#### **Statements**

Variable declaration

```
type variable;
```

Assignment

```
variable = expression;
```

Conditionals

```
if (cond) { statements; }
and
if (cond) { stmts1; } else { stmts2; }
```

Loops

```
while (cond) { statements; }
```

Method invocation (aka method call)

```
objectreference.methodname(parameters);
```



or

classname.methodname(parameters);

## **Statements**

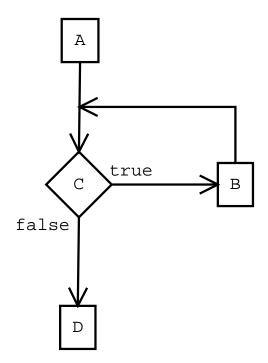
#### • The role of statements

Statement	Role
Assignment	to change the value of a variable
Conditionals	to make decisions
Method calls	to send a message to an object,
	to ask an object to perform an action
Static method calls	to execute a procedure
Loops	to repeat some action(s) several times



```
A;
while (C) {
   B;
}
D
```

• Control flow diagram:



```
int counter, number;
counter = 1;
number = 1;
while (counter <= 3) {
    System.out.println(number);
    number = number + 2;
    counter++;
}
System.out.println("Done");</pre>
```

(This table shows the values of the variables just before the statement in red is executed)

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Done



• while is not the same as if

```
int maximum = scanner.nextInt();
int counter = 1;
int number = 1;
while (counter <= maximum) {
    System.out.println(number);
    number = number + 2;
    counter++;
}</pre>
```

while is not the same as if

```
int maximum = scanner.nextInt();
int counter = 1;
int number = 1;
if (counter <= maximum) {
    System.out.println(number);
    number = number + 2;
    counter++;
}</pre>
```

- The while statement executes a statement or list of statements *repeteadely*, until its condition becomes false
- The if statement executes a statement or list of statements once, and only if its condition is true

A loop may not terminate

```
int maximum = scanner.nextInt();
int counter = 1;
int number = 1;
while (counter <= maximum) {
    System.out.println(number);
    number = number + 2;
}</pre>
```

- A loop will not terminate if its condition is always true
- The condition of a loop will remain true if its variables never change

• Problem: count the number of times that the letter 'e' occurs in a given string.



- Problem: count the number of times that the letter 'e' occurs in a given string.
- Analysis:
  - Input: a string s
  - Output: a positive integer n, equal to the number of times 'e' appears in s
  - Assumptions: s is all lowercase



#### • Design:

- General idea: traverse s from left to right, and each time an 'e' is found, increment a counter.
- Algorithm:
  - 1. Set *counter* to 0
  - 2. Set index to 0
  - 3. While index < length of s, repeat:
    - (a) Let c be the character at position index of s
    - (b) If c is 'e', increment the counter by 1
    - (c) Increment the index by 1



```
String s;
int counter, index;
char c;
s = scanner.nextLine();
counter = 0;
index = 0;
while (index < s.length())
{
    c = s.charAt(index);
    if (c == 'e')
    {
       counter++;
    }
    index++;
}</pre>
```

#### **Abstraction**

• The above algorithm does not change if instead of 'e', we count the occurrences of any letter x.

```
char x;
String s;
int counter, index;
char c;
s = scanner.nextLine();
x = scanner.nextChar();
counter = 0;
index = 0;
while (index < s.length())</pre>
{
  c = s.charAt(index);
  if (c == x)
    counter++;
  index++;
```

• This works for any value of x and any value of s



#### Sum

- Problem: compute the sum of the first n positive integers for a given positive integer n
- Analysis:
  - Input: n
  - Output:  $\sum_{i=1}^{n} i = 1 + 2 + 3 + ... + (n-1) + n$
  - Assumptions:  $n \in \mathbb{N}$
- Design:
- 1. Set total to 0
- 2 Set i to 1
- 3. While  $i \le n$ , repeat:
  - (a) Set total to total + i
  - (b) Set i to i+1

## Sum

```
int n, i, total;
n = scanner.nextInt();
i = 0;
total = 0;
while (i <= n)
{
   total = total + i;
   i = i + 1;
}
System.out.println(total);</pre>
```

#### **Product**

```
int n, i, total;
n = scanner.nextInt();
i = 0;
total = 0;
while (i <= n)
{
   total = total + n;
   i = i + 1;
}
System.out.println(total);</pre>
```

This computes

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} n = n^2$$

#### **Factorial**

- Problem: compute the product of the first n positive integers for a given positive integer n, i.e. the factorial of n
- Analysis:
  - Input: n
  - Output:  $n! = \prod_{i=1}^n i = 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot \ldots \cdot (n-1) \cdot n$
  - Assumptions:  $n \in \mathbb{N}$
- Design:
- 1. Set total to 0
- 2. Set i to 1
- 3. While  $i \le n$ , repeat:
  - (a) Set total to total  $\times$  i
  - (b) Set i to i+1

#### **Factorial**

```
int n, i, total;
n = scanner.nextInt();
i = 1;
total = 1;
while (i <= n)
{
   total = total * i;
   i = i + 1;
}
System.out.println(total);</pre>
```

# Guessing game

```
import java.util.Scanner;
import java.util.Random;
public class GuessingGame
{
  public static void main(String[] args)
  {
    int die, guess, points, game;
    final int ROUNDS = 10;
    Random generator;
    Scanner scanner;
    generator = new Random();
    scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
    points = 0;
    game = 1;
    while (game <= ROUNDS)</pre>
    {
      System.out.print("What is your guess?");
      guess = scanner.nextInt();
```

```
die = generator.nextInt(6) + 1;
   if (guess == die)
   {
      points++;
   }
   game++;
}
System.out.println("You guessed "+points+" tim
}
```

#### Reverse

- Problem: Given any string, print the string in reverse.
- Analysis:
  - Information involved: a string w.
  - Input: w
  - Output: a string v which is the reverse of w
  - Definitions:
    - \* The *reverse* of a word w is a word v which has the the same characters as w, but in inverse order: the first letter of v is the last of w, the second letter of v is the second-to-last of w, etc.
  - Note: no restrictions on the string!



The design for only strings of size 4:

- 1. Obtain the word w
- 2. Create a new word v, initially empty
- 3. Add the last character of w to the end of v
- 4. Add the third character of w to the end of v
- 5. Add the second character of w to the end of v
- 6. Add the first character of w to the end of v
- 7. Print v

#### Generalise the design:

- 1. Create a new word v, initially empty
- 2. Add the last character of w to the end of v
- 3. Add the second to last character of w to the end of v
- 4. ...
- 5. Add the second character of w to the end of v
- 6. Add the first character of w to the end of v
- 7. Print *v*

Generalise the design:

- 1. Create a new word v, initially empty
- 2. Traverse the string w from last character to first, adding the corresponding character at the end of v
- 3. Print *v*



#### Generalise the design:

- 1. Create a new word v, initially empty
- 2. Set a variable index to be the last index of w
- 3. While the *index* is larger or equal to 0, repeat:
  - (a) Let c be the character at index, of the string w.
  - (b) Append c to v
  - (c) decrement index by 1
- 4 Print v

# Implementation

```
// This solution traverses w from right to left
String w, v;
int index;
char c;
w = scanner.nextLine();

v = "";
index = w.length() - 1;
while (index >= 0)
{
    c = w.charAt(index);
    v = v + c;
    index--;
}
```

### **Implementation**

```
// This solution traverses w from left to right
String w, v;
int index;
char c;
w = scanner.nextLine();

v = "";
index = 0;
while (index <= w.length() - 1)
{
    c = w.charAt(index);
    v = "" + c + v;
    index++;
}</pre>
```

• Problem: determine whether a given positive integer is prime or not



#### • Analysis:

- Input: an integer n
- Output: a boolean: true if n is prime, false otherwise
- Definitions:
  - \* A *prime* number is a number which is divisible only by 1 and itself
  - st An integer a is divisible by b if there is an integer k such that a=kb
- Assumptions: n is positive



- Basic idea: try to find a factor of n (i.e. a number that divides n), between 1 and n. If such number exists. then n is not prime, otherwise it is prime.
- 1. Set *is\_prime* to true
- 2. Set *i* to be 2
- 3. While i < n, repeat:
  - (a) if *i* divides *n*, then set *is\_prime* to false
  - (b) increment i by 1
- 4. Return the value of is\_prime

```
boolean is_prime = true;
int i = 2;
while (i < n)
{
    if (n % i == 0)
    {
        is_prime = false;
    }
    i++;
}</pre>
```

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boolean is_prime = true;
int i = 2;
while (i < n)
{
   if (n % i == 0)
   {
      is_prime = false;
      i = n;
   }
   i++;
}</pre>
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while (i < n)
{
   if (n % i == 0)
   {
      is_prime = false;
      break;
   }
   i++;
}</pre>
```

# The end

