PEN203

Structured Program Development in C++

C++ How to Program Deitel & Deitel

Outline

- Algorithms
- Pseudocode
- Control Structures
- The if Selection Statement
- The if...else Selection Statement
- The while Repetition Statement

Algorithms

- Algorithm is defined as the actions to be executed in a specific order to solve a given problem.
- Program control is an important concept and it defiens the specific order in which statements are to be executed.

Pseudocode

- Artificial or informal language which is used to develop algorithms
- Pseudocodes are not executed on computers.
- They are similar to everyday English.
- Pseudocodes can be converted easily to C++ program.

Control Structures

• All programs can be written in terms of 3 control structures:

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- Sequence structures: Statements executed sequentially. It is default control structure.
- Selection structures: if, if-else, switch.
- Repetition structures: while, do-while, for.

- Used to choose among alternative actions:
- Pseudocode of if:
 - If student's grade is less than 50 print "Failed"
 - If the condition returns true, print statement is executed.
 - If the condition returns false, the body of if is not executed. Program control goes to next statement after if block.

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• Pseudocode statement is transferred to C++ program as follows:

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if(grade<50)

cout<<"Passed\n";</pre>

- o Indentation improves program readibility.
- C++ ignores whitespace characters (space, tab, and newline).

- This statement specifies an action for both true condition and false condition.
- Psuedocode of if-else:

If student' grade is less than 50 Print "Failed"

else

Print "Passed"

• C++ code :

If (grade<50)

cout<<"Failed\n";

else

cout<<"Passed\n";</pre>

• Ternary conditional operator (?:)

It has three arguments (condition, value if true, value if false)

ograde >= 60 ? cout<<"Passed\n" :
 cout<<"Failed\n";</pre>

- Nested if-else statements
 - They are used to test for multiple cases.
 - if-else selection statements are placed inside other ifelse selection statements.
 - Whenever a condition returns true, rest of the statements are skipped.

- Compound statement is defined as a set of statements within a pair of braces
- Compound statements with declarations are defined as block.

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if(a>10)
{
    cout<<"Your value is greater than 10\n";
    cout<<"Enter a new value\n";
}</pre>
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