Array Manipulations and 2-D Arrays

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Finding a value in an array

- Loop through the array until the value is found
- Implementation: for loop and an integer to record the location where the first value is found.

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Finding a value in an array

Finish the following piece of code:
 public int findValue(int [] a, int value) {
 int location = -1;
 for(int x = ___; x < ___; x++) {
 if(a[___] == value) {
 location = ___;
 return ___;
 }
 }
 return ___;
}

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Counting Occurrences

- Loop through an array and increment a counter every time a value is found
- Implementation: for loop and counter that is incremented

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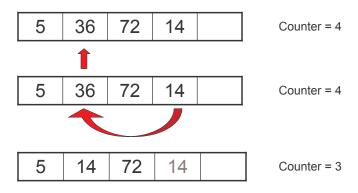
Removing an Element

- An array is a fixed size container, however, you can use a partially filled array to emulate a variable sized container
- Unsorted Array copy the last element into the position that you want to delete and decrement counter
- Sorted Array shift elements above the position to be deleted down and decrement counter
 - Must start shifting at the point of removal

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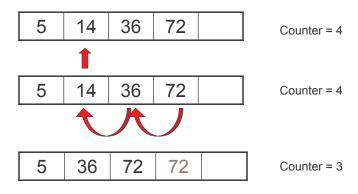
Removing from an unsorted array



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Removing an Element (3)

Removing an element from a sorted array



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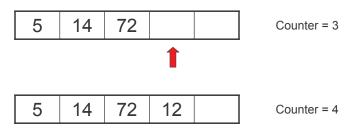
Inserting an Element

- An array is a fixed size container, however, you can use a partially filled array to emulate a variable sized container
- Unsorted Array add element at end of list (if room) and increment counter
- Sorted Array locate where to insert element (if room), shift elements above position up one, insert element, increment counter.
 - Start shifting at last valid element (index counter-1)

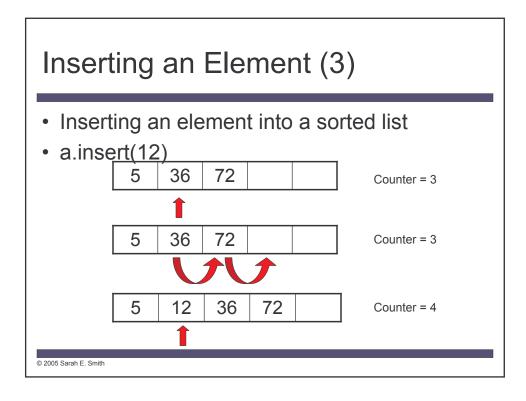
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Inserting an Element (2)

- Inserting an element into an unsorted array
- ArrayManipulations.unsortedInsert(12)



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String Split

- split(String regularExpression, int limit) is a method of the String class which can be used in place of StringTokenizer
 - StringTokenizer is being deprecated in new versions of Java
- A given String is divided up based on a given regular expression
 - Ex: "\\s" splits on white space separations
 - Info about regular expressions can be found here: http://java.sun.com/j2se/1.4.2/docs/api/java/util/regex/Pat tern.html#sum

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Sting Split Example

2D Arrays

- 2D arrays are useful to represent matrices and tables
- Creating a 2D array: int [][] powers = new int [10][8];
- Accessing rows: System.out.println("Num rows: " + powers.length);
- Accessing columns of rows: System.out.println("Num cols in row 0: " + powers[0].length);

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Populating a 2D Array

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