

Jerroo I fs



Relational **frequently used operators**

Operator	Use
x==y	checks if x and y have the same value
x>y	checks if x is greater than y
x<y	checks if x is less than y
x>=y	checks if x is greater than or equal to y
x<=y	checks if x is less than or equal to y
x!=y	checks if x is not equal to y

Relational operators are used to compare values for equality, less than, and greater than.

90<2 is false.

90>2 is true.

90==2 is false.

2==2 is true.

boolean

A boolean is any condition or variable that can be evaluated to true or false.

```
10 == 10  
boolean isOdd = true;  
boolean isEven = false;
```

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**What can
a Jeroo
do?**

Jeroo
frequently used methods

Name	Use
hop()	move one step
hop(count)	move count steps
pick()	pick up a flower
plant()	plant a flower at this location
toss()	toss a flower one spot ahead
give(dir)	give a flower to a jeroo in direction dir
turn(dir)	turn in a direction dir

Jeroo

frequently used methods

Name	Use
hasFlower()	does this Jeroo have a flower
isFacing(comp_dir)	is this Jeroo facing comp_dir
isFlower(rel_dir)	is there a flower in spot in rel_dir
isJeroo(rel_dir)	is there a Jeroo in spot in rel_dir
isNet(rel_dir)	is there a net in spot in rel_dir
isWater(rel_dir)	is there water in spot in rel_dir
isClear(rel_dir)	is the spot in rel_dir empty

These methods are boolean; they return true or false.

The if statement!



If Definition

An if statement is a block of code that is associated with a condition. The block of code may execute once or not at all depending on the evaluation of the condition.



the if statement

```
if ( boolean condition placed here )  
{  
    do something 1;  
    do something 2;  
}
```



do something 1 and do something 2 will occur if the condition is true.

If the condition is false, do something 1 and do something 2 will not occur.

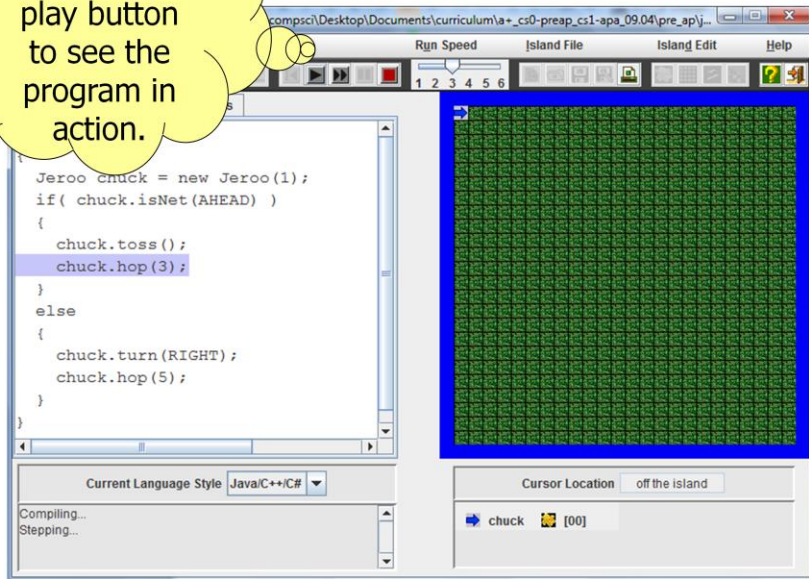
the if statement

```
if( jill.isWater(AHEAD) )  
{  
    jill.turn(RIGHT);  
}  
jill.hop();
```



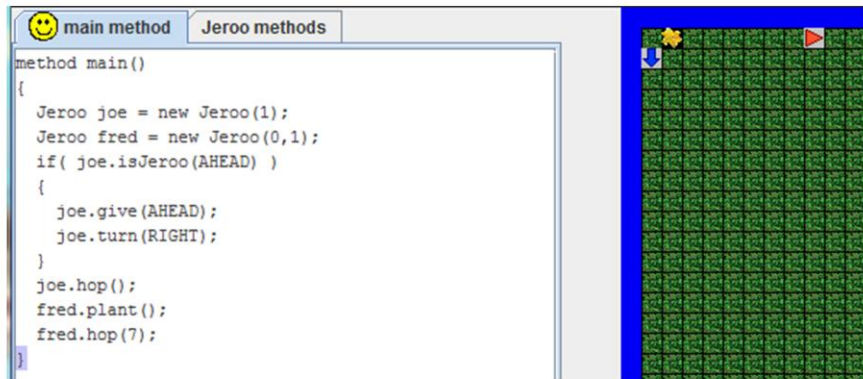
if statement

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if_one.jsc

the if statement



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if_two.jsc

the if-else statement

```
if( boolean condition placed here )  
{  
    do something 1;  
}  
else  
{  
    do something 2;  
}
```



If the condition is true, do something 1 will occur.

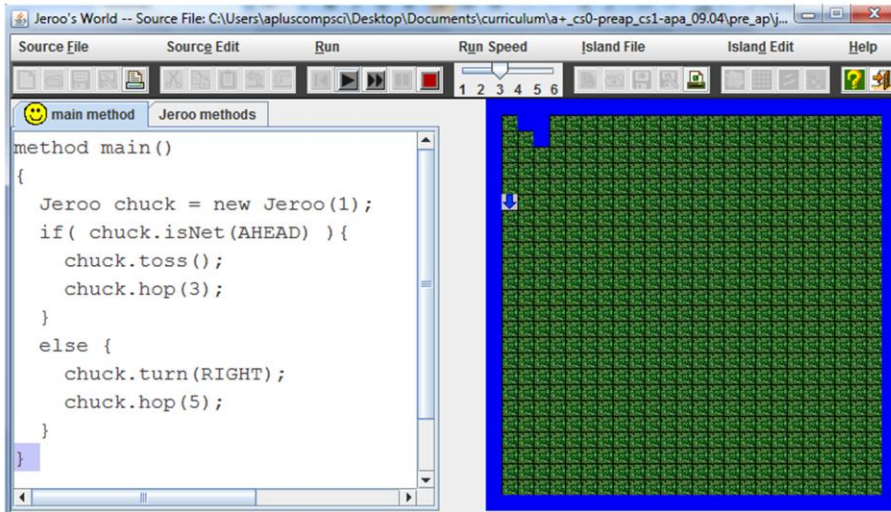
If the condition is false, do something 2 will occur.

the if else statement

```
Jeroo chuck = new Jeroo(1);  
if( chuck.isNet(AHEAD) ) {  
    chuck.toss();  
    chuck.hop(3);  
}  
else {  
    chuck.turn(RIGHT);  
    chuck.hop(5);  
}
```



the if else statement



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if else if

```
int num=1;  
if(num>5)  
{  
    System.out.println("big");  
}  
else if(num<5)  
{  
    System.out.println("small");  
}
```

OUTPUT

small



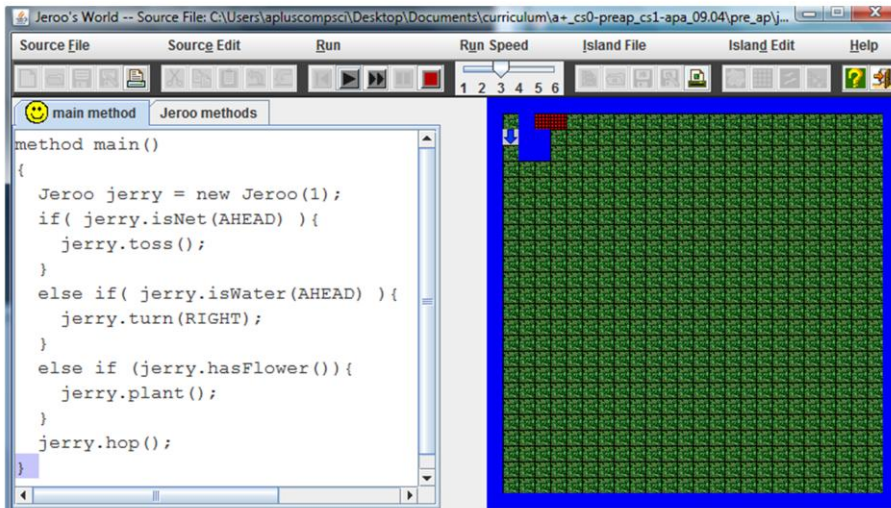
Nesting occurs when one thing is placed inside of another thing.

`if (num<10)` has been nested inside of `if (num>2)`

`if (num<10)` will only be tested if `if (num>2)` is true.

The else is associated with `if (num>2)` . Without the braces, the else would be associated with `if (num<10)` as if and else are paired based on proximity.

if else if



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nesting ifs

```
int num=11;  
if(num>2)  
    if(num<10)  
        System.out.println(">2<10");  
else  
    System.out.println("<2");
```

OUTPUT

<2

Always use braces with ifs to indicate which statements are related.



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nesting ifs

```
int num=7;  
if(num>2)  
{  
    if(num<10)  
        System.out.println(">2<10");  
    if(num>10)  
        System.out.println(">2>10");  
}
```

OUTPUT

>2<10



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In the example, `if (num>2)` contains 2 ifs. The 2 ifs have been nested in side of `if (num>2)`.

`if (num>2)` is true, the 2 nested ifs will be evaluated.

nesting ifs inside loops

```
Jeroo bob = new Jeroo(6);  
while ( bob.isClear( AHEAD ) )  
{  
    bob.hop();  
    if( bob.isWater( AHEAD ) )  
    {  
        bob.turn(RIGHT);  
    }  
}
```


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Recursion



Recursion occurs
when a method calls
itself.

If a method contains a call to itself, that method is recursive. Recursion is a very useful programming tool if used properly.

Base Case

A recursive method must have a stop condition/ base case.

Recursive calls will continue until the stop condition is met.



Using ifs with recursion

```
method go()  
{  
    if( isClear(AHEAD) ) //base case  
    {  
        hop();  
        go(); //recursive call  
    }  
}
```

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on If Labs**