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Array of Object

Syntax:

```
Class_name obj[] = new Class_name[arr.length];
```

or

Class_name =

```
Class_name[] obj;
```

or

```
Class_name obj[];
```

E.g.

```
Product[] obj = new Product[5];
```

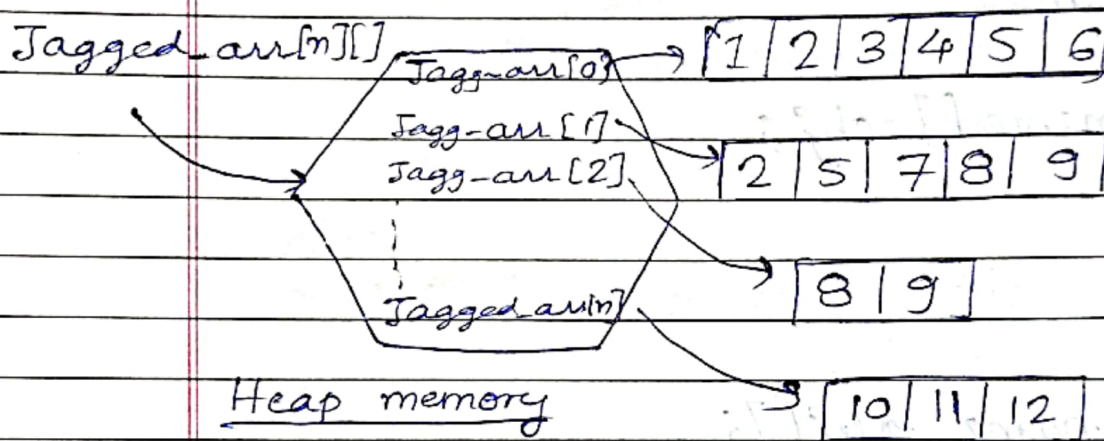
```
obj[0] = new Product(23907, "Dell Laptop");
```

```
obj[1] = new Product(91240, "HP G30");
```

JAGGED ARRAY

A jagged array is an array of arrays such that mem member can be of diff. sizes i.e. we can create a 2-D array but with variable no. of columns in each row

Pictorial representation



Declaration: (Syntax)

data type array name[i][j] =

new data_type [n][j];

// n = no. of rows

array_name[i] = new data_type [n1] // n1 =

// col. in row 1

array_name[j] = new data_type [n2]

// n2 = col. in row 2

.

:

array_name[i] = new data_type [nk]; ..

// nk = col. in row n

Alternative ways to Initialize

```
int arr[7][7] = new int [7][7]
```

```
new int[7] {10, 20, 30, 40},
```

```
" " " {50, 60, 70},
```

```
" " " {110, 120}
```

```
};
```

OR

```
int arr[7][7] = {
```

```
new int[7] {1, 2, 3, 4},
```

```
" " " {5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10},
```

```
" " " {11, 12}
```

```
};
```

or

OR

```
int arr[7][7] = {
```

```
{1, 2, 3, 4},
```

```
{5, 6, 7, 8, 9},
```

```
{11, 12}
```

```
};
```

WRAPPER CLASS



- Java treats objects differently from variables of primitive ~~obj~~ types.
- Sometimes we need to treat int, char, float values as Objects.
- Java provides wrapper class for each primitive type which wraps the value as an Object.

→ The following declaration creates an Integer object which is reference to an object with the Integer value 40.

```
Integer age = new Integer (40);
```

- An object of wrapper class is used in situations where primitive value won't suffice.
- For e.g. some objects serve as containers of other objects.
- Primitive values could not be stored in such containers, but wrapper objects could be.

→ Wrapper class may contain static methods that help manage the associated type. For e.g. ~~we can convert~~ the Integer class contains a method to convert digits stored in a String to an int value.

```
num = Integer.parseInt(str);
```


→ Wrapper class contains useful constants
For e.g.

Integer class contains MIN_VALUE
& MAX_VALUE

→ The java.lang package contains a wrapper class that corresponds to each primitive type

Boxing

→ Converting from primitive to wrapper class is called as Boxing.

```
Integer intObj = new Integer(575);
```

UnBoxing

→ Converting wrapper to primitive is called as unboxing

```
int i = intObj.intValue();
```

Auto boxing

Auto boxing is automatic conversion of a primitive value to a corresponding wrapper object.

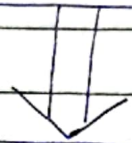
```
Integer obj;
```

```
int num = 42;
```

```
obj = num;
```

- The assignment creates the appropriate Integer object wrapping a value of 42.
- The reverse conversion (called unboxing) also occurs automatically as needed.

```
Integer intObj = new Integer(2);
```



Equivalent

```
Integer intObj = 2; // auto-boxing
```

class autobox

```
public class autobox {
```

```
    Integer iObj = 100; // auto-box an int
    int i = iObj; // auto-unbox
    System.out.println(i + " " + iObj);
}
```

o/p :

100 100

E.g. Code:

```
public class Main {
```

```
    public static void main (String[] args) {
```

```
        Integer myInt = 100;
```

```
        Double myDouble = 5.99;
```

```
        Character myChar = 'A';
```

```
        System.out.println(myInt.floatValue());
```

```
        System.out.println(myDouble.intValue());
```

```
        System.out.println(myChar.charAt(0));
```

```
    }
}
```



```
// cout(myChar.intValue()); // throws error
// cout(myInt.charValue());
```

```
String myString = myInt.toString();
cout(myString);
cout(myString.length);
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

o/p

100.0

5

A

100

3

type can be byte, int etc.

Methods

Description

→ typeValue()

Converts the value of the number object to the specified primitive data type returned

compareTo(arg)

Compares this numbr. object to the argument

equals(arg)

Determines whether this no. object is equal to the argument

valueOf()

Returns an Integer object holding value of specified primitive data type

`toString()`

Returns a string object representing the value of specified Integer type argument

`parseInt(arg)`

Returns a Integer type value of specified Integer type argument

`decode()`

decodes a string into an Integer

`min(arg, arg)`

Returns smaller value of comparison with the arguments

`round()`

Returns the closest ~~to~~ round of long or int value as per method return type.