

Lab 2

Recursive LinkedListCollection

In this lab you will implement the `CollectionInterface` with a recursive linked-based solution. You will use `GenericTester.java` to test your solution.

1. Create a new Java Project in Eclipse called lab2.
2. You have been given 3 Java files, `CollectionInterface.java`, `Contact.java` and `GenericTester.java`. Put those 3 files in the `src` folder of your Eclipse workspace and refresh the project in Eclipse.
3. Implement the `CollectionInterface` given to you. Make sure to read the Javadoc comments above each abstract method to implement correctly. The class implementation should be called `RecursiveLinkedListCollection<T>`.
4. `RecursiveLinkedListCollection` should have 2 instance variables – a front node and an integer size.
5. The following methods **must** all use recursion in its implementation:
 - a. `add` – a recursive add method adds to the end of the list and returns an `LLNode<T>`. You must use the implementation taught in lecture.
`private LLNode<T> recAdd(LLNode<T> node, T info) {}`
 - b. `remove` – recursive method must return an `LLNode<T>`
`private LLNode<T> recAdd(LLNode<T> node, T info) {}`
 - c. `get`
 - d. `contains`
 - e. `size`
6. You must also implement a `toString` method in the `RecursiveLinkedListCollection` class. It does not have to use recursion. `toString` is used in the tester class.
7. Use the `GenericTester` class to test your implementation.
8. Submit `RecursiveLinkedListCollection.java` only.

Assumptions:

You will only be asked to remove elements that are already in the list.

Grading

90 points - Implementation

isFull, isEmpty and toString are worth 5 points each.

The recursive methods are worth 15 points each.

10 points

Your name: Add your name to the top of the .java file after the Javadoc annotation @author

Package: Do not put your code in a package. This makes it difficult for the TAs to grade your submission.

Readability: Make sure your code is indented and neatly commented. You can use `cntl a`, `cntl i` to have Eclipse automatically indent your code properly. Do not leave commented out code in your submission.

Compilation: If your code does not compile, you will receive a 0 on the lab. Once notified, you will have 3 days to fix the lab to receive partial credit, up to 75%.

Late Policy: There is a 3 point per late penalty. You do not need to ask for an extension. Late penalties are strictly enforced.