

**BCSE101E**

# **Computer Programming: Python**

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*Module-3 Control Structures in Python*

# **Different patterns in Algorithm**

## **Sequential**

- **Sequential structure executes the program in the order in which they appear in the program**

## **Selectional (conditional-branching)**

- **Selection structure control the flow of statement execution based on some condition**

## **Iterational (Loops)**

- **Iterational structures are used when part of the program is to be executed several times**

# Sequential Pattern

Example1: Find the average runs scored by a batsman in 4 matches

Algorithm:

**Step 1:** Start

**Step 2:** Input 4 scores say **runs1,runs2,runs3 and runs4**

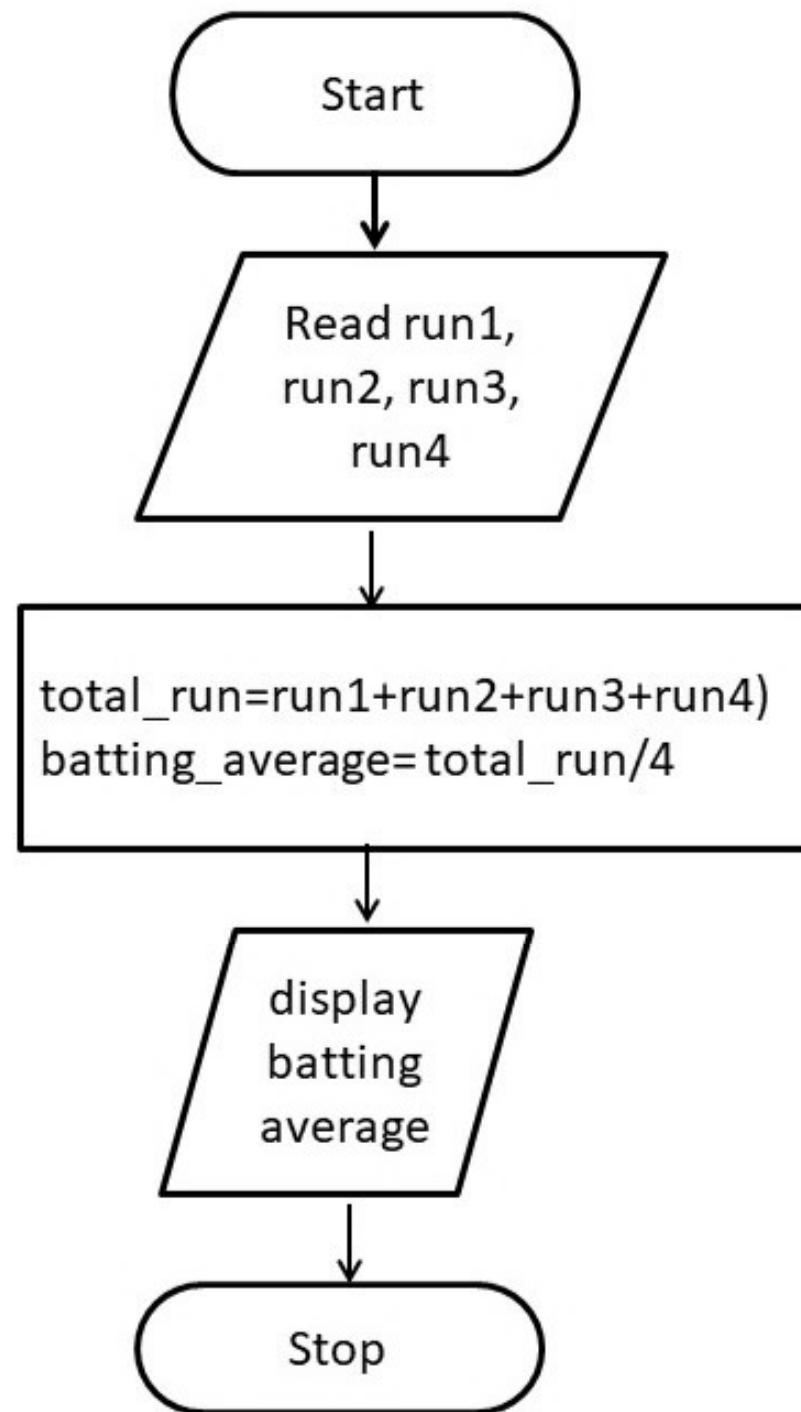
**Step 3:** Accumulate **runs1,runs2,run3, and runs4** and store it  
in the variable called **total\_runs**

**Step 4:** Divide **total\_runs** by 4 and find the **average**

**Step 5:** Display the **average**

**Step 6:** Stop

# Flowchart



## Pseudo code:

Begin

read run1,run2,run3 and run4

compute total\_run= run1+run2+run3+run4

compute batting\_average= total\_run/4

display batting\_average

end

# Batting Average

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```
print("Enter four scores")
run1 = int(input())
run2 = int(input())
run3 = int(input())
run4 = int(input())
total_run=(run1+run2+run3+run4)
batting_average= total_run/4
print('batting_average is' ,batting_average)
```

# **Area of a circle**

Step 1 : Start

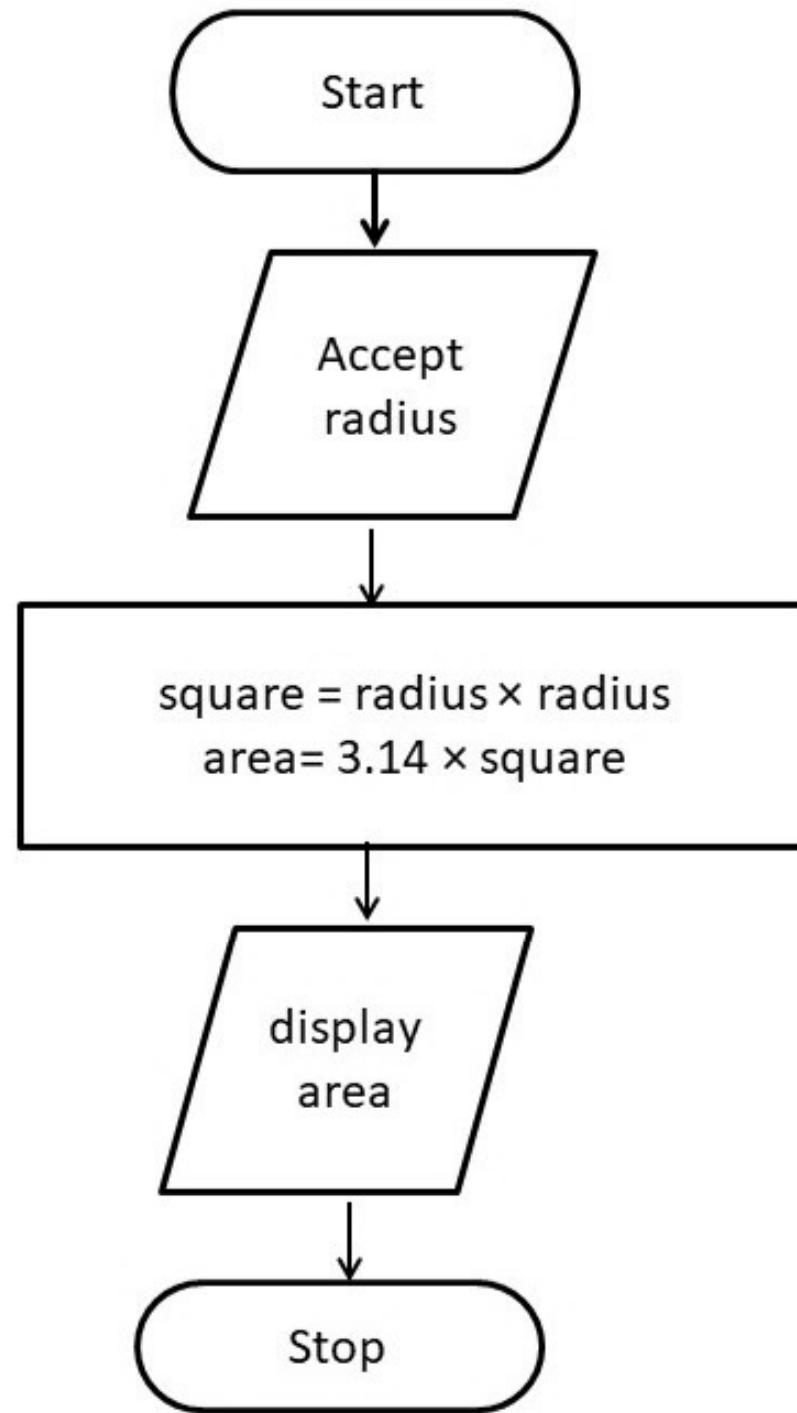
Step 2: Get the input for **RADIUS**

Step 3 : Find the square of **RADIUS** and store it in **SQUARE**

Step 4 : Multiply **SQUARE** with 3.14 and store the result in  
**AREA**

Step 5: Stop

# Flowchart



## Pseudo code:

begin

accept radius

compute square = radius \* radius

compute area = pi \* square

display area

end

# Area of a circle

```
import math  
print("Enter radius")  
radius=float(input())  
area = math.pi*radius*radius  
print("area of circle is ", area)
```

## Practice Problem - Exercise

An university is setting up a new lab at their premises. Design an algorithm and write Python code to determine the approximate cost to be spent for setting up the lab. Cost for setting the lab is sum of cost of computers, cost of furniture's and labor cost. Use the following formulae for solving the problem:

Cost of computer = cost of one computer \* number of computers

Cost of furniture = Number of tables \* cost of one table + number of chairs \* cost of one chair

Labour cost = number of hours worked \* wages per hour

# Budget for Lab

Input	Processing	Output
cost of one computer, number of computers, number of tables, cost of one table, number of chairs, cost of one chair, number of hours worked, wages per hour	$\text{Budget} = \text{Cost of computers} + \text{cost of furniture} + \text{labour cost}$ $\text{Cost of computer} = \text{cost of one computer} * \text{number of computers}$ $\text{Cost of furniture} = \text{Number of tables} * \text{cost of one table} + \text{number of chairs} * \text{cost of one chair}$ $\text{Labour cost} = \text{number of hours worked} * \text{wages per hour}$	Budget for Lab

# Python Program

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```
print("Enter cost of one computer")
cost_Computer = float(input())
print("Enter num of computers")
num_Computer = int(input())
print("Enter cost of one table")
cost_Table = float(input())
print("Enter num of tables")
num_Tables = int(input())
print("Enter cost of one chair")
cost_Chair = float(input())
print("Enter num of chairs")
num_Chairs = int(input())
print("Enter wage for one hour")
wages_Per_Hr = float(input())
print("Enter num of hours")
num_Hrs = int(input())
```

# Python Program

```
cost_of_Computers = cost_Computer* num_Computer
cost_of_Furnitures = num_Tables * cost_Table +\
                      cost_Chair*num_Chairs
wages = wages_Per_Hr * num_Hrs
budget = cost_of_Computers + cost_of_Furnitures + wages
#format for two decimal places
print ("Budget for Lab ",format(budget,'.2f'))
```

# Browsing Problem

Given the number of hours and minutes browsed, write a program to calculate bill for Internet Browsing in a browsing center. The conditions are given below.

- (a) 1 Hour Rs.50
- (b) 1 minute Re. 1
- (c) Rs. 200 for five hours

**Boundary condition:** User can only browse for a maximum of 7 hours

Check boundary conditions

# Browsing Program

Input	Processing	Output
Number of hours and minutes browsed	<p>Check number of hours browsed, if it is greater than 5 then add Rs 200 to amount for five hours and subtract 5 from hours</p> <p>Add Rs for each hour and Re 1 for each minute</p> <p>Basic process involved: Multiplication and addition</p>	Amount to be paid

# Pseudocode

```
READ hours and minutes
SET amount = 0
IF hours >=5 then
    CALCULATE amount as amount + 200
    COMPUTE hours as hours – 5
END IF
COMPUTE amount as amount + hours * 50
COMPUTE amount as amount + minutes * 1
PRINT amount
```

# **Test Cases**

## **Input**

Hours = 6

Minutes = 21

## **Output**

Amount = 271

## **Processing Involved**

Amount = 200 for first five hours

50 for sixth hour

21 for each minute

# **Test Cases**

## **Input**

Hours = 8

Minutes = 21

## **Output**

Invalid input

## **Processing Involved**

Boundary conditions are violated

# Already Know

- To read values from user
- Write arithmetic expressions in Python
- Print values in a formatted way

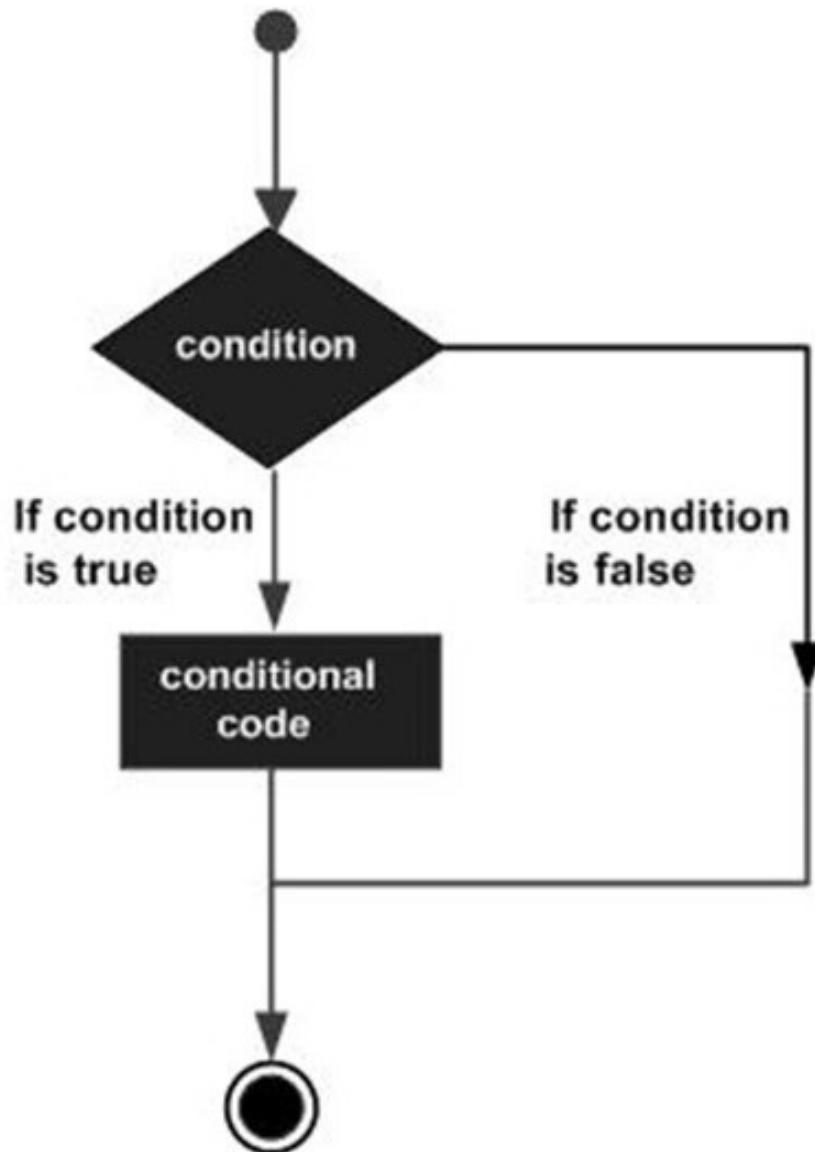
# **Yet to learn**

- Check a condition

# Selection pattern

- A **selection control statement** is a control statement providing selective execution of instructions.

# Control flow of decision making



# If Statement

- An **if statement** is a selection control statement based on the value of a given Boolean expression.  
The if statement in Python is

If statement	Example use
If condition: statements else: statements	If grade >=70: print('pass') else: print('fail')

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# Indentation in Python

- One fairly unique aspect of Python is that the amount of indentation of each program line is significant.
- In Python indentation is used to associate and group statements

Valid indentation	Invalid indentation
(a) <pre>if condition:     statement     statement else:     statement     statement</pre>	(b) <pre>if condition:     statement     statement else:     statement     statement</pre>
(c) <pre>if condition:     statement     statement else:     statement     statement</pre>	(d) <pre>if condition:     statement     statement else:     statement     statement</pre>

# If – Statements in Python

There come situations in real life when we need to do some specific task based on some condition evaluation. In such cases, conditional statements can be used. The following are the conditional statements provided by Python.

- ✓ if
- ✓ if..else
- ✓ Nested if
- ✓ if-elif statements.

# if - Statement

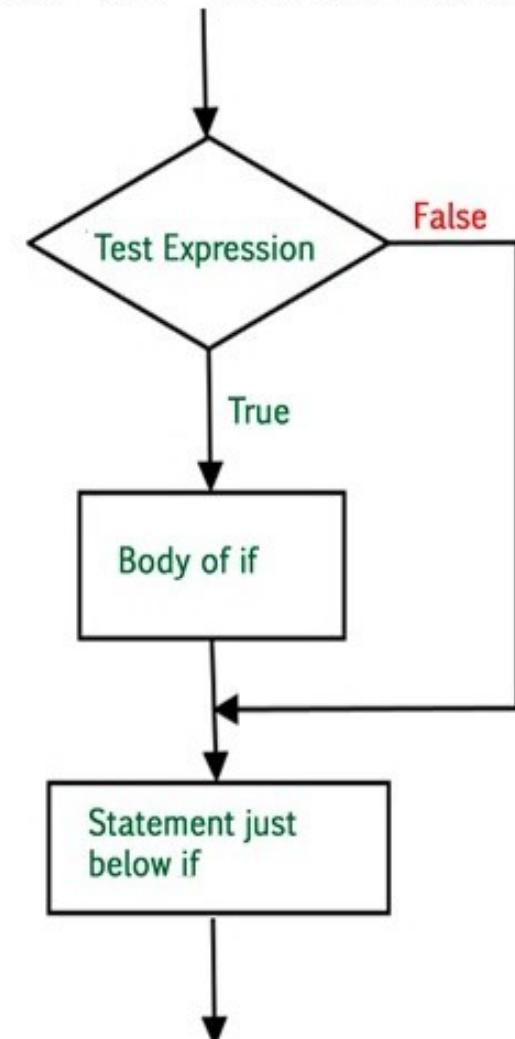
## if Statement:

If the simple code of block is to be performed if the condition holds true then, if statement is used. Here if the condition mentioned is true, then the code of block runs otherwise not.

## Syntax:

if condition:

```
# Statements to execute if  
# condition is true (Indentation)
```



# Example

## # if statement example

```
if 10 > 5:
```

```
    print("10 greater than 5")
```

```
print("Program ended")
```

### Output:

10 greater than 5  
Program ended

Indentation(White space) is used to delimit the block of code. As shown in the above example it is mandatory to use indentation in Python3 coding.

## if..else Statement:

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It has both true and false blocks. Either true or false block would be executed based on condition evaluation of if statement.

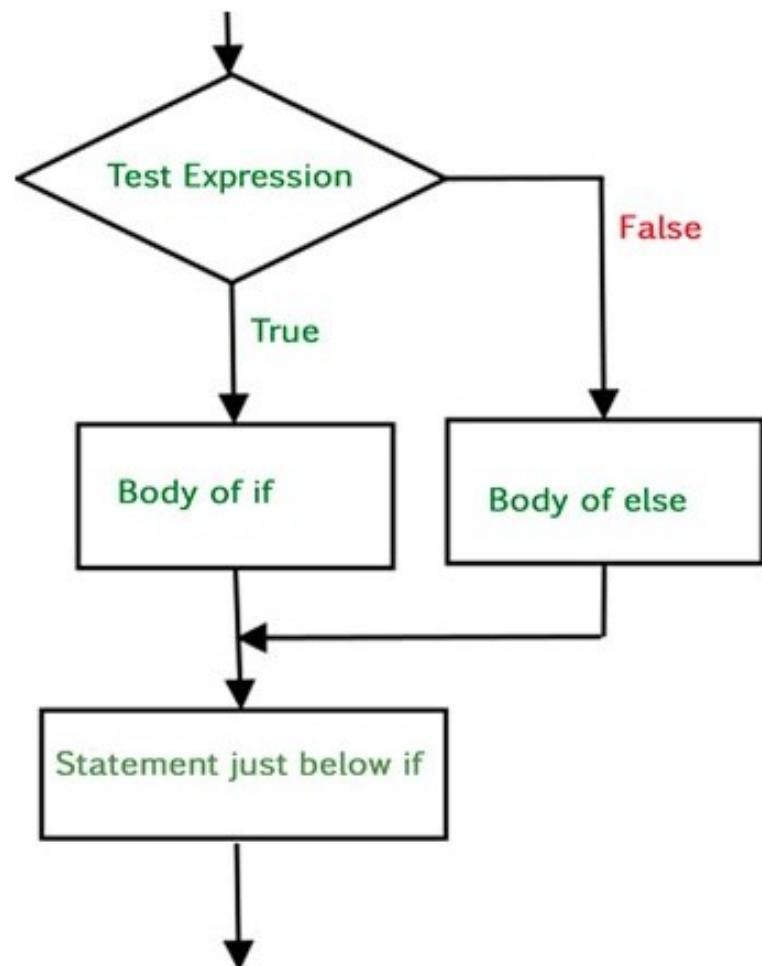
### Syntax:

```
if (condition):
```

```
    # Executes this block if  
    # condition is true
```

```
else:
```

```
    # Executes this block if  
    # condition is false
```



# Example

```
# if..else statement example
```

```
x = 3
```

```
if x == 4:
```

```
    print("Yes")
```

```
else:
```

```
    print("No")
```

## IF-else construct

### Syntax:

```
if(condition):
```

```
    statements
```

```
else:
```

```
    statements
```

### Example:

```
N=int(input("Enter n:"))
```

```
if(N%2==0):
```

```
    print(N,"is even")
```

```
else:
```

```
    print(N,"is Odd")
```

# Example

You can also chain if..else statement with more than one condition.

```
# if..else chain statement  
letter = "A"
```

```
if letter == "B":  
    print("letter is B")
```

```
else:
```

```
    if letter == "C":  
        print("letter is C")
```

```
else:
```

```
    if letter == "A":  
        print("letter is A")
```

```
else:  
    print("letter isn't A, B and C")
```

**Output:**

```
letter is A
```

# Nested if Statements

- There are often times when selection among more than two sets of statements (suites) is needed.
- For such situations, if statements can be nested, resulting in **multi-way selection**.

Nested if statements	Example use
if condition: statements else: if condition: statements else: if condition: statements else: etc.	if grade >= 90: print('Grade of A') else: if grade >= 80: print('Grade of B') else: if grade >= 70: print('Grade of C') else: if grade >= 60: print('Grade of D') else: print('Grade of F')

# Else if Ladder

```
if grade >= 90:  
    print('Grade of A')  
elif grade >= 80:  
    print('Grade of B')  
elif grade >= 70:  
    print('Grade of C')  
elif grade >= 60:  
    print('Grade of D')  
else:  
    print('Grade of F')
```

# Multiple Conditions

- Multiple conditions can be checked in a ‘if’ statement using logical operators ‘and’ and ‘or’.
- Python code to print ‘excellent’ if mark1 and mark2 is greater than or equal to 90, print ‘good’ if mark1 or mark2 is greater than or equal to 90, print ‘need to improve’ if both mark1 and mark2 are lesser than 90

```
if mark1>=90 and mark2 >= 90:
```

```
    print('excellent')
```

```
if mark1>=90 or mark2 >= 90:
```

```
    print('good')
```

```
else:
```

```
    print('needs to improve')
```

# **Nested if Statement**

## **Nested if Statement:**

if statement can also be checked inside other if statement. This conditional statement is called nested if statement. This means that inner if condition will be checked only if outer if condition is true and by this, we can see multiple conditions to be satisfied.

## Syntax:

```
if(condition1):
```

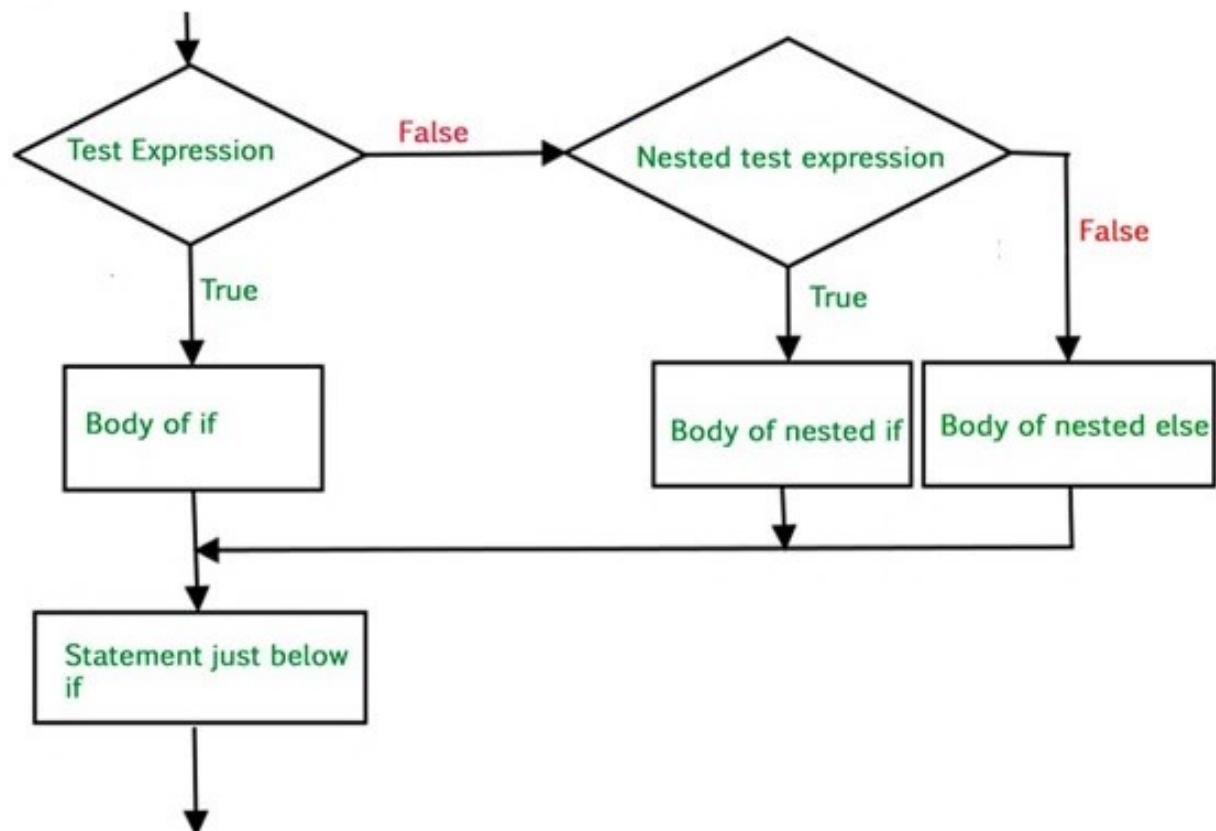
# Executes when condition1 is true

```
if(condition2):
```

# Executes when condition2 is true

# if Block is end here

```
# if Block is end here
```



# Example

```
# Nested if statement example
num = 10

if num > 5:
    print("Bigger than 5")

if num <= 15:
    print("Between 5 and 15")
```

**Output:**

```
Bigger than 5
Between 5 and 15
```

# **if-elif Statement**

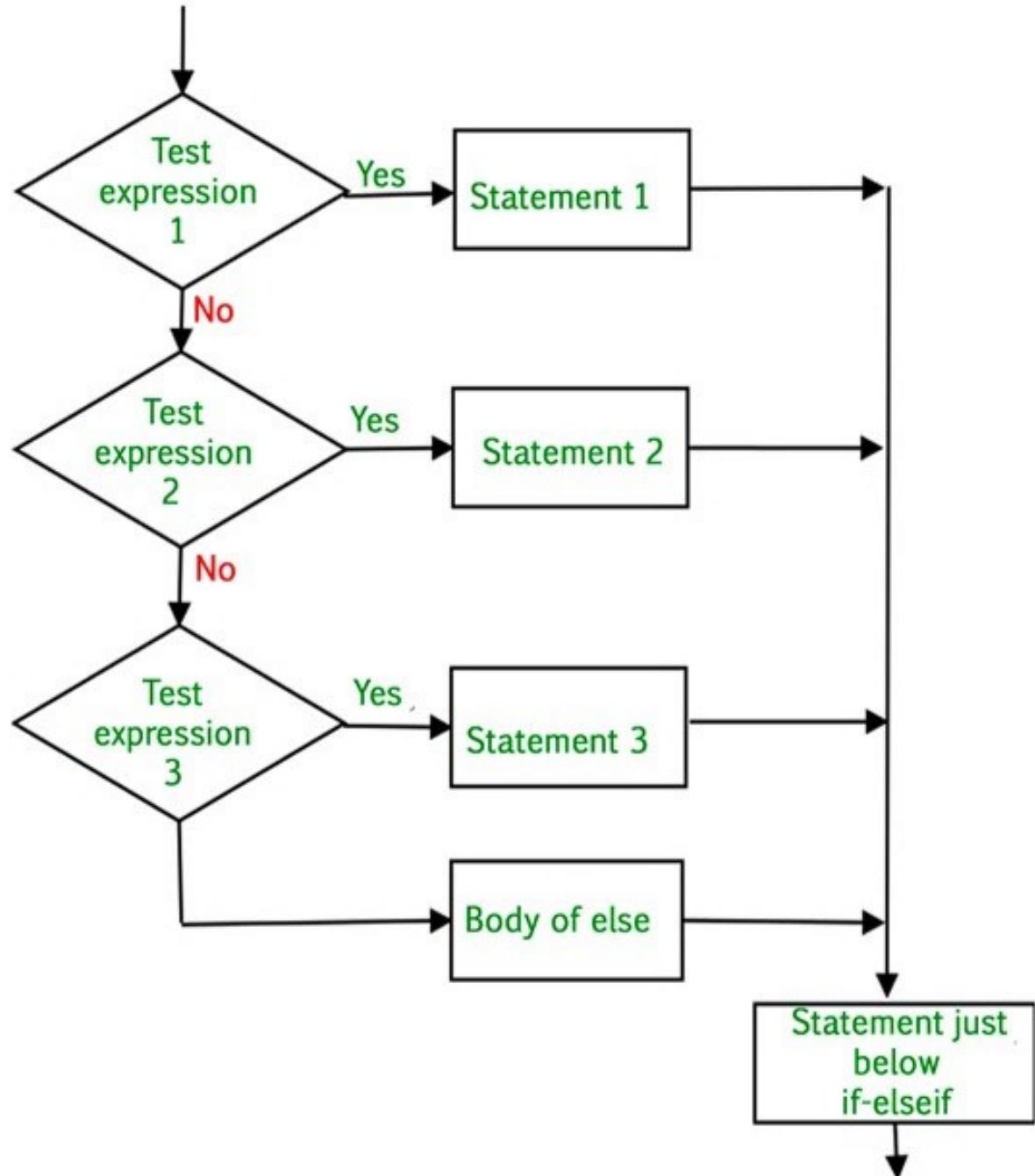
## **if-elif Statement:**

The if-elif statement is shortcut of if..else chain. While using if-elif statement at the end else block is added which is performed if none of the above if-elif statement is true.

## Syntax:

```
if (condition):  
    statement  
  
elif (condition):  
    statement  
  
elif (condition):  
    statement  
    ...  
    ...  
    ...  
  
else:  
    statement
```

## if-elif Statement



# Example

```
# if-elif statement example

letter = "A"

if letter == B:
    print("letter is B")

elif letter == "C":
    print("letter is C")

elif num == "A":
    print("letter is A")

else:
    print("letter isn't A, B or C")
```

# Browsing Program

```
print("enter num of hours")
hour = int(input())
print("enter num of minutes")
min = int(input())
if(hour>7):
    print("Invalid input")
elif hour>=5:
    amount = 200
    hour = hour - 5
    amount = amount+hour*50+min
print(amount)
```

# Eligibility for Scholarship

Government of India has decided to give scholarship for students who are first graduates in family and have scored average  $> 98$  in math, physics and chemistry. Design an algorithm and write a Python program to check if a student is eligible for scholarship

**Boundary Conditions:** All marks should be  $> 0$

# Scholarship Program

<b>Input</b>	<b>Processing</b>	<b>Output</b>
Read first graduate, physics, chemistry and maths marks	Compute total = phy mark + che mark + math mark Average = total/3 Check if the student is first graduate and average $\geq 98$	Print either candidate qualified for Scholarship or candidate not qualified for Scholarship

# Algorithm

Step 1 : Start

Step 2: Read first graduate, **physcis,chemistry and maths marks**

Step 3: If anyone of the mark is less than 0 then print ‘invalid input’ and terminate execution

Step 3 : Accumulate all the marks and store it in **Total**

Step 4 : Divide **Total** by 3 and store it in **Average**

Step 5 : If student is first graduate **Average** score is greater than or equal to 98 then print candidate qualified for Scholarship

Else

Print candidate not qualified for scholarship

Stop 6: Stop

# **Test Cases**

## **Input**

First graduate = 1 Phy mark = 98, Che mark = 99,  
math mark = 98

## **Output**

candidate qualified for Scholarship

## **Processing Involved**

Total = 295

Average = 98.33

Student is first graduate and average > 98

# **Test Cases**

## **Input**

First graduate = 0 Phy mark = 98, Che mark = 99,  
math mark = 98

## **Output**

candidate not qualified for Scholarship

## **Processing Involved**

Total = 295

Average = 98.33

Student is not first graduate but average > 98

# **Test Cases**

## **Input**

First graduate = 1 Phy mark = 98, Che mark = 99,  
math mark = 90

## **Output**

candidate not qualified for Scholarship

## **Processing Involved**

Total = 287

Average = 95.67

Student is first graduate but average < 98

```
print('Is first graduate(1 for yes and 0 for no')
first = int(input())
print('Enter Physics Marks')
phy_mark = float(input())
print('Enter Chemistry Marks')
che_mark=float(input())
print('Enter Math Marks')
mat_mark=float(input())
total_mark= phy_mark+che_mark+mat_mark
```

```
if(phy_mark <0 or che_mark <0 or mat_mark<0):  
    print('Invalid input')  
else:  
    average = total_mark/3  
    if first==1 and average >= 98 :  
        print('candidate qualified for Scholarship')  
    else:  
        print('candidate not qualified for Scholarship')
```

# Algorithm for Largest of Three numbers

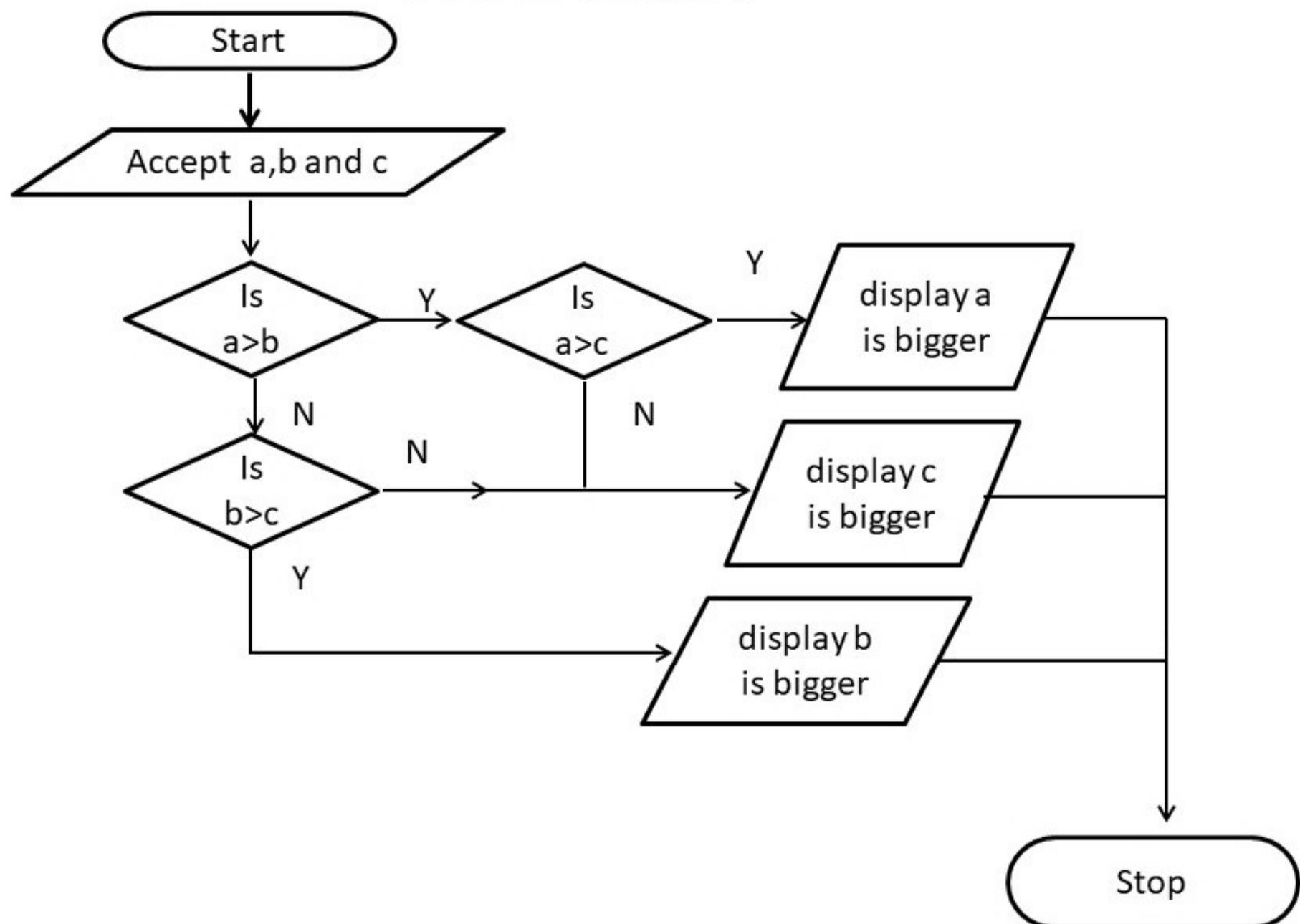
Step1: Start

Step2: Read value of **a**, **b** and **c**

Step3: If **a** is greater than **b** then  
compare **a** with **c** and if **a** is bigger then say  
**a** is biggest else say **c** is biggest  
else Compare **b** with **c** , if **b** is greater than  
**c** say **b** is biggest else **c** is biggest

Step 5: Stop

# Flowchart



# **Test Cases**

## **Input**

$a = 12, b = 13, c = 14$

## **Output**

c is greatest

## **Processing Involved**

B is greater than a but c is greater than b

# **Test Cases**

## **Input**

$a = 13, b = 12, c = 14$

## **Output**

c is greatest

## **Processing Involved**

a is greater than b but c is greater than a

# **Test Cases**

## **Input**

$a = 13, b = 2, c = 4$

## **Output**

$a$  is greatest

## **Processing Involved**

$a$  is greater than  $b$  and  $a$  is greater than  $c$

# **Test Cases**

## **Input**

$a = 3, b = 12, c = 4$

## **Output**

b is greatest

## **Processing Involved**

b is greater than a and b is greater than c

```
a = int(input())
b = int(input())
c = int(input())
if a>b:
    if a>c:
        print ('a is greatest')
    else:
        print ('c is greatest')
else:
    if b>c:
        print ('b is greatest')
    else:
        print ('c is greatest')|
```

## The if/else Ternary Expression

Consider the following statement, which sets A to either Y or Z, based on the truth value of X:

if X:

A = Y

else:

A = Z

new expression format that allows us to say the same thing in one expression:

- $A = Y \text{ if } X \text{ else } Z$

```
>>> A = 't' if 'spam' else 'f'
```

```
>>> A
```

```
't'
```

```
>>> A = 't' if " else 'f'
```

```
>>> A
```

```
'f'
```