Arrays in Fortran

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1. Fortran dimension

Creating arrays through dimension keyword:

```
real(8), dimension(100) :: x,y
```

One-dimensional arrays of size 100.

```
integer,dimension(10,20) :: iarr
```

Two-dimensional array of size 10×20 .

These arrays are statically defined, and only live inside their program unit (subroutine, function, module).

Dynamic allocation later.



2. 1-based Indexing

Array indexing in Fortran is 1-based by default:

```
integer,parameter :: N=8
real(4),dimension(N) :: x
do i=1,N
    ... x(i) ...
```

Different from C/C++.

Note the use of parameter: compile-time constant Size needs to be known to the compiler.



3. Lower bound

Unlike C++, Fortran can specify the lower bound explicitly:

```
real,dimension(-1:7) :: x
do i=-1,7
    ... x(i) ...
```

Preferred: use 1bound and ubound (see also ??)

```
Code:
1 real,dimension(-1:7) :: array
2 integer :: idx
3 !! ...
4 do
        idx=lbound(array,1),ubound(array,1)
5        array(idx) = 1+idx/10.
6        print *,array(idx)
7 end do
```

```
Output:

0.899999976
1.00000000
1.10000002
1.20000005
1.29999995
1.39999998
1.50000000
1.600000002
1.700000005
```

4. Array initialization

Different syntaxes:

• Explicit:

```
real,dimension(5) :: real5 = [ 1.1, 2.2, 3.3, 4.4, 5.5 ]
```

Implicit do-loop:

```
real5 = [ (1.01*i, i=1, size(real5,1)) ]
```

Legacy syntax

```
real5 = (/ 0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4, 0.5 /)
```

(This is pre-Fortran2003. Slashes were also used for some other deprecated constructs.)



5. Array notation

Fortran uses array notation for whole arrays and subarrays.

Copy whole array:

```
real*8, dimension(10) :: x,y
x = y
```

And much more.



6. Array sections example

Use the colon notation to indicate ranges:

```
real(4),dimension(4) :: y
real(4),dimension(5) :: x
x(1:4) = y
x(2:5) = x(1:4)
```



7. Array sections

- A(:) to get all indices,
- A(:n) to get indices up to n,
- A(n:) to get indices n and up.
- A(m:n) indices in range m, \ldots, n .



8. Use of sections

Assignment from one section to another:

```
Code:

1 real(8),dimension(5) :: x = &

2    [.1d0, .2d0, .3d0, .4d0, .5d0]
3 !! ...
4 x(2:5) = x(1:4)
5 print '(f5.3)',x

Output:

0.100
0.100
0.200
0.300
0.300
0.400
```

Note:

Format syntax will be discussed later: float number, 5 positions, 3 after decimal point.



Exercise 1

Code out the array assignment

$$x(2:5) = x(1:4)$$

with an explicit indexed loop. Do you get the same output? Why? What conclusion do you draw about internal mechanisms used in array sections?



9. Strided sections

```
X(a:b:c) : stride c
```

Analogous to: do i=a,b,c

Copy a contiguous array to a strided subset of another:

```
Output:
3
0
3
0
3
0
3
```



10. Index arrays

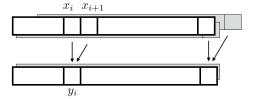
Indexed subset:

```
integer,dimension(4) :: i = [2,3,5,7]
real(4),dimension(10) :: x
print *,x(i)
```



Exercise 2

Code
$$\forall_i$$
: $y_i = (x_i + x_{i+1})/2$:



- First with a do loop; then
- in a single array assignment statement by using sections.

Initialize the array \boldsymbol{x} with values that allow you to check the correctness of your code.

Multi-dimensional arrays



11. Multi-dimension arrays

Declaration and use with parentheses and comma (compare a[i][j] in C++):

```
real(8),dimension(20,30) :: array
array(i,j) = 5./2
```



12. Reshaping array

Reshape: convert 2D array to 1D (or vv) between arrays with the same number of elements.

Example:

- initialize as 1D,
- reshape to 2D

```
Output:
```

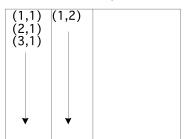
- 1.00000000 2.00000000
 - 3.00000000
 - 4.00000000



13. Array layout

Sometimes you have to take into account how a multi-D array is laid out in (linear) memory:

Fortran column major



Physical:

'First index varies quickest'



14. Array printing

Fill array by rows, printing is by column:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & \dots & N \\ N+1 & \dots & & & \\ & & \dots & & & \\ & & & & MN \end{pmatrix}$$

```
Code:

1 integer,parameter :: M=4,N=5
2 real(4),dimension(M,N) :: rect

3
4 do i=1,M
5 do j=1,N
6 rect(i,j) = count
7 count = count+1
8 end do
9 end do
10 print *,rect
```

```
Output:
   1.00000000
     6.00000000
     11.0000000
     16,0000000
     2,00000000
     7.00000000
     12,0000000
     17.0000000
     3.00000000
     8,00000000
     13.0000000
     18.0000000
```



15. Array sections in multi-D

```
real(8),dimension(10) :: a,b
a(1:9) = b(2:10)

or

logical,dimension(25,3) :: a
logical,dimension(25) :: b
a(:,2) = b
```

You can also use strides.



16. Query functions

- Bounds: 1bound, ubound
- size
- Can be used per dimension, or overall giving array of bounds/sizes.

```
Code:
1 integer,dimension(8) :: x
2 integer,dimension(5,3:7) :: y
3!! ...
4 print '("size x :",2i3)',size(x)
5 print '("size y :",2i3)',size(y)
6 print '("size y in
      2:",2i3)',size(y,2)
7 print '("lbound y
      :",2i3)',lbound(y)
8 print '("ubound y1
      :",2i3)',ubound(v,1)
```

```
Output:

size x : 8
size y : 25
size y in 2: 5
lbound y : 1 3
ubound y1 : 5
```



17. Pass array: subprogram

```
Note declaration as dimension(:)
actual size is queried
real(8) function arraysum(x)
  implicit none
  real(8), intent(in), dimension(:) :: x
  real(8) :: tmp
  integer i
  tmp = 0.
  do i=1,size(x)
     tmp = tmp + x(i)
  end do
  arraysum = tmp
```



end function arraysum

18. Pass array: main program

Passing array as one symbol:

```
Output:

Sum of one-based array:
55.000

Sum of zero-based array:
55.000
```



19. Array allocation

```
! static:
integer,parameter :: s=100
real(8), dimension(s) :: xs,ys
! dynamic
integer :: n
real(8), dimension(:), allocatable :: xd,yd
read *,n
allocate(xd(n), yd(n))
```

You can deallocate the array when you don't need the space anymore.



20. Array intrinsics

- Abs creates the matrix of pointwise absolute values.
- MaxLoc returns the index of the maximum element.
- MinLoc returns the index of the minimum element.
- MatMul returns the matrix product of two matrices.
- Dot_Product returns the dot product of two arrays.
- Transpose returns the transpose of a matrix.
- Cshift rotates elements through an array.



21. Multi-dimensional intrinsics

- Functions such as Sum operate on a whole array by default.
- To restrict such a function to one subdimension add a keyword parameter DIM:

```
s = Sum(A, DIM=1)
```

where the keyword is optional.

• Likewise, the operation can be restricted to a MASK:

```
s = Sum(A, MASK=B)
```



22. Row and column sums

```
Code:

1 ! Summing in I and J
2 sums = Sum( A,dim=1 )
3 print *, "Row sums:"
4 print 10,sums
5
6 sums = Sum( A,dim=2 )
7 print *, "Column sums:"
8 print 10,sums
9 10 format( 4(i3,1x) )
```

```
Output:

Matrix:

0 1 2 3
4 5 6 7
8 9 10 11
12 13 14 15
Row sums:
6 22 38 54
Column sums:
24 28 32 36
```



Exercise 3

The 1-norm of a matrix is defined as the maximum of all sums of absolute values in any column:

$$||A||_1 = \max_j \sum_i |A_{ij}|$$

while the infinity-norm is defined as the maximum row sum:

$$||A||_{\infty} = \max_{i} \sum_{i} |A_{ij}|$$

Compute these norms using array functions as much as possible, that is, try to avoid using loops.

For bonus points, write Fortran Functions that compute these norms.



Optional exercise 4

Compare implementations of the matrix-matrix product.

- 1. Write the regular i,j,k implementation, and store it as reference.
- 2. Use the DOT_PRODUCT function, which eliminates the k index. How does the timing change? Print the maximum absolute distance between this and the reference result.
- 3. Use the MATMUL function. Same questions.
- 4. Bonus question: investigate the j,k,i and i,k,j variants. Write them both with array sections and individual array elements. Is there a difference in timing?

Does the optimization level make a difference in timing?



Timer routines

```
integer :: clockrate,clock_start,clock_end
call system_clock(count_rate=clockrate)
!! ...
call system_clock(clock_start)
!! ...
call system_clock(clock_end)
print *,"time:",(clock_end-clock_start)/REAL(clockrate)
```



23. Masked operations

```
where ( A<0 ) B = 0
Full form:
WHERE ( logical argument )
   sequence of array statements
ELSEWHERE
   sequence of array statements
END WHERE</pre>
```



24. Do concurrent

The do concurrent is a true do-loop. With the concurrent keyword the user specifies that the iterations of a loop are independent, and can therefore possibly be done in parallel:

```
do concurrent (i=1:n)
    a(i) = b(i)
    c(i) = d(i+1)
end do

(Do not use for all)
```

