

# SFWR ENG/COMP SCI 2S03 Principles of Programming

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- We often need to organize values so that they can be processed
- Such an organization of values is called a data structure
- An **array** is a simple form of data structure
- How to declare and access arrays?

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### Learning Objectives:

- Using arrays to organize a collection of values
- Declaring array references, creating arrays, and using these references
- Initializing an array
- Iterating over an array
- Creating and using multidimensional arrays
- Generating pseudo-random numbers using the Random class

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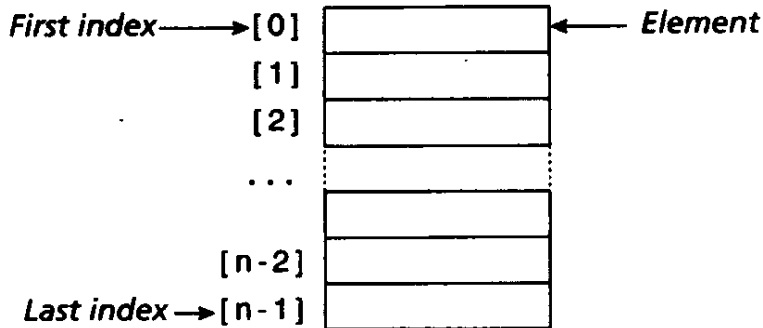
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- An array is a fixed-length sequence of elements
- All elements of an array have the same type  
**(An array has a fixed length)**
- Each array element can store a value
- The type of the elements is called the (array) element type
- The elements are numbered
- A position in the array is called the index
- The index 0 indicates the position of the first element



- We can create arrays of integers, floating-point numbers, characters, and Boolean values (**primitive data type**)
- We can also create arrays of objects
  - The array does not actually contain the objects
  - It contains only references to objects
- Arrays are themselves objects in Java
- THEREFORE, we can create arrays of arrays

### Declaring array reference variables

- An array reference variable is a reference (refer to objects that are arrays)
- In a reference declaration, we have to specify the reference type

```
int[ ] noOfTextMessages;
```

### Creating arrays

- We use the *new* operator to create an array

```
noOfTextMessages = new int[7];
```



### Default initialization

- The array creation expression says nothing about which seven int values are stored in the array

```
noOfTextMessages = new int[7];
```

- **Rule:** When an array is created as above, the elements are automatically initialized to the default value for the element type

Type	Default value
<b>boolean</b>	<b>false</b>
<b>char</b>	<b>'\u0000'</b>
<b>Integer (int, long)</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Floating-point (double)</b>	<b>+0.0d</b>
<b>All reference types</b>	<b>null</b>

# Arrays

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*Array reference declaration*      *Array creation*

```
int[] noOfTextMessages = new int[7];
```

*Array type*      *Array name*      *Operator*      *Element type*      *Array length*

The diagram shows the code `int[] noOfTextMessages = new int[7];` with annotations. A bracket above `int[]` is labeled *Array reference declaration*. A bracket above `noOfTextMessages` is labeled *Array name*. A bracket above `int` is labeled *Array type*. An arrow points from `noOfTextMessages` to `=`, labeled *Operator*. An arrow points from `new` to `int`, labeled *Element type*. An arrow points from `7` to `int`, labeled *Array length*. A bracket above `int[7]` is labeled *Array creation*.

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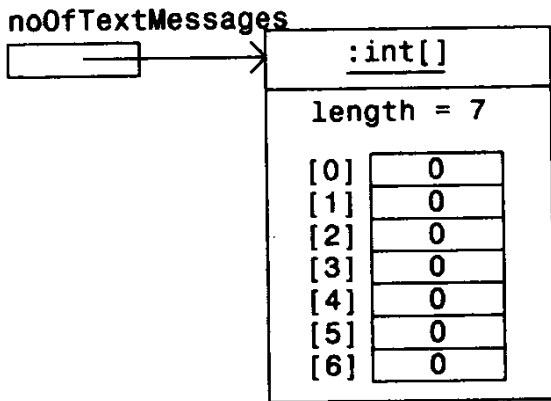
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***After executing:***

**`noOfTextMessages = new int[7];`**

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<b>noOfTextMessages: int[]</b>	
length = 7	
[0]	0
[1]	0
[2]	13
[3]	0
[4]	0
[5]	0
[6]	17

*After executing:*

**noOfTextMessages[2] = 13;**

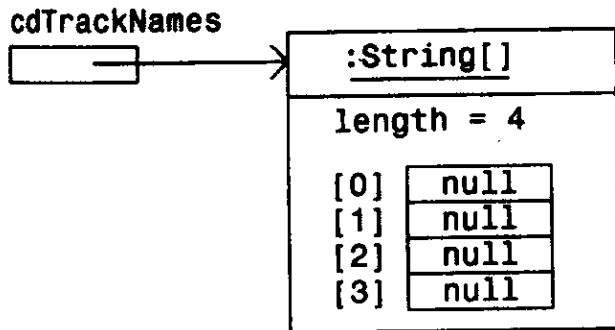
**noOfTextMessages[6] = noOfTextMessages[2] + 4;**

### Arrays of objects

- In the same way as creating arrays of primitive types, we can create arrays of objects
- Combining the declaration of the array reference variable and the creation of the array:

```
String[ ] cdTrackNames = new String[4];
```

- What is the implicit default initial value of the four elements? **null**



**After executing:**

```
String[] cdTrackNames = new String[4];
```

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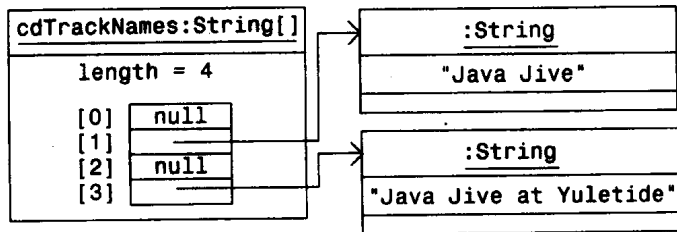
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**After executing:**

```
cdTrackNames[1] = "Java Jive";  
cdTrackNames[3] = cdTrackNames[1] + " at Yuletide";
```

### The length field

- Each array has a field called length whose value is the array length
- The value is set when the array is created (cannot be changed)
- The value of this field can be accessed using the dot notation:

```
System.out.println(CdTrackNames.length); // Prints 4
```

- Every array has a field called length (Every String class has a method called length ())



### Accessing an array element

- To access an element, we need to specify
  - the array reference
  - the index of the element in the array

<code>noOfTextMessages: int[]</code>	
length = 7	
<code>[0]</code>	0
<code>[1]</code>	0
<code>[2]</code>	13
<code>[3]</code>	0
<code>[4]</code>	0
<code>[5]</code>	0
<code>[6]</code>	17

*After executing:*

`noOfTextMessages[2] = 13;`

`noOfTextMessages[6] = noOfTextMessages[2] + 4;`

### Array bounds

- An index does not need to be integer literal: It can be any arbitrary expression that evaluates to an int value
- $0 \leq \text{index value} < \text{array length}$
- At runtime, the index value is always checked before accessing the array
- An invalid index results in an out-of-bounds error: (ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException)

## Creating and using arrays

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```
1 // Array initialisation
2 public class ArrayInitialisation {
3     public static void main(String[] args) {
4
5         final int NO_OF_TESTS = 5;
6
7         // Array declaration:
8         int[] testScores; // (1) Only declaration, no array creation
9         // Array creation, default initialisation and assignment:
10        testScores = new int[NO_OF_TESTS]; // (2) Array length
11        // specified
12        assert(testScores != null);
13        assert(testScores.length == NO_OF_TESTS);
14        assert(testScores[0] == 0); // First value
15        assert(testScores[NO_OF_TESTS - 1] == 0); // Last value
16        // and the other elements are also initialised to the default value
17        // 0.
18
19        // Combined (1) and (2).
20        // Array declaration, creation, default initialisation and assignment
21        // :
22        int[] testScoresII = new int[NO_OF_TESTS];
23
24        // Array declaration:
25        int[] testScoresIII; // (3) Only declaration, no array creation
26        // Array creation, explicit initialisation and assignment:
27        testScoresIII = new int[] {47, 55, 58, 41, 52}; // (4) Anonymous
28        // array
29        assert(testScoresIII.length == NO_OF_TESTS);
30        assert(testScoresIII[0] == 47); // First value
31        assert(testScoresIII[NO_OF_TESTS - 1] == 52); // Last value
32        // and the other elements are also explicitly initialised
33        // accordingly.
34
35        // Combined (3) and (4)
36        // Array declaration, creation, explicit initialisation
37        // and assignment:
38        int[] testScoresIV = new int[] {47, 55, 58, 41, 52};
39        int[] testScoresV = {47, 55, 58, 41, 52}; // Simplified form
40        testScoresV = {47, 55, 58, 41, 52}; // Compile time error!
41
42        System.out.println(testScoresV[NO_OF_TESTS]); // Out-of-bounds error
43    }
44 }
```

### Program Output

Exception in thread "main" java.lang.ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException: 5  
at ArrayInitialisation.main(ArrayInitialisation.java:37)

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### Array aliases

- As arrays are objects, we can create aliases to arrays:

```
int[] messageCounters = noOfTextMessages;  
String[] trackTitles = cdTrackNames;
```

- messageCounters** and **noOfTextMessages** are aliases (the same for trackTitles and cdTrackNames)
- Any alias to an array can be used to manipulate the array

### Alternate notation for array declaration

- There two forms for declaring arrays:
  - **Form 1:** `int[ ] arrayA, arrayB, arrayC;`
  - **Form 2:** `int arrayA[ ], arrayB[ ], arrayC[ ];`
- **Attention:** `int arrayA[ ], arrayB, arrayC[ ];`
- The standard convention is Form 1

- At the creation of an array, its length field is initialized
- For more value in the elements when we create the array, we must explicitly specify the values
- It is called (explicit) array initialization

```
new int[] {47, 55, 58, 41, 52}
```

*Array type*      *Block with initialization list*

(a) Creating an anonymous array

- It creates an **anonymous array**
- A typical use for an anonymous array: as parameter in a method call

## Initializing arrays

*Array reference declaration*    *Array creation with initialization*

```
int[] testScores = {47, 55, 58, 41, 52};
```

*Array type*    *Array name*    *Block with initialization list*

(b) Array declaration, creation and initialization

- The reference value returned by the array creation expression can be assigned to an array variable

```
int[ ] testScores;  
testScores = new int[ ] {47, 55, 58, 41, 52};
```

- OR

```
int[ ] testScores = new int[ ] {47, 55, 58, 41, 52};
```

- Simplified form:

```
int[ ] testScores = {47, 55, 58, 41, 52};
```

### Examples

- `boolean[ ] booleanArray = new boolean[ ] {true, false, false, true};`
- `char[ ] charArray = {'J', 'a', 'v', 'a'};`
- `double fpArray= new double[ ] {25.0, 3.14, 1. 5};`
- `String[ ] pets = {"crocodiles", "elephants", "crocophants" , "elediles"};`
- `pets = new String[ ] {"cat", null, "dog"}; //`  
`pets[1]` does not refer to an object



## Initializing arrays

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```
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2 public class ArrayInitialisation {
3     public static void main(String[] args) {
4
5         final int NO_OF_TESTS = 5;
6
7         // Array declaration:
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10        testScores = new int[NO_OF_TESTS]; // (2) Array length
11        // specified
12        assert(testScores != null);
13        assert(testScores.length == NO_OF_TESTS);
14        assert(testScores[0] == 0); // First value
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41
42        System.out.println(testScoresV[NO_OF_TESTS]); // Out-of-bounds error
43    }
44 }
```

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- A common task in programming is accessing elements in an array successively
- Accessing elements of an array successively is called iteration over the array
- How to iterate on an array with  $n$  elements?
- A counter-controlled `for( ; ; )` loop is convenient for iterating over arrays

```
// Code pattern for iterating over an array.  
for (int index = 0; index < array.length; index++) {  
    // ... current element given by array[index] ...  
}
```

# Arrays

## Iterating over an array

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```
1  /*
2  * FindingElementInArray
3  * To illustrate comparing all values in an array with a given value
4  */
5
6  public class FindingElementInArray {
7      public static void main(String[] args) {
8          int MY.VALUE = 23, position = -1;
9          boolean found = false;
10         int [] myArray = new int[] {2, 45, 34, 35, 3, 5, 6, 10, 23, 17};
11         for (int index = 0; index < myArray.length && !found; index++) {
12             if (myArray[index] == MY.VALUE) {
13                 found = true;
14             }
15             position++;
16         }
17         if (found) {
18             System.out.printf("The value %3d is found in the array at the
19                 index %d %n", MY.VALUE, position);
20         } else {
21             System.out.printf("The value %3d is NOT found in the array%n",
22                 MY.VALUE);
23         }
24     }
25 }
```

### Program Output

The value 23 is found in the array at the index 8

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## Iterating over an array

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```
1  /*
2  * FindingElementInArray
3  * To illustrate comparing all values in an array with a given value
4  */
5
6  public class SumElementsOfArray {
7      public static void main(String[] args) {
8          int sum = 0;
9
10         int[] myArray = new int[] {2, 45, 34, 35, 3, 5, 6, 10, 23, 17};
11
12         for (int index = 0; index < myArray.length; index++) {
13             sum += myArray[index];
14         }
15
16         System.out.printf("The sum of the elements in the array is %4d %n",
17             sum);
18     }
19 }
```

### Program Output

The sum of the elements in the array is 180

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## Iterating over an array

```

2 import java.util.Scanner;
3 public class ArrayIteration1 {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
5         // Array with the names of week days
6         String[] daysOfTheWeek = {"Monday", "Tuesday", "Wednesday",
7             "Thursday", "Friday", "Saturday", "Sunday"};
8         // Array with the no. of text messages sent during a day.
9         int[] noOfTextMessages = new int[7];
10
11        // Explicit initialisation
12        noOfTextMessages[0] = 20;           // Monday
13        noOfTextMessages[1] = 12;         // Tuesday
14        noOfTextMessages[2] = 13;         // Wednesday
15        noOfTextMessages[3] = noOfTextMessages[1]; // Thursday
16        noOfTextMessages[4] = 10;         // Friday
17        noOfTextMessages[5] = noOfTextMessages[0]; // Saturday
18        noOfTextMessages[6] = noOfTextMessages[2] + 4; // Sunday
19
20        // Setup to read from the terminal window.
21        Scanner keyboard = new Scanner(System.in);
22
23        // Problem (1) Find how many days have their number of text messages
24        // equal to or greater than a specified lower bound.
25        System.out.print("Enter the lower bound for " +
26            "the no. of text messages: ");
27        int lowerBound = keyboard.nextInt();
28        int noOfDays = 0;
29        for (int index = 0; index < noOfTextMessages.length; index++) {
30            if (noOfTextMessages[index] >= lowerBound) {
31                noOfDays++;
32            }
33        }
34        System.out.println("No. of days with more than " + lowerBound +
35            " text messages: " + noOfDays);
36
37        // Problem (2) Find the lowest number of messages sent during the
38        // week.
39        int lowestNoOfTextMessages = noOfTextMessages[0];
40        for (int index = 1; index < noOfTextMessages.length; index++) {
41            if (lowestNoOfTextMessages > noOfTextMessages[index]) {
42                lowestNoOfTextMessages = noOfTextMessages[index];
43            }
44        }
45        System.out.println("Lowest no. of text messages: " +
46            lowestNoOfTextMessages);
47
48        // Problem (3) Find the highest no. of text messages sent during
49        // the week and the days on which that number of messages were sent.
50        // Find the highest no. of text messages sent during a day.
51        int highestNoOfTextMessages = 0;
52        for (int index = 0; index < noOfTextMessages.length; index++) {
53            if (highestNoOfTextMessages < noOfTextMessages[index]) {
54                highestNoOfTextMessages = noOfTextMessages[index];
55            }
56        }
57        System.out.println("Highest no. of text messages: " +
58            highestNoOfTextMessages);
59        // Print all days with the highest no. of text messages sent.
60        System.out.println("Days with the highest no. of text messages:");
61        for (int index = 0; index < noOfTextMessages.length; index++) {
62            if (highestNoOfTextMessages == noOfTextMessages[index]) {
63                System.out.println(daysOfTheWeek[index]);
64            }
65        }
66    }
67 }

```

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# Arrays

## Iterating over an array

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## Iterating over an array of objects

```
// Array iteration
2 public class ArrayIteration2 {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
4         String[] cdTrackNames = {
            "Symphony No. 1 in C major",
6            "Symphony No. 2 in D major",
            "Symphony No. 3 in E-flat major",
8            "Symphony No. 4 in B-flat major",
            "Symphony No. 5 in C minor",
10           null
        };
12         cdTrackNames[5] = cdTrackNames[0] + " (CBC orchestra)";

14         // Print all track names with the word "Java" in them.
        for (int trackNumber = 0;                               // (1)
16             trackNumber < cdTrackNames.length;
            trackNumber++) {
18             if (cdTrackNames[trackNumber].indexOf(" in C") != -1) {
                System.out.println(cdTrackNames[trackNumber]);
20             }
            }
22     }
}
```

## Program Output

```
Symphony No. 1 in C major
Symphony No. 5 in C minor
Symphony No. 1 in C major (CBC orchestra)
```

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## Multidimensional arrays

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- So far, we used simple or one-dimensional arrays
- To navigate within one-dimensional array, one index is needed
- Instead of using several same size simple arrays, we use multidimensional arrays
- How we can declare, create, initialize and use multidimensional arrays?
- Multidimensional arrays can be implemented in Java by creating arrays of arrays
- The number of indices indicates the dimension of the array

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**No. of mobile phones is 3. No. of days is 7.**

**dayIndex represents a day of the week**



**[0] [1] [2] [3] [4] [5] [6]**

<b>[0]</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>[1]</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>[2]</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>20</b>



**phoneIndex indicates a mobile phone**

**Element with phoneIndex 2 and  
dayIndex 0 has the value 18.**



**Array reference declaration**

**Array creation**

```
int[][] weeklyData = new int[3][7];
```

No. of rows  
No. of columns

**Number of indices indicates dimension of the array.**

**(b) Creating arrays of arrays**

	[0]	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]
[0]	12	10	22	33	19	27	16
[1]	45	55	44	34	39	15	11
[2]	18	26	36	40	24	11	20

```
// Initialization of 1st mobile phone
weeklyData[0][0] = 12; weeklyData[0][1] = 10; weeklyData[0][2] = 22;
weeklyData[0][3] = 33; weeklyData[0][4] = 19; weeklyData[0][5] = 27;
weeklyData[0][6] = 16;
// Initialization of 2nd mobile phone
weeklyData[1][0] = 45; weeklyData[1][1] = 55; weeklyData[1][2] = 44;
weeklyData[1][3] = 34; weeklyData[1][4] = 39; weeklyData[1][5] = 15;
weeklyData[1][6] = 11;
// Initialization of 3rd mobile phone
weeklyData[2][0] = 18; weeklyData[2][1] = 26; weeklyData[2][2] = 36;
weeklyData[2][3] = 40; weeklyData[2][4] = 24; weeklyData[2][5] = 11;
weeklyData[2][6] = 20;
```

	[0]	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]
[0]	12	10	22	33	19	27	16
[1]	45	55	44	34	39	15	11
[2]	18	26	36	40	24	11	20

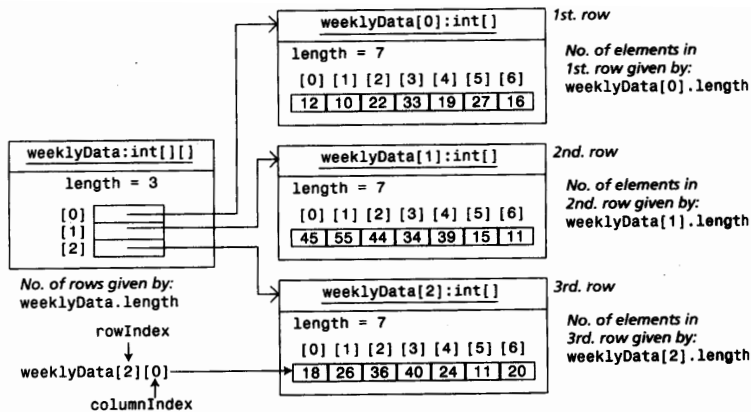
- We can also declare, create and initialize the two-dimensional array *weeklyData* as follows:

```
int [ ] [ ] weeklyData = {  
    {12, 10, 22, 33, 19, 27, 16},  
    {45, 55, 44, 34, 39, 15, 11},  
    {18, 26, 36, 40, 24, 11, 20}  
}
```

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## Multidimensional arrays

### Printing a two-dimensional array

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```
1 // Multi-dimensional Array Iteration using for(;;) loop
  public class MultidimensionalArrayIteration1 {
3
5     public static void main(String [] args) {
6
7         int [][] weeklyData = { // Declaration , creation and initialisation .
8             {12, 10, 22, 33, 19, 27, 16}, // 1st mobile phone
9             {45, 55, 44, 34, 39, 15, 11}, // 2nd mobile phone
10            {18, 26, 36, 40, 24, 11, 20} // 3rd mobile phone
11        };
12
13        // Problem (1) Print the data in tabular form
14        for (int phoneIndex = 0;
15            phoneIndex < weeklyData.length;
16            phoneIndex++) {
17            System.out.print("Phone index " + phoneIndex + ": ");
18            for (int dayIndex = 0;
19                dayIndex < weeklyData[phoneIndex].length;
20                dayIndex++) {
21                System.out.printf("%4d", weeklyData[phoneIndex][dayIndex]);
22            }
23            System.out.println();
24        }
25    }
}
```

### Program Output

```
Phone index 0: 12 10 22 33 19 27 16
Phone index 1: 45 55 44 34 39 15 11
Phone index 2: 18 26 36 40 24 11 20
```

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## Multidimensional arrays Iterating over a specific row

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```
// Multi-dimensional Array Iteration using for(;;) loop
2 public class MultidimensionalArrayIteration2 {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
6         int [][] weeklyData = { // Declaration, creation and initialisation.
8             {12, 10, 22, 33, 19, 27, 16}, // 1st mobile phone
9             {45, 55, 44, 34, 39, 15, 11}, // 2nd mobile phone
10            {18, 26, 36, 40, 24, 11, 20} // 3rd mobile phone
11        };
12
13        // Problem (2) Find the total number of text messages sent from
14        // the mobile phone indicated by index 1
15        int sumWeek = 0;
16        for (int dayIndex = 0; dayIndex < weeklyData[1].length; dayIndex++)
17            {
18            sumWeek += weeklyData[1][dayIndex];
19        }
20        System.out.println(
21            "Total no. of text messages sent from the mobile phone given" +
22            " by index 1: " + sumWeek);
23    }
}
```

### Program Output

Total no. of text messages sent from the mobile phone given by index 1: 243

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## Multidimensional arrays Iterating over all the columns

```
1 // Multi-dimensional Array Iteration using for(;;) loop
  public class MultidimensionalArrayIteration3 {
3
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
5
6         int [][] weeklyData = { // Declaration , creation and initialisation .
7             {12, 10, 22, 33, 19, 27, 16}, // 1st mobile phone
8             {45, 55, 44, 34, 39, 15, 11}, // 2nd mobile phone
9             {18, 26, 36, 40, 24, 11, 20} // 3rd mobile phone
10        };
11
12        // Problem (3) Find the total number of text messages sent from all
13        // mobile phones on Wednesday (day index 2)
14        int sumMessages = 0;
15        for (int phoneIndex = 0;
16             phoneIndex < weeklyData.length;
17             phoneIndex++) {
18            sumMessages += weeklyData[phoneIndex][2];
19        }
20        System.out.println(
21            "Total no. of text messages sent from all mobile phones on" +
22            " Wednesday: " + sumMessages);
23    }
}
```

### Program Output

Total no. of text messages sent from all mobile phones on Wednesday: 102

## Multidimensional arrays Iterating over all the columns

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```
// Multi-dimensional Array Iteration using for(;;) loop
2 public class MultidimensionalArrayIteration4 {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
6         int [][] weeklyData = { // Declaration, creation and initialisation .
8             {12, 10, 22, 33, 19, 27, 16}, // 1st mobile phone
9             {45, 55, 44, 34, 39, 15, 11}, // 2nd mobile phone
10            {18, 26, 36, 40, 24, 11, 20} // 3rd mobile phone
11        };
12
13        // Problem (4) Find which days the total no. of text messages sent
14        // from all mobile phones is greater than 100.
15        for (int dayIndex = 0; dayIndex < weeklyData[0].length; dayIndex++)
16        {
17            int sumDays = 0;
18            for (int phoneIndex = 0;
19                 phoneIndex < weeklyData.length;
20                 phoneIndex++) {
21                sumDays += weeklyData[phoneIndex][dayIndex];
22            }
23            if (sumDays > 100) {
24                System.out.println("The day with index " + dayIndex +
25                                   " has over 100 text messages registered.");
26            }
27        }
28    }
}
```

### Program Output

The day with index 2 has over 100 text messages registered.  
The day with index 3 has over 100 text messages registered.

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- Ragged arrays:
  - Each row in a two-dimensional array is a simple array
  - HOWEVER, inner simple arrays need not have the same length

```
// Create a two-dimensional array with the required no. of rows for
// the regions with weather stations.
double[][] rainfallData = new double[3][]; // (1)
// (2) Create a simple array for each region with required no. of stations.
rainfallData[0] = new double[2]; // Two weather stations
rainfallData[1] = new double[1]; // One weather station
rainfallData[2] = new double[4]; // Four weather stations
```

## Ragged arrays

```
// Using ragged arrays
2 public class RaggedArrays {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
6         // (1) Create and initialise the two-dimensional array
6         // with rainfall data
8         double [][] rainfallData = {
10            {56.6, 30.2},           // Two weather stations
10            {20.5},               // One weather station
12            {15.8, 7.0, 45.8, 0.6} // Four weather stations
12        };
14        // Print rainfall data.
14        for (int regionIndex = 0;
16            regionIndex < rainfallData.length;
16            regionIndex++) {
18            System.out.printf("Rainfall for region%2d: ", regionIndex);
18            for (int stationIndex = 0;           //
20                (2)
20                stationIndex < rainfallData[regionIndex].length;
22                stationIndex++) {
22                System.out.printf("%10.2f",
24                    rainfallData[regionIndex][stationIndex]);
24            }
26            System.out.println();
26        }
28    }
}
```

### Program Output

Rainfall for region 0:	56.60	30.20		
Rainfall for region 1:	20.50			
Rainfall for region 2:	15.80	7.00	45.80	0.60

- We often want to iterate over a collection of elements, such as an array, modifying the elements  
**(for ( ; ; ) loop)**
- We need a for loop that is tailored to successively reading all the values in a collection  
**(Enhanced for loop: for( : ) )**
- In each iteration of this loop the current element can be accessed
- The body of the for( : ) loop is executed for each value in the collection

```
...
for (int index = 0; index < noOfTextMessages.length; index++) {
    if (noOfTextMessages[index] >= lowerBound)
        noOfDays++;
}
```

The for( ; ; ) loop above rewritten using the enhanced for loop

The diagram illustrates the components of an enhanced for loop. It shows the original code from the previous slide and its equivalent using the enhanced for loop. Arrows point from the labels 'element declaration' and 'collection' to the corresponding parts of the enhanced loop. A bracket on the left labels the body of the loop as the 'loop body'.

```

           element declaration           collection
                ↓                         ↓
for (int element : noOfTextMessages)
{
    if (element >= lowerBound)
        noOfDays++;
}
loop body [
```

- The type of the element variable is the element type of the collection
- The for ( : ) loop iterates over the specified collection
- For each iteration of the loop, the element variable is assigned a new value from the collection
- The element variable is declared in the header
- THEREFORE, it is a local variable
- With the for ( : ) loop we also avoid out-of-bounds errors

### Cases where `for( ; ; )` is preferable to the `for( : )`

- Requiring the index to access particular element(s) or change element value(s)
- Iteration over more than one collection simultaneously
- Iteration needs to be in increments other than one
- The direction of the iteration is in reverse order

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```
2 // Misc. Array Operations
3 public class MiscArrayOperations1 {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
5         // Problem (1) Copying an array of primitive values
6         int[] intValues1 = {1, 3, 1949}; // Copy from this
7         // array
8         int[] intValues2 = new int[intValues1.length]; // to this array.
9         for (int i = 0; i < intValues1.length; i++) {
10            intValues2[i] = intValues1[i];
11        }
12    }
13 }
```

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```
1 // Misc. Array Operations
2 public class MiscArrayOperations2 {
3     public static void main(String[] args) {
4         // Problem (2) Copying an array of objects (Reference value copying)
5         String[] refValuesI = {"1.", "March", "1949"}; // Copy from this
6             array
7         String[] refValuesII = new String[refValuesI.length]; // to this
8             array.
9         for (int i = 0; i < refValuesI.length; i++) {
10             refValuesII[i] = refValuesI[i];
11         }
12     }
13 }
```



```
1 // Misc. Array Operations
  public class MiscArrayOperations3 {
3   public static void main(String[] args) {
      // Problem (1) Copying an array of primitive values
5     int[] intValuesI = {1, 3, 1949}; // Copy from this
        array
      int[] intValuesII = new int[intValuesI.length]; // to this array.
7     // Problem (3) Comparing arrays of primitive values
      boolean equalValues = true;
9     for (int i = 0; equalValues && i < intValuesI.length; i++){
        if (intValuesI[i] != intValuesII[i]) {
11        equalValues = false;
        }
13    System.out.printf("IntValueI[%d] is equal to %d and IntValueII[%d]
        is equal to %d %n", i, intValuesI[i], i, intValuesII[i]);
    }
15    String notStr = "not ";
    if (equalValues) {
17        notStr = "";
    }
19    System.out.println("Arrays intValuesI and intValuesII are " + notStr
        +
21        " equal");
    }
}
```

### Program Output

```
IntValueI[0] is equal to 1 and IntValueII[0] is equal to 0
Arrays intValuesI and intValuesII are not equal
```

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```
// Misc. Array Operations
2 public class MiscArrayOperations4 {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
4       String[] refValuesI = {"1.", "March", "1949"}; // Copy from this
         array
       String[] refValuesII = new String[refValuesI.length]; // to this
         array.
6       for (int i = 0; i < refValuesI.length; i++) {
           refValuesII[i] = refValuesI[i];
8       }

10      // Problem (4) Comparing arrays of objects for reference value
         equality
       String[] refValuesIII = {"1949", "March", "1."};
       boolean equalRefValues = true;
12      for (int i = 0; equalRefValues && i < refValuesIII.length; i++) {
14         if (refValuesIII[i] != refValuesII[i]) {
16             equalRefValues = false;
           }
18         }
       String notStr = "not ";
       if (equalRefValues) {
20         notStr = "";
       }
22      System.out.println("Arrays refValuesIII and refValuesII are " +
                           notStr + "equal");
24  }
}
```

### Program Output

Arrays refValuesIII and refValuesII are not equal

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## Working with partially-filled arrays

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```
1 import java.util.Scanner;
3 public class PartiallyFilledArrays {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
5         // Setup to read from the terminal window
6         Scanner keyboard = new Scanner(System.in);
7
8         // Create the array to hold maximum 50 words
9         String[] sentence = new String[50];
11
12        System.out.print("Enter a sentence (terminate with \"EOL\"): ");
13
14        int wordIndex = -1;
15        String word = keyboard.next(); // Read the first word.
16        while (!word.equals("EOL") && wordIndex < sentence.length) { // (1)
17            wordIndex++; // Index is incremented before
18                storing
19            sentence[wordIndex] = word;
20            word = keyboard.next(); // Read the next word.
21        }
22        int wordCount = wordIndex + 1;
23        System.out.println("No. of words: " + wordCount);
24
25        // Print the words in reverse.
26        for (int i = wordCount - 1; i >= 0; i--) { // (2)
27            System.out.printf("%s ", sentence[i]);
28        }
29        System.out.println();
30    }
31 }
```

### Program Output

```
Enter a sentence (terminate with "EOL"): Don't worry, be happy. EOL
No. of words: 4
happy. be worry, Don't
```

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