Tools API

Token

Source File: Tools.h Namespace: ds

Class Header: class Token: public Object

Overview

The <u>Token</u> class constructs a constant comparable string-integer pair with read-only access to the key and the ability to hide the key and temporarily alter the value.

Constructors

- Token() (default constructor)
 - Purpose: Creates a key-value pair whose key is the empty string and whose value is zero.
- Token(const Token& obj) (copy constructor)
 - Purpose: Constructs a deep copy of obj.
 - Parameter(s):
 - obj: Constant Token reference object.
- Token(string key, int value)
 - Purpose: Creates a key-value pair whose key is *key* and whose value is *value*.
 - Parameter(s):
 - \bullet key: The content of the key.
 - ullet value: The content of the value.

Destructor

- ~Token()
 - Purpose: Does nothing.

Assignment Operators

- operator=(const Token& rhs)
 - Purpose: Constructs a deep copy of rhs.
 - Parameter(s):
 - rhs: Constant Token reference object.
 - Return: *this.

Methods

- Hide(string value)
 - Purpose: Hides the key with *value* in the display of the object.
 - Parameter(s):
 - value: A cover for the key.
- Suspend(unsigned int value)
 - Purpose: Sets the numbers of consecutive comparisons that can use an alternative value of the value.
 - Parameter(s):
 - value: A count.
- Alter(int value)
 - Purpose: Assigns a temporary value to value.
 - Parameter(s):
 - \bullet value: A temporary value.
- IsHidden() const
 - Purpose: Checks if the key is hidden.
 - Return: True if the key is hidden; otherwise, false.

- Key() const
 - Purpose: Retrieves the key.
 - Return: The key.
- Reveal()
 - Purpose: Unhides the key.
- Restore()
 - Purpose: Restores the value.
- ToString() const override
 - Purpose: Provides a string representation of the key.
 - Return: The key if it is not hidden; otherwise, the cover of the key.

Non-Member Functions

- operator == (const Token& lhs,const Object& rhs)
 - Purpose: Checks if the values of *lhs* and *rhs* are equal.
 - Parameters:
 - lhs: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - *rhs*: Constant reference of an *Token* object.
 - Return: True if their values are equal; otherwise, false.
- operator!=(const Token& lhs,const Object& rhs)
 - Purpose: Checks if the values of *lhs* and *rhs* are different.
 - Parameters:
 - lhs: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - rhs: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - Return: True if their values are different; otherwise, false.
- operator<(const Token& lhs,const Object& rhs)
 - Purpose: Checks if the value of *lhs* is less than the value of *rhs*.
 - Parameters:
 - *lhs*: Constant reference of an *Token* object.
 - ullet rhs: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - **Return:** True if *lhs*'s values is less than *rhs*'s value; otherwise, false.
- operator>(const Token& lhs,const Object& rhs)
 - Purpose: Checks if the value of lhs is greater than the value of rhs.
 - Parameters:
 - lhs: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - *rhs*: Constant reference of an *Token* object.
 - \bullet Return: True if lhs 's values is greater than rhs 's value; otherwise, false.
- operator<=(const Token& lhs,const Object& rhs)
 - Purpose: Checks if the value of lhs is less than or equal to the value of rhs.
 - Parameters:
 - lhs: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - rhs: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - Return: True if *lhs*'s values is less than or equal to *rhs*'s value; otherwise, false.
- operator>=(const Token& lhs,const Object& rhs)
 - Purpose: Checks if the value of *lhs* is greater than or equal to the value of *rhs*.
 - Parameters:
 - ullet lhs: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - rhs: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - Return: True if *lhs*'s values is greater than or equal to *rhs*'s value; otherwise, false.
- operator-(const Token& lhs,const Object& rhs)
 - Purpose: Retrieves the distance between the values of *lhs* and *rhs*.
 - Parameters:
 - \bullet *lhs*: Constant reference of an *Token* object.
 - \bullet *rhs*: Constant reference of an *Token* object.
 - **Return:** The absolute value of the difference of the values of *lhs* and *rhs*.

Collection

Source File: Tools.h Namespace: ds

Class Header: class Collection: public Object

Overview

The Collection class is an interface class designed to serve a container of Token objects.

Member Functions

- Insert(const Token& value, string flag)
 - Purpose: Intended to add *value* to the collection based on *flag*.
 - Parameters:
 - value: Constant reference of an Token object.
 - flag: Determines the action.
- Remove(string flag)
 - Purpose: Intended to remove a token from the collection based on flag.
 - Parameters:
 - flag: Determines the action.
- View(string flag)
 View(string flag) const
 - Purpose: Intended to retrieve a token from the collection based on flag.
 - Parameters:
 - \bullet flag: Determines the action.
 - ullet Return: A reference of a Token object.
- Extend(bool value)
 - Purpose: Intended to set the collection display.
 - Parameters:
 - value: Sets the display mode.
- Size() const
 - Purpose: Intended to retrieve the collection size.
 - Return: An integer.
- Empty() const
 - Purpose: Intended to check if the collection is empty.
 - Return: True if the collection is empty; otherwise, false.
- Clear()
 - Purpose: Intended to empty the collection.
- Info() const
 - Purpose: Intended to provide a list of all the flags.
 - Return: A string.
- ToString() const override
 - Purpose: Pure virtual function to be implemented by derived classes.
 - Return: A string representation of the collection.

Program

Source File: Tools.h
Namespace: ds

Class Header: class Program: public Object

Overview

The Program class is an interface class designed to maneuver tokens of Collection objects with undo capabilities.

Member Functions

- Initialize()
 - $\bullet\,$ Purpose: Intended to add initialize the program.
- Move(string flag)
 - Purpose: Intended to make a move in the program based on flag.
 - Parameters:
 - \bullet flag: Determines the action.
- Undo()
 - Purpose: Intended to undo previous moves.
 - Return: True if an undo was successful; otherwise, false.
- Completed() const
 - Purpose: Intended to check if the program has no more moves.
 - Return: True if no moves are possible; otherwise, false.
- State() const
 - Purpose: Intended to retrieve the program's status.
 - Return: A string.
- Info() const
 - $\bullet\,$ Purpose: Intended to provide a list of all the flags.
 - Return: A string.
- ToString() const override
 - Purpose: Pure virtual function to be implemented by derived classes.
 - Return: A string representation of the program.