

# Chapter 7

## Single & Multi-Dimensional Arrays

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# Introduction

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- Often, we will have to store a large number of values during the execution of a program.
- Using a large number of variables like number0, number1, ..., and number99 would overly complicate the program.
- **Array** is data structure which stores a **fixed-size** sequential collection of elements of the same type.

# Array Basics

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- An array is used to store a collection of data, but often we find it more useful to think of **an array as a collection of variables** of the same type.
- Instead of declaring individual variables, we declare one array variable such as **numbers** and use **numbers[0], numbers[1], . . . , and numbers[99]** to represent individual variables.

## Array Basics

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`elementType[] arrayRefVar;`

or: `elementType arrayRefVar[]; // Allowed, but not preferred`

Example:

1. `double[] myList;`  
`myList = new double[10];`
2. `double[] myList = new double[10];`

## Array Basics

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When an array is created, its elements are assigned the default value of 0 for the numeric primitive data types, `\u0000` for char types, and false for boolean types.

`myList.length;` *//no () here*

# Array Basics

myList[0] = 5.6;

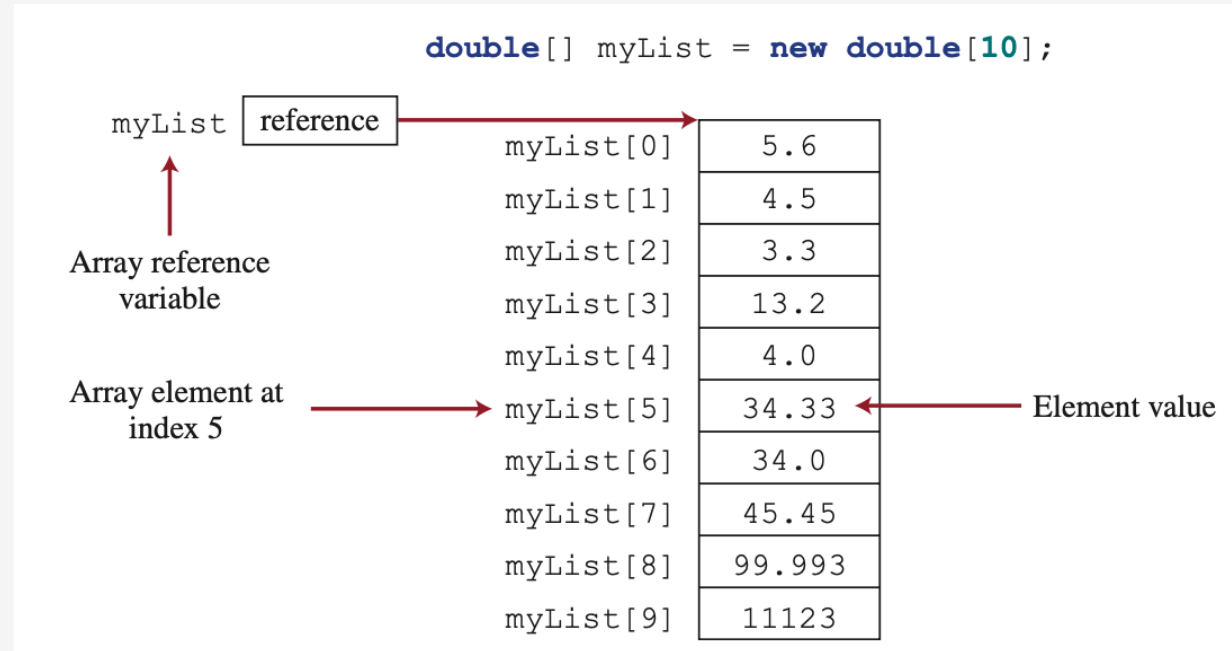
myList[1] = 4.5;

myList[2] = 3.3;

...

myList[8] = 99.993;

myList[9] = 11123;



# Array Basics

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`elementType[] arrayRefVar = {value0, value1, ..., valuek};`

`double[] myList = {1, 2, 3, 4};` —————→ 

1	2	3	4
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```
double[] myList;  
myList = {1.9, 2.9, 3.4, 3.5}; // Wrong
```

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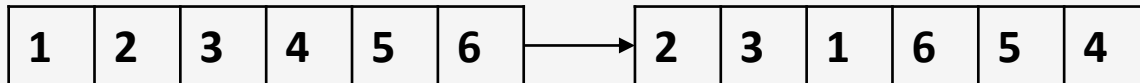
```
for (int i = 0; i < myList.length; i++) {  
    myList[i] = Math.random() * 100;  
}
```

```
double max = myList[0];  
for (int i = 1; i < myList.length; i++) {  
    if (myList[i] > max) max = myList[i];  
}
```

## Case Study: Random shuffling

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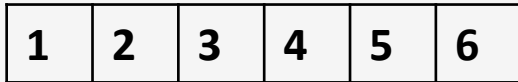
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random index

```
for (int i = 0; i < myList.length - 1; i++) {  
    int j = (int)(Math.random() * myList.length);  
    double temp = myList[i];  
    myList[i] = myList[j];  
    myList[j] = temp;  
}
```

# Array - Simplifying Coding

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```
String monthName;  
switch (monthNumber) {  
    case 1: monthName = "January"; break;  
    case 2: monthName = "February"; break;  
    case 3: monthName = "March"; break;  
    case 4: monthName = "April"; break;  
    case 5: monthName = "May"; break;  
    case 6: monthName = "June"; break;  
    case 7: monthName = "July"; break;  
    case 8: monthName = "August"; break;  
    case 9: monthName = "September"; break;  
    case 10: monthName = "October"; break;  
    case 11: monthName = "November"; break;  
    case 12: monthName = "December"; break;  
    default: monthName = "Invalid month"; break;  
}
```

```
String[] months = {"January", "February", ..., "December"};  
  
System.out.print("Enter a month number (1 to 12): ");  
int monthNumber = input.nextInt();  
  
System.out.println("The month is " + months[monthNumber - 1]);
```

# Caution

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```
for (int i = 0; i <= list.length; i++)  
    System.out.print(list[i] + " ");
```



ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException

# Foreach Loop

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- Java supports a convenient for loop, known as a foreach loop, which enables us to traverse the array sequentially without using an index variable.

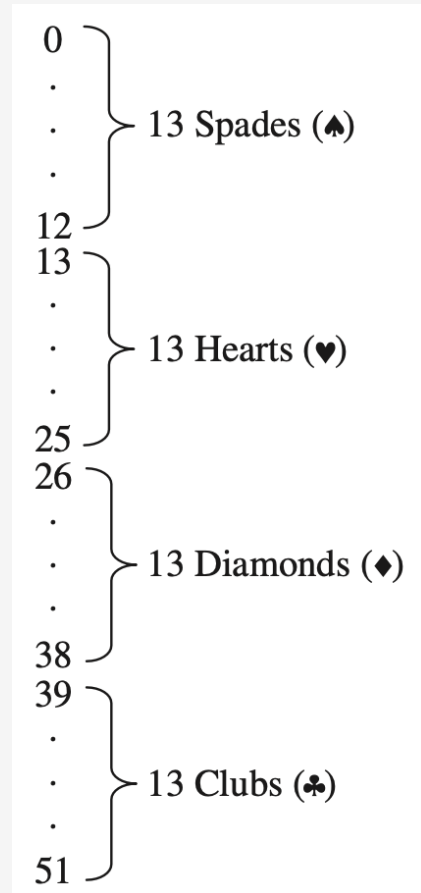
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for (double e: myList) {  
    System.out.println(e);  
}
```

## Case Study: Deck of Cards

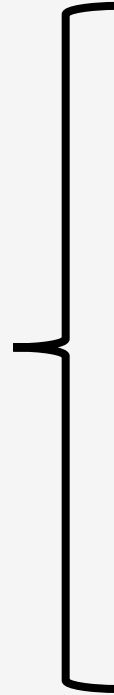
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- Create a program that will randomly shuffle a deck of cards, and then display the first 4 cards.
  1. create an array to store the 52 cards;
  2. shuffle the cards (array);
  3. display the first 4 cards;

# Case Study: Deck of Cards



deck	
[0]	0
.	.
.	.
.	.
.	.
[12]	12
[13]	13
.	.
.	.
.	.
.	.
[25]	25
[26]	26
.	.
.	.
.	.
.	.
[38]	38
[39]	39
.	.
.	.
.	.
.	.
[51]	51



$$\text{cardNumber} / 13 = \begin{cases} 0 & \longrightarrow \text{Spades} \\ 1 & \longrightarrow \text{Hearts} \\ 2 & \longrightarrow \text{Diamonds} \\ 3 & \longrightarrow \text{Clubs} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{cardNumber} \% 13 = \begin{cases} 0 & \longrightarrow \text{Ace} \\ 1 & \longrightarrow 2 \\ . & \\ . & \\ 10 & \longrightarrow \text{Jack} \\ 11 & \longrightarrow \text{Queen} \\ 12 & \longrightarrow \text{King} \end{cases}$$



# Case Study: Deck of Cards

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```
public class DeckOfCards {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int[] deck = new int[52];
        String[] suits = {"Spades", "Hearts", "Diamonds", "Clubs"};
        String[] ranks = {"Ace", "2", "3", "4", "5", "6", "7", "8", "9",
                           "10", "Jack", "Queen", "King"};
        // Initialize cards (1 point)

        // Shuffle the cards (2 points)

        // Display the first four cards (2 points)
        for (int i = 0; i < 4; i++) {
            _____
            _____
            System.out.println("Card number " + deck[i] + ": "
                               + rank + " of " + suit);
        }
    }
}
```

# Copying Arrays

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It is common to copying arrays and compare the original array with manipulated arrays.

# Copying Arrays

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`list2 = list1;`

**Wrong!**

*Before the assignment:*  
`list2 = list1;`

`list1` → Contents of list1

`list2` → Contents of list2

*After the assignment:*  
`list2 = list1;`

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- `arraycopy(sourceArray, srcPos, targetArray, tarPos, length);`
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`System.arraycopy(list1, 0, list2, 0, list1.length);`

- The `arraycopy` method **does not allocate memory** space for the target array. The target array **must have already been created** with its memory space allocated. After the copying takes place, `targetArray` and `sourceArray` have the same content but independent memory locations.



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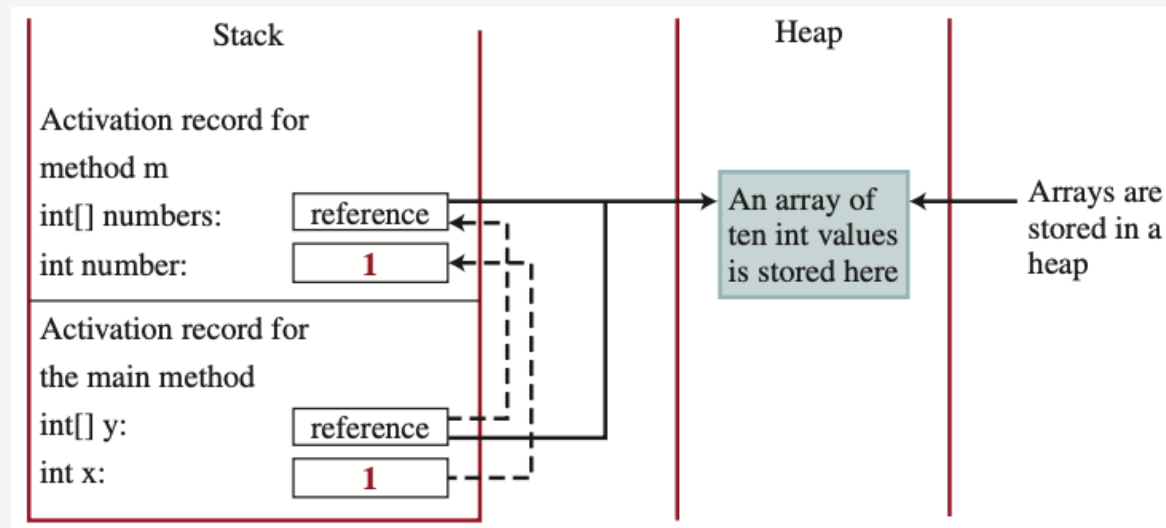
## Copying Arrays

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```
int[] array = {23, 43, 55, 12};  
int[] copiedArray = array.clone();
```

# Passing Arrays to Methods

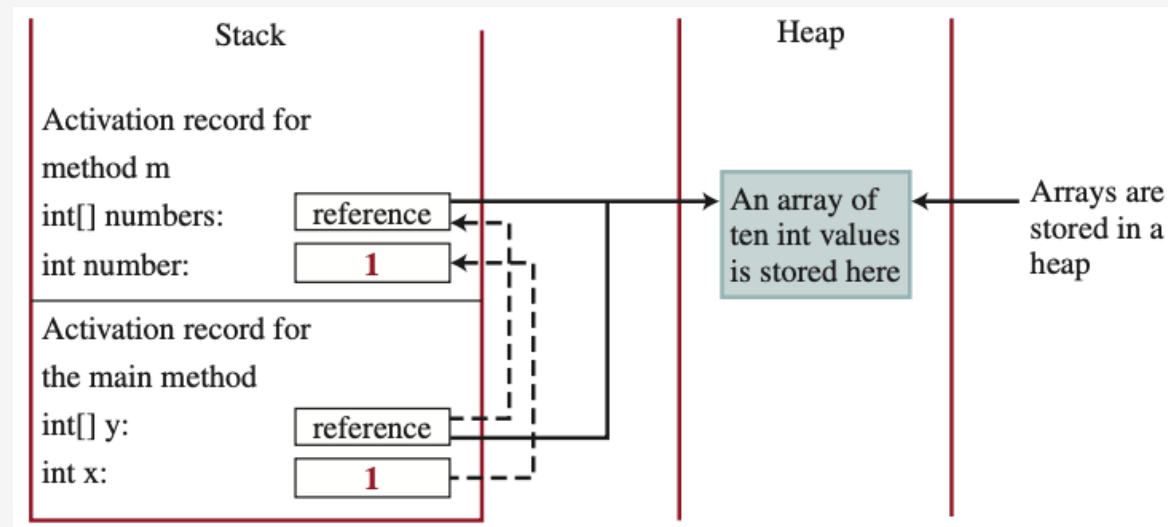
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If an array is changed in the method, you will see the change outside the method.

## Variable-Length Argument Lists

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- A variable number of arguments of the same type can be passed to a method and treated as an array.
- The parameter in the method is declared as follows:  
`typeName... parameterName`

# Variable-Length Argument Lists

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```
public static void printMax(double... numbers) {  
    if (numbers.length == 0) {  
        System.out.println("No argument passed");  
        return;  
    }  
  
    double result = numbers[0];  
  
    for (int i = 1; i < numbers.length; i++)  
        if (numbers[i] > result)  
            result = numbers[i];  
  
    System.out.println("The max value is " + result);  
}
```

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    printMax(34, 3, 3, 2, 56.5);  
    printMax(new double[]{1, 2, 3});  
}
```

# Array Algorithms

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- Searching Array
- Sorting Array

# Searching Arrays

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- Searching is the process of looking for a specific element in an array—for example, discovering whether a certain score is included in a list of scores.
- Searching is a **common task** in computer programming. Many algorithms and data structures are devoted to searching.
- Linear search and Binary search.



# Linear Search

Key	List
3	6 4 1 9 7 3 2 8
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```
public static int linearSearch(int[] list, int key) {  
    for (int i = 0; i < list.length; i++) {  
        if (key == list[i])  
            return i;  
    }  
    return -1;  
}
```

# Binary Search

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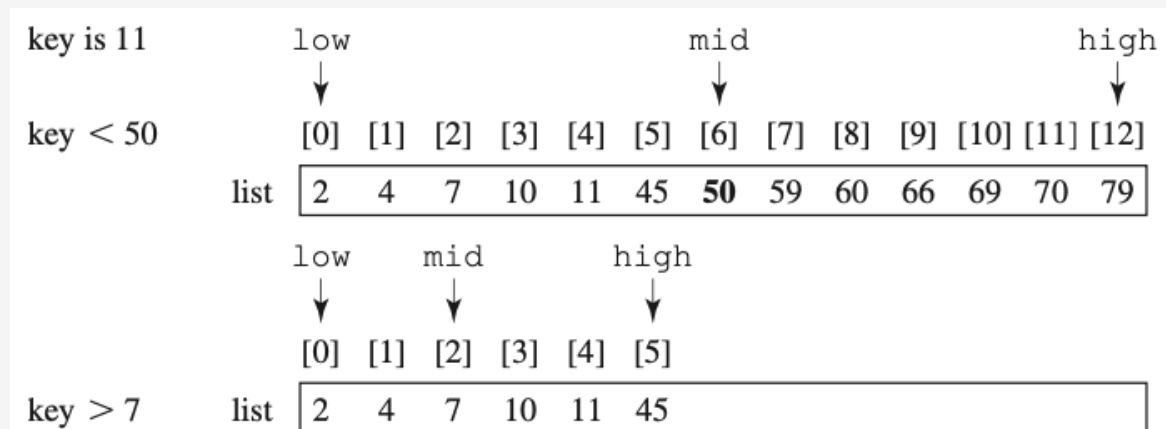
key is 11

	[0]	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]	[7]	[8]	[9]	[10]	[11]	[12]
list	2	4	7	10	11	45	<b>50</b>	59	60	66	69	70	79

# Binary Search

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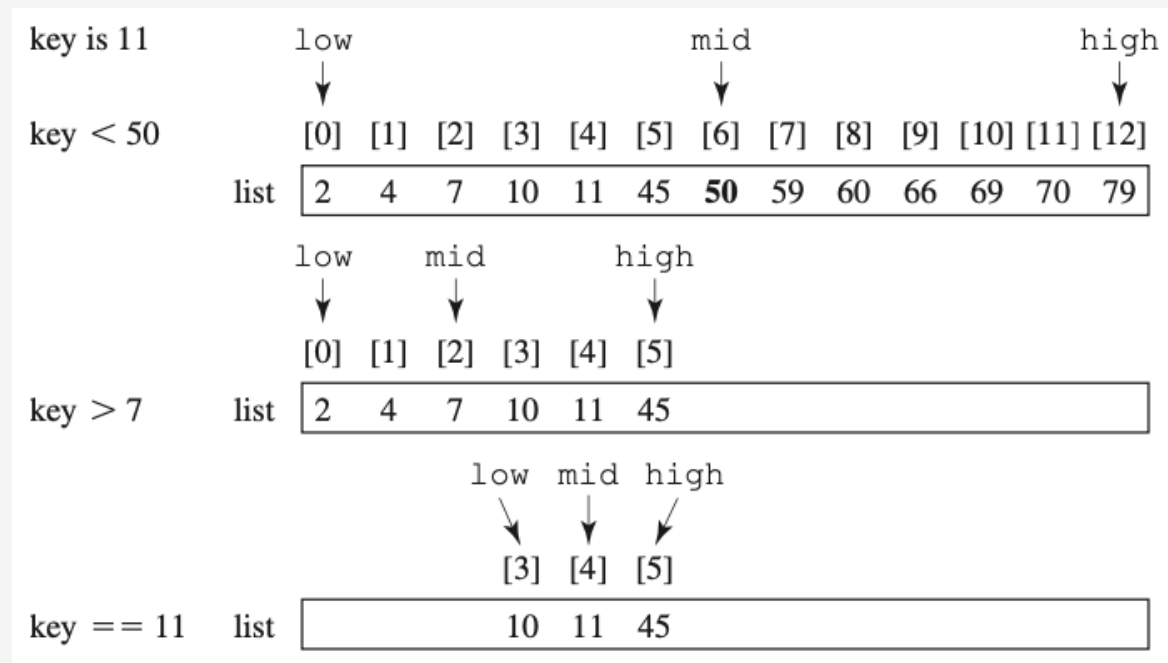
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```
public static int binarySearch(  
    int[] list, int key) {  
    int low = 0;  
    int high = list.length - 1;  
  
    int mid = (low + high) / 2;  
    if (key < list[mid])  
        high = mid - 1;  
    else if (key == list[mid])  
        return mid;  
    else  
        low = mid + 1;  
  
}
```

```
public static int binarySearch(  
    int[] list, int key) {  
    int low = 0;  
    int high = list.length - 1;  
  
    while (high >= low) {  
        int mid = (low + high) / 2;  
        if (key < list[mid])  
            high = mid - 1;  
        else if (key == list[mid])  
            return mid;  
        else  
            low = mid + 1;  
    }  
  
    return -1; // Not found  
}
```

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Many different algorithms have been developed for sorting.

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***Bonus!***

# Selection Sort

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<https://liveexample.pearsoncmg.com/dsanimation/SelectionSortNew.html>



# Selection Sort

```
for (int i = 0; i < list.length - 1; i++) {  
    select the smallest element in list[i..list.length-1];  
    swap the smallest with list[i], if necessary;  
    // list[i] is in its correct position.  
    // The next iteration applies on list[i+1..list.length-1]  
}
```

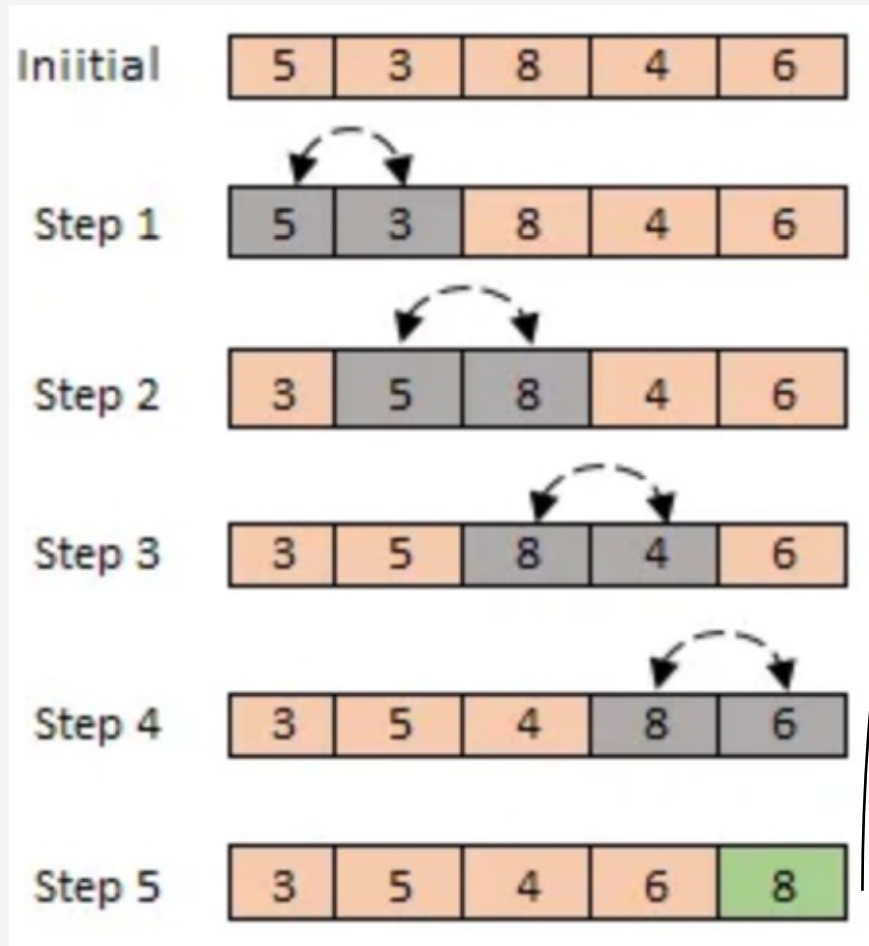
1. select smallest element

```
for (int j = i + 1; j < list.length; j++) {  
    if (currentMin > list[j]) {  
        currentMin = list[j];  
        currentMinIndex = j;  
    }  
}
```

2. swap the smallest with list[i]

```
if (currentMinIndex != i) {  
    list[currentMinIndex] = list[i];  
    list[i] = currentMin;  
}
```

# Bubble Sort



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```
double[] numbers = {6.0, 4.4, 1.9, 2.9, 3.4, 3.5};
```

```
java.util.Arrays.sort(numbers);
```

```
java.util.Arrays.parallelSort(numbers);
```

## Arrays.binarySearch

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```
int[] list1 = {2, 4, 7, 10, 11, 45, 50, 59, 60, 66, 69, 70, 79};  
java.util.Arrays.binarySearch(list1, 11)
```

## Arrays.equals

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```
int[] list1 = {2, 4, 7, 10};  
int[] list2 = {2, 4, 7, 10};  
int[] list3 = {4, 2, 7, 10};  
System.out.println(java.util.Arrays.equals(list1, list2)); // true  
System.out.println(java.util.Arrays.equals(list2, list3)); // false
```

# Final Exam Schedule

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Date: April 13th, 2024

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Location: E-302

Description: Paper Based - In Person

# Passing Strings to the main Method

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```
public static void main(String[] args)
```

All Java applications must have a method \_\_\_\_\_.

- ☐ a. public static Main(String args[])
- ☐ b. public static main(String[] args)
- ☐ c. public static Main(String[] args)
- ☐ d. public static void main(String[] args)
- ☐ e. public void main(String[] args)



# Passing Strings to the main Method

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public static void main(**String[] args**)

```
public class TestMain {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        for (int i = 0; i < args.length; i++)  
            System.out.println(args[i]);  
    }  
}
```

```
Chapter 7 % java TestMain www1 ww2 ww3
```

Output:

```
www1  
ww2  
ww3
```

# Case Study: Calculator

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```
(base) pluo@TMAK-M21-MAC Chapter 7 % java Calculator 2 + 3
2 + 3 = 5
(base) pluo@TMAK-M21-MAC Chapter 7 % java Calculator 2 - 3
2 - 3 = -1
```

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    // Check number of strings passed
    if (args.length != 3) {
        System.out.println(
            "Usage: java Calculator operand1 operator operand2");
        System.exit(1);
    }
}
```

System.exit(1) will terminate the program

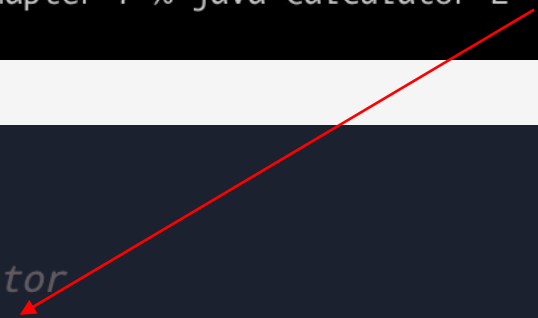
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```
int result = 0;

// Determine the operator
switch (args[1].charAt(0)) {
    case '+': result = Integer.parseInt(args[0]) +
                Integer.parseInt(args[2]);
                break;
    case '-': result = Integer.parseInt(args[0]) -
                Integer.parseInt(args[2]);
                break;
}
```



`Integer.parseInt(args[0])` converts a digital string into an integer. The string must consist of digits. If not, the program will terminate abnormally.

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# Multidimensional Array

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Data in a table or a matrix can be represented using a two-dimensional array.

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
1	0	0	0	0	0
2	2	0	0	0	0
3	0	0	0	0	0

# Multidimensional Array

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`elementType[][] arrayRefVar;`

or

`elementType arrayRefVar[][]; // Allowed, but not preferred`

`int[][] matrix;`

`matrix = new int [4][6]`

	[0]	[1]	[2]
[0]	1	2	3
[1]	4	5	6
[2]	7	8	9
[3]	10	11	12

```
int[][] array = {  
    {1, 2, 3},  
    {4, 5, 6},  
    {7, 8, 9},  
    {10, 11, 12}  
};
```

# Multidimensional Array

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	[0]	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]
[0]	0	0	0	0	0
[1]	0	0	0	0	0
[2]	0	0	0	0	0
[3]	0	0	0	0	0
[4]	0	0	0	0	0

```
matrix = new int[5][5];
```

	[0]	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]
[0]	0	0	0	0	0
[1]	0	0	0	0	0
[2]	0	7	0	0	0
[3]	0	0	0	0	0
[4]	0	0	0	0	0

```
matrix[2][1] = 7;
```



## Caution

It is a common mistake to use `matrix[2, 1]`

# Multidimensional Array

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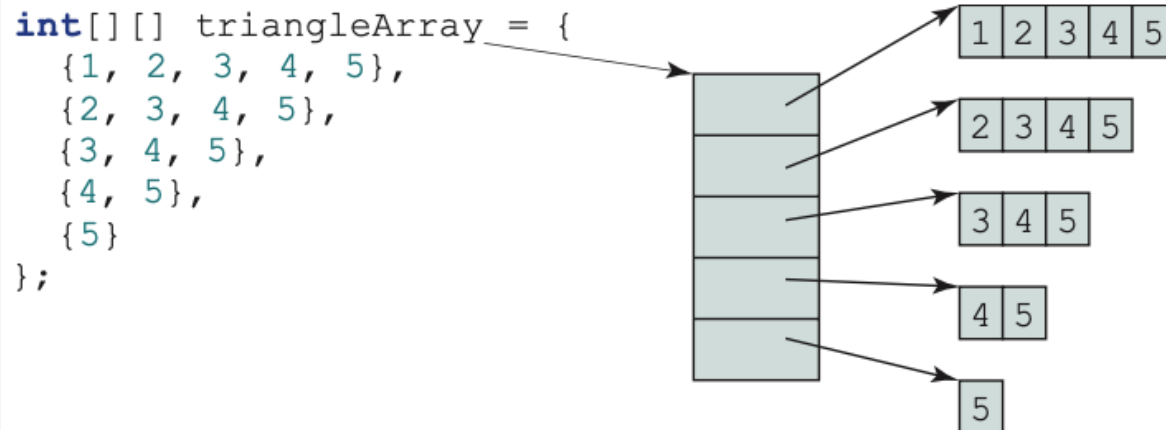
- A two-dimensional array is actually an array in which each element is a one-dimensional array.
- `matrix[0].length: 5`
- `matrix[1].length: 5`
- `matrix[2].length: 5`



# Multidimensional Array

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- Since each row in a two-dimensional array is itself an array, the rows can have different lengths!!! -----> Ragged Array



```
int[][] triangleArray = new int[5][];  
triangleArray[0] = new int[5];  
triangleArray[1] = new int[4];  
triangleArray[2] = new int[3];  
triangleArray[3] = new int[2];  
triangleArray[4] = new int[1];
```

# Multidimensional Array - Nested Loops

```
for (int row = 0; row < matrix.length; row++) {  
    for (int column = 0; column < matrix[row].length; column++) {  
        matrix[row][column] = (int)(Math.random() * 100);  
    }  
}
```

$$\begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & \dots & n \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ \vdots \\ m \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \dots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \dots & a_{2n} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & \dots & a_{3n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & \dots & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

## Case Study: PassTwoDimensionalArray

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<https://liveexample.pearsoncmg.com/html/PassTwoDimensionalArray.html>

# Multidimensional Array - Shuffling

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```
for (int i = 0; i < matrix.length; i++) {  
    for (int j = 0; j < matrix[i].length; j++) {  
        int i1 = (int)(Math.random() * matrix.length);  
        int j1 = (int)(Math.random() * matrix[i].length);  
        int temp = matrix[i][j];  
        matrix[i][j] = matrix[i1][j1];  
        matrix[i1][j1] = temp;  
    }  
}
```

## Case Study: Grade Questions

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Write a program that grades multiple-choice tests.

# Multidimensional Array

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```
double[][][] scores = new double[6][5][2];
```

```
double[][][] scores = {  
    {{7.5, 20.5}, {9.0, 22.5}, {15, 33.5}, {13, 21.5}, {15, 2.5}},  
    {{4.5, 21.5}, {9.0, 22.5}, {15, 34.5}, {12, 20.5}, {14, 9.5}},  
    {{6.5, 30.5}, {9.4, 10.5}, {11, 33.5}, {11, 23.5}, {10, 2.5}},  
    {{6.5, 23.5}, {9.4, 32.5}, {13, 34.5}, {11, 20.5}, {16, 7.5}},  
    {{8.5, 26.5}, {9.4, 52.5}, {13, 36.5}, {13, 24.5}, {16, 2.5}},  
    {{9.5, 20.5}, {9.4, 42.5}, {13, 31.5}, {12, 20.5}, {16, 6.5}}};
```

## Case Study: Daily Temperature and Humidity

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A meteorology station records the temperature and humidity every hour of every day and stores the data for the past 10 days in a text file named Weather.txt. Write a program that calculates the average daily temperature and humidity for the 10 days.

Day	Hour	Temperature	Humidity
1	1	76.4	0.92
1	2	77.7	0.93
...			
10	23	97.7	0.71
10	24	98.7	0.74

## Case Study: Daily Temperature and Humidity

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1. Read the Weather.txt file
2. Save the data into a multidimensional array
3. Compute average temperature & humidity
4. Output results



# Case Study: Daily Temperature and Humidity

```
import java.io.File;
import java.io.FileNotFoundException;
import java.util.Scanner;

public class Weather {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        final int NUMBER_OF_DAYS = 10;
        final int NUMBER_OF_HOURS = 24;
        try {
            File file = new File("/Users/pluo/Downloads/Weather.txt");

            Scanner input = new Scanner(file);

            for (int k = 0; k < NUMBER_OF_DAYS * NUMBER_OF_HOURS; k++) {
                int day = input.nextInt();
                int hour = input.nextInt();
                double temperature = input.nextDouble();
                double humidity = input.nextDouble();
            }
            input.close();
        } catch (FileNotFoundException e) {
            System.out.println("File not found: " + e.getMessage());
        }
    }
}
```

```
double[][][] data =
new double[NUMBER_OF_DAYS][NUMBER_OF_HOURS][2];
```

```
for (int k = 0; k < NUMBER_OF_DAYS * NUMBER_OF_HOURS; k++) {
    int day = input.nextInt();
    int hour = input.nextInt();
    double temperature = input.nextDouble();
    double humidity = input.nextDouble();
    data[day - 1][hour - 1][0] = temperature;
    data[day - 1][hour - 1][1] = humidity;
}
```

## Case Study: Daily Temperature and Humidity

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```
for (int i = 0; i < NUMBER_OF_DAYS; i++) {  
    double dailyTemperatureTotal = 0, dailyHumidityTotal = 0;  
    for (int j = 0; j < NUMBER_OF_HOURS; j++) {  
        dailyTemperatureTotal += data[i][j][0];  
        dailyHumidityTotal += data[i][j][1];  
    }  
  
    System.out.println("Day " + (i + 1) + "'s average  
        temperature is "  
        + dailyTemperatureTotal / NUMBER_OF_HOURS);  
    System.out.println("Day " + (i + 1) + "'s average humidity  
        is "  
        + dailyHumidityTotal / NUMBER_OF_HOURS);  
}
```

# Midterm Exam Questions

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In Java, the word true is\_\_\_\_\_.

- ☐ a. a Boolean literal
- ☐ b. same as value 1
- ☐ c. a Java keyword
- ☐ d. same as value 0

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What is `Math.ceil(3.6)`?

- ☐ a. 3.0
- ☐ b. 3
- ☐ c. 5.0
- ☐ d. 4.0

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What is the return value of "SELECT".substring(0, 5)?

- ☐ a. "ELECT"
- ☐ b. "SELEC"
- ☐ c. "SELE"
- ☐ d. "SELECT"

The following loop displays \_\_\_\_\_.

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 10; i++) {  
    System.out.print(i + " ");  
    i++;  
}
```

- ☐ a. 2 4 6 8 10
- ☐ b. 1 3 5 7 9
- ☐ c. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
- ☐ d. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
- ☐ e. 1 2 3 4 5

What is the output for y?

```
int y = 0;  
for (int i = 0; i < 10; ++i) {  
    y += i;  
}  
System.out.println(y);
```

- ☐ a. 10
- ☐ b. 11
- ☐ c. 12
- ☐ d. 13
- ☐ e. 45

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Suppose your method does not return any value, which of the following keywords can be used as a return type?

- ☐ a. void
- ☐ b. int
- ☐ c. double
- ☐ d. public
- ☐ e. None of the above

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# Q&A