

LOOPS

- Loops are repeating statements.
- There are four types of loops.
- In loops the steps are repeated till the given condition is reached.

WHILE, DO.....WHILE LOOP

➤ While loop:

→syntax: while(condition)
 {

 }

Example program

```
class Test
{
    Public static void main(string args[])
    {
        int i=1,n=100;
        while(i<n)
        {
            System.out.println(i);
            i=i*2;
        }
    }
}
```

- The steps are executed if the condition is true.
- The condition is checked first and the process is followed.
- It is a pre-tested loop
- If the condition is false then the process is never executed.
- **Do...while loop**

→syntax: do
 {

 }while(condition)

```
class test
{
    public static void main(string args[])
    {
        int i=1,n=100;
        Do
        {
            System.out.println(i);
            i=i*2;
        }while(i<n)
```

- First the process is followed and then the condition is checked.
- It is a post-tested loop.
- If the condition is false then the process is executed atleast once.
- The both loops work for the same purpose.
- But do....while loop is more suitable than while loop.

For loop:

- For loop is a counter controlled loop.
- It is the most frequently used loop.
- Syntax: for(initialization; condition; updation)

```
{
    -----
    -----
}
```

```

class test
{
    public static void main(string args[])
    {
        for(int i=1;i<=10;i++)
        {
            System.out.println(i);
        }
    }
}

```

- At first step a variable is initialised.
- At next step the condition is checked.
- At third step the body is executed.
- At fourth step the updation is done.

Nested loop:

- For loop inside a for loop is the example of nested loop.
- The above one is used commonly.
- The working of the body is more than one dimensional.
- Nesting of any two types of loops can be done.
- Nested for loop may create the dimensional loops.

Example program for nested for loop

```
class test
{
    public static void main(string args[])
    {
        for(int i=1;i<5;i++)
        {
            for(int j=1;j<5;j++)
            {
                System.out.println(i+", "+j);
            }
        }
    }
}
```