Memory Concepts

• Variables
  – Variable names correspond to locations in the computer's memory; the compiler assigns the actual locations
  – Every variable has a name, a type, a size and a value
  – Whenever a new value is placed into a variable it replaces the previous value
  – Reading variables from memory does not change them

• Declare int integer1; , then write integer1 = 45;

integer1 45
Memory Concepts

• Declare int integer2;
• Declare int sum;
• Write integer2 = 72;
• Now write sum = integer1 + integer2;
Arithmetic

• Arithmetic calculations
  – Use * for multiplication and / for division
  – Integer division truncates remainder
    • 7 / 5 evaluates to 1
  – Modulus operator(%) returns the remainder
    • 7 % 5 evaluates to 2
Division and Remainder

• If both operands to the division operator (/) are integers, the result is an integer (the fractional part is discarded)

\[
\begin{align*}
14 & \div 3 \quad \text{equals?} \quad 4 \\
8 & \div 12 \quad \text{equals?} \quad 0 
\end{align*}
\]

• The remainder operator (\%) returns the remainder after dividing the second operand into the first

\[
\begin{align*}
14 & \% 3 \quad \text{equals?} \quad 2 \\
8 & \% 12 \quad \text{equals?} \quad 8 
\end{align*}
\]
Arithmetic Expressions

• An *expression* is a combination of one or more operands and their operators

• *Arithmetic expressions* compute numeric results and make use of the arithmetic operators:

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• If either or both operands associated with an arithmetic operator are floating point, the result is a floating point
Arithmetic

• Operator precedence - you should use parentheses to "say what you mean and mean what you say"

• Operator precedence makes behavior well-defined in absence of parentheses
  – Some arithmetic operators act before others (i.e., multiplication before addition)
  – Example: Find the average of three variables a, b and c
    • Do not use: \( a + b + c / 3 \)
    • Use: \( (a + b + c) / 3 \)
Arithmetic

• Arithmetic operators:

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<td>( f + 7 )</td>
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<td>-</td>
<td>( p - c )</td>
<td>( p - c )</td>
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<td>Multiplication</td>
<td>*</td>
<td>( bm )</td>
<td>( b * m )</td>
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<td>Division</td>
<td>/</td>
<td>( x / y )</td>
<td>( x / y )</td>
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<td>Modulus (remainder)</td>
<td>%</td>
<td>( r \ mod \ s )</td>
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• Rules of operator precedence:

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<td>Parentheses</td>
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<td>*, /, or %</td>
<td>Multiplication, Division, Modulus</td>
<td>Evaluated second. If there are several, they are evaluated left to right.</td>
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<td>+ or -</td>
<td>Addition, Subtraction</td>
<td>Evaluated last. If there are several, they are evaluated left to right.</td>
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Operator Precedence

equal precedence: left-to-right

Step 1. \( y = 2 \times 5 \times 5 + 3 \times 5 + 7; \)  
\( 2 \times 5 \) is

Step 2. \( y = 10 \times 5 + 3 \times 5 + 7; \)  
\( 10 \times 5 \) is

Step 3. \( y = 50 + 3 \times 5 + 7; \)  
\( 3 \times 5 \) is

Step 4. \( y = 50 + 15 + 7; \)  
\( 50 + 15 \) is

Step 5. \( y = 65 + 7; \)  
\( 65 + 7 \) is

Step 6. \( y = 72; \)  
\( \text{Last operation—place 72 in y} \)
Assignment

• The assignment operator has a lower precedence than the arithmetic operators

First the expression on the right hand side of the = operator is evaluated

\[
\text{answer} = \text{sum} / 4 + \text{MAX} \times \text{lowest};
\]

Then the result is stored in the variable on the left hand side

\[
4 \quad 1 \quad 3 \quad 2
\]