



Digital image Processing

5. Array and Pointer

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Array 1

Array stores a series of data.

How to define an array is,

```
type    name[size];
```

For example, the following definition creates an array named `my_arr`, which has 10 integer elements.

```
int my_arr[10];
```

Each element can be referred as follows.

```
my_arr[0]  
my_arr[1]  
my_arr[2]  
my_arr[3]  
my_arr[4]  
my_arr[5]  
my_arr[6]  
my_arr[7]  
my_arr[8]  
my_arr[9]
```

The first element. The suffix is 0.

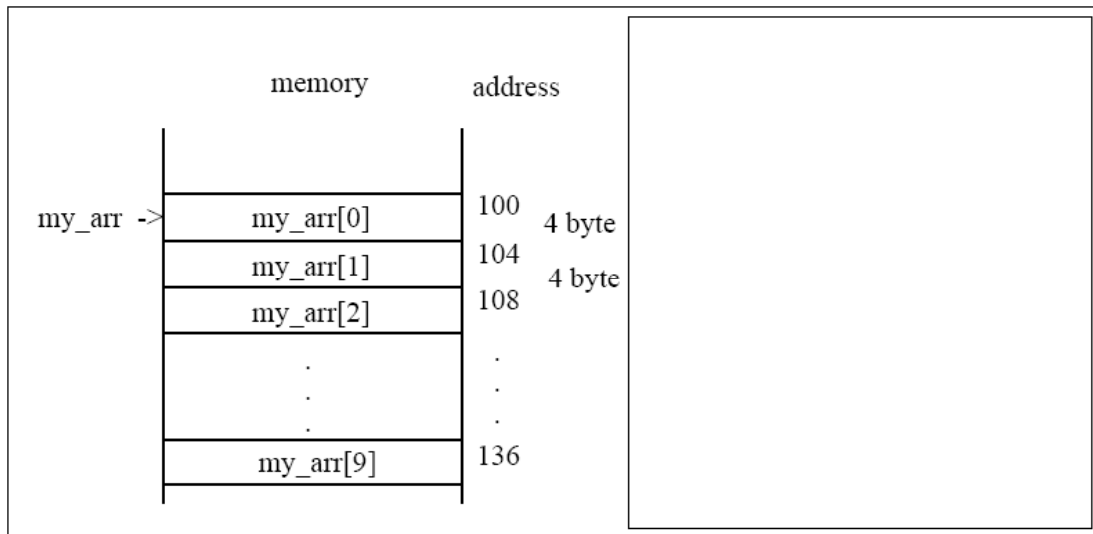
The last element. The suffix is 9 (n-1).

other examples

```
double double_array[4000];  
unsigned char line_img[1024];  
unsigned char *img[1024];
```

Array 2

```
int my_arr[10];
```



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Array 3 - example

```
#include <stdio.h>

void main()
{
    double arr[5];
    int i;
    double total=0.0;

    for (i=0;i<5;i++){
        printf("input number%d=",i);
        scanf("%lf",&arr[i]);
        total+=arr[i];
    }
    for (i=0;i<5;i++){
        printf("OUTPUT number%d VALUE=%4.2lf\n",i,arr[i]);
    }

    printf("your result=%lf\n",total);
}
```

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Array 4 – Setup a LUT

```
#include<stdio.h>
#define LUT_SIZE 256
#define LUT_MIN 100
#define LUT_MAX 200
#define LUT_VALUE(z) (255*((z) - LUT_MIN) / (LUT_MAX - LUT_MIN))

void main( void )
{
    unsigned char lut[LUT_SIZE];
    int i;

    for(i=0; i<LUT_SIZE; i++){
        if(i < LUT_MIN) {
            lut[i] = 0;
        } else if ( i > LUT_MAX) {
            lut[i] = 255;
        } else {
            lut[i] = LUT_VALUE(i);
        }
    }

    for(i=0; i<LUT_SIZE; i++)
        printf("%d\t%d\n", i, lut[i] );
}
```

Function to setup a LUT

Evaluated from left to right

Declaration of LUT as an array

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Array 5 – Calculating average

```
#include<stdio.h>
#define MDATA 1000
int main( void )
{
    double dat[ MDATA ];
    int n, i;
    double total, average;

    printf("Input number of data\n");
    scanf("%d", & n );
    if( n <= 0 || n > MDATA ) {
        fprintf( stderr, "average: illegal n: %d: must be 1 - %d\n", n, MDATA);
        return 1;
    }

    for(i=0; i<n; i++) {
        scanf("%lf", &dat[i] );
    }
    total =0.;
    for(i=0; i<n; i++)
        total += dat[i];

    average = total / n;

    printf("average = %lf\n", average );

    return 0;
}
```

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Pointer

To declare a pointer,
type * pointer_name;

```
int i, j;  
int * p;          /* p is a pointer to int. */  
                  /* *p is integer */  
  
/* p has a address of i */  
p = &i;  
  
/* Assign 5 to the integer which p is pointing */  
*p = 5;  
  
/* Assign a value of a integer which p is pointing to j, so j is 5 now */  
j = *p;
```

memory	address	
		p = &i; *p = 5; j = *p
i	100	5
j	104	5
p	108	100
.	.	.
.	.	.
.	.	.

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Pointer & Array 1

A pointer can represent an array. By using pointer, we can do every operation on arrays.

```
int i;  
int my_arr[10];  
int *p1, *p2;  
for(i=0; i<10; i++)  
    my_arr[i] = i*2;  
p1 = p2 = my_arr;  
printf("address is %d\t%d\t%d\n", my_arr, p1, p2);  
for( i=0; i<10; i++ ){  
    printf("%d\t%d\t%d\t%d\t%d\t%d\n", i,  
    my_arr[i], p1[i], *(p1+i), *p2, p2);  
    p2++;  
}
```

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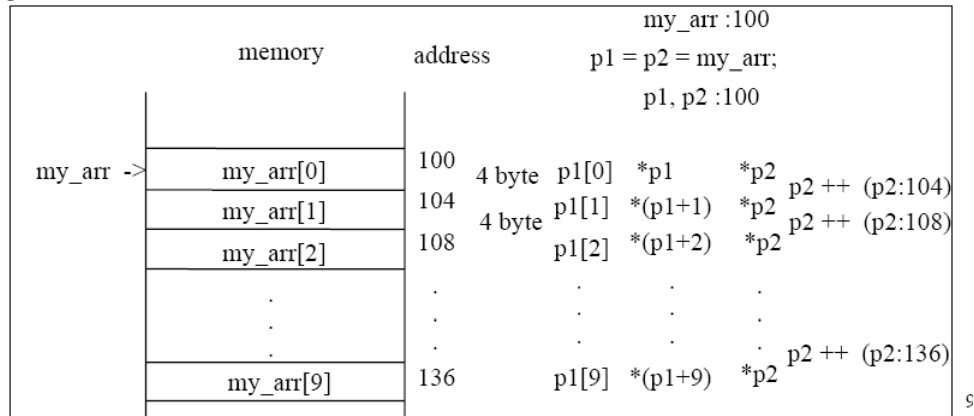
Pointer and Array 2

Accessing to elements using pointers

```

p1 = p2 = my_arr;
printf("address is %d\t%d\t%d\n", my_arr, p1, p2 );
for( i=0; i<10; i++ ){
    printf("%d\t%d\t%d\t%d\t%d\t%d\n", i, my_arr[i], p1[i], *(p1+i), *p2, p2 );
    p2++;
}

```



Pointer and Array 3

Passing an array to a function: 3 ways

```

#include<stdio.h>
#define MDATA 1000
int get_data(double *dat, int n);
double ave_data(double *dat, int n);
void main( void )
{
    double x[ MDATA ];
    int n;
    double total, average;

    printf("Input number of data\n");
    scanf("%d", &n );
    get_data( x, n );
    average = ave_data( x, n );
    printf("average = %lf\n", average );
}

```

```

int get_data( double dat[ ], int n )
{
    int i;
    for(i=0;i<n;i++)
        scanf("%lf", & dat[i] );
}

```

```

int get_data( double *dat, int n )
{
    int i;
    for(i=0;i<n;i++)
        scanf("%lf", & dat[i] );
}

```

```

int get_data( double *dat, int n )
{
    int i;
    for(i=0;i<n;i++, dat++)
        scanf("%lf", dat );
}

```

Dynamic Memory Allocation

We cannot know how big the array should be before we run the program.
We do not need to use all of arrays always, which occupy memory space
-> Allocate minimum size of memory block dynamically only when it is necessary.

```
#include <stdlib.h>
```

```
void *malloc(size_t size);
```

```
void free(void *ptr);
```

```
double *data;
scanf("%d",&ndata)
/* Allocate a memory block */
data = malloc( sizeof(double)*ndata)
.....
/* Free the memory block after use */
free ( data );
```

malloc() allocates size bytes and returns a pointer to the allocated memory.
The memory is not cleared.

free() frees the memory space pointed to by ptr, which must have been returned by a previous call to malloc(), calloc() or realloc().

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Dynamic Memory Allocation

```
#include<stdio.h>
#include<stdlib.h>
#include<malloc.h>

int get_data(double *dat, int n );
double ave_data(double *dat, int n );

main()
{
    double      *x;
    int         n;
    double      average;

    printf("Input number of data¥n"); }
    scanf("%d", & n );
```

```
x = (double * ) malloc( n * sizeof( double ) );

if( x == NULL ){
    printf("ave: not enough memory¥n");
    exit(1);
}

get_data( x, n );
average = ave_data( x, n );

printf("average = %lf¥n", average );

free( x );
```

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Switching source code according to OS or any other environment

```
#include<stdio.h>
#if defined ( WIN32 ) || defined ( WIN64 )
    #warning being compiled for WINDOWS
    #include<stdlib.h>
    #include<malloc.h>
#elif defined( UNIX )
    #warning being compiled for UNIX
    #include<stdlib.h>
#else
    #error unknown OS
#endif
#define DEBUG
#if defined ( DEBUG )
#else
#endif
```

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Avoid using include files more than once

```
#include"utilHonda.h"
#include"utilHonda.h"
-----
utilHond.h
-----
#if !defined(UTIL_HONDA_H)
#define UTIL_HONDA_H
#if ! defined ( PI )
#define PI
3.1415926535897932384626433832795028841971693
9937511
/* Proto Types */
.....
#endif
```

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Exercise

- Confirm the output of examples of “Array 3”, “Array 4”, “Array 5”, “Pointer & Array 1”,
- Add a function `ave_data()` to the example of “Pointer and Array 3”
- Prepare data in a text file and feed to the program.
- Add a function `stddev()` to calculate standard deviation
- Modify the program to allocate memory dynamically for the array using `malloc`, like an example in “Dynamic Memory Allocation 2”

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