



# Debugging [continued]



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Photo # NH 96566-KN First Computer "Bug", 1945

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0800 Antan started  
 1000 " stopped - antan ✓ { 1.2700 9.030 477 025  
 1300 (032) MP-MC 1.48247000 9.037 846 845 count  
 (033) PRO 2 2.13047645 4.615 925059(-2)  
 count 2.13047645  
 Relays 6-2 in 033 failed special speed test  
 in relay 11.000 test.

1100 Started Cosine Tape (Sine check)  
 1525 Started Multi Adder Test.

1545  Relay #70 Panel F  
 (moth) in relay.

1700 First actual case of bug being found.  
 antan started.  
 1700 closed down.

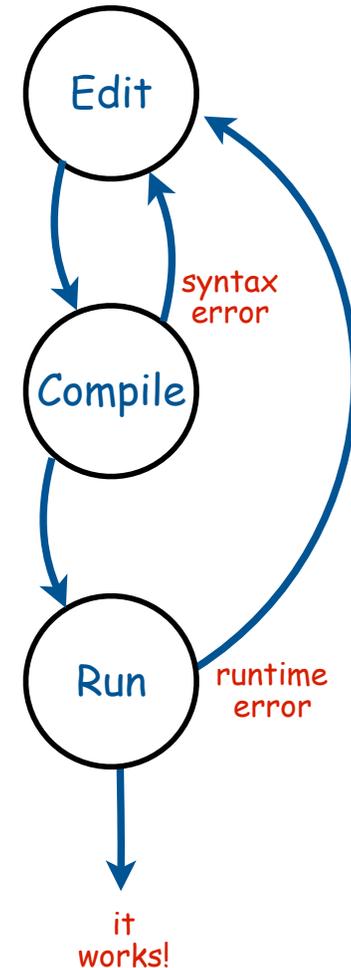
Relay 3145  
 relay 3376

<http://www.history.navy.mil/photos/images/h96000/h96566kc.htm>

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4. Enjoy the satisfaction of a working program!  
[but stay tuned for more debugging]



# Debugging: Where we left off

Success? Found the last bugs ("corner cases")?

- Need newline.
- Need to print largest factor.

```
public class Factors
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        long N = Long.parseLong(args[0])
        for (int i = 2; i < N; i++)
        {
            while (N % i == 0)
            {
                System.out.println(i + " ");
                N = N / i;
            }
            System.out.println("TRACE " + i + " " + N);
        }
    }
}
```

```
% javac Factors.java
% java Factors 5
TRACE 2 5
TRACE 3 5
TRACE 4 5
% java Factors 6
2
TRACE 2 3
```

AHA!  
Print out N  
after for loop  
(if it is not 1)



# Debugging: Success?

## Success?

- Add code for corner case, remove trace, add comments.
- Try larger inputs

```
public class Factors
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        long N = Long.parseLong(args[0])
        for (int i = 2; i < N; i++)
        { // Check whether i is a factor.
            while (N % i == 0)
            { // If so, print and divide.
                // System.out.print(i + " ");
                N = N / i;
            }
        }
        if (N > 1) System.out.println(N);
        else      System.out.println();
    }
}
```

Time to document code  
(if not earlier).

???  
%\$%@\$#!  
forgot to recompile

```
% java Factors 5
TRACE 2 5
TRACE 3 5
TRACE 4 5
% javac Factors.java
% java Factors 5
5
% java Factors 6
2 3
% java Factors 98
2 7 7
% java Factors 3757208
2 2 2 7 13 13 397
```

"Comment out"  
trace code  
(may need it later)

Corner case:  
print largest factor  
(and new line)

## Debugging: Performance Errors

Performance error. Correct program, but too slow.

- Are all iterations of inner loop necessary?
- Improve or change underlying **algorithm**.

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}
```

```
% java Factors 11111111
11 73 101 137
% java Factors 11111111111
21649 513239
% java Factors 111111111111111
11 239 4649 909091
% java Factors 11111111111111111
2071723
```

very long wait

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```
public class Factors
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        long N = Long.parseLong(args[0])
        for (int i = 2; i < N/i; i++)
        { // Check whether i is a factor.
            while (N % i == 0)
            { // If so, print and divide.
                System.out.print(i + " ");
                N = N / i;
            }
        }
        if (N > 1) System.out.println(N);
        else      System.out.println();
    }
}
```

Fixes performance error:  
terminate when  $i*i > N$   
since no larger factors left

```
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11 239 4649 909091
% java Factors 11111111111111111
2071723 5363222357
%
```

## Program Development: Analysis

Q. How large an integer can I factor?

```
% java Factors 3757208
2 2 2 7 13 13 397

% java Factors 9201111169755555703
9201111169755555703
```

after a few minutes of computing...

in largest factor →

digits	( $i \leq N$ )	( $i*i \leq N$ )
3	instant	instant
6	0.15 seconds	instant
9	77 seconds	instant
12	21 hours †	0.16 seconds
15	2.4 years †	2.7 seconds
18	2.4 millennia †	92 seconds

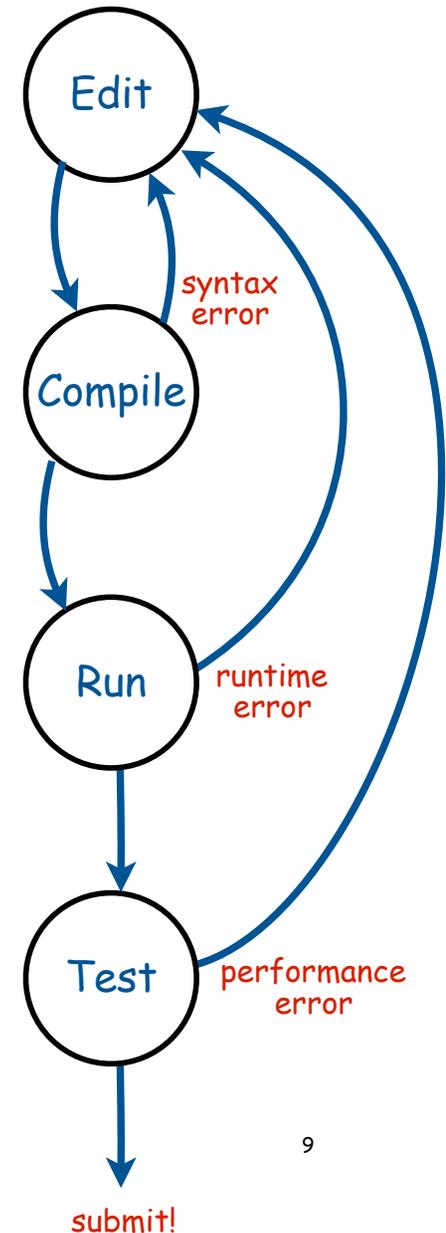
† estimated, using  
analytic number theory

**Note.** Can't break RSA this way (experts are still trying)

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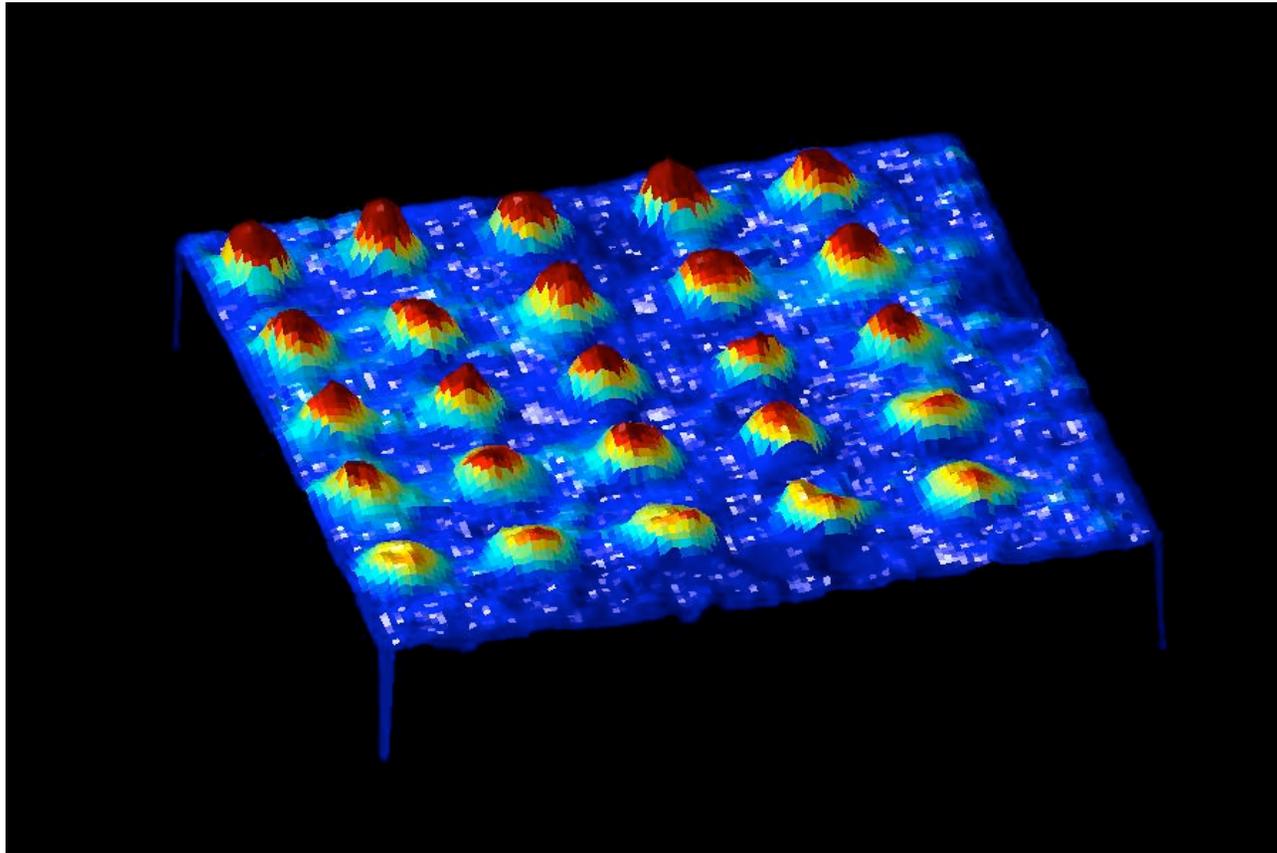
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4. **Test** it.  
Too slow?  
Back to step 1 to try a different **algorithm**.

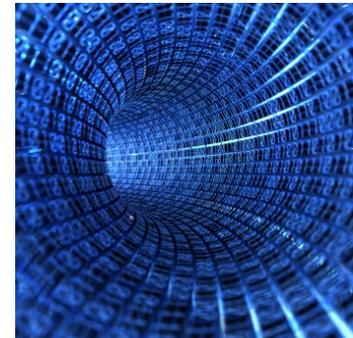
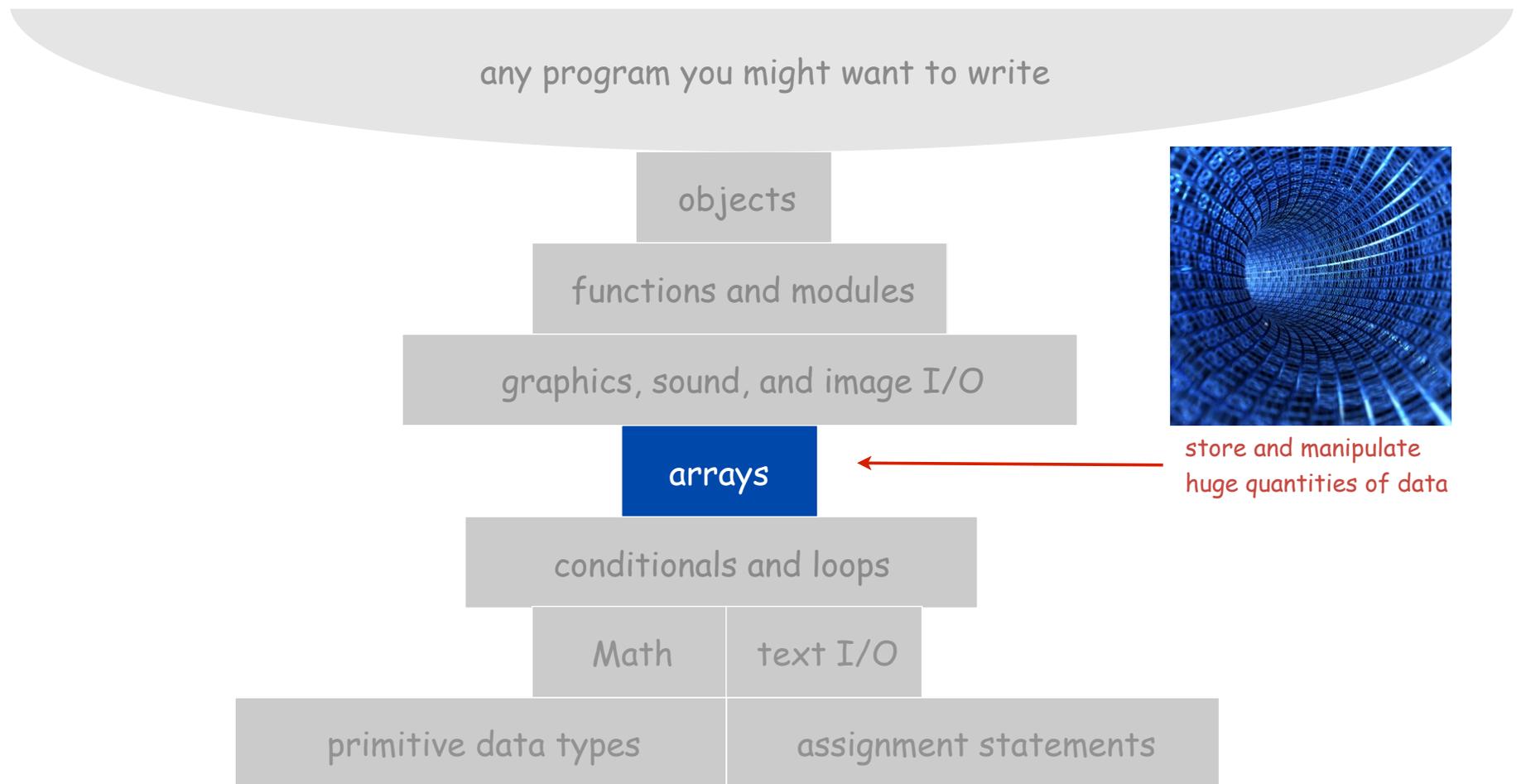


## 1.4 Arrays

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# A Foundation for Programming



# Arrays

**This lecture.** Store and manipulate huge quantities of data.

**Array.** Indexed sequence of values of the same type.

## Examples.

- 52 playing cards in a deck.
- 5 thousand undergrads at Princeton.
- 1 million characters in a book.
- 10 million audio samples in an MP3 file.
- 4 billion nucleotides in a DNA strand.
- 73 billion Google queries per year.
- 50 trillion cells in the human body.
- $6.02 \times 10^{23}$  particles in a mole.

index	value
0	wayne
1	doug
2	rs
3	maia
4	mona
5	cbienia
6	wkj
7	mkc

## Many Variables of the Same Type

**Goal.** 10 variables of the same type.

```
// Tedious and error-prone code.  
double a0, a1, a2, a3, a4, a5, a6, a7, a8, a9;  
a0 = 0.0;  
a1 = 0.0;  
a2 = 0.0;  
a3 = 0.0;  
a4 = 0.0;  
a5 = 0.0;  
a6 = 0.0;  
a7 = 0.0;  
a8 = 0.0;  
a9 = 0.0;  
...  
a4 = 3.0;  
...  
a8 = 8.0;  
...  
double x = a4 + a8;
```

## Many Variables of the Same Type

Goal. 10 variables of the same type.

```
// Easy alternative.  
double[] a = new double[10];  
...  
a[4] = 3.0;  
...  
a[8] = 8.0;  
...  
double x = a[4] + a[8];
```

← declares, creates, and initializes  
[stay tuned for details]

## Many Variables of the Same Type

Goal. 1 million variables of the same type.

```
// Scales to handle large arrays.  
double[] a = new double[1000000];  
...  
a[234567] = 3.0;  
...  
a[876543] = 8.0;  
...  
double x = a[234567] + a[876543];
```

## Arrays in Java

Java has special language support for arrays.

- To make an array: declare, create, and initialize it.
- To access element *i* of array named *a*, use *a[i]*.
- Array indices start at 0.

```
int N = 1000;
double[] a;           // declare the array
a = new double[N];    // create the array
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++) // initialize the array
    a[i] = 0.0;       // all to 0.0
```

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```

**Compact alternative:** Declare, create, and initialize in one statement.

- Default: all entries automatically set to 0.

```
int N = 1000;
double[] a = new double[N];
```

- Alternative: entries initialized to given literal values.

```
double[] x = { 0.3, 0.6, 0.1 };
```

## Sample Array Code: Vector Dot Product

**Dot product.** Given two vectors  $x[]$  and  $y[]$  of length  $N$ , their **dot product** is the sum of the products of their corresponding components.

```
double[] x = { 0.3, 0.6, 0.1 };
double[] y = { 0.5, 0.1, 0.4 };

double sum = 0.0;
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)
    sum += x[i]*y[i];
```

$i$	$x[i]$	$y[i]$	$x[i]*y[i]$	sum
				0
0	.30	.50	.15	.15
1	.60	.10	.06	.21
2	.10	.40	.04	.25
				<b>.25</b>

## Array Processing Examples

```
double[] a = new double[N];  
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)  
    a[i] = Math.random();
```

create an array with N random values

```
double[] b = new double[N];  
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)  
    b[i] = a[i];
```

copy to another array

```
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)  
    System.out.println(a[i]);
```

print the array values, one per line

```
double sum = 0.0;  
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)  
    sum += a[i];  
double average = sum / N;
```

compute the average of the array values

```
double max = Double.NEGATIVE_INFINITY;  
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)  
    if (a[i] > max) max = a[i];
```

find the maximum of the array values

```
for (int i = 0; i < N/2; i++)  
{  
    double temp = b[i];  
    b[i] = b[N-1-i];  
    b[N-i-1] = temp;  
}
```

reverse the elements within the array

# Shuffling a Deck

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## Setting Array Values at Compile Time

Ex. Print a random card.

```
String[] rank =
{
    "2", "3", "4", "5", "6", "7", "8", "9",
    "10", "Jack", "Queen", "King", "Ace"
};

String[] suit =
{
    "Clubs", "Diamonds", "Hearts", "Spades"
};

int i = (int) (Math.random() * 13); // between 0 and 12
int j = (int) (Math.random() * 4); // between 0 and 3

System.out.println(rank[i] + " of " + suit[j]);
```

## TEQ on Arrays 1

The following code sets array values to the 52 card values and prints them.  
In which order are they printed?

```
String[] rank = { "2", "3" ..., "King", "Ace" };
String[] suit =
    { "clubs", "diamonds", "hearts", "spades" };

String[] deck = new String[52];
for (int i = 0; i < 13; i++)
    for (int j = 0; j < 4; j++)
        deck[4*i + j] = rank[i] + " of " + suit[j];

for (int i = 0; i < 52; i++)
    System.out.println(deck[i]);
```

← typical array  
processing code  
changes values  
at runtime

A. 2 of clubs  
2 of diamonds  
2 of hearts  
2 of spades  
3 of clubs  
...

B. 2 of clubs  
3 of clubs  
4 of clubs  
5 of clubs  
6 of clubs  
...

# Shuffling

**Goal.** Given an array, rearrange its elements in **random** order.

## Shuffling algorithm.

- In iteration  $i$ , pick random card from `deck[i]` through `deck[N-1]`, with each card equally likely.
- Exchange it with `deck[i]`.

```
int N = deck.length;
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)
{
    int r = i + (int) (Math.random() * (N-i));
    String t = deck[r];
    deck[r] = deck[i];
    deck[i] = t;
}
```

} swap idiom

← between i and N-1

## Shuffling a Deck of Cards

```
public class Deck
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        String[] suit = { "Clubs", "Diamonds", "Hearts", "Spades" };
        String[] rank = { "2", "3", "4", "5", "6", "7", "8", "9",
                          "10", "Jack", "Queen", "King", "Ace" };

        int SUITS = suit.length;
        int RANKS = rank.length;    ← avoid "hardwired" constants like 52, 4, and 13.
        int N = SUITS * RANKS;

        String[] deck = new String[N];    build the deck
        for (int i = 0; i < RANKS; i++)
            for (int j = 0; j < SUITS; j++)
                deck[SUITS*i + j] = rank[i] + " of " + suit[j];

        for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)    shuffle
        {
            int r = i + (int) (Math.random() * (N-i));
            String t = deck[r];
            deck[r] = deck[i];
            deck[i] = t;
        }

        for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)    print shuffled deck
            System.out.println(deck[i]);
    }
}
```

## Shuffling a Deck of Cards

```
% java Deck  
5 of Clubs  
Jack of Hearts  
9 of Spades  
10 of Spades  
9 of Clubs  
7 of Spades  
6 of Diamonds  
7 of Hearts  
7 of Clubs  
4 of Spades  
Queen of Diamonds  
10 of Hearts  
5 of Diamonds  
Jack of Clubs  
Ace of Hearts  
...  
5 of Spades
```

```
% java Deck  
10 of Diamonds  
King of Spades  
2 of Spades  
3 of Clubs  
4 of Spades  
Queen of Clubs  
2 of Hearts  
7 of Diamonds  
6 of Spades  
Queen of Spades  
3 of Spades  
Jack of Diamonds  
6 of Diamonds  
8 of Spades  
9 of Diamonds  
...  
10 of Spades
```

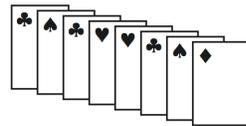
# Coupon Collector

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## Coupon Collector Problem

**Coupon collector problem.** Given  $N$  different card types, how many do you have to collect before you have (at least) one of each type?



assuming each possibility is equally likely for each card that you collect

**Simulation algorithm.** Repeatedly choose an integer  $i$  between 0 and  $N-1$ . Stop when we have at least one card of every type.

**Q.** How to check if we've seen a card of type  $i$ ?

**A.** Maintain a boolean array so that `found[i]` is true if we've already collected a card of type  $i$ .

## Coupon Collector: Java Implementation

```
public class CouponCollector
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        int N = Integer.parseInt(args[0]);
        int cardcnt = 0;    // number of cards collected
        int valcnt = 0;    // number of distinct cards

        // Do simulation.
        boolean[] found = new boolean[N];
        while (valcnt < N)
        {
            int val = (int) (Math.random() * N);
            cardcnt++;
            if (!found[val])
            {
                valcnt++;
                found[val] = true;
            }
        }

        // all N distinct cards found
        System.out.println(cardcnt);
    }
}
```

type of next card  
(between 0 and N-1)

## Coupon Collector: Debugging

Debugging. Add code to print contents of **all** variables.

val	found						valcnt	cardcnt
	0	1	2	3	4	5		
	F	F	F	F	F	F	0	0
2	F	F	T	F	F	F	1	1
0	T	F	T	F	F	F	2	2
4	T	F	T	F	T	F	3	3
0	T	F	T	F	T	F	3	4
1	T	T	T	F	T	F	4	5
2	T	T	T	F	T	F	4	6
5	T	T	T	F	T	T	5	7
0	T	T	T	F	T	T	5	8
1	T	T	T	F	T	T	5	9
3	T	T	T	T	T	T	6	10

Challenge. Debugging with arrays requires tracing many variables.

## Coupon Collector: Mathematical Context

**Coupon collector problem.** Given  $N$  different possible cards, how many do you have to collect before you have (at least) one of each type?

**Fact.** About  $N (1 + 1/2 + 1/3 + \dots + 1/N) \sim N \ln N$

↖ see ORF 245 or COS 341

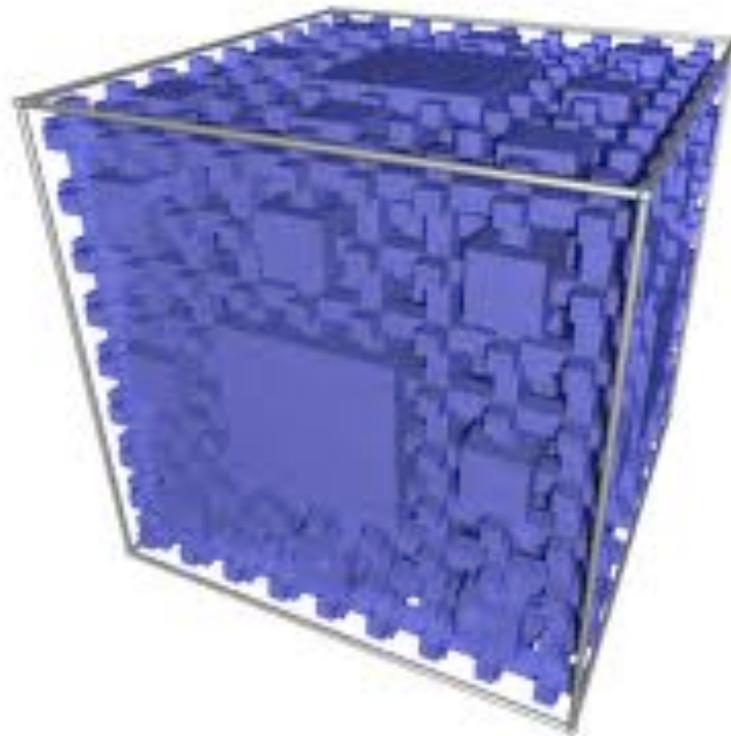
**Ex.**  $N = 30$  baseball teams. Expect to wait  $\approx 120$  years before all teams win a World Series.

↖ under idealized assumptions



# Multidimensional Arrays

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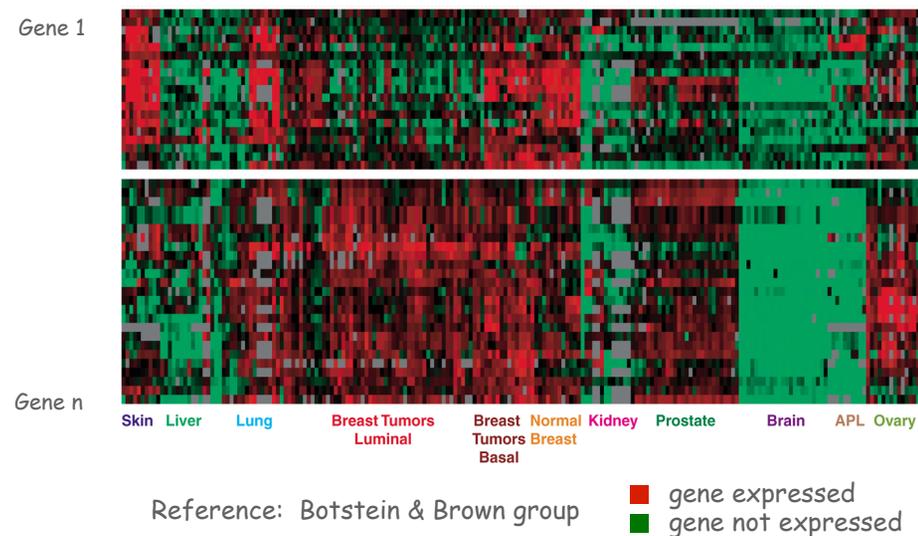
## Two Dimensional Arrays

### Two dimensional arrays.

- Table of data for each experiment and outcome.
- Table of grades for each student and assignments.
- Table of grayscale values for each pixel in a 2D image.

### Mathematical abstraction. Matrix.

### Java abstraction. 2D array.



## Two Dimensional Arrays in Java

Declare, create, initialize. Like 1D, but add another pair of brackets.

```
int M = 10;  
int N = 3;  
double[][] a = new double[M][N];
```

Array access.

Use `a[i][j]` to access entry in row `i` and column `j`.

Indices start at 0.

Initialize.

This code is implicit (sets all entries to 0).

```
for (int i = 0; i < M; i++)  
    for (int j = 0; j < N; j++)  
        a[i][j] = 0.0;
```

The diagram shows a 10-by-3 array represented as a table. The rows are indexed from 0 to 9, and the columns are indexed from 0 to 2. A blue arrow labeled `a[][]` points to the top-left cell `a[0][0]`. Another blue arrow labeled `a[6]` points to the row starting at `a[6][0]`.

a[0][0]	a[0][1]	a[0][2]
a[1][0]	a[1][1]	a[1][2]
a[2][0]	a[2][1]	a[2][2]
a[3][0]	a[3][1]	a[3][2]
a[4][0]	a[4][1]	a[4][2]
a[5][0]	a[5][1]	a[5][2]
a[6][0]	a[6][1]	a[6][2]
a[7][0]	a[7][1]	a[7][2]
a[8][0]	a[8][1]	a[8][2]
a[9][0]	a[9][1]	a[9][2]

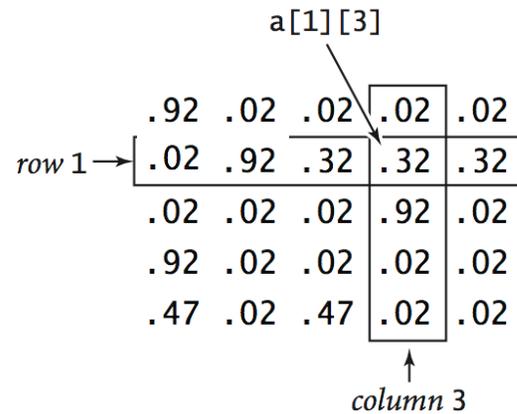
A 10-by-3 array

**Warning.** This implicit code might slow down your program for big arrays.

## Setting 2D Array Values at Compile Time

Initialize 2D array by listing values.

```
double[][] p =  
{  
    { .02, .92, .02, .02, .02 },  
    { .02, .02, .32, .32, .32 },  
    { .02, .02, .02, .92, .02 },  
    { .92, .02, .02, .02, .02 },  
    { .47, .02, .47, .02, .02 },  
};
```



## Matrix Addition

**Matrix addition.** Given two N-by-N matrices  $a$  and  $b$ , define  $c$  to be the N-by-N matrix where  $c[i][j]$  is the sum  $a[i][j] + b[i][j]$ .

```
double[][] c = new double[N][N];
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)
    for (int j = 0; j < N; j++)
        c[i][j] = a[i][j] + b[i][j];
```

$a[][]$

.70	.20	.10
.30	.60	.10
.50	.10	.40

$a[1][2]$

$b[][]$

.80	.30	.50
.10	.40	.10
.10	.30	.40

$b[1][2]$

$c[][]$

1.5	.50	.60
.40	1.0	.20
.60	.40	.80

$c[1][2]$

# Matrix Multiplication

**Matrix multiplication.** Given two N-by-N matrices  $a$  and  $b$ , define  $c$  to be the N-by-N matrix where  $c[i][j]$  is the dot product of the  $i^{\text{th}}$  row of  $a$  and the  $j^{\text{th}}$  row of  $b$ .

all values initialized to 0

```
double[][] c = new double[N][N];
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)
    for (int j = 0; j < N; j++)
        for (int k = 0; k < N; k++)
            c[i][j] += a[i][k] * b[k][j];
```

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.70	.20	.10
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.50	.10	.40

← row 1

column 2

$b[][]$

.80	.30	.50
.10	.40	.10
.10	.30	.40

$c[1][2] = .3 * .5$   
 $+ .6 * .1$   
 $+ .1 * .4$   
 $= .25$

$c[][]$

.59	.32	.41
.31	.36	.25
.45	.31	.42

## TEQ on Arrays 2

How many multiplications to multiply two N-by-N matrices?

```
double[][] c = new double[N][N];
for (int i = 0; i < N; i++)
    for (int j = 0; j < N; j++)
        for (int k = 0; k < N; k++)
            c[i][j] += a[i][k] * b[k][j];
```

A.  $N$

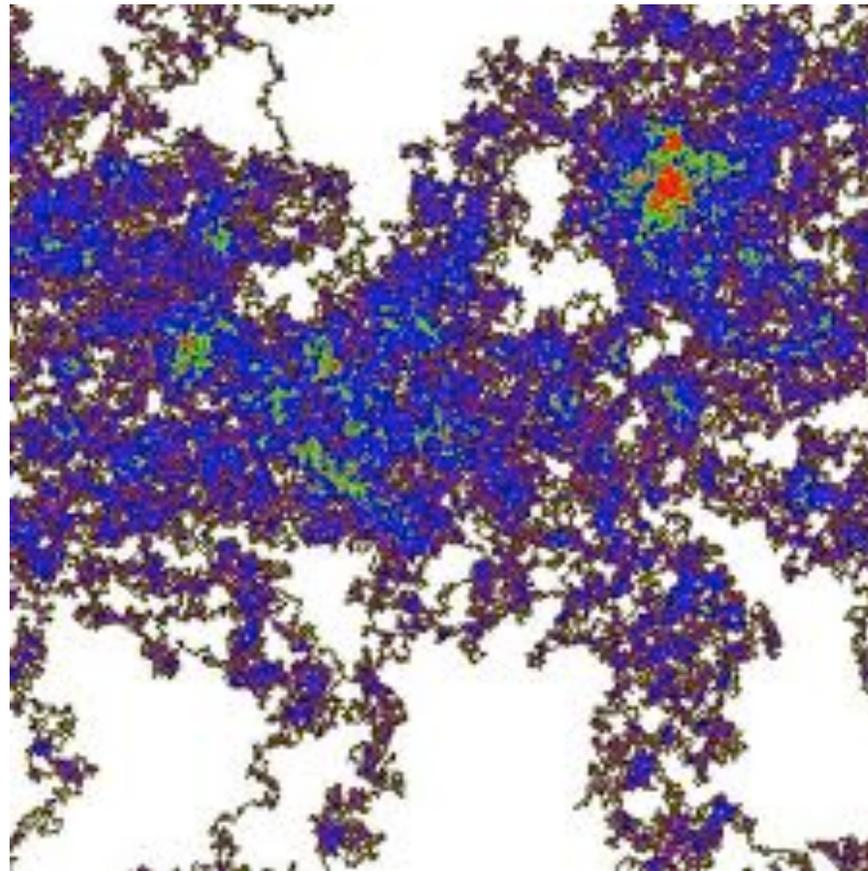
B.  $N^2$

C.  $N^3$

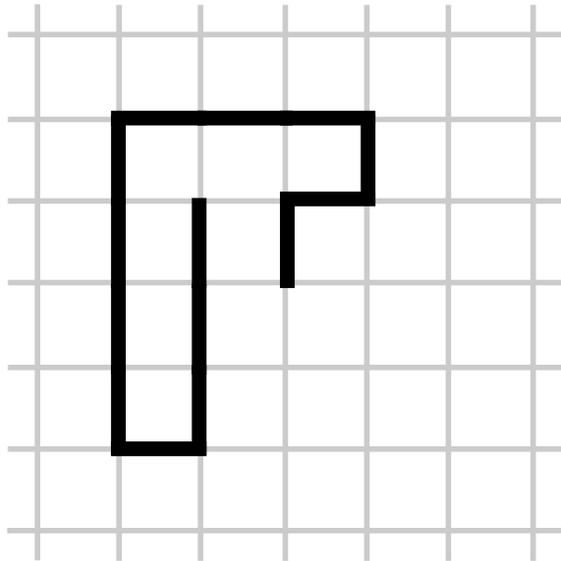
D.  $N^4$

# Application: 2D Random Walks

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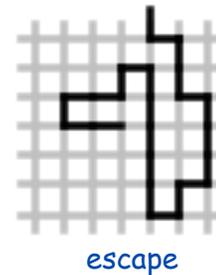
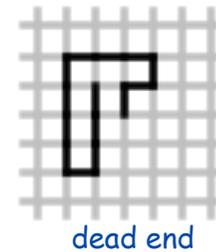
# Application: Self-Avoiding Walks



# Self-Avoiding Walk

## Model.

- N-by-N lattice.
- Start in the middle.
- Randomly move to a neighboring intersection, avoiding all previous intersections.
- Two possible outcomes: **escape** and **dead end**



**Applications.** Polymers, statistical mechanics, etc.

- Q. What fraction of time will you escape in an 5-by-5 lattice?
- Q. In an N-by-N lattice?
- Q. In an N-by-N-by-N lattice?

## Self-Avoiding Walk: Implementation

```
public class SelfAvoidingWalk
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        int N = Integer.parseInt(args[0]);    // lattice size
        int T = Integer.parseInt(args[1]);    // number of trials
        int deadEnds = 0;                     // trials ending at dead end

        for (int t = 0; t < T; t++)
        {
            boolean[][] a = new boolean[N][N]; // intersections visited
            int x = N/2, y = N/2;              // current position

            while (x > 0 && x < N-1 && y > 0 && y < N-1)
            {
                if (a[x-1][y] && a[x+1][y] && a[x][y-1] && a[x][y+1])
                { deadEnds++; break; }

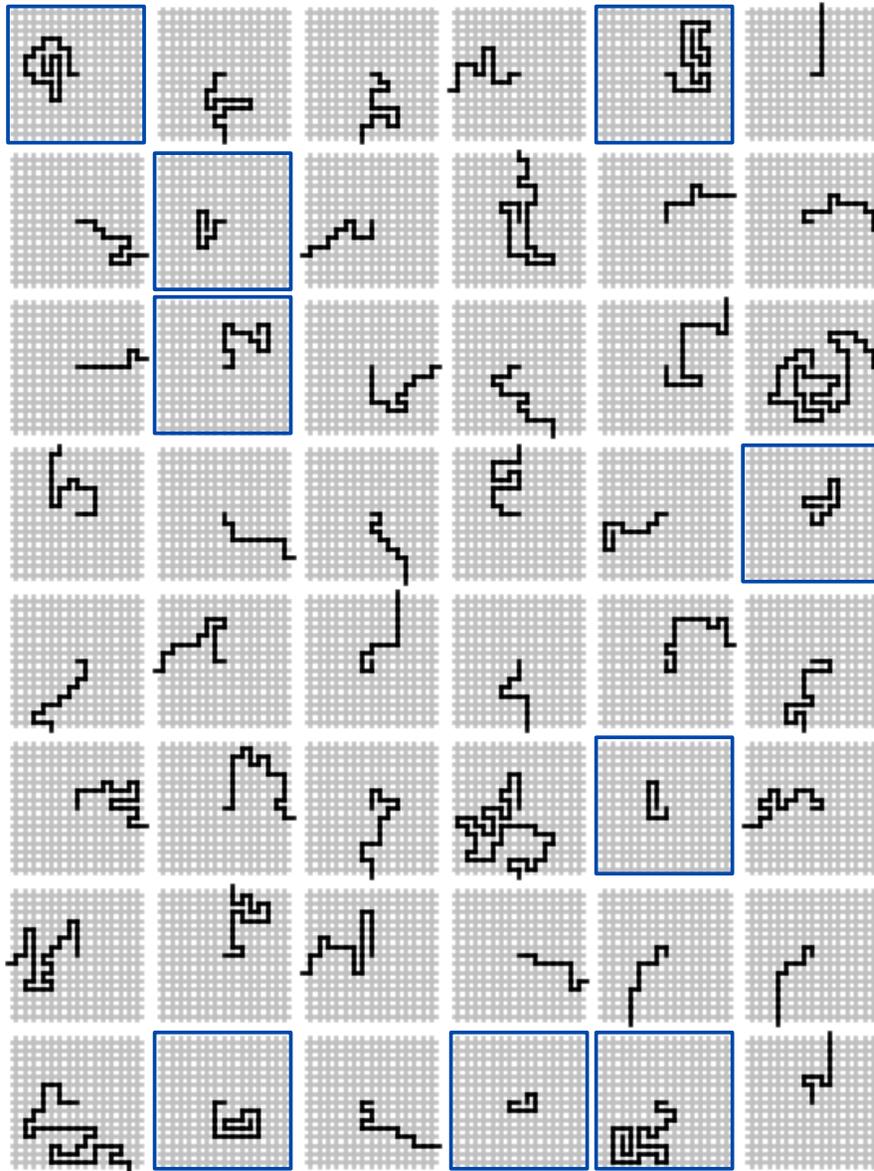
                a[x][y] = true;                // mark as visited

                double r = Math.random();
                if (r < 0.25) { if (!a[x+1][y]) x++; }
                else if (r < 0.50) { if (!a[x-1][y]) x--; }
                else if (r < 0.75) { if (!a[x][y+1]) y++; }
                else if (r < 1.00) { if (!a[x][y-1]) y--; }
            }
        }
        System.out.println(100*deadEnds/T + "% dead ends");
    }
}
```

dead end

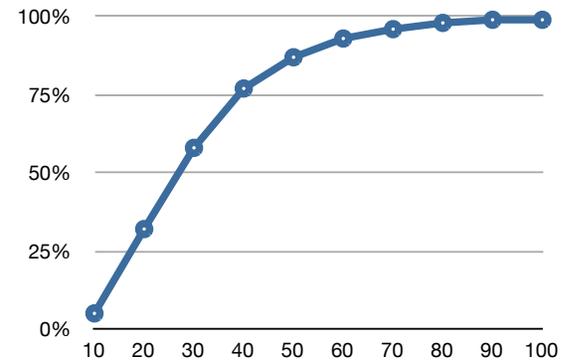
take a random  
step to a new  
intersection

# Self-Avoiding Walks



```

% java SelfAvoidingWalk 10 100000
5% dead ends
% java SelfAvoidingWalk 20 100000
32% dead ends
% java SelfAvoidingWalk 30 100000
58% dead ends
% java SelfAvoidingWalk 40 100000
77% dead ends
% java SelfAvoidingWalk 50 100000
87% dead ends
% java SelfAvoidingWalk 60 100000
93% dead ends
% java SelfAvoidingWalk 70 100000
96% dead ends
% java SelfAvoidingWalk 80 100000
98% dead ends
% java SelfAvoidingWalk 90 100000
99% dead ends
% java SelfAvoidingWalk 100 100000
99% dead ends
    
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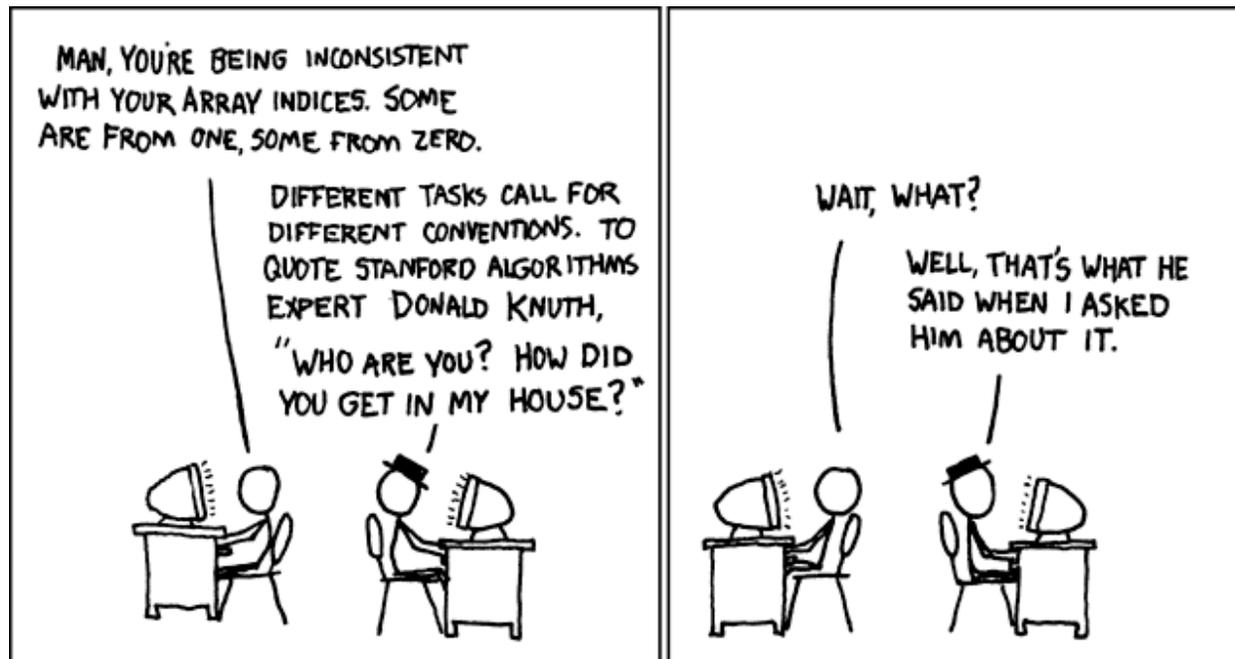


## Summary

### Arrays.

- Organized way to store huge quantities of data.
- Almost as easy to use as primitive types.
- Can directly access an element given its index.

**Ahead.** Reading in large quantities of data from a file into an array.



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