

## **Programming Fundamentals 1**

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#### Introduction to Processing

Conditional Mouse Events & Operators







#### Mouse Events

#### Recap: Arithmetic Operators

#### Order of Evaluation



#### Mouse Events





"...an action such as a key being pressed, the mouse moving, or a new piece of data becoming available to read."

(Reas & Fry, 2014)



"An event interrupts the normal flow of a program to run the code within an event block"

(Reas & Fry, 2014)

#### Mouse Events



| Mouse Variables | Description   |
|-----------------|---|
| mousePressed    | <i>true</i> if any mouse button is pressed, <i>false</i> otherwise.                             |
|                 | Note: this variable reverts to <i>false</i> as soon as the button is released.                  |
| mouseButton     | Can have the value LEFT, RIGHT and CENTER, depending on the mouse button most recently pressed. |
|                 | Note: this variable retains its value until a <u>different</u> mouse button is pressed.         |





Mouse and keyboard events only work when a program has draw()

Without draw(), the code is only run once and then stops "listening" for events

Source: <a href="https://processing.org/reference/">https://processing.org/reference/</a>



Functionality:

□ If the mouse is pressed:

draw a grey square with a white outline.

 otherwise draw a grey circle with a white outline.



#### Processing Example 3.5 - Code

```
//Reas, C. & Fry, B. (2014) Processing
void setup() {
  size(100,100);
void draw() {
  background(0);
  stroke(255);
  fill(128);
  if (mousePressed){
    rect(45,45,34,34);
  else{
    ellipse(45,45,34,34);
```





#### Processing Example 3.5 - Code





Functionality:

- If the mouse is pressed:
  set the fill to white and draw a square.
  - otherwise set the fill to black and draw a square.





```
//Reas, C. & Fry, B. (2014) Processing
void setup() {
  size(100, 100);
}
void draw() {
  background(204);
  if (mousePressed == true) {
    fill(255); // White
  } else {
    fill(0); // Black
  rect(25, 25, 50, 50);
```









Functionality:

- If the LEFT button on the mouse is pressed, set the fill to black and draw a square. As soon as the LEFT button is released, grey fill the square.
- If the RIGHT button on the mouse is pressed, set the fill to white and draw a square. As soon as the RIGHT button is released, grey fill the square.
- If no mouse button is pressed, set the fill to grey and draw a square.





```
//Reas, C. & Fry, B. (2014) Processing
void setup() {
  size(100, 100);
void draw() {
  if (mousePressed){
      if (mouseButton == LEFT)
           fill(0); // black
      else if (mouseButton == RIGHT)
           fill(255); // white
   }
  else {
      fill(126); // gray
    3
   rect(25, 25, 50, 50);
```







Functionality:

- Draw a circle on the mouse (x,y) coordinates.
- Each time you move the mouse, draw a new circle.
- All the circles remain in the sketch until you press a mouse button.
- When you press a mouse button, the sketch is cleared and a single circle is drawn at the mouse (x,y) coordinates.









https://processing.org/tutorials/interactivity/







We moved the stroke and fill function calls to the setup() function. *Q: Does this change the functionality of our sketch?* 





| Arithmetic<br>Operator | Explanation    | Example(s)               |
|------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| +                      | Addition       | 6 + 2<br>amountOwed + 10 |
| -                      | Subtraction    | 6 – 2<br>amountOwed – 10 |
| *                      | Multiplication | 6 * 2<br>amountOwed * 10 |
| /                      | Division       | 6 / 2<br>amountOwed / 10 |







Based on the Processing Example: Basics  $\rightarrow$  Data  $\rightarrow$  Variables







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□ If you want to keep track of how many times something happens, you are keeping a running total. For example

The number of times you drew a line on the computer screen

As each line is drawn, you add one to your counter variable

# Arithmetic Operators

This code declares a new variable of type int called frameRedraws and initialises it to 0.

One is added to the **frameRedraws** variable each time the **draw()** method is called.

The value of **frameRedraws** is then printed to the console.

frameRedraws is a "running total" of the number of frame redraws.





These examples are straightforward uses of the arithmetic operators

However, we typically want to do more complex calculations involving many arithmetic operators

□ To do this, we need to understand the Order of Evaluation



#### Order of Evaluation





Brackets ()
Multiplication (\*)
Division (/)
Addition (+)
Subtraction (-)

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What are the results of these calculations?



#### Questions?









#### Reas, C. & Fry, B. (2014) Processing – A Programming Handbook for Visual Designers and Artists, 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition, MIT Press, London.

