



EECS 1710

Programming for Digital Media

Lecture 2 :: Java Anatomy (Basics)

Announcements

- Course website (moodle + duplicate now available at):
 - https://www.eecs.yorku.ca/course_archive/2018-19/F/1710/
- New Lab Section (both sections run at same time)
 - LAB04 - Tuesday (LAS 1004)
 - Working on Lab 0 (on your own). Thursday group will start Lab 1.
 - Lab 1 will be posted before next lecture.
- Please try to read/work through tutorial on setting up a virtual machine (to use at home/remote access) in addition to Lab 0.
- Lab Schedule (so that you can find timeslots to enter & use the lab outside of your lab time):
 - <http://eecs.lassonde.yorku.ca/wp-content/uploads/Labs/Schedules/prism.pdf>

Introduction to Programming

Topics

- Anatomy of a program
- The declaration statement
- The assignment statement

Source code of
examples will be
posted online

Quick Tour

Example Program - Area.java

Figure 1.1

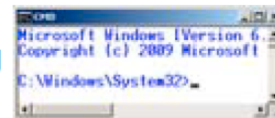
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Imports
Classes
Methods
Style

Demo using



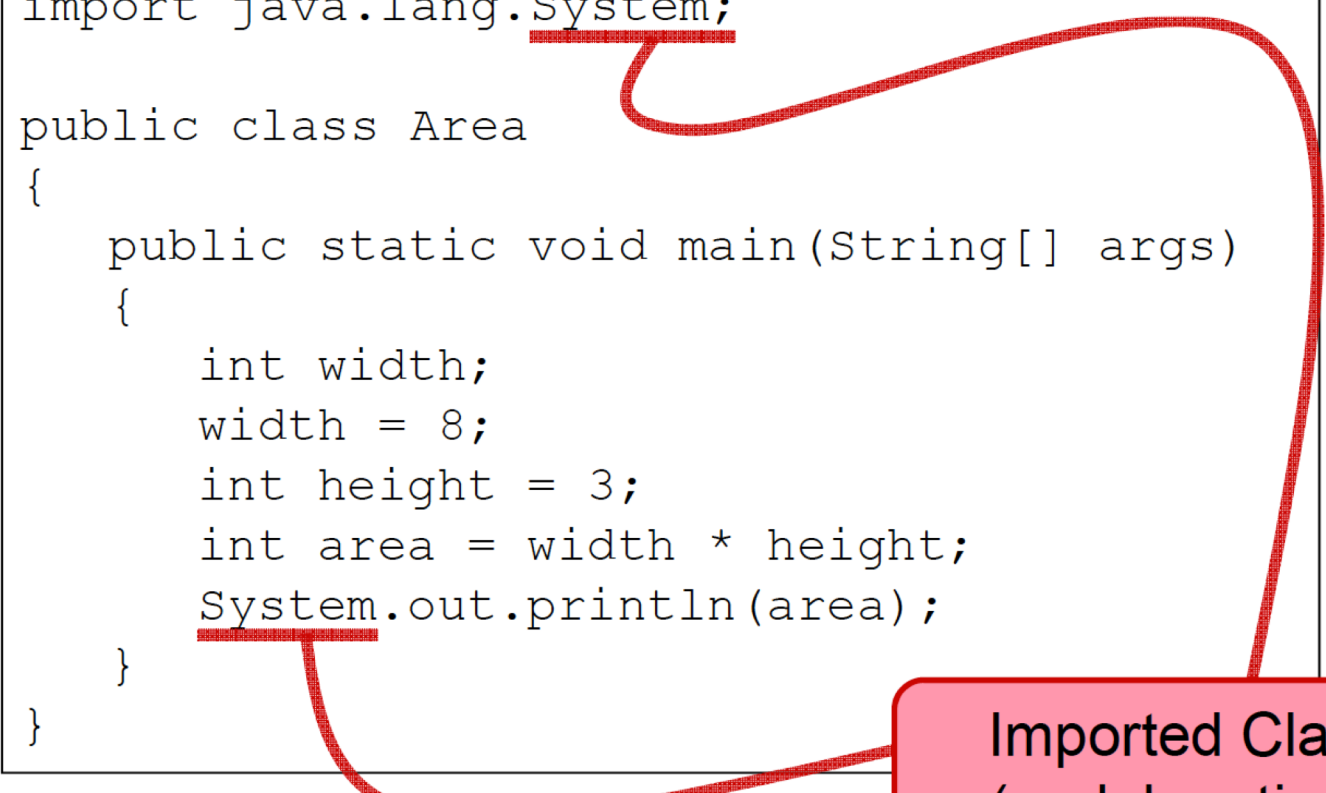
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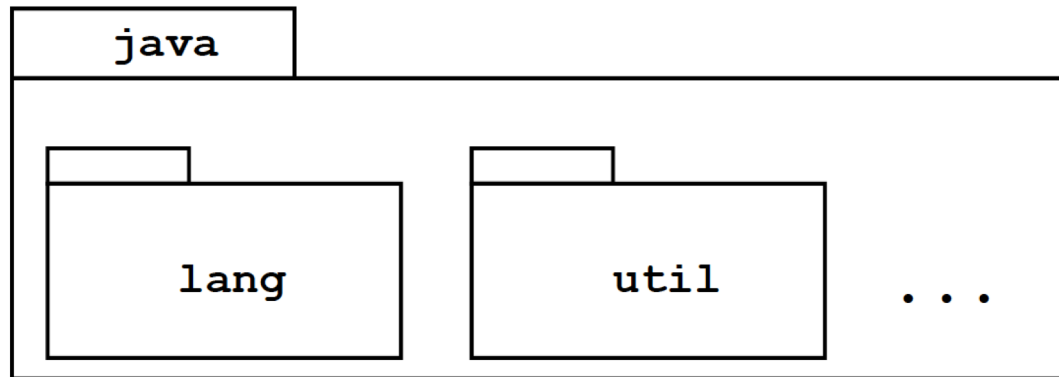
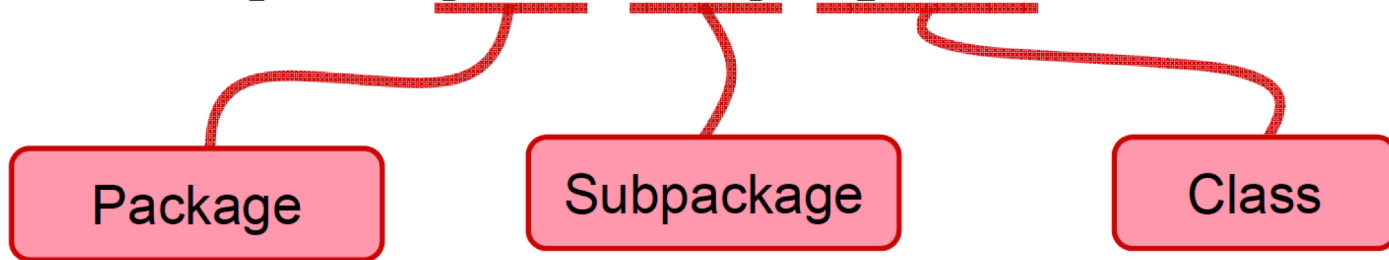
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Imported Class
(= delegation)

```
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```



System Class API

The screenshot shows the Oracle Java Platform Standard Ed. 8 API documentation for the `System` class. The browser address bar shows `docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/`. The left sidebar lists various Java packages and classes, with `System` selected. The main content area displays the class hierarchy, including `compact1, compact2, compact3` and `java.lang`. The class `System` is defined as `public final class System` extending `Object`. A description states: "The System class contains several useful class fields and methods. It cannot be instantiated." It also mentions facilities for standard input, output, error output streams, environment variables, file loading, and array copying. The "Since" section indicates it was introduced in JDK1.0. A "Field Summary" table lists the `PrintStream` field, which is the standard error output stream.

Overview of the `System` class API documentation:

- Navigation: OVERVIEW, PACKAGE, **CLASS**, USE, TREE, DEPRECATED, INDEX, HELP
- Links: **PREV CLASS**, **NEXT CLASS**, FRAMES, NO FRAMES
- Summary: NESTED | FIELD | CONSTR | METHOD | DETAIL: FIELD | CONSTR | METHOD
- Class Hierarchy:
 - `compact1, compact2, compact3`
 - `java.lang`
 - Class System**
 - `java.lang.Object`
 - `java.lang.System`
- Class Definition:

```
public final class System
extends Object
```
- Description:

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Among the facilities provided by the System class are standard input, standard output, and error output streams; access to externally defined properties and environment variables; a means of loading files and libraries; and a utility method for quickly copying a portion of an array.
- Since:

JDK1.0
- Field Summary:

Modifier and Type	Field and Description
static <code>PrintStream</code>	err The "standard" error output stream.

<http://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/>

- Instead of

```
import java.lang.System;
```

you can use an asterisk as a wildcard:

```
import java.lang.*;
```

- In this case, all classes in `java.lang` are available to be used in your program
- **Note:** `java.lang` is so important, that the above import is automatic (not so for other packages or subpackages)

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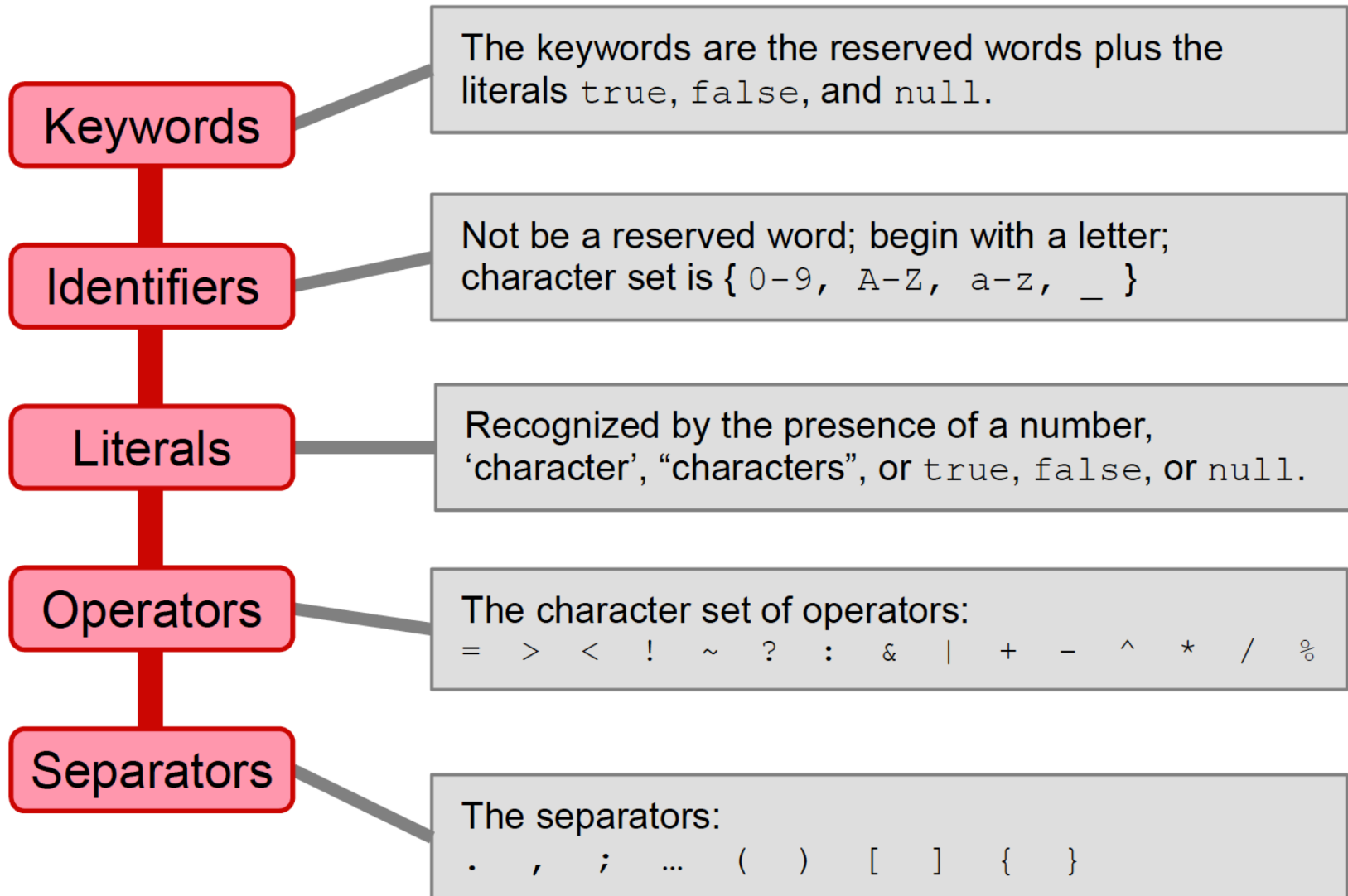
Method header

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Style

- **Class naming convention:**
 - Use title case unless an acronym
 - E.g., Math , UTL , StringTokenizer
- **Method naming convention:**
 - Use lowercase letters, except...
 - For multi-word names, capitalize the first letter of each subsequent word (no spaces)
 - E.g., main , equals , toString , isLeapYear
- **Block layout:**
 - Braces must align vertically and the all statements must
 - be left justified and indented by one tab position

Language Elements (key to a Java program):



A Note on Terminology

() Parentheses

[] Brackets

{ } Braces

Java Keywords

Reserved words:

<code>abstract</code>	<code>assert</code>				
<code>boolean</code>	<code>break</code>	<code>byte</code>			
<code>case</code>	<code>catch</code>	<code>char</code>	<code>class</code>	<code>const</code>	<code>continue</code>
<code>default</code>	<code>do</code>	<code>double</code>			
<code>else</code>	<code>enum</code>	<code>extends</code>			
<code>final</code>	<code>finally</code>	<code>float</code>	<code>for</code>		
<code>goto</code>					
<code>if</code>	<code>implements</code>	<code>import</code>	<code>instanceof</code>	<code>int</code>	<code>interface</code>
<code>long</code>					
<code>native</code>	<code>new</code>				
<code>package</code>	<code>private</code>	<code>protected</code>	<code>public</code>		
<code>return</code>					
<code>short</code>	<code>static</code>	<code>strictfp</code>	<code>super</code>	<code>switch</code>	<code>synchronized</code>
<code>this</code>	<code>throw</code>	<code>throws</code>	<code>transient</code>	<code>try</code>	
<code>void</code>	<code>volatile</code>				
<code>while</code>					

Literals: `true`, `false`, `null`

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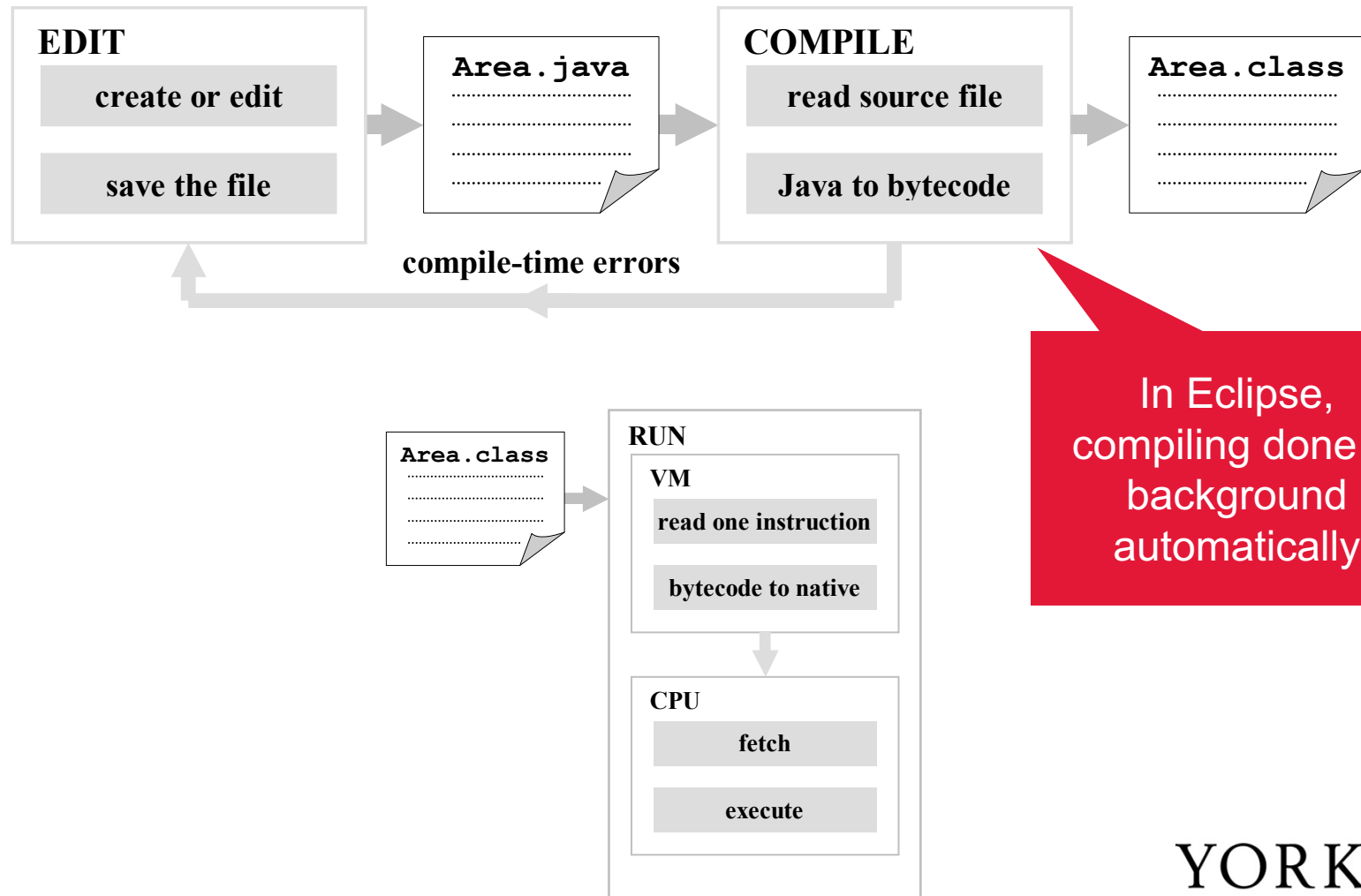
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Program Execution



Demo

- Quick discussion on OS (linux)
- Terminal vs. IDE (Integrated Development Environment)
- Example 1: terminal to compile & run
- Example 2: IDE to compile & run

Terminal

- Edit: (use a text editor.. e.g. gedit)
 % gedit Area.java
- Compile:
 % javac Area.java
- Run:
 % java Area

Topics

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Declaration Statement

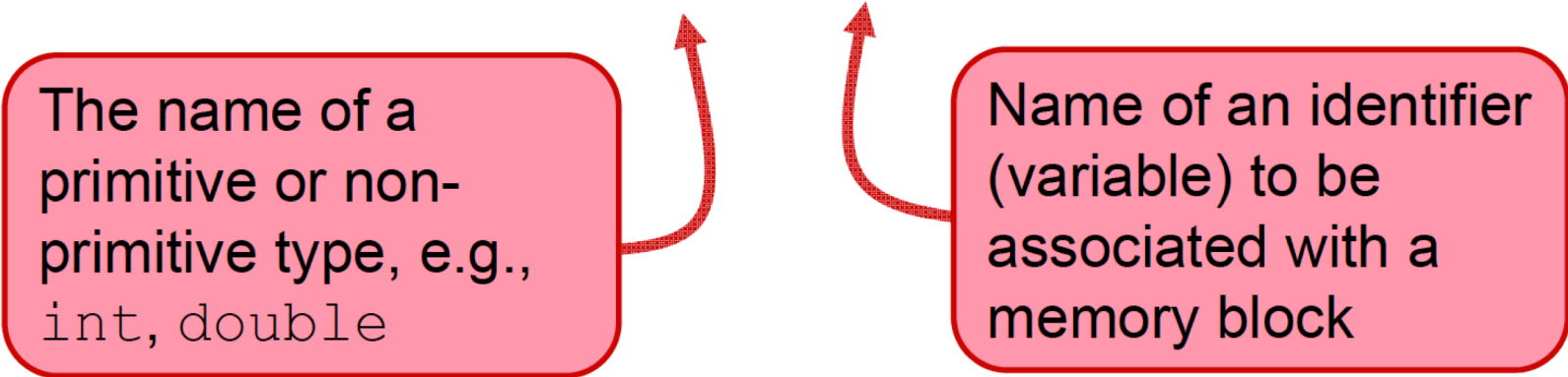
- The statement (from Area.java)

```
int width;
```

is of the general form

```
type name;
```

The name of a
primitive or non-
primitive type, e.g.,
`int`, `double`



Name of an identifier
(variable) to be
associated with a
memory block

Variable Scope

- Variables have *scope*
- A variable's scope is the variable's *enclosing block*
- The variable is not known outside of its scope

Variable Names

- Rules and guidelines for names of variables
 - Must be an identifier
 - Must not be in the scope of another variable with the same name
 - A good name reflects the content stored in the variable
 - Style
 - Use lowercase letters, but for multi-word names, capitalize the first letter of each subsequent word

Integer Types

- A type is a range of values and a set of operations on these values
- Operators: + (add), - (subtract), * (multiply), / (divide), % (remainder)
- Variations

Type	Range	Memory size
byte	$\approx \pm 100$	1 byte (= 8 bits)
short	$\approx \pm 30,000$	2 bytes (= 16 bits)
int	$\approx \pm 2 \times 10^9$	4 bytes (= 32 bits)
long	$\approx \pm 9 \times 10^{18}$	8 bytes (= 64 bits)

Default
literal

As a literal, L or l suffix (e.g. , `long x = 5L;`)

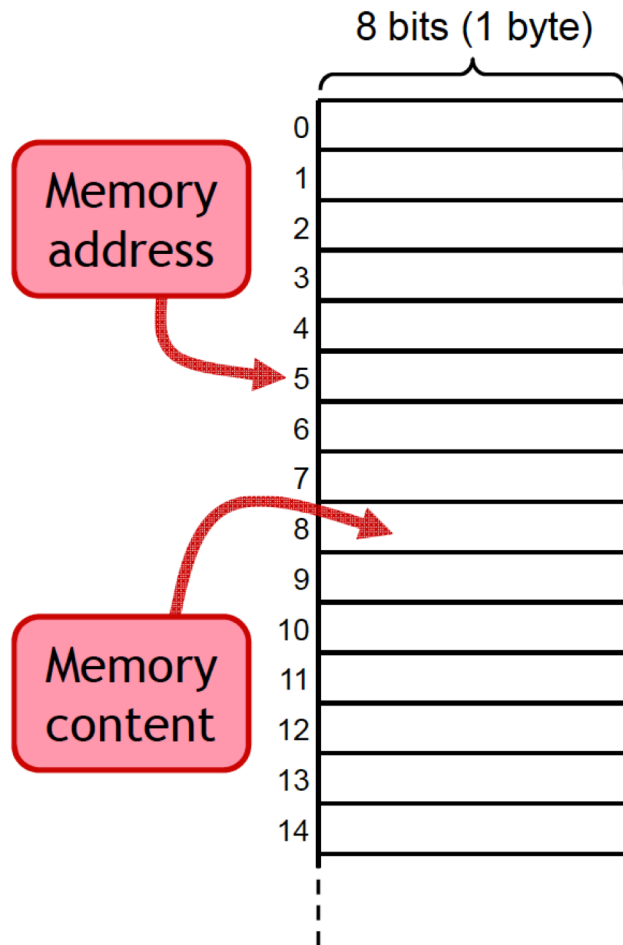
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- Quick primer on number systems!
- What is a bit? What is a byte??

Exact Range

Type	Bits	Low	High
byte	8	-2^7	$2^7 - 1$
short	16	-2^{15}	$2^{15} - 1$
int	32	-2^{31}	$2^{31} - 1$
long	64	-2^{63}	$2^{63} - 1$

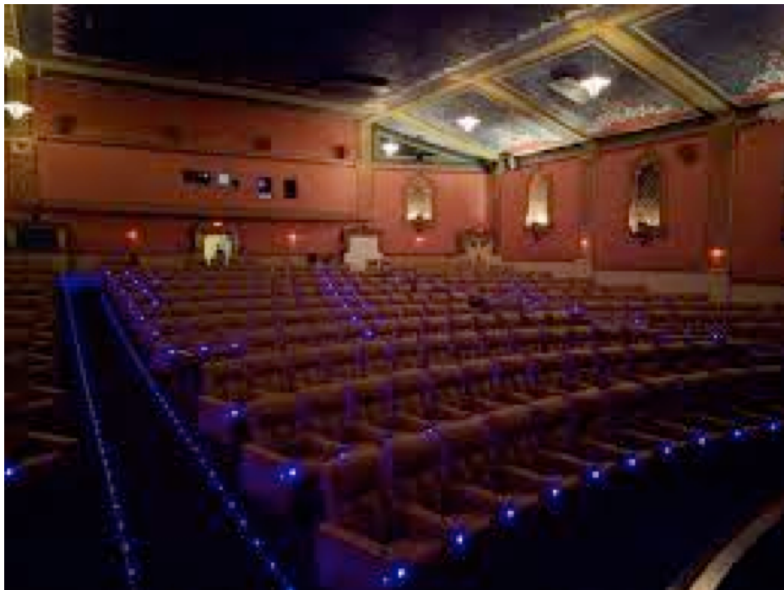
Computer Memory



- Memory is viewed as a one-dimensional arrangement of cells
- Each cell is 8 bits (*Note*: 1 byte = 8 bits)
- The total number of cells is the size of the memory
- Size is articulated in multiples of...
 - Kilobyte (1 KB = 1024 bytes)
 - Megabyte (1 MB = 1024 KB)
 - Gigabyte (1 GB = 1024 MB)
 - *Note*: $2^{10} = 1024$
- Memory addresses start at 0 and extend upward (see figure at left)

Analogy of a theatre

- Theatre: memory block (storage – X number of seats)
- Seats: memory element (individual location in theatre)
- People: values (temporarily resides in a seat)
- Tickets: variables (an identifier connecting name to seat)



Different types ?



Declaration and Memory

- With the declaration

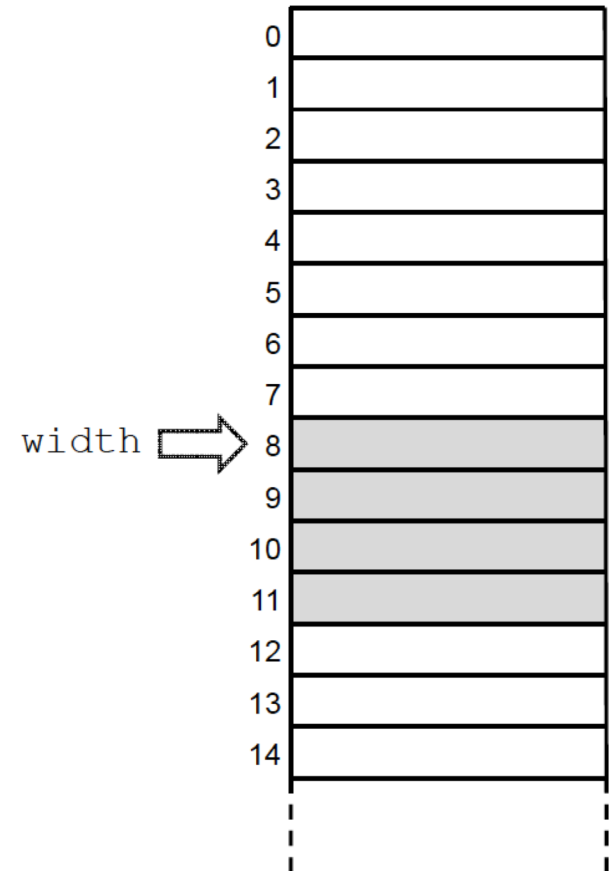
```
int width;
```

the compiler will set aside a 4-byte (32-bit) block of memory (see right)

- The compiler has a symbol table, which will have an entry such as

Identifier	Type	Block Address
width	int	8

- **Note:** No initialization is involved; there is only an association of a name with an address.



Reals (format, storage, range)

- Format
 - Formatted according to the IEEE-754 standard for floating point arithmetic
 - Includes a fractional part and a power (the details needn't concern us here)
- Storage
 - `float` → 4 bytes
 - `double` → 8 bytes
- Range
 - `float` → $\pm 10^{38}$ with 7 significant digits
 - `double` → $\pm 10^{308}$ with 15 significant digits

Real Examples

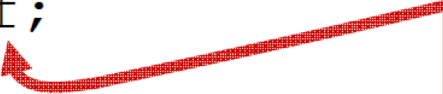
```
double x;
```

```
double interestRate = 1.5;
```

```
float z = -1.1f;
```

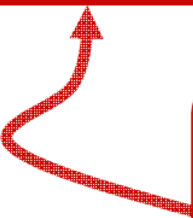
```
double abc = 3.4E-5;
```

Float literal
(default is
double)



Same as

0.000034



Special Cases

- What happens if...
 - Division by zero
 - Integers: throws an arithmetic exception
 - Reals: assigns a fictitious value, NaN (“not a number”)
 - Out of range result
 - Integers: range is treated as circular
 - Reals: assigns a fictitious value, `Infinity`