

CS & IT ENGINEERING



C Programming
Arrays and Pointers
Lec - 04



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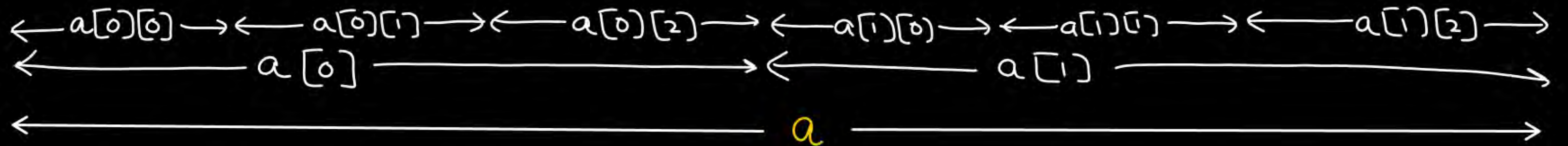
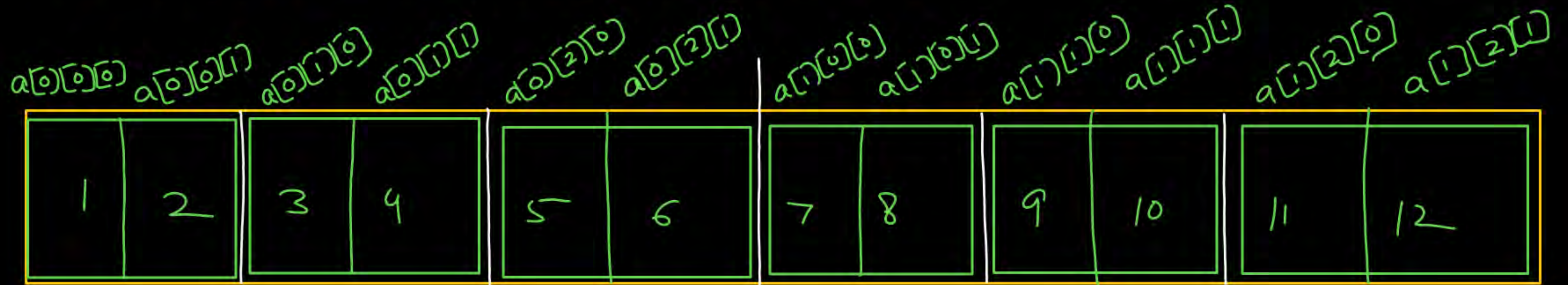


TOPICS TO
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Arrays and Pointers (Part- 04)

`int a[2][3][2] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12};`



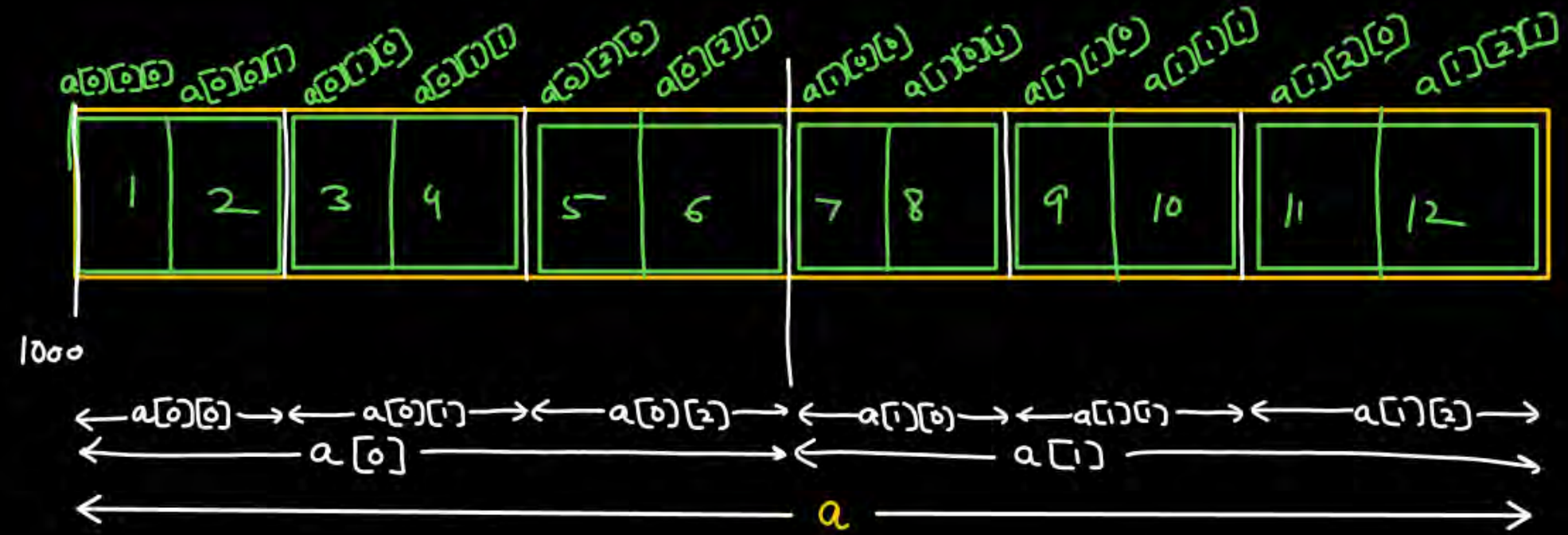
a : array $a[0], a[1]$
 $a[0]$: array $a[0][0], a[0][1], a[0][2]$
 $a[0][0]$: array $a[0][0][0], a[0][0][1]$

`int a[2][3][2] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12};`

`printf("%d", a);`
`printf("%d", a[0]);`
`printf("%d", a[0][0]);`
`printf("%d", &a);`
`printf("%d", a[0][0][0]);`

1000

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int a[2][3][2] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12};

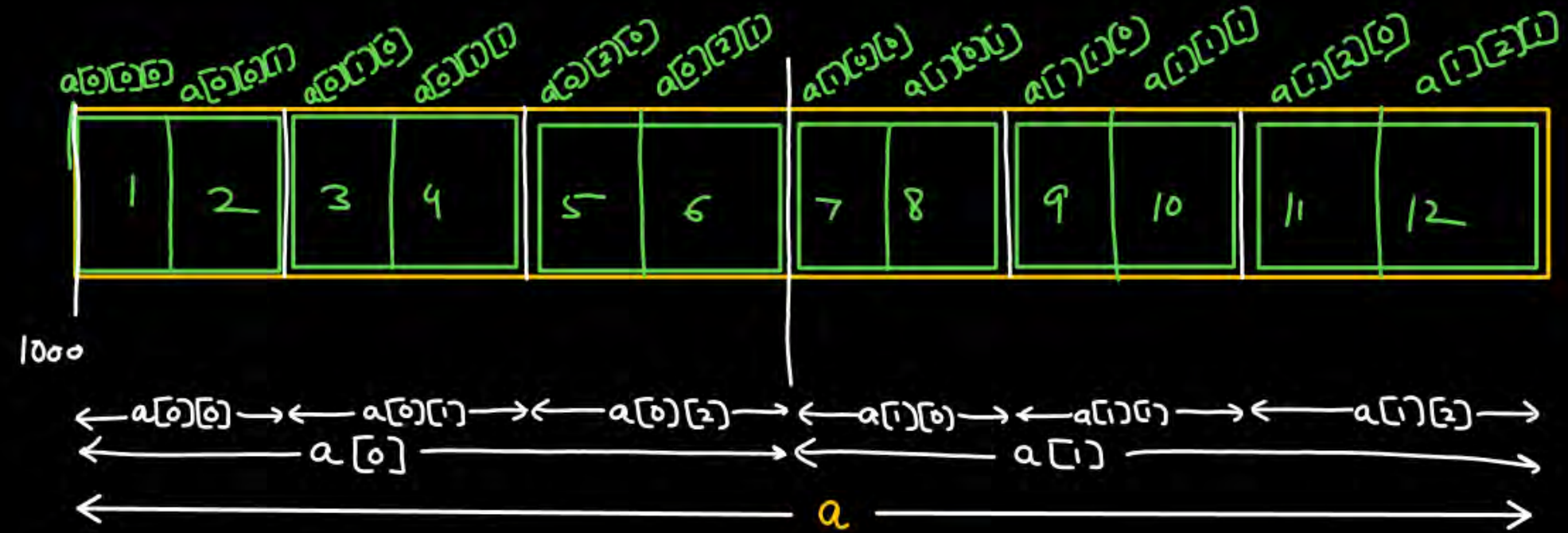
Size of int = 4 byte

printf("/d", a+1);

printf("/d", a[0]+1);

printf("/d", a[0][0]+1);

printf("/d", &a+1);



$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(i)} \quad a+1 &= \underbrace{\&a[0]}_{24 \text{ byte}} + 1 \\
 &= \&a[0] + 1 \times 24 \\
 &= 1024
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(ii)} \quad a[0]+1 &= \underbrace{\&a[0][0]}_{8 \text{ byte}} + 1 \\
 &= \&a[0][0] + 1 \times 8 \\
 &= 1008
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iii)} \quad a[0][0]+1 &= \underbrace{\&a[0][0][0]}_{4 \text{ byte}} + 1 \\
 &= 1000 + 1 \times 4 \\
 &= 1004
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{iv)} \quad \&a+1 &= \&a + 1 \times 48 \\
 &= 1000 + 48 \\
 &= 1048
 \end{aligned}$$

Q) $\text{int } a[3][2][3] = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18\};$ { st \rightarrow 1000
int 4 byte
5 min }

(i) a
(ii) $a[0]$
(iii) $a[0][0]$
(iv) $\&a$

1000

x i) $*a$

x ii) $**a$

x iii) $***a$

(v) $a[0][0][0] + 1$

x iv) $*a + 1$

vi) $a + 1$

x v) $**a + 1$

vii) $a[0] + 1$

x vi) $***a + 1$

viii) $a[0][0] + 1$

x vii) $*a[0] + 1$

ix) $\&a + 1$

x viii) $**a[0] + 1$

x) $a[0][0][0] + 1$

Q) $\text{int } a[3][2][3] = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18\};$
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{st} \rightarrow 1000 \\ \text{int} \rightarrow 4 \text{ byte} \\ 5 \text{ min} \end{array} \right\}$

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|--|--|
| <p>(i) a</p> <p>(ii) $a[0]$</p> <p>(iii) $a[0][0]$</p> <p>(iv) $\&a$</p> <p>(v) $a[0][0][0] \quad 1$</p> <p>(vi) $a+1$</p> <p>(vii) $a[0]+1$</p> <p>(viii) $a[0][0]+1$</p> <p>(ix) $\&a+1$</p> <p>(x) $a[0][0][0]+1$</p> | <p>(xi) $*a$</p> <p>(xii) $**a$</p> <p>(xiii) $***a$</p> <p>(xiv) $*a+1$</p> <p>(xv) $**a+1$</p> <p>(xvi) $***a+1$</p> <p>(xvii) $*a[0]+1$</p> <p>(xviii) $**a[0]+1$</p> <p>(xix) $\&a+1$</p> <p>(xx) $a[0][0][0]+1$</p> |
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$$\text{vi) } a+1 \Rightarrow \underbrace{\&a[0]}_{24 \text{ byte}} + 1 = \&a[0] + 1 \times 24 = 1000 + 24 = 1024$$

$$\text{vii) } a[0]+1 \Rightarrow \underbrace{\&a[0][0]}_{12 \text{ byte}} + 1 = \&a[0][0] + 1 \times 12 = 1012$$

$$\text{viii) } a[0][0]+1 \Rightarrow \underbrace{\&a[0][0][0]}_{4 \text{ bytes}} + 1 = \&a[0][0][0] + 1 \times 4 = 1004$$

$$\text{ix) } \underbrace{\&a}_{72 \text{ bytes}} + 1 \Rightarrow \&a + 1 \times 72 = 1072$$

$$\text{x) } a[0][0][0]+1 = 1+1 = 2$$

Q) $\text{int } a[3][2][3] = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18\};$ st \rightarrow 1000
int 4 byte
5 min

x) $*a \rightarrow \cancel{*}a[0] \Rightarrow a[0] \Rightarrow \&a[0][0] \Rightarrow 1000$

xi) $**a \rightarrow *(\&a[0][0]) \Rightarrow \cancel{*} \&a[0][0] \Rightarrow a[0][0] \Rightarrow \&a[0][0][0] \Rightarrow 1000$

xii) $***a \rightarrow *(*a) = *(\&a[0][0][0]) \Rightarrow \cancel{*} \&a[0][0][0] = a[0][0][0] = 1$

xiii) $*a+1 \rightarrow \underbrace{\&a[0][0]}_{12 \text{ byte}} + 1 \Rightarrow \&a[0][0] + 1 \times 12 = 1012$

xiv) $**a+1$

xv) $\boxed{***a}+1 \rightarrow \underbrace{\&a[0][0][0]}_{4 \text{ bytes}} + 1 = \&a[0][0][0] + 1 \times 4 = 1004$

xvi) $*a[0]+1$

xvii) $**a[0]+1$

$1+1 = \boxed{2}$ ✓

\downarrow
 $\rightarrow (*a[0]) + 1$

$= *(\&a[0][0][0]) + 1$

$= \cancel{*} \&a[0][0][0] + 1 = a[0][0][0] + 1$
 $= 1 + 1 = 2$

$= \underbrace{\&a[0][0][0]}_{4 \text{ byte}} + 1$

$= \&a[0][0][0] + 1 \times 4$
 $= \boxed{1004}$

Q) $\text{int } a[3][2][3] = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18\};$ st \rightarrow 1000
int \rightarrow 4 byte
5 min

$$**a[0] + 1$$

$$(i) a[0] \Rightarrow \&a[0][0]$$

$$(ii) *a[0] \Rightarrow \cancel{* \&a[0][0]}$$

$$*a[0] = a[0][0]$$

$$(iii) a[0][0] \begin{cases} \nearrow \text{add} \checkmark \\ \searrow \text{dele} \times \end{cases}$$

$$*a[0] = a[0][0] = \&a[0][0][0]$$

$$*a[0] = \&a[0][0][0]$$

$$**a[0] = \&a[0][0][0]$$

$$**a[0] = \cancel{* \&a[0][0][0]}$$

$$= a[0][0][0]$$

$$**a[0] = 1$$

$$**a[0] + 1 = 1 + 1 = 2$$

Declaration & Initialization


 `int a[];` Invalid

`int a[] = {10, 20, 30};` ✓

`int a[10];`

`int a[4] = {1, 2, 3, 4};`

- ① If we are declaring an array without initialization, then it is mandatory (compulsory) to provide the size of each dimension, otherwise error would be there.

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- 1) int a[]; Invalid
 - 2) int a[2]; ✓
 - 3) int a[][]; X
 - 4) int a[][3]; X
 - 5) int a[2][3]; ✓
 - 6) int a[][][]; X
 - 7) int a[10][][]; X
 - 8) int a[2][3][]; X
 - 9) int a[2][3][2]; ✓

② In case we are initializing an array, then we have the flexibility that we can omit 1st dimension size

but no other dimension is having such flexibility.

(i) `int a[] = {10, 20};` ✓

(ii) `int a[][3] = {1, 2, 3, 4};` ✓

(iii) `int a[2][] = {1, 2, 3, 4};` ✗

(iv) `int a[][] = {1, 2, 3, 4};` ✗

flexibility $\frac{0}{1}$ 1st dim. को लिए है।

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but no other dimension is having such flexibility.

अगर हम array की initialization कर रहे हैं तो 1st dim का

(ii) `int a[][3] = {1, 2, 3, 4};` ✓

size नहीं जी देता तो

Compiler हमें Tiger मर्झिया
की तरह ud ke laat नहीं
माँरेगा।

`int a[][3] = {1, 2, 3, 4};`

$$x \times 3 = 4$$

$$x = \frac{4}{3} = \lceil 1.33 \rceil = 2$$

for compiler

`int a[2][3] = {1, 2, 3, 4},`

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|

Pointers

A pointer variable is a special variable that is used to hold the address of other variable.

int a; simple variable
Special variable
int *p;

`int x;`



`float y`



`int (*p);`



Pointer to
int
`int *p;`
is a



P is a pointer to integer.

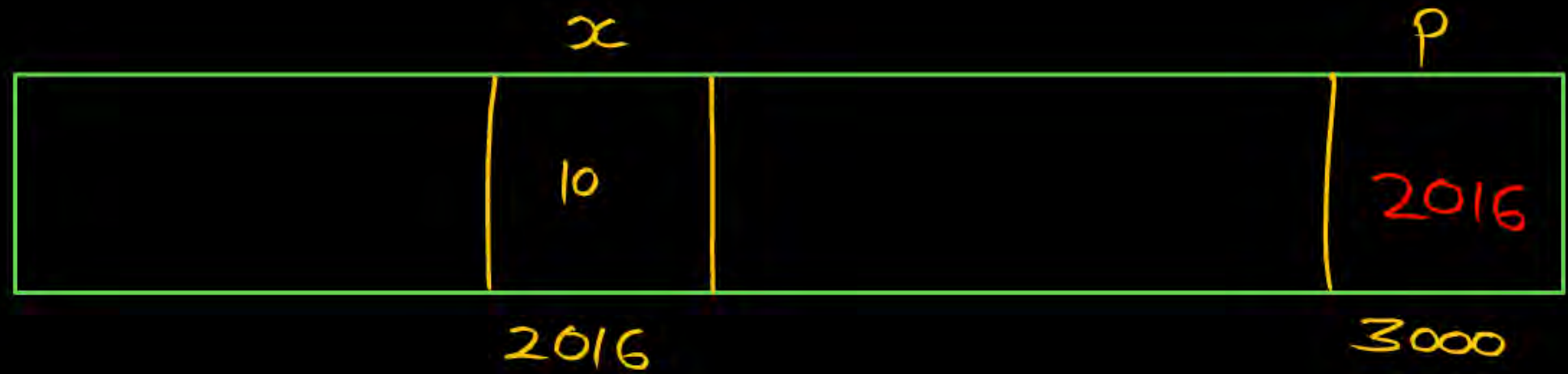
P can store address of some integer variable.

int x = 10;

int *p; p at 34562

⇒ address
of
any integer
variable

$p = \&x;$



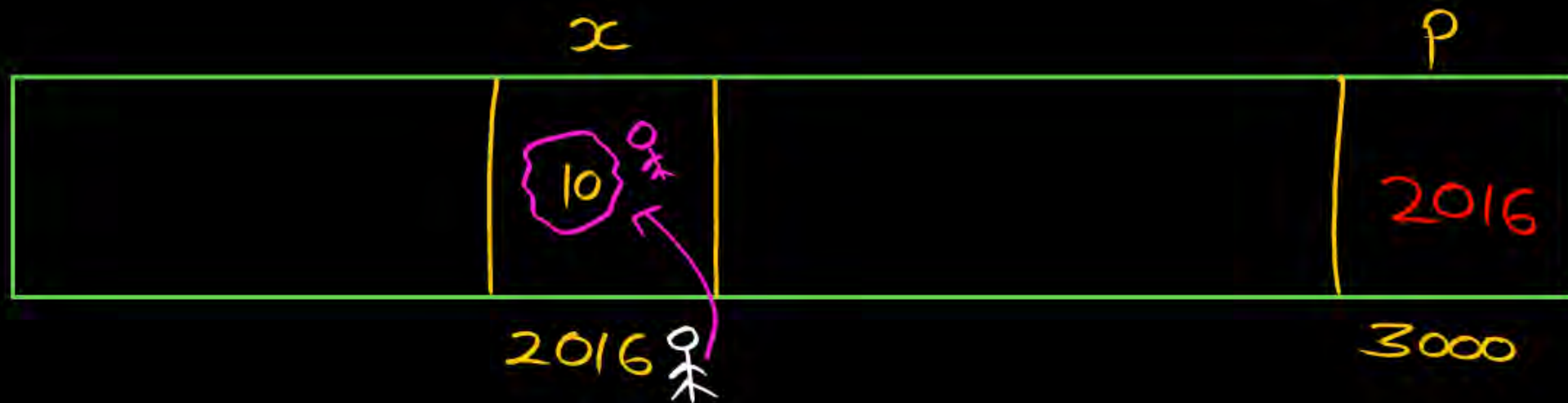
$x \Rightarrow 10$

$P \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \text{Memory location} \\ 2016 \end{pmatrix}$

$*P \Rightarrow \text{value at } \begin{pmatrix} \text{Memory location} \\ 2016 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow 10$

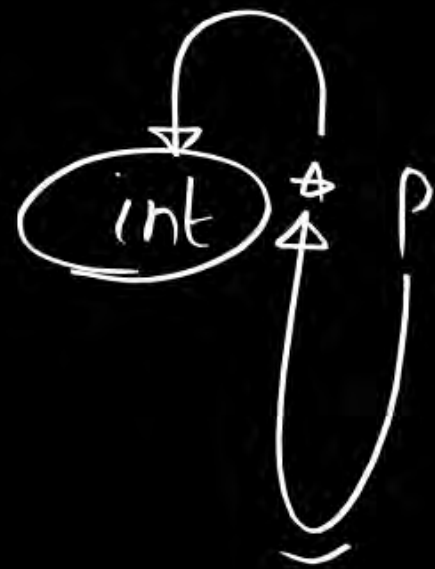
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printf("/d", &x);  
printf("/d", p);  
printf("/d", *p);
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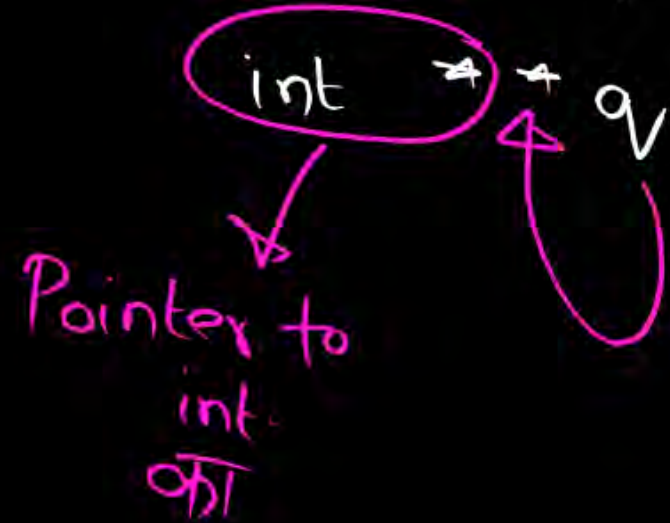
```
int x = 10;  
int *p;  
p = &x
```

Diagram: A circle containing 'p' with an arrow pointing to the text 'int.' below it.



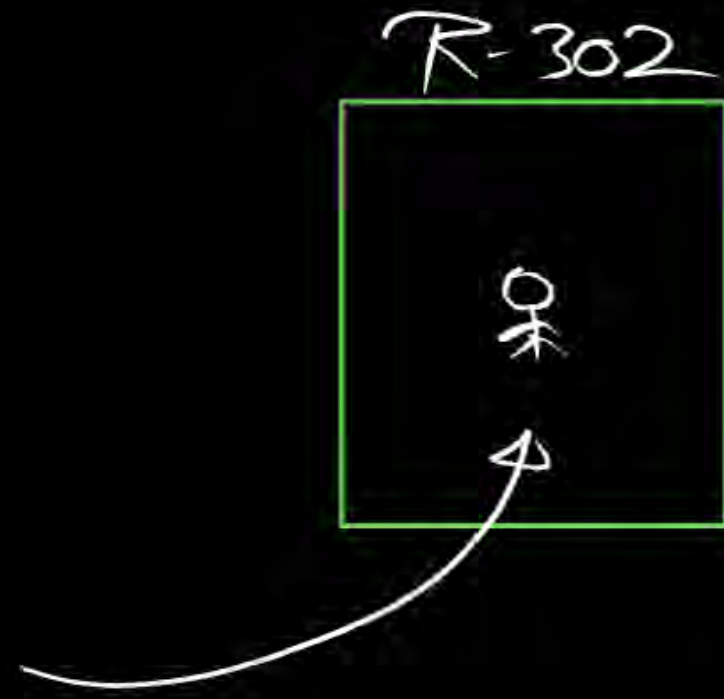
```
int x;
```

```
int *p;
```



int a;

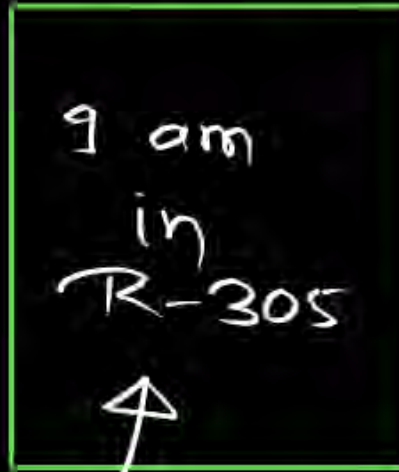
offline




```
int x;
```

```
int *p;
```

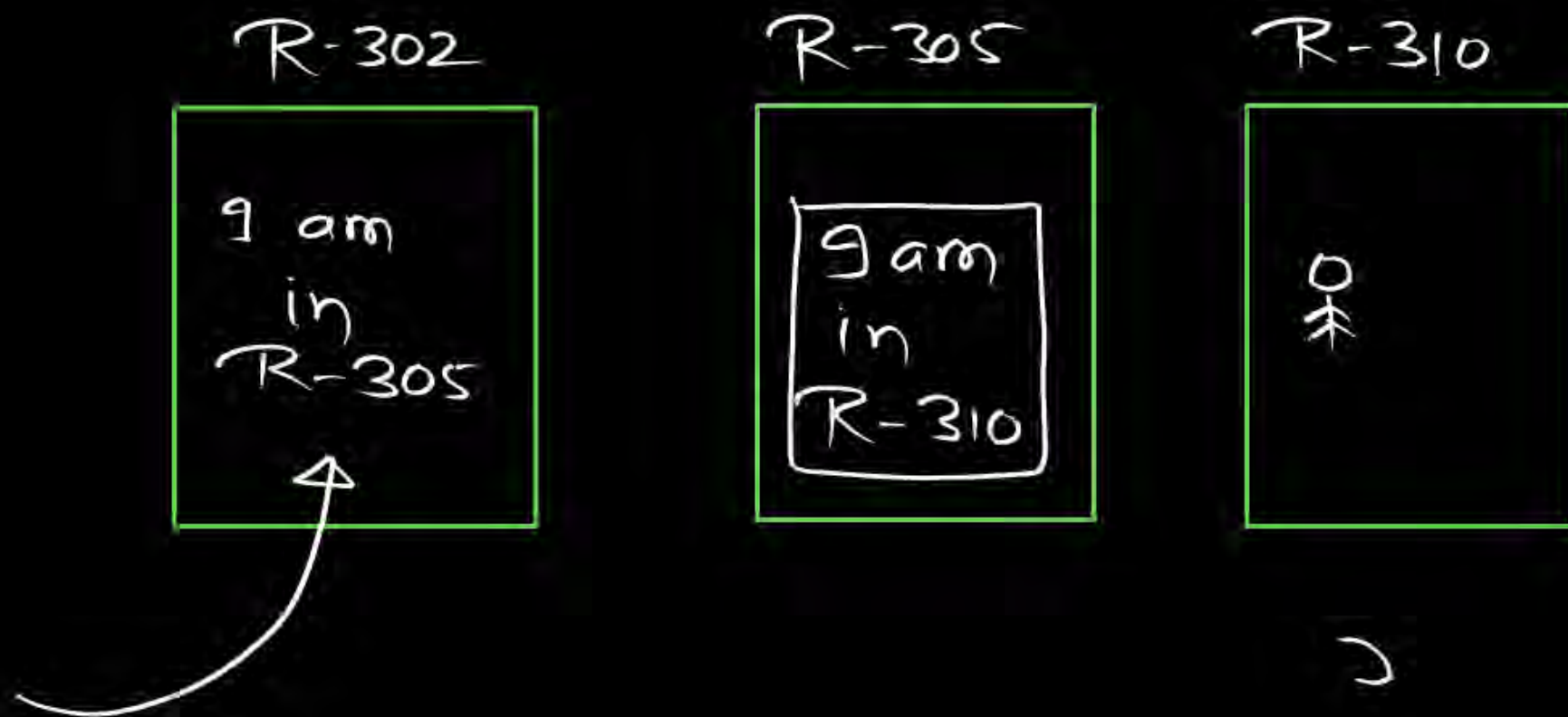
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```
int x;  
int *p;  
int **q;
```



int x;

int *p;

int **q;

q = &x;

q = &p;

logically incorrect

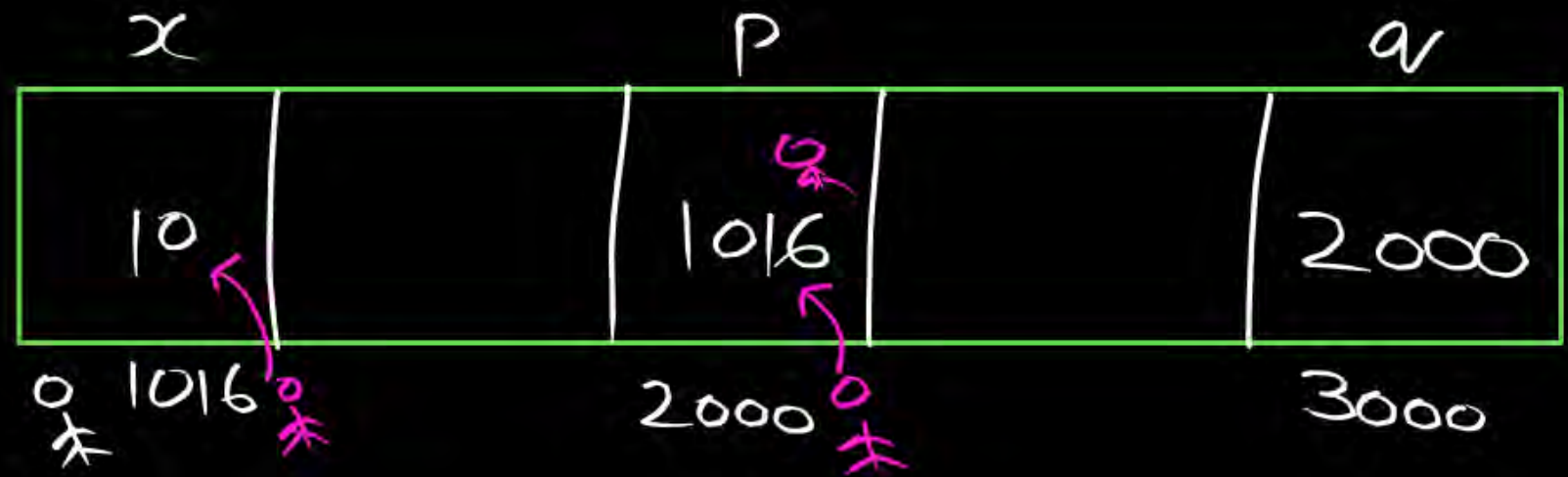
int x = 10;

int *p;

int **q;

p = &x; ✓

q = &p; ✓



Mem. loc.
p = 1016
*p = value at (Mem. loc. 1016)
= 10

q ⇒ Mem. loc. 2000

*q ⇒ value at (Mem. loc. 2000)

*q = Mem. loc. 1016

**q = value at (Mem. loc. 1016) = 10

printf("%d", x); 10
printf("%d", p); ⇒ 1016
printf("%d", *p); ⇒ 10
printf("%d", q); ⇒ 2000
printf("%d", *q); ⇒ 1016
printf("%d", **q); ⇒ 10

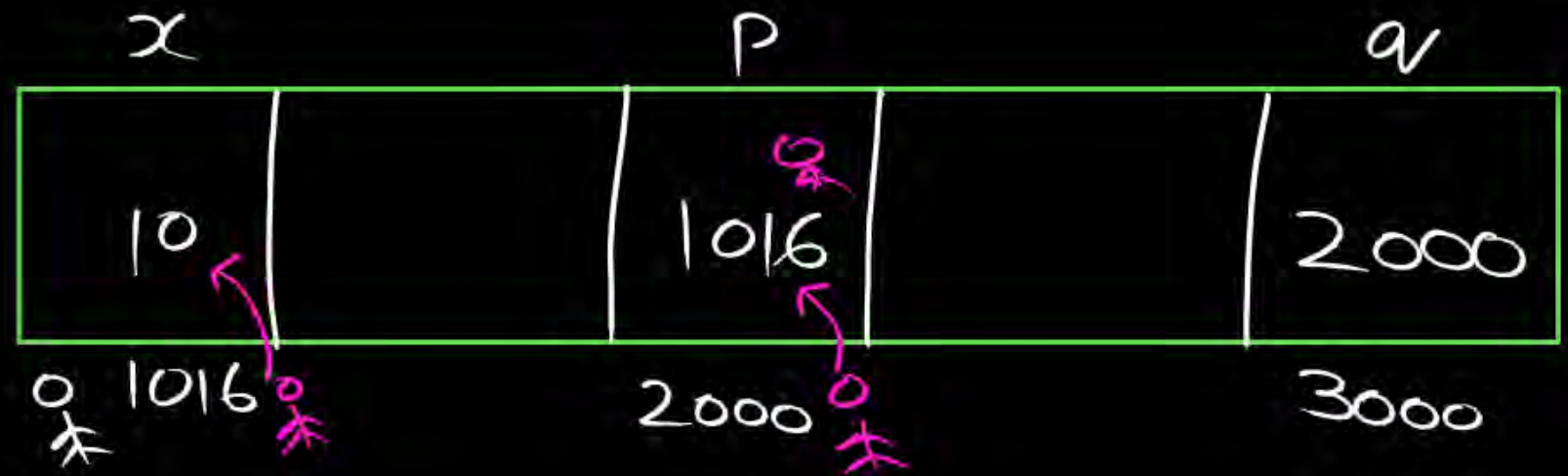
int x = 10;

int *p;

int **q;

p = &x; ✓

q = &p; ✓



p = &x

*p = ~~&x~~; \Rightarrow *p = x

q = &p

*q = ~~&p~~ = p

*q = p = &x
**q = *p = ~~&x~~ = x = 10

