## CHAPTER 2 ARRAYS AND STRUCTURES

### 2.1 The array as an abstract data type

- Intuitively an *array* is a set of pairs, *<index*, *value>*, such that each index that is defined has a value associated with it.
  - In mathematical terms, we call this a *correspondence* or a *mapping*.
- When considering an ADT we are more concerned with the operations that can be performed on an array.
  - Aside from <u>creating</u> a new array, most languages provide only two standard operations for arrays, one that <u>retrieves</u> a value, and a second that stores a value.
    - » The *Create*(*j*, *list*) function produces a new, empty array of the appropriate size. All of the items are initially undefined.
    - » *Retrieve* accepts an *array* and an *index*. It returns the value associated with the index if the index is valid, or an error if the index is invalid.
    - » *Store* accepts an *array*, an *index*, and an *item*, and returns the original array augmented with the new *<index*, *value>* pair.
  - Structure 2.1 shows a definition of the array ADT

- The advantage of this ADT definition is that it clearly points out the fact that the array is a more general structure than "a consecutive set of memory locations."

#### structure Array is

**objects**: A set of pairs < *index*, *value*> where for each value of *index* there is a value from the set *item*. *Index* is a finite ordered set of one or more dimensions, for example,  $\{0, \dots, n-1\}$  for one dimension,  $\{(0, 0), (0, 1), (0, 2), (1, 0), (1, 1), (1, 2), (2, 0), (2, 1), (2, 2)\}$  for two dimensions, etc.

#### functions:

for all  $A \in Array$ ,  $i \in index$ ,  $x \in item$ , j,  $size \in integer$ 

Array Create(j, list) ::= **return** an array of j dimensions where list

is a *j*-tuple whose *i*th element is the the size of

the *i*th dimension. *Items* are undefined.

Item Retrieve(A, i) ::= if  $(i \in index)$  return the item associated

with index value *i* in array *A* 

else return error

Array Store(A,i,x) ::= **if** (i in index)

return an array that is identical to array

A except the new pair  $\langle i, x \rangle$  has been

inserted else return error.

#### end Array

### 2.2 Structures and unions

### Structures

- Arrays are collections of data of the same type. In C there is an alternate way of grouping data that permit the data to vary in type.
  - This mechanism is called the **struct**, short for structure.
- A structure is a collection of data items, where each item is identified as to its type and name.
  - For example, the following *struct* creates a variable whose name is *person* and there has three fields:
    - **Ê** a name that is a character array
    - Ë an integer value representing the age of the person
      - a float value representing the salary of the individual

```
struct {
    char name[10];
    int age;
    float salary;
} person;
```

– We may assign values to these fields as below.

```
strcpy(person.name,"james");
person.age = 10;
person.salary = 35000;
```

We can create our own structure data types by using the **typedef** statement as below:

» This says that human\_being is the name of the type defined by the structure definition, and we may follow this definition with declarations of variables such as:

human\_being person1, person2;

- We can also embed a structure within a structure.

```
typedef struct {
        int month;
        int day;
        int year;
        } date;
typedef struct human_being {
        char name[10];
        int age;
        float salary;
        date dob;
        };
```

» A person born on February 11, 1994, would have values for the date **struct** set as

```
person1.dob.month = 2;
person1.dob.day = 11;
person1.dob.year = 1944;
```

### Unions

- A union declaration is similar to a structure, but the fields of a union must share their memory space.
- This means that <u>only one field</u> of the **union** is "active" at any given time
  - For example, to add different fields for males and females we would change our definition of *human\_being* to:

```
typedef struct sex_type {
       enum tag_field {female, male} sex;
       union {
          int children;
                                Then we can assign values to
          int beard;
          } u;
                                person1 and person2, such as
                                  person1.sex_info.sex = male;
typedef struct human_being {
       char name[10];
                                  person1.sex_info.u.beard = False;
       int age;
                                and
       float salary;
       date dob;
                                  person2.sex_info.sex = female;
       sex_type sex_info;
                                  person2.sex_info.u.children = 4;
       };
human_being person1, person2;
```

### 2.3 The polynomial abstract data type

- Polynomial examples:
  - Two example polynomials are:

$$-A(x) = 3x^{20}+2x^5+4$$
 and  $B(x) = x^4+10x^3+3x^2+1$ 

- Assume that we have two polynomials,  $A(x) = \sum a^i x^i$  and  $B(x) = \sum b^i x^i$  then:
  - $-A(x) + B(x) = \sum (a^i + b^i)x^i$
  - $-A(x) \cdot B(x) = \sum (a^{i}x^{i} \cdot \sum (b^{j}x^{j}))$
  - Similarly, we can define subtraction and division on polynomials, as well as many other operations.
- An ADT definition of a polynomial is contained in Structure 2.2. (next page)

structure Polynomial is

**objects**:  $p(x) = a_1 x^{e_1} + \cdots + a_n x^{e_n}$ ; a set of ordered pairs of  $\langle e_i, a_i \rangle$  where  $a_i$  in *Coefficients* and  $e_i$  in *Exponents*,  $e_i$  are integers  $\geq 0$ 

#### functions:

for all poly, poly1,  $poly2 \in Polynomial$ ,  $coef \in Coefficients$ ,  $expon \in Exponents$ 

Polynomial Zero() ::= **return** the polynomial,

 $p\left( x\right) =0$ 

Boolean IsZero(poly) ::= if (poly) return FALSE

else return TRUE

Coefficient Coef(poly,expon) ::= **if** (expon  $\in$  poly) **return** its

coefficient else return zero

Exponent Lead\_Exp(poly) ::= **return** the largest exponent in

poly

Polynomial Attach(poly, coef, expon) ::= if  $(expon \in poly)$  return error

**else return** the polynomial *poly* with the term *<coef*, *expon>* 

inserted

Polynomial Remove(poly, expon) ::= **if** (expon  $\in$  poly)

return the polynomial poly with

the term whose exponent is

expon deleted

else return error

Polynomial SingleMult(poly, coef, expon) ::= **return** the polynomial

 $poly \cdot coef \cdot x^{expon}$ 

Polynomial Add(poly1, poly2) ::= **return** the polynomial

poly1 + poly2

Polynomial Mult(poly1, poly2) ::= **return** the polynomial

 $poly1 \cdot poly2$ 

end Polynomial

- There are two ways to create the type *polynomial* in C

```
À #define MAX_degree 101 /*MAX degree of
 polynomial+1*/
 typedef struct {
                                   drawback: the first
     int degree;
                                    representation may
     float coef[MAX_degree];
                                       waste space.
     } polynomial;
Á MAX_TERMS 100 /*size of terms array*/
 typedef struct {
     float coef;
     int expon;
     } polynomial;
 polynomial terms[MAX_TERMS];
 int avail = 0;
```

#### • Examples:

- Consider the two polynomials  $A(x) = 2x^{1000} + 1$  and  $B(x) = x^4 + 10x^3 + 3x^2 + 1$ .
- Figure 2.2 shows how these polynomials are stored in the array *terms*.

		starta	finisha	startb			finishb	avail
		$\downarrow$	$\downarrow$	$\downarrow$			$\downarrow$	$\downarrow$
(	coef	2	1	1	10	3	1	
	exp	1000	0	4	3	2	0	
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Figure 2.2: Array representation of two polynomials

- We would now like to write a C function that adds two polynomials, A and B, represented as above to obtain D = A + B.
  - To produce D(x), padd (Program 2.5) adds A(x) and B(x) term by term. (next page)

```
void padd(int starta, int finisha, int startb, int finishb,
                                  int *startd, int *finishd)
/* add A(x) and B(x) to obtain D(x) */
  float coefficient:
  *startd = avail;
  while (starta <= finisha && startb <= finishb)
     switch(COMPARE(terms[starta].expon,
                    terms[startb].expon)) {
       case -1: /* a expon < b expon */
             attach(terms[startb].coef,terms[startb].expon)
             startb++;
             break;
       case 0: /* equal exponents */
             coefficient = terms[starta].coef +
                            terms[startb].coef;
             if (coefficient)
                attach(coefficient, terms[starta].expon);
             starta++;
             startb++;
             break;
       case 1: /* a expon > b expon */
             attach(terms[starta].coef,terms[starta].expon)
             starta++;
  /* add in remaining terms of A(x) */
  for(; starta <= finisha; starta++)</pre>
     attach(terms[starta].coef,terms[starta].expon);
  /* add in remaining terms of B(x) */
  for( ; startb <= finishb; startb++)</pre>
     attach(terms[startb].coef, terms[startb].expon);
  *finishd = avail-1;
```

```
void attach(float coefficient, int exponent)
{
/* add a new term to the polynomial */
  if (avail >= MAX_TERMS) {
    fprintf(stderr, "Too many terms in the polynomial\n");
    exit(1);
}
terms[avail].coef = coefficient;
terms[avail++].expon = exponent;
}
```

**Program 2.6:** Function to add a new term

### • Analysis of padd:

The asymptotic computing time of this algorithm is O(n+m).

### 2.4 The sparse matrix abstract data type

- Introduction
  - In mathematics, a matrix contains m rows and n
     columns of elements as illustrated in Figure 2.3
    - In this figure, the first matrix has five rows and three columns; the second has six rows and six columns.
    - In general, we write  $m \times n$  (read "m by n") to designate a matrix with m rows and n columns.

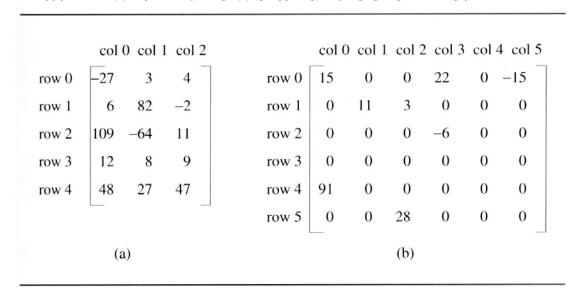


Figure 2.3: Two matrices

- The standard representation of a matrix is a two dimensional array defined as  $a[MAX\_ROWS][MAX\_COLS]$ .
  - We can locate quickly any element by writing a[i][j], where i is the row index and j is the column index.
- However, there are some problems with the standard representation.
  - For instance, if you look at Figure 2.3(b), you notice that it contains many zero entries.
  - We call this a sparse matrix.
- Since a sparse matrix wastes space, we must consider alternate forms of representation.
  - Our representation of sparse matrices should store only nonzero elements.

- Structure 2.3 contains our specification of the matrix ADT.
  - A minimal set of operations includes matrix creation, addition, multiplication, and transpose.

```
structure Sparse_Matrix is
  objects: a set of triples, <row, column, value>, where row and column are integers and
  form a unique combination, and value comes from the set item.
  functions:
    for all a, b \in Sparse\_Matrix, x \in item, i, j, max\_col, max\_row \in index
    Sparse\_Matrix Create(max\_row, max\_col) ::=
                                      return a Sparse-Matrix that can hold up to
                                      max\_items = max\_row \times max\_col and whose
                                      maximum row size is max_row and whose
                                      maximum column size is max_col.
    Sparse\_Matrix Transpose(a) ::=
                                      return the matrix produced by interchanging
                                      the row and column value of every triple.
    Sparse\_Matrix Add(a, b) ::=
                                      if the dimensions of a and b are the same
                                      return the matrix produced by adding
                                      corresponding items, namely
                                                                        those with
                                      identical row and column values.
                                      else return error
    Sparse\_Matrix Multiply(a, b) ::=
                                      if number of columns in a equals number of
                                      rows in b
                                      return the matrix d produced by multiplying a
                                      by b according to the formula: d[i][j] =
                                      \sum (a[i][k] \cdot b[k][j]) where d(i, j) is the (i, j)th
                                      element
                                      else return error.
```

• We implement the *Create* operation as below:

```
Sparse\_Matrix Create(max\_row, max\_col) ::=
```

```
#define MAX_TERMS 101 /* maximum number of terms +1*/
typedef struct {
    int col;
    int row;
    int value;
    } term;
term a[MAX_TERMS];
```

• Figure 2.4(a) shows how the sparse matrix of Figure 2.3(b) is represented in the array *a*.

	row	col	value		row	col	value
a[0]	6	6	8	$\overline{b[0]}$	6	6	8
[1]	0	0	15	[1]	0	0	15
[2]	0	3	22	[2]	0	4	91
[3]	0	5	-15	[3]	1	1	11
[4]	1	1	11	[4]	2	1	3
[5]	1	2	3	[5]	2	5	28
[6]	2	3	-6	[6]	3	0	22
[7]	4	0	91	[7]	3	2	-6
[8]	5	2	28	[8]	5	0	-15
	(a	)			(b	)	

Figure 2.4: Sparse matrix and its transpose stored as triples

- Transposing a matrix
  - To transpose a matrix we must interchange the rows and columns.
    - This means that each element a[i][j] in the original matrix becomes element b[j][i] in the transpose matrix.
    - Figure 2.4(b) shows the transpose of the sample matrix.

	row	col	value		row	col	value
$\overline{a[0]}$	6	6	8	$\overline{b[0]}$	6	6	8
[1]	0	0	15	[1]	0	O	15
[2]	0	3	22	[2]	0	4	91
[3]	0	5	-15	[3]	1	1	11
[4]	1	1	11	[4]	2	1	3
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### An idea to transpose a matrix

```
for all elements in column j
  place element <i, j, value> in
  element <j, i, value>
```

– This algorithm is incorporated in transpose (Program 2.7).

```
void transpose(term a[], term b[])
/* b is set to the transpose of a */
  int n,i,j, currentb;
  n = a[0].value; /* total number of elements */
  b[0].row = a[0].col; /* rows in b = columns in a */
  b[0].col = a[0].row; /* columns in b = rows in a */
  b[0].value = n;
  if (n > 0) { /* non zero matrix */
    currentb = 1;
    for (i = 0; i < a[0].col; i++)
    /* transpose by the columns in a */
       for (j = 1; j \le n; j++)
       /* find elements from the current column */
         if (a[j].col == i) {
         /* element is in current column, add it to b */
            b[currentb].row = a[j].col;
            b[currentb].col = a[j].row;
            b[currentb].value = a[j].value;
            currentb++;
```

### - Analysis of transpose:

The asymptotic time complexity is  $O(columns \bullet elements)$ .

- In fact, we can transpose a matrix represented as a sequence of triples in O(columns + elements) time.
  - This algorithm, fast\_transpose is shown in Program 2.8.

```
void fast_transpose(term a[], term b[])
/* the transpose of a is placed in b */
  int row_terms[MAX_COL], starting_pos[MAX_COL];
  int i, j, num_cols = a[0].col, num_terms = a[0].value;
  b[0].row = num\_cols; b[0].col = a[0].row;
  b[0].value = num_terms;
  if (num_terms > 0) { /* nonzero matrix */
                                                           column
     for (i = 0; i < num\_cols; i++)
       row_terms[i] = 0;
                                                           element
     for (i = 1; i <= num_terms; i++)
       row_terms[a[i].col]++;
     starting_pos[0] = 1;
                                                           column
     for (i = 1; i < num\_cols; i++)
       starting_pos[i] =
                  starting_pos[i-1] + row_terms[i-1];
     for (i = 1; i \le num\_terms; i++)    \leftarrow
                                                           element
       j = starting_pos[a[i].col]++;
       b[j].row = a[i].col; b[j].col = a[i].row;
       b[j].value = a[i].value;
                                                       O(2col + 2elm)
                                                       =O(col+elm)
```

### Matrix Multiplication

#### - Definition:

Given *A* and *B* where *A* is  $m \times n$  and B is  $n \times p$ , the product matrix *D* has dimension  $m \times p$ . Its  $\langle i, j \rangle$  element is

$$d_{ij} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} a_{ik} b_{kj}$$
  
for  $0 \le i < m$  and  $0 \le j < p$ .

### – Example:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Figure 2.5: Multiplication of two sparse matrices

## - The programs 2.9 and 2.10 can obtain the product matrix *D* which multiplies matrices *A* and *B*.

```
void mmult(term a[], term b[], term d[])
/* multiply two sparse matrices */
  int i, j, column, totalb = b[0].value, totald =
  int rows_a = a[0].row, cols_a = a[0].col,
  totala = a[0].value; int cols_b = b[0].col,
  int row_begin = 1, row = a[1].row, sum = 0;
  int new_b[MAX_TERMS][3];
  if (cols_a != b[0].row) {
     fprintf(stderr, "Incompatible matrices\n");
     exit(1);
  fast_transpose(b,new_b);
  /* set boundary condition */
  a[totala+1].row = rows_a;
  new_b[totalb+1].row = cols_b;
  new_b[totalb+1].col = 0;
  for (i = 1; i <= totala; ) {
    column = new_b[1].row;
    for (j = 1; j \le totalb+1;) {
```

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```
/* multiply row of a by column of b */
        if (a[i].row != row) {
           storesum(d, &totald, row, column, &sum);
           i = row_begin;
           for (; new_b[j].row == column; j++)
           column = new_b[j].row;
        else if (new_b[j].row != column) {
           storesum(d, &totald, row, column, &sum);
           i = row_begin;
           column = new_b[j].row;
        else switch (COMPARE(a[i].col, new_b[j].col)) {
           case -1: /* go to next term in a */
                i++; break;
          case 0: /* add terms, go to next term in a and b*/
                sum += (a[i++].value * new_b[j++].value);
                break;
          case 1 : /* advance to next term in b */
     /* end of for j \le totalb+1 */
     for (; a[i].row == row; i++)
     row_begin = i; row = a[i].row;
  } /* end of for i<=totala */
d[0].row = rows_a;
   d[0].col = cols_b; d[0].value = totald;
```

Program 2.9: Sparse matrix multiplication

```
void storesum(term d[], int *totald, int row, int column,
                                      int *sum)
/* if *sum != 0, then it along with its row and column
position is stored as the *totald+1 entry in d */
  if (*sum)
     if (*totald < MAX_TERMS) {
       d[++*totald].row = row;
       d[*totald].col = column;
       d[*totald].value = *sum;
       *sum = 0;
    else {
       fprintf(stderr,"Numbers of terms in product
                                exceeds %d\n", MAX_TERMS);
       exit(1);
```

Program 2.10: storesum function

### - Analysis of *mmult*:

The asymptotic time complexity is  $O(cols\_b \bullet total\_a + rows\_a \bullet totalb)$ .

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### Sparse Matrix Multiplicatoin

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$$d[i, j] = \sum_{k} a[i, k] \times b[k, j] = \sum_{k} a[i, k] \times b^{T}[j, k]$$

這是說,若把b矩 陣作了 transpost. 則 相乘的指標要更改27

$$d[i, j] = \sum_{k} a[i, k] \times b[k, j] = \sum_{k} a[i, k] \times b^{T}[j,k]$$

a	Row	Col	Val
a[0]	0	0	3
a[1]	0	1	1
a[2]	0	2	4
a[3]	1	0	2
a[4]	1	1	5
a[5]	1	2	8
a[6]	2	0	6
a[7]	2	1	0
a[8]	2	2	9

b	Row	Col	Val
b[0]	0	0	4
b[1]	0	1	3
b[2]	1	0	5
b[3]	1	1	1
b[4]	2	0	7
b[5]	2	1	2

$\mathbf{b}^{\mathbf{T}}$	Row	Col	Val
b[0]	0	0	4
b[1]	0	1	5
b[2]	0	2	7
b[3]	1	0	3
b[4]	1	1	1
b[5]	1	2	2

1) 用
$$b[k,j]$$
 求:  $d[i,j] = \sum_{k} a[i,k] \times b[k,j]$ 

$$d[2,1] = \sum a[i, k] \times b[k, j] = \sum a[2, k] \times b[k, 1]$$
$$= 6*3 + 0*1 + 9*2$$

◆ 缺點是要用到的 b[k,1] 是 b[0,1], b[1,1], b[2,1] ,分別落在 b 矩陣的三個隔開的位置,若 b 是個較大的矩陣時,access them become costly.

2) 用 $\mathbf{b}^{\mathbf{T}}[\mathbf{j}, \mathbf{k}]$  求:  $\mathbf{d}[\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j}] = \sum \mathbf{a}[\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{k}] \times \mathbf{b}^{\mathbf{T}}[\mathbf{j}, \mathbf{k}]$ 

$$d[2,1] = \sum a[i, k] \times b^{T}[j, k] = \sum a[2, k] \times b^{T}[1, k]$$
$$= 6*3 + 0*1 + 9*2$$

◆ 優點是要用到的  $b^T[1,k]$  是 b[1,0], b[1,1], b[1,2], 是在  $b^T$  矩陣的連續位置,access them become easy.

# 2.5 Representation of multidimensional array

- The internal representation of multidimensional arrays requires more complex addressing formula.
  - If an array is declared  $a[upper_0][upper_1]...[upper_n]$ , then it is easy to see that the number of elements in the array is:

$$\prod_{i=0}^{n-1} upper_i$$

Where  $\Pi$  is the product of the *upper*<sub>i</sub>'s.

• Example:

If we declare a as a[10][10][10], then we require 10\*10\*10 = 1000 units of storage to hold the array.

- There are two common ways to represent multidimensional arrays: row major order and column major order.
  - We consider only row major order here.
  - Row major order stores multidimensional arrays by rows.
    - For instance, we interpret the two-dimensional array  $A[upper_0][upper_1]$  as  $upper_0$  rows,  $row_0$ ,  $row_1$ , ...,  $row_{upper_0-1}$ , each row containing upper1 elements.
  - If we assume that  $\alpha$  is the address of A[0][0], then the address of A[i][0] is  $\alpha + i \cdot upper_1$  because there are i rows, each of size  $upper_1$ , preceding the first element in the ith row.
    - *Notice* that we haven't multiplied by the element size.
    - The address of an arbitrary element, a[i][j], is  $\alpha + i \bullet upper_1 + j$ .

- To represent a three-dimensional array,  $A[upper_0][upper_1][upper_2]$ , we interpret the array as  $upper_0$  two-dimensional arrays of dimension  $upper_1 \times upper_2$ .
  - To locate a[i][j][k], we first obtain  $\alpha + i \bullet upper_1 \bullet upper_2$  as the address of a[i][0][0] because there are i two dimensional arrays of size  $upper_1 \bullet upper_2$  preceding this element.
  - Combining this formula with the formula for addressing a two-dimensional array, we obtain

```
\alpha + i \bullet upper_1 \bullet upper_2 + j \bullet upper_2 + k as the address of a[i][j][k].
```

• Generalizing on the preceding discussion, we can obtain the addressing formula for any element  $A[i_0][i_1]...[i_{n-1}]$  in an n-dimensional array declared as:

$$A[upper_0][upper_1]...[upper_{n-1}]$$

- The address for  $A[i_0][i_1]...[i_{n-1}]$  is:

```
\alpha + i_0 upper_1 upper_2 \dots upper_{n-1} 
+ i_1 upper_2 upper_3 \dots upper_{n-1} 
+ i_2 upper_3 upper_4 \dots upper_{n-1} 
\cdot \\ \cdot \\ \cdot \\ + i_{n-2} upper_{n-1} 
+ i_{n-1}
```

$$= \alpha + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} i_j a_j \text{ where: } \begin{cases} a_j = \prod_{k=j+1}^{n-1} upper_k & 0 \le j < n-1 \\ a_{n-1} = 1 \end{cases}$$

### 2.6 The string abstract data type

- In this section, we turn our attention to a data type, the string, whose component elements are characters.
  - As an ADT, we define a string to have the form,  $S = s_0, ..., s_{n-1}$ , where  $s_i$  are characters taken from the character set of the programming language.
  - If n = 0, then S is an empty or null string.
  - We have listed the essential operations in Structure 2.4.
  - Actually there are many more operation on strings, as we shall see when we look at part of C's string library in Figure 2.7. (next page)

```
structure String is
  objects: a finite set of zero or more characters.
  functions:
    for all s, t \in String, i, j, m \in non-negative integers
    String Null(m)
                                      return a string whose maximum length is
                              ::=
                                      m characters, but is initially set to NULL
                                      We write NULL as "".
    Integer Compare(s, t)
                                      if s equals t
                              ::=
                                      return 0
                                      else if s precedes t
                                            return -1
                                            else return +1
    Boolean IsNull(s)
                                      if (Compare(s, NULL))
                              ::=
                                      return FALSE
                                      else return TRUE
    Integer Length(s)
                                      if (Compare(s, NULL))
                               ::=
                                      return the number of characters in s
                                      else return 0.
     String Concat(s, t)
                              ::=
                                      if (Compare(t, NULL))
                                      return a string whose elements are those
                                      of s followed by those of t
                                      else return s.
    String Substr(s, i, j)
                                      if ((j > 0) && (i + j - 1) < \text{Length}(s))
                              ::=
                                      return the string containing the characters
                                      of s at positions i, i + 1, \dots, i + j - 1.
```

else return NULL.

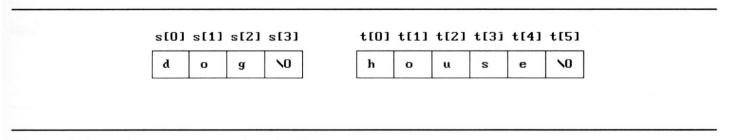
Function	Description
char *strcat(char *dest, char *src)	concatenate <i>dest</i> and <i>src</i> strings; return result in <i>dest</i>
char *strncat(char *dest, char *src, int n)	concatenate <i>dest</i> and <i>n</i> characters from <i>src</i> ; return result in <i>dest</i>
char *strcmp(char *str1, char *str2)	compare two strings; return < 0 if $str1 < str2$ ; 0 if $str1 = str2$ ; > 0 if $str1 > str2$
<pre>char *strncmp(char *str1, char *str2, int n)</pre>	compare first $n$ characters return < 0 if $str1 < str2$ ; 0 if $str1 = str2$ ; > 1 if $str1 > str2$
char *strcpy(char *dest, char *src)	copy src into dest; return dest
char *strncpy(char *dest, char *src, int n)	copy <i>n</i> characters from <i>src</i> string into <i>dest</i> ; return <i>dest</i> ;
size_t strlen(char *s)	return the length of a s
char *strchr(char *s, int c)	return pointer to the first occurrence of <i>c</i> in <i>s</i> ; return <i>NULL</i> if not present
char *strrchr(char *s, int c)	return pointer to last occurrence of c in s; return NULL if not present
char *strtok(char *s, char *delimiters)	return a token from s; token is surrounded by <i>delimiters</i>
char *strstr(char *s, char *pat)	return pointer to start of pat in s
size_t strspn(char *s, char *spanset)	scan s for characters in spanset; return length of span
size_t strcspn(char *s, char *spanset)	scan <i>s</i> for characters not in <i>spanset</i> ; return length of span
char *strpbrk(char *s, char *spanset)	scan s for characters in spanset; return pointer to first occurrence of a character from spanset

Figure 2.7: C string functions

- In C, we represent strings as character arrays terminated with the null character \0.
  - For instance suppose we had the strings:

```
#define MAX_SIZE 100 /*maximum size of string */
char s[MAX_SIZE] = { "dog" };
char t[MAX_SIZE] = { "house" };
```

Figure 2.8 shows how these string would be represented internally in memory.



**Figure 2.8:** String representation in C

### • Example 2.2 [String insertion]:

- Assume that we have two strings, say *string 1* and *string 2*, and that we want to insert *string 2* into *string 1* starting at the *i*th position of *string 1*.
- We begin with the declarations:

```
#include <string.h>
#define MAX_SIZE 100 /*size of largest string*/
char string1[MAX_SIZE], *s = string1;
char string2[MAX_SIZE], *t = string2;
```

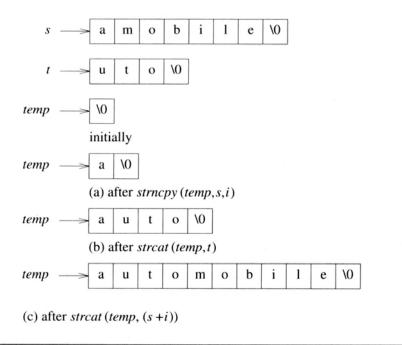


Figure 2.9: String insertion example

## Pattern matching

- Assume that we have two strings, string and pat, where
   pat is a pattern to be searched for in string.
  - The easiest way to determine if *pat* is in *string* is to use the built-in function *strstr*.

```
/* declarations */
char pat[MAX_SIZE], string[MAX_SIZE], *t;
/* statements to determine if pat is in string */
if (t = strstr(string, pat))
    printf("The string from strstr is: %s\n", t);
else
    printf("The pattern was not found with strstr\n");
```

- There are two reasons why we may want to develop our own pattern matching function:
  - The function *strstr* is new to ANSI C. Therefore, it may not be available with the compiler we use.
  - The easiest but least efficient method sequentially examines each character of string until it finds the pattern or reach the end of the string. (The time complexity is high.)

- A second improvement is checking the first and last characters of pat and string before we check the remaining characters.
  - These changes are incorporated in nfind (Program 2.12)

```
int nfind(char *string, char *pat)
/* match the last character of pattern first, and
then match from the beginning */
  int i, j, start = 0;
  int lasts = strlen(string)-1;
  int lastp = strlen(pat)-1;
  int endmatch = lastp;
  for (i = 0; endmatch <= lasts; endmatch++, start++) {
     if (string[endmatch] == pat[lastp])
       for (j = 0, i = start; j < lastp &&
                    string[i] == pat[j]; i++,j++)
     if (j == lastp)
       return start; /* successful */
     return -1;
```

## • Example 2.3 [Simulation of nfind]:

- Suppose *pat* = "aab" and *string* = "ababbaabaa". Figure 2.10 shows how *nfind* compares the characters from *pat* with those of *string*.

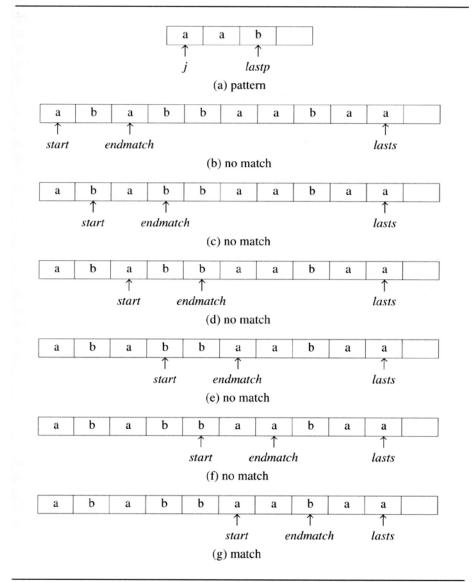


Figure 2.10: Simulation of nfind

## • Analysis of *nfind*:

- The worst case of computing time of *nfind* is  $O(n \cdot m)$ , where *n* is the length of *pat* and *m* is the length of *string*.

 Knuth, Morris, and Pratt have developed a pattern matching algorithm that works in O(strlen(string) + strlen(pat)).

### • Example:

```
pat = 'abcabcacab'
```

Let  $s=s_0s_1...s_{m-1}$  be the string and assume that we are currently determining whether or not there is a match beginning at  $s_i$ .

- » If  $s_i \neq a$  then, we may proceed by comparing  $s_{i+1}$  and a.
- » If  $s_i=a$ , and  $s_{i+1}\neq b$  then we may proceed by comparing  $s_{i+1}$  and a.
- » If  $s_i s_{i+1} = ab$  and  $s_{i+2} \neq c$  then we have the situation:

$$s = \text{`-} a b ? ? ? . . . . ?'$$
 $pat = \text{`} a b c a b c a c a b '$ 

At this point we know that we may continue the search for a match by comparing the first character in pat with  $s_{i+2}$ .

» If we have situation:

$$s =$$
 '-  $a b c a ? ? . . . ?$ '
 $pat =$  ' $a b c a b c a c a b$ '

we observe that the search for a match can proceed by comparing  $s_{i+4}$  and the second character in pat, b.

### - Definition:

• If  $p=p_0p_1...p_{n-1}$  is a pattern, then its failure function, f, is defined as:

```
f(j) = largest i < j such that p_0 p_1 \dots p_i = p_{j-i} p_{j-i+1} \dots p_j, if such an i >= 0 exists = -1, otherwise
```

• Example:

Matching may be resumed by comparing (i.e., matching 可以直接 跳到):

- $s_i$  and  $p_{f(j-1)+1}$ , if j <> 0
- $s_{i-j+1}$  and  $p_0$ , if j=0 (i.e., 連一個都沒有比對到,故最上面一行的  $s_{i-j}$  即  $s_i$ 。所以接下來由隔壁的  $s_{i-j+1}$  和  $p_0$  去比對(所以課本只寫 $s_{i+1}$ ))

在此例中,
$$s = \dots abca$$
????....
$$p = abcab \dots \dots$$
$$j=0 1 2 3 4 \dots$$

 $s = \dots a b c a$ ? ? P = ab .....

因 $s_{i-1}$ ,故 $s_i$ 即第一個"?"處,即而可以比對到 $p_{j-1}$ 是在j為3之處,故j=4;

故  $p_{f(j-1)+1} = p_{f(3)+1} = p_{0+1} = p_1$ ,亦即 matching 可移到  $s_i$  和  $p_1$  之處來比。

```
int pmatch(char *string, char *pat)
/* Knuth, Morris, Pratt string matching algorithm */
 int i = 0, j = 0;
 int lens = strlen(string);
 int lenp = strlen(pat);
 while ( i < lens && j < lenp ) {
   if (string[i] == pat[j]) {
    i++; j++; }
   else if (j == 0) i++;
       else j = failure[j-1]+1;
 return ( (j == lenp) ? (i-lenp) : -1);
```

Program 2.13: Knuth, Morris, Pratt pattern matching algorithm

#### – Analysis of *pmatch*:

The complexity of function *pmatch* is O(*strlen*(*string*)).

- There is a fast way to compute the failure function.

```
f(j) = \begin{cases} -1, & \text{if } j = 0 \\ f^m(j-1) + 1, & \text{where } m \text{ is the least int } eger \text{ } k \text{ } for \text{ } which \text{ } p_{f^k(j-1)+1} = p_j \\ -1, & \text{if } \text{ } there \text{ } is \text{ } no \text{ } k \text{ } satisfying \text{ } the \text{ } above \end{cases}
```

(note that  $f^{l}(j)=f(j)$  and  $f^{m}=f(f^{m-1}(j))$ ).

```
void fail(char *pat)
{
/* compute the pattern's failure function */
   int n = strlen(pat);
   failure[0] = -1;
   for (j=1; j < n; j++) {
        i = failure[j-1];
        while ((pat[j] != pat[i+1]) && (i >= 0))
            i = failure[i];
        if (pat[j] == pat[i+1])
            failure[j] = i+1;
        else failure[j] = -1;
   }
}
```

**Program 2.14:** Computing the failure function

#### - Analysis of fail:

The complexity of function fail is O(strlen(pat)).

# KMP (Knuth-Morris-Pratt) Algorithm

T = a b a b d b c d eP = a b a b a

f(x) = 最多有幾個字母,能使 prefix 和 suffix 是一樣的?

Step 1. 設定 P 的 e(x) and f(x) 值。

 $e(x): 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$ 

f(x): a => 0

ab => 0

aba => 1

 $\underline{a}\,\underline{b}\,\underline{a}\,\underline{b} => 2$ 

P本身不用求 f 值 ababa => 3

以abab 為例,最多可選到2個字母時, prefix 是ab,且suffix 也是 ab,二者相等。

故 f(x) = 2.

當選到三個字母時, prefix是

aba, 而suffix 是 bab,二 者不相等了。 48

$$T = ababdbcde$$

$$P = a b a b a$$

f: (-1)0 0 1 2, ← 這是將前頁的 f 值抄過來, 但第一個固定是 "-1"

Step 2. 比對時,從左到右,找到第一個P不等於T的字母,假設其 f 值是 k. 將 P 往右移到 e 值 = k. 但若 k = -1, 則將 P 往右移一個字母

T = a b a b d b c d ee: 0 1 2 3 4 P = a b a b af: -1 0 0 1 2

前四個字母,P都等於T。第 五個字母不相等。該字母的 f(x)=2. 故應將 e = 2 的那個字 母 (i.e,. a) 移到 f = 2 的那位 置。 Step 3. 繼續往下比對時,不必再從 P 的第一個字母比對起了。可以從 Step 2 裡發生比對錯誤的字母開始往下比即可。亦即,

$$T = a b a b d b c d e$$
e:
$$P = a b a b d b c d e$$

$$P = a b a b a b a$$
f:
$$-1 0 0 1 2$$

接著就是一再重覆這些步驟。 因此,下一步是比較d與a。

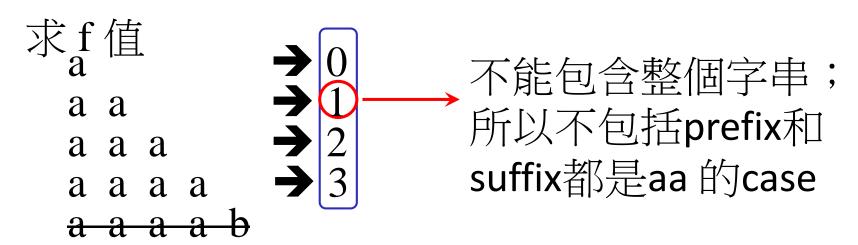
因為不相等,故將如紅色箭頭所示找到 e = f 之處. 故P將會向右移二個字母。然後再將 f 歸位。 50 至此已比對完畢,此例裡我們並沒有找到完全相等的字串。

$$T = a b a b d b c d e$$
e:
$$P = \begin{cases} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ a & b & a & b & a \end{cases}$$
f:
$$-1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{cases}$$

若 T 後面還有字母,還可以再比對下去,那麼,因為  $d \neq a$ ,而 a 的 f 值是 -1. 逢 -1, 則 P 往右一格。繼續下去。

## Example 2

```
T = a \ a \ a \ a \ a \ a \ b
e \ 0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4
P = a \ a \ a \ a \ b
f \ -1 \ 0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3
```



$$T = a a a a a a a a b$$
 $e \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4$ 
 $P = a \quad a \quad a \quad b \quad b$ 
 $f \quad -1 \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3$ 

前四個字母都相等,第五個字母不相等,該處 f=3. 故應將 e=3 之位置對齊到 f=3 處。亦即往 右一格。

## Example 3

$$T = g h j k n o p q$$

$$e \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4$$

$$P = a b c d e$$

$$f \quad -1 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad 0$$

$$a b \quad a \quad b \quad c \quad 0$$

$$a b c \quad d \quad 0$$

- Step 1. 比對g與a,不相等。
- Step 2. 應該將 a 的 f(x) 值 (i.e., -1) 與e(x) 比對, 找到相等的。但 e(x) 的 -1 在那裡? **在 0 的左邊**。
- Step 3. 故,移動時將 e(x) = -1 對準 f(x) = -1,亦即,只能將 P 往右移動一格。然後再把 f(x) 右移歸位
- Step 4. Repeat until the end.