

# *Advanced Programming*

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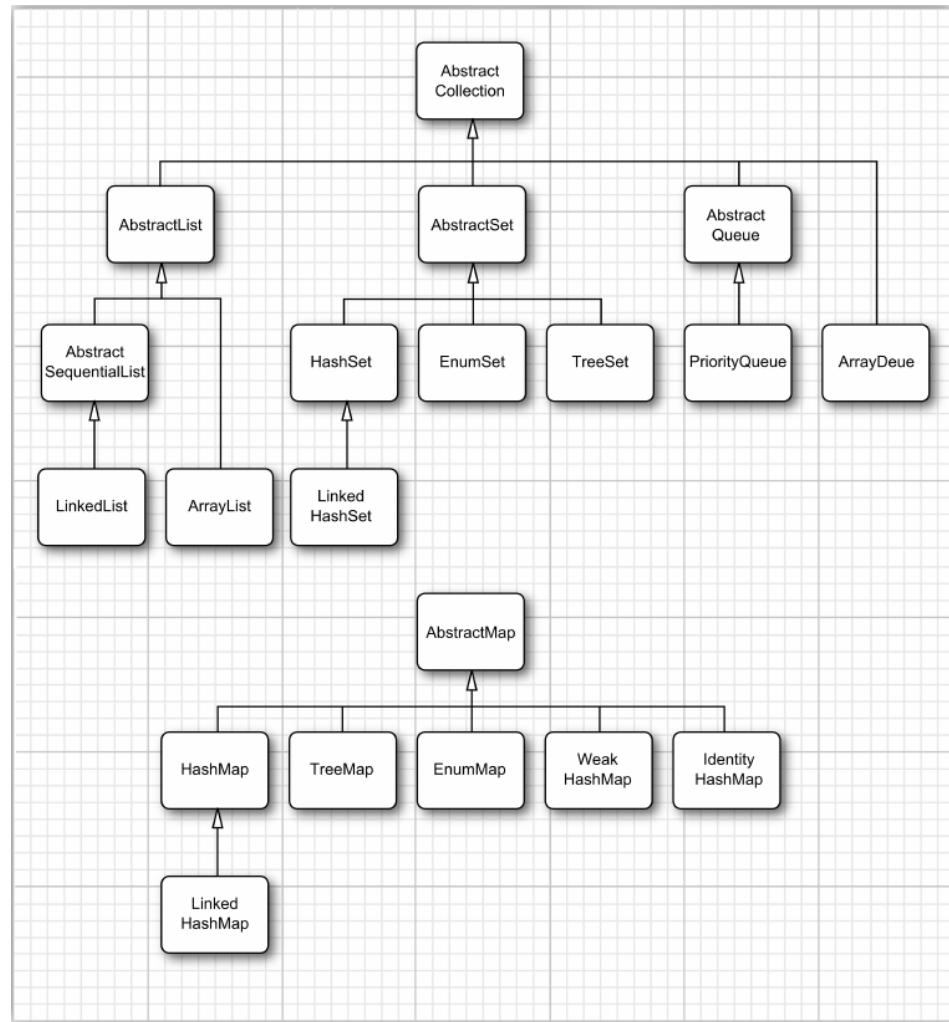
Week 5 - Collections

# Concrete Collections

- *Concrete generic classes, useful for various purposes.*

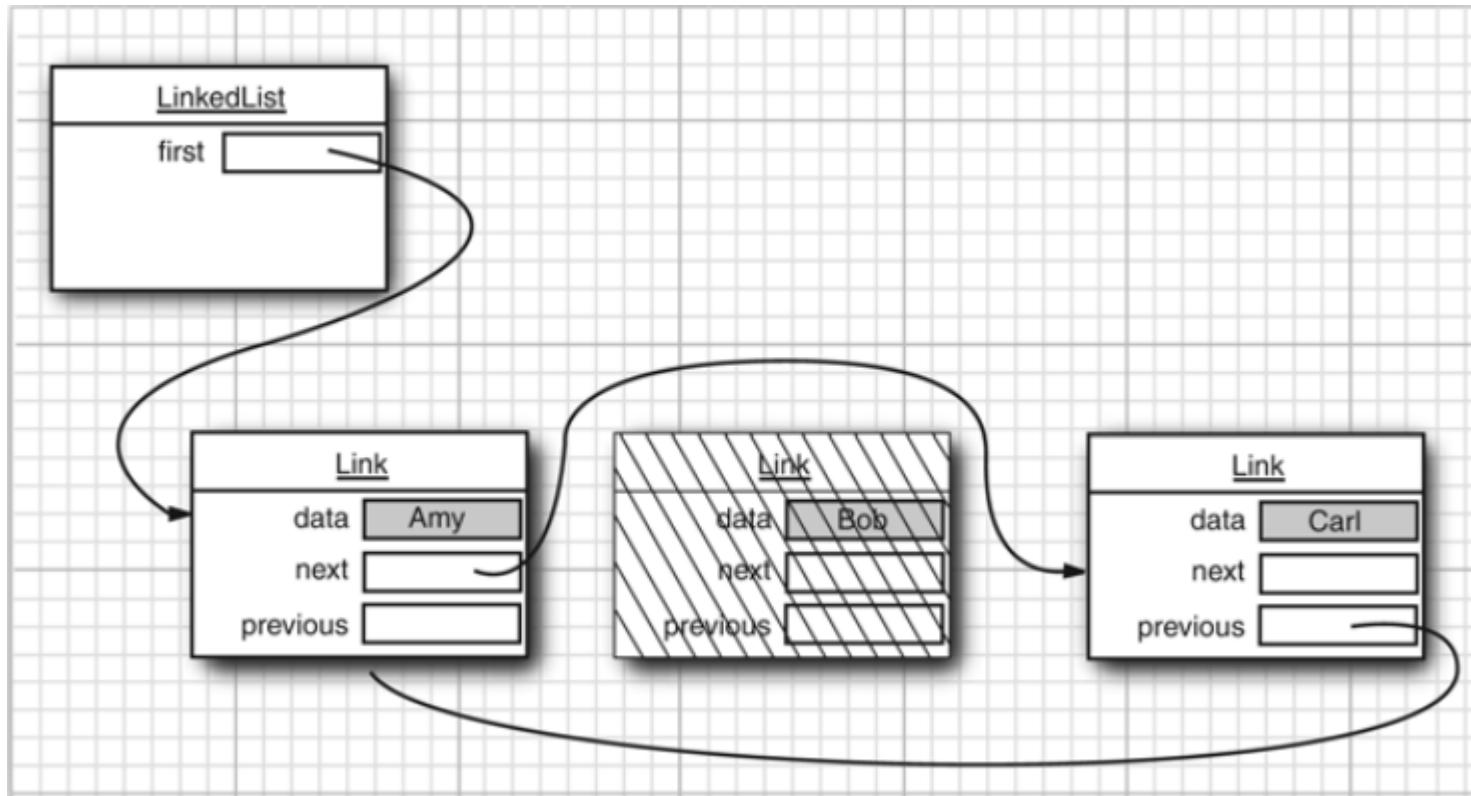
Collection Type	Description
ArrayList	An indexed sequence that grows and shrinks dynamically
LinkedList	An ordered sequence that allows efficient insertion and removal at any location
ArrayDeque	A double-ended queue that is implemented as a circular array
HashSet	An unordered collection that rejects duplicates
TreeSet	A sorted set
EnumSet	A set of enumerated type values
LinkedHashSet	A set that remembers the order in which elements were inserted
PriorityQueue	A collection that allows efficient removal of the smallest element
HashMap	A data structure that stores key/value associations
TreeMap	A map in which the keys are sorted
EnumMap	A map in which the keys belong to an enumerated type
LinkedHashMap	A map that remembers the order in which entries were added
WeakHashMap	A map with values that can be reclaimed by the garbage collector if they are not used elsewhere
IdentityHashMap	A map with keys that are compared by ==, not equals

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- *LinkedList <T>: In Java everything is a doubly linked list*



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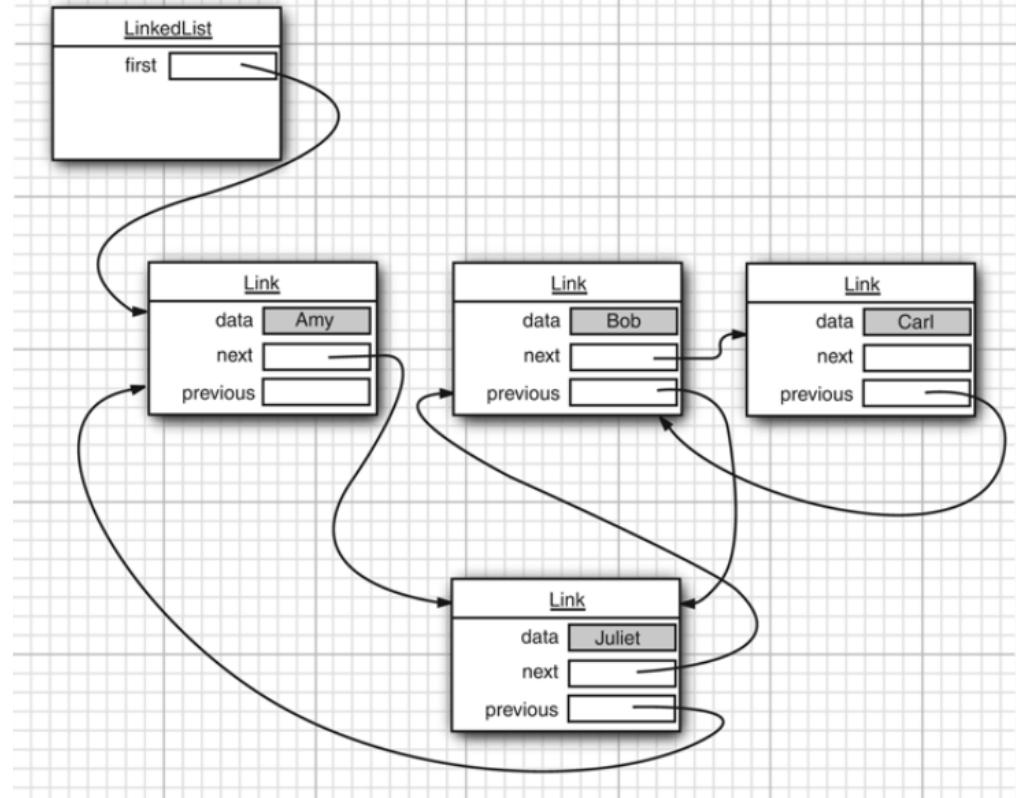
```
var staff = new LinkedList<String>();
staff.add("Amy");
staff.add("Bob");
staff.add("Carl");
Iterator<String> iter = staff.iterator();
String first = iter.next(); // visit first element
String second = iter.next(); // visit second element
iter.remove(); // remove last visited element
```

```
interface ListIterator<E> extends Iterator<E>
{
    void add(E element);
    ...
}
```

```
var staff = new LinkedList<String>();
staff.add("Amy");
staff.add("Bob");
staff.add("Carl");
ListIterator<String> iter = staff.listIterator();
iter.next(); // skip past first element
iter.add("Juliet");
```

- *LinkedList.add() always adds at the end. What if you want to add in the middle ?*

# Concrete Collections



- `LinkedList.add()` always adds at the end. The `ListIterator<E>` has the responsibility to add() anywhere.

# Concrete Collections: ArrayLists

*Ordered list of indexable items; much like an generic array of variable length.*

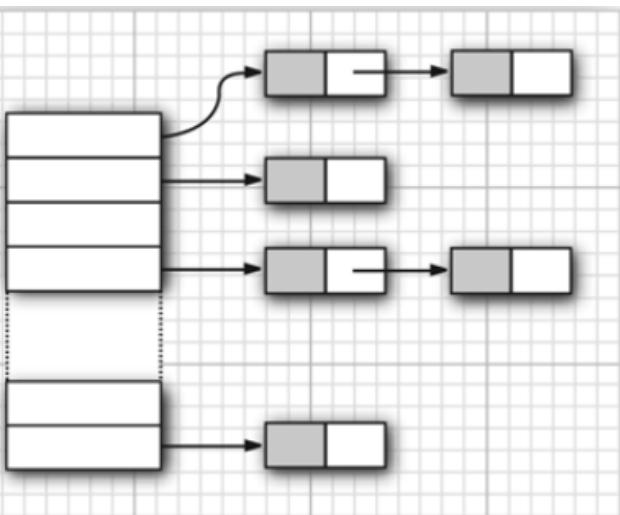
# ArrayList Methods

- *The indexed get and set methods of the List interface are appropriate to use since ArrayLists are backed by an array*
  - `Object get(int index)`
  - `Object set(int index, Object element)`
  - May throw `IndexOutOfBoundsException`
- *Indexed add and remove are provided, but can be costly if used frequently*
  - `void add(int index, Object element)`
  - `Object remove(int index)`
  - May throw `IndexOutOfBoundsException`
- *May want to resize in one shot if adding many elements*
  - `void ensureCapacity(int minCapacity)`
- *ArrayList allows adding duplicate elements*

# Sets

- Sets keep unique elements only
  - Like lists but no duplicates
- HashSet<E>
  - Keeps a set of elements in a hash tables
  - The elements are randomly ordered by their hash code
- TreeSet<E>
  - Keeps a set of elements in a red-black ordered search tree
  - The elements are ordered incrementally

# Concrete Collections: HashSet



Modifier and Type	Method and Description
boolean	<b>add(E e)</b> Adds the specified element to this set if it is not already present.
void	<b>clear()</b> Removes all of the elements from this set.
Object	<b>clone()</b> Returns a shallow copy of this HashSet instance: the elements themselves are not cloned.
boolean	<b>contains(Object o)</b> Returns true if this set contains the specified element.
boolean	<b>isEmpty()</b> Returns true if this set contains no elements.
Iterator<E>	<b>iterator()</b> Returns an iterator over the elements in this set.
boolean	<b>remove(Object o)</b> Removes the specified element from this set if it is present.
int	<b>size()</b> Returns the number of elements in this set (its cardinality).

# Set Interface

- *Same methods as Collection*
  - *different contract – no duplicate entries*
- *Provides an Iterator to step through the elements in the Set*
  - *No guaranteed order in the basic Set interface*

# HashSet

- Find and add elements very quickly
  - uses hashing
- Hashing uses an array of linked lists
  - The `hashCode()` is used to index into the array
  - Then `equals()` is used to determine if element is in the (short) list of elements at that index
- No order imposed on elements
- Behaves like a set of unique elements

# HashSet

```
import java.util.HashSet;

HashSet<String> students = new HashSet<String>();

students.add("Alice");
students.add("Bob");
students.add("Charlie");
System.out.println(students);

students.contains("Bob"); //boolean outcome.

students.remove("Alice"); //boolean "could it be
                        //removed or not"

students.clear();        //clear the set

students.size();         //the size in terms of elements.
```

# Concrete Collections: TreeSet

- *Similar to HashSet but all tree values are a sorted collection of generic object types. The object types must implement Comparable.*

```
var sorter = new TreeSet<String>();           String sorter tree
sorter.add("Bob");
sorter.add("Amy");
sorter.add("Carl");
for (String s : sorter) System.out.println(s);
```

# Concrete Collections: TreeSet

```
package treeSet;

import java.util.*;

/**
 * This program sorts a set of Item objects by comparing their descriptions.
 * @version 1.13 2018-04-10
 * @author Cay Horstmann
 */
public class TreeSetTest
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        var parts = new TreeSet<Item>();
        parts.add(new Item("Toaster", 1234));
        parts.add(new Item("Widget", 4562));
        parts.add(new Item("Modem", 9912));
        System.out.println(parts);

        var sortByDescription = new TreeSet<Item>(Comparator.comparing(Item::getDescription));

        sortByDescription.addAll(parts);
        System.out.println(sortByDescription);
    }
}
```

```
public class Item implements Comparable<Item>
{
    private String description;
    private int partNumber;

    /**
     * Constructs an item.
     * @param aDescription the item's description
     * @param aPartNumber the item's part number
     */
    public Item(String aDescription, int aPartNumber)
    {
        description = aDescription;
        partNumber = aPartNumber;
    }

    /**
     * Gets the description of this item.
     * @return the description
     */
    public String getDescription()
    {
        return description;
    }

    public String toString()
    {
        return "[description=" + description + ", partNumber=" + partNumber + "]";
    }

    public boolean equals(Object otherObject)
    {
        if (this == otherObject) return true;
        if (otherObject == null) return false;
        if (getClass() != otherObject.getClass()) return false;
        var other = (Item) otherObject;
        return Objects.equals(description, other.description) && partNumber == other.partNumber;
    }

    public int hashCode()
    {
        return Objects.hash(description, partNumber);
    }

    public int compareTo(Item other)
    {
        int diff = Integer.compare(partNumber, other.partNumber);
        return diff != 0 ? diff : description.compareTo(other.description);
    }
}
```

# Concrete Collections: PQs

*Similar to TreeSet. Insert in arbitrary order, remove the smallest first - much like ‘heap’ data structure.*

```
package priorityQueue;

import java.util.*;
import java.time.*;

/**
 * This program demonstrates the use of a priority queue.
 * @version 1.02 2015-06-20
 * @author Cay Horstmann
 */
```

```
public class PriorityQueueTest
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        var pq = new PriorityQueue<LocalDate>();
        pq.add(LocalDate.of(1906, 12, 9)); // G. Hopper
        pq.add(LocalDate.of(1815, 12, 10)); // A. Lovelace
        pq.add(LocalDate.of(1903, 12, 3)); // J. von Neumann
        pq.add(LocalDate.of(1910, 6, 22)); // K. Zuse

        System.out.println("Iterating over elements . . .");
        for (LocalDate date : pq)
            System.out.println(date);
        System.out.println("Removing elements . . .");
        while (!pq.isEmpty())
            System.out.println(pq.remove());
    }
}
```

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# Maps

- Stores unique key/value pairs.
- Maps from the key to the value.
- Keys are unique.
  - a single key only appears once in the Map.
  - a key can map to only one value.
  - Values do not have to be unique.
- `HashMap<K, V>`: Keeps a map of elements in a hash table; elements randomly ordered
- `TreeMap<K, V>`: Keep a set of elements in a red-black ordered search tree.

# HashMap examples

```
import java.util.HashMap;

public class Main {
    public static void main(String[] args) {

        HashMap<String, Integer> namesRollNos = new HashMap<String,
Integer>();
        namesRollNos.put("Alice", new Integer(100));
        namesRollNos.put("Bob", new Integer (101));
        namesRollNos.put("Charlie", new Integer(102));
        System.out.println(namesRollNos);
        System.out.println(namesRollNos.get("Charlie"));
    }
}
```

# HashMap examples

void	<code>clear()</code>	Removes all of the mappings from this map.
<code>Object</code>	<code>clone()</code>	Returns a shallow copy of this <code>HashMap</code> instance: the keys and values themselves are not cloned.
boolean	<code>containsKey(Object key)</code>	Returns true if this map contains a mapping for the specified key.
boolean	<code>containsValue(Object value)</code>	Returns true if this map maps one or more keys to the specified value.
<code>Set&lt;Map.Entry&lt;K,V&gt;&gt;</code>	<code>entrySet()</code>	Returns a <code>Set</code> view of the mappings contained in this map.
<code>V</code>	<code>get(Object key)</code>	Returns the value to which the specified key is mapped, or <code>null</code> if this map contains no mapping for the key.
boolean	<code>isEmpty()</code>	Returns true if this map contains no key-value mappings.
<code>Set&lt;K&gt;</code>	<code>keySet()</code>	Returns a <code>Set</code> view of the keys contained in this map.
<code>V</code>	<code>put(K key, V value)</code>	Associates the specified value with the specified key in this map.
void	<code>putAll(Map&lt;? extends K,? extends V&gt; m)</code>	Copies all of the mappings from the specified map to this map.
<code>V</code>	<code>remove(Object key)</code>	Removes the mapping for the specified key from this map if present.
int	<code>size()</code>	Returns the number of key-value mappings in this map.
<code>Collection&lt;V&gt;</code>	<code>values()</code>	Returns a <code>Collection</code> view of the values contained in this map.

# TreeMap

```
public class TreeMap<K,V> extends AbstractMap<K,V> implements NavigableMap<K,V>, Cloneable, Serializable
```

RB Tree sorted according to the natural ordering of the keys or by the Comparator provided at the map creation time.

$\log(n)$  time insertion and searching

# TreeMap Example

```
import java.util.TreeMap;

public class Main {
    public static void main(String[] args) {

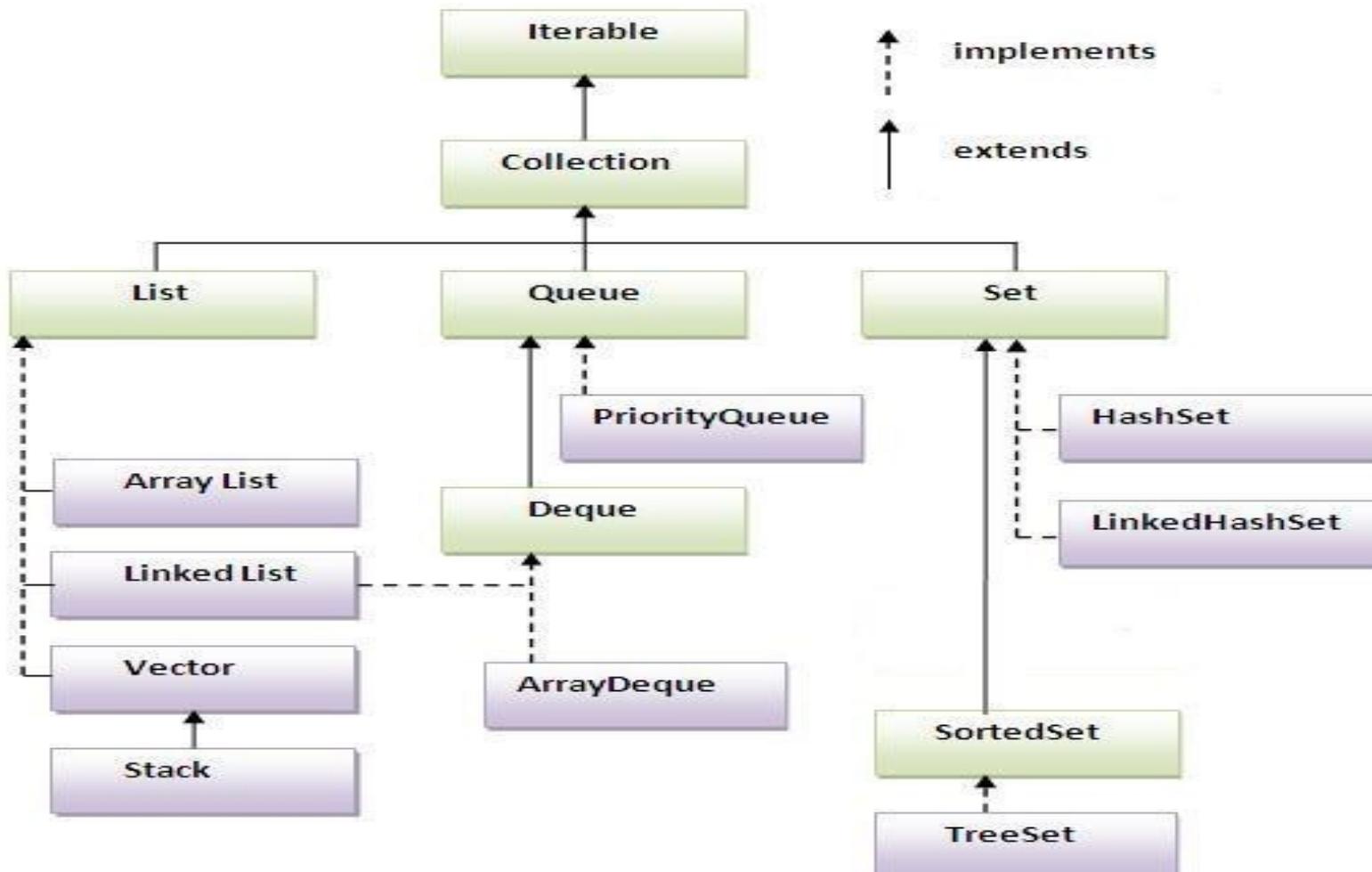
        TreeMap<String, Integer> namesRollNos = new TreeMap<>();
        namesRollNos.put("Charlie", new Integer(102));
        namesRollNos.put("Alice", new Integer(100));
        namesRollNos.put("Bob", new Integer(101));

        System.out.println(namesRollNos);
    }
}
```

*Output:*

{Alice=100, Bob=101, Charlie=102}

# Collection Hierarchy



# Collection Interfaces

- *Interfaces for building complex data structures.*
- *Minimal number of own method declarations.*
- *Operations like add(), remove(), iterator() [To traverse complex data structures].*
- *Can be used for any form of complex data structures.*

# Collection and Interfaces

```
public interface Queue<E> // a simplified form of the interface in the standard library
{
    void add(E element);
    E remove();
    int size();
}
```



```
public class CircularArrayQueue<E> implements Queue<E>
{
    private int head;
    private int tail;

    CircularArrayQueue(int capacity) { . . . }
    public void add(E element) { . . . }
    public E remove() { . . . }
    public int size() { . . . }
    private E[] elements;
}
```

```
public class LinkedListQueue<E> implements Queue<E>
{
    private Link head;
    private Link tail;

    LinkedListQueue() { . . . }
    public void add(E element) { . . . }
    public E remove() { . . . }
    public int size() { . . . }
}
```

```
Queue<Customer> expressLane = new CircularArrayQueue<>(100);
expressLane.add(new Customer("Harry"));
```

```
Queue<Customer> expressLane = new LinkedListQueue<>();
expressLane.add(new Customer("Harry"));
```

# Collection

```
public interface Collection<E>
{
    boolean add(E element);
    Iterator<E> iterator();
    ...
}
```

# Iterators

```
public interface Iterator<E>
{
    E next();
    boolean hasNext();
    void remove();
    default void forEachRemaining(Consumer<? super E> action);
}
```

```
Collection<String> c = . . .;
Iterator<String> iter = c.iterator();
while (iter.hasNext())
{
    String element = iter.next();
    do something with element
}
```

# Iterators - forEach() / forEachRemaining - Lambda functions

```
iterator.forEachRemaining(element -> do something with element);
```

- General Lambda functions/expressions:
- Single-line code snippets that can be used as without a function name - only behaviour.

```
class LengthComparator implements Comparator<String>
{
    public int compare(String first, String second)
    {
        return first.length() - second.length();
    }
}
```



```
(String first, String second) ->
{
    if (first.length() < second.length()) return -1;
    else if (first.length() > second.length()) return 1;
    else return 0;
}
```

# More on Lambda functions/expressions.

```
() -> { for (int i = 100; i >= 0; i--) System.out.println(i); }
```

- *Parameterless lambda function*

```
ActionListener listener = event ->  
    System.out.println("The time is "  
        + Instant.ofEpochMilli(event.getWhen()));  
    // instead of (event) -> . . . or (ActionEvent event) -> . . .
```

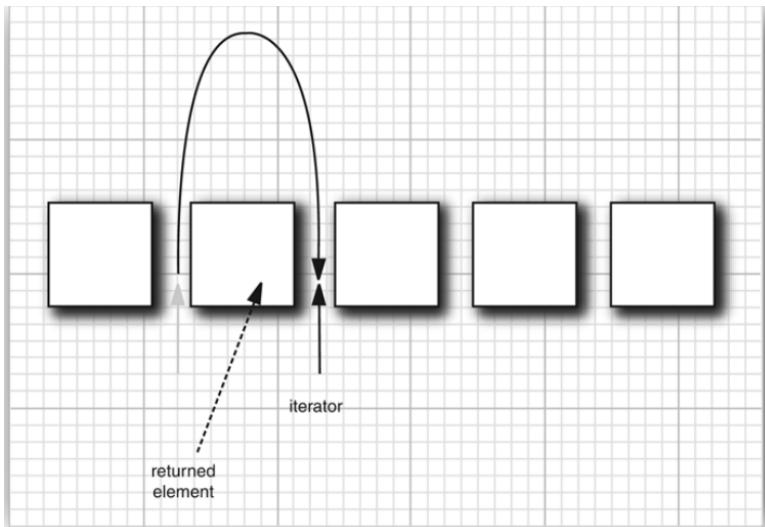
- *Single parameter lambda function*

# More on Lambda functions/expressions.

```
1 package lambda;
2
3 import java.util.*;
4
5 import javax.swing.*;
6 import javax.swing.Timer;
7
8 /**
9  * This program demonstrates the use of lambda expressions.
10 * @version 1.0 2015-05-12
11 * @author Cay Horstmann
12 */
13 public class LambdaTest
14 {
15     public static void main(String[] args)
16     {
17         var planets = new String[] { "Mercury", "Venus", "Earth", "Mars",
18             "Jupiter", "Saturn", "Uranus", "Neptune" };
19         System.out.println(Arrays.toString(planets));
20         System.out.println("Sorted in dictionary order:");
21         Arrays.sort(planets);
22         System.out.println(Arrays.toString(planets));
23         System.out.println("Sorted by length:");
24         Arrays.sort(planets, (first, second) -> first.length() - second.length());
25         System.out.println(Arrays.toString(planets));
26
27         var timer = new Timer(1000, event ->
28             System.out.println("The time is " + new Date()));
29         timer.start();
30
31         // keep program running until user selects "OK"
32         JOptionPane.showMessageDialog(null, "Quit program?");
33         System.exit(0);
34     }
35 }
```

# Back to Iterators

- Overall semantics - Iterators are “in-between” elements.
- *Iterator.jump()* -- Jump past the next element and return the value that you jumped passed.
- *Iterator.remove()* -- Remove the element that you just jumped passed.



```
Iterator<String> it = c.iterator();
it.next(); // skip over the first element
it.remove(); // now remove it
```

```
it.remove();
it.remove(); // ERROR
```

```
it.remove();
it.next();
it.remove(); // OK
```

Remove  
consecutive  
elements.