

Week 6

Assignments:

Program 2: is being graded

Program 3: available soon and due before 10pm on Thursday 3/14

Homework 5: available soon and due before 10pm on Monday 3/4

X-Team Exercise #2: due before 10pm on Thursday 2/28

X-Team Exercise #3: due before 10pm on Monday 3/4

MIDTERM EXAM

THURSDAY MARCH 7th, 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

- ☐ **Lecture 001 students:** Room 6210 of [Social Sciences](#) Building
- ☐ **Lecture 002 students:** Room B10 of [Ingraham Hall](#) Building
- ☐ **Lecture 004 students:** Room 125 of [Agriculture](#) Building
- **Bring**
 - UW ID

Note: if you do not have your UW ID, you will be asked to wait until after students with ID have been admitted
 - #2 Pencils
 - good eraser
- **At Exam:**
 - arrive early
 - get ID scanned
 - get scantron form
 - find seat directly behind another student
- **See posted exam information**

Read: Module 6 for this week and 7 for next week

THIS WEEK:

- Hashing
- Ideal Hashing
- Techniques for generating hash codes
- Handling `String` keys
- Handling `double` keys
- Choosing Table Size
- Resizing a hash table
- Collision Handling

NEXT WEEK:

- Graphs
- Exam Review
- Midterm Exam

Hashing

Goal:

Concept:

Terms:

key

hash function

hash index

hash table

table size (TS)

load factor (LF)

Java's **hashCode()** method

Ideal Hashing

Assume

- need to store 150 students records
- table is an array of student records
- null is sentinel value meaning that table element is unused
- key is the student's id number, and it is one of the following 5 digit integers

11000, 11001, 11002, ... 11048, 11049, ... 11148, 11149

→ What would be a good hash function to use on the ID number?

```
int hash(K key) {

}
```

Trivial Hash Function:

Perfect Hash Function:

```
void insert(K key, D data) {

D    lookup(K key)          {

void delete(K key)          {
```

The UW uses 10 digit ID numbers: 9012345789 9012345432 9023456789

→ Is a perfect hash function possible for these id numbers?

→ Would the last 3 digits of the ID work as above?

Collision:

Key Issues:

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Designing a Hash Function

Good Hash Functions:

1.

2.

3.

4.

Java's hashCode function:

What is it?

How can we use it?

Techniques for Generating Hash Codes

Integer Key 90123456789

$$123 * 11 + 456 * 121 + 789 * 1$$

Extraction

Weighting

Folding

Handling `String` Keys

Handling Double Keys

Choosing the Table Size

Table Size and Collisions

Assume 100 items with random keys in the range 0 – 9999 are being stored in a hash table. Also, assume the hash function is: $(\text{key} \% \text{table_size})$.

→ How likely would a collision occur if the table had room for 10000 elements? 1000? 100?

<i>ITEMS</i>	<i>T.S.</i>	<i>Expected # of collisions</i>	<i>L.F.</i>
100	10,000		
100	1,000		
100	100		
100	10		

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Table Size and Distribution

Now, assume 50 items are stored in a hash table.

Also assume the hashCode function returns multiples of some value x.

For example, if $x = 20$ then hashCode returns 20, 40, 60, 80, 100, ...

How likely would a collision occur if the table had 60 elements? 50? 37?

<i>N</i>	<i>TS</i>	<i># collisions</i>
50	60	
50	50	
50	37	

Resizing the Hash Table

Naïve Expand

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Rehashing

1.

2.

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Complexity

Collision Handling using Open Addressing

Open Addressing

Linear Probing

166
359
263

440		266	124	246			337			351
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Collision Handling using Open Addressing

Quadratic Probing

166
359
263

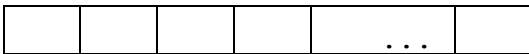
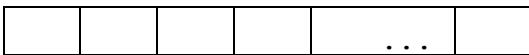
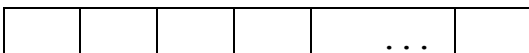
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Double Hashing

probe sequences assuming H_k is index 0:

Step size	Table size 10	Table size 11
2		
5		

Collision Handling using Buckets

*Buckets**Array Buckets**“Chained” Buckets**Tree Buckets*

Java API Support for Hashing

`hashCode` method

- method of `Object` class
- returns an `int`
- default hash code is BAD - computed from object's memory address

Guidelines for overriding `hashCode`:

`Hashtable<K, V>` and `HashMap<K, V>` class

- in `java.util` package
- implement `Map<K, V>` interface
 - `K` type parameter for the key
 - `V` type parameter for the value

operations:

- constructors allow you to set
 - initial capacity (default = 16 for `HashMap`, 11 for `Hashtable`)
 - load factor (default = 0.75)
- handles collisions with chained buckets
- `HashMap` only:
- `Hashtable` only:

TreeMap vs HashMap

	TreeMap	HashMap
Underlying d.s.		
Complexity of basic ops.		
Iterating over keys		
Complexity of iterating over values		