



# DATA STRUCTURES AND APPLICATIONS



## Module 1\_1 Introduction

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# Elementary Data Organization

## ➤ Data

- values or sets of values

## ➤ Data item

- Single unit of values
- Group item
  - Data item that can be subdivided into sub items
    - Eg: name can be divided into firstname, middlename and lastname
- Elementary item
  - Data item that can not be sub divided into sub items
    - Eg: Passport number, bank account number

## ➤ Collections of data are organized into a hierarchy of fields, records and files



# Elementary Data Organization

## ➤ Entity

- Has attributes with values
- Values may be numeric or non-numeric
  - **Eg: Students**

attributes				Entity Entity set
Name	Rollno	Sem	Branch	
Aditya	1	5	CSE	
Rama	15	4	ISE	
Values				

## ➤ Entity set

- Entities with similar attributes
- Each attribute of an entity set has a range of values

## ➤ Information

- Data with given attributes
- Meaningful or processed data.



# Elementary Data Organization

- **Field** is a single elementary unit of information representing an attribute of an entity
- **Record** is the collection of field values of a given entity
- **File** is the collection of records of the entities in a given entity set.
- Each record in a file may contain many field items
  - The value in a certain field may uniquely determine the record in the file.
  - Such a field **K** is called a **primary key**
  - the values  $k_1, k_2, \dots$  of primary key are called **keys** or **key values**.
    - Eg: USN for student



# Elementary Data Organization

- A file can have **fixed-length records** or **variable-length records**.
  - In fixed length records, all the records contain the same data items with the same amount of space assigned to each data item.
  - In variable-length records, file records may contain different lengths
- Drawback of basic organization of data
  - May not maintain and process the data collections efficiently
- Study of data structures requires
  - Logical or mathematical description of the structure
  - Implementation of the structure on a computer
  - Quantitative analysis of the structure which includes
    - determining the amount of memory needed to store the structure and
    - the time required to process the structure





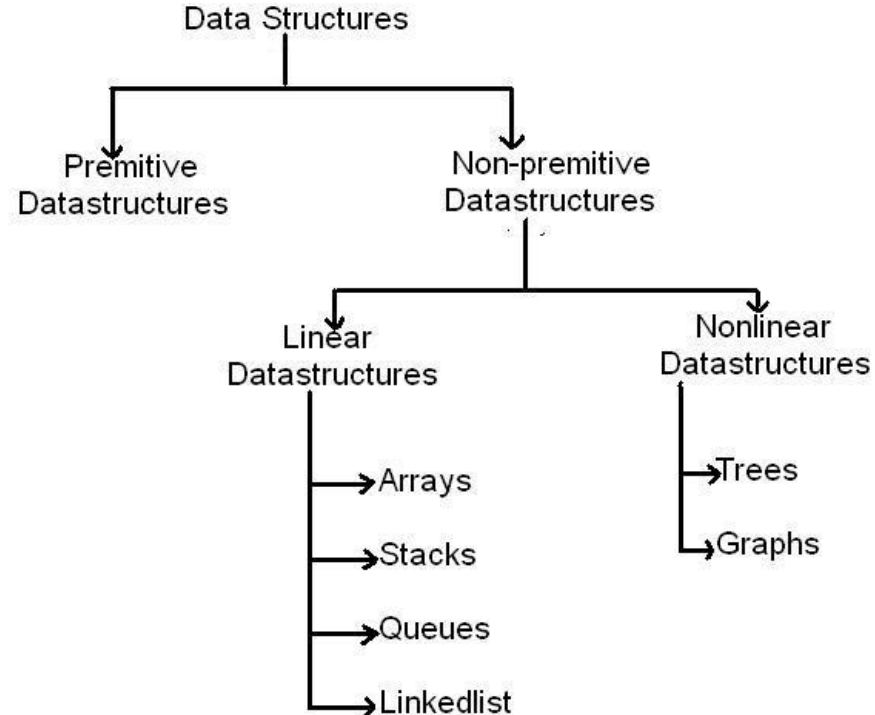
# DATA STRUCTURES

- The logical or mathematical model of a particular organization of data is called **data structure**.
- The choice of a data model depends on two factors
  - The structure must mirror the actual relationships of the data in the real world.
  - The structure should be simple enough to process the data effectively when necessary
- Classification of data structures
  - Primitive data structures
  - Non-primitive data structures



# DATA STRUCTURES

- **Primitive data structure**
  - They are called simple data types which cannot be divided
    - Eg: basic data types such as integer, real, character and boolean
- **Non-primitive data structures**
  - Complicated data structures
  - Derived from primitive data structures.
    - Eg: Linked-lists, stacks, queues, trees and graphs



# DATA STRUCTURES

- Based on the structure and arrangement of data, non-primitive data structures are classified into **linear** and **non-linear** data structures
- Linear data structure
  - They are linear and form a sequence.
  - The data is arranged in linear fashion although the data are stored in memory nonsequentially.
    - Eg: arrays, linked lists, stacks and queues
- Non-Linear data structure
  - Data is not arranged in sequence.
  - The insertion and deletion of data is not possible in linear fashion.
    - Eg: Trees and graphs





# Array

## ➤ Linear (or one dimensional) array

- The simplest type of data structure
- A list of a finite number  $n$  of similar data referenced respectively by a set of  $n$  consecutive numbers, usually  $1, 2, 3 \dots n$ .
- For an array  $A$ , the elements of  $A$  are denoted by
  - subscript notation  $a_1, a_2, a_3 \dots A_n$
  - or by the parenthesis notation  $A(1), A(2), A(3) \dots A(n)$
  - or by the bracket notation  $A[1], A[2], A[3] \dots A[n]$
- the number  $K$  in  $A[K]$  is called a **subscript**
- $A[K]$  is called a **subscripted variable**.



➤ Eg: A linear array A[8] consisting of numbers

2	4	6	8	10
A[0]	A[1]	A[2]	A[3]	A[4]

Linear/One Dimensional Array  
(1x5)

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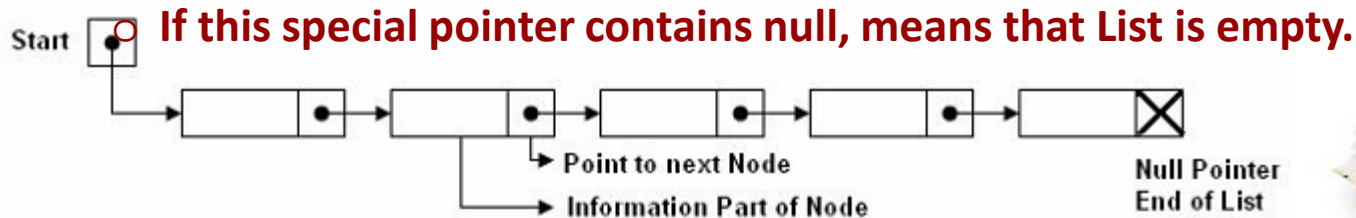
Two Dimensional Array (2x5)



# Linked List

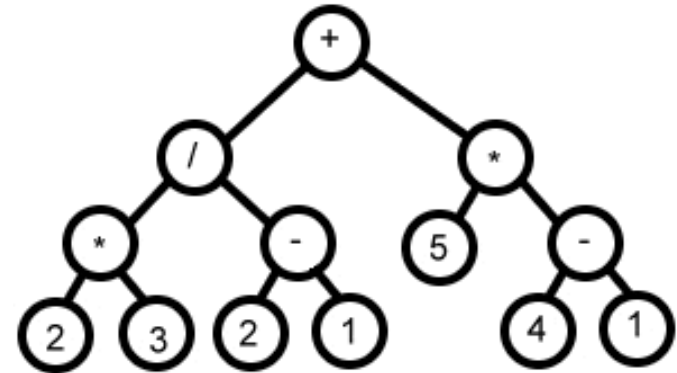
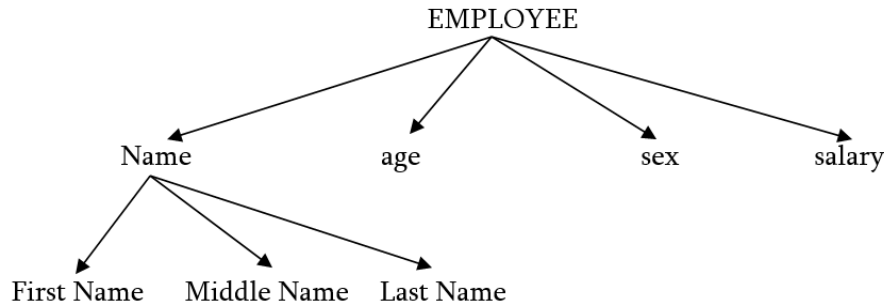
## ➤ Linked list

- Is a linear collection of data elements, called nodes,
- the linear order is given by means of pointers.
- Each node is divided into two parts:
  - The first part contains the information of the element/node
  - The second part contains the address of the next node (link /next pointer field) in the list.
  - There is a special pointer Start/List contains the address of first node in the list.



# Trees

- The data structure which defines the hierarchical relationship is called a **rooted tree graph** or **tree**.

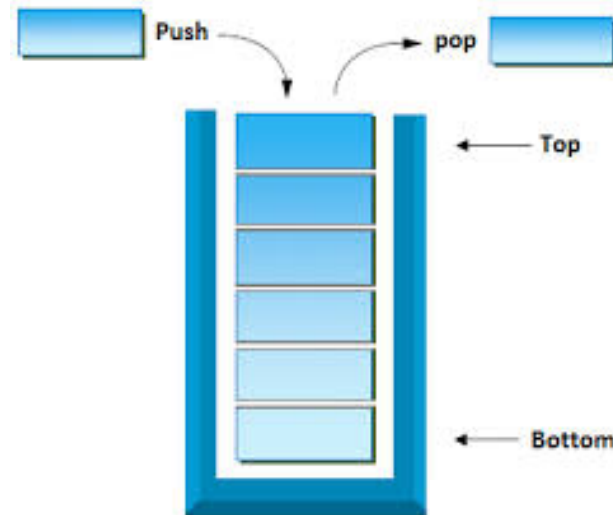


Expression tree for  $2*3/(2-1)+5*(4-1)$



# Stack

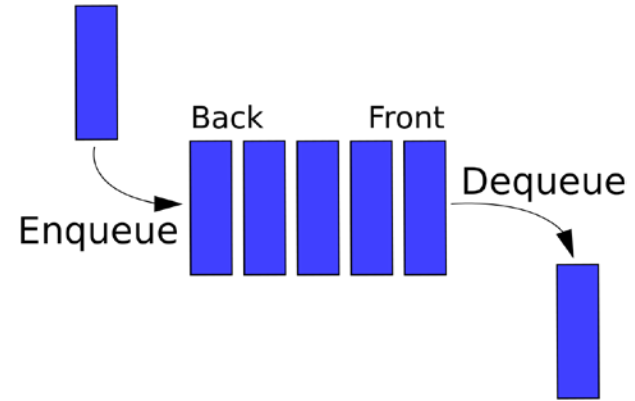
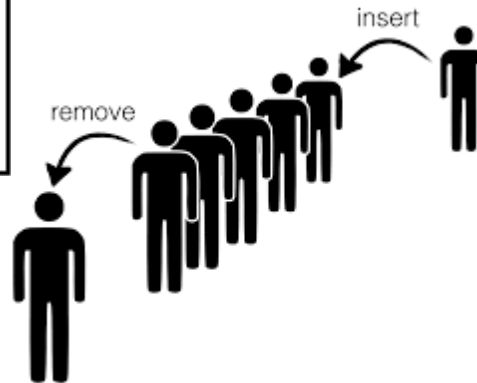
- A stack is also an ordered collection of elements like arrays
- It has a special feature that deletion and insertion of elements can be done only from one end called the **top** of the stack (**TOP**)
- It is also called as last in first out type of data structure (**LIFO**).





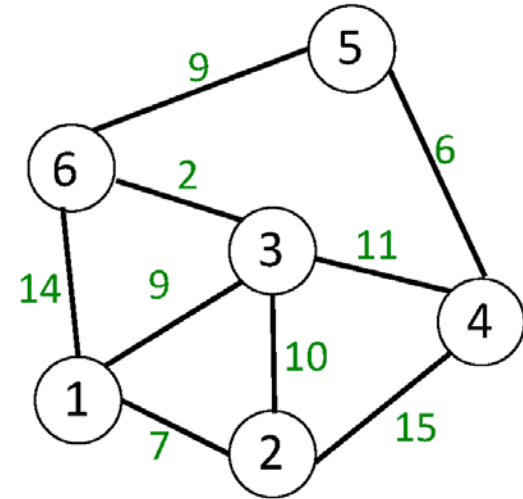
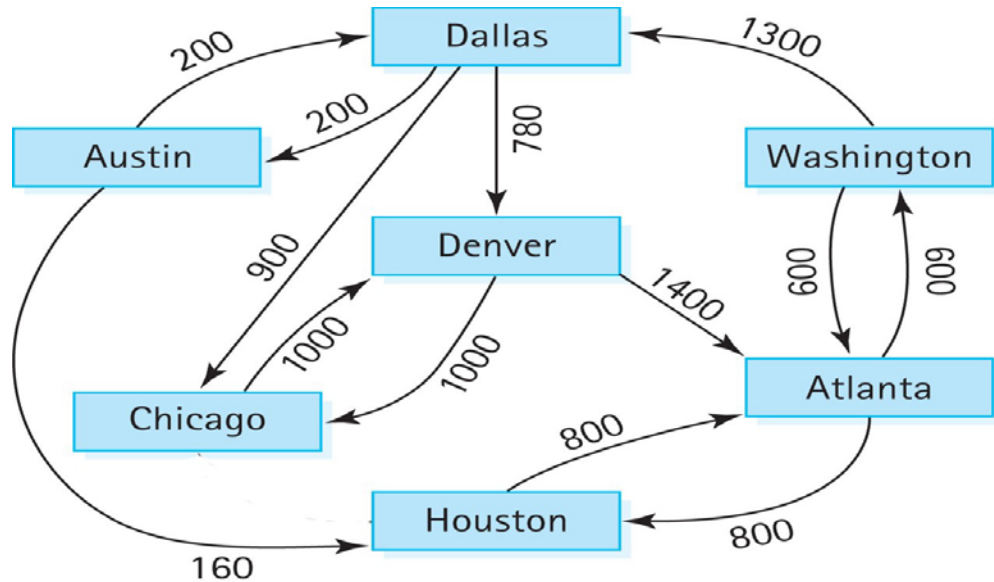
# Queue

- Queue are first in first out type of data structure (i.e. **FIFO**)
- In a queue new elements are added to the queue from one end called **REAR** end and the element are always removed from other end called the **FRONT** end.



# Graph

- Represents the relationship between the data elements
- Contains nodes and edges



# DATA STRUCTURE OPERATIONS

- The data in data structures are processed using four types of operations
  - Traversing:
    - accessing each record/node exactly once so that certain items in the record may be processed.
      - This accessing and processing is sometimes called “visiting” the record
  - Searching:
    - Finding the location of the desired node with a given key value,
    - finding the locations of nodes which satisfy one or more conditions.
  - Inserting:
    - Adding a new node/record to the structure.
  - Deleting:
    - Removing a node/record from the structure.



➤ The following two operations, which are used in special situations

– **Sorting:**

- Arranging the records in some logical order

– **Merging**

- Combining the records in two different sorted files into a single sorted file

➤ Other supported operations are

– **Copying**

– **concatenation**



# Linear Arrays

- A linear array is a list of a finite number of  $n$  homogeneous data elements ( that is data elements of the same type) such that
- The elements of the arrays are referenced respectively by an index set consisting of  $n$  consecutive numbers
  - The elements of the arrays are stored respectively in successive memory locations





# Linear Arrays

- The number **n** of elements is called the length or size of the array.
  - The index set consists of the integer **1, 2, ... n**
  - Length or the number of data elements of the array can be obtained from the index set by
  - Length = **UB – LB + 1**
    - where **UB** is the largest index called the **upper bound**
    - **LB** is the smallest index called the **lower bound** of the arrays



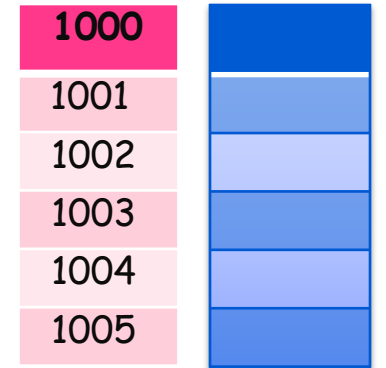
# Linear Arrays

- Element of an array  $A$  may be denoted by
  - Subscript notation  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$
  - Parenthesis notation  $A(1), A(2), \dots, A(n)$
  - Bracket notation  $A[1], A[2], \dots, A[n]$
- The number  $K$  in  $A[K]$  is called **subscript** or an **index**
- $A[K]$  is called a **subscripted variable**



# Representation of Linear Array in Memory

- Let **LA** be a linear array in the memory of the computer
  - $\text{LOC}(\text{LA}[K])$  = address of the element **LA[K]** of the array **LA**
- The element of **LA** are stored in the successive memory cells
  - Computer does not need to keep track of the address of every element of **LA**,
  - but need to track only the address of the first element of the array denoted by **Base(LA)** called the base address of **LA**



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Computer Memory



➤  $\text{LOC}(\text{LA}[K]) = \text{Base}(\text{LA}) + w(K - \text{LB})$

- where **w** is the number of words per memory cell of the array LA  
[w is the size of the data type]

➤ Eg: Find the address for LA[6]

- Each element of the array occupy 1 byte
- $\text{LOC}(\text{LA}[K]) = \text{Base}(\text{LA}) + w(K - \text{LB})$
- $\text{LOC}(\text{LA}[6]) = 200 + 1(6 - 0)$   
 $= 206$

200		LA[0]
201		LA[1]
202		LA[2]
203		LA[3]
204		LA[4]
205		LA[5]
206		LA[6]
207		LA[7]
:		



# Example

➤ Find the address for LA[15] Each element of the array occupy 2 bytes

- $LOC(LA[K]) = Base(LA) + w(K - LB)$
- $LOC(LA[15]) = 200 + 2(15 - 0) = 230$

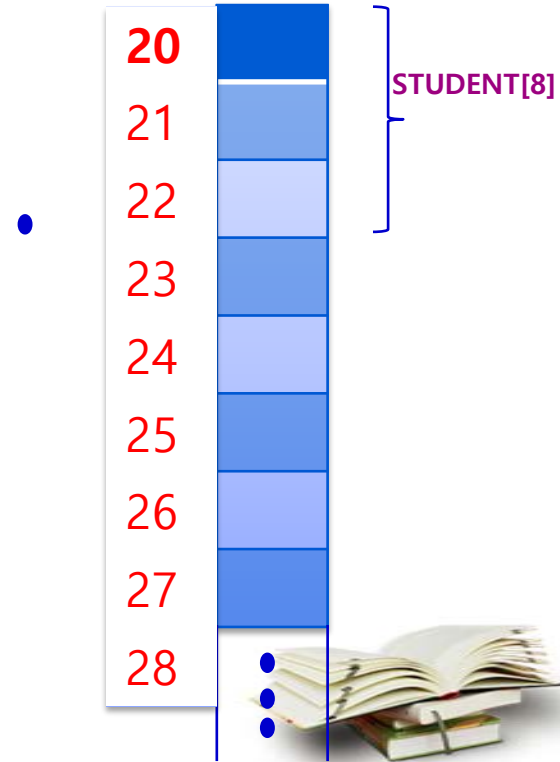
200		LA[0]
201		
202		LA[1]
203		
204		LA[2]
205		
206		LA[3]
207		





# Example

- An array **STUDENT** stores the marks of students from rollno 8 to 33.
- $\text{Base}(\text{STUDENT})=20$
- Let  $w=3$ 
  - $\text{LOC}(\text{STUDENT}[8])=20,$
  - $\text{LOC}(\text{STUDENT}[9])=23$
  - $\text{LOC}(\text{STUDENT}[10])=26$
- Address of array element for rollno  $K=15$  is
  - $\text{LOC}(\text{STUDENT}[15])=\text{Base}(\text{STUDENT})+w(15-\text{LB})$
  - $=20+3(15-8)=41;$



# Representation of Linear Array in Memory

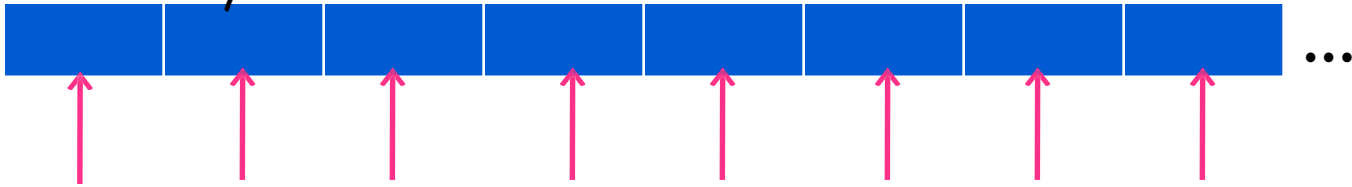
- Given any value of  $K$ , time to calculate  $LOC(LA[K])$  is same
- Given any subscript  $K$  one can access and locate the content of  $LA[K]$  without scanning any other element of  $LA$
- A collection  $A$  of data element is said to be indexed if any element of  $A$  called  $A_k$  can be located and processed in time that is independent of  $K$



# Traversing Linear Arrays

- Traversing is accessing and processing each element of the data structure exactly once.

Linear Array



# Algorithm: (Traversing a linear array)

- **A is a linear array with lower bound LB and upper bound UB.**
- **The algorithm traverses A applying an operation PROCESS to each element of A.**
  1. **Set  $I := LB$  [Initialize counter]**
  2. **Repeat steps 3 and 4 while  $I \leq UB$**
  3. **Apply PROCESS to A. [Visit element.]**
  4. **$I := I + 1$ . [Increase counter.]**  
**[End of step 2 loop.]**
  5. **Exit.**



## ➤ Alternate array traversal algorithm using **repeat-for-loop**

1. Repeat for  $K = LB$  to  $UB$ :

    Apply PROCESS to  $LA[K]$

    [End of Loop]

2. Exit





# Inserting and Deleting

## ➤ Insertion:

### – Adding an element

- Beginning
- Middle
- End

## ➤ Deletion:

### – Removing an element

- Beginning
- Middle
- End



# Insertion

1	Aakash
2	Samad
3	Abhishek
4	Adhiti
5	Akshay
6	
7	
8	

1	Aakash
2	Samad
3	Abhishek
4	Adhiti
5	Akshay
6	Akshita
7	
8	

Insert Akshita at the End of Array



# Insertion

Insert Ajay as the 3<sup>rd</sup> Element of Array

1	Aakash	1	Aakash	1	Aakash	1	Aakash
2	Samad	2	Samad	2	Samad	2	Samad
3	Abhishek	3	Abhishek	3	Abhishek	3	Ajay
4	Adhiti	4	Adhiti	4		4	Abhishek
5	Akshay	5		5	Adhiti	5	Adhiti
6		6	Akshay	6	Akshay	6	Akshay
7		7		7		7	
8		8		8		8	

Insertion is not Possible without loss of data if the array is FULL



# Insertion Algorithm

## INSERT (LA, N , K , ITEM)

[LA is a linear array with N elements and K is a positive integers such that  $K \leq N$ . This algorithm inserts an element ITEM into the  $K^{\text{th}}$  position in LA ]

1. [Initialize Counter] Set  $J := N$
2. Repeat Steps 3 and 4 while  $J \geq K$
3. [Move the  $J^{\text{th}}$  element downward ] Set  $LA[J + 1] := LA[J]$
4. [Decrease Counter] Set  $J := J - 1$ 
  1. [End of Step 2 loop]
5. [Insert Element] Set  $LA[K] := \text{ITEM}$
6. [Reset N] Set  $N := N + 1$ ;
7. Exit



# Deletion

1	Aakash
2	Samad
3	Ajay
4	Abhishek
5	Adhiti
6	Akshay
7	Akshita
8	

1	Aakash
2	Samad
3	Ajay
4	Abhishek
5	Adhiti
6	Akshay
7	
8	

Deletion of **Akshita** at the End of Array



# Deletion

1	Aakash	1	Aakash	1	Aakash	1	Aakash	1	Aakash
2	Samad	2		2	Ajay	2	Ajay	2	Ajay
3	Ajay	3	Ajay	3		3	Abhishek	3	Abhishek
4	Abhishek	4	Abhishek	4	Abhishek	4		4	Adhiti
5	Adhiti	5	Adhiti	5	Adhiti	5	Adhiti	5	Akshay
6	Akshay	6	Akshay	6	Akshay	6	Akshay	6	Akshita
7	Akshita	7	Akshita	7	Akshita	7	Akshita	7	
8		8		8		8		8	

Deletion of **Samad** from the Array

**No data item can be deleted from an empty array**





# Deletion Algorithm

## DELETE (LA, N , K , ITEM)

[LA is a linear array with N elements and K is a positive integers such that  $K \leq N$ .  
This algorithm deletes  $K^{\text{th}}$  element from LA ]

1. Set  $\text{ITEM} := \text{LA}[K]$
2. Repeat for  $J = K$  to  $N-1$ :  
    [Move the  $J+1^{\text{st}}$  element upward] Set  $\text{LA}[J] := \text{LA}[J+1]$   
    [End of loop]
3. [Reset the number N of elements] Set  $N := N - 1$ ;
4. Exit



# Sorting

- **Sorting rearranges the elements of the array in increasing order or decreasing order**
  - i.e.  $A[1] < A[2] < A[3] < \dots < A[n]$
- **Eg: if the elements of a list A are 6,2,7,9,3,12**
  - After sorting the elements of A are 2,3,6,7,9,12 OR 12,9,7,6,3,2
- **Bubble Sort**
  - Very simple sorting algorithm



# Bubble sort Algorithm explained

➤ Suppose the list of number  $A[1], [2], A[3], \dots, A[N]$  is in memory.

➤ Steps

1. Compare  $A[1]$  and  $A[2]$ , arrange them in the desired order so that  $A[1] < A[2]$ . Then Compare  $A[2]$  and  $A[3]$ , arrange them in the desired order so that  $A[2] < A[3]$ . Continue until  $A[N-1]$  is compared with  $A[N]$ , arrange them so that  $A[N-1] < A[N]$ .

- Involves  $n-1$  comparisons
- $A[N]$  contain the largest element

2. Repeat Step 1, Now stop after comparing and re-arranging  $A[N-2]$  and  $A[N-1]$ .

- Involves  $n-2$  comparisons
- $A[N-1]$  contain the 2<sup>nd</sup> largest element



3. Repeat Step 3, Now stop after comparing and re-arranging  $A[N-3]$  and  $A[N-2]$ .

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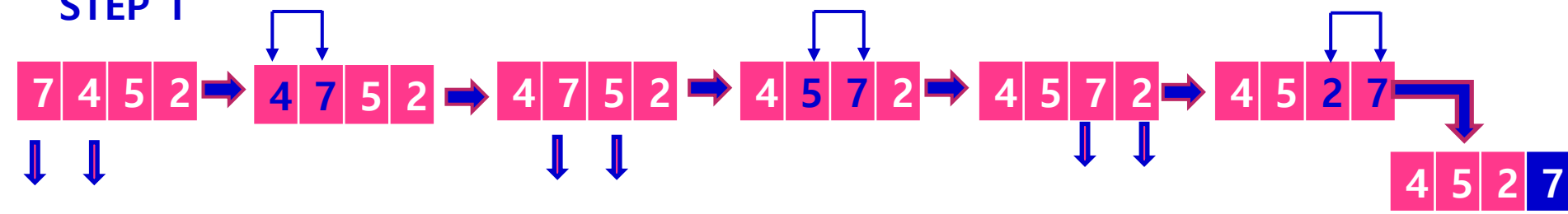
N-1. Compare  $A[1]$  and  $A[2]$  and arrange them in sorted order so that  $A[1] < A[2]$ .

- After N-1 steps the list will be sorted in increasing order
- The process of sequentially traversing through all or part of a list is called pass
  - Requires n-1 passes for n number of elements

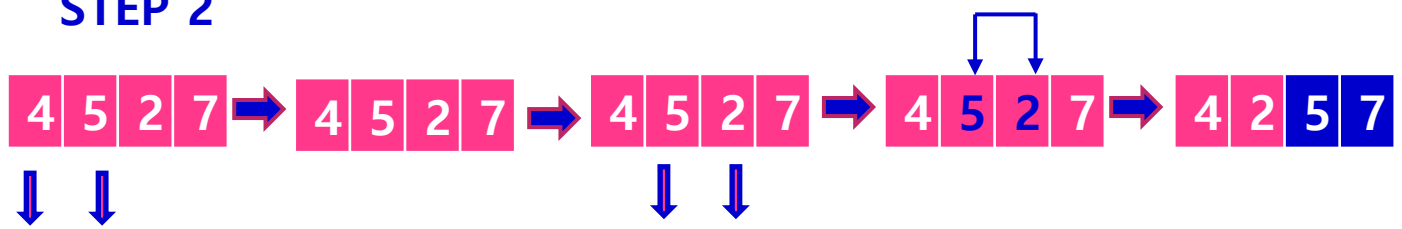


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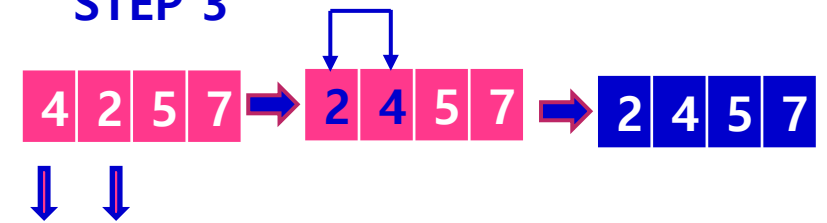
## STEP 1



## STEP 2



## STEP 3



## (Bubble sort) BUBBLE (DATA, N)

**DATA** is an array with **N** elements. This algorithm sorts the elements in **DATA**.

1. Repeat Steps 2 and 3 for  $K = 1$  to  $N - 1$ .
2. Set  $PTR := 1$ . [Initialize pass pointer PTR.]
3. Repeat while  $PTR \leq (N - K)$ : [Executes pass.]
  - a) If  $DATA[PTR] > DATA[PTR + 1]$ , then:  
Interchange  $DATA[PTR]$  and  $DATA[PTR+1]$   
[End of If structure.]
  - b) Set  $PTR := PTR + 1$ .  
[End of inner loop.]  
[End of Step 1 outer loop.]
4. Exit





# Complexity of Bubble sort algorithm

- The time for a sorting algorithm is measured in terms of the number of comparisons
- In bubble sort **n-1** comparisons made in **first pass**, **n-2** comparisons in **second pass** and so on
- The number of comparisons for bubble sort is

$$f(n) = (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 2 + 1 = \frac{n(n-1)}{2} = \frac{n^2}{2} + O(n) = O(n^2)$$

- The time required to execute the bubble sort algorithm is proportional to **n<sup>2</sup>**, where **n** is the number of input items



# SELECTION SORT ALGORITHM

- The Selection sort algorithm is based on the idea of finding the minimum or maximum element in an unsorted array and then putting it in its correct position in a sorted array.
- Steps
  - First it finds the smallest element in the array.
  - Exchange that smallest element with the element at the first position.
  - Then find the second smallest element and exchange that element with the element at the second position.
  - This process continues until the complete array is sorted.



➤ Suppose  $A$  is an array which consists of  $n$  elements namely  $A[1], A[2], \dots, A[N]$ . The selection sort algorithm will work as follows.

**Pass 1:** Find the location  $LOC$  of the smallest element in the list  $A[1], A[2], \dots, A[N]$  and put it in the first position.

- Interchange  $A[LOC]$  and  $A[1]$ .
- Now,  $A[1]$  is sorted.

**Pass 2:** Find the location of the second smallest element in the list  $A[2], A[3], \dots, A[N]$  and put it in the second position.

- Interchange  $A[LOC]$  and  $A[2]$ .
- Now,  $A[1]$  and  $A[2]$  is sorted. Hence,  $A[1] \leq A[2]$ .

**Pass 3:** Find the location of the third smallest element in the list  $A[3], A[4], \dots, A[N]$  and put it in the third position.

- Interchange  $A[LOC]$  and  $A[3]$ .
- Now,  $A[1], A[2]$  and  $A[3]$  is sorted. Hence,  $A[1] \leq A[2] \leq A[3]$ .

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Pass N-1. Find the location of the smallest element in the list  $A[A-1]$  and  $A[N]$ .

- Interchange  $A[LOC]$  and  $A[N-1]$  & put into the second last position.
- Now,  $A[1], A[2], \dots, A[N]$  is sorted. Hence,  $A[1] \leq \dots \leq A[N-1] \leq A[N]$ .

➤ Thus  $A$  is sorted after  $N-1$  passes

➤ Algorithm requires a variable  $MIN$  to hold the current smallest value.

– Initially set  $MIN := A[K]$  and  $LOC = K$

- where  $K$  = starting location at each pass



# Selection Sort

Pass	A[1]	A[2]	A[3]	A[4]	A[5]	A[6]	A[7]	A[8]
K=1 LOC=4	77	33	44	11	88	22	66	55
K=2 LOC=6	11	33	44	77	88	22	66	55
K=3 LOC=6	11	22	44	77	88	33	66	55
K=4 LOC=6	11	22	33	77	88	44	66	55
K=5 LOC=8	11	22	33	44	88	77	66	55
K=6 LOC=7	11	22	33	44	55	77	66	88
K=7 LOC=4	11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88

Sorted	11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88
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## MIN(A,K,N,LOC)

This procedure finds the location LOC of the smallest element among  $A[K], A[K+1], \dots, A[N]$

1. Set  $MIN=A[K]$  and  $LOC=K$  [Initialize pointers]
2. Repeat for  $J=K+1, K+2, \dots, N$   
If  $MIN > A[J]$ , then Set  $MIN=A[J]$  and  $LOC=J$ .  
[End of loop]
3. Exit





# Selection Sort Algorithm

## SELECTION(A,N)

This algorithm sorts the array **A** with **N** elements

1. Repeat Steps 2 and 3 for **K=1,2,...,N-1**:
2. Call **MIN(A,K,N,LOC)**
3. Interchange **A[K]** AND **A[LOC]**  
Set **Temp:=A[K]**, **A[K]:=A[LOC]** and **A[LOC]:=TEMP**  
[End of Step 1 loop]
4. Exit



# Complexity of the Selection sort algorithm

- The number  $f(n)$  of comparisons in the selection sort algorithm is independent of the original order of the elements
- $\text{MIN}(A, K, N, \text{LOC})$  requires  $n-K$  comparisons
- There are  $n-1$  comparisons in pass 1,  $n-2$  comparisons in pass 2 and so on.

$$f(n) = (n-1) + (n-2) + \dots + 2 + 1 = \frac{n(n-1)}{2} = O(n^2)$$

- The number of interchanges and assignments depend on the original order of the elements of the array
  - Worst case :  $O(n^2)$



# SEARCHING

- Let **DATA** be a collection of data elements in memory
- **ITEM** is a data element
- Searching
  - Operation of finding the location **LOC** of **ITEM** in array **DATA**, or printing some message that **ITEM** does not appear in array.
- The search is said to be successful if **ITEM** does appear in **DATA** and unsuccessful otherwise.
- Many different searching algorithms
  - The algorithm is selected based on how the elements of **DATA** are organized
- The complexity of searching algo is measured in terms of number  **$f(n)$**  of comparison required to find **ITEM** in **DATA**, where **DATA** contains  **$n$**  elements.



# Linear Search

- Let **DATA** is a linear array with  $n$  elements.
- Search **ITEM** in **DATA**.
- First test whether **DATA[1]=ITEM**,
  - Then check whether **DATA[2]=ITEM** and so on.
- The method which traverses **DATA** sequentially to locate item is called **linear search** or **sequential search**.



## ➤ Method

- Insert **ITEM** to be searched at **DATA[n+1]** location, ie, at the last position of the array.
- **LOC=N+1**
  - **LOC** denotes the location where **ITEM** first occurs in **DATA**.
  - Indicates the search was unsuccessful

➤ The purpose of this initial assignment is to avoid checking that the end of the array is reached or not.



# Linear Search Algorithm

## LINEAR (DATA, N, ITEM, LOC)

Here **DATA** is a linear array with **N** elements, and **ITEM** is a given item of information. This algorithm finds the location **LOC** of **ITEM** in **DATA**, or sets **LOC:= 0** if the search is unsuccessful.

1. [Insert ITEM at the end of DATA] Set  $\text{DATA}[\text{N} + 1] := \text{ITEM}$ .
2. [Initialize counter] Set  $\text{LOC} := 1$
3. [Search for ITEM.]  
Repeat while  $\text{DATA}[\text{LOC}] \neq \text{ITEM}$ :  
Set  $\text{LOC} := \text{LOC} + 1$ .  
[End of loop.]
4. [Successful?] If  $\text{LOC} = \text{N} + 1$ , then: Set  $\text{LOC} := 0$
5. Exit





# COMPLEXITY OF LINEAR SEARCH

- Complexity is measured by the number  $f(n)$  of comparisons required to find **ITEM** in **DATA** where **DATA** contains  $n$  elements.
- **Worst Case:**
  - Worst case occurs the entire array **DATA** has been searched for **ITEM**, i.e., when **ITEM** does not appear in **DATA**.
  - The algorithm requires  $f(n)=n+1$  comparisons.
  - the **running time** is proportional to  $n$ .
- **Average Case:**
  - Uses the **probablitic notation**
  - The average number of comparisons required to find the location of **ITEM** is approximately equal to **half the number of elements** in the array.



- $p_k$  is the probability that **ITEM** appears in **DATA[K]**
- $q$  is the probability that **ITEM** does not appears in **DATA**
  - Then  $p_1 + p_2 + p_3 + \dots + p_n + q = 1$
- The algorithm uses **K** comparisons when **DATA[K] = ITEM**
- The average number of comparisons is given by
  - $f(n) = 1.p_1 + 2.p_2 + 3.p_3 + \dots + n.p_n + (n+1).q$
  - Let  $q$  is very smal i.e.  $q \approx 0$ , the probalitiy of **ITEM** appearing in each element of **DATA** is equal and  $p_i = 1/n$ , then

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(n) &= 1.\frac{1}{n} + 2.\frac{1}{n} + \dots + n.\frac{1}{n} + (n+1).0 = (1+2+\dots+n).\frac{1}{n} \\
 &= \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{n} = \frac{n+1}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$



# BINARY SEARCH

- Binary search is an efficient searching algorithm when data in array are ordered.
- It can be used to find the location **LOC** of a given **ITEM** of information in **DATA**
  - Eg: telephone directory
- Working of Algorithm
  - During each stage the **search is reduced to a segment of DATA**.
  - Let the array **DATA** is **DATA[BEG], DATA[BEG+1], DATA[BEG+2],....., DATA[END]**.
    - **BEG** and an **END** are the beginning and end of array segment
  - Compare the **ITEM** with the middle element **DATA[MID]** of the segment,
    - where **MID = int((BEG+END)/2)**.
    - **int** is used to get an integer value of **MID**.



- If  $\text{DATA}[\text{MID}] = \text{ITEM}$ , then search is **successful**, and  $\text{LOC} := \text{MID}$ .
- Otherwise search is narrowed down to a new segment, which is obtained as:
  - If  $\text{ITEM} < \text{DATA}[\text{MID}]$ , then **ITEM** appears in the **left half of the segment**:  $\text{DATA}[\text{BEG}], \text{DATA}[\text{BEG}+1], \dots, \text{DATA}[\text{MID}-1]$ 
    - Reset **END** as  $\text{END} = \text{MID}-1$ , and begin search again.
  - If  $\text{ITEM} > \text{DATA}[\text{MID}]$ , then **ITEM** appears in the **right half of the segment**:  $\text{DATA}[\text{MID}+1], \text{DATA}[\text{MID}+2], \dots, \text{DATA}[\text{END}]$ 
    - Reset **BEG** as  $\text{BEG} = \text{MID}+1$ , and begin search again.
- Initially **BEG=LB** and **END=UB**.
- If **ITEM** is not in **DATA**, then
  - **END < BEG** and  $\text{LOC} := \text{null}$ ;



# Binary Search Algorithm

## **BINARY (DATA, LB, UB, ITEM, LOC)**

Here **DATA** is a sorted array with lower bound **LB** and upper bound **UB**, and **ITEM** is a given item of information. The variables **BEG**, **END** and **MID** denote, the **beginning**, **end** and **middle** locations of a segment of elements of **DATA**. This algorithm finds the location **LOC** of **ITEM** in **DATA** or sets **LOC=NULL**

1. [Initialize segment variables.]

Set **BEG := LB**, **END := UB** and **MID = INT((BEG + END)/2)**.

2. Repeat Steps 3 and 4 while **BEG ≤ END** and **DATA [MID] ≠ ITEM**



# Binary Search Algorithm

3. If **ITEM < DATA [MID]**, then:  
Set **END := MID - 1.**  
Else:  
Set **BEG := MID + 1.**  
[End of If structure]
4. Set **MID := INT((BEG + END)/2).**  
[End of Step 2 loop.]
5. If **DATA[MID] = ITEM**, then:  
Set **LOC := MID.**  
Else:  
Set **LOC := NULL.**  
[End of If structure.]
6. Exit.

**Note:** When item doesnot appear in DATA, the algorithm arrives at a position where **BEG=END=MID**



# Complexity of Binary Search Algorithm

- The complexity is measured by the number  $f(n)$  of comparisons to locate **ITEM** in **DATA** where **DATA** contains  $n$  elements.
- Here each comparison reduces the sample size in half.
- Hence we require at most  $f(n)$  comparisons to locate **ITEM** where
  - $2^{f(n)} > n$  OR  $f(n) = \lceil \log_2 n + 1 \rceil$
- **worst case:**
  - the running time is approximately equal to  $\log_2 n$ .
- **Average case:**
  - the running time is equal to that of worst case.
- **Limitations:**
  - Requires array to be sorted.
  - Sorting array is quite expensive when new elements are inserted and deleted frequently.





# MULTIDIMENSIONAL ARRAY

- **Linear array are known as one-dimensional arrays**
  - Each element is referenced by a single subscript
- **Multidimensional arrays**
  - Referenced by more than one subscript
  - Eg: two dimensional arrays, three-dimensional arrays
- **Two dimensional array**
  - A two-dimensional  $m \times n$  array  $A$  is a collection of  $m \cdot n$  data elements such that each element is specified by a pair of integers (such as  $J, K$ ), called **subscripts**, with the property that
    - $1 \leq J \leq m$  and  $1 \leq K \leq n$



- The element of **A** with **first** subscript **j** and **second** subscript **k** will be denoted by
  - **$A_{j,k}$**  or  **$A[J, K]$**
- Two-dimensional arrays are called **matrices** in **mathematics** and **tables** in **business applications**.
- Standard way of drawing a two-dimensional **m x n** array **A**
  - the elements of **A** form a rectangular array with **m** rows and **n** columns
  - the element  **$A[J, K]$**  appears in row **J** and column **K**.

	Column 0	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Row 0	a[ 0 ][ 0 ]	a[ 0 ][ 1 ]	a[ 0 ][ 2 ]	a[ 0 ][ 3 ]
Row 1	a[ 1 ][ 0 ]	a[ 1 ][ 1 ]	a[ 1 ][ 2 ]	a[ 1 ][ 3 ]
Row 2	a[ 2 ][ 0 ]	a[ 2 ][ 1 ]	a[ 2 ][ 2 ]	a[ 2 ][ 3 ]

Two-dimensional 3x4 Array



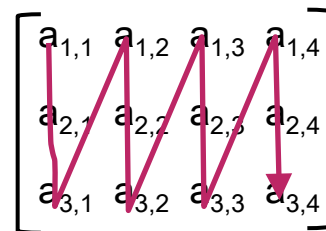
# Representation of Two-Dimensional Arrays in Memory

- Let  $A$  be a two-dimensional  $m \times n$  array
- the array will be represented in memory by a block of  $m \cdot n$  sequential memory locations.
- The programming language will store the array  $A$ 
  - column by column, is called **column-major order**, or
  - row by row, in **row-major order**

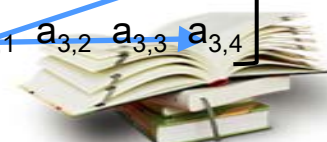
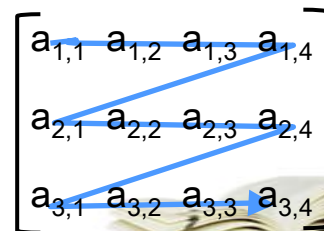
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(2,1)	
(3,1)	
(1,2)	Column2
(2,2)	
(3,2)	
(1,3)	Column3
(2,3)	
(3,3)	
(1,4)	Column4
(2,4)	
(3,4)	

(1,1)	Row1
(1,2)	
(1,3)	
(1,4)	Row2
(2,1)	
(2,2)	
(2,3)	Row3
(2,4)	
(3,1)	
(3,2)	
(3,3)	
(3,4)	

Column-major order



Row-major order



- The computer uses the formula to find the address of  $LA[K]$  in time independent of  $K$ .
- For linear array
  - $LOC(LA[K]) = Base(LA) + w(K - LB)$ 
    - $W$  is number of words per memory cell
    - $LB$  is the lower bound of the index set of  $LA$
- For two-dimensional array
  - The computer keeps track of  $Base(A)$  i.e the address of the first element  $A[1, 1]$  of  $A$
  - Computes the address  $LOC(A[J, K])$  of  $A[J, K]$



## Column-major order

$$\text{LOC}(A[J, K]) = \text{Base}(A) + w[M(K - \text{LB}) + (J - \text{LB})]$$

## Row-major order

$$\text{LOC}(A[J, K]) = \text{Base}(A) + w[N(J - \text{LB}) + (K - \text{LB})]$$

- $w$  is number of words per memory cell
- $\text{LB}$  is the lower bound of the index set of  $A$ 
  - Generally  $\text{LB}=1$



# 2D Array (Row Major)

Base(A) = 200 and  $w = 1$

$A_{5 \times 6}$

$\downarrow$   $K^{\text{th}}$   
Column

$\xrightarrow{\text{J}^{\text{th}}}$   
Row

			$A[J][K]$		

$$\text{LOC}(A[J,K]) = \text{Base}(A) + w[n(J-LB) + (K-LB)]$$

$$A[J][K] = 200 + 1[6(3-1) + (4-1)] = 200 + 15 = 215$$



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$$A[J][K] = 200 + 1[5(4-1) + (3-1)] = 200 + 17 = 217$$





# General Multidimensional Arrays

- An n-dimensional  $m_1 \times m_2 \times \dots \times m_n$  array **B** is a collection of  $m_1 \cdot m_2 \cdot \dots \cdot m_n$  data elements
- Each element is specified by a list of  $n$  integers indices – such as  $K_1, K_2, \dots, K_n$ 
  - These are called subscripts with the property that
    - $1 \leq K_1 \leq m_1, 1 \leq K_2 \leq m_2, \dots, 1 \leq K_n \leq m_n$
- The Element **B** with subscript  $K_1, K_2, \dots, K_n$  will be denoted by
  - $B_{K_1, K_2, \dots, K_n}$  or  $B[K_1, K_2, \dots, K_n]$
- The array will be stored in memory as sequence of memory locations
  - The programming language will store the array **B** either in **row-major order** or in **column-major order**.



- Let **C** be a **n**-dimensional array
- The index set for each dimension of **C** consists of the consecutive integers from the lower bound to the upper bound of the dimension.
  - General multidimensional array may have **lower bound < 1**
- Length **L<sub>i</sub>** of dimension **i** of **C** is the number of elements in the index set
  - $L_i = UB_i - LB_i + 1$
- For a given subscript **K<sub>i</sub>**, the effective index **E<sub>i</sub>** of **K<sub>i</sub>** is the number of indices preceding **K<sub>i</sub>** in the index set
  - $E_i = K_i - LB_i$



➤ Address  $\text{LOC}(C[K_1, K_2, \dots, K_n])$  of an arbitrary element of  $C$  can be obtained as

– Column-Major Order

$$\text{Base}(C) + w[(((\dots (E_N L_{N-1} + E_{N-1}) L_{N-2}) + \dots + E_3) L_2 + E_2) L_1 + E_1]$$

– Row-Major Order

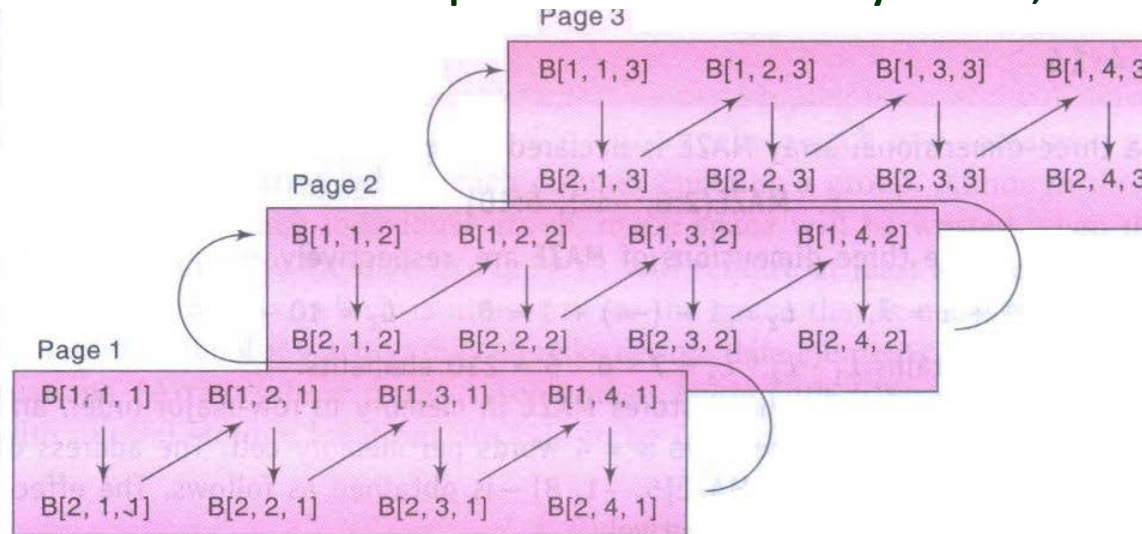
$$\text{Base}(C) + w[(\dots ((E_1 L_2 + E_2) L_3 + E_3) L_4 + \dots + E_{N-1}) L_N + E_N]$$



# Column major order

➤ Eg: Array  $B[2 \times 4 \times 3]$

- Contains 24 elements
- Displayed in 3 layers known as pages
  - Each layer contains  $2 \times 4$  array of elements with same 3<sup>rd</sup> subscript
  - Subscripts of 3-dimesional array are row,column, and page



B	Subscripts
	(1, 1, 1)
	(2, 1, 1)
	(1, 2, 1)
	(2, 2, 1)
	(1, 3, 1)
	(2, 3, 1)
⋮	⋮
	(1, 4, 3)
	(2, 4, 3)

(a) Column-major order

B	Subscripts
	(1, 1, 1)
	(1, 1, 2)
	(1, 1, 3)
	(1, 2, 1)
	(1, 2, 2)
	(1, 2, 3)
⋮	⋮
	(2, 4, 2)
	(2, 4, 3)

(b) Row-major order

Eg: MAZE(2:8, -4:1, 6:10), Calculate the address of MAZE[5,-1,8]

- Given: Base(MAZE) = 200, w = 2,
- MAZE is stored in Row-Major order

$$L_i = UB_i - LB_i + 1$$

$$E_i = K_i - LB_i$$

➤  $L_1 = 8 - 2 + 1 = 7, L_2 = 1 - (-4) + 1 = 6, L_3 = 5$

- MAZE contains  $7 \cdot 6 \cdot 5 = 210$  elements

➤  $E_1 = 5 - 2 = 3, E_2 = -1 - (-4) = 3, E_3 = 2$

$$LOC(C[K_1, K_2, \dots, K_n]) = \text{Base}(C) + w[(\dots ((E_1 L_2 + E_2) L_3 + E_3) L_4 + \dots + E_{N-1}) L_N + E_N]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MAZE}[5, -1, 8] &= \text{Base}(C) + w[(E_1 L_2 + E_2) L_3 + E_3] \\ &= 200 + 2[(3 \cdot 6 + 3) \cdot 5 + 2] = 200 + 2[(21) \cdot 5 + 2] \\ &= 200 + 2[107] = 200 + 214 = 414 \end{aligned}$$



➤ When MAZE is stored in Column-Major order

➤  $L_1 = 8-2+1 = 7$ ,  $L_2 = 1-(-4)+1=6$ ,  $L_3 = 5$

– MAZE contains  $7.6.5=210$  elements

➤  $E_1 = 5 - 2 = 3$ ,  $E_2 = -1-(-4)= 3$ ,  $E_3 = 2$

$LOC(C[K_1, K_2, \dots, K_n]) = \text{Base}(C) + w[(((\dots(E_N L_{N-1} + E_{N-1})L_{N-2}) + \dots + E_3)L_2 + E_2)L_1 + E_1]$

$MAZE[5, -1, 8] = \text{Base}(C) + w[(E_3 L_2 + E_2)L_1 + E_1]$

$= 200 + 2[(2.6 + 3).7 + 3] = 200 + 2[(15).7 + 3]$

$= 200 + 2[108] = 200 + 216 = 416$

