

PAT 204/504 (Fall 2024)

# Creative Coding

## Lecture 7: Lists & Data I/O

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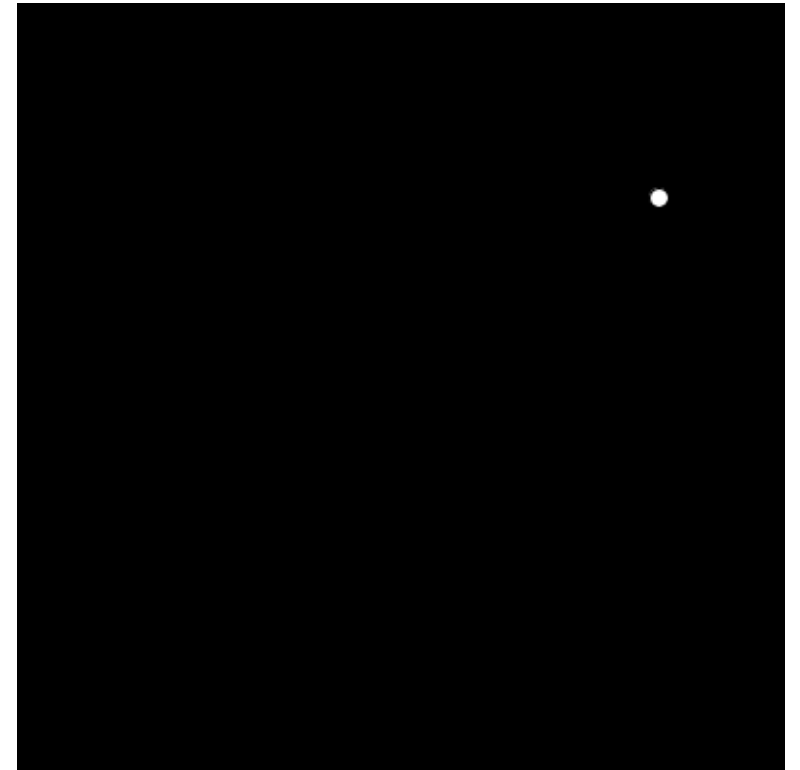
# (Recap) Example: Bouncing Ball

```
class Ball {  
    float size = 10;  
    float speed = 5;  
    float x, y, speedX, speedY;  
  
    Ball() {  
        // Constructor  
    }  
  
    void show() {  
        // Show the ball  
    }  
  
    void move() {  
        // Move the ball  
    }  
  
    void checkWalls() {  
        // Check if the ball hit the walls  
    }  
}
```

**Fields**

**Constructor**

**Methods**



# (Recap) Example: Bouncing Balls

```
Ball[] balls = new Ball[20];
```

 An array of objects

```
void setup() {  
  size(400, 400);
```

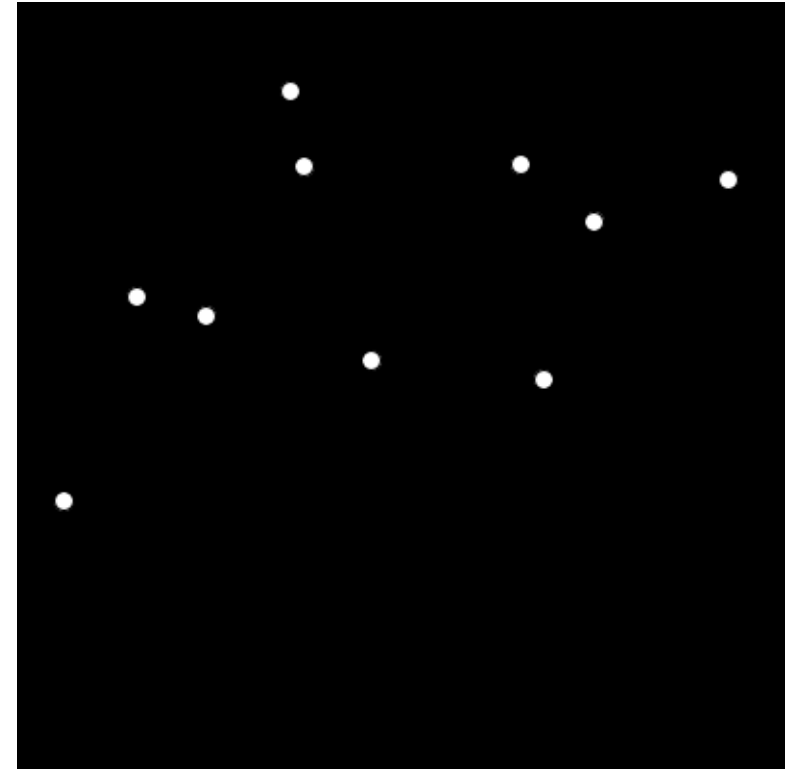
```
  for (int i = 0; i < balls.length; i++) {  
    balls[i] = new Ball();  
  }
```

Initialization

```
void draw() {  
  background(0);
```

```
  for (int i = 0; i < balls.length; i++) {  
    balls[i].move();  
    balls[i].checkWalls();  
    balls[i].show();
```

Call the methods!



# (Recap) Signature Polymorphism

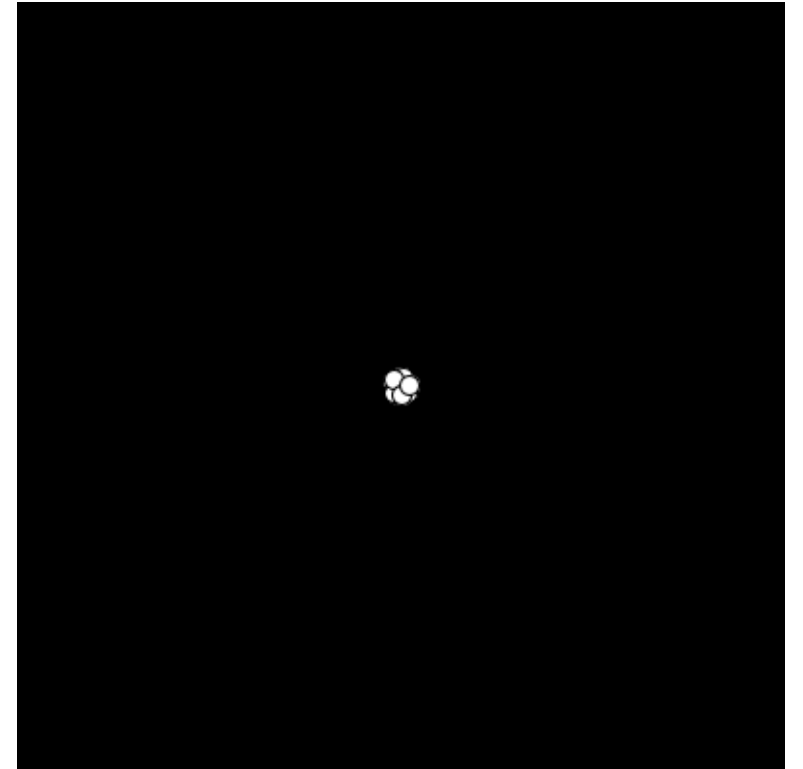
```
class Ball {
    float size = 10;
    float speed = 5;
    float x, y, speedX, speedY;

    Ball() {
        x = random(width);
        y = random(height);

        float theta = random(0, TWO_PI);
        speedX = speed * cos(theta);
        speedY = speed * sin(theta);
    }

    Ball(float x, float y) {
        this.x = x;
        this.y = y;

        float theta = random(0, TWO_PI);
        speedX = speed * cos(theta);
        speedY = speed * sin(theta);
    }
}
```



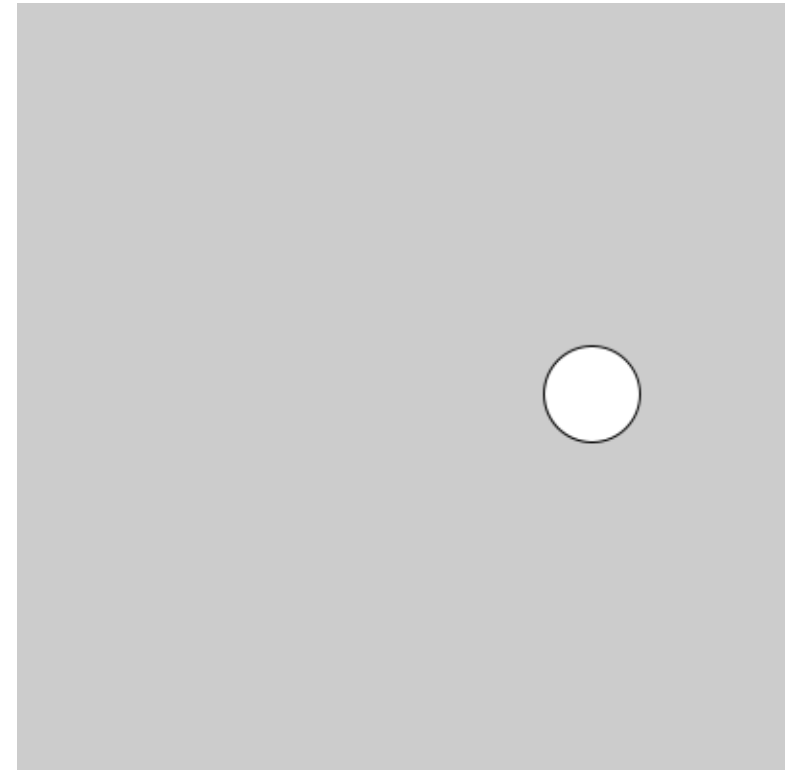
# (Recap) Example: Rotating Ball

```
PVector vec = new PVector(100, 0);

void setup() {
  size(400, 400);
}

void draw() {
  // Rotate the vector by a fixed angle
  vec.rotate(PI * 0.01);

  // Draw the circle
  circle(200 + vec.x, 200 + vec.y, 50);
}
```



# (Recap) Example: `PVector.random2d`

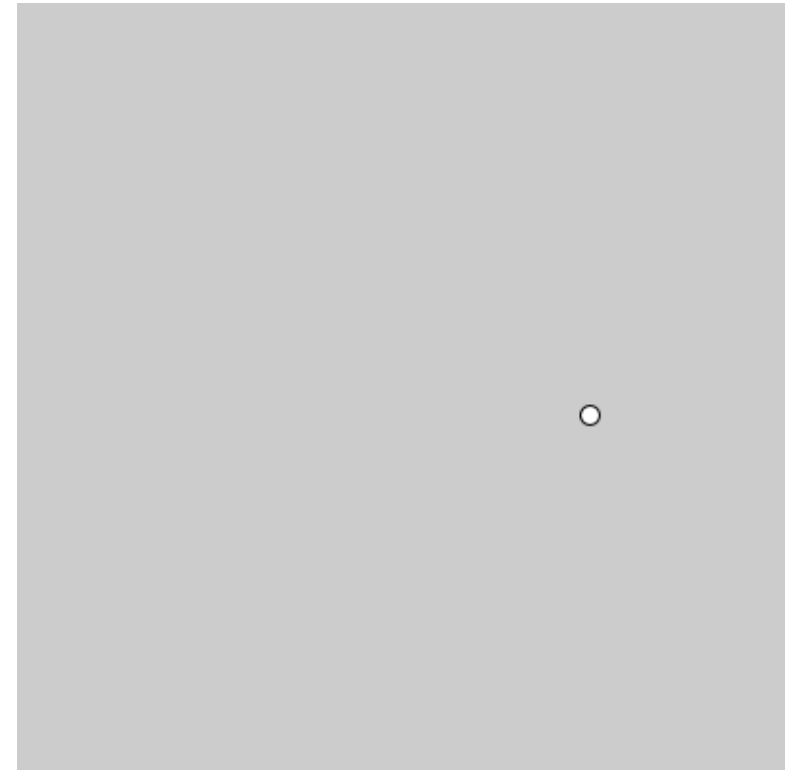
```
PVector pos = new PVector();
```

```
void setup() {  
  size(400, 400);  
  frameRate(30);  
}
```

```
void draw() {  
  pos = PVector.random2D().mult(100);  
  circle(200 + pos.x, 200 + pos.y, 10);  
}
```

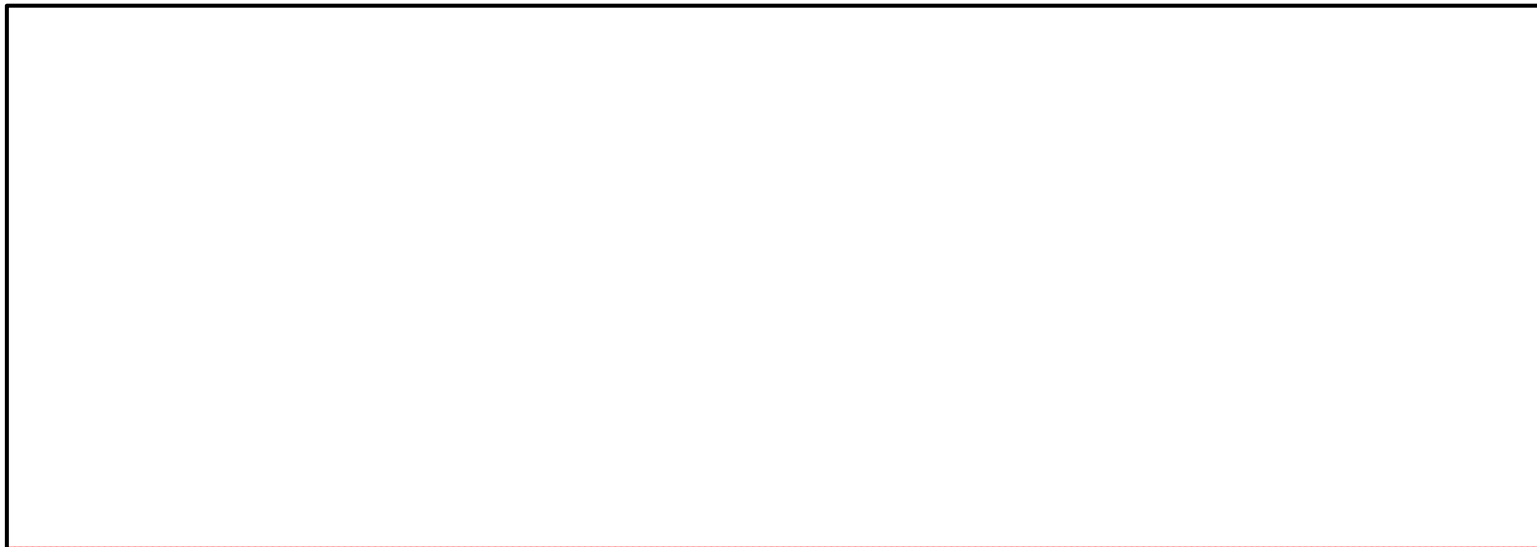
**Get a random 2D unit vector**

**Scale the vector by 100**



## Homework 3: Spectrum Visualizer

- Modify the template code to implement a spectrum visualizer
- Instructions will be released on Gradescope
- Due at **11:59pm ET** on **September 23**
- Late submissions: **1 point deducted per day**



# FFT Class

```
import processing.sound.*;
```

→ Import the Sound library

```
int bands = 512;
```

```
FFT fft = new FFT(this, bands);
```

→ Initialize an FFT object

```
AudioIn in = new AudioIn(this, 0);
```

→ Initialize an AudioIn object

```
float[] spectrum = new float[bands];
```

→ Initialize an array to store the spectrum

```
void setup() {  
  size(512, 360);
```

```
  in.start();
```

→ Start taking audio input

```
  fft.input(in);
```

→ Route the audio input to the FFT analyzer

```
}
```

```
void draw() {  
  background(255);
```

Specify the array to store the outputs

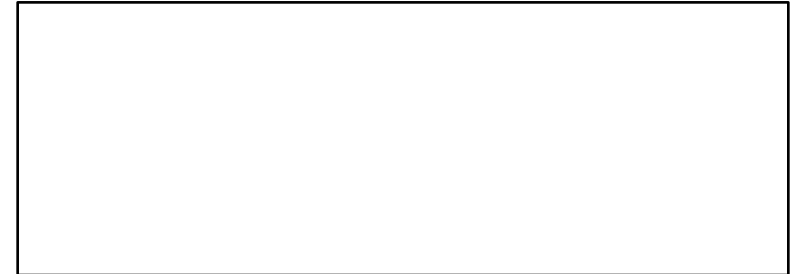
```
  fft.analyze(spectrum);
```

→ Run Fast Fourier Transform

```
  for(int i = 0; i < bands; i++){  
    line(i, height, i, height - spectrum[i] * height * 5);
```

Normalized to [0, 1]

```
  }  
}
```





# Amplitude Class

```
import processing.sound.*; Initialize an Amplitude object
```

```
Amplitude amp = new Amplitude(this);
```

```
AudioIn in = new AudioIn(this, 0);
```

```
float a;
```

**Initialize an AudioIn object**

```
void setup() {  
  size(400, 400);
```

**Start taking audio input**

```
in.start();
```

```
amp.input(in);
```

**Route the audio input to the amplitude meter**

```
}
```

```
void draw() {  
  background(0);
```

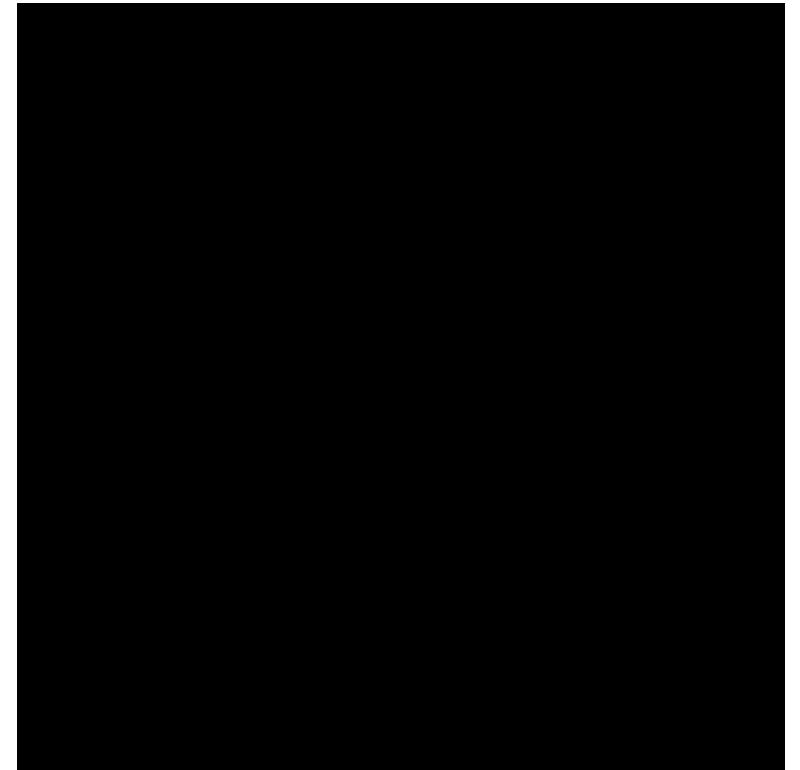
```
a = amp.analyze();
```

**Measure the amplitude**

```
circle(200, 200, a * 400);
```

```
}
```

Normalized to [0, 1]



# PitchDetector Class

```
import processing.sound.*; Initialize a PitchDetector object
```

```
PitchDetector pd = new PitchDetector(this);
```

```
AudioIn in = new AudioIn(this, 0);
```

```
float pitch;
```

**Initialize an AudioIn object**

```
void setup() {  
  size(400, 400);
```

```
in.start();
```

**Start taking audio input**

```
pd.input(in);
```

**Route the audio input to the pitch detector**

```
  stroke(#ff0000);  
  strokeWeight(5);
```

```
}
```

```
void draw() {  
  background(0);
```

Set the sensitivity

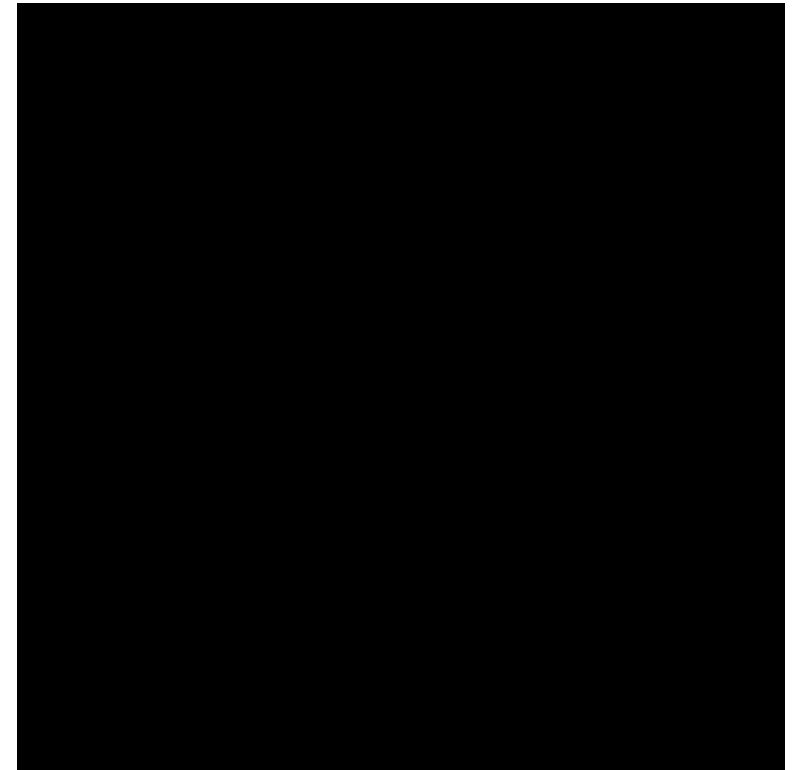
```
pitch = pd.analyze(0.5);
```

**Detect the pitch**

```
  if (pitch > 0) {  
    line(0, height - pitch, 400, height - pitch);
```

```
  }
```

```
}
```



# Midterm Assignment: Build Your Own Music Visualizer

- **Open-ended** assignment
- Use everything you've learned from the class (and beyond!)
- Instructions will be released on Gradescope
- Due at **11:59pm ET** on **October 7**
- Late submissions: **NOT Accepted** (Submit early and update later!)

# Midterm Assignment – Rubrics

- Use **two of the following three concepts (10pt)**
  - **Loops and recursion**
  - **Data structures** (e.g., arrays, lists, dictionaries, etc.)
  - **Objects**
- **Clear documentation** in code (**5pt**)
- Live demo in class on **October 7 (5pt)**

# SoundFile Class

```
import processing.sound.*;
```

```
SoundFile file;
```

```
void setup() {  
  size(400, 400);
```

```
  file = new SoundFile(this, "emil-telmanyi_bwv1006.mp3");  
  file.play();
```

```
}
```

```
void draw() {  
}
```

```
fft.input(file);
```

```
amp.input(file);
```

```
pd.input(file);
```

## Exercise: Spectrum Visualizer with SoundFile

- Modify the code so that it takes **SoundFile** rather than AudioIn as input
- Note that you need to put the audio file in the **data/** directory

```
fft.input(file);
```

Code



Example music



# Lists

# Lists

- Similar to arrays, lists hold several items of the same data type
- However, lists are built to have a **dynamic size**
- The simplest ones are **IntList** and **FloatList**



# Example: Three Circles

```
IntList pos = new IntList();
```

**Declaration**

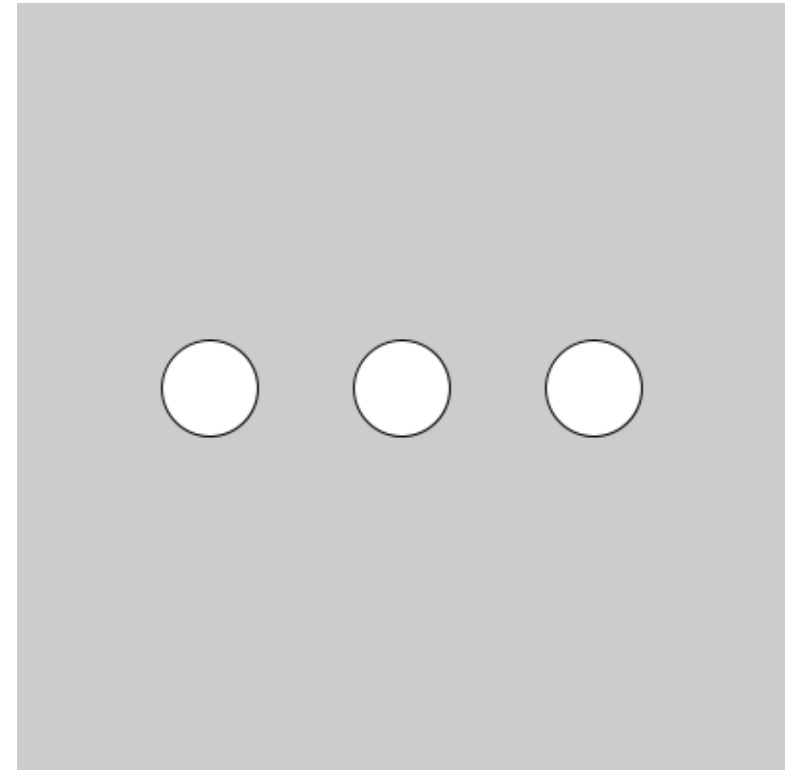
```
void setup() {  
    size(400, 400);
```

```
    pos.append(100);  
    pos.append(200);  
    pos.append(300);
```

**Initialization**

```
}
```

```
void draw() {  
    for (int i = 0; i < pos.size(); i++) {  
        circle(pos.get(i), 200, 50);  
    }  
}
```

**Length of the list**

# Example: Three Circles

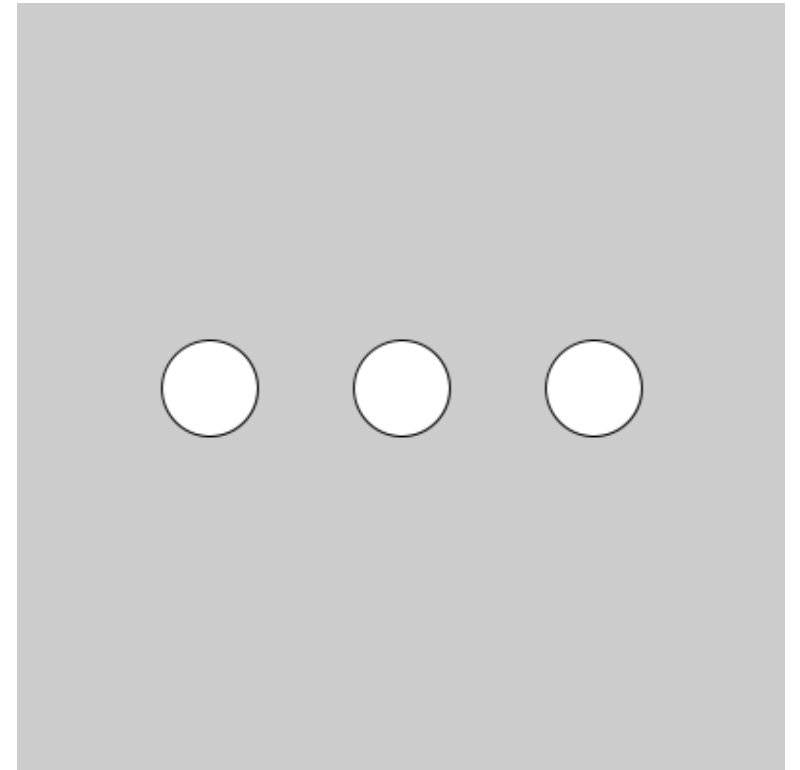
```
IntList pos = new IntList();
```

```
void setup() {  
    size(400, 400);
```

```
    pos.append(100);  
    pos.append(200);  
    pos.append(300);  
}
```

```
void draw() {  
    for (int x: pos) {  
        circle(x, 200, 50);  
    }  
}
```

**For-each loop**



# Array vs List

## Array

```
float[] pos = new float[3]; Declaration
```

```
void setup() {  
    size(400, 400);
```

```
    pos[0] = 100;  
    pos[1] = 200;  
    pos[2] = 300;
```

Initialization

```
}
```

```
void draw() {  
    for (int i = 0; i < pos.length; i++) {  
        circle(pos[i], 200, 50);  
    }  
}
```

Length of the array

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    pos.append(300);
```

Initialization

```
}
```

```
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    }  
}
```

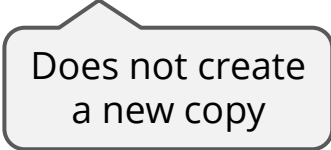
Length of the list

# Lists Methods

- `size()` Return the size of the list
- `get()` Return the value at the specified index
- `append()` Append an item to the end of the list
- `insert()` Insert an item to the specific index
- `set()` Set the value at the specified index
- `remove()` Remove an item at the specified index
- `clear()` Clear everything in the list
- `hasValue()` Whether the value is in the list or not

# List Methods

- Unlike arrays, most list methods are **in-place**
  - `add()`
  - `sub()`
  - `mult()`
  - `div()`
  
  - `sort()`
  - `sortReverse()`
  - `shuffle()`

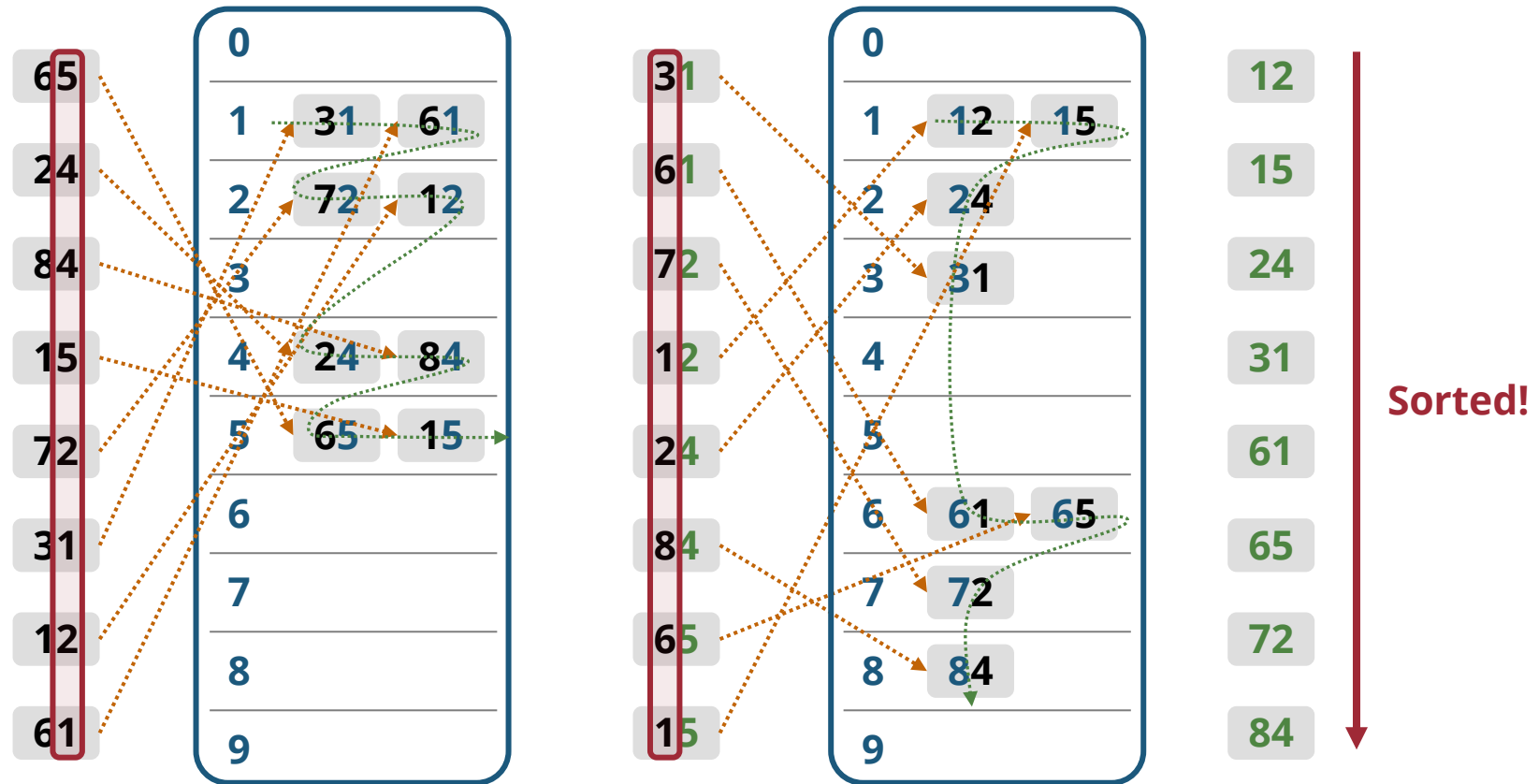
A callout box with a pointer pointing to the word 'in-place' in the main text. The box contains the text 'Does not create a new copy'.

Does not create  
a new copy

## In-place vs Not-in-place Algorithm

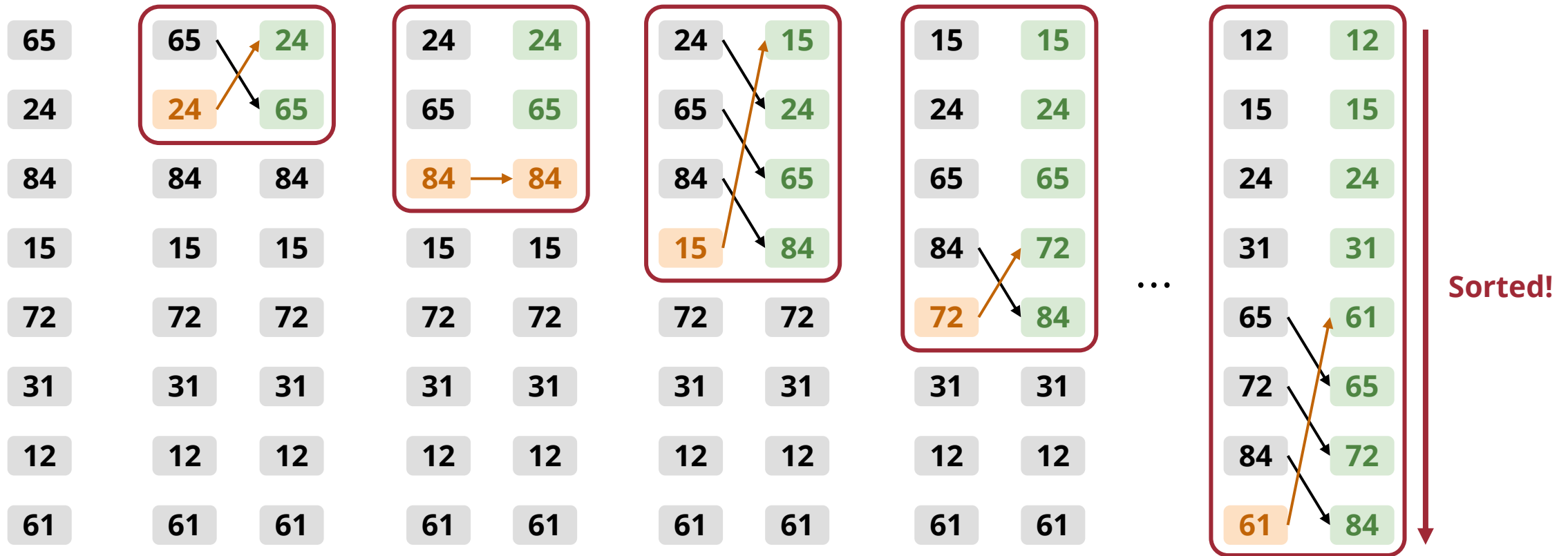
- In-place algorithm does not require additional memory
- Not-in-place algorithm needs extra memory to store intermediate results

# Example of Not-in-place Algorithms: Radix Sort



Need extra memory to store intermediate results!

# Example of In-place Algorithms: Insertion Sort



Don't need extra memory!



# Sorting an Array vs Sorting a List

```
int[] arr = {3, 2, 1};  
sort(arr);  
println(arr);
```

```
[0] 3  
[1] 2  
[2] 1
```

**sort(arr) returns a new sorted array**

```
int[] arr = {3, 2, 1};  
arr = sort(arr);  
println(arr);
```

```
[0] 1  
[1] 2  
[2] 3
```

```
IntList li = new IntList();  
li.append(3);  
li.append(2);  
li.append(1);  
li.sort();  
println(li);
```

```
IntList size=3 [ 1, 2, 3 ]
```

**List.sort() returns the original list, sorted**

## List-to-Array Conversion

- **List.toArray()** converts a list into an array
- No easy way the other way around

# Array vs List

**Array**

**List**

Size

Item data type

Access speed

Memory requirement

Multi-dimensional

# Array vs List

	<b>Array</b>	<b>List</b>
Size	Fixed	Dynamic
Item data type	Same	Can be different
Access speed	Faster	Slower
Memory requirement	Low	High
Multi-dimensional	Possible	Not supported

# List of Objects: `ArrayList`

- `ArrayList` is a list of objects
- What's the difference?

Array of objects

```
Ball[] balls = new Ball[20];
```

```
String[] strs = new String[20];
```

`ArrayList`

```
ArrayList<Ball> balls = new ArrayList<Ball>()
```

```
StringList strs = new StringList()
```

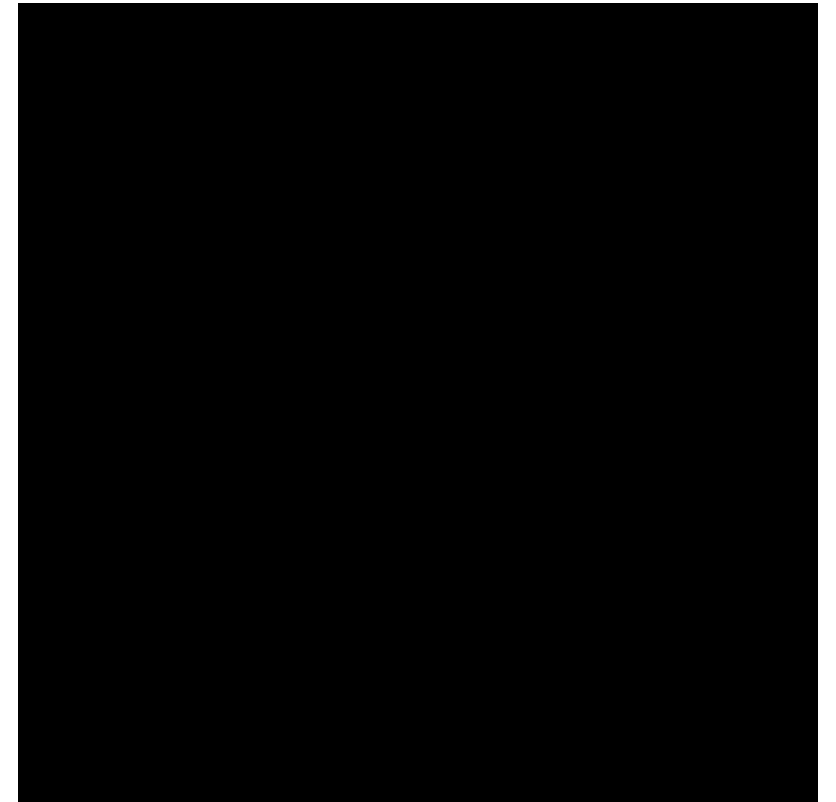
# Exercise: Bouncing Balls

- Add a ball when the mouse is clicked
- The new ball starts from where the mouse is
- Two approaches
  - Use an **array of objects**

```
Ball[] balls = new Ball[20];
```

- Use an **ArrayList**

```
ArrayList<Ball> balls = new ArrayList<Ball>()
```



# (Recap) Example: Bouncing Ball

```
class Ball {  
    float size = 10;  
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    float x, y, speedX, speedY;
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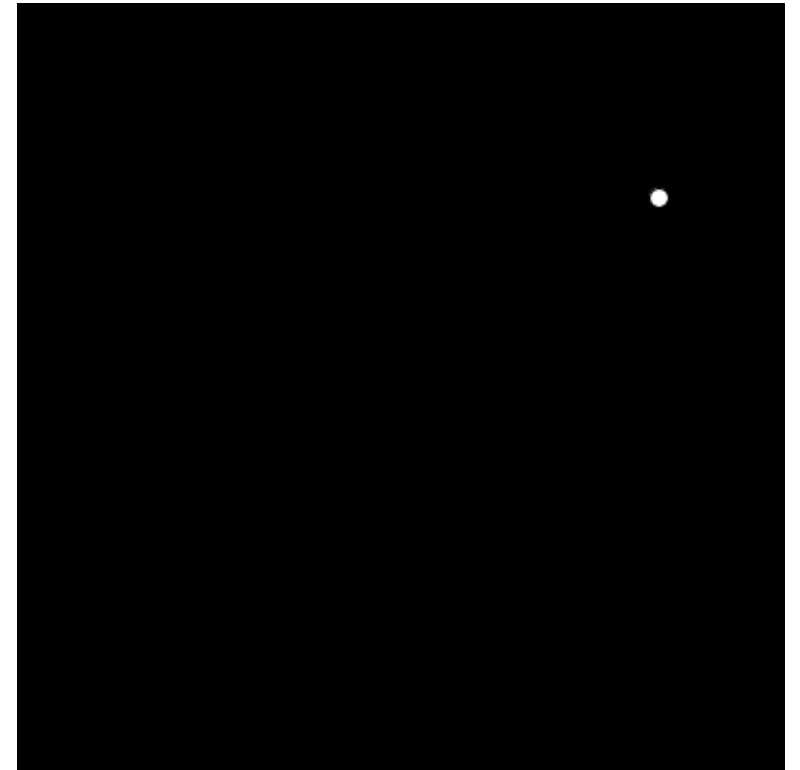
**Fields**

```
    Ball() {  
        // Constructor
```

**Constructor**

```
    void show() {  
        // Show the ball  
    }  
  
    void move() {  
        // Move the ball  
    }  
  
    void checkWalls() {  
        // Check if the ball hit the walls  
    }  
}
```

**Methods**



# (Recap) Example: Bouncing Balls

`Ball[] balls = new Ball[20];` An array of objects

```
void setup() {  
  size(400, 400);
```

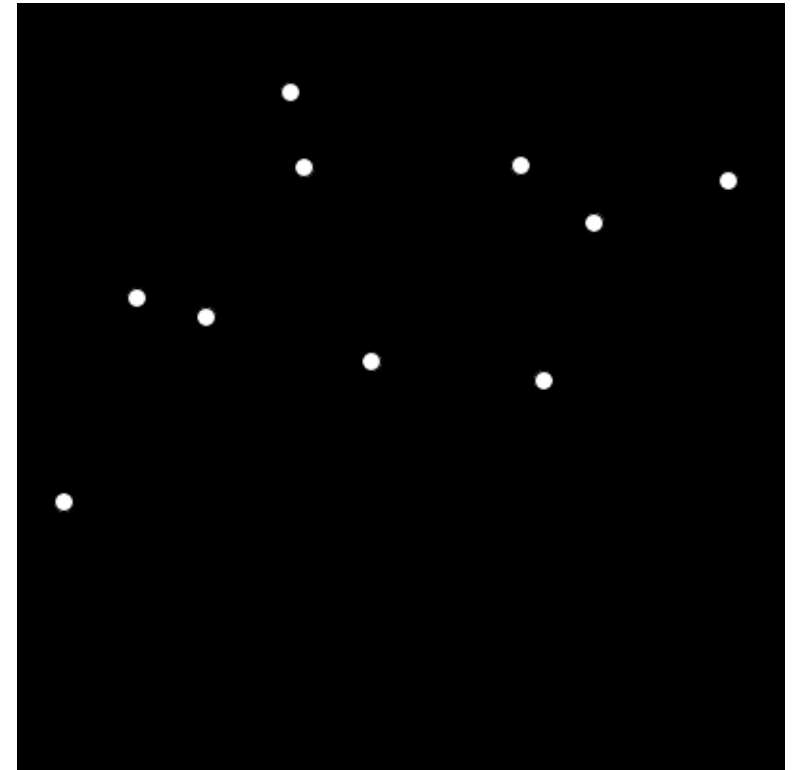
```
  for (int i = 0; i < balls.length; i++) {  
    balls[i] = new Ball();  
  }
```

Initialization

```
void draw() {  
  background(0);
```

```
  for (int i = 0; i < balls.length; i++) {  
    balls[i].move();  
    balls[i].checkWalls();  
    balls[i].show();
```

Call the methods!





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    }  
}
```

Length of the array

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