

# Instructor Solution

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## TEST, Exercise 2

```
if ~exist('____code____', 'var') ; clear ; end
format compact
more off
```

## EXERCISE DESCRIPTION:

Use a variable. Give it a value without printing out that value. Then print out the value.

## Hints

- Put a semicolon at the end of a line to prevent that line from printing the result. Use a double percent line immediately after it to show that indeed nothing was printed. Follow the double percent line by some mark-up comment to show that it is there.

## SOLUTION:

```
% compute and store, but don't print, the average grade
averageGrade=(45+90)/2;
```

Note that the result of the above statement, the current value of `averageGrade`, was *not* printed!

```
% only now print it  
averageGrade
```

```
averageGrade = 67.500
```