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Experiment No.1	
Basic programming constructs like branching and looping	
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Aim :- To apply programming constructs of decision making and looping.

Objective :- To apply basic programming constructs like Branching and Looping for solving arithmetic problems like calculating factorial of a no entered by user at command prompt .

Theory:-

Programming constructs are basic building blocks that can be used to control computer programs. Most programs are built out of a fairly standard set of programming constructs. For example, to write a useful program, we need to be able to store values in variables, test these values against a condition, or loop through a set of instructions a certain number of times. Some of the basic program constructs include decision making and looping.

Decision Making in programming is similar to decision making in real life. In programming also we face some situations where we want a certain block of code to be executed when some condition is fulfilled. A programming language uses control statements to control the flow of execution of program based on certain conditions. These are used to cause the flow of execution to advance and branch based on changes to the state of a program.

- if
- if-else
- nested-if
- if-else-if
- switch-case
- break, continue

These statements allow you to control the flow of your program's execution based upon conditions known only during run time.

A loop is a programming structure that repeats a sequence of instructions until a specific condition is met. Programmers use loops to cycle through values, add sums of numbers, repeat functions, and many other things. ... Two of the most common types of loops are the while loop and the for loop. The different ways of looping in programming languages are

- while
- do-while



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- for loop
- Some languages have modified for loops for more convenience eg: Modified for loop in java. For and while loop is entry-controlled loops. Do-while is an exit-controlled loop.

Code: -

2) for loop

```
class Forloop
{
  public static void main(String args[])
  {
    int x;
    for(x=1;x<=10;x++)</pre>
```



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3} dowhile loop

```
class Dowhileloop
{
    public static void main(String arg[])
    {
    int a=0;
    do
    {
        if(a%20==0)
        {
            System.out.println(a);
        } a++;
    } while(a<=100);
    }
}</pre>
```



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4}if else

```
public class IfElseExample {
public static void main(String[] args) {
  int number=10;
    if(number%2==0){
      System.out.println("Even number");
    }else{
      System.out.println("Odd number");
    }
}
```



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5} Ladder if else

```
class SecJavaProgram
{
  public static void main(String args[])
{
  int a=90;
  if(a>=90)
{
    System.out.println("grade A");
  }
  else if(a>=80)
{
    System.out.println("grade B");
  }
  else if(a>=70)
{
    System.out.println("grade c");
  }
  else if(a<70)
{
    System.out.println("grade F");
  }
}</pre>
```



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6) nested if else

```
public class PositiveNegativeExample {
public static void main(String[] args) {
   int number=15;
   if(number>0){
     System.out.println("POSITIVE");
   }else if(number<0){
     System.out.println("NEGATIVE");
   }else{
     System.out.println("ZERO");
   }
}</pre>
```



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7} switch

```
class SwitchProgram
 public static void main(String args[])
      int a = 1;
      switch(a)
      case 1:
         System.out.println("\n Monday");
         break;
      case 2:
         System.out.println("\n Tuesday");
         break:
      case 3:
         System.out.println("\n Wednesday");
         break;
      case 4:
         System.out.println("\n Thursday");
         break;
      case 5:
         System.out.println("\n Friday");
         break;
      case 6:
         System.out.println("\n Saturday");
         break;
```



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```
case 7 :
    System.out.println("\n Sunday");
    break;
default :
    System.out.println("\n Not Valid");
}
```

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Conclusion:

Branching and looping are crucial elements in Java and many other programming languages that play a pivotal role in problem-solving. They empower you to add flexibility and adaptability to your code by enabling decision-making and repetitive actions.

Branching (if statements): Decision-Making Capability: If statements provide the means to make decisions within your code based on specified conditions. Depending on whether a condition is met or not, you can execute different code blocks.

Looping: Repetitive Actions: Loops (such as for, while, and do-while) allow you to execute a particular block of code multiple times, which is invaluable for tasks like processing arrays, lists, and performing iterative calculations.