Conditional Statements

SESSION 5

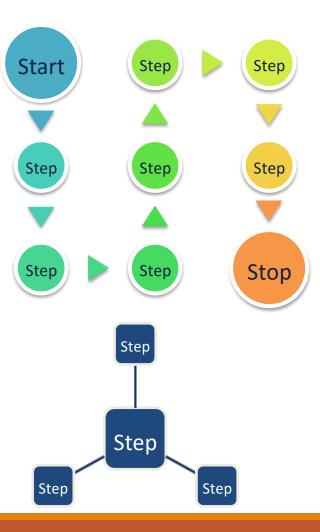
Objectives

- Explain IF statement
- Explain IF...ELSE selection construct
- Explain multiple selection statements
- Explain nested IF...ELSE statements
- Explain case construct

Introduction

A programmer may come across a condition in the program, where the path of execution can branch into two or more options.

Such constructs are referred to as programming, selection, conditional, or branching constructs.



IF Statement 1-7

- The IF construct is a basic selection construct.
 - Consider an example where the customer is given a discount if purchases of over \$100 are made.
 - Each time a customer is billed, a part of the code has to check to see if the bill amount exceeds \$100.
 - If it does exceed the amount, then it must deduct 10% of the total amount, otherwise nothing must be deducted.



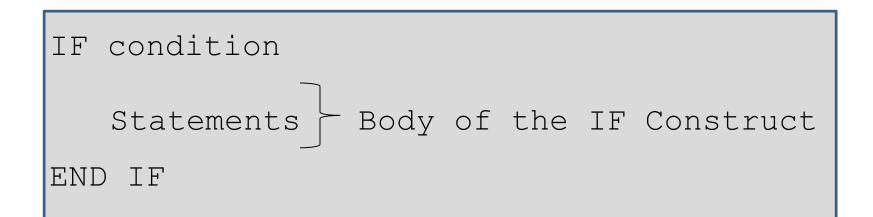
IF Statement 2-7

The pseudocode for the scenario will be as follows:

IF customer purchases items worth more than \$100 Give 10% discount

IF Statement 3-7

The general form of an IF statement or construct is as follows:



IF Statement 4-7

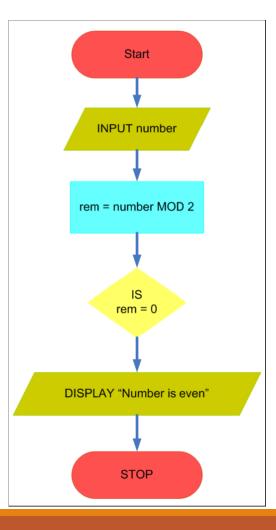
The example uses the IF construct to find whether a number is even or not.

```
BEGIN
```

```
INPUT number
rem = number MOD 2
IF rem=0
Display "Number is even"
END IF
END
```

IF Statement 5-7

A flowchart for the pseudocode is shown in the figure.



IF Statement 6-7

The syntax for the IF statement in C# language is as follows:

if (condition)
 {
 Statements;
 }

IF Statement 7-7

The example shows the pseudocode that would be written in C#

```
public static void main (String[] args)
int number, rem;
Console.WriteLine("Please enter a number: ");
Number = Convert.ToInt32(Console.ReadLine());
rem=number%2;
if(rem==0)
  Console.WriteLine("Even Number");
```

IF...ELSE Statement 1-4

- The IF...ELSE statement enables a programmer to make a single comparison, and then execute the steps depending on whether the result of the comparison is true or false.
- The general form of the IF...ELSE statement is as follows:

```
IF condition
Statement set1
ELSE
Statement set2
END IF
```

IF...ELSE Statement 2-4

The syntax for the IF...ELSE construct in C# language is given as follows:

```
if(condition)
{
   statement set1;
  }
else
  {
   statement set2;
  }
```

IF...ELSE Statement 3-4

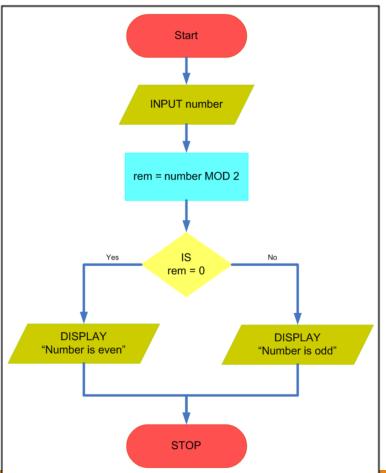
A more efficient code for the even number using the IF...ELSE statement is shown in the following example.

BEGIN

INPUT number rem=number MOD 2 IF rem=0 DISPLAY "Even Number" ELSE DISPLAY "Odd Number" END IF END

IF...ELSE Statement 4-4

The flowchart for the pseudocode is shown:



Multiple Selection Statements 1-3

- The AND statement can be used in conjunction with the IF statement for more than one condition.
- To classify a supplier as a Most Valuable Supplier (MVS), the organization must check that the supplier has been with them for the last 10 years.
- And has done a total business of more than \$500000.
- These two conditions must be satisfied to consider a supplier as a MVS.

Multiple Selection Statements 2-3

The example shows the pseudocode for this scenario.

```
BEGIN
INPUT YearsWithUs
INPUT BizDone
IF YearsWithUs >= 10 AND BizDone >= 500000
DISPLAY "Classified as an MVS"
ELSE
DISPLAY "A little more effort required"
END IF
END
```

Multiple Selection Statements 3-3

The example shows the pseudocode that would be written in C#.

```
/* C# snippet depicting the AND operator in IF */
if(YearsWithUs >= 10 && BizDone >= 500000)
   {
   Console.WriteLine("Classified as an MVS");
   }
else
   {
   Console.WriteLine("A little more effort required");
   }
```

Nested IF...ELSE Statements 1-3

Another way to combine two conditions without using the AND operator, is by using nested IF...ELSE statements.

A nested IF is an IF statement written inside another IF statement.

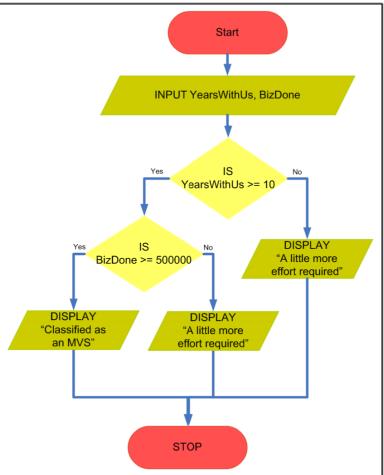
Nested IF...ELSE Statements 2-3

Consider the earlier example to recognize the MVS status of a supplier rewritten using nested IF.

```
BEGIN
INPUT YearsWithUS
INPUT BizDone
IF YearsWithUs >= 10
  IF BizDone \geq 500000
     DISPLAY "Classified as an MVS"
  ELSE
     DISPLAY "A little more effort required"
  END IF
ELSE
  DISPLAY "A little more effort required"
END IF
END
```

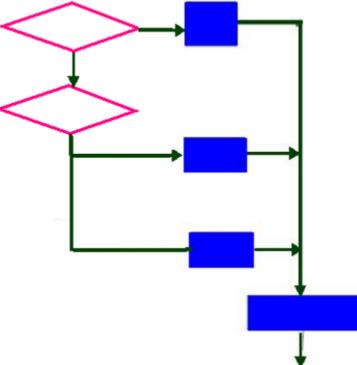
Nested IF...ELSE Statements 3-3

The flowchart for the pseudocode is shown in the figure.



Case Conditions 1-2

- The DO CASE...END CASE construct is used when a variable is to be successively compared against different values.
- The DO CASE is known as 'Switch Case' in C#.



Case Conditions 2-2

The syntax in C will be as follows:

switch (expression)
{
 case const-expr:
 statement set;
 break;
 case const-expr:
 statement set;
 break;
 default
 statement set;

A Switch Statement

```
switch (ch) {
case 'a': case 'A':
case 'e': case 'E':
case 'i': case 'I':
case 'o': case 'O':
case 'u': case 'U':
      Console.WriteLine(ch + " is a vowel" );
      break;
default:
      Console.WriteLine(ch + " is not a vowel" );
```