FCDS Programming I

Lecture 10: Arrays II

Arrays as parameters

Array parameter (declare)

```
public static type methodName(type[] name) {
Example:
// Returns the average of the given array of numbers.
public static double average(int[] numbers) {
    int sum = 0;
    for (int i = 0; i < numbers.length; i++) {</pre>
        sum += numbers[i];
    return (double) sum / numbers.length;
```

Array parameter (call)

```
methodName (arrayName);
```

Example:

```
public class MyProgram {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
      // figure out the average TA IQ
      int[] iq = {126, 84, 149, 167, 95};
      double avg = average(iq);
      System.out.println("Average IQ = " + avg);
   }
   ...
}
```

Notice that you don't write the [] when passing the array.

Read Array

```
public class MyProgram {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
      Scanner s = new Scanner(System.in);
      System.out.println("Enter array size:");
      int n = s.nextInt();
      int[] array1 = new int[n];
      int[] array2 = new int[n];
      readArray(array1);
      readArray(array2);
   }
   static void readArray(int[] a) {
      Scanner x = new Scanner(System.in);
      for (int i = 0; i < a.length; i++){
          System.out.print("a[" + i + "]= ");
          a[i] = x.nextInt();
```

Print Array

```
public class MyProgram {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
      int[] array1 = {1, 6, 8, 34, 7};
      int[] array2 = {4, 98, 63, 9};
      printArray(array1);
      printArray(array2);
   }
   static void printArray(int[] a) {
      for (int i = 0; i < a.length; i++){
         System.out.println(a[i]);
```

Arrays return

Array return (declare)

```
public static type[] methodName(parameters) {
 Example:
// Returns a new array with two copies of each value.
// Example: [1, 4, 0, 7] \rightarrow [1, 1, 4, 4, 0, 0, 7, 7]
public static (int[])stutter(int[] numbers) {
    int[] result = new int[2 * numbers.length];
    for (int i = 0; i < numbers.length; i++) {</pre>
        result[2 * i] = numbers[i];
        result[2 * i + 1] = numbers[i];
    return (result);
```

Array return (call)

```
type[] name = methodName(parameters);
```

Example:

```
public class MyProgram {
        public static void main(String[] args) {
            int[] iq = {126, 84, 149, 167, 95};
            int[] stuttered = stutter(iq);
            System.out.println(Arrays.toString(stuttered));
        }
        ...
}
Output:
    [126, 126, 84, 84, 149, 149, 167, 167, 95, 95]
```

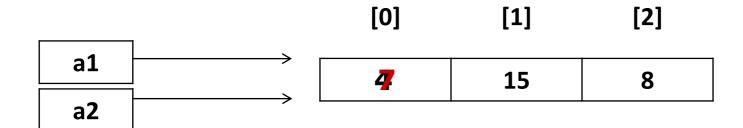
Reference semantics

Reference semantics (objects)

- reference semantics: Behavior where variables actually store the address of an object in memory.
 - When one variable is assigned to another, the object is not copied; both variables refer to the same object.
 - Modifying the value of one variable will affect others.

```
int[] a1 = {4, 15, 8};
int[] a2 = a1;  // refer to same array as a1
```

Reference semantics (cont.)



output:

```
[I@4b71bbc9
[7, 15, 8]
```

Arrays pass by reference

- Arrays are passed as parameters by reference.
 - Changes made in the method are also seen by the caller.

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    int[] iq = {126, 167, 95};
    increase(iq);
    System.out.println(Arrays.toString(iq));
public static void increase(int[] a) {
    for (int i = 0; i < a.length; i++) {</pre>
        a[i] = a[i] * 2;
                                         index
                                                              190
   [252, 334, 190]
```

A swap method?

 Does the following swap method work? Why or why not?

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    int a = 7;
    int b = 35;
   // swap a with b?
   swap(a, b); ←
                           Pass by Value
   System.out.println(a + " " + b);
                                     7 35
public static void swap(int a, int b) {
    int temp = a;
   a = b;
   b = temp;
```

swap2 (Example)

 Write a method swap that accepts an arrays of integers and two indexes and swaps the elements at those indexes.

```
int[] a1 = {12, 34, 56};
swap(a1, 1, 2);
System.out.println(Arrays.toString(a1)); // [12, 56, 34]

// Swaps the values at the given two indexes.
public static void swap(int[] a, int i, int j) {
   int temp = a[i];
   a[i] = a[j];
   a[j] = temp;
}
```

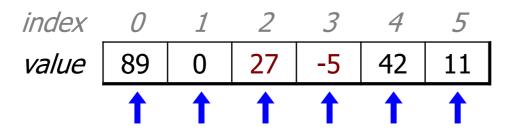
swapALL (Example)

 Write a method swapAll that accepts two arrays of integers as parameters and swaps their entire contents. Assume that the two arrays are the same length.

```
int[] a1 = {12, 34, 56};
int[] a2 = {20, 50, 80};
swapAll(a1, a2);
System.out.println(Arrays.toString(a1)); // [20, 50, 80]
System.out.println(Arrays.toString(a2)); // [12, 34, 56]
// Swaps the entire contents of a1 with those of a2.
public static void swapAll(int[] a1, int[] a2) {
    for (int i = 0; i < a1.length; i++) {
        int temp = a1[i];
        a1[i] = a2[i];
        a2[i] = temp;
```

Array reverse (Example)

 Write a method reverse that accepts an array of integers and reverses the elements of the array.



Array reverse (Example)

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
int[] a = \{11, 42, -5, 27, 0, 89\};
reverse(a);
System.out.println(Arrays.toString(a)); // [89, 0, 27, -5, 42, 11]
public static void reverse(int[] numbers) {
    for (int i = 0; i < numbers.length / 2; i++) {</pre>
        int temp = numbers[i];
        numbers[i] = numbers[numbers.length - 1 - i];
        numbers[numbers.length - 1 - i] = temp;
```

Array return example (Merge2)

 Write a method merge that accepts two arrays of integers and returns a new array containing all elements of the first array followed by all elements of the second.

```
int[] a1 = {12, 34, 56};
int[] a2 = {7, 8, 9, 10};
int[] a3 = merge(a1, a2);
System.out.println(Arrays.toString(a3)); // [12, 34, 56, 7, 8, 9, 10]
// Returns a new array containing all elements of a1
// followed by all elements of a2.
public static int[] merge(int[] a1, int[] a2) {
    int[] result = new int[a1.length + a2.length];
    for (int i = 0; i < a1.length; i++) {</pre>
        result[i] = a1[i];
    for (int i = 0; i < a2.length; i++) {
        result[a1.length + i] = a2[i];
  return result;
```

Array return example (Merge3)

Write a method merge3 that merges 3 arrays similarly.

```
int[] a1 = {12, 34, 56};
int[] a2 = {7, 8, 9, 10};
int[] a3 = {444, 222, -1};
int[] a4 = merge3(a1, a2, a3);
System.out.println(Arrays.toString(a4));
// [12, 34, 56, 7, 8, 9, 10, 444, 222, -1]

// Returns a new array containing all elements of a1
// followed by all elements of a2
// followed by all elements of a3.
```

Array return example (Merge3)

```
public static int[] merge3(int[] a1, int[] a2, int[] a3) {
    int[] a4 = new int[a1.length + a2.length + a3.length];
   for (int i = 0; i < a1.length; i++) {
       a4[i] = a1[i];
   for (int i = 0; i < a2.length; i++) {
       a4[a1.length + i] = a2[i];
   for (int i = 0; i < a3.length; i++) {
        a4[a1.length + a2.length + i] = a3[i];
   return a4;
// Shorter version that calls merge.
public static int[] merge3(int[] a1, int[] a2, int[] a3) {
   return merge(merge(a1, a2), a3);
```