

Lab 10
CSC 1052 - Algorithms and Data Structures II
Grading: 30 points
Due Date: April 7th, 2017 at noon

Description: In this lab you will augment the basic functionality of the `SortedArrayCollection` class with four new methods. Once you have imported the files for the lab, you will add the following methods to the `SortedArrayCollection` class file. Create your own test driver to verify the methods are working. Implement the following methods:

1. `public String toString()` - creates and returns a string that correctly represents the current data in the collection. You may assume that the objects stored in the collection already have their own `toString()` method.
2. `public T smallest()` - returns `null` if the collection is empty, otherwise returns the smallest element of the collection.
3. `public int greater(T element)` - returns a count of the number of elements in the collection that are greater than `element`. Remember to use the `compareTo()` method for comparing objects.
4. `public SortedArrayCollection<T> combine(SortedArrayCollection<T> other)` - creates and returns a new `SortedArrayCollection` object that is a combination of `this` object and `other`.

Once you are finished, submit ONLY the modified file `SortedArrayCollection.java`.

Rubric:

(5 points) Lab compiles

(15 points) 5 points per correct method implementation across the first 3 methods.

(10 points) correctly implement `combine()`

Deliverables: Submit the source file on Blackboard.