Arrays

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- Homework deadline extension: submit a request as your homework (I will get an email notification), then I can extend the resubmission deadlines individually.
- no office hours next Tuesday (Sep 15th).

Syntax and initialization

An **array** is a series of elements of the same type placed in contiguous memory locations that can be individually referenced by adding an index to a unique identifier.

Syntax

```
float detEnergy[8];
char myWord[20];
```

The indices of an N-element array run from 0 to N-1.

Initializing an array

Allocating and accessing a value

Allocating a value to an array element:

```
detEnergy[3] = 1.460;
myWord[10] = 'p';

//array elements can be accessed by a non-constant integer variable
int nIndex = 3;
detEnergy[nIndex] = 1.460;
```

The size of the array must be declared as a constant and has to be known at the time of compilation!

```
int anArray[5]; // Ok — 5 is a literal constant

const int nArraySize = 5;
int anArray[nArraySize]; // Ok — nArraySize is a variable constant

int nSize = 5;
int anArray[nSize]; // Not ok! — nSize is not a constant!
```

Arrays and loops

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Loops make manipulating array elements much easier:

Modify the above code so that it also finds the best score in the class.

Warning

Make sure that the loop iterates properly over the array elements! Accessing an non-existing array element results in a segmentation fault that is frequently difficult to localize in the code!

Problem 1

Vector algebra

Write a code that:

- asks the user for coordinates of two vectors in a 3D space,
- stores user's input in two one dimensional arrays, 3-element each,
- returns the results of: addition, subtraction, scalar product and vector product of these two vectors.

Arrays and structs

Arrays can hold any data type, even structs:

```
struct Rectangle
{
   int nLength;
   int nWidth;
};

Rectangle asArray[5]; // declare an array of 5 sRectangle

asArray[0].nLength = 24;
asArray[0].nWidth = 7;
```

and can be an element of a struct:

```
struct Detector
{
3 int multiplicity;
float energy[4];
5 long int time[4];
};

Detector sClover; // declare a detector that stores four values of energy and time

9 sClover.energy[2] = 0.6;
sclover.time[2] = 12345;
```

Multidimensional arrays

An element of an array can also be an array ⇒ multidimensional array

```
int anArray[3][5];
```

where the first index can be thought of as a row number and the second is a column number.

Use nested braces to initialize an array:

```
int anArray[3][5] =
2 {
3 //[0][0],[0][1], ....
4 { 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, }, //row 0
5 //[1][0], [1][1], ...
6 { 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, }, // row 1
7 { 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 } // row 2
8 };
```

The whole multidimensional array can be initialized to zero:

```
int anArray[3][5] = { 0 };
```

Multiplication table

Write a code that prints out a multiplication table for all values between 1 and 9.

Problem 2

Matrix algebra

Write a code that takes two 3x3 matrices from the user. (NOTE: the cin command can read in multiple space-separated values). Then the code should:

- return transposed matrix of both input matrices and their traces,
- print out the result of addition and subtraction of the two input matrices.
- print out the product of two arrays to the screen.