

CS100M

Introduction to Computer Programming

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 Lecture 16
 Control Flow

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Announcements

- Prelim 2 tonight
- Carpenter B 101: do you know where this is?
- Consultants and their hours

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Control Flow

- nice overview at <http://javasun.com/docs/books/tutorial/java/nutsandbolts/flowsyntax.html>
- Branching:
 - labeled statement, **continue**, **break** (avoid!)
 - **return**, **break** inside **switch** (good)
- Selection:
 - **if** **else**
 - **switch**
 - **try**, **catch**, **finally**
- Repetition:
 - **do**, **while**
 - **for**
 - .

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Selection (**if**)

- Syntax:


```
if (expression)
    block
```

```
if (expression)
    block
else
    block
```

```
if (expression)
    block
else if (expression)
    block
.
```

```
else
    block
```

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More `if`

- important things to remember:
 - blocks can be single statements (no braces)
 - `else` and `else if` statements are optional
 - can have one or many `else if`s
 - can have no `else`
- **expression**:
 - must evaluate to `boolean` type!

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Examples

```
int x = -1;
if (x > 0)
    System.out.println("pos");
else if (x < 0)
    System.out.println("neg");
System.out.println("zero!");
```

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```
boolean t1 = true || false;
boolean t2 = false;
if (t1) // do I need braces?
if (!t2)
    System.out.print(t1);
else
    System.out.print(t1 && t2);
```

Another Example

```
int x = 3;
if (x > 3) {
    int y = x-- + 1;
    System.out.println(x);
    System.out.println(y);
}
```

Loops

- `while` syntax:
 - `while (expression)` block
 - `do while` syntax:
 - `do` block
 - `while (expression)` block
- for syntax:
 - `for (inits; checks; incr_or_decr)` block

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while

```
int x = 1;
while (x < 4) {
    System.out.println(x);
    x++;
}
```

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do while

```
int grade = -1;
do {
    System.out.print("Enter grade: ");
    grade = SavitchIn.readLine();
} while(grade >= 0 && grade <= 100);
```

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for

```
for (int i = 1 ; i < 5 ; i++)
    System.out.println(i);

int i;
for (i = 1 ; i < 5 ; i++)
    System.out.println(i);
System.out.println(i);

for (int = 1; i < 5; i++) {
    for (int j = 1; i < 5; j++)
        System.out.print(""+i+j+"");
    System.out.println();
}
```

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for

```
for ( ; ; )
    System.out.println("eternity is eternal");

for (int i=0, int j=1; i + j < 5; i++)
    System.out.println(i+j);
System.out.println();
```

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