

DMA

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DMA \rightarrow Dynamic memory Allocation

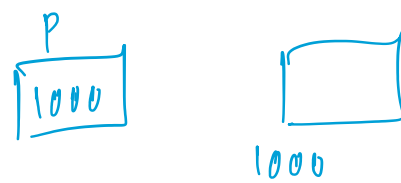
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Static memory allocation

```
int x;  
float y;  
int *p;  
int arr[10];  
struct Book b1;
```

* MALLOC ()

```
float *p;  
p = malloc(4);
```



DMA

Dynamic memory allocation

```
malloc()  
calloc()
```

standard practice

```
p = malloc(sizeof(float));
```

```
void * malloc ( unsigned int s )  
{  
    _____  
    return address ;  
}
```

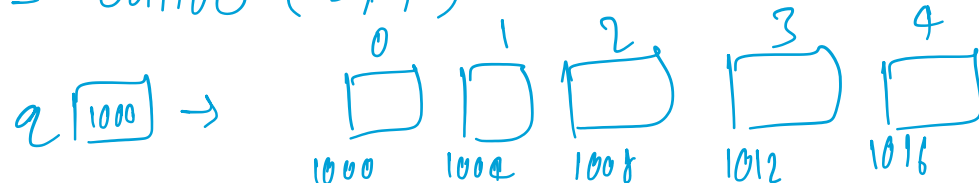
TYPE CASTING

```
int *p;  
p = (int *) malloc ( sizeof(int) )  
      (int *) 1000
```

CALLOC ()

```
int *q;
```

```
q = calloc ( 5, 4 )
```



Standard practice

```
q = (int *) calloc ( 5, sizeof(int) );
```

MALLOC V/S CALLOC

① one argument

① two argument

② garbage value

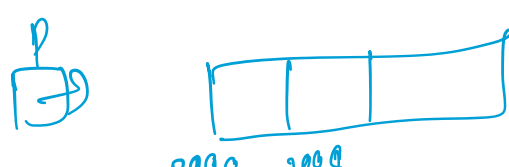
② 0 zero

③ single block

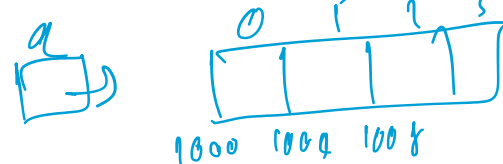
③ Array of blocks.

```
int *p;
```

```
malloc(20)
```



```
calloc(5,4)
```



MEMORY LEAK



```
int *p;
```

```
{  
    int *p;  
    p = malloc(4)  
    *p = 5;  
    --  
}
```

FREE ()

free () is used to release memory of DMA variable only.

```
free(address);
```

```
void * free ( )
```

```
{  
    int *p;  
    p = malloc(4);  
    --  
    free(p);  
    p = NULL;  
}
```

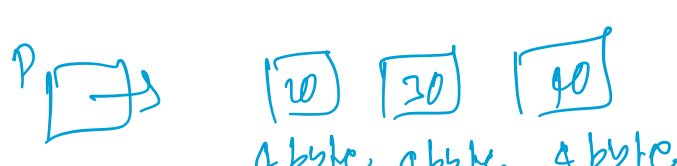
REALLOC ()

```
realloc ( pointers, newsize )
```

```
p1r = malloc(6);
```

```
q = realloc ( p1r, 10 );
```

```
int *p = malloc(10);
```



```
*p = 20;
```

```
*(p+1) = 30;
```

```
*(p+2) = 40; // wrong
```