

Lesson 5 – Part II

Arrays and ArrayLists

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OBJECTIVES

In this Chapter you'll learn:

- What arrays are.
- To use arrays to store data in and retrieve data from lists and tables of values.
- To declare arrays, initialize arrays and refer to individual elements of arrays.
- To use the enhanced **for** statement to iterate through arrays.
- To pass arrays to methods.
- To declare and manipulate multidimensional arrays.
- To write methods that use variable-length argument lists.
- To read command-line arguments into a program.

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7.1 Introduction

- ▶ Data structures

- Collections of related data items.

- ▶ Arrays

- Data structures consisting of related data items of the same type.
- Make it convenient to process related groups of values.
- Remain the same length once they are created.

- ▶ Enhanced `for` statement for iterating over an array or collection of data items.

- ▶ Process command-line arguments in method `main`.

7.1 Introduction (Cont.)

- ▶ Common array manipulations with `static` methods of class `Arrays` from the `java.util` package.
- ▶ `ArrayList` collection
 - Similar to arrays
 - **Dynamic resizing**
 - They automatically increase their size at execution time to accommodate additional elements

7.2 Arrays

- ▶ Array
 - Group of variables (called **elements**) containing values of the same type.
 - Arrays are objects so they are **reference types**.
 - Elements can be either primitive or reference types.
- ▶ Refer to a particular element in an array
 - Use the element's **index**.
 - **Array-access expression**—the name of the array followed by the index of the particular element in **square brackets**, `[]`.
- ▶ The first element in every array has **index zero**.
- ▶ The highest index in an array is **one less than the number of elements** in the array.

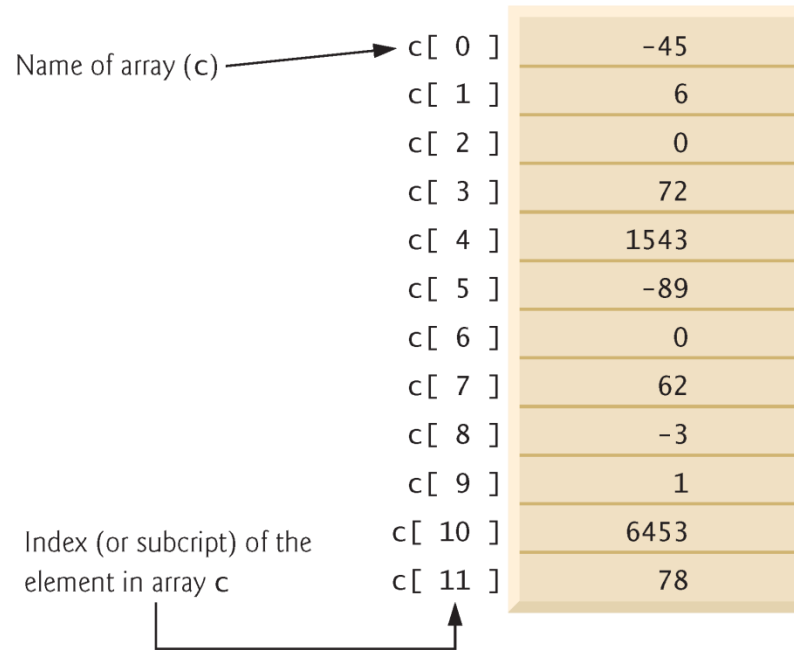


Fig. 7.1 | A 12-element array.

7.2 Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ An index must be a nonnegative integer.
 - Can use an expression as an index.
- ▶ An indexed array name is an **array-access expression**.
 - Can be used on the left side of an assignment to place a new value into an array element.
- ▶ Every array object knows its own length and stores it in a **length instance variable**.
 - `length` cannot be changed because it's a `final` variable.

7.3 Declaring and Creating Arrays

- ▶ Array objects
 - Created with keyword **new**.
 - You specify the element type and the number of elements in an **array-creation expression**, which returns a reference that can be stored in an array variable.
- ▶ Declaration and array-creation expression for an array of 12 `int` elements

```
int[] c = new int[ 12 ];
```

- ▶ Can be performed in two steps as follows:

```
int[] c; // declare the array variable  
c = new int[ 12 ]; // creates the array
```

7.3 Declaring and Creating Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ When an array is created, each element of the array receives a **default value**
 - Zero for the numeric primitive-type elements, **false** for **boolean** elements and **null** for references.

7.3 Declaring and Creating Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ Every element of a **primitive-type** array contains a **value** of the array's declared element type.
 - Every element of an `int` array is an `int` value.
- ▶ Every element of a reference-type array is a **reference to an object** of the array's declared element type.
 - Every element of a `String` array is a reference to a `String` object.

7.4 Examples Using Arrays

- ▶ Fig. 7.2 uses keyword **new** to create an array of 10 `int` elements, which are initially zero (the default for `int` variables).

```

1  // Fig. 7.2: InitArray.java
2  // Initializing the elements of an array to default values of zero.
3
4  public class InitArray
5  {
6      public static void main( String[] args )
7      {
8          int[] array; // declare array named array
9
10         array = new int[ 10 ]; // create the array object
11
12         System.out.printf( "%s%8s\n", "Index", "Value" ); // column headings
13
14         // output each array element's value
15         for ( int counter = 0; counter < array.length; counter++ )
16             System.out.printf( "%5d%8d\n", counter, array[ counter ] );
17     } // end main
18 } // end class InitArray

```

Variable array will refer to an array of `int` values.

Creates an array of 10 `int` elements, each with the value 0 by default

for statement iterates while `counter` is less than the array's `length`

Array-access expression gets the value at the index represented by `counter`

Fig. 7.2 | Initializing the elements of an array to default values of zero. (Part I of 2.)

Index	Value
0	0
1	0
2	0
3	0
4	0
5	0
6	0
7	0
8	0
9	0

Fig. 7.2 | Initializing the elements of an array to default values of zero. (Part 2 of 2.)

7.4 Examples Using Arrays (Cont.)

▶ Array initializer

- A comma-separated list of expressions (called an **initializer list**) enclosed in braces.
- Used to create an array and initialize its elements.
- Array **length** is determined by the number of elements in the initializer list.

```
int[] n = { 10, 20, 30, 40, 50 };
```

- Creates a five-element array with index values 0–4.

▶ Compiler counts the number of initializers in the list to determine the size of the array

- Sets up the appropriate **new** operation “behind the scenes.”

```
1 // Fig. 7.3: InitArray.java
2 // Initializing the elements of an array with an array initializer.
3
4 public class InitArray
5 {
6     public static void main( String[] args )
7     {
8         // initializer list specifies the value for each element
9         int[] array = { 32, 27, 64, 18, 95, 14, 90, 70, 60, 37 };
10
11         System.out.printf( "%s%8s\n", "Index", "Value" ); // column headings
12
13         // output each array element's value
14         for ( int counter = 0; counter < array.length; counter++ )
15             System.out.printf( "%5d%8d\n", counter, array[ counter ] );
16     } // end main
17 } // end class InitArray
```

Array initializer list for
a 10-element `int` array

Fig. 7.3 | Initializing the elements of an array with an array initializer. (Part I of 2.)

Index	Value
0	32
1	27
2	64
3	18
4	95
5	14
6	90
7	70
8	60
9	37

Fig. 7.3 | Initializing the elements of an array with an array initializer. (Part 2 of 2.)

7.4 Examples Using Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ The application in Fig. 7.4 creates a 10-element array and assigns to each element one of the even integers from 2 to 20 (2, 4, 6, ..., 20).

```

1  // Fig. 7.4: InitArray.java
2  // Calculating values to be placed into elements of an array.
3
4  public class InitArray
5  {
6      public static void main( String[] args )
7      {
8          final int ARRAY_LENGTH = 10; // declare constant
9          int[] array = new int[ ARRAY_LENGTH ]; // create array
10
11         // calculate value for each array element
12         for ( int counter = 0; counter < array.length; counter++ )
13             array[ counter ] = 2 + 2 * counter;
14
15         System.out.printf( "%s%8s\n", "Index", "Value" ); // column headings
16
17         // output each array element's value
18         for ( int counter = 0; counter < array.length; counter++ )
19             System.out.printf( "%5d%8d\n", counter, array[ counter ] );
20     } // end main
21 } // end class InitArray

```

Named constant
representing the array
length

Create an array with
ARRAY_LENGTH
elements

Calculates and stores a
value for each element
of the array

Fig. 7.4 | Calculating the values to be placed into the elements of an array. (Part I of 2.)

Index	Value
0	2
1	4
2	6
3	8
4	10
5	12
6	14
7	16
8	18
9	20

Fig. 7.4 | Calculating the values to be placed into the elements of an array. (Part 2 of 2.)

7.4 Examples Using Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ `final` variables must be initialized before they are used and **cannot be modified thereafter**.
- ▶ An attempt to **modify** a `final` variable **after** it's initialized causes a compilation error
 - cannot assign a value to final variable *variableName*
- ▶ An attempt to access the value of a `final` variable **before it's initialized** causes a compilation error
 - variable *variableName* might not have been initialized

7.4 Examples Using Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ Figure 7.5 sums the values contained in a 10-element integer array.
- ▶ Often, the elements of an array represent a series of values to be used in a calculation.

```
1 // Fig. 7.5: SumArray.java
2 // Computing the sum of the elements of an array.
3
4 public class SumArray
5 {
6     public static void main( String[] args )
7     {
8         int[] array = { 87, 68, 94, 100, 83, 78, 85, 91, 76, 87 };
9         int total = 0;
10
11         // add each element's value to total
12         for ( int counter = 0; counter < array.length; counter++ )
13             total += array[ counter ];
14
15         System.out.printf( "Total of array elements: %d\n", total );
16     } // end main
17 } // end class SumArray
```

Adds each value in array to total, which is displayed when the loop terminates

Total of array elements: 849

Fig. 7.5 | Computing the sum of the elements of an array.

7.4 Examples Using Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ Many programs present data to users in a graphical manner.
- ▶ Numeric values are often displayed as bars in a bar chart.
 - Longer bars represent proportionally larger numeric values.
- ▶ A simple way to display numeric data is with a bar chart that shows each numeric value as a bar of asterisks (*).
- ▶ Format specifier `%02d` indicates that an `int` value should be formatted as a field of two digits.
 - The `0 flag` displays a leading 0 for values with fewer digits than the field width (2).

```
1 // Fig. 7.6: BarChart.java
2 // Bar chart printing program.
3
4 public class BarChart
5 {
6     public static void main( String[] args )
7     {
8         int[] array = { 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 2, 4, 2, 1 };
9
10        System.out.println( "Grade distribution:" );
11
12        // for each array element, output a bar of the chart
13        for ( int counter = 0; counter < array.length; counter++ )
14        {
15            // output bar label ( "00-09: ", ..., "90-99: ", "100: " )
16            if ( counter == 10 )
17                System.out.printf( "%5d: ", 100 );
18            else
19                System.out.printf( "%02d-%02d: ",
20                                counter * 10, counter * 10 + 9 );
21
```

Fig. 7.6 | Bar chart printing program. (Part I of 2.)

```
22      // print bar of asterisks
23      for ( int stars = 0; stars < array[ counter ]; stars++ )
24          System.out.print( "*" );
25
26      System.out.println(); // start a new line of output
27  } // end outer for
28  } // end main
29  } // end class BarChart
```

Nested for loop uses the outer for loop's **counter** variable to determine which element of the array to access, then displays the appropriate number of asterisks

Grade distribution:

```
00-09:
10-19:
20-29:
30-39:
40-49:
50-59:
60-69: *
70-79: **
80-89: ****
90-99: **
100: *
```

Fig. 7.6 | Bar chart printing program. (Part 2 of 2.)

7.4 Examples Using Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ Sometimes, programs use counter variables to summarize data, such as the results of a survey.
- ▶ Fig. 6.8 used separate counters in a die-rolling program to track the number of occurrences of each side of a six-sided die as the program rolled the die 6000 times.
- ▶ Fig. 7.7 shows an array version of this application.
 - Line 14 of this program replaces lines 23–46 of Fig. 6.8.
- ▶ Array **frequency** must be **large enough to store six counters**.
 - We use a seven-element array in which we ignore `frequency[0]`
 - More logical to have the face value 1 increment `frequency[1]` than `frequency[0]`.

```
1 // Fig. 7.7: RollDie.java
2 // Die-rolling program using arrays instead of switch.
3 import java.util.Random;
4
5 public class RollDie
6 {
7     public static void main( String[] args )
8     {
9         Random randomNumbers = new Random(); // random number generator
10        int[] frequency = new int[ 7 ]; // array of frequency counters
11
12        // roll die 6000 times; use die value as frequency index
13        for ( int roll = 1; roll <= 6000; roll++ )
14            ++frequency[ 1 + randomNumbers.nextInt( 6 ) ];
15
16        System.out.printf( "%s%10s\n", "Face", "Frequency" );
17
18        // output each array element's value
19        for ( int face = 1; face < frequency.length; face++ )
20            System.out.printf( "%4d%10d\n", face, frequency[ face ] );
21    } // end main
22 } // end class RollDie
```

Random number from 1 to 6 is used as index into frequency array to determine which element to increment

Fig. 7.7 | Die-rolling program using arrays instead of switch. (Part I of 2.)

Face	Frequency
1	988
2	963
3	1018
4	1041
5	978
6	1012

Fig. 7.7 | Die-rolling program using arrays instead of `switch`. (Part 2 of 2.)

7.4 Examples Using Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ Figure 7.8 uses arrays to summarize the results of data collected in a survey:
 - *Forty students were asked to rate the quality of the food in the student cafeteria on a scale of 1 to 10 (where 1 means awful and 10 means excellent). Place the 40 responses in an integer array, and summarize the results of the poll.*
- ▶ Array **responses** is a 40-element `int` array of the survey responses.
- ▶ 11-element array **frequency** counts the number of occurrences of each response (1 to 10).
 - Each element is initialized to zero by default.
 - We ignore **frequency**[0].

```

1  // Fig. 7.8: StudentPoll.java
2  // Poll analysis program.
3
4  public class StudentPoll
5  {
6      public static void main( String[] args )
7      {
8          // array of survey responses
9          int[] responses = { 1, 2, 6, 4, 8, 5, 9, 7, 8, 10, 1, 6, 3, 8, 6,
10             10, 3, 8, 2, 7, 6, 5, 7, 6, 8, 6, 7, 5, 6, 6, 5, 6, 7, 5, 6,
11             4, 8, 6, 8, 10 };
12         int[] frequency = new int[ 11 ]; // array of frequency counters
13
14         // for each answer, select responses element and use that value
15         // as frequency index to determine element to increment
16         for ( int answer = 0; answer < responses.length; answer++ )
17             ++frequency[ responses[ answer ] ];
18
19         System.out.printf( "%s%10s", "Rating", "Frequency" );
20
21         // output each array element's value
22         for ( int rating = 1; rating < frequency.length; rating++ )
23             System.out.printf( "%d%10d", rating, frequency[ rating ] );
24     } // end main
25 } // end class StudentPoll

```

Program needs only 10 counters; we ignore element 0

Increments appropriate element of frequency based on the value of responses[answer]

Fig. 7.8 | Poll analysis program. (Part 1 of 2.)

Rating	Frequency
1	2
2	2
3	2
4	2
5	5
6	11
7	5
8	7
9	1
10	3

Fig. 7.8 | Poll analysis program. (Part 2 of 2.)

7.4 Examples Using Arrays (Cont.)

- ▶ If the data in the `responses` array contained invalid values, such as 13, the program would have attempted to add 1 to `frequency[13]`, which is **outside the bounds of the array**.
 - Java doesn't allow this.
 - JVM checks array indices to ensure that they are greater than or equal to 0 and less than the length of the array—this is called **bounds checking**.
 - If a program uses an invalid index, Java generates a so-called **exception** to indicate that an error occurred in the program at execution time.



Error-Prevention Tip 7.1

An exception indicates that an error has occurred in a program. You often can write code to recover from an exception and continue program execution, rather than abnormally terminating the program. When a program attempts to access an element outside the array bounds, an `ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException` occurs. Exception handling is discussed in Chapter 11.

7.5 Case Study: Card Shuffling and Dealing Simulation

- ▶ Examples thus far used arrays containing elements of primitive types.
- ▶ Elements of an array can be either primitive types or reference types.
- ▶ Next example uses an array of reference-type elements — objects representing playing cards—to develop a class that simulates card shuffling and dealing.

7.5 Case Study: Card Shuffling and Dealing Simulation (Cont.)

- ▶ Class `Card` (Fig. 7.9) contains two `String` instance variables—`face` and `suit`—that are used to store references to the face and suit names for a specific `Card`.
- ▶ Method `toString` creates a `String` consisting of the `face` of the `card`, " of " and the `suit` of the `card`.
 - Can invoke explicitly to obtain a string representation of a `Card`.
 - Called implicitly when the object is used where a `String` is expected.

```
1 // Fig. 7.9: Card.java
2 // Card class represents a playing card.
3
4 public class Card
5 {
6     private String face; // face of card ("Ace", "Deuce", ...)
7     private String suit; // suit of card ("Hearts", "Diamonds", ...)
8
9     // two-argument constructor initializes card's face and suit
10    public Card( String cardFace, String cardSuit )
11    {
12        face = cardFace; // initialize face of card
13        suit = cardSuit; // initialize suit of card
14    } // end two-argument Card constructor
15
16    // return String representation of Card
17    public String toString()
18    {
19        return face + " of " + suit;
20    } // end method toString
21 } // end class Card
```

← Must be declared with this first line it is to be called implicitly to convert Card objects to String representations

Fig. 7.9 | Card class represents a playing card.

7.5 Case Study: Card Shuffling and Dealing Simulation (Cont.)

- ▶ Class **DeckOfCards** (Fig. 7.10) declares as an instance variable a **Card** array named **deck**.
- ▶ **Deck**'s elements are **null** by default
 - Constructor fills the **deck** array with **Card** objects.
- ▶ Method **shuffle** shuffles the **Cards** in the deck.
 - Loops through all 52 **Cards** (array indices 0 to 51).
 - Each **Card** swapped with a randomly chosen other card in the deck.
- ▶ Method **dealCard** deals one **Card** in the array.
 - **currentCard** indicates the index of the next **Card** to be dealt
 - Returns **null** if there are no more cards to deal

```
1 // Fig. 7.10: DeckOfCards.java
2 // DeckOfCards class represents a deck of playing cards.
3 import java.util.Random;
4
5 public class DeckOfCards
6 {
7     private Card[] deck; // array of Card objects
8     private int currentCard; // index of next Card to be dealt
9     private static final int NUMBER_OF_CARDS = 52; // constant # of Cards
10    // random number generator
11    private static final Random randomNumbers = new Random();
12
13    // constructor fills deck of Cards
14    public DeckOfCards()
15    {
16        String[] faces = { "Ace", "Deuce", "Three", "Four", "Five", "Six",
17                            "Seven", "Eight", "Nine", "Ten", "Jack", "Queen", "King" };
18        String[] suits = { "Hearts", "Diamonds", "Clubs", "Spades" };
19
20        deck = new Card[ NUMBER_OF_CARDS ]; // create array of Card objects
21        currentCard = 0; // set currentCard so first Card dealt is deck[ 0 ]
22    }
```

Declares the array of Cards; deck is null until the array is created

Creates the array of Card variables

Fig. 7.10 | DeckOfCards class represents a deck of playing cards. (Part I of 3.)

```

23 // populate deck with Card objects
24 for ( int count = 0; count < deck.length; count++ )
25     deck[ count ] =
26         new Card( faces[ count % 13 ], suits[ count / 13 ] );
27 } // end DeckOfCards constructor
28
29 // shuffle deck of Cards with one-pass algorithm
30 public void shuffle()
31 {
32     // after shuffling, dealing should start at deck[ 0 ] again
33     currentCard = 0; // reinitialize currentCard
34
35     // for each Card, pick another random Card and swap them
36     for ( int first = 0; first < deck.length; first++ )
37     {
38         // select a random number between 0 and 51
39         int second = randomNumbers.nextInt( NUMBER_OF_CARDS );
40
41         // swap current Card with randomly selected Card
42         Card temp = deck[ first ];
43         deck[ first ] = deck[ second ];
44         deck[ second ] = temp;
45     } // end for
46 } // end method shuffle

```

Creates a Card for the current array element

Swaps the current element with the randomly selected element

Fig. 7.10 | DeckOfCards class represents a deck of playing cards. (Part 2 of 3.)

```
47
48 // deal one Card
49 public Card dealCard()
50 {
51     // determine whether Cards remain to be dealt
52     if ( currentCard < deck.length )
53         return deck[ currentCard++ ]; // return current Card in array
54     else
55         return null; // return null to indicate that all Cards were dealt
56 } // end method dealCard
57 } // end class DeckOfCards
```

Ensures that `currentCard` is less than the `length` of the array; if so, a `Card` is returned; otherwise, `null` is returned

Fig. 7.10 | `DeckOfCards` class represents a deck of playing cards. (Part 3 of 3.)

7.5 Case Study: Card Shuffling and Dealing Simulation (Cont.)

- ▶ Figure 7.11 demonstrates class `DeckOfCards` (Fig. 7.10).
- ▶ When a `Card` is output as a `String`, the `Card`'s `toString` method is implicitly invoked.

```
1 // Fig. 7.11: DeckOfCardsTest.java
2 // Card shuffling and dealing.
3
4 public class DeckOfCardsTest
5 {
6     // execute application
7     public static void main( String[] args )
8     {
9         DeckOfCards myDeckOfCards = new DeckOfCards();
10        myDeckOfCards.shuffle(); // place Cards in random order
11
12        // print all 52 Cards in the order in which they are dealt
13        for ( int i = 1; i <= 52; i++ )
14        {
15            // deal and display a Card
16            System.out.printf( "%-19s", myDeckOfCards.dealCard() );
17
18            if ( i % 4 == 0 ) // output newline every 4 cards
19                System.out.println();
20        } // end for
21    } // end main
22 } // end class DeckOfCardsTest
```

Deals a Card; the Card's toString method is called implicitly to obtain the String representation that is output

Fig. 7.11 | Card shuffling and dealing. (Part 1 of 2.)

Six of Spades	Eight of Spades	Six of Clubs	Nine of Hearts
Queen of Hearts	Seven of Clubs	Nine of Spades	King of Hearts
Three of Diamonds	Deuce of Clubs	Ace of Hearts	Ten of Spades
Four of Spades	Ace of Clubs	Seven of Diamonds	Four of Hearts
Three of Clubs	Deuce of Hearts	Five of Spades	Jack of Diamonds
King of Clubs	Ten of Hearts	Three of Hearts	Six of Diamonds
Queen of Clubs	Eight of Diamonds	Deuce of Diamonds	Ten of Diamonds
Three of Spades	King of Diamonds	Nine of Clubs	Six of Hearts
Ace of Spades	Four of Diamonds	Seven of Hearts	Eight of Clubs
Deuce of Spades	Eight of Hearts	Five of Hearts	Queen of Spades
Jack of Hearts	Seven of Spades	Four of Clubs	Nine of Diamonds
Ace of Diamonds	Queen of Diamonds	Five of Clubs	King of Spades
Five of Diamonds	Ten of Clubs	Jack of Spades	Jack of Clubs

Fig. 7.11 | Card shuffling and dealing. (Part 2 of 2.)

7.6 Enhanced for Statement

▶ Enhanced for statement

- Iterates through the elements of an array without using a counter.
- Avoids the possibility of “stepping outside” the array.
- Also works with the Java API’s prebuilt collections (see Section 7.14).

▶ Syntax:

```
for ( parameter : arrayName )  
    statement
```

where *parameter* has a type and an identifier and *arrayName* is the array through which to iterate.

- ▶ Parameter type must be consistent with the array’s element type.
- ▶ The enhanced **for** statement simplifies the code for iterating through an array.

```
1 // Fig. 7.12: EnhancedForTest.java
2 // Using enhanced for statement to total integers in an array.
3
4 public class EnhancedForTest
5 {
6     public static void main( String[] args )
7     {
8         int[] array = { 87, 68, 94, 100, 83, 78, 85, 91, 76, 87 };
9         int total = 0;
10
11         // add each element's value to total
12         for ( int number : array )
13             total += number;
14
15         System.out.printf( "Total of array elements: %d\n", total );
16     } // end main
17 } // end class EnhancedForTest
```

← For each element in array, assign the element's value to **number**, then add **number** to **total**

Total of array elements: 849

Fig. 7.12 | Using the enhanced **for** statement to total integers in an array.

The enhanced **for** statement simplifies the code for iterating through an array.

7.6 Enhanced for Statement (Cont.)

- ▶ The enhanced **for** statement can be used **only to obtain** array elements
 - It cannot be used to modify elements.
 - To modify elements, use the traditional counter-controlled **for** statement.
- ▶ Can be used in place of the counter-controlled **for** statement if **you don't need to access the index of the element**.

7.7 Passing Arrays to Methods

- ▶ To pass an array argument to a method, specify the name of the array without any brackets.
 - Since every array object “knows” its own length, we need not pass the array length as an additional argument.
- ▶ To receive an array, the method’s parameter list must specify an **array parameter**.
- ▶ When an argument to a method is an entire array or an individual array element of a **reference** type, the called method **receives a copy of the reference**.
- ▶ When an argument to a method is an individual array element of a **primitive** type, the called method receives a **copy of the element’s value**.
 - Such primitive values are called **scalars** or **scalar quantities**.


```
1 // Fig. 7.13: PassArray.java
2 // Passing arrays and individual array elements to methods.
3
4 public class PassArray
5 {
6     // main creates array and calls modifyArray and modifyElement
7     public static void main( String[] args )
8     {
9         int[] array = { 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 };
10
11         System.out.println(
12             "Effects of passing reference to entire array:\n" +
13             "The values of the original array are:" );
14
15         // output original array elements
16         for ( int value : array )
17             System.out.printf( "    %d", value );
18
19         modifyArray( array ); // pass array reference
20         System.out.println( "\n\nThe values of the modified array are:" );
21
22         // output modified array elements
23         for ( int value : array )
24             System.out.printf( "    %d", value );
```

Passes the reference to
array into method
modifyArray

Fig. 7.13 | Passing arrays and individual array elements to methods. (Part I of 3.)

```
25
26     System.out.printf(
27         "\n\nEffects of passing array element value:\n" +
28         "array[3] before modifyElement: %d\n", array[ 3 ] );
29
30     modifyElement( array[ 3 ] ); // attempt to modify array[ 3 ]
31     System.out.printf(
32         "array[3] after modifyElement: %d\n", array[ 3 ] );
33 } // end main
34
35 // multiply each element of an array by 2
36 public static void modifyArray( int[] array2 )
37 {
38     for ( int counter = 0; counter < array2.length; counter++ )
39         array2[ counter ] *= 2;
40 } // end method modifyArray
41
42 // multiply argument by 2
43 public static void modifyElement( int element )
44 {
45     element *= 2;
46     System.out.printf(
47         "Value of element in modifyElement: %d\n", element );
48 } // end method modifyElement
49 } // end class PassArray
```

← Passes a copy of array[3]'s int value into modifyElement

← Method receives copy of an array's reference, which gives the method direct access to the original array in memory

← Method receives copy of an int value; the method cannot modify the original int value in main

Fig. 7.13 | Passing arrays and individual array elements to methods. (Part 2 of 3.)

Effects of passing reference to entire array:

The values of the original array are:

1 2 3 4 5

The values of the modified array are:

2 4 6 8 10

Effects of passing array element value:

array[3] before modifyElement: 8

Value of element in modifyElement: 16

array[3] after modifyElement: 8

Fig. 7.13 | Passing arrays and individual array elements to methods. (Part 3 of 3.)

7.7 Passing Arrays to Methods (Cont.)

- ▶ Pass-by-value (also called **call-by-value**)
 - A **copy** of the argument's *value is passed to the called method*.
 - The called method **works exclusively with the copy**.
 - Changes to the called method's copy **do not affect the original variable's value in the caller**.
- ▶ Pass-by-reference (also called **call-by-reference**)
 - The called method can access the argument's value in the caller directly and modify that data, if necessary.
 - Improves performance by eliminating the need to copy possibly large amounts of data.

7.7 Passing Arrays to Methods (Cont.)

- ▶ A method call can pass two types of values to a method
 - Copies of **primitive values**
 - Copies of **references to objects**
- ▶ Objects **cannot** be passed to methods.
 - **Reference to objects are instead passed**



Performance Tip 7.1

Passing arrays by reference makes sense for performance reasons. If arrays were passed by value, a copy of each element would be passed. For large, frequently passed arrays, this would waste time and consume considerable storage for the copies of the arrays.

7.11 Variable-Length Argument Lists

- ▶ Variable-length argument lists
 - Can be used to create methods that receive an unspecified number of arguments.
 - Parameter type followed by an ellipsis (...) indicates that the method receives a variable number of arguments of that particular type.
 - The ellipsis can occur only once at the end of a parameter list.

```
1 // Fig. 7.20: VarargsTest.java
2 // Using variable-length argument lists.
3
4 public class VarargsTest
5 {
6     // calculate average
7     public static double average( double... numbers )
8     {
9         double total = 0.0; // initialize total
10
11         // calculate total using the enhanced for statement
12         for ( double d : numbers )
13             total += d;
14
15         return total / numbers.length;
16     } // end method average
17
18     public static void main( String[] args )
19     {
20         double d1 = 10.0;
21         double d2 = 20.0;
22         double d3 = 30.0;
23         double d4 = 40.0;
24     }
```

Variable number of double values can be passed to this method

Variable arguments are automatically placed in an array referenced by the parameter

Fig. 7.20 | Using variable-length argument lists. (Part I of 2.)


```
25      System.out.printf( "d1 = %.1f\nd2 = %.1f\nd3 = %.1f\nd4 = %.1f\n\n",
26                          d1, d2, d3, d4 );
27
28      System.out.printf( "Average of d1 and d2 is %.1f\n",
29                          average( d1, d2 ) );
30      System.out.printf( "Average of d1, d2 and d3 is %.1f\n",
31                          average( d1, d2, d3 ) );
32      System.out.printf( "Average of d1, d2, d3 and d4 is %.1f\n",
33                          average( d1, d2, d3, d4 ) );
34  } // end main
35 } // end class VarargsTest
```

```
d1 = 10.0
d2 = 20.0
d3 = 30.0
d4 = 40.0
```

```
Average of d1 and d2 is 15.0
Average of d1, d2 and d3 is 20.0
Average of d1, d2, d3 and d4 is 25.0
```

Fig. 7.20 | Using variable-length argument lists. (Part 2 of 2.)

7.12 Using Command-Line Arguments

► Command-line arguments

- Can pass arguments from the command line to an application.
- Arguments that appear after the class name in the `java` command are received by `main` in the `String` array `args`.
- The number of command-line arguments is obtained by accessing the array's `length` attribute.
- Command-line arguments are separated by white space, not commas.

```
1 // Fig. 7.21: InitArray.java
2 // Initializing an array using command-line arguments.
3
4 public class InitArray
5 {
6     public static void main( String[] args )
7     {
8         // check number of command-line arguments
9         if ( args.length != 3 ) ← Check whether there are 3 command-
10             System.out.println( line arguments
11                 "Error: Please re-enter the entire command, including\n" +
12                 "an array size, initial value and increment." );
13     else
14     {
15         // get array size from first command-line argument
16         int arrayLength = Integer.parseInt( args[ 0 ] ); ← Use first command-line argument as
17         int[] array = new int[ arrayLength ]; // create array length of array to create
18
19         // get initial value and increment from command-line arguments
20         int initialValue = Integer.parseInt( args[ 1 ] ); ← Use second and third command-line
21         int increment = Integer.parseInt( args[ 2 ] ); arguments as a starting value and
22                                     increment for the values that will be
23                                     generated in lines 24–25
```

Fig. 7.21 | Initializing an array using command-line arguments. (Part I of 3.)

```
23      // calculate value for each array element
24      for ( int counter = 0; counter < array.length; counter++ )
25          array[ counter ] = initialValue + increment * counter;
26
27      System.out.printf( "%5s%8s\n", "Index", "Value" );
28
29      // display array index and value
30      for ( int counter = 0; counter < array.length; counter++ )
31          System.out.printf( "%5d%8d\n", counter, array[ counter ] );
32      } // end else
33  } // end main
34 } // end class InitArray
```

java InitArray

Error: Please re-enter the entire command, including
an array size, initial value and increment.

Fig. 7.21 | Initializing an array using command-line arguments. (Part 2 of 3.)

```
java InitArray 5 0 4 ◀
```

Index	Value
0	0
1	4
2	8
3	12
4	16

Three command-line arguments
passed to `InitArray`

```
java InitArray 8 1 2 ◀
```

Index	Value
0	1
1	3
2	5
3	7
4	9
5	11
6	13
7	15

Three command-line arguments
passed to `InitArray`

Fig. 7.21 | Initializing an array using command-line arguments. (Part 3 of 3.)

7.13 Class Arrays

- ▶ **Arrays** class
 - Provides `static` methods for common array manipulations.
- ▶ Methods include
 - `sort` for sorting an array (ascending order by default)
 - `binarySearch` for searching a sorted array
 - `equals` for comparing arrays
 - `fill` for placing values into an array.
- ▶ Methods are **overloaded for primitive-type arrays and for arrays of objects.**
- ▶ **System** class `static arraycopy` method
 - Copies contents of one array into another.

```
1 // Fig. 7.22: ArrayManipulations.java
2 // Arrays class methods and System.arraycopy.
3 import java.util.Arrays;
4
5 public class ArrayManipulations
6 {
7     public static void main( String[] args )
8     {
9         // sort doubleArray into ascending order
10        double[] doubleArray = { 8.4, 9.3, 0.2, 7.9, 3.4 };
11        Arrays.sort( doubleArray );
12        System.out.printf( "\ndoubleArray: " );
13
14        for ( double value : doubleArray )
15            System.out.printf( "%.1f ", value );
16
17        // fill 10-element array with 7s
18        int[] filledIntArray = new int[ 10 ];
19        Arrays.fill( filledIntArray, 7 );
20        displayArray( filledIntArray, "filledIntArray" );
21
```

Sorts an array's contents into their default sort order

Fills an array's elements with the value specified as the second argument

Fig. 7.22 | Arrays class methods. (Part I of 4.)

```

22 // copy array intArray into array intArrayCopy
23 int[] intArray = { 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 };
24 int[] intArrayCopy = new int[ intArray.length ];
25 System.arraycopy( intArray, 0, intArrayCopy, 0, intArray.length );
26 displayArray( intArray, "intArray" );
27 displayArray( intArrayCopy, "intArrayCopy" );
28
29 // compare intArray and intArrayCopy for equality
30 boolean b = Arrays.equals( intArray, intArrayCopy );
31 System.out.printf( "\n\nintArray %s intArrayCopy\n",
32     ( b ? "==" : "!=" ) );
33
34 // compare intArray and filledIntArray for equality
35 b = Arrays.equals( intArray, filledIntArray );
36 System.out.printf( "intArray %s filledIntArray\n",
37     ( b ? "==" : "!=" ) );
38
39 // search intArray for the value 5
40 int location = Arrays.binarySearch( intArray, 5 );
41
42 if ( location >= 0 )
43     System.out.printf(
44         "Found 5 at element %d in intArray\n", location );

```

Copies elements of the array in the first argument, into the array specified as the third argument

Compares contents of two arrays for equality

Compares contents of two arrays for equality

Fig. 7.22 | Arrays class methods. (Part 2 of 4.)

```
45     else
46         System.out.println( "5 not found in intArray" );
47
48     // search intArray for the value 8763
49     location = Arrays.binarySearch( intArray, 8763 );
50
51     if ( location >= 0 )
52         System.out.printf(
53             "Found 8763 at element %d in intArray\n", location );
54     else
55         System.out.println( "8763 not found in intArray" );
56 } // end main
57
58 // output values in each array
59 public static void displayArray( int[] array, String description )
60 {
61     System.out.printf( "\n%s: ", description );
62
63     for ( int value : array )
64         System.out.printf( "%d ", value );
65 } // end method displayArray
66 } // end class ArrayManipulations
```

Searches for second argument in the array specified as the first argument

Fig. 7.22 | Arrays class methods. (Part 3 of 4.)

```
doubleArray: 0.2 3.4 7.9 8.4 9.3  
filledIntArray: 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7 7  
intArray: 1 2 3 4 5 6  
intArrayCopy: 1 2 3 4 5 6
```

```
intArray == intArrayCopy  
intArray != filledIntArray  
Found 5 at element 4 in intArray  
8763 not found in intArray
```

Fig. 7.22 | Arrays class methods. (Part 4 of 4.)

7.14 Introduction to Collections and Class ArrayList

- ▶ Java API provides several predefined data structures, called **collections**, used to store groups of related objects.
 - Each provides efficient methods that organize, store and retrieve your data without requiring knowledge of how the data is being stored.
 - Reduce application-development time.
- ▶ Arrays do not automatically change their size at execution time to accommodate additional elements.
- ▶ **ArrayList<T>** (package `java.util`) can **dynamically change its size** to accommodate more elements.
 - T is a placeholder for the type of element stored in the collection.
 - This is similar to specifying the type when declaring an array, except that only nonprimitive types can be used with these collection classes.
- ▶ Classes with this kind of placeholder that can be used with any type are called **generic classes**.

Method	Description
<code>add</code>	Adds an element to the end of the <code>ArrayList</code> .
<code>clear</code>	Removes all the elements from the <code>ArrayList</code> .
<code>contains</code>	Returns <code>true</code> if the <code>ArrayList</code> contains the specified element; otherwise, returns <code>false</code> .
<code>get</code>	Returns the element at the specified index.
<code>indexOf</code>	Returns the index of the first occurrence of the specified element in the <code>ArrayList</code> .
<code>remove</code>	Removes the first occurrence of the specified value.
<code>remove</code>	Removes the element at the specified index.
<code>size</code>	Returns the number of elements stored in the <code>ArrayList</code> .
<code>trimToSize</code>	Trims the capacity of the <code>ArrayList</code> to current number of elements.

Fig. 7.23 | Some methods and properties of class `ArrayList<T>`.

7.14 Introduction to Collections and Class `ArrayList` (Cont.)

- ▶ Figure 7.24 demonstrates some common `ArrayList` capabilities.
- ▶ An `ArrayList`'s capacity indicates how many items it can hold without growing.
- ▶ When the `ArrayList` grows, it must create a larger internal array and copy each element to the new array.
 - This is a time-consuming operation. It would be inefficient for the `ArrayList` to grow each time an element is added.
 - An `ArrayList` grows only when an element is added and the number of elements is equal to the capacity—i.e., there is no space for the new element.

7.14 Introduction to Collections and Class `ArrayList` (Cont.)

- ▶ Method `add` adds elements to the `ArrayList`.
 - One-argument version appends its argument to the end of the `ArrayList`.
 - Two-argument version inserts a new element at the specified position.
 - Collection indices start at zero.
- ▶ Method `size` returns the number of elements in the `ArrayList`.
- ▶ Method `get` obtains the element at a specified index.
- ▶ Method `remove` deletes an element with a specific value.
 - An overloaded version of the method removes the element at the specified index.
- ▶ Method `contains` determines if an item is in the `ArrayList`.

```
1 // Fig. 7.24: ArrayListCollection.java
2 // Generic ArrayList collection demonstration.
3 import java.util.ArrayList;
4
5 public class ArrayListCollection
6 {
7     public static void main( String[] args )
8     {
9         // create a new ArrayList of Strings
10        ArrayList< String > items = new ArrayList< String >();
11
12        items.add( "red" ); // append an item to the list
13        items.add( 0, "yellow" ); // insert the value at index 0
14
15        // header
16        System.out.print(
17            "Display list contents with counter-controlled loop:" );
18
19        // display the colors in the list
20        for ( int i = 0; i < items.size(); i++ )
21            System.out.printf( " %s", items.get( i ) );
22    }
}
```

Creates an ArrayList that stores String elements

Add elements the the ArrayList

Method size returns the number of elements in the collection; method get returns the element at the specified index

Fig. 7.24 | Generic ArrayList<T> collection demonstration. (Part I of 3.)

```

23 // display colors using foreach in the display method
24 display( items,
25     "\nDisplay list contents with enhanced for statement:" );
26
27 items.add( "green" ); // add "green" to the end of the list
28 items.add( "yellow" ); // add "yellow" to the end of the list
29 display( items, "List with two new elements:" );
30
31 items.remove( "yellow" ); // remove the first "yellow"
32 display( items, "Remove first instance of yellow:" );
33
34 items.remove( 1 ); // remove item at index 1
35 display( items, "Remove second list element (green):" );
36
37 // check if a value is in the List
38 System.out.printf( "\"red\" is %sin the list\n",
39     items.contains( "red" ) ? "" : "not " );
40
41 // display number of elements in the List
42 System.out.printf( "Size: %s\n", items.size() );
43 } // end main
44

```

Method `remove` deletes the first occurrence of the specified value

This version of `remove` deletes the element at the specified index

Method `contains` determines whether the specified value is in the collection

Fig. 7.24 | Generic `ArrayList<T>` collection demonstration. (Part 2 of 3.)


```

45 // display the ArrayList's elements on the console
46 public static void display( ArrayList< String > items, String header )
47 {
48     System.out.print( header ); // display header
49
50     // display each element in items
51     for ( String item : items ) ←
52         System.out.printf( " %s", item );
53
54     System.out.println(); // display end of line
55 } // end method display
56 } // end class ArrayListCollection

```

Can use the enhanced for statement with collections

Display list contents with counter-controlled loop: yellow red
 Display list contents with enhanced for statement: yellow red
 List with two new elements: yellow red green yellow
 Remove first instance of yellow: red green yellow
 Remove second list element (green): red yellow
 "red" is in the list
 Size: 2

Fig. 7.24 | Generic ArrayList<T> collection demonstration. (Part 3 of 3.)



Exercises: random and Math

- ▶ Program that that simulates tossing a coin.
- ▶ Application to play a game of guess the number.
- ▶ Program calculates the distance between two points.

End of Part 2