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✓ Learning Module: Loops in Java

1. Learning Objectives

After studying this material, you will be able to:

- Understand what loops are and why they are used in programming
 - Distinguish between **while** and **do-while** loops in Java
 - Recognize the flow and execution order of each loop
 - Identify situations where one loop is more suitable than the other
 - Read and interpret simple loop-based code examples
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2. Key Concepts

What is a Loop?

A loop is a control structure used to **repeat a block of statements** until a specific condition changes.

Why Do We Need Loops?

Many real-life and computational tasks require repeated steps—such as repeatedly dividing numbers when calculating LCM or repeatedly subtracting in GCD computation. Loops automate these repeated steps in programming.

Types of Loops in Java

(Java provides 4, but this video discusses 2)

1. **while loop**
2. **do-while loop**

(Other loops mentioned but not covered here: **for** loop, **for-each** loop)

3. Detailed Breakdown

A. Understanding Repetition in Programs

The transcript uses daily life examples:

- Finding GCD → repeated subtraction
- Finding LCM → repeated division

- Many computational procedures → steps repeated until a condition is met

When a process includes **repeated steps**, a loop is the correct programming tool.

B. Flowchart Representation of a Loop

General Loop Structure

1. Check a condition
2. If true → execute repeated process
3. Return to the condition
4. Continue until the condition becomes false
5. Exit the loop

This is the fundamental flow of all loop structures.

C. **while** Loop

Syntax

```
while (condition) {  
    // repeated statements  
}
```

Execution Flow

1. **Check condition first**
2. If condition is **true** → execute the loop body
3. Return to step 1
4. If condition is **false at the start, body does not execute even once**

Key Characteristics

✓ Pre-tested loop ✓ Executes **0 or more times** ✓ If the condition is false initially → loop is skipped

D. **do-while** Loop

Syntax

```
do {  
    // repeated statements  
} while (condition);
```

(Note: ends with a semicolon)

Execution Flow

- 1. **Execute loop body once** (no condition check yet)
- 2. Then check condition
- 3. If condition is **true**, repeat
- 4. If false → stop

Key Characteristics

✓ Post-tested loop ✓ Executes **at least once** ✓ Useful when you must run the block before checking the condition (e.g., taking user input before validating)

E. Comparison: while vs do-while

Feature	while	do-while
Condition checked	Before the loop	After one execution
Minimum executions	0 times	1 time
Use case	When you may skip execution	When at least one run is required

Instructor’s Insight from Transcript:

- You **rarely** *require* a do-while loop specifically
- Most loops that work with do-while can be rewritten using while
- But do-while is handy when you *need* the body to run first

F. Worked Example (Power of 2 values below 100)

Using **while** loop

```
int i = 1;  
int end = 100;  
  
while (i < end) {  
    System.out.println(i);  
}
```

```
    i = i * 2;  
}
```

Using **do-while** loop

```
int i = 1;  
int end = 100;  
  
do {  
    System.out.println(i);  
    i = i * 2;  
} while (i < end);
```

Output (for both loops):

```
1  
2  
4  
8  
16  
32  
64
```

Both produce the same output because the starting condition ($i < 100$) allows both loops to run multiple times.

4. Summary

- Loops repeat steps until a condition becomes false
- **while** and **do-while** work similarly but differ in when the condition is checked
- **while** checks first → possible 0 executions
- **do-while** executes first → minimum 1 execution
- Both loops can generally be used interchangeably
- Only in certain cases (like mandatory first execution) is **do-while** preferable

5. Practical Applications

You will use loops for tasks like:

- Iterating through user input
- Generating sequences (e.g., powers of 2, Fibonacci series)
- Running menus (do-while is common here)
- Processing data until a stop condition is met
- Repeated calculations until convergence

6. Self-Assessment Questions

Conceptual

1. What is the main purpose of loops in programming?
2. How is a `while` loop different from a `do-while` loop?
3. Why might a `do-while` loop be preferred when taking user input?

Code Understanding

4. What will this code print?

```
int x = 0;
while (x > 0) {
    System.out.println("Hello");
    x--;
}
```

5. What is the minimum number of times this executes?

```
do {
    System.out.println("Run");
} while (false);
```

Application

6. Write a loop (your choice of type) to print numbers from 10 down to 1.
7. Convert a `while` loop into a `do-while` loop that repeats until a number becomes 0.

Practising Loops

```
package looppractice;

public class LoopPractice {

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        //int i=1;//100
        /*while(i<100)
        {
            System.out.println(i);
            i=i*2;
        }*/

        /*do
```

```
        {
            System.out.println(i);
            i=i*2;
        }while(i<100);*/

byte i=1;
while(true)
{
    System.out.println(i);
    i++;
}

// The above Infinite loop is equivalent to below if/else where
else is never executed
byte i=1;
if(true)
{
    System.out.println(i);
    i++;
}
else
    System.out.println("Bye");
}
```

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✓ Learning Module: Understanding the For Loop (Counter-Controlled Loop)

1. Learning Objectives

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to:

- Distinguish between **while loops** (condition-controlled) and **for loops** (counter-controlled).
- Understand the structure and syntax of a **for loop**.
- Trace how execution flows through a for loop.
- Implement increasing and decreasing counter loops in code.
- Apply loops to real-life analogies to improve conceptual clarity.

2. Key Concepts

A. Condition-Controlled Loop (while loop)

- Runs **as long as a condition is true**.

- Used when the number of repetitions is **unknown beforehand**.

Example (real-life analogy): You add sugar to coffee **until** the coffee is sweet enough → You don't know how many spoonfuls you'll need.

B. Counter-Controlled Loop (for loop)

- Runs a **specific number of times**.
- Used when you **know the exact number of repetitions**.

Example (real-life analogy): You decide to add **exactly 5 spoons** of sugar. No checking sweetness during the process → You repeat exactly 5 times.

C. For Loop Syntax (Common Structure)

```
for (initialization; condition; update) {  
    // body of the loop  
}
```

Where:

1. **Initialization** — executed once before loop starts
 2. **Condition** — checked before every iteration
 3. **Update** — executed after each iteration
 4. **Body** — main repeated statements
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3. Detailed Breakdown

3.1 Flow of a For Loop

1. **Initialization** – executed once
2. **Condition check**
 - If true → execute body
 - If false → exit loop
3. **Execute body**
4. **Update step**
5. Go back to **condition**
6. Repeat until condition becomes false

This cycle continues:

Condition → Process (body) → Update → Condition → ...

3.2 Example 1: Counting from 1 to 10

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 10; i++) {  
    printf("%d\n", i);  
}
```

Explanation:

- Initialization: `i = 1`
- Condition: continue while `i <= 10`
- Update: `i++` (increment by 1 each iteration)
- Output: 1, 2, 3, ..., 10

After `i` becomes 11, condition fails → loop stops.

3.3 Example 2: Counting Down from 10 to 1

```
for (int i = 10; i >= 1; i--) {  
    printf("%d\n", i);  
}
```

Key insight: The **update step** can be `i--` (decrement) instead of `i++`.

This prints: 10, 9, 8, ..., 1

3.4 Notes About Flexibility

- Initialization can be any value.
- Condition can increase, decrease, or follow custom rules.
- Update can be:
 - `i++`
 - `i--`
 - `i += 2`
 - `i *= 3`, etc.

The loop is fully customizable based on the requirement.

4. Summary

- **While loop** → when repetition count is unknown → controlled by a condition.
- **For loop** → when repetition count is known → controlled by a counter.

- For loop has three parts:
 1. Initialization (only once)
 2. Condition (checked each time)
 3. Update (after each iteration)
 - Can count **upwards** or **downwards**.
 - Useful for fixed-number tasks like printing 1 to 10.
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5. Practical Applications

You can apply for loops in programming wherever you need:

- Printing sequences
 - Summing numbers
 - Searching arrays
 - Repeating actions a fixed number of times
 - Counting down timers
 - Iterating over list indices
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6. Self-Assessment Questions

1. When should you use a **while loop** instead of a **for loop**?
2. What are the **three components** of a for loop?
3. Write a for loop to print all even numbers from 2 to 20.
4. What happens if you forget to update the loop variable in a for loop?
5. Rewrite the loop below as a decreasing loop:

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 5; i++) {  
    printf("%d", i);  
}
```

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☒ Learning Module: Advanced For Loop Concepts & Variations

1. Learning Objectives

After completing this module, you will be able to:

- Understand all three components of a for loop: initialization, condition, update.
- Identify how a for loop executes step-by-step.
- Understand scope of loop variables.
- Write increasing and decreasing loops.
- Recognize infinite loop scenarios and how they occur accidentally.
- Understand optional components of a for loop.
- Declare and update multiple variables inside a for loop.

2. Key Concepts

A. The Three Parts of a For Loop

A for loop has three main sections:

```
for (initialization; condition; update) {  
    // body  
}
```

1. **Initialization** → Runs only once
2. **Condition** → Checked before each iteration
3. **Update (increment/decrement/operation)** → Runs after each iteration

Execution order:

```
Initialization → Condition → Body → Update → Condition → Body → Update → ...
```

B. Example: Counting from 0 to 10

```
for (int i = 0; i <= 10; i++) {  
    printf("%d\n", i);  
}
```

Step-by-step:

- `i = 0` (initialization)
- Check `i <= 10` → true → print 0
- `i++` → i becomes 1
- Check again → true → print 1
- ...
- When `i = 11` → condition fails → loop stops

C. Debugging Insight

Variables declared *inside* the for loop (e.g., `int i = 0`) **exist only inside the loop**. Outside the loop, they become **unknown**.

D. Decrementing / Reverse Loop

To count from 10 down to 1:

```
for (int i = 10; i > 0; i--) {  
    printf("%d\n", i);  
}
```

Common mistake: If you accidentally write `i++` in a decreasing loop:

```
for (int i = 10; i > 0; i++) {    // ✗ wrong update
```

Then:

- `i` keeps increasing (10, 11, 12...)
- Condition `i > 0` remains true for a very long time
- Eventually integer overflow occurs → number becomes negative → loop stops.

☞ Not truly infinite, but very large unintended loop.

E. Optional Components in a For Loop

1. Initialization is optional

```
int i = 0;  
for (; i <= 10; i++) {  
    printf("%d\n", i);  
}
```

2. Update is optional

Can be done inside the loop:

```
for (int i = 0; i <= 10; ) {  
    printf("%d\n", i);  
    i++;  
}
```

3. Condition is optional

Removing it results in **infinite loop**:

```
for (;;) {  
    // infinite loop  
}
```

Same as:

```
for (true;;)
```

⚠ Use with caution.

F. Writing an Intentional Infinite Loop

Two valid forms:

```
for (;;) 
```

or

```
for (; true ; )
```

Both produce endless loops until a **break** is used.

G. Multiple Initializations & Updates

Multiple variable declarations:

```
for (int i = 1, j = 1; i <= 5; i++, j *= 2) {  
    printf("%d %d\n", i, j);  
}
```

Rules:

- Variables must be of the **same data type**.
- Multiple items are separated by **commas**, not semicolons.

Output example:

```
1 1
2 2
3 4
4 8
5 16
```

Here:

- `i` increases linearly
- `j` doubles each iteration (exponential growth)

3. Summary

- A **for loop** has initialization, condition, and update — all three are optional.
- Misplacing `++` or `--` can cause unintended long loops.
- Loop variables declared inside the loop are **not visible outside**.
- You can update **multiple variables** using commas.
- Infinite loops are possible using `for(;;)`.

4. Practical Applications

Use these techniques when:

- Counting up or down through sequences
- Managing two related counters
- Writing timers or countdowns
- Performing repeated actions a fixed number of times
- Calculating exponential or arithmetic progressions
- Creating intentionally infinite loops (servers, polling, repeated prompts)

5. Self-Assessment Questions

1. What are the three parts of a for loop and in what order do they execute?
2. What happens if you skip the update part of the loop?
3. How do you write an infinite loop using a for loop?
4. What mistake leads to very long loops instead of decreasing loops?
5. Write a loop that prints numbers from 50 to 0 stepping down by 5.
6. Write a loop where one variable increases and another decreases simultaneously.

5. Student Challenge

Display Multiplication Table

```
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    Scanner sc=new Scanner(System.in);

    System.out.println("Enter a Number");
    int n=sc.nextInt();

    for(int i=1;i<=10;i++)
    {
        System.out.println(n+" x "+i+" = "+n*i);
    }
}
```

Sum of n Natural Numbers upto n

```
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    Scanner sc=new Scanner(System.in);

    System.out.println("Enter a Number");
    int n=sc.nextInt();

    int sum=0;

    for(int i=1;i<=n;i++)
    {
        sum=sum+i;
    }

    System.out.println("Sum of "+n+" Number is "+sum);
}
```

Factorial of a Number

```
package scloop1;

import java.util.*;

public class SCLoop1
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        Scanner sc=new Scanner(System.in);

        System.out.println("Enter a Number");
    }
}
```

```

    int n=sc.nextInt();

    long fact=1;

    for(int i=1;i<=n;i++)
    {
        fact=fact*i;
    }

    System.out.println("Factorial is "+fact);
}

```

- **Display Digits of number (Can't use For loop as we don't know length of digit)**

n	r=n%10	n/10
257	7	25
25	5	2
2	2	2/10 = 0
0		

```

//Display Digits of number
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    Scanner scan=new Scanner(System.in);

    System.out.println("Enter a Number");
    int n=scan.nextInt();

    int r;
    while(n>0)
    {
        r=n%10;
        n=n/10;
        System.out.println(r);
    }
    System.out.println(n);
}

```

- **Count Digits Of a Number**

n	n=n/10	count
2359	235	1
235	23	2
23	2	3
3	0	4

```
int count = 0;
n = 2359;
while(n>0)
{
    n = n / 10;
    count++;
}
```

```
//Count Digits Of a Number
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    Scanner scan=new Scanner(System.in);

    System.out.println("Enter a Number");
    int n=scan.nextInt();

    int count=0;
    while(n>0)
    {
        n=n/10;
        count++;
    }
    System.out.println(count);
}
```

- **Finding a number is Armstrong or not (153 = Sum of cubes of each digit)**

```
/* armstrong number*/
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    Scanner scan=new Scanner(System.in);

    System.out.println("Enter a Number");
    int n=scan.nextInt();

    int m=n;
    int sum=0;
    int r;
    while(n>0)
    {
        r=n%10;
        n=n/10;

        sum=sum+r*r*r;
    }
    if(sum==m) {
        System.out.println("Its a Armstrong Number");
    }
}
```



```

    } else {
        System.out.println("Its not an Armsttrong Number");
    }
}

```

- **Reverse a number**

```

rev = 0
n,      r = n % 10,      rev = rev * 10 + r,      n = n / 10
237,    7,              0 * 10 + 7 = 7,          23
23,     3,              7 * 10 + 3 = 73,          2
2,      2,              73 * 10 + 2 = 732,        0
0

```

```

public static void main(String[] args)
{
    Scanner scan=new Scanner(System.in);

    System.out.println("Enter a Number");
    int n=scan.nextInt();

    int rev = 0, r;

    while (n > 0)
    {
        r = n % 10;
        rev = rev * 10 + r;
        n = n / 10;
    }
    System.out.println("The reverse is " + rev);
}

```

- **Check a number is palindrome**

```

public static void main(String[] args)
{
    Scanner scan=new Scanner(System.in);

    System.out.println("Enter a Number");
    int n=scan.nextInt();
    int m = n; // To hold what user entered at first !

    int rev = 0, r;

    while (n > 0)
    {
        r = n % 10;

```

```
        rev = rev * 10 + r;
        n = n / 10;
    }
    if( rev == m ) {
        System.out.println("It is palindrome");
    } else {
        System.out.println("It is not palindrome");
    }
}
```

- **Fibonacci**

```
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    Scanner sc=new Scanner(System.in);

    System.out.println("Program to Fibonacci Series");
    System.out.println("Enter number of Terms");
    int n=sc.nextInt();

    int a=0,b=1,c;

    System.out.print(a+","+b+",");
    for(int i=0;i<n-2;i++)
    {
        c=a+b;
        System.out.print(c+",");
        a=b;
        b=c;
    }
}
```