

# Algorithms

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Part I

Fundamentals

# Chapter 1

## Summary of topics

- You can run algorithms to study their properties
- You can put them to good use immediately in applications
- Programming constructs(building blocks), software libraries( programming concepts), and operating systems used to implement programs make up our programming model
- To understand this model let us first talk about statements
- Here are the different types of statements:
  - Declarations: create specific type of variables and name with identifiers
  - Assignments: associate data type with variable
  - Conditionals: provide change in execution flow
  - Loops: more profound change in execution flow, repeat block multiple times
  - Call and returns relate static methods
- arrays store a sequence of values
  - to initialize an array declare array name and type, create the array  
initialize the values
  - Default values are set to zero, you initialize them through a for loop

- Static methods: can be declared without the name of the method, declare class name
  - Here's an example static method:

```
public static sqrt(double c)
```
- properties of methods
  - Methods can be overloaded
  - methods have a single return value but can have multiple return statements
  - A method can have side effects
- Recursion: method will call itself
- External Libraries: imported statements (ex: `java.lang.*`)

## 1.1 Subheading

## Chapter 2

# Data Abstraction

- Abstract data type: data type whose representation is hidden from the client
- Abstract data types are important because they support encapsulation.
- You do not need to know the data type implemented in order to be able to use it
- Objects are characterized by three properties: state, identity, behavior
- State: value from its data type
- Identity: distinguishes one object from another.
- Behavior: are an objects predefined functions.
- Reference: means of accessing an object
- To invoke methods, you would put the class name "." and then the method name
- For Example:

```
Counter heads = new Counter("heads");
heads.increment();
```
- The primary purpose of static methods is to implement functions, while non-static methods implement data-type operations
- Aliasing: both variables refer to the same object

- For Example:

```
Counter c1 = new Counter("ones");
c1.increment();
Counter c2 = c1;
c2.increment();
stdOut.println(c1);
```

- you can pass objects as arguments to methods, java passes a copy of the argument value from the calling program to the method (cannot change value of the variable)
- All nonprimitive types are objects so in a way arrays are objects
- $e = mc^2$
- Writing code that refers to data abstraction is referred to as object-oriented programming
- This is displayed as:

$$e = mc^2$$

- (ADT): to simplify client code
- In Class allows multiple lines of code
- Constructor-initiates instance variables
- Scope: (parameter: the method, Local: the block statement, Instance: whole class)
- Instance methods: behavior of class
- Sometimes you need to maintain two implementations one for clients and another for other people
- immutable data type: value never changes once cons
- Algorithms is an implementation of an is the implementation of an instance method in an abstract data type
- Data abstraction is good for algorithms because it is a framework because it specifies what the algorithms need to accomplish and how the client can make use of it

## Chapter 3

# Bags, Queues, and Stacks

- several fundamental data types involve collection of objects
- bag queue and stack are essential in understanding algorithms
- parameterized types- pass in what type of data that you want to use
- EX:

```
Stack<String> stack = new Stack<String>();
stack.push("Test");

String next = stack.pop();
#+end_src java
- Casting a primitive type as a wrapper
- FIFO queue- first to leave and first to enter policy
- pushdown stack- based on first in first out
- Arithmetic: below is an example of how arithmetic is used in java
#+begin_src java
import java.util.Stack;
import java.util.*;

public class Evaluate {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Stack<String> ops = new Stack<String>();
        Stack<Double> vals = new Stack<Double>();

        // if array args length is equal to zero then the length is zero
        // if (args.length == 0) {
```



```

//          System.out.println("Usage: expression");
//          return;
//      }
String arg1 = args[0];
int charIndex = 0;
System.out.println(arg1.length());
while (charIndex < arg1.length()){
    char stringChar = arg1.toCharArray()[charIndex++];
    String s = "" + stringChar;
    if(s.equals("(")) {

    }else if (s.equals("+")){
        ops.push(s);
    } else if(s.equals("-")){
        ops.push(s);
    }else if (s.equals("*")){
        ops.push(s);
    }else if(s.equals("/")){
        ops.push(s);
    }else if (s.equals("sqrt")){
        ops.push(s);
    }else if (s.equals(")")){
        String op = ops.pop();
        double v = vals.pop();
        if(op.equals("+")){
            v = vals.pop() + v;
        }else if (op.equals("-")){
            v = vals.pop() -v;
        }else if(op.equals("*")){
            v = vals.pop() *v;
        }else if (op.equals("/")){
            v = vals.pop()/ v;
        }else if(op.equals("sqrt")){
            v = Math.sqrt(v);
        }
        vals.push(v);
    }else{
        vals.push(Double.parseDouble(s));
    }
};

```

```

        System.out.println(vals.pop());
    }
}

```

- abstract data type is a fixed capacity stack
- fixed capacity stack only works for strings
- it requires a client to spe
- The problem with fixed stack is that it only uses strings to do this we to develop another class with similar code
- It is possible to iterate through a Stack
- Linked list is recursive data structure that is either empty or a reference to a node having a generic item and reference to a node having generic item and a reference to a linked list
- Ex:

```

private class Node
{
    Item item;
    Node next;
}

```

- A node has two instance variables: An item and a node
- You define a node in a class and make it private because it is not for use by clients
- we use `new Node()`, results in a new node object with its initial values being null
- you refer to node instance variables by saying: `first.item`, & `first.next` this is known as records
- Below explains how you would build a linked list:

```

// you declare your values like this
Node first = new Node();
Node second = new Node();
Node third = new Node();
// you initialise the values like this, they can take up any data value

```

```

first.item = "to";
second.item = "be";
third.item = "or";

// Then you will set the next feilds to
first.next = second;
second.next = third
// Third remains null becuse there is no node after it

```

- A linked list represents a sequence of items
- use rectangle system to see each object Do as follows: [to/ ]-> [be/ ] -> [or/(null)]
- If you want to insert a new node in the list the best place to do so is at the beginning of the list
- Here is how

```

//
Node oldFirst = first;
First = new Node();
first.item = "not";
first.next = oldfirst;

```

- to remove nodes from the list you can assign the value first to first.next
- like this:
 

```
first = first.next;
```

  - \* this assing the first value to the value that comes after it eliminating the original value
  - \* To insert at the end all you have to do is establish a link to the last node in the list.
  - \* Stack, Queue, and Bag implentations for linked lists:

- Queue implementation basics: push & pop: ( add at the begining)

```

public void enqueue(Item item){

    // adds item to end of the list
    Node oldlast = last;

```

```

last = new Node();
last.item = item;
// next element after last is set to null
last.next = null;
// is empty checks if frist element is empty
if(isEmpty()){

    // sets frist equal to last

    first = last

}

}

public Item dequeue()
{

    // merges with item before it
    Item item = first.item;
    first = first.next;
    N--;
    if(is.Empty()) last = null;
    return item;
}

}

```

- Stack implementation basics: push: (add item to the top of the stack)

```

public void push(Item item){

    Node oldFirst = first;
    first = new Node();

```

```

        // sets the old note equal to an item
        first.item = item;
        // sets nextNode equal to oldnote
        first.next = oldfirst;

    }

```

- pop:( remove from the top of the stack)

```

public Item pop()
{
    Item item = first.item;
    // sets the current first equal to the next item
    first = first.next;
    N--;
    return item
}

```

- Here is what you can do
- Here is how:

```

Node oldlast = last;
last = new Node();
last.item = "not";
oldlast.next = last;

```

- two ways to rpresnt collection of objects are arrays and linked lists  
Arrays are built into java, linked lists are easy to build with sandard  
java records
- linked lists are the fundemental alternative to arrays when structureing  
data
- To loop through a list you would do this:

```

for(Node x=first; x != null; x = x.next){ // Process x.item}

```

- Pracite examples:

```

isFull(a.length != N){
    return false;
}

```

```
}  
return true;
```

-was best times of the was it (- most recent element

– None of the above

- (num 5) the problem prints 110010 the binary representation of N
  - While there is a first element in queue it pops the first element and pushes it into stack and vice versa
  - 8 ans: cont 'it', size:9
  - 13 ans: bcd
  - 18: deletes the node next
  - 22: the code will insert t after x
  - 23: the node after t is x itself

## Chapter 4

# Analysis of Algorithms

## Chapter 5

### Case Study: Union-Find



# Part II

## Sorting

## Chapter 6

# Elementary Sorts

## Chapter 7

# Merge Sort