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# COMPUTER SCIENCE 50

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**WEEK 4**

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# Passing by Value

```
void  
swap(int a, int b)  
{  
    int tmp;  
  
    tmp = a;  
    a = b;  
    b = tmp;  
}
```

see  
buggy3.c

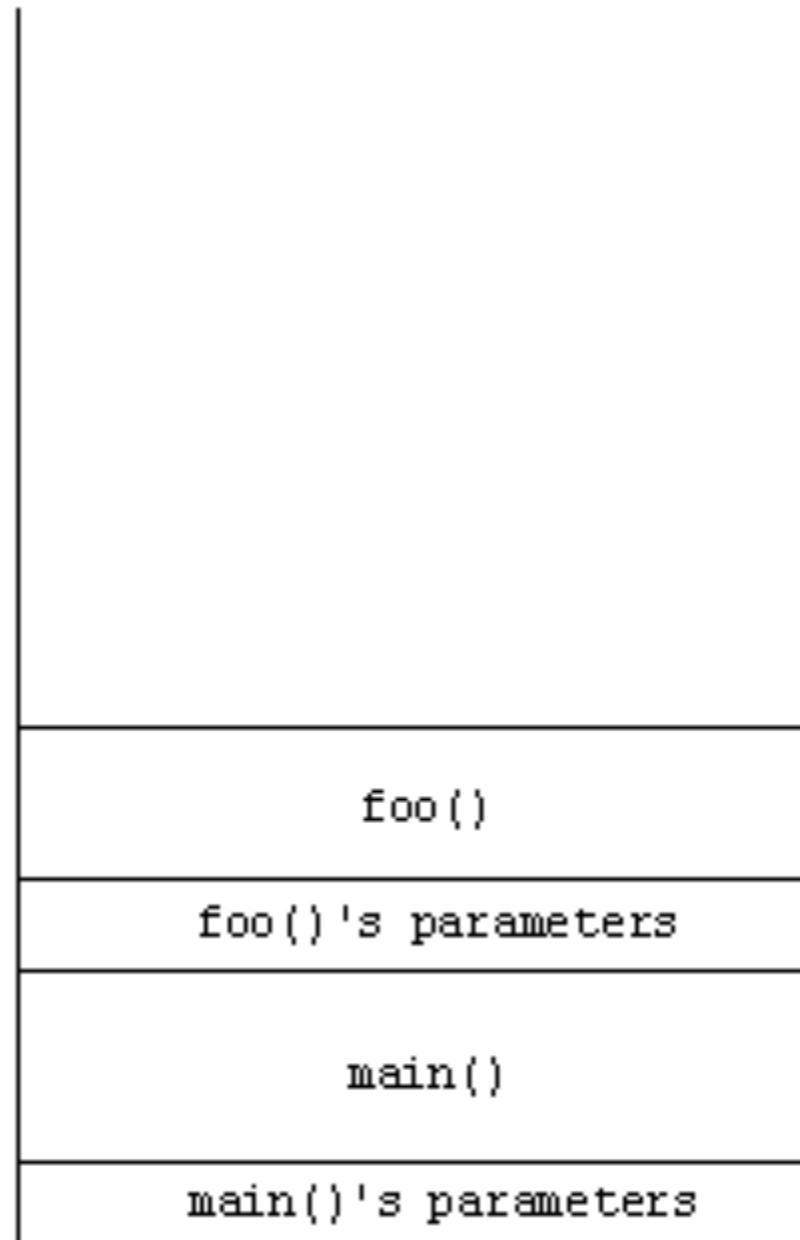
# Passing by Pointer

```
void  
swap(int *a, int *b)  
{  
    int tmp;  
  
    tmp = *a;  
    *a = *b;  
    *b = tmp;  
}
```

see  
swap.c

# The Stack

## Revisited



# Pointers

```
int i, j;  
int *p;
```

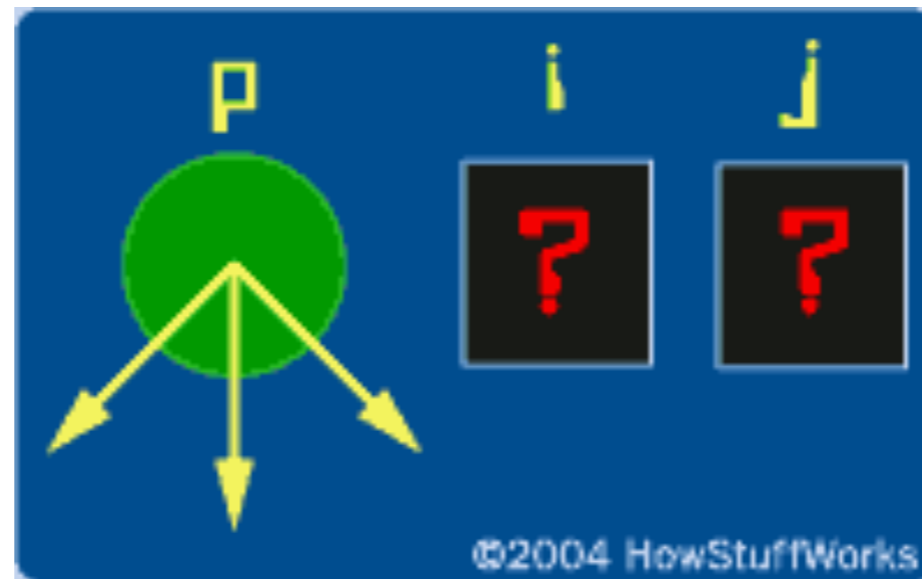


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# Pointers

```
p = &i;
```

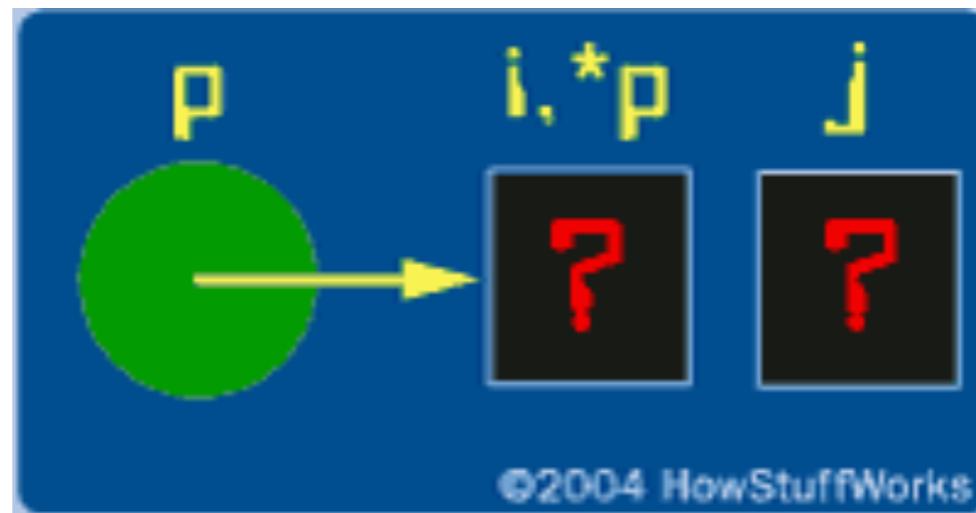


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# Pointers

`*p = 5;`

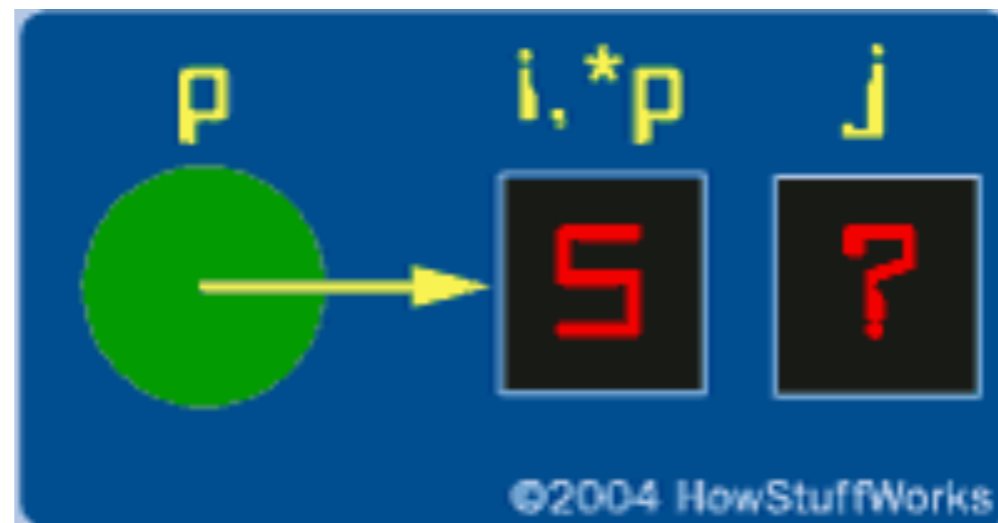
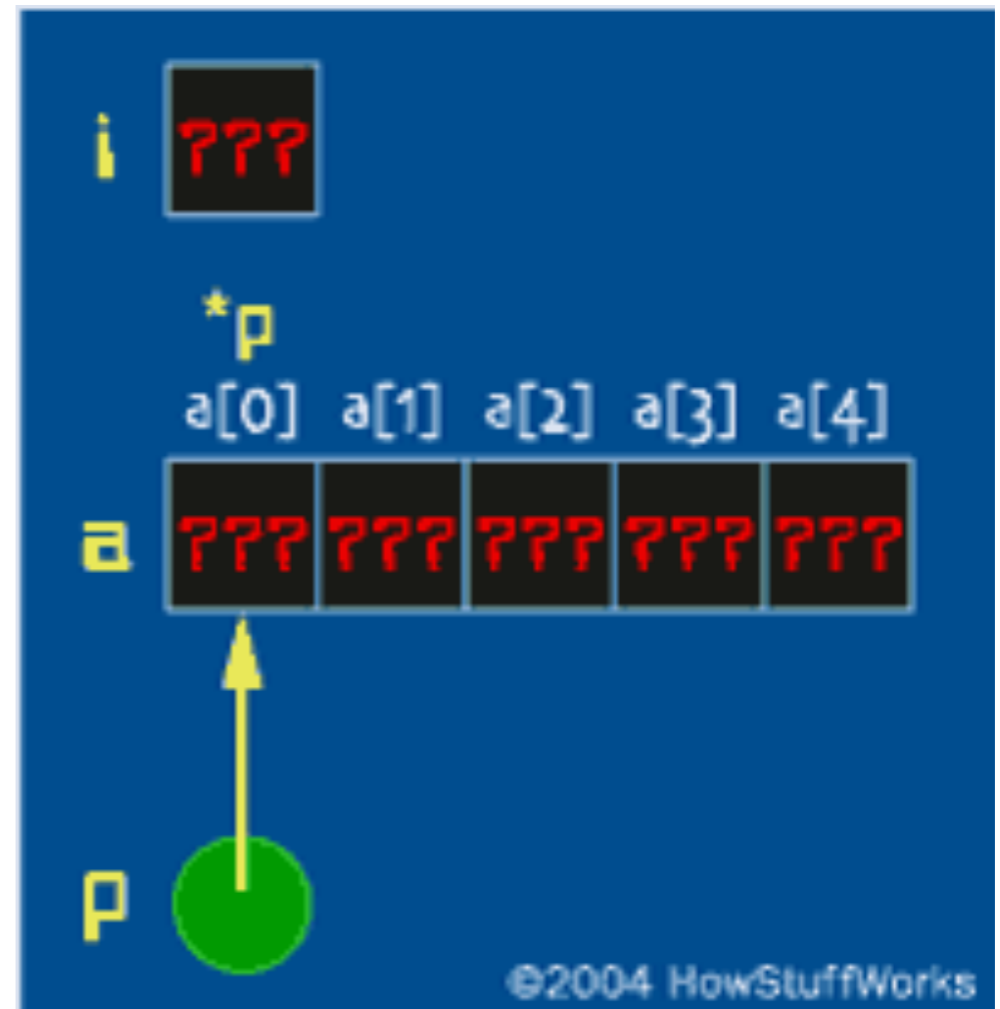


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# Arrays

```
int i;  
int a[5];  
int *p = a;
```



see  
`compare{1,2}.c`, `pointers{1,2}.c`

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# Dynamic Memory Allocation

## malloc

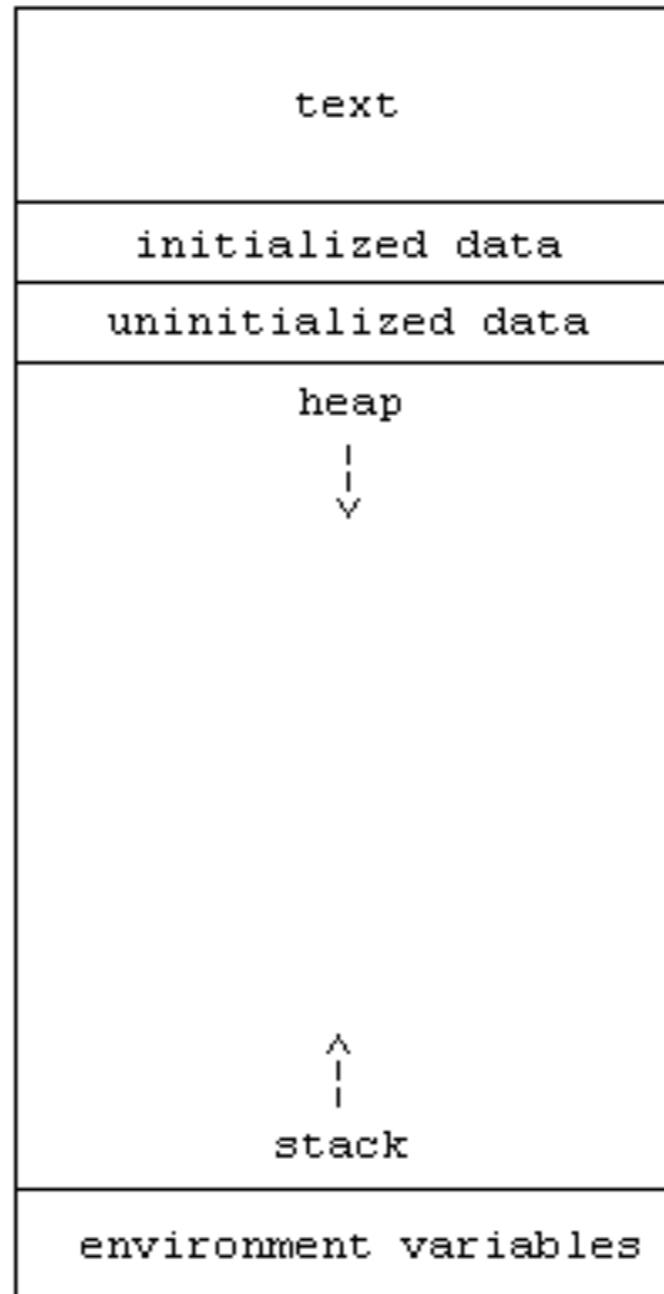
```
// get line of text
printf("Say something: ");
char *s1 = GetString();
if (s1 == NULL)
    return 1;

// allocate enough space for copy
char *s2 = malloc(strlen(s1) * sizeof(char) + 1);
if (s2 == NULL)
    return 1;
```

see  
copy{1,2}.c

# Memory Management

## Revisited



# CS 50's Library

## Revisited

`bool`

`string`

`char GetChar();`

`double GetDouble();`

`float GetFloat();`

`int GetInt();`

`long long GetLongLong();`

`string GetString();`

see  
`scanf{1,2,3}.c`, <http://cs50.net/pub/releases/cs50/cs50.{c,h}>

# Dangerous Functions

`gets` → `fgetc`

`scanf` → `fgetc`

`strcpy` → `strncpy`

`strcat` → `strncat`

`printf`

`fprintf`

...

# Safe Code

```
int
main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    int i;
    for (i = 1; i < argc; i++) {
        printf("%s ", argv[i]);
    }
    printf("\n");
}
```

# Unsafe Code

```
void echo_arg(const char s[])
{
    char buf[MAX_BUF_SIZE];
    strcpy(buf, s);
    printf("%s ", buf);
}

int main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    int i;
    for (i = 1; i < argc; i++) {
        echo_arg(argv[i]);
    }
    printf("\n");
}
```

# Unsafe Code (2)

```
void gotcha()
{
    printf("\nGotcha!\n");
}

void echo_arg(const char s[])
{
    char buf[MAX_BUF_SIZE];
    strcpy(buf, s);
    printf("%s ", buf);
}

int main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    int i;
    for (i = 1; i < argc; i++) {
        echo_arg(argv[i]);
    }
    printf("\n");
}
```

# struct

## (and header files)

```
typedef struct
{
    int id;
    char *name;
    char *house;
}
student;
```

see  
[structs.h](#), [structs2.c](#)



# File I/O

`fopen/fclose`

`fscanf/fprintf`

`fread/fwrite`

`feof`

...

see  
`structs2.c`