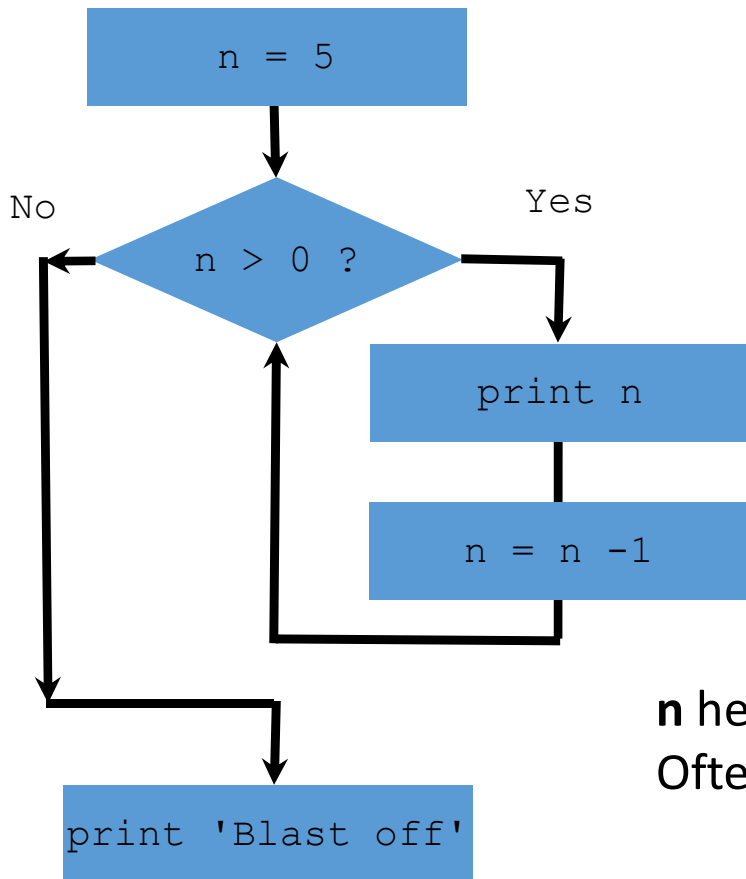


while loop example: 5 4 3 2 1 ... blast off



```
n = 5
while n > 0:
    print(n)
    n = n - 1
print("Blast off")
print(n)
```



n here is a control variable that changes in each iteration. Often it is used to control how many times a loop runs.