Composite data types: vectors and matrices

Lecture 6

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Definition

- Data: “container” for values (var or const)
- Value: something that is put in the data (everything that is representable with a sequence bits)
- Data type (DT): class for data and operations to manipulate it

Data

- Categories:
  - Basic data types: integers, floats, characters, enumerable types,…
  - Structured data (data structures): matrices, records, lists,…
- Specification:

  attributes : "technical" aspects for managing data
  values : what you can put inside the data
  operations : what you can do with that data
- Implementation: how the specification is realized in practice

Basic data type: integer

- Specification:
  - attributes : how it is represented in the internal memory
  - values : the maximum and minimum are defined: [MinInt], [MaxInt]
  - operations : sum, multiplication, subtraction, division,…

- Implementation:
  - attributes : decide at compile-time or at run-time
  - values : nothing to declare
  - operations : HW operations: `ADD, MUL, …`

```
procedure: Sum(x,y) = x + y
  …
```

Data structure: array

- Specification:

  attributes

  - number of the components
  - type of components
  - a way to access them etc.

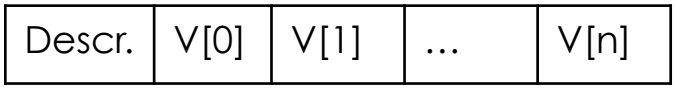
  values : decided by the attributes

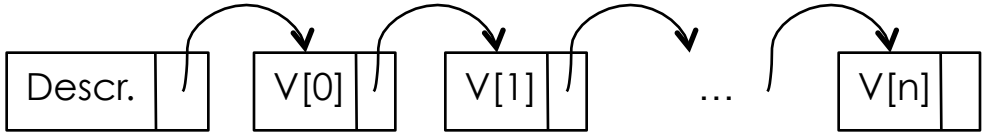
  operations

  - modify the structure (insert, delete, …)
  - operations over one component
  - operations over the entire structure (comparison, copy)

Data structure: array

- Implementation:
  - attributes : in the *descriptor*
  - values : like before
  - operations : access to the elements:



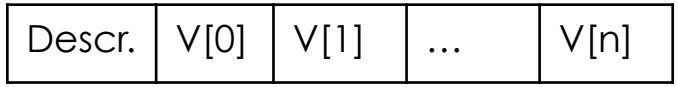


☺ $A[V[k]] = B + O(k)$
☹ Ins.& Del.

☹ $A[V[k]]$ = scanning the whole list
☺ Ins.& Del.

Array in crème CAraMeL

- Data structure
- Homogenous (consists of elements of one type)
- Fixed length → represented by a sequence



linear array : vector

multidimensional array : matrix (remembered line by line)

Vector in crème CAraMeL

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- attributes
  - number of elements
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  - component name = index

Implementation

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  - access to the elements
  - creation/elimination of the vectors

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- operations:

$$\Lambda\|V[k]\| = \alpha + (k - LB) \times M$$

  - declaration

Vectors: implementation

- Address of the k-th element:

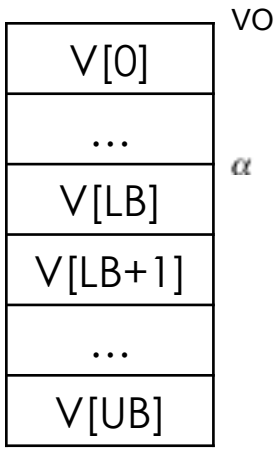
$$\Lambda\|V[k]\| = \alpha + (k - LB) \times M = (\alpha - LB \times M) + k \times M = V0 + k \times M$$

$$V0 = \alpha - LB \times M = \Lambda\|V[0]\|$$

Descriptor:

VO
LB
UB
M

Representation in the memory:



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$$VO = \alpha - LB = \Lambda\|V[0]\|$$

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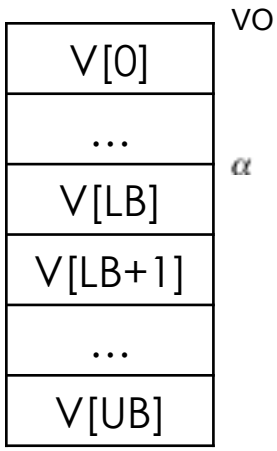
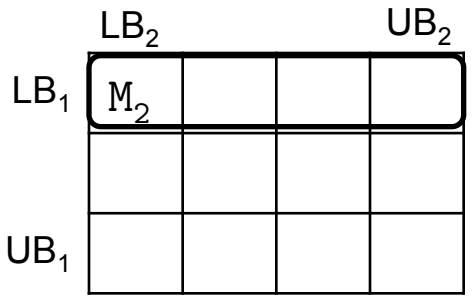


Simplification: `M` =1

Bidimensional matrices

```
var V : array[LB1..UB1, LB2..UB2] of type
```

- Dimension of an element: M_2
- Dimension of a row: $M_1 = (UB_2 - LB_2 + 1) \times M_2$



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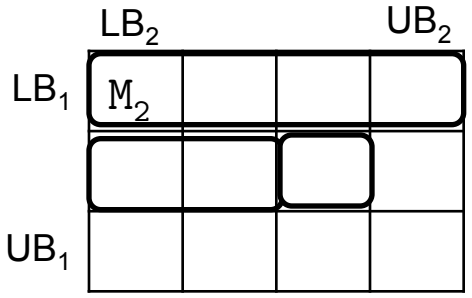


i=2, j=3

- Virtual Origin: $VO = \alpha - LB_1 \times M_1 - LB_2 \times M_2$

$$\Lambda\|V[i, j]\| = VO + i \times M_1 + j \times M_2$$

Multidimensional matrices

var V : array[LB_1..UB_1, ..., LB_n..UB_n] of *type*

- Multipliers:

$$M_n = M$$

$$M_i = (UB_{i+1} - LB_{i+1} + 1) \times M_{i+1} \quad i \in [1, n-1]$$

$$VO = \alpha - \sum_{i=1}^{n} LB_i \times M_i$$

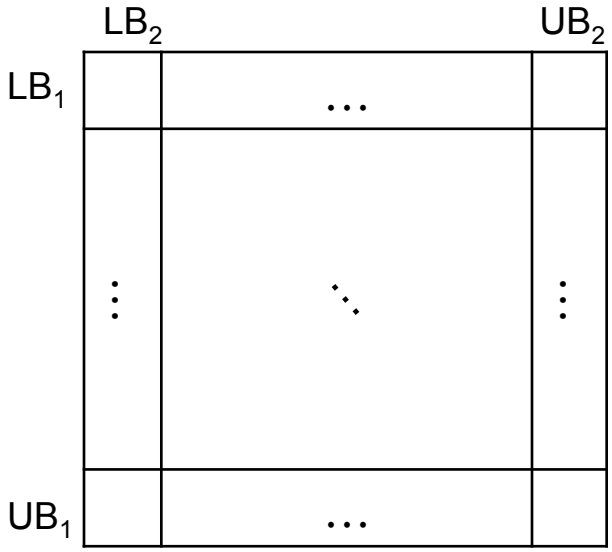
$$\Lambda V[k_1, \ldots, k_n] = VO + \sum_{i=1}^{n} k_i \times M_i$$

array[LB_1..UB_1, LB_n..UB_n] of *type*

=

array[LB_1..UB_1] of (array[LB_2..UB_2, LB_n..UB_n] of *type*)

Slices of array



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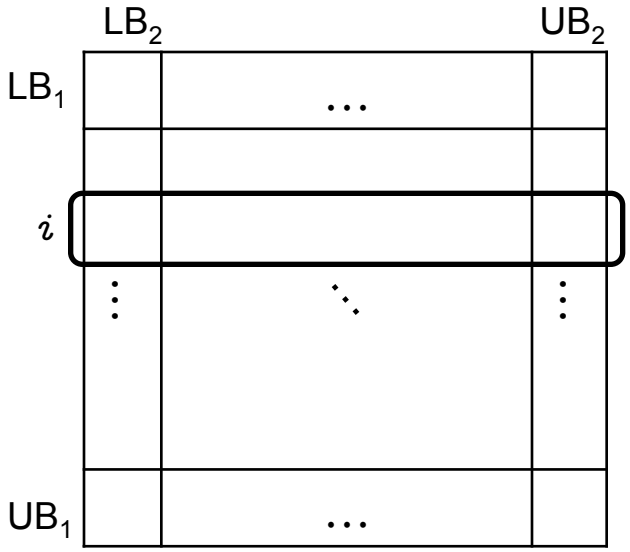

$$M = M_2$$

$$VO_I = VO_V + i \times (UB_2 - LB_2 + 1) \times M_2 =$$

$$VO_V + i \times M_1$$

$$LB = LB_2$$

$$UB = UB_2$$

$$\Lambda\|I[k]\| = VO_I + k \times M$$

$$I = V[i][*] = \{V[i][LB_2], V[i][LB_2 + 1], \ldots, V[i][UB_2]\}$$

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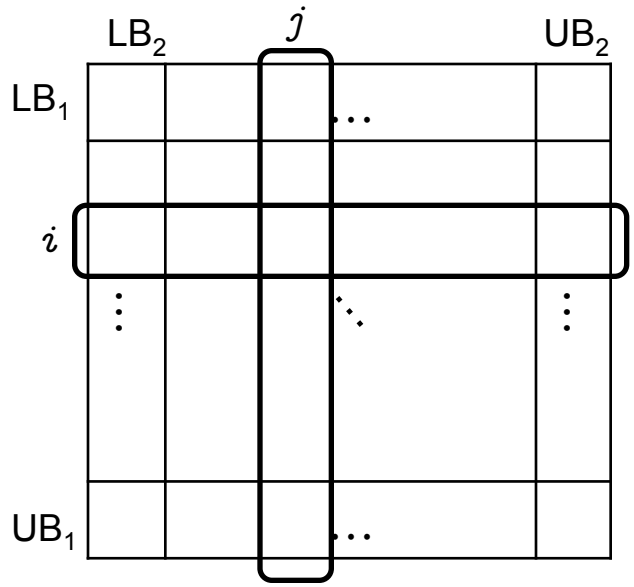

$$M = (UB_2 - LB_2 + 1) \times M_2 = M_1$$

$$VO_J = VO_V + j \times M_2$$

$$LB = LB_1$$

$$UB = UB_1$$

$$\Lambda\|J[k]\| = VO_J + k \times M$$

$$I = V[i][*] = \{V[i][LB_2], V[i][LB_2 + 1], \ldots, V[i][UB_2]\}$$

$$J = V[*][j] = \{V[LB_1][j], V[LB_1 + 1][j], \ldots, V[UB_1][j]\}$$

Implementation of array in crème CAraMeL

Syntax:

- parser.mly: new token ARRAY, OF, LBRACKET, RBRACKET, DOTS
- lexer.mll: strings corresponding to new tokens
- syntaxtree.ml: constructors
  - Vector of bType * int * int for declaration

```
var v:array [0..6] of int
```

  - LVec of ide * aexp for the left side of the assignment

```
v[0]:=5;
```

  - Vec of ide * aexp for expressions

```
x:= v[2];
```

- parser.mly: productions for constructing new nodes of a.s.t.

Implementation of array in crème CAraMeL

Semantics – interpreter.ml:

- new value for the environment: Descr_Vector of loc * int * int (VO, LB, UB)
- declaration with initialization to 0 (or 0.)
- evaluation of expression (r-value)
- evaluation of the address (l-value)