

## Summary and plan

- **(Primitive) Types and sizes**
  - **Types:** char, short, int, long, unsigned short, unsigned int, float, double .....
  - **Constant values (literals)**
    - char
    - int
    - float
- Array and **"strings"**
- Expressions
  - Basic operators
  - Type promotion and conversion
  - Other operators
  - Precedence of operators

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## Strings ↔ Character Arrays !

- There is no separate "string" type in C
- Strings are just **arrays of char** that end with **'\0'**
  - `char s[] = "Hello";`



'H'	'e'	'l'	'l'	'o'	'\0'
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'\0' added for you

'H'	'e'	'l'	'l'	'o'	'\0'
72	101	108	108	111	0
01001000	01100101	01101100	01101100	01101111	00000000

is equivalent to

```
char s[] = {'H', 'e', 'l', 'l', 'o', '\0'} _____
```

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no \0?

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```
char s[] = "Hello";
char s[6] = "Hello";
```

'H'	'e'	'l'	'l'	'o'	'\0'
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`\0` added for you

```
01001000 01100101 01101100 01101100 01101111 00000000
```

- What's the **size** of `s` in memory? `sizeof (s)?` 6x1 bytes
  - `char s[5] = "Hello";` 
  - `char s[8] = "Hello";` `sizeof s?` 8x1 bytes

'H'	'e'	'l'	'l'	'o'	'\0'	'\0'	'\0'
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- What is the **length** of `s`?

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```
strlen(s) = 5
```

later

Likely. does not matter



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## Accessing Arrays/Strings

- In C, you can only assign to array members
  - This means you **cannot copy/assign whole array**:

```
int i, k[4], j[4];
for (i=0; i<4; i++)
    j[i] = 0;    /* another way? int j[4]={0} */
```

 `k = j; /* invalid */ /* perfectly valid in Java */`

- Also **cannot compare content of whole array directly**

```
char k[] = "quit";          char k2[] = "quit";
if (k == "quit") .. /* 0 */ if (k == k2) .. /* 0 */
```



112 `if (aChar == 'Q') /* valid, comparing encodings */`  
`while (arr[i] != '\0') /* valid */`



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## An example involving char arrays

```
#include<stdio.h>

main() {
    char s1[] = "Hello";
    char s2[8];
    printf("string1: %s\n",s1); // string1: Hello    no loop

    int i=0;
    while (s1[i] != '\0')
    {
        s2[i] = s1[i];
        i++;
    }
    s2[i]='\0'; /*finally add \0 manually*/

    printf("string2: %s\n",s2); // string2: Hello    no loop
    return 0;                  // printf stops at first \0
}
```

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sizeof s1: 6      strlen(s1): 5

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sizeof s2: 8      strlen(s2): 5

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```
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main() {
    char s1[] = "Hello";
    char s2[8];
    printf("string1: %s\n",s1); // string1: hello

    int i=0;
    while (1){
        s2[i] = s1[i];
        if(s2[i] == '\0')
            break;
        i++;
    }
    printf("string2: %s\n",s2); // string2: Hello
    s2[3] = '\0';              // printf stops at first \0
    printf("%s\n",s2);         // Hel
    printf("%c",s2[4]);        // o
    printf("%d %c",s2[3],s2[3]); // labsizeof s2: 8      strlen(s2): 3
}
```

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sizeof s2: 8      strlen(s2): 5

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sizeof s2: 8      strlen(s2): 3

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```
#include<stdio.h>
void stringcopy(char dest [], char src [])
{
    int i=0;
    while (src[i] != '\0'){
        dest[i] = src[i];
        i++;
    }
    dest[i]='\0'; /*finally add \0 manually*/
}
main() {
    char s1[] = "Hello!";
    char s2[8];
    stringcopy(s2, s1);
    printf("s2 is %s\n", s2);

    return 0;
}
```

Passing array in C is a big topic,  
investigate later

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sizeof s1: 6    strlen(s1): 5

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sizeof s2: 8    strlen(s2): 5

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```
#include<stdio.h>
void stringcopy2(char dest [], char src [])
{
    int i=0;
    while (1){
        dest[i] = src[i];
        if (src[i] == '\0')
            break;

        i++;
    }
}
main() {
    char s1[] = "Hello!";
    char s2[8];
    stringcopy2(s2, s1);
    printf("s2 is %s\n", s2);

    return 0;
}
```

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