



Program to print prime numbers from 1 to N.

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Given a number N, the task is to print the prime numbers from 1 to N.

Examples:

Input: N = 10

Output: 2, 3, 5, 7

Input: N = 5

Output: 2, 3, 5

Recommended: Please try your approach on [{IDE}](#) first, before moving on to the solution.

Algorithm:

- First, take the number N as input.
- Then use a for loop to iterate the numbers from 1 to N
- Then check for each number to be a prime number. If it is a prime number, print it.

Approach 1: Now, according to formal definition, a number 'n' is prime if it is not divisible by any number other than 1 and n. In other words a number is prime if it is not divisible by any number from 2 to n-1.



Below is the implementation of the above approach:



C++

```
// C++ program to display Prime numbers till N
#include <bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;

// function to check if a given number is prime
bool isPrime(int n)
{
    // since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if (n == 1 || n == 0)
        return false;

    // Run a loop from 2 to n-1
    for (int i = 2; i < n; i++) {
        // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a
        // prime number.
        if (n % i == 0)
            return false;
    }
    // otherwise, n is prime number.
    return true;
}

// Driver code
int main()
{
    int N = 100;

    // check for every number from 1 to N
    for (int i = 1; i <= N; i++) {
        // check if current number is prime
        if (isPrime(i))
            cout << i << " ";
```

C

```
// C program to display Prime numbers till N
#include <stdbool.h>
#include <stdio.h>

// function to check if a given number is prime
bool isPrime(int n)
{
    // since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if (n == 1 || n == 0)
        return false;

    // Run a loop from 2 to n-1
    for (int i = 2; i < n; i++) {
        // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a
        // prime number.
        if (n % i == 0)
            return false;
    }
    // otherwise, n is prime number.
    return true;
}

// Driver code
int main()
{
    int N = 100;

    // check for every number from 1 to N
    for (int i = 1; i <= N; i++) {
        // check if current number is prime
        if (isPrime(i))
            printf("%d ", i);
    }

    return 0;
}

// This code is contributed by Sania Kumari Gupta
```

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```
// Java program to display Prime numbers till N
class GFG
{
    //function to check if a given number is prime
    static boolean isPrime(int n){
        //since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
        if(n==1||n==0)return false;

        //Run a loop from 2 to n-1
        for(int i=2; i<n; i++){
            // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.
            if(n%i==0)return false;
        }
        //otherwise, n is prime number.
        return true;
    }

    // Driver code
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        int N = 100;
        //check for every number from 1 to N
        for(int i=1; i<=N; i++){
            //check if current number is prime
            if(isPrime(i)) {
                System.out.print(i + " ");
            }
        }
    }
}
```

Python3

```
# Python3 program to display Prime numbers till N

#function to check if a given number is prime
def isPrime(n):
    #since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if(n==1 or n==0):
        return False
```

```
#Run a loop from 2 to n-1
```

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```
return False
```

```
#otherwise, n is prime number.  
return True
```

```
# Driver code  
N = 100;  
#check for every number from 1 to N  
for i in range(1,N+1):  
    #check if current number is prime  
    if(isPrime(i)):  
        print(i,end=" ")
```

C#

```
// C# program to display Prime numbers till N  
using System;  
  
class GFG  
{  
  
    //function to check if a given number is prime  
    static bool isPrime(int n){  
        //since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.  
        if(n==1||n==0) return false;  
  
        //Run a loop from 2 to n-1  
        for(int i=2; i<n; i++) {  
            // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.  
            if(n%i==0) return false;  
        }  
        //otherwise, n is prime number.  
        return true;  
    }  
  
    // Driver code  
    public static void Main (String[] args)  
    {  
        int N = 100;  
        //check for every number from 1 to N  
        for(int i=1; i<=N; i++) {  
            //check if current number is  
            if(isPrime(i)) {
```

```
}  
}  
  
// This code is contributed by Rajput-Ji
```

Javascript

```
<script>  
  
// JavaScript program to display Prime numbers till N  
  
// function to check if a given number is prime  
function isPrime( n)  
{  
    // since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.  
    if(n == 1 || n == 0) return false;  
  
    // Run a loop from 2 to n-1  
    for(var i = 2; i < n; i++)  
    {  
        // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.  
        if(n % i == 0) return false;  
    }  
    // otherwise, n is prime number.  
    return true;  
}  
  
// Driver code  
var N = 100;  
  
// check for every number from 1 to N  
for(var i = 1; i <= N; i++)  
{  
    // check if current number is prime  
    if(isPrime(i)) {  
        console.log( i );  
    }  
}  
  
This code is contributed by ukasp.  
</script>
```

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Output

2 3 5 7 11 13 17 19 23 29 31 37 41 43 47 53 59 61 67 71 73 79 83 89 97

Time Complexity: $O(N^2)$,

Auxiliary Space: $O(1)$

Approach 2: For checking if a number is prime or not do we really need to iterate through all the number from 2 to $n-1$? We already know that a number 'n' cannot be divided by any number greater than ' $n/2$ '. So, according to this logic we only need to iterate through 2 to $n/2$ since number greater than $n/2$ cannot divide n.

C++

```
// C++ program to display Prime numbers till N
#include <bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;

//function to check if a given number is prime
bool isPrime(int n){
    //since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if(n==1||n==0) return false;

    //Run a loop from 2 to n/2.
    for(int i=2; i<=n/2; i++) {
        // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.
        if(n%i==0) return false;
    }
    //otherwise, n is prime number.
    return true;
}

// Driver code
int main()
{
    int N = 100;

    //check for every number from 1 to
```

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```
        cout << i << " ";
    }
}

return 0;
}
```

Java

```
// Java program to display
// Prime numbers till N
class GFG
{
    //function to check if a given number is prime
    static boolean isPrime(int n){
        //since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
        if(n==1||n==0) return false;

        //Run a loop from 2 to n-1
        for(int i=2; i<=n/2; i++){
            // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.
            if(n%i==0)return false;
        }
        //otherwise, n is prime number.
        return true;
    }

    // Driver code
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        int N = 100;
        //check for every number from 1 to N
        for(int i=1; i<=N; i++){
            //check if current number is prime
            if(isPrime(i)) {
                System.out.print(i + " ");
            }
        }
    }
}
```


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```
# Python3 program to display Prime numbers till N

#function to check if a given number is prime
def isPrime(n):
    #since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if(n==1 or n==0):
        return False

    #Run a loop from 2 to n/2
    for i in range(2,(n//2)+1):
        #if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.
        if(n%i==0):
            return False

    #otherwise, n is prime number.
    return True

# Driver code
N = 100;
#check for every number from 1 to N
for i in range(1,N+1):
    #check if current number is prime
    if(isPrime(i)):
        print(i,end=" ")
```

C#

```
// C# program to display
// Prime numbers till N
using System;

class GFG
{
    //function to check if a given number is prime
    static bool isPrime(int n){
        //since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
        if(n==1||n==0)return false;

        //Run a loop from 2 to n/2.
        for(int i=2; i<=n/2; i++){
            // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.
```

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```
    return true;
}

// Driver code
public static void Main (String[] args)
{
    int N = 100;
    //check for every number from 1 to N
    for(int i=1; i<=N; i++){
        //check if current number is prime
        if(isPrime(i)) {
            Console.Write(i + " ");
        }
    }
}

// This code is contributed by Rajput-Ji
```

Javascript

```
<script>
// Javascript program to display Prime numbers till N

// function to check if a given number is prime
function isPrime(n)
{
    // since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if(n == 1 || n == 0) return false;

    // Run a loop from 2 to n/2.
    for(let i = 2; i <= n / 2; i++)
    {
        // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.
        if(n % i == 0) return false;
    }

    // otherwise, n is prime number.
    return true;
}

// Driver code
```

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```
for(let i = 1; i <= N; i++)
{
    // check if current number is prime
    if(isPrime(i))
    {
        document.write(i + " ");
    }
}

// This code is contributed by shubham348.
</script>
```

Output

2 3 5 7 11 13 17 19 23 29 31 37 41 43 47 53 59 61 67 71 73 79 83 89 97

Time Complexity: $O(N^2)$,

Auxiliary Space: $O(1)$, since no extra space has been taken.

Approach 3: If a number 'n' is not divided by any number less than or equals to the square root of n then, it will not be divided by any other number greater than the square root of n. So, we only need to check up to the square root of n.

C++

```
// C++ program to display Prime numbers till N
#include <bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;

//function to check if a given number is prime
bool isPrime(int n){
    //since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if(n==1||n==0)return false;

    //Run a loop from 2 to square root of n.
    for(int i=2; i*i<=n; i++){
        // if the number is divisible by i, n is not a prime number.
```

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```
    return true;
}

// Driver code
int main()
{
    int N = 100;

    //check for every number from 1 to N
    for(int i=1; i<=N; i++){
        //check if current number is prime
        if(isPrime(i)) {
            cout << i << " ";
        }
    }

    return 0;
}
```

Java

```
// Java program to display
// Prime numbers till N
class GFG
{
    //function to check if a given number is prime
    static boolean isPrime(int n){
        //since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
        if(n==1||n==0)return false;

        //Run a loop from 2 to square root of n
        for(int i=2; i*i<=n; i++){
            // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.
            if(n%i==0)return false;
        }
        //otherwise, n is prime number.
        return true;
    }

    // Driver code
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        int N = 100;
    }
}
```

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```
        if(isPrime(i)) {
            System.out.print(i + " ");
        }
    }
}
```

Python3

```
# Python3 program to display Prime numbers till N

#function to check if a given number is prime
def isPrime(n):
    #since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if(n==1 or n==0):
        return False

    #Run a loop from 2 to square root of n.
    for i in range(2,int(n**(1/2))+1):
        #if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.
        if(n%i==0):
            return False

    #otherwise, n is prime number.
    return True

# Driver code
N = 100;
#check for every number from 1 to N
for i in range(1,N+1):
    #check if current number is prime
    if(isPrime(i)):
        print(i,end=" ")
```

C#

```
// C# program to display
// Prime numbers till N
using System;
```

```
//function to check if a given number is prime
static bool isPrime(int n){
    //since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if(n==1||n==0)return false;

    //Run a loop from 2 to square root of n.
    for(int i=2; i*i<=n; i++){
        // if the number is divisible by i, then n is not a prime number.
        if(n%i==0)return false;
    }
    //otherwise, n is prime number.
    return true;
}

// Driver code
public static void Main (String[] args)
{
    int N = 100;
    //check for every number from 1 to N
    for(int i=1; i<=N; i++){
        //check if current number is prime
        if(isPrime(i)) {
            Console.Write(i + " ");
        }
    }
}

// This code is contributed by Rajput-Ji
```

Javascript

```
<script>
// JavaScript program to display Prime numbers till N

// function to check if a given number is prime
const isPrime = (n) => {

    // since 0 and 1 is not prime return false.
    if(n === 1||n === 0)return false;

    // Run a loop from 2 to square root of n.
    for(let i = 2; i <= Math.floor(Math.sqrt(n)); i++)
```

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```
    if(n % i == 0)return false;
}

// otherwise, n is prime number.
return true;
}

// Driver code

let N = 100;

// check for every number from 1 to N
for(let i=1; i<=N; i++)
{

    // check if current number is prime
    if(isPrime(i)) {
        document.write(i);
    }
}

// This code is contributed by shinjanpatra
</script>
```

Output

2 3 5 7 11 13 17 19 23 29 31 37 41 43 47 53 59 61 67 71 73 79 83 89 97

Time Complexity: $O(N^{3/2})$,

Auxiliary Space: $O(1)$

You can further optimize the time complexity to $O(n \cdot \log(\log(n)))$. Check [Sieve of Eratosthenes](#).

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