

# Announcements

- Graded lab this week
  - Based on Assignments 2 & 3
- Assignment 5
  - Posted October 26; Due November 4
  - String operations in IA-32

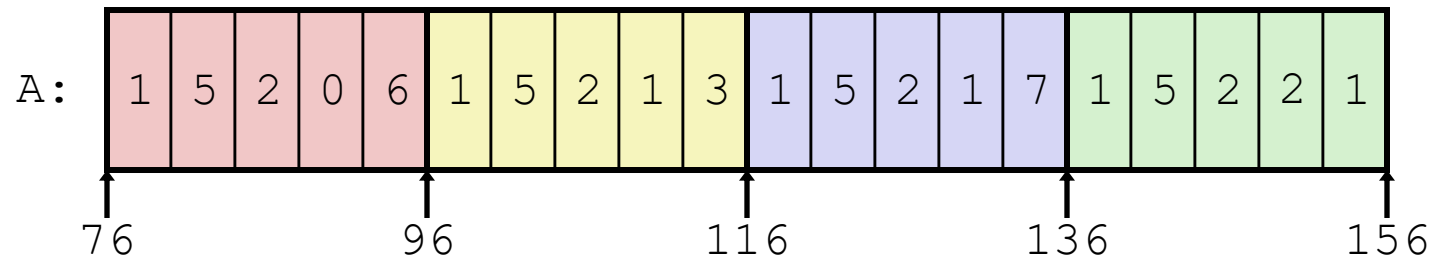
Lecture 21

# Multi-Dimensional Arrays

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# Multi-Dimensional Arrays

```
A[4][5] = { {1, 5, 2, 0, 6},  
            {1, 5, 2, 1, 3},  
            {1, 5, 2, 1, 7},  
            {1, 5, 2, 2, 1} };
```



- Variable **A**: array of 4 elements, allocated contiguously
- Each element is an array of 5 **int**'s, allocated contiguously
- *Row-major* ordering of all elements guaranteed

# Multi-Dimensional Arrays, cont'd

## ■ Declaration

`T A[R][C];`

- 2D array of data type  $T$
- $R$  rows,  $C$  columns
- Type  $T$  element requires  $K$  bytes

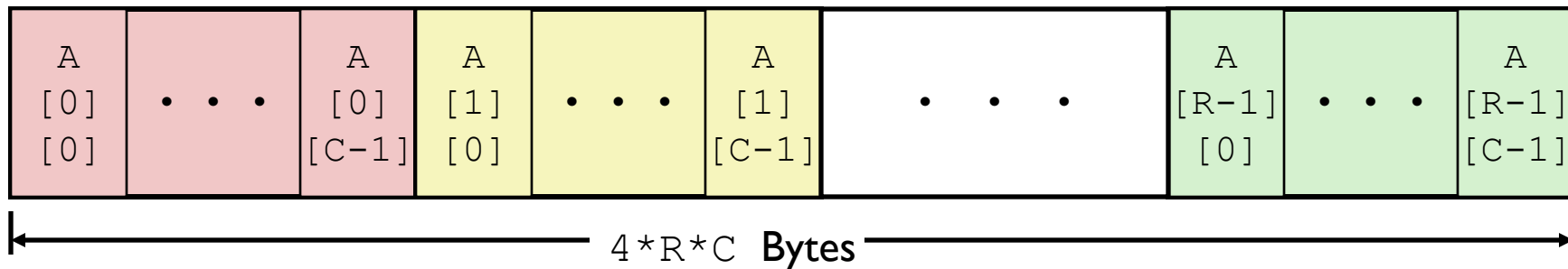
**Q:** Array size in terms of # bytes?

**A:**  $R * C * K$  bytes

## ■ Arrangement - row-major ordering

`int A[R][C];`

$$\begin{bmatrix} A[0][0] & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & A[0][C-1] \\ \vdots & & & & \vdots \\ A[R-1][0] & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & A[R-1][C-1] \end{bmatrix}$$



# Multi-Dimensional Array Row Access

- Row vectors

**Q:** How many elements does  $\mathbf{A}[i]$  have?

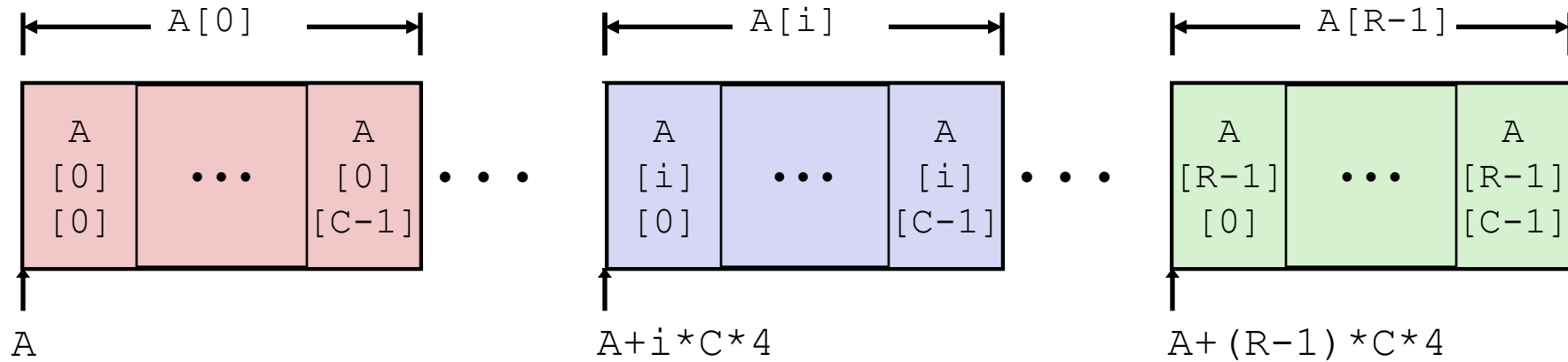
**A:**  $C$  elements

- Each element of type  $T$  requires  $K$  bytes

**Q:** What is the starting address  $\mathbf{A}[i]$  ?

**A:**  $\mathbf{A} + i * (C * K)$

```
int A[R][C];
```



# Row Access Code

```
#define PCOUNT 4
A[PCOUNT] = {{1, 5, 2, 0, 6},
             {1, 5, 2, 1, 3 },
             {1, 5, 2, 1, 7 },
             {1, 5, 2, 2, 1 }};
```

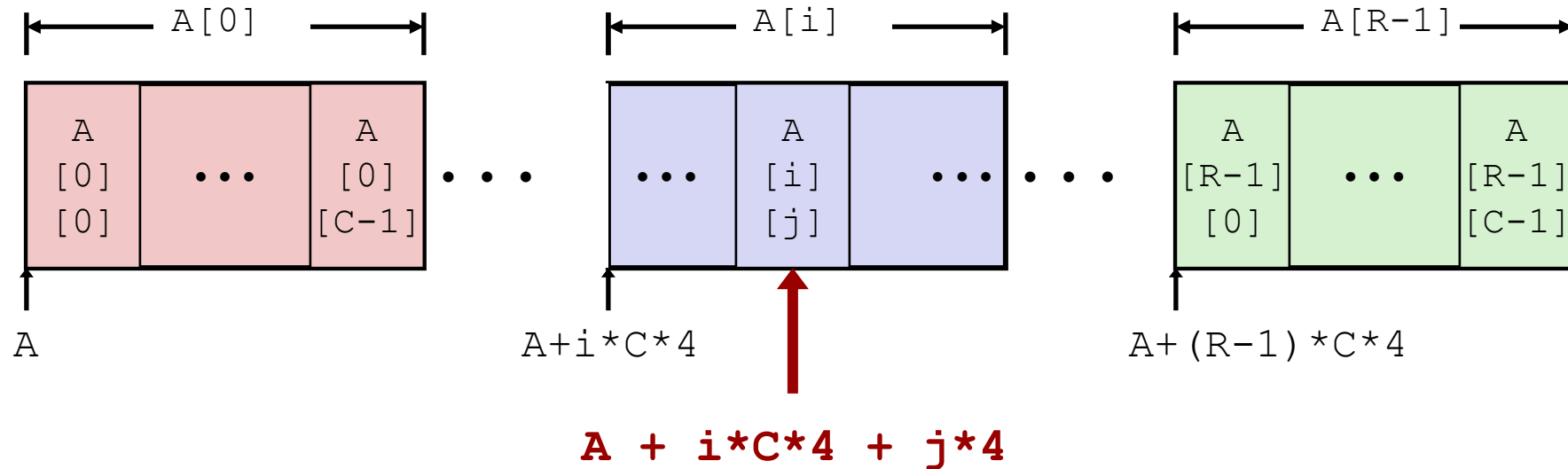
```
int *get_row(int row) {
    return A[row];
}
```

- **A[row]** is an array of 5 **int**'s
- Its starting address is  
**A + 20\*row**

	# %eax = row
leal (%eax,%eax,4),%eax	# 5 * row
leal A(,%eax,4),%eax	# A + (20 * row)

# Array Element Access

```
int A[R][C];
```



- `A[i][j]` is element of type `T`, which requires `K` bytes
- Its address?

$$A + i \cdot C \cdot K + j \cdot K = A + (i \cdot C + j) \cdot K$$

# Nested Array Element Access Code

```
int get_element (int row, int col) {  
    return A[row][col];  
}
```

- **A[row][col]** is **int**
- Its address?

$$A + 20*row + 4*col = A + 4*(5*row + col)$$

		# row at 8(%ebp), col at 12(%ebp)
movl	8(%ebp), %eax	# %eax = row
leal	(%eax,%eax,4), %eax	# 5*row
addl	12(%ebp), %eax	# 5*row + col
movl	A(,%eax,4), %eax	# 4*(5*row+col)





# Structures and Unions in C

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# Structure Variables

- The properties of a **structure** are different from those of an array.
  - The elements of a structure (its **members**) aren't required to have the same type.
  - The members of a structure have names; to select a particular member, we specify its name, not its position.

# Declaring Structure Variables

- A structure is a logical choice for storing a collection of related data items.
- A declaration of two structure variables that store information about parts in a warehouse:

```
#define NAME_LEN 30
struct {
    int number; // part number
    char name[NAME_LEN+1]; // part name
    int on_hand; // # in stock
} part1, part2;
```

# Initializing Structure Variables

- A structure declaration may include an initializer:

```
struct {  
    int number;  
    char name[NAME_LEN+1];  
    int on_hand;  
} part1 = {528, "Disk drive", 10},  
   part2 = {914, "Printer cable", 5};
```

- **Appearance of part1 after initialization:**

number	528
name	Disk drive
on_hand	10

# Operations on Structures

- To access a member within a structure, we write the name of the structure first, then a period, then the name of the member.
- Statements that display the values of `part1`'s members:

```
printf("Part number: %d\n", part1.number);  
printf("Part name: %s\n", part1.name);  
printf("Quantity on hand: %d\n", part1.on_hand);
```

# Operations on Structures

- They can appear on the left side of an assignment or as the operand in an increment or decrement expression:

```
part1.number = 258;  
    /* changes part1's part number */
```

```
part1.on_hand++;  
    /* increments part1's quantity on hand */
```

# Operations on Structures

- The other major structure operation is assignment:

```
part2 = part1;
```

- The effect of this statement is to copy `part1.number` into `part2.number`, `part1.name` into `part2.name`, and so on.



# Declaring a Structure Tag

- A **structure tag** is a name used to identify a particular kind of structure.
- The declaration of a structure tag named `part`:

```
struct part {  
    int number;  
    char name[NAME_LEN+1];  
    int on_hand;  
};
```

- Note that a semicolon must follow the right brace.

# Defining a Structure Type

- As an alternative to declaring a structure tag, we can use `typedef` to define a genuine type name.
- A definition of a type named `Part`:

```
typedef struct {  
    int number;  
    char name[NAME_LEN+1];  
    int on_hand;  
} Part;
```

- `Part` can be used in the same way as the built-in types:

```
Part part1, part2;
```

# Structures as Arguments

- Functions may have structures as arguments.
- A function with a structure argument:

```
void print_part(struct part p) {  
    printf("Part number: %d\n", p.number);  
    printf("Part name: %s\n", p.name);  
    printf("Quantity on hand: %d\n", p.on_hand);  
}
```

- A call of `print_part`:  
`print_part(part1);`

# Structures as Return Values

- A function that returns a part structure:

```
struct part build_part(int number,  
                      const char *name,  
                      int on_hand) {  
    struct part p;  
  
    p.number = number;  
    strcpy(p.name, name);  
    p.on_hand = on_hand;  
    return p;  
}
```

- A call of build\_part:

```
part1 = build_part(528, "Disk drive", 10);
```

# Passing a Pointer to Structure

- Passing a structure to a function and returning a structure from a function both require making a copy of all members in the structure.
- To avoid this overhead, it's sometimes advisable to pass a pointer to a structure or return a pointer to a structure.

```
void print_part(struct part *p) {  
    printf("Part number: %d\n", p->number);  
    printf("Part name: %s\n", p->name);  
    printf("Quantity on hand: %d\n", p->on_hand);  
}
```

- **A call of print\_part:**

```
print_part(&part1);
```

# Nested Arrays and Structures

- Structures and arrays can be combined without restriction.
- Arrays may have structures as their elements, and structures may contain arrays and structures as members.
- Suppose that `person_name` is the following structure:

```
struct person_name {  
    char first[FIRST_NAME_LEN+1];  
    char middle_initial;  
    char last[LAST_NAME_LEN+1];  
};
```

# Nested Structures

- We can use `person_name` as part of a larger structure:

```
struct student {  
    struct person_name name;  
    int id, age;  
    char sex;  
} student1, student2;
```

- Accessing `student1`'s first name, middle initial, or last name requires two applications of the `.` operator:

```
strcpy(student1.name.first, "Fred");
```

# Arrays of Structures

- One of the most common combinations of arrays and structures is an array whose elements are structures.
- This kind of array can serve as a simple database.
- An array of `part` structures capable of storing information about 100 parts:

```
struct part inventory[100];
```



# Arrays of Structures

- Accessing a part in the array is done by using subscripting:

```
print_part(inventory[i]);
```

- Accessing a member within a `part` structure requires a combination of subscripting and member selection:

```
inventory[i].number = 883;
```

- Accessing a single character in a part name requires subscripting, followed by selection, followed by subscripting:

```
inventory[i].name[0] = '\0';
```

# Unions

- A ***union***, like a structure, consists of one or more members, possibly of different types.
- The compiler allocates *only enough space* for the *largest* of the members, which overlay each other within this space.
- Assigning a new value to one member alters the values of the other members as well.

# Unions

- An example of a union variable:

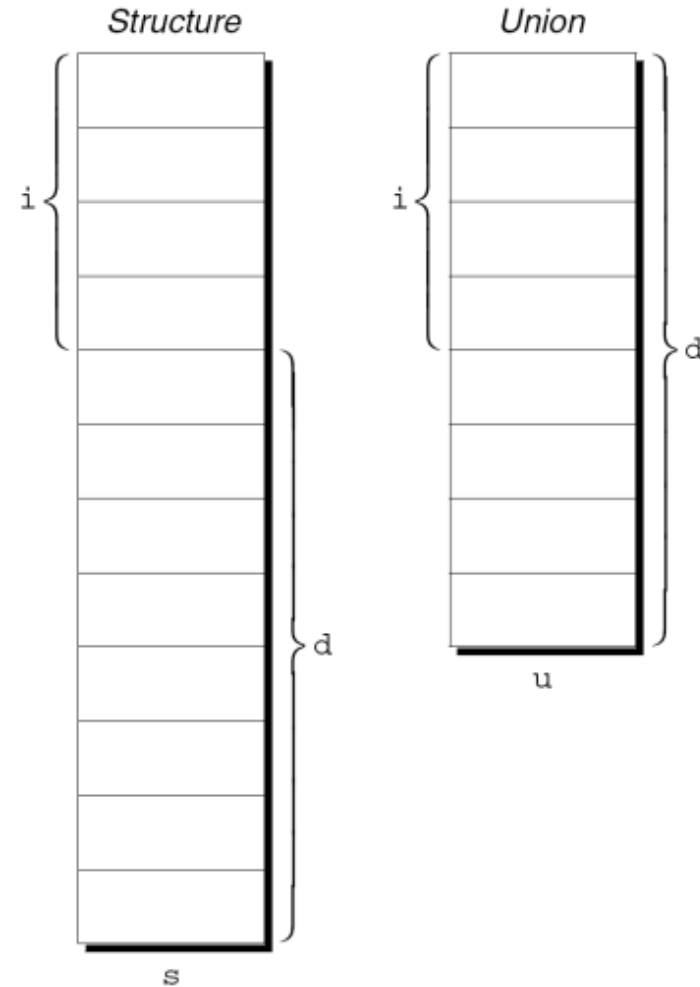
```
union {  
    int i;  
    double d;  
} u;
```

- The declaration of a union closely resembles a structure declaration:

```
struct {  
    int i;  
    double d;  
} s;
```

# Unions

- The structure  $s$  and the union  $u$  differ in just one way.
- The members of  $s$  are stored at different addresses in memory.
- The members of  $u$  are stored at the same address.



# Unions

- Members of a union are accessed in the same way as members of a structure:

```
u.i = 82;
```

```
u.d = 74.8;
```

- Changing one member of a union alters any value previously stored in any of the other members.
  - Storing a value in `u.d` causes any value previously stored in `u.i` to be lost.
  - Changing `u.i` corrupts `u.d`.

# Unions

- The properties of unions are almost identical to the properties of structures.
- We can declare union tags and union types in the same way we declare structure tags and types.
- Like structures, unions can be copied using the = operator, passed to functions, and returned by functions.

