

Introduction to C-Programming

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Why C?

C Features

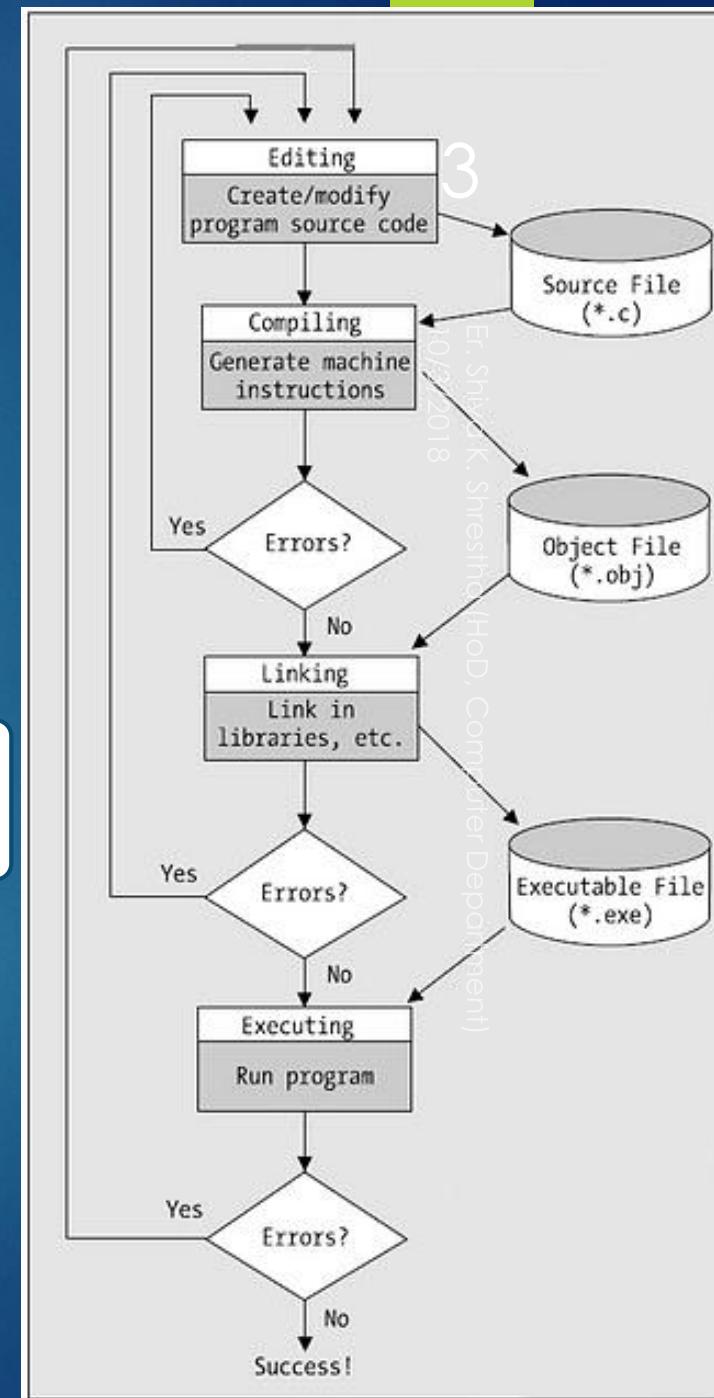
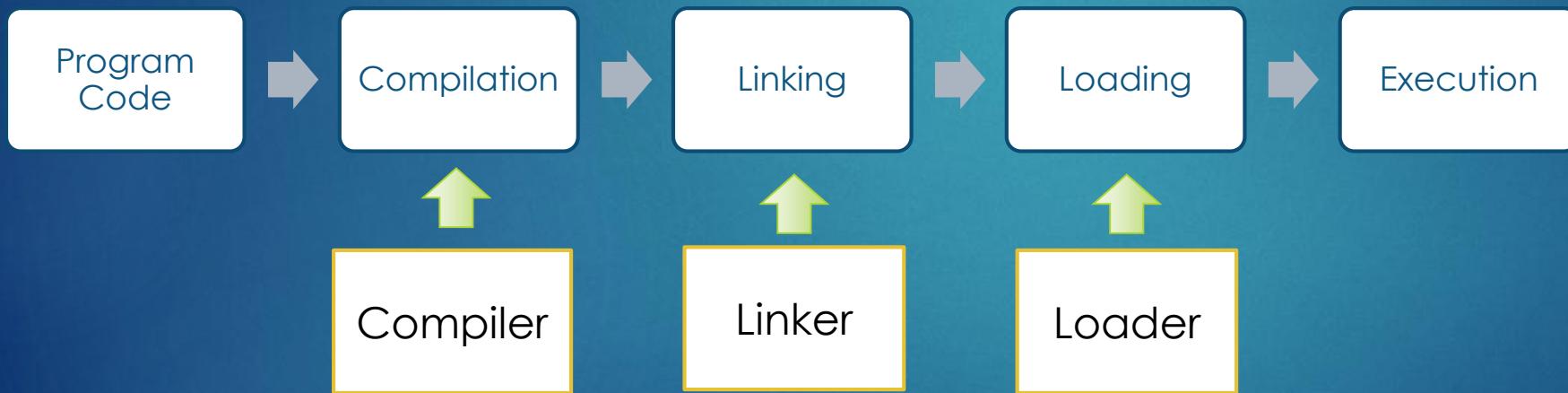
- ▶ Simple
- ▶ Portability
- ▶ Syntax Based
- ▶ Case Sensitive
- ▶ Structure Oriented
- ▶ Middle Level
- ▶ Use of Pointer
- ▶ Compiler Based
- ▶ Fast & Efficient
- ▶ Powerful

Uses of C

- ▶ OS
- ▶ Compilers
- ▶ Device Drivers
- ▶ Interpreters
- ▶ Embedded System

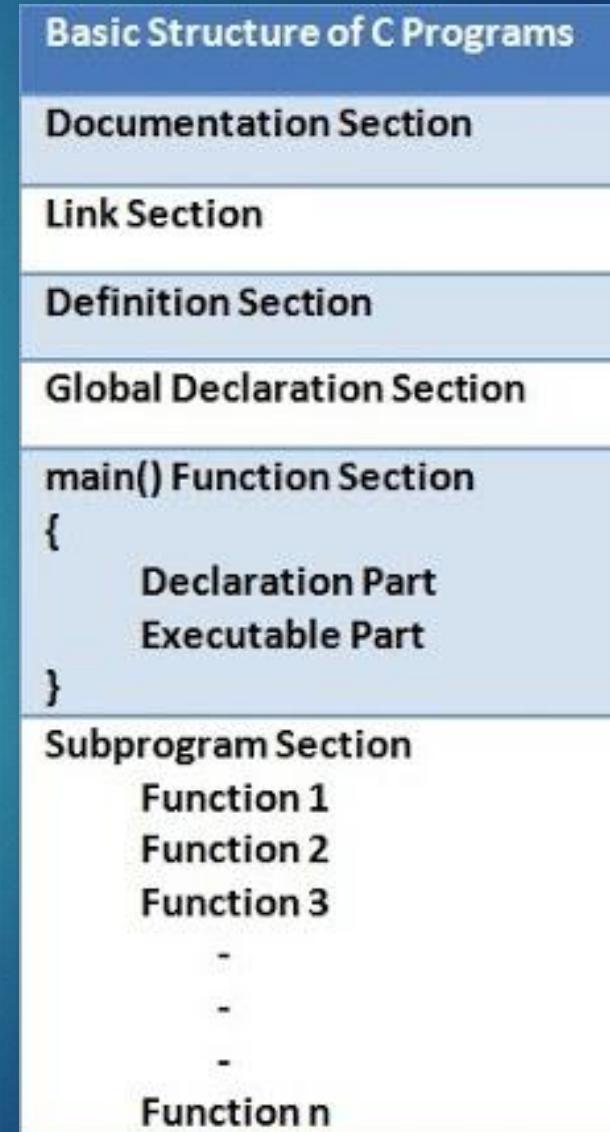
Executing a C Program

Compilation & Execution



Basic Structure of C Program

- ▶ Documentation Section
- ▶ Link Section
- ▶ Definition Section
- ▶ Global Declaration Section
- ▶ main() Function Section
- ▶ Subprogram Section



Sample C Program

```
// Name of Program → Documentation section  
  
#include<stdio.h>  
#include<conio.h> } → Link section  
  
#define max 10 → Definition section  
  
void add(); } → Global declaration section  
int x=10;  
  
int main() → main () Function section / Entry Point  
{ int a=10; → variable declaration  
printf("Hello Main"); } → Body of Main function  
return 0;  
}  
  
void add()  
{ printf("Hello add"); } → Function Declaration
```

Class Works

- ▶ WAP to display message “Plane Hijacked”.
- ▶ WAP to calculate sum of three entered numbers with 7.
- ▶ WAP to display pass or fail as per OM entered by user.

Character Set

Categories

- ▶ Letters or Alphabets
 - ▶ Uppercase Letter (A to Z)
 - ▶ Lowercase Letter (a to z)
- ▶ Digits (0 to 9)
- ▶ Special Characters
- ▶ White Spaces

The **special characters** are listed below:

+	-	*	/	=	%	&	#	!	?	^
"	'	~	\		<	>	()	[]
{	}	:	;	.	,	-	(blank space)			

Tokens/Identifiers

- ▶ Identifiers
- ▶ Variables
- ▶ Keywords
- ▶ Constants
- ▶ String
- ▶ Operators
- ▶ Special Symbols

Identifier is the word used for name given to variables, functions, constants etc. It can also be defined as a set of combinations of one or more letters or digits used to identify constants, variables, functions etc.

Rules for Valid Identifiers

1. First character should always be letter.
2. Both uppercase and lowercase letters may be used and are recognized as distinct.
3. Only underscore (_) is allowed among special symbols and is treated as letter.
4. **Space and other symbols are not valid.**
5. Proper naming conventions should be followed.
6. Identifier's should not any keyword

32 keywords available in C

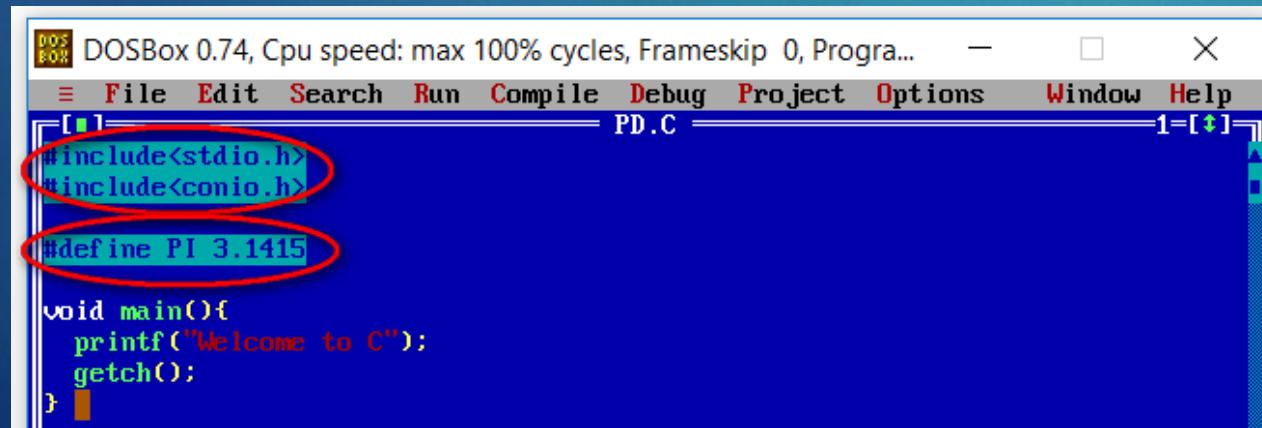
auto	double	int	struct	break	else	long
switch	case	enum	register	typedef	char	extern
return	union	const	float	for	goto	if
short	do	signed	void	default	sizeof	continue
static	while	volatile	unsigned			

Valid	Count test23
	high_balance
	_test
Invalid	4 th order-no error flag hi!there

Preprocessor Directives

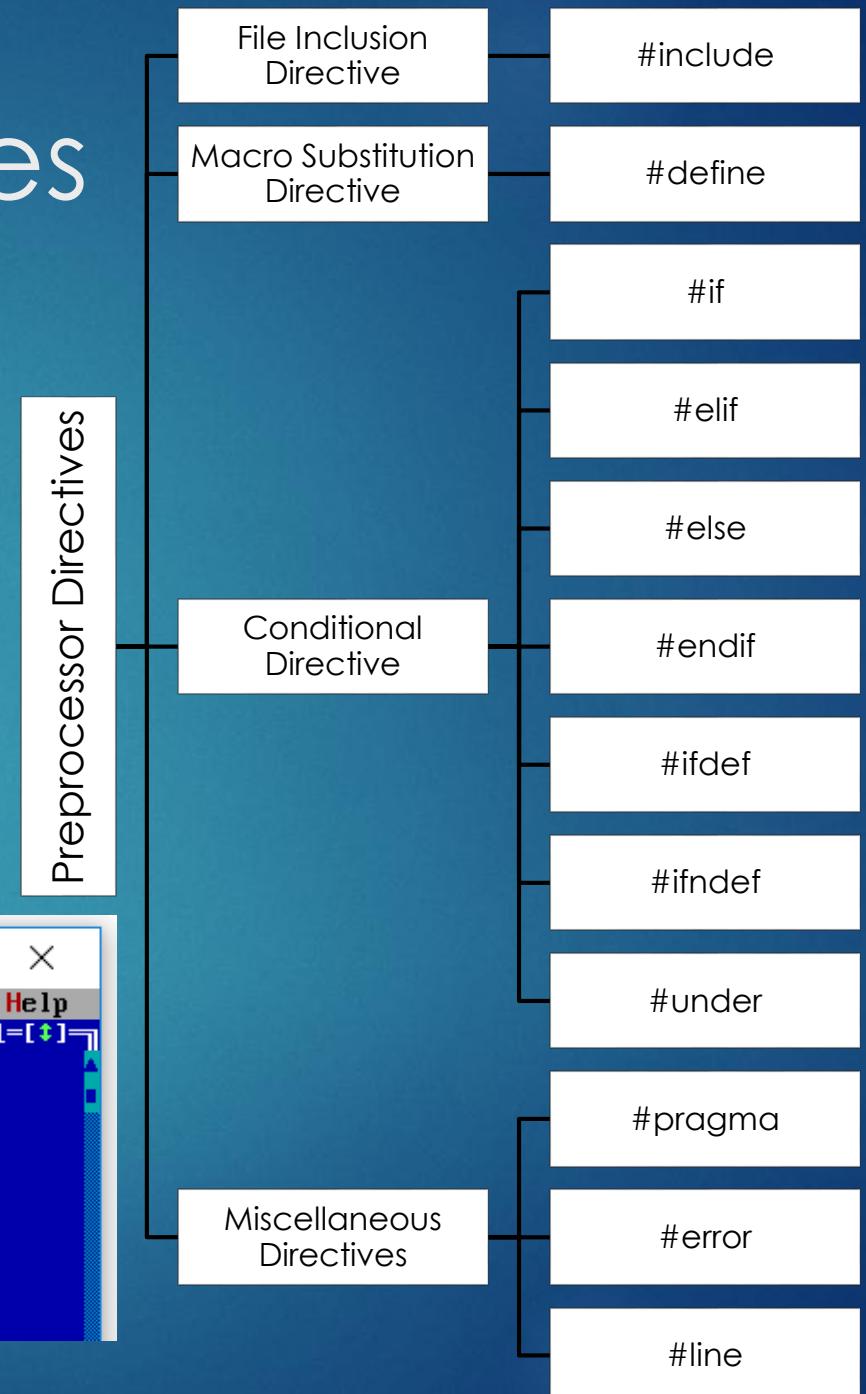
Types of Preprocessor Directives (Mainly)

- ▶ File Inclusion
 - ▶ #include
- ▶ Macro Substitution
 - ▶ #define



A screenshot of DOSBox 0.74 showing a C program in a terminal window. The code includes file inclusion directives (#include <stdio.h> and #include <conio.h>) and a macro definition (#define PI 3.1415). The code is as follows:

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>
#define PI 3.1415
void main(){
    printf("Welcome to C");
    getch();
}
```



Variables

- A variable is a named location in memory that is used to hold a value that may be modified by the program.

General syntax:

```
typename var1, var2;
```

- e.g. int a, b;

```
float c,d;
```

```
char e;
```

Scope of Variables

(Where Variables are declared?)

- ▶ Variables will be declared in three basic places: *inside functions*, *in the definition of function parameters*, and *outside of all functions*.
- ▶ These are local variables, global variables, and formal parameters.

```
int x=10;          // Global x
voi main()
{
    int x=20;      // X Local to Block 1
    - - - -
    - - - -
    {
        int x=30; // X Local to Block 2
        - - - -
        - - - -
        - - - -
    }
}

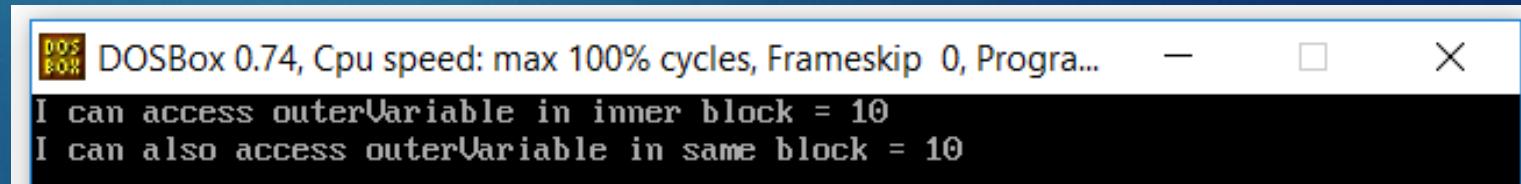
①
②
③
void funct()
{
    int x=40;      // X Local to Block 3
    - - - -
    - - - -
    - - - -
}
```

Local Variables

- ▶ Variables that are declared inside a function are called local variables.
- ▶ For Example

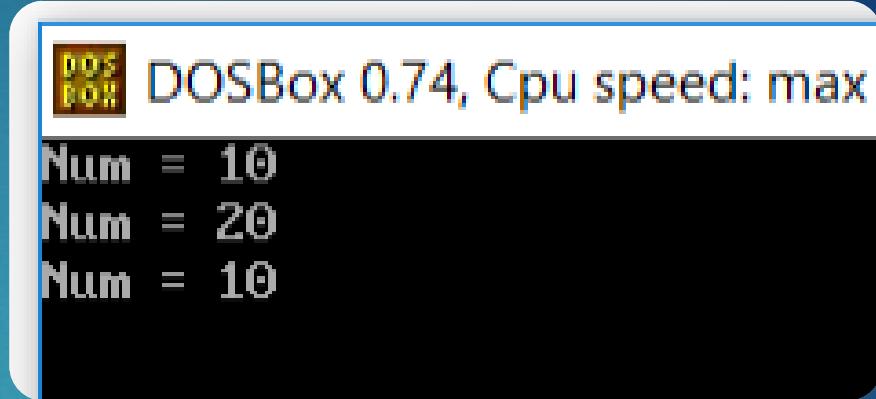
```
void func1( ){  
    int x;  
    x=10;  
}  
  
void func2( ){  
    int x;  
    x=-199;  
}
```

```
/* Local Variable: Example#1 */  
#include<stdio.h>  
#include<conio.h>  
int main(){  
    int outerVariable = 10;  
    clrscr();  
  
    {  
        printf("I can access outerVariable in  
inner block = %d\n", outerVariable);  
    }  
  
    printf("I can also access outerVariable in  
same block = %d", outerVariable);  
  
    getch();  
}
```



Local Variable (2)

```
/* Local Variable: Example#2 */  
#include<stdio.h>  
#include<conio.h>  
void main(){  
    int num = 10;  
    clrscr();  
    // I cannot declare num again in same block  
    // int num;  
    printf("Num = %d\n", num);  
    {  
        // I can declare num again in different block  
        int num = 20;  
        printf("Num = %d\n", num);  
    }  
    printf("Num = %d\n", num);  
    getch();  
}
```



Global Variables

Unlike local variables, global variables are known throughout the program and may be used by any piece of code.

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>
int count; /* count is global */
void func1();
void func2();
void main(){
    count=100;
    func1();
    getch();
}
```

```
void func1( ){
    int temp;
    temp=count;
    func2( );
    printf("count is
%d",count);
}
void func2( ){
    int count=50;
    printf("Value of
count:%d",count);
}
```

```
/* Global Variable: Example#1 */
#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>
int count; /* count is global */
void func1();
void func2();
void main( ){
    count=100;
    func1( );
    getch( );
}
void func1( ){
    int temp;
    temp=count;
    func2( );
    printf("\ncount = %d",count);
}
void func2( ){
    int count=50;
    printf("Value of count:%d",count);
}
```

```
Value of count:50
count = 100
```

Formal Parameters

If a function is to use arguments, it must declare variables that will accept the values of the arguments.

```
/* Formal Parameter */  
#include<stdio.h>  
#include<conio.h>  
int square(int x);  
void main(){  
    int t=5;  
    t=square(t);  
    printf("Value of t:%d",t);  
    getch();  
}  
int square(int x){  
    x=x*x;  
    return x;  
}
```

```
1 /* Formal Parameter */  
2 #include<stdio.h>  
3 #include<conio.h>  
4 int square(int x);  
5  
6 void main(){  
7     int t=5;  
8     t=square(t);  
9     printf("Value of t:%d",t);  
10    getch();  
11 }  
12  
13 int square(int x){  
14     x=x*x;  
15     return x;  
16 }  
17
```



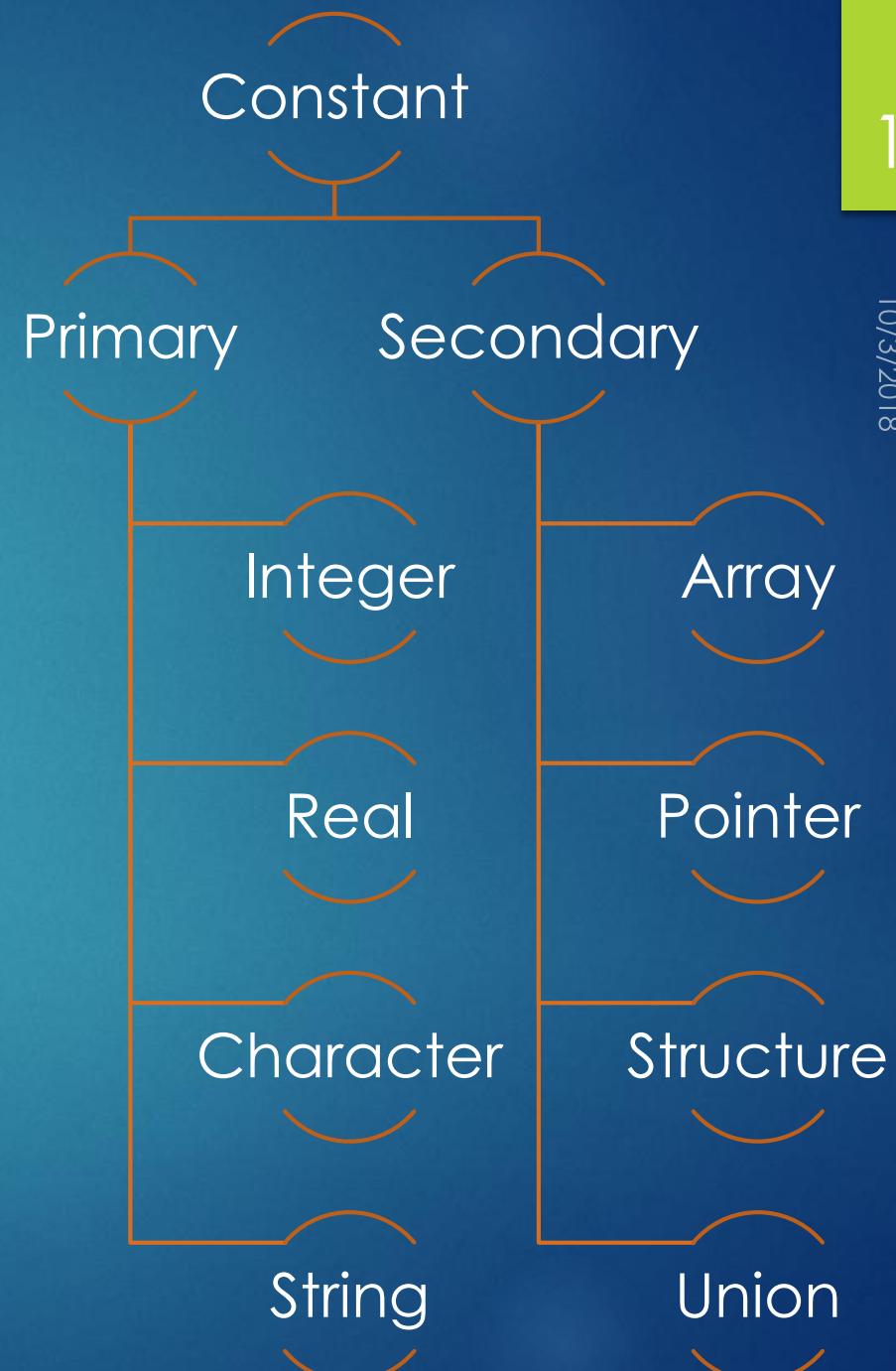
```
Value of t:25
```

Constants

- ▶ Constant - it does not change during the execution of a program

- ▶ For Example

```
#define PI 3.1415  
const float pi=3.14159;
```



Primary Constants

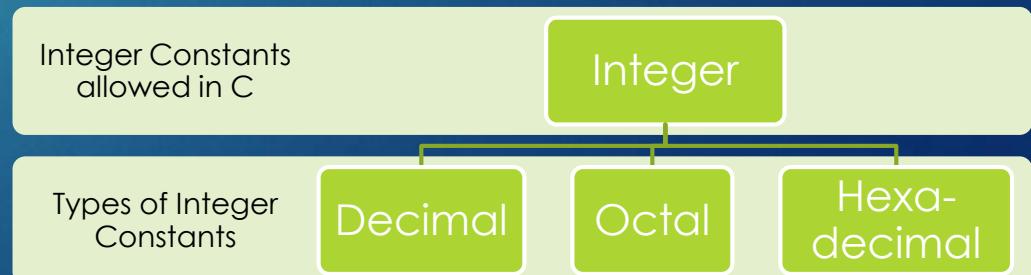
Integer Constants

Integer constants are whole numbers without any fractional parts.

Rules for constructing Integer constants:

- ▶ An integer constant must have at least one digit.
- ▶ It must not have a decimal point.
- ▶ It could be either positive or negative
- ▶ If no sign precedes an integer constant is assumed to be positive.
- ▶ No commas or blank spaces are allowed within an integer constant.
- ▶ The allowable range is -2147483648 to +2147483647 for 32 bit machine. For 16-bit machine it is -32768 to 32767.

Valid	1234
	3456
	-9746
Invalid	11.
	45,35
	\$12
	025
	x248



Primary Constants

Integer Constants: Decimal Integer Constant

Decimal integer constants:

- The allowable digits in a decimal integer constant are 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9.
- The first digit should not be 0.
- Should at least one digit.

Valid	1234
	3456
	-9746
Invalid	11.
	45,35
	\$12
	025
	x248

Primary Constants

Integer Constants: Octal Integer Constant

Octal integer constants:

- ▶ The allowable digits in a octal constant are 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7
- ▶ Must have at least one digit and start with digit 0.

Valid 0245

-0476

+04013

Invalid 25 (does not start with 0)

0387(8 is not an octal digit)

04.32(Decimal point is not allowed)

Primary Constants

Integer Constants: Hexadecimal Integer Constant

Hexadecimal integer constants:

- ▶ The allowable digits in a hexadecimal constant are 0,1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,A,B,C,D,E,F
- ▶ Must have at least one digit and start with 0x or 0X.

Valid 0x14AF

0X34680

-0x2673E

Invalid 0345 (Must start with 0x)

0x45H3 (H is not a hexadecimal digit)

Primary Constants

Floating Point/Real Constants

A floating point constant may be written in one or two forms called fractional form or the exponent form.

Rules for constructing floating point / real constants:

- ▶ A floating-point constant must have at least one digit to the left and right of the decimal point.
- ▶ It must have a decimal point.
- ▶ It could be either positive or negative
- ▶ If no sign precedes an floating point constant is assumed to be positive.
- ▶ No commas or blank spaces are allowed.
- ▶ When value is too large or small, can be expressed in exponential form comprising mantissa and exponent. E or e should separate mantissa and exponent. The mantissa may have upto 7 digits and the exponent may be between -38 and +38.

Valid	+325.34 426.0 32E-89 35e+56
Invalid	1 (decimal point missing) 1. (No digit following decimal digit) -1/2 (Symbol / is illegal) .5 (No digit to the left of the decimal) 56,8.94 (Comma not allowed) -125.9e5.5 (exponent cannot be fraction) 0.158e+954 (exponent too large)

Character Constants

- ▶ A character constant is a single alphabet, single digit, or a single special symbol enclosed within single quotes. Remember golden rule: single character single quote.
- ▶ e.g. 'A' '5' '+' '?'

String Constants

- ▶ A string constant is a sequence of alphanumeric characters enclosed in double quotation marks whose maximum length is 255 characters. For e.g. const char txt [] ="This is C and C++ Programming language.:";
- ▶ e.g. "green", "My name &&&!!! ???", "\$2525"

Declaration of Constants

- ▶ Value of an identifier defined as constant, cannot be altered during program execution.
- ▶ Generally, the constant is associated with an identifier and that name is used instead of actual number.

General Syntax

const typename identifier = const;

e.g. **const float pi=3.14159;**

- ▶ **Another way to define constants** is with the #define preprocessor which has the advantage that it does not use ant storage (but who count bytes these days?).
- ▶ **#define Identifier Value**
- ▶ **#define PI 3.1415**

Escape Sequences

- backslash symbol (\) is considered an "escape character": it causes an escape from the normal interpretation of string, so that the character is recognized as one having a special meaning.

Escape Sequence	Purpose
► \n	New Line (Line feed)
► \b	Backspace
► \t	Horizontal Tab
► \r	Carriage Return
► \f	Form feed
► \'	Single quote
► \"	Double quote
► \\	Backslash
► \a	Alert
► \?	Question mark

Data Types

1. Primary Data Types
 - ▶ int
 - ▶ char
 - ▶ float
 - ▶ double
2. Derived Data Types
 - ▶ structures,
 - ▶ unions,
 - ▶ enumerations
3. User-defined Data Types

Primary Data Types

- ▶ int
 - ▶ E.g. int a; a = 5;
- ▶ float
 - ▶ E.g. float miles; miles=5.6;
- ▶ double
 - ▶ E.g. double big; big = 312E7;
- ▶ char
 - ▶ E.g. char letter; letter = 'y';

The screenshot shows a DOSBox window titled "DOSBox 0.74, Cpu speed: max 100% cycles, Frameskip 0, Program..." with the file "DATATYPE.C" open. The code defines variables of different types and prints their values using printf statements. The variables are: sum (int), money (float), letter (char), and pi (double). The output shows the values: sum=10, money=2.210000, letter=A, and pi=2.010000e+06.

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>
void main(){
    int sum;
    float money;
    char letter;
    double pi;
    clrscr();
    sum = 10;
    money = 2.21;
    letter = 'A';
    pi = 2.01E6;
    printf("Value of sum=%d\n",sum);
    printf("Value of money=%f\n",money);
    printf("Value of letter=%c\n",letter);
    printf("Value of sum=%e\n",pi);
    getch();
}
```

The screenshot shows the DOSBox window displaying the output of the "DATATYPE.C" program. The output consists of four lines of text: "Value of sum=10", "Value of money=2.210000", "Value of letter=A", and "Value of sum=2.010000e+06".

```
Value of sum=10
Value of money=2.210000
Value of letter=A
Value of sum=2.010000e+06
```

Modifying the Basic Data Types

The lists of modifiers are:

- ▶ signed
- ▶ unsigned
- ▶ short
- ▶ long
- ▶ signed, unsigned, short, long can be used with int.
- ▶ signed, unsigned can be used with char.
- ▶ long can be used with double.

The amount of storage allocated is not fixed. ANSI has the following rules

short int <= int <= long int

float <= double <= long double

Data Type	Category	Range	Memory Space	Format Specifier
int	short signed	- 32,768 to 32,767	2 Byte	%d or %i
	short unsigned	0 to 65535	2 Byte	%u
	signed	- 32,768 to 32,767	2 Byte	%d
	unsigned	0 to 65535	2 Byte	%u
	long signed	-2,147,483,648 to 2,147,483,647	4 Byte	%ld
	long unsigned	0 to 4,294,967,295	4 Byte	%lu
	hexadecimal			%x
float	unsigned octal			%u
	float	1.2*10^-38 to 3.4*10^+38	4 Byte	%f
double	double	1.7*10^-308 to 3.4*10^+308	8 Byte	%lf
	long double	3.4*10^-4932 to 1.1*10^+4932	10 Byte	%Lf
char	signed char	- 128 to 127	1 Byte	%c
	unsigned char	0 to 255	1 Byte	%c

User-Defined Data Types

Syntax:

```
typedef existing_data_type new_name_for_existing_data_type;
```

Note:- We'll study example of `typedef` & Derived Data Type in Chapter 8.

Operators

1. Unary operators

- ▶ - , ++ , -- , sizeof , (type)
- ▶ e.g. -743, -a, -root, a++, a--, ++a, --a

2. Binary operators

- ▶ Arithmetic,
- ▶ Assignment,
- ▶ Relational,
- ▶ Logical

3. Tertiary operators

- ▶ (?:)

sizeof operator

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File Edit Search Run Compile Debug Project FINDSIZE.C

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>
void main(){
    int sum;
    float money;
    char letter;
    double sn;
    clrscr();
    printf("Size of sum=%d\n", sizeof(sum));
    printf("Size of money=%d\n", sizeof(money));
    printf("Size of letter=%d\n", sizeof(letter));
    printf("Size of sn=%d\n", sizeof(sn));
    getch();
}
```

DOSBox 0.74, Cpu speed: max 100% cycles, Frameskip 0,

Size of sum=2
Size of money=4
Size of letter=1
Size of sn=8

Typecast Operator

Typecast operator is also unary operator. It is used to change the data type of a variable.

Syntax: **(type) expression**

- e.g. (float) x/2;

```
main(){  
    int var1; float var2;  
    var2= (float) var1;  
}
```

- Unary operators have higher precedence. Also, the associativity of the unary operator is right to left.

Binary Operators

Arithmetic Operators

- + for addition
- for subtraction
- * for multiplication
- / for division
- % for remainder operation, modulo operator

Arithmetical Expressions

```
main(){  
    int a=10,b=3; int c,d,e,f;  
    c=a+b;  
    d=a-b;  
    e=a*b;  
    f=a%b;  
    printf("Value of c=%d\n",c);  
    printf("Value of d=%d\n",d);  
    printf("Value of e=%d\n",e);  
    printf("Value of f=%d\n",f); getch();  
}
```

Binary Operators

Assignment Operators

= for assignment

+= add with destination and assign

-= deduct from destination and assign

*= multiply with destination and assign

/= divide the destination and assign

%= assign the remainder after dividing the destination

$\text{exp1}+=\text{exp2}$ is equivalent to $\text{exp1}=\text{exp1}+\text{exp2}$

$\text{exp1}-=\text{exp2}$ is equivalent to $\text{exp1}=\text{exp1}-\text{exp2}$

$\text{exp1}*=\text{exp2}$ is equivalent to $\text{exp1}=\text{exp1}*\text{exp2}$

$\text{exp1}/=\text{exp2}$ is equivalent to $\text{exp1}=\text{exp1}/\text{exp2}$

$\text{exp1}\%=\text{exp2}$ is equivalent to $\text{exp1}=\text{exp1}\%\text{exp2}$

Binary Operators

Relational Operators

- < less than
- > greater than
- <= less than or equals to
- >= greater than or equals to

Equality operators are closely associated with this group

- = = equal to
- != not equal to

Binary Operators

Logical Operators

`&&` logical and (AND)

`||` logical or (OR)

Expression	Interpretation	Value
<code>(j>=6)&&(c== 'w')</code>	true	1
<code>(k<11)&&(j>100)</code>	false	0
<code>(j>=6) (c== 19)</code>	true	1
<code>(c!=p) (j+k)<10</code>	true	1

Tertiary Operator

► *(Test expression) ? true_value : false-value;*

E.g. *(j<0)?0:100*

DOSBox 0.74, Cpu speed: max 100%

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>
void main(){
    int a = 5, b = 7;
    clrscr();
    printf("Largest=%d",a>b?a:b);
    getch();
}
```

DOSBox 0.74,

Largest=7

Bitwise Operators

Bitwise Operator

Bitwise Logical Operators

Bitwise Shift Operators

One's Complement Operator

Bitwise Logical Operators

- ▶ Bitwise AND (&)
- ▶ Bitwise OR (|)
- ▶ Bitwise NOT (^)

a = 15 = 0000 1111

b = 7 = 0000 0111

a = 15 = 0000 1111

b = 7 = 0000 0111

AND = 0000 0111

a = 15 = 0000 1111

b = 7 = 0000 0111

OR = 0000 1111

a = 15 = 0000 1111

b = 7 = 0000 0111

XOR = 0000 1000

BIT.C

```
1 #include<stdio.h>
2 #include<conio.h>
3 void main(){
4     int a = 15, b = 7, AND, OR, XOR;
5     clrscr();
6     AND = a & b;
7     OR = a | b;
8     XOR = a ^ b;
9     printf("AND => %d\n", AND);
10    printf("OR  => %d\n", OR);
11    printf("XOR => %d\n", XOR);
12 }
13 }
```

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DOSBox 0.74, Cpu speed: max 100% cycle

AND => 7

OR => 15

XOR => 8

Bitwise Operators

Bitwise Shift Operators

- ▶ Left Shift (<<)
- ▶ Right Shift (>>)

a	0000 1111
---	-----------

Left Shift
by 3

Right
Shift by 3

```
BIT.C           SHIFT.C
1 #include<stdio.h>
2 #include<conio.h>
3 void main(){
4     int a = 15, left, right;
5     clrscr();
6     left = a << 3;
7     right = a >> 3;
8     printf("Left Shifted by 3 Bits => %d\n", left);
9     printf("Right Shifted by 3 Bits => %d\n", right);
10    getch();
11 }
```

DOSBox 0.74, Cpu speed: max 100% cycles, Frameskip 0, Program...

```
Left Shifted by 3 Bits => 120
Right Shifted by 3 Bits => 1
```

Bitwise Operators

One's Complement Operator

The screenshot shows a code editor window with three tabs at the top: BIT.C, SHIFT.C, and ONES.C. The ONES.C tab is active. The code in the editor is:

```
1 #include<stdio.h>
2 #include<conio.h>
3 void main(){
4     int a = 12, ones_c;
5     clrscr();
6     ones_c = ~a;
7     printf("One's Complement of %d is %d", a, ones_c);
8     getch();
9 }
```

The screenshot shows a DOSBox window titled "DOSBox 0.74, Cpu speed: max 100% cycles, Frameskip 0, Program..." displaying the output of the program:

```
DOSBox 0.74, Cpu speed: max 100% cycles, Frameskip 0, Program...
One's Complement of 12 is -13_
```

$$a = 12 = 0000\ 1100$$

$$\sim a = 1111\ 0011$$

Bitwise Operators

Two's Complement

```
BIT.C      SHIFT.C      ONES.C      TWOS.C
1 #include<stdio.h>
2 #include<conio.h>
3 void main(){
4     int a = -13, ones_c, twos_c;
5     clrscr();
6     ones_c = ~a;
7     twos_c = ones_c + 1;
8     printf("Two's Complement of %d is %d", a, twos_c);
9     getch();
10 }
```

```
DOSBox 0.74, Cpu speed: max 100% cycles, Frameskip 0, Program...
Two's Complement of -13 is 13_
```

$$a = -13 = 1111\ 0011$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \sim a & = & 0000\ 1100 \\ & & +1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$13 = 0000\ 1101$$

Modify Operators in C - PSE.AP

Pre-[increment | decrement]

Substitution

Evaluation

Assignment

Post-[increment | decrement]

PSE.AP

```

1 /* Modify Operators in C */
2 #include<stdio.h>
3 #include<conio.h>
4 void main(){
5     int a=1,b=2,c=3; clrscr();
6     printf("Initial Values: a=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",a,b,c);
7     c=++a + ++b;
8     printf("\n1.\ta=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",a,b,c);
9     c=a++ + ++a;
10    printf("\n2.\ta=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",++a,b++,++c);
11    printf("\n3.\ta=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",a++,b,c);
12    a=++a + ++b + ++c;
13    printf("\n4.\ta=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",a,b,c);
14    b=a++ + b++ + c++;
15    printf("\n5.\ta=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",a,b,c);
16    c=--a + b-- + 3;
17    printf("\n6.\ta=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",a,b,c);
18    b=2*--a + b++ - 10;
19    printf("\n7.\ta=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",a,b,c);
20    a = b>c? 3 + c++ : 5 - b++;
21    printf("\n8.\ta=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",a,b,c);
22    c = 8 + ++b + ++b + b;
23    printf("\n9.\ta=%d\tb=%d\tc=%d",a,b,c); getch();
24 }

```

Initial Values:	a=1	b=2	c=3
1.	a=2	b=3	c=5
2.	a=5	b=3	c=7
3.	a=5	b=4	c=7
4.	a=20	b=5	c=8
5.	a=21	b=34	c=9
6.	a=20	b=33	c=57
7.	a=19	b=62	c=57
8.	a=60	b=62	c=58
9.	a=60	b=64	c=200

	a	b	c
Initial	1	2	3
	2	3	$5=(2+3)$
Step 1	2	3	5
	3		$6=(3+3)$
Step 2	5	3	7
	4		
Step 3	5	4	7
	6		
	7	5	8
			$20=(7+5+8)$
Step 4	20	5	8
			$33=(20+5+8)$
	21	34	9
Step 5	21	34	9
	20		$57=(20+34+3)$
			33
Step 6	20	33	57
	19		
			$61=(2*19+33-10)$
			62
Step 7	19	62	57
			$60=(3+57)$
			58
Step 8	60	62	58
			63
			64
			$200=(8+64+64+64)$
Step 9	60	64	200

Task

Write output of following program:

```
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1 #include<stdio.h>
2 #include<conio.h>
3 void main(){
4     int a=7,b=8,c=9;
5     clrscr();
6     a=a++ + a++ + a++ + ++a;
7     b=++b + b++ + ++b + b;
8     c=--c + --b + --a;
9     a=a + b + c--;
10    b=a-- + b++ + --b;
11    c=a + --b + --c;
12    a=8 + b + c + --a;
13    b=a-- - b-- - --c;
14    printf("\n8.\t a=%d\t b=%d\t c=%d",a,b,c);
15
16 }
```

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8.      a=864    b=162    c=468_
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Priority	Operators
1 st	* , /, %
2 nd	+ , -
3 rd	=

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Hierarchy of Operations

Precedence - which of the operator is to be executed first, BODMAS, bracket is operated first.

Associativity is the preference of the operators (of same precedence level), when there is tie between them. e.g. suppose we have

$$z=a+b*c$$

Then, operation occurs as $z=a+(b*c)$ as * higher precedence than +

But when the case is like

$$Z=a*b+c/d, \text{ operation occurs as}$$

$Z=(a*b)+(c/d)$ i.e. multiplication is done first. Then (c/d) is evaluated. Then only the two values are added. It happens so because * and / have higher precedence than +. However, as * and / have same precedence level, * is evaluated first, as the associativity of the arithmetic operators is from left to right, hence whichever operator occurs first, that is evaluated.

Arithmetic Expression:

$$Z=a+2*b/c*d+23+a*a; \text{ a = 2, b = 3, c = 4, d = 5 then } z = ?$$

Operator Precedence & Associativity

Operator Category	Operators	Associativity
Arithmetic Multiply, Divide, & Remainder	*, /, %	L->R
Arithmetic Add and Subtract	+, -	L->R
Relational Operators	<, >, <=, >=	L->R
Equality Operators	==, !=	L->R
Logical AND	&&	L->R
Logical OR		L->R
Conditional Operator	?:	R->L
Assignment Operator	=, +=, -=, *=, /=, %=	R->L
Unary Operators	-, ++, --, sizeof, (type)	R->L

Thank You!

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