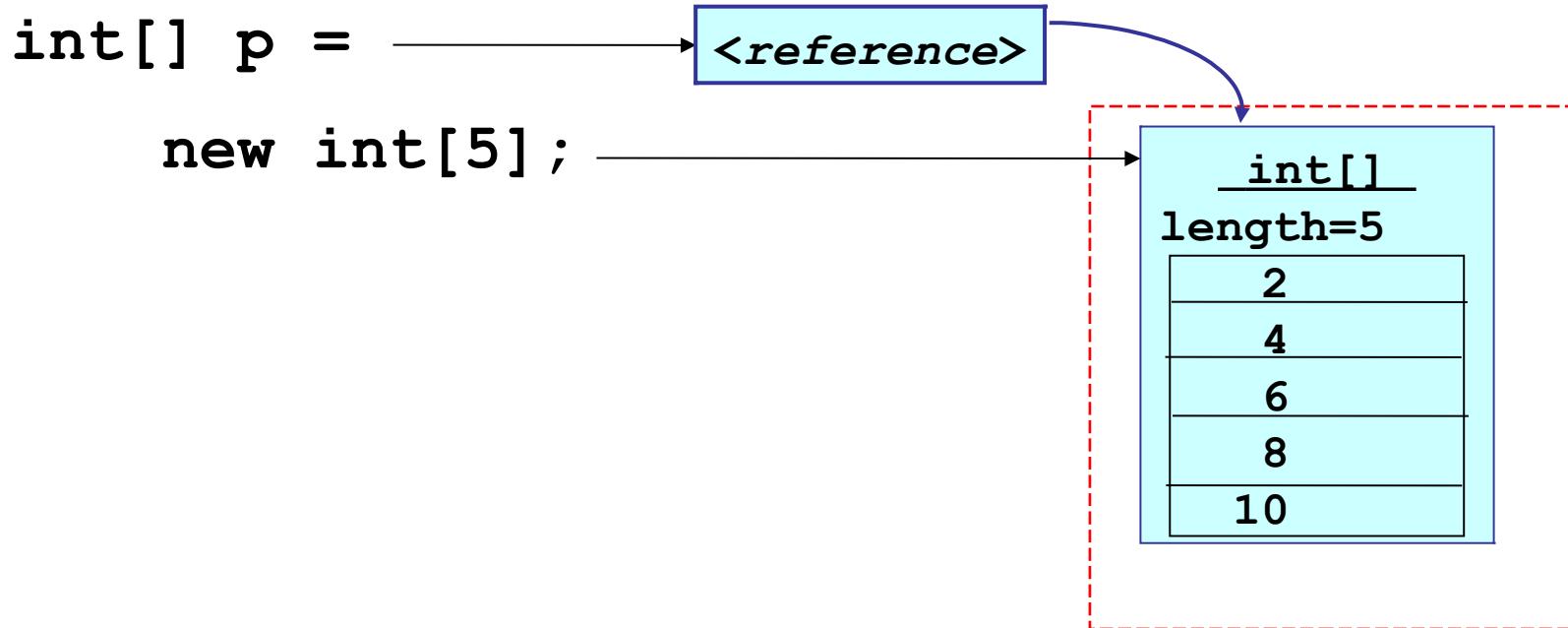


# Multi-dimensional Arrays

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# 1-Dimensional Arrays

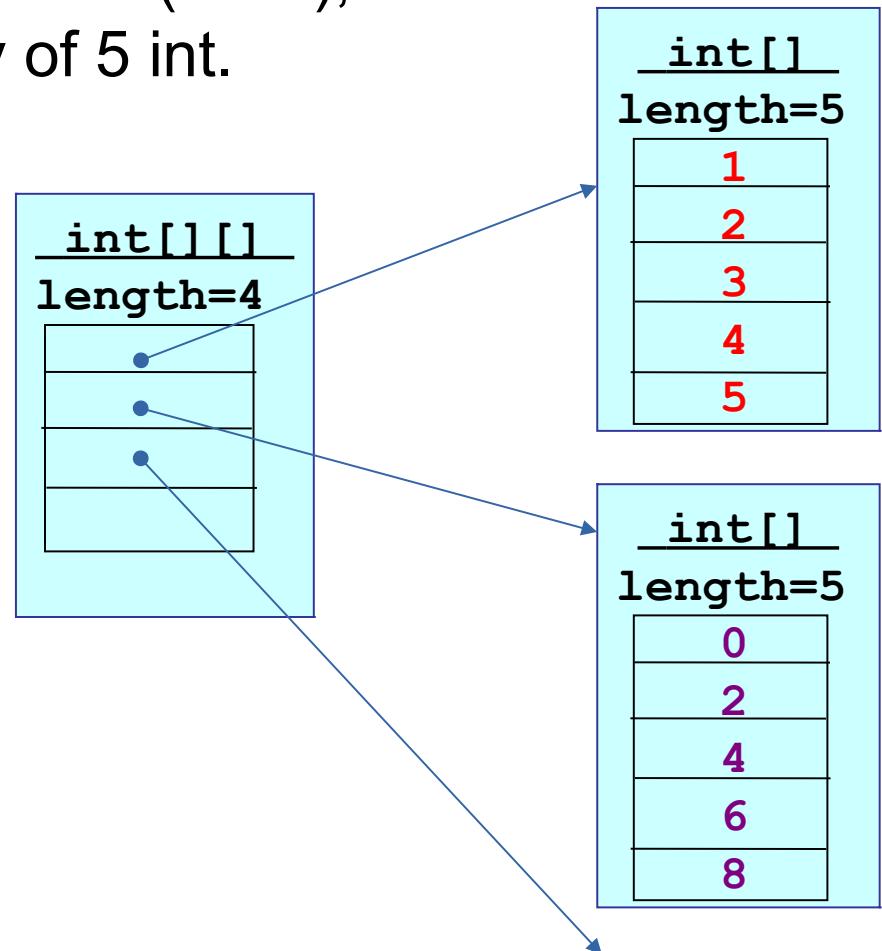
- An array is a sequence of values of same type
- In Java, array is an object and knows its own length



# 2-Dimensional Arrays

- A 2-dimensional array is an *array of arrays*
- *Example:* array of 4 elements (rows), each element is an array of 5 int.

```
int [][] m = _____  
        new int[4][5];  
  
for(k=0 ;k<5 ;k++) {  
  
    m[0] [k] = k;  
  
    m[1] [k] = 2*k;  
  
}
```



# 2-dimensional Array Syntax

1. Define a two-dimensional array reference:

```
int [][] score;
```

2. Create an array object with 4 "rows" of length 5 each:

```
score = new int[4][5];
```

- 1-2. Perform both steps at once:

```
int [][] score = new int[4][5];
```

3. Assign value to "row" j, element (column) k

```
score[j][k] = 999;
```

# Example: student scores

`score[j]` = the scores for j-th student (an array)

```
/* score[j][k] = score of student j on lab k */
int NSTUDENT = 50; // we have 50 students
int NLAB = 10; // there are 10 labs
int [][] score = new int[NSTUDENT] [NLAB];

/* read the lab scores */
for(int student=0; student< NSTUDENT; student++) {
    for(int lab=0; lab < NLAB; lab++)
        score[student][lab] = scanner.nextInt();
}
```

# Visualize the Lab Scores

`score =` 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 71 & 58 & 95 & 80 & 92 & 85 & 73 & 78 & 50 & 47 \\ 80 & 93 & 0 & 80 & 75 & 71 & 70 & 80 & 49 & 52 \\ 70 & 79 & 82 & 77 & 85 & 60 & 62 & 45 & 46 & 55 \\ \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

`score[2][3] =` (column 3) scores for all students on **lab 3**.

`score[2][] =` Scores for **student 2** (an array of int)

`score[2][0] = 70, score[2][1] = 79, ...`

# 2-D Array in Memory

score[0] --> score[0][1], score[0][2], ..., score[0][9]

score[1] --> score[1][1], score[1][2], ..., score[1][9]

score[2] --> score[2][1], score[2][2], ..., score[2][9]

score is an "array of arrays"

**score[2]** is an array of int (int[10])

# Summing Lab Scores by Student

- Sum the scores for student **n**:

```
int n = 8; // 9-th student (index starts at 0)
int sumScores = 0;
for(int lab=0; lab<NLAB; lab++)
    sumScores = sumScores + score[n][lab];
```

- Code Improvement: replace NLAB with the actual length of this student's scores.

```
int n = 8; // 9-th student (index starts at 0)
int sumScores = 0;
for(int lab=0; lab<_____ ; lab++)
    sumScores = sumScores + score[n][lab];
```

# Average scores for one lab

Find the average score on lab 5:

```
int lab = 5;  
int sum = 0;  
for(int j=0; j<NSTUDENT; k++)  
    sum = sum + score[j][lab];  
double average = ((double)sum) / NSTUDENT;
```

- Code Improvement: use actual #students in score[][]

```
int lab = 5;  
int sum = 0;  
for(int j=0; j<_____ ; k++)  
    sum = sum + score[j][lab];  
double average = ((double)sum) / _____;
```

# Array length

Two-dimensional arrays have a `.length`

```
int [][] a = ....;
```

`a.length` is the number of rows in a

`a[0].length` is the length of row 0

`a[1].length` is the length of row 1

$$\text{score} = \begin{bmatrix} 71 & 58 & 95 & 80 & 92 & 85 & 73 & 78 & 50 & 47 \\ 80 & 93 & 0 & 80 & 75 & 71 & 70 & 80 & 49 & 52 \\ 70 & 79 & 82 & 77 & 85 & 60 & 62 & 45 & 46 & 55 \\ \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

`score.length` is 50 (rows, or students)

`score[0].length` is 10

# Exercise: use `.length`

- How many students in the `score` 2-D array?

```
int[][] score = readAllScores( );
                           // all student scores
// How many students are in the array?
int numberOfStudents = score._ ;
```

- How many lab scores does student `n` have?

```
int n = 8;      // 9-th student
int sum = 0;
for(int lab=0; lab < _____; lab++)
    sum = sum + score[n][lab];
```

# Array as Matrix

columns →

$$a = [a_{row,col}] = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 10 & 15 & 20 \\ 10 & 20 & 30 & 40 \end{bmatrix}, a_{23} = 40$$

↓ rows

```
int [][] a = new int[3][4];  
a[1][2] = 15;  
a[0][3] = 4;  
System.out.println( a.length ); // = 3  
System.out.println( a[0].length ); // = 4
```

# Common Array Usage

- To process every element in an array, a common usage is two nested "for" loops like this:

```
/* sum all elements in the array */
int sum = 0;
for(int row=0; row < score.length; row++) {
    for(int col=0; col < score[row].length; col++) {
        /* process element a[row] [col] */
        sum = sum + score[row] [col];
    }
    /* finished processing of this row */
}
```

# Initializing a 2-D array

- Example: set all elements to 1

```
for(int j=0; j<a.length; j++) /* rows */  
    for(int k=0; k<a[j].length; k++) /* cols */  
        a[j][k] = 1;
```

- Example: initialize  $b[\text{row}][\text{col}] = \text{row} + \text{col}$

```
for(int j=0; j<b.length; j++) { /* rows */  
    for(int k=0; k<b[j].length; k++) { /* cols */  
        // process element b[j][k]  
        b[j][k] = j + k;  
    }  
}
```

# 2-D array as parameter or return

- Method with 2D array as parameter:

```
public int[] sumScore( int[][] scores ) {
```

- Return a 2D array of double:

```
public double[][] makeMatrix( int size ) {  
    double[][] theMatrix = new double[size][size];  
    // put some values in theMatrix  
    . . .  
    return theMatrix;  
}
```

# The Hadamard Matrix

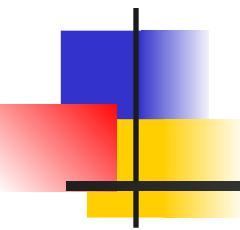
$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1/2 & 1/3 & 1/4 & \dots \\ 1/2 & 1/3 & 1/4 & 1/5 & \dots \\ 1/3 & 1/4 & 1/5 & & \\ 1/4 & 1/5 & & \ddots & \\ \vdots & \vdots & & & \ddots \end{bmatrix}$$

```
//TODO Write a method that returns a
//      Hadamard matrix of any size >= 1.

public _____ makeHadamard( int size)
```

# The Hadamard Method

```
public double[][] makeHadamard(int size) {  
    double[][] matrix = new double[size][size];  
  
    for(int k=0; k<size; k++) {  
        // be lazy -- its symmetric  
        for(int j=0; j<=k; j++) {  
            matrix[j][k] = matrix[k][j] = 1.0/(1+j+k);  
        }  
    }  
    return matrix;  
}
```



# The *Truth* about 2-D Arrays

Java doesn't have 2-dimensional array!

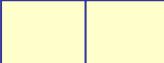
# 2-D array is an array of 1-D arrays

- 2-D array in Java is really an **array of arrays**.
- Each row of the array is an array reference.

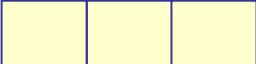
```
final int N = 10;  
double [][] a;  
a = new double[N] [ ]; // create rows (an array)  
for(int k=0; k<N; k++)  
    a[k] = new double[k+1]; // create columns
```

a[0] = 

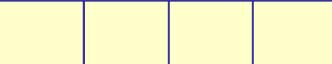
a[0] is an array: = new double [1]

a[1] = 

a[1] is an array: = new double [2]

a[2] = 

a[2] is an array: = new double [3]

a[3] = 

a[2] is an array: = new double [1]

# Ragged Array Example

- We record the rainfall month for the days when it rains.
- How would you read this data into a 2-D array?
- How would you compute the total rainfall each month?

Rainfall data						
jan	5	1.5	2.3	0.5	2.0	0.1
feb	4	1.1	0.3	0.3	1.0	
mar	3	1.0	1.3	0.3		
apr	0					
may	0					
jun	0					
jun	0					
jul	1	1.5				
aug	4	0.8	1.2	1.8	0.9	
sep	10	2.4	1.8	3.0	2.0	1.5
					2.0	1.8
					3.2	1.1
					0.9	

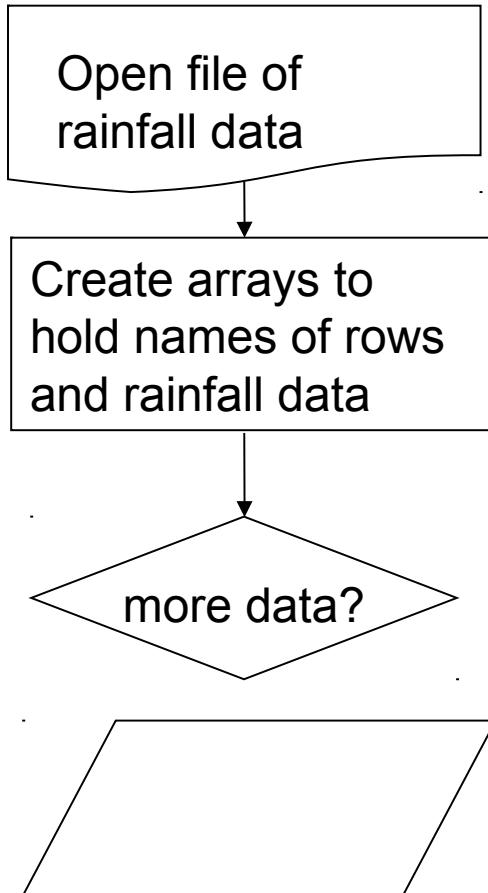
No rain

# Output from Rainfall Problem

---

Month	Total Rain	Number of Rain days
Jan	6 . 4	5
Feb	2 . 7	4
Mar	... .	... .

# Algorithm for Rainfall Problem

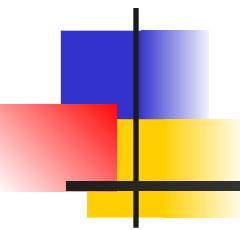


`month [] = row names`

`rain[][] = rain each day  
of each month`

`read month[k]`

`read number of data points  
this month.`



## Examples of 2-D Arrays

Some extra examples. OK to skip these slides.

# rowmax: find the max in each row

- rowmax( int[][] a) returns the max value from each row

$$a = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 12 & 8 \\ 10 & 2 & 7 & 9 \\ 4 & 11 & 10 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{rowmax}(a) = \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 10 \\ 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

- in each **row**, find the maximum element like this:

```
/* find the largest value in this row */
max = a[row][0];
for(int col=1; col < a[row].length; col++)
    if ( a[row][col] > max ) max = a[row][col];
/* done processing this row.  save max value. */
rowmax[ row ] = max;
```

# rowmax: find the max of each row (2)

- rowmax returns an array: one element for each row of a

```
public static int [] rowmax( int [][] a ) {  
    int max;  
    int rows = a.length;  
    int [] rowmax = new int[ rows ];  
    for(int row = 0; row < rows; row++) {  
        /* find the largest value in this row */  
        max = a[row][0];  
        for(int col=1; col < a[row].length; col++)  
            if ( a[row][col] > max ) max = a[row][col];  
        /* record the max value for this row. */  
        rowmax[ row ] = max;  
    }  
    return rowmax;  
}
```

# Pascal's Triangle

- Pascal's Triangle is a pyramid of binomial coefficients.
- Each element is the sum of 2 elements above it.

			1			
		1	1			
	1	2	1			
1	3	3	1			
1	4	6	4	1		
1	5	10	10	5	1	

Pascal's triangle can be applied to combinatorial problems. It can also be used in algebra:

$$(x+y)^4 = 1x^4 + 4x^3y + 6x^2y^2 + 4xy^3 + 1y^4$$

# Pascal's Triangle (2)

Implement Pascal's Triangle as a 2-D array of size n.

1. Create a 2-D array with n rows:

```
int [][] p = new int[n];
```

2. Create each row (say, row number `row`)

```
p[row] = new int[row+1];
```

3. Compute elements using Pascal's rule

```
p[row][0] = p[row][row] = 1;
```

```
p[row][k] = p[row-1][k] + p[row-1][k-1];
```

# Pascal's Triangle (3)

- Implement Pascal's Triangle as a 2-D array.

```
/** generate Pascal's triangle of size n rows */
int [][] Pascal( int n ) {
    // create array for row references
    int [][] p = new int[n];
    // create row = 0, 1, ..., n-1 of triangle
    for(int row=0; k < n; k++) {
        p[row] = new int[row+1];
        p[row][0] = 1;
        for(int k=1; k<p[row]; k++)
            p[row][k] = c[row-1][k] + p[row-1][k-1];
        p[row][row] = 1;
    }
    return p; // return reference to 2-D array
}
```

# Vector-Matrix Multiplication

How would you multiply a 2-dimensional array **a** by a 1-dimensional array **x**?

```
/* return a vector that is the product of a*x (matrix * vector) */
public static double [] multiply( double[][] a,
    double [] x) {
    int nrows = a.length;
    int ncols = x.length;
    double [ ] y = new double[ nrows ];
    for(int i = 0; i < nrows; i++ ) {
        double sum = 0.0;
        for(int j = 0; j < ncols; j++)
            sum += a[i][j]*x[j];
        y[i] = sum;
    }
    return y;
}
```

# Array Multiplication

- Let

$A = [a_{ij}]$  = array of size  $m \times n$

$B = [b_{ij}]$  = array of size  $n \times p$

- What is  $C = A * B$  ?
- What are the dimensions of  $C$ ?  $m \times p$
- Formula for computing  $C = [c_{ij}]$

$$c_{i,j} = \sum_{k=1}^n a_{i,k} b_{k,j}$$

# Transpose an Array

- A common task to switch the rows and columns of an array.

$$a = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 5 & 10 & 15 & 20 \\ 10 & 20 & 30 & 40 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{transpose}} a^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 5 & 10 \\ 2 & 10 & 20 \\ 3 & 15 & 30 \\ 4 & 20 & 40 \end{bmatrix}$$

If  $a$  is a  $3 \times 4$  array,

then  $b = \text{transpose}(a)$  is a  $4 \times 3$  array,

such that  $b[j][k] = a[k][j]$  for all  $j, k$ .

# Transpose an Array (2)

- A **transpose** method must return a new array.

**int[][]:** the return value  
is a 2-D array of **int**

**int[][] a:** this parameter  
is a 2-D array of **int**

```
public static int [][] transpose( int [][] a ) {  
    int rows = a.length;  
    int cols = a[0].length;  
    int [][] atrans = new int [cols] [rows];  
    .  
    .  
    .  
    .  
    return atrans;  
}
```

new array for the transpose of a

return a *reference* to an **int[][]** array.

# Transpose an Array (3)

- Inside the method we use the standard *pattern*:

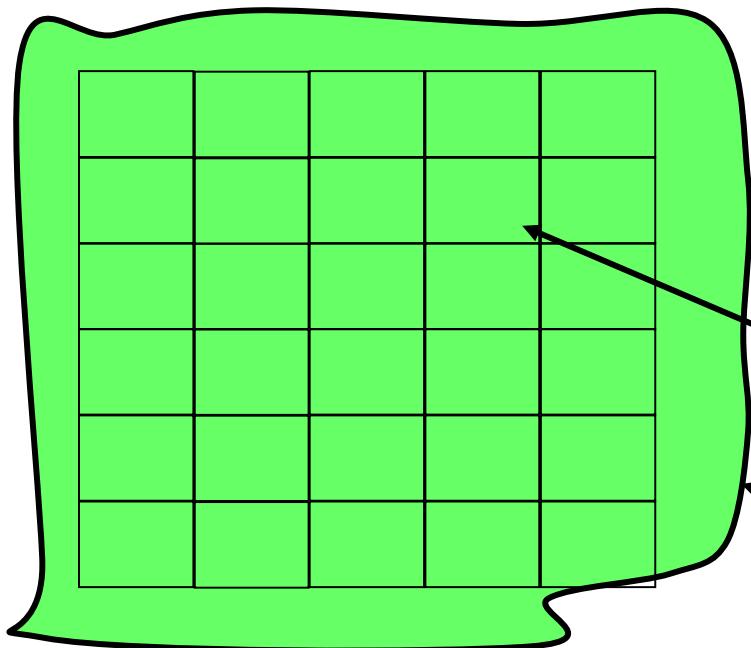
```
for(int row=0; row < number_of_rows; row++)  
    for(int col=0; col < number_of_cols; col++)  
        process_element a[row][col]
```

```
public static int [][] transpose( int [][] a ) {  
    int rows = a.length;  
    int cols = a[0].length;  
    int [][] atrans = new int [cols] [rows];  
    for(int row = 0; row < rows; row++) {  
        for(int col=0; col < cols; col++)  
            atrans [col] [row] = a [row] [col];  
    }  
    return atrans;  
}
```

return a reference to the new array.

# Example: Contamination

- An environmental engineer is assessing the levels of contaminant in the soil at a polluted site. The contaminated area has been divided into a grid and the level of contaminant ( $C$ ) has been measured in each rectangle in the grid.



This data can be stored as a 2D array and analysed

grid of sample locations

contaminated site

# Contamination Example (2)

- A student collects the data and enters it in an array...

```
double [][] c = {  
    { 0.002, 0.005, 0.004, 0.007, 0.006 },  
    { 0.003, 0.001, 0.008, 0.009, 0.010 },  
    { 0.002, 0.003, 0.006, 0.009, 0.008 },  
    { 0.001, 0.002, 0.005, 0.008, 0.007 },  
    { 0.001, 0.002, 0.004, 0.005, 0.003 },  
    { 0.002, 0.001, 0.004, 0.003, 0.002 } };
```

**Q:** What are the dimensions of the C array?

**Q:** Why do we have nested parenthesis?

```
double [][] c = { { a, b, c}, { d, e, f}, ... { m, n, o} } ;
```

# Contamination Example (2)'

- You can also initialize each row separately...

```
double [][] c = new double[6][]; // 6 rows  
c[0] = { 0.002, 0.005, 0.004, 0.007, 0.006 };  
c[1] = { 0.003, 0.001, 0.008, 0.009, 0.010 };  
c[2] = { 0.002, 0.003, 0.006, 0.009, 0.008 };  
c[3] = { 0.001, 0.002, 0.005, 0.008, 0.007 };  
c[4] = { 0.001, 0.002, 0.004, 0.005, 0.003 };  
c[5] = { 0.002, 0.001, 0.004, 0.003, 0.002 };
```

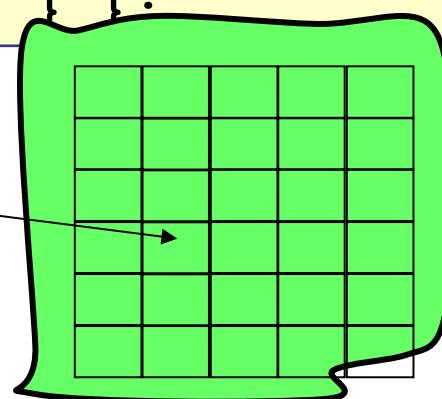
**This method works even if the rows are different sizes.**

# Contamination Example (3)

- We have another array of data with the soil depth (in cm) in each grid cell (depth of soil down to bedrock).

```
double [][] depth = { // dept in centimeters  
    { 285, 310, 320, 315, 300 },  
    { 275, 305, 310, 320, 295 },  
    { 270, 300, 300, 310, 280 },  
    { 260, 290, 280, 270, 255 },  
    { 255, 285, 270, 265, 250 },  
    { 250, 280, 265, 260, 240 } }
```

What is the depth of this cell?



# Contamination Example (4)

- The size of each cell is 2 meter by 2 meter.  
So the area of each cell is  $4 \text{ m}^2 = 40,000 \text{ cm}^2$ .
- the formula for calculating from concentration (c) is:

```
mass = concentration * volume ;
```

- the volume of one cell is  $40,000 * \text{depth}$ .
- the mass of pollutant in cell [j] [k] is:

```
mass in cell [j] [k] = c[j] [j] * volume  
= c[j] [k] * ( 40000 * depth[j] [k] ) ;
```

- we need to sum this over all cells in the grid.

# Contamination Example (5)

- Use nested for loops to sum the pollution over all grid cells...

```
double [][] c = { /* concentration data */ } ;
double [][] depth = { /* grid depth data */ } ;
double area = 40000; // surface area per cell
double sum = 0.0;

for (int row=0; row < c.length; row++) {
    for (int col=0; col < c[row].length; col++)
        sum += c[row][col] * area * depth[row][col];
}

// sum = total mass of pollutant
```

# Building Materials

- A company makes 3 grades of cement. Each grade uses a different proportion of 4 raw materials.
- **Input:** the number of tons (1000 kg) of each product that will be produced.
- Output: how many tons of filler, binder, hardener, and sealant are needed?

**Filler    Binder    Hardener    Sealant**

**Product 1** 0.80 0.18 0.02 0.00

**Product 2** 0.74 0.20 0.02 0.04

**Product 3** 0.64 0.22 0.04 0.10

# Building Materials (2)

- Let amount of each product to produce be:

`prod[1]` = tons of Product 1

`prod[2]` = tons of Product 2

`prod[3]` = tons of Product 3

- Output: tons of filler, binder, hardener, and sealant

`filler` =  $0.80 * \text{prod}[1] + 0.74 * \text{prod}[2] + 0.64 * \text{prod}[3]$

`binder` =  $0.18 * \text{prod}[1] + 0.20 * \text{prod}[2] + 0.22 * \text{prod}[3]$

`harden` =  $0.02 * \text{prod}[1] + 0.02 * \text{prod}[2] + 0.04 * \text{prod}[3]$

	<b>Filler</b>	<b>Binder</b>	<b>Hardener</b>	<b>Sealant</b>
<b>Product 1</b>	<b>0.80</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Product 2</b>	<b>0.74</b>	<b>0.20</b>	<b>0.02</b>	<b>0.04</b>
<b>Product 3</b>	<b>0.64</b>	<b>0.22</b>	<b>0.04</b>	<b>0.10</b>

# Building Materials (3)

```
/** Compute the amount of raw materials needed to
 * produce a given quantity of 3 products.
 * @param product is an array of quantities of
 *                 the 3 products.
 * @return amount of raw materials needed.
 */
public double [] materials( double [] product ) {
    // mat = matrix of raw material per unit prod
    // mat[k] = { filler, binder, harden, sealant}
    //           for product k.
    double [][] mat = { {0.80, 0.18, 0.02, 0.0 },
                       {0.74, 0.20, 0.02, 0.04 },
                       {0.64, 0.22, 0.04, 0.10 } };
```

# Building Materials (4)

```
double [][] mat = { {0.80, 0.18, 0.02, 0.0} ,  
                     {0.74, 0.20, 0.02, 0.04} ,  
                     {0.64, 0.22, 0.04, 0.10} } ;  
// how many raw materials are there?  
int materials = mat[0].length;  
// define an array for returned values  
double [] quantity = new double[ materials ] ;  
// compute the quantity of each  
// raw material: sum over all products  
for(int m= 0; m < materials; m++) {  
    double sum = 0;  
    for(int k= 0; k < product.length; k++)  
        sum = sum + product[k]*mat[k] [m] ;  
    quantity[m] = sum;  
}
```