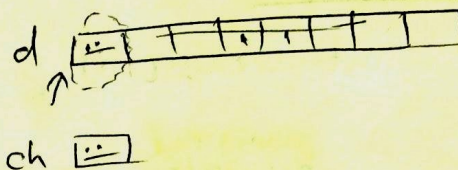


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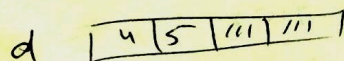
①

```
double d = 3.1416;
char ch = * (ch *) & d;
cout << ch << endl;
```



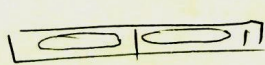
**dangerous recasting outside**

```
double d = * (double *) & s; s { 4 5 } { 11 11 }
```

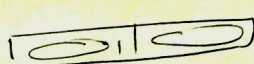


**big endian, little endian**

on short



} **big endian**



} **little endian**

**big:** lowest byte stores the largest contribution

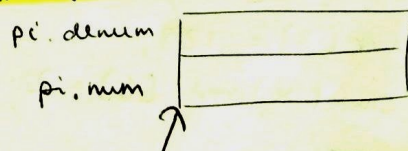
**little:** bytes in the reverse order

**struct:**

```
struct fraction {
    int num;
    int denom;
};
```

**in memory**

- two 4 byte blocks **stacked**
- on top of each other
- pointer to struct points to the first field



fraction pi;  
pi.num = 22; ← stores 22 to the field that is at offset of 0 from the pointer to the struct

pi.denom = 7; ← based on definition, stores 7 at offset of 4 bytes from the pointer to the struct

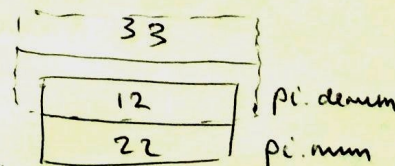
**casting with struct pointer**

to access 33

`(&pi)[1].num`  
← (fraction \*)

```
fraction pi;
pi.num = 22;
pi.denom = 7;
```

`((fraction *) & (pi.denom)) -> num = 12;`  
`((fraction *) & (pi.denom)) -> denom = 33;`





## arrays :

int array [10];

address  
of 0th entry

array [0] = 44; [77]

array [9] = 100;

array [5] = 45;

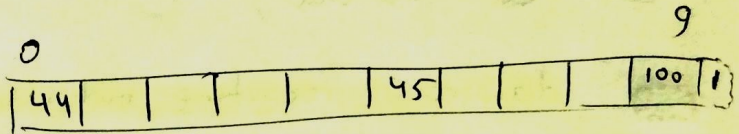
array [10] = 1; ←

array [25] = 25;

array [-4] = 77;

\*(array - 4) = 77;

allocates 40 bytes of memory  
for 10 int



array  $\equiv$  &array[0] [29]

in C/C++ no bounds

checking on arrays;  
go 10 int quantum from &array[0]  
and store 1 as int

pointer  
arithmetic

array + k  $\equiv$  &array[k]

type (int\*) integer automatically scaled by type  
pointer arithmetic

\*array  $\equiv$  array[0]

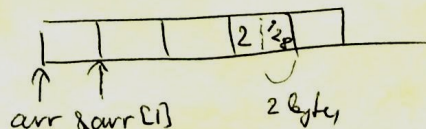
\*(array + k)  $\equiv$  array[k]

ex

int arr [5];

arr [3] = 128;

((short \*)arr) [6] = 2;



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((short \*)(((char \*)(&arr[1]) + 8)) [3]) = 100;

forward from  
&arr[1] by  
8 chars

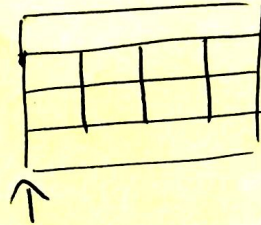
forward by  
3 shorts

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## structs with arrays inside:

```
struct student {
    char *name;
    char suid[8];
    int numUnits;
};
```



```
student pupils[4];
pupils[0].numUnits = 21;
```

```
pupils[2].name = strdup("Adam");
```

```
pupils[3].name = pupils[0].suid + 6;
```

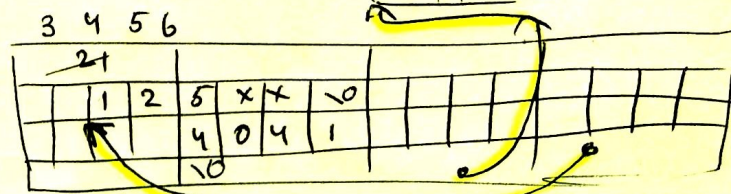
↳ dynamically allocates space for the string, writes it, and returns the address of the first character

```
strcpy(pupils[1].suid, "40415xx");
```

↳ no allocation, assumes the pointer to space is provided by the first argument

```
strcpy(pupils[3].name, "123456");
```

```
pupils[7].suid[11] = "A"
```



## generics (start)

```
void swap(int *ap, int *bp)
```

```
{ int temp = *ap;
```

```
*ap = *bp;
```

```
*bp = temp;
```

```
}
```

