Introduction

- Simple data type: variables of these types can store only one value at a time
- <u>Structured data type</u>: a data type in which each data item is a collection of other data items





- Array: a collection of a fixed number of components, all of the same data type
- One-dimensional array: components are arranged in a list form
- Syntax for declaring a one-dimensional array

dataType arrayName[intExp];

• intExp: any constant expression that evaluates to a positive integer





Accessing Array Components (1 of 3)

General syntax

arrayName[indexExp]

- indexExp: called the index
 - An expression with a nonnegative integer value
- Value of the index is the position of the item in the array
- []: array subscripting operator
 - Array index always starts at 0





Accessing Array Components (2 of 3)

This statement declares an array of 10 components:

int list[10];

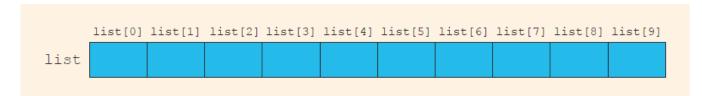


FIGURE 8-3 Array list

list[5] = 34;

stores **34** in **list**[**5**], the *sixth* component of the array **list**

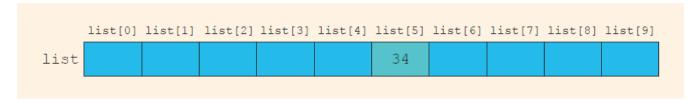


FIGURE 8-4 Array list after execution of the statement list[5] = 34;





Accessing Array Components (3 of 3)

```
list[3] = 10;
list[6] = 35;
list[5] = list[3] + list[6];
```

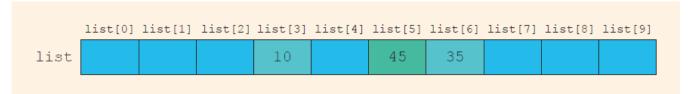


FIGURE 8-5 Array list after execution of the statements list[3] = 10;, list[6] = 35;,
and list[5] = list[3] + list[6];





Processing One-Dimensional Arrays (1 of 3)

- Basic operations on a one-dimensional array include:
 - Initializing
 - Inputting data
 - Outputting data stored in an array
 - Finding the largest and/or smallest element
- Each operation requires ability to step through elements of the array
 - Easily accomplished using a loop





Processing One-Dimensional Arrays (2 of 3)

Given the declaration:

```
int list[100]; //array of size 100
int i;
```

Use a for loop to access array elements:





Array Index Out of Bounds

- The index of an array is <u>in bounds</u> if the index is between 0 and
 ARRAY SIZE 1
 - Otherwise, the index is out of bounds
- In C++, there is no guard against indices that are out of bounds
 - This check is solely the programmer's responsibility





Array Initialization During Declaration

- Arrays can be initialized during declaration
 - Values are placed between curly braces
- Example 1

```
double sales[5] = \{12.25, 32.50, 16.90, 23, 45.68\}
```

• Example 2: the array size is determined by the number of initial values in the braces if the array is declared without size specified

```
double sales[] = {12.25, 32.50, 16.90, 23, 45.68}
```





Partial Initialization of Arrays During Declaration

• The statement:

```
int list[10] = {0};
```

- Declares an array of 10 components and initializes all of them to zero
- The statement (an example of <u>partial initialization of an array during</u> declaration):

```
int list[10] = \{8, 5, 12\};
```

- Declares an array of 10 components and initializes list[0] to 8, list[1] to 5, list[2] to 12
- All other components are initialized to 0





Some Restrictions on Array Processing

- Aggregate operation: any operation that manipulates the entire array as a single unit
 - Not allowed on arrays in C++
- Example

```
int myList[5] = {0, 4, 8, 12, 16};  //Line 1
int yourList[5];  //Line 2
yourList = myList;  //illegal
```

Solution

```
for (int index = 0; index < 5; index++)
    yourList[index] = myList[index];</pre>
```





Arrays as Parameters to Functions

- Arrays are passed by reference only
- Do not use symbol & when declaring an array as a formal parameter
- The size of the array is usually omitted in the array parameter
 - If provided, it is ignored by the compiler
- The following example illustrates a function header, which includes an array parameter and a parameter specifying the number of elements in the array:

```
void initialize(int list[], int listSize)
```





Constant Arrays as Formal Parameters

- Can prevent a function from changing the actual parameter when passed by reference
 - Use **const** in the declaration of the formal parameter
- Example

```
void example(int x[], const int y[], int sizeX, int sizeY)
```





Base Address of an Array and Array in Computer Memory

- The <u>base address</u> of an array is the address (memory location) of the first array component
 - If list is a one-dimensional array, its base address is the address of list[0]
- When an array is passed as a parameter, the base address of the actual array is passed to the formal parameter





Functions Cannot Return a Value of the Type Array

- C++ does not allow functions to return a value of type array
- Refer to Example 8-6 in the text
 - Functions sumArray and indexLargestElement





Integral Data Type and Array Indices

- C++ allows any integral type to be used as an array index
 - Improves code readability
- The following code illustrates improved readability:





Other Ways to Declare Arrays

• Example 1

```
const int NO_OF_STUDENTS = 20;
int testScores[NO_OF_STUDENTS];
```

Example 2





Searching an Array for a Specific Item

- Sequential search (or <u>linear search</u>)
 - Searching a list for a given item, starting from the first array element
 - Compare each element in the array with value that is being searched
 - Continue the search until item is found or no more data is left in the list





- <u>Selection sort</u>: rearrange the list by selecting an element and moving it to its proper position
- Steps for a selection sort:
 - Find the smallest element in the unsorted portion of the list
 - Move it to the top of the unsorted portion by swapping with the element currently there
 - Start again with the rest of the list



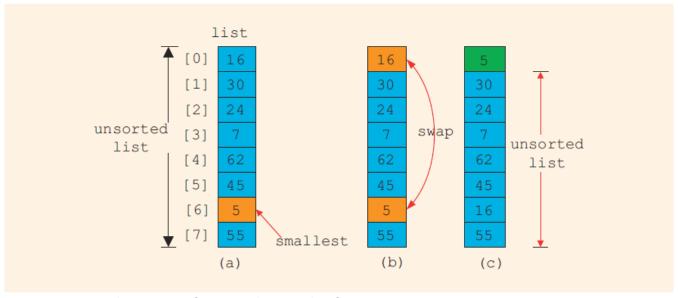


FIGURE 8-10 Elements of list during the first iteration





Two- and Multidimensional Arrays

- <u>Two-dimensional array</u>: a collection of a fixed number of components (of the same type) arranged in two dimensions
 - Sometimes called matrices or tables
- Declaration syntax
 - intExp1 and intExp2 are expressions with positive integer values specifying the number of rows and columns in the array

dataType arrayName[intExp1][intExp2];





Accessing Array Components (1 of 2)

Syntax to access a component in a two-dimensional array

arrayName[indexExp1][indexExp2]

- Where indexExp1 and indexExp2 are expressions with positive integer values, and specify the row and column position
- Example: sales[5][3] = 25.75;





Accessing Array Components (2 of 2)

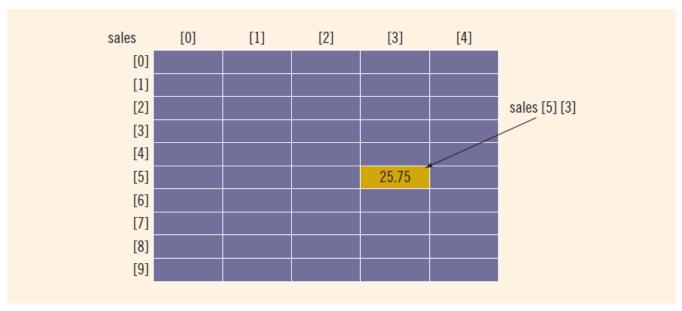


FIGURE 8-14 sales [5] [3]





Two-Dimensional Array Initialization During Declaration

- Two-dimensional arrays can be initialized when they are declared
 - Elements of each row are enclosed within braces and separated by commas
 - All rows are enclosed within braces
 - For number arrays, unspecified elements are set to 0
- An example of two-dimensional array initialization is shown below:



Initialization

• An example initializing row number 4 (fifth row) to 0:

```
row = 4;
for (col = 0; col < NUMBER_OF_COLUMNS; col++)
    matrix[row][col] = 0;</pre>
```

An example initializing the entire matrix to 0

```
for (row = 0; row < NUMBER_OF_ROWS; row++)
    for (col = 0; col < NUMBER_OF_COLUMNS; col++)
        matrix[row][col] = 0;</pre>
```





Use a nested loop to output the components of a two dimensional array

```
for (row = 0; row < NUMBER_OF_ROWS; row++)
    for (col = 0; col < NUMBER_OF_COLUMNS; col++)
        cout << setw(5) << matrix[row][col] << " ";
    cout << endl;</pre>
```





• An example of adding input to row number 4 (fifth row):

```
row = 4;
for (col = 0; col < NUMBER_OF_COLUMNS; col++)
    cin >> matrix[row][col];
```

An example of adding input to each component of matrix:

```
for (row = 0; row < NUMBER_OF_ROWS; row++)
    for (col = 0; col < NUMBER_OF_COLUMNS; col++)
        cin >> matrix[row][col];
```



- <u>n-dimensional array</u>: a collection of a fixed number of elements arranged in n dimensions ($n \ge 1$)
- Declaration syntax

```
dataType arrayName[intExp1][intExp2] ... [intExpn];
```

Code to access a component

```
arrayName[indexExp1][indexExp2] ... [indexExpn]
```

