**Delete all the elements from HashSet**

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Here we are gonna see how to remove all the elements of HashSet in one go. We can do so by calling clear() method of HashSet class.

**Example**

import java.util.HashSet;

class EmptyHashSetExample{

public static void main(String[] args) {

// Create a HashSet

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

//add elements to HashSet

hset.add("Element1");

hset.add("Element2");

hset.add("Element3");

hset.add("Element4");

hset.add("Element5");

// Display HashSet elements

System.out.println("Before: HashSet contains: "+ hset);

/\* public void clear(): It removes all the elements

\* from HashSet. The set becomes empty after this

\* method gets called.

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hset.clear();

// Display HashSet content again

System.out.println("After: HashSet contains: "+ hset);

}

}

**Output:**

Before: HashSet contains: [Element1, Element2, Element3, Element4, Element5]

After: HashSet contains: []