

# JAVA COLLECTIONS FRAMEWORK

## Set Interface



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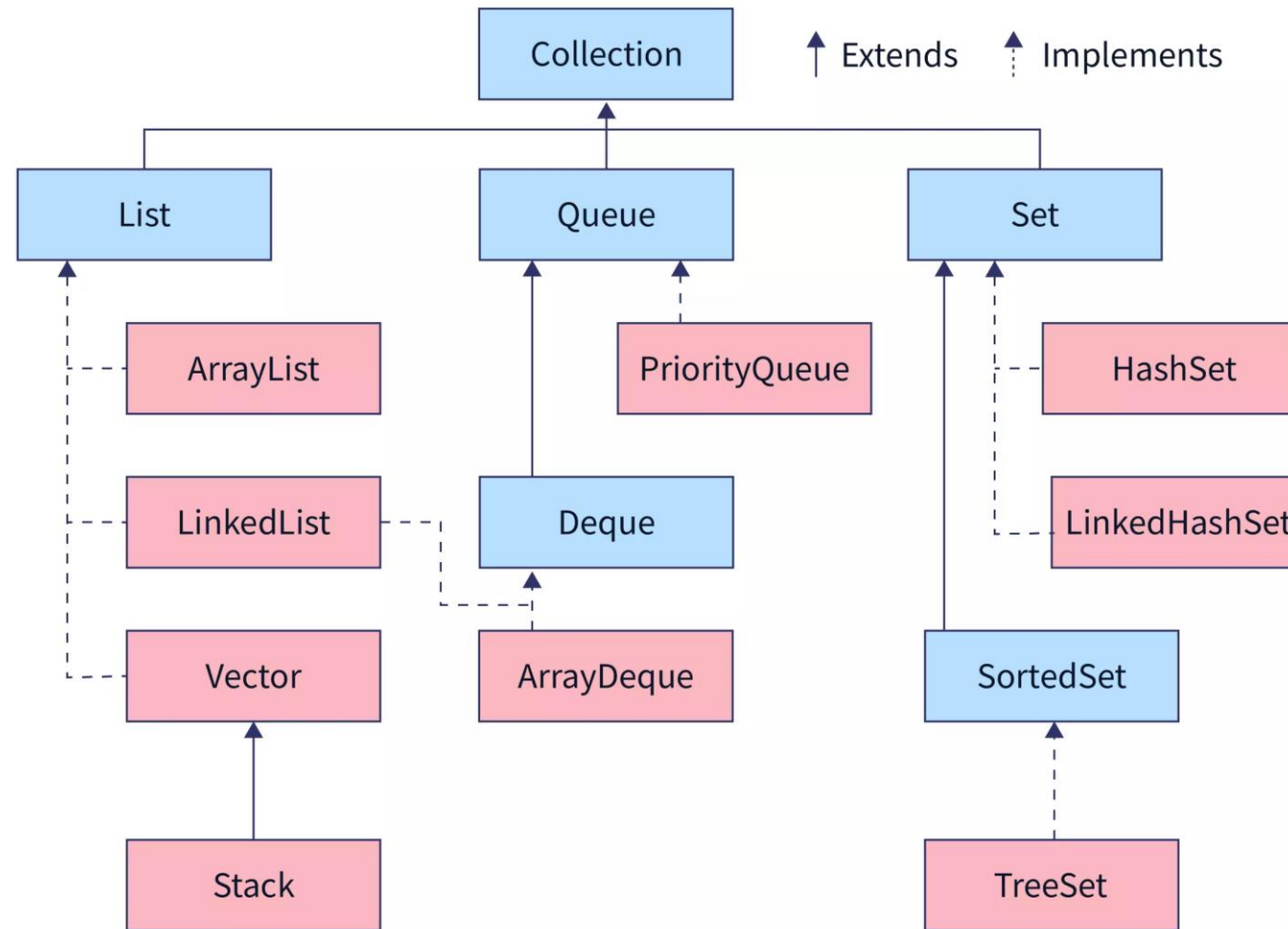
# Lesson Objectives

- **Understand** the characteristics of HashSet and TreeSet.
- **Understand** the difference between Set and other collection types.
- **Perform** common operations such as adding, removing, and accessing elements in an HashSet.
- **Perform** common operations such as adding, removing, and accessing elements in an TreeSet.

## Section 4

# Set Interface

# Hierarchy of Collections Framework - review



# Set Interface

- **Set** interface in Java is present in *java.util* package.
  - ✓ It extends the Collection interface.
  - ✓ It represents the unordered set of elements which doesn't allow us to store the duplicate items.
  - ✓ We can store at most one null value in Set.
  - ✓ Set is implemented by **HashSet**, **LinkedHashSet**, and **TreeSet**.
- **Set can be instantiated as:**

```
Set<data-type> s1 = new HashSet<data-type>();  
Set<data-type> s2 = new LinkedHashSet<data-type>();  
Set<data-type> s3 = new TreeSet<data-type>();
```

## Section 2

# HashSet class

# HashSet class

- Java **HashSet** class is used to create a collection that uses a hash table for storage.
  - ✓ It inherits the AbstractSet class and implements Set interface.
- The **important points** about Java HashSet class are:
  - ✓ HashSet stores the elements by using a mechanism called **hashing**.
  - ✓ HashSet contains **unique elements** only.
  - ✓ HashSet **allows null** value.
  - ✓ HashSet class is **non synchronized**.
  - ✓ HashSet **doesn't** maintain the **insertion order**. Here, elements are inserted on the basis of their hashcode.
  - ✓ HashSet is the best approach for search operations.
  - ✓ The initial default capacity of HashSet is 16, and the load factor is 0.75.



# Methods of Java HashSet class

Method	Description
boolean <code>add(E e)</code>	It is used to add the specified element to this set if it is not already present.
void <code>clear()</code>	It is used to remove all of the elements from the set.
object <code>clone()</code>	It is used to return a shallow copy of this HashSet instance: the elements themselves are not cloned.
boolean <code>contains(Object o)</code>	It is used to return true if this set contains the specified element.
boolean <code>isEmpty()</code>	It is used to return true if this set contains no elements.
Iterator<E> <code>iterator()</code>	It is used to return an iterator over the elements in this set.
boolean <code>remove(Object o)</code>	It is used to remove the specified element from this set if it is present.
int <code>size()</code>	It is used to return the number of elements in the set.
Splitterator<E> <code>spliterator()</code>	It is used to create a late-binding and fail-fast Spliterator over the elements in the set.

# HashSet Example

```
public class HashSetTest {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
  
        // Creating HashSet and adding elements  
        HashSet<String> set = new HashSet<>();  
        set.add("One");  
        set.add("Two");  
        set.add("Three");  
        set.add("Three"); // ignoring duplicate elements  
        set.add("Four");  
        set.add("Five");  
        Iterator<String> i = set.iterator();  
        while (i.hasNext()) {  
            System.out.println(i.next());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

## Output:

Five  
One  
Four  
Two  
Three

# Store user-defined class objects

- Give **Course** class:

```
public class Course {  
    private String courseCode;  
    private String courseTitle;  
    private int numOfCredits;  
  
    public Course() {  
  
    }  
  
    public Course(String courseCode, String courseTitle, int numOfCredits) {  
        super();  
        this.courseCode = courseCode;  
        this.courseTitle = courseTitle;  
        this.numOfCredits = numOfCredits;  
    }  
    // getter, setter methods  
}
```

# Store user-defined class objects

- Consider the following snippet code:

```
public class HashSetDemo {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        HashSet<Course> courses = new HashSet<>();  
  
        Course c1 = new Course("J001", "Java SE Programming Essentials", 10);  
        Course c2 = new Course("S004", "SQL", 5);  
        Course c3 = new Course("F003", "Front End Essentials", 10);  
        Course c4 = new Course("S004", "SQL", 5);  
        courses.add(c1);  
        courses.add(c2);  
        courses.add(c3);  
        courses.add(c4);  
  
        System.out.println("Size of set: " + courses.size());  
    }  
}
```

**Output:**

Size of set: 4

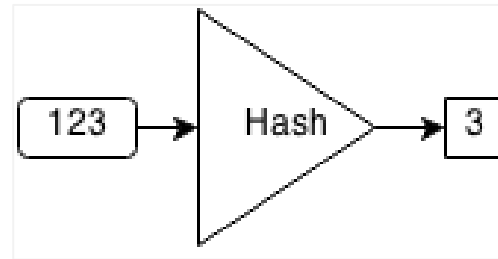
Why? c2 and c4 are the same values.

*Set doesn't allow us to store the duplicate items.*

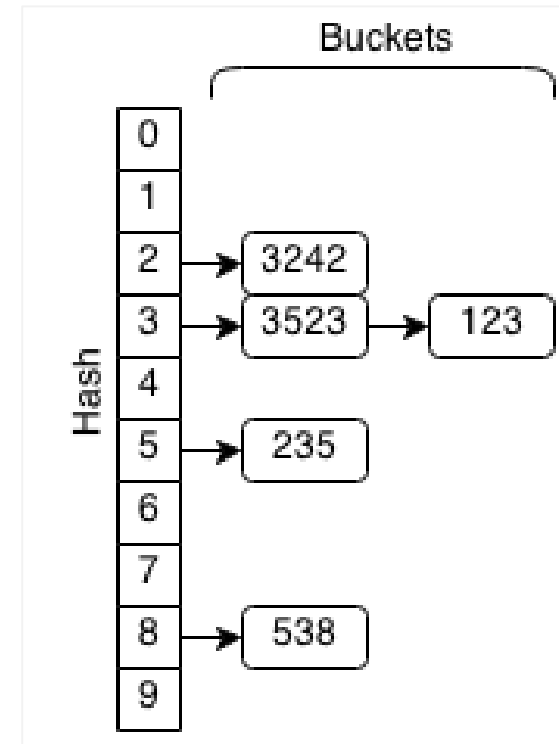
# Working of HashSet in Java

- **HashSet** uses hashing algorithms to **store**, **remove**, and **retrieve** its elements.
  - ✓ When an object is added to the Set, its hash code is used to choose a “bucket” into which to place the object.

✓ Example: `set.add (123);`

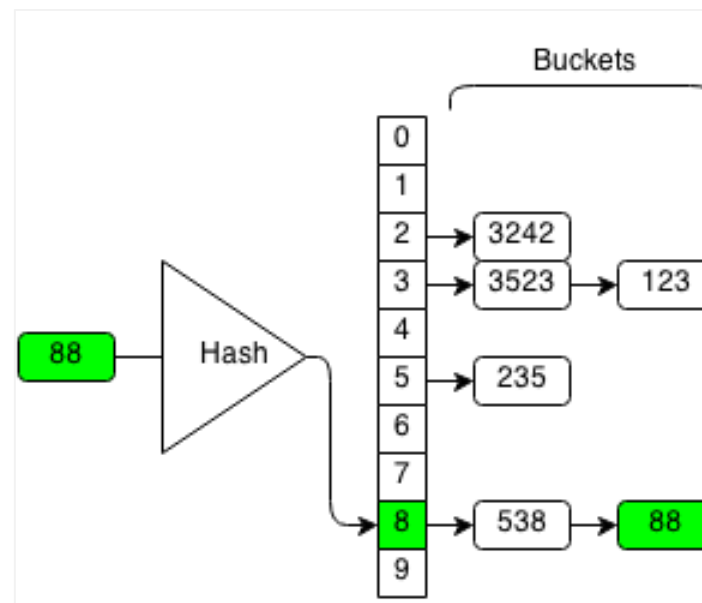
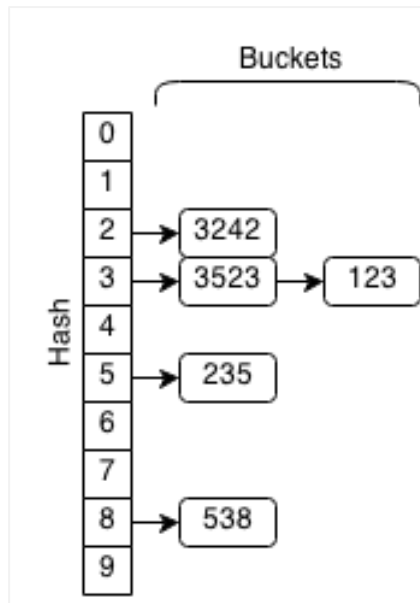


- For every element in a hash set, the hash is computed and elements with the same hash are grouped together. This group of similar hashes is **called a bucket** and they are usually stored as linked lists.



# Working of HashSet in Java

- If have same hashcode then the `equals()` method will be called.
  - ✓ return **true**: the call leaves the set unchanged and returns false.
  - ✓ Return **false**: grouped together of similar hashes is **called a bucket** and they are usually stored as linked lists.
- **Example**, if we want to insert **88** in the following hash set:
  - ✓ We compute the hash of 88 which is 8, and we insert it to the end of the bucket with hash 8.



# equals() and hashCode()

- Modify **Course** class, you must overriding equals() and hashCode() methods:

```
@Override
public int hashCode() {
    final int prime = 31;
    int result = 1;
    result = prime * result + ((courseCode == null) ? 0 : courseCode.hashCode());
    result = prime * result + ((courseTitle == null) ? 0 : courseTitle.hashCode());
    result = prime * result + numOfCredits;
    return result;
}

@Override
public boolean equals(Object obj) {
    if (this == obj)
        return true;
    if (obj == null)
        return false;
    if (getClass() != obj.getClass())
        return false;
    Course other = (Course) obj;
    return Objects.equals(courseCode, other.courseCode)
        && Objects.equals(courseTitle, other.courseTitle)
        && numOfCredits == other.numOfCredits;
}
```

# Review Result

- Consider the following snippet code:

```
public class HashSetDemo {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        HashSet<Course> courses = new HashSet<>();  
  
        Course c1 = new Course("J001", "Java SE Programming Essentials", 10);  
        Course c2 = new Course("S004", "SQL", 5);  
        Course c3 = new Course("F003", "Front End Essentials", 10);  
        Course c4 = new Course("S004", "SQL", 5);  
        courses.add(c1);  
        courses.add(c2);  
        courses.add(c3);  
        courses.add(c4);  
  
        System.out.println("Size of set: " + courses.size());  
    }  
}
```

Output:

Size of set: 3

*Has only 1 element with value ("S004", "SQL", 5) in HastSet*



# HashSet

- Demo!

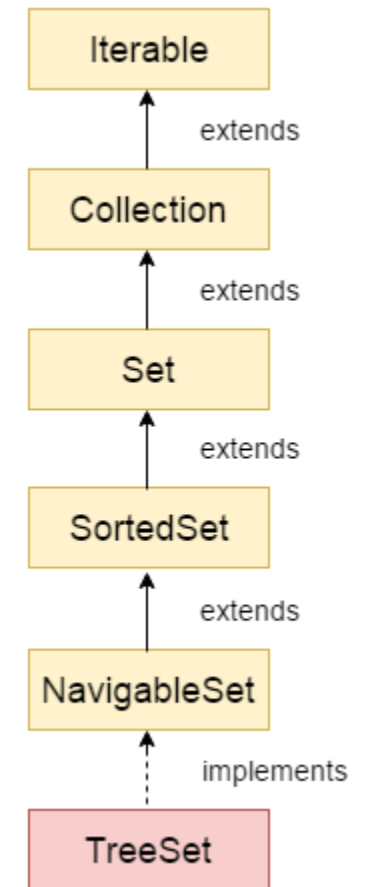
## Section 3

# TreeSet class

- Java **TreeSet** class implements the Set interface that **uses a tree for storage**. It inherits *AbstractSet* class and implements the *NavigableSet* interface. The objects of the TreeSet class are stored in *ascending order*.
- The **important points** about Java TreeSet class are:
  - ✓ Java TreeSet class contains **unique elements only** like HashSet.
  - ✓ Java TreeSet class **access and retrieval times are quiet fast**.
  - ✓ Java TreeSet class **doesn't allow null element**.
  - ✓ Java TreeSet class is **non synchronized**.
  - ✓ Java TreeSet class maintains **ascending order**.

- Constructors:**

Constructor	Description
TreeSet()	It is used to construct an empty tree set that will be sorted in ascending order according to the natural order of the tree set.
TreeSet(Collection<? extends E> c)	It is used to build a new tree set that contains the elements of the collection c.
TreeSet(Comparator<? super E> comparator)	It is used to construct an empty tree set that will be sorted according to given comparator.
TreeSet(SortedSet<E> s)	It is used to build a TreeSet that contains the elements of the given SortedSet.



# Methods of Java TreeSet class

Method	Description
boolean <b>add</b> (E e)	It is used to add the specified element to this set if it is not already present.
boolean <b>addAll</b> (Collection<? extends E> c)	It is used to add all of the elements in the specified collection to this set.
E <b>ceiling</b> (E e)	It returns the equal or closest greatest element of the specified element from the set, or null there is no such element.
Iterator <b>descendingIterator</b> ()	It is used to iterate the elements in descending order.
NavigableSet <b>descendingSet</b> ()	It returns the elements in reverse order.
E <b>floor</b> (E e)	It returns the equal or closest least element of the specified element from the set, or null there is no such element.
SortedSet <b>headSet</b> (E toElement)	It returns the group of elements that are less than the specified element.
NavigableSet <b>headSet</b> (E toElement, boolean inclusive)	It returns the group of elements that are less than or equal to (if inclusive is true) the specified element.
E <b>higher</b> (E e)	It returns the closest greatest element of the specified element from the set, or null there is no such element.

# Methods of Java TreeSet class

Method	Description
E <b>lower</b> (E e)	It returns the closest least element of the specified element from the set, or null there is no such element.
E <b>pollFirst</b> ()	It is used to retrieve and remove the lowest(first) element.
E <b>pollLast</b> ()	It is used to retrieve and remove the highest(last) element.
SortedSet <b>tailSet</b> (E fromElement)	It returns a set of elements that are greater than or equal to the specified element.
NavigableSet <b>tailSet</b> (E fromElement, boolean inclusive)	It returns a set of elements that are greater than or equal to (if, inclusive is true) the specified element.
E <b>first</b> ()	It returns the first (lowest) element currently in this sorted set.
E <b>last</b> ()	It returns the last (highest) element currently in this sorted set.
int <b>size</b> ()	It returns the number of elements in this set.

# TreeSet Example

```
public class TreeSetTest {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        // Creating and adding elements  
        TreeSet<String> al = new TreeSet<String>();  
        al.add("Ravi");  
        al.add("Vijay");  
        al.add("Ravi");  
        al.add("Ajay");  
        // Traversing elements  
        Iterator<String> itr = al.iterator();  
        while (itr.hasNext()) {  
            System.out.println(itr.next());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

## Output:

Ajay  
Ravi  
Vijay

*String and Integer both implement the **Comparable** interface in Java!*



By default, the objects or elements of the `TreeSet` are **stored according to the natural ordering in ascending order**.

# TreeSet Example

```
public class TreeSetTest2 {  
  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        TreeSet<Integer> set = new TreeSet<Integer>();  
        set.add(24);  
        set.add(66);  
        set.add(12);  
        set.add(15);  
        System.out.println("Initial Set: " + set);  
  
        System.out.println("Reverse Set: " + set.descendingSet());  
  
        System.out.println("Highest Value: " + set.pollFirst());  
        System.out.println("Lowest Value: " + set.pollLast());  
    }  
}
```

## Output:

Initial Set: [12, 15, 24, 66]

Reverse Set: [66, 24, 15, 12]

Highest Value: 12

Lowest Value: 66

# Java TreeSet Example: Course class

- Let's see a TreeSet example where we are *adding* courses to the set and *printing all* the courses.
- **String** and **Wrapper** classes are *Comparable by default*
- To add **user-defined objects** in TreeSet, *you need to implement the Comparable interface.*

```
public class Course implements Comparable<Course> {  
    private String courseCode;  
    private String courseTitle;  
    private int numOfCredits;  
  
    public Course() {  
  
    }  
  
    public Course(String courseCode, String courseTitle, int numOfCredits) {  
        super();  
        this.courseCode = courseCode;  
        this.courseTitle = courseTitle;  
        this.numOfCredits = numOfCredits;  
    }  
    // getter, setter methods  
    @Override  
    public int compareTo(Course c) {  
        return this.numOfCredits - c.numOfCredits;  
    }  
}
```



# Java TreeSet Example: Course class

```
public class TreeSetExample {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        Set<Course> courses = new TreeSet<>();  
        Course course1 = new Course("1122", "Java", 10);  
        Course course2 = new Course("3233", "Python", 8);  
        Course course3 = new Course("2345", "SQL", 5);  
        Course course4 = new Course("0223", "HTML", 3);  
        Course course5 = new Course("0233", "C#", 6);  
        courses.add(course1);  
        courses.add(course2);  
        courses.add(course3);  
        courses.add(course4);  
        courses.add(course5);  
        // Traversing elements  
        Iterator<Course> itr = courses.iterator();  
        while (itr.hasNext()) {  
            System.out.println(itr.next());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

## Output:

```
Course [courseCode=0223, courseTitle=HTML, numOfCredits=3]  
Course [courseCode=2345, courseTitle=SQL, numOfCredits=5]  
Course [courseCode=0233, courseTitle=C#, numOfCredits=6]  
Course [courseCode=3233, courseTitle=Python, numOfCredits=8]  
Course [courseCode=1122, courseTitle=Java, numOfCredits=10]
```



If we add an object of the class that is *not implementing the Comparable* interface, the *ClassCastException* is raised.

# TreeSet Comparator

- The **TitleComparator** class implements the **Comparator** interface.

```
public class TitleComparator implements Comparator<Course> {  
    @Override  
    public int compare(Course c1, Course c2) {  
        return c1.getCourseTitle().compareTo(c2.getCourseTitle());  
    }  
}
```

- Create **TreeSet** with **Comparator**:

```
Set<Course> courses = new TreeSet<>(new NameComparator());
```

- **Output:**

```
Course [courseCode=0233, courseTitle=C#, numOfCredits=6]  
Course [courseCode=0223, courseTitle=HTML, numOfCredits=3]  
Course [courseCode=1122, courseTitle=Java, numOfCredits=10]  
Course [courseCode=3233, courseTitle=Python, numOfCredits=8]  
Course [courseCode=2345, courseTitle=SQL, numOfCredits=5]
```

# Difference between HashSet and TreeSet in Java

Parameters	HashSet	TreeSet
Ordering or Sorting	It does <b>not provide a guarantee to sort the data.</b>	It provides a <b>guarantee to sort the data.</b> <i>The sorting depends on the supplied Comparator.</i>
Null Objects	In HashSet, <b>only an element</b> can be null.	It does <b>not allow null</b> elements.
Comparison	It uses <b>hashCode()</b> or <b>equals()</b> method for comparison.	It uses <b>compare()</b> or <b>compareTo()</b> method for comparison.
Performance	It is <b>faster</b> than TreeSet.	It is <b>slower</b> in comparison to HashSet.
Implementation	Internally it uses <b>HashMap</b> to store its elements.	Internally it uses <b>TreeMap</b> to store its elements.
Data Structure	HashSet is backed up by a hash table.	TreeSet is backed up by a Red-black Tree.
Values Stored	It allows only <b>heterogeneous</b> values.	It allows only <b>homogeneous</b> values.



# TreeSet

- Demo!

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# THANK YOU!

