Building Java Programs

Chapter 4
Lecture 4-2: Advanced if/else; Cumulative sum

reading: 4.2, 4.4 - 4.5

Advanced if/else

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Logical operators

• Tests can be combined using logical operators:

Operator	Description	Example	Result
& &	and	(2 == 3) && (-1 < 5)	false
1.1	or	(2 == 3) (-1 < 5)	true
!	not	! (2 == 3)	true

• "Truth tables" for each, used with logical values *p* and *q*:

р	q	p && q	p q
true	true	true	true
true	false	false	true
false	true	false	true
false	false	false	false

р	! p	
true	false	
false	true	

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Evaluating logical expressions

 Relational operators have lower precedence than math operators; logical operators have lower precedence than relational operators

```
5 * 7 >= 3 + 5 * (7 - 1) && 7 <= 11

5 * 7 >= 3 + 5 * 6 && 7 <= 11

35 >= 3 + 30 && 7 <= 11

35 >= 33 && 7 <= 11

true && true
```

Relational operators cannot be "chained" as in algebra

```
2 <= x <= 10
true <= 10 (assume that x is 15)
Error!
```

Instead, combine multiple tests with && or | |

```
2 <= x && x <= 10
true && false
false
```

Logical questions

• What is the result of each of the following expressions?

- Answers: true, false, true, true, false
- Exercise: Write a program that prompts for information about an apartment and uses it to decide whether to rent it.

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Factoring if/else code

- factoring: Extracting common/redundant code.
 - Can reduce or eliminate redundancy from if/else code.
- Example:

```
if (a == 1) {
    System.out.println(a);
    x = 3;
    b = b + x;
} else if (a == 2) {
                                      System.out.println(a);
                                     x = 3 * a;
    System.out.println(a);
    x = 6;
                                      if (a == 2) {
    y = y + 10;
                                          y = y + 10;
    b = b + x;
} else { // a == 3
                                     b = b + x;
    System.out.println(a);
    x = 9;
    b = b + x;
}
```

The "dangling if" problem

What can be improved about the following code?

```
if (x < 0) {
    System.out.println("x is negative");
} else if (x >= 0) {
    System.out.println("x is non-negative");
}
```

• The second if test is unnecessary and can be removed:

```
if (x < 0) {
    System.out.println("x is negative");
} else {
    System.out.println("x is non-negative");
}</pre>
```

• This is also relevant in methods that use if with return.

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if/else with return

```
// Returns the larger of the two given integers.
public static int max(int a, int b) {
    if (a > b) {
        return a;
    } else {
        return b;
    }
}
```

- Methods can return different values using if/else
 - Returning a value causes a method to immediately exit.
 - All paths through the code must reach a return statement.

All paths must return

```
public static int max(int a, int b) {
    if (a > b) {
        return a;
    }
    // Error: not all paths return a value
```

The following also does not compile:

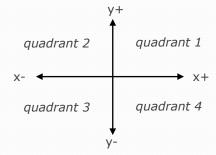
```
public static int max(int a, int b) {
    if (a > b) {
        return a;
    } else if (b >= a) {
        return b;
    }
}
```

- The compiler thinks if/else/if code might skip all paths, even though mathematically it must choose one or the other.
 - Solution here is to change else if to just else.

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if/else, return question

 Write a method quadrant that accepts a pair of real numbers x and y and returns the quadrant for that point:



- Example: quadrant (-4.2, 17.3) returns 2
 - If the point falls directly on either axis, return 0.

if/else, return answer

```
public static int quadrant(double x, double y) {
    if (x > 0 && y > 0) {
        return 1;
    } else if (x < 0 && y > 0) {
        return 2;
    } else if (x < 0 && y < 0) {
        return 3;
    } else if (x > 0 && y < 0) {
        return 4;
    } else {
        // at least one coordinate equals 0
        return 0;
    }
}</pre>
```

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Cumulative algorithms

reading: 4.2

Adding many numbers

• How would you find the sum of all integers from 1-5?

```
int sum = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5;
System.out.println("The sum is " + sum);
```

• What if we want the sum from 1 - 1,000?

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Attempt at cumulative sum

• What is wrong with the following code?

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 1000; i++) {
   int sum = 0;
   sum += i;
}
System.out.println("The sum is " + sum);</pre>
```

Cumulative sum loop

```
int sum = 0;
for (int i = 1; i <= 1000; i++) {
    sum += i;
}
System.out.println("The sum is " + sum);</pre>
```

- **cumulative sum**: A variable that keeps a sum in progress and is updated repeatedly until summing is finished.
 - The sum in the above code represents a cumulative sum.
 - Cumulative sum variables must be declared *outside* the loops that update them, so that they will still exist after the loop.

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Cumulative product

This cumulative idea can be used with other operators:

```
int product = 1;
for (int i = 1; i <= 20; i++) {
    product = product * 2;
}
System.out.println("2 ^ 20 = " + product);</pre>
```

How would we make the base and exponent adjustable?

Scanner and cumulative sum

We can do a cumulative sum of user input:

```
Scanner console = new Scanner(System.in);
int sum = 0;
for (int i = 1; i <= 100; i++) {
    System.out.print("Type a number: ");
    sum = sum + console.nextInt();
}
System.out.println("The sum is " + sum);</pre>
```

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Cumulative sum question

- Modify the Receipt program from Ch. 2.
 - Prompt for how many people, and each person's dinner cost.
 - Use static methods to structure the solution.
- Example log of execution:

```
How many people ate? 4

Person #1: How much did your dinner cost? 20.00

Person #2: How much did your dinner cost? 15

Person #3: How much did your dinner cost? 30.0

Person #4: How much did your dinner cost? 10.00

Subtotal: $75.0

Tax: $6.0

Tip: $11.25

Total: $92.25
```

Cumulative sum answer

```
// This program enhances our Receipt program using a cumulative sum.
import java.util.*;
public class Receipt2 {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
       Scanner console = new Scanner(System.in);
       double subtotal = meals(console);
       results(subtotal);
   // Prompts for number of people and returns total meal subtotal.
   public static double meals(Scanner console)
       System.out.print("How many people ate? ");
       int people = console.nextInt();
       double subtotal = 0.0;
                                       // cumulative sum
       for (int i = 1; i <= people; i++) {
           double personCost = console.nextDouble();
           subtotal = subtotal + personCost; // add to sum
       return subtotal;
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```

Cumulative answer, cont'd.

```
// Calculates total owed, assuming 8% tax and 15% tip
public static void results(double subtotal) {
    double tax = subtotal * .08;
    double tip = subtotal * .15;
    double total = subtotal + tax + tip;

    System.out.println("Subtotal: $" + subtotal);
    System.out.println("Tax: $" + tax);
    System.out.println("Tip: $" + tip);
    System.out.println("Total: $" + total);
}
```