

Object-Oriented Programming

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Containers in Java

Based on a hierarchy of data
types:

Collection, List, Set, Sorted Set
Map, Sorted Map

Arrays

- Array: Sequence of values of the same type
- Construct array:
`new double[10]`
- Store in variable of type `double[]`
`double[] data = new double[10];`
- When array is created, all values are initialized depending on array type:
 - Numbers: `0`
 - Boolean: `false`
 - Object References: `null`

Arrays

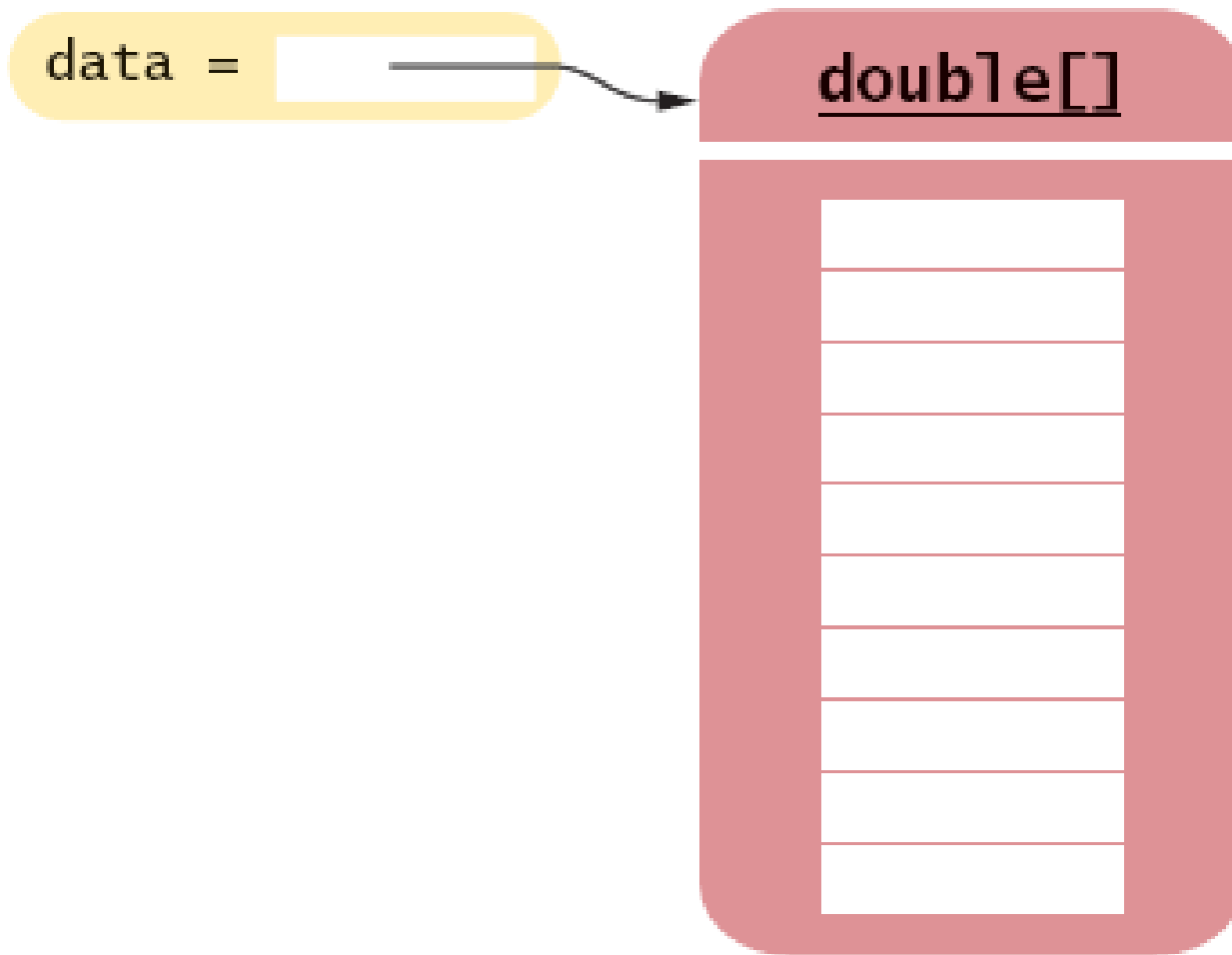


Figure 1 An Array Reference and an Array

Arrays

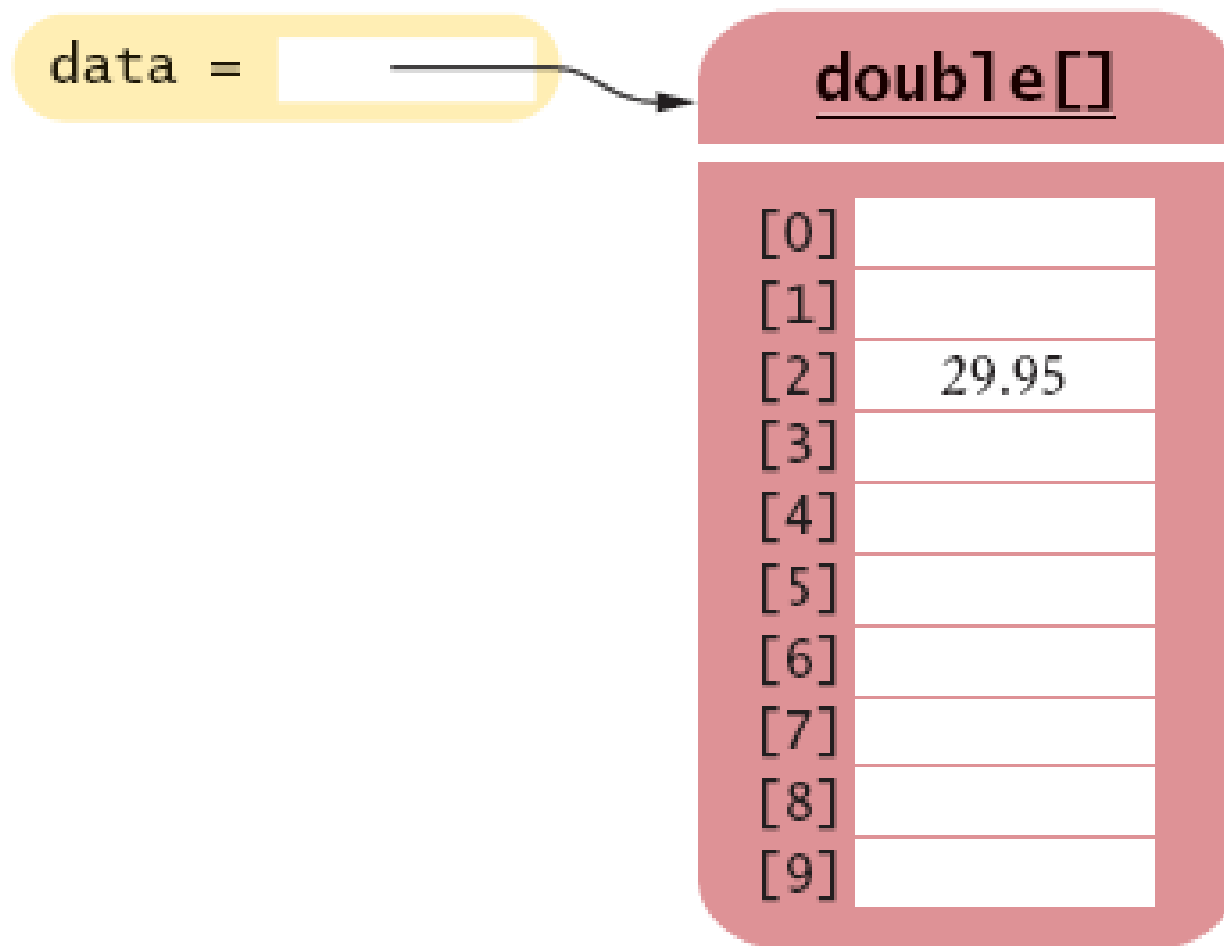


Figure 2 Storing a Value in an Array

Arrays

- Using the value stored:

```
System.out.println("The value of this data item is "  
    + data[4]);
```
- Get array length as `data.length` (Not a method!)
- Index values range from 0 to `length - 1`
- Accessing a nonexistent element results in a bounds error

```
double[] data = new double[10];  
data[10] = 29.95; // ERROR
```
- Limitation: Arrays have fixed length

Array Lists

- The `ArrayList` class manages a sequence of objects
- Can grow and shrink as needed
- `ArrayList` class supplies methods for many common tasks, such as inserting and removing elements
- The `ArrayList` class is a generic class: `ArrayList<T>` collects objects of type `T`:

```
ArrayList<BankAccount> accounts = new  
    ArrayList<BankAccount>();  
accounts.add(new BankAccount(1001));  
accounts.add(new BankAccount(1015));  
accounts.add(new BankAccount(1022));
```

- `size` method yields number of elements

Retrieving Array List Elements

- Use `get` method
- Index starts at 0
- `BankAccount anAccount = accounts.get(2);` // gets the third element of the array list
- Bounds error if index is out of range
- Most common bounds error:

```
int i = accounts.size();  
anAccount = accounts.get(i); // Error  
//legal index values are 0. . .i-1
```


Adding Elements

- **set** **overwrites** an existing value

```
BankAccount anAccount = new BankAccount(1729);  
accounts.set(2, anAccount);
```

- **add** **adds a new value before the index**

```
accounts.add(i, a)
```

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The Generalized `for` Loop

- Traverses all elements of a collection:

```
double[] data = . . .;
double sum = 0;
for (double e : data) // You should read this loop as
    "for each e in data"
{
    sum = sum + e;
}
```

- Traditional alternative:

```
double[] data = . . .;
double sum = 0;
for (int i = 0; i < data.length; i++)
{
    double e = data[i];
    sum = sum + e;
}
```

The Generalized `for` Loop

- Works for `ArrayLists` too:

```
ArrayList<BankAccount> accounts = . . . ;
double sum = 0;
for (BankAccount a : accounts)
{
    sum = sum + a.getBalance();
}
```

- Equivalent to the following ordinary `for` loop:

```
double sum = 0;
for (int i = 0; i < accounts.size(); i++)
{
    BankAccount a = accounts.get(i);
    sum = sum + a.getBalance();
}
```

Syntax 7.3 The "for each" Loop

```
for (Type variable : collection)  
    statement
```

Example:

```
for (double e : data)  
    sum = sum + e;
```

Purpose:

To execute a loop for each element in the collection. In each iteration, the variable is assigned the next element of the collection. Then the statement is executed.

ch07/bank/Bank.java

```
01: import java.util.ArrayList;
02:
03: /**
04:     This bank contains a collection of bank accounts.
05: */
06: public class Bank
07: {
08:     /**
09:         Constructs a bank with no bank accounts.
10:     */
11:     public Bank()
12:     {
13:         accounts = new ArrayList<BankAccount>();
14:     }
15:
16:     /**
17:         Adds an account to this bank.
18:         @param a the account to add
19:     */
20:     public void addAccount(BankAccount a)
21:     {
22:         accounts.add(a);
23:     }
```

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ch07/bank/Bank.java (cont.)

```
24:
25:     /**
26:         Gets the sum of the balances of all accounts in this bank.
27:         @return the sum of the balances
28:     */
29:     public double getTotalBalance()
30:     {
31:         double total = 0;
32:         for (BankAccount a : accounts)
33:         {
34:             total = total + a.getBalance();
35:         }
36:         return total;
37:     }
38:
39:     /**
40:         Counts the number of bank accounts whose balance is at
41:         least a given value.
42:         @param atLeast the balance required to count an account
43:         @return the number of accounts having least the given balance
44:     */
45:     public int count(double atLeast)
46:     {
```

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ch07/bank/Bank.java (cont.)

```
47:         int matches = 0;
48:         for (BankAccount a : accounts)
49:         {
50:             if (a.getBalance() >= atLeast) matches++; // Found a match
51:         }
52:         return matches;
53:     }
54:
55:     /**
56:      Finds a bank account with a given number.
57:      @param accountNumber the number to find
58:      @return the account with the given number, or null if there
59:      is no such account
60:     */
61:     public BankAccount find(int accountNumber)
62:     {
63:         for (BankAccount a : accounts)
64:         {
65:             if (a.getAccountNumber() == accountNumber) // Found a match
66:                 return a;
67:         }
68:         return null; // No match in the entire array list Continued
69:     }
70:
```

ch07/bank/Bank.java (cont.)

```
71:     /**
72:         Gets the bank account with the largest balance.
73:         @return the account with the largest balance, or null if the
74:         bank has no accounts
75:     */
76:     public BankAccount getMaximum()
77:     {
78:         if (accounts.size() == 0) return null;
79:         BankAccount largestYet = accounts.get(0);
80:         for (int i = 1; i < accounts.size(); i++)
81:         {
82:             BankAccount a = accounts.get(i);
83:             if (a.getBalance() > largestYet.getBalance())
84:                 largestYet = a;
85:         }
86:         return largestYet;
87:     }
88:
89:     private ArrayList<BankAccount> accounts;
90: }
```


ch07/bankBankTester.java

```
01:  /**
02:      This program tests the Bank class.
03:  */
04:  public class BankTester
05:  {
06:      public static void main(String[] args)
07:      {
08:          Bank firstBankOfJava = new Bank();
09:          firstBankOfJava.addAccount(new BankAccount(1001, 20000));
10:          firstBankOfJava.addAccount(new BankAccount(1015, 10000));
11:          firstBankOfJava.addAccount(new BankAccount(1729, 15000));
12:
13:          double threshold = 15000;
14:          int c = firstBankOfJava.count(threshold);
15:          System.out.println("Count: " + c);
16:          System.out.println("Expected: 2");
17:
18:          int accountNumber = 1015;
19:          BankAccount a = firstBankOfJava.find(accountNumber);
20:          if (a == null)
```

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ch07/bankBankTester.java (cont.)

```
21:         System.out.println("No matching account");
22:     else
23:         System.out.println("Balance of matching account: " +
                             a.getBalance());
24:     System.out.println("Expected: 10000");
25:
26:     BankAccount max = firstBankOfJava.getMaximum();
27:     System.out.println("Account with largest balance: "
28:         + max.getAccountNumber());
29:     System.out.println("Expected: 1001");
30: }
31: }
```

Output:

Count: 2

Expected: 2

Balance of matching account: 10000.0

Expected: 10000

Account with largest balance: 1001

Expected: 1001

Java Containers

- **Map** is a base class which stores <key, value> pairs with no duplicate keys allowed.
- **Sorted Map** Inherits from Map. SortedMap objects are map objects that store the pairs in key-sorted order
- **Collection** considers a container to be a group of objects, without any assumptions about the uniqueness of objects in the container. It is a base class declaring methods common to types List and Set. These include `add`, `clear`, `isEmpty`, `iterator`, `remove`, `removeAll`, `toArray` (which constructs an array version of any container).
- **Set** inherits from Collection – all Set elements must be unique.
- **SortedSet** inherits from Set and stores elements in sorted order.

Note: These are all Java Interfaces, so they only contain method declarations

Example: Lists

```
import java.util.*;

class ListOps {
    public static void main( String[] args )
    {
        List animals = new ArrayList();
        animals.add( "cheetah" );
        animals.add( "lion" );
        animals.add( "cat" );
        animals.add( "fox" );
        animals.add( "cat" );           //duplicate cat
        System.out.println( animals ); //cheetah, lion, cat, fox, cat

        animals.remove( "lion" );
        System.out.println( animals ); //cheetah, cat, fox, cat

        animals.add( 0, "lion" );
        System.out.println( animals ); //lion, cheetah, cat, fox, cat
    }
}
```

```
animals.add( 3, "raccoon" );  
System.out.println( animals ); //lion, cheetah, cat, raccoon, fox, cat
```

```
animals.remove(3);  
System.out.println( animals ); //lion, cheetah, cat, fox, cat
```

```
Collections.sort( animals );  
System.out.println( animals ); //cat, cat, cheetah,fox, lion
```

```
List pets = new LinkedList();  
pets.add( "cat" ); pets.add( "dog" ); pets.add( "bird" );  
System.out.println( pets ); //cat, dog, bird
```

```
animals.addAll( 3, pets );  
System.out.println( animals ); //cat, cat, cheetah, cat, dog, bird, fox, lion
```

```
ListIterator iter = animals.listIterator(); /* ListIterators can move in 2 directions  
       whereas iterators only move in one direction*/
```

```
while ( iter.hasNext() ) {  
    System.out.println( iter.next() );  
}  
}  
}
```

Using Linked Lists

- A linked list consists of a number of nodes, each of which has a reference to the next node
- Adding and removing elements in the middle of a linked list is efficient
- Visiting the elements of a linked list in sequential order is efficient
- Random access is not efficient

Inserting an Element into a Linked List

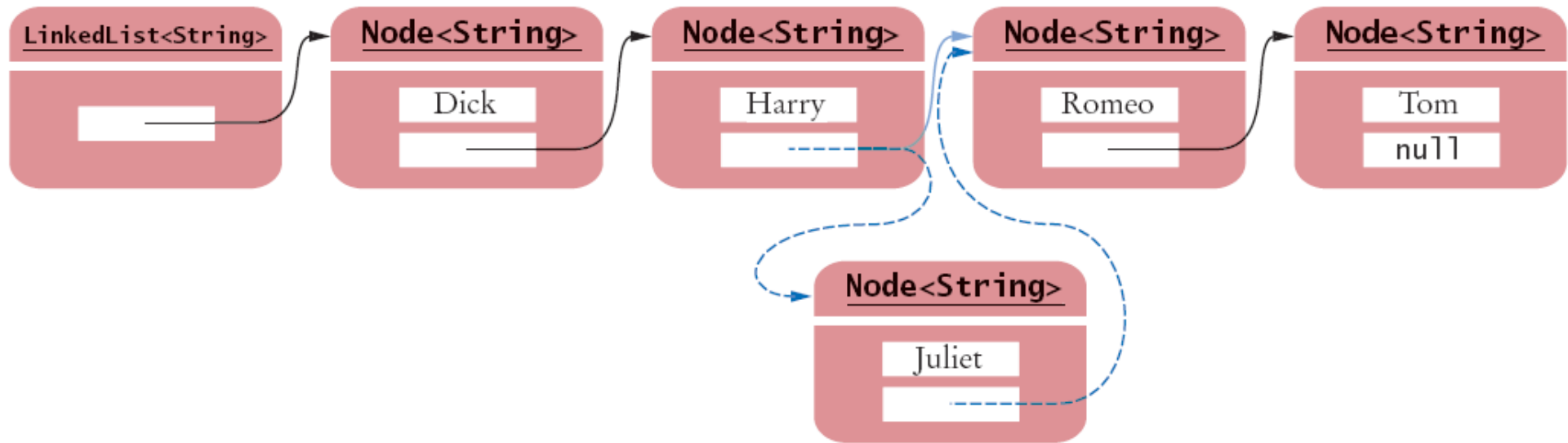


Figure 1 Inserting an Element into a Linked List

Java's `LinkedList` class

- Generic class
 - Specify type of elements in angle brackets: `LinkedList<Product>`
- Package: `java.util`
- Easy access to first and last elements with methods
 - `void addFirst(E obj)`
 - `void addLast(E obj)`
 - `E getFirst()`
 - `E getLast()`
 - `E removeFirst()`
 - `E removeLast()`

List Iterator

- `ListIterator` type
- Gives access to elements inside a linked list
- Encapsulates a position anywhere inside the linked list
- Protects the linked list while giving access

A List Iterator

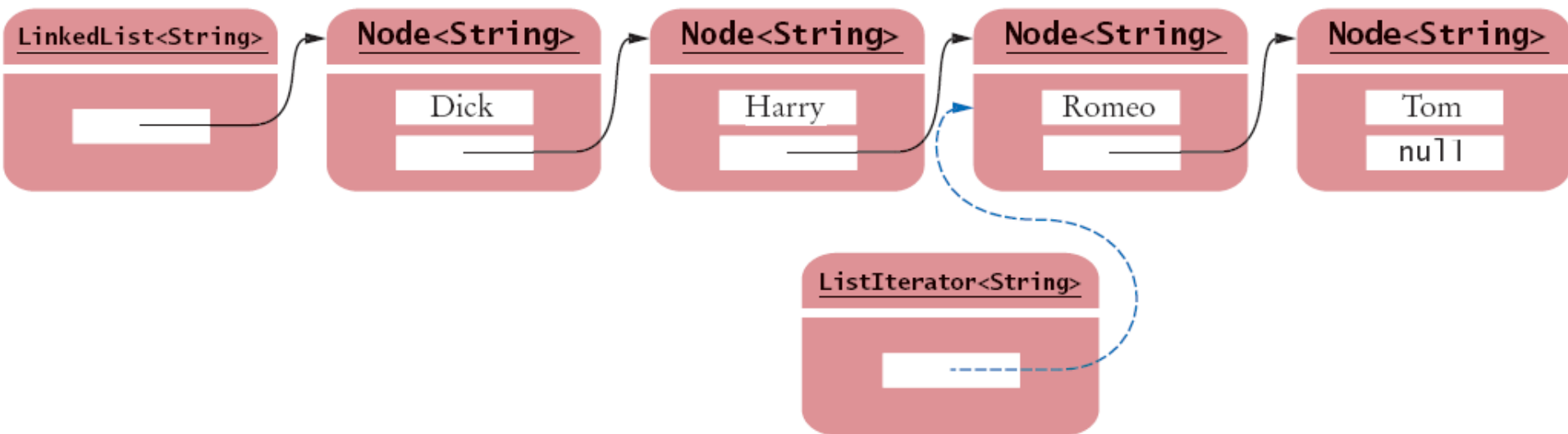


Figure 2 A List Iterator

A Conceptual View of the List Iterator

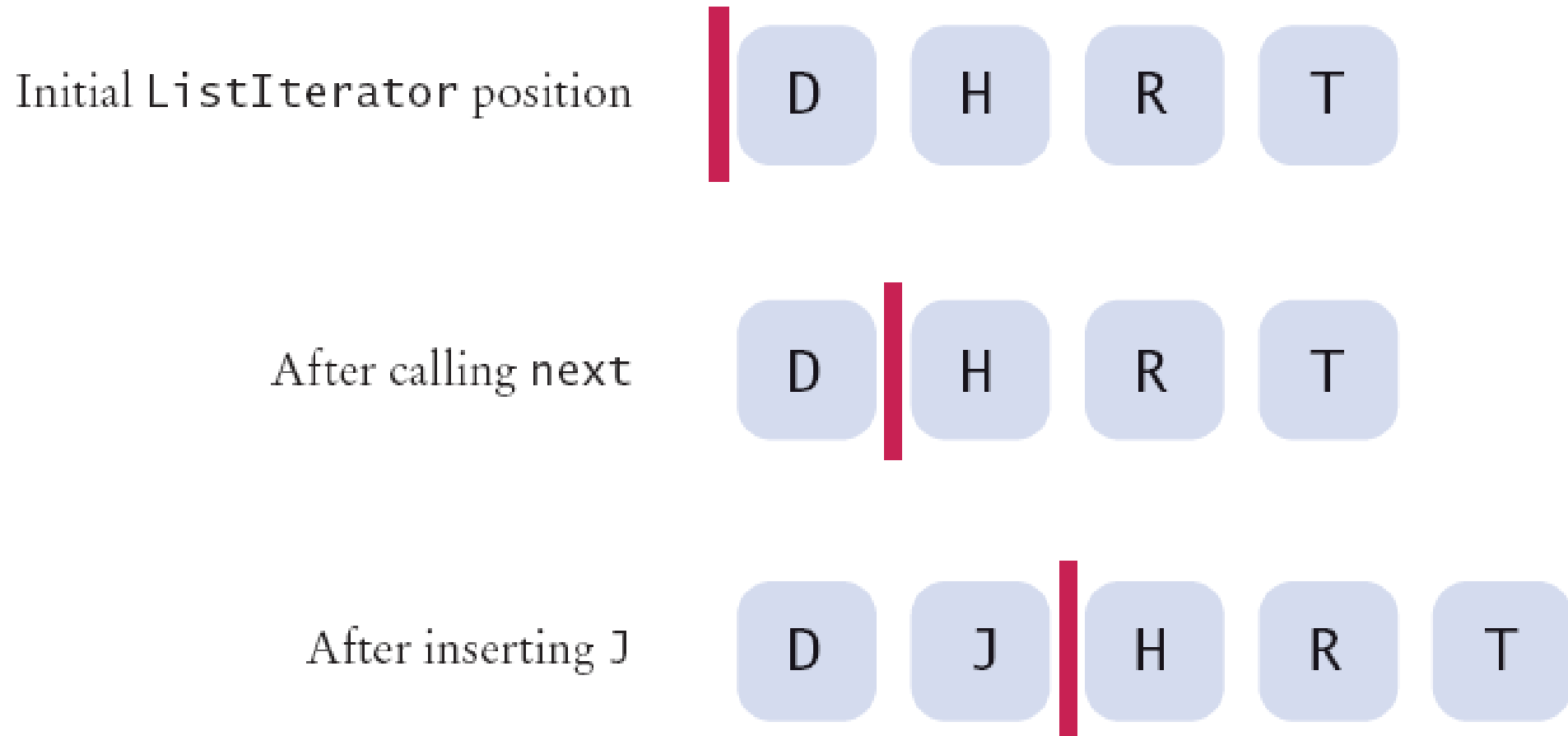


Figure 3 A Conceptual View of the List Iterator

List Iterator

- Think of an iterator as pointing between two elements
 - *Analogy: like the cursor in a word processor points between two characters*
- The `listIterator` method of the `LinkedList` class gets a list iterator

```
LinkedList<String> employeeNames = . . . ;  
ListIterator<String> iterator =  
    employeeNames.listIterator();
```

List Iterator

- Initially, the iterator points before the first element
- The `next` method moves the iterator

```
iterator.next();
```

- `next` **throws a** `NoSuchElementException` **if you are already past the end of the list**
- `hasNext` **returns true if there is a next element**

```
if (iterator.hasNext())  
    iterator.next();
```

List Iterator

- The `next` method returns the element that the iterator is passing

```
while iterator.hasNext()  
{  
    String name = iterator.next();  
    Do something with name  
}
```

- Shorthand:

```
for (String name : employeeNames)  
{  
    Do something with name  
}
```

Behind the scenes, the for loop uses an iterator to visit all list elements

List Iterator

- `LinkedList` is a *doubly linked list*
 - *Class stores two links:*
 - One to the next element, and
 - One to the previous element
- To move the list position backwards, use:
 - *hasPrevious*
 - *previous*

Adding and Removing from a LinkedList

- The `add` method:
 - *Adds an object after the iterator*
 - *Moves the iterator position past the new element*

```
iterator.add("Juliet");
```


Adding and Removing from a LinkedList

- The `remove` method
 - *Removes and*
 - *Returns the object that was returned by the last call to `next` or `previous`*

```
//Remove all names that fulfill a certain condition
while (iterator.hasNext())
{
    String name = iterator.next();
    if (name fulfills condition)
        iterator.remove(); }
```

- Be careful when calling `remove`:
 - *It can be called only once after calling `next` or `previous`*
 - *You cannot call it immediately after a call to `add`*
 - *If you call it improperly, it throws an `IllegalStateException`*

Sample Program

- `ListTester` is a sample program that
 - *Inserts strings into a list*
 - *Iterates through the list, adding and removing elements*
 - *Prints the list*

ch15/uselist/ListTester.java

```
01: import java.util.LinkedList;
02: import java.util.ListIterator;
03:
04: /**
05:     A program that tests the LinkedList class
06: */
07: public class ListTester
08: {
09:     public static void main(String[] args)
10:     {
11:         LinkedList<String> staff = new LinkedList<String>();
12:         staff.addLast("Dick");
13:         staff.addLast("Harry");
14:         staff.addLast("Romeo");
15:         staff.addLast("Tom");
16:
17:         // | in the comments indicates the iterator position
18:
19:         ListIterator<String> iterator
20:             = staff.listIterator(); // |DHRT
21:         iterator.next(); // D|HRT
22:         iterator.next(); // DH|RT
```

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ch15/uselist/ListTester.java (cont.)

```
23:
24:     // Add more elements after second element
25:
26:     iterator.add("Juliet"); // DHJ|RT
27:     iterator.add("Nina"); // DHJN|RT
28:
29:     iterator.next(); // DHJNR|T
30:
31:     // Remove last traversed element
32:
33:     iterator.remove(); // DHJN|T
34:
35:     // Print all elements
36:
37:     for (String name : staff)
38:         System.out.print(iterator.next() + " ");
39:     System.out.println();
40:     System.out.println("Expected: Dick Harry Juliet Nina Tom");
41: }
42: }
```

ch15/uselist/ListTester.java (cont.)

Output:

Dick Harry Juliet Nina Tom

Expected: Dick Harry Juliet Nina Tom

Sets

- Set: unordered collection of distinct elements
- Elements can be added, located, and removed
- Sets don't have duplicates

Sets

- We could use a linked list to implement a set
 - *Adding, removing, and containment testing would be relatively slow*
- There are data structures that can handle these operations much more quickly
 - *Hash tables*
 - *Trees*
- Standard Java library provides set implementations based on both data structures
 - *HashSet*
 - *TreeSet*
- Both of these data structures implement the `Set` interface

Iterator

- Use an iterator to visit all elements in a set
- A set iterator does not visit the elements in the order in which they were inserted
- An element can not be added to a set at an iterator position
- A set element can be removed at an iterator position

Code for Creating and Using a Hash Set

- `//Creating a hash set`
`Set<String> names = new HashSet<String>();`
- `//Adding an element`
`names.add("Romeo");`
- `//Removing an element`
`names.remove("Juliet");`
- `//Is element in set`
`if (names.contains("Juliet") { . . .}`

Listing All Elements with an Iterator

```
Iterator<String> iter = names.iterator();  
while (iter.hasNext())  
{  
    String name = iter.next();  
    Do something with name  
}
```

```
// Or, using the "for each" loop  
for (String name : names)  
{  
    Do something with name  
}
```

ch16/set/SetDemo.java

```
01: import java.util.HashSet;
02: import java.util.Scanner;
03: import java.util.Set;
04:
05:
06: /**
07:     This program demonstrates a set of strings. The user
08:     can add and remove strings.
09: */
10: public class SetDemo
11: {
12:     public static void main(String[] args)
13:     {
14:         Set<String> names = new HashSet<String>();
15:         Scanner in = new Scanner(System.in);
16:
17:         boolean done = false;
18:         while (!done)
19:         {
20:             System.out.print("Add name, Q when done: ");
21:             String input = in.next();
```

Continued

ch16/set/SetDemo.java (cont.)

```
22:         if (input.equalsIgnoreCase("Q"))
23:             done = true;
24:         else
25:         {
26:             names.add(input);
27:             print(names);
28:         }
29:     }
30:
31:     done = false;
32:     while (!done)
33:     {
34:         System.out.print("Remove name, Q when done: ");
35:         String input = in.next();
36:         if (input.equalsIgnoreCase("Q"))
37:             done = true;
38:         else
39:         {
40:             names.remove(input);
41:             print(names);
42:         }
43:     }
44: }
```

Continued

ch16/set/SetDemo.java (cont.)

```
45:
46:     /**
47:         Prints the contents of a set of strings.
48:         @param s a set of strings
49:     */
50:     private static void print(Set<String> s)
51:     {
52:         System.out.print("{ ");
53:         for (String element : s)
54:         {
55:             System.out.print(element);
56:             System.out.print(" ");
57:         }
58:         System.out.println("}");
59:     }
60: }
61:
62:
```

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ch16/set/SetDemo.java (cont.)

Output:

```
Add name, Q when done: Dick
{ Dick }
Add name, Q when done: Tom
{ Tom Dick }
Add name, Q when done: Harry
{ Harry Tom Dick }
Add name, Q when done: Tom
{ Harry Tom Dick }
Add name, Q when done: Q
Remove name, Q when done: Tom
{ Harry Dick }
Remove name, Q when done: Jerry
{ Harry Dick }
Remove name, Q when done: Q
```

Self Check 16.1

Arrays and lists remember the order in which you added elements; sets do not. Why would you want to use a set instead of an array or list?

Answer: Efficient set implementations can quickly test whether a given element is a member of the set.

Self Check 16.2

Why are set iterators different from list iterators?

Answer: Sets do not have an ordering, so it doesn't make sense to add an element at a particular iterator position, or to traverse a set backwards.

Maps

- A map keeps associations between key and value objects
- Mathematically speaking, a map is a function from one set, the *key set*, to another set, the *value set*
- Every key in a map has a unique value
- A value may be associated with several keys
- Classes that implement the `Map` interface
 - *HashMap*
 - *TreeMap*

An Example of a Map

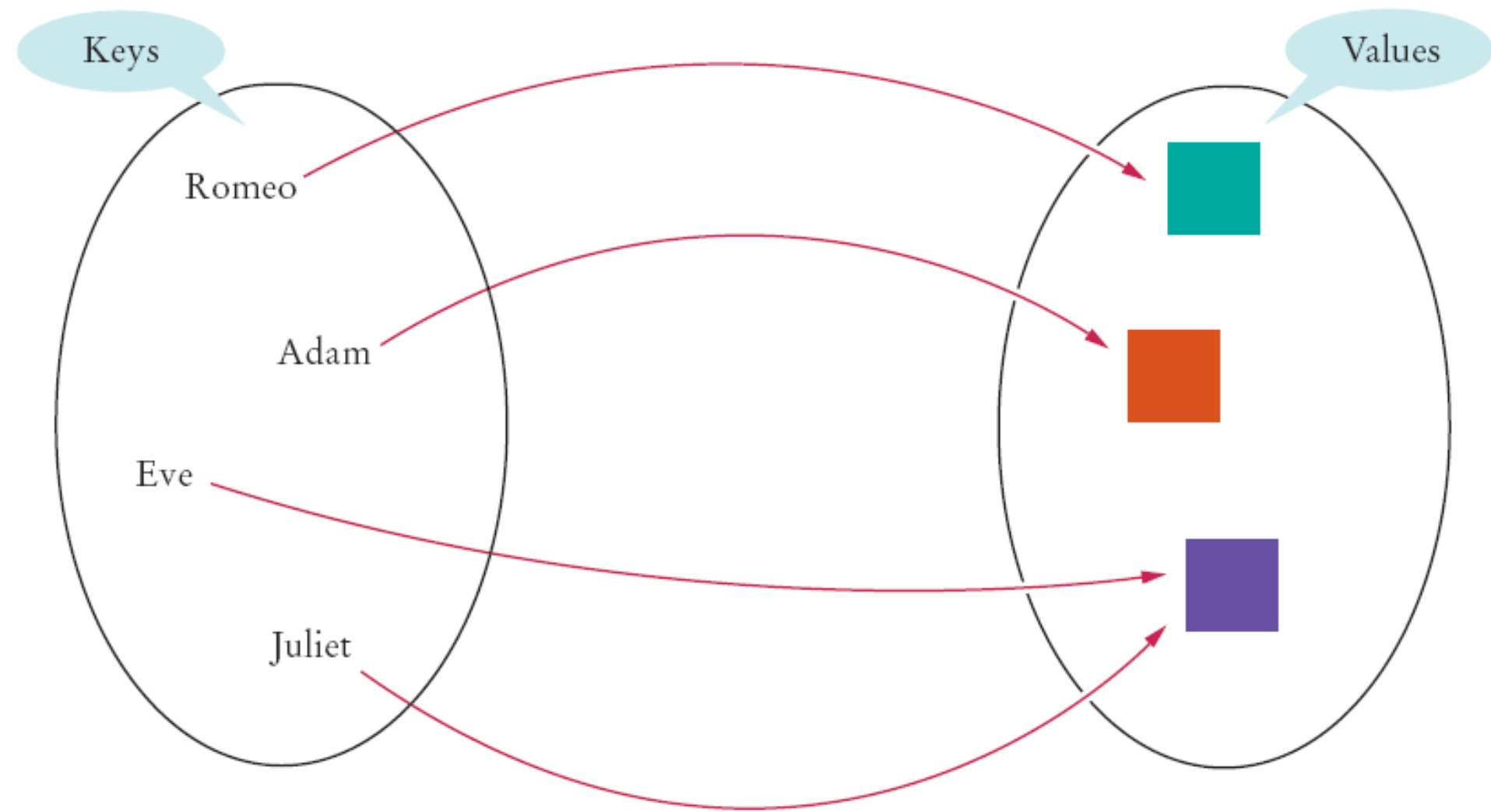


Figure 3 A Map

Code for Creating and Using a HashMap

- `//Creating a HashMap`
`Map<String, Color> favoriteColors = new HashMap<String,`
`Color>();`
- `//Adding an association`
`favoriteColors.put("Juliet", Color.PINK);`
- `//Changing an existing association`
`favoriteColor.put("Juliet",Color.RED);`
- `//Getting the value associated with a key`
`Color julietsFavoriteColor =`
`favoriteColors.get("Juliet");`
- `//Removing a key and its associated value`
`favoriteColors.remove("Juliet");`

Printing Key/Value Pairs

```
Set<String> keySet = m.keySet();  
for (String key : keySet)  
{  
    Color value = m.get(key);  
    System.out.println(key + "->" + value);  
}
```

ch16/map/MapDemo.java

```
01: import java.awt.Color;
02: import java.util.HashMap;
03: import java.util.Map;
04: import java.util.Set;
05:
06: /**
07:     This program demonstrates a map that maps names to colors.
08: */
09: public class MapDemo
10: {
11:     public static void main(String[] args)
12:     {
13:         Map<String, Color> favoriteColors
14:             = new HashMap<String, Color>();
15:         favoriteColors.put("Juliet", Color.PINK);
16:         favoriteColors.put("Romeo", Color.GREEN);
17:         favoriteColors.put("Adam", Color.BLUE);
18:         favoriteColors.put("Eve", Color.PINK);
19:
```

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ch16/map/MapDemo.java (cont.)

```
20:         Set<String> keySet = favoriteColors.keySet();
21:         for (String key : keySet)
22:         {
23:             Color value = favoriteColors.get(key);
24:             System.out.println(key + "->" + value);
25:         }
26:     }
27: }
```

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ch16/map/MapDemo.java (cont.)

Output:

Romeo->java.awt.Color[r=0,g=255,b=0]

Eve->java.awt.Color[r=255,g=175,b=175]

Adam->java.awt.Color[r=0,g=0,b=255]

Juliet->java.awt.Color[r=255,g=175,b=175]

Java Containers: Vectors

- The Vector class dates back to early Java releases.
- It has now been retro-fitted to implement the List interface to enable older Java code to run on newer platforms.
- Vectors have all of the methods listed in the List interface
 - ...
 - Plus a few more e.g. addElement, size, elementAt(i)
- Examples in the folder called Java Container Examples

Java Containers Algorithms

- The `java.util.Collections` class provides some predefined algorithms for activities such as
 - sorting, searching, copying, filling, finding maximum values in a container, finding minimum values in a container, reversing the contents of a container, shuffling the container contents etc...

Java API at
<http://java.sun.com/j2se/1.5.0/docs/api/>