

## Computer Language

Reference Type

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## Basics Array

#### Reference Type

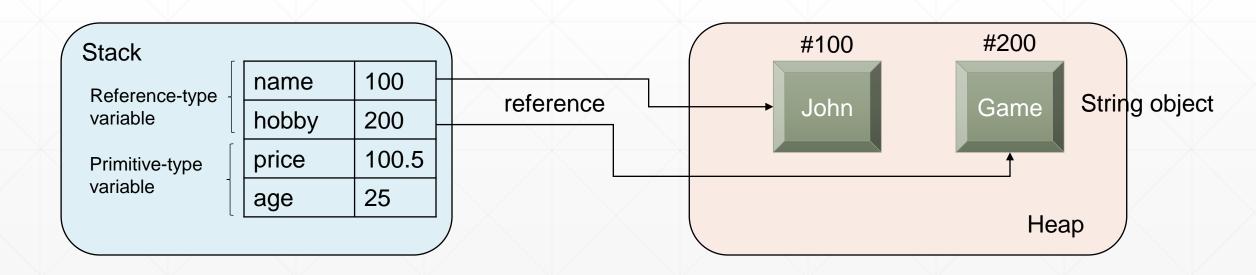
- Data type
  - Primitive type
    - Integer (byte, char, short, int, long)
    - Floating-point (float, double)
    - Boolean
  - Reference type
    - Array
    - Enum
    - Class (+String, Wrapper)
    - Interface

#### Data type

- Primitive type variable
  - Store a value in the variable (stack)
- Reference type variable
  - Store a value in the memory (heap)
  - Store an address of the memory for further reference

```
int age = 25;
double price = 100.5;

String name = "John";
String hobby = "Game";
```

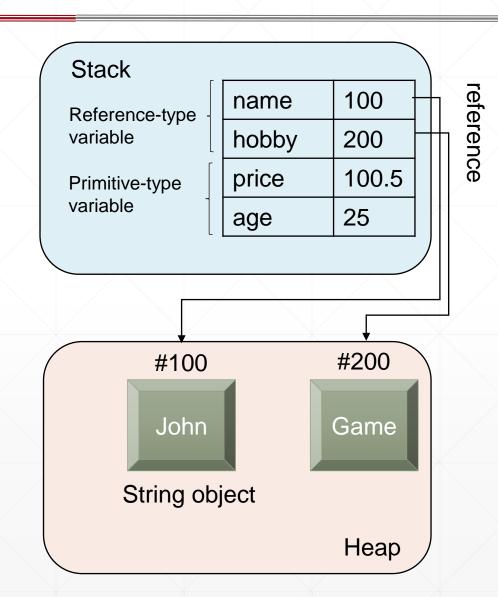


#### Stack

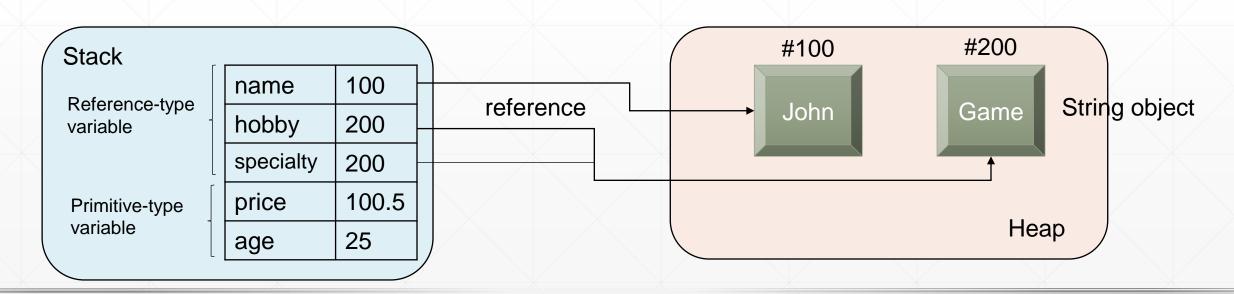
- Allocated for each thread
- Temporary memory based on the method call
- Memory blocks for the method are stacked
  - Local variables, references, etc
  - Only accessible in the block
- After the method is finished, the memory space for the data is cleared

#### Heap

- Created by JVM
- Uses as long as the application is running
- All objects are stored in a heap with a global access, therefore, can be referenced from anywhere in the app

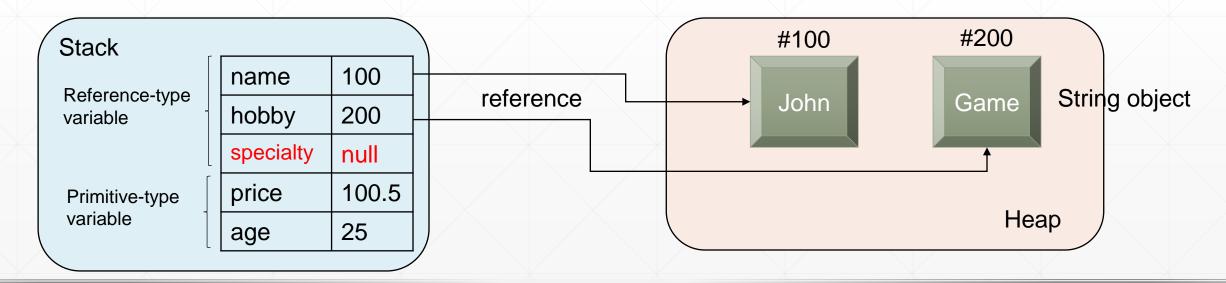


- ==, != operations
  - Primitive type variable
    - Check if two values are same or not
  - Reference type variable
    - Check if two variables are pointing the same reference or not



#### null

- Can be used for a reference type
- Can be used as a default value when a reference-type variable does not point anything
- > !=, == operations can be used for null type

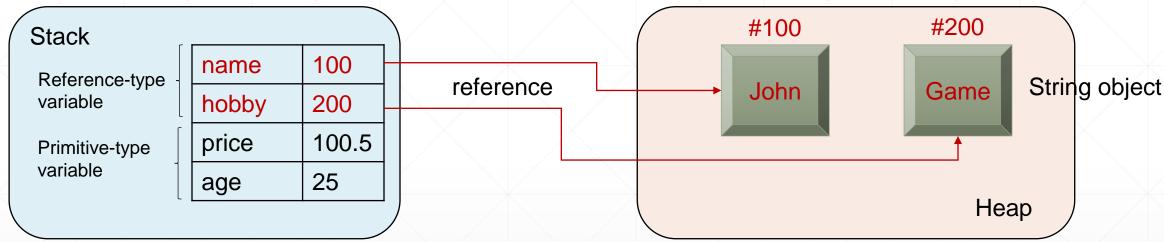


- NullPointerException (NPE)
  - One of Exceptions (will be discussed later)
    - Program error
  - When if we try to use variables/methods of null

```
int[] intArray = null;
intArray[0] = 10; //NullPointerException
```

```
String str = null;
System.out.println(" Length: " + str.length()); //NullPointerException
```

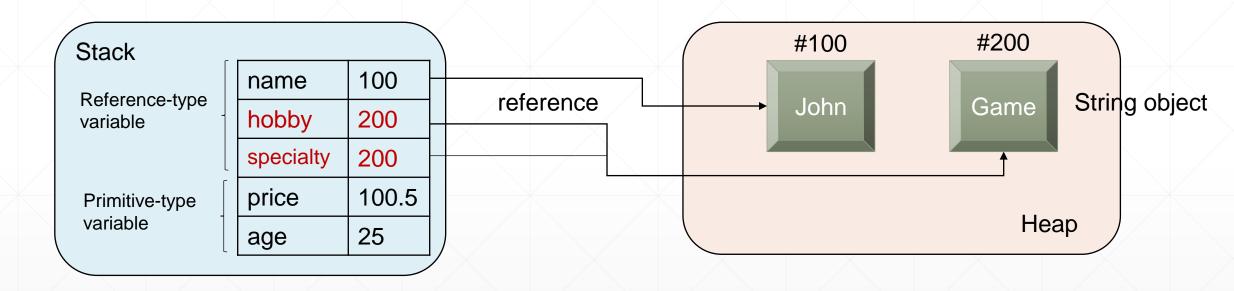
- String
  - Class to store a string value



- Generation of String object using "new" keyword
  - Generate a new String object in Heap area
  - The address of the memory is returned

#### String

> String object can be shared if string literals are same



```
String hobby = "Game";
String specialty = "Game";
```

#### Enumeration

- > Special data type to store a set of constants
- Common example
  - Representing compass directions: {NORTH, SOUTH, EAST, WEST}
  - Representing the days of a week: {SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, ..., SATURDAY}
- > Enum-type variable must be equal to one of the values that have been predefined for it
- Declaration public enum Enumtype { ...(a set of enum constants) }
  - Need to be declared in the java file with the same Enumtype name
  - Enum constant should be CAPITAL (naming convention)

```
public enum Week { MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, ... }
public enum LoginResult { LOGIN_SUCCESS, LOGIN_FAILED }
```

- Enumeration
  - Declaration of Enum type variable

Enumtype variableName;

Week today;

Week reservationDay;

- Assigning a value to Enum type variable
  - Value must be equal to one of the values that have been predefined for it

Enumtype variableName = Enumtype.constant;

Week today = Week.SUNDAY;

- Enum type is a kind of reference type
  - Enum-type variable can use null literal

Week birthday = null;

#### Example)

#### Hello.java

```
public class Hello {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    Week myDay = Week. FRIDAY;
    switch (myDay) {
       case MONDAY:
         System.out.println("Mondays are bad.");
         break:
       case FRIDAY:
         System.out.println("Fridays are better.");
         break;
       case SATURDAY: case SUNDAY:
         System.out.println("Weekends are best.");
         break;
       default:
         System.out.println("Midweek days are so-so.");
         break;
```

#### Week.java

```
public enum Week {
    MONDAY,
    TUESDAY,
    WEDNESDAY,
    THURSDAY,
    FRIDAY,
    SATURDAY,
    SUNDAY
}
```

# Basics Array

## When We need an Array?

- We want to calculate the grades for 5 students
  - Store each student's score, then
  - ➤ Calculate mean, min, max of all students' scores!

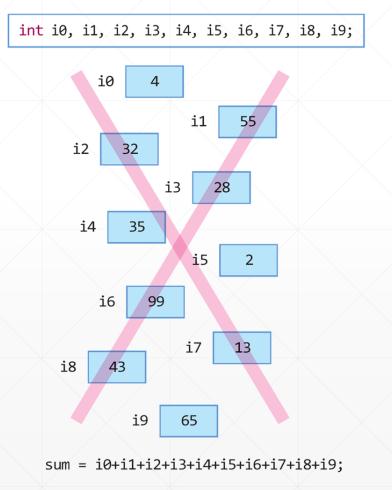
- We need five variables to do this!
  - > score1
  - > score2
  - > score3
  - > score4
  - > score5

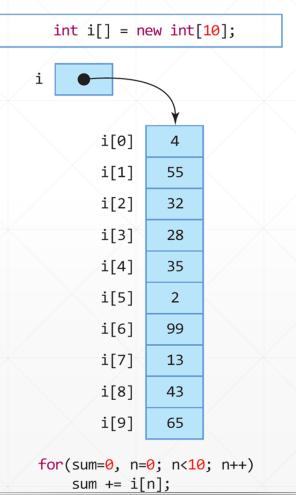
## When We need an Array? (cont'd)

- What about 50 students
  - Store each student's score, then
  - Calculate mean, min, max of all students' scores!
- We need fifty variables to do this...?
  - > score1, score2, score3, score4, score5 ... score50?
  - > Ok..
- What about 500 students?
  - We need five hundred variables then?
- So, we need a data structure to store a list of elements! (like, array!)

#### **Array: Characteristics**

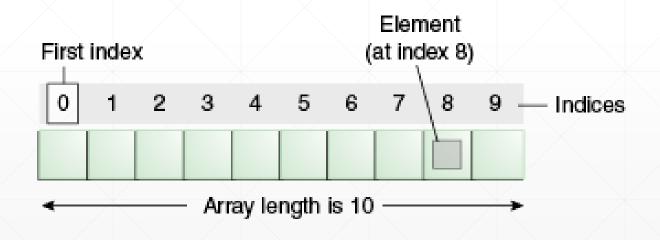
- Data structure used to store multiple values in a single variable, instead of declaring separate variables for each value
- A container object that holds a fixed number of values of a single type





#### **Array: Index**

- Element
  - > Each item in an array
  - Accessed by its numerical index
  - ➤ Index number begins with 0



#### **Array: Declaration and Creation**

Declaration

```
type[] variable;
```

type variable[];

```
int[] intArray;
double[] doubleArray;
String[] strArray;
```

```
int intArray[];
double doubleArray[];
String strArray[];
```

- Array variable can be null
  - ➤ If null, accessing array elements (i.e., array[index]) is not possible
    - NullPointerException NPE occurs!

## **Array: Declaration and Creation (cont'd)**

Declaration with initialization

```
type[] variable = { value0, value1, value2, ...};
```

Example)

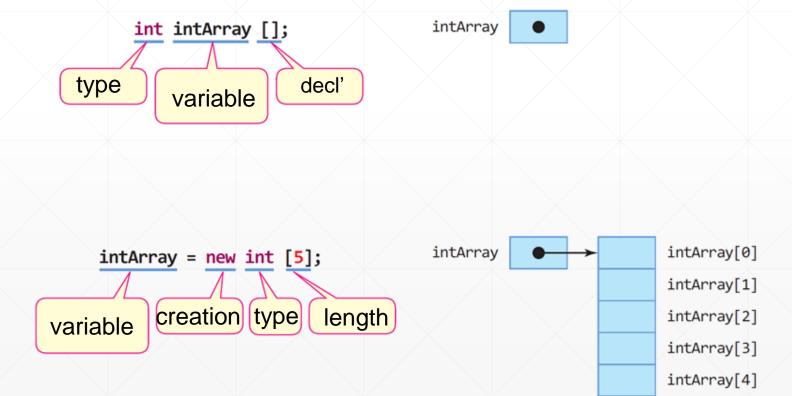
```
int intArray[] = \{4,3,2,1,0\};
double doubleArray[] = \{0.01, 0.02, 0.03, 0.04\};
```

```
int intArray[] = \{4, 3, 2, 1, 0\};
                                             double doubleArray[] = \{0.01, 0.02, 0.03, 0.04\};
                                             doubleArray
                                                                       0.01
                                                                              doubleArray[0]
intArray
                             intArray[0]
                             intArray[1]
                                                                       0.02
                                                                              doubleArray[1]
                        3
                        2
                             intArray[2]
                                                                       0.03
                                                                              doubleArray[2]
                             intArray[3]
                                                                       0.04
                                                                              doubleArray[3]
                        1
                             intArray[4]
                        0
```

## **Array: Declaration and Creation (cont'd)**

Creation after Declaration

```
type[] variable; // array declaration
variable = new type[length]; // array creation (memory allocation)
```



#### **Array: Access**

Accessing array element

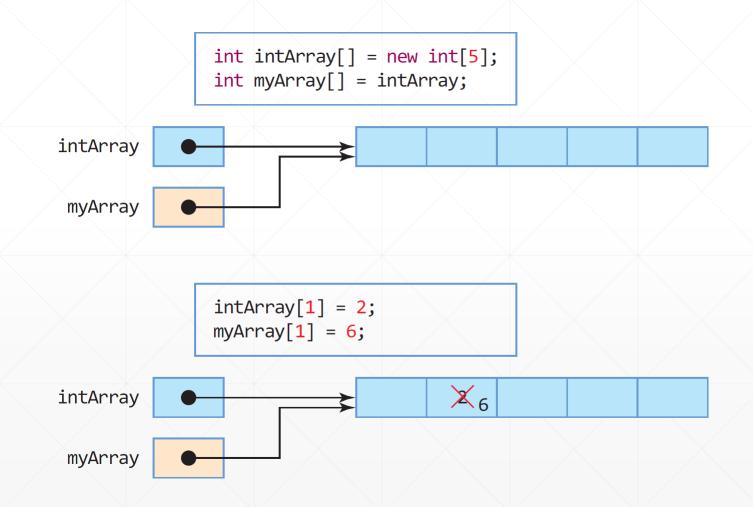
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- > Get the element located in the position of *index* in the array
- Index begins with 0
- > The index of the last element in an array is (the length of the array -1)

```
int intArray [] = new int[5]; // create an array with size of 5 (index: 0~4)
intArray[0] = 5; // store 5 to index 0
intArray[3] = 6; // store 6 to index 3
int n = intArray[3]; // access index 3 of intArray and the assign the value to variable n
n = intArray[-2]; // error!
n = intArray[5]; // error!
```

## Array: Access (cont'd)

A single array can be shared with multiple references



## Array: Access (cont'd)

Example) take 5 positive integers from the user, store them in an array, and print the max value!

```
Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
int intArray[] = new int[5]; // create an array
int max = 0; // current max value
System. out.println("Input 5 Positive Numbers.");
for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
  intArray[i] = scanner.nextInt();  // store the input value to the array
  if (intArray[i] > max) // if intArray[i] is greater than the current max
     max = intArray[i]; // then set intArray[i] as current max
System.out.print("The maximum value is " + max + ".");
scanner.close();
```

## **Array: Length**

- Array is a kind of Object in Java
  - ➤ Length field of an array represents the size of the array

```
int intArray[];
intArray = new int[5];
int size = intArray.length;
int size = intArray.length;
intArray
```

#### **Array: Length**

- Example)
  - > Take a set of integers from the user to fill out the array
  - Use the length of an array to determine how many times a user needs to type the number!

```
int intArray[] = new int[5];
int sum = 0;
Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in);
System.out.println("Input "+ intArray.length + " numbers: ");
for (int i = 0; i < intArray.length; i++)
  intArray[i] = scanner.nextInt(); // store an integer value to the array
for (int i = 0; i < intArray.length; i++)
  sum += intArray[i]; // sum up all the values in the array using for statement
System.out.print("Average is " + (double) sum / intArray.length);
scanner.close();
```

#### **Array: For-Each**

- Advanced for statement to iterate each element in the array or enum
  - > Do not need to check the length of an array in the loop!

for (type variable : array)

```
int[] num = { 1,2,3,4,5 };
int sum = 0;
for (int k : num) // for each iteration, k is set to num[0], num[1], ..., num[4]
    sum += k;
System.out.println("Sum: " + sum);

String names[] = { "apple", "pear", "banana", "cherry", "strawberry", "grape" };
for (String s : names)
    System.out.print(s + " ");

enum Week { MON, TUE, WED, THU, FRI, SAT, SUN }
for (Week day : Week.values())
    System.out.print(day + " ");
```

#### **Array: 2D-array**

#### Declaration

```
int intArray[][];
char charArray[][];
double doubleArray[][];
```

```
int[][] intArray;
char[][] charArray;
double[][] doubleArray;
```

#### Creation

```
intArray = new int[2][5];
charArray = new char[5][5];
doubleArray = new double[5][2];
```

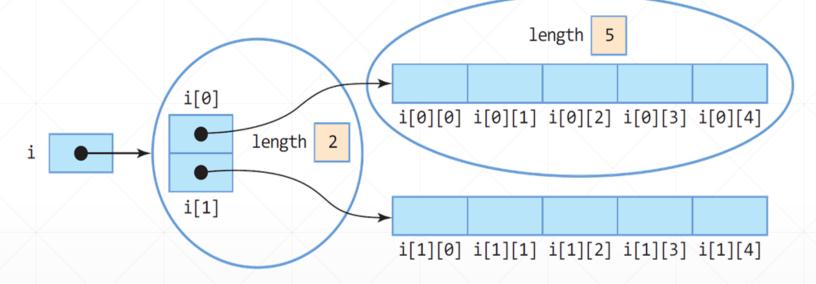
```
int intArray[][] = new int[2][5];
char charArray[][] = new char[5][5];
double doubleArray[][] = new double[5][2];
```

#### Declaration with initialization

```
int intArray[][] = {{0,1,2},{3,4,5},{6,7,8}};
char charArray[][] = {{'a', 'b', 'c'},{'d', 'e', 'f'}};
double doubleArray[][] = {{0.01, 0.02}, {0.03, 0.04}};
```

#### Conceptual view

```
int i[][] = new int[2][5];
int size1 = i.length; // 2
int size2 = i[0].length; // 5
int size3 = i[1].length; // 5
```

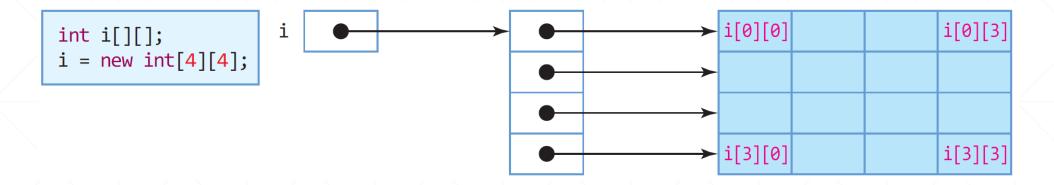


- The length of 2D-array
  - > i.length = 2 (the number of row)
    - i[0].length = 5 (length of n-th 1D-array)
    - i[1].length = 5 (length of n-th 1D-array)

Store GPA scores for each year/semester in a 2d array, and then calculate their average

```
double score[][] = \{\{3.3, 3.4\}, // GPA \text{ for the 1st year }\}
     {3.5, 3.6}, // GPA for the 2nd year
     {3.7, 4.0}, // GPA for the 3rd year
     {4.1, 4.2}}; // GPA for the 4th year
double sum = 0;
for (int year = 0; year < score.length; year++) // for each year
  for (int term = 0; term < score[year].length; term++) // for each semester
     sum += score[year][term]; // sum-up!
int n = score.length; // the number of rows
int m = score[0].length; // the number of columns
System.out.println("Total GPA is " + sum / (n * m));
```

#### Square array



#### Non-square array

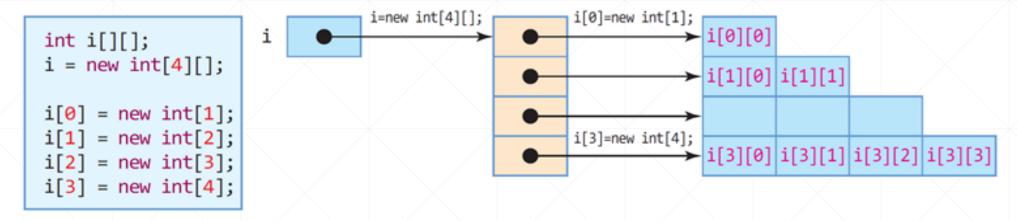
```
int i[][];
i = new int[4][];

i[0] = new int[1];
i[1] = new int[2];
i[2] = new int[3];
i[3] = new int[4];
i[0]=new int[4];

i[0]=new int[1];
i[1][0] i[1][1]

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

Non-square array



- The length of a non-square 2D-array
  - > i.length = 4 (the number of row)
    - i[0].length = 1 (length of n-th 1D-array)
    - i[1].length = 2 (length of n-th 1D-array)
    - i[2].length = 3 (length of n-th 1D-array)
    - i[3].length = 4 (length of n-th 1D-array)

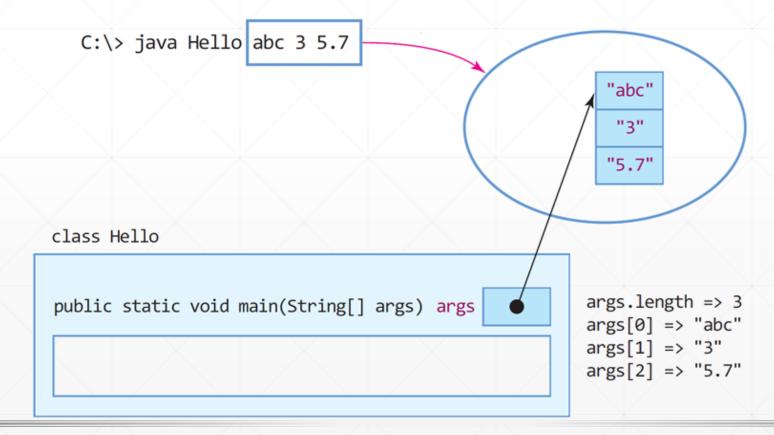
Example) Create a non-square array as shown in the following figure, initialize the array, and print it.

10	11	12
20	21	
30	31	32
40	41	

```
int intArray[][] = new int[4][];
intArray[0] = new int[3];
intArray[1] = new int[2];
intArray[2] = new int[3];
intArray[3] = new int[2];
for (int i = 0; i < intArray.length; i++)
  for (int i = 0; i < intArray[i].length; <math>i++)
     intArray[i][j] = (i + 1) * 10 + j;
for (int i = 0; i < intArray.length; i++) {
  for (int j = 0; j < intArray[i].length; <math>j++)
     System.out.print(intArray[i][i] + " ");
   System.out.println();
```

#### Array: Misc.

- What is String[] args in the main method?
- main() is the entry point of Java application
  - > Arguments for starting Java application is passed through args String array



## Array: Misc. (cont'd)

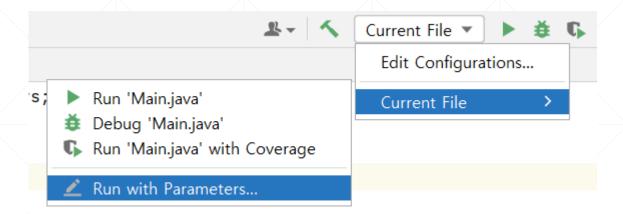
Example) print out the contents of args array in the main method

```
public class Hello {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
     for(String arg : args)
        System.out.println(arg);
   }
}
```

If no arguments are set, then nothing is printed

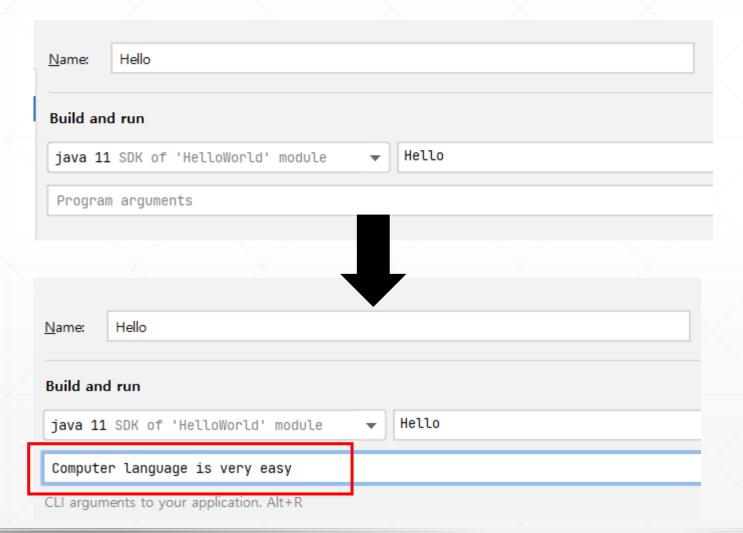
## Array: Misc. (cont'd)

Run with parameters



## Array: Misc. (cont'd)

Edit Configuration: passing arguments



What happens?

#### Q&A

- Next week
  - ➤ OOD/P: Class and Methods