Control Flow

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if-else

- ▶ if-else expresses decisions
- else part is optional

```
if (expression)
statement1
else
statement2
```

- expression returns a numerical value
- ▶ 0 is considered FALSE, any other value is TRUE

if-else ambiguities

By default, the else is associated
with the inner if
if (i >= 0)
 if (i < 5)
 a = b;
else
 a = c;</pre>

Use braces to remove ambiguity
if (i >= 0) {
 if (i < 5)
 a = b;
} else
 a = c;</pre>

else-if

Useful for expressing multi-way decisions

```
if (expression)
   statement
else if (expression)
   statement
else if (expression)
   statement
else
   statement
```

switch

```
switch (expression) {
  case const-expr:
    statements
  case const-expr:
    statements
  default:
    statements
}
```

- Used to express multi-way decision
- ► Matches the result of an expression to one of several integer constants
- a break statement causes exit from the switch
- without a break all statements after the matching case are executed till the end of the switch block

while

▶ The while loop executes as long as expression is TRUE (not 0)

```
while (expression) {
  statements
}
```

for

► The loop has three parts

```
for (expr1; expr2; expr3) {
   statements
}
```

- expr1 is an initialization expression
- expr2 is a relational expression, and
- expr3 is the increment expression
- ▶ The loop executes as long as expr2 is TRUE (not 0)
- ▶ All three expressions can be empty which leads to an infinite for loop

do-while

▶ The do loop executes at least once before expression is evaluated

```
do {
   statements
} while (expression);
```

▶ The loop executes as long as expression is TRUE (not 0)

break

Using the break statement causes immediate exit from a loop (for, while or do-while) or switch block

continue

▶ The continue statement causes a loop to begin the next iteration, the statements following continue are not executed

goto

▶ the goto statement causes execution to jump to the statements after the label

```
goto label;
statements
label:
statements
```

goto is not recommended as it results in spaghetti code

Exercise

▶ Write a program that converts 1 to 50 mile(s) into kilometers

```
NOTE 1 mile = 1.609344 kilometers
```

Print the result in tabular form

```
01 mile(s) = 01.609344 km 02 mile(s) = 03.218688 km 03 mile(s) = 04.828032 km 04 mile(s) = 06.437376 km
```