Front End Software Development

Introduction to JavaScript (weeks 1 - 6)
Week 02



Agenda

- Questions
- Boolean Operators
- Conditionals
 - If/Else
 - Switch
- Loops
- User Input

Questions

THE WORLD BEFORE SOCIAL MEDIA



Boolean Operators

- Boolean Values
 - true / false
 - Digital: 1 (true) / 0 (false)
- Equality Operators
 - ==, >, >=, <, <=, !=
 - <left value> <operator> <right value>

```
9 == 4 // false

4 == 4 // true

1 >= 6 // false

3 != 2 // true
```

Logical Operators

• &&, | |, ! (AND, OR, NOT)

```
(5 == 4) && (4 == 4) // false
(5 == 4) || (4 == 4) // true
!(5 == 4) // true
```

AND (&&)		
Χ	Υ	XY
0	0	0
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	1

OR (||)

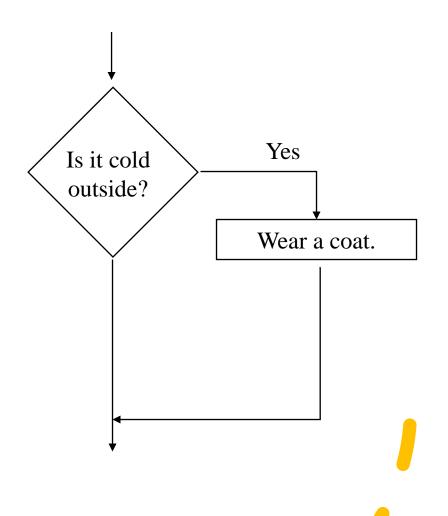
X	Υ	XY
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	1

NOT (!)

Χ	X'	
0	1	
1	0	

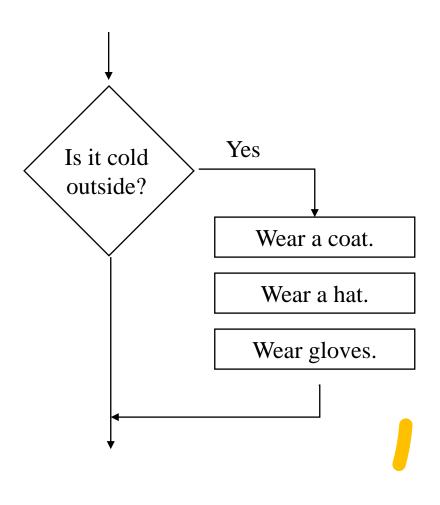
• Flow chart

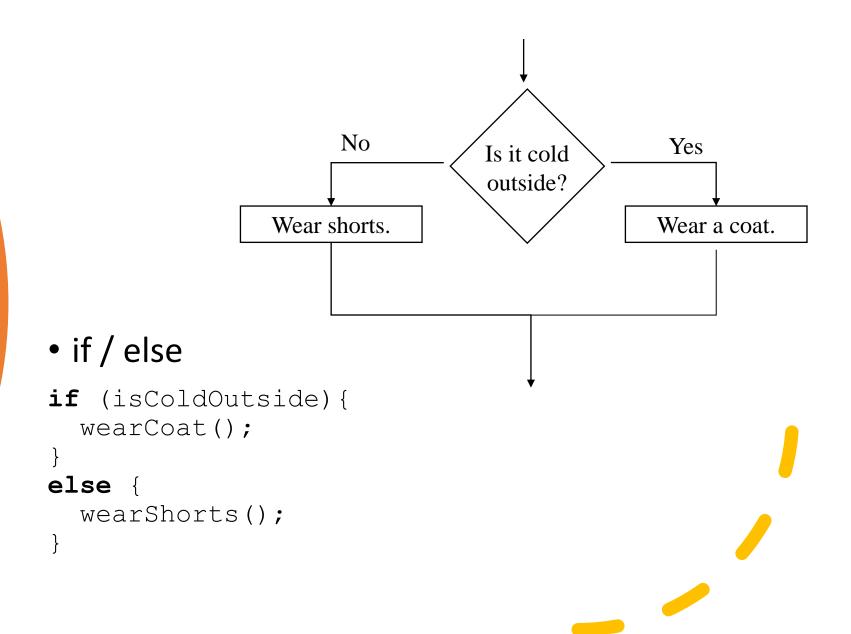
```
if (isColdOutside) {
    wearCoat();
}
```



• Code Block

```
if (isColdOutside) {
   wearCoat();
   wearHat();
   wearGloves();
}
```





```
No
                     Wear shorts.

    Nested

if (isColdOutside) {
  if (isSnowing)
    wearParka();
  else {
    wearJacket();
                       OR
else {
  wearShorts();
```

```
if ((isColdOutside) && (isSnowing)) {
   wearParka();
}
else if (isColdOutside) {
   wearJacket();
}
else {
   wearShorts();
}
```

Yes

snowing?

Yes

Wear a parka.

Is it cold outside?

Wear a jacket.

Conditionals (switch)

```
The getDay() method returns the weekday as a number between 0 and 6.
(Sunday=0, Monday=1, Tuesday=2...)
            switch (new Date().getDay()) {
                                                             What day
              case 1: // Monday
                                                             of week
                goToWork();
                                                               is it?
                break;
              case 2: // Tuesday
                                                   [Monday]
                goToWork();
                                                                    Go to work
                unwindAtHappyHour();
                                                   [Tuesday]
                break;
                                                                    Go to work
              case 3: // Wednesday
                                                               Unwind at happy hour!
                workFromHome();
                sweatAtYoga();
                                                   [Wednesday]
                                                                 Work from home
                break;
              case 4: // Thursday
                                                                Sweat at yoga class
                workFromHome();
                                                   [Thursday]
                                                                 Work from home
                break;
              case 5: // Friday
                                                   [Friday]
                                                               Drive to branch office
                driveToBranch();
                break;
                                                   <default>
                                                                     Sleep late
              default: // Sat(0), Sun(6)
                sleepLate();
                                                                Do household chores
                doHouseholdChores();
```

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Conditional / Branching Logic

Putting It All Together: BMI Calculator



- Body Mass Index (BMI)
 - Formula: weight (lb) / [height (in)]² x 703
 - Calculate BMI by dividing weight in pounds (lbs) by height in inches (in) squared and multiplying by a conversion factor of 703.

Example: Weight = 150 lbs, Height = 5'5" (65")

Calculation: $[150 \div (65)^2] \times 703 = 24.96$

Putting It All Together: BMI Calculator

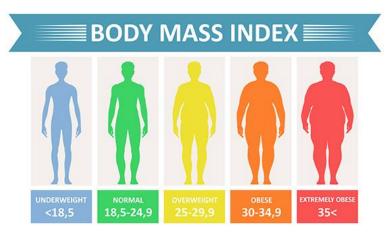
- If less than 18.5, then underweight
- If less than 24.9, but greater than or equal to 18.5 then normal or healthy
- If less than 29.9, but greater than or equal to 25.0 then overweight
- If less than 39.9, but greater than or equal to 30.0 then obese
- If greater than or equal to 40, then morbidly obese

BMI	
Below 18.5	Underweight
18.5 – 24.9	Normal or healthy weight
25.0 – 29.9	Overweight
30.0 – 39.9	Obese
40.0 and above	Morbidly obese

Putting It All Together: BMI Calculator

• Pseudo Code

- 1. Get input
 - Get name
 - Get weight
 - Get height
- 2. Perform calculation
- 3. Evaluation results
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 - If less than 39.9, but greater than or equal to 30.0 then obese
 - If greater than or equal to 40, then morbidly obese
- 4. Display results



Loops (standard)

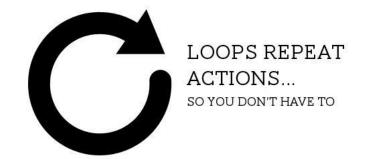
Non-Deterministic
 Not predictable. Some type of "sentinel" or
 control value is needed to
 determine when to stop.

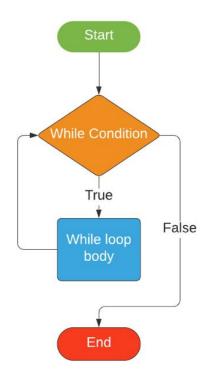
```
• while (true) {
    // code to repeat
  }
• do {
    // code to repeat
  } while (true);
```

• Deterministic

Number of loops are known in advance (i.e. 1 to 100)

```
• for (...; ...; ...) {
    // code to repeat
}
```







Loops (enhanced)

- Enhanced Loops (foreach)
 - for/in
 Loops through
 the index
 - for/of
 Loops through
 the values



```
let names = [ "George", "Ava" ];
for(let index in names) {
   console.log(index); // To get value, use names[index]
} // 0, 1

for(let name of names) {
   console.log(name); // No way to get index or position
} // George, Ava
```

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Loops (for / while / foreach)

Putting It All Together:
Multiplication
Tables

 Anyone remember 3rd grade math?
 OH GOSH NO!?!?!?

THE HORROR!

 Create a program that will output the multiplication table for 10x10.

X * Y = VALUE

X 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 0

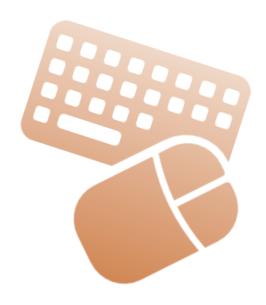
User Input

- Web Browser
 - Interaction with user

```
let count = prompt('How many?');
let index = 0;
while (index < count) {
   alert(++index); // This is annoying...
}</pre>
```

• TEMPORARY!

Better solutions exist, but we're not ready for them yet...



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User Input / Reading Input