

# Address

```
int a = 10;  
cout << a << endl ;  
cout << &a << endl ;
```

```
10  
0x61fe1c
```

```
int a[5] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};  
cout << a[0] << endl ;  
cout << a << endl ;  
cout << &a << endl ;  
cout << &a[0] << endl ;  
cout << &a[1] << endl ;  
cout << &a[2] << endl ;  
cout << &a[3] << endl ;
```

```
1  
0x61fe00  
0x61fe00  
0x61fe00  
0x61fe04  
0x61fe08  
0x61fe0c
```

# Pointer

`int a=2;` → variable

pointer name

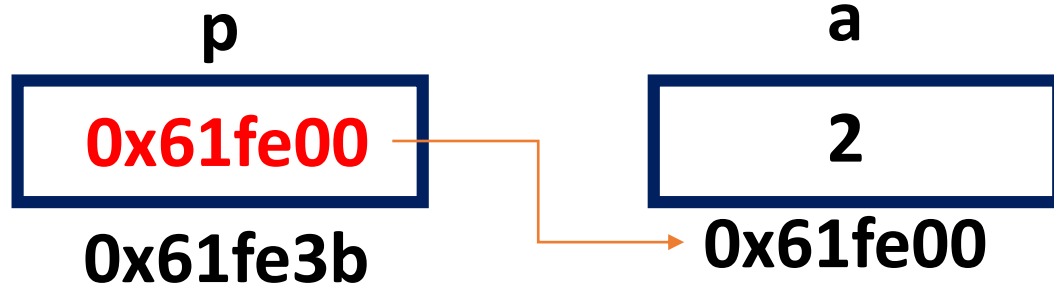
`int *p = &a;`

pointer type

address of the variable "a"

`cout << *p;`

content of the variable  
that "p" is pointing to



# Pointer Applications

- **Reduce the size of the program code**
- **Data Structures Implementation**
- **Dynamic Memory Allocation**
- **Increase Efficiency**

# Arrays Access using pointers

```
int a[5]={10,20,30,40,50};
```

```
int *p;
```

```
p=a;
```

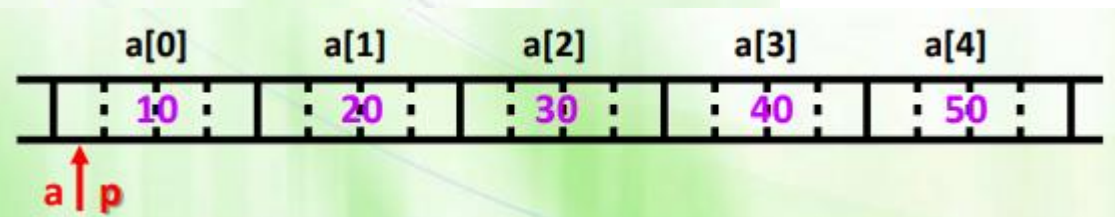
$a[0] \rightarrow *a \rightarrow *p \rightarrow 10$

$a[1] \rightarrow *(a+1) \rightarrow *(p+1) \rightarrow 20$

$a[2] \rightarrow *(a+2) \rightarrow *(p+2) \rightarrow 30$

$a[3] \rightarrow *(a+3) \rightarrow *(p+3) \rightarrow 40$

$a[4] \rightarrow *(a+4) \rightarrow *(p+4) \rightarrow 50$



# Dynamic Memory Allocation

```
pointer = new type;  
delete pointer;
```

مثال:

```
int *p = new int;  
delete p;
```

```
pointer = new type [array size];  
delete [] pointer;
```

مثال:

```
int *p = new int [20];  
delete [] p;
```