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ADVANCED PROGRAMMING TECHNIQUES  
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PROGRAMMING ASSIGNMENT 7

## Sorted List of Integers

This program focuses on implementing two collections and achieving code reuse through inheritance.

First implement `ArrayIntList`, then implement `SortedIntList` as a variation of the `ArrayIntList`. Use inheritance to make `SortedIntList` extend from `ArrayIntList`, adding new functionality and modifying some existing functionality.

The `SortedIntList` has two primary differences from the `ArrayIntList`:

- A `SortedIntList` must maintain its list of integers in **sorted (increasing) order**.
- A `SortedIntList` has an option to specify that its elements should be unique (**no duplicates**).

First, write the following constructors and methods on `ArrayIntList`:

<code>public ArrayIntList()</code>	constructs an empty list of a default capacity (10)
<code>public ArrayIntList(int capacity)</code>	constructs an empty list with given capacity
<code>public void add(int value)</code>	appends given value to end of list
<code>public void add(int index, int value)</code>	inserts given value at given index, shifting subsequent values right
<code>public int get(int index)</code>	returns the element at the given index
<code>public int indexOf(int value)</code>	returns index of first occurrence of given value (< 0 if not found)
<code>public void remove(int index)</code>	removes value at given index, shifting subsequent values left
<code>public int size()</code>	returns current number of elements in the list
<code>public String toString()</code>	returns a string version of the list, such as "[4, 5, 17]"
<code>public void clear()</code>	removes all elements from this list.
<code>public boolean contains(int value)</code>	returns true if the given value is contained in this list, else false.
<code>public void ensureCapacity(int capacity)</code>	makes sure that this list's internal array is large enough to store at least the given number of elements. Postcondition: <code>elementData.length &gt;= capacity</code>
<code>public boolean isEmpty()</code>	returns true if this list does not contain any elements, else false.
<code>private void checkIndex(int index, int min, int max)</code>	throws an array index out-of-bounds exception if index is not between min and max inclusive

The class `SortedIntList` should extend `ArrayIntList`, adding a few new methods/constructors, and overriding some existing methods to modify/improve their functionality.

Write the following constructors and methods on `SortedIntList`

<code>public SortedIntList()</code>	constructs an empty list of a default capacity, allowing duplicates
<code>public SortedIntList(boolean unique)</code>	constructs empty list of default capacity and given "unique" setting
<code>public SortedIntList(int capacity)</code>	constructs an empty list with given capacity, allowing duplicates
<code>public SortedIntList(boolean unique, int capacity)</code>	constructs an empty list with given capacity and "unique" setting
<code>public void add(int value)</code>	possibly adds given value to list, maintaining sorted order
<code>public void add(int index, int value)</code>	always throws an <code>UnsupportedOperationException</code>
<code>public boolean getUnique()</code>	returns whether only unique values are allowed in the list
<code>public int indexOf(int value)</code>	same behavior as before, but optimized; see next page
<code>public int max()</code>	returns the maximum integer value stored in the list (throws a <code>NoSuchElementException</code> if the list is empty)
<code>public int min()</code>	returns the minimum integer value stored in the list (throws a <code>NoSuchElementException</code> if the list is empty)
<code>public void setUnique(boolean unique)</code>	sets whether only unique values are allowed in the list; if set to <code>true</code> , immediately removes any existing duplicates from the list
<code>public String toString()</code>	returns a string version of the list, such as <code>"S:[4, 5, 17]U"</code>

The `SortedIntList` class will have a field to keep track of whether or not it is limited to unique values. The value can be set to your second constructor or by calling `setUnique`. Think of it as an on/off switch that each list has.

You will override the `add` method to ensure that elements are added in sorted order, and you will override the `indexOf` method to be more efficient by taking advantage of the list's sorted order. You will also override `toString`. All other methods inherited from `ArrayIntList` should use the default inherited behavior and should not be overridden.

## Implementation Details:

**public SortedIntList()**

This constructor should initialize a list of default capacity (10) with uniqueness set to `false` (duplicates allowed).

**public SortedIntList(boolean unique)**

This constructor should initialize a list of default capacity (10) with uniqueness set to the given value.

**public SortedIntList(int capacity)**

This constructor should initialize a list with the given capacity and with uniqueness set to `false` (duplicates allowed). If the capacity is negative, an `IllegalArgumentException` should occur. `ArrayIntList`'s constructor does so as well.

**public SortedIntList(boolean unique, int capacity)**

This constructor should initialize a list with the given capacity and with the given setting for whether or not to limit the list to unique values (`true` means no duplicates, `false` means duplicates are allowed). See `get/setUnique` below. If the capacity is negative, an `IllegalArgumentException` should occur. `ArrayIntList`'s constructor does so as well.

**public void add(int value)**

Your single-argument `add` method should be overridden to ensure a sorted list. You should no longer add at the end of the list; instead you should add the value at an appropriate place to keep the list **in sorted order**. For example, if the list is `[-3, 7, 18, 42]` and the user adds 27, afterward the list should contain `[-3, 7, 18, 27, 42]` in that order. (See `indexOf`.)

The `add` method has to pay attention to whether the client has requested **unique values only**. If so, your method must not allow any element to be added if that value is already in the list. You should not re-sort the entire list every time an element is added. Finding the correct index and inserting the element there is more efficient than re-sorting the whole list.

**public void add(int index, int value)**

For a sorted list, it does not make sense to allow the client to insert an element at any particular index. The elements should be ordered so that the list will remain sorted. Therefore, you do not want this method in your `SortedIntList` class; but you must inherit such a method because you extend `ArrayIntList`. The best we can do is to "disable" this method by overriding it to always throw an `UnsupportedOperationException`. The list should not be modified

**public boolean getUnique()**

This method should return the current uniqueness setting (`true` means no duplicates, `false` means duplicates allowed).

**public void setUnique(boolean value)**

Allows client to set whether to allow duplicates in the list (`true` means no duplicates, `false` means duplicates allowed).

If the unique switch is set to off (`false`), the list allows any integer to be added, even if that integer is already found in the list (a duplicate). If the unique switch is on (`true`), any call to `add` that passes a value already in the list has no effect. In other words, when the unique switch is `true`, the `add` method should not allow any duplicates to be added to the list. For example, if you start with an empty list that has the unique switch off, adding three 42s will generate the list `[42, 42,`

42]. But if your list has the unique switch on, adding those same three 42s would generate the single-element list [42].

If the client sets unique to `true` when the list has duplicates, `setUnique` should **remove all duplicates** and ensure that no future duplicates can be added unless the client sets unique back to `false`. If the client changes the unique setting to `false`, the list elements do not immediately change, but it will mean that duplicates could be added in the future.

```
public int max()
public int min()
```

These methods should return the largest and smallest element values contained in the list, respectively. For example, in the list [4, 4, 17, 39, 58], the max is 58 and the min is 4. If the list is empty, it has no largest or smallest element, so you should throw a `NoSuchElementException`.

```
public String toString()
```

This method should return a comma-separated string of the list's elements, **preceded by "S:"**. If the list's "unique" switch is on, the string should **end with "U"**. For example, if the elements are [4, 4, 17, 39, 58] and unique is off, return `"S: [4, 4, 17, 39, 58]"`. If the elements are [-3, 5, 15] and unique is on, return `"S: [-3, 5, 15]U"`. Note the U.

```
public int indexOf(int value)
```

This method should be overridden to take advantage of the fact that the list is sorted. It should use the faster **binary search** algorithm rather than the sequential search used in `ArrayIntList`. If the element is found in the list, your `indexOf` should return its position. The element might occur in the list multiple times; if so, you may return any index at which that element value appears. If the element is not found in the list, your method should return a negative number.

We will discuss how binary search is implemented, but you should **not** try to implement binary search yourself. Use the built-in `Arrays.binarySearch` method for all index location searching ("Where is a value currently located?" "Where should I insert a new value?"). You can find its documentation in the Java API. For example, to search indexes 0-16 of an array called `data` for values 42 and 66, you could write:

```
// index      0  1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9 10 11 12 13 14
15 16 17 18
int[] data = {-4, 2, 7, 10, 15, 20, 22, 25, 30, 36, 42, 50, 56, 68, 85,
92, 103, 0, 0};
int index1 = Arrays.binarySearch(data, 0, 17, 42);    // index1 is 10
int index2 = Arrays.binarySearch(data, 0, 17, 66);    // index2 is -14
```

When `Arrays.binarySearch` is unable to find a value in the list, it returns a negative number one less than the index at which the value *would* have been found if it had been in the array (sometimes called the **"insertion point"**). For example, in the example above the value 66 is not found, but if it had been in the list, it would have been at index 13; therefore the search returns -14. You should take advantage of this information when adding new elements to your list.

To get access to the `Arrays` class, you should import `java.util.*`; at the beginning of your class.

## Testing Program (`SortedIntListTest.java`):

Turn the following files:

- `ArrayIntList.java`,
- `SortedIntList.java`,
- `ArrayIntListTest.java`, and
- `SortedIntListTest.java`.

You are required to write a JUnit test for each method of `ArrayIntList`, in a file named `ArrayIntListTest.java`. We recommend that you write the unit tests before you start using `ArrayIntList` in order to implement `SortedIntList`, to rule out bugs related to the base class you implement the sub-class.

You are required to write JUnit tests for `SortedIntList`, in a file named `SortedIntListTest.java`. Write several test cases for your sorted int list by creating at least two lists, adding some elements to them, calling various methods, and checking the expected results. For full credit, your testing file must contain at least 2 test methods, and you must call at least 3 of the different methods on the list(s) you create.

### Development Strategy:

We suggest that you develop the program in the following three stages:

- First implement your basic `ArrayIntList`;
- Add unit tests for `ArrayIntList` to ensure that it is working correctly;
- Write a first version of `SortedIntList` that allows duplicates and doesn't worry at all about the issue of unique values. Just keep your list in sorted order and use binary search to speed up searching.
- Modify your code to obtain the second version of `SortedIntList` that keeps track of whether the client wants only unique values. Add any state necessary and modify constructor(s) as needed. Next modify `add` so that it doesn't add duplicates if the unique setting is `true`.
- Write the `getUnique` and `setUnique` methods. Remember that if the client calls `setUnique` and sets the value to `true`, you must remove any duplicates currently in the list.

## Style Guidelines and Grading:

You may not use any features from Java's collection framework on this assignment, such as `ArrayList` or other pre-existing collection classes. You also may not use the `Arrays.sort` method to sort your list, or `Arrays.toString` to display your list.

A major focus of our style grading is **redundancy**. As much as possible you should avoid redundancy and repeated logic within your code. Note that even constructors can be redundant; if two or more constructors in your class (or the superclass) contain similar or identical code, you should find a way to reduce this redundancy by making them call each other as appropriate. Any additional methods you add to `SortedIntList` beyond those specified should be `private` so that outside code cannot call them.

Another way you should avoid redundancy is by **utilizing the behavior you inherit from the `ArrayList` superclass**. You should not re-implement any `ArrayList` behavior from that is not modified in your class. Also, if part of your class's new behavior can make use of the superclass's behavior, you should call constructors/methods from the superclass. For example, the `ArrayList` already contains code for adding and removing elements to the list at a specific index, so if your `SortedList` code needs to do those things, you should not re-implement that functionality. Properly **encapsulate** your objects by making any data fields in your class `private`. Avoid unnecessary fields; use fields to store important data of your objects but not to store temporary values only used within a single call to one method. Fields should always be initialized inside a constructor or method, never at declaration.

You should follow good **general style** guidelines such as: appropriately using control structures like loops and `if/else` statements; avoiding redundancy using techniques such as methods, loops, and `if/else` factoring; properly using indentation, good variable names, and proper types; and not having any lines of code longer than 100 characters.

## Submission

Your Java source code (program) should be submitted via Latte the day it is due.

For this assignment, you are required to use the Eclipse IDE. Use Eclipse (Refactor > Rename) to name your project **Lastname\_FirstnamePA7** (please make sure to use exactly this file name, including identical capitalization). Then use Eclipse's export procedure; otherwise, a penalty will be applied, as our automated tests will fail to function. The exported archive file must be named **Lastname\_FirstnamePA7.zip**

A step-by-step guideline for exporting and importing with Eclipse is provided in the slides on the top of the Latte page of the course.

## Additional Notes

Properly heading your classes – this must be at the top of each class you write:

```
/**
 * first_name last_name
 * email@brandeis.edu
 * Month Date, Year
 * PA#
 * Explanation of the program/class
 * Known Bugs: explain bugs/null pointers/etc.
 */
```

## Java Docs

Before every one of your Classes and methods add a Java Doc comment. This is a very easy way to quickly comment your code while keeping everything neat.

- The way to create a Java Doc is to type:

```
/** + return/enter
```

- This should create:

```
/**
```

```
*
```

```
*/
```

- Depending on your method, the Java Doc may also create additional things, such as `@param`, `@throws`, or `@return`. These are auto-generated, depending on if your method has parameters, throw conditions, or returns something. You should fill out each of those tags with information on parameter, exception, or return value. If you want to read more on Java Docs, you can find that [here](#), or also refer to the end of Recitation 1 slides. Also, add line specific comments to the more complicated parts of your code, or where you think is necessary. Remember, you should always try to write code so that someone else can easily understand it.