

## MC140: lecture #13

today's topic:

*ctype library*  
arrays

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The tendency of people to focus on the meaning of sentences influences their ability to notice some of the obvious features.

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### ctype library.

- character handling library  
`#include <ctype.h>`
- functions include:
  - digit recognition (bases 10 and 16)
  - alphabetic/numeric character recognition
  - upper/lower case character recognition/conversion
  - character type recognition

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ctype library:  
**digit recognition**  
**(bases 10 and 16).**

`int isdigit( int c );`  
`int isxdigit( int c );`

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### ctype library: **alphabetic/numeric** **character recognition.**

`int isalpha( int c );`  
`int isalnum( int c );`

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### ctype library: **upper/lower case character** **recognition/conversion.**

`int islower( int c );`  
`int isupper( int c );`  
  
`int tolower( int c );`  
`int toupper( int c );`

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ctype library:  
**character type recognition.**

```
int isspace( int c );
int iscntrl( int c );
int ispunct( int c );
int isprint( int c );
int isgraph( int c );
```

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arrays.

- a string is an *array* of characters
- according to WWW Webster:  
*array, noun.*  
1a. a regular or imposing grouping or arrangement. ORDER. *lined up in a soldierly array.*
- data structures consisting of related items of the same type

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declaring arrays.

- elements
  - the related items
- length
  - number of elements
- index
  - position number of each element
- examples:  
`int x[25];  
char y[1024];`

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a picture.

C[0]	-45
C[1]	6
C[2]	0
C[3]	72
C[4]	1543
C[5]	-89
C[6]	0
C[7]	62

declaration:  
`int c[8];`

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printing contents.

```
#include <stdio.h>
int main( void ) {
    int c[8] = { -45, 6, 0, 72, 1543, -89, 0, 62 };
    int i;
    for ( i=0; i<8; i++ ) {
        printf( "element # %d = %d\n", i, c[i] );
    } /* end for i */
} /* end of main() */
```

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reading.

- material covered today:
  - DD: 8.3, 6.1-6.4

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