Unary Operators

OP (single operand)

(-)a -743 -123 -0.567

Increment operator

++

i = i+1

int i = 3;

++i;

i = i+1

i = 4

i++j

↳ i = i+1

= 5

Decrement operator

--

i = i - 1

int i = 3;

--i;

i = i-1

= 3-1 = 2

i--j

→ 2

↳ 1

i = i-1

OP (single operand)

or

(single operand) OP

++a ⟶ a = a+1 ⟶ Pre-increment ⟶ increase and use

a++ ⟶ a = a+1 ⟶ Post-increment ⟶ use and increase

```
int a = 5;
printf("%d", ++a);
```

(6) ↑ Pre

int a = 9

→ printf("%d", a++);

9 ↑ Post

→ printf("%d", a);

(10)

a + b

++a; ⟶ Error

int a = 3;

b = ++a++; ⟶ Error

(4)++

Lvalue required

b = b++a;

b++ + a;

b + ++a;

```
int i = 3;
```

→ `a = ++i;` `a = i++;` ←

`a = 4` `a = 3`

`i = 4` `i = 4`

Associativity	Precedence
R → L	Unary operators have higher precedence over the binary Arithmetic operators

i = 3

`a = ++i * ++i * ++i;`

6 5 4

= i * i * i

= 6 * 6 * 6

= 216

`a = (++i) * (++i * ++i);`

6 5 4

25

64 → 120 → 150 → 216

Undefined

i | 6

→ Compiler dependent

→ Undefined.

① a = j++ + i ; ←

② a = j++ + i++ + i ; ←

sequence point

Increment / Decrement operator

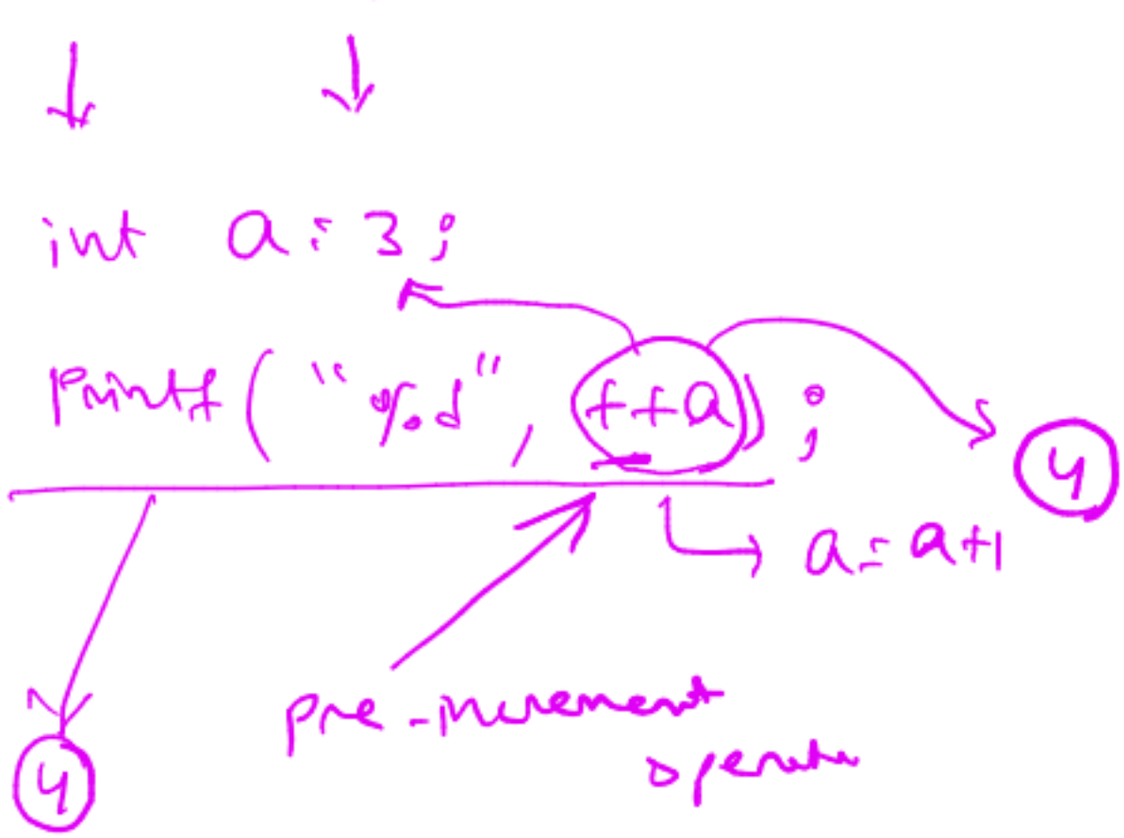
++ → increment operator ⟶ a = a+1

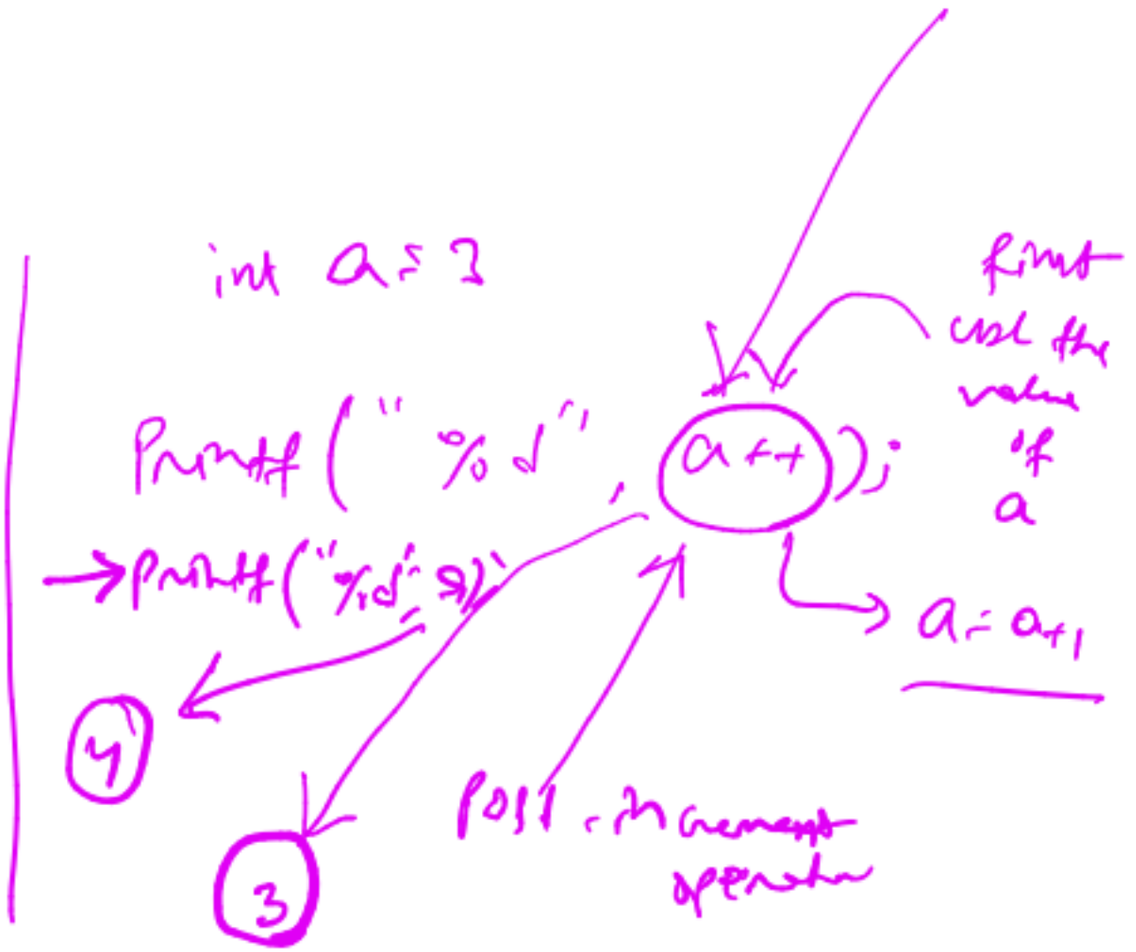
-- → Decrement operator ⟶ a = a-1

a:4 ++a → a: a+1 ⇒ (5)

--a → a: a-1 ⇒ (3)

Pre / Post





Pre / Post decrement

a = 4

printf("%d", --a);

→ pre-decrement

→ a : a - 1

3

a : 4

printf("%d", a--); ←

→ post-decrement

a : a - 1

4

4

3

← variable →

Associativity

R → L

Precedence

Unary operator has higher precedence than the binary arithmetic operator.

int i = 3

a = ++i; a = i++;

a = ?4 a = ?3 ←

i = ?4 i = ?4 ←

int i = 6

a = --i; a = i--i

a = 5 a = 6 ←

i = 5 i = 5 ←

i = 3;

a = ++i * ++i * ++i;

5 4

Undefined ←

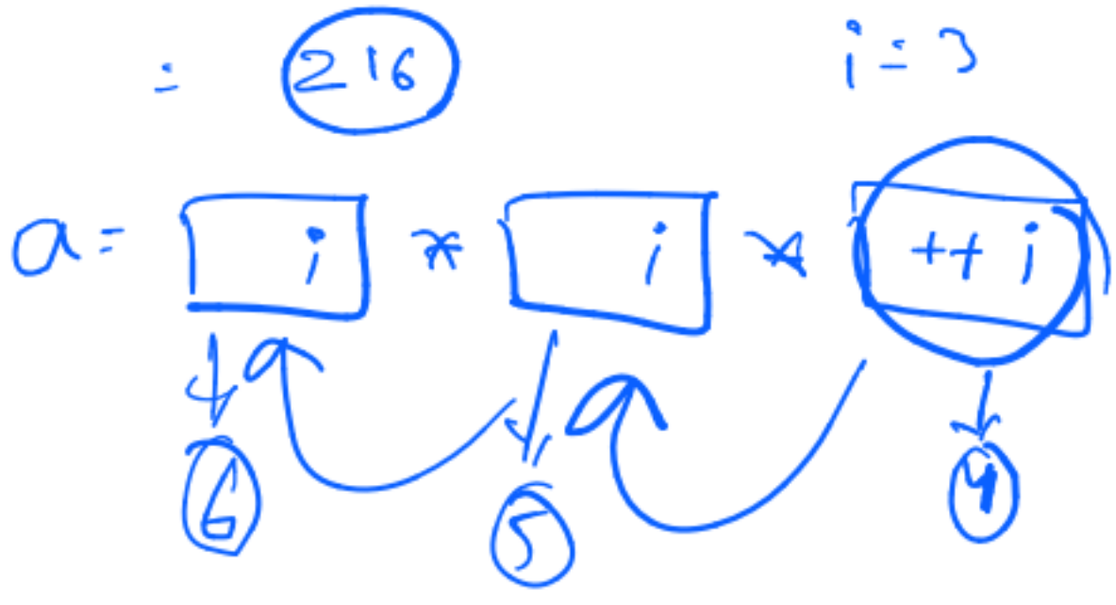
R → L

= 6 * 6 * 6;

= 216

a = 64

a = 120



i * i * i

6 * 6 * 6 = 216

Compiler dependent

① a = ++i + ++i ;

② a = ++i + ++i * ++i ;

sequence points

a = b + c ;

sequence point

Compiler guarantees finish all the evaluation before the sequence point.

i = 3

a: ++i * ++i * ++i ;

(5) (4)

216

150

undefined

a = b + c ;

= ++i + ++i ;

i don't know

↳ undefined

If you are applying more than one operation on a single variable in the same expression, then the result is undefined.

a = ++i * ++i + --i ; ⟶ undefined.

a = 3

a = a++ + a ;
    3   4

a = ++a + a ;
    4   4

---

int a = 5

b = --a--a ;

--5

a = ++5 + ++5

→ Error

Reason

increment / decrement operator cannot be applied on constants.

--5

++ a ++ ✗ --10 ✗ --a

sizeof operator

This operator will give you the size of a variable or data type.

K = sizeof(int); sizeof( );

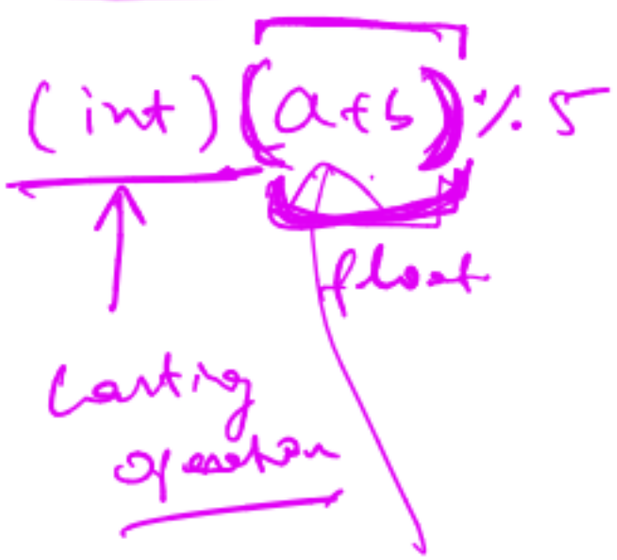
int a;

sizeof(a);

→ (2) bytes

→ 2 bytes.

Cast is also a unary operator



a is int

b is float

a % b

a % (int) b

(int)(b % a)

R→L

```
int a = 4
int b = ++a;        int b = a++;
```

b = 5 , a = 5

b = 4 , a = 5

```
int a = 3
int b = ++a * ++a * ++a;
```

++a + ++a + ~~a~~;

120
64
150
216

→ Undefined

→ Undefined

Sequence points

Compiler guarantees to finish all the evaluation before the sequence point.

a = b + 9 ;

```
int b = ++a + ++a + a;
```

If you are applying more than one operation on a single variable in the same expression, then the result is undefined. in between sequence points.

$a = 1$

```
b = a + aff + a + a ;
    2   1   2 2
```

6 5 7 ✓

7

Unspecified

```
b = a + a + a + (a++) + a ;
    2   2 2   1     2
```

9

6

compiler dependent

9

6

5

y

undefined ✓

$a = 1, b = 2$

```
k = a + ++b ;
```

k: 4 ✓

```
k = a + ++a + a++ ;
```

Unspecified

Single compiler

same logic

you will get different result

int k, a=4;

k = ++(3); ⟶ Error

↳ Constant

k = ++a++; ⟶ Error

sizeof operator

This operator will give you the size of a variable or data type.

```
k = sizeof( int);
```

2

```
sizeof (a);
```

int a;
float a;

→ 2
→ 4

```
int a=3;
k = sizeof(++a);
```

int ②

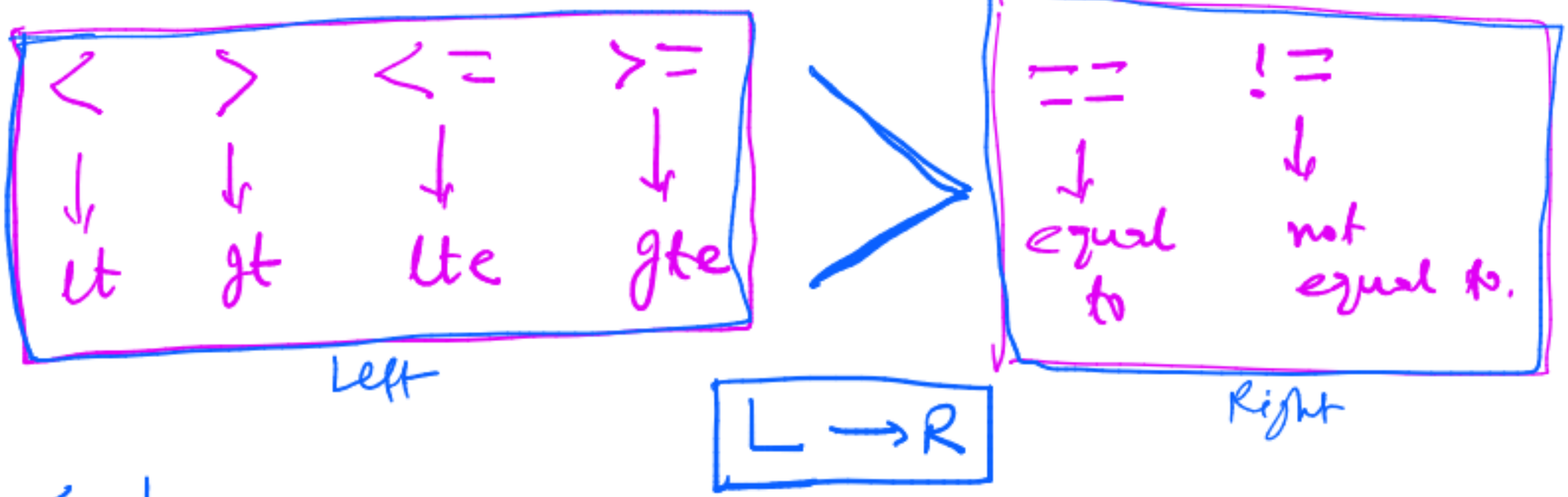
k: ? 2 ✓ → No

a: ? 4 ✗

→ 3

cast → Unary operator

Relational and logical operators



$a < b$

↳ True → 1

↳ False → 0

$a = 10, b = 15$

$a >= b$ → False → 0

$b <= a$ → False → 0

$a <= b$ → True → 1

$a == b$

↳ True → 1

↳ False → 0

$a != b$

↳ True → 1

↳ False → 0

$a = 9, b = 10$

$a == b$ → 0

$a != b$ → 1

char a = 'w';

a == 119 → 1

char a = 'A', b = 'B';

a >= b → 0

a <= b → 1

'A' >= 'B'

'A' → 65

'B' → 66

65 >= 66 → 0

Logical operations

&& And ← Higher

|| OR ← Lower.

L → R

a = 10, b = 15

→ a && b → 1

a → 1

b → 1

If you have a non-zero value as the result of any expression, then consider it as 1.

True → 1

False → 0.

expr 1	logical operator	expr 2
0 or 1		0 or 1

And

Expr 1	Expr 2	Result
True	True	True
True	False	False
False	True	False
False	False	False

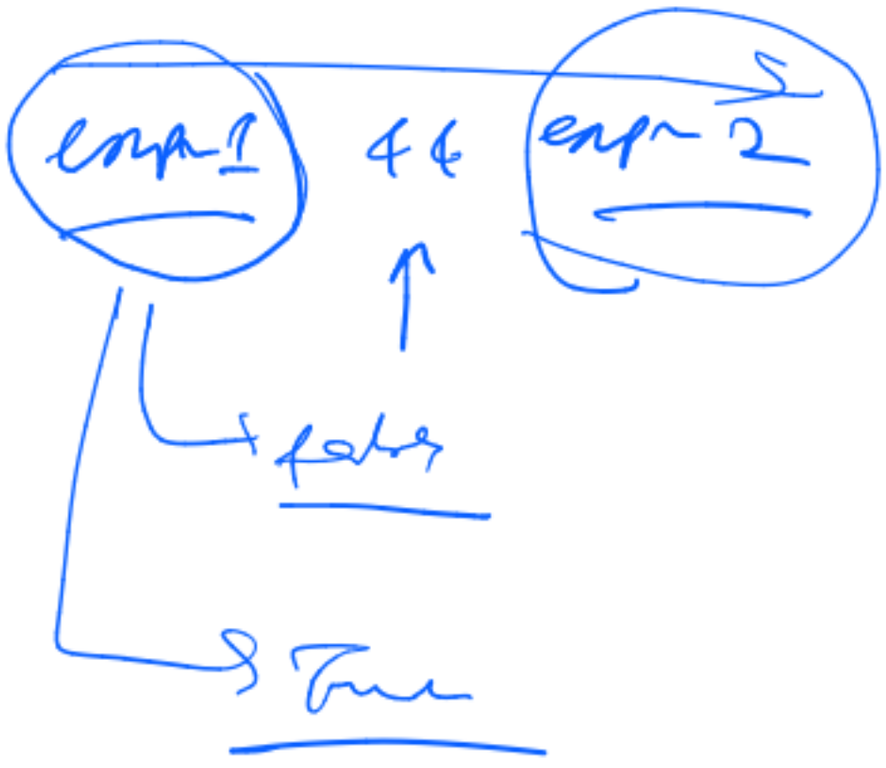
OR

Expr 1	Expr 2	Result
True	True	True
True	False	True
False	True	True
False	False	False

a = 100, b = 200, c

c = (a == 100) || (b > 200)

c = ? → 1



a = 3, b = 0;

c = ++b || ++a;

c = ? → 1 ✓

b = ? → 1 ✓

a = ? → 4 ✗

3

short circuit

a = -3

++a

a = a+1

= -3+1

= -2