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## **DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

### **PROGRAMMING FOR PROBLEM SOLVING**

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UNIT 1 – Introduction to Problem Solving Techniques

TOPIC 8 – Illustrative Examples

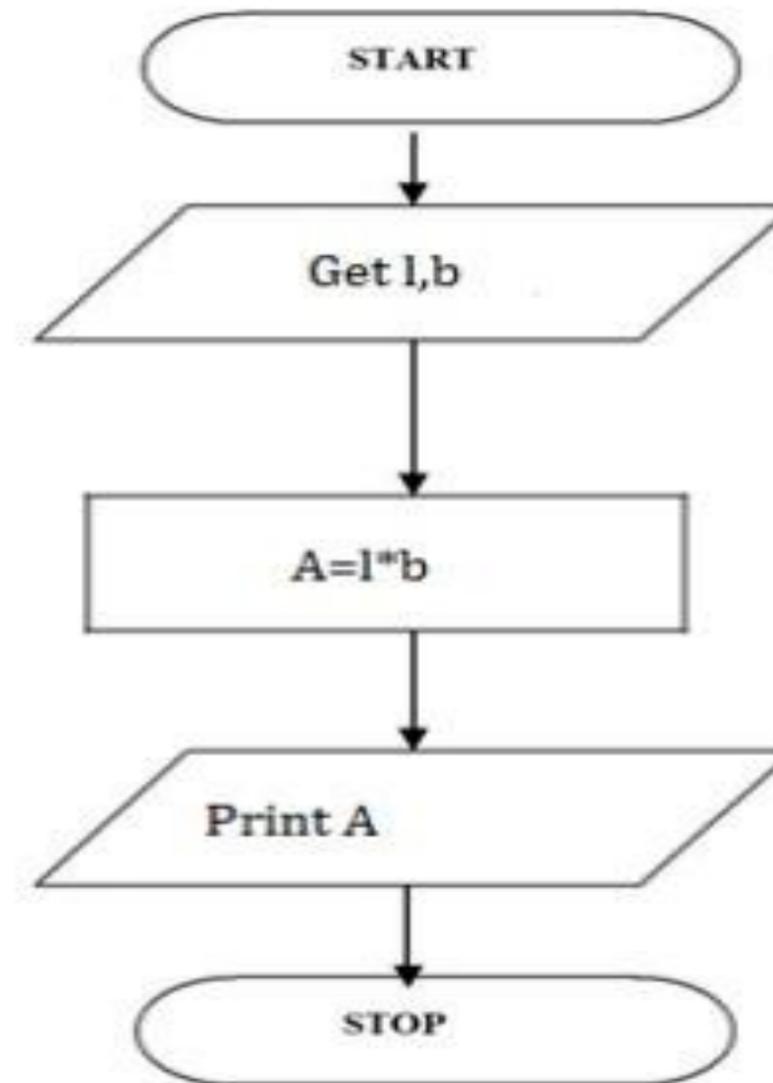


# TO FIND AREA OF A RECTANGLE



- Step 1: Start
- Step 2: get l,b values
- Step 3: Calculate  $A=l*b$
- Step 4: Display A
- Step 5: Stop

- BEGIN
- READ l,b
- CALCULATE  $A=l*b$
- DISPLAY A
- END



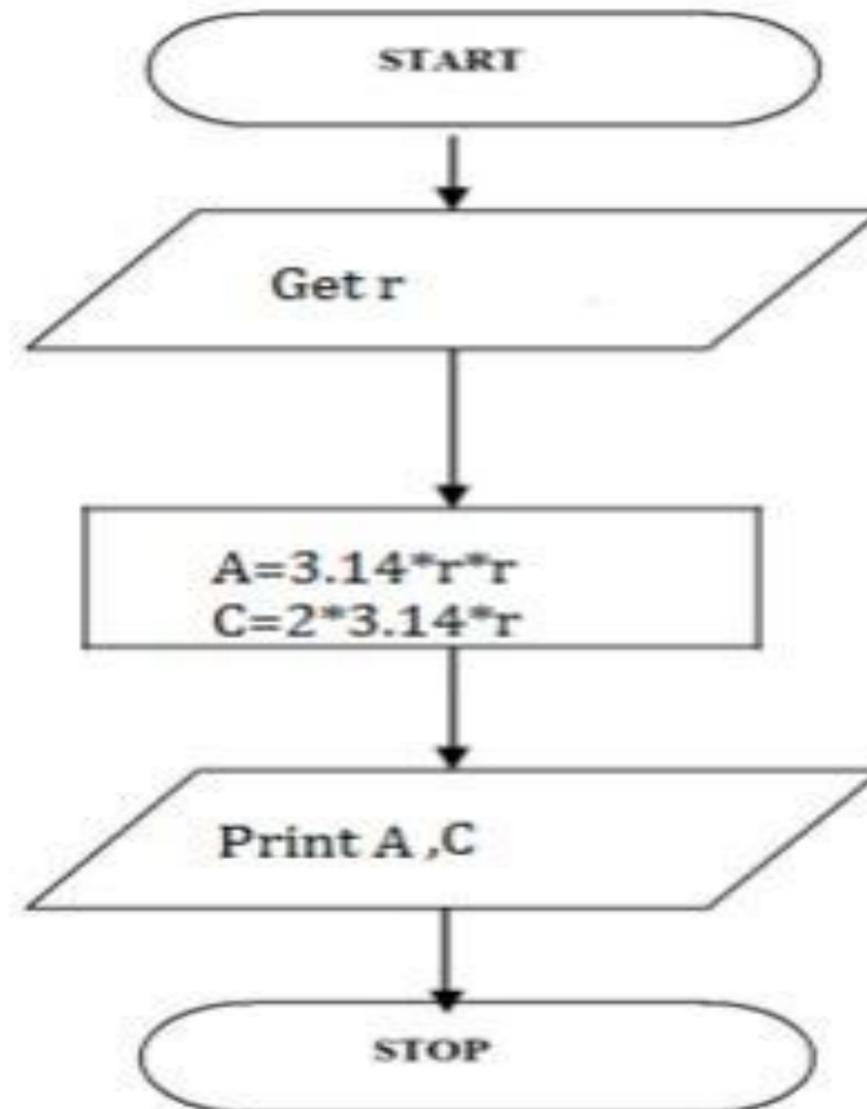


# CALCULATING AREA AND CIRCUMFERENCE OF CIRCLE



- Step 1: Start
- Step 2: get r value
- Step 3: Calculate  $A=3.14*r*r$
- Step 4: Calculate  $C=2*3.14*r$
- Step 5: Display A,C
- Step 6: Stop

- BEGIN
- READ r
- CALCULATE A and C
- $A=3.14*r*r$
- $C=2*3.14*r$
- DISPLAY A
- END



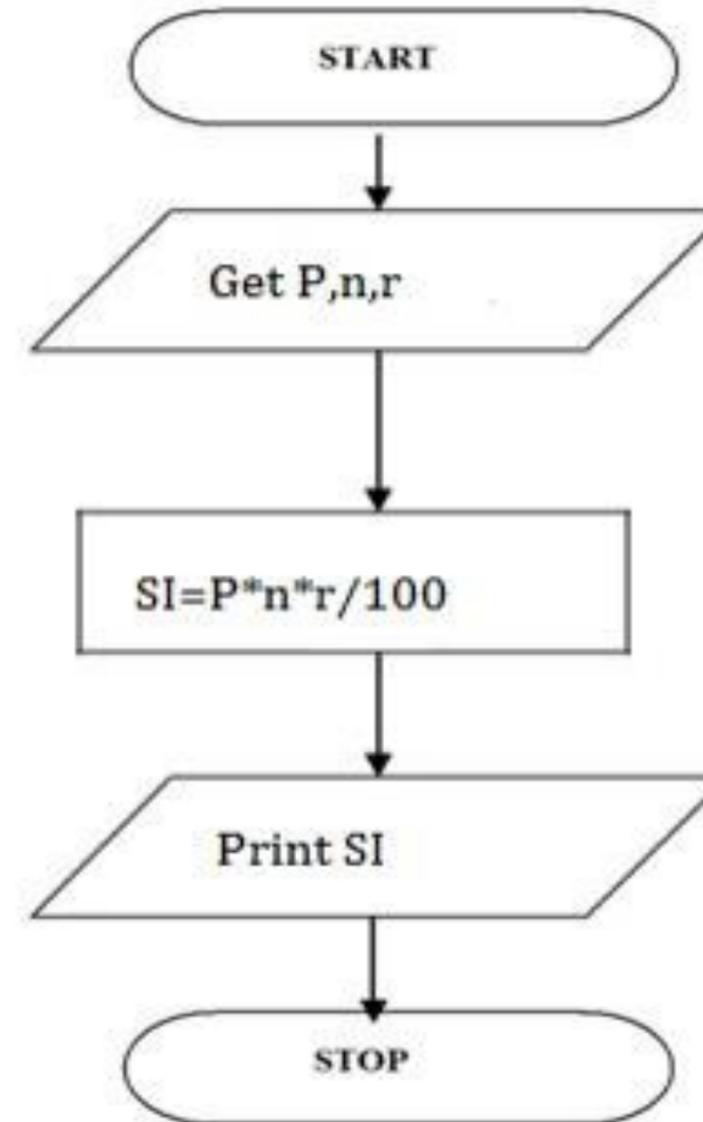


# CALCULATING SIMPLE INTEREST



- Step 1: Start
- Step 2: get P, n, r value
- Step 3: Calculate  $SI = (p * n * r) / 100$
- Step 4: Display S
- Step 5: Stop

- BEGIN
- READ P, n, r
- CALCULATE S
- $SI = (p * n * r) / 100$
- DISPLAY SI
- END

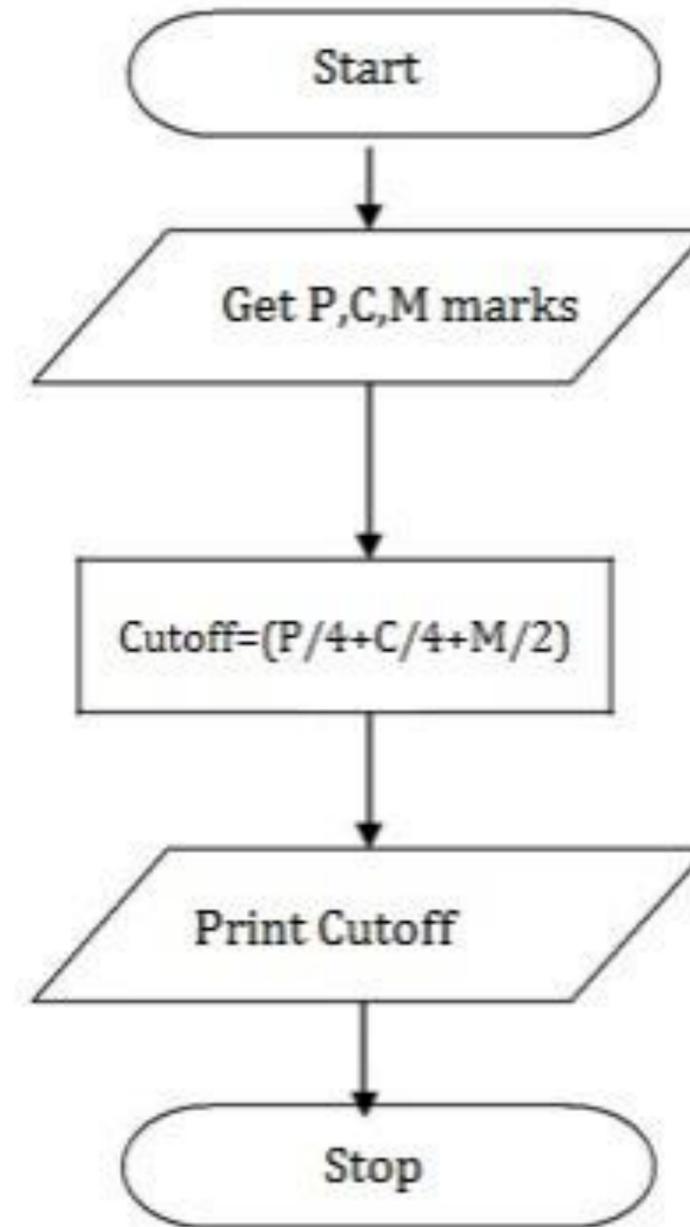




# CALCULATING ENGINEERING CUTOFF



- Step 1: Start
  - Step 2: get P,C,M value
  - Step 3: calculate Cutoff=  $(P/4+C/4+M/2)$
  - Step 4: Display Cutoff
  - Step 5: Stop
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- BEGIN
  - READ P,C,M
  - CALCULATE
  - Cutoff=  $(P/4+C/4+M/2)$
  - DISPLAY Cutoff
  - END

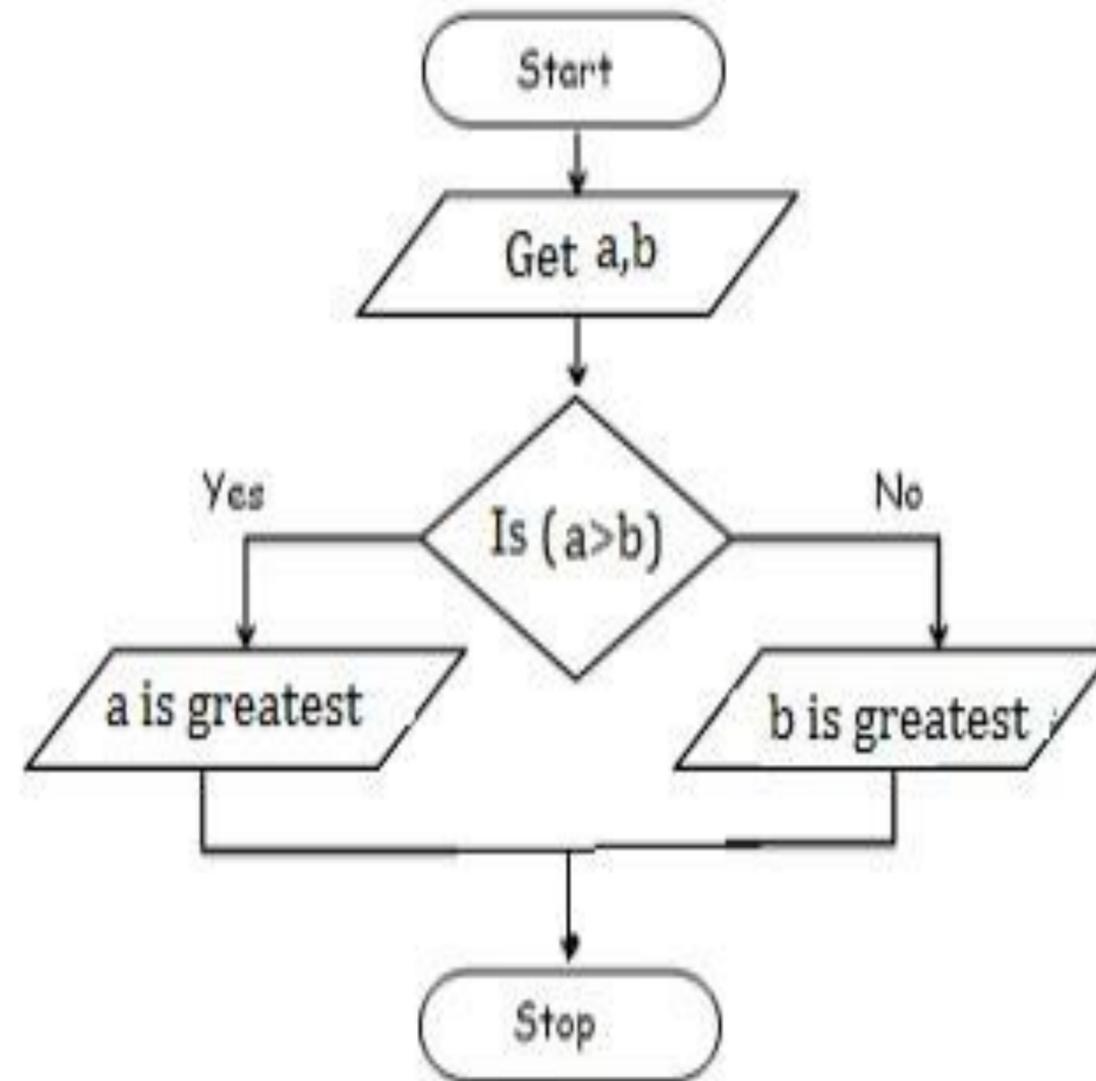




# TO CHECK GREATEST OF TWO NUMBERS

- Step 1: Start
- Step 2: get a,b value
- Step 3: check if(a>b) print a is greater
- Step 4: else b is greater
- Step 5: Stop

- BEGIN
- READ a,b
- IF (a>b) THEN
- DISPLAY a is greater
- ELSE
- DISPLAY b is greater
- END IF
- END

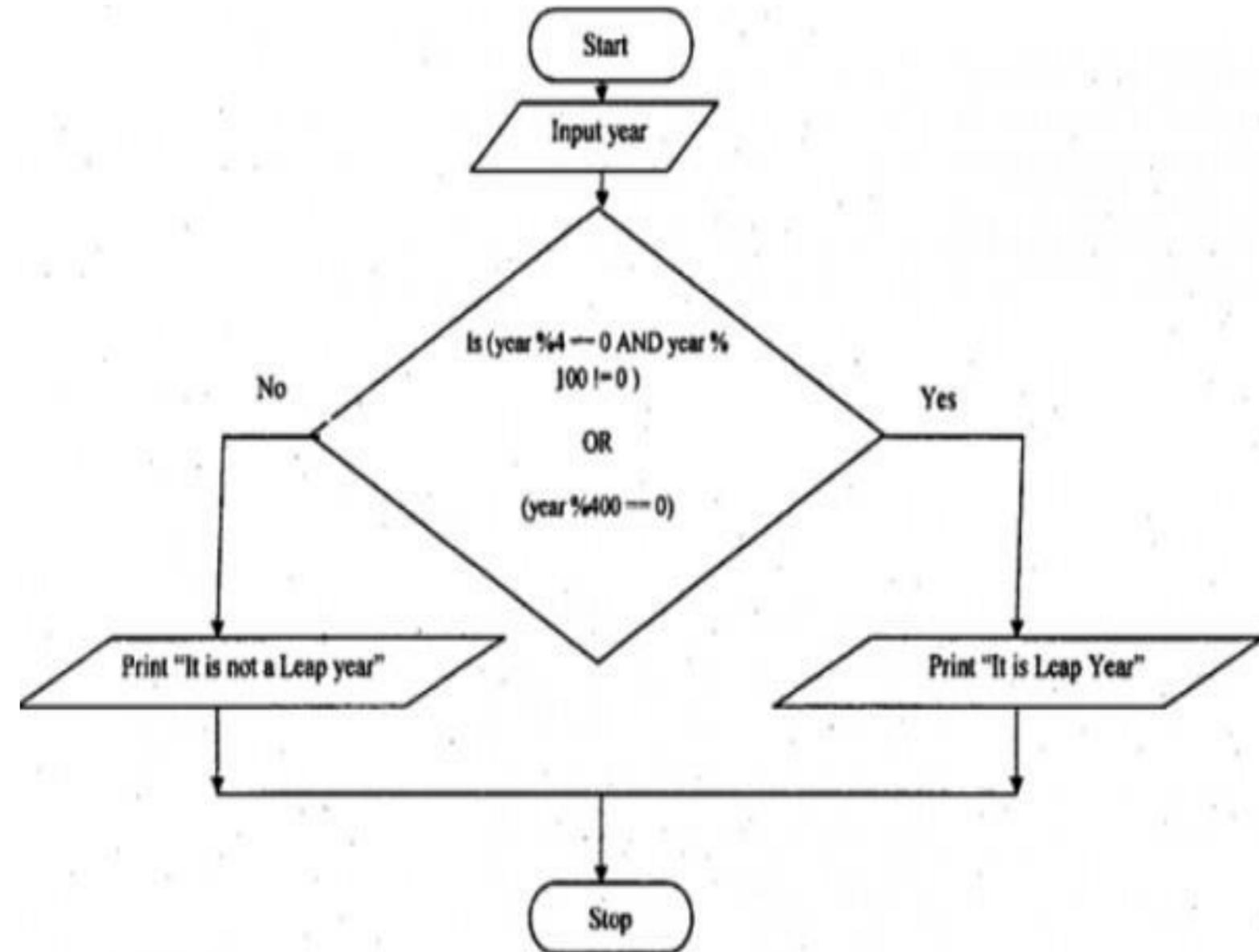




# TO CHECK LEAP YEAR OR NOT

- Step 1: Start
- Step 2: get y
- Step 3: if( $y \% 4 == 0$ ) print leap year
- Step 4: else print not leap year
- Step 5: Stop

- BEGIN
- READ y
- IF ( $y \% 4 == 0$ ) THEN
- DISPLAY leap year
- ELSE
- DISPLAY not leap year
- END IF
- END



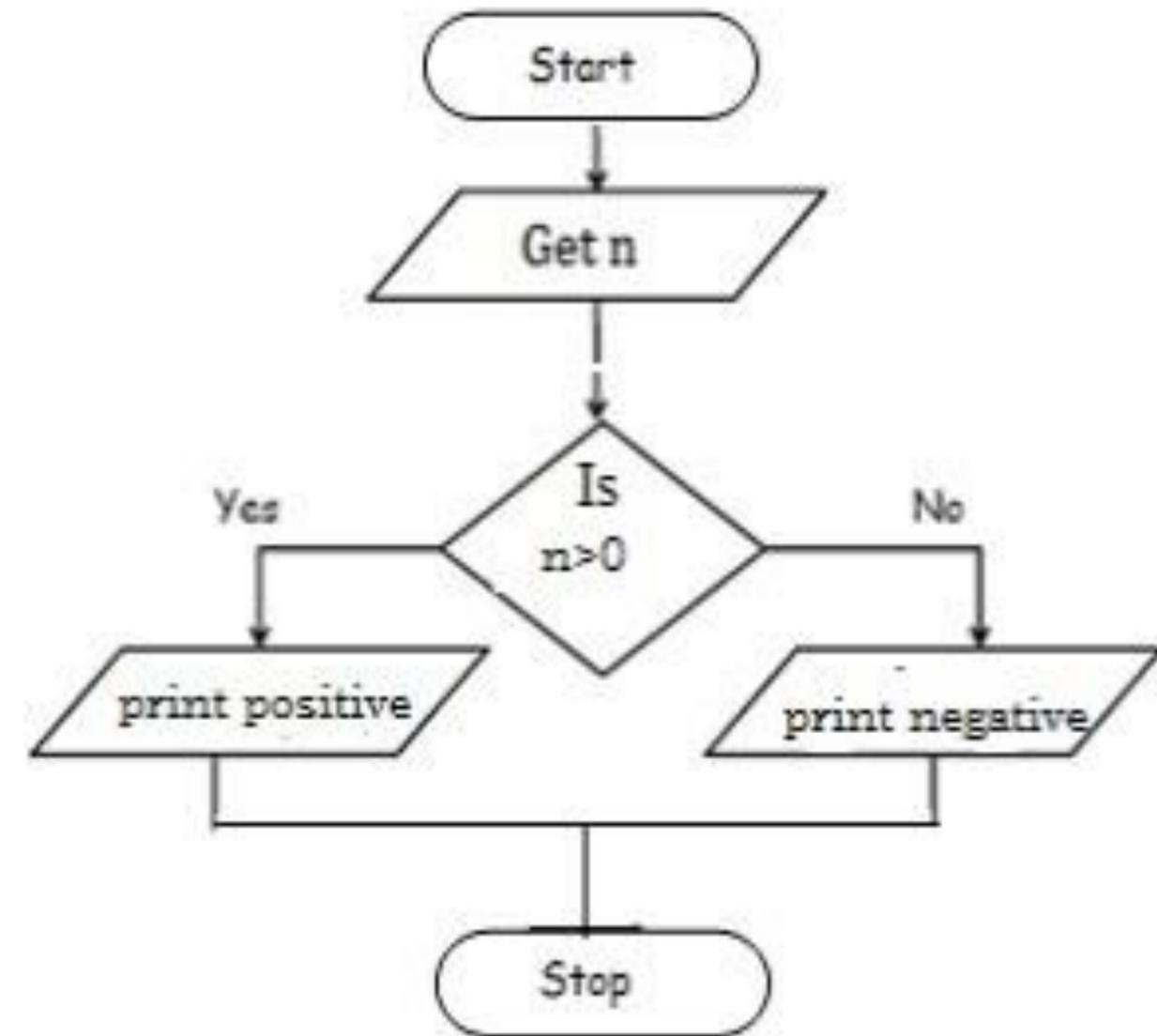


# TO CHECK POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE NUMBER



- Step 1: Start
- Step 2: get num
- Step 3: check if( $\text{num} > 0$ ) print a is positive
- Step 4: else num is negative
- Step 5: Stop

- BEGIN
- READ num
- IF ( $\text{num} > 0$ ) THEN
- DISPLAY num is positive
- ELSE
- DISPLAY num is negative
- END IF
- END

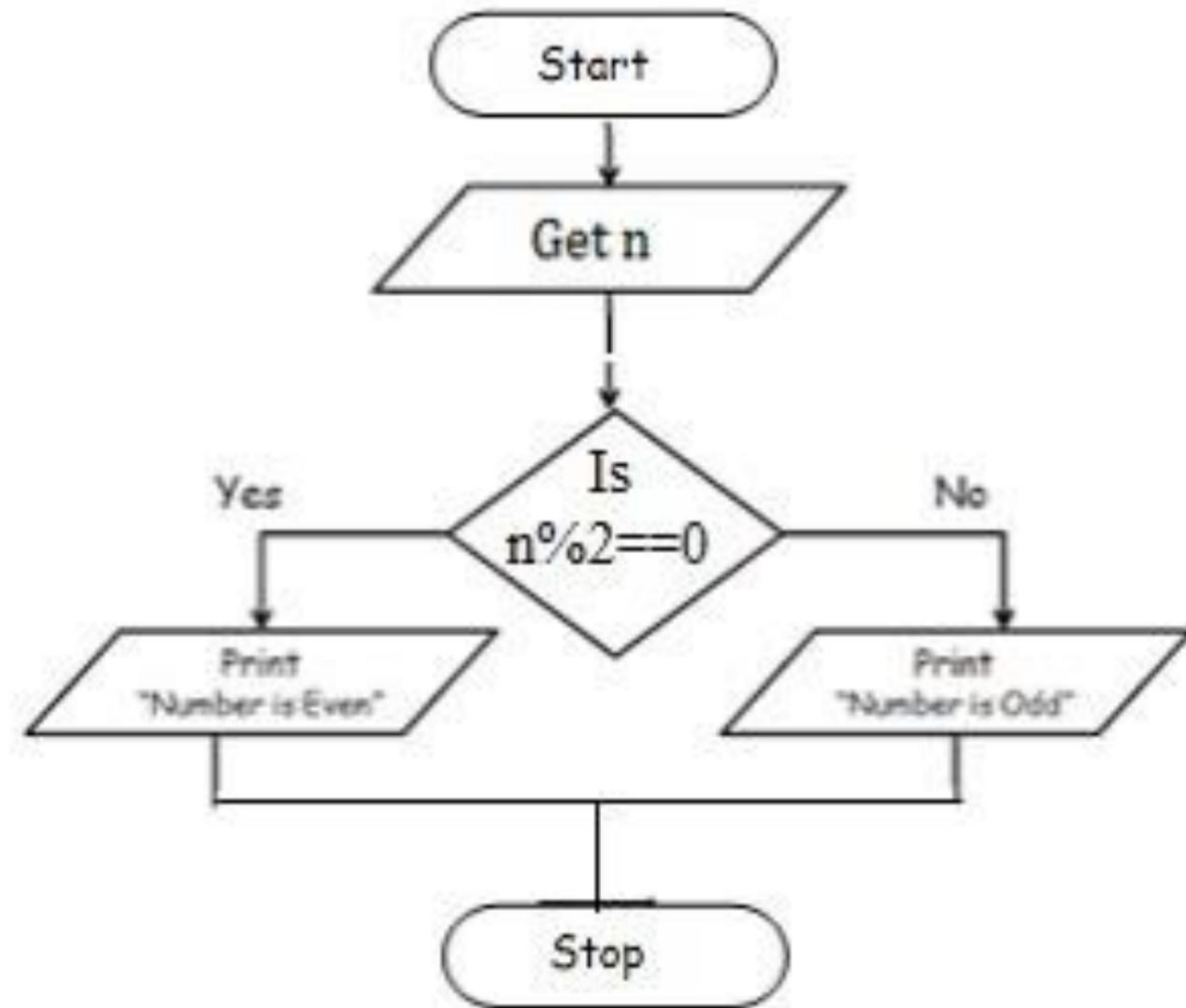




# TO CHECK ODD OR EVEN NUMBER

- Step 1: Start
- Step 2: get num
- Step 3: check if( $\text{num} \% 2 == 0$ ) print num is even
- Step 4: else num is odd
- Step 5: Stop

- BEGIN
- READ num
- IF ( $\text{num} \% 2 == 0$ ) THEN
- DISPLAY num is even
- ELSE
- DISPLAY num is odd
- END IF
- END

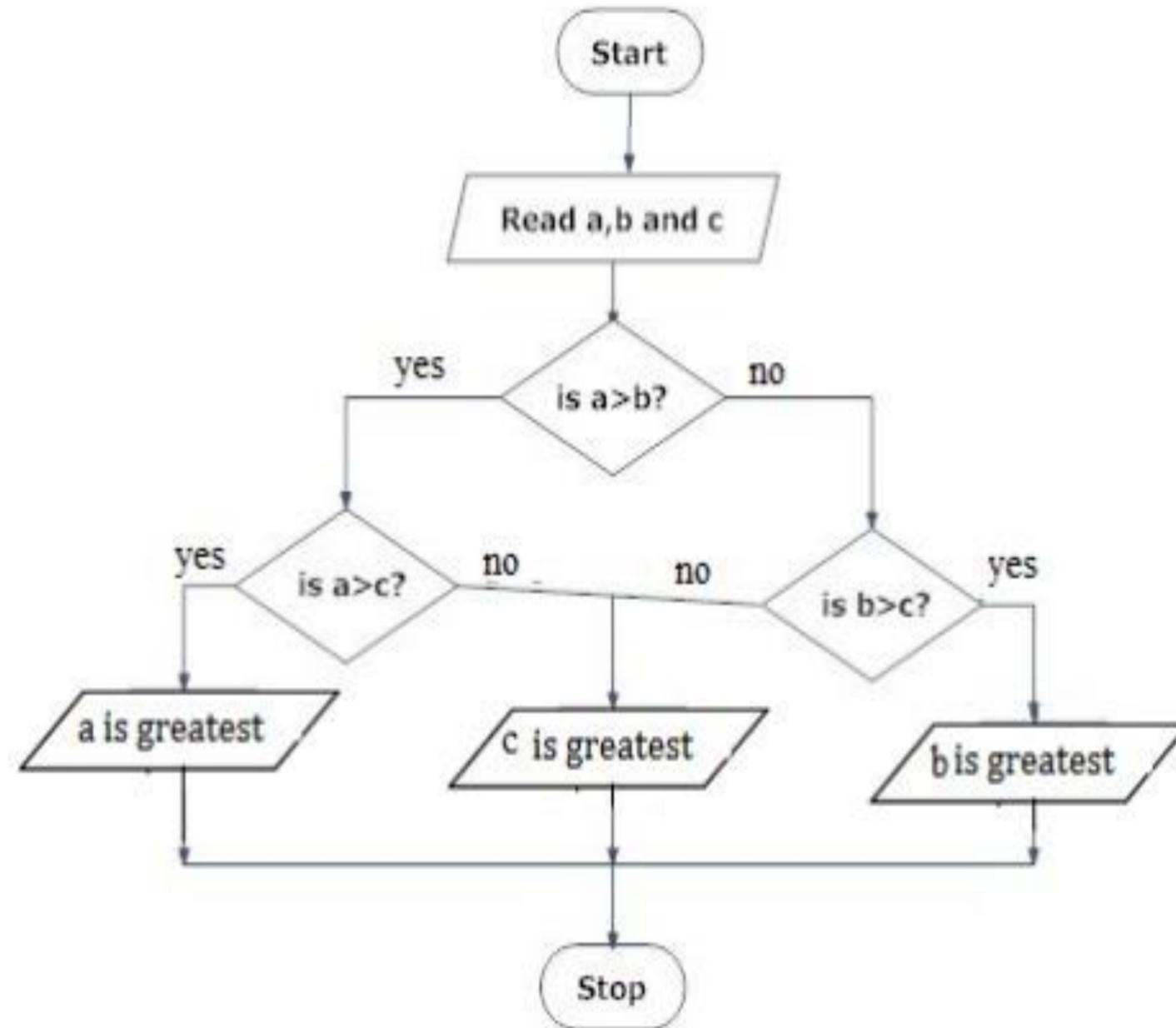




# TO CHECK GREATEST OF THREE NUMBERS

- Step 1: Start
- Step 2: Get A, B, C
- Step 3: if(A>B) goto Step4 else goto step5
- Step 4: If(A>C) print A else print C
- Step 5: If(B>C) print B else print C
- Step 6: Stop

- BEGIN
- READ a, b, c
- IF (a>b) THEN
- IF(a>c) THEN
- DISPLAY a is greater
- ELSE
- DISPLAY c is greater
- END IF
- ELSE
- IF(b>c) THEN
- DISPLAY b is greater
- ELSE
- DISPLAY c is greater
- END IF
- END

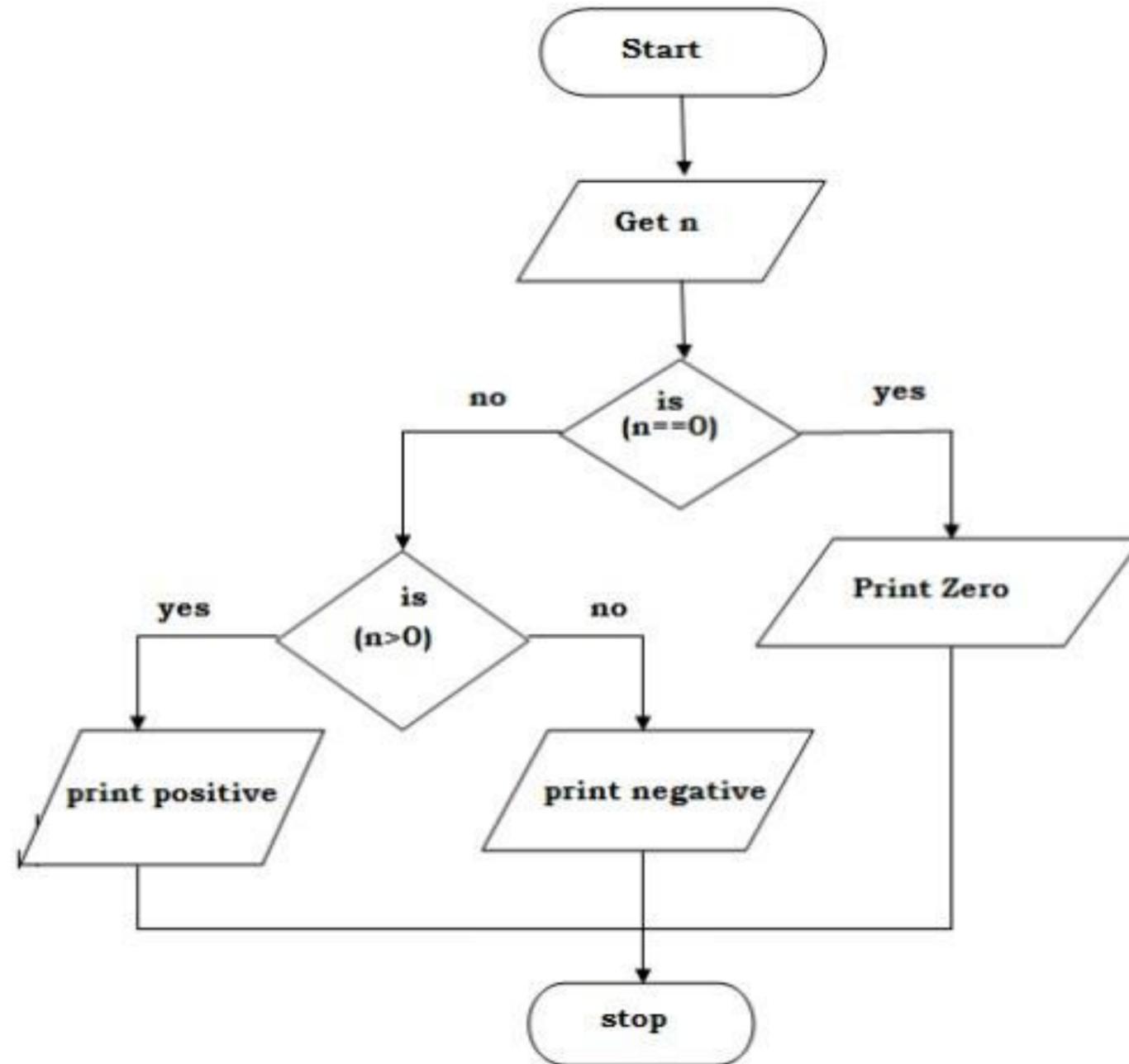




# CHECK WHETHER GIVEN NUMBER IS +VE, -VE OR ZERO.

- Step 1: Start
- Step 2: Get n value.
- Step 3: if (n ==0) print “Given number is Zero”  
Else goto step4
- Step 4: if (n > 0) then Print “Given number is +ve”
- Step 5: else Print “Given number is -ve”
- Step 6: Stop

- BEGIN
- GET n
- IF(n==0) THEN
- DISPLAY “ n is zero”
- ELSE
- IF(n>0) THEN
- DISPLAY “n is positive”
- ELSE
- DISPLAY “n is positive”
- END IF
- END IF
- END



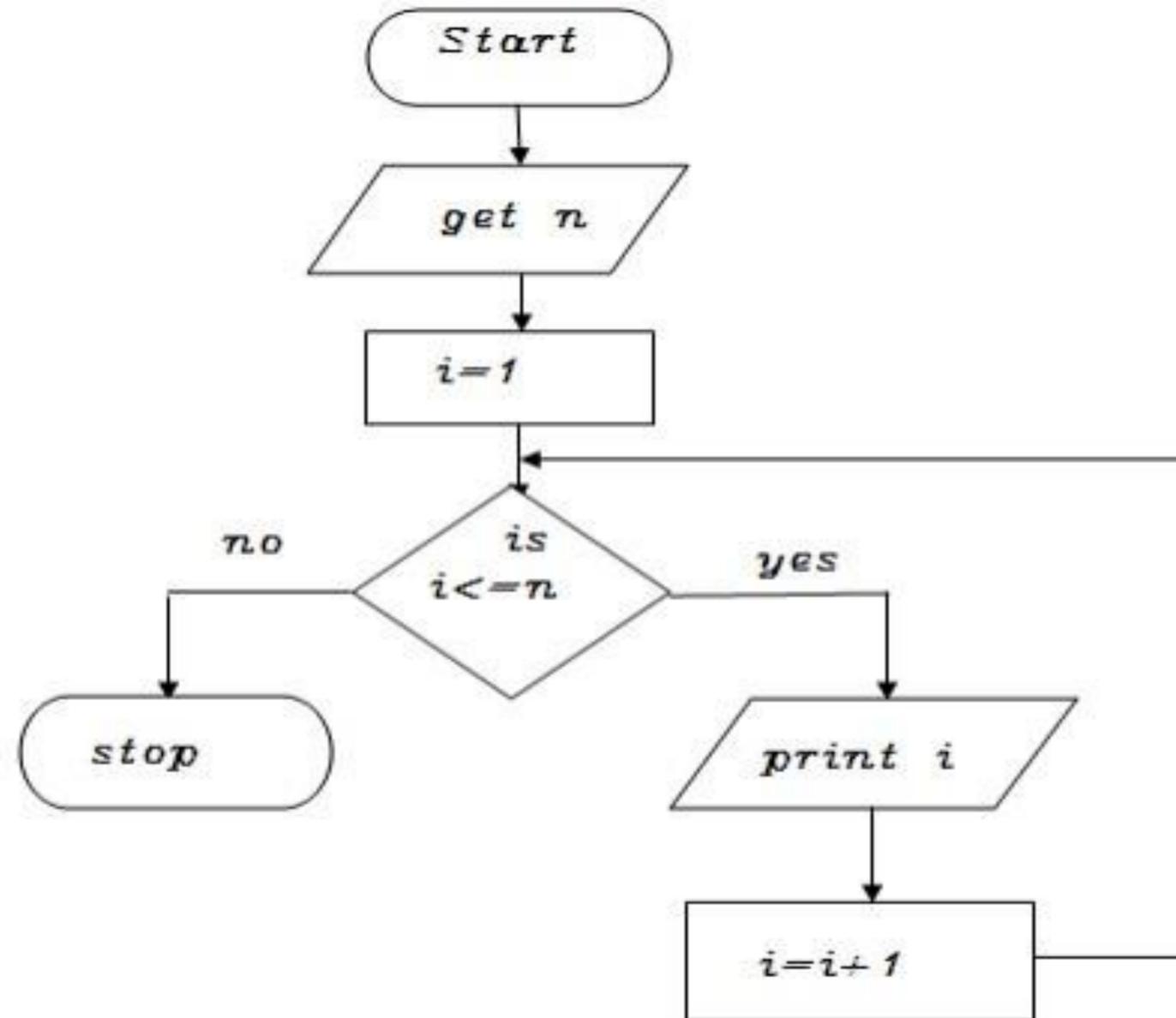


# TO PRINT N ODD NUMBERS



- Step 1: start
- step 2: get n value
- step 3: set initial value  $i=1$
- step 4: check if( $i \leq n$ ) goto step 5 else goto step 8
- step 5: print i value
- step 6: increment i value by 2
- step 7: goto step 4
- step 8: stop

- BEGIN
- GET n
- INITIALIZE  $i=1$
- WHILE( $i \leq n$ ) DO
- PRINT i
- $i=i+2$
- ENDWHILE
- END





# TO PRINT SQUARES OF A NUMBER

- step 1: start
- step 2: get n value
- step 3: set initial value  $i=1$
- step 4: check i value if( $i \leq n$ ) goto step 5 else goto step8
- step 5: print  $i*i$  value
- step 6: increment i value by 1
- step 7: goto step 4
- step 8: stop

- BEGIN
- GET n
- INITIALIZE  $i=1$
- WHILE( $i \leq n$ ) DO
- PRINT  $i*i$
- $i=i+1$
- ENDWHILE
- END

