

I STARTED THE DAY WITH
LOTS OF PROBLEMS.

BUT NOW, AFTER HOURS
AND HOURS OF WORK,

I HAVE LOTS OF PROBLEMS
IN A *SPREADSHEET*.



LAB 6 - CONTAINER ADTS

README

REMINDERS

- Lab 6 due Sunday, October 28th at 8pm
- **Project 3 due TONIGHT at 8pm**
- Review session – Sunday October 28th, 4pm in CHRYS 220
- **Exam – Wednesday October 31st (Halloween!) at 7pm**

AGENDA

- 15 • Container ADTs + Worksheet
- 5 • Employee statistics
- 40 • Exam practice
- 50 • Lab time & questions

REVIEW: ADTs

ADTs are Abstract Data Types.

ADTs bind functions & data into a type/class that exposes an interface.

ADTs allow us to abstract the world around us

Useful properties to remember:

Abstraction, Encapsulation, Information Hiding.

CONTAINERS

Containers are a special type of ADT often used in computer science

A Container is an ADT that stores other ADTs.

Gives us a way to reason about multiples of ADTs.

Computer Scientists like working with things at scale: Think about our Fruit ADT. How do you write a program to deal with millions or billions of Fruits (watermelons, apples, oranges, pears, grapes, etc.)?

Can you think of some important features you'd want a container to have?

CONTAINERS

You will often see containers support the following operations:

Add an element

Remove an element

Check size of the container/ see if it's empty

“Special” features:

Access a particular element, search, sort, remove particular element

What are these operations for a vector?

LET'S LOOK
IT UP!

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vector - C++ Reference - Cplusplus.com
www.cplusplus.com/reference/vector/vector/ ▼
Instead, **vector** containers may allocate some extra storage to accommodate for possible growth, and thus the container may have an actual capacity greater ...

Vector Std::vector - Assign - Push_back - Vector::back - Operator - Vector	Insert The vector is extended by inserting new elements before the ...
Erase Removes from the vector either a single element (position) or a ...	Vector::size Returns the number of elements in the vector. This is the number of ...
Push_back Adds a new element at the end of the vector, after its current last ...	Begin Returns an iterator pointing to the first element in the vector ...

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std::vector - cppreference.com
en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/container/vector ▼
Oct 15, 2017 - The elements are stored contiguously, which means that elements can be accessed not only through iterators, but also using offsets to regular ...
[Template parameters](#) · [Iterator invalidation](#) · [Member types](#) · [Member functions](#)

POLYMORPHISM AND CONTAINERS

```
class Fruit {  
    ...  
}
```

```
class Banana : public Fruit  
{  
    ...  
}
```



```
class Watermelon : public Fruit  
{  
    ...  
}
```



```
class Apple: public Fruit  
{  
    ...  
}
```



```
Banana banana1();  
Banana banana2();  
Watermelon watermelon1();  
Apple apple1();
```

```
Fruit* groceries[4] = {&banana1, &banana2, &watermelon1, &apple1};
```

```
for(int i = 0; i < 4; ++i) {  
    groceries[i]->eat();  
    //we automatically call the right "eat" function!  
}
```

WORKSHEET!

REMEMBER THE EMPLOYEE ADTs?

- We have some statistics about the employees we made!
- We take these statistics every term to open a dialogue about DEI in EECS
- What causes results like this? What can we do about it?
- TED talk by Yassmin Abdel-Magied
 - Her main point: everyone has unconscious biases. She proposes that we could improve this situation by mentoring someone different from ourselves.
 - Speaking of this...
 - How to be an EECS IA Panel!
 - Co-hosted by GEECS & Computing Cares
 - October 29th from 7:30pm - 8:30pm in BBB 1690

MIDTERM TOPICS TO REVIEW:

Lectures 1-10 are covered

Procedural Abstraction & Call Stack

Pointers and Arrays

String Streams & IO

Compound Objects

C style ADTs

C++ style ADTs

Inheritance

Polymorphism

My personal advice:

- *Go through all of the lecture slides/redo examples

- *Make your cheat sheet as you go

- *Redo lab activities & glance at projects