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# DATA STRUCTURES (CTDL)

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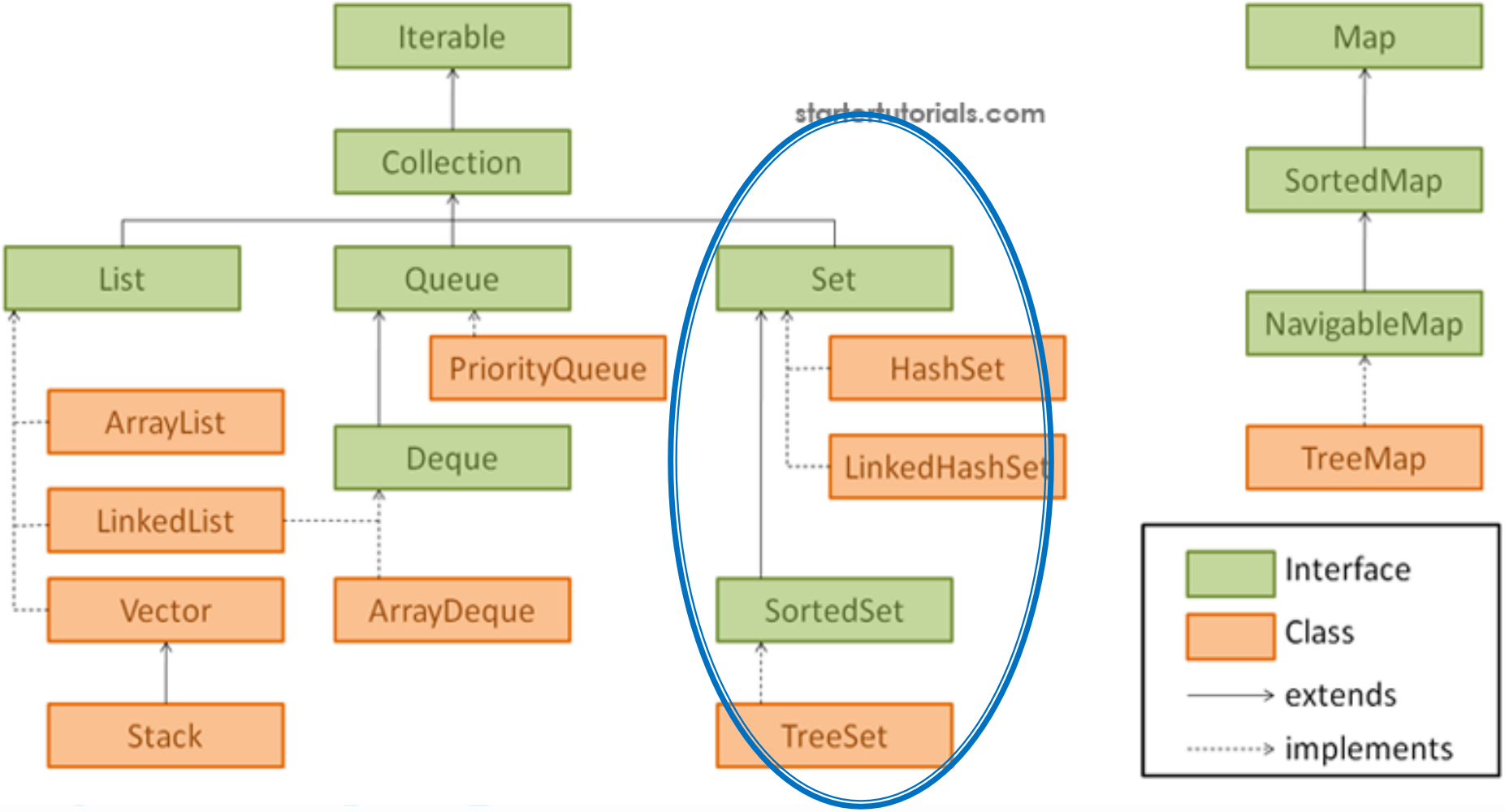
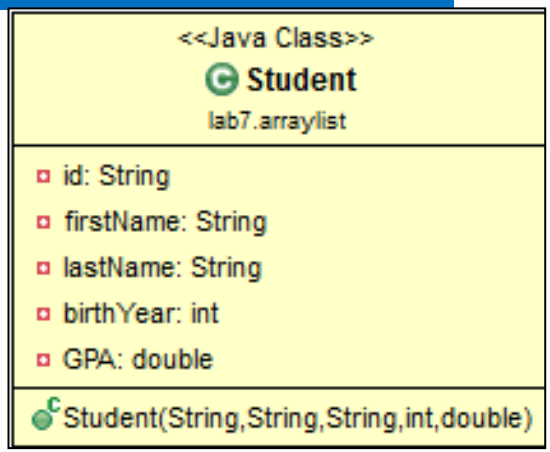
# Java Collection framework



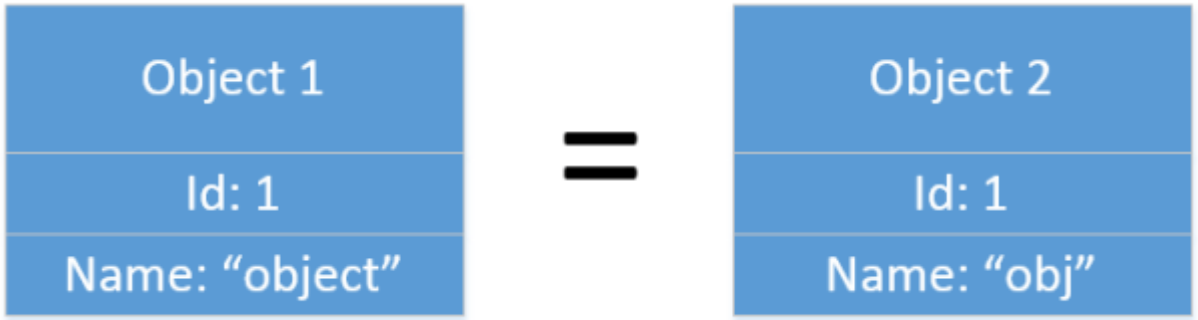
# Method contains in ArrayList

- How does contains method work?




```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    List<Student> list2 = new ArrayList<>();
    Student st1 = new Student("001", "An", "Nguyen", 2002, 7.8);
    Student st2 = new Student("002", "Nam", "Nguyen", 2002, 9.8);
    Student st3 = new Student("001", "An", "Nguyen", 2002, 7.8);
    list2.add(st1);
    list2.add(st2);
    Collections.shuffle(list2);
    System.out.println(list2.contains(st1));
    System.out.println(list2.contains(st3));
}
```

# Objects Equality



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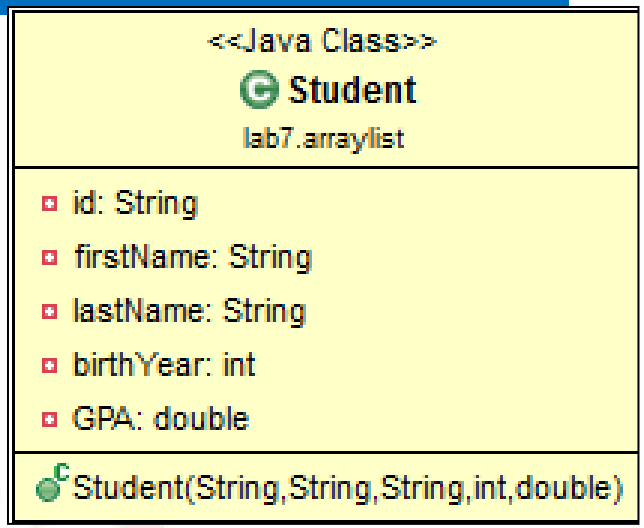


- What is the result of the following code fragment.

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    System.out.println(st1 == st2);// ???
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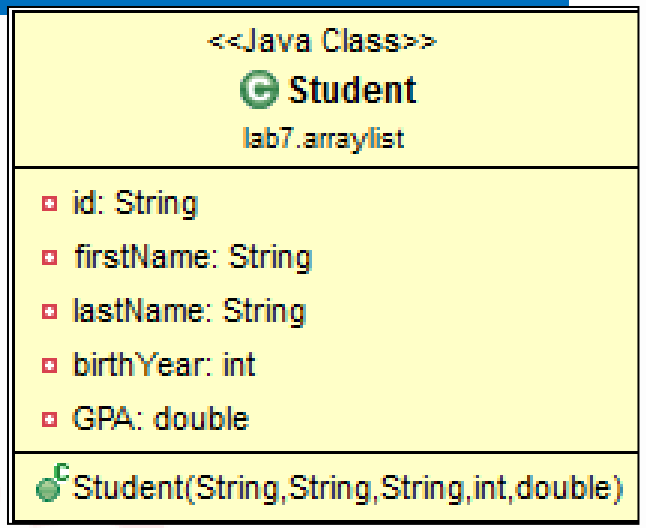


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**true**
**false**
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**false**

# Approaches to comparing 2 Objects

- Two ways to compare equality of two Objects:
  - **Shallow comparison**:
    - The default implementation of equals method in Java.lang.Object class
    - Simply, it checks if x == y, meaning two Object references (say x and y) refer to the same Object
  - **Deep Comparison**:
    - A class provides its own implementation of equals() method in order to compare the Objects of that class w.r.t state of the Objects.
    - Data members (i.e. fields) of Objects are to be compared with one another.

# Equality comparison for primitives

- Comparison a == b, a != b:
  - Primitives:
    - Equal values
  - Objects: Compares references, not values. The use of == with object references is generally limited to the following:
    - Comparing to see if a reference is null.
    - Comparing two enum values. This works because there is only one object for each enum constant.
    - Comparing to see if two references are to the *same object*

# Principles of equals

- If some other object is equal to a given object, then it follows these rules:
  - **Reflexive**: for any reference value a, a.equals(a) should return true.
  - **Symmetric**: for any reference values a and b, if a.equals(b) should return true then b.equals(a) must return true.
  - **Transitive**: for any reference values a, b, and c, if a.equals(b) returns true and b.equals(c) returns true, then a.equals(c) should return true.
  - **Consistent**: for any reference values a and b, multiple invocations of a.equals(b) consistently return true or consistently return false, provided no information used in equals comparisons on the object is modified.

# Equals method implementation

```
public boolean equals(Object obj) {
    // checking if both the object references are
    // referring to the same object.
    if (this == obj)
        return true;
    // it checks if the argument is of the
    // type Student by comparing the classes
    // of the passed argument and this object.
    // if(!(obj instanceof Student)) return false; ---> avoid.
    if (obj == null || obj.getClass() != this.getClass())
        return false;
    // type casting of the argument.
    Student that = (Student) obj;
    // comparing the state of argument with
    // the state of 'this' Object.
    return (this.id.equals(that.id)
            && this.firstName.equals(that.firstName)
            && this.lastName.equals(that.lastName)
            && this.birthYear == that.birthYear
            && this.GPA == that.GPA);
}
```

# Why avoiding instanceof?

```
class Parent {}
public class Child extends Parent {}
class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Child cobj = new Child();
        // A simple case
        if (cobj instanceof Child)
            System.out.println("cobj is instance of Child");
        else
            System.out.println("cobj is NOT instance of Child");
        // instanceof returns true for Parent class also
        if (cobj instanceof Parent)
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        else
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        // instanceof returns true for all ancestors (Note : Object
        // is ancestor of all classes in Java)
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# Notes on instanceof

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- A parent reference referring to a Child is an instance of Child

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// Reference is Parent type but object is
// of child type.
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# Class java.util.Arrays

- This class contains various methods for manipulating arrays (such as sorting and searching)

| Method Summary | |
|---|---|
| static List | **asList**(Object[] a)<br>Returns a fixed-size List backed by the specified array. |
| static int | **binarySearch**(byte[] a, byte key)<br>Searches the specified array of bytes for the specified value using the binary search algorithm. |
| static int | **binarySearch**(char[] a, char key)<br>Searches the specified array of chars for the specified value using the binary search algorithm. |
| static int | **binarySearch**(double[] a, double key)<br>Searches the specified array of doubles for the specified value using the binary search algorithm. |
| static int | **binarySearch**(float[] a, float key)<br>Searches the specified array of floats for the specified value using the binary search algorithm. |
| static int | **binarySearch**(int[] a, int key)<br>Searches the specified array of ints for the specified value using the binary search algorithm. |
| static int | **binarySearch**(long[] a, long key)<br>Searches the specified array of longs for the specified value using the binary search algorithm. |
| static int | **binarySearch**(Object[] a, Object key, Comparator c)<br>Searches the specified array for the specified Object using the binary search algorithm. |
| static int | **binarySearch**(Object[] a, Object key)<br>Searches the specified array for the specified Object using the binary search algorithm. |
| static int | **binarySearch**(short[] a, short key)<br>Searches the specified array of shorts for the specified value using the binary search algorithm. |

# Class java.util.Arrays

| Method Summary | |
|---|---|
| static void | **sort**(byte[] a)<br>Sorts the specified array of bytes into ascending numerical order. |
| static void | **sort**(char[] a)<br>Sorts the specified array of chars into ascending numerical order. |
| static void | **sort**(double[] a)<br>Sorts the specified array of doubles into ascending numerical order. |
| static void | **sort**(float[] a)<br>Sorts the specified array of floats into ascending numerical order. |
| static void | **sort**(int[] a)<br>Sorts the specified array of ints into ascending numerical order. |
| static void | **sort**(long[] a)<br>Sorts the specified array of longs into ascending numerical order. |
| static void | **sort**(Object[] a, Comparator c)<br>Sorts the specified array of objects according to the order induced by the specified Comparator. |
| static void | **sort**(Object[] a)<br>Sorts the specified array of objects into ascending order, according to the *natural ordering* of its elements. |
| static void | **sort**(short[] a)<br>Sorts the specified array of shorts into ascending numerical order. |

# Class java.util.Collections

- This class consists exclusively of static methods that operate on or return Collections.

| Method Summary | |
|---|---|
| static int | **binarySearch**(List list, Object key, Comparator c)<br>Searches the specified List for the specified Object using the binary search algorithm. |
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| static void | **copy**(List dest, List src)<br>Copies all of the elements from one List into another. |
| static Enumeration | **enumeration**(Collection c)<br>Returns an Enumeration over the specified Collection. |
| static void | **fill**(List list, Object o)<br>Replaces all of the elements of the specified List with the specified element. |
| static Object | **max**(Collection coll, Comparator comp)<br>Returns the maximum element of the given Collection, according to the order induced by the specified Comparator. |
| static Object | **max**(Collection coll)<br>Returns the maximum element of the given Collection, according to the *natural ordering* of its elements. |
| static Object | **min**(Collection coll, Comparator comp)<br>Returns the minimum element of the given Collection, according to the order induced by the specified Comparator. |
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# Class java.util.Collections

| Method Summary | |
|---|---|
| static List | **nCopies**(int n, Object o)<br>Returns an immutable List consisting of n copies of the specified Object. |
| static void | **reverse**(List l)<br>Reverses the order of the elements in the specified List. |
| static Comparator | **reverseOrder**()<br>Returns a Comparator that imposes the reverse of the *natural ordering* on a collection of Comparable objects. |
| static void | **shuffle**(List list, Random rnd)<br>Randomly permute the specified list using the specified source of randomness. |
| static void | **shuffle**(List list)<br>Randomly permutes the specified list using a default source of randomness. |
| static Set | **singleton**(Object o)<br>Returns an immutable Set containing only the specified Object. |
| static void | **sort**(List list, Comparator c)<br>Sorts the specified List according to the order induced by the specified Comparator. |
| static void | **sort**(List list)<br>Sorts the specified List into ascending order, according to the *natural ordering* of its elements. |

# Objects Comparison

# Comparing objects

- Operators like < and > do not work with objects in Java.
  - But we do think of some types as having an ordering (e.g. `Date`s).

- **natural ordering**: Rules governing the relative placement of all values of a given type.
  - Implies a notion of equality (like `equals`) but also < and > .
  - **total ordering**: All elements can be arranged in A ≤ B ≤ C ≤ ... order.

- **comparison function**: Code that, when given two objects *A* and *B* of a given type, decides their relative ordering:
  - A < B, A == B, A > B

# Objects Comparison

- Comparable interface

# The Comparable interface

- The standard way for a Java class to define a comparison function for its objects is to implement the `Comparable` interface.

```
public interface Comparable<T> {
    public int compareTo(T other);
}
```

- A call of **A**`.compareTo(`**B**`)` should return:

  a value < 0 if **A** comes "before" **B** in the ordering,

  a value > 0 if **A** comes "after" **B** in the ordering,

  or exactly 0 if **A** and **B** are considered "equal" in the ordering. ➔Consider implementing `Comparable`.

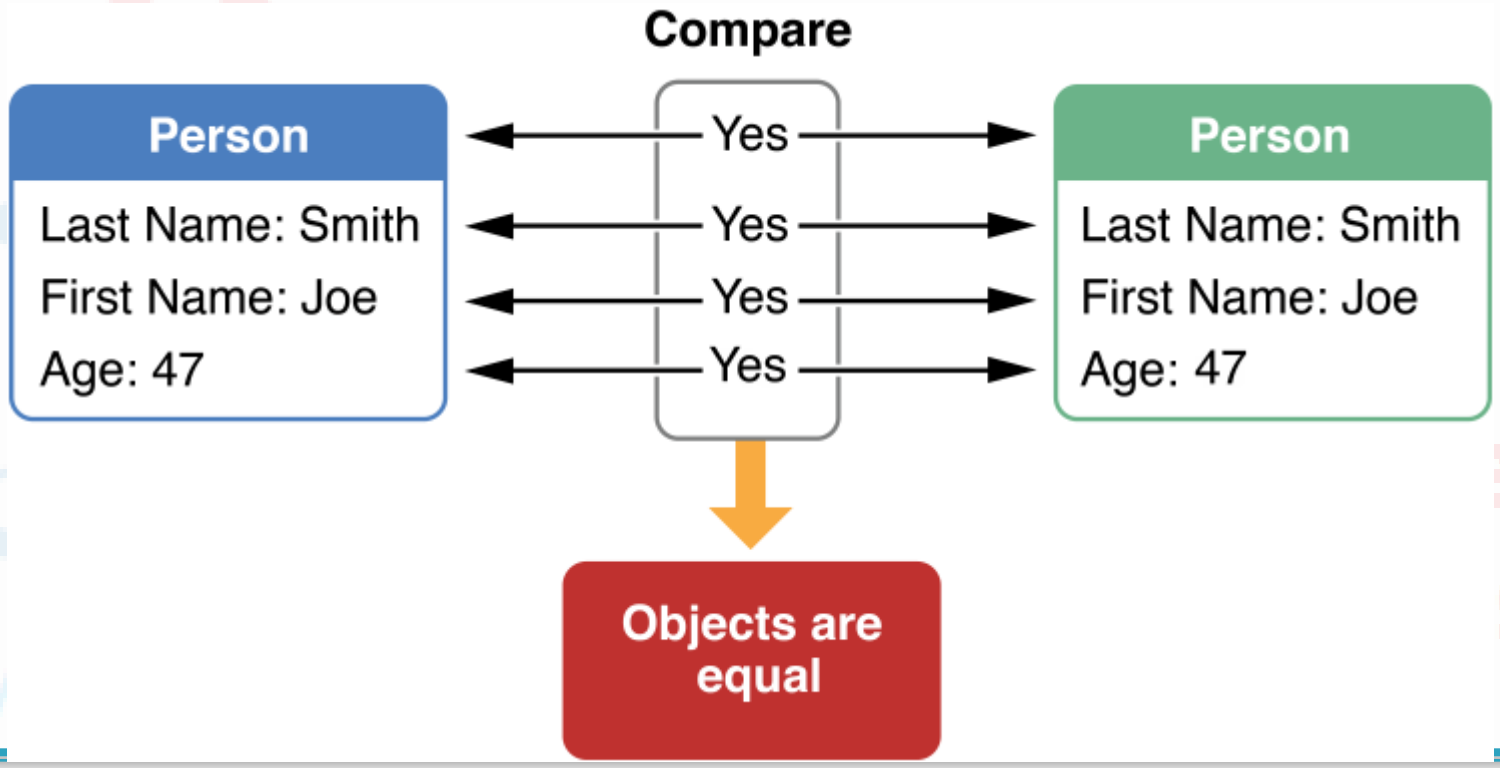
# compareTo example

```
public class Point implements Comparable<Point> {
    // sort by x and break ties by y
    public int compareTo(Point other) {
        if (x < other.x) {
            return -1;
        } else if (x > other.x) {
            return 1;
        } else if (y < other.y) {
            return -1;    // same x, smaller y
        } else if (y > other.y) {
            return 1;     // same x, larger y
        } else {
            return 0;     // same x and same y
        }
    }

    // subtraction trick:
    // return (x != other.x) ? (x - other.x) : (y - other.y);
}
```

# compareTo and equals

- `compareTo` should generally be consistent with `equals`.
  - `a.compareTo(b) == 0` should imply that `a.equals(b)`.



# compareTo and equals

- Employee e = new Employee(...);
- e.compareTo(null);//???
- e.equals(null);//???

- Note that null is not an instance of any class, thus:
  - e.compareTo(null) should throw a NullPointerException,
  - even though e.equals(null) returns false.

# What's the "natural" order?

```
public class Rectangle implements Comparable<Rectangle> {
    private int x, y, width, height;

    public int compareTo(Rectangle other) {
        // ...?
    }
}
```

- What is the "natural ordering" of rectangles?
  - By x, breaking ties by y?
  - By width, breaking ties by height?
  - By area?  By perimeter?

- Do rectangles have any "natural" ordering?
  - Might we ever want to sort rectangles into some order anyway?

# Objects Comparison

- Comparator interface

# Comparator interface

```
public interface Comparator<T> {
    public int compare(T first, T
  second);
}
```

- Interface `Comparator` is an external object that specifies a comparison function over some other type of objects.
  - Allows you to define multiple orderings for the same type.
  - Allows you to define a specific ordering for a type even if there is no obvious "natural" ordering for that type.

# Comparator examples

```
public class RectangleAreaComparator
        implements Comparator<Rectangle> {
// compare in ascending order by area (WxH)

public int compare(Rectangle r1, Rectangle r2) {
      return r1.getArea() - r2.getArea();
    }
}
```

# Comparator examples (cont.)

```
public class RectangleXYComparator
        implements Comparator<Rectangle> {
    // compare by ascending x, break ties by y
    public int compare(Rectangle r1, Rectangle r2) {
        if (r1.getX() != r2.getX()) {
            return r1.getX() - r2.getX();
        } else {
            return r1.getY() - r2.getY();
        }
    }
}
```

# Using Comparators

- **`TreeSet`** and **`TreeMap`** can accept a `Comparator` parameter.

```
Comparator<Rectangle> comp = new
  RectangleAreaComparator();
Set<Rectangle> set = new TreeSet<Rectangle>(comp);
```

- Methods are provided to reverse a `Comparator`'s ordering:

```
Collections.reverseOrder()
Collections.reverseOrder(comparator)
```

# Using Comparators (cont.)

- Searching and sorting methods can accept `Comparator`**s**.

```
Arrays.binarySearch(array, value, comparator)
Arrays.sort(array, comparator)
Collections.binarySearch(list, comparator)
Collections.max(collection, comparator)
Collections.min(collection, comparator)
Collections.sort(list, comparator)
```

# Using compareTo

- `compareTo` can be used as a test in an `if` statement.

```
String a = "alice";
String b = "bob";
if (a.compareTo(b) < 0) {   // true
    ...
}
```

# Using compareTo

| Primitives | Objects |
|---|---|
| `if (a < b) { ...` | `if (a.compareTo(b) < 0) { ...` |
| `if (a <= b) { ...` | `if (a.compareTo(b) <= 0) { ...` |
| `if (a == b) { ...` | `if (a.compareTo(b) == 0) { ...` |
| `if (a != b) { ...` | `if (a.compareTo(b) != 0) { ...` |
| `if (a >= b) { ...` | `if (a.compareTo(b) >= 0) { ...` |
| `if (a > b) { ...` | `if (a.compareTo(b) > 0) { ...` |

# compareTo tricks

- *subtraction trick* – Subtracting related numeric values produces the right result for what you want `compareTo` to return:

```
// sort by x and break ties by y
public int compareTo(Point other) {
    if (x != other.x) {
        return x - other.x; // different x
    } else {
        return y - other.y; // same x; compare y
    }
}
```

- The idea:
  - if `x > other.x`, then `x - other.x > 0`
  - if `x < other.x`, then `x - other.x < 0`
  - if `x == other.x`, then `x - other.x == 0`

NOTE: This trick doesn't work for `doubles`

# compareTo tricks 2

- *delegation trick* – If your object's fields are comparable (such as strings), use their `compareTo` results to help you:

```
// sort by employee name, e.g. "Jim" < "Susan"
public int compareTo(Employee other) {
    return name.compareTo(other.getName());
}
```

- *`toString` trick* – If your object's `toString` representation is related to the ordering, use that to help you:

```
// sort by date, e.g. "09/19" > "04/01"
public int compareTo(Date other) {
    return toString().compareTo(other.toString());
}
```

# compareTo tricks 3

- In case of doubles: using d*elegation trick* – If your object's fields are doubles, use compare method of Double class (static method):

```
// sort by employee name, e.g. "Jim" < "Susan"
public int compareTo(Employee other) {
    return Double.compare(salaryRate,
  other.salaryRate);
}
(salaryRate is a double value)
```

# Section complete

# Count unique words?

- How to write a program that counts the number of unique words in a large text file?

# Count unique words? (cont.)

- How to write a program that counts the number of unique words in a large text file:
  - Store the words in a collection
  - Report the number of unique words
  - Allow the user to search for a word, and report whether or not the word occurred

➔What **collection** would you use?

# Set

A List Which Each Element just Occurs One Time

# Definition

- A *set*:
  - A collection of elements, without duplicates.
  - Allowed operations: add, remove, search (contains)
  - No indexes – *we cannot get element at index i*
  - Order is unimportant
- Examples:
  - {“PINE”,“APPLE”, “PEN”, “PINE”} => LIST
  - {“PINE”, “APPLE”, “PEN”} => SET
  - {1,2,3,4,5,2,3} => LIST
  - {1,2,3,4,5} => SET

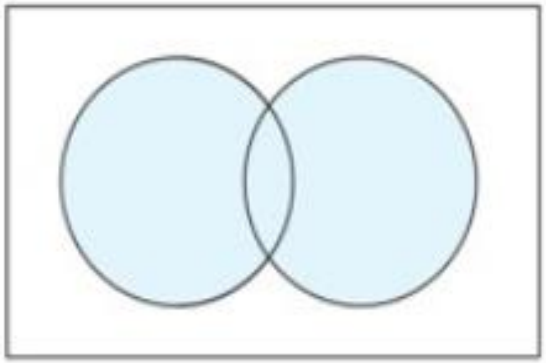
# Set methods

- Fundamental methods:
  - add(e): Adds the element e to S (if not already present).
  - remove(e): Removes the element e from S (if it is present).
  - contains(e): Returns whether e is an element of S.
  - iterator( ): Returns an iterator of the elements of S.

# Set operations

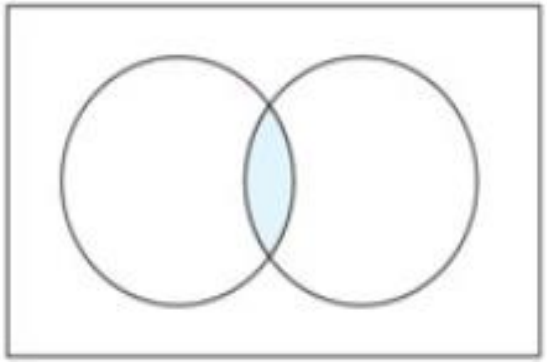
- The traditional mathematical set operations of union, intersection, and subtraction of two sets S and T:

**union**



{e: e is in S or e is in T}

**intersection**



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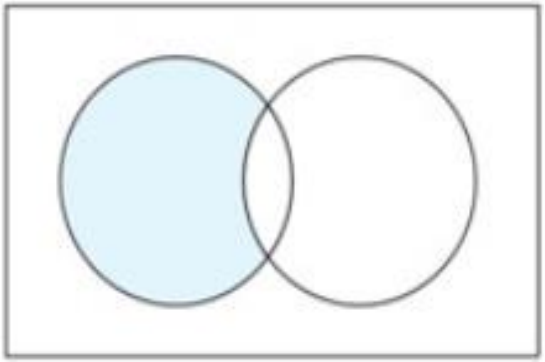
**subtraction**



{e: e is in S and e is not in T}

# Set operations (cont.)

- These operations are provided through the following methods (Set interface):

| | |
|---|---|
| addAll($T$): | Updates $S$ to also include all elements of set $T$, effectively replacing $S$ by $S \cup T$. |
| retainAll($T$): | Updates $S$ so that it only keeps those elements that are also elements of set $T$, effectively replacing $S$ by $S \cap T$. |
| removeAll($T$): | Updates $S$ by removing any of its elements that also occur in set $T$, effectively replacing $S$ by $S - T$. |

# Example

- Testing if s2 is a *subset* of s1
  s1.containsAll(s2)
- Setting s1 to the *union* of s1 and s2
  s1.addAll(s2)
- Setting s1 to the *intersection* of s1 and s2
  s1.retainAll(s2)
- Setting s1 to the *set difference* of s1 and s2
  s1.removeAll(s2)

# Iterators for sets

- A set has a method `Iterator iterator( )` to create an iterator over the set
- The iterator has the usual methods:
  - `boolean hasNext()`
  - `Object next()`
  - `void remove()`
- `remove()` allows you to remove elements as you iterate over the set
- If you change the set in any other way during iteration, the iterator will throw a `ConcurrentModificationException`

# Set implementation

- In Java, Sets implement the Set interface in java.util package:
  - HashSet implemented using a "hash table" array very fast elements are stored in unpredictable order
  - TreeSet implemented using a "binary search tree“ pretty fast elements are stored in sorted order
  - LinkedHashSet implemented as a hash table with a linked list running through it, it provides *insertion-ordered* iteration (least recently inserted to most recently) and runs nearly as fast as HashSet.

# What is hashing?

- Technique for finding elements without making a linear search through all elements
- Hash function is a function that computes an integer value (called a hash code) from an object (different objects should have different hash codes)
- Object class has a hashCode method
- int h = x.hashCode();

# Hash functions

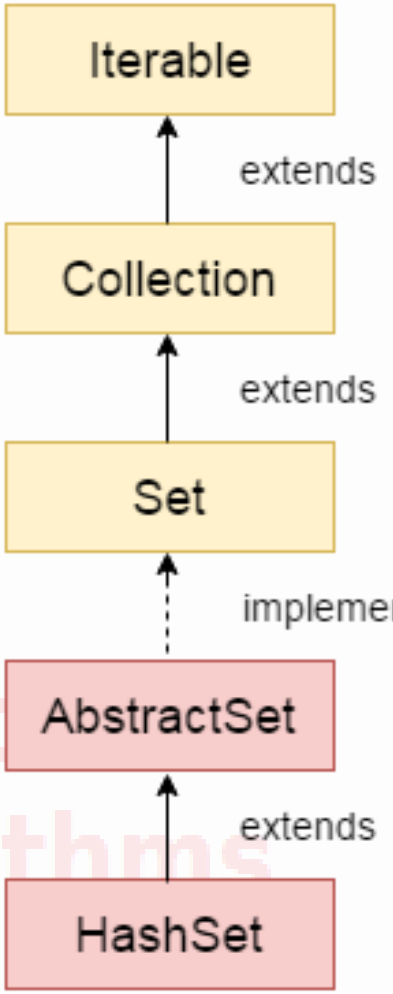
- Should avoid collisions (two or more different objects with the same hash code)
- If you have your own objects you write:
  - public int hashCode( )
  - When adding x.equals(y) => x.hashCode() == y.hashCode (avoid duplicates)
- E.g. for a circle so that circles of different radii are stored separately.
- Forgetting to implement hashCode means the one assoc with Object is used – not a good idea.

# HashSet

# HashSet

- HashSet implements the interface Set.
  - Implemented using a hash table.
  - Storing the elements by using a mechanism called **hashing**.
  - No ordering of elements.
  - add, remove, and contains methods constant time complexity O(c).

➔HashSet is the best approach for search operations.



# HashSet (cont.)

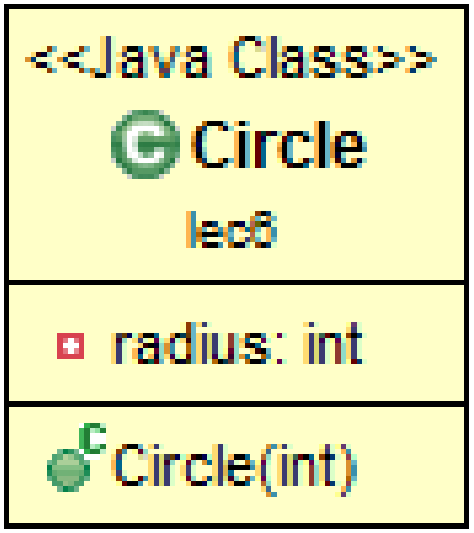
- **Constructors**:
  - HashSet():
    - construct a default HashSet (capacity: 16, loadFactor: 0.75).
  - HashSet(int capacity):
    - initialize the capacity of the hash set to the given integer value capacity. The capacity grows automatically as elements are added to the HashSet.
  - HashSet(int capacity, float loadFactor):
    - initialize the capacity of the hash set to the given integer value capacity and the specified load factor.
  - HashSet(Collection<? extends E> c):
    - initialize the hash set by using the elements of the collection c.

# Membership testing in HashSets

- When testing whether a HashSet contains a given object, Java does this:
  - Java computes the hash code for the given object
    - Hash codes are discussed in a separate lecture
    - Java compares the given object, using equals, *only* with elements in the set that have the *same* hash code
- Hence, an object will be considered to be in the set only if *both*:
  - It has the same hash code as an element in the set, *and*
  - The equals comparison returns true
- **Moral**: to use a HashSet properly, you must have a good public boolean equals(Object) and a good public int hashCode() defined for the *elements* of the set

# Example

- Consider:




```
Set<Circle> circles = new HashSet<Circle>();
circles.add(new Circle(5));
if (circles.contains(new Circle(5)))
    System.out.println("Circle of radius 5 exists");
else
    System.out.println("Circle of radius 5 does not exists");
```

# Using HashSet

```
public static void main(String args[]) {
    HashSet<String> set = new HashSet<String>();
    set.add("One");
    set.add("Two");
    set.add("Three");
    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

# Notes on foreach/iterator

- For a given set of circles as follows:

```
TreeSet<Circle> set = new TreeSet<Circle>();

set.add(new Circle(1));
set.add(new Circle(2));
set.add(new Circle(3));
set.add(new Circle(2));
```

- How to remove a specific cricle while iterating a set of circles?

# Notes on foreach/iterator

- It's easy, using foreach approach:

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    TreeSet<Circle> set = new TreeSet<Circle>();

    set.add(new Circle(1));
    set.add(new Circle(2));
    set.add(new Circle(3));
    set.add(new Circle(2));

    for (Circle c : set) {
        if (c.getRadius() == 2) {
            set.remove(c);
        }
    }

    System.out.println(set);
}
```

```
Exception in thread "main" java.util.ConcurrentModificationException
        at java.util.TreeMap$PrivateEntryIterator.nextEntry(Unknown Source)
        at java.util.TreeMap$KeyIterator.next(Unknown Source)
```

# Notes on foreach/iterator

- How about using iterator approach:

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    TreeSet<Circle> set = new TreeSet<Circle>();

    set.add(new Circle(1));//yes, add ok
    set.add(new Circle(2));//yes, add ok
    set.add(new Circle(3));//yes, add ok
    set.add(new Circle(2));//no, add fail (because of duplication)

    Iterator<Circle> iter = set.iterator();
    while (iter.hasNext()) {
        Circle next = iter.next();
        if (next.getRadius() == 2)
            iter.remove();
    }
    System.out.println(set);
}
```

[[Circle: 1], [Circle: 3]]

# SortedSet

# SortedSet

- A SortedSet is just like a Set, except that an Iterator will go through it in **ascending order**
- SortedSet is implemented by TreeSet

first( ): Returns the smallest element in $S$.

last( ): Returns the largest element in $S$.

ceiling($e$): Returns the smallest element greater than or equal to $e$.

floor($e$): Returns the largest element less than or equal to $e$.

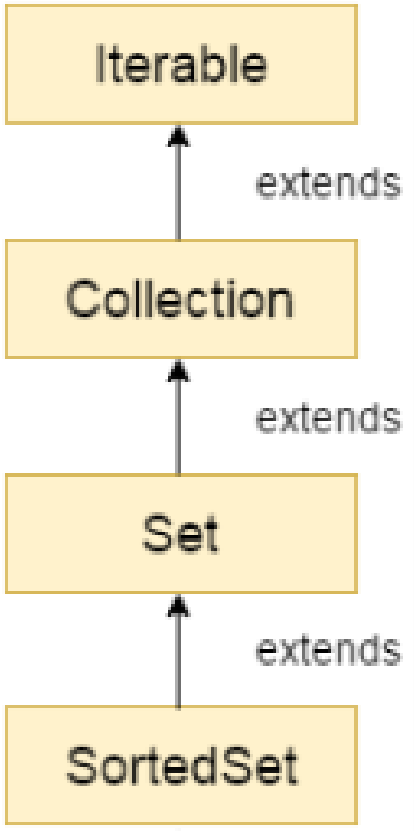
lower($e$): Returns the largest element strictly less than $e$.

higher($e$): Returns the smallest element strictly greater than $e$.

subSet($e_1$, $e_2$): Returns an iteration of all elements greater than or equal to $e_1$, but strictly less than $e_2$.

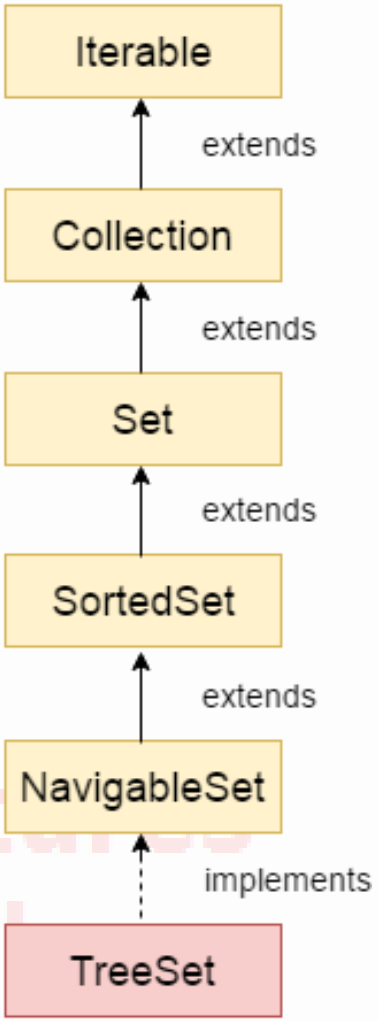
pollFirst( ): Returns and removes the smallest element in $S$.

pollLast( ): Returns and removes the largest element in $S$.



# TreeSet

- TreeSet implements the interface **Set**.
  - Implemented using a tree structure.
  - Guarantees ordering of elements.
  - add, remove, and contains methods logarithmic time complexity O(log (n)), where n is the number of elements in the set.



# TreeSet (cont.)

- TreeSet():
  - 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):
  - build a new tree set that contains the elements of the collection c.
- TreeSet(Comparator<? super E> comparator):
  - construct an empty tree set that will be sorted according to given comparator.
- TreeSet(SortedSet<E> s):
  - build a TreeSet that contains the elements of the given SortedSet.

# Membership testing in TreeSets

- In a TreeSet, elements are kept in order
- That means Java must have some means of comparing elements to decide which is "larger" and which is "smaller"
- Java does this by using either:
  - The int compareTo(Object) method of the Comparable interface, or
  - The int compare(Object, Object) method of the Comparator interface
- Which method to use is determined *when the TreeSet is constructed*

# Using TreeSet

```
public static void main(String args[]) {
    TreeSet<String> set = new TreeSet<String>();
    set.add("One");
    set.add("Two");
    set.add("Three");
    set.add("Four");
    set.add("Five");
    Iterator<String> i = set.iterator();
    while (i.hasNext()) {
        System.out.println(i.next());
    }
```

- **Output**:

  Five

  Four

  One

  Three

  Two

# LinkedHashSet

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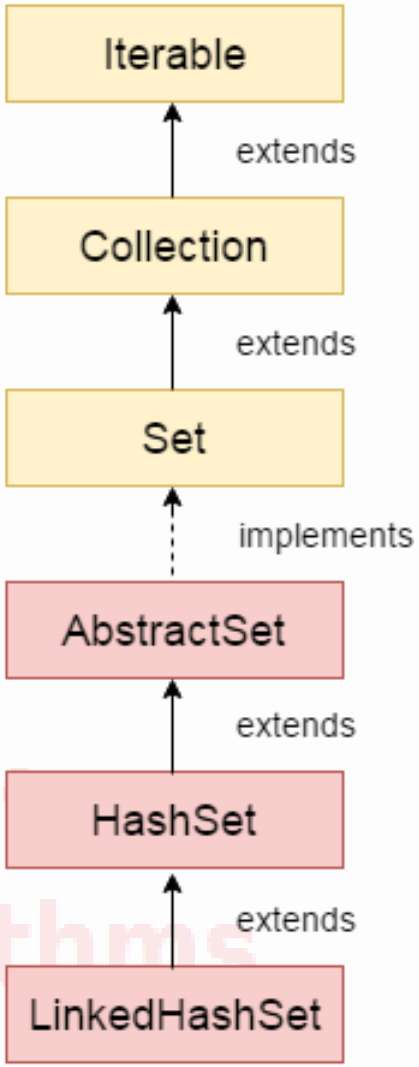
- LinkedHashSet:
  - contains unique elements only like HashSet.
  - provides all optional set operation and permits null elements.
  - is non synchronized.
  - maintains insertion order.



# Using LinkedHashSet

```
public static void main(String args[]) {
    LinkedHashSet<String> set = new LinkedHashSet<String>();
    set.add("One");
    set.add("Two");
    set.add("Three");
    set.add("Four");
    set.add("Five");
    Iterator<String> i = set.iterator();
    while (i.hasNext()) {
        System.out.println(i.next());
    }
}
```

- **Output**:

  One

  Two

  Three

  Four

  Five

# Flawed compareTo method

```
public class BankAccount implements Comparable<BankAccount> {
    private String name;
    private double balance;
    private int id;

    // ...
    public int compareTo(BankAccount other) {
        return name.compareTo(other.name); // order by name
    }

    public boolean equals(Object o) {
        if (o != null && getClass() == o.getClass()) {
            BankAccount ba = (BankAccount) o;
            return name.equals(ba.name) && balance == ba.balance && id == ba.id;
        } else {
            return false;
        }
    }
}
```

- What's bad about the above?

# Flawed compareTo method (cont.)

```
BankAccount ba1 = new BankAccount("Jim", 123, 20.00);
BankAccount ba2 = new BankAccount("Jim", 456, 984.00);


Set<BankAccount> accounts = new
  TreeSet<BankAccount>();
accounts.add(ba1);
accounts.add(ba2);
System.out.println(accounts);      // [Jim($20.00)]
```

- Where did the other account go?
  - Since the two accounts are "equal" by the ordering of `compareTo`, the set thought they were duplicates and didn't store the second.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