



# ZERO CONDITIONAL

CONDITIONALS

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# The Zero (0) Conditional

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- We use the *zero conditional* when we want to talk about facts or things that are generally true.
- There are two types of facts:
  - ❖ Facts that are true for everyone. (Herkes için geçerli olan gerçekler)  
**e.g.** If water reaches 100 °C, it boils.
  - ❖ Facts that are true for a specific person, group, family, etc.  
(Belli bir grup için geçerli olan gerçekler.)  
**e.g.** If I eat peanuts, I get sick.

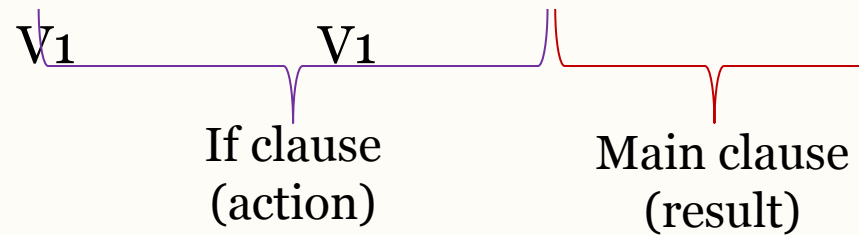
# Form of Zero Conditional (Yapıs1)

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- We can make a zero conditional sentence with two present simple verbs (one in the 'if clause' and one in the 'main clause').

If + present simple, .... present simple.

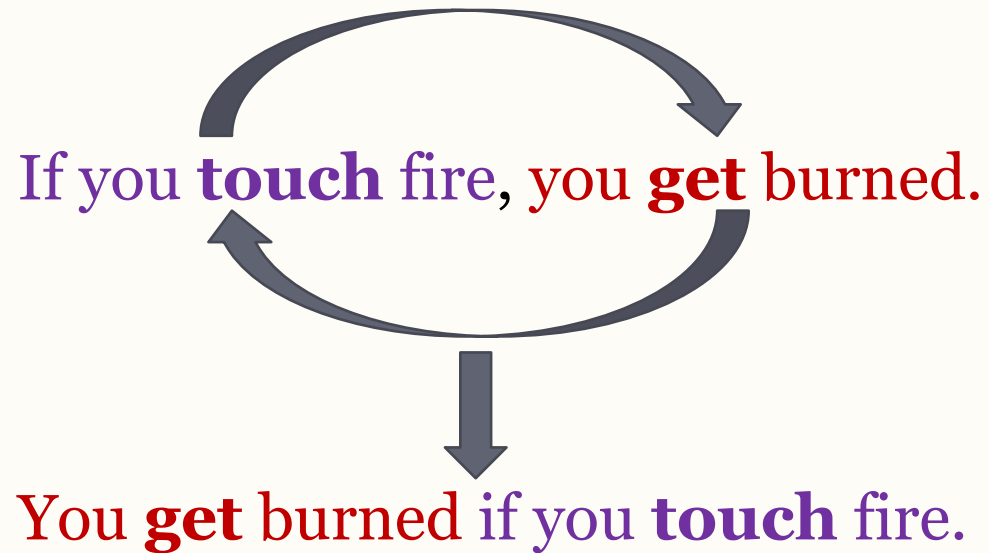
If you heat ice, it melts.



# Usages of the Zero Conditional (Kullanımı)

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- Usually, the if clause is the first part and the main clause is the second part of a sentence, but they can be written in the opposite as well.





# Using *when* instead of *if*

## If = When

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- In zero conditional, we can usually replace *if* with *when* if it doesn't change the meaning of the sentence.
- Genellikle *if* (*eğer*) yerine *when* kullanabiliriz eğer cümlenin anlamını değiştirmezse.

~~If~~ babies are hungry, they cry.

When babies are hungry, they cry.

**OR**

Babies cry ~~if~~ they are hungry.

Babies cry when they are hungry.



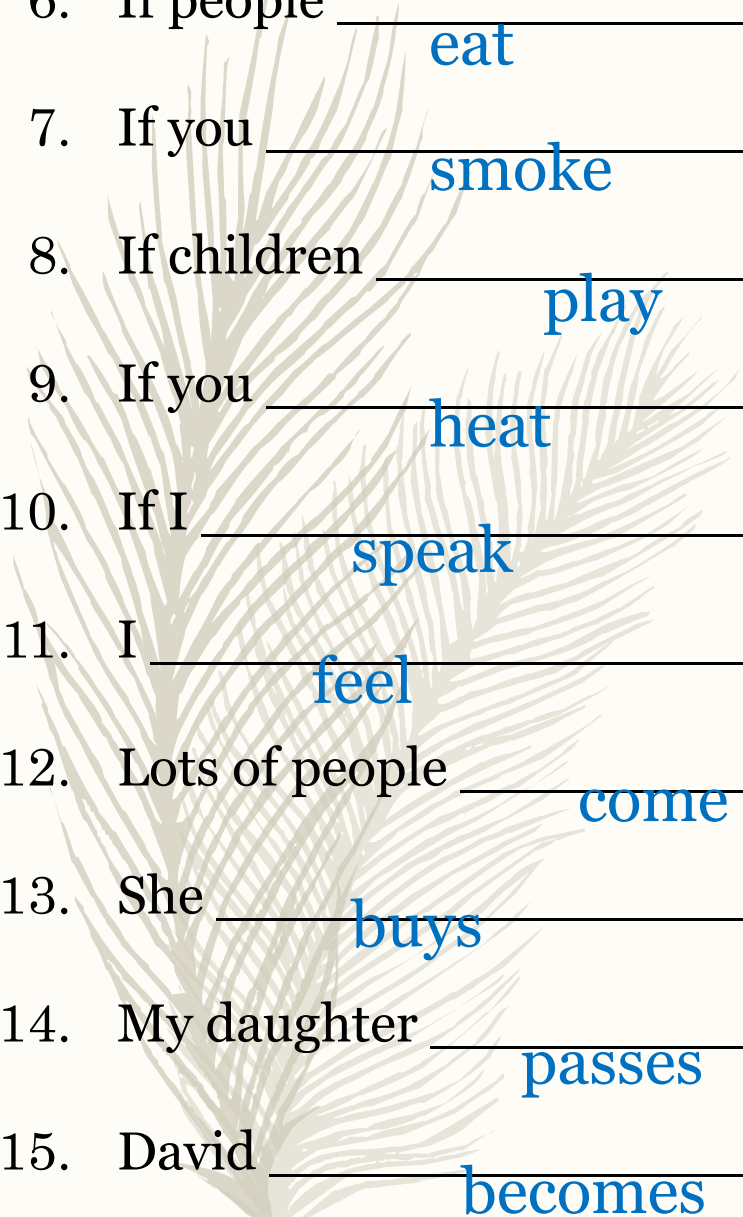
# Zero Conditional Exercises

Fill in the blanks with the correct form.

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1. If I wake up (wake up) late, I am (be) late for work.
2. If my husband cooks (cook) , he burns (burn) the food.
3. If Julie doesn't wear (not/wear) a hat, she gets (get) sunstroke.
4. If children don't eat (not/eat) well, they aren't (not/be) healthy.
5. If you mix (mix) water and electricity, you get (get) a shock.



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6. If people \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) too many sweets, they \_\_\_\_\_ (get) fat.  
eat get
7. If you \_\_\_\_\_ (smoke) , you \_\_\_\_\_ (get) yellow fingers.  
smoke get
8. If children \_\_\_\_\_ (play) outside, they \_\_\_\_\_ (not/get) overweight.  
play don't get
9. If you \_\_\_\_\_ (heat) ice, it \_\_\_\_\_ (melt).  
heat melts
10. If I \_\_\_\_\_ (speak) to John, he \_\_\_\_\_ (get) annoyed.  
speak gets
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ (feel) good the next day if I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to bed early.  
feel go
12. Lots of people \_\_\_\_\_ (come) if Jenny \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a party.  
come has
13. She \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) expensive clothes if she \_\_\_\_\_ (go) shopping.  
buys goes
14. My daughter \_\_\_\_\_ (pass) her exams if she \_\_\_\_\_ (work) hard.  
passes works
15. David \_\_\_\_\_ (become) sick if he \_\_\_\_\_ (drink) milk.  
becomes drinks