INTRODUCTION TO ADT

CS212:Data Structure

Data Types & Data Structures

- Applications/programs read data, store data temporarily, process it and finally output results.
- What is data? Numbers, Characters, etc.

Data Types & Data Structures

- Data is classified into **data types**. e.g. char, float, int, etc.
- A data type is:
  - (i) a **domain** of allowed values and
  - (ii) a set of **operations** on these values.
- Compiler signals an error if wrong operation is performed on data of a certain type.
  - For example,
    - `char x,y,z;`
    - `z = x*y` is not allowed.

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- Examples

Data Type	Domain	Operations
boolean	0,1	and, or, =, etc.
char	ASCII	=, <>, <, etc.
integer	-maxint to +maxint	+, _, =, ==, <>, <, etc.

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- int i,j;→ i, j can take only integer values and only integer operations can be carried out on i, j.
- **Built-in** types: defined within the language e.g. int,float, etc.
- **User-defined** types: defined and implemented by the user e.g. using typedef or class

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- **Simple Data** types: also known as atomic data types → have no component parts. E.g. int, char, float, etc.

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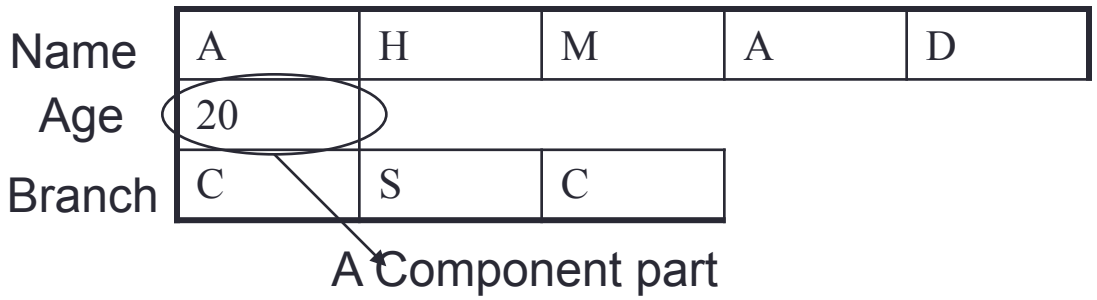
- **Structured Data** types: can be broken into component parts. E.g. an object, array, set, file, etc. Example: a student object.



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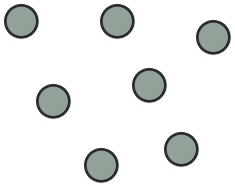
- A **data structure** is a data type whose values
  - (i) can be decomposed into a set of component elements each of which is either simple (atomic) or another data structure
  - (ii) include a structure involving the component parts.

Data Structures -> Data StructurING

- A data structure is **a collection of data**, organized so that items can be stored and retrieved or removed by some fixed techniques.

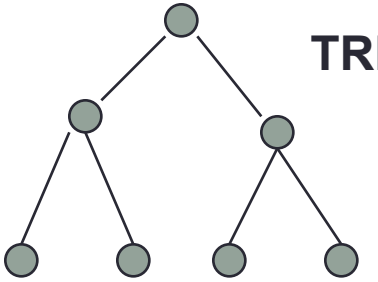
Data Types & Data Structure

Possible Structures: Set, Linear, Tree, Graph.

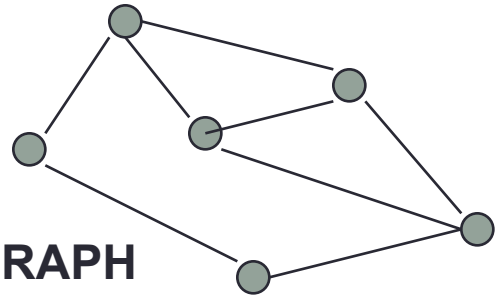


SET

LINEAR



TREE



GRAPH

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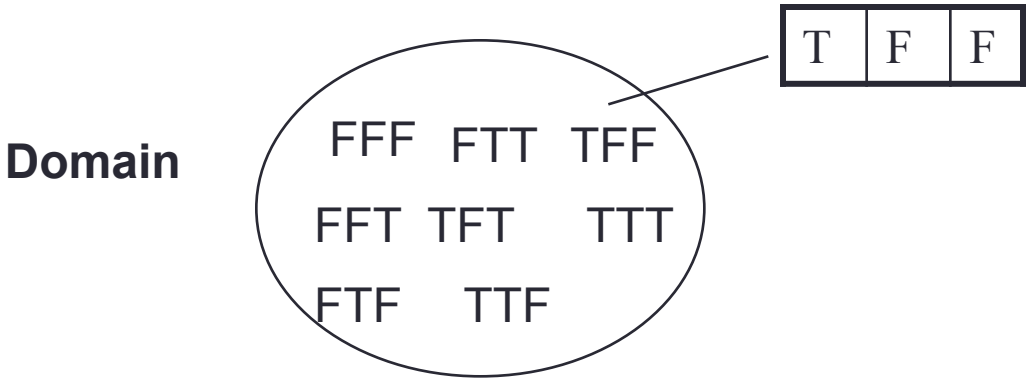
- What is the domain of a structured data type? Operations?
- Example: boolean[] Sample= new boolean[3];



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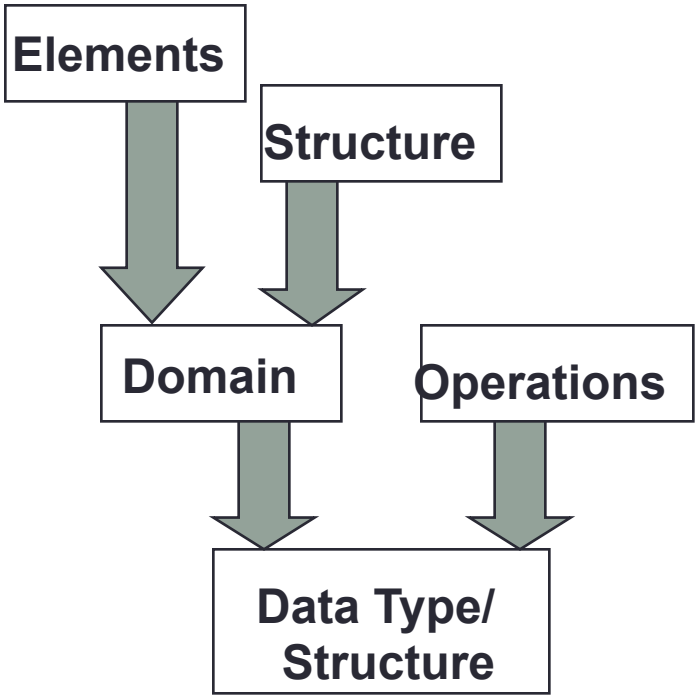
- Example: Operations:

  Sample[0] = True;

  boolean C = Sample[1];



Abstract Data Types (ADTs)

- **Abstraction**? Anything that hides details & provides only the essentials.
- Examples: an integer 165 = $1.10^2+6.10^1+5.10^0$, procedures/subprograms, etc.
- **Abstract Data Types (ADTs):** Simple or structured data types whose implementation details are hidden…

ADTs

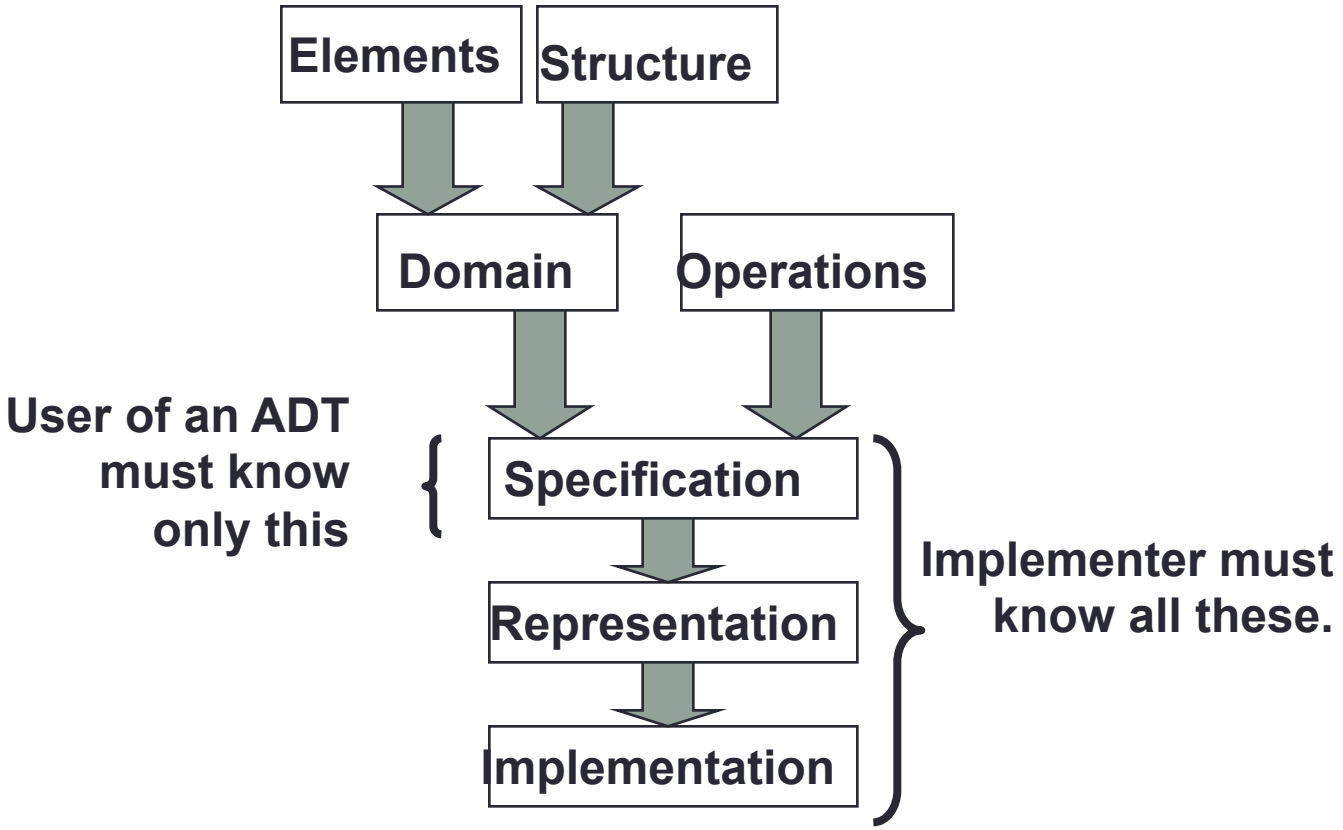
- While designing ADTs, a designer has to deal with two types of questions:
  - (i) **What** values are in the domain? **What** operations can be performed on the values of a particular data type?
  - (ii) **How** is the data type represented? **How** are the operations implemented?

ADTs

- ADTs **specification** answers the 'what' questions. Specification is written first.
- ADTs **implementation** answers the 'how' questions. Done after specification.
- Users & Implementers:
  - Users of an ADT need only know the specification …. No implementation details.← advantage
  - Programmer (Implementer) who implements ADT is concerned with..specification, representation, implementation.

Graph, tree ...

ADTs


Elements
Structure
Domain
Operations
User of an ADT must know only this
Specification
Representation
Implementation
Implementer must know all these.

ADT: Example

ADT String1
Specification:
Elements: type char.
Structure: elements (characters) are linearly arranged.
Domain: type String, finite domain, there are 0 to 80 chars in a string, therefore $1+128+128^2+\ldots..+128^{80}$ possible stings in the domain.
Operations: Assume that there is a string S.
1. Procedure Append (c: char)
   Requires: length(S) < 80.
   Results: c is appended to the right end of S.

ADT: Example

2. Procedure Remove (c: char)

   Requires: length(S) > 0.

   Results: The rightmost character of S is removed and placed in c, S's length decreases by 1.

3. Procedure MakeEmpty ()

   Results: all characters are removed.

4. Procedure Concatenate (R: String)

   Results: String R is concatenated to the right of string S, result placed into S.

5. Procedure Reverse ()
6. Procedure Length (L: int)
7. Procedure Equal (S: String, flag: boolean)
8. Procedure GetChar (int i)

Remember

- In Java the *class* construct is used to declare new data types.
- In Java operations are implemented as function members of classes or methods.

ADT String: Implementation

```
public class String1 extends Object {
private char[] str;
private int    size;

public String1 () {
   size = -1;
   str = new char[80];
}
public void Append (char c) {
   size++;
        if (size<80)
   str[size] = c;
        else
       System.out.println("Character"+c +" is not appended
");
}
```

Representation

Implementation

ADT String: Implementation

```
public char Remove (){
   char c = str[size];
   size--;
   return(c);
}
public char GetChar(int i){
 if(i>=0 && i<size+1)
   return(str[i]);
 return ‘’;
}
public void MakeEmpty (){
   size = -1;
}
public int Length (){
   return(size+1);  }
```

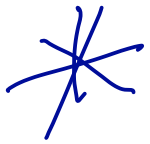
ADT String: Implementation

```
public void Concatenate (String1 s){
      for (int i = 0; i<=s.Length(); i++) {
            char c = s.GetChar(i);
            Append(c);
      }
   }
   public boolean Equal (String1 s){
   }
   public void Reverse () {
   }
}
```

Using ADT String

```
import java.lang.*;
public class Test {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
        String1 s = new String1();
        String1 s1 = new String1();
        System.out.println("Hello, World");
        s.Append('a');
        s1.Append('b');
        s.Concatenate(s1);
        System.out.print(s.GetChar(0));
        System.out.println(s.GetChar(1));
}
```

ToDo



- Read 2.1, 2.2, 2.3 of the Textbook.
- Program the String1 ADT.
- Implement the reverse and equals operations.
- Test This ADT using a test Class.