

# In-Class Extended Example

## Ch. 6.4

- Form **teams** of two to three neighbors
- Hand out printouts of Iterator.html
  - <http://docs.oracle.com/javase/7/docs/api/java/util/Iterator.html>
- Close books
- We will go through the steps for designing an IDM for Iterator
- After each step, we will stop & discuss as a class

# Task I: Determine Characteristics

Step 1: Identify:

- Functional units
- Parameters
- Return types and return values
- Exceptional behavior



work ...

# Task I: Determine Characteristics

## Step 1: Identify:

- **hasNext()** - Returns true if more elements
- **E next()** - Returns next element
  - Exception: NoSuchElementException
- **void remove()** - Removes the most recent element returned by the iterator
  - Exception: UnsupportedOperationException
  - Exception: IllegalStateException
- **parameters:** state of the iterator
  - iterator state changes with **next()**, and **remove()** calls
  - modifying underlying collection also changes iterator state

# Task I: Determine Characteristics

## Step 2: Develop Characteristics

Table A:

Method	Params	Returns	Values	Exception	Ch ID	Character-istic	Covered by
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remove	state						

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				IllegalState	C4	remove() constraint satisfied	

Done!

# Task I: Determine Characteristics

Step 4: Design a partitioning

Which methods is each characteristic relevant for?

How can we partition each characteristic?

Table B:

ID	Characteristic	hasNext()	next()	remove()	Partition
C1	More values				
C2	Returns non-null object				
C3	remove() supported				
C4	remove() constraint satisfied				

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# Task I: Determine Characteristics

Step 4: Design a partitioning

Relevant characteristics for each method

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C2	Returns non-null object		X	X	
C3	remove() supported			X	
C4	remove() constraint satisfied			X	

# Task I: Determine Characteristics

Step 4: Design a partitioning

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C2	Returns non-null object		X	X	{true, false}
C3	remove() supported			X	{true, false}
C4	remove() constraint satisfied			X	{true, false}

*Done with task I!*

# Task II: Define Test Requirements

- Step 1: Choose coverage criterion
- Step 2: Choose base cases if needed



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- Step 1: Base coverage criterion (BCC)
- Step 2: Happy path (all true)
- Step 3: Test requirements ...

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- Step 3: Test requirements

Table C:

Method	Characteristics	Test Requirements	Infeasible TRs
hasNext	C1		
next	C1 C2		
remove	C1 C2 C3 C4		

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- Step 3: Test requirements

Table C:

Method	Characteristics	Test Requirements	Infeasible TRs
hasNext	C1	{T, F}	
next	C1 C2	{TT, FT, TF}	
remove	C1 C2 C3 C4	{TTTT, FTFT, FTFT, TTFT, TTFT}	



# Task II: Define Test Requirements

- Step 4: Infeasible test requirements

Table C:

C1=F: has no values  
C2=T: returns non-null object

Method	Characteristics	Test Requirements	Infeasible TRs
hasNext	C1	{T, F}	none
next	C1 C2	{TT, FT, TF}	FT
remove	C1 C2 C3 C4	{TTTT, FTTF, FTFT, TTFT, TTTF}	FTTT

# Task II: Define Test Requirements

- Step 5: Revised infeasible test requirements

Table C:

Method	Characteristics	Test Requirements	Infeasible TRs	Revised TRs	# TRs
hasNext	C1	{T, F}	none	n/a	2
next	C1 C2	{TT, FT, TF}	FT	FT -> FF	3
remove	C1 C2 C3 C4	{TTTT, FTTT, TFTT, TTFT, TTTF}	FTTT	FTTT-> FFTT	5

*Done with task II!*

# Task III: Automate Tests

All tests are on the book website:

<http://cs.gmu.edu/~offutt/softwaretest/java/IteratorTest.java>