Gebze Technical University Department of Computer Engineering CSE 241/505

Object Oriented Programming Fall 2020

Homework # 6

Generics and Collections in Java

Due date Jan 25th 2021 (No late submission for this HW)

As we discussed in the lectures, Java has a very structured Collections library. We can develop a similar simplified library for Java that uses arrays underneath. We will implement some the interfaces some abstract class, some concrete classes, and some of the helper classes such as iterators.

Collection Interface <interface>> Collection <interface>> Collection

The above figure shows a simplified version of the Collections. We will write corresponding generic classes for Collection, Set, List, Queue, which are all interfaces. HashSet, ArrayList, and LinkedList are concrete classes. Note that LinkedList uses multiple inheritance. Following table defines the functions for each class

Class Name	Public Method Name	Definition
Collection	This is a generic class with one generic parameter which is the generic type E.	
	<pre>iterator()</pre>	Returns an iterator over the collection
	add(E e)	Ensures that this collection contains the specified element
	addAll(Collection c)	Adds all of the elements in the specified collection to this
		collection
	clear()	Removes all of the elements from this collection
	contains (E e)	Returns true if this collection contains the specified element.
	containsAll(Collection c)	Returns true if this collection contains all of the elements in the
		specified collection.
	isEmpty()	Returns true if this collection contains no elements.
	remove(E e)	Removes a single instance of the specified element from this
		collection, if it is present

	removeAll(Collection c)	Removes all of this collection's elements that are also contained
		in the specified collection
	retainAll(Collection c)	Retains only the elements in this collection that are contained in
		the specified collection
	size()	Returns the number of elements in this collection.
<mark>Set</mark>	A collection that contains no duplicate elements. There is no order for this collection. In othe words, you don't have to keep the insertion order of the elements.	
<mark>List</mark>	An ordered collection (also known as a sequence). The user of this interface has	
	control over where in the list	st each element is inserted.
Queue	Queues order elements in a FIFO (first-in-first-out) manner. There is no random access with this Collection. Some functions throw exceptions.	
	add(E e)	Inserts the specified element into this queue
	<pre>element()</pre>	Retrieves, but does not remove, the head of this queue.
	offer(E e)	Inserts the specified element into this queue
	poll()	Retrieves and removes the head of this queue, or throws if this
		queue is empty.
HashSet	Implements Set functions	
ArrayList	Implements List functions	
LinkedList	Implements both List and Queue functions. Your class does not have to have a linked list to	
	implement these.	
Iterator	hasNext()	Returns true if the iteration has more elements.
	next()	Returns the next element in the iteration and advances the
		iterator.
	remove()	Removes from the underlying collection the last element returned
		by this iterator. This method does not work for Queues, it throws
		an exception.

Your Java Collections hierarchy should use only Java arrays in the concrete classes to implement all the methods.

You will test each method of each concrete class with generic parameters of int and string.

Notes:

- Do error and range checking for any parameters. Throw exceptions and test them in your client code. Do not forget to define the throw lists for your functions.
- For each class you will write appropriate class documentation for Javadoc. You will also submit the Javadoc files.
- As expected, you should follow all object-oriented programming principles.
- You should submit your work to the moodle page.
- You should submit the images of drawn shapes.