

I. STL (Standard Template Library) - C++

~ Three Components

- **Containers:** Objects to store data - vector, list, stack, queue, set, map, etc

- **Iterators:** "smart" pointers to access data in containers

- **Algorithms:** Function templates for operating on containers - sort, find, search, etc.

II. Containers

- Sequence Containers

- Vector, list, deque

- Associative Containers

- Set, Multiset, Map, Multimap, unordered_set, unordered_map, etc

- Container Adapters

- Use other containers to implement it

- Stack, Queue, Priority_queue

- Vector Container (C++)

- A Vector is a smart array
 - △ Can grow & shrink capacity while program is running

```
vector<string> names;  
names.push_back("Joe");
```

- ArrayList (Java)

- Java equivalent to vector

```
ArrayList<String> names = new ArrayList<>();  
names.add("Joe");
```

- Both Vector & ArrayList are implemented using a dynamic array

- List Container

- The list in STL is implemented as a doubly linked list



```
#include <list>
```

```
list<int> myList = {20, 30, 40, 50};
```

```
myList.push_front(10);
```

```
myList.push_back(60);
```


- Operations

- front(), back()

- push_front(), push_back()

- pop_front(), pop_back()

- empty(), insert(), erase()

- etc.

- **LinkedList (Java)**

- Equivalent of List in Java

- LinkedList<Integer> myList = new LinkedList<>();

- Iterator for List: How to Access Elements?

- In linked list you should have a pointer to the data in the next node

III. Iterators

C++

container<dataType>::iterator name;
auto name;

- An iterator is a "smart" pointer to access data in a container

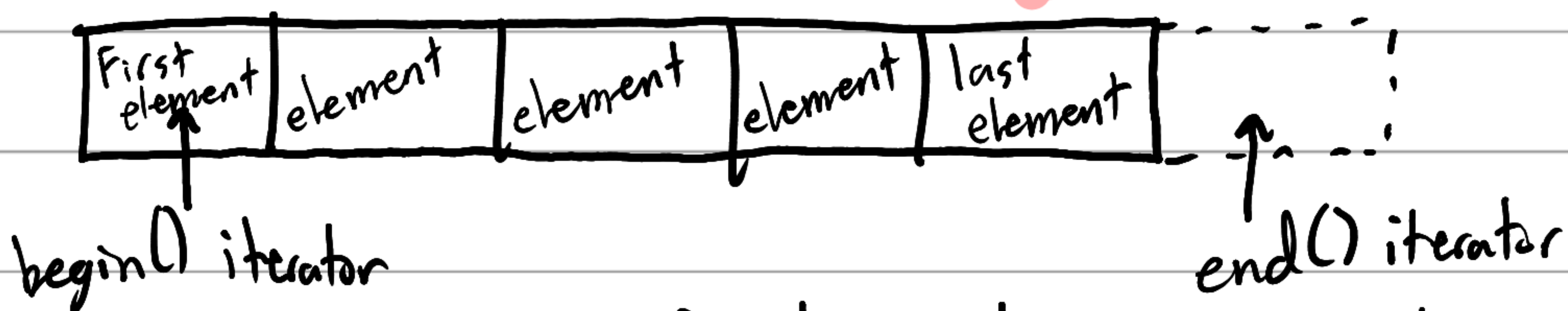
- Iterators are designed to provide uniform interface across different containers in STL

- Ex: "++" operator points to the next element in a vector/list

- Each container has its "own" iterator type
- `begin()` & `end()` functions for containers
- All containers provide `begin()` and `end()` member functions

```
Iterator<Integer> ptr = myList.iterator();
while (ptr.hasNext()) {
    ...
}
```

Java



- A `begin()` member function returns an iterator pointing to the container's first element
- An `end()` member function returns an iterator pointing to the position after the container's last element
 - Typically used to know when end of container reached

IV. STL Algorithms

- The STL provides several algorithms in the `<algorithm>` header file

The functions perform various operations on a range of elements

sort, search, min/max, shuffle, etc.

- Algorithm libraries

• `#include <algorithm>` (C++)

• `import java.util.Collections;` (Java)

V. Stacks in STL

- Important functions of a stack

• `push()` // add to stack

• `pop()` // remove from stack

• `top()` // top element of stack

`stack<int> s;`

`Stack<Integer> s = new Stack<>();`

`import java.util.Stack;`
`#include <stack>`

VI. Queues in STL

- Important functions of queue

• `push()` // add to back of queue

• `pop()` // remove next in queue

• `front()` // returns reference of first element in queue

• `back()` // returns reference of last element in queue

C++

`queue<string> q;`

Java

`Queue<String> q = new LinkedList<>();`

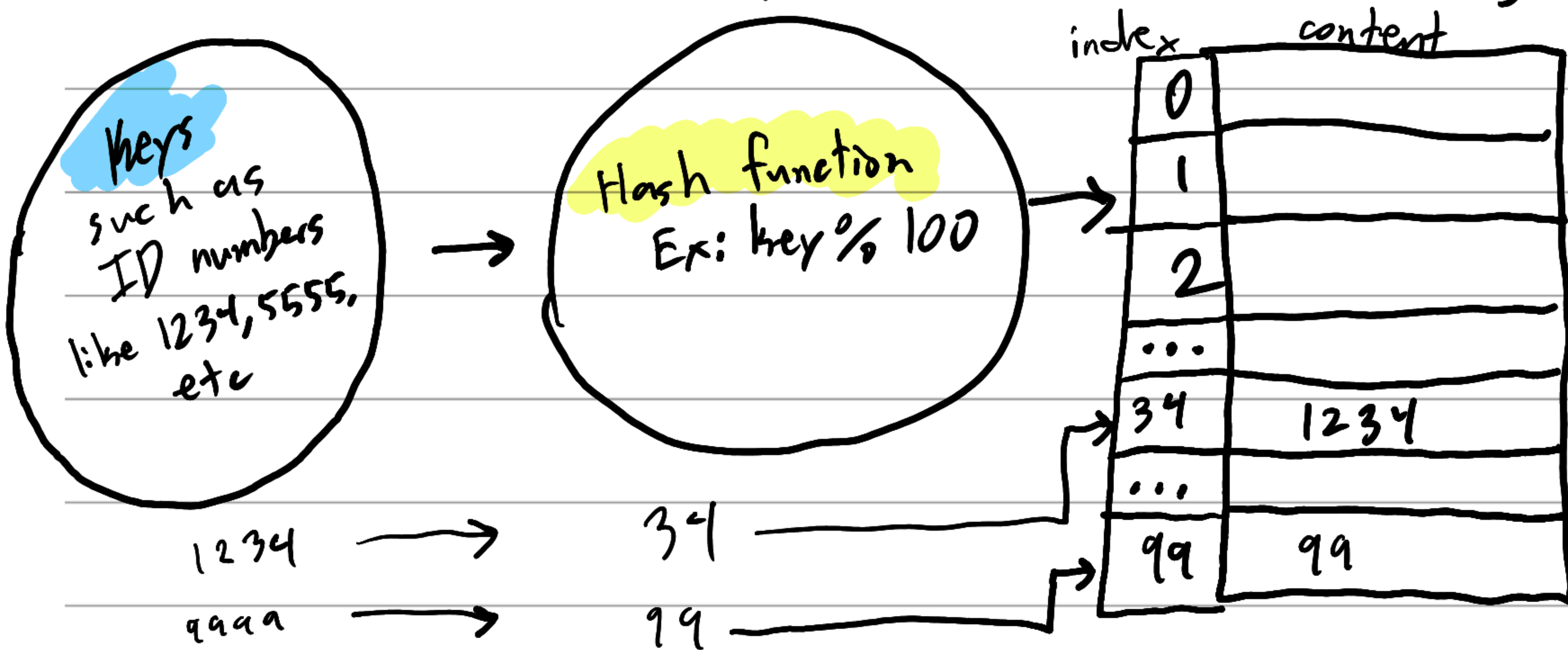
`import java.util.Queue;`
`#include <queue>`

VII. Set Container

- A set container stores elements without duplicates
 - Adding a duplicate element to set gets ignored
- Two Types of Set Containers
 - In C++ library, there are two types of set containers
 1. unordered_set
 - △ No order among elements
 - △ Implemented using hashing
 2. set
 - △ Automatically ordered when added or deleted
 - △ Implemented using Balanced BST
- The unordered_set Container
 - Similar to set container except in two regards
 - △ Values in unordered_set are not sorted
 - △ unordered_set class has better performance
 - Uses Hashing

set has
.erase()
method

VIII. Hash Table & Hash Function for Hashing



- Java Set Types: HashSet & TreeSet

• Two types of sets, like C++

• **TreeSet**: An ordered set → **set** in C++

• **HashSet**: An unordered set → **unordered set** in C++

IX. Map Container

- A **map** is an **associative container**

• An associative container holds **<key, value>** pairs

- Each element in a map has a key and its associated value

• You always retrieve a value that is associated w/ key

• Keys should be unique (=no duplicates)

- Key/Value Pairs

- Key: Student ID → Value: Student Records
- Key: Licence Plate # → Value: Vehicle Info
- Key: Zip Code → Value: City Name

II. Two types of map containers (C++)

1. unordered_map

- Keys are unordered
- Implemented using hashing

2. map

- Keys are ordered
- Implemented using balanced BST

- The pair Type

Internally, each element of a map is stored as an instance of the pair type

↳ pair is a struct that has two member variables, first & second

↳ An element's key stored in first, and the value stored in second

- insert() member function

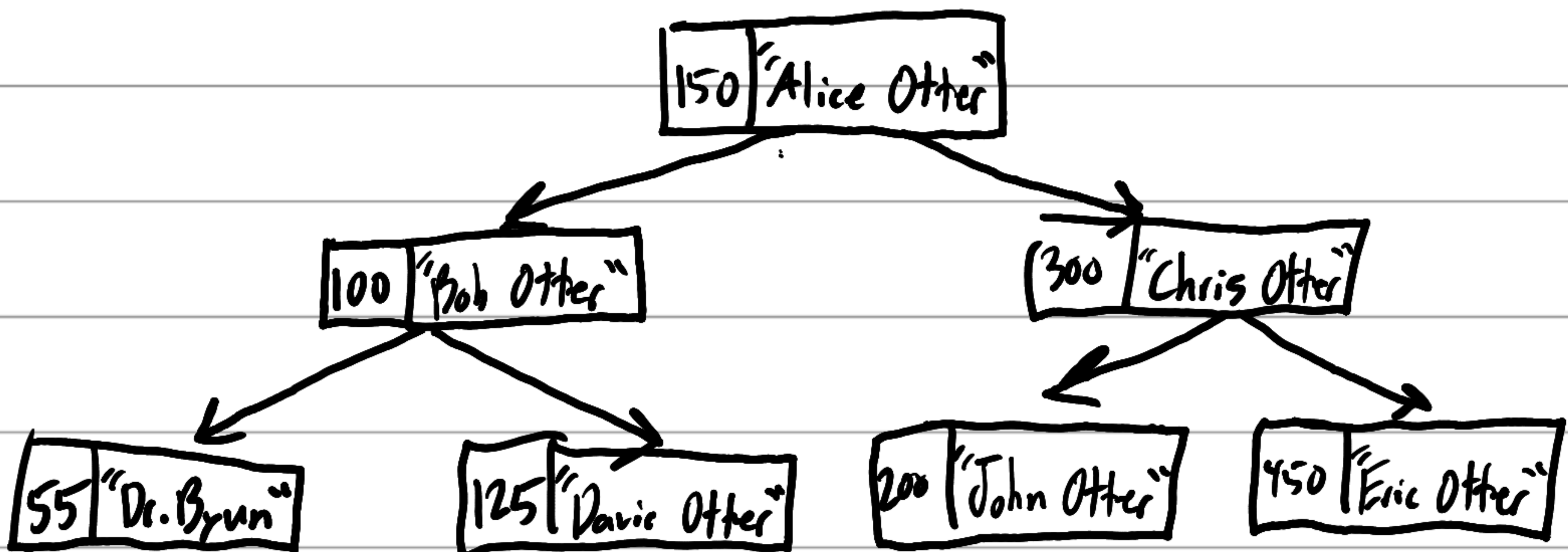
- Used to add a pair to a map
- You need the make_pair() function to construct a pair

```
map_name.insert(make_pair());
```

student.insert(make_pair(777, "Eric Otter"))

- Implementation of Map Container

- A map container is implemented using a balanced BST called a red-black tree



- The unordered_map Class

- Implemented using a hash table
- Similar to map except in two regards
 - 1 Keys are not sorted
 - 1 Better performance

III. Java Map Types: HashMap & TreeMap

- In Java, there are two types of maps

- **TreeMap**: An **ordered** map, like C++'s **map**

- **HashMap**: An **unordered** map, like C++'s **unordered_map**

IV. 2-D Arrays

- A 2D Array is a collection of elements organized in a matrix format

- Useful to represent a graph

- Ex: `int graph[4][4] = {`

`{0, 2, 3, 0},`

`{1, 0, 7, 5},`

`{0, 6, 0, 2},`

`{7, 0, 1, 0}`

`};`

`graph[0][2] = 3`

`graph[2][1] = 6`

- 2D Vectors

- Same thing but with vectors

`vector<vector<int>> graph = {...}`

-2D ArrayList in Java

//Declaration of 2D ArrayList

```
ArrayList<ArrayList<Integer>> graph = new ArrayList<>(n);
```

```
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
```

```
    graph.add(new ArrayList<>(m));
}
```

```
for (int i = 0; i < n; i++) {
```

```
    for (int j = 0; j < m; j++) {
```

```
        System.out.println("graph["+i+"]["+j+"]: ");
```

```
        int value = scanner.nextInt();
```

```
        graph.get(i).add(value);
    }
```

```
}
```

heading values from user