15CSE102
Computer Programming

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Know Your Variables

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But not these names!!

Table 3-1	C Language Keywords		
auto	double	int	struct
break	else	long	switch
case	enum	register	typedef
char	extern	return	union
const	float	short	unsigned
continue	for	signed	void
default	goto	sizeof	volatile
do	if	static	while

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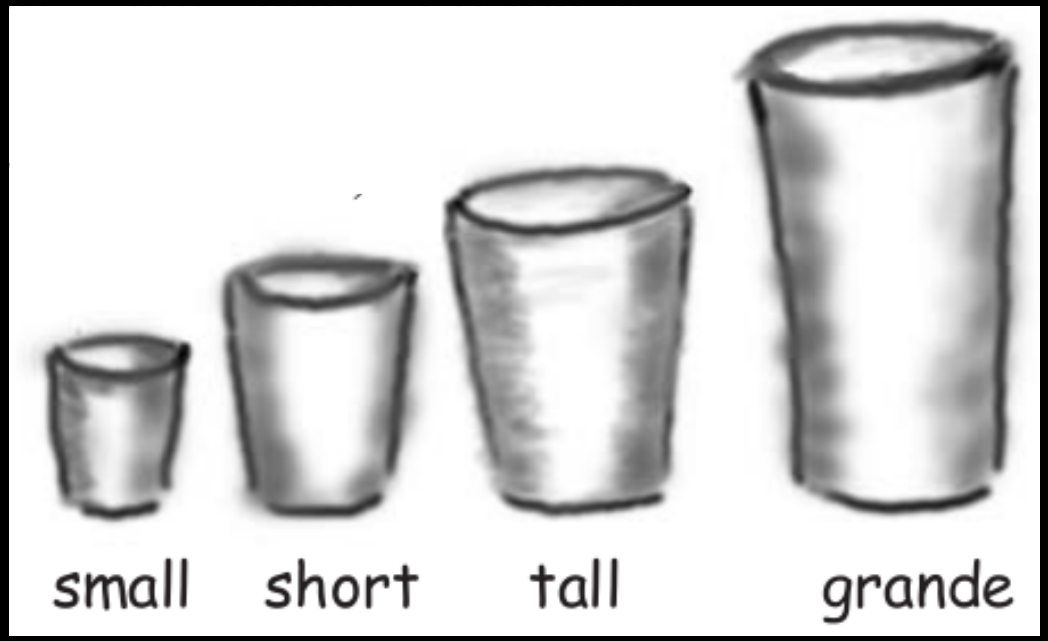

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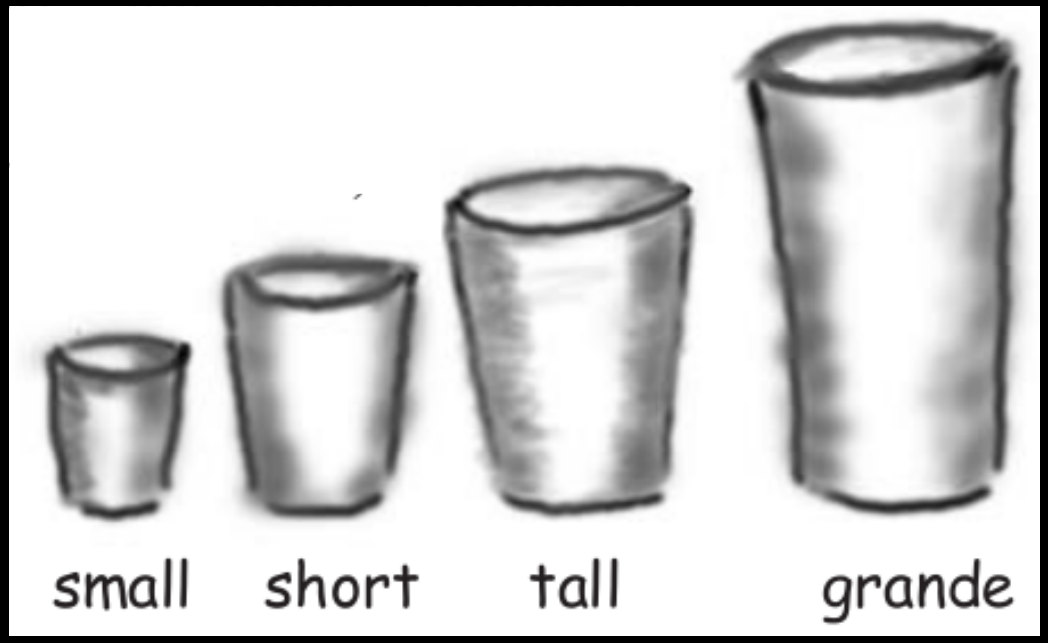

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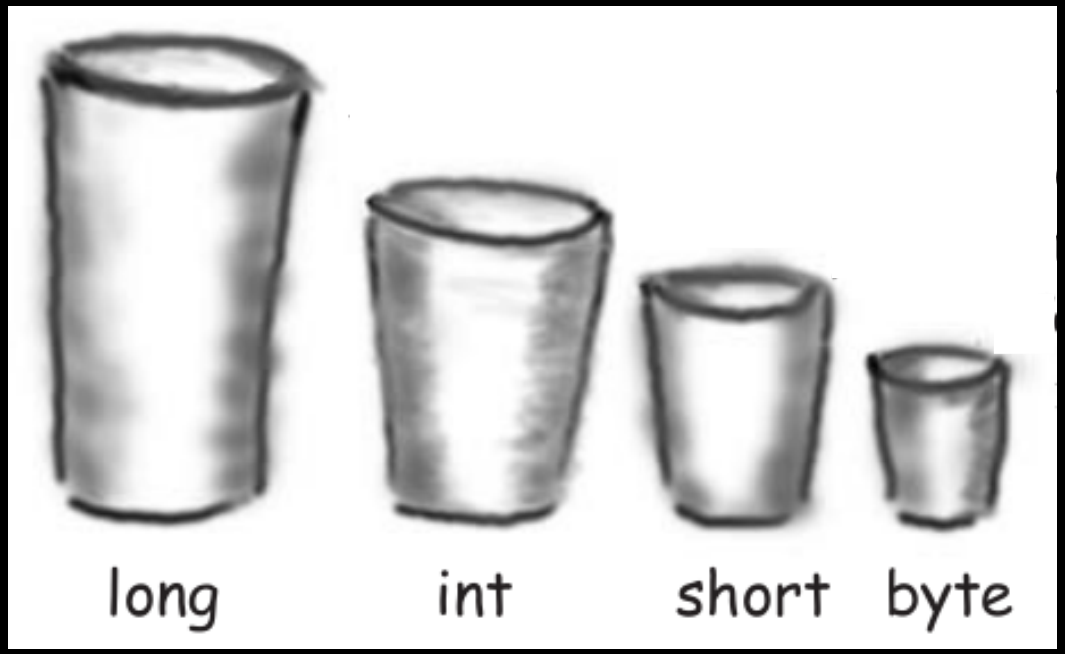

Integers in different flavors!!

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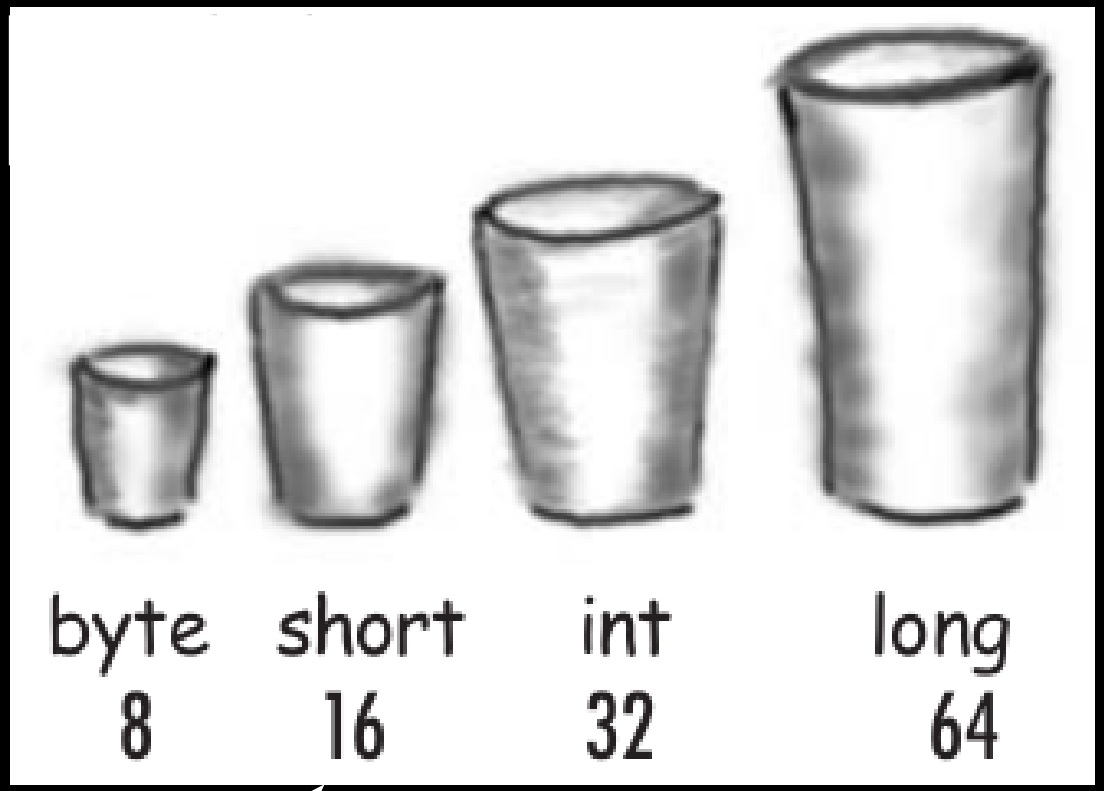
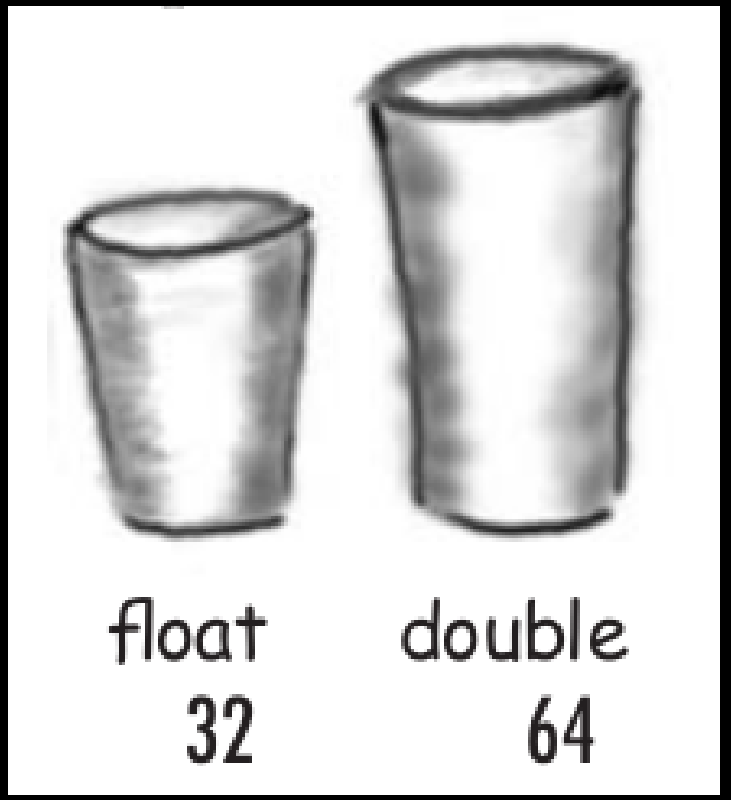
Numeric Primitives





char variable type stores characters

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Ranges

Integer Type	No of Bytes	Minimum value that can be stored	Maximum Value that can be stored
short int	2	-32,768	32,767
int	4	-2,147,483,648	2,147,483,647
long int	4	-2,147,483,648	2,147,483,647
long long int	8	-9,223,372,036,854,775,807	9,223,372,036,854,775,806

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float	4	3.4 e -38	3.4 e 38
double	8	1.7 e -308	1.7 e 308
long double	12	3.4 e - 4932	1e+493

Scientific Notation

5.878	E12
58.78	E11
587.8	E10
5878.	E9
58780.	E8
587800.	E7
5878000.	E6
58780000.	E5
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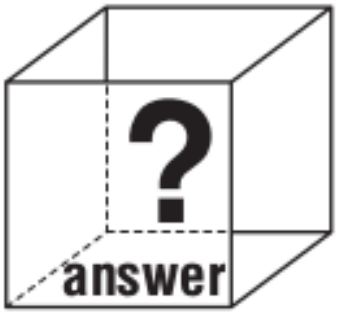
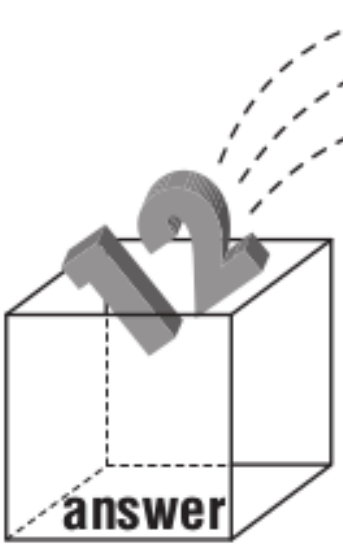
A `int answer;`



The variable `answer` has not been assigned a value. So we put a "?" in it to indicate that it's in an unknown state.

B `answer = (1+2) * 4;`



The variable `answer` is assigned the value of the expression `(1+2)*4`. The box is shown containing the value 12.

Printing Variable Value

```
// Did you notice: Simultaneous
// declaration and assignment

// First assignment can also be called
// variable initialization
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```

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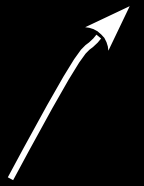

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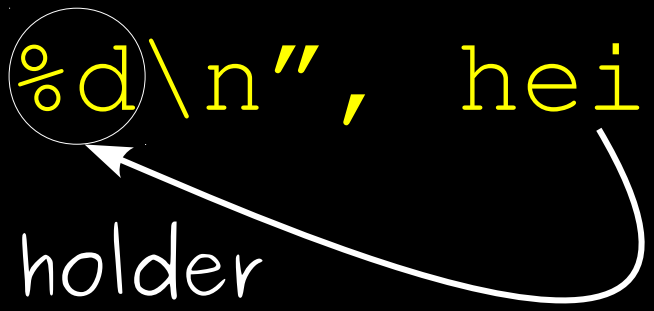
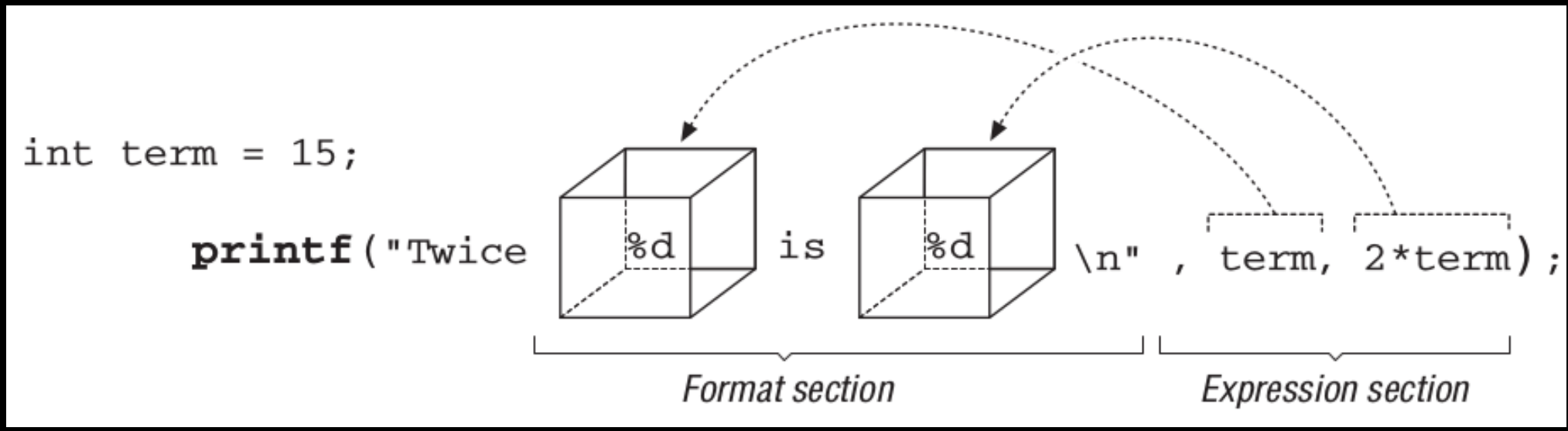


A place holder
It is called a format specifier
d stands for decimal

Printf Structure



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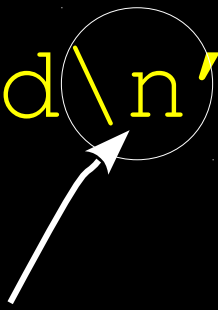

Escape sequence
n stands for newline

Printf Structure

%i or %d	int
%c	char
%f	float
%lf	double
%s	string

Escape sequence	Description
\n	Newline. Position the cursor at the beginning of the next line.
\t	Horizontal tab. Move the cursor to the next tab stop.
\a	Alert. Produces a sound or visible alert without changing the current cursor position.
\\	Backslash. Insert a backslash character in a string.
\"	Double quote. Insert a double-quote character in a string.

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Reading User Input

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```
// The following declaration allocates
// memory enough to accommodate
// an integer and names that location
// as height
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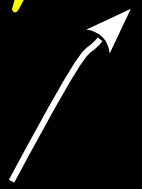

the address of operator

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Character

```
int character;
// getchar() is an appropriate choice for
// reading single character
character = getchar();
// putchar() displays the character
putchar(character);
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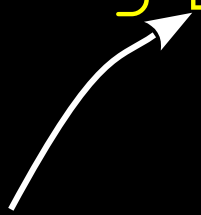

Look at the square brackets - Remember this, it will keep coming where you want to use a collection of data

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char string[10];
gets(string); // get the string
puts(string); // put the string
```

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(Next Topic)

A + B = C