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Module - Embedded C Programming

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- multiplication, division & modulus is not allowed with pointers.
- only addition & subtraction is allowed
- Above two operations are performed in two different ways.

1. operand 1 is pointer & operand 2 is number
 - addition & subtraction both are allowed

$$\text{ptr} \pm n = \text{ptr} \pm n * \text{scale factor of ptr}$$

2. operand 1 & 2, both are pointers
 - only subtraction is allowed

$$\text{ptr1} - \text{ptr2} = (\text{ptr1} - \text{ptr2}) / \text{scale factor of ptr1}$$

- Array is collection of similar type of data in contiguous memory locations
- Every element of array has unique index starting from 0 to N-1

- Declaration :

```
int arr[5];
```

```
int arr[5] = { 11, 22, 33, 44, 55 };
```

← Array initializer list

```
int arr[5] = { 11, 22, 33 };
```

← partial initialization (remaining elements will be made 0)

```
int arr[] = { 11, 22, 33, 44, 55 };
```

← length of array will be inferred by looking at array initializer list

```
int arr[]; — error (not allowed)
```

| | | | | | |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| arr | 11 | 22 | 33 | 44 | 55 |
| | 100 | 104 | 108 | 112 | 116 |

- to access array elements, we need '[' ']' operator
subscript

arr[i] → ith index element

Array size = N * sizeof(datatype)

Where N - number of elements in array.

e.g.

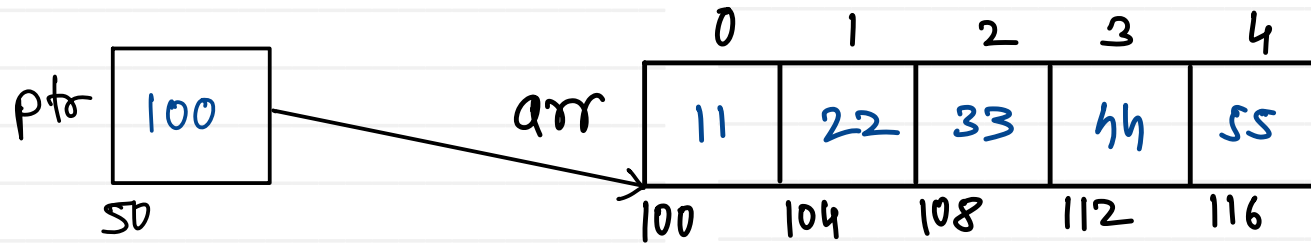
```
int arr[5];
```

sizeof(arr) = 5 * sizeof(int)
= 5 * 4
= 20 bytes

Pointer to array

```
int *ptr = arr;
```

```
int arr[5] = {11, 22, 33, 44, 55};
```



`arr` indicates base address of array

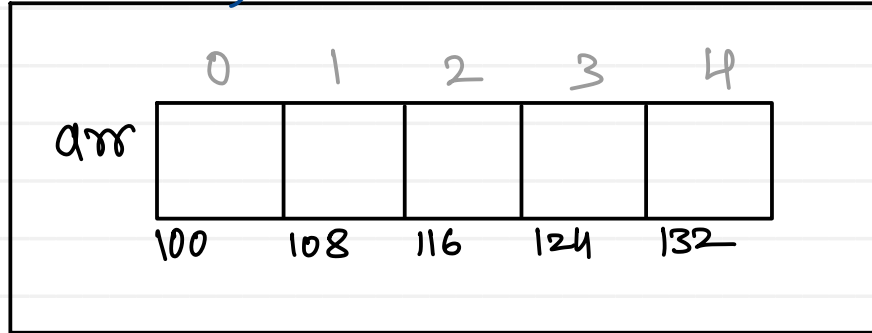
```
arr = 100  
ptr = 100
```

```
arr[i] == ptr[i]
```

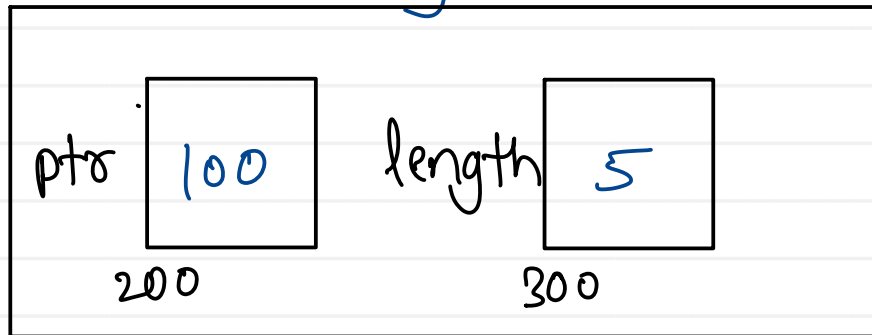
- Arrays are always passed to the function by address (starting address/base address)

Passing array to function

main()



accept_array(arr, 5)



pointers are used to pass array to the function efficiently.
(only base address is copied from actual to formal arg. instead copying of whole array).

scanf("%lf", &ptr[i]);

ptr = 100
ptr + 0 = 100
ptr + 1 = 108
ptr + 2 = 116

↓
~~&~~*(ptr + i)
↓
ptr + i

`int arr[5] = {11, 22, 33, 44, 55}`

| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| arr | 11 | 22 | 33 | 44 | 55 |
| | 100 | 104 | 108 | 112 | 116 |

`arr = 100`

`arr[0] = 11`

`arr[1] = 22`

`arr[4] = 55`

`arr + 0 = 100`

`arr + 1 = 104`

`arr + 4 = 116`

`arr[i] = *(arr + i)`

`arr[i] = *(arr + i)`

`*(i + arr) = i[arr]`

`farr[i] = f*(arr + i)`

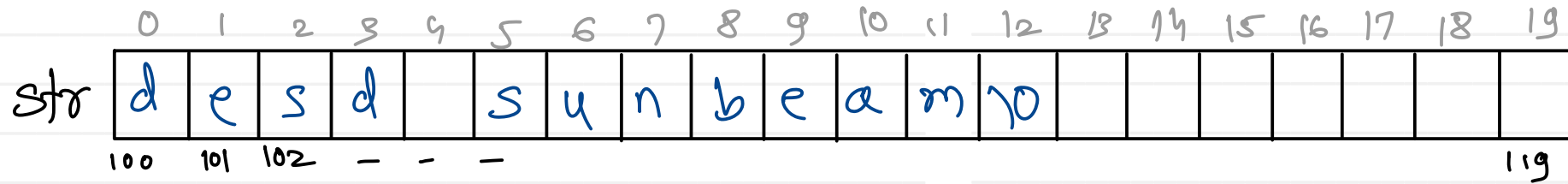
`*(arr + 0) = 11`

`*(arr + 1) = 22`

`*(arr + 4) = 55`

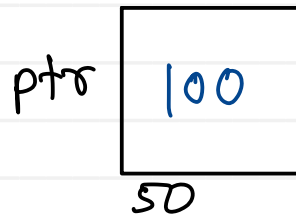
`*arr + 1 = 11 + 1 = 12`

`char str[20];`



str - base address of array (starting address)
(address of 0th index element)

`char *ptr = str;`



ptr = 100
 $\&ptr = 50$
 $*ptr = 'd'$

ptr + 1 = 101
 ptr + 3 = 103

$str[i] = *(str + i)$
 $ptr[i] = *(ptr + i)$

$*(ptr + i) \rightarrow$ ith index character

$ptr + i \rightarrow$ address of ith index character

str1[] = " ";
 str2[] = " ";

str1 = str2; - error
 str1 == str2 } - ?
 str1 != str2 }

```
char str[12] = "desd";
```

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| str | d | e | s | d | '\0' | | | | | | | |
| | 100 | 101 | 102 | 103 | 104 | 105 | 106 | 107 | 108 | 109 | 110 | 111 |

```
char str1[5] = "desd";
```

```
char str2[5] = "dmc";
```

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|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|------|-----|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| str1 | d | e | s | d | '\0' | str2 | d | m | c | '\0' | |
| | 100 | 101 | 102 | 103 | 104 | | 200 | 201 | 202 | 203 | 204 |

str1 == str2 100 == 200 ❌

str1 = str2 - error

string.h

1. strlen() - length of string
2. strcpy() - copy the string
3. strcat() - concat one string with other
4. strcmp() - compare two strings
5. strchr() - locate character in string
6. strstr() - locate substring in string
7. strtok() - tokenize the string
(split into multiple tokens)
8. strncpy() - copy first n characters
9. strncat() - concat first n characters
10. strncmp() - compare first n characters
11. strupper() - convert into uppercase
12. strlower() - convert into lowercase
13. strrev() - reverse the string


```
char str1[20] = "desd";
```

Handwritten annotations: A red arrow points from the variable 'str' to the array name 'str1'. A red 'i' is written above the closing quote of the string 'desd'.

```
{
    int len = 0;
    for(i = 0; str[i] != '\0'; i++)
        len++;
    return len;
}
```

```
char str1[] = "desd";
char str2[20];
```

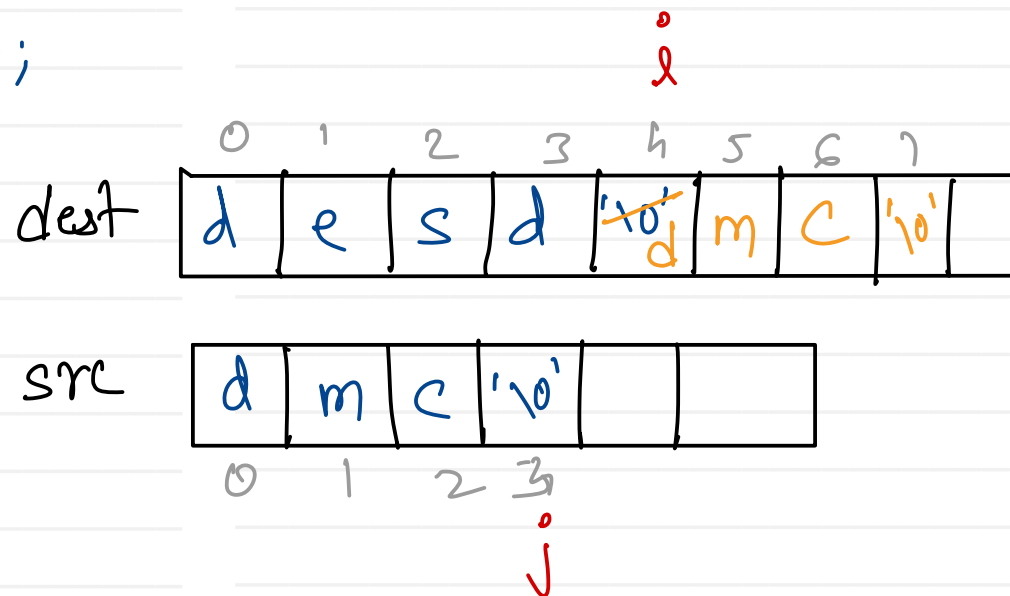
Handwritten annotations: A red 'i' is written above the closing quote of the string 'desd'. The text 'desd'\0' is written in red next to the second line.

```
char *_strcpy(char *dest, char *src)
{
    int i;
    for(i = 0; src[i] != '\0'; i++)
        dest[i] = src[i];
    dest[i] = '\0';
    return dest;
}
```

```

char *_strcat( char *dest, char *src)
{
    int i, j;
    for( i=0; dest[i] != '\0'; i++);
    for( j=0; src[j] != '\0'; j++)
        dest[i+j] = src[j];
    dest[i+j] = '\0';
    return dest;
}

```



str1 = "desd"
 ↑↑↑↑↑ return 0
 str2 = "desd"

str1 = "desd"
 ↑↑ return 'e' - 'm' = -8
 str2 = "dmc"

str1 = "dmc"
 ↑↑ return 'm' - 'e' = 8
 str2 = "desd"

```
int strcmp(char *s1, char *s2)
{
    int i;
    for(i=0; s1[i] != '\0'; i++)
    {
        if(s1[i] != s2[i])
            return s1[i] - s2[i];
    }
    return s1[i] - s2[i];
}
```

ⁱ
 s1 = d m c '\0'

s2 = d m '\0'

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s2 = d m c '\0'

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 s1 = d m c '\0'

s2 = d m c '\0'

strchr()

```
char * strchr (const char * s , int c);  
strchr(str, ch);
```

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| str | s | u | n | b | e | a | m | \0 | | | | | | | | |
| | 100 | 101 | 102 | 103 | 104 | 105 | 106 | 107 | 108 | 109 | 110 | 111 | 112 | 113 | 114 | 115 |

ch

| |
|---|
| b |
|---|

```
char * strchr (const char * s , int c) {  
    for(int i=0 ; s[i] != '\0' ; i++)  
    {  
        if (s[i] == c)  
            return s+i;  
    }  
    return NULL;  
}
```

strchr()

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strchr(str, ch);
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| | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| str | s | u | n | b | e | a | m | \0 | | | | | | | | |
| | 100 | 101 | 102 | 103 | 104 | 105 | 106 | 107 | 108 | 109 | 110 | 111 | 112 | 113 | 114 | 115 |

ch

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```
char* strchr(const char* s, int c) {  
    char* ptr = NULL;  
    for(int i=0; s[i] != '\0'; i++)  
    {  
        if(s[i] == c)  
            ptr = s + i;  
    }  
    return ptr;  
}
```

```
char * strstr(const char * string , const char * substring)
```

```
{
```

```
    size_t len = strlen(substring);
```

```
    for(int i=0; string[i] != '\0'; i++)
```

```
    {
```

```
        if(string[i] == substring[0])
```

```
        {
```

```
            if(strncmp(string+i, substring, len) == 0)
```

```
                return string + i;
```

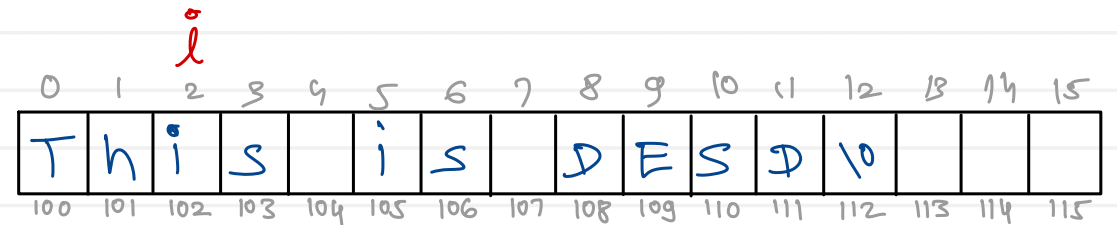
```
        }
```

```
    }
```

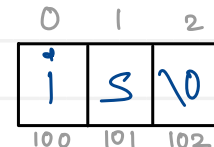
```
    return NULL;
```

```
}
```

string



substring



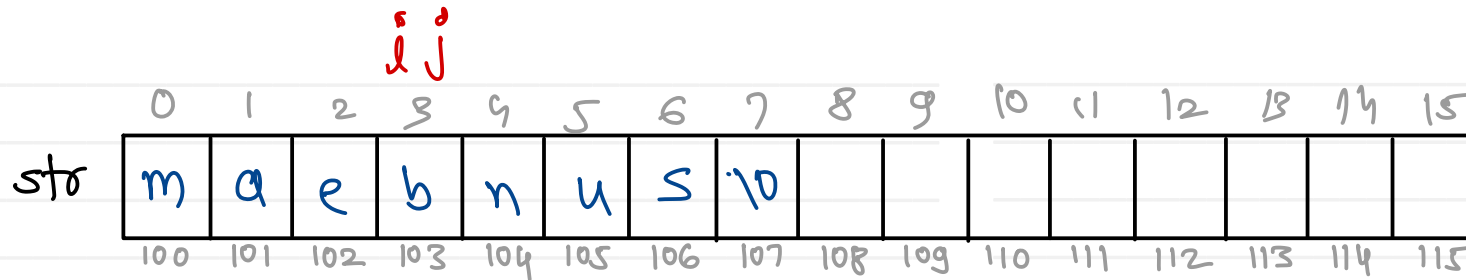
strupr() and strlwr()

Upper case letters 65 \rightarrow 90
Lower case letters 97 \rightarrow 122

```
char *strupr(char *s)
{
    for(int i=0; s[i] != '\0'; i++)
    {
        if( s[i] >= 97 && s[i] <= 122 )
            s[i] -= 32;
    }
    return s;
}
```

```
char *strlwr(char *s)
{
    for(int i=0; s[i] != '\0'; i++)
    {
        if( s[i] >= 65 && s[i] <= 90 )
            s[i] += 32;
    }
    return s;
}
```

strrev()



```

char * strrev ( char * s )
{
    int i = 0, j = strlen(s) - 1;
    while ( i < j )
    {
        char temp = s[i];
        s[i] = s[j];
        s[j] = temp;
        i++; j--;
    }
    return s;
}

```

```

char * strrev ( char * s )
{
    size_t len = strlen(s);
    char temp[len+1];
    int i = 0;
    for ( int j = len - 1; j >= 0; j-- )
        temp[i++] = s[j];
    temp[i] = '\0';
    for ( i = 0; temp[i] != '\0'; i++ )
        s[i] = temp[i];
    return s;
}

```

not efficient solⁿ in terms of time & space



Thank you!!!

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