

OBJECT ORIENTED PROGRAMMING

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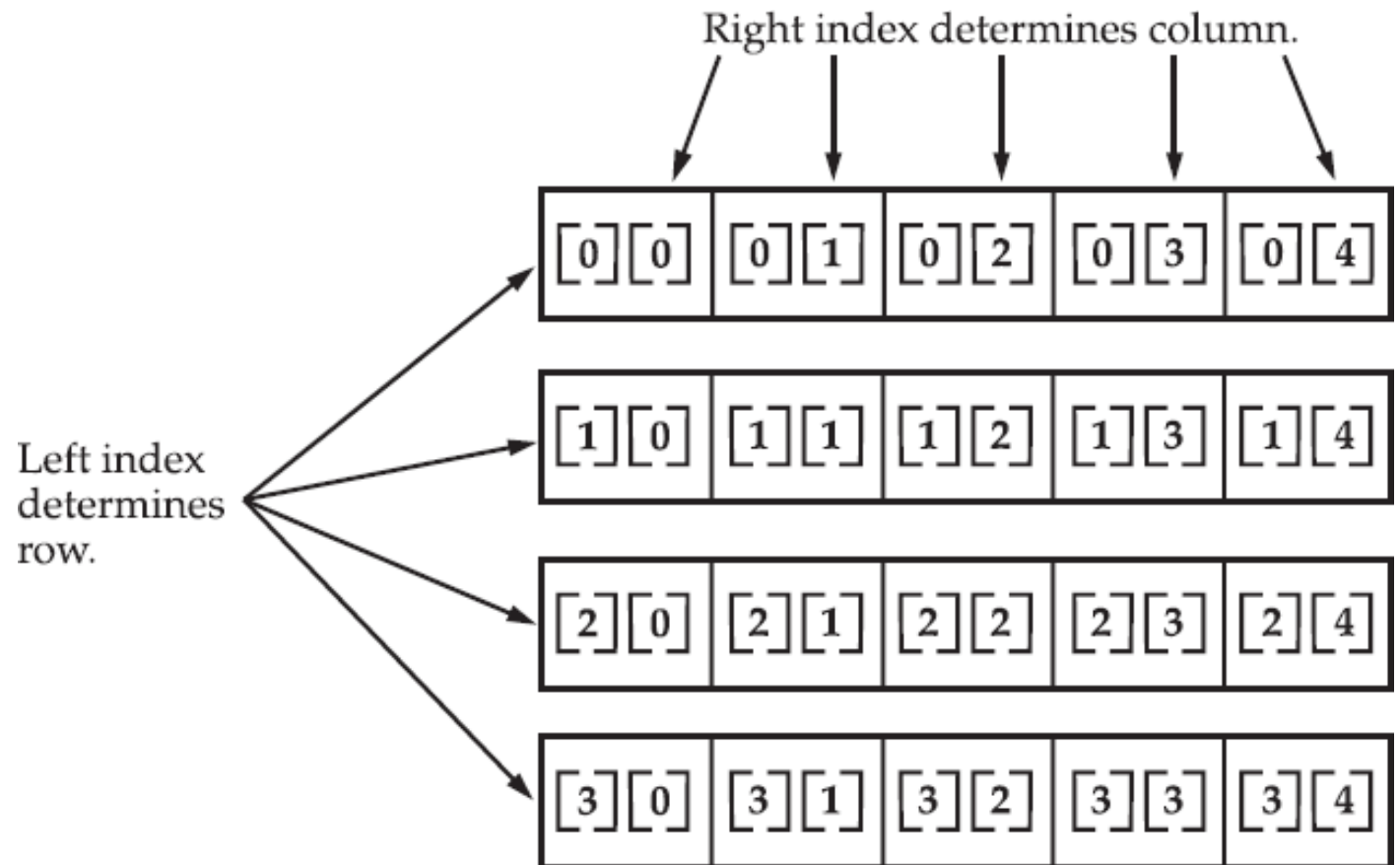


MULTIDIMENSIONAL ARRAYS

- In Java, *multidimensional arrays are actually **arrays of arrays**.*
- To declare a multidimensional array variable, specify each additional index using another set of square brackets.
 - `int twoD[][] = new int[4][5];`
- This allocates a 4 by 5 array and assigns it to twoD.
 - Syntax:
 - `dataType[][] arrayRefVar;` (or)
 - `dataType [][]arrayRefVar;` (or)
 - `dataType arrayRefVar[][];` (or)
 - `dataType []arrayRefVar[];`

```
// Demonstrate a two-dimensional array.
class TwoDArray {
public static void main(String args[]) {
    int twoD[][]= new int[4][5];
    int i, j, k = 0;
    for(i=0; i<4; i++)
        for(j=0; j<5; j++) {
            twoD[i][j] = k;
            k++;
        }
    for(i=0; i<4; i++) {
        for(j=0; j<5; j++)
            System.out.print(twoD[i][j] + " ");
        System.out.println();
    }
}
}
```

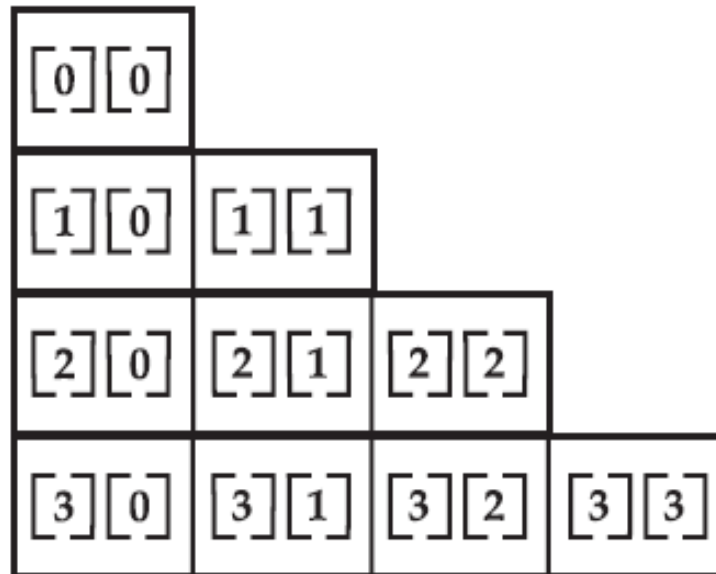
```
int twoD[] [] = new int [4] [] ;  
twoD[0]  = new int [5] ;  
twoD[1]  = new int [5] ;  
twoD[2]  = new int [5] ;  
twoD[3]  = new int [5] ;
```



Given: `int twoD [] [] = new int [4] [5] ;`

JAGGED ARRAY IN JAVA

- Creating odd number of columns in a 2D array, it is known as a jagged array.
- In other words, it is an array of arrays with **different number of columns**.



// MANUALLY ALLOCATE DIFFERING SIZE SECOND DIMENSIONS.

```
class TwoDAgain {  
    public static void main(String args[]) {  
        int twoD[][] = new int[4][];  
        twoD[0] = new int[1];  
        twoD[1] = new int[2];  
        twoD[2] = new int[3];  
        twoD[3] = new int[4];  
  
        int i, j, k = 0;  
        for(i=0; i<4; i++) for(j=0; j<i+1; j++) {  
            twoD[i][j] = k;  
            k++;  
        }  
        System.out.print(twoD[i][j] + "  
"); System.out.println();  
    }  
}
```

This program generates the following output:

```
0  
1 2  
3 4 5  
6 7 8 9
```

INITIALIZATION

- It is possible to **initialize multidimensional arrays**. To do so, simply enclose each dimension's initializer within its own set of curly braces.

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

EXAMPLE

```
class Testarray3{
    public static void main(String args[]){
        //declaring and initializing 2D array
        int arr[][]={{1,2,3},{2,4,5},{4,4,5}};
        //printing 2D array
        for(int i=0;i<3;i++){
            for(int j=0;j<3;j++){
                System.out.print(arr[i][j]+" ");
            }
            System.out.println();
        }
    }
}
```


EXAMPLE

// Demonstrate a three-dimensional array.

```
class ThreeDMatrix {  
public static void main(String args[]) { int threeD[][][] = new int[3][4][5];  
    for(i=0; i<3; i++)  
        for(j=0; j<4; j++)  
            for(k=0; k<5; k++)  
                threeD[i][j][k] = i * j * k;  
    for(i=0; i<3; i++) {  
        for(j=0; j<4; j++) {  
            for(k=0; k<5; k++)  
                System.out.print(threeD[i][j][k] + " ");  
            System.out.println(); }  
        System.out.println();  
    } } }
```

output:

0 0 0 0 0

0 0 0 0 0

0 0 0 0 0

0 0 0 0 0

0 0 0 0 0

0 1 2 3 4

0 2 4 6 8

0 3 6 9 12

0 0 0 0 0

0 2 4 6 8

0 4 8 12 16

0 6 12 18 24

ALTERNATIVE ARRAY DECLARATION SYNTAX

There is a second form used to declare an array:

type[] var-name;

```
int a1[] = new int[3];
```

```
int[] a2 = new int[3];
```

```
char twod1[][] = new char[3][4];
```

```
char[][] twod2 = new char[3][4];
```

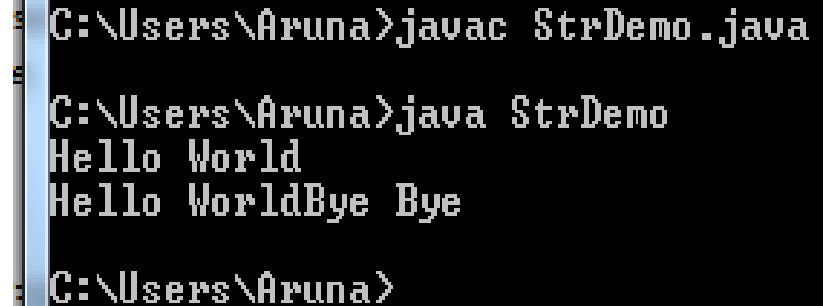
```
int[] nums, nums2, nums3; // create three arrays
```

STRING

- Java's string type, called **String**, is not a simple type. Nor is it simply an array of characters. Rather, **String defines an object**.
- The String type is used to declare string variables.
- Also declare arrays of strings.
- A quoted string constant can be assigned to a String variable.
- A variable of type String can be assigned to another variable of type String.
 - `String str = "this is a test";`
`System.out.println(str);`

EXAMPLE

```
class StrDemo {  
    public static void main(String args[]) {  
        String str1 = new String();  
        str1 = "Hello World";  
        System.out.println(str1);  
        String str2 = "Bye Bye";  
        System.out.println(str1+str2);  
    }  
}
```



A screenshot of a Windows command prompt window with a black background and white text. It shows the compilation and execution of a Java program. The first command is 'javac StrDemo.java', followed by 'java StrDemo'. The output shows 'Hello World' on one line and 'Hello WorldBye Bye' on the next line. The prompt returns to 'C:\Users\Aruna>'.

```
C:\Users\Aruna>javac StrDemo.java  
C:\Users\Aruna>java StrDemo  
Hello World  
Hello WorldBye Bye  
C:\Users\Aruna>
```

POINTERS

- Java does not support or allow pointers.
- Java cannot allow pointers, because doing so would allow Java programs to **breach the firewall** between the Java execution environment and the host computer.
- (Remember, a pointer can be given any address in memory—even addresses that might be outside the Java run-time system.)
- Java is designed in such a way that as long as you stay within the confines of the execution environment, you will never need to use a pointer, nor would there be any benefit in using one.