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Welcome to 6.096

Lecture 4

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Arrays

- A collection of a fixed number of variables of the same type stored sequentially in the memory
- Element → an item in the array
- Dimension → size of the array

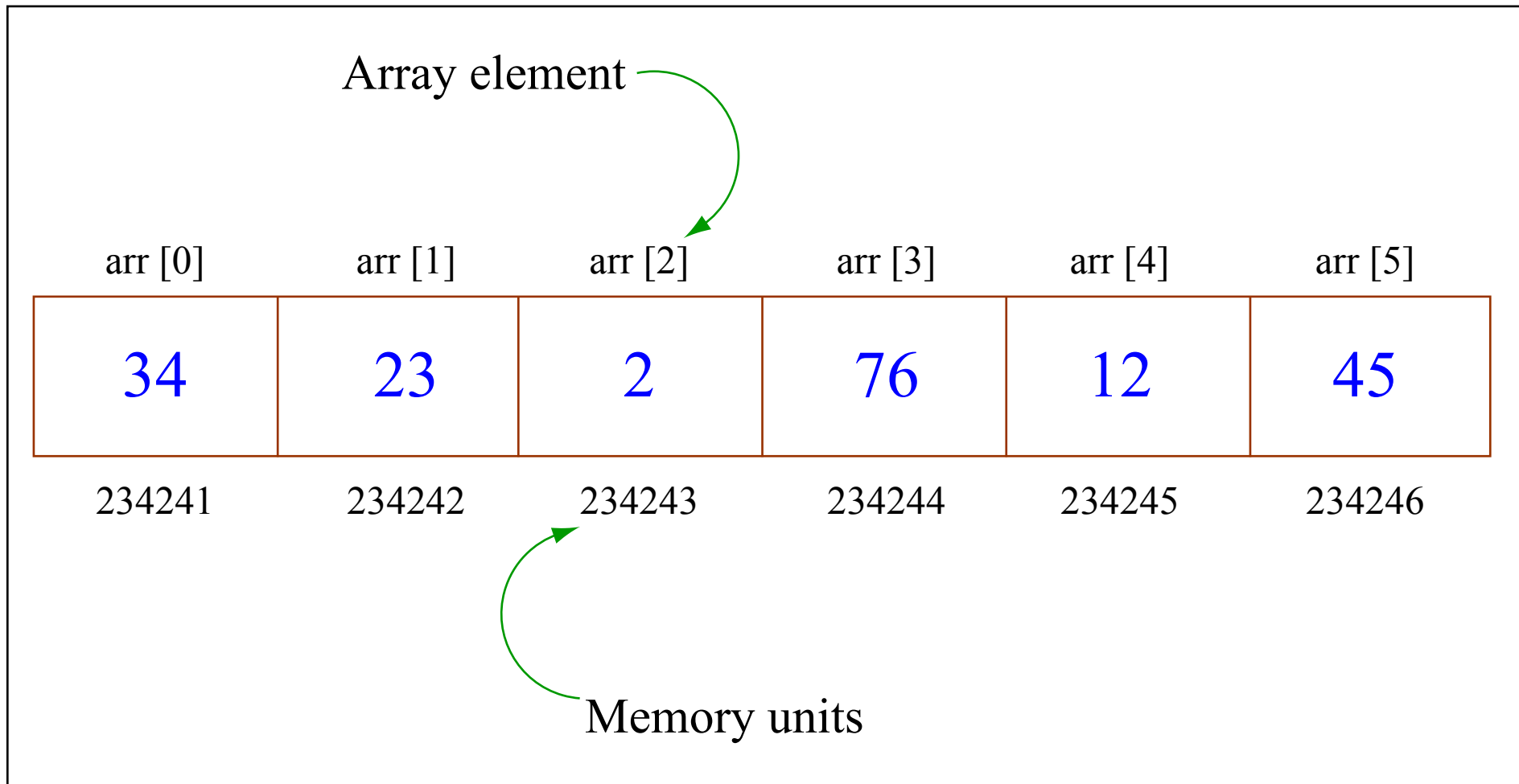


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Declaring arrays in C++

- `type varName [size];`
- `int arr[10] ; char alphabet [26];`
- An array of the **int** datatype called '**arr**' composed of **10** elements

Initializing arrays

- Elements must be initialized before usage
- `int arr [5] = { 2, 43, 32, 34, 13 };`
- `char arr [] = { 'r', 'T', 'g', 'B' };`
- `char arr [50];`
`for (int i=0; i<50 ;i++)`
`arr[i] = ' ';`

Entering data in an array

- ```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
 int arr[5];
 cout<<"Enter 5 integers: "<<<endl;

 for (int i=0; i<5; i++)
 {
 cin>>arr[i];
 }

 cout<<"Data has now been recorded!";
 return 0;
}
```

# Working with arrays

- Number inside [ ] must be a positive integer less than the dimension of the array
- Indexes : first element ----> 0  
last element ----> N-1  
(where N is the total number of elements)
- `arr [i+2]`  
`arr [i*j]`
- Treat `arr [i]` just like any other variable



# Printing an array

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
 int arr[5] = {23, 234, 1234, 14, 11} ;
 cout<<"The elements of the array are:"<<endl;

 for (int i=0; i<5; i++)
 {
 cout<<arr[i]<<' ';
 }

 return 0;
}
```

# Example

```
// Program to copy the contents of an array into the other

#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main()
{
 int iMarks[4] = {78, 64, 66, 74};
 short newMarks[4];

 for(int i=0; i<4; i++)
 newMarks[i]=iMarks[i];

 cout<<"The new array is :"<<endl;

 for(int j=0; j<4; j++)
 cout<<newMarks[j]<<endl;

 return 0;
}
```

# Linear search in arrays

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main()
{ int num;
 int Account[10]= {5658845, 4520125, 7895122,
 8777541,8451277,1302850,8080152,4562555,5552012,5050552,};

 cout << "Enter Number \n";
 cin >> num;

 for(int i=0; i<10; i++)
 {
 if(Account[i] == num)
 { cout<<"Element found at index number "<<i;
 break;
 }
 else
 cout<<"Element not found!";
 }
 return 0;
}
```

# Bubble sort algorithm

- Sorts numbers in ascending/descending order
- How does it work:

## First Pass:

( **5** 1 4 2 8 ) ( **1** 5 4 2 8 ) Here, algorithm compares the first two elements, and swaps them.

( **1** **5** 4 2 8 ) ( **1** **4** **5** 2 8 )

( **1** **4** **5** **2** 8 ) ( **1** **4** **2** **5** 8 )

( **1** **4** **2** **5** 8 ) ( **1** **4** **2** **5** 8 ) Now, since these elements are already in order, algorithm does not swap them.

## Second Pass:

( **1** **4** **2** **5** 8 ) ( **1** **4** **2** **5** 8 )

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Now, the array is already sorted, but our algorithm does not know if it is completed. Algorithm needs one **whole** pass without **any** swap to know it is sorted.

## Third Pass:

( **1** **2** **4** **5** 8 ) ( **1** **2** **4** **5** 8 )

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# Bubble sort code snippet

```
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main()
{
 int array [5]= {12,234,345,1234,51};
 int i,j,k;
 for(i=0;i<5;i++)
 {
 for(j=0;j<i;j++)
 {
 if(array[i]>array[j])
 {
 int temp=array[i]; //swap
 array[i]=array[j];
 array[j]=temp;
 }
 }
 }

 cout<<"The array is :"<<endl;
 for(k=0;k<5; k++)
 cout<<array[k]<<" ";

 return 0;
}
```

# Binary search algorithm

- Searching for an element in an array
- Faster and more efficient than linear search
- The array needs to be **sorted** first

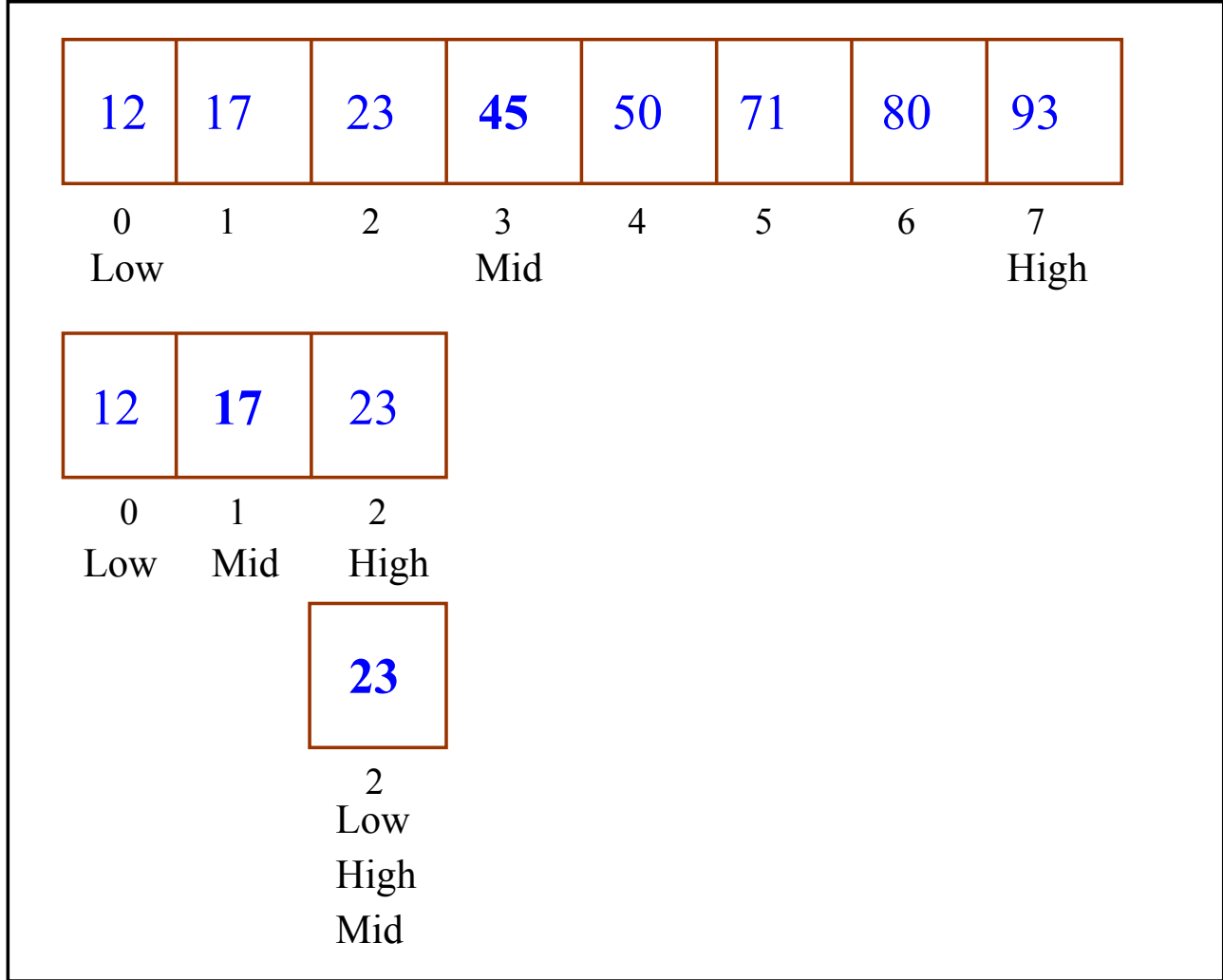


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# Binary search code snippet

```
#include<iostream>
using namespace std;

int main()
{
 int arr[5] = {1,2,3,4,5};
 int N = 6; // Search this number
 int low = 0, middle, high=5;

 bool found = false;

 while (low <= high)
 {
 middle = (low+high)/2;
 if(arr[middle]==N)
 {
 found = true;
 cout<<"Element found";
 break;
 }
 }
```



```
else if (N < arr[middle])
 high = middle-1; //search low end of array
else
 low = middle+1; //search high end of array
}

if(found==false)
 cout<<"Not found";

return 0;
}
```

- Additionally, you can also determine the location of the element you were looking for.

# Multidimensional arrays

- Multidimensional array: ‘an array of arrays’
- `char century [100][365][24][60][60];`
- `int arr[3][5];`

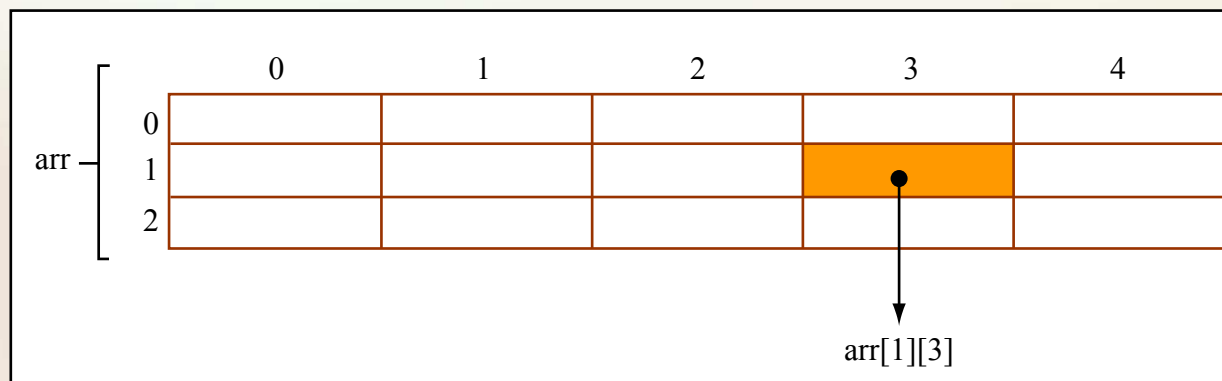


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# Example

- Here is a sample program that stores roll numbers and marks obtained by a student side by side in matrix

```
int main ()
{
int stud [4] [2];
int i, j;
for (i =0; i < =3; i ++)
{ cout<< "Enter roll no. and marks";
 cin>>stud [i] [0]>>stud [i] [1] ;
}

for (i = 0; i < = 3; i ++)
 cout<<stud [i] [0]<< stud [i] [1]);

return 0;
}
```

- Multidimensional arrays are just an abstraction for programmers, since we can obtain the same results with a simple array just by putting a factor between its indices.
- `int arr [3][5];` // is equivalent to  
`int arr [15];` // ( $3 * 5 = 15$ )