

POLYMORPHISM:

Single Inheritance with "extends"

```
class A { }
class B extends A { }
abstract class C { }
class D extends C { }
class E extends D
Abstract methods
abstract class F {
    abstract int bla();
}
class G extends F {
    int bla() { //required method
        return 5;
    }
}
```

Multiple Inheritance of interfaces with "implements" (fields not inherited)

```
interface H {
    void methodA();
    boolean methodB(int arg);
}
interface I extends H {
    void methodC();
}
interface K { }
class J extends F implements I, K {
    int bla() { return 5; } //required from F
    void methodA() { } //required from H
    boolean methodB(int a) { //req from A
        return 1;
    }
    void methodC() { } //required from I
}
```

Type inference:

```
A x = new B(); //OK
B y = new A(); //Not OK
C z = new C(); //Cannot instantiate abstract
//Method calls care about right hand type
(the instantiated object)
```

//Compiler checks depend on left hand type

GENERICS:

```
class MyClass<T> {
    T value;
    T getValue() { return value; }
}
class ExampleTwo<A,B> {
    A x;
    B y;
}
class ExampleThree<A extends List<B>,B> {
    A list;
    B head;
}
//Note the extends keyword here applies as
well to interfaces, so A can be an interface
that extends List<B>
```

JAVA COLLECTIONS:

List<T>: Similar to arrays

```
ArrayList<T>: Slow insert into middle
//ArrayList has fast random access
LinkedList<T>: slow random access
//LinkedList fast as queue/stack
Stack: Removes and adds from end
```

List Usage:

```
boolean add(T e);
void clear(); //empties
boolean contains(Object o);
T get(int index);
T remove(int index);
boolean remove(Object o);
//remove uses comparator
T set(int index, E val);
int size();
```

List Traversal:

```
for (int i=0;i<x.size();i++) {
    //use x.get(i);
}
//Assuming List<T>:
for (T e : x) {
    //use e
}
```

Queue<T>: Remove end, Insert beginning LinkedList implements Queue

Queue Usage:

```
T element(); // does not remove
boolean offer(T o); //adds
T peek(); //pike element
T poll(); //removes
T remove(); //like poll
Traversal: for(T e : x) { }
```

Set<T>: uses Comparable<T> for uniqueness

```
TreeSet<T>, items are sorted
HashSet<T>, not sorted, no order
LinkedHashSet<T>, ordered by insert
Usage like list: add, remove, size
Traversal: for(T e : x) { }
```

Map<K,V>: Pairs where keys are unique

```
HashMap<K,V>, no order
LinkedHashMap<K,V> ordered by insert
TreeMap<K,V> sorted by keys
```

```
V get(K key);
Set<K> keySet(); //set of keys
V put(K key, V value);
V remove(K key);
int size();
Collection<V> values(); //all values
Traversal: for-each w/.keySet/values
```

java.util.PriorityQueue<T>

A queue that is always automatically sorted using the comparable function of an object

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Comparator<String> cmp= new LenCmp();
    PriorityQueue<String> queue =
        new PriorityQueue<String>(10, cmp);
    queue.add("short");
    queue.add("very long indeed");
    queue.add("medium");
    while (queue.size() != 0)
        System.out.println(queue.remove());
}
class LenCmp implements Comparator<String> {
    public int compare(String x, String y) {
        return x.length() - y.length();
    }
}
```

java.util.Collections algorithms

Sort Example:

```
//Assuming List<T> x
Collections.sort(x); //sorts with comparator
Sort Using Comparator:
Collections.sort(x, new Comparator<T>(){
    public int compareTo(T a, T b) {
        //calculate which is first
        //return -1, 0, or 1 for order:
        return someint;
    }
})
```

Example of two dimensional array sort:

```
public static void main(final String[] a){
    final String[][] data = new String[][] {
        new String[] { "20090725", "A" },
        new String[] { "20090726", "B" },
        new String[] { "20090727", "C" },
        new String[] { "20090728", "D" } };
    Arrays.sort(data,
        new Comparator<String[]>() {
            public int compare(final String[]
                entry1, final String[] entry2) {
                final String time1 = entry1[0];
                final String time2 = entry2[0];
                return time1.compareTo(time2);
            }
        });
    for (final String[] s : data) {
        System.out.println(s[0]+" "+s[1]);
    }
}
```

More collections static methods:

```
Collections.max( ... ); //returns maximum
Collections.min( ... ); //returns maximum
Collections.copy( A, B); //A list into B
Collections.reverse( A ); //if A is list
```