

TreeSet Methods Overview and Examples:

Method	Description	Notes	Example
<code>add(E e)</code>	Adds the specified element to the set if it's not already present.	Ensures no duplicates are added.	<code>treeSet.add("Apple");</code>
<code>remove(Object o)</code>	Removes the specified element from the set, if it exists.	Returns <code>true</code> if successful, <code>false</code> if not found.	<code>treeSet.remove("Apple");</code>
<code>contains(Object o)</code>	Checks if the set contains the specified element.	Useful for searching within the set.	<code>treeSet.contains("Apple");</code>
<code>first()</code>	Retrieves the first (lowest) element in the set.	Returns the smallest element according to the natural order or comparator.	<code>treeSet.first();</code>
<code>last()</code>	Retrieves the last (highest) element in the set.	Returns the largest element.	<code>treeSet.last();</code>
<code>ceiling(E e)</code>	Returns the least element greater than or equal to the given element, or <code>null</code> if none exists.	Can be used to find the closest element.	<code>treeSet.ceiling("Banana");</code>
<code>floor(E e)</code>	Returns the greatest element less than or equal to the given element, or <code>null</code> if none exists.	Finds the closest element below or equal.	<code>treeSet.floor("Banana");</code>
<code>higher(E e)</code>	Returns the least element strictly greater than the given element, or <code>null</code> if none exists.	Can be used to find the next greater element.	<code>treeSet.higher("Banana");</code>
<code>lower(E e)</code>	Returns the greatest element strictly less than the given element, or <code>null</code> if none exists.	Finds the closest element below.	<code>treeSet.lower("Banana");</code>
<code>pollFirst()</code>	Retrieves and removes the first (lowest) element, or returns <code>null</code> if the set is empty.	Removes the lowest element.	<code>treeSet.pollFirst();</code>

<code>pollLast()</code>	Retrieves and removes the last (highest) element, or returns <code>null</code> if the set is empty.	Removes the highest element.	<code>treeSet.pollLast();</code>
<code>subSet(E from, E to)</code>	Returns a view of the portion of this set within the specified range (<code>from</code> inclusive, <code>to</code> exclusive).	Allows viewing a range of elements.	<code>treeSet.subSet("Apple", "Mango");</code>
<code>headSet(E to)</code>	Returns a view of the portion of this set strictly less than the specified element.	Useful for range filtering.	<code>treeSet.headSet("Mango");</code>
<code>tailSet(E from)</code>	Returns a view of the portion of this set greater than or equal to the specified element.	Useful for range filtering.	<code>treeSet.tailSet("Banana");</code>
<code>descendingSet()</code>	Returns a view of the set in descending order. This is the reverse order of the <code>TreeSet</code> .	Iterates through the set in reverse order.	<code>treeSet.descendingSet();</code>