

→ copy array from 1 array to another.

arraycopy() method ?

classmate

Date _____

Page _____

Q Create a copy of array?

→ To create a copy of an array in java from one array to another we can do this with 2 methods

1) using arraycopy() method.

2) simply iterate over the original array.

1) Using System.arraycopy

" In Java, the arraycopy method is used to copy elements from one array to another. It is a static method defined in System class.

System.arraycopy(Object src, int srcPos, Object dest,

int destPos, int length);

(int [], int, int [], int, int);

[In simple]:-

System.arraycopy(arr[] ↑, 0 ↑, new arr[] ↓, 0 ↓, newarr.length ↓)

(original array, starting point of original array, new array created, new array starting, length of new array)

Parameters:

- 1) src: This is the source array from which elements are to be copied.
- 2) srcPos: This is the starting position in the source array (src) from where elements will be copied.
- 3) dest: This is the destination array where elements will be copied.
- 4) destPos: This is the starting position in the destination array (dest) where elements will be copied.
- 5) length: This specifies the number of elements to be copied from the source array to destination array.

Note

- 1) (src) & (dest) must be array of the same type.
- 2) srcPos & destPos must be non-negative ^{positive} & within bounds of their respective arrays.
- 3) length must be non-negative ^{ive} & should not cause an (ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException) when added to (srcPos) or (destPos).

Date _____
Page _____

This method is efficient for copying array elements, especially when dealing with large arrays, as it ~~util~~ utilizes native code for performance optimization.

Java code

// Create a array.

```
int[] srcArray = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5};
```

// Create a variable to store the size of
// the array.

```
int size = srcArray.length;
```

// Create array where we will copy the above
// numbers.

```
int[] destArray = new int[size];
```

// copy all elements from srcArray to destArray.

```
System.arraycopy(srcArray, 0, destArray, 0, srcArray.length);
```

// display o/p

```
for (int i : destArray) {
```

```
    System.out.print(i + " ");
```

```
}
```

output
↳

1 2 3 4 5

Problem Statement

Here's an array `srcArray = { 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 }`
now create 2 separate arrays which
will have values such as `arr1 = { 1, 2, 3 }`
& `arr2 = { 4, 5 }`

→

```
int[] srcArray = { 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 };  
//  
// int[] arr1 = { 1, 2, 3 }  
//  
// int[] arr2 = { 4, 5 }
```

} comment

```
int size arr1 = 3;
```

```
int size arr2 = 2;
```

```
int[] arr1 = new int [size arr1];
```

```
int[] arr2 = new int [size arr2];
```

```
System.arraycopy(srcArray, 0, arr1, 0, srcArray.length - 2);
```

```
System.arraycopy(srcArray, 3, arr2, 0, srcArray.length - 3);
```

```
for (int i : arr1) {
```

```
    System.out.print(i + " ");
```

```
}
```

```
for (int i : arr2) {
```

```
    System.out.print(i + " ");
```

```
}
```