

# **C++ & Python Program Design -- Basics**

## **Array, Lists & Vectors**

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# Creating Lists 链表

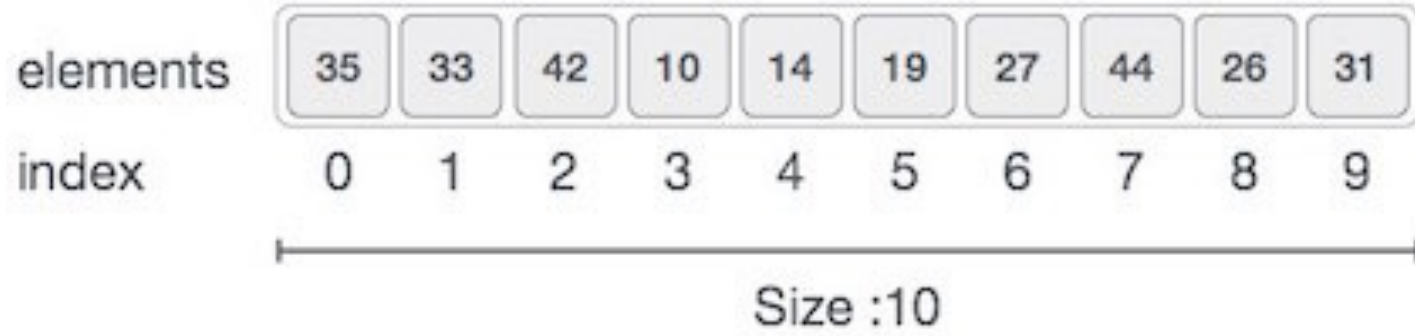
```
colors = ["red", "yellow", "green", "blue"]  
type(colors) #<class 'list'>
```

```
list("Python") #['P', 'y', 't', 'h', 'o', 'n']
```

```
groceries = "eggs, milk, cheese"  
grocery_list = groceries.split(", ")  
print(grocery_list) #['eggs', 'milk', 'cheese']
```

```
"The quick brown fox".split(" ")  
"abbaabba".split("ba")  
"abbaabba".split("c")
```

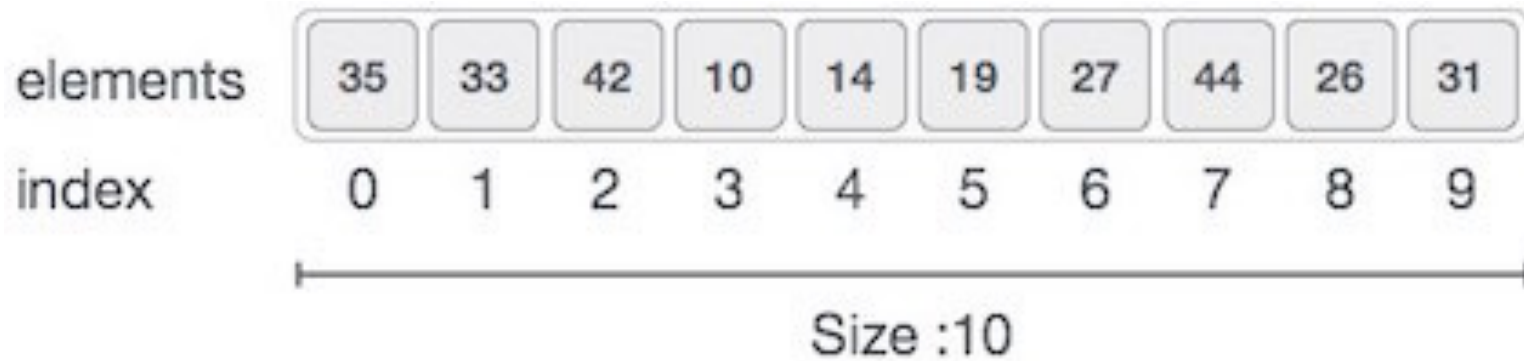
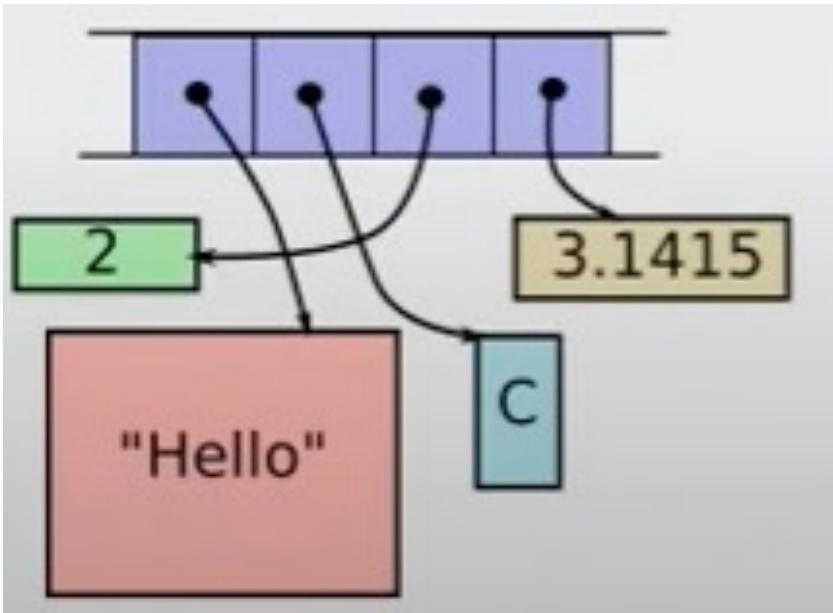
# Array in Python



- a sequence 序列 of multiple items/elements that are of the same type.
  - Item/element: 项, 元素
- contain items that are indexed by integers, starting with 0.
  - Index索引
- 但是不常用, 费劲, 一般用list或者numpy中的array

# Definition of list in Python

- Lists are mutable sequences.
- Lists contain items that are indexed by integers, starting with 0.
- `arr = [1, "hello", 'c', 3.14]`
- `print(arr[0], arr[1], arr[2], arr[3])`



# Basic List Operations

```
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4]
```

```
numbers[1]
```

```
numbers[1:3]#[2, 3], 左闭右开区间()
```

```
"Bob" in numbers #False
```

```
for number in numbers:  
    if number % 2 == 0:  
        print(number)
```

# Basic List Operations

Python Expression	Results	Description
<code>len([1, 2, 3])</code>	3	Length
<code>[1, 2, 3] + [4, 5, 6]</code>	<code>[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6]</code>	Concatenation
<code>['Hi!'] * 4</code>	<code>['Hi!', 'Hi!', 'Hi!', 'Hi!']</code>	Repetition
<code>3 in [1, 2, 3]</code>	True	Membership
<code>for x in [1, 2, 3]: print x,</code>	1 2 3	Iteration

# Indexing, Slicing, and Matrixes

- `L = ['spam', 'Spam', 'SPAM!']`
- `print(L[2])`
- `'SPAM!'`
- `print(L[1:])`
- `['Spam', 'SPAM!']`
- `print(L[-2])`
- `'Spam'`

# Changing Elements in a List

```
colors = ["red", "yellow", "green", "blue"]  
colors[0] = "burgundy"  
colors[1:3] = ["orange", "magenta"]  
print(colors)  
#['burgundy', 'orange', 'magenta', 'blue']
```



# Adding and Removing Elements

```
colors = ["red", "yellow", "green", "blue"]
colors.insert(1, "orange")
#['red', 'orange', 'yellow', 'green', 'blue']
colors.insert(-1, "indigo")
#['red', 'orange', 'yellow', 'green', "indigo",
'blue']
```

```
color = colors.pop(3) #'green'
print(colors)#['red', 'orange', 'yellow', "indigo", 'blue']
```

```
colors.append("green")#['red', 'orange', 'yellow',
"indigo", 'blue', 'green']
colors.extend(("violet", "ultraviolet"))
```

# Lists of Numbers

```
numbers = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]  
sum(numbers)  
min(numbers)
```

*#list Comprehension: a short-hand for a for loop*

```
squares = [num**2 for num in numbers]  
print(squares)
```

```
str_numbers = ["1.5", "2.3", "5.25"]  
float_numbers = [float(value) for value in  
str_numbers]
```

# Python would never let you iterate beyond the end of a list.

```
mylist = [1,2,3]  
print(mylist[10])
```

Traceback (most recent call last):  
 File "<stdin>", line 2, in <module>  
 print(mylist[10])  
IndexError: list index out of range

# range() 2 list

`range([start,] stop [, step])` -> range object

3 examples:

```
>>> list(range(-2, 2))  
[-2, -1, 0, 1]
```

```
>>> list(range(1, 20, 3))  
[1, 4, 7, 10, 13, 16, 19]
```

```
>>> list(range(20, 10, -5))  
[20, 15]
```

# Built-in List Functions & Methods

No.	Function with Description
1	<a href="#"><u>cmp(list1, list2)</u></a> Compares elements of both lists.
2	<a href="#"><u>len(list)</u></a> Gives the total length of the list.
3	<a href="#"><u>max(list)</u></a> Returns item from the list with max value.
4	<a href="#"><u>min(list)</u></a> Returns item from the list with min value.
5	<a href="#"><u>list(seq)</u></a> Converts a tuple into list.

# Built-in List Functions & Methods

No.	Methods with Description
1	<a href="#"><u>list.append(obj)</u></a> Appends object obj to list
2	<a href="#"><u>list.count(obj)</u></a> Returns count of how many times obj occurs in list
3	<a href="#"><u>list.extend(seq)</u></a> Appends the contents of seq to list
4	<a href="#"><u>list.index(obj)</u></a> Returns the lowest index in list that obj appears
5	<a href="#"><u>list.insert(index, obj)</u></a> Inserts object obj into list at offset index
6	<a href="#"><u>list.pop(obj=list[-1])</u></a> Removes and returns last object or obj from list
7	<a href="#"><u>list.remove(obj)</u></a> Removes object obj from list
8	<a href="#"><u>list.reverse()</u></a> Reverses objects of list in place
9	<a href="#"><u>list.sort([func])</u></a> Sorts objects of list, use compare func if given

# Review Exercises

1. Create a list named `food` with two elements `"rice"` and `"beans"`.
2. Append the string `"broccoli"` to `food` using `.append()`.
3. Add the string `"bread"` and `"pizza"` to `food` using `.extend()`.
4. Print the first two items in the `food` list using `print()` and slicing notation.
5. Print the last item in `food` using `print()` and index notation.
6. Create a list called `breakfast` from the string `"eggs, fruit, orange juice"` using the string `.split()` method.
7. Verify that `breakfast` has three items using `len()`.
8. Create a new list called `lengths` using a list comprehension that contains the lengths of each string in the `breakfast` list.

# **Array in C++**



# What is array?

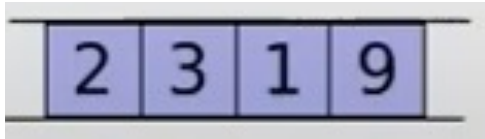
- always stored in contiguous memory

Memory Address	0x0400	0x0401	0x0402	0x0403	0x0404
Content	21	47	87	35	92
Index	0	1	2	3	4

# C Array vs Python List

- Same type of objects

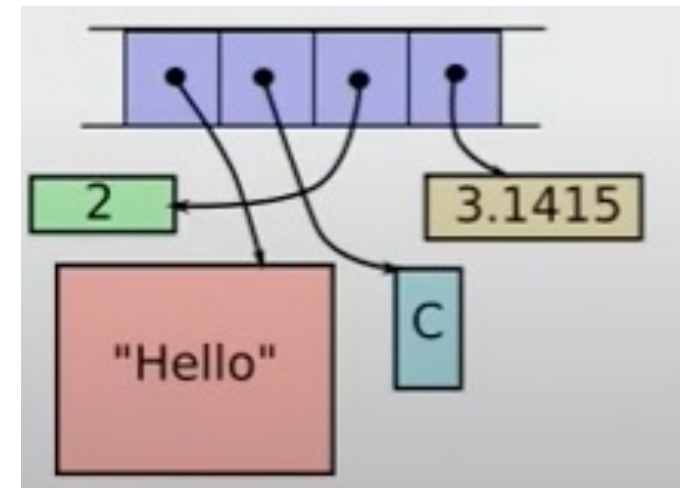
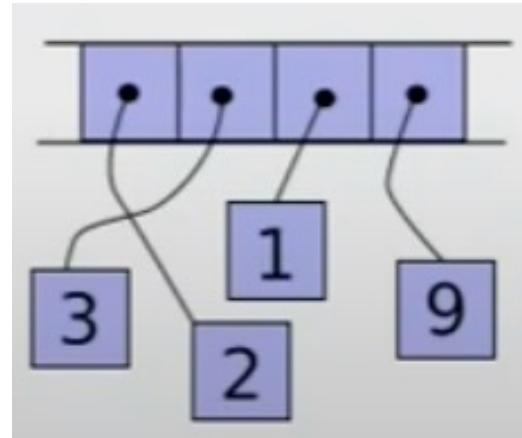
- `int arr[4];`



- Many type of objects

- `arr = [1, "hello", 'c', 3.14]`

- `arr[0]=2;arr[1]=3;arr[2]=1;arr[3]=9`



# C Array vs Python List Initialization 初始化

```
char arr1[10];  
int arr2[2] = {1, 2};  
double arr3[] = {1.2, 3.3};
```

```
cout << arr2[0] << endl;
```

- Must specify size of the array in advance

```
arr = []  
arr2 = [1, 2]
```

```
Print(arr2[0])
```

- No need to specify size of the array in advance

# Visiting the item specified by index索引

- C array

- `int arr[2] = {1, 2};`

- `arr[0];`

- 1st item is index 0
- Last item is SIZE - 1
- Can not use negative indices

- Python list

- `arr = [1, 2]`

- `arr[0]`

- `print(arr[-1])` #2

- 1st item is index 0
- Last item is SIZE - 1
- Can use negative indices

# Fixed size vs. Variable size

```
int arr2[2];
```

```
arr2 = [1, 2]  
arr2.append(3)  
arr2.pop(1)  
print(arr2) # [1, 3]
```

Once created, can not  
grow or shrink

Can grow  
Can shrink

# Without vs. with builtin methods

- No builtin methods
- Many builtin methods
  - `append()`
  - `pop()`
  - `reverse()`
  - `count()`
  - ...

# No slicing vs has slicing

`array[2:5]` ✗

`array[:3]` ✗

`array[2:]` ✗

`array[::-1]` ✗

- Write own code for slicing

`array[2:3]` ✓

`array[:3]` ✓

`array[2:]` ✓

`array[::-1]` ✓

# Array data types

- Arrays can be made from any data type.
  - Arrays can also be made from structs结构体.

```
struct Rectangle
```

```
{
```

```
    int length;
```

```
    int width;
```

```
};
```

```
Rectangle rects[5]; // declare an array of 5 Rectangle
```



# Arrays and off-by-one errors

What will be the output?

```
int scores[] = { 84, 92, 76, 81, 56 };  
const int numStudents = sizeof(scores) / sizeof(scores[0]);  
  
int maxScore = 0; // keep track of our largest score  
for (int student = 0; student <= numStudents; ++student)  
    if (scores[student] > maxScore)  
        maxScore = scores[student];  
  
std::cout << "The best score was " << maxScore << '\n';
```

# 越界导致改写了otherdata

A illustrative example, not work as it means actually.

```
int myarray[] = {2, 4};
int otherdata[]={777, 777};
for (int i=0; i<4; i++){
    myarray[i]=0;
    cout <<"myarray["<< i << "]= " <<
myarray[i]<< endl;
    cout << "add:" << &myarray[i] <<
endl;
}
for (int i=0; i<2; i++){
    cout <<"otherdata["<< i << "]= " <<
otherdata[i]<< endl;
    cout << "add:" << &otherdata[i] <<
endl;
}
```

```
myarray[0]=0
add:0x7ffd854b3538
myarray[1]=0
add:0x7ffd854b353c
myarray[2]=0
add:0x7ffd854b3540
myarray[3]=0
add:0x7ffd854b3544
otherdata[0]=0
add:0x7ffd854b3540
otherdata[1]=0
add:0x7ffd854b3544
```

# Arrays and off-by-one errors

```
int scores[] = { 84, 92, 76, 81, 56 };
```

```
if (scores[5] > maxScore)
```

```
    maxScore = scores[5];
```



- But scores[5] is undefined!
- This can cause all sorts of issues, with the most likely being that scores[5] results in a garbage value. In this case, the probable result is that maxScore will be wrong.
- However, imagine what would happen if we inadvertently assigned a value to array[5]!
- We might overwrite another variable (or part of it), or perhaps corrupt something -- these types of bugs can be very hard to track down!

# Be Cautious with Arrays

- The speed and low-level control is powerful... and dangerous.
- As a Python programmer, using a C++ array will help you better understand the trade-offs of the protections Python offers.
- Because C++ will generally try to do everything you ask for.

# Passing arrays to functions

// value is a copy of the argument

// so changing it here won't change the value of the argument

```
void passValue(int value) { value = 99; }
```

// prime is the actual array (pointer of 1<sup>st</sup> element)

// so changing it here will change the original argument!

```
void passArray(int prime[5]) { prime[0] = 11; prime[4] = 22; }
```

```
int main(){
```

```
    int value = 1;    passValue(value);
```

```
    cout << "after passValue: " << value << "\n";
```

```
    int prime[5] = { 2, 3, 5, 7, 11 };    passArray(prime);
```

```
    cout << "after passArray[0]: " << prime[0] << "[4]: " << prime[4] << "\n";
```

```
    return 0;}
```

# Prevent updating

// even though prime is the actual array, within this function it should be treated as a constant

```
void passArray(const int prime[5])
```

```
{
```

// so each of these lines will cause a compile error!

```
prime[0] = 11;
```

```
prime[1] = 7;
```

```
prime[2] = 5;
```

```
prime[3] = 3;
```

```
prime[4] = 2;
```

```
}
```

# sizeof and arrays

```
void printSize(int array[]){
```

```
    // prints the size of a pointer, not the size of the array!
```

```
    std::cout << sizeof(array) << '\n';
```

```
}
```

```
int main(){
```

```
    int array[] = { 4, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21 };
```

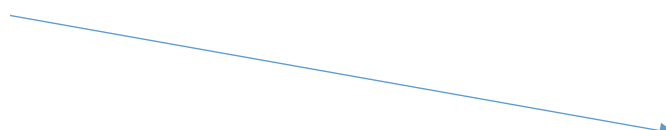
```
    // will print the size of the array in bytes
```

```
    std::cout << sizeof(array) << '\n';
```


```
    printSize(array);
```

```
    return 0;
```

```
}
```



```
✓ array: 0x00007ffeefbfff670  
  *array: 4  
✓ &array: 0x00007ffeefbfff648  
  > *$4: 0x00007ffeefbfff670  
✓ &array[0]: 0x00007ffeefbfff670  
  *$5: 4  
  array[0]: 4
```



```
✓ WATCH  
  > array: [8]  
  > &array: 0x00007ffeefbfff670  
  > &array[0]: 0x00007ffeefbfff670
```

What is printed?

32

4

# Array as function parameters

```
void printSize(int array[], int len){  
    cout << sizeof(array) << '\n';  
    for (int i = 0; i < len; ++i){cout << array[i] << endl ;}  
}  
  
int main(){  
    int array[5] = { 9, 7, 5, 3, 1 };  
    std::cout << "The array has address: " << array << '\n';  
    std::cout << "Element 0 has address: " << &array[0] << '\n';  
    std::cout << sizeof(array) << '\n';  
    arrInfo(array, 5);  
    return 0;}
```



# Typeid & sizeof

自己测试，不讲

```
void printSize(int array[]){  
    int* parr; int& arr=array[0];  
    cout << typeid(array).name() << ": " << sizeof(array) << endl;  
    cout << typeid(parr).name() << ": " << sizeof(parr) << endl;  
    cout << typeid(arr).name() << ": " << sizeof(arr) << endl;  
}
```

```
int array[] = { 4, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8 };  
cout << typeid(array).name() << ": " << sizeof(array) << endl;  
printSize(array);
```

A6\_i: 24

Pi: 8

Pi: 8

i: 4

# Review Exercises

- Print the following array to the screen using a loop:

```
const int arrayLength(9);
```

```
int array[arrayLength] = { 4, 6, 7, 3, 8, 2, 1, 9, 5 };
```

**std::array**

# An introduction to `std::array` in C++11

- `#include <array>`
- `std::array<int, 5> myarray; // declare an integer array with length 5`
- `myarray = { 0, 1, 2, 3, 4 }; // okay`
- `myarray = { 9, 8, 7 }; // okay, elements 3 and 4 are set to zero!`
- `myarray = { 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 }; // not allowed, too many elements in initializer list!`
- `std::array<int, 5> myarray2 { 9, 7, 5, 3, 1 }; // uniform initialization`

# at() has bounds checking, but [] hasn't

- `std::array<int, 5> myarray { 9, 7, 5, 3, 1 };`
- `myarray.at(1) = 6;` // array element 1 valid, sets array element 1 to value 6
- `myarray.at(9) = 10;` // array element 9 is invalid, will throw error
- `myarray[9] = 6;` // bad things will probably happen, but who knows, no exception thrown

# Size and sorting

- Because `std::array` doesn't decay to a pointer when passed to a function, the `size()` function will work even if you call it from within a function:

```
void printSize(const std::array<double, 5> &myarray){  
    std::cout << "size: " << myarray.size();  
}
```

```
int main(){  
    std::array<double, 5> myarray { 9.0, 7.2, 5.4, 3.6, 1.8 };  
  
    printSize(myarray);  
  
    return 0;}
```

```
#include <array>
```

```
#include <algorithm> // for std::sort
```

```
int main(){
```

```
    std::array<int, 5> myarray { 7, 3, 1, 9, 5 };
```

```
    std::sort(myarray.begin(), myarray.end()); // sort the array forwards
```

```
//    std::sort(myarray.rbegin(), myarray.rend()); // sort the array backwards
```

```
    for (const auto &element : myarray)
```

```
        std::cout << element << ' ';
```

```
    return 0;}
```

# Summary

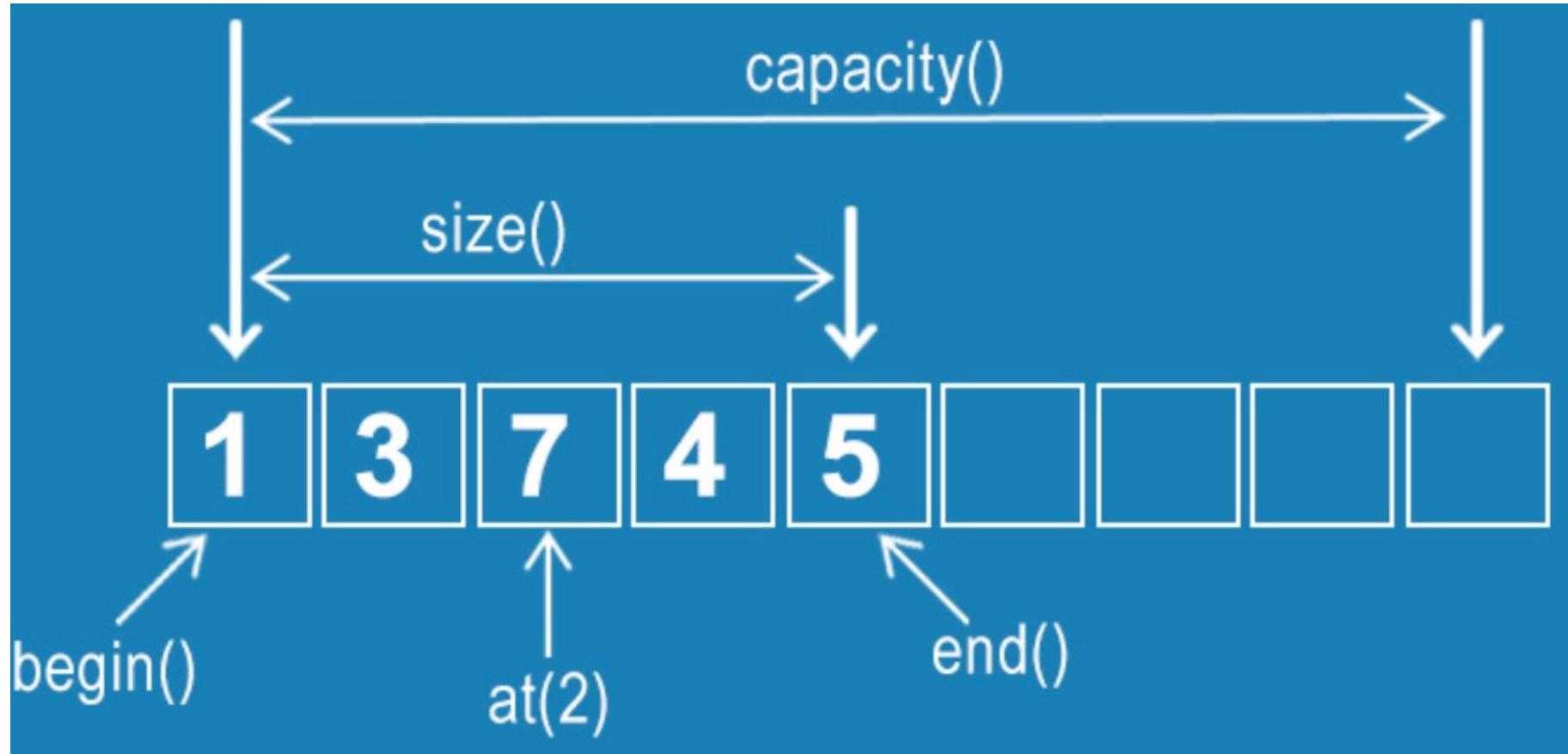
- `std::array` is a **great replacement** for build-in fixed arrays.
- It's **efficient**, in that it doesn't use any more memory than built-in fixed arrays.
- using `std::array` over built-in fixed arrays for any **non-trivial use**.



**std::vector**

# std::vector

- is a sequence container (dynamic array) which resizes itself automatically.



```

#include <vector>

std::vector<int> v {2,4,5};
v.push_back(6);
v.pop_back();
v[1] = 3;  v.at(1) = 3; // safer, slower
.....
cout << v[2];
for(int x : v) cout << x << ' '
.....

v.reserve(8);
v.resize(5, 0);

cout << v.capacity();
cout << v.size();

```

2	4	5	
2	4	5	6
2	4	5	
2	3	5	

.....  
prints 5

prints 2 3 5  
.....

2	3	5					
2	3	5	0	0	0		

prints 8

prints 5

# ***#include <vector>***

Common Operation	Use	Explanation
[ ]	myvector[i]	access value of element at index i
=	myvector[i]=value	assign value to element at index i
push_back	myvect.push_back(item)	Appends item to the far end of the vector
pop_back	myvect.pop_back()	Deletes last item (from far end) of the vector
insert	myvect.insert(i, item)	Inserts an item at index i
erase	myvect.erase(i)	Erases an element from index i
size	myvect.size()	Returns the actual size used by elements
capacity	myvect.capacity()	Returns the size of allocated storage capacity
reserve	myvect.reserve(amount)	Request a change in capacity to amount

# Conclusion

- `std::vector` handle their own memory management (which helps prevent memory leaks),
  - remember their size,
  - and can be easily resized,
- 
- using **`std::vector`** in almost all cases where **dynamic arrays** are needed.

# Practices: python & c++

// function that uses a vector to square every number from 0 to 49

// uses the reserve operation to save space in memory

```
vector<int> intvector;  
intvector.reserve(50);  
for (int i=0; i<50; i++){  
    intvector.push_back(i*i);  
    cout << intvector[i] << endl;  
}
```

```
intlist=[]  
for i in range(50):  
    intlist.append(i*i)  
    print(intlist[i])
```

# Why reserve()?

```
vector<int> intvector;  
//intvector.reserve(50);  
for (int i=0; i<50; i++){  
    intvector.push_back(i*i);  
    cout << intvector[i] << endl;  
    cout << "capacity: " <<  
intvector.capacity() << endl;  
}
```

不使用reserve, 会产生额外操作

0  
capacity: 1  
1  
capacity: 2  
4  
capacity: 4  
9  
capacity: 4  
16  
capacity: 8

# **comprehensive quiz**

- Arrays, C-style strings
- **Be careful not to index an array out of the array's range.**
- Represent 2D matrix as 1D array
- **std::array, std::vector**



# Quiz time: Basic

- What's wrong with each of these snippets, and how would you fix it?

```
int main()
{
    int array[5] { 0, 1, 2, 3 };
    for (int count = 0; count <= 5; ++count)
        std::cout << array[count] << " ";

    return 0;
}
```

# Quiz time: Advanced

- What's wrong with each of these snippets, and how would you fix it?

```
void printArray(int array[]){  
    for (const int &element : array)  
        std::cout << element << ' '  
}
```

```
int main(){  
    int array[] { 9, 7, 5, 3, 1 };  
    printArray(array);  
  
    return 0;}
```