

In 1206, the Arab engineer Al-Jazari invented a programmable drum machine where a musical mechanical automaton could be made to play different rhythms and drum patterns, via pegs and cams. Different programming languages support different styles of programming (called programming paradigms). Some text editors such as Emacs allow GDB to be invoked through them, to provide a visual environment. After the bug is reproduced, the input of the program may need to be simplified to make it easier to debug. He gave the first description of cryptanalysis by frequency analysis, the earliest code-breaking algorithm. It affects the aspects of quality above, including portability, usability and most importantly maintainability. Assembly languages were soon developed that let the programmer specify instruction in a text format (e.g., ADD X, TOTAL), with abbreviations for each operation code and meaningful names for specifying addresses. Many factors, having little or nothing to do with the ability of the computer to efficiently compile and execute the code, contribute to readability. However, Charles Babbage had already written his first program for the Analytical Engine in 1837. For this purpose, algorithms are classified into orders using so-called Big O notation, which expresses resource use, such as execution time or memory consumption, in terms of the size of an input. A study found that a few simple readability transformations made code shorter and drastically reduced the time to understand it. Methods of measuring programming language popularity include: counting the number of job advertisements that mention the language, the number of books sold and courses teaching the language (this overestimates the importance of newer languages), and estimates of the number of existing lines of code written in the language (this underestimates the number of users of business languages such as COBOL). The first computer program is generally dated to 1843, when mathematician Ada Lovelace published an algorithm to calculate a sequence of Bernoulli numbers, intended to be carried out by Charles Babbage's Analytical Engine. It involves designing and implementing algorithms, step-by-step specifications of procedures, by writing code in one or more programming languages. The Unified Modeling Language (UML) is a notation used for both the OOAD and MDA. Ideally, the programming language best suited for the task at hand will be selected. In the 1880s, Herman Hollerith invented the concept of storing data in machine-readable form. However, because an assembly language is little more than a different notation for a machine language, two machines with different instruction sets also have different assembly languages. Some languages are very popular for particular kinds of applications, while some languages are regularly used to write many different kinds of applications. Integrated development environments (IDEs) aim to integrate all such help. For example, COBOL is still strong in corporate data centers often on large mainframe computers, Fortran in engineering applications, scripting languages in Web development, and C in embedded software. Auxiliary tasks accompanying and related to programming include analyzing requirements, testing, debugging (investigating and fixing problems), implementation of build systems, and management of derived artifacts, such as programs' machine code. It affects the aspects of quality above, including portability, usability and most importantly maintainability. Programmers typically use high-level programming languages that are more easily intelligible to humans than machine code, which is directly executed by the central processing unit. Some of these factors include: The presentation aspects of this (such as indents, line breaks, color highlighting, and so on) are often handled by the source code editor, but the content aspects reflect the programmer's talent and skills.