

CSE115L – Programming Language I Lab

Lab-05 Selection Structures

In this lab, we will learn about selection structures in C using **if**, **else** and **switch** keywords. The following examples will help you remember the syntax.

Basic syntax of if-else statement in C.	Example 1: Read two user inputs and check if they are equal	Relational Operators	
<pre>if (condition){ Statements; }else{ Statements; }</pre>	<pre>#include <stdio.h> int main() { int m, n; scanf("%d%d", &m,&n); if (m == n) printf("m and n are equal"); else printf("m and n are not equal"); return 0; }</pre>	<	is less than
		<=	is less than or equal to
		>	is greater than
		>=	is greater than or equal to
		==	is equal to
		!=	is not equal to

Example 2: Print student grade.	
Using nested if else	Using if else if
<pre>#include<stdio.h> int main() { int num; printf("Enter a number:"); scanf ("%d",&num); if(num >= 90) printf("Grade is A!"); else { if(num >= 80) printf("Grade is B!"); else { if(num >= 70) printf("Grade is C!"); else printf("Fail!"); } } return 0; }</pre>	<pre>#include<stdio.h> int main() { int num; printf("Enter a number:"); scanf ("%d",&num); if(num>=90) printf("Grade is A!"); else if(num >= 80) printf("Grade is B!"); else if(num >= 70) printf("Grade is C!"); else printf("Fail!"); return 0; }</pre>

Logical operators				
Condition A	Condition B	A && B (logical AND)	A B (logical OR)	!A (logical NOT)
true	true	true	true	false
true	false	false	true	false
false	true	false	true	true
false	false	false	false	true

Example 3: Read a character from the user and print if it is alphanumeric or not.

```
#include<stdio.h>
int main()
{
    char c;
    printf("Enter a character:");
    scanf("%c",&c);

    if( (c>='a' && c<='z') || (c>='A' && c<='Z') || (c>='0' && c<='9') )
        printf("%c is alphanumeric", c);
    else
        printf("%c is not alphanumeric", c);
    return 0;
}
```

Basic syntax of switch statement in C.

```
switch (expression)
{
    case constant_expression_1:
        // code to be executed if expression value is equal to constant_expression_1;
        break;

    case constant_expression_2:
        // code to be executed if expression value is equal to constant_expression_2;
        break;
    .
    .
    .
    default:
        // code to be executed if expression value doesn't match any constant
}
```

Example 4: Print remark based on student's grade.

```
#include <stdio.h>

int main()
{
    char grade;
    printf("Enter your grade: ");
    scanf("%c", &grade);

    switch(grade) {
        case 'A' :
            printf("Excellent!\n" );
            break;
        case 'B' :
        case 'C' :
            printf("Well done\n" );
            break;
        case 'D' :
            printf("You passed\n" );
            break;
        case 'F' :
            printf("Better try again\n" );
            break;
        default :
            printf("Invalid grade\n" );
    }
    return 0;
}
```

Perform the following tasks.

Task 1: Write a program that checks whether a particular year (provided as input) is leap year or not. To determine whether a year is leap year or not, use the following rules.

A leap year must satisfy any or both of the following conditions:

- Year is divisible by 4 but not divisible by 100
- Year is divisible by 400

Task 2: Write a program that finds the maximum of the three numbers provided as input.

Task 3: Write a program that asks user for an arithmetic operator (+, -, * or /) and two operands, *a* and *b*. Display the result of the corresponding operation using switch statement.

Example:

Enter the operator: *

Enter a: 50

Enter b: 3

Result: 150