

### \* Consumer functional Interface:

- **Consumer<T>** → It will consume Item but never return anything.  
e.g. take any object & save its details in DB. & don't return anything.

Syntax:-

```
Interface Consumer<T> {
    public void accept(T t);
}
```

### \* Consumer chaining.

- We can combine/chain multiple consumers together with andThen.

- No composition in consumer
- Syntax: - `c1.andThen(c2).accept(Input)` → first C1 then C2.

Consumer<T>

### \* Supplier functional interface.

- **Supplier<R>** → It will just supply required objects and will not take any input.

→ Syntax:-

```
Interface Supplier<R> {
    public R get();
}
```

- No chaining available as it doesn't take any input

There is no input for supplier, hence  
so BiSupplier ~~exist~~ not available.

\* BiConsumer, BiFunction, BiPredicate & Bi

→ Bipredicates: [note 2023-09-16 09:00:00](#) at 2023-09-16 09:00:00

Bipredicate<Integer, Integer> p = illede;

## Bifunction :-

Bifunction< Integer, Integer, Integer> if = //code;

2 input, 1 return type:

**BiConsumer**: - implements both `BiFunction` & `BiConsumer`

```
BiConsumer<Integer, Integer> = // code;
```

## \* Streams

→ - When we want process bulk objects of collection then go for streams.

- It's a special iterator class that allows processing collections of objects in a functional manner.

e.g.  $\text{E} = \frac{1}{2}mv^2 + \frac{1}{2}I\omega^2$ . Conservation of energy = Energy

```
List.stream().filter(x->code).collect(Collectors.toList());
```

\* Difference b/w streams (Java 8) & java.io.Streams?

## → Streams (Java 8)      java.io.Streams.

- Java 8 streams are not related to files, they are related to collection objects.
- IO streams is a sequence of characters or binary data used to written a file or read data from file.

# Difference b/w streams and collection

→ Collection (Collection of objects) streams

To represent group of entity as a single entity then use collection.

- To perform operation on bulk objects in collection then use Streams.

## # Stream, filtering command

- \* Steps to create and process stream.
- ① Streams:  $s = \text{collection Obj. stream}();$  → Stream object.
- ② Once we get Stream object we can process the object of collection.
- ③ Processing of Stream consist of 2 steps:
  - i) Configuration of Stream.
  - ii) Processing that configuration.
- ④ Configuration can be done by i) map ii) filter.

e.g.

Stream  $s = \text{arraylist.stream}();$

$s.\text{filter}(i \rightarrow i \% 2 == 0);$



$\text{ArrayList.stream().filter}(i \rightarrow i \% 2 == 0).\text{forEach}(i \rightarrow s.o.println(i));$

- \* Map the Stream objects.
- When we want to create new object against each existing Stream object based on some function.

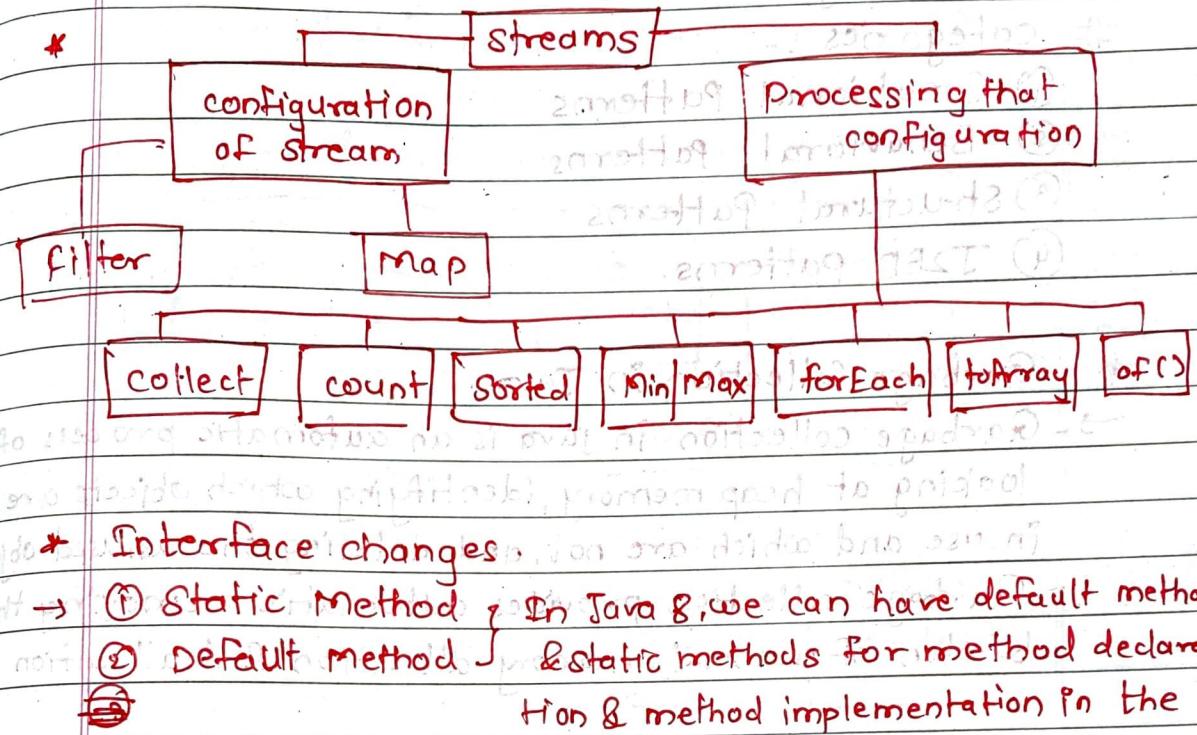
e.g.

Stream  $s = \text{arraylist.stream().map}(i \rightarrow i * i);$

$s.\text{forEach}(x \rightarrow s.o.println(x));$

- \* Filter vs Map

- Filter → filter & get objects in original collection
- Map → new object of collection is created.



① Instance Variable :- It is not possible to achieve the overriding with instance variable.

e.g. position of behavioral class members for `func defn`

Parent `P = new child();`

~~p.~~ variable; → This will give value of parent  
↳ class variable only

→ So, it Runtime polymorphism or overriding is possible only with the method.

## \* Java Design Patterns

### # Categories :-

- (1) Creational Patterns
- (2) Behavioral Patterns
- (3) Structural Patterns
- (4) J2EE Patterns.

## \* Garbage Collection in Java.

- Garbage collection in java is an automatic process of looking at heap memory, identifying which objects are in use and which are not, and deleting the unused object.
- Garbage collection provides automatic removing the burden of manual memory allocation & deallocation.

## \* Where objects created in memory ?

- When object is created, it is always stored in the Heap Space and stack memory contains the reference to it.
- Stack memory only contains local primitive variables & reference variables to objects in heap space.

## \* Which part of memory is involved in Garbage Collection?

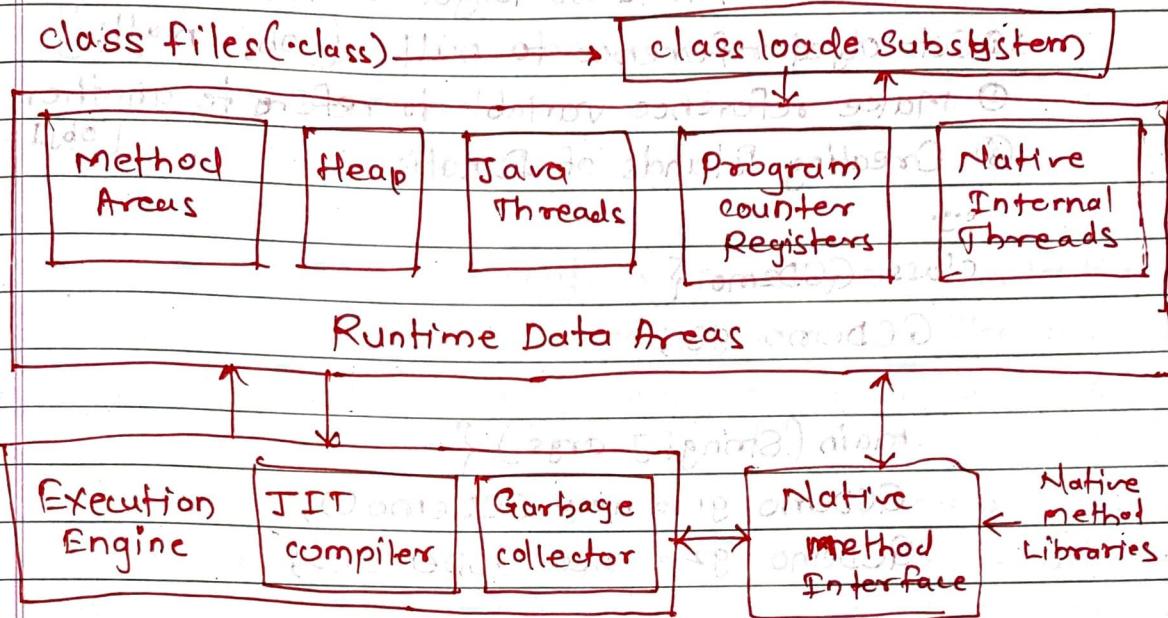
- Heap.

## \* Garbage collector

- Garbage collector is program which scans the Heap memory and find out which object is currently alive. If some object is no more referenced, Garbage collector dumps it collects it, dumps it and used that memory to store another object.

## \* Mark-Sweep algorithm is most common- garbage collection algorithm.

## JVM Architecture



- \* Who manages Garbage collector?
  - JVM.
  - JVM runs the Garbage collector when it realize that the memory is running low.

- \* How can the Garbage collection be requested?
  - ① Call the System class `System.gc()` method which will request the jvm to perform GC. `[System.gc();]`
  - ② The methods to perform GC are present in the Runtime class provided by `java.lang.Runtime`.  
The Runtime class is Singleton for each java main program.  
The method `getRuntime()` returns a singleton instance of Runtime class.

The method `gc()` can be invoked using this instance of Runtime to request the Garbage collection.

`[Runtime.getRuntime().gc();]`

\* What are the different ways to make an object eligible for GC when it is no longer needed?

→ ① Set object reference to null. [obj=null;]

② Make reference variable to refer to another object.

③ Creating Islands of Isolation. [obj1=obj2]

e.g.

class GCDemo {

GCDemo g3; // block contains

main(String[] args) {

GCDemo g1 = new GCDemo();

GCDemo g2 = new GCDemo();

~~g1.g3 = g2;~~

~~g2.g3 = g1;~~ (survived segment of life)

g1 = null;

g2 = null;

\* Purpose of overriding finalize() method?

→ ① Finalize method in Java also called finalizer is a method defined in Java.lang.Object.

② It is called by Garbage collector just before ~~calling~~ collecting any object which is eligible for GC.

③ finalize() provides last chance to object to do cleanup & free remaining resources.

④ garbage collector calls finalize() method only once just before garbage collection.

\* Daemon Thread

→ ① It is low-priority thread which runs behind the application.

Hotspot → Oracle's JVM

Generational GC strategy → used by Oracle Page: S.D.S categorize objects by for garbage collection age.

① It is started by JVM

② This thread stops when all non-daemon/foreground threads stop. (1100, 2000, 1000, 500, etc.)

③ Garbage Collector is daemon Thread

\* How Garbage Collection works?

→ GC works in 2 steps:-

① Marking :- Unreferenced objects in heap are identified

and marked as ready for garbage collection.

② Deletion / Deletion + compaction :- marked objects are deleted.

Compaction means after deletion of object memory that was occupied by deleted objects is compacted i.e. remaining objects are in contiguous blocks at the start of heap memory in sequential manner.

\* Processing of streams.

→ ① collect() → collects four elements from stream.

→ collect the elements of stream after filtering or mapping and them to required collection.

e.g. `List.stream().filter((code)).collect(Collectors.toList());`

→ elements of result from previous block

② count()

→ count() method returns count of collection object

e.g. `List.stream().filter((code)).count();`

→ ((c) == 0 || c == 1) == true. (code) for 0 to 1000

③ sorted()

→ sorting inside stream.

④ e.g. `List.stream().filter((code)).sorted();` → natural sorting

OR `List.stream().sorted();`

⑤ `List.stream().filter((code)).sorted((i1, i2) → i2.compareTo(i1));`

→ Custom sorting.

**③ min(), max()** - used for finding smallest & largest elements in stream.

- min and max will return value based on the defined comparator.
- e.g. `list.stream().min((i1, i2) → i1.compareTo(i2).get());`

#### ④ forEach()

- Does not return anything.
- This method takes lambda expression as an argument.
- e.g. `list.stream().forEach(x → s.o.println(x));`

**⑤ toArray()** - used for copying elements present in stream to array.

- Used to copy elements present in stream to array.
- e.g. `list.stream().toArray();`
- Return type is corresponding array object.

**⑥ of()** → `of(T, T, values)`.

- Stream concept is not applicable just for the collections, it's also applicable for "Any Group of Value".
- It can also use for arrays.
- `of()` method can take any group of elements and convert them to stream.

e.g.

`Stream.of(1, 11, 111, 1111).forEach(x → s.o.println(x));`

`String[] strArr = {"A", "B", "C"};`  
`Stream.of(strArr).forEach(x → s.o.println(x));`

- \* Load factor in Hashmap/Hashtable & its default value?
  - It is a measure that decides when to increase the Hashmap capacity. If it reaches 0.75, it doubles.
  - The default load factor of Hashmap is 0.75 for 1.0 times the map size. (cont-8) onward.
  - Doubles the capacity of 256 to 512.
- \* How does bucket index is calculated in Hashmap?
  - Hashcode % length(bucket) - 1

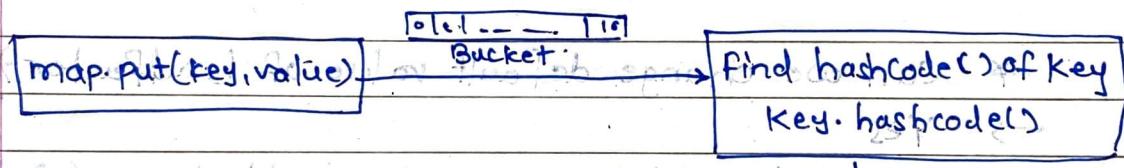
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### \* What is Hash collision?

- It is a situation where two or more key objects produce the same hash value & hence point to same bucket location or array index.

### \* Internal working of Hashmap.

→



(if) generate new & good scenario, print > print  
(return hash + phash + hlink)

Print of previous step

Find bucket index using  
hashCode: hashCode % (length - 1)

Add to  
linked list  
by replacing  
existing equal node

(Yes)

Key already  
present?  
key.equals(existingKey)

No

Add Linked List  
As next node

Yes

Hash collision

No

Simply add to linked list  
as first node

Ques: Time complexity of hashmap get method  $\rightarrow O(1)$

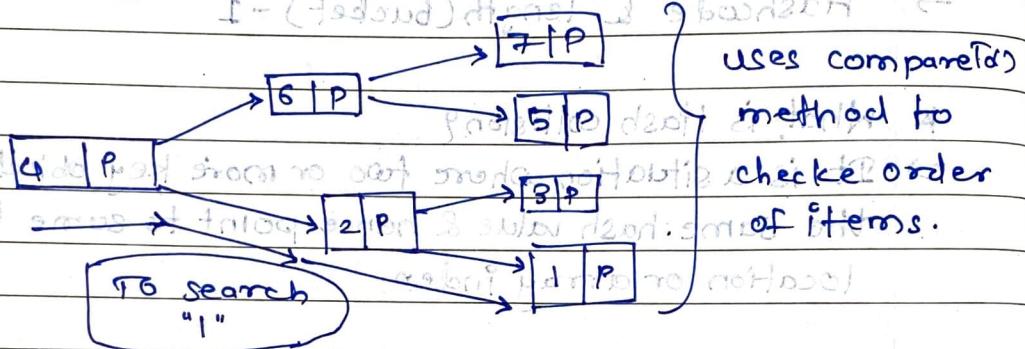
Ans: Average time complexity of hashmap get method is  $O(1)$ .

\* What is enhancement in Hashmap in Java 8?

$\rightarrow$  In Java 8, Hashmap replaces linked list with binary (B-tree) tree when the number of elements in bucket reaches certain threshold.

\* Binary tree structures.

$\rightarrow$  (FIFO) thread 2. breadth first search



↳ Example to illustrate insertion:

\* Can we change default value of load factor?

$\rightarrow$  Yes

`Map<String, String> map = new HashMap(int initialCapacity, float loadFactor);`

↳ Default value is 16.

(-d option) to overcome this problem

\* What are generics in Java?

$\rightarrow$  Generics is a set of related methods or a set of similar types.

- Generic collection is strongly typed i.e. we can store one type of object into it.

- Generics checked at compile time which eliminates runtime type mismatches.

↳ short answer

What is type erasure in collections?

→ It is a process in which the compiler replaces a generic type with actual class or bridge method.

What is serialization?

### \* Serialization

→ It is a mechanism of converting the state of an object into byte stream.

The byte stream created is platform independent.

To make object serializable we can implement the `java.io.Serializable` interface.

The `ObjectInputStream` class contains `writeObject()` method for serializing an object.

`Serializable` is a marker interface used to "mark" java classes so that classes may get certain capability.

\* Deserialization

→ It is a reverse process where byte stream is used to recreate the actual java object in memory.

This mechanism is used to persist/save the state of the object.

The `ObjectInputStream` class contains `readObject()` method for deserializing the object.

\* SerialVersionUID - unique ID of serialized object.

→ The serialization runtime associates a version number with each Serializable class called a `SerialVersionUID`.

It is used during Deserialization to verify the sender and receiver of serialized object.

If the receiver has loaded a class for the object that has a different UID than that of corresponding sender's class, the Deserialization will throw `InvalidClassException`.

- A Serializable class can declare its own UID explicitly by declaring a field named `serialVersionUID`. It must be static, final and of type `long`. It should be 21 bytes long.
- e.g.: `private static final long serialVersionUID = 412L;`

It can be any ↪  
access modifier

↳ Inside an `Object` or `Serializable` class, it is not necessary to implement `serialVersionUID`.

#### \* Concurrent Modification

↳ Means to modify an object concurrently when another task is already running over it.

#### (Q) How fail-fast iterator works?

- To know whether the collection is structurally "sound" or modified or not, fail-fast iterator uses an internal flag called `modCount`.
- `modCount` is updated each time a collection is modified.
- Fail-fast iterators checks the `modCount` flag whenever it gets `nextValue` (using `next()` method).
- If `modCount` has been modified after this iterator has been created, it throws `ConcurrentModificationException`.

#### \* Difference between sleep and wait() methods

→ `wait()` → `Sleep()`

- belongs to `Object` class. - belongs to `Thread` class.
- `wait()` method releases lock. - `Sleep()` method does not release the lock of object during synchronization.
- `wait()` method tells the thread to pause the execution of current thread until another thread invokes `notify()` or `notifyAll()` with specified time.
- Not a static method
- static method.

## \* Internally working of ArrayList.

- ArrayList is based on array implementation in java. add at any position tail using array operations
- The data structure of ArrayList is an array of object class and Object array is transient.
- ArrayList implements List interface, RandomAccess, cloneable and java.io.Serializable interfaces (marker).

e.g.

```
public class ArrayList<E> extends AbstractList<E> implements
    List<E>, RandomAccess, Cloneable, java.io.Serializable
    , Comparable<T>, Comparable
```

- Internally ArrayList uses array of object[] for the operations like adding, deleting & updating elements.

e.g. transient Object[] elementData ;

- To create an ArrayList there are 3 types of constructors in Java.

① ArrayList :- To initialize an empty List with an initial capacity of 10.

- // Constructor with empty ArrayList

```
public ArrayList() {
```

```
    this.elementData = EMPTY_ELEMENTDATA;
```

② ArrayList(int capacity) :- To create ArrayList with the initial capacity

- public ArrayList(int initialCapacity) {

```
    if (initialCapacity > 0) {
```

```
        this.elementData = new Object[initialCapacity];
```

```
    } else if (initialCapacity == 0) {
```

```
        this.elementData = EMPTY_ELEMENTDATA;
```

```
    } else {
```

```
        throw new IllegalArgumentException();
```

}

• ~~toArrayList~~ to primitive ~~toArray~~ ( )

- ④ **ArrayList(Collection<? extends E> c):** To create an array list initialized with the elements from the collection passed into the constructor.

- public ArrayList(Collection<? extends E> c) {

↳ ~~elementData = c.toArray();~~ ~~toArrayList -~~  
↳ ~~but if ((size == elementData.length) != 0) {~~

↳ ~~elementData = Arrays.copyOf(elementData, size);~~ ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ ~~if (c.toArray() might not return Object[])~~ ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ ~~if (elementData.getClass() != Object[].class) {~~ ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ elementData = Arrays.copyOf(elementData, size, ~~Object[].class);~~ ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ ~~else {~~ ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ ~~elementData = new Object[size];~~ ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ this.elementData = EMPTY\_ELEMENTDATA;

↳ } ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ }

↳ ~~ArrayList~~ ( ) ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ #Add method of ArrayList: ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ → When we call add( ) method in arraylist then internally checks for the capacity to store the new element or not.

↳ If not then size is incremented by 50%.

↳ - int newCapacity = (oldCapacity \* 3) / 2 + 1;

↳ ~~toArrayList -~~

↳ ~~toArrayList -~~

\* ~~ExecutorService~~ = ~~block~~ ~~toArrayList -~~

→ - It is the interface which allows us to execute tasks on threads asynchronously.

- Present in java.util.concurrent package.

- Helps in maintaining a pool of threads & assign them tasks.

## \* Object cloning in Java

→ - It is a way to create exact copy of an object.

The `clone()` method of `Object` class is used to clone an object.   
 → The `java.lang.Cloneable` interface must be implemented by the class whose object clone we want to create. Otherwise, `clone()` method throws `CloneNotSupportedException`. [public Object clone() throws CloneNotSupportedException]

\* Why to use `clone()` method if we can directly create clone using `new` operator?   
 → `clone()` method saves extra processing task for creating exact copy of an object.

## \* Types of cloning:

→ ① Shallow cloning

- This default implementation of `clone` method.

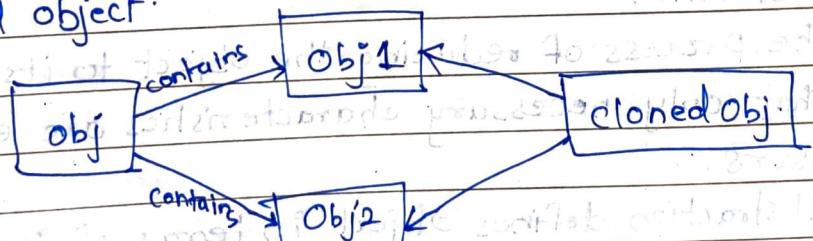
- Creates a shallow copy of Object i.e. new instance is created which copies all the fields to new instance & returns new object of type "Object".

- And this type needs to be explicitly type casted.

e.g.

`obj2 = (Object) obj1.clone();`

- Shallow clone is copying the reference pointer to the object i.e. new object is pointing to same reference of old object.



② Deep clone: takes cloning of source object's fields.

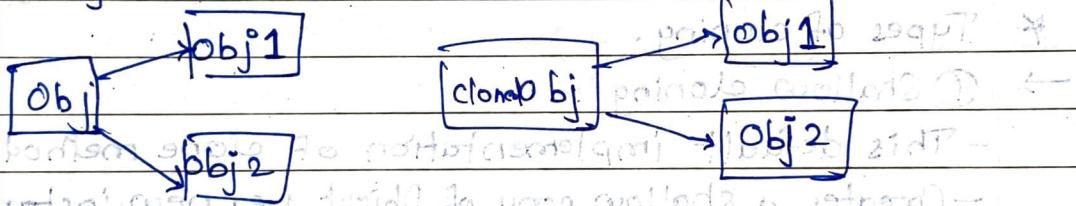
→ This cloned also copies all the fields of source object like shallow clone but unlike shallow copy if the source object has any reference to object as a field, then a replica of the object is created.

In deep clone, source and destination objects are independent of each other.

e.g.

```
Employee emp = (Employee) super.clone();
emp.dept = (Department) dept.clone();
```

In Deep clone, new memory is allocated for the object and contents that are copied.



\* How to create custom exception?

→ ① Create a custom exception class and extend that with Exception class.

② Create a parameterized constructors having message

as parameters.

To understand concept of abstraction, it is better to have some examples.

\* Abstraction

→ - The process of reducing the object to its essence so that only necessary characteristics are exposed to users.

- Abstraction defines object in terms of its properties (Attributes), behaviour (methods) and interfaces.

- Purpose of abstraction is hiding the unnecessary details from the users.

## \* Encapsulation (Abstraction & Inheritance) To 980 \*

→ Encapsulation is a mechanism of wrapping data (variables) and code acting on the data (methods) together into a single unit.

- In encapsulation, the variables of class will be hidden from other classes, and can access only through the methods (setter & getter methods).

## \* Constructors

→ - A constructor in Java is similar to method that is involved when an object of class is created.

→ - It has the same name as that of class and doesn't have any return type.

- Used to initialize the object's features or

## \* ArrayList vs. LinkedList

→ implements ArrayList and not ( ) / or LinkedList

→ - Internally uses a dynamic array to store elements.

- act as a list only because it acts as a list and queue. It implements List only, not both because it implements

ArrayList, List & Queue, ArrayList and Deque interfaces.

- better for storing & accessing - better for manipulation.

## \* What is static block and what is use of it?

→ - A static block is used to initialize the static variables.

- This block gets executed at the time of class loading in the memory.

- A class can have multiple static blocks which will execute in the same sequence as they have written.

## \* Use of constructor in abstract class

→ To initialize the non-abstract methods and instance variables. Bottom) sub-class can inherit the base class's constructor.

## \* How can we call a constructor of abstract class?

→ We can't call an abstract class constructor with a class instance creation. (Top & bottom)

- Constructors of abstract classes can be only called within subclass constructors.

## \* Externalization in Java

→ It is used when we need to customize the serialization mechanism.

- To ~~extend~~ externalize the class, we need to implement Externalizable Interface & it has two methods.

① writeExternal() → for custom serialization

② readExternal() → for custom deserialization.

for primitive types we can use:

① readBoolean(), readByte(), readInt(), readLong()

for deserialization. (the field attached to it)

- And, writeBoolean(), writeByte(), writeInt(), writeLong() for serialization.

## \* SplitIterator in Java

→ It is one of the four iterators in Java like Enumeration, Iterator, ListIterator and splitIterator.

- Like Iterator & ListIterator it is used to iterate elements one-by-one from a List implemented interface object.

- Unlike Iterator and ListIterator

- (i) It supports parallel programming or processing of data and also sequential processing of data.
- (ii) And provides better performance.
- (iii) It is iterator introduced in Java 1.8 for Collection and Stream API except Map interface.

\* Internal working of HashSet?

→ - HashSet uses HashMap internally to store its objects.

- Whenever we create a HashSet object, one HashMap associated with it is also created.

- Element we are adding to the HashSet is used as the key in the backing HashMap. And for the value dummy value is used i.e. Object PRESENT = new Object()

- So, HashSet's contain(element) simply calls HashMap's containsKey(element).

\* How to break Singleton pattern?

→ ① Reflection:-

```
class<?> singletonClass = Class.forName("package.Singleton-
ClassName");
```

Constructor<SingletonClass> c = singletonClass.getDeclared-
constructor();

↓  
Type cast with (Constructor<Singleton>)

☞ ☞ c.setAccessible(true); → Imp

Singleton brokenInstance = c.newInstance();

i.e. by creating new constructor and setAccessible(true)

② Serialization :- Serialization is used to convert an object

- of byte stream and save in a file or send over the network. So, if we serialize object and de-serialize that it will create new instance.