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## **Terminology and Examples**

**Index:** The index of an element in an array is its numerical position. The first element has an index of 0.

**OBOE:** An off-by-one error. Watch out for these!

**bracket notation:** we can access array elements using square brackets [] and entering in the index:

```
> const letters = ['a', 'b', 'c'];
> letters[0];
'a'
```

Start counting elements at 0.

**the length property:** you can check the length of an array by accessing its length property:

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```
> letters.length
3
```

## You can get elements from the end of an array like this:

```
> letters[letters.length - 1]
'c'
```

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