#### **EECS 183**

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## Main Concepts so far...

- Main concepts so far:
- Conditionals and Nested conditionals
- Functions
- Scope
- Operators and operations
- Any questions??

#### Today:

- "Challenge" Problem posted on loops
  - We will go do it together for the last 15 minutes of class
- Function review (with conditionals)
- Loops: while and for
- Strings
- Nested Loops

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  - Reduce duplicate code
  - Helps organize code
  - Have return type, function name, parameters, and a job to do

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## New topic: LOOPS

• What is a loop?

#### Loops

- What is a loop?
- What are its components?
- Two types of loops:
  - While loop
  - For loop

#### Definition

- A loop is...
  - a block of code that is executed
     repeatedly while a certain condition is true
     stops when the condition becomes false!
  - Like an if statement that is executed more than once

## 3 Components

- 1. Initialization
- 2. Condition
- 3. Update
- All are important!
  - No update? →



# Compound Assignment Operators

Variable = variable + (expression)

~~ is the same as~~

Variable += expression

#### **Compound Assignment**

$$x = 2;$$

$$x += 5$$
;

$$x = 2;$$

$$x *= 3;$$

Equivalent

$$x = 2$$
;

$$x = x + 5$$
;

$$x = x - 2$$
;

$$x = x * 3$$
;

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#### ++i and i++

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- i++ happens after i does its job
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- ++i happens before i does its job
  - This is called the pre-increment operator

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- They decrement i by one
- o i-- happens after i does its job
  - This is called the post-decrement operator
- --i happens before i does its job
  - This is called the pre-increment operator

## Different Kinds of Loops

- Count-controlled
  - Ends after a certain number of iterations
  - Usually use a for, can use a while
- Event-Controlled
  - Ends after an event occurs that makes condition no longer true
  - Use a while DON'T use a for
- You can always use a while loop, and you must use one in an event-controlled situation

#### Both kinds of loops

• While and for loops that sum numbers 0-4

```
int x = 0;
int sum = 0;
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while (x < 5) {
    sum += x;
    ++x;
}</pre>
int sum = 0;
for (int x = 0; x < 5; ++x)
sum += x;
```

initialization, condition, update

#### Event-controlled loops

- Don't know how long something will be true? → event-controlled:
  - While it is not raining, stay outside
    - As soon as it is raining (not raining = false)...
       go inside!
  - Good for checking user input
    - Prompt user to enter info. until valid

#### While loop for checking input

```
string answer;
cin >> answer; initialization

while (answer != "yes" && answer!=
"no") {
    cout << "Please type 'yes' or 'no'.";
    cin >> answer; update
}
```

## While loops with cin

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```
int count = 0;
int num = 0;
cout << "Enter numbers!" < When cin is in the fail state, it
will evaluate to 0 as a condition.

while (cin >> num){
    ++count;
}
cout << "You entered " << count << "valid
numbers." << endl;</pre>
A non-number will put cin into a
"fail" state.

When cin is in the fail state, it
will evaluate to 0 as a condition.

You'll need to clear the cin fail
state before any further input
takes place.
cin.clear();
```

## Count-controlled Loops

- Want to do something a certain number of times? → count-controlled:
  - Hitting snooze on alarm to get more sleep
    - You can hit it <u>3</u> times and be on time → loop executes 3 times, then stops
  - Printing a certain number of stars

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**increment** x, and then print this new value of x

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      cout << x++ << endl:
      ++X;
What would happen if the increment happened this
way instead?
```

print x is it is, and then **increment** x

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- Everything happens inside parentheses
  - Initialization (int i = 0)
  - Condition (i < 5)</li>
  - Update (++i)
  - But its all still there!

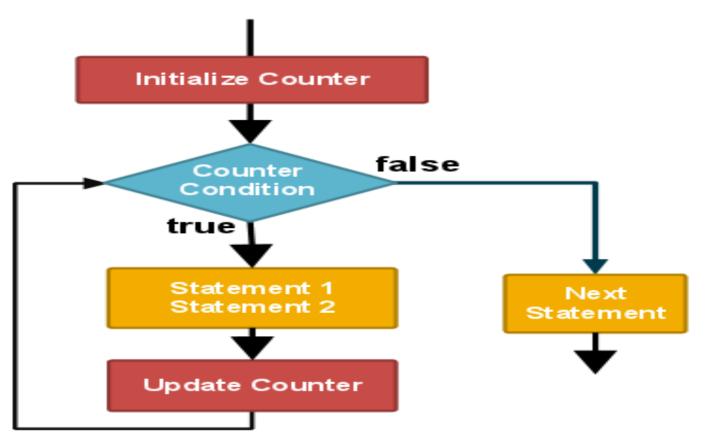
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#### Establishing order of a 'for' loop:

- 1) Initialize the counter variable i
  - This only happens once
- 2) Evaluate the condition
  - Happens every time the loop runs again
- 3) Update the counter variable
  - Happens at the end of each iteration of the loop body

## Logic for count-controlled loops



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  - Now i exists in whatever function the for loop is in

## Common Errors with Loops

- Incrementing one further than you wanted (off-by-one errors)
- Forgetting to update the counter (in while loops) or double updating (for loops)
- o Infinite loops!
  - Make sure your condition will fail at some point

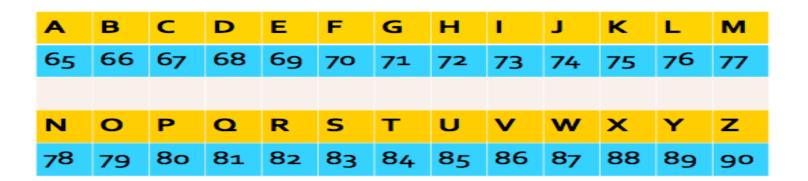
## New Material

- Loops: for and while
- Char types (characters) and the ASCII table
- String literals
- Nested loops

#### chars and ASCII

 Chars are actually integers, and they get converted from int to char via the ASCII table

#### **ASCII Table**



Lowercase letters have different ASCII values

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(value of char 'A' = 65 in ASCII table + 6)

• What about:
char c = 'a';
c += 3; //adds the three integers
cout << c << endl;</p>

• What would this print?

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- What would this print? d
  - Because we are printing out a variable of type char, the conversion happens

# String Literals

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- Remember what a string is made up of?
  - A collection of chars
- We can access each one of these chars

```
string name = "Jim";
cout << name[0] << endl; //prints: J</pre>
```

# Accessing characters of strings

```
string name = "Jim";
cout << name[0] << endl; //prints: J
```

Strings are what we call: 0 indexed

- The first char of the string is at index 0
- The second char of the string is at index 1
- And so on...

The index is inside the brackets: [1]

# Adding Characters to Strings

This is called concatenating

```
string name = "Jim";
cout << name[0] << endl; //prints J

name += 'm'; //adds m to the end of the string
name += 'y'; //adds y to the end of the string

cout << name << endl; //prints Jimmy</pre>
```

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- Now with a loop and a nested loop

## Let's code some loops!

- Pick some of the following to try out, and write each using a while loop and a for loop
- Sample source code file is on Ctools
- Printing only odd or only even numbers from 0 to 100
- Count to 1000 by twos, and only print the numbers divisible by 50
- Count to 50 by 2s, then finish to 100 by 5s (two loops needed here – not nested! Why?)
- Print each letter of a string on a separate line until the string is done (tricky – feel free to ask)
- Any other fun ones you can think of!