Week 4

Hari Sethuraman

By the end of today

You should have a solid understanding of:

- Operators
- If-Conditions
- Else

Recap of Last lesson

- Datatypes: allow you to store different types of information
 - Int: Integer (4 bytes)
 - Char: Character (1 byte)
 - Float: number with decimals (4 bytes)
 - Boolean: true of false (1 byte)

How a C-program looks like

```
#include <stdio.h>
Header

int main ()

Main function

Insert code here (between curly brackets)
```

Header and main function

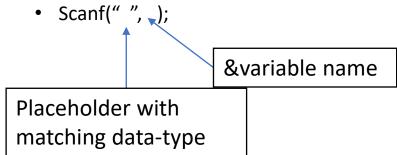
- The Header (The <stdio.h>) imports a lot of useful features and functions into the program.
 - There are other headers that bring other functions, but <stdio.h> will be in every program
- The main function is a function that is called by default when the program starts
 - All the logical code you write must be inside a function
 - The main function always looks like: int main() {...}

Recap (continuation)

- Printf: prints out whatever you pass to it:
 - Printf("Hi");
 - Prints Hi
 - Include '\n' for a new line (like pressing enter)
 - Placeholders allow you to insert variables in a print statement
 - %c for characters
 - %d or %i for integers
 - %f for floats
 - Printf("Hello, %c\n", c);
 - Will print 'Hello' followed by the value of *c*.

Recap (continuation)

- To get the input from the user and store it in a variable, we use *scanf*
 - Scanf consists of two parts



- Example: get an integer input and store it in the variable I
 - *int i = 0;* **initializing the variable value**
 - scanf("%d", &i); get input from the user
- The computer stores the input once the user pressers the enter button
- *Why the '&'? We use this symbol in order to tell the computer the location in memory of *i*. if we just used *i*, we would pass the value of *i*, which is currently 0.
- This is not very useful, therefore, by using the '&' before the variable name, we pass the location of the variable in memory rather than the value, so that the computer can directly write the input value there

Operators

- For any kind of logic or operation, we use 'Operators'. There are 3 main types:
 - Arithmetic operators
 - Relational operators
 - Logical operators

Arithmetic operators

- Used to computer arithmetic operations like addition, subtraction...
 - + used to add numbers
 - Example
 - Int x = 3 + 5 + 7; (x = 15)
 - used to subtract numbers
 - * used to multiply numbers
 - / for dividing
 - % is the 'modulo operator'. Returns the remainder of division:
 - Int x = 5;
 - Int y = 2;
 - Int z = x % y; Remainder of dividing first number by second
 - Z = 1

Relational operators

```
Int a = 1;
Int b = 0;
```

- Used to compare variables or numbers (returns a true or false value)
 - == used to check if two numbers or variables are equivalent
 - Not assignment! (=)
 - (a == b) -> returns false
 - != used to check if two numbers or variables are not equal
 - (a != b) -> returns true
 - > and < used to check if one variable or number is greater or lesser than the other
 - (a > b) -> returns true
 - <= and >= used for 'lesser than or equal to' and 'greater than or equal to'

Logical operators

```
<mark>bool</mark> a = true;
bool b = false;
```

To use bool, import <bool.h>

- Compares two Boolean values and returns a Boolean value
 - &&: means 'and'
 - Both values must be true to return true
 - a && b -> returns false because b is false
 - ||: means 'or'
 - At least one operation must be true to return true
 - a | | b -> returns true because a is true
 - True || true -> true
 - True || false -> true
 - False || true -> true
 - False || false -> false

Question

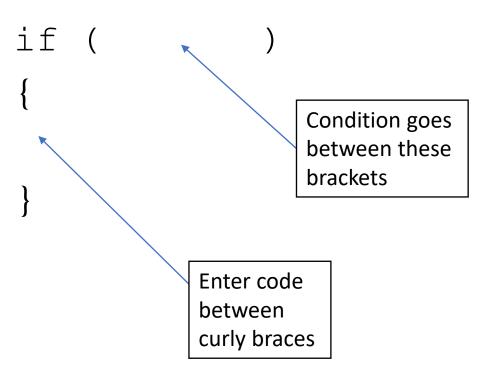
- int a = 2
- Int b = 5
- Int c = b + a
- Int d = (b*2) % (a*2)
- Question: (c != b) || (d == a)
 - What does this return?

Answer

- a = 2
- b = 5
- c = a + b -> 7
- d = (2*b) % (2*a) -> 2
- (c != b) || (d == a)
- true || true
- true

If conditions

• If conditions run the code inside them when a certain condition is met:



If the condition inside brackets is true, then run code between curly braces

Example

- Get two integers from the User
 - Print 'a equals b' if they are equal

Program

```
# include <stdio.h>
int main ()
        int a = 0;
        int b = 0;
        scanf("%d", &a);
        scanf("%d", &b);
        if (a == b)
                printf("%d equals %d\n", a, b);
```

Else

- We use 'else' after an if condition:
 - If ___ is true, then execute ___. Else, execute ___
 - Does not require a condition

```
else
{

Enter code
between
curly braces
```

Example

- Get two integers from the User
 - Print 'a equals b' if they are equal
 - Print 'a does not equal b' if they are not equal

Program

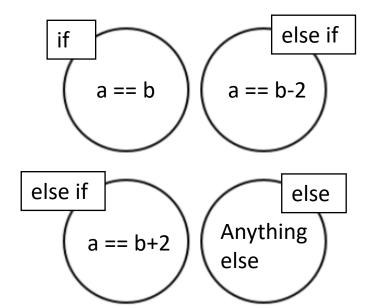
```
# include <stdio.h>
int main ()
           int a = 0;
           int b = 0;
           scanf("%d", &a);
           scanf("%d", &b);
           if (a == b)
                     printf("%d equals %d\n", a, b);
           else
                     printf("%d does not equal %d\n", a, b);
```

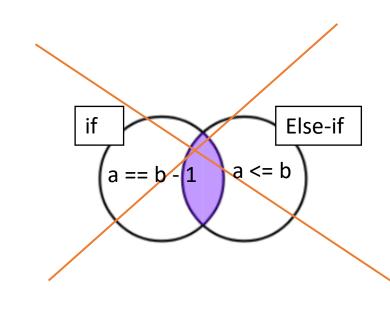
Else if

- Use else if statements if you want to stack multiple ifs, and only want one of them to execute
 - Always comes after an if-condition

• IMPORTANT: all ifs, else ifs, and else's must have Mutually Exclusive

conditions and code





Example

- Get two integers from the User
 - Print 'a equals b' if they are equal
 - Print 'a is greater than b by 1' if a is 1 greater than b
 - Print 'a is lesser than b by 1' if a is 1 lesser than b
 - Otherwise, print 'hello world'

Program

Simple Calculator Program

- Get input from user as a character c
- Get input for two numbers
- If *c* is:
 - 'a': add the two numbers
 - 's': subtract the numbers
 - 'd': divide
 - 'm': multiply
 - 'r': modulo
 - Something else, print 'error'