

SECTION 1: Error-Driven Learning Assignment: Loop Errors

Snippet 1:

```
public class InfiniteForLoop {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        for (int i = 0; i < 10; i--) {  
            System.out.println(i);  
        }  
    }  
}
```

// Error to investigate: Why does this loop run infinitely? How should the loop control variable be adjusted?

This loop runs infinitely because the `i--` is decrementing the value of `i` before checking it still less than 10, leading to the loop condition always being true.

Correct Code:

```
public class InfiniteForLoop {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        for (int i = 0; i < 10; i++) {  
            System.out.println(i);  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Snippet 2:

```
public class IncorrectWhileCondition {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int count = 5;  
        while (count = 0) {  
            System.out.println(count);  
            count--;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

// Error to investigate: Why does the loop not execute as expected? What is the issue with the condition in the `while` loop?

Error: class `IncorrectWhileCondition` is public, should be declared in a file named `IncorrectWhileCondition.java`

```
public class IncorrectWhileCondition {  
    ^
```

Error: incompatible types: `int` cannot be converted to `boolean`
`while (count = 0) {`

In this assignment operator (=) is used instead of a comparison operator (==), the loop will always execute once because the condition will always be true due to the assignment happening within the loop check.

Correct Code :

```
class IncorrectWhileCondition {
public static void main(String[] args) {
int count = 5;
while (count != 0) {
    System.out.println(count);
count--;
}
}
}
```

Snippet 3:

```
public class DoWhileIncorrectCondition {
public static void main(String[] args) {
int num = 0; do {
    System.out.println(num);
num++;
} while (num > 0);
}
}
```

// Error to investigate: Why does the loop only execute once? What is wrong with the loop condition in the `do-while` loop?

The loop only executes once because the condition `num > 0` is false when the loop starts, because `num = 0`; do-while loop executes the body at least once, it prints the initial value of `num` (0) and then exits because the condition becomes false after the increment.

Correct Code:

```
public class DoWhileIncorrectCondition {
public static void main(String[] args) {
int num = 0;
do {
    System.out.println(num);
num++;
} while (num <= 0);
}
}
```

Snippet 4:

```
public class OffByOneErrorForLoop {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        for (int i = 1; i <= 10; i++) {
            System.out.println(i);
        }
        // Expected: 10 iterations with numbers 1 to 10
        // Actual: Prints numbers 1 to 10, but the task expected only 1 to 9
    }
}

// Error to investigate: What is the issue with the loop boundaries? How should
the loop be adjusted to meet the expected output?
```

Here, the loop condition leads to iterate it 10 times but changing the loop condition $i < 10$ we can get the expected output 1 to 9.

Correct code:

```
public class OffByOneErrorForLoop {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        for (int i = 1; i < 10; i++) {
            System.out.println(i);
        }
        // Expected: 10 iterations with numbers 1 to 10
        // Actual: Prints numbers 1 to 10, but the task expected only 1 to 9
    }
}
```

Snippet 5:

```
public class WrongInitializationForLoop {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        for (int i = 10; i >= 0; i++) {
            System.out.println(i);
        }
    }
}

// Error to investigate: Why does this loop not print numbers in the expected
order? What is the problem with the initialization and update statements in the
`for` loop?
```

Here, the loop goes in infinite loop after execution because the updation $i++$ leads to it so, we need to change update statement to $i--$.

Correct Code:

```
public class WrongInitializationForLoop {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        for (int i = 10; i >= 0; i--) {
            System.out.println(i);
        }
    }
}
```

Snippet 6:

```
public class MisplacedForLoopBody {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++)
            System.out.println(i);
        System.out.println("Done");
    }
}
```

// Error to investigate: Why does "Done" print only once, outside the loop? How should the loop body be enclosed to include all statements within the loop?

As in this for loop doesn't have '{ }' so due to this only first statement is iterate in for loop. So, we need to add '{ }' to for loop to include all the statement with the loop.

Correct Code:

```
public class MisplacedForLoopBody {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
            System.out.println(i);
            System.out.println("Done");
        }
    }
}
```

Snippet 7:

```
public class UninitializedWhileLoop {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int count;
        while (count < 10) {
            System.out.println(count);
            count++;
        }
    }
}
```

```
}  
}
```

// Error to investigate: Why does this code produce a compilation error? What needs to be done to initialize the loop variable properly?

Error: variable count might not have been initialized

```
while (count < 10) {
```

Here, the count variable is initialized & not declared so, we need to declare the count variable before using in while loop.

Correct Code:

```
public class UninitializedWhileLoop {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int count = 5;  
        while (count < 10) {  
            System.out.println(count);  
            count++;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Snippet 8:

```
public class OffByOneDoWhileLoop {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int num = 1;  
        do { System.out.println(num);  
            num--;  
        } while (num > 0);  
    }  
}
```

// Error to investigate: Why does this loop print unexpected numbers? What adjustments are needed to print the numbers from 1 to 5?

Here, the condition num>0 & num-- leads to print unexpected number to print the number from 1 to 5 we need to do num++ & num<=5 in this.

Correct Code:

```
public class OffByOneDoWhileLoop {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int num = 1;  
        do { System.out.println(num);  
            num++;  
        } while (num <= 5);  
    }  
}
```

```
}  
}
```

Snippet 9:

```
public class InfiniteForLoopUpdate {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        for (int i = 0; i < 5; i += 2) {  
            System.out.println(i);  
        }  
    }  
}
```

// Error to investigate: Why does the loop print unexpected results or run infinitely? How should the loop update expression be corrected?

The update expression need to correct as i++. This loop prints unexpected results as:

i	i<5	s.o.p	i+=2	initially, i = 0;
0	yes	0	2	
2	yes	2	4	
4	yes	4	6	
6	no	loop terminate		

Correct Code:

```
public class InfiniteForLoopUpdate {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {  
            System.out.println(i);  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Snippet 10:

```
public class IncorrectWhileLoopControl {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int num = 10;  
        while (num = 10) {  
            System.out.println(num);  
            num--;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

// Error to investigate: Why does the loop execute indefinitely? What is wrong with the loop condition?

Error: incompatible types: int cannot be converted to boolean

```
while (num = 10) {
```

Here, in java, condition has the assignment operator = instead of the equality operator == to check the condition.

Correct Code:

```
public class IncorrectWhileLoopControl {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int num = 10;  
        while (num == 10) {  
            System.out.println(num);  
            num--;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Snippet 11:

```
public class IncorrectLoopUpdate {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int i = 0;  
        while (i < 5) {  
            System.out.println(i);  
            i += 2;  
            // Error: This may cause unexpected results in output  
        }  
    }  
}
```

// Error to investigate: What will be the output of this loop? How should the loop variable be updated to achieve the desired result?

The update expression need to correct as i++. This loop prints unexpected results as:

i	i<5	s.o.p	i+=2	initially, i = 0;
0	yes	0	2	
2	yes	2	4	
4	yes	4	6	
6	no	loop terminate		

The output required is :

```
C:\Users\dell\Desktop\cdac\Day 3\Lab>java IncorrectLoopUpdate  
0  
1  
2  
3  
4
```

Correct Code:

```
public class IncorrectLoopUpdate {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int i = 0;  
        while (i < 5) {  
            System.out.println(i);  
            i++;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Snippet 12:

```
public class LoopVariableScope {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {  
            int x = i * 2;  
        }  
        System.out.println(x);  
        // Error: 'x' is not accessible here  
    }  
}
```

// Error to investigate: Why does the variable 'x' cause a compilation error?

How does scope**Error:**

error: cannot find symbol

```
System.out.println(x);  
                  ^
```

symbol: variable x

location: class LoopVariableScope

the variable x has the scope within the for loop only we can't access outside for loop
to access we need to declare variable x outside for loop.

Correct Code:

```
public class LoopVariableScope {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int x = 0; // Declare x outside the loop  
        for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {  
            x = i * 2; // Update x inside the loop  
        }  
        System.out.println(x); // Now x is accessible here  
    }  
}
```


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i	total	i = 5	total = 1
120	0 + 5 = 5	5 = 5	5 - 1 = 4
✓	0 + 5 = 5	False	5 - 1 = 4
i = 4	4 + 4 = 8	4 = 3	8 - 1 = 7
✓	4 + 4 = 8	False	8 - 1 = 7
i = 3	7 + 3 = 10	3 = 3	10 + 1 = 11
✓	7 + 3 = 10	True	10 + 1 = 11
i = 2	10 + 2 = 12	2 = 3	12 - 1 = 11
✓	10 + 2 = 12	False	12 - 1 = 11
i = 1	11 + 1 = 12	1 = 3	12 - 1 = 11
✓	11 + 1 = 12	False	12 - 1 = 11
i = 0	terminate loop.		
X	terminate loop.		

S.O.P = total = 11

Snippet 3:

```
public class WhileLoopBreak {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int count = 0;  
        while (count < 5) {  
            System.out.print(count + " ");  
            count++;  
            if (count == 3)  
                break;  
        }  
        System.out.println(count);  
    }  
}
```

// Guess the output of this while loop.

A handwritten table on lined paper showing the execution of the while loop in Snippet 3. The table has four columns: 'count', 'count < 5', 'count++', and 'count == 3'. It tracks the state of the loop variable 'count' from 0 to 3. At count=3, the condition 'count == 3' is marked with a checkmark and the word 'break' is written. Below the table, the output 'o/p - 0 1 2 3' is written.

count	count < 5	count++	count == 3
0	0 < 5	1	1 == 3 X
1	1 < 5	2	2 == 3 X
2	2 < 5	3	3 == 3 ✓ break

o/p - 0 1 2 3

Snippet 4:

```
public class DoWhileLoop {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int i = 1;  
        do {  
            System.out.print(i + " ");  
            i++;  
        } while (i < 5);  
        System.out.println(i);  
    }  
}
```

// Guess the output of this do-while loop.

A handwritten table on lined paper showing the execution of the do-while loop in Snippet 4. The table has four columns: 'i', 'S.O.P i', 'i++', and 'i < 5'. It tracks the state of the loop variable 'i' from 1 to 5. The loop continues until 'i' becomes 5, at which point the condition 'i < 5' is marked with an 'X'. Below the table, the output 'o/p :- 1 2 3 4 5' is written.

i	S.O.P i	i++	i < 5
1	1	2	2 < 5
2	2	3	3 < 5
3	3	4	4 < 5
4	4	5	5 < 5 X

o/p :- 1 2 3 4 5

Snippet 5:

```
public class ConditionalLoopOutput {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int num = 1;  
        for (int i = 1; i <= 4; i++) {  
            if (i % 2 == 0) {  
                num += i;  
            } else { num -= i;  
            }  
        }  
        System.out.println(num);  
    }  
}
```

// Guess the output of this loop.

i	$i \% 2 == 0$	num
1	$1 \% 2 == 0$ X	$1 - 1 = 0$
2	$2 \% 2 == 0$ ✓	$0 + 2 = 2$
3	$3 \% 2 == 0$ X	$2 - 3 = -1$
4	$4 \% 2 == 0$ ✓	$-1 + 4 = 3$
o/p :- 3		

Snippet 6:

```
public class IncrementDecrement {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int x = 5;  
        int y = ++x - x-- + --x + x++;  
        System.out.println(y);  
    }  
}
```

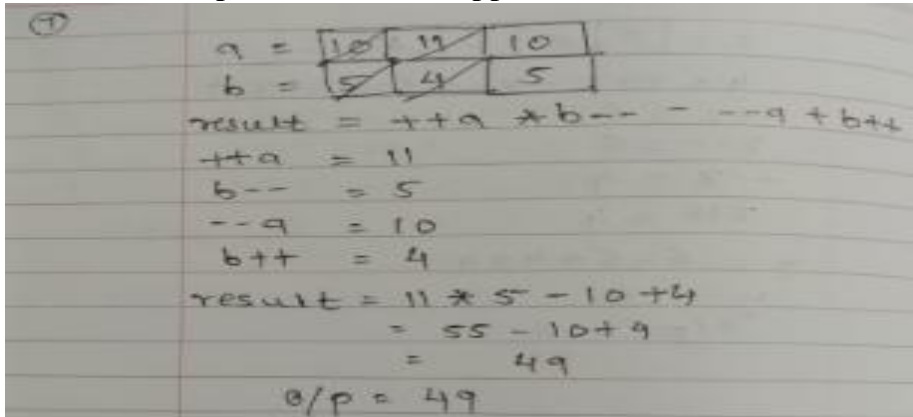
// Guess the output of this code snippet.

x =	5	6	5	4	5
$y = ++x - x-- + --x + x++$					
$++x = 6$					
$x-- = 6$					
$--x = 4$					
$x++ = 4$					
$y = 6 - 6 + 4 + 4$					
$y = 8$					
o/p = 8					

Snippet 7:

```
public class NestedIncrement {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int a = 10;  
        int b = 5;  
        int result = ++a * b-- - --a + b++; System.out.println(result);  
    }  
}
```

// Guess the output of this code snippet.



Snippet 8:

```
public class LoopIncrement {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        int count = 0;  
        for (int i = 0; i < 4; i++) {  
            count += i++ - ++i;  
        }  
        System.out.println(count);  
    }  
}
```

// Guess the output of this code snippet.

