# Chapter 7: Single-Dimensional Arrays

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### **Opening Problem**

Read one hundred numbers, compute their average, and find out how many numbers are above the average.





### Introducing Arrays

Array is a data structure that represents a collection of the same types of data.





# Declaring Array Variables

datatype[] arrayRefVar;

Example:

```
double[] myList;
```

// This style is allowed, but not preferred:

datatype arrayRefVar[];
 Example:

double myList[];



# Creating Arrays

arrayRefVar = new datatype[arraySize];

Example: myList = new double[10];

myList[0] references the first element in the array. myList[9] references the last element in the array.



# Declaring and Creating in One Step

 datatype[] arrayRefVar = new datatype[arraySize];

double[] myList = new double[10];

 datatype arrayRefVar[] = new datatype[arraySize];

double myList[] = new double[10];



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# The Length of an Array

Once an array is created, its size is fixed. It cannot be changed. You can find its size using

#### arrayRefVar.length

For example,

#### myList.length returns 10



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# Default Values

When an array is created, its elements are assigned the default value of:

<u>0</u> for the numeric primitive data types, <u>'u0000'</u> for <u>char</u> types, and <u>false</u> for <u>boolean</u> types.





# Indexed Variables

The array elements are accessed through the index. The array indices are *0-based*, i.e., it starts from 0 to **arrayRefVar.length-1**.

**myList** holds ten double values and the indices are from 0 to 9.

Each element in the array is represented using the
following syntax, known as an indexed variable:
 arrayRefVar[index];



# Using Indexed Variables

After an array is created, an indexed variable can be used in the same way as a regular variable.

For example, the following code adds the value in myList[0] and myList[1] and assigns it to myList[2].

myList[2] = myList[0] + myList[1];

# Array Initializers

Declaring, creating, initializing in one step: double[] myList = {1.9, 2.9, 3.4, 3.5};
This shorthand syntax must be in one statement.





# Declaring, creating, initializing Using the Shorthand Notation

double[] myList = {1.9, 2.9, 3.4, 3.5};

# This shorthand notation is equivalent to the following statements:

```
double[] myList = new double[4];
myList[0] = 1.9;
myList[1] = 2.9;
myList[2] = 3.4;
myList[3] = 3.5;
```



# CAUTION

- Using the shorthand notation, you have to declare, create, and initialize the array all in one statement.
- Splitting it would cause a syntax error.
- For example, the following is wrong:

```
double[] myList;
myList = {1.9, 2.9, 3.4, 3.5};
```



### Trace Program with Arrays







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After the array is created

0	0
1	0
2	0
3	0
4	0



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After the fourth iteration

0	0	
1	1	
2	3	
3	6	
4	10	





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# Processing Arrays

See the examples in the text.

- 1. (Initializing arrays with input values)
- 2. (Initializing arrays with random values)
- 3. (Printing arrays)
- 4. (Summing all elements)
- 5. (Finding the largest element)
- 6. (Finding the smallest index of the largest element)
- 7. (*Random shuffling*)
- 8. (Shifting elements)



# Initializing arrays with input values

java.util.Scanner input = new java.util.Scanner(System.in);

System.out.print("Enter " + myList.length + " values: ");

for (int i = 0; i < myList.length; i++)
myList[i] = input.nextDouble();</pre>





#### Initializing arrays with random values

for (int i = 0; i < myList.length; i++) {
 myList[i] = Math.random() \* 100;
</pre>





# Printing arrays

for (int i = 0; i < myList.length; i++) {
 System.out.print(myList[i] + " ");</pre>

}



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# Summing all elements

```
double total = 0;
for (int i = 0; i < myList.length; i++) {
  total += myList[i];
```



