <= n; i++)
12         factorial *= i;
13
14     printf ("The factorial of %d is %d\n.", n,
15            factorial);
16
17     return (0);
18 }
```

n ? 4

```

1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5
6      int i, n, factorial=1;
7
8      printf ("n ? ");
9      scanf ("%d", &n);
10
11     for (i=1; i <= n; i++)
12         factorial *= i;
13
14     printf ("The factorial of %d is %d\n.", n,
15            factorial);
16
17     return (0);
18 }

```

n factorial
 $= n!$
 $= 1 * 2 * 3 * \dots * (n-2) * (n-1) * n$

$n ? 4$
 The factorial of 4 is 24.

The Empty Statement and `for`

```
for (expr1; expr2; expr3)  
    statement;  
next_statement;
```

- `expr1` and/or `expr2` and/or `expr3` can be omitted.
- `;` is still needed at the proper position.
- `;` is called the *empty statement*.
- Useful when a statement is needed *syntactically* but no action is required *semantically*.

Examples

```
i=1;  
sum=0;  
  
for ( ; i<=10; i++)  
    sum += i;
```

A more proper writing:

```
sum=0;  
for (i=1; i<=10; i++)  
    sum += i;
```

Infinite loop using **for** (*Never* use!)

```
for ( ;; )  
    statement;
```

```
1 #include <stdio.h>
2
3 int main()
4 {
5     int i, j, row, column;
6
7     printf("Row = ? ");
8     scanf("%d", &row);
9     printf("Column = ? ");
10    scanf("%d", &column);
11
12    for (i=1; i<=row; i++) {
13        for (j=1; j<=column; j++)
14            printf("*");
15        printf("\n");
16    }
17
18    return (0);
19 }
```

Nested for Loop

A for loop can be nested inside another for loop.

Row = ? 3
Column = ? 5

```

1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main()
4  {
5      int i, j, row, column;
6
7      printf("Row = ? ");
8      scanf("%d", &row);
9      printf("Column = ? ");
10     scanf("%d", &column);
11
12     for (i=1; i<=row; i++) {
13         for (j=1; j<=column; j++)
14             printf("*");
15         printf("\n");
16     }
17
18     return (0);
19 }

```

Nested for Loop

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```

Row = ? 3
Column = ? 5
*****
*****
*****

```



```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5      int i, j, size;
6
7      printf("Size? ");
8      scanf("%d", &size);
9
10     for (i=1; i<=size; i++) {
11         for (j=1; j<=(size-i); j++)
12             printf(" ");
13         for (j=1; j<=i; j++)
14             printf("*");
15         printf("\n");
16     }
17
18     return (0);
19 }
```

Size? 5

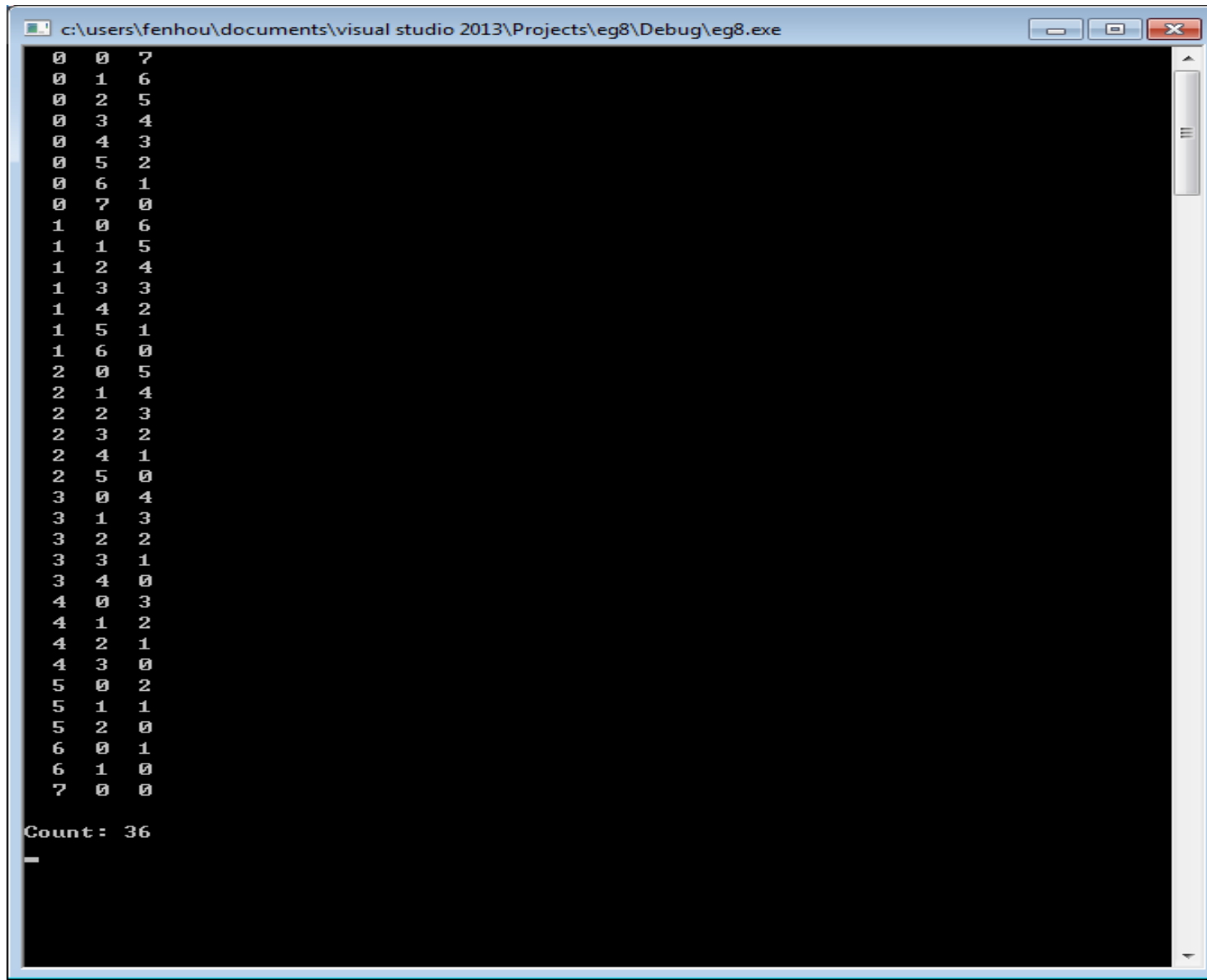
```
    *
   **
  ***
 ****
*****
```

```
1 #include <stdio.h>
2 #define N 7
3
4 int main(void)
5 {
6     int cnt = 0, i, j, k;
7
8     for (i = 0; i <= N; ++i)
9         for (j = 0; j <= N; ++j)
10             for (k = 0; k <= N; ++k)
11                 if (i + j + k == N) {
12                     ++cnt;
13                     printf("%3d%3d%3d\n", i, j, k);
14                 }
15
16     printf("\nCount: %d\n", cnt);
17
18     return (0);
19 }
```

Exercise

Study and execute the following program.

Exercise



A screenshot of a Windows command prompt window. The title bar shows the file path: c:\users\fenhou\documents\visual studio 2013\Projects\eg8\Debug\eg8.exe. The window contains a 36-line grid of numbers. The first 35 lines each contain three numbers separated by spaces. The numbers are arranged in a pattern that suggests a 7x5 grid with some cells missing or zeroed out. The last line of the grid is followed by the text 'Count: 36'.

0	0	7
0	1	6
0	2	5
0	3	4
0	4	3
0	5	2
0	6	1
0	7	0
1	0	6
1	1	5
1	2	4
1	3	3
1	4	2
1	5	1
1	6	0
2	0	5
2	1	4
2	2	3
2	3	2
2	4	1
2	5	0
3	0	4
3	1	3
3	2	2
3	3	1
3	4	0
4	0	3
4	1	2
4	2	1
4	3	0
5	0	2
5	1	1
5	2	0
6	0	1
6	1	0
7	0	0

Count: 36



The Comma Operator and `for`

`expr1, expr2`

- Example,

```
for (i=1, factorial=1; i<=n; i++)  
    factorial *= i;
```

Operator precedence and associativity

Operator	Associativity	Precedence
() ++ (postfix) -- (postfix)	left to right	Highest
+ (unary) - (unary) ++ (prefix) -- (prefix) !	right to left	
* / %	left to right	
+ -	left to right	
< <= > >=	left to right	
== !=	left to right	
&&	left to right	
	left to right	
? :	right to left	
= += -= *= /= etc.	right to left	
, (comma operator)	left to right	Lowest

The Comma Operator and `for`

`expr1, expr2`

- Lowest precedence of all operators.
- Left-to-right associativity.
- `expr1` is evaluated first, then `expr2`. Value of `expr2` is taken as value of the whole expression.
- Example, `a = 0 , b = 1;`
- Example,

```
for (i=1, factorial=1; i<=n; i++)  
    factorial *= i;
```

The Comma Operator and for

- Used in for statements, it allows multiple initializations and/or multiple processing of indices.

```
for (sum = 0, i = 1; i <= n; ++i)  
    sum += i;
```

equivalent to

```
for (sum = 0, i = 1; i <= n; sum += i, ++i)  
    ;
```

4. Controlling Repetition

break and while

Causes an exit from the *innermost* enclosing loop.

`sqrt(x)` evaluates to "square root of x". The use of `sqrt()` requires `#include <math.h>`.

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  #include <math.h>
3
4  int main(void)
5  {
6      int x;
7
8      while (1) {
9          scanf("%d", &x);
10         if (x <= 0)
11             break;
12         printf("square root = %.2f\n", sqrt(x));
13     }
14
15     printf("Bye!\n");
16     return (0);
17 }
```


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```
1 #include <stdio.h>
```

```
2 #include <math.h>
```

```
4 int main(void)
```

```
5 {
```

```
6     int x;
```

```
8     while (1) {
```

```
9         scanf("%d", &x);
```

```
10        if (x <= 0)
```

```
11            break;
```

```
12        printf("square root = %.2f\n", sqrt(x));
```

```
13    }
```

```
15    printf("Bye!\n");
```

```
16    return (0);
```

```
17 }
```

```
10
```

```
square root = 3.16
```

```
16
```

```
square root = 4.00
```

```
0
```

```
Bye!
```

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  #include <math.h>
3
4  int main(void)
5  {
6      int x;
7
8      do {
9          scanf("%d", &x);
10         if (x <= 0)
11             break;
12         printf("square root = %.2f\n", sqrt(x));
13     } while (1);
14
15     printf("Bye!\n");
16     return (0);
17 }
```

break and do-while

Causes an exit from the *innermost* enclosing loop.

```
10
square root = 3.16
16
square root = 4.00
0
Bye!
```

```
1 #include <stdio.h>
2
3 int main(void)
4 {
5     int i, x;
6
7     for (i=0; i<10; i++) {
8         printf("i = %d\t", i);
9         printf("x = ? ");
10        scanf("%d", &x);
11        if (x==0)
12            break;
13    }
14
15
16    printf("After the loop, i = %d\n", i);
17    printf("Bye!\n");
18
19    return (0);
20 }
```

break and for

Causes an exit from the *innermost* enclosing loop. Will **expr3** be executed before leaving the for loop?

i	=	0	x	=	?	10
i	=	1	x	=	?	20
i	=	2	x	=	?	4
i	=	3	x	=	?	5
i	=	4	x	=	?	0

```

1  #include <stdio.h>
2
3  int main(void)
4  {
5      int i, x;
6
7      for (i=0; i<10; i++) {
8          printf("i = %d\t", i);
9          printf("x = ? ");
10         scanf("%d", &x);
11         if (x==0)
12             break;
13     }
14
15
16     printf("After the loop, i = %d\n", i);
17     printf("Bye!\n");
18
19     return (0);
20 }

```

break and for

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```

i = 0 x = ? 10
i = 1 x = ? 20
i = 2 x = ? 4
i = 3 x = ? 5
i = 4 x = ? 0
After the loop, i = 4
Bye!

```

Expr3 will NOT be executed;
Will directly leave the for loop
from the break statement;

```

1  #include <stdio.h>
2  #define MAX 5
3
4  int main(void)
5  {
6      int data, sum=0, k;
7
8      for (k=0; k<MAX; k++) {
9          scanf ("%d", &data);
10         if (data <= 0)
11             continue;
12         sum += data;
13     }
14
15     printf ("Sum of positive values is %d\n.", sum);
16     return (0);
17 }

```

continue

Causes the current iteration of a loop to stop, and begins the next iteration.

continue as applied to
while and do-while?
Leave to you as exercises!

10
20
-1
90
-5

```

1  #include <stdio.h>
2  #define MAX 5
3
4  int main(void)
5  {
6      int data, sum=0, k;
7
8      for (k=0; k<MAX; k++) {
9          scanf ("%d", &data);
10         if (data <= 0)
11             continue;
12         sum += data;
13     }
14
15     printf ("Sum of positive values is %d\n.", sum);
16     return (0);
17 }

```

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Causes the current iteration of a loop to stop, and begins the next iteration.

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Leave to you as exercises!

10

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-1

90

-5

Sum of positive values is 120.

```

1 #include <stdio.h>
2 #define MAX 5
3
4 int main(void)
5 {
6     int data, sum=0, k;
7
8     for (k=0; k<MAX; k++) {
9         scanf ("%d", &data);
10        if (data <= 0)
11            continue; break;
12        sum += data;
13    }
14
15    printf ("Sum of positive values is %d\n.", sum);
16    return (0);
17 }

```

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20
-1

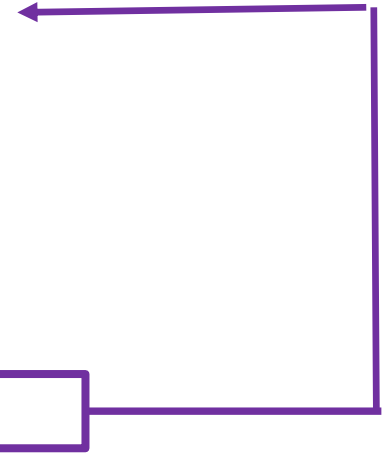
Sum of positive values is ~~120.~~ 30.

Example

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9                      continue;
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Output:

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3

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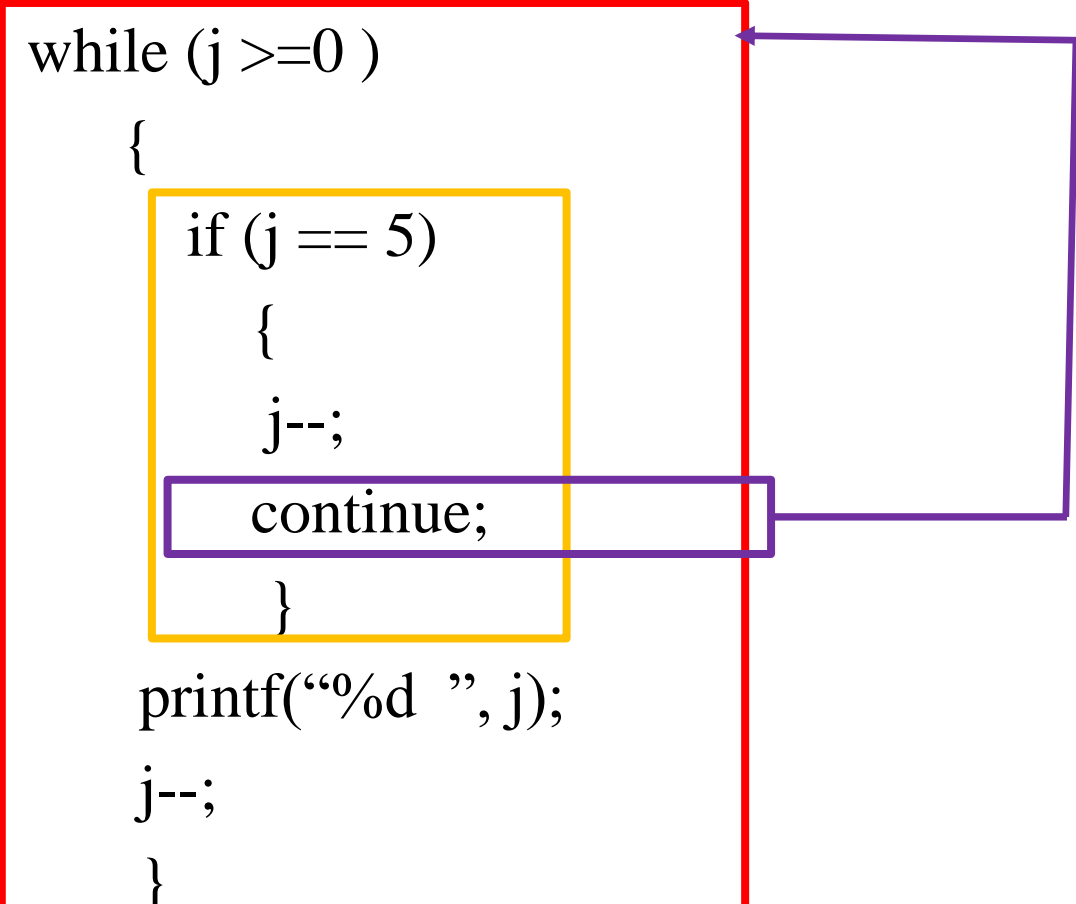
Example

```
1  #include <stdio.h>
2  int main(void)
3  {
4      int j=10 ;
5      while (j >=0 )
6          {
7              if (j == 5)
8                  {
9                      j--;
10                     continue;
11                 }
10     printf(“%d ”, j);
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12     }
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Example

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10 9 8 7 6 4 3 2 1 0

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    statements  
    continue;  
    more statements  
}
```

is equivalent to

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    more statements  
next:  
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or


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4. Controlling Repetition - The goto Statement

goto label;

- When a program execution encounters a **goto statement**, execution immediately jumps to **the labeled statement** specified by the goto statement.
- A labeled statement is of the form
label: statement
where label is an identifier.
- Example:
 Loc1: a=a+b;
 - but not 333: a=a+b ; /* 333 is not an identifier*/

4. Controlling Repetition - The goto Statement

- Cause an unconditional jump to a labeled statement somewhere in the current function.
- A goto statement and its target label must be located **in the same function**, although they can be in different blocks.
- **Strongly not recommended.**