

# Generic Collections

## Lecture 12

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# Introduction



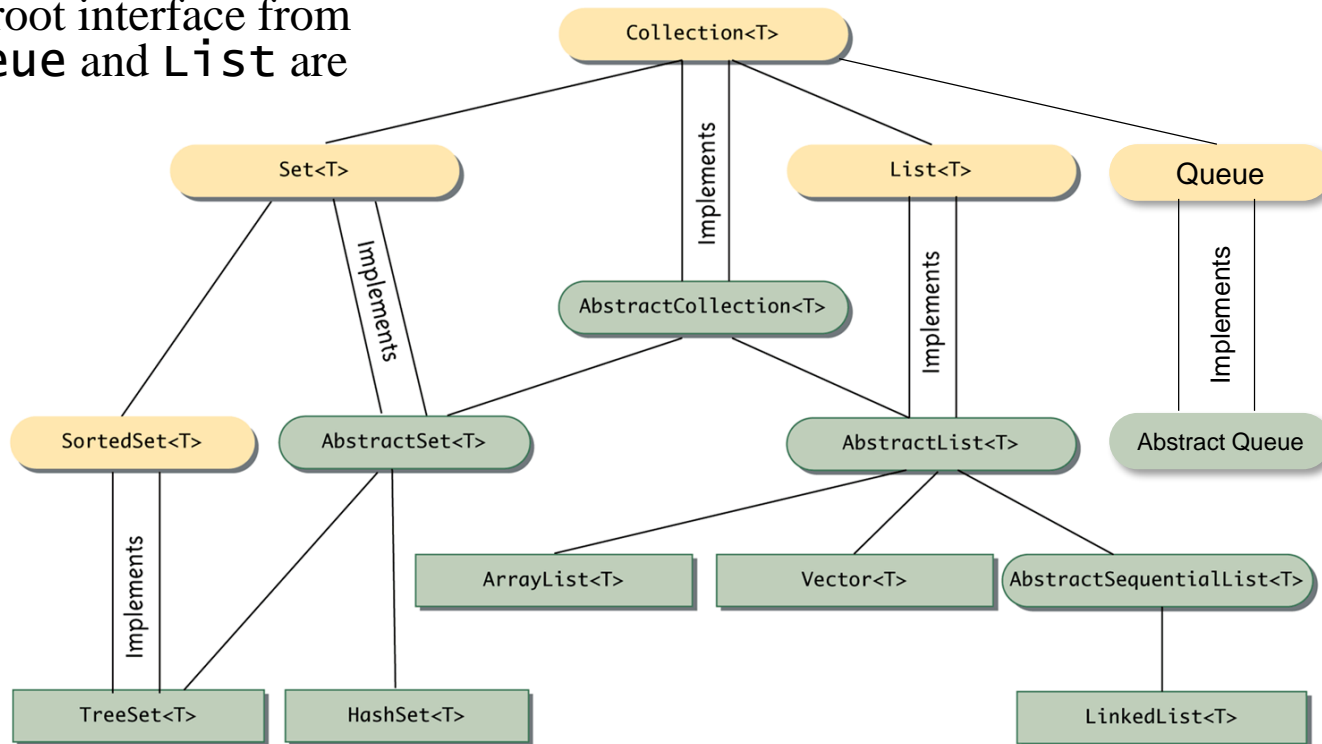
- A **collection** is a data structure—actually, an **object**—that can hold references to **other objects**.
  - Usually, collections contain references to objects that are all of the same type.
- Java **collection** belongs to the **collections framework**
  - prebuilt data structures
  - interfaces and methods for manipulating those data structures
- Package `java.util`.

# The collections framework



Interface **Collection** is the root interface from which interfaces **Set**, **Queue** and **List** are derived.

Interface **Set** defines a collection that does not contain duplicates.  
Interface **Queue** defines a collection that represents a waiting line.



Interface

Abstract Class

Concrete Class

*A single line between two boxes means the lower class or interface is derived from (extends) the higher one.*

*T is a type parameter for the type of the elements stored in the collection.*

# Wrapper Classes



- Can we convert the primitive data types into Objects?

YES

- Primitive data types have corresponding classes called "**wrapper classes**" which provide **object versions** of primitive data.
- Wrapper classes are used in situations where an object is required rather than primitive data values.
- Example:

Primitive Type	Wrapper Class
byte	Byte
boolean	Boolean
char	Character
double	Double
float	Float
int	Integer
long	Long
short	Short

The table lists the primitive data types and their corresponding wrappers.

# Autoboxing and Auto-Unboxing



- A **boxing conversion** converts a value of a primitive type to an object of the corresponding type-wrapper class.
- An **unboxing conversion** converts an object of a type-wrapper class to a value of the corresponding primitive type.
- These conversions can be performed automatically (called **autoboxing** and **auto-unboxing**).
- Example:

```
// create integerArray  
Integer[] integerArray = new Integer[ 5 ];
```

```
// assign Integer 10 to integerArray[ 0 ]  
integerArray[ 0 ] = 10;
```

```
// get int value of Integer  
int value = integerArray[ 0 ];
```



- A `List` (sometimes called a *sequence*) is a `Collection` that *can contain duplicate elements*.
- `List` indices are *zero* based.
- In addition to the methods inherited from `Collection`, `List` provides methods for manipulating elements via their indices, manipulating a specified range of elements, searching for elements and obtaining a `ListIterator` to access the elements.
- Interface `List` is implemented by several classes, including `ArrayList`, `LinkedList` and `Vector`.
- Autoboxing occurs when you add primitive-type values to objects of these classes, because they store only references to objects.

# Lists Cont.



- Class `ArrayList` and `Vector` are resizable-array implementations of `List`.
- Inserting an element between existing elements of an `ArrayList` or `Vector` is an inefficient operation.
- A `LinkedList` enables efficient insertion (or removal) of elements in the middle of a collection.
- The primary difference between `ArrayList` and `Vector` is that `Vectors` are synchronized by default, whereas `ArrayLists` are not.
- Unsynchronized collections provide better performance than synchronized ones.
- For this reason, `ArrayList` is typically preferred over `Vector` in programs that do not share a collection among threads.



# ArrayList and Iterator



- List method **add** adds an item to the end of a list.
- List method **size** returns the number of elements.
- List method **get** retrieves an individual element's value from the specified index.
- Collection method **iterator** gets an **Iterator** for a **Collection**.
- Iterator- method **hasNext** determines whether a **Collection** contains more elements.
  - Returns **true** if another element exists and **false** otherwise.
- Iterator method **next** obtains a reference to the next element.
- Collection method **contains** determine whether a **Collection** contains a specified element.
- Iterator method **remove** removes the current element from a **Collection**.

# ArrayList Example

```
import java.util.List;
import java.util.ArrayList;
import java.util.Collection;
import java.util.Iterator;

public class CollectionTest
{
    public static void main( String[] args )
    {
        // add elements in colors array to list
        String[] colors = { "MAGENTA", "RED", "WHITE", "BLUE", "CYAN" };
        List< String > list = new ArrayList< String >();

        for ( String color : colors )
            list.add( color ); // adds color to end of list
        // output list contents
        System.out.println( "ArrayList: " );

        for ( int count = 0; count < list.size(); count++ )
            System.out.printf( "%s ", list.get( count ) );

        } // end main
    }
```

## Output

```
ArrayList:
MAGENTA RED WHITE
BLUE CYAN
```

# Iterator



- Sometimes you will want to cycle through the elements in a collection. For example, you might want to display each element in an ArrayList.
- The easiest way to do this is to employ an iterator, which is an object that implements either the **Iterator** or the **ListIterator** interface.
- An **Iterator** is an object that enables you to traverse through a collection and to remove elements from the collection selectively, if desired.

```
public interface Iterator<E> {  
    boolean hasNext();  
    E next();  
    void remove(); //optional  
}
```

# Iterator with ArrayList Example

```
public class IteratorTest {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // add elements in colors array to list
        String[] colors = { "MAGENTA", "RED", "WHITE", "BLUE",
            "CYAN" };
        List<String> list = new ArrayList<String>();

        for (String color : colors)
            list.add(color); // adds color to end of list

        // Modify objects being iterated
        System.out.print("Modifying the contents of list ...\n ");
        ListIterator litr = list.listIterator();
        while (litr.hasNext()) {
            Object element = litr.next();
            litr.set(element + "+");
        }

        // Now, display the list backwards
        Iterator itr = list.iterator();
        System.out.print("Modified list: ");
        while (itr.hasNext()) {
            Object element = itr.next();
            System.out.print(element + " ");
        }
    }
}
```

```
// Now, display the list backward
System.out.print("\n Modified list
backwards: ");
while (litr.hasPrevious()) {
    Object element = litr.previous();
    System.out.print(element + " ");
}
System.out.println("\n");
}
```

## Output

```
Modifying the contents of list ...

Modified list: MAGENTA+ RED+ WHITE+ BLUE+
CYAN+

Modified list backwards: CYAN+ BLUE+
WHITE+ RED+ MAGENTA+
```

# Iterator with LinkedList Example

```
public class ListTest
{
    public static void main( String[] args )
    {
        // add colors elements to list1
        String[] colors = { "black", "yellow", "green", "blue",
"violet", "silver" };
        List< String > list1 = new LinkedList< String >();

        for ( String color : colors )
            list1.add( color );

        // add colors2 elements to list2
        String[] colors2 = { "gold", "white", "brown", "blue",
"gray", "silver" };
        List< String > list2 = new LinkedList< String >();

        for ( String color : colors2 )
            list2.add( color );

        list1.addAll( list2 ); // concatenate lists
        list2 = null; // release resources
        printList( list1 ); // print list1 elements

        convertToUppercaseStrings( list1 ); // convert to
        uppercase
        printList( list1 ); // print list1 elements

        System.out.print( "\nDeleting elements 4 to 6..." );
        removeItems( list1, 4, 7 ); // remove items 4-6 from list
        printList( list1 ); // print list1 elements
        // output List contents
        private static void printList( List< String > list )
        {
            System.out.println( "\nlist: " );

            for ( String color : list )
                System.out.printf( "%s ", color );
```

```
System.out.println();
        } // end method printList
    } // end main
    // locate String objects and convert to uppercase
    private static void convertToUppercaseStrings( List< String >
list )
    {
        ListIterator< String > iterator = list.listIterator();

        while ( iterator.hasNext() )
        {
            String color = iterator.next(); // get item
            iterator.set( color.toUpperCase() );
            // convert to upper case
        } // end while
    } // end method convertToUppercaseStrings

    // obtain sublist and use clear method to delete sublist
    items
    private static void removeItems( List< String > list, int
start, int end )
    {
        list.subList( start, end ).clear(); // remove items
    } // end method removeItems
```

## Output

```
list:
black yellow green blue violet silver gold white brown blue gray
silver
list:
BLACK YELLOW GREEN BLUE VIOLET SILVER GOLD WHITE BROWN BLUE GRAY
SILVER
Deleting elements 4 to 6...
list:
BLACK YELLOW GREEN BLUE WHITE BROWN BLUE GRAY SILVER
```

# Collections framework Algorithms



- The collections framework also provides polymorphic versions of algorithms you can run on collections.
  - **Sorting:** sorts the elements of a `List`
  - **Shuffling:** randomly orders a `List`'s elements.
  - **Routine Data Manipulation**
    - **Reverse**
    - **Copy:** takes two arguments—a destination `List` and a source `List`
    - **Fill:** overwrites elements in a `List` with a specified value
  - **Searching**
    - **Binary Search:** locates an object in a `List` and returns the index
  - **Composition**
    - **Frequency:** returns the number of times that the second argument appears in the collection
    - **Disjoint:** takes two `Collections` and returns `true` if they have no elements in common
  - **Finding extreme values**
    - **Min:** returns the smallest element in a `Collection`
    - **Max:** returns the largest element in a `Collection`

# Collections framework Algorithms

```
public static void main( String[] args )
{
    String[] suits = { "Hearts", "Diamonds", "Clubs", "Spades" };

    // Create and display a list containing the suits array elements
    List< String > list = Arrays.asList( suits ); // create List
    System.out.printf( "Unsorted array elements: %s\n", list );
    Collections.sort( list ); // sort ArrayList
    // output list
    System.out.printf( "Sorted array elements: %s\n", list );
    Collections.shuffle(list);
    System.out.printf( "Shuffle array elements: %s\n", list );
    String[] suitsCopy = new String [4];
    List< String > listCopy = Arrays.asList(suitsCopy);
    Collections.copy(listCopy, list);
    System.out.printf( "List Copy elements: %s\n", listCopy );

    List< String > listFill = Arrays.asList(suitsCopy);
    Collections.fill(listFill, "R");
    System.out.printf( "List Fill elements: %s\n", listFill );

    int index = Collections.binarySearch(list, "Spades");
    System.out.printf( "Element Spades exists in the List at index: %d\n", index );

    int frequency = Collections.frequency(listFill, "R");
    System.out.printf( "the repetition of R in the listFill is: %d\n", frequency );

    boolean disjoint = Collections.disjoint(list, listFill);
    System.out.printf( "The disjoint of list and listFill is %b\n", disjoint );

} // end main
} // end class
```

## Output

Unsorted array elements: [Hearts, Diamonds, Clubs, Spades]

Sorted array elements: [Clubs, Diamonds, Hearts, Spades]

Shuffle array elements: [Clubs, Hearts, Diamonds, Spades]

List Copy elements: [Clubs, Hearts, Diamonds, Spades]

List Fill elements: [R, R, R, R]

Element Spades exists in the List at index: 3

the repetition of R in the listFill is: 4

The disjoint of list and listFill is true

# Stack Class of Package java.util



- Class **Stack** in the Java utilities package (`java.util`) extends class **Vector** to implement a stack data structure.
- **Stack** method **push** adds a **Number** object to the top of the stack.
- Any integer literal that has the **suffix L** is a **long** value.
- An integer literal without a suffix is an **int** value.
- Any floating-point literal that has the **suffix F** is a **float** value.
- A floating-point literal without a suffix is a **double** value.
- **Stack method pop** removes the top element of the stack.
  - If there are no elements in the **Stack**, method **pop** throws an **EmptyStackException**, which terminates the loop.
- **Method peek** returns the top element of the stack without popping the element off the stack.
- **Method isEmpty** determines whether the stack is empty.



# Stack Example

```
public class StackTest
{
    public static void main( String[] args )
    {
        Stack< Number > stack = new Stack< Number >(); //
        create a Stack

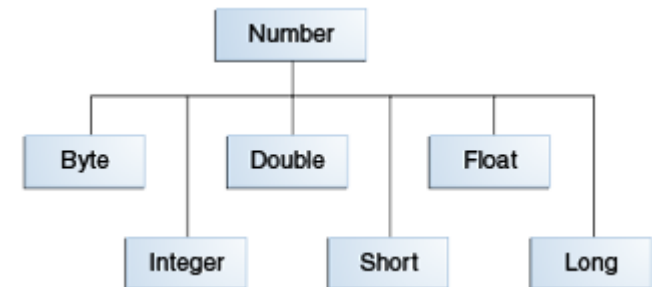
        // use push method
        stack.push( 12L ); // push long value 12L
        System.out.println( "Pushed 12L" );
        printStack( stack );
        stack.push( 34567 ); // push int value 34567
        System.out.println( "Pushed 34567" );
        printStack( stack );
        stack.push( 1.0F ); // push float value 1.0F
        System.out.println( "Pushed 1.0F" );
        printStack( stack );
        stack.push( 1234.5678 ); // push double value
        1234.5678
        System.out.println( "Pushed 1234.5678 " );
        printStack( stack );

        // remove items from stack
        try
        {
            Number removedObject = null;

            // pop elements from stack
            while ( true )
            {
                removedObject = stack.pop(); // use pop method
                System.out.printf( "Popped %s\n", removedObject
            );
        }
```

```
        printStack( stack );
    } // end while
} // end try
catch ( EmptyStackException emptyStackException )
{
    emptyStackException.printStackTrace();
} // end catch
} // end main

// display Stack contents
private static void printStack( Stack< Number > stack )
{
    if ( stack.isEmpty() )
        System.out.println( "stack is empty\n" ); // the
        stack is empty
    else // stack is not empty
        System.out.printf( "stack contains: %s (top)\n",
        stack );
    } // end method printStack
} // end class StackTest
```



# Stack Example: Output

## Output

```
Pushed 12L
stack contains: [12] (top)
Pushed 34567
stack contains: [12, 34567] (top)
Pushed 1.0F
stack contains: [12, 34567, 1.0] (top)
Pushed 1234.5678
stack contains: [12, 34567, 1.0, 1234.5678] (top)
Popped 1234.5678
stack contains: [12, 34567, 1.0] (top)
Popped 1.0
stack contains: [12, 34567] (top)
Popped 34567
stack contains: [12] (top)
Popped 12
stack is empty
```

```
java.util.EmptyStackException
at java.util.Stack.peek(Unknown Source)
at java.util.Stack.pop(Unknown Source)
at StackTest.main(StackTest.java:34)
```

# Class PriorityQueue and Interface Queue



- Interface **Queue** extends interface **Collection** and provides additional operations for inserting, removing and inspecting elements in a queue.
- **PriorityQueue** orders elements by their natural ordering.
  - Elements are inserted in priority order such that the highest-priority element (i.e., the largest value) will be the first element removed from the **PriorityQueue**.
- Common **PriorityQueue** operations are
  - **offer** to insert an element at the appropriate location based on priority order
  - **poll** to remove the highest-priority element of the priority queue
  - **peek** to get a reference to the highest-priority element of the priority queue
  - **clear** to remove all elements in the priority queue
  - **size** to get the number of elements in the queue.

# PriorityQueue Example

```
public class PriorityQueueTest
{
    public static void main( String[] args
    )
    {
        // queue of capacity 11
        PriorityQueue< Double > queue = new
        PriorityQueue< Double >();

        // insert elements to queue
        queue.offer( 3.2 );
        queue.offer( 9.8 );
        queue.offer( 5.4 );
        queue.offer( 5.4 );
        queue.offer( 5.2 );
        System.out.print( "Polling from
queue: " );

        // display elements in queue
        while ( queue.size() > 0 )
        {
            System.out.printf( "%.1f ",
queue.peek() ); // view top element
            queue.poll(); // remove top
element
        } // end while
    } // end main
} // end class PriorityQueueTest
```

## Output

Polling from queue: 3.2 5.2 5.4  
5.4 9.8

# Collections



- Root Interface for the Collection: `java.util.Collection`
  - Methods: `binarySearch`, `copy`, `fill`, `indexOfSubList`, `lastIndexOfSubList`, `max`, `min`, `replaceAll`, `reverse`, `reverseOrder`, `rotate`, `shuffle`, `sort`
- Collection support in Java
  - List
    - `ArrayList`
    - `LinkedList`
    - `Vector`
  - Set
    - `HashSet`
    - `TreeSet`
  - Map
    - `HashMap`
    - `TreeMap`
  - Common methods:
    - `add`, `addAll`, `clear`, `clone`, `contains`, `get`, `indexOf`, `lastIndexOf`, `remove`, `removeRange`, `set`, `size`, `toArray`



# Cycle through the elements

- **Classic**

```
for (int i = 0; i < collection.length; i++) {  
    type array_element = collection.get(index);  
}
```

- **Iterator**

```
for (Iterator iterator = collection.iterator();  
     iterator.hasNext();) {  
    type type = (type) iterator.next();  
}
```

- **Simplify**

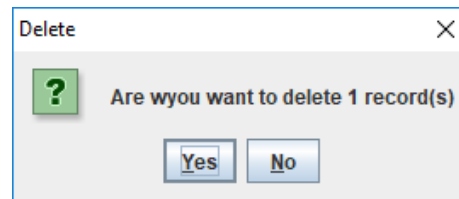
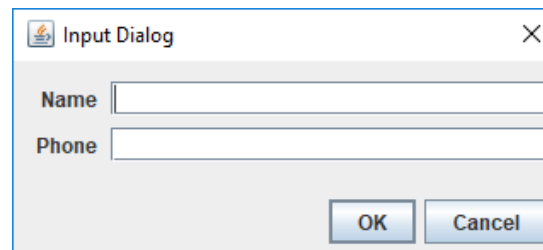
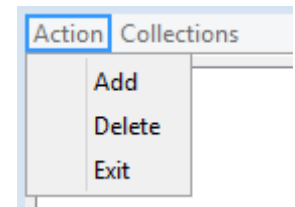
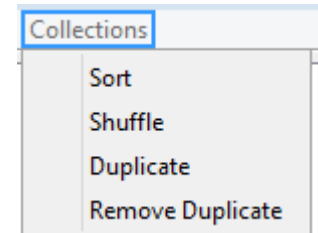
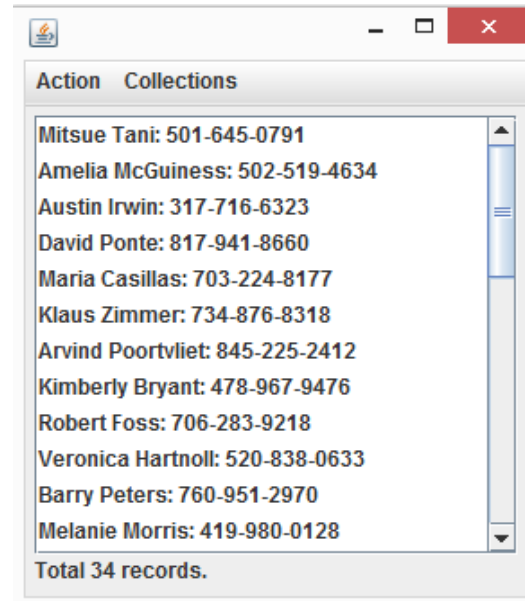
```
for (iterable_type iterable_element : collection) {  
  
}
```

PRACTICE



# Phonebook

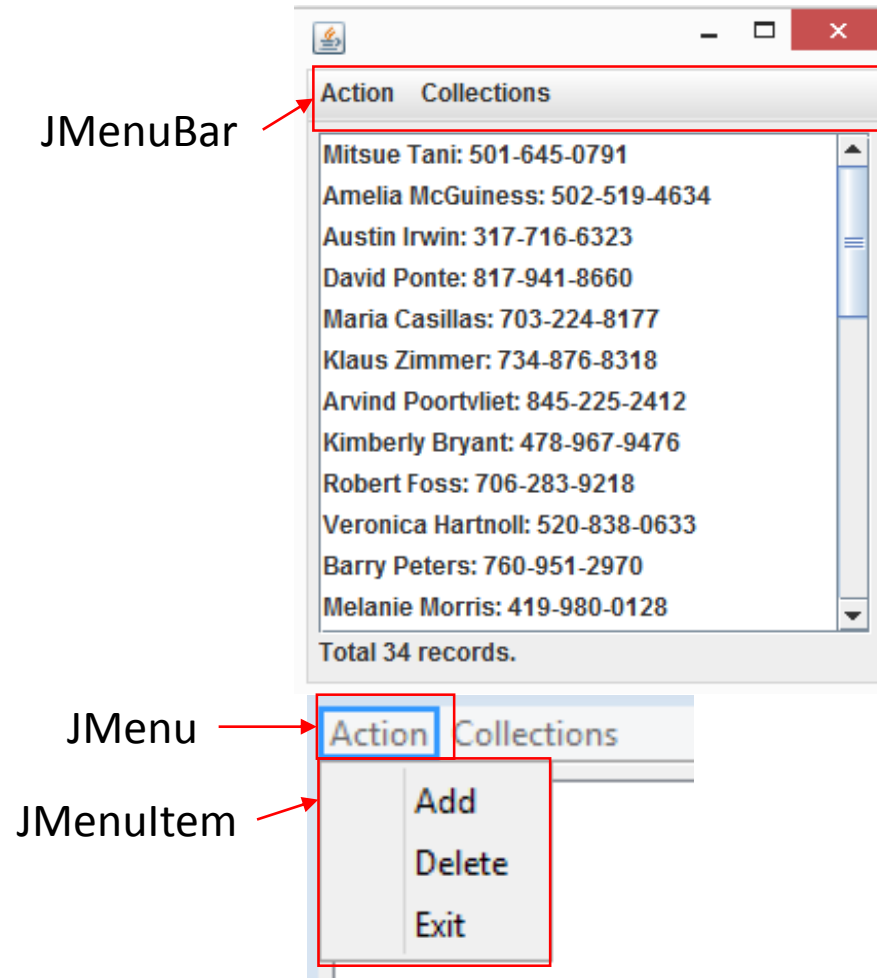
- Main GUI display all contact (names and the phone numbers)
- User can insert new contact or delete the contact in dialog.
- User can sort, shuffle, duplicate, ... the contact.





# Phonebook Frame

- Create a menu
  - JMenuBar
  - JMenu
  - JMenuItem



# Delete Dialog

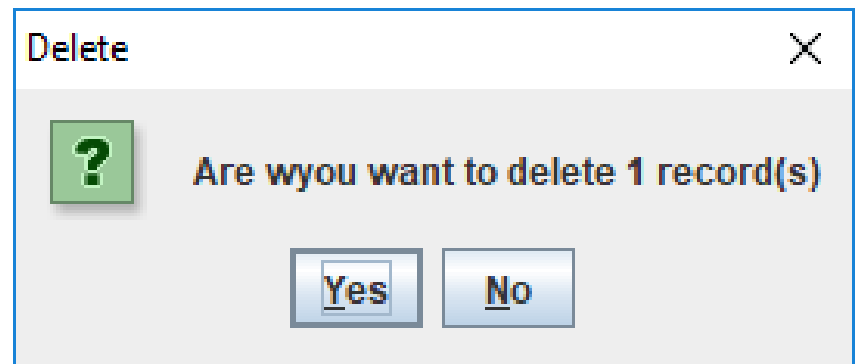
- JOptionPane has some dialog use can use

```
// Create the dialog to input number
```

```
int ret = JOptionPane.showConfirmDialog(frame,  
    "Are you want to delete",  
    "Delete item",  
    JOptionPane.YES_NO_OPTION);
```

```
// Check the return string and delete item in list
```

```
if (ret == JOptionPane.YES_OPTION) {  
    // Delete item  
}
```



# Dialog

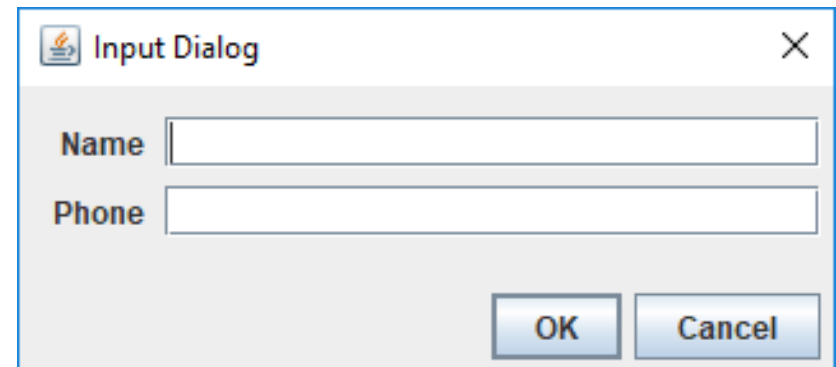


- Users can create thier own dialog

```
public class InputDialog extends JDialog{
    public InputDialog(JFrame parent) {
        // set parent frame and parent frame will be infocus
        super(parent,true);

        // some code here ...

        JButton okButton = new JButton("OK");
        okButton.addActionListener(new ActionListener() {
            public void actionPerformed(ActionEvent arg0) {
                name = txtName.getText();
                phone = txtPhone.getText();
                // close the dialog
                setVisible(false);
            }
        });
    }
    private String name;
    private String phone;
    public String getInputName(){
        return name;
    }
    public String getInputPhone(){
        return phone;
    }
}
```



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