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  - 1-d array
  - Linear search
  - Binary search [in section]
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## Arrays

- An array is an object
- An array is an ordered list of values (or objects)
- Each element is of the same type

Entire array has a single name

Each element has an integer index

<code>data</code>	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	79	87	94	82	67	98	87	81	74	91

An array of size `N` is indexed from 0 to `N-1`

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## Array declaration

`type[] identifier;`

Examples:

```
int[] counts;
double[] price;
boolean[] flip;
char[] vowel;
String[] names;
Interval[] series;
```

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## Array construction (instantiation)

`new type[ size ]`

Example: must be an integer

```
new int[4]
```

Declaration & creation:

```
int limit= 4;
double[] price;
price= new double[limit];
```

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## Array declaration & construction

`type[] identifier = new type[size];`

Example:

```
int[] counts= new int[4];
```

Then values can be assigned into the cells, e.g.:

```
counts[0]= 6; counts[2]= 9;
```

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## Array length and default values

Once created, an array has a **fixed** length, held in the array's constant called `length`:

```
int[] counts= new int[4];
System.out.println(counts.length);
// will print 4
```

```
System.out.println(counts[2]);
// Array components have default
// values. Above statement will
// print 0
```

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## Array creation with initializer list

Create an array using an initializer list:

```
int[] x= new int[]{6,3,4,8};
```

Length of array is determined by length of the initializer list. **Shortcut:**

```
int[] x= {6,3,4,8};
```

Only when declaring & creating in same statement!

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## Index operator [ ]

```
identifier[integer_expression]
```

Accesses an element of the array, e.g.:

```
int[] count= new int[101];
// declaration & instantiation
count[70+9]= 98;
// set count[79] to 98
int face= (int) (Math.random()*6);
count[face]= count[face] + 1;
count[face]++;
```

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## Elements in an array

If `count` is of type `int[]`, i.e., an array of `ints`, then the type of

```
count[i]
```

is `int` and `count[i]` can be used anywhere an `int` variable can be used

Type of `count`: `int[]`

Type of `count[i]`: `int`

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## Pattern for processing an array

```
// assume an array has been
// created and is referred to by
// variable A
```

```
for (int i=0; i<A.length; i++) {
    // perform some process
    // (on A[i])
}
```

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## Example

```
// Create an array of length 6
// with random numbers in the range
// of 5 to 9. Calculate the sum.
```

```
double[] a= new double[6];
double sum= 0; // sum so far
for (int j=0; j<a.length; j++) {
    a[j]= Math.random()*4+5;
    sum= sum + a[j];
}
```

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```
// Linear Search:
// f is index of first occurrence of value z in array a
int f, k= 0;
while ( a[k]!=z && k<a.length)
    k++;
if (k==a.length)
    f= -1; //signal for z not found
else
    f= k;
a. Correct
b. Incorrect: f is off by one
c. Incorrect: while condition is wrong
d. Incorrect: if condition is wrong
```

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## Sorting

- Arrange elements in a list in some order
- Must specify which order
- Sort “in-place”
- Many algorithms:
  - Select sort
  - Insertion sort
  - Bubble sort, ...

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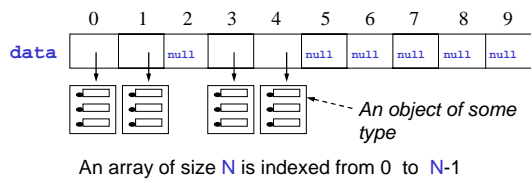
```
public static void selectSort(double[] a){

    // Loop from first to second last element
    // Index i: 1st cell in unsorted segment
    for (int i=0; i<a.length-1; i++){
        // Find index of min in unsorted segment

        // Swap i-th element with min
    }
}
```

## Array of objects

- An array is an object
- Elements of an array can be object references
- Each element is of the same type



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## Creating an array of objects

Three steps:

1. Declare array reference variable  
`Interval[] series;`
2. Instantiate array of object references  
`series= new Interval[4];`
3. Instantiate individual objects  
`series[0]= new Interval(0,5);`  
`series[1]= new Interval(1,7);`

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## Many Intervals

- Class `ManyIntervals` is a client of class `Interval`.
- Create an array of `Interval` objects with random `base` and `width` values. Use integer values.
- Find the `Interval` with the highest endpoint.
- Search for the first `Interval` that has a specific endpoint value

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```
class Interval {

    private double base; // low end
    private double width; // interval width

    public Interval(double base, double w){
        this.base = base;
        width = w;
    }

    public double getEnd() { return base+width; }

    //other methods
}
```

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```
public class ManyIntervals{

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        int n= 4; //number of Intervals to create
        int H= 5; //highest value for base, range
        int L= 1; //lowest value for base, range

        //Set of Intervals
        Interval[] set=

        //Find Interval with highest endpoint

        System.out.println("Interval with highest endpoint: " +
            );

        //Find 1st Interval with endpoint 6
        int target= 6;

    } //method main
} //class ManyIntervals
```