# **ARRAYS**

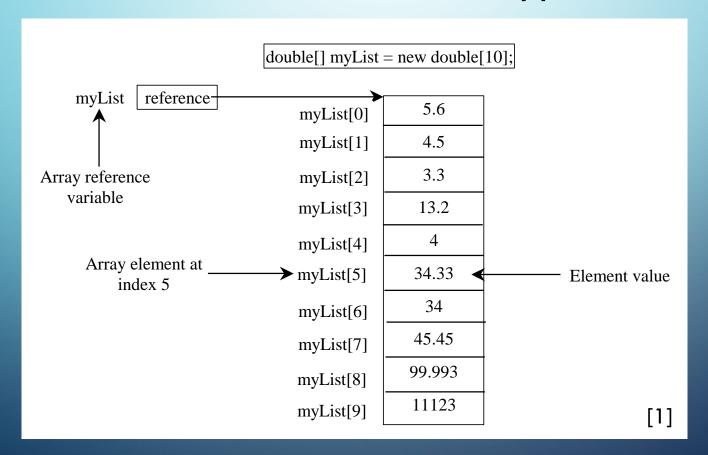
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#### **ARRAYS**

- To describe why an array is necessary in programming
- To learn the steps involved in using arrays: declaring array reference variables and creating arrays
- To initialize the values in an array
- To copy contents from one array to another
- To develop and invoke methods with array arguments and return type

### **ARRAY**

It represents a collection of the same types of data.



### ARRAY DECLARATION

•datatype[] arrayRefVar;

#### **Example:**

```
double[] myList;
```

datatype arrayRefVar[]; // This style is allowed, but not preferred

#### Example:

```
double myList[];
```

#### ARRAY DECLARING AND CREATING IN ONE STEP

```
•datatype[] arrayRefVar = new
    datatype[arraySize];
 double[] myList = new double[10];
• datatype arrayRefVar[] = new
   datatype[arraySize];
double myList[] = new double[10];
```

### ARRAY LENGTH

- Once an array is created, its size is fixed.
- It cannot be changed.
- You can find its size using arrayRefVar.length
- For example,myList.length returns 10

### **DEFAULT VALUES**

When an array is created, its elements are assigned the default value of

- O for the numeric primitive data types,
- '\u0000' for char types, and
- false for Boolean types.

### INDEXED VARIABLES

- The array elements are accessed through the index.
- The array indices are 0-based,
  - i.e., it starts from 0 to arrayRefVar.length-1.
- Each element in the array is represented using the following syntax, known as an indexed variable:

arrayRefVar[index];

#### **USING INDEXED VARIABLES**

 After an array is created, an indexed variable can be used in the same way as a regular variable.

• For example, the following code adds the value in <a href="myList[0]">myList[1]</a> to <a href="myList[2]">myList[1]</a> to <a href="myList[2]">myList[1]</a>.

```
myList[2] = myList[0] + myList[1];
```

### **ARRAY INITIALIZERS**

Declaring, creating, initializing in one step:

```
double[] myList = \{1.9, 2.9, 3.4, 3.5\};
```

This shorthand syntax must be in one statement!

### DECLARING, CREATING, INITIALIZING

Using the shorthand notation

```
double[] myList = \{1.9, 2.9, 3.4, 3.5\};
```

This shorthand notation is equivalent to the following statements:

```
double[] myList = new double[4];
myList[0] = 1.9;
myList[1] = 2.9;
myList[2] = 3.4;
myList[3] = 3.5;
```

### **ARRAY INITIALIZERS**

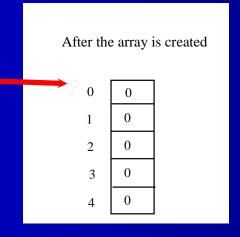
- Using the shorthand notation, you have to declare, create, and initialize the array all in one statement.
- Splitting it would cause a syntax error.
- For example, the following is wrong:

```
double[] myList;
```

$$myList = \{1.9, 2.9, 3.4, 3.5\};$$

Declare array variable values, create an array, and assign its reference to values

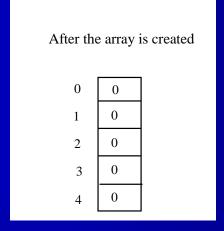
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public class Test {
  public static void main(Str static void main(
```



i becomes 1

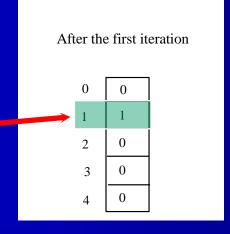
```
public class Test {
  public static void __ain(String[] args) {
    int[] values __new int[5];
    for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
      values[i] = values[i] + values[i-1];
    }
    values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
}
</pre>
```

i (=1) is less than 5



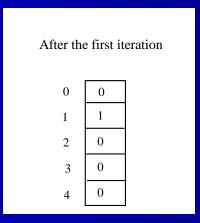
After this line is executed, value[1] is 1

```
public class Test {
  public static void main(Strings) {
   int[] values = new int[5];
  for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
    values[i] = i + values[i-1];
  }
  values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
}</pre>
```



After i++, i becomes 2

```
public class Test {
  public static void main(String largs) {
    int[] values = new int[5],
    for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
      values[i] = values[i] + values[i-1];
    }
    values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
}</pre>
```



```
public class Test {
  public static void main(String[] ? )
  int[] values = new int[5];
  for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
    values[i] = values[i] + values[i-1];
  }
  values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
}
</pre>
```

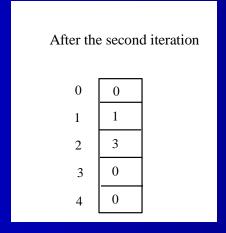
i (= 2) is less than 5

After the first iteration  $\begin{array}{c|ccc}
0 & & \\
1 & & \\
2 & & \\
3 & & \\
4 & & 0
\end{array}$ 

After this line is executed, values [2] is 3(2+1)

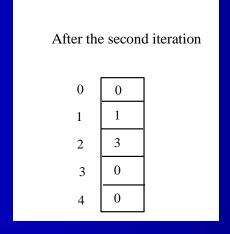
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public class Test {
    public static void main(String (gs)) {
        int[] values = new int[5];
        for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
            values[i] = i + values[i-1];
        }
        values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
        }
}
```

After this, i becomes 3.



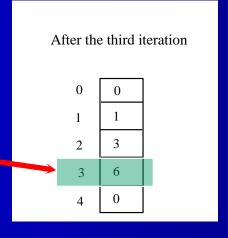
i (=3) is still less than 5.

```
public class Test {
  public static void main(String args) {
    int[] values = new int[s];
    for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
      values[i] = i + values[i-1];
    }
    values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
  }
}</pre>
```



After this line, values[3] becomes 6(3 + 3)

```
public class Test {
  public static void main(String[] arg/
  int[] values = new int[5];
  for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
    values[i] = i + values[i-1];
  }
  values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
}
</pre>
```



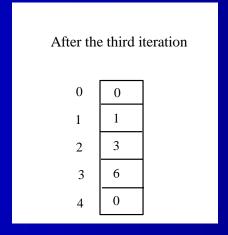
After this, i becomes 4

```
public class Test {
  public static void main(String[] __gs) {
    int[] values = new int[5];
    for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
      values[i] = i + values[i-1];
    }
    values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
}
</pre>
```

After the third iteration  $\begin{array}{c|cc}
0 & 0 \\
1 & 1 \\
2 & 3 \\
3 & 6 \\
4 & 0
\end{array}$ 

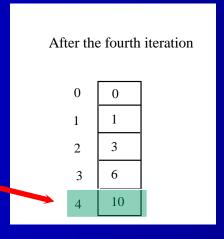
i (=4) is still less than 5

```
public class Test {
  public static void main(Stringlargs) {
    int[] values = new int[s];
    for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
      values[i] = i + values[i-1];
    }
    values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
}
</pre>
```



After this, values [4] becomes 10(4+6)

```
public class Test {
  public static void main(Strin args) {
    int[] values = new int[5];
    for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
      values[i] = i + values[i-1];
    }
    values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
  }
}</pre>
```

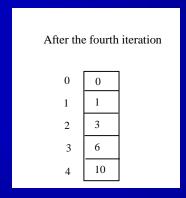


After i++, i becomes 5

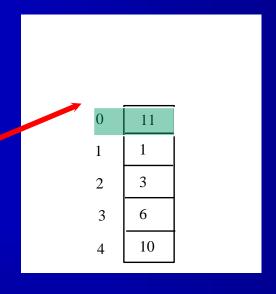
```
public class Test {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    int[] values = new int[5];
    for (int i = 1; i < 5; i++) {
      values[i] = i + values[i-1];
    }
    values[0] = values[1] + values[4];
  }
}</pre>
```

After the fourth iteration  $\begin{array}{c|cccc}
0 & & \\
1 & & \\
2 & & 3 \\
3 & & 6 \\
4 & & 10
\end{array}$ 

i (=5) < 5 is false. Exit the loop



After this line, values [0] is 11(1+10)



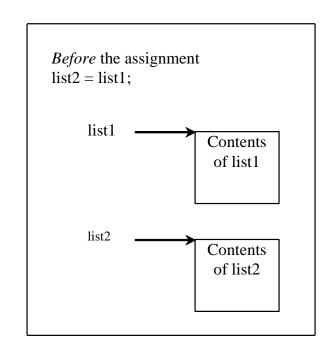
### PROCESSING ARRAYS

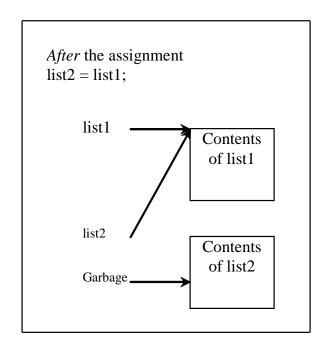
- 1. Initializing arrays
- 2. Printing arrays
- 3. Summing all elements
- 4. Finding the largest element
- 5. Finding the smallest index of the largest element

#### **COPYING ARRAYS**

- To duplicate an array or a part of an array.
- Use the assignment statement (=), as follows:

list2 = list1;





#### **COPYING ARRAYS**

### 1. Using a loop:

```
int[] sourceArray = {2, 3, 1, 5, 10};
int[] targetArray = new int[sourceArray.length];

for (int i = 0; i < sourceArrays.length; i++)
  targetArray[i] = sourceArray[i];</pre>
```

#### **COPYING ARRAYS**

2. Using arraycopy Utility:

```
arraycopy(sourceArray, src_pos, targetArray,
  tar pos, length);
```

#### **Example:**

```
System.arraycopy(sourceArray, 0, targetArray, 0,
    sourceArray.length);
```

#### PASSING ARRAYS TO METHODS

```
public static void printArray(int[] array) {
  for (int i = 0; i < array.length; <math>i++) {
    System.out.print(array[i] + " /");
        Invoke the method
        int[] list = {3, 1, 2, 6, 4, 2};
        printArray(list);
                Invoke the method
                printArray(new int[]{3, 1, 2, 6, 4, 2});
                                  Anonymous array
```

### PASSING ARRAYS TO METHODS BY REFERENCE

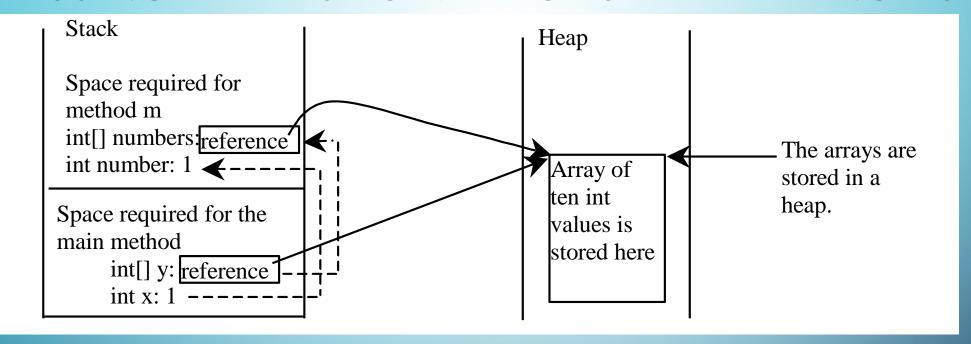
Java uses pass by value to pass parameters to a method. There are important differences between passing a value of variables of primitive data types and passing arrays.

- For a parameter of a primitive type value, the actual value is passed. Changing the value of the local parameter inside the method does not affect the value of the variable outside the method.
- For a parameter of an array type, the value of the parameter contains a reference to an array; this reference is passed to the method. Any changes to the array that occur inside the method body will affect the original array that was passed as the argument.

### PASSING ARRAYS TO METHODS BY REFERENCE: EXAMPLE

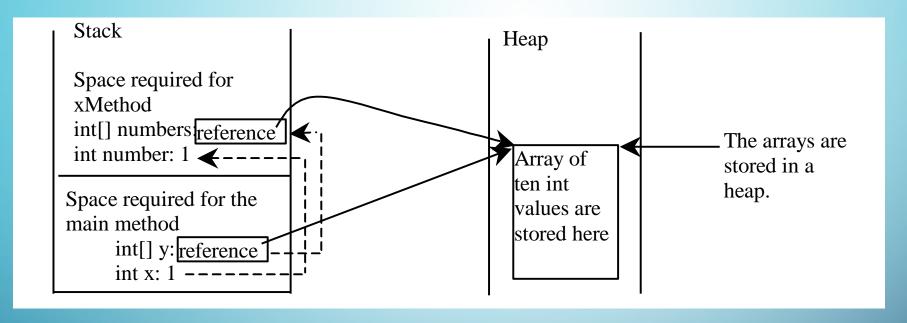
```
public class Test {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    int x = 1; // x represents an int value
    int[] y = new int[10]; // y represents an array of int values
   m(x, y); // Invoke m with arguments x and y
    System.out.println("x is " + x);
    System.out.println("y[0] is " + y[0]);
  public static void m(int number, int[] numbers) {
    number = 1001; // Assign a new value to number
    numbers[0] = 5555; // Assign a new value to numbers[0]
```

### PASSING ARRAYS TO METHODS BY REFERENCE: STACK



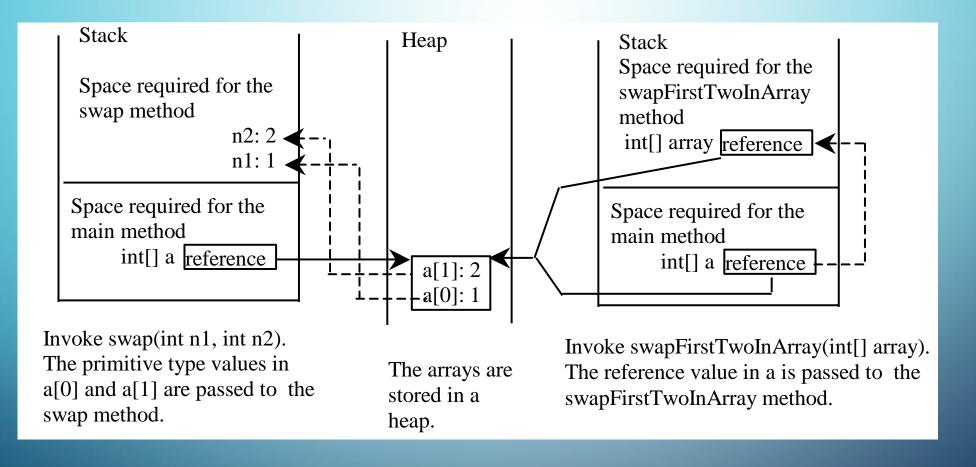
When invoking  $\underline{m}(x, y)$ , the values of  $\underline{x}$  and  $\underline{y}$  are passed to <u>number</u> and <u>numbers</u>. Since  $\underline{y}$  contains the reference value to the array, <u>numbers</u> now contains the same reference value to the same array.

#### PASSING ARRAYS TO METHODS BY REFERENCE: HEAP



The JVM stores the array in an area of memory, called heap, which is used for dynamic memory allocation where blocks of memory are allocated and freed in an arbitrary order.

#### PASSING ARRAYS TO METHODS BY REFERENCE: HEAP



#### RETURNING AN ARRAY FROM A METHOD

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];
  for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1; <math>i < list.length; i++, j--)
      result[j] = list[i];
                         list
  return result;
                       result
             int[] list 1 = \text{new int}[] \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\};
             int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

#### Trace the reverse Method

```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

Declare result and create array

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list)
int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1;
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
}

return result;
}</pre>
```

```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
  public static int[] reverse(int[] list)
    int[] result = new int[list.length];
    for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1;
         i < list.length; i++, j--) {
      result[j] = list[i];
    return result;
```

i = 0 and j = 5

```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

i (= 0) is less than 6

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) ;
  int[] result = new int[list.length;
  for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1;
      i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }
  return result;
}</pre>
```

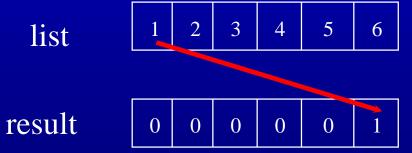
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int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

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public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1:
    i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i = 0 and j = 5Assign list[0] to result[5]





```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

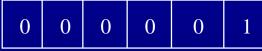
  for (int i = 0, j = result.length 1;
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

  return result;
}</pre>
```

After this, i becomes 1 and j becomes 4

list 1 2 3 4 5 6

result





```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1;
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i (=1) is less than 6

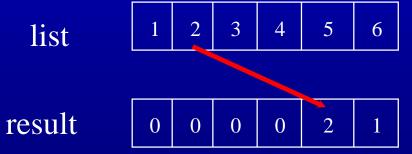
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int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

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  int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1:
    i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i = 1 and j = 4Assign list[1] to result[4]





```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

  for (int i = 0, j = result.length 1;
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

  return result;
}</pre>
```

After this, i becomes 2 and j becomes 3

result

0 0 0 0 2 1

5



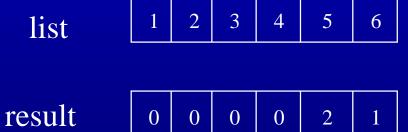
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int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length']

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1;
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i (=2) is still less than 6



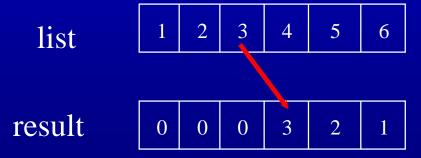
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int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1:
    i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i = 2 and j = 3Assign list[i] to result[j]



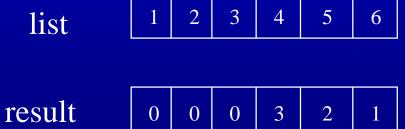
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```

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  int[] result = new int[list.length];

  for (int i = 0, j = result.length 1;
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
     result[j] = list[i];
  }

  return result;
}</pre>
```

After this, i becomes 3 and j becomes 2





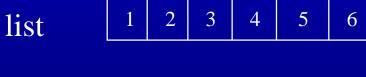
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int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

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  int[] result = new int[list.length']

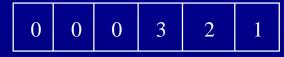
for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1;
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i (=3) is still less than 6



result





```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1:
    i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i = 3 and j = 2Assign list[i] to result[j]



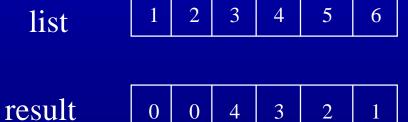
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int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
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  int[] result = new int[list.length];

  for (int i = 0, j = result.length 1;
      i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

  return result;
}</pre>
```

After this, i becomes 4 and j becomes 1





```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length 1;
    i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i (=4) is still less than 6

result

0 0 4 3 2 1



```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1:
    i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i = 4 and j = 1Assign list[i] to result[j]



```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

  for (int i = 0, j = result.length 1;
      i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

  return result;
}</pre>
```

After this, i becomes 5 and j becomes 0

list

1 2 3 4 5 6

result

0 5 4 3 2 1



```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length']

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1;
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i (=5) is still less than 6

list

1 2 3 4 5 6

result

0 5 4 3 2 1



```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
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  int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1:
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i = 5 and j = 0Assign list[i] to result[j]



```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

  for (int i = 0, j = result.length i;
        i < list.length; i++, j--) {
     result[j] = list[i];
  }

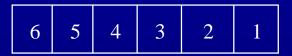
  return result;
}</pre>
```

After this, i becomes 6 and j becomes -1

list



result





```
int[] list1 = new int[]{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6};
int[] list2 = reverse(list1);
```

```
public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length]

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1;
    i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

i (=6) < 6 is false. So exit the loop.

result

6 5 4 3 2 1

5



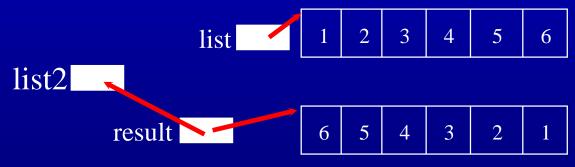
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```

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public static int[] reverse(int[] list) {
  int[] result = new int[list.length];

for (int i = 0, j = result.length - 1;
    i < list.length; i++, j--) {
    result[j] = list[i];
  }

return result;
}</pre>
```

Return result



#### SEARCHING ARRAY

- Searching is the process of looking for a specific element in an array; for example, discovering whether a certain score is included in a list of scores. Searching is a common task in computer programming.
- There are many algorithms and data structures devoted to searching.
- Two commonly used approaches are <u>linear search</u> and <u>binary search</u>.

#### LINEAR SEARCH

- The linear search approach compares the key element, <u>key</u>,
   sequentially with each element in the array <u>list</u>.
- The method continues to do so until the key matches an element in the list or the list is exhausted without a match being found.
  - If a match is made, the linear search returns the index of the element in the array that matches the key.
  - If no match is found, the search returns <u>-1</u>.

## Linear Search Animation

| Key |   | List |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-----|---|------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 3   | 6 | 4    | 1 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| 3   | 6 | 4    | 1 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| 3   | 6 | 4    | 1 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| 3   | 6 | 4    | 1 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| 3   | 6 | 4    | 1 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 8 |
| 3   | 6 | 4    | 1 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 8 |



#### LINEAR SEARCH ALGORITHM

```
/** The method for finding a key in the list */
public static int linearSearch(int[] list, int key) {
  for (int i = 0; i < list.length; i++)
    if (key == list[i])
    return i;
  return -1;
}</pre>
```

#### Trace the method

```
int[] list = {1, 4, 4, 2, 5, -3, 6, 2};
int i = linearSearch(list, 4); // returns 1
int j = linearSearch(list, -4); // returns -1
int k = linearSearch(list, -3); // returns 5
```

The elements in the array must already be ordered.

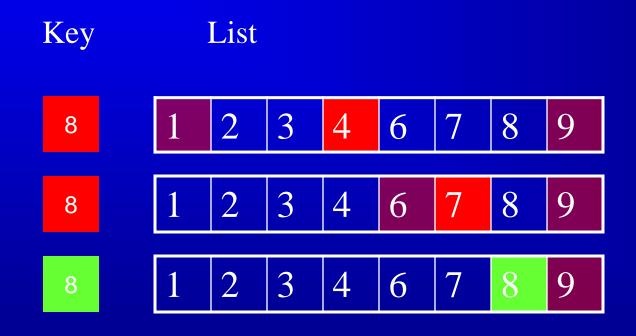
Without loss of generality, assume that the array is in ascending order.

e.g., 2 4 7 10 11 45 50 59 60 66 69 70 79

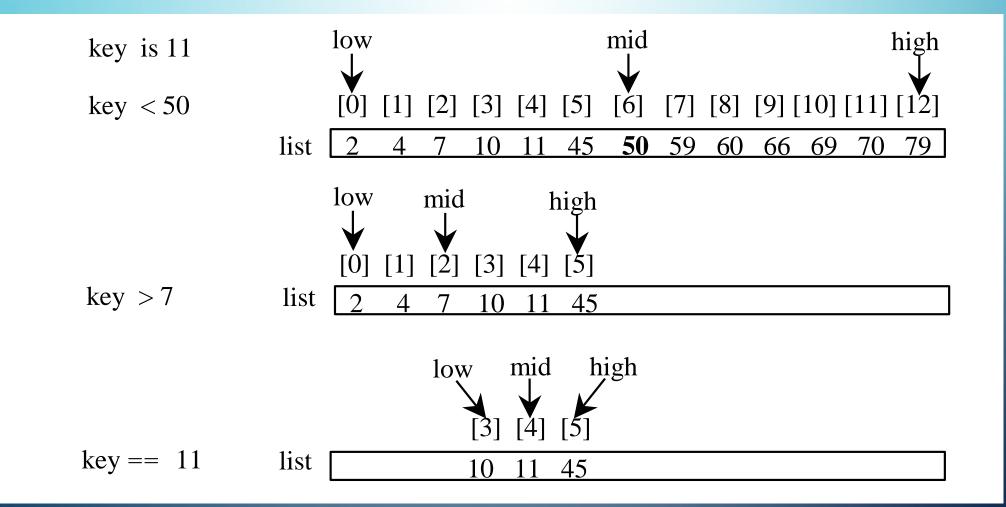
 The binary search first compares the key with the element in the middle of the array.

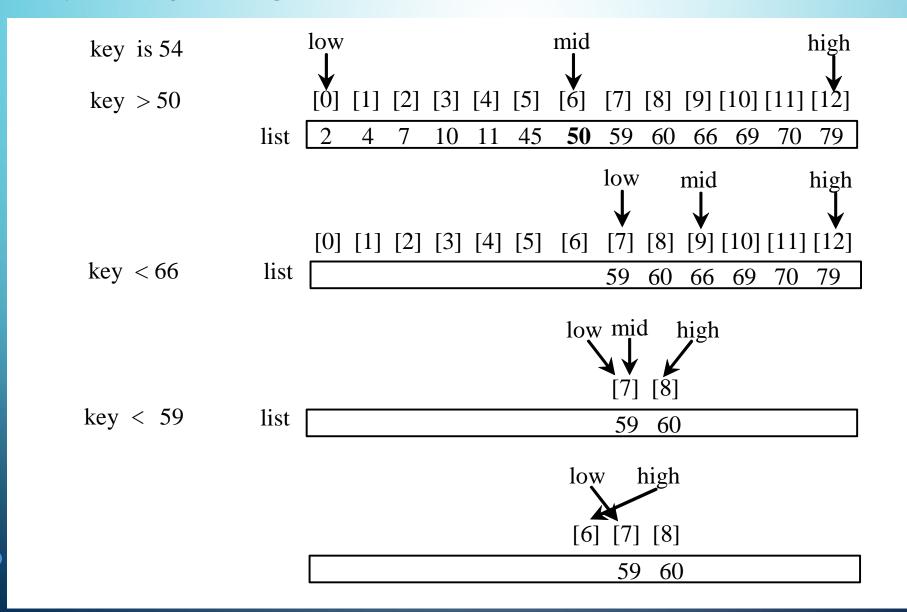
- Consider the following three cases:
- 1. If the key is less than the middle element, you only need to search the key in the first half of the array.
- 2. If the key is equal to the middle element, the search ends with a match.
- 3. If the key is greater than the middle element, you only need to search the key in the second half of the array.

## Binary Search









- The <u>binarySearch</u> method returns the index of the search key if it is contained in the list.
- Otherwise, it returns —insertion point 1.
  - The insertion point is the point at which the key would be inserted into the list.

#### BINARY SEARCH ALGORITHM

```
/** Use binary search to find the key in the list */
public static int binarySearch(int[] list, int key) {
 int low = 0;
 int high = list.length - 1;
 while (high >= low) {
    int mid = (low + high) / 2;
    if (key < list[mid])</pre>
     high = mid - 1;
    else if (key == list[mid])
      return mid;
    else
      low = mid + 1;
  return -1 - low;
```

#### THE ARRAYS.BINARYSEARCH METHOD

- Since binary search is frequently used in programming, Java provides several overloaded binarySearch methods for searching a key in an array of int, double, char, short, long, and float in the java.util.Arrays class.
- For example, the following code searches the keys in an array of numbers and an array of characters.

```
int[] list = {2, 4, 7, 10, 11, 45, 50, 59, 60, 66, 69, 70, 79};
System.out.println("Index is " +
    java.util.Arrays.binarySearch(list, 11));
char[] chars = {'a', 'c', 'g', 'x', 'y', 'z'};
System.out.println("Index is " +
    java.util.Arrays.binarySearch(chars, 't'));
```

• The binarySearch method to work, the array must be pre-sorted in increasing orde

#### THE ARRAYS.SORT METHOD

Since sorting is frequently used in programming, Java provides several overloaded sort methods for sorting an array of int, double, char, short, long, and float in the java.util.Arrays class.

For example, the following code sorts an array of numbers and an array of characters.

```
double[] numbers = {6.0, 4.4, 1.9, 2.9, 3.4, 3.5};
java.util.Arrays.sort(numbers);

char[] chars = {'a', 'A', '4', 'F', 'D', 'P'};
java.util.Arrays.sort(chars);
```

#### TWO-DIMENSIONAL ARRAYS

```
// Declare array ref var
dataType[][] refVar;
// Create array and assign its reference to variable
refVar = new dataType[10][10];
// Combine declaration and creation in one statement
dataType[][] refVar = new dataType[10][10];
// Alternative syntax
dataType refVar[][] = new dataType[10][10];
```

#### TWO-DIMENSIONAL DECLARATION AND CREATION

```
int[][] matrix = new int[10][10];
 or
int matrix[][] = new int[10][10];
matrix[0][0] = 3;
for (int i = 0; i < matrix.length; i++)
  for (int j = 0; j < matrix[i].length; <math>j++)
    matrix[i][j] = (int)(Math.random() * 1000);
double[][] x;
```

# TWO-DIMENSIONAL DECLARING, CREATING AND INITIALIZING USING SHORTHAND NOTATION

You can also use an array initializer to declare, create and initialize a two-dimensional array. For example,

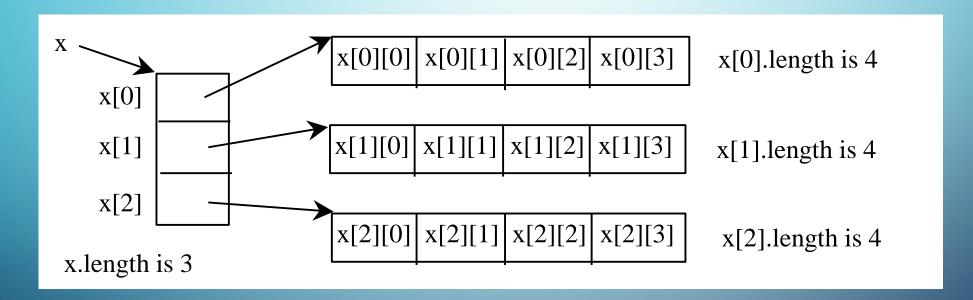
```
int[][] array = {
    {1, 2, 3},
    {4, 5, 6},
    {7, 8, 9},
    {10, 11, 12}
};
```

Same as

```
int[][] array = new int[4][3];
array[0][0] = 1; array[0][1] = 2; array[0][2] = 3;
array[1][0] = 4; array[1][1] = 5; array[1][2] = 6;
array[2][0] = 7; array[2][1] = 8; array[2][2] = 9;
array[3][0] = 10; array[3][1] = 11; array[3][2] = 12;
```

#### LENGTHS OF TWO-DIMENSIONAL ARRAYS

int[][] x = new int[3][4];



## LENGTHS OF TWO-DIMENSIONAL ARRAYS (CONT.)

```
int[][] array = {
    {1, 2, 3},
    {4, 5, 6},
    {7, 8, 9},
    {10, 11, 12}
```

```
array.length
array[0].length
array[1].length
array[2].length
array[3].length
```

array[4].length

ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException

#### MULTIDIMENSIONAL ARRAYS

- In Java, you can create n-dimensional arrays for any integer n and represent it as n-dimensional data structures.
- The way to declare two-dimensional array variables and create two-dimensional arrays can be generalized to declare n-dimensional array variables and create n-dimensional arrays for n >= 3.
- For example, the following syntax declares a three-dimensional array variable scores, creates an array, and assigns its reference to scores.

double[][][] scores = new double[10][5][2];

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