# Introduction to Programming Lecture Switch Statement

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# **Summary**

- Switch Statement
- First Program
- Break Statement
- Program
- Default statement
- goto Statment

# **Switch statment**

- It is the statement that allows a variable to be tested against a list of values for equality. The value in the switch is termed as a case, and hence the variable being switched on is checked against the case.
- Switch statement is used as a substitute for a "nested if-else" statement. It is used when multiple choice is given and one choice is to be made.
- Nested if-else structure becomes complicated in multiple choice. The switch statement is used in such cases.
- The expression in the switch statement of C++ is valid only if it results in a constant value.
- The switch statement evaluates an expression and returns a value.
- The returned value is compared with the constant values given in the case.

# The switch statement flow digram



# **Syntax**

switch (Expression) case 1 : statement 1; case 2 : statement 2; case N : statement n; default: statement d;

# **C++ Switch Statement Program**

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    char grade;
    cout <<"Enter a grade"<<endl;
    cin >>grade;
    switch (grade)
    {
        case 'A' :
```

```
cout <<"Excellent" <<endl;
case 'B' :
    cout << "Very Good"<<endl ;
case 'C' :
    cout << "Good"<<endl ;
case 'D' :
    cout << "Poor"<<endl ;
case 'F' :
```

```
cout << "Fail"<<endl ;</pre>
```



It is the statement that allows a variable to be tested against a list of values for equality (A,B,C,D,F). The value in the switch is termed as a case, and hence the variable being switched on is checked against the case.

## C++ Switch Statement Program to match the case

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
                                                       Input:
int main()
                                                       cin >> x; reads an integer value from the user and stores it in
int x:
                                                       Х.
cin>>x;
switch (x) {
                                                       Switch Statement:
    case 0:
         cout <<"Enter value x"<<endl;</pre>
         cout<<"You have entered 0"<<endl; // ExaTherswitch statement evaluates the value of x.
        break:
    case 1: // Exact match
                                                       If x is 0, the case 0: block is executed, and it prints "You
         cout <<"Enter value x"<<endl;</pre>
                                                       entered 0".
         cout<<"You have entered 1"<<endl;
        break;
                                                       If x is 1, the case 1: block is executed,
    case 2:
                                                       and it prints "You entered 1".
         cout <<"Enter value x"<<endl;</pre>
         cout<<"You have entered 2 "<<endl;
                                                       If x is 2, the case 2: block is executed,
                                                       and it prints "You entered 2".
```

# **Break statement**

- The break statement interrupts the flow of control.
- We have seen in the last example that even the true case was found but the flow of control went through all the statements.
- We want only the true case should be executed.
- For this purpose, we use the "break statement"
- Write it after the case, thus when a true case is found execute the statement then the break statement interrupts the flow of control, and control jumps out of the switch statement.
- If it is not used, then the statement of other cases that come after the matching case will also execute.

# **Break statement**

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
    char grade;
    cout <<"Enter a grade"<<endl;
    cin >>grade;
    switch (grade)
```

#### {

```
case 'A' :
    cout <<"Excellent" <<endl;
case 'B' :
    cout << "Very Good"<<endl ;
case 'C' :
    cout << "Good"<<endl ;
case 'D' :
    cout << "Poor"<<endl ;
case 'F' :
    cout << "Fail"<<endl ;
</pre>
```

# Enter a grade a === Code Execution Successful ===

## Yes !!!'A' is different from 'a'

case 'A' :
case 'a' :
cout <<"Excellent" << endl;</pre>

### **Break statement**

```
using namespace std;
int main()
char grade;
cout <<"Enter a grade"<<endl;</pre>
cin >>grade;
switch (grade)
    case 'A' :
    case 'a' :
        cout <<"Excellent" <<endl;</pre>
        break;
    case 'B' :
    case 'b' :
        cout << "Very Good"<<endl ;</pre>
        break;
    case 'C' :
    case 'c' :
        cout << "Good"<<endl ;</pre>
        break;
    case 'D' :
    case 'd' :
        cout << "Poor"<<endl ;</pre>
        break;
    case 'F' :
    case 'f' :
        cout << "Fail"<<endl ;</pre>
```

# Enter a grade f Fail

# **C++ Switch Statement Program to find an even number**

// The case 0 is specifically designed to handle the situation where n is e
//When n % 2 evaluates to 0, the code inside the case 0 block will execute.

# #include <iostream> using namespace std; int main()

#### {

int n; cout <<"Enter a Number"<<endl; cin >>n; switch (n%2)

#### {

```
case 0 :
```

```
cout <<"Divisiable by 2"<<endl;
break;
```

#### case 1 :

```
cout <<"Not Divisiable by 2 "<<endl;
break;
```

#### }

cout <<"Out of Switch statment"<<endl; return 0;

#### Output

Enter a Number 10 Divisiable by 2 Out of Switch statment

#### Output

Enter a Number 11 Not Divisiable by 2 Out of Switch statment

# n % 2 Expression:

- The expression n % 2 calculates the remainder when n is divided by 2.
- If n is even, n % 2 will be 0.
- If n is odd, n % 2 will be 1.

switch Statement:

The switch statement evaluates the result of n % 2.

case 0: corresponds to even numbers.

case 1: corresponds to odd numbers. <del>case 2:</del> <del>case 3:</del>  The case labels must match the possible results of n % 2, which are 0 and 1.

case 0:

 If n % 2 is 0, the program executes the block under case 0 and prints that n is even.

case 1:

 If n % 2 is 1, the program executes the block under case 1 and prints that n is odd.

# **Default case**

- The default case in a switch statement acts similarly to an else statement in an ifelse block.
- It is executed when none of the other cases match the value of the expression being evaluated.
- Comparison:
- The else block is executed when none of the proceedings if or else if conditions is true

# **Default case**

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5

6

8

9

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    int day;
    cout << "Enter a number (1-3) to represent the day of the week: ";</pre>
    cin >> day;
    switch (day) {
        case 1:
             cout << "Monday" << endl;</pre>
             break;
        case 2:
             cout << "Tuesday" << endl;</pre>
             break;
        case 3:
             cout << "Wednesday" << endl;</pre>
             break;
        default:
             cout << "Invalid input! Please enter a number between 1 and 7." <<</pre>
                 endl;
             break;
```

#### Output

Enter a number (1-3) to represent the day of the week: 9 Invalid input! Please enter a number between 1 and 7.

#### == Code Execution Successful ==

# **Basic Arithmetic operation using switch statement**

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main() {
                                                                                     50
    char operation;
    int num1, num2;
                                                                                     50
    cout << "Enter first Num , operator (+, -, *, /): , 2nd Number"<<endl;</pre>
    cin >> num1 >> operation>> num2;
    switch (operation) {
        case '+':
            cout << num1 << " + " << num2 << " = " << num1 + num2 << end1;
            break;
        case '-':
            cout << num1 << " - " << num2 << " = " << num1 - num2 << end1;
            break;
        case '*':
            cout << num1 << " * " << num2 << " = " << num1 * num2 << endl;
            break;
        default:
            cout << "Invalid operator! Please enter +, -, *, or /." << endl;</pre>
            break;
     return 0;
```

Output Enter first Num , operator (+, -, \*, /): , 2nd Number 50 + 50 50 + 50 = 100

# **Basic Arithmetic operation using switch statement**

```
#include <iostream>
                                                                                    Enter first Num , operator (+, -, *, /): , 2nd Number
using namespace std;
int main() {
    char operation;
    int num1, num2;
                                                                                    10
                                                                                    5 - 10 = -5
    cout << "Enter first Num , operator (+, -, *, /): , 2nd Number"<<endl;</pre>
    cin >> num1 >> operation>> num2;
    switch (operation) {
        case '+':
            cout << num1 << " + " << num2 << " = " << (num1 + num2) << end1;
            break;
        case '-':
            cout << num1 << " - " << num2 << " = " << (num1 - num2) << endl:
            break;
        case '*':
            cout << num1 << " * " << num2 << " = " << (num1 * num2) << endl;
            break;
        default:
            cout << "Invalid operator! Please enter +, -, *, or /." << endl;</pre>
            break:
    return 0;
```

# **Salary calculation using switch statement**

```
#include <iostream>
 using namespace std;
 int main ( )
int salary ;
 float deduction, netPayable ;
 cout << "Please enter the salary"<<endl; ;</pre>
 cin >> salary ;
 switch (salary/60000)
 case 0 :
 cout <<salary/60000<<endl;</pre>
 deduction = 0; // as deduction is zero in this case
 netPayable = salary ;
  cout <<"NetPayable (salary - deduction) ="<< endl;</pre>
  cout <<"Net Payable (salary - deduction) =" <<endl;</pre>
  cout << salary << " - "<< deduction << " = " <<netPayable<<endl;</pre>
   break;
 case 1 :
 cout <<salary/60000<<endl;</pre>
 deduction = salary*5/100 ;
 netPayable = salary - deduction ;
 // this means salary is in range 60000 - 120000
  cout << "Net Payable (salary - deduction) = " <<endl ;</pre>
  cout << salary << " - " << deduction << " = " << netPayable;</pre>
   break:
  //necessary to exit switch
 default :
 // this means the salary is 20,000 or more
 cout <<salary/60000<<endl;</pre>
 deduction = salary * 15 /100;
 netPayable = salary-deduction ;
 //cout << "Net Payable (salary - deduction) = ";</pre>
 cout << salary << " - " << deduction << " = " << netPayable;</pre>
```

return 0;

- If salary is less than 60000 no tax will deduct.
- If salary slab is 60000 -119000 then 5 % tax will deduct ,
- if salary slab is 120000 and above 15 % tax will deduct

# goto statment

- The goto is an unconditional branch of execution.
- goto statement is used to jump the control anywhere (back and forth ) in the program.

## goto statment

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main() {
    int day;

    cout << "This Progrm will Demonstrate the goto statment"<<endl;
    cout << "Testing"<<endl;
    goto abc;
    cout <<"it will print later"<<endl;
    cout << "This another c++ statment"<<endl;
    abc:
    cout <<"Program ended ???"<<endl;
    cout <<"Yes";</pre>
```

This Progrm will Demonstrate the goto statment Testing Program ended ??? Yes

#### return 0;

