# **Fixed Capacity Lists**

Parameter to primary constructor is not a property (no var or val), no need, since it is only used in the constructor.

```
package collections
class FixedCapacityList(capacity: Int) {
    private val elements = if (capacity < 0) {</pre>
        throw IllegalArgumentException("List capacity cannot be
negative")
    }
    else {
        Array(capacity) { -1 }
    var size = 0
        private set
    override fun toString(): String = elements.slice(0..<size)</pre>
        .joinToString(
        prefix = '[',
        postfix = ']'
    )
    fun add(index: Int, element: Int) {
        if (size >= elements.size | index !in 0..size) {
            throw IndexOutOfBoundsException()
        }
        for (i in size downTo index + 1) {
            elements[i] = elements[i - 1]
        elements[index] = element
        size++
    }
    // Method Overloading: Same name, different parameters
    fun add(element: Int) = add(size, element)
```

```
fun main() {
   val data = FixedCapacityList(10)
   println(data.size)
}
```

```
fun get(index: Int): Int = if (index !in 0..<size) {
    throw IndexOutOfBoundsException()
} else {
    elements[index]
}

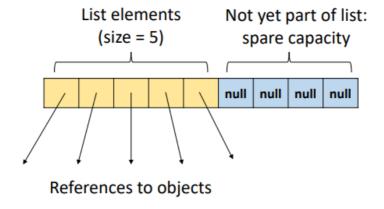
This is neat way to
    write 0..size - 1</pre>
```

### **Generic Fixed Capacity Lists**

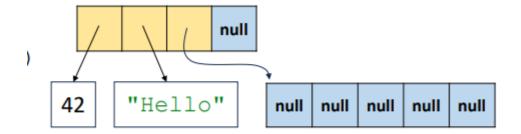
Any is a Kotlin type that can store a reference to any object – a string, an integer, a person, a point – anything • If we write a fixed-capacity list of Any, wouldn't this work for every type?

Invariant maintained by fixed-capacity list of Any

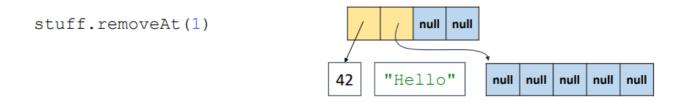
## For all $0 \le i < \text{capacity}$ , elements[i] = null iff $i \ge \text{size}$



Can make this:



Our list of Any now contains an integer, a string, and another list



"Hello" = garbage = removed from list, but still exists in memory = inaccessible = Cleaned up via garbage collection

```
class FixedCapacityAnyList(capacity: Int) {
    var size: Int = 0
        private set
    // The type of array elements is "nullable
    // Any" - the array can store references // to any objects,
as well as null values
    private val elements: Array<Any?> = if (capacity < 0) {</pre>
        throw IllegalArgumentException()
    } else {
        // Creates an array of size capacity,
        // that is null everywhere
        arrayOfNulls(capacity)
    }
    fun get(index: Int): Any = if (index !in 0..<size) {</pre>
      throw IndexOutOfBoundsException()
    } else {
      elements[index]!!
      // !! Asserts expression is non-nullable
      // If you are wrong and the expression is Null, a
NullPointerException
      // is thrown
      // Because of our invariant, this will work
```

```
}
```

### **Type Safety**

### **Generic Fixed Capacity Lists with Type Safety**

```
class FixedCapacityList<T>(capacity: Int) {
    var size: Int = 0
        private set
    private val elements: Array<T?> = if (capacity < 0) {</pre>
        throw IllegalArgumentException()
    } else {
        arrayOfNulls<Any?>(capacity) as Array<T?>
        // Need this due to reasons related to Kotlin / Java
interoperability
    }
}
fun main() {
    val myStrings = FixedCapacityList<String>(10)
    myStrings.add("Minty")
    myStrings.add("Jekyll")
    // This works!
    myStrings.add(42)
```

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```
myStrings.add(Pair("Cat", "Dog"))

// This does not

// The Kotlin compiler gives type errors // Detecting
problems at compile time is good — avoids debugging runtime
failures

val upperCaseMinty = myStrings.get(0).uppercase()

// Works, no casting required
}
```