

# Two-Dimensional Arrays

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- How to create and delete a dynamically allocated matrix of  $n$  by  $m$ :

- ```
int** M = new int*[n]; // allocate an array of row pointers
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
    M[i] = new int[m]; // allocate the i-th row
```

- ```
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++)
    delete[] M[i]; // delete the i-th row
delete[] M; // delete the array of row pointers
```

- vector< vector<int> > M(n, vector<int>(m));

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# Two Ways to Compute Sum of Elements in a 2D Matrix

Quiz: Which is faster? Why?

## ○ Row sum first

```
// Calculate row sum first
int rowSum(int array[][COL]){
    int sum=0;
    for(int i=0; i<ROW; i++)
        for(int j=0; j<COL; j++) // row sum
            sum+=array[i][j];
    return sum;
}
```

[Link to code](#)

Add compiler optimization option:  
-O0, -O2, -O3, -Ofast

Why do we need to specify the column size?

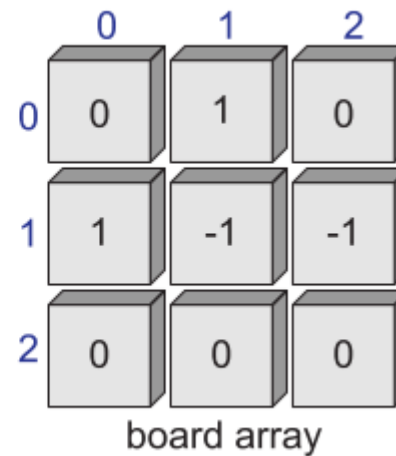
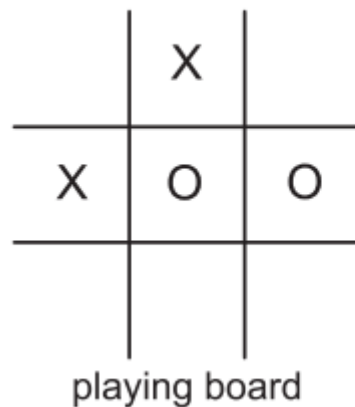
## ○ Column sum first

```
// Calculate column sum first
int colSum(int array[][COL]){
    int sum=0;
    for(int j=0; j<COL; j++)
        for(int i=0; i<ROW; i++) // col sum
            sum+=array[i][j];
    return sum;
}
```

# Example: Game of Tic-Tac-Toe

## ○ Examples

- ticTacToe00.cpp



## ○ Observation

- It quite easy to implement it as an interactive game.

# FAQ

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- What is stack and heap?
- Segmentation fault on large array sizes