

0. Introduction To Programming

(a) Types of Languages (programming paradigm)

i) Procedural programming

- Step-by-step instructions, like a recipe.
- ⇒ A programming style where code is written as a sequence of step-by-step instructions using functions and procedure.

ii) Functional programming

- Use pure functions and avoid changing data.
- ⇒ A way of programming using functions that don't change data and don't affect anything outside (no side effects).

iii) Object-Oriented Programming (OOP)

- Organize code around real-world objects.
- ⇒ A programming style that organizes codes into objects, which contain data (fields) and behaviour (methods).

Static VS Dynamic Languages

Static

- perform type checking at compile time.
- Errors will show at compile time.
- Declare datatype before you use it.

Ex - `int a = 10;`
`String name = "ravi";`

(needs to declare datatypes)

Dynamic

- perform type checking at runtime.
- Error might not show till program is run.
- No need to declare datatype of variables.

Ex - `a = 10;`
`name = "ravi"`

(no need to declare datatypes)

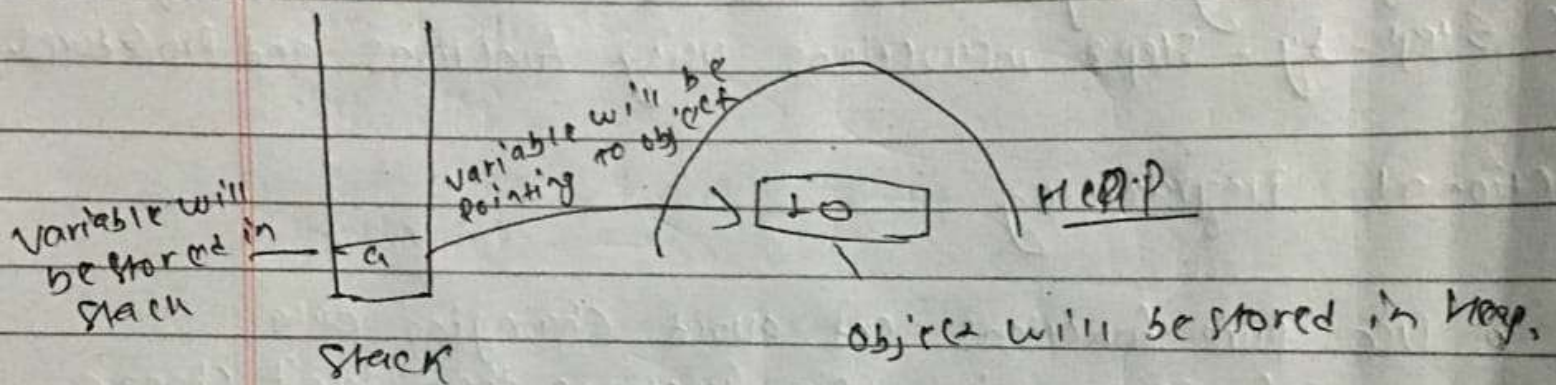
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works in both static & dynamic programming

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b. How variables and objects are stored.

$a = 10 \rightarrow \text{Object}$
Reference variable



- More than one reference variable can point to the same object.
- A change in one variable will be applied in all variables point the object.



Ex-

```
int[] a = {1, 3, 5, 9}
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b = a
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a[0] = 99
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→ this makes $\{1, 3, 5, 9\}$ to $\{99, 3, 5, 9\}$

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System.out.println(b);
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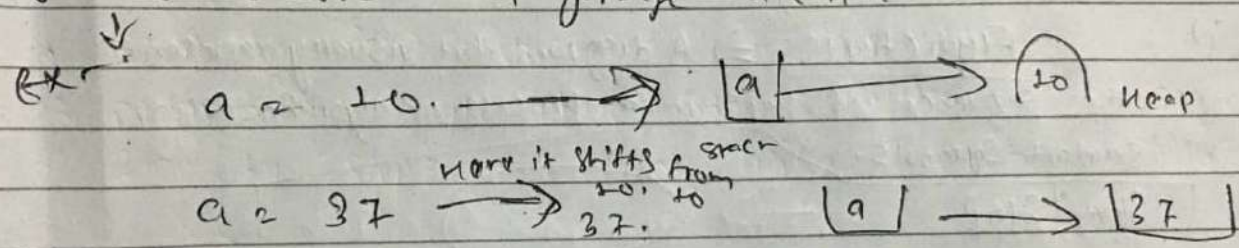


Output will be $\rightarrow \{99, 3, 5, 9\}$

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Garbage Collection (Static)

Objects that doesn't have reference variable, ~~it~~ they will be removed when garbage collection is hit.



- So, 10 is left without reference variable
- Now, garbage collection will come & remove this 10.

• This will not be done in dynamic programming