

## Advanced Arithmetic

CS1A

- Multiple Assignments
- Embedded statements
- Increment / Decrement
- Combined operators

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## Multiple Assignments

- Multiple assignments can be used to set several variables to the same value

### Example

```
num1 = num2 = num3 = num4 = 0;
```

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## Embedded Assignment Expressions

- Assignments can also be embedded

### Example

```
cout << (num2 = 10);
```

This performs 2 tasks

- 1. it assigns the value 10 into the variable num2
- 2. it displays the contents of the variable num2 on the screen

→ 1. il attribue la valeur 10 à la variable num2  
→ 2. il affiche le contenu de la variable num2 à l'écran

- Assignments are expressions NOT statements
  - They can be used anywhere an expression can be used

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### Example

```
num2 = 3;
num3 = num2 + 5 * (num1 = 7);
```

This statement is evaluated as follows:

- num1 is assigned the value 7  
num3 = num2 + 5 \* 7
- The multiplication is evaluated  
num3 = num2 + 35
- The addition is evaluated  
num3 = 38

Two assignment statements were made in the 2<sup>nd</sup> statement.

- The value 7 was stored in num1
- The value 38 was stored into num3

### WARNING

- Doing this in practice can cause you needless hours debugging!
- And your friends who help you debug will not appreciate it!
- This makes your code confusing to understand
- Bad style

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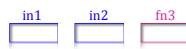
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## Evaluate the following assignment expressions.

```
int in1;
```

```
int in2;
```

```
float fn3;
```



```
in1 = ( fn3 = (in2 = 5) * 4 / 8.0 ) * 2;
```

```
cout << in1 << endl << in2 << endl << fn3 << endl;
```

```
in1 = ( fn3 = (in2 = 5) * 4 / 8 ) * 2;
```

```
cout << in1 << endl << in2 << endl << fn3 << endl;
```

Evaluate this one on your own

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## Evaluate the following assignment expressions.

```
int in1, in2;
```

```
float fn3, fn4;
```



```
in1 = ( fn3 = (in2 = 5) * (4 / 8.0) ) * 2;
```

```
if ((fn4 = (in1 = (in2 * 2) + fn3)) > 10)
```

```
{
    cout << fn4;
}
else
{
    cout << "Test val is 10 or less";
}
```

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### Evaluate the following assignment expressions.

```
int in1, in2;
float fn3, fn4;

in1 = ( fn3 = (in2 = 5) * (4 / 8) ) * 2;

if ((fn4 = (in1 = (in2 * 2) + fn3)) > 10)
{
    cout << fn4;
}
else
{
    cout << "Test val is 10 or less";
}
```

### Exercises

Rewrite the following statement → one operation at a time

if ((x = y) < z)

How will this be evaluated?

if (x = y < z)

Remember order of precedence?  
Which comes first?

Note: although the previous expressions can be used - we avoid combining too many expressions because it is considered bad programming style.

-- it is confusing and error-prone!!

### Increment & Decrement Operators

- Increment & Decrement operators either add 1 or subtract 1

- Can be used with integer or floating point values
- Unary operations (1 operand) → single variable

- Syntax

++ → Increment  
++variable; or variable++;

-- → Decrement  
--variable; or variable--;

Example:

int age;

age = 20;

age++;

This is logically equivalent to age=age+1;

### Prefix & Postfix

Prefix → ++age; (or --age;)

Postfix → age++; (or age--;)

- Using these operators alone will produce the same results
- Using them as part of a larger expression may not
  - the compiler does not evaluate them the same way

### Using Increment & Decrement in Expressions

Inc / dec	Prefix / Postfix	Syntax	How the compiler will evaluate the expression
++	prefix	++n	increment the contents of n and use the new value of n in the expression
++	postfix	n++	use the current value of n in the expression and when finished, increment n
--	prefix	--n	decrement the contents of n and use the new value of n in the expression
--	postfix	n--	use the current value of n in the expression and when finished, decrement n

## Increment Examples

**VARIABLES**  
lcv preInc postInc

```
int preInc;
int postInc;
int lcv;

preInc = 1;
postInc = 1;

cout<<"lcv Pre-Inc Test Post-Inc Test\n";

for (lcv = 1; lcv <= 3; ++lcv) OUTPUT
{
    cout << lcv << '\t';
    cout << ++preInc << "\t\t";
    cout << postInc++ << endl;
}

cout << "\nIn the end they are the same: ";
cout << preInc << '\t' << postInc;
```

Let's do a desk check

*Inc before*  
*Inc after*

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## Increment & Decrement Examples

```
int preDecTest, postIncTest, preDecTest, postDecTest, ;
preIncTest = 3;
postIncTest = 3;
preDecTest = 3;
postDecTest = 3;

result = 4 * ++preIncTest;
result = 4 * postIncTest++;
What are the values of preIncTest and postIncTest now?

result = 4 * --preDecTest;
result = 4 * postDecTest--;
What are the values of preDecTest and postDecTest now?
```

What will the value of result be after each instruction is executed.

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## Combined Operators

- C++ allows operators to be combined
  - Why? → shorthand
  - WARNING: Many environments discourage this
  - It decreases readability → Makes code confusing
- How to use them:

Combination	Syntax	Equivalent to...
+=	num += 5;	num = num + 5;
-=	num -= 3;	num = num - 3;
*=	num *= 10;	num = num * 10;
%=	num %= 2;	num = num % 2;
/=	num /= 2;	num = num / 2;

**Example:** How would we rewrite this?

```
num3 *= num + 10;
```

**Note:** The precedence of combined ops is **lower** than that of the regular math ops.

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## Order of Precedence

()
++, --, ! (unary)
* / %
+ -
< <= > >=
== !=
&&
= += -= *= /= %=

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## Combined Operators Examples

Write statements using combined assignment operators to perform the following:

- Subtract 5 from n1 & store the result in n1
- Add n1 \* 8 to n2 & store the result in n2
- Get the remainder of n3 divided by 5 and store the result in n3

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## Example

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    int a, b, c, d, e, f;
    c = 2;
    d = 5;
    e = 2;
    f = 8;

    b = (c++) + c;
    a = (b = c++) * --d / (e += f++);

    cout << a << endl << b << endl;
    cout << c << endl << d << endl;
    cout << e << endl << f << endl;

    return 0;
}
```

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## Exercise #1

```
# include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
```

```
{
    int a, b, c, d, e, f;
    a = 4;
    b = 6;
    c = 3;

    e = (d = c * b++) + --a;
    f = (b += c++);

    cout << a << endl << b << endl;
    cout << c << endl << d << endl;
    cout << e << endl << f << endl;

    return 0;
}
```

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## Exercise #2

```
# include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
```

```
{
    int a, b, c, d, e, f;
    a = 2;
    b = 5;
    c = 10;

    b *= c;
    d = --b * c++;
    e = --c * (a += 5);
    f = --a + --b * c++;

    cout << a << endl << b << endl;
    cout << c << endl << d << endl;
    cout << e << endl << f << endl;

    return 0;
}
```

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