

# CSE 121 – Lesson 5

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# Announcements, Reminders

- Creative Project 1 is out, due Tues October 17
- Resubmission Cycle 0 released yesterday, due Thurs October 19
  - Even if you're not resubmitting – **read your feedback!!**
- Quiz 0: Thursday, Oct 19 during section
  - [Quiz logistics announcement](#)
- Office Hour Problems (Miya's OH)

# Last time: for loops!

For loops are our first *control structure*

A syntactic structure that *controls* the execution of other statements.

```
for ( initialization ; test ; update ) {  
    body (statements to be repeated)  
}
```

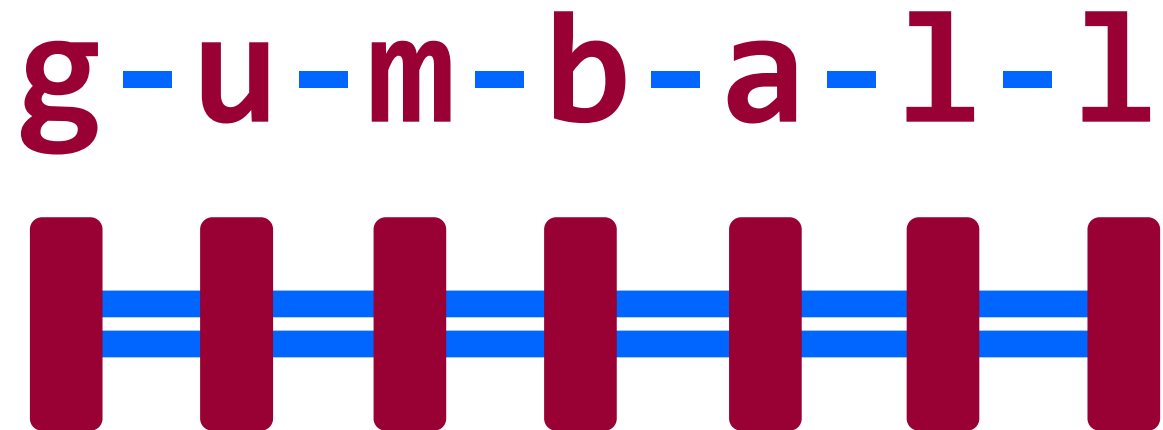
# Fencepost Pattern

Some task where one piece is repeated  $n$  times, and another piece is repeated  $n-1$  times and they alternate

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# (PCM) Nested for loops

```
for (int outerLoop = 1; outerLoop <= 5; outerLoop++) {  
    System.out.println("outer loop iteration #" + outerLoop);  
    for (int innerLoop = 1; innerLoop <= 3; innerLoop++) {  
        System.out.println("    inner loop iteration #" + innerLoop);  
    }  
    System.out.println(outerLoop);  
}
```

# Poll in with your answer!



What output is produced by the following code?

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 5; i++) {  
    for (int j = 1; j <= i; j++) {  
        System.out.print(i);  
    }  
    System.out.println();  
}
```

A.

1  
12  
123  
1234  
12345

B.

i  
ii  
iii  
iiii  
iiiii

C.

1  
22  
333  
4444  
55555

# Poll in with your answer!



What code produces the following output?

A.

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 5; i++) {  
    for (int j = 1; j <= i; j++) {  
        System.out.print(i);  
    }  
    System.out.println(  
}
```

C.

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 5; i++) {  
    for (int j = 1; i <= j; j++) {  
        System.out.print(j);  
    }  
    System.out.println();  
}
```

B.

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 5; i++) {  
    for (int j = 1; j <= i; j++) {  
        System.out.print(j);  
    }  
    System.out.println();  
}
```

D.

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 5; i++) {  
    for (int j = 1; j <= i; i++) {  
        System.out.print(j);  
    }  
    System.out.println();  
}
```

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# Pseudo-Randomness

Computers generate numbers in a predictable way using mathematical formulas.

Input may include current time, mouse position, etc.

True randomness is hard to achieve – we rely on natural processes

- e.g., atmospheric noise, lava lamps

# (PCM) Random

A Random object generates *pseudo*-random numbers.

- The Random class is found in the `java.util` package  
`import java.util.*;`

Method	Description
<code>nextInt()</code>	Returns a random integer
<code>nextInt(max)</code>	Returns a random integer in the range $[0, max)$ , or in other words, 0 to $max-1$ inclusive
<code>nextDouble()</code>	Returns a random real number in the range $[0.0, 1.0)$

# (PCM) Math

Calling:

**Math.<method>(…)**

Method	Description
<code>Math.abs(<i>value</i>)</code>	Returns the absolute value of <i>value</i>
<code>Math.ceil(<i>value</i>)</code>	Returns <i>value</i> rounded up
<code>Math.floor(<i>value</i>)</code>	Returns <i>value</i> rounded down
<code>Math.max(<i>value1</i>, <i>value2</i>)</code>	Returns the larger of the two values
<code>Math.min(<i>value1</i>, <i>value2</i>)</code>	Returns the smaller of the two values
<code>Math.round(<i>value</i>)</code>	Returns <i>value</i> rounded to the nearest whole number
<code>Math.sqrt(<i>value</i>)</code>	Returns the square root of <i>value</i>
<code>Math.pow(<i>base</i>, <i>exp</i>)</code>	Returns <i>base</i> raised to the <i>exp</i> power