Ch 7. Arrays Part 2

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Operations over arrays

- Except for I/O for char arrays, array operations must be done one element at a time.
- Input the 8 programming assignment grades for 1 student in CS1428

- Is there a better way?

Array input using a loop

- We can use a for loop to input into the array
 - the subscript can be a variable

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Array output using a loop

 We can use a for loop to output the elements of the array

Summing values in an array

 We can use a for loop to sum the elements of the array (running total)

Computing the average for an array

 We can use a for loop to get the average of the values in the array

Finding the maximum value in an array

We can use a for loop to find the max value:
 Note: keep track of the max value so far

Finding the minimum value in an array

We can use a for loop to find the min value:
 Note: keep track of the min value so far

Finding the maximum value in an array, and its position.

 Keep track of the minimum value, AND what its position is:

Counting values in an array that pass a test

 Use a for loop and a counter, incr counter for elements that pass the test (i.e. elem > 75)

Array assignment

Array assignment (a.k.a. array copy).

```
const int SIZE = 4;
int values1[SIZE] = {100, 200, 300, 400};
int values2[SIZE];

values2 = values1; //WRONG, won't work right
for (int i = 0; i < SIZE; i++) {
   values2[i] = values1[i];
}</pre>
```

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Array compare (for equality)

Cannot use == on two arrays.

```
const int SIZE = 4;
int values1[SIZE] = {100, 200, 300, 400};
int values2[SIZE] = {100, 200, 300, 400};

if (values2 == values1) //WRONG, won't work right cout << "equal!" << endl;

bool arraysEqual = true; //flag, assume true int i = 0;
while (arraysEqual && i < SIZE) {
  if (values1[i] != values2[i])
    arraysEqual = false;
  i++;
}
if (arraysEqual) cout << "equal!" << endl;</pre>
```

Watchout: increment operator

• What is output?

```
int numArray[5] = {6,7,8,9,0};
int count = 2;

numArray[count]++;
numArray[count++];

cout << count << endl;
for (int i=0; i<5; i++) {
   cout << numArray[i] << " ";
}
cout << endl;</pre>
```

- numArray[count]++ is (numArray[count])++
- numArray[count++] is numArray[(count++)]

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Partially filled arrays

 The programmer does not always know ahead of time how many elements there will be in the array (ie reading from a file).

```
const int MAX_STUDENTS = 100;
int scores[MAX_STUDENTS];

ifstream infile;
infile.open("students.txt");

int count = 0;
while (count<MAX_STUDENTS && infile >> scores[count])
{
    count++;
}
for (int x = 0; x < count; i++)
    //do something with scores[x]</pre>
```