

# Lecture Notes

## Chapter #4

### Loops

#### 1. Switch Statement

```
int n;  
input a value into n, e.g., 3  
switch (n)  
{  
  case 0: { System.out.println(n); break; }  
  case 1: { System.out.println(n*n); break; }  
  case 2: { System.out.println(n * n); }  
  case 3: { System.out.println(" + n / n "); break; }  
  case 4: { System.out.println(n * n + n / n); break; }  
  default: System.out.println( "Value is out of bounds ");  
}
```

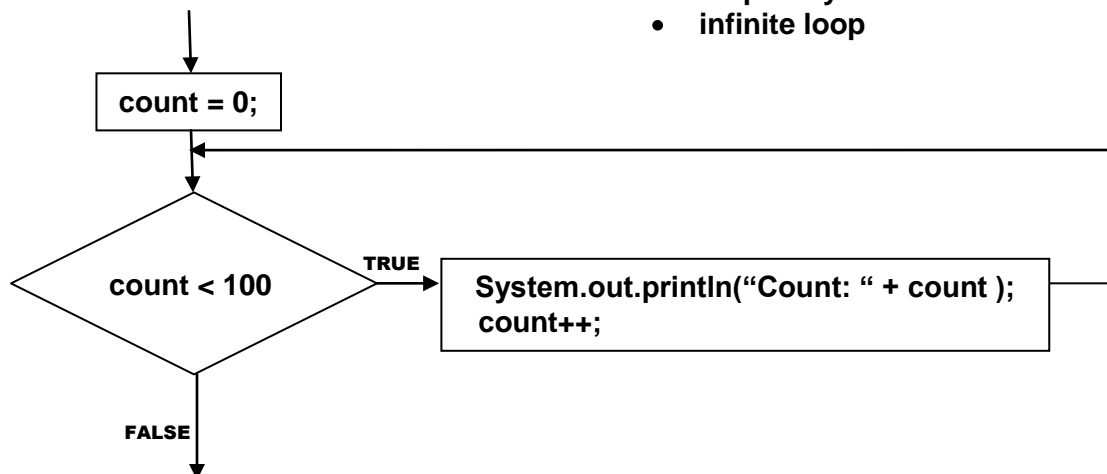
#### 2. While Loop

##### a. Syntax

```
while (loop condition)  
{  
  loop body  
}
```

```
int count = 0;  
while (count < 100)  
{  
  System.out.println("Count: " + count );  
}
```

- loop iteration
- loop body
- infinite loop



b. Liang Listing 4.2 pages 106-107

```
int number = (int)(Math.random() * 101);
```

$0.0 \leq r < 101.0 \rightarrow 0.0 \leq r \leq 100.9999\dots$
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```
Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
```

```
int guess = -1;
while (guess != number) // exit the loop if guess == number
{
    System.out.println( "\n Enter guess between 0 and 100 ");
    guess = input.nextInt( );
    if (guess == number)
        System.out.println( guess + " is correct!");
    else if (guess > number)
        System.out.println( guess + " is too high!");
    else
        System.out.println( guess + " is too low!");
}
```

c.

**A variable can only be created once! ← Partially TRUE !!**  
**In any block, a variable can only be created once! E.g., the variable n can only be created once in the following block**

```
{
    int n:
}
```

**but another variable n can be created in another distinct block such as**

```
{
    int n:
}
.....
{
    int n:
}
```

**or in a block which encompasses another block, such as**

```
{
    int n:
    ...
    {
        int n:
        ...
    }
    ...
}
```

**Further Discussion Chapter 5 Variable Scoping Rules**

d. Liang Listing 4.3 pages 107-108

```
final int NUMBER_OF_QUESTIONS = 5;           // line 5
int correctCount = 0;                         // line 6
int count = 0;                                // line 7
long startTime = System.currentTimeMillis();  // line 8
String output = "";
Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);

while (count < NUMBER_OF_QUESTIONS)         // line 12
{
    int number1 = (int)(math.random() * 10);
    int number2 = (int)(math.random() * 10);

    if (number1 < number2)
    {
        int temp = number1;
        number1 = number2;
        number2 = temp;
    }

    System.out.print(number1 + " + " + number2 + " = ");
    int answer = input.nextInt();

    if (number1 - number2 == answer)
    {
        System.out.println("Correct!");
        correctCount++;
    }
    else
    {
        System.out.println("Wrong! \nCorrect Answer: " + number1 - number2);
        count++; // line 39
        output += "\n" + number1 + " - " + number2 + " = " + answer +
            ((number1 - number2 == answer) ? " Correct!" : " Wrong!");
    }
}
long endTime = System.currentTimeMillis();    // line 45
long testTime = endTime - startTime;         // line 46

long seconds = testTime/1000;
long minutes = seconds/60;
seconds = seconds % 60; // seconds %= 60;
long hours = minutes/60;
minutes = minutes % 60; // minutes %= 60;

// output correctCount
// output time required to complete the math quiz
```

e. Sentinel Values      Liang Listing 4.4 page 109

```
int data = input.nextInt( );
int sum = 0;

while(data != 0)
{
    sum += data;
    data = input.nextInt( );
}

System.out.println("Total: " + sum);
```

f. Loop Variables – **Caution!**

If at all possible, don't use floating-point values for equality checking in loop statements. For example, given

```
double p = 2.0;
```

the test  $(p/3)*3 == p$  may fail because  $p/3$  may return 0.6666667 which when multiplied by 3 returns 2.0000001. Thus the test  $(2.0000001 == 2.0)$  will fail.

if it is necessary to use floating-point values to control loop statements, use a bounded inequality such as the following:

```
double p, q;
while ( Math.abs(p - q) < 0.00000000001 )
{
}
```

$\text{Math.abs}(p - q)$  is a function that returns the absolute value of  $p - q$ ;

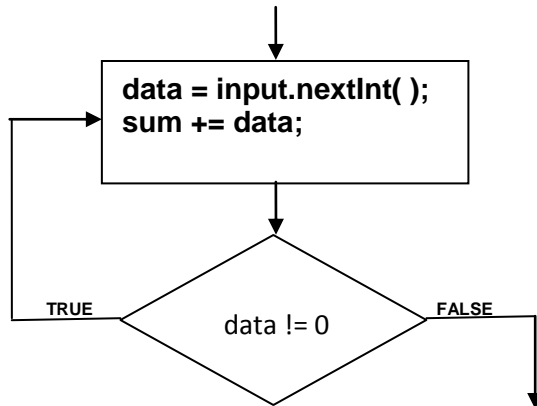
by restricting the returned value to be less than some small value, e.g., 0.00000000001, the while loop can be made to perform within some predefined limits.

3. **Do-While Loop** Liang Listing 4.5 page 110-111  
a. Syntax

```
do
{
...
} while ( loop control
statement);
```

```
do
{
    data = input.nextInt( );
    sum += data;
} while ( data != 0 );
```

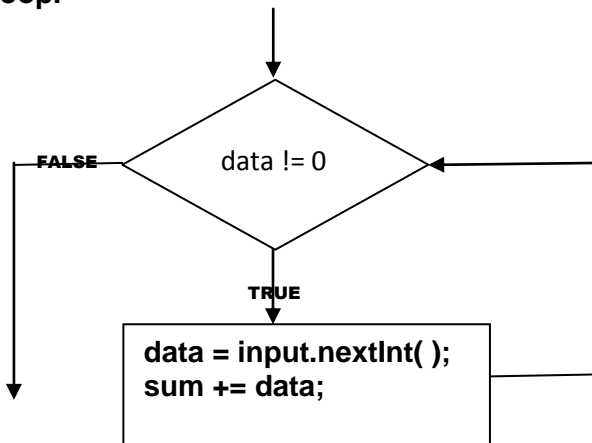
The Do-While Loop always executes the body of the loop before it reaches the control statement.



```
do
{
    data = input.nextInt( );
    sum += data;
} while ( data != 0 );
```

semicolon required

The While Loop always executes the control statement before executes the body of the loop.



```
data = input.nextInt( );
while(data != 0)
{
    sum += data;
    data = input.nextInt( );
}
```

semicolon prohibited

4. For Loop  
a. Syntax

Liang page 111-113

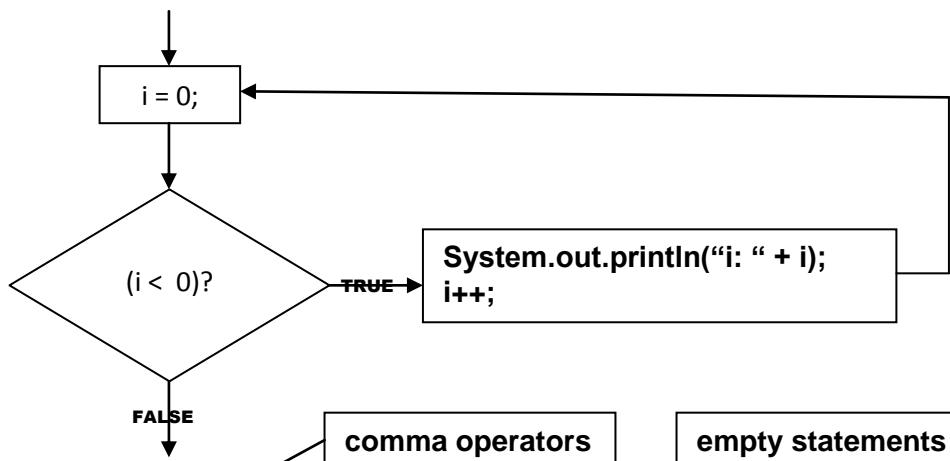
```
for( initial-stmts; loop-termination-tests; increment/decrement-stmts )
{
    ...
}
```

```
for( int n = 1; n < 100; n++)
{
    System.out.println(n);
}
```

```
for( ... ; ... ; ... )
{
    ...
}
```

b. Actions (Semantics)

- i. Create loop control variable; this action may occur before entering the loop, but is usually done as part of executing the initial-stmts.
- ii. Execute initial-stmts
- iii. Execute loop-termination-tests on the control variable (which results in a boolean value);  
if the test is successful, continue to next step else terminate the loop
- iv. Execute body of the loop
- v. Execute increment/decrement-stmts on the loop control variable
- vi. Go back to step iii above



empty statements -- TRUE  
infinite loops

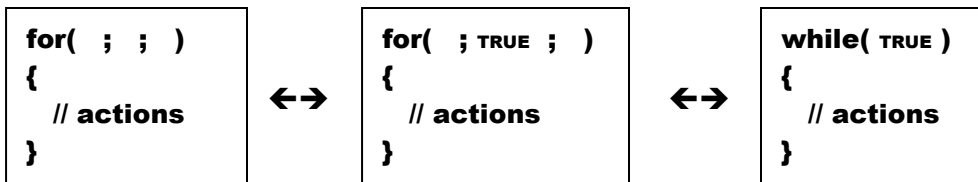
```
for( int i = 1, j = 0, m = 27; i <= j + m; i++, j++ )
{
    // input m
    m %= (i + j);
    // output i, j, m
}
```

```
referencing the control loop variable outside of the loop
for(int n =0; ...; ...){ }

int n;
for( n =0; ...; ...){ }
```

## 5. Comparative Loops

- a. Pre-test loops
  - while loop
  - for loop
- b. Post-test loops
  - do while loops
- c. Indefinite loops
  - while loop
  - do while loops
- d. Definite loops
  - for loop



```
for( int i = 0; i < 10; i++); ← empty stmt
{
  System.out.println("i: " + i); } ← unrelated block
}
```

```
for( int i = 0; i < 10; i++){ }
                                ↑
                                empty body
```

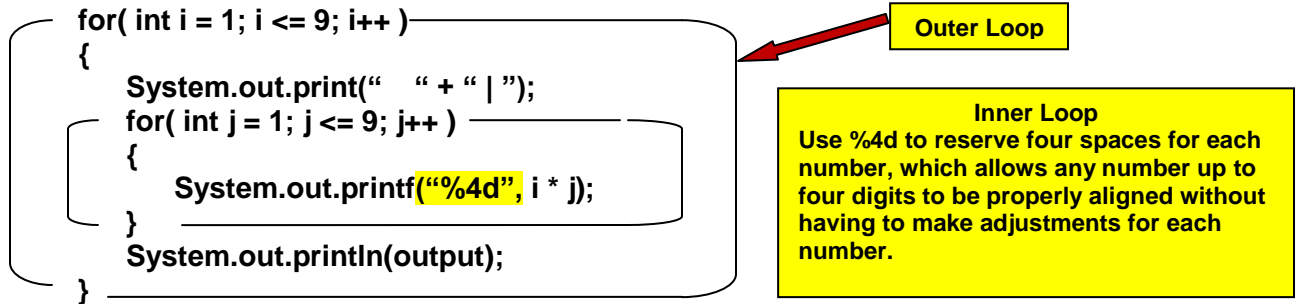
```
int i = 0;
while( i < 0 ); ← empty stmt
{
  System.out.println("i: " + i++); } ← unrelated block
}
```

```
int i = 0;
while( i < 0 ){ } ← empty body
{
  ... } ← unrelated block
}
```

## 6. Nested Loops

Listing 4.6      Multiplication Table      page 129  
System.out.println("                      Multiplication Table ");

```
System.out.print("                      ");  
for(int j = 1; j <= 9; j++) system.out.println("                      + j);  
System.out.println("\n_____");
```



	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
2	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18
3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81



## 7. Numeric Errors in Loops (Numeric Analysis)

floating point numbers → numeric errors

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```
float sum = 0.0;

for( float i = 0.01f; i <= 1.0f; i += 0.01f )
    sum += 1;
System.out.println("Sum: " + sum);
```

→ Sum: 50.499985  
Should be 50.50

---

```
double sum = 0.0;

for( double i = 0.01f; i <= 1.0f; i += 0.01f )
    sum += 1;
System.out.println("Sum: " + sum);
```

→ Sum: 49.500000000000003  
Should be 50.50

---

```
double currentValue = 0.01;

for( int count i = 0; count < 100; count++ )
{
    sum += currentValue;
    currentValue += 0.01;
}
System.out.println("Sum: " + sum);
```

→ Sum: 50.500000000000003  
Should be 50.50

---

```
double currentValue = 1.0;

for( int count i = 0; count < 100; count++ )
{
    sum += currentValue;
    currentValue -= 0.01;    // currentValue = currentValue - 0.01;
}
System.out.println("Sum: " + sum);
```

→ Sum: 50.499999999999995  
Should be 50.50

Adding small amounts to large amounts is more accurate than adding large amounts to small amounts  
Result(Small + Large) "more accurate than" Result( Large + Small)  
Computer addition is NOT commutative  
**a + b   b + a**

## 8. Greatest Common Divisor

```
GCD( n1, n2 )
    n1 = 12;
    n2 = 27;
    gcd == 3
```

### Listing 4.8 GCD

```
int gcd = 1;
int k = 2;

int n1 = input.nextInt( );
int n2 = input.nextInt( );

while ( k <= n1 && k <= n2 )
{
    if ( n1 % k == 0 && n2 % k == 0 )
        gcd = k;
    k++;
}
```

<http://www.cut-the-knot.org/blue/Euclid.shtml>

Think before you type!

Design potential algorithms

Evaluate the multiple solutions suggested in the algorithms

Erroneous solutions – see page 118

## 9. Sales Amount Listing 4.9

Off-by-One Error

## 10. Pyramid of Numbers Listing 4.10

```
int numberOfLines = input.nextInt( );

if ( numberOfLines < 1 || numberOfLines > 15)
{
    System.exit(0);
}

for ( int row = 1; row <= numberOfLines; row++)
{
    for ( int column = 1; column <= numberOfLines – row; column++)
        System.out.print(" ");

    for ( int num = row; num >= 1; num-- )
        System.out.print( (num >= 10) ? "" + num : "" + num );    // one space, two spaces

    for ( int num = 2; num <= row; num++ )
        System.out.print( (num >= 10) ? "" + num : "" + num );    // one space, two spaces

    System.out.println( );
}
```

## 11. Break vs. Continue

- break exits the innermost enclosing block;
- execution continues in the succeeding block
  - break exits a single loop
  - break exits the innermost loop, but continues execution in the next outer loop
- continue ends/exits the current iteration of the block
- execution continues in the next iteration of the same block
  - continue exits the current iteration of the loop
  - continue exits the current iteration of the loop, but continues execution in the next iteration of the same loop
  
- continue remains in the current block
- continue is only used in loops, i.e., continue only makes sense in loops
- break exits the current block
- breaks are used in loops and in other blocks, e.g., switch statements

### Listing 4.11

```
int sum = 0;
int number = 0;

while ( number < 20 )
{
    number++;
    sum += number;

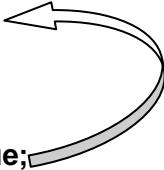
    if( sum >= 100) break;           // if( sum == 100) break; → infinite loop
}
```

### Listing 4.12

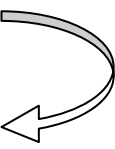
```
int sum = 0;
int number = 0;

while ( number < 20 )
{
    number++;
    if ( number == 10 || number == 11 ) continue;
    sum += number;
}
```

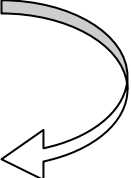
```
while ( loop-continuation-statement )  
{  
    ....  
    ....  
    if ( continue-evaluation-statement) continue;  
    ....  
    ....  
}
```



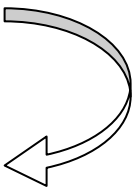
```
do  
{  
    ....  
    ....  
    if ( continue-evaluation-statement) continue;  
    ....  
    ....  
} while ( loop-continuation-statement );
```



```
while ( loop-continuation-statement )  
{  
    ....  
    ....  
    if ( continue-evaluation-statement) break;  
    ....  
    ....  
}
```



```
do  
{  
    ....  
    ....  
    if ( continue-evaluation-statement) continue;  
    ....  
    ....  
} while ( loop-continuation-statement );
```



## 12. Prime Numbers Listing 4.14

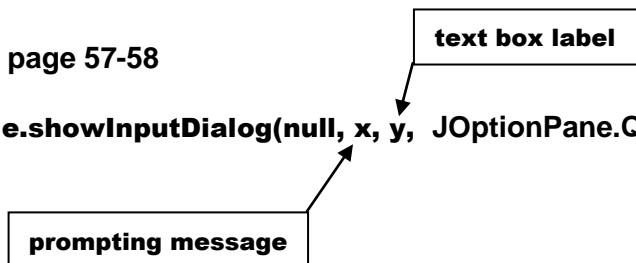
```
for all divisors :
if (2 <= divisor && divisor <= number/2)
    if (number % divisor == 0)
        then number is not Prime;

final int NUMBER_OF_PRIMES = 50;
final int NUMBER_OF_PRIMES_PER_LINE = 10;
int count = 0;
int number = 2;

while( count < NUMBER_OF_PRIMES )
{
    boolean isPrime = true;
    for ( int divisor = 2; divisor <= number/2; divisor++ )
    {
        if ( number % divisor == 0 )
        {
            isPrime = false;
            break;
        }
    }
    if (isPrime)
    {
        count++;
        if ( count % NUMBER_OF_PRIMES_PER_LINE == 0 )
            System.out.println (number);
        else
            System.out.println (number + " ");
    }
    number++;
}
```

## 13. GUI Input/Output Dialog page 57-58

```
String string = JOptionPane.showInputDialog(null, x, y, JOptionPane.QUESTION_MESSAGE);
```



```
String annualInterestRateString =
    JOptionPane.showInputDialog( "Enter Yearly Interest Rate ");    // text label == "Input"
```

```
String output = "Monthly Payment: " + monthlyPayment + "\tTotal Payment: " + totalPayment;
JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(null, output);
```

14. GUI Confirmation Dialog page 92-93

```
String set1 =  
" 1 3 5 7\n" +  
" 9 11 13 15\n" +  
"17 19 21 23\n" +  
"25 27 29 31";  
  
String question = "Is your birthdate in this set of numbers?\n"  
int answer == JOptionPane.showConfirmDialog(null, question + set1);  
if (answer == JOptionPane.YES_OPTION) date +=1;
```

15. Loop Control with Confirmation Dialog Listing 4.15 pages 127-128

```
int sum = 0;  
int option = 0;  
  
while( option == JOptionPane.YES_OPTION)  
{  
    String dataString = JOptionPane.showInputDialog("Enter Value: ");  
    int data = Integer.parseInt(dataString);  
    sum += data;  
    option = JOptionPane.showConfirmDialog(null, "Continue?");  
}  
JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(null, "Sum: " + sum);
```

16. Command Line Input/Output

>java Test

**Test written using System.out and Scanner Input/Output Statements  
Uses Input from the Keyboard  
Outputs Results to the Monitor**

> java Test < file1 >file2  
or  
> java Test >file2 < file1

**Test written using regular System.out and Scanner Input/Output Statements  
but all input prompting statements have been removed  
Uses Input from the ASCII Text File labeled file1**

**file1.txt is created with text editor with date formatted to meet the  
requirements of the Test program, i.e., a single space between all numeric  
data items and quotation marks around all string data items**

**All Output is written to file2**