

CSC 270 – Survey of Programming Languages

C Lecture #3 – Arrays and Structures

Declaring Arrays

- Instead of writing:
`int x;`
- we can write:
`int x[10];`
- the name x refers to the collection (or array) of integer values, which can contain up to 10 values.

Using An Array

- We can assign a value to any element in the array by specify the array by name and its index:

```
x[0] = 87;  
x[1] = 90;  
... ... ...  
x[9] = 93;
```

The diagram shows two assignments: `x[0] = 87;` and `x[9] = 93;`. Arrows point from the index part of each assignment to two separate boxes. The top box is labeled "lowest index" and the bottom box is labeled "highest index". Ellipses between the first and last assignments indicate that there are more elements in the array.

Using An Array (continued)

- An index can be any integer or character literal, constant, variable or expression:

```
x[6] = x[5] + 4;  
x[Five] = 34;  
x[i+1] = x[i] + 3;
```

- This is really useful, because we do not want to have to write separate statement to assign values to each array element.

Using a Counting Loop To Set An Array

- Counting loops are really useful when manipulating arrays:

```
for (i = 0; i < 10; i++)
    printf("%d ", x[i]);
```

A Program To Find Class Average

```
#include <stdio.h>

void getgrades(int grades[]);
int calcaverage(int grades[]);
void printresults(int grades[], int mean);
char lettergrade(int score);

#define      numgrades    10
```

```
int main(void)
{
    int grades[numgrades], average;

    getgrades(grades);
    average = calcaverage(grades);
    printresults(grades, average);
    return(0);
}
```

```
void getgrades(int grades[])
{
    int count;
    for (count = 0; count < numgrades; count++) {
        printf("Enter a grade\t?");
        scanf("%d", &grades[count]);
    }
}

int calcaverage(int grades[])
{
    int count, sum = 0;
    for (count = 0; count < numgrades; count++)
        sum = sum + grades[count];
    return(sum/numgrades);
}
```

```
void printresults(int grades[], int mean)
{
    int i;

    printf("The grades are:\n");
    for (i = 0; i < 10; i++)
        printf("%d\n", grades[i]);
    printf("The average is %d", mean);
    printf(" corresponding to a grade of"
          " %c\n", lettergrade(mean));
}
```

```
char lettergrade(int score)
{
    if (score >= 90)
        return('A');
    if (score >= 80)
        return('B');
    if (score >= 70)
        return('C');
    if (score >= 60)
        return('D');
    else
        return('F');
}
```

Selection Sorting

```
#include <stdio.h>

#define      Size   5

void sort(int x[]);

/*
 * main() - A driver for the Selection Sort
 */
int main(void)
{
    int i, a[Size];
```

```
    for (i = 0; i < Size; i++) {
        printf("Enter a[%d]\t?", i);
        scanf("%d", &a[i]);
    }
    sort(a);

    for (i = 0; i < Size; i++)
        printf("a[%d] = %d\n", i, a[i]);
    return(0);
}
```

```
/*
 * sort() - Sort an array of numbers
 */
void sort(int x[])
{
    int i, j, small, index, temp;

    /*
     * Place the smallest number in the first
     * position
     * Place the second smallest in the second
     * position and so on.
     */
    for (i = 0; i < Size -1; i++) {
        small = 32767;
        index = -1;
```

```
/*
 * Compare each number that is not in
 * its proper place to the smallest so
 * far
 */
for (j = i; j < Size; j++)
    if (x[j] <small) {
        small = x[j];
        index = j;
    }
```

```

/*
 * Swap the ith smallest number into its
 * proper place
 */
temp = x[i];
x[i] = x[index];
x[index] = temp;
}
}

```

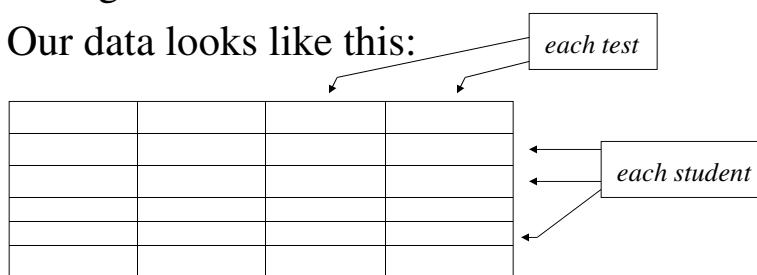
Multidimensional Arrays

- You can declare a two-dimensional array by writing:
`int x [NumRows] [NumColumns];`
- E. g.,
`int x [3] [6]`

x[0][0]	x[0][1]	x[0][2]	x[0][3]	x[0][4]	x[0][5]
x[1][0]	x[1][1]	x[1][2]	x[1][3]	x[1][4]	x[1][5]
x[2][0]	x[2][1]	x[2][2]	x[2][3]	x[2][4]	x[2][5]

Example: Class Average on a Series of Exams

- Imagine that students in a class have taken four tests and their grades depends on the average score on this exam.
- Our data looks like this:



grades.c

```
#include    <stdio.h>

#define          numstudents 30
#define          numexams     4
void  readgrades(int grades[][][numexams]);
void  findaverages(int averages[],
                   int grades[][][numexams]);
void  writegrades(int grades[][][numexams],
                  int averages[]);
```

```
/*
 * CalcAverages() -      Calculate the term
 *                      averages for a class
 *                      The average is based on
 *                      four exams
 */
int main(void)
{
    int grades[numstudents][numexams];
    int averages[numstudents];

    /*
     * Get the grades, find the averages and
     * print them
     */
}
```

```
readgrades(grades);
findaverages(averages, grades);
writegrades(grades, averages);

return(0);
}
```

```
/*
 * readgrades() - Read the complete set of grades
 */
void readgrades(int grades[][][numexams])
{
    int i, j;

    // Get each students grade
    for (i = 0; i < numstudents; i++) {
        //Get the next grade for this student
        for (j = 0; j < numexams; j++) {
            printf("Grade on test # %d for"
                  " for student # %d\t?",
                  j, i);
            scanf("%d", &grades[i][j]);
        }
    }
}
```

```
//Skip one line for clarity
printf("\n");
}
}
```

```
// FindAverages() -      Find the average for each
//                      student
void  findaverages(int averages[],
                   int grades[][][numexams])
{
    int i, j, sum;

    for (i = 0;  i < numstudents;  i++) {
        sum = 0;
        for (j = 0;  j < numexams;  j++)
            sum += grades[i][j];
        averages[i] = sum/numexams;
    }
}
```

```
// WriteAverage() -      Output the grades and
//                      average for each student
void  writegrades(int grades[][][numexams],
                  int averages[])
{
    int i, j;

    // Print a heading
    printf("Student Exam1\tExam2\tExam3\tExam4"
           "\tAverage\n");

    for (i = 0;  i < numstudents;  i++) {
        // Number each line, then print the grades
        // and the average for the enxt student
        printf("%d", i);
```

```
    for (j = 0; j < numexams; j++)      {
        printf("\t%4d", grades[i][j]);
    }
    printf("\t%d\n", averages[i]);
}

}
```

Limitations of **grades.c**

- The program has a major limitation: we must know exactly how many students there are.
- It would be better if we can safely guess our upper limit and count the exact number.

Matrices

- A matrix is a two-dimensional array of numbers, used in many types of mathematical problems.
- Adding and subtracting matrices is easy:
 - $a_{i,j} + b_{i,j} = c_{i,j}$
 - $a_{i,j} - b_{i,j} = c_{i,j}$
- Multiplying matrices is much harder:

$$c_{i,j} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{i,k} \times b_{k,j}$$

multmat.c

```
#include    <stdio.h>

#define      numrows      4
#define      numcolumns     4

void  readmatrix(int matrix[][numcolumns]);
void  multmatrix(int c[][numcolumns],
                 int a[][numcolumns],
                 int b[][numcolumns]);
void  writematrix(int matrix[][numcolumns]);
```

```
/*
 * multmat() - Read and multiply two matrices
 */
int main(void)
{
    int      a[numrows][numcolumns],
            b[numrows][numcolumns],
            c[numrows][numcolumns];

    printf("Enter matrix a\n");
    readmatrix(a);
    printf("Enter matrix b\n");
    readmatrix(b);
    multmatrix(c, a, b);
```

```
printf("The product is:\n");
writematrix(c);

return(0);
}
```

```
/*
 * readmatrix() - Read in a matrix
 */
void readmatrix(int matrix[][][numcolumns])
{
    int i, j;

    for (i = 0; i < numrows; i++) {
        printf("Enter row #%-d\t?", i+1);
        for (j = 0; j < numcolumns; j++)
            scanf("%d", &matrix[i][j]);
    }
}
```

```
/*
 * multmatrix() - Multiply a * b to get c
 */
void multmatrix(int c[][][numcolumns],
                int a[][][numcolumns],
                int b[][][numcolumns])
{
    int i, j, k;

    for (i = 0; i < numrows; i++)
        for (j = 0; j < numcolumns; j++) {
            c[i][j] = 0;
            for (k = 0; k < numrows; k++)
                c[i][j] += a[i][k]*b[k][j];
        }
}
```

```
/*
 * writematrix() - Write an i x j matrix
 */
void writematrix(int matrix[][][numcolumns])
{
    int i, j;

    for (i = 0; i < numrows; i++) {
        for (j = 0; j < numcolumns; j++)
            printf("\t%d", matrix[i][j]);
        printf("\n");
    }
}
```

What is a Structure

- A structure is a heterogeneous collection of data.
- Even if the data type is the same, it may not belong in an array but in a structure.

Declaring A Structure

- A structure **containing** the rate of pay and hours worked might look like this:

```
struct {  
    int rate;  
    int hours;  
    int gross;  
} worker;
```

Declaring A Structure (continued)

- Alternatively, we can write:

```
struct {  
    int rate, hours, gross;  
} worker;
```

Declaring A Structure (continued)

- We can give the structure a name and then declare variables as structures of this type very easily:

```
struct workerstuff {
    int rate, hours, gross;
} ;
...
int main(void)
{
    struct workerstuff worker;
```

Using A Structure

- To use a field within the structure, you must specify both the structure and the field with a period “.” in between:

```
scanf("%d", &worker.rate);
scanf("%d", &worker.hours);
worker.gross = worker.rate
            * worker.hours;
```

A simple payroll program

```
#include <stdio.h>

/*
 * a simple structure for payroll
 */
struct workerstuff {
    char name[20];
    float rate;
    float hours;
    float gross;
};
```

```
/*
 * payroll.c - A simple payroll program
 */
int main(void)
{
    struct workerstuff worker;
    printf("What is the worker's rate per "
           "hour?\t");
    scanf("%f", &worker.rate);

    printf("How many hours did the worker work "
           "last week?\t");
    scanf("%f", &worker.hours);
```

```
    printf("What is the worker's name?\t");
    scanf("%s", &worker.name);
    printf("%s worked for out %3.1f hours at \$"
           "%4.2f per hour.\n",
           worker.name, worker.hours, worker.rate);

    return(0);
}
```

Structures Containing Arrays

- A structure can have an array as a field within it. Examples of this include character strings.
- Our Dean's List program could use this to include the grades that comprised our students' g.p.a.

typedef

- There are times when it is useful to define one's own data types. You can do this with the **typedef** statement.

- Syntax:

```
typedef      DataType  DataTypeName;
```

- Examples

```
typedef int      IntegerType;
```

```
typedef int      *IntPtr;
```

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- If we are working with a pointer to a structure and we wish to reference one of the fields, we can write:

```
* (myStructPtr.myField)
```

or

```
myStructPtr -> myField
```

- This second form is consider far better form.

avggrade.cpp

```
#include    <stdio.h>

#define          namelen        15
#define          numexams       4

typedef      struct      {
    char      firstname[namelen], lastname[namelen];
    int exam[numexams];
} examrec;

void  readstudent(examrec *student);
float findaverage(examrec student);
void  writestudent(examrec student, float
                    average);
```

```
/*
 * AvgGrade() -  Averages the grades on n exams
 */
int  main(void)
{
    examrec      student;
    float        average;

    /* Read the students name and test scores */
    readstudent(&student);

    /* Find the average */
    average = findaverage(student);
```

```
/* Print the results */
writestudent(student, average);
return(0);
}
```

```
/*
 * ReadStudent() -      Read the input about the
 *                      student
 */
void  readstudent(examrec *student)
{
    int      i;
    printf("First name\t?");
    scanf("%s", student -> firstname);
    printf("Last name\t?");
    scanf("%s", student -> lastname);
```

```
    for (i = 0; i < numexams; i++) {
        printf("Enter grade for exam #%d\t",
               i+1);
        scanf("%d", &(student->exam[i]));
    }
}
```

```
/*
 * FindAverage() -      Returns the average of n
 *                      exam scores
 */
float findaverage(examrec student)
{
    int      i, sum = 0;

    for (i = 0; i < numexams; i++)
        sum += student.exam[i];

    return((float) sum/numexams);
}
```

```
/*
 * WriteStudent() -      Print the data about the
 *                      student including the
 *                      average
 */
void writestudent(examrec student, float average)
{
    int i;
    printf("%s %s scored :\n", student.firstname,
           student.lastname);

    for (i = 0; i < numexams; i++)
        printf("%d\t", student.exam[i]);

    printf("\n\twhich resulted in an average of"
           "%3.1f\n", average);
}
```