

More Conditional Statements

More about if, switch, and boolean operations.

Simple Boolean Expressions

A **boolean expression** is anything with a value `true` or `false`.

- Comparisons of primitive data types:

<code>x > y</code>	<code>x >= y</code>
<code>x < y</code>	<code>x <= y</code>
<code>x == y</code>	<code>x != y</code>

- Comparison of *object values*:

```
obj1.equals( obj2 )  
! obj1.equals( obj2 )
```

- Comparison of *object references*:

```
obj1 == obj2
```

is true if `obj1` and `obj2` *refer to the same object*.

Comparison of Object References

- Example of **common error** using == for objects:

```
Double x = new Double(10.0);
Double y = new Double(10.0);
if ( x == y ) System.out.println("x == y");
else System.out.println("x != y");
```

output: x != y

- Use **equals** to compare the *value of objects*:

```
Double x = new Double(10.0);
Double y = new Double(10.0);
if ( x.equals(y) ) System.out.println("x equal y");
else System.out.println("x not equal y");
```

output: x equal y

Compound Boolean Expressions

- Compound Operations:

A && B true if A is true *and* B is true

A || B true if A is true *or* B is true

A ^ B true if A or B is true, but not both true

```
> true ^ false
```

```
true
```

```
> true ^ true
```

```
false
```

```
> false ^ false
```

```
false
```

Short-Circuit Evaluation

Stop as soon as the result is known:

A && B if A is **false**, **don't** test B

A || B if A is **true**, **don't** test B

Example:

```
// avoid division by zero
if ( y != 0 && (x/y) < 1 ) ... ;
```

(x/y) is not performed if $y == 0$.

Short-Circuit and Function Calls

Short-circuit evaluation can be useful to avoid unnecessary function calls.

Example:

```
// if string is null or length zero
// then print "invalid"
if (string == null
    || string.length() == 0) . . .
```



This is not performed if string==null

Boolean Logic

- ❑ Negation: $! \ expression$

$! (x == y)$ is same as $(x != y)$

$!(A \ \&\& \ B)$ is same as $\!A \ \|\| \ \!B$

$!(A \ \|\| \ B)$ is same as $\!A \ \&\& \ \!B$

- ❑ Applies to any number of conjunctions:

$!(A \ \&\& \ B \ \&\& \ C)$ is $\!A \ \|\| \ \!B \ \|\| \ \!C$

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What about: $!(A \ \&\& \ B \ \|\| \ C)$

$\&$, $|$, $^$ always evaluate both args

- ❑ $\&$, $|$, $^$ are **bitwise operators** that apply to boolean and other types.
- ❑ they always evaluate both expressions:

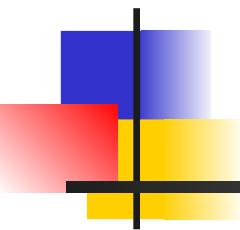
$A \& B$ *A and B*, always evaluates A, B

$A | B$ *A or B*, always evaluates A, B

$A ^ B$ *exclusive or*, always evaluates A, B

Truth
Table

A	B	$A \& B$	$A B$	$A ^ B$	$! (A \& B)$
true	true	true	true	false	false
true	false	false	true	true	true
false	true	false	true	true	true
false	false	false	false	false	true



Examples

Copy Center

- The copy center (KU's most popular service) charges according to the number of copies:

1 - 9 copies	0.50 baht/copy
10-49 copies	0.45 baht/copy
50-99 copies	0.42 baht/copy
100+ copies	0.40 baht/copy

- Complete this method for computing copy charges:

```
/** compute price of copy job.  
 * @param copies = number of copies in job  
 */  
public static double jobCost(int copies) {  
  
}
```

Copy Center (2)

- The rate table:

1 - 9 copies	0.50 baht/copy
10-49 copies	0.45 baht/copy
50-99 copies	0.42 baht/copy
100+ copies	0.40 baht/copy

- Simple solution:

```
/** compute price of copy job.
 * @param copies = number of copies in job
 */
public static double jobCost(int copies) {
    double price;
    if ( copies < 10 ) price = 0.50*copies;
    if ( copies >= 10 && copies < 50 ) price = 0.45*copies;
    if ( copies >= 50 && copies <100 ) price = 0.42*copies;
    if ( copies >= 100 ) price = 0.40*copies;
    return price;
}
```

Copy Center (3)

- This is inefficient because it performs redundant tests.
- Better answer:

```
/** compute price of copy job.
 * @param copies = number of copies in job
 */
public static double jobCost(int copies) {
    double price;
    if ( copies < 10 ) price = 0.50*copies;
    else if ( copies < 50 ) price = 0.45*copies;
    else if ( copies < 100 ) price = 0.42*copies;
    else price = 0.40*copies;
    return price;
}
```

- But there is a logic error here (missing case). What?

Copy Center (4)

- Be careful of the case copies < 0. Two solutions:
 - Require the caller verify the data:
`@precondition copies >= 0`
 - Check for the case copies < 0.

```
/** compute price of copy job.  
 * @param copies = number of copies in job  
 */  
public static double jobCost(int copies) {  
    double price;  
    if ( copies < 0 ) return 0.0;  
    ...  
}
```

Testing Yes/No Input

```
String reply = input.next( ) ; // read a word  
if ( reply == null ) /* do nothing */ ;  
else if ( reply.equalsIgnoreCase("yes") ) ... ;  
else if ( reply.equalsIgnoreCase("no") ) ... ;  
else System.out.println("what?");
```

This works because Scanner.next() trims leading and trailing blanks from the input word.

If you use some other input method, you should use reply.trim() to trim leading and trailing blanks before testing the reply.

Common Errors

- This example contains a syntax error and a logic error.

```
// binomial formula for a*x^2 + b*x + c = 0
double discrim = b*b - 4*a*c;
if ( discrim > 0 );
{
    r = Math.sqrt( discrim );
    x = ...; /* compute a root */
}
else System.out.println("No real roots");
```

Bitwise operators

Bitwise operators compare or manipulate bits on primitive data types.

Bitwise Logic Operators

&	AND
	OR
^	XOR
~	bitwise NOT (ones complement)

Shift operators

<<	left-shift
>>	right-shift
>>>	unsigned right shift

Bitwise operators

& (Bitwise AND)

	0	1
0	0	0
1	0	1

| (Bitwise OR)

	0	1
0	0	1
1	1	1

^ (Bitwise XOR)

	0	1
0	0	1
1	1	0

~ (Bitwise NOT)

0	1
1	0

Bitwise operators

Crude way to view the bit representation of an integer:

```
int n = 12345;
// show the bit in the 4th position from right
bit = n & (1<<3); // = n & 000001000

// shift this bit all the way to the right
bit = (n & (1<<3)) >> 3; // = 1 if 4th bit of n is 1

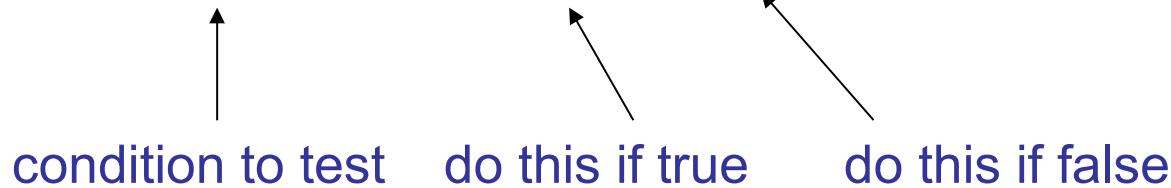
// show all the bits using a loop
for( int k = Integer.SIZE -1; k>=0; k-- ) {
    bit = (n & (1 << k)) >> k;
    System.out.print(" " + bit);
}
System.out.println("");
```

(condition) ? expression1 : expression2

An inline version of “if ... else ...”.

The only ternary (3 argument) operator in Java. The usage is:

```
String grade;  
grade = ( score > 60 ) ? "pass" : "fail";
```



```
// is the same as this...  
if ( score > 60 ) grade = "pass";  
else grade = "fail" ;
```

Conditional Examples

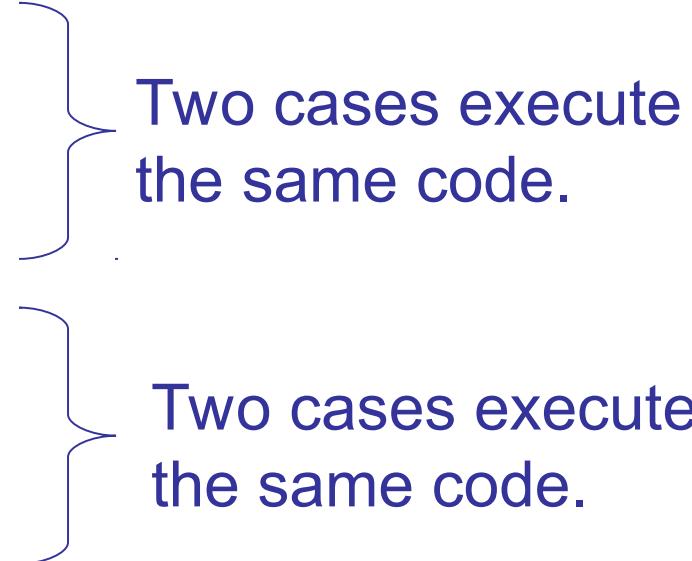
```
// Announce new mail:  
int numMessages = getNewMail( );  
System.out.println("You have " + numMessages  
    + " new " +  
(numMessages == 1 ? "message" : "messages") );
```

You have 1 new message if numMessages == 1

You have 3 new messages any other value

switch for multiple alternatives

```
reply = (char) System.in.read( ); // reply to y(es) or n(o) question
switch ( reply ) {
    case 'y':
    case 'Y':
        println("that was yes");
        break;
    case 'n':
    case 'N':
        println("that was no");
        break;
    default:
        println("invalid reply");
}
```



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#1 Coding Error: forgetting "break"

"switch" is same as compound "if"

The previous “select” example is the same as:

```
if ( reply == 'y' || reply == 'Y' ) {  
    System.out.println("that was yes");  
}  
else if ( reply == 'n' || reply == 'N' ) {  
    System.out.println("that was no");  
}  
else {  
    System.out.println("invalid reply");  
}
```

Syntax of the switch Statement

```
switch ( expression ) { // Start switch block
    case value1:
        statement;
    case value2:
        statement;
        statement;
    case value3:
        ...
    default:
        statement;
} // end of switch block
```

The diagram shows five blue arrows originating from the 'case' labels in the code: one from 'value1', one from 'value2', one from 'value3', one from the ellipsis '...', and one from 'default'. These arrows point to a single rectangular callout box containing explanatory text.

compare *expression* to each of the case values: go to the first one that matches. Then **continue** until the end of switch statement or a "break" is reached.

If no matches, then do the "default" case (optional).

The ***expression*** can be of type **char**, **byte**, **short**, or **int**.

Starting in Java 7, String is allowed, too.

Using "break" in switch

```
switch ( expression ) { // Start switch block
    case value1:
        statement;
    case value2:
        statement;
        statement;
        break; → when break is encountered,
    case value3:           control will jump to the
        ...                   instruction after end of the
} // end of switch block           switch block.

next _statement; ←
```

break causes execution to "break out" of a switch or loop.

break causes execution to jump forward to the end of block.

Switch Example

```
switch ( grade ) { // Start switch block
case 'A':
    gp = 4.0;
    break;
case 'B':
    gp = 3.0;
    break;
case 'C':
    gp = 2.0;
    break;
default:
    gp = 1.0;
} // end of switch block
System.out.println("gp = "+gp);
```

Switch with Strings

Starting in Java 7, a switch expression may be a String.

```
System.out.print("Do you like Java? ");
String answer = scanner.nextLine().toLowerCase();
switch ( answer ) { // switch using string
case "yes":
    System.out.println("Great! Try Kotlin, too.");
    break;
case "no":
    System.out.println("Try Python instead.");
    break;
default:
    System.out.println("Try a typing course");
}
```