

Data Abstraction and Types

Read: Scott, Chapters 7.1-7.2 and 8

Announcements

- Welcome back!
- Quiz 8
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- HW 6 due Thursday
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Quiz 8 Q1 to Q3

Combinator: A lambda term with no free variables.

Combinators:

$$\text{tru} = \lambda x. \lambda y. x$$

$$\text{pair} = \lambda f. \lambda s. \lambda b. b f s$$

$$\text{fst} = \lambda p. p \text{tru}$$

Rules:

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1. When expanding an abbreviation (e.g. pair) always parenthesize!

2. Keep abbreviation for as long as possible! Until abbrev. is in some head position and we need to apply the function on arguments!

Q1. $\text{tru } v \ w = ((\text{tru } v) \ w)$

$$\underline{(\lambda x. \lambda y. x)} \ v \ w \rightarrow_{\beta} \underline{(\lambda y. x)} \ w \rightarrow_{\beta} \underline{x}$$

Q2. $\text{pair } v \ w = (\lambda f. \lambda s. \lambda b. b f s) \ v \ w \rightarrow_{\beta}$

$$\underline{(\lambda s. \lambda b. b \ v \ s)} \ w \rightarrow_{\beta} \lambda b. b \ v \ w$$

! Q3. $\text{fst} (\text{pair } v \ w) \rightarrow_{\beta}^* \underline{\text{fst}} (\lambda b. b \ v \ w)$

$$\underline{(\lambda p. p \ \underline{\text{tru}})} \ (\lambda b. b \ v \ w) \rightarrow_{\beta} (\lambda b. b \ v \ w) \ \text{tru} \xrightarrow[\text{Q1}]{\beta} \underline{\text{tru}} \ v \ w \rightarrow \underline{v}$$

↑ keep

Lecture Outline

- *Types (last time)*
- *Type systems (last time)*
 - *Type checking*
 - *Type safety*
- *Type equivalence (last time)*
- *More on types in C*

- *Primitive types*
- *Composite types*

Type Equivalence

- Two ways of defining type equivalence
 - **Structural equivalence**: based on “shape”
 - Roughly, two types are the same if they consists of the same components, put together in the same way
 - **Name equivalence**: based on lexical occurrence of the type definition
 - **Strict name equivalence**: aliased types are distinct
 - **Loose name equivalence**: aliased types are same

T1 x; ...

T2 y;

x = y; ✓ ✗

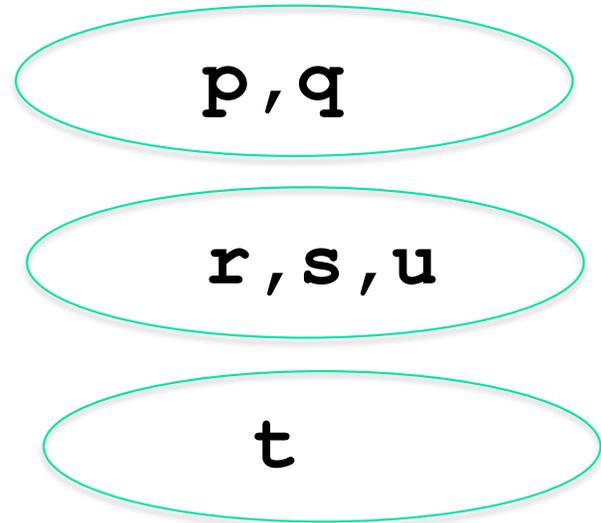
Exercise: Structural Equivalence

```
type cell = ... // ANON1record type
typealink = pointer ANON2to cell
typeblink =alink
p,q : pointer ANON3to cell
r :alink
s :blink
t : pointer ANON4to cell
u :alink
```

p, q, r, s, t, u

Exercise: Loose Name Equivalence

```
type cell = ... // record ANON1 type
typealink = pointer ANON2 to cell
type blink =alink
p,q : pointer ANON3 to cell
r :alink
s :blink
t : pointer ANON4 to cell
u :alink
```



Exercise: Strict Name Equivalence

```
type cell = ... // record type
```

```
typealink = pointer to cell
```

```
typeblink =alink
```

```
p,q : pointer to cell
```

```
r :alink
```

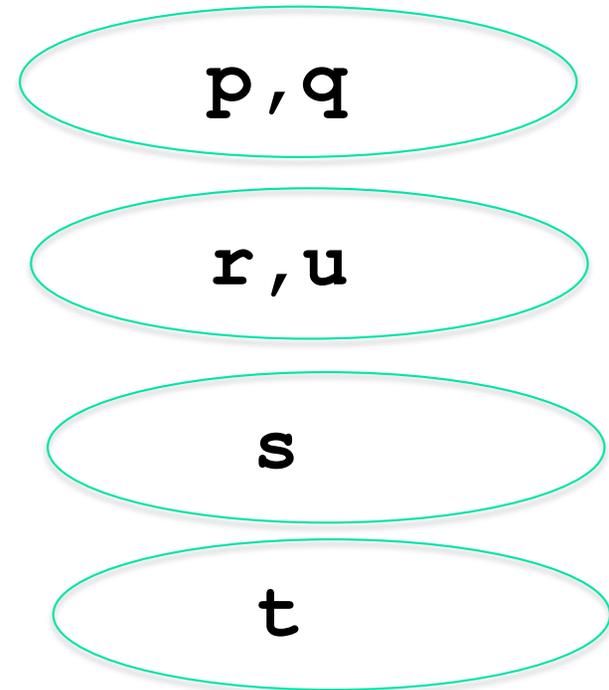
```
s :blink
```

```
t : pointer to cell
```

```
u :alink
```

Not only ANON2, ANON3, ANON4 are distinct butalink and blink are new distinct types.

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Example: Type Equivalence in C

- First, in the Algol family, **field names are part** of the record/struct constructed type. E.g., the record types below are NOT even structurally equivalent

```
type A = record
```

```
  x, y : real
```

```
end;
```

```
type B = record
```

```
  z, w : real
```

```
end;
```

Type Equivalence in C

- Compiler assigns internal (compiler-generated) names to anonymous types

This **struct** is of type **ANON1**.

```
struct RecA  
{ char x;  
  int y;  
} a;
```

```
typedef struct  
{ char x;  
  int y;  
} RecB;
```

```
struct  
{ char x;  
  int y;  
} c;
```

ROUGHLY MEANS: $\text{struct } \{ \text{char } x; \text{ int } y; \} = \text{RecB}$

```
RecB b;
```



What variables are of **equivalent type** according to the rules in C?

struct RecA, RecB and ANON1 are distinct types, even though they are structurally equivalent.

Type Equivalence in C

```
struct RecA  
{ char x;  
  int y;  
} a;  
RecB b;
```

```
typedef struct  
{ char x;  
  int y;  
} RecB;
```

```
struct  
{ char x;  
  int y;  
} c;
```

RecA: struct
/ \
x:char y:int

RecB: struct
/ \
x:char y:int

ANON1: struct
/ \
x:char y:int

a = b; ✗

a = (struct RecA) b; ✓

```
struct RecB  
{ char x;  
  int y;  
}
```

RecA, RecB and ANON1
are distinct struct types.

Type Equivalence in C

- C uses structural equivalence for everything, except unions and structs, for which it uses loose name equivalence

```
struct A
```

```
{ char x;
```

```
  int y;
```

```
}
```

```
struct B
```

```
{ char x;
```

```
  int y;
```

```
}
```

```
typedef struct A C;
```

C is an alias of struct A.

```
typedef C *P;
```

P is a pointer to C, struct A.

```
typedef struct B *Q;
```

Q is a pointer to struct B.

```
typedef struct A *R;
```

*~ struct A = *R*

```
typedef int Age;
```

```
typedef int (*F)(int);
```

*~ int = (*F)(int)*

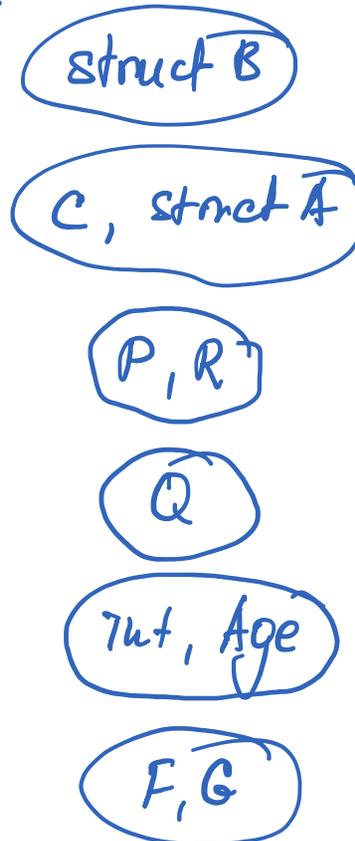
```
typedef Age (*G)(Age);
```

Type Equivalence in C

- C uses structural equivalence for everything, except unions and structs, for which it uses loose name equivalence

```
struct A
{ char x;
  int y;
}
typedef struct A C;
typedef C *P;
typedef struct B *Q;
typedef struct A *R;
typedef int Age;
typedef int (*F)(int);
typedef Age (*G)(Age);
```

Equivalence classes:



Type Equivalence in C

- `struct B { char x; int y; };`
- `typedef struct B A;`
- `struct { A a; A *next; } aa;`
- `struct { struct B a; struct B *next; } bb;`
- `struct { struct B a; struct B *next; } cc;`

ANON 1

ANON 2

A a;
struct B b;

(a, b)

(aa)

(bb)

(cc)

ANON1 and ANON2 are two distinct types.

a = b; ✓

aa = bb; ✗

bb = cc; ✗

Which of the above assignments pass the type checker?

Question

- Structural equivalence for record types is considered a bad idea. Can you think of a reason why?

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VON Neumann

→ procedural, imperative

→ functions are first-class values

→ value model for variables

FORTRAN, ALGOL, C

Pointers and Arrays in C

- Pointers and arrays are **interoperable**:

```
int n;  
int *a;  
int b[10];
```

Interoperable means, we can use a pointer type where an array type is expected, and vice versa, we can use an array type where a pointer type is expected. We can assign an array variable to a pointer variable.

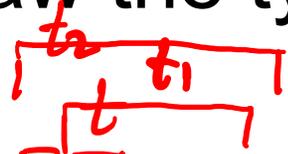
1. **a = b;** ✓
2. **n = a[3];** ✓
3. **n = *(a+3);** ✓
4. **n = b[3];**
5. **n = *(b+3);** ✓

Declaration in C

struct, pointer, array, union
 * []
 → (Law)

- What is the meaning of the following declaration in C? Draw the type trees.

1. `int *a[n]` ~ `int *a[n]`



1. a: t: array

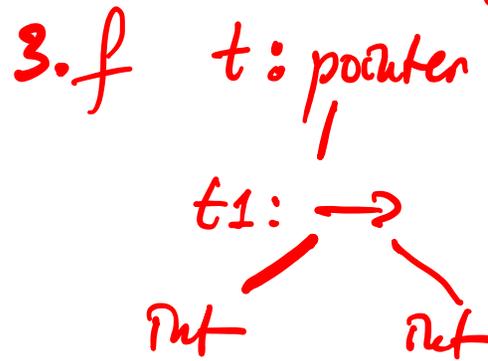
2. `int (*a)[n]`

t: pointer

3. `int (*f)(int)`

t2: int

2. a: t: pointer
 t1: array
 t2: int



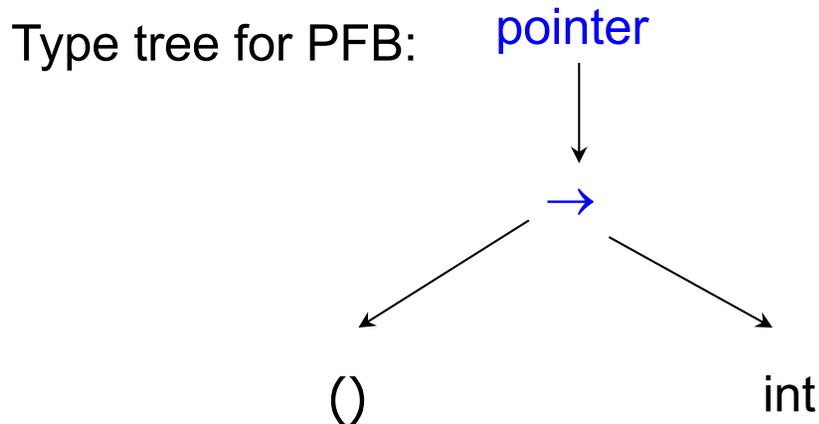
* has the lowest precedence. (int, pointer, array)

Declaration in C

```
typedef int (*PFB)(); // Type variable PFB: what type?
struct parse_table { // Type struct parse_table: what type?
    char *name;
    PFB func; };
int func1() { ... } // Function func1: what type?
int func2() { ... }

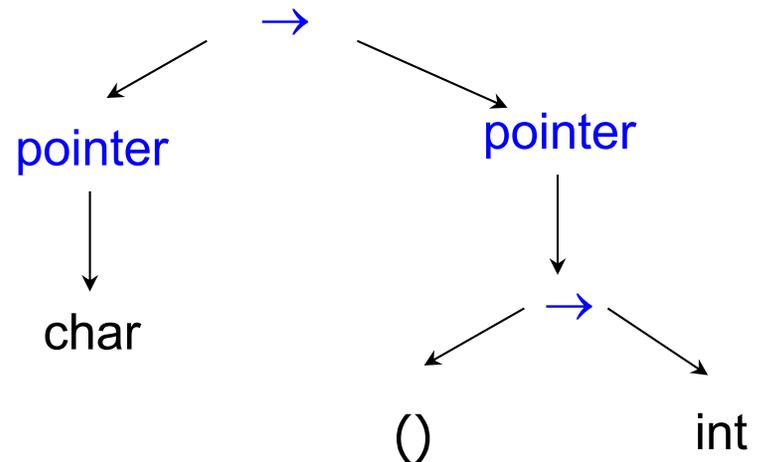
struct parse_table table[] = { // Variable table: what type?
    {"name1", &func1},
    {"name2", &func2}
};
PFB find_p_func(char *s) { // Function find_p_func: what type?
    for (i=0; i<num_func; i++)
        if (strcmp(table[i].name,s)==0) return table[i].func;
    return NULL; }
int main(int argc,char *argv[]) {
    ... }
```

Declarations in C



Type tree for type of `find_p_func`:

English: a function that takes a pointer to char as argument, and returns a pointer to a function that takes void as argument and returns int.



Exercise

```
struct _chunk {
    char name[10];
    int id; };
struct obstack {
    struct _chunk *chunk;
    struct _chunk *(*chunkfun)();
    void (*freefun) (); };

void chunk_fun(struct obstack *h, void *f) {
    h->chunkfun = (struct _chunk *(*)(f)); }
void free_fun(struct obstack *h, void *f) {
    h->freefun = (void (*)(f)); }

int main() {
    struct obstack h;
    chunk_fun(&h,&xmalloc);
    free_fun(&h,&xfree); ... }
```

// Type struct_chunk: what type?

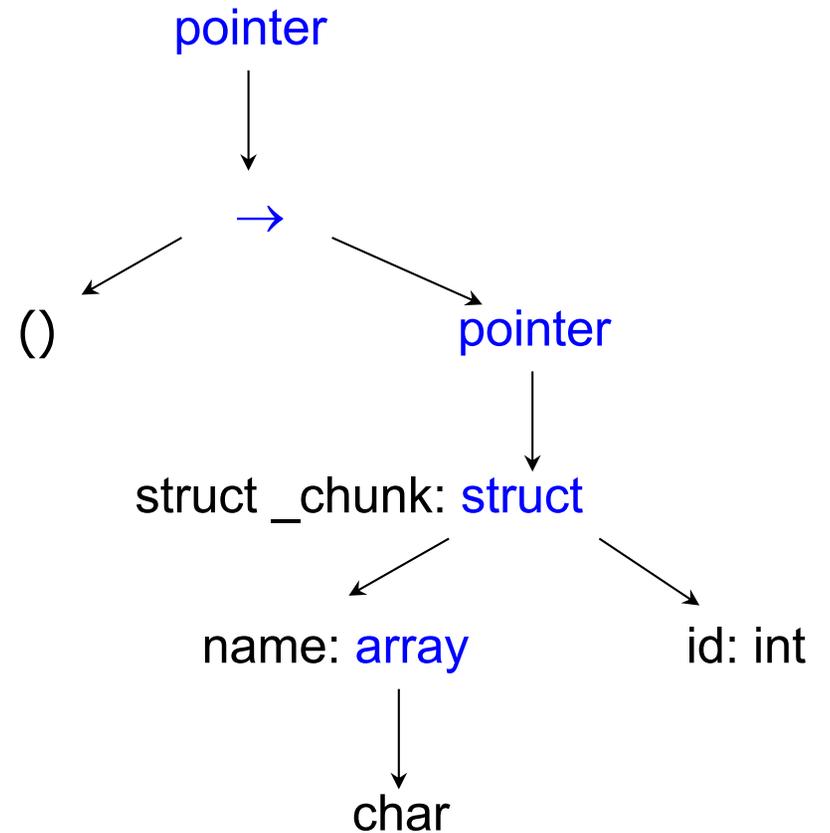
// Type struct_obstack: what type?

// Function chunk_fun: what type?

// Function free_fun: what type?

Declarations in C

Type tree for type of field `chunkfun`:



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struct, union, array, pointer, ⇒

Primitive Types

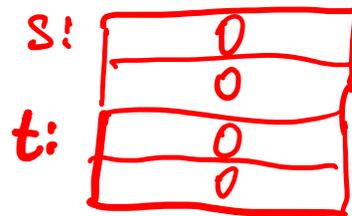
- A small collection of built-in types
 - integer, float/real, etc.
- Design issues: e.g., boolean
 - Use integer non-0/0 vs. true/false?
- Implementation issues: representation in the machine
 - Integer
 - Length fixed by standards or implementation (portability issues)
 - Multiple lengths (C: short, int, long)
 - Signs
 - Float/real
 - All issues of integers and more

Int
Integer

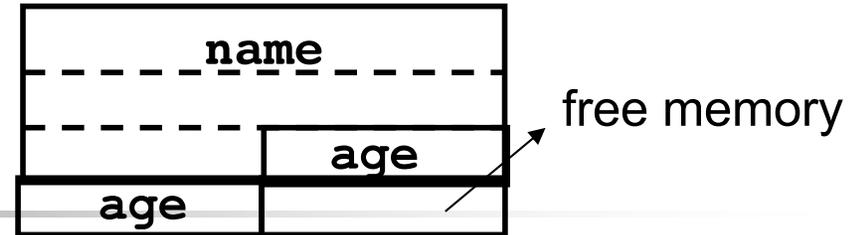
Composite Types: Record (Struct)

- Collection of heterogeneous fields
- Operations
 - Selection through field names (e.g., `s.num`)
 - Assignment
 - Example: structures in C

```
typedef struct cell listcell;
struct cell {
    int num;
    listcell *next;
} s, t;
s.num = 0;
s.next = 0;
t = s;
```



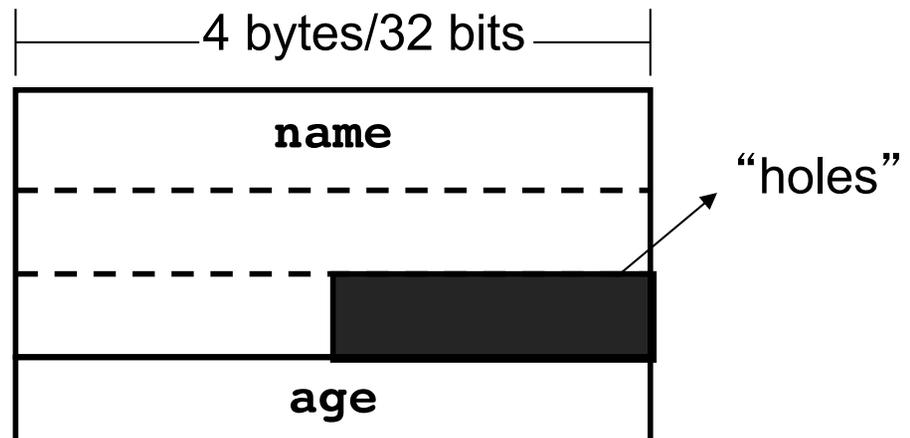
Record (Struct)



- Definition of type. What is part of the type?
 - order and type of fields (but not the name)
 - name and type of fields
 - **order, name and type of fields**
- Implementation issues: memory layout
 - Successive memory locations at offset from first byte. Usually, word-aligned, but sometimes **packed**

```
typedef struct {  
    char name[10];  
    int age;  
} Person;
```

```
Person p;
```



Composite Types: Variant (Union)

- Collection of alternative fields; only one alternative is valid during execution
 - Fortran: equivalence
 - Algol68 and C: unions
 - Pascal: variant records
- Problem: how can we assure type safety?
 - Pascal and C are not type-safe
 - Algol68 is type-safe due to run-time checks
- Usually, alternatives use same storage; value access is mutually exclusive

Variant (Union)

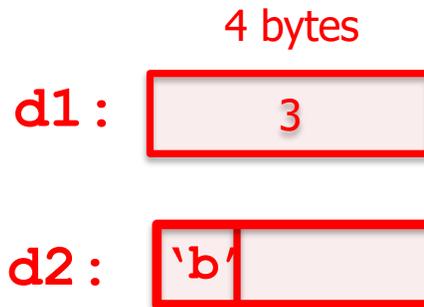
- Example: unions in C

```
union data {
```

```
    int k; 4 bytes
```

```
    char c; 1 byte
```

```
} d1, d2;
```



- Operations

- Selection through field names, Assignment:

```
d1.k = 3; d2 = d1; d2.c = 'b';
```

- What about type safety?

```
if (n>0) d1.k=5 else d1.c='a';
```

```
... d1.k << 2 ... // What is the problem?
```

Pascal's Variant Record

```
program main(input,output);
type paytype = (salaried,hourly);
var employee : record
  id : integer;
  dept: integer;
  age : integer;
  case payclass: paytype of
    salaried:
      (monthlyrate : real;
       startdate : integer);
    hourly:
      (rateperhour : real;
       reghours : integer;
       overtime : integer);
  end;
```

Type tag

```
begin
employee.id:=001234;
employee.dept:=12;
employee.age:=38;
employee.payclass:=hourly;
employee.rateperhour:=2.75;
employee.reghours:=40;
employee.overtime:=3;
writeln(employee.rateperhour,
         employee.reghours,
         employee.overtime);
{this should bomb as there is no
 monthlyrate because
 payclass=hourly}
writeln(employee.monthlyrate);
```

Output:

```
2.750000E+00      40      3
2.750000E+00
```

Pascal's Variant Record

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  dept: integer;
  age : integer;
  case payclass: paytype of
    salaried:(
      monthlyrate : real;
      startdate : integer);
    hourly: (
      rateperhour : real;
      reghours : integer;
      overtime : integer);
end;
```

```
employee.payclass:=salaried;
employee.monthlyrate:=575.0;
employee.startdate:=13085;
{this should bomb as there are no
 rateperhour, etc. because
 payclass=salaried}
writeln(employee.rateperhour,
employee.reghours
employee.overtime);
writeln(employee.monthlyrate);
end.
```

Output:

```
5.750000E+02    13085    3
5.750000E+02
```

Composite Types: Array

- Homogeneous, indexed collection of values
- Access to individual elements through subscript
- There are many design choices
 - Subscript syntax
 - Subscript type, element type
 - When to set bounds, compile time or run time?
 - How to initialize?
 - What built-in operations are allowed?

Array

- Definition of type. What is part of the type?
 - bounds/dimension/element type
 - Pascal
 - dimension/element type
 - C, FORTRAN, Algol68
- What is the lifetime of the array?
 - Global lifetime, static shape (in static memory)
 - Local lifetime (in stack memory)
 - Static shape (stored in stack frame)
 - Shape bound when control enters a scope
 - “Global” lifetime, dynamic shape (in heap memory)

Example: Algol68 Arrays



- Array type includes dimension and element type; it does not include bounds

`[1:12] int month; [1:7] int day; row int`

`[0:10,0:10] real matrix;`

`[-4:10,6:9] real table; (row,row) real`

Ex.,: `[1:10] [1:5,1:5] int kinglear;`

- What is the type of `kinglear`? *row ((row,row) int)*
- What is the type of `kinglear[j]`? *(row,row) int*
- What is the type of `kinglear[j][1,2]`? *int*
- `kinglear[1,2,3]` ? *ERROR*

Array Addressing

- One dimensional array
 - $\mathbf{x}[\mathbf{low}:\mathbf{high}]$ each element is \mathbf{E} bytes
 - Assuming elements are stored into consecutive memory locations, starting at address $\mathbf{addr}(\mathbf{x}[\mathbf{low}])$, what is the address of $\mathbf{x}[\mathbf{j}]$?
 $\mathbf{addr}(\mathbf{x}[\mathbf{low}]) + (\mathbf{j} - \mathbf{low}) * \mathbf{E}$
 - E.g, let $\mathbf{x}[0:10]$ be an array of reals (4 bytes)
 - $\mathbf{x}[3]$? is $\mathbf{addr}(\mathbf{x}[0]) + (3-0)*4 = \mathbf{addr}(\mathbf{x}) + 12$
 - $\mathbf{x}[1]$ is at address $\mathbf{addr}(\mathbf{x}[0]) + 4$
 - $\mathbf{x}[2]$ is at address $\mathbf{addr}(\mathbf{x}[0]) + 8$, etc

Array Addressing

Array **y** is a **[0:2, 0:5] int** matrix

Assume row-major order and find the address of **y[1, 3]**

address of **y[1, 3]** = $\text{addr}(\mathbf{y}[0, 0]) + (5-0+1) * 4 * (1-0) + (3-0) * 4$

6 elements per row

1 row before row 1

3 elements in row 1 before 3

$$= \text{addr}(\mathbf{y}[0, 0]) + 24 + 12$$

$$= \text{addr}(\mathbf{y}[0, 0]) + 36$$

- Analogous formula holds for column-major order
- Row-major and column-major layouts generalize to n-dimensional arrays

Array Addressing

- Row-major and column-major layouts generalize to n-dimensional arrays

$x[0:L, 0:M, 0:N]$

$x[0,0,0], x[0,0,1], x[0,0,2],$
 $x[0,1,0], x[0,1,1] \dots$

$x[0,0,0], x[1,0,0], x[2,0,0]$
 $x[0,1,0], x[1,1,0] \dots$

Composite Types: Pointers

- A variable or field whose value is a reference to some memory location
 - In C: `int *p;`
- Operations
 - Allocation and deallocation of objects on heap
 - `p = malloc(sizeof(int)); free(p);`
 - Assignment of one pointer into another, e.g.,
 - `int *q = p; int *p = &a;`
 - Dereferencing of pointer: e.g., `*q = 1;`
 - Pointer arithmetic, e.g., `p + 2`

Pointers: Recursive Types

- **A recursive type** is a type whose objects may contain objects of the same type
 - Necessary to build linked structures such as linked lists
- **Pointers** are necessary to define recursive types in languages that use the value model for variables:

```
struct cell {  
    int num;  
    struct cell *next;  
}
```

Pointers: Recursive Types

- Recursive types are defined naturally in languages that use the reference model for variables:

```
class Cell {  
    int num;  
    Cell next;  
  
    Cell() { ... }  
    ...  
}
```

The End
