

Programming Techniques I

SCJ1013

Arrays

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Arrays Hold Multiple Values

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- Array: variable that can store multiple values of the same type
- Values are stored in adjacent memory locations
- Declared using [] operator:

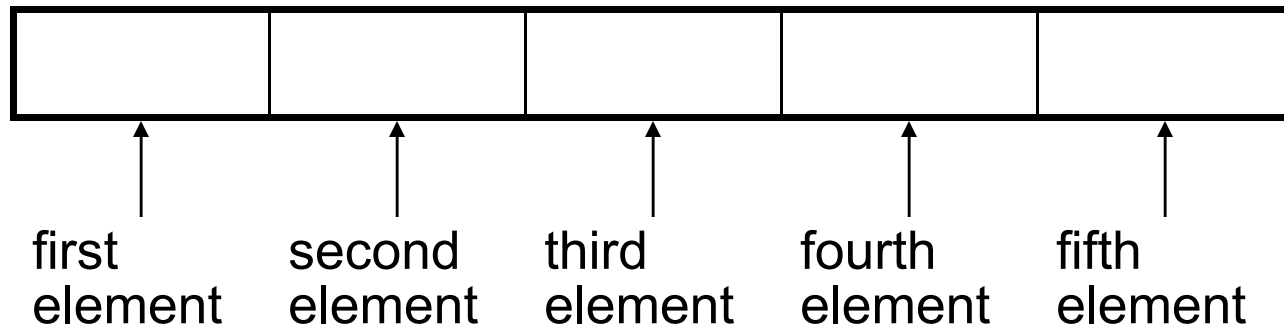
```
int tests[5];
```

Array - Memory Layout

- The definition:

```
int tests[5];
```

allocates the following memory:



Array Terminology

In the definition `int tests[5];`

- `int` is the data type of the array elements
- `tests` is the name of the array
- `5`, in `[5]`, is the size declarator. It shows the number of elements in the array.
- The size of an array is (number of elements) * (size of each element)

Array Terminology

- The size of an array is:
 - the total number of bytes allocated for it
 - (number of elements) * (number of bytes for each element)
- Examples:
 - `int tests[5]` is an array of 20 bytes, assuming 4 bytes for an `int`
 - `long double measures[10]` is an array of 80 bytes, assuming 8 bytes for a `long double`

Size Declarators

- Named constants are commonly used as size declarators.

```
const int SIZE = 5;  
int tests[SIZE];
```

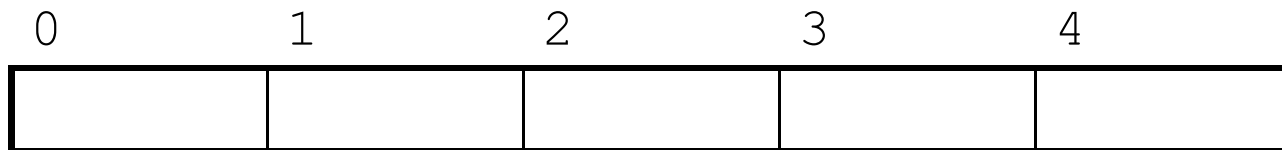
- This eases program maintenance when the size of the array needs to be changed.

Accessing Array Elements

Accessing Array Elements

- Each element in an array is assigned a unique *subscript*.
- Subscripts start at 0

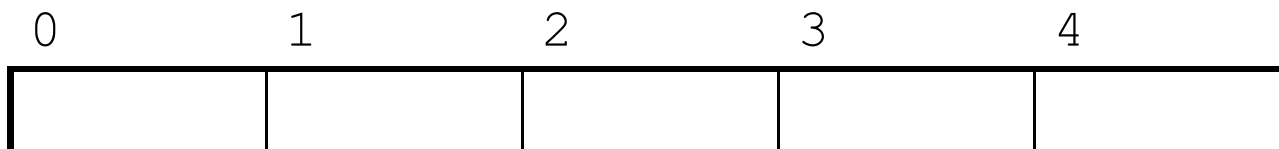
subscripts:



Accessing Array Elements

- The last element's subscript is $n-1$ where n is the number of elements in the array.

subscripts:



Accessing Array Elements

- Array elements can be used as regular variables:

```
tests[0] = 79;  
cout << tests[0];  
cin >> tests[1];  
tests[4] = tests[0] + tests[1];
```

- Arrays must be accessed via individual elements:

```
cout << tests; // not legal
```

Accessing Array Elements - example



Program 7-1

```
1 // This program asks for the number of hours worked
2 // by six employees. It stores the values in an array.
3 #include <iostream>
4 using namespace std;
5
6 int main()
7 {
8     const int NUM_EMPLOYEES = 6;
9     int hours[NUM_EMPLOYEES];
10
11     // Get the hours worked by six employees.
12     cout << "Enter the hours worked by six employees: ";
13     cin >> hours[0];
14     cin >> hours[1];
15     cin >> hours[2];
16     cin >> hours[3];
17     cin >> hours[4];
18     cin >> hours[5];
19
```

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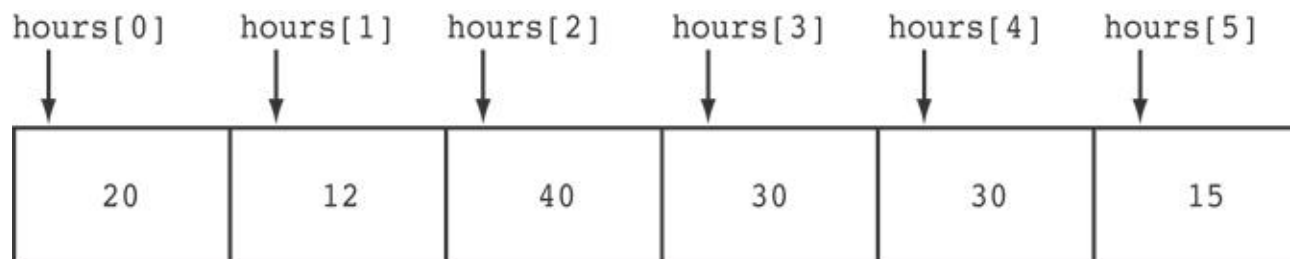
Accessing Array Elements - example

```
20 // Display the values in the array.
21 cout << "The hours you entered are:";
22 cout << " " << hours[0];
23 cout << " " << hours[1];
24 cout << " " << hours[2];
25 cout << " " << hours[3];
26 cout << " " << hours[4];
27 cout << " " << hours[5] << endl;
28 return 0;
29 }
```

Program Output with Example Input

Enter the hours worked by six employees: **20 12 40 30 30 15** [Enter]
The hours you entered are: 20 12 40 30 30 15

Here are the contents of the `hours` array, with the values entered by the user in the example output:



Accessing Array Contents

- Can access element with a constant or literal subscript:

```
cout << tests[3] << endl;
```

- Can use integer expression as subscript:

```
int i = 5;
```

```
cout << tests[i] << endl;
```

Using a Loop to Step Through an Array

- Example – The following code defines an array, `numbers`, and assigns 99 to each element:

```
const int ARRAY_SIZE = 5;
int numbers[ARRAY_SIZE];

for (int count = 0; count < ARRAY_SIZE; count++)
    numbers[count] = 99;
```

A Closer Look At the Loop

The variable `count` starts at 0, which is the first valid subscript value.

The loop ends when the variable `count` reaches 5, which is the first invalid subscript value.

```
for (count = 0; count < ARRAY_SIZE; count++)  
    numbers[count] = 99;
```

The variable `count` is incremented after each iteration.

Default Initialization

- Global array → all elements initialized to 0 by default
- Local array → all elements *uninitialized* by default

Exercise Week 15_1

- Refer to Lab 12, Exercise 1 No. 1 in pg. 172.
- Discuss

No Bounds Checking in C++



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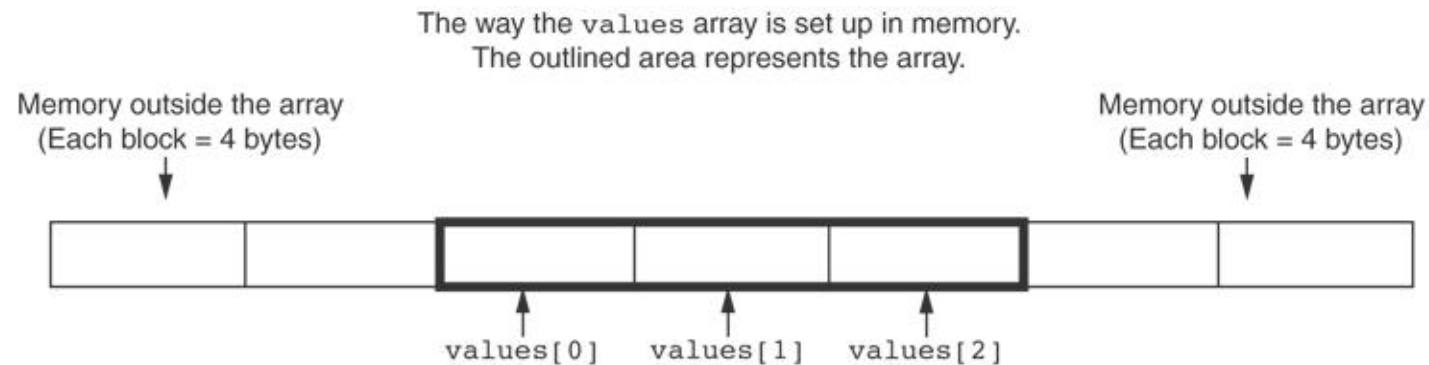
- When you use a value as an array subscript, C++ does not check it to make sure it is a *valid* subscript.
- In other words, you can use subscripts that are beyond the bounds of the array.

Code From Program 7-5

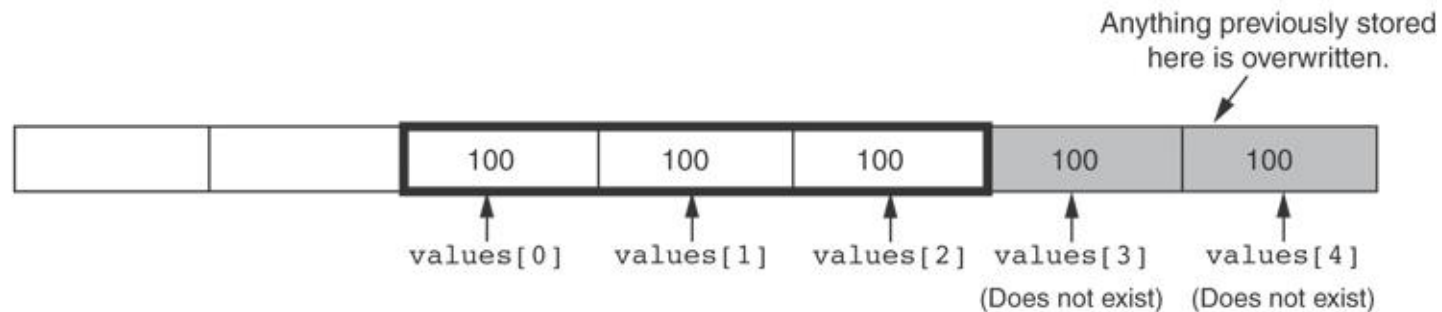
- The following code defines a three-element array, and then writes five values to it!

```
9     const int SIZE = 3; // Constant for the array size
10    int values[SIZE];   // An array of 3 integers
11    int count;          // Loop counter variable
12
13    // Attempt to store five numbers in the three-element array.
14    cout << "I will store 5 numbers in a 3 element array!\n";
15    for (count = 0; count < 5; count++)
16        values[count] = 100;
```

What the Code Does



How the numbers assigned to the array overflow the array's boundaries.
The shaded area is the section of memory illegally written to.



No Bounds Checking in C++

- Be careful not to use invalid subscripts.
- Doing so can corrupt other memory locations, crash program, or lock up computer, and cause elusive bugs.

Off-By-One Errors

- An off-by-one error happens when you use array subscripts that are off by one.
- This can happen when you start subscripts at 1 rather than 0:

```
// This code has an off-by-one error.  
const int SIZE = 100;  
int numbers[SIZE];  
for (int count = 1; count <= SIZE; count++)  
    numbers[count] = 0;
```


Exercise Week 15_2

- Correct the errors in the following program

```
#include <iostream>

int main(){
    int SIZE=5;
    int arr[SIZE];

    // to store value 1 4 9 16 25 in arr
    for (int i=1;i<=5;i++)
        arr[i]=i*i;

    cout<<"arr5="<<arr[5];

    return 0;
}
```

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Array Initialization



Array Initialization

- Arrays can be initialized with an initialization list:

```
const int SIZE = 5;  
int tests[SIZE] = {79, 82, 91, 77, 84};
```

- The values are stored in the array in the order in which they appear in the list.
 - The initialization list cannot exceed the array size.
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Code From Program 7-6

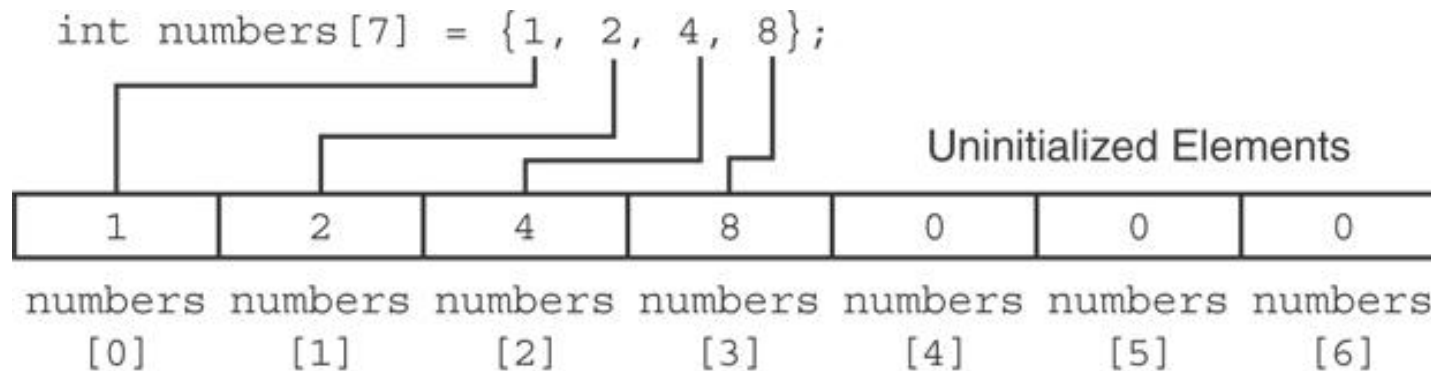
```
7   const int MONTHS = 12;
8   int days[MONTHS] = { 31, 28, 31, 30,
9                       31, 30, 31, 31,
10                      30, 31, 30, 31};
11
12   for (int count = 0; count < MONTHS; count++)
13   {
14       cout << "Month " << (count + 1) << " has ";
15       cout << days[count] << " days.\n";
16   }
```

Program Output

```
Month 1 has 31 days.
Month 2 has 28 days.
Month 3 has 31 days.
Month 4 has 30 days.
Month 5 has 31 days.
Month 6 has 30 days.
Month 7 has 31 days.
Month 8 has 31 days.
Month 9 has 30 days.
Month 10 has 31 days.
Month 11 has 30 days.
Month 12 has 31 days.
```

Partial Array Initialization

- If array is initialized with fewer initial values than the size declarator, the remaining elements will be set to 0 :



Implicit Array Sizing

- Can determine array size by the size of the initialization list:

```
int quizzes[]={12,17,15,11};
```

12	17	15	11
----	----	----	----

- Must use either array size declarator or initialization list at array definition

Initializing With a String

- Character array can be initialized by enclosing string in " ":

```
const int SIZE = 6;  
char fName[SIZE] = "Henry";
```

- Must leave room for `\0` at end of array
- If initializing character-by-character, must add in `\0` explicitly:

```
char fName[SIZE] =  
{ 'H', 'e', 'n', 'r', 'y', '\0' };
```

Exercise Week 15_3

- Are each of the following valid or invalid array definitions? (If a definition is invalid, explain why)

```
int numbers[10] = {0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1};
```

```
int matrix[5] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7};
```

```
double radix[10] = {3.2, 4.7};
```

```
int table[7] = {2, , , 27, , 45, 39};
```

```
char codes [] = {'A', 'X', '1', '2', 's'};
```

```
int blanks[];
```

```
char name[6] = "Joanne";
```

- Refer to Lab 13, Exe. 2, No. 4i-v in pg. 178.
- Solve the problem

Processing Array Contents



Processing Array Contents

- Array elements can be treated as ordinary variables of the same type as the array
- When using ++, -- operators, don't confuse the element with the subscript:

```
tests[i]++; // add 1 to tests[i]
  tests[i++]; // increment i, no
// effect on tests
```

Exercise Week 15_4

- Given the following array definition:

```
int values[] = {2, 6, 10, 14};
```

- What do each of the following display?

a. `cout << values[2];`

b. `cout << ++values[0];`

c. `cout << values[1]++;`

d. `x = 2; cout << values[++x];`

Array Assignment

To copy one array to another,

- Don't try to assign one array to the other:

```
newTests = tests; // Won't work
```

- Instead, assign element-by-element:

```
for (i = 0; i < ARRAY_SIZE; i++)  
    newTests[i] = tests[i];
```

Printing the Contents of an Array

- You can display the contents of a *character* array by sending its name to cout:

```
char fName[] = "Henry";  
cout << fName << endl;
```

But, this **ONLY** works with character arrays!

Printing the Contents of an Array

- For other types of arrays, you must print element-by-element:

```
for (i = 0; i < ARRAY_SIZE; i++)  
    cout << tests[i] << endl;
```

Summing and Averaging Array Elements

- Use a simple loop to add together array elements:

```
int tnum;
double average, sum = 0;
for(tnum = 0; tnum < SIZE; tnum++)
    sum += tests[tnum];
```

- Once summed, can compute average:

```
average = sum / SIZE;
```

Finding the Highest Value in an Array

```
int count;
int highest;
highest = numbers[0];
for (count = 1; count < SIZE; count++)
{
    if (numbers[count] > highest)
        highest = numbers[count];
}
```

When this code is finished, the `highest` variable will contain the highest value in the `numbers` array.

Finding the Lowest Value in an Array

```
int count;
int lowest;
lowest = numbers[0];
for (count = 1; count < SIZE; count++)
{
    if (numbers[count] < lowest)
        lowest = numbers[count];
}
```

When this code is finished, the `lowest` variable will contain the lowest value in the `numbers` array.

Partially-Filled Arrays

- If it is unknown how much data an array will be holding:
 - Make the array large enough to hold the largest expected number of elements.
 - Use a counter variable to keep track of the number of items stored in the array.

Comparing Arrays

- To compare two arrays, you must compare element-by-element:

```
const int SIZE = 5;
int firstArray[SIZE] = { 5, 10, 15, 20, 25 };
int secondArray[SIZE] = { 5, 10, 15, 20, 25 };
bool arraysEqual = true; // Flag variable
int count = 0;           // Loop counter variable
// Compare the two arrays.
while (arraysEqual && count < SIZE)
{
    if (firstArray[count] != secondArray[count])
        arraysEqual = false;
    count++;
}
if (arraysEqual)
    cout << "The arrays are equal.\n";
else
    cout << "The arrays are not equal.\n";
```

Exercise Week 15_5 (pg 172, Q2)

- Write C++ statements to perform each of the following:
 - I. Declare an array of variable number to allocate 10 elements
 - II. Read 10 data to assign value into array number
 - III. Assign value of number [3] into number [4] and number [4] takes value of number [5].

Using Parallel Arrays



Using Parallel Arrays

- Parallel arrays: two or more arrays that contain related data
- A subscript is used to relate arrays: elements at same subscript are related
- Arrays may be of different types

Parallel Array Example

```
const int SIZE = 5;    // Array size
int id[SIZE];         // student ID
double average[SIZE]; // course average
char grade[SIZE];    // course grade
...
for(int i = 0; i < SIZE; i++)
{
    cout << "Student ID: " << id[i]
<< " average: " << average[i]
<< " grade: " << grade[i]
<< endl;
}
```

Parallel Array Example

Program 7-12

```
1 // This program stores, in an array, the hours worked by 5
2 // employees who all make the same hourly wage.
3 #include <iostream>
4 #include <iomanip>
5 using namespace std;
6
7 int main()
8 {
9     const int NUM_EMPLOYEES = 5;
10    int hours[NUM_EMPLOYEES];        // Holds hours worked
11    double payRate[NUM_EMPLOYEES];  // Holds pay rates
12
13    // Input the hours worked.
14    cout << "Enter the hours worked by " << NUM_EMPLOYEES;
15    cout << " employees and their\n";
16    cout << "hourly pay rates.\n";
17    for (int index = 0; index < NUM_EMPLOYEES; index++)
18    {
19        cout << "Hours worked by employee #" << (index+1) << ": ";
20        cin >> hours[index];
21        cout << "Hourly pay rate for employee #" << (index+1) << ": ";
22        cin >> payRate[index];
23    }
24
```

(Program Continues)

Parallel Array Example

Program 7-12 (Continued)

```
25 // Display each employee's gross pay.
26 cout << "Here is the gross pay for each employee:\n";
27 cout << fixed << showpoint << setprecision(2);
28 for (index = 0; index < NUM_EMPLOYEES; index++)
29 {
30     double grossPay = hours[index] * payRate[index];
31     cout << "Employee #" << (index + 1);
32     cout << ": $" << grossPay << endl;
33 }
34 return 0;
35 }
```

Program Output with Example Input Shown in Bold

Enter the hours worked by 5 employees and their hourly pay rates.

Hours worked by employee #1: **10 [Enter]**

Hourly pay rate for employee #1: **9.75 [Enter]**

Hours worked by employee #2: **15 [Enter]**

Hourly pay rate for employee #2: **8.62 [Enter]**

Hours worked by employee #3: **20 [Enter]**

Hourly pay rate for employee #3: **10.50 [Enter]**

Hours worked by employee #4: **40 [Enter]**

Hourly pay rate for employee #4: **18.75 [Enter]**

Hours worked by employee #5: **40 [Enter]**

Hourly pay rate for employee #5: **15.65 [Enter]**

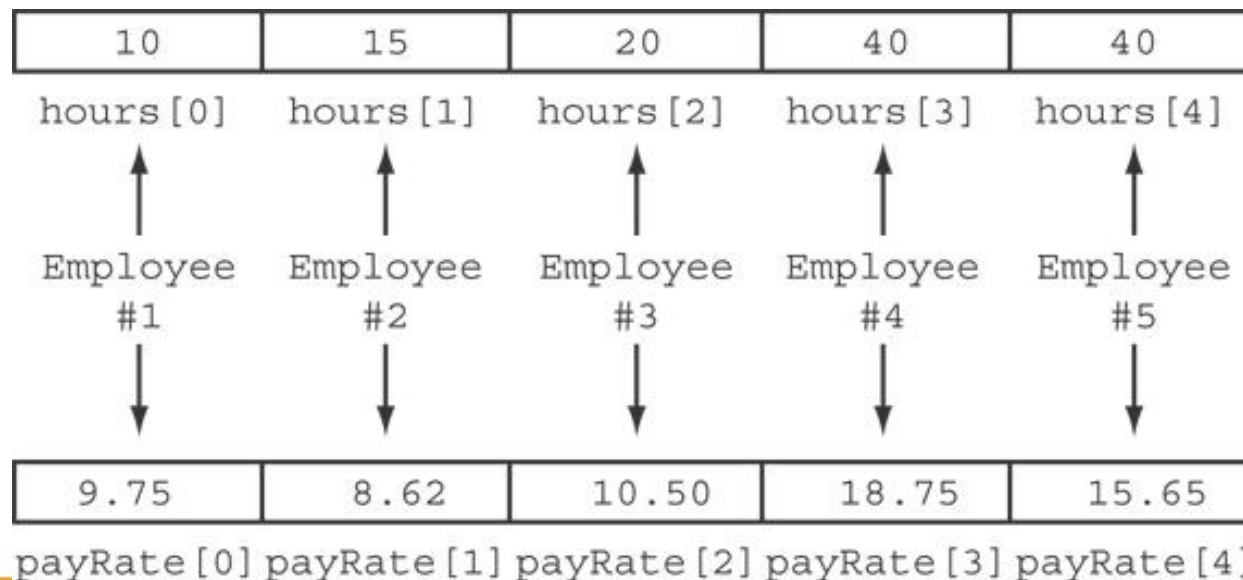
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Parallel Array Example

Program 7-12 (continued)

```
Here is the gross pay for each employee:
Employee #1: $97.50
Employee #2: $129.30
Employee #3: $210.00
Employee #4: $750.00
Employee #5: $626.00
```

The `hours` and `payRate` arrays are related through their subscripts:



Exercise Week 15_6

- What is the output of the following code? (You may need to use a calculator.)

```
const int SIZE = 5;
int time[SIZE] = {1, 2, 3, 4, 5},
speed[SIZE] = {18, 4, 27, 52, 100},
dist[SIZE];

for (int count = 0; count < SIZE; count++)
    dist[count] = time[count] * speed[count];
for (int count = 0; count < SIZE; count++) {
    cout << time[count] << " ";
    cout << speed[count] << " ";
    cout << dist[count] << endl;
}
```

Arrays as Function Arguments



Arrays as Function Arguments

- To pass an array to a function, just use the array name:

```
showScores (tests) ;
```

- To define a function that takes an array parameter, use empty `[]` for array argument:

```
void showScores (int []);  
                // function prototype  
void showScores (int tests[])  
                // function header
```

Arrays as Function Arguments

- When passing an array to a function, it is common to pass array size so that function knows how many elements to process:
`showScores(tests, ARRAY_SIZE);`
- Array size must also be reflected in prototype, header:

```
void showScores(int [], int);  
                // function prototype  
void showScores(int tests[], int  
size)  
                // function header
```

Arrays as Function Arguments - example

Program 7-14

```
1 // This program demonstrates an array being passed to a function.
2 #include <iostream>
3 using namespace std;
4
5 void showValues(int [], int); // Function prototype
6
7 int main()
8 {
9     const int ARRAY_SIZE = 8;
10    int numbers[ARRAY_SIZE] = {5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40};
11
12    showValues(numbers, ARRAY_SIZE);
13    return 0;
14 }
15
```

(Program Continues)

Arrays as Function Arguments - example

Program 7-14 (*Continued*)

```
16 //*****
17 // Definition of function showValue.          *
18 // This function accepts an array of integers and *
19 // the array's size as its arguments. The contents *
20 // of the array are displayed.                *
21 //*****
22
23 void showValues(int nums[], int size)
24 {
25     for (int index = 0; index < size; index++)
26         cout << nums[index] << " ";
27     cout << endl;
28 }
```

Program Output

```
5 10 15 20 25 30 35 40
```


Modifying Arrays in Functions

- Array names in functions are like reference variables – changes made to array in a function are reflected in actual array in calling function
- Need to exercise caution that array is not inadvertently changed by a function

Exercise Week 15_7

- The following program skeleton, when completed, will ask the user to enter 10 integers which are stored in an array. The function `avgArray`, which you must write, is to calculate and return the average of the numbers entered.

```
#include <iostream>
//Write your function prototype here
int main() {
    const int SIZE = 10;
    int userNums[SIZE];
    cout << "Enter 10 numbers: ";
    for (int count = 0; count < SIZE; count++){
        cout << "#" << (count + 1) << " ";
        cin >> userNums[count];
    }
    cout << "The average of those numbers is ";
    cout << avgArray(userNums, SIZE) << endl;
    return 0;
}
//Write the function avgArray here.
```

Exercise - additional

- Write a program that has a function that returns the index of the smallest element in an array of integers. If there are more than one such elements, return the smallest index. Use {1,2,4,5,10,100,2,-22} to test the function.

Thank You

Q & A

