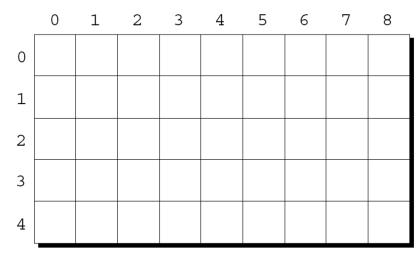
CSE105

ARRAY (PART 2)

- An array may have any number of dimensions.
- The following declaration creates a two-dimensional array (a *matrix*, in mathematical terminology):

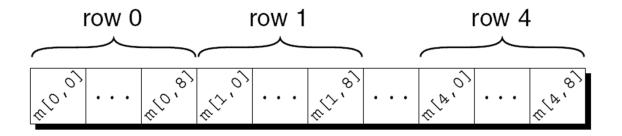
```
int m[5][9];
```

• m has 5 rows and 9 columns. Both rows and columns are indexed from 0:



- To access the element of m in row i, column j, we must write m[i][j].
- The expression m[i] designates row i of m, and m[i][j] then selects element j in this row.

- Although we visualize two-dimensional arrays as tables, that's not the way they're actually stored in computer memory.
- C stores arrays in **row-major order**, with row o first, then row 1, and so forth.
- How the m array is stored:



- Nested for loops are ideal for processing multidimensional arrays.
- Consider the problem of initializing an array for use as an identity matrix. A pair of nested for loops is perfect:

```
double ident[3][3];
int row, col, N=3;

for (row = 0; row < N; row++)
  for (col = 0; col < N; col++)
   if (row == col)
     ident[row][col] = 1.0;
  else
   ident[row][col] = 0.0;</pre>
```

 We can create an initializer for a two-dimensional array by nesting one-dimensional initializers:

```
int m[5][9] = \{\{1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1\}, \{0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0\}, \{0, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0\}, \{1, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1\}\};
```

- Initializers for higher-dimensional arrays are constructed in a similar fashion.
- C provides a variety of ways to abbreviate initializers for multidimensional arrays

- If an initializer isn't large enough to fill a multidimensional array, the remaining elements are given the value o.
- The following initializer fills only the first three rows of m; the last two rows will contain zeros:

```
int m[5][9] = \{\{1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1\},\
\{0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0\},\
\{0, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0\}\};
```

• If an inner list isn't long enough to fill a row, the remaining elements in the row are initialized to 0:

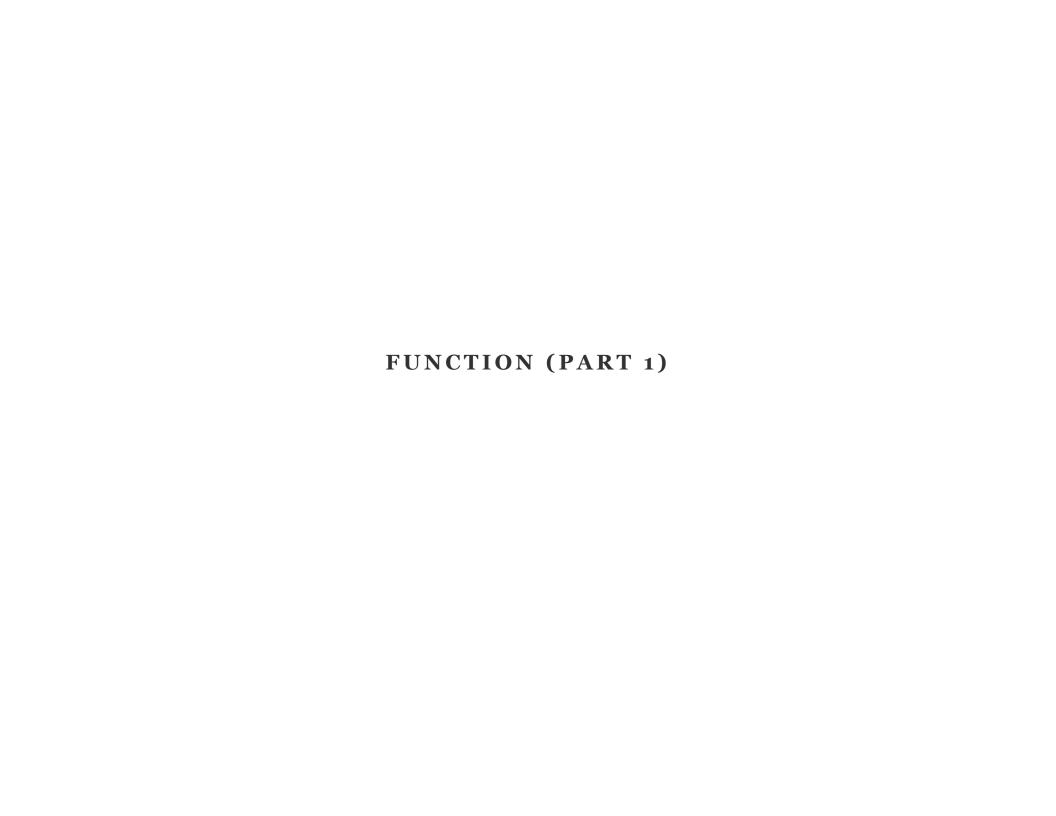
```
int m[5][9] = \{\{1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1\},\
\{0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1\},\
\{0, 1, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 1\},\
\{1, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1\}\};
```

We can even omit the inner braces:

Once the compiler has seen enough values to fill one row, it begins filling the next.

Try this

- Create a program that contains the marks of 5 courses of 7 students.
- Find the highest marks obtained by each student.
- Find the class highest marks of each course.
- Take two 5x5 matrices A and B as input and perform
 C = A+B (using matrix addition rule)
- Take two 5x5 matrices A and B as input and perform
 C = A X B (using matrix multiplication rule)



Introduction

- A function is a series of statements that have been grouped together and given a name.
- Each function is essentially a small program, with its own declarations and statements.
- Advantages of functions:
 - A program can be divided into small pieces that are easier to understand and modify.
 - We can avoid duplicating code that's used more than once.
 - A function that was originally part of one program can be reused in other programs.

Defining and Calling Functions

• Before we go over the formal rules for defining a function, let's look at three simple programs that define functions.

• A function named average that computes the average of two double values:

```
double average(double a, double b)
{
  return (a + b) / 2;
}
```

- The word double at the beginning is the *return type* of average.
- The identifiers a and b (the function's *parameters*) represent the numbers that will be supplied when average is called.

- Every function has an executable part, called the body, which is enclosed in braces.
- The body of average consists of a single return statement.
- Executing this statement causes the function to "return" to the place from which it was called; the value of (a + b) / 2 will be the value returned by the function.

- A function call consists of a function name followed by a list of *arguments*.
 - o average(x, y) is a call of the average function.
- Arguments are used to supply information to a function.
 - The call average(x, y) causes the values of x and y to be copied into the parameters a and b.
- An argument doesn't have to be a variable; any expression of a compatible type will do.
 - o average(5.1, 8.9) and average(x/2, y/3) are legal.

- We'll put the call of average in the place where we need to use the return value.
- A statement that prints the average of x and y:

```
printf("Average: %g\n", average(x, y));
The return value of average isn't saved; the program prints it and then discards it.
```

• If we had needed the return value later in the program, we could have captured it in a variable:

```
avg = average(x, y);
```

• The average.c program reads three numbers and uses the average function to compute their averages, one pair at a time:

```
Enter three numbers: 3.5 9.6 10.2

Average of 3.5 and 9.6: 6.55

Average of 9.6 and 10.2: 9.9

Average of 3.5 and 10.2: 6.85
```

average.c

```
/* Computes pairwise averages of three numbers */
#include <stdio.h>
double average(double a, double b)
  return (a + b) / 2;
int main(void)
  double x, y, z;
 printf("Enter three numbers: ");
  scanf("%lf%lf%lf", &x, &y, &z);
  printf("Average of %lf and %lf:%lf\n", x, y, average(x, y));
 printf("Average of %lf and %lf:%lf\n", y, z, average(y, z));
 printf("Average of f and f: f \n", x, z, average(x, z));
 return 0;
```

Program: Printing a Number

 To indicate that a function has no return value, we specify that its return type is void:

```
void print_value(int n)
{
   printf("The number is %d\n", n);
}
```

- void is a type with no values.
- A call of print_value must appear in a statement by itself:

```
print_value(i);
```

• The myprog.c program calls print_value 10 times inside a loop.

myprog.c

```
#include <stdio.h>
void print_value(int n)
  printf("The number is %d\n", n);
int main(void)
  int i;
  for (i = 10; i > 0; --i)
    print_value(i);
  return 0;
```

```
The number is 10
The number is 9
The number is 7
The number is 6
The number is 5
The number is 4
The number is 3
The number is 1
```

Program: Printing a text

• When a function has no parameters, the word void is placed in parentheses after the function's name:

```
void print_text(void)
{
   printf("Hello World\n");
}
```

• To call a function with no arguments, we write the function's name, followed by parentheses:

```
print_text();
```

The parentheses *must* be present.

• The mytext.c program tests the print_text function.

mytext.c

```
#include <stdio.h>

void print_text(void)
{
   printf("Hello World\n");
}

int main(void)
{
   print_text();
   return 0;
}
```

• General form of a *function definition*:

```
return-type function-name (parameters)
{
  declarations
  statements
}
```

- The return type of a function is the type of value that the function returns.
- Rules governing the return type:
 - Functions may not return arrays.
 - Specifying that the return type is void indicates that the function doesn't return a value.
- If the return type is omitted, the function is presumed to return a value of type int.

- After the function name comes a list of parameters.
- Each parameter is preceded by a specification of its type; parameters are separated by commas.
- If the function has no parameters, the word void should appear between the parentheses.

- The body of a function may include both declarations and statements.
- An alternative version of the average function:

• Variables declared in the body of a function can't be examined or modified by other functions.

• The body of a function whose return type is void (a "void function") can be empty:

```
void print_text(void)
{
}
```

 Leaving the body empty may make sense as a temporary step during program development.

Function Calls

• A function call consists of a function name followed by a list of arguments, enclosed in parentheses:

```
average(x, y);
print_value(i);
print_text();
```

• If the parentheses are missing, the function won't be called:

```
print_text; /*** WRONG ***/
```

Function Calls

• A call of a void function is always followed by a semicolon to turn it into a statement:

```
print_count(i);
print_pun();
```

• A call of a non-void function produces a value that can be stored in a variable, tested, printed, or used in some other way:

```
avg = average(x, y);
if (average(x, y) > 0)
  printf("Average is positive\n");
printf("The average is %g\n", average(x, y));
```

Function Calls

• The value returned by a non-void function can always be discarded if it's not needed:

```
average(x, y); /* discards return value */
```

This call is an example of an expression statement: a statement that evaluates an expression but then discards the result.

Program: Testing Whether a Number Is Prime

• The prime.c program tests whether a number is prime:

```
Enter a number: 34
Not prime
```

- The program uses a function named is_prime that returns 1 if its parameter is a prime number and 0 if it isn't.
- is_prime divides its parameter n by each of the numbers between 2 and the square root of n; if the remainder is ever 0, n isn't prime.

prime.c

```
#include <stdio.h>
int is_prime(int n)
{
  int divisor;

  if (n <= 1)
    return 0;
  for (divisor = 2; divisor * divisor <= n; divisor++)
    if (n % divisor == 0)
      return 0;
  return 1;
}</pre>
```

```
int main(void)
{
  int n;

printf("Enter a number: ");
  scanf("%d", &n);
  if (is_prime(n)==1)
     printf("Prime\n");
  else
     printf("Not prime\n");
  return 0;
}
```

Function Declarations

- C doesn't require that the definition of a function precede its calls.
- Suppose that we rearrange the average.c program by putting the definition of average *after* the definition of main.

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main(void)
  double x, y, z;
 printf("Enter three numbers: ");
  scanf("%lf%lf%lf", &x, &y, &z);
  printf("Average of %lf and %lf: %lf\n", x, y, average(x,
 y));
 printf("Average of %lf and %lf: %lf\n", y, z, average(y,
  z));
 printf("Average of %1f and %1f: %1f\n", x, z, average(x,
  z));
  return 0;
double average(double a, double b)
  return (a + b) / 2i
```

- When the compiler encounters the first call of average in main, it has no information about the function.
- Instead of producing an error message, the compiler assumes that average returns an int value.
- We say that the compiler has created an *implicit declaration* of the function.

- The compiler is unable to check that we're passing average the right number of arguments and that the arguments have the proper type.
- Instead, it performs the default argument promotions and hopes for the best.
- When it encounters the definition of average later in the program, the compiler notices that the function's return type is actually double, not int, and so we get an error message.

- One way to avoid the problem of call-beforedefinition is to arrange the program so that the definition of each function precedes all its calls.
- Unfortunately, such an arrangement doesn't always exist.
- Even when it does, it may make the program harder to understand by putting its function definitions in an unnatural order.

- Fortunately, C offers a better solution: declare each function before calling it.
- A *function declaration* provides the compiler with a brief glimpse at a function whose full definition will appear later.
- General form of a function declaration: return-type function-name (parameters) ;
- The declaration of a function must be consistent with the function's definition.
- Here's the average.c program with a declaration of average added.

```
#include <stdio.h>
double average(double a, double b); /* DECLARATION */
int main(void)
  double x, y, z;
 printf("Enter three numbers: ");
  scanf("%lf%lf%lf", &x, &y, &z);
 printf("Average of %lf and %lf: %lf\n", x, y, average(x,
 y));
 printf("Average of lf and lf: lf\n", y, z, average(y,
  z));
 printf("Average of %lf and %lf: %lf\n", x, z, average(x,
  z));
  return 0;
double average(double a, double b) /* DEFINITION */
  return (a + b) / 2;
```

- Function declarations of the kind we're discussing are known as *function prototypes*.
- A function prototype doesn't have to specify the names of the function's parameters, as long as their types are present:

```
double average(double, double);
```

• It's usually best not to omit parameter names.

- In C, arguments are *passed by value*: when a function is called, each argument is evaluated and its value assigned to the corresponding parameter.
- Since the parameter contains a copy of the argument's value, any changes made to the parameter during the execution of the function don't affect the argument.

- The fact that arguments are passed by value has both advantages and disadvantages.
- Since a parameter can be modified without affecting the corresponding argument, we can use parameters as variables within the function, reducing the number of genuine variables needed.

 Consider the following function, which raises a number x to a power n:

```
int power(int x, int n)
{
  int i, result = 1;

  for (i = 1; i <= n; i++)
    result = result * x;

  return result;
}</pre>
```

• Since n is a *copy* of the original exponent, the function can safely modify it, removing the need for i:

```
int power(int x, int n)
{
  int result = 1;

  while (n-- > 0)
    result = result * x;

  return result;
}
```

The return Statement

- A non-void function must use the return statement to specify what value it will return.
- The return statement has the form return *expression* ;
- The expression is often just a constant or variable:

```
return 0;
return status;
```

The return Statement

• return statements may appear in functions whose return type is void, provided that no expression is given:

```
return; /* return in a void function */
• Example:
  void print_int(int i)
```

```
void print_int(int i
{
   if (i < 0)
     return;
   printf("%d", i);
}</pre>
```

The return Statement

• A return statement may appear at the end of a void function:

```
void print_pun(void)
{
   printf("To C, or not to C: that is the question.\n");
   return;   /* OK, but not needed */
}
```

Using return here is unnecessary.

• If a non-void function fails to execute a return statement, the behavior of the program is undefined if it attempts to use the function's return value.

Program Termination

Normally, the return type of main is int:

```
int main(void)
{
    ...
}
```

 Older C programs often omit main's return type, taking advantage of the fact that it traditionally defaults to int:

```
main()
{
...
}
```

Program Termination

- The value returned by main is a status code that can be tested when the program terminates.
- main should return o if the program terminates normally.
- To indicate abnormal termination, main should return a value other than o.
- It's good practice to make sure that every C program returns a status code.