

Arrays

2-D Arrays

Chapter 8+

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1-Dimension

Example: 20, floating point values

```
float[ ] myNums; //declare array  
myNums = new float[20]; //create array
```

Average the numbers

Find the largest value

Example: 50 Phone numbers (555-1212)

```
String[ ] phoneList; //declare array  
phoneList = new String[50]; //create array (no strings yet)  
then, perhaps, read phone numbers from a file
```

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1-Dimension

Example: 20 JPanels

```
JPanel[ ] shapes; //declare array (an array of JPanels)  
• shapes = new JPanel[20];
```

Create **space** for 20 JPanels

No JPanels exist!!

Each array location still needs to be created and initialized with appropriate values as needed; for example...

```
for (int i=0; i< 20; i++) {  
    shapes[i] = new JPanel(...);  
    shape[i].setBackground (c);  
    shape[i]. ???  
}
```

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1-Dimension

Initializer Lists

Declare and initialize all at once

- **int [] ep = {1,2,3,5,7,11,13,17,19,23};**
- **char [] vowels = {'A', 'E', 'I', 'O', 'U'};**
- **String [] beatles ={"John","Paul","George","Ringo"};**

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1-D Project

Maury Povich (or Dr. Phil or ...) selects program titles by choosing a subject phrase ("People who", "Women who", "Men who" etc) and combine that with a verb ("love", "hate", "sleep with", "cheat on", etc) and finally another noun phrase ("their sister", "their spouse's sister", "their girlfriend", "their boyfriend", etc)

Expand the choices of each to 5 and then write a program to *randomly* generate a completely new program title each time it is run.

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Parameter lists

Arrays as parameters

- **public int sumValues (int[] vals)**
vals is the **formal parameter**
sumValues gets a reference to an array 'vals'
how many items in the array?
vals.length

Calling method - assumes x is an array of integers

x is the **actual parameter**

- **int mySum = sumValues (x);**

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Parameter practice

Declare a method that takes an array of positive floats and returns the maximum value in the array

Declare a method that takes an array of int's and returns a sorted array of int's

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1-D Array

Write a method that takes a 1-D array of integers and finds the sum of those values

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Parameters (aside)

Variable Length Parameter Lists

What if I want to sum the values like this

```
int sum1 = sumValues (2,43,9,12);
```

or

```
int sum2 = sumValues (2,4,6,7,8,9,3,5);
```

A Java method can be defined to accept a varying number of parameters! (chap 8.5)

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Variable Length Parameter Lists

```
public sumValues (int ... list)
```

the ellipsis means it will accept any number of ints

list is automatically built as an array

Varying parameters MUST be the last formal parameter

```
public void foo (int x, String ... name)
```

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Example

```
//class to demonstrate variable length parameter lists
public class Family
{
    private String [ ] members;
    //constructor: set up names of family members
    public Family (String ... names)
    {
        members = names;
    }
    //string representation of this family
    public String toString ( )
    {
        String result = "";
        for (String aname: members)
            result += aname + "\n";
        return result;
    }
}
```

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1-D Array Quiz

```
• int [ ] nums = {2, 5, 9, 8, 10, 20, 30};
```

What is

nums.length

nums [1]

nums [2] + nums [4]

nums [2 + 4]

nums [nums [0] * 2]

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2-Dimension

Grid, map, game boards, images, etc.

array of arrays

- `int[][] g = new int[20][100];`

technically: array of 20 element, each of 100 ints

`g.length ??`

`g[0].length ??`

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2-D Examples

“Rows and columns”

Spreadsheet of user movie ratings

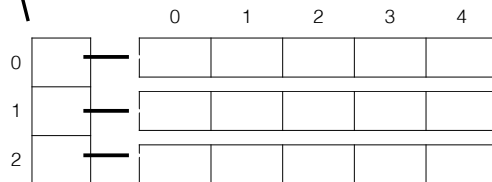
rating [0] [4] user 0; movie 4

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2-D Array

Array of references to 1D arrays

- `int [] [] rating = new int [3] [5];`



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2-D Arrays

Write a method that is given a 2-D array of user movie ratings. Return the average user rating for all movies

Write a method that is given a 2-D array of user movie ratings and a “threshold” value. Return the number of ratings above the threshold

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2-D Arrays of Objects

`House [][] h;`

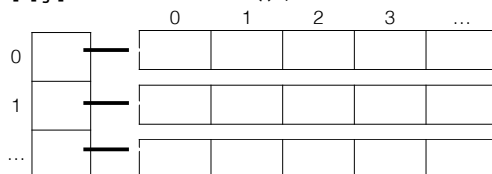
`h = new House[SIZE_A][SIZE_B];`

`for (int i=0; i<SIZE_A; i++)`

`for (int j=0; j < SIZE_B; j++)`

`h[i][j] = new House();`

null



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2-D Arrays

Illustrates the “array of arrays” concept

```
int[ ][ ] myArray = { {236, 189, 189, 0},  
                      {236, 80, 189, 189},  
                      {236, 0, 189, 80},  
                      {236, 189, 189, 80} };
```

-Better to use a file to read values

```
String[ ][ ] myStudents = { {"John", "Paul"},  
                             {"Amber", "Bennett", "Carl", "Dwayne"},  
                             {"Helen", "Isaac", "Joe"} };
```

Row length: `myStudent[r].length`

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