# UEE1302 Introduction to Computers and Programming

C\_Lecture o7:

Arrays

C: How to Program 7<sup>th</sup> ed. Chapter 6 C Arrays

## Agenda

- Introduction to Arrays
- Declaring Arrays
- Passing Arrays to Functions
- Examples using Arrays
  - Partially-Filled Arrays
  - Searching an Array
  - Sorting an Array
- Multidimensional Arrays

#### Introduction to Arrays

- Array definition:
  - A collection of data of same type
- Used for lists of like items
  - Ex: scores, temperatures, names, etc.
  - Avoids declaring multiple simple variables
  - Can manipulate "list" as one entity

#### **One-Dimension Arrays**

- One-Dimension Array (Single-Dimension Array or Vector): a list of related values
  - All items in the list have the same data type
  - All list members are stored using a single group name
- Example: a list of grades

```
98, 87, 92, 79, 85
```

- All grades are integers and must be declared
- Can be declared as single unit under a common name (the array name)

#### **Declaring Arrays**

- Array declaration statement provides:
  - The array (list) name
  - The data type of array items
  - The number of items in array
- Syntax

dataType arrayName[numberOfItems]

 Common programming practice requires defining the number of array items as a constant before declaring the array

#### Declaring Arrays (cont.)

• Examples of array declaration statements:

```
// define a constant for the number of items
const int NUMBER = 5;
int grade[NUMBER]; // declare the array
const int ARRAYSIZE = 4;
char code[ARRAYSIZE];
const int MENUS = 6;
double prices[MENUS];
```

#### One-Dimension Arrays (cont.)

- Each array allocates sufficient memory to hold the number of data items given in the declaration
- Array element (component): an item of the array
- Individual array elements are stored sequentially
  - A key feature of arrays that provides a simple mechanism for easily locating single elements

#### One-Dimension Arrays (cont.)

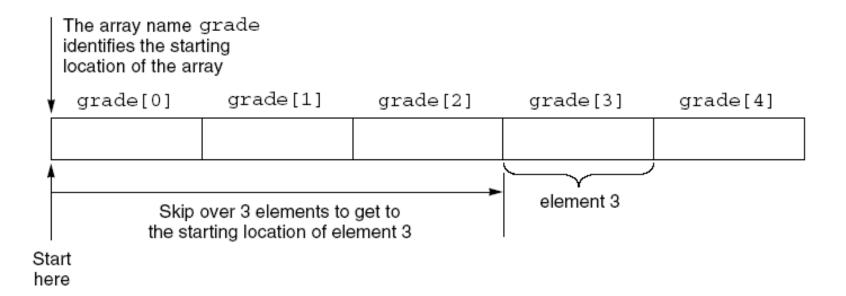
```
char code[4];
           char
                     char
                              char
                                        char
  code
                                        code[3]
           code[o]
                     code[1]
                              code[2]
          4 chars * 1byte/char = 4bytes
int grade[5];
            int
                     int
                               int
                                         int
                                                  int
 grade
           grade[o]
                                        grade[3]
                    grade[1]
                              grade[2]
                                                 grade[4]
                5 ints * 4bytes/int = 2obytes
```

#### **Accessing Arrays**

- Index (subscript value): position of individual element in an array
- Accessing of array elements: done by giving array name and the element's index
  - grade [0] refers to first grade stored in grade array
- Subscripted variables can be used anywhere that scalar variables are valid:

```
• grade[0] = 95.75;
• grade[1] = grade[0] - 11.0;
```

## Accessing Arrays (cont.)



#### Accessing Arrays (cont.)

- Subscripts: do not have to be integers
  - Any expression that evaluates to an integer may be used as a subscript
  - Subscript must be within the declared range
- Examples of valid subscripted variables (assumes i and j are int variables):
  - grade[i]
  - grade[2\*i]
  - grade[j-i]

#### **Initializing Arrays**

• As simple variables can be initialized at declaration:

```
int price = 0;
// 0 is initial value
```

Arrays can as well:

```
int children[3] = { 2, 12, 1 };
```

Equivalent to following:

```
int children[3];
children[0] = 2;
children[1] = 12;
children[2] = 1;
```

#### **Auto-Initializing Arrays**

- If fewer values than size supplied:
  - Fills from beginning
  - Fills "rest" with zero of array base type
- Example:

```
long vec[15] = \{-1\};
//vec[0]=-1, vec[1]=0 ... vec[14]=0
```

- If array-size is left out
  - Declares array with size required based on number of initialization values
  - Example:

```
int b[] = \{5, 12, 11\};
```

Allocate array b to have the size of 3

#### Special: char Array

- char array: an array consists of multiple characters char
  - Example:

- \0 in name [3] is called NULL character and automatically appended in the assignment.
- Another example:

```
char name[] = {'W','i','n'};
printf("%d\n", sizeof(name));
```

• Will be introduced in details in the later lecture

#### Input and Output of Array Values

• Individual array elements can be assigned with values interactively using a scanf statement

```
scanf("%d", &grade[0]);
scanf("%d%d",&grade[1], &grade[2]);
scanf("%d%d",&grade[3], &grade[4]);
```

Instead, a for loop can be used

```
const int NUM = 5;
for (i = 0; i < NUM; i++)
{
    printf( "Enter a grade: ");
    scanf("%d", &grade[i]);
}</pre>
```

#### Input and Output of Array Values (cont.)

• Bounds checking: C/C++ does not check if value of an index is within the declared bounds

```
int score[4];
score[10] = 5;
```

- If an out-of-bounds index is used, C/C++ will not provide notification
  - Program will attempt to access out-of-bounds element, causing program error or crash

#### Input and Output of Array Values (cont.)

Using printf to display subscripted variables:

```
• Example 1
printf("%d", prices[5]);

    Example 2

printf("The value of element ");
printf(" %d is %d ", i, grade[i]);

    Example 3

 const int NUMELS = 20;
 for (k = 5; k < NUMELS; k++)
     printf("%d %d", k, amount[k]);
```

#### Initializing an Array with an Initializer List

```
// Modified from Fig. 6.4: fig06 04.c
// Initializing an array with an initializer list.
#include <stdio.h>
int main ( void )
     int n[5] = \{32, 27, 64, 18, 95\};
     size_t i;
    printf("%s%13s\n", "Element", "Value");
    for (i = 0; i < 5; i++)
        printf("%7u%13d\n", i, n[i]);
    return 0;
```

## Initializing an Array with an Initializer List (cont.)

#### screen output

Element	Value
0	32
1	27
2	64
3	18
4	95

#### Initializing an Array

```
// Fig. 6.5: fig06_05.c
// Set arrays to the even integers from 2 to 20.
#include <stdio.h>
#define SIZE 10 // maximum size of array
int main ( void )
    int s[SIZE]; // array s has 10 elements
    size t i;
    for (i = 0; i < SIZE; i++)
         s[i] = 2 + 2 * i;
    printf("%s%13s\n", "Element", "Value");
    for (i = 0; i < SIZE; i++)
        printf("%7u%13d\n", i, n[i]);
    return 0;
```

## Initializing an Array (cont.)

#### screen output

Element	Value
0	2
1	4
2	6
3	8
4	10
5	12
6	14
7	16
8	18
9	20

#### Die-rolling Program

```
i// Fig. 6.9: fig06_09.c
// Roll a six-sided die 6,000 times.
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <time.h>
#define SIZE 7
int main( void )
     int face; // random die value 1 - 6
    unsigned int roll; // roll counter 1 - 6000
    unsigned int frequency[SIZE] = {0}; // initialize to 0
     srand( time(NULL) ); //seed random number generator
     for (roll = 1; roll <= 6000; roll++) {
         face = 1 + rand()%6;
         ++frequency[face];
```

## Die-rolling Program (cont.)

```
printf("%s%17s\n", "Face", "Frequency");
  for (face = 1; face < SIZE; face++)
     printf("%4d%17d\n", face, frequency[face]);

return 0;
}</pre>
```

#### screen output

```
Face Frequency
1 1029
2 951
3 987
4 1033
5 1010
6 990
```

## Defined Constant as Array Size

- Always use defined/named constant for array size, not one number
  - improves readability
  - improves versatility
  - improves maintainability
- Example:

```
const int NUM_STUDENTS = 4;
int score[NUM_STUDENTS];
```

#### **Uses of Defined Constant**

- Use everywhere size of array is needed
  - In for loop for traversal:

```
for ( i = 0; i < NUM_STUDENTS; i++ )
{
// Manipulate array
}</pre>
```

• In calculations involving size:

```
lastIndex = (NUM_STUDENTS - 1);
```

- When passing array to functions
- If the size changes => requires only ONE change in your program!

#### Arrays in Functions

- Pass indexed variables to functions
  - array elements as arguments
  - Ex: func(c[0],...)
    - => an individual "element" of an array can be function parameter
- Pass entire arrays to functions
  - array names as arguments
  - Ex: func(arrayName, 24)
    - => all array elements can be passed as one entity
- As return value from function
  - can be done and discussed in later lecture

#### Indexed Variables as Arguments

- Indexed variable handled same as simple variable of array base type
- Given this function declaration:

```
void myFunction(double par1);
```

And these declarations:

```
int i; double n, a[10];
```

Can make these function calls:

```
myFunction(i); // i is converted to double
myFunction(a[3]); // a[3] is double
myFunction(n); // n is double
```

## Subtlety of Indexing

Consider the example:

```
myFunction(a[i]);
```

- Value of i is determined first => i determines which indexed variable is sent
- More example

```
myFunction(a[i*5]);
```

- Perfectly legal, from compiler's view
- Programmer responsible for staying "in-bounds" of array
  - => mean checking if i falls in the legal range

#### Entire Arrays as Arguments

- Formal parameter can be entire array
  - Argument then passed in function call is array name
  - Called "array parameter"
- Send size of array as well
  - Typically done as second parameter
  - Simple int type formal parameter

#### Example of Arrays as Arguments

• In main() function definition, consider the following calls:

```
int score[4], numberOfScores = 4;
fillUp(score, numberOfScores);
```

- 1st argument score is entire array
- 2nd argument numberOfScores is an integer
- Note no brackets in array argument!

#### Arrays as Arguments: How?

- What's really passed?
- Think of array as 3 "pieces"
  - address of first indexed variable (arrName[0])
  - array base type
  - size of array
- Only 1st piece is passed!
  - Just the beginning address of array
  - Very similar to "pass-by-reference"

#### Array Name and Address

```
// Fig. 6.12: fig06_12.c
// The name of an array is the same as &array[0].
#include <stdio.h>

int main( void )

{
    char array[5]; // define an array of size 5

    printf(" array = %p\n&array[0] = %p\n &array = %p\n", array, &array[0], &array);
    return 0;
}
```

#### screen output

```
array = 0012FF78
&array[0] = 0012FF78
&array = 0012FF78
```

#### **Array Parameters**

- May seem strange
  - No brackets in array argument when being called
  - Must send size separately!!
- One nice property:
  - Can use SAME function to fill any size array (of same type)!
  - Exemplifies "re-use" properties of functions
  - Example:

```
int score[4], time[10];
fillUp(score, 4);
fillUp(time, 10);
```

#### const Parameter Modifier

- Recall: array parameter actually passes address of 1st element
  - similar to pass-by-reference
- Function can then modify array!
  - Often desirable, sometimes not!
- Protect array contents from modification
  - use "const" modifier before array parameter
  - called "constant array parameter"
  - Tells compiler to "not allow" modifications
  - Ex: int fillUp(const int a[], int size)

#### Functions that Return an Array

- Functions cannot return arrays as the same way simple types are returned
- Requires use of a "pointer"
- Will be discussed in later lectures...

## Programming with Arrays

- Plenty of uses
  - Partially-filled arrays
    - => must be declared some "max size"
  - Sorting
  - Searching

# Partially-Filled Arrays

- Difficult to know exact array size needed
  - Ex: The maximum number of students in one class is 50 but may be 45 or 47 in fact
- Must declare to be largest possible size
  - Must then keep "track" of valid data in array
  - Additional "tracking" variable needed

```
int numberUsed;
```

• Tracks current number of elements in array

# Example of Partially-Filled Arrays

```
#include <stdio.h>
const int MAX NUM SCORES = 100;
void initializeArray(int a[], int size);
int fillArray(int a[], int size);
double computeAverage(const int a[],int usedSize);
int main()
    int score[MAX NUM SCORES], numUsed = 0;
    double avq = 0;
    initializeArray(score, MAX_NUM_SCORES);
    numUsed = fillArray(score, MAX_NUM_SCORES);
    avg = computeAverage(score, numUsed);
    printf("Average = %.2f\n", avg);
    return 0;
```

# Example of Partially-Filled Arrays (cont.)

```
void initializeArray(int a[], int size)
{
    // fill up cells a[0] ... a[size-1] with -1
    int i;
    for (i = 0; i < size; i++)
    {
        a[i] = -1;
    }
}</pre>
```

# Example of Partially-Filled Arrays (cont.)

```
//called from fillArray(score, MAX NUM SCORES, numUsed);
int fillArray(int a[], int size)
    int next = -1, i = 0;
    int usedSize;
    printf("Enter up to %d numbers: ", size);
    scanf("%d", &next);
    while ((next >= 0) && ( i < size))
        a[i] = next;
        i++;
        scanf("%d", &next);
    usedSize = i;
    return usedSize;
```

# Example of Partially-Filled Arrays (cont.)

```
//called from computeAverage(score, numUsed);
double computeAverage(const int a[], int usedSize)
    double total = 0.0i
    int i;
    for (i = 0; i < usedSize; i++)
         total = total + a[i];
    if (usedSize>0)
         return (total/usedSize);
    else
        printf("ERROR: no element in array\n");
         return 0;
```

# Searching Arrays with Linear Search

```
i// Fig. 6.18: fig06_18.c
// Linear search of an array.
#include <stdio.h>
#define SIZE 100
int linearSearch( const int array[], int key, int size);
int main( void )
    int a[SIZE];
    int i; // counter
    int searchKey;
    int element;
    // create data
    for ( i = 0; i < SIZE; i++)
        a[i] = 2 * i;
    printf("Enter integer search key:\n");
    scanf("%d", &searchKey);
```

### Searching Arrays with Linear Search (cont.)

```
// attempt to locate searchKey in array a
element = linearSearch( a, searchKey, SIZE );

if ( element != -1 )
    printf("Found value in element %d\n", element);
else
    printf("Value not found\n");

return 0;
}
```

### Searching Arrays with Linear Search (cont.)

```
1// compare key to every element of array until location is
/// found or until end of array is reached; return
/// subscript of element if key is found of -1 if key not
// found
int linearSearch( const int array[], int key, int size)
    int j; // counter
    for ( j = 0; j < size; j++)
         if ( array[j] == key ) // if found,
            return j;
    return -1; // key not found
```

### Searching Arrays with Linear Search (cont.)

#### screen output

```
Enter integer search key:
36
Found value in element 18
```

```
Enter integer search key:

37

Value not found
```

### Sorting an Array

#### • Input:

• an array  $c = \{c[0], c[1], ..., c[n-1]\}$  of n numbers

#### • Output:

• a permutation c'[0], c'[1], ..., c'[n-1] of the input sequence such that .

```
c'[0] \le c'[1] \le ... \le c'[n-1]
```

• The number that we wish to sort are known as the keys.

#### Example:

- Input: 8 2 4 9 3 6
- Output: 2 3 4 6 8 9

### Example of Insertion Sort

• IEDA: sort your poker cards

8	2	4	9	3	6
2	8	4	9	3	6
2	4	8	9	3	6
2	4	8	9	3	6
2	3	4	8	9	6
2	3	4	6	8	9

#### Pseudocode of Insertion Sort

```
Insertion-Sort(A)
1 for j \leftarrow 1 to length |A|-1
     do key \leftarrow A[j]
     //Insert A[j] into the sorted sequence A[o..j-1]
    i \leftarrow j
     while i>o and A[i]>key do
                                                                 Key: 2
         A[i] \leftarrow A[i-1]
                                       8
                                              2
                                                     4
                                                           9
         i \leftarrow i - 1
                                       8
                                              8
                                                                         6
                                                                  3
                                                     4
                                                           9
      A[i] \leftarrow \text{key}
                                              8
                                                                         6
                                       2
                                                     4
                                                           9
```

# Sorting Arrays with Insertion Sort

```
\frac{1}{4} // This program sorts an array's values in ascending order.
#include <stdio.h>
int main( void )
    const int arraySize = 10; // size of array a
     int i, next;
     int data[arraySize] = {34, 56, 4, 10, 77, 51, 93, 30,
5, 52};
     int insert; // temporary variable to hold element to
insert
    printf( "Unsorted array:\n");
     // output original array
     for (i = 0; i < arraySize; i++)
         printf("%4d", data[ i ]);
```

# Sorting Arrays with Insertion Sort (cont.)

```
// insertion sort
// loop over the elements of the array
for ( next = 1; next < arraySize; next++)
    insert = data[ next ];
    int moveItem = next;
    while ( ( moveItem > 0) &&
            ( data[moveItem-1] > insert ) )
        // shift element one slot to the right
        data[ moveItem ] = data[ moveItem - 1 ];
        moveItem--;
    data[ moveItem ] = insert;
```

# Sorting Arrays with Insertion Sort(cont.)

```
printf("\nSorted array:\n");

// output sorted array

for (i = 0; i < arraySize; i++)
        printf("%4d", data[ i ]);

printf("\n");

return 0;

}</pre>
```

### Sorting Arrays with Insertion Sort(cont.)

screen output

```
Unsorted array:
34 56 4 10 77 51 93 30 5 52
Sorted array:
4 5 10 30 34 51 52 56 77 93
```

### Selection Sort



- Given n numbers to sort:
- Repeat the following n-1 times:
  - Mark the first unsorted number
  - Find the smallest unsorted number
  - Swap the marked and smallest numbers

### Selection Sort

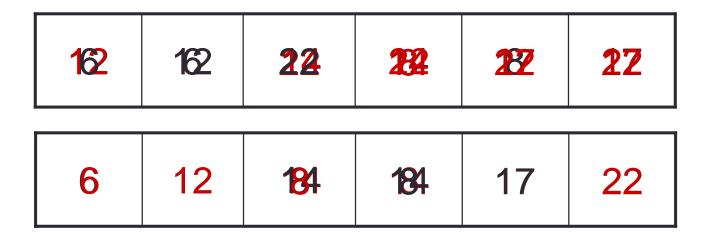


- Given n numbers to sort:
- Repeat the following n-1 times:
  - Mark the first unsorted number
  - Find the smallest unsorted number
  - Swap the marked and smallest numbers

### Selection Sort Code

```
1// selection sort
void selectSort( int array[], const int size)
     int i, j, min;
     int hold;
     for ( i = 0; i < size - 1; i++)
         min = i;
         for ( j = i + 1; j < size; j++)</pre>
             if (array[j] < array[min])</pre>
                  min = j;
         hold = array[i];
         array[i] = array[min];
         array[min] = hold;
```

### **Bubble Sort**



- Given n numbers to sort:
- Repeat the following n-1 times:
  - For each pair of adjacent numbers:
    - If the number on the left is greater than the number on the right, swap them.

### **Bubble Sort**



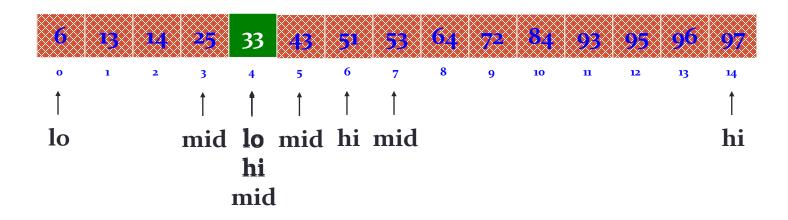
- Given n numbers to sort:
- Repeat the following n-1 times:
  - For each pair of adjacent numbers:
    - If the number on the left is greater than the number on the right, swap them.

#### **Bubble Sort Code**

```
// Bubble sort
void bubbleSort( int array[], const int size)
    int i, j;
    int hold;
    for ( i = 0; i < size - 1; i++)
        for ( j = 0; j < size - 1; j++)
             if (array[j] < array[j+1])
                 hold = array[j];
                 array[j] = array[j+1];
                 array[j+1] = hold;
```

# Binary Search

- Binary search is used to find the position of a key in a sorted array.
  - We compare the key with value in the middle of array.
    - If the key is less than the value of the middle element of the array, we repeat the above step on the sub-array on the left.
    - If the key is greater than the value of the middle element of the array, we repeat the above step on the sub-array on the right.



# Binary Search Code

```
// Binary search
int binarySearch(const int b[], int key, int low, int high)
     int middle;
     while ( low <= high) {</pre>
         middle = (low + high) / 2;
         if ( key == b[middle] )
             return middle;
         else if ( key < b[middle] )</pre>
             high = middle - 1;
         else
             low = middle + 1;
```

### Multi-dimensional Arrays

- Declare arrays with more than one index
  - char page[30][100];

    //fixed sizes for two dimensions
  - Two indexes: An "array of arrays"
  - Visualize as:

Page[0][0]	Page[0][1]	•••	Page[0][99]
Page[1][0]	Page[1][1]		Page[1][99]
Page[29][0]	Page[29][1]	•••	Page[29][99]

- C allows any number of indexes
  - Typically no more than two levels

# Initializing Multi-dimensional Arrays

- Unless specified, all initial values of arrays are garbage.
- You can specify initial values by enclosing each row in curly braces like this

### Multi-dimensional Array Parameters

- Similar to one-dimensional array
  - 1st dimension size not given: provided as second parameter
  - 2nd dimension size IS given => remember
- Example:

```
void DisplayPage(const char p[][100], int sizeDim1)
{
    for ( i = 0; i < sizeDim1; i++)
        {
        for ( j = 0; j < 100; j++)
            printf( "%3c", p[ i ][ j ]);
        printf("\n");
     }
}</pre>
```

### Initializing a Multi-dimensional Array

```
// Fig. 6.21: fig06_21.c
// initializing multi-dimensional array.
#include <stdio.h>
void printArray( const int a[][3] );
int main ( void )
     int array1[2][3] = \{\{1, 2, 3\}, \{4, 5, 6\}\};
     int array2[2][3] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};
     int array3[2][3] = {{1, 2}, {4}};
    printf("Values in array 1 by row are:\n");
    printArray(array1);
    printf("Values in array 2 by row are:\n");
    printArray(array2);
    printf("Values in array 3 by row are:\n");
    printArray(array3);
    return 0;
```

### Initializing a Multi-dimensional Array (cont.)

```
void printArray( const int a[][3] )
{
   int i;  // row counter
   int j;  // column counter

   for ( i = 0; i <= 1; i++) {
      for ( j = 0; j <= 2; j++)
            printf("%d ", a[i][j]);
      printf("\n");
   }
}</pre>
```

### Initializing a Multi-dimensional Array (cont.)

#### screen output

```
Values in array1 by row are:
1 2 3
4 5 6

Values in array2 by row are:
1 2 3
4 5 0

Values in array3 by row are:
1 2 0
4 0 0
```

### Summary

- Array is collection of "same type" data
- Indexed variables of array used just like any other simple variables
- for-loop "natural" way to traverse arrays
- Programmer responsible for staying "in bounds" of array
- Array parameter is "new" kind
  - Similar to call-by-reference

### Summary (cont.)

- Array elements stored sequentially
  - "Contiguous" portion of memory
  - Only address of 1st element is passed to functions
- Partially-filled arrays => more tracking
- Constant array parameters
  - Prevent modification of array contents
- Multi-dimensional arrays
  - Create "array of arrays"