

Imperative programming

3rd Lecture



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1 Expressions

- Representation of Numbers
- Operators
- Syntax
- Semantics

Examples

 $n + 1$ $3.14 * r * r$ $3 * v[0]$ $x < 3.14$ $3 * (r1 + r2) == \text{factorial}(x)$ 

Lexica

- Literals
- Operators
- Identifiers
- Parentheses
- other, e.g. comma



Number Representation in C

- Whole Numbers (integers) – an interval in \mathbb{Z}
 - Unsigned
 - Signed
- Floating-point Numbers (floats) $\subsetneq \mathbb{Q}$

(in various sizes)



Unsigned Integers

On 4 bits

$$1011 = 2^3 + 2^1 + 2^0$$

On n bits

$$b_{n-1} \dots b_2 b_1 b_0 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} b_i 2^i$$

in C

```
unsigned int big = 0xFFFFFFFF;  
if( big > 0 ){ printf("it's big!"); }
```



with Sign: „two's complement' ' representation

- 1st bit: Sign
- rest of bits: Binary Digits

On 4 bits

0000	0			
0001	1	1111	-1	
0010	2	1110	-2	
0011	3	1101	-3	0011
0100	4	1100	-4	+1101
0101	5	1011	-5	-----
0110	6	1010	-6	10000
0111	7	1001	-7	
		1000	-8	



Signed Integer in C

```
int big = 0xFFFFFFFF;  
if( big > 0 ){ printf("it's big!"); }
```



Signed Integer Arithmetic

- Asymmetry: one more of negative values
- Unnatural
 - „two big positives added give a negative’’
 - „negating a negative can be negative’’
- Example: Arithmetic Mean (average) of two numbers?



Size of Integers

- short: minimum 16 bit
- int: minimum 16 bit
- long: minimum 32 bit
- long long: minimum 64 bit (C99)

`sizeof(short) <= sizeof(int) <= sizeof(long)`



Floating-point Numbers

$$1423.3 = 1.4233 \cdot 10^3$$

$$14.233 = 1.4233 \cdot 10^1$$

$$0.14233 = 1.4233 \cdot 10^{-1}$$



Binary Representation

$$(-1)^s \cdot m \cdot 2^e$$

(s: sign; m: mantissa / significand; e: exponent)

Represented in Fixed number of Bits

- Sign
- Exponent / Characteristic
- Significand / Mantissa / Fraction

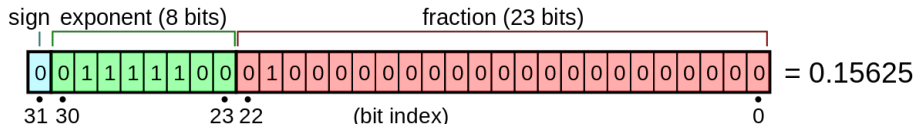


IEEE 754

- Binary System
- Present in most computer systems
- Variable Sizes (Precisions)
 - Single (32 bits: $1 + 23 + 8$)
 - Double (64 bits: $1 + 52 + 11$)
 - Extended (80 bits: $1 + 64 + 15$)
 - Quadruple (128 bites: $1 + 112 + 15$)
- Mantissa is between 1 and 2 (e.g. $1.01101000000000000000000$)
 - implicit 1st bit



32 bits Example



- sign: 0 (non-negative)
- „characteristic’: 01111100, so 124
 - exponent = characteristic - 127 = -3
- mantissa: 1.01000...0, so 1.25

Meaning: $(-1)^0 \cdot 1.25 \cdot 2^{-3}$, so $1.25/8$



Features of Floating-point Numbers

- Wide Range of Values
 - Very big and very small numbers
- Not Even Distribution of Numbers
- Over- and Underflow
 - Positive and Negative Zeros
 - Infinities
 - NaNs (Not a Number)
 - Denormal Values



Floating-point Arithmetic

$$2.0 == 1.1 + 0.9$$

$$2.0 - 1.1 != 0.9$$

$$2.0 - 0.9 == 1.1$$

No money in floating-point please!



Complex Numbers

Real and Imaginary parts, e.g. $3.14 + 2.72i$ (where $i^2 = -1$)

C99

```
float _Complex fc;  
double _Complex dc;  
long double _Complex ldc;
```



Complex Numbers from C99

```
#include <complex.h>
```

```
...
```

```
double complex dc = 3.14 + 2*I;
```



Conversion Between Types

```
double pi = 3.141592;  
int three = (int) pi;
```



Operators

- Arithmetic
- Assignment (C)
- Increase/Decrease (C)
- Relational
- Logical
- Conditional
- Bit Operations
- sizeof (C)



Arithmetic Operators

+ operand

- operand

left + right

left - right

left * right

left / right

left % right



„Real’ ’ and Integer Division

C

`5.0 / 2.0 == 2.5`

`5 / 2 == 2`



Exponentiation (Power of)

C

```
#include <math.h>
```

```
pow( 5.1, 2.1 )
```



Assignment in C

Assignment Statement

```
n = 1;
```

Expression with Side-effect

```
n = 1
```

Value of Expression with Side-effect

```
(n = 1) == 1
```

Value Propagation

```
m = (n = 1)
```



Assignment Operators in C

`n = 3`

`n += 3`

`n -= 3`

`n *= 3`

`n /= 3`

`n %= 3`

`n = (n + 3)`

`n = (n - 3)`

`n = (n * 3)`

`n = (n / 3)`

`n = (n % 3)`



Increase/Decrease Operators in C

Side-effect

<code>c++;</code>	<code>c += 1;</code>	<code>c = (c + 1);</code>
<code>++c;</code>	<code>c += 1;</code>	<code>c = (c + 1);</code>
<code>c--;</code>	<code>c -= 1;</code>	<code>c = (c - 1);</code>
<code>--c;</code>	<code>c -= 1;</code>	<code>c = (c - 1);</code>

Results of Evaluation

<code>c++</code>	<code>c</code>
<code>++c</code>	<code>c+1</code>
<code>c--</code>	<code>c</code>
<code>--c</code>	<code>c-1</code>



Relational Operators

`left == right`

`left != right`

`left <= right`

`left >= right`

`left < right`

`left > right`

Logical (boolean) Values



Chaining in Python

`3 < x < 7`

- In C this means something totally different...



Logical Type in C

ANSI C: none

false: 0, true: anything else (1 first of all)

```
int right = 3 < 5;  
int wrong = 3 > 5;  
printf("%d %d\n",right,wrong);
```

from C99

```
#include <stdbool.h>  
...  
_Bool v = 3 < 5;  
int one = (_Bool) 0.5;  
int zero = (int) 0.5;  
  
bool v = true;
```



Infinite Loop Idiom

```
while(1){  
    ...  
}
```



What is this code doing?

```
while( x = 5 ){  
    printf("%d\n", x);  
    --x;  
}
```



Logical Operators

C

left && right

left || right

! operand



Conditional Operator

C

```
condition ? left : right
```



Bitoperations

```
int two = 2;  
int sixteen = 2 << 3;  
int one = 2 >> 1;  
int zero = 2 >> 2;  
  
int three = two | one;  
int five = 13 & 7;  
int twelve = 9 ^ five;  
int minusOne = ~zero;
```



Syntax of Function Calls

Actual Parameters

`<function-call> ::= <identifier> ()`
`| <identifier> (<argument-list>)`

`<argument-list> ::= <expression>`
`| <expression> , <argument-list>`

`pi(), factorial(n+m), min(0,x*y)`



Usage of Operators

- Arity

- Unary, e.g. $-x$, $c++$
- Binary, e.g. $x-y$
- Ternary, e.g. $x < 0 ? 0 : x$

- Fixity

- Prefix, e.g. $++c$
- Postfix, e.g. $c++$
- Infix, e.g. $x+y$
- Mixfix, e.g. $x < 0 ? 0 : x$



Evaluation of Expressions

- Fully Parenthesized Expression

$$3 + ((12 - 3) * 4)$$

- Precedence: operator $*$ bonds stronger than $+$

$$12 - 3 * 4$$

- Left- and Right Associativity

- between operators on the same precedence level
- $3 * n / 2$ means $(3 * n) / 2$ (left-associative op.)
- $n = m = 1$ means $n = (m = 1)$ (right-associative op.)



Evaluation of Expressions (cont.)

- Lazyness, Greedyness
 - Greedy: like expression $A + B$
 - Lazy: like expression $A \ \&\& \ B$

- Side-effect

```
n = 1
```

```
i++
```

```
++i
```

```
i *= j
```

- Evaluation Order of Operands, Function Parameters

```
int i = 2;
```

```
int j = i -- - -- i;
```

- Sequence Point

