

# FLOW OF THE PROGRAM

**Flow Chart** :- Visualization of our thought process or Algorithm and represent them diagrammatically is called flow chart.

## Symbols to Be used in flow chart

1. Start / Stop



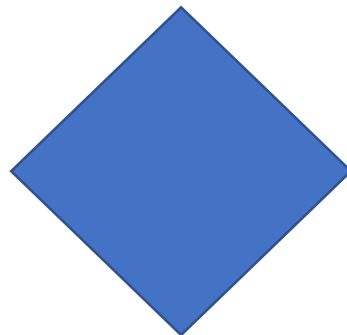
2. Input / Output



3. Processing



4. Condition



5. Flow direction of program →



**Start / Stop:** - An oval shape indicate the starting and ending points of the flow chart.

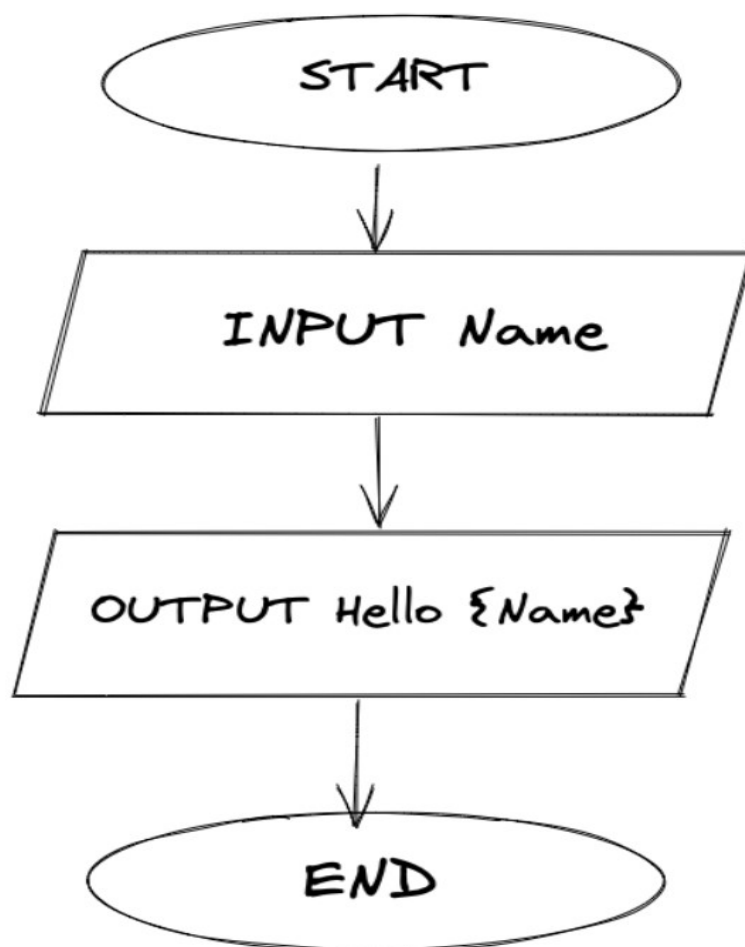
**Input / Output:** - A parallelogram is used to represent Input and output in flow chart

**Processing:** - A rectangle is used to represent process such as mathematical computation or variable assignment.

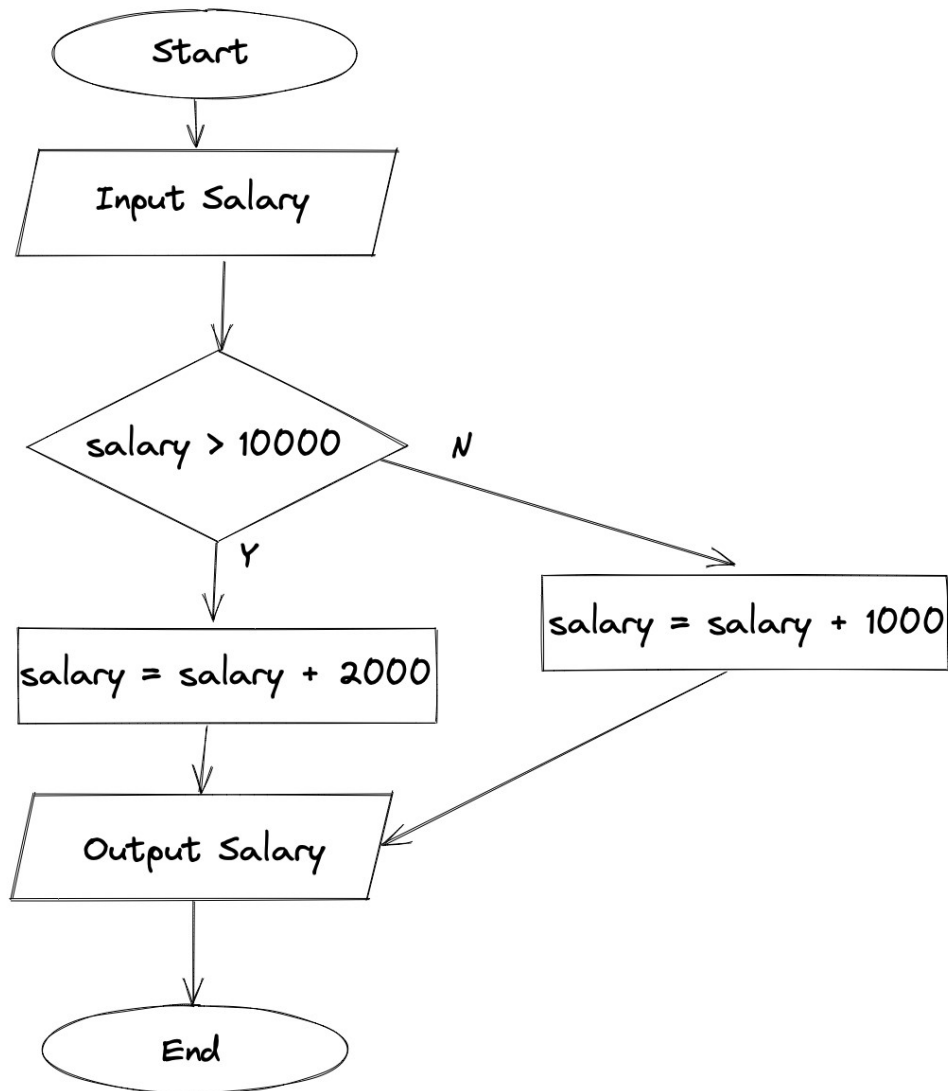
**Condition:** - A diamond shape is used to represent conditional statement which results in true or false (Yes or No).

**Flow direction of program:** - An arrow shape is used to represent flow of the program.

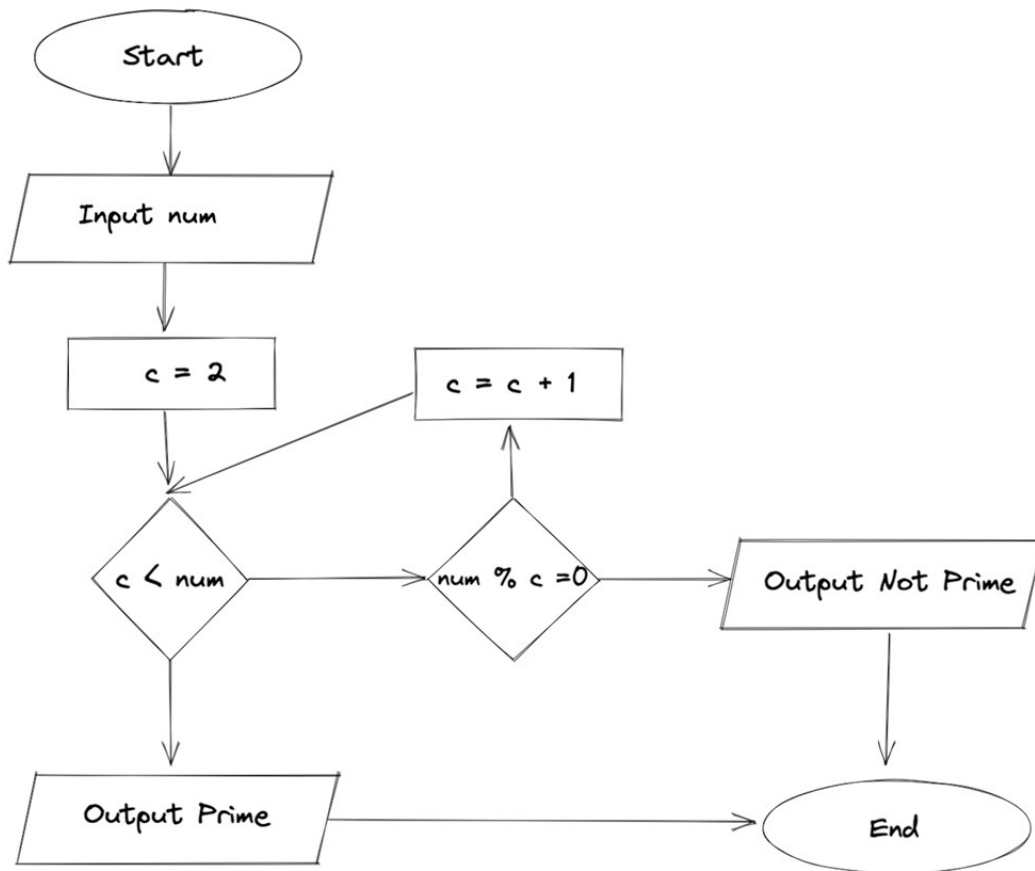
**Example 1:-** Take a name and output Hello name.



**Example 2:-** Take input of a salary. If the salary is greater than 10,000 add bonus 2000, otherwise add bonus as 1000.



Example 3 :- Input a number and print whether it is prime or not.



**Pseudocode** :- It is like a rough code which represents how the algorithm of a program works.

- Pseudocode does not require syntax.

## Pseudocode of Example 2

**Start**

**Input Salary**

**if Salary > 10000 :**

**Salary = Salary+2000**

**else :**

**Salary = Salary+1000**

**Output Salary**

**exit**

## Pseudocode of Example 3

**Start**

**Input num**

**if num  $\leq$  1**

**print “Nither prime nor composite”**

**c = 2**

**while c < num**

**if num % c = 0**

**Output “Not Prime”**

**Exit**

**c = c+1**

**end while**

**Output “Prime”**

**Exit.**

## Optimization of prime solution

Let's have a number to check it's a prime number or not

→ 36

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} 1 \times 36 = 36 \\ 2 \times 18 = 36 \\ 3 \times 12 = 36 \\ 4 \times 9 = 36 \end{array} \right] \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

$$6 \times 6 = 36$$

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} 9 \times 4 = 36 \\ 12 \times 3 = 36 \\ 18 \times 2 = 36 \\ 36 \times 1 = 36 \end{array} \right] \dots\dots\dots (ii)$$

In the above demonstration we have clearly seen that (i) and (ii) are repeated so, to optimize this we can ignore the (ii)

As same as this

We can check the number is prime or not by travelling from  
2 to  $\sqrt{\text{number}}$

For example:-

- To check 23456786543 is prime or not, we only have to travel from 2 to  $\sqrt{23456786543}$  (i.e. 153156)
- To check 17 is prime or not, we do not have to travel from 2 to 17 we just have to travel from 2 to  $\sqrt{17}$  (i.e. 4)

## Optimized Pseudocode of Example 3

```
start
input n
if n ≤ 1:
    print("neither prime nor composite")

    c = 2
    while c*c ≤ n:
        if n % c == 0:
            output "not prime"
            exit
        c += 1
    end while
    output "prime"

exit
```