

469 (row major) The usual way to represent a 2-dimensional array in a computer's memory is in row major order, stringing the rows together. For example, the  $3 \times 4$  array

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[ [5; 2; 7; 3];  
  [8; 4; 2; 0];  
  [9; 2; 7; 7] ]
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is represented as  $5; 2; 7; 3; 8; 4; 2; 0; 9; 2; 7; 7$ .

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$$\begin{aligned}
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& \quad \Rightarrow \exists A' \cdot (\forall i: 0..n \cdot \forall j: 0..m \cdot A'[i][j] = B'[i \times m + j]) \wedge (x := A[y][z]) && \text{expand assignment} \\
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= & \forall A \cdot (\forall i: 0..n \cdot \forall j: 0..m \cdot A[i][j] = B[i \times m + j]) \\
& \quad \Rightarrow (\forall i: 0..n \cdot \forall j: 0..m \cdot B[i \times m + j] = B'[i \times m + j]) \wedge x' = B[y \times m + z] \wedge y' = y \wedge z' = z && \text{the consequent no longer uses } A \text{ so } \forall A \cdot \text{ and the antecedent can be dropped} \\
= & (\forall i: 0..n \cdot \forall j: 0..m \cdot B[i \times m + j] = B'[i \times m + j]) \wedge x' = B[y \times m + z] \wedge y' = y \wedge z' = z && \text{contract the first conjunct} \\
= & B' = B \wedge x' = B[y \times m + z] \wedge y' = y \wedge z' = z \\
= & x := B[y \times m + z]
\end{aligned}$$