

Java collections

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What are collections in Java?

- A group of individual objects represented by a single unit
- Java provides data structures geared towards
- Java collection classes
 - Collection interface *java.util.Collection*
 - Map interface *java.util.Map*
- Used to be achieved with arrays, vectors, hashtables, etc. before Java introduced Collection framework

Example: using array to store a list of integers

```
class Test
{
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        int myArray[] = new int[] {1, 2, 3, 4};
        System.out.println(myArray[0]);
        System.out.println(myArray[1]);
        System.out.println(myArray[2]);
        System.out.println(myArray[3]);
    }
}
```

Example: using Vector object to store a list of integers

```
import java.util.*;  
  
class Test  
{  
    public static void main (String[] args)  
    {  
        Vector<Integer> myVector = new Vector();  
        myVector.addElement(1);  
        myVector.addElement(2);  
  
        System.out.println(myVector.elementAt(0));  
        System.out.println(myVector.elementAt(1));  
    }  
}
```

Example: using hashtable to store a list of mapped key-value pairs

```
import java.util.*;

class Test
{
    public static void main (String[] args)
    {
        Hashtable<Integer, String> myHash = new Hashtable();
        myHash.put(1,"hash1");
        myHash.put(2,"hash2");

        System.out.println(myHash.get(1));
        System.out.println(myHash.get(2));
    }
}
```

Disadvantages of using these data structures

- No consistent API
- No standard member access methods
- Need to know how to use each data structure
- Some are non-extendable/final classes
 - E.g. *Vector*

Java Collection framework

- Java provides predefined architecture for storing and manipulating groups of objects
 - A set of classes and interfaces
 - Methods and algorithms
- Commonly used data structures
- Can be thought of as a library of common data structures and functionality
- Reduces programming efforts
- Increases performance
- Promotes code re-use

Types of collections

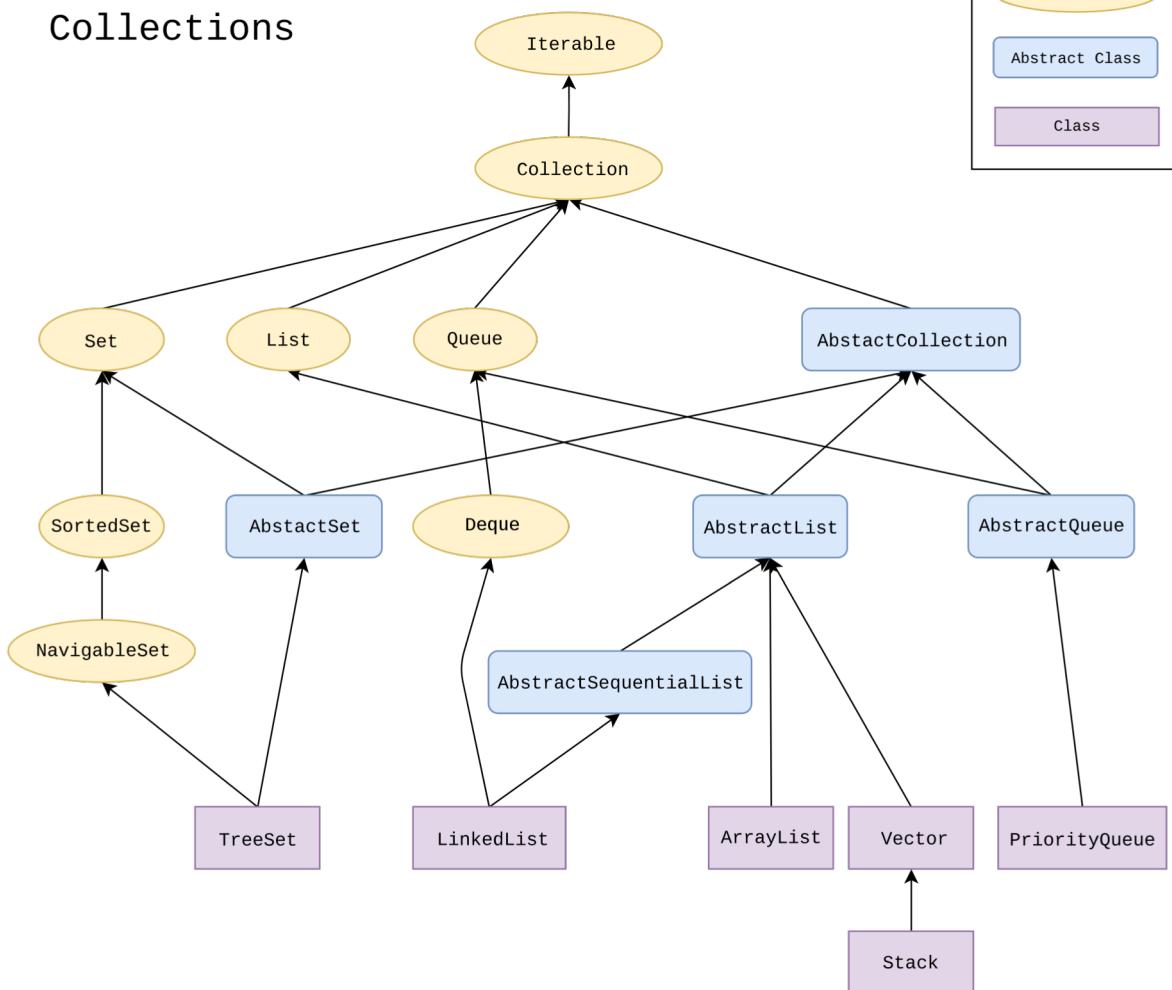
- Ordered lists
- Unordered lists
- Dictionaries/maps

Members of Java collection framework

- Java collection framework provides
 - Classes
 - *ArrayList, Vector, LinkedList, PriorityQueue, HashSet, LinkedHashSet, TreeSet*
 - Interfaces
 - *Set, List, Queue, Deque*

Java Collection framework

Collections



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Java_collections_framework

Iterable interface

- Root interface for all collections in Java
- Directly extended by Collection interface

Collection interface

- Extends Iterable
- Directly extended by List, Queue, Set

Modifier and Type	Method	Description	https://docs.oracle.com/javase/9/docs/api/java/util/Collection.html
boolean	<code>add(E e)</code>	Ensures that this collection contains the specified element.	Collection methods
boolean	<code>addAll(Collection<? extends E> c)</code>	Adds all of the elements in the specified collection to this collection (optional operation).	
void	<code>clear()</code>	Removes all of the elements from this collection (optional operation).	
boolean	<code>contains(Object o)</code>	Returns <code>true</code> if this collection contains the specified element.	
boolean	<code>containsAll(Collection<?> c)</code>	Returns <code>true</code> if this collection contains all of the elements in the specified collection.	
boolean	<code>equals(Object o)</code>	Compares the specified object with this collection for equality.	
int	<code>hashCode()</code>	Returns the hash code value for this collection.	
boolean	<code>isEmpty()</code>	Returns <code>true</code> if this collection contains no elements.	
<code>Iterator<E></code>	<code>iterator()</code>	Returns an iterator over the elements in this collection.	
default <code>Stream<E></code>	<code>parallelStream()</code>	Returns a possibly parallel <code>Stream</code> with this collection as its source.	
boolean	<code>remove(Object o)</code>	Removes a single instance of the specified element from this collection.	
boolean	<code>removeAll(Collection<?> c)</code>	Removes all of this collection's elements that are also contained in the specified collection.	
default boolean	<code>removeIf(Predicate<? super E> filter)</code>	Removes all of the elements of this collection that satisfy the given predicate.	
boolean	<code>retainAll(Collection<?> c)</code>	Retains only the elements in this collection that are contained in the specified collection.	
int	<code>size()</code>	Returns the number of elements in this collection.	
default <code>Spliterator<E></code>	<code>spliterator()</code>	Creates a <code>Spliterator</code> over the elements in this collection.	
default <code>Stream<E></code>	<code>stream()</code>	Returns a sequential <code>Stream</code> with this collection as its source.	
<code>Object[]</code>	<code>toArray()</code>	Returns an array containing all of the elements in this collection.	
<code><T> T[]</code>	<code>toArray(T[] a)</code>	Returns an array containing all of the elements in this collection; the run-time type of the elements in the array is determined by the generic type of the specified array.	

List interface

- An ordered collection of objects
 - Sequence
- Used when the order and positions of elements in the list must be controlled
 - Access elements in the list by integer index
- Lists allow duplicates
- Directly implemented by *ArrayList*, *Vector*, and *LinkedList* classes
 - *Stack* extends *Vector*
- Instantiate as follows
 - *List <Type> myList1 = new ArrayList();*
 - *List <Type> myList2 = new LinkedList();*
 - *List <Type> myList3 = new Vector();*
 - *List <Type> myList4 = new Stack();*

ArrayList vs. Vector vs. LinkedList vs. Stack

- *ArrayList* uses dynamic array to store data, maintains the insertion order, allows random access, is non-synchronized
 - Synchronized = thread safe
- *Vector* is similar to *ArrayList* but is synchronized, contains additional methods
- *Stack* is a subclass of *Vector*, implements last-in-first-out structure (no random access), contains stack-specific methods
- *LinkedList* is internally a doubly-linked list, maintains insertion order, non-synchronized, manipulations of this data structure are usually fast

Example: working with a ArrayList of Strings

We need an iterator to iterate through list elements

Output:

```
Jeff  
Dan  
Anthony  
Joe  
Annie  
Casey  
  
Element at index 1 is Dan  
names contains Joe =true  
index of Casey is 5  
  
After converting to array:  
Jeff  
Joe  
Annie  
Casey
```

Note: many more methods are available, refer to Java API

Remove elements by index or by value

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        List<String> names = new ArrayList<String>();  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Dan");  
        names.add("Joe");  
        names.add("Annie");  
        names.add("Casey");  
        names.add(2,"Anthony");  
  
        // iterate over elements:  
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println();  
  
        // access specific element by index:  
        System.out.println("Element at index 1 is "+names.get(1));  
  
        // test presence of elements in the list:  
        System.out.println("names contains Joe =" +names.contains("Joe"));  
        System.out.println("index of Casey is " +names.indexOf("Casey"));  
  
        // remove some elements:  
        names.remove(1);  
        names.remove("Anthony");  
  
        // convert List to array:  
        String myArray[] = new String[names.size()];  
        myArray = names.toArray(myArray);  
        System.out.println("\nAfter converting to array:");  
        for(String s : myArray){  
            System.out.println(s);  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Add an element at a specific index

Example: vector of integers

Note: many more methods are available, refer to Java API

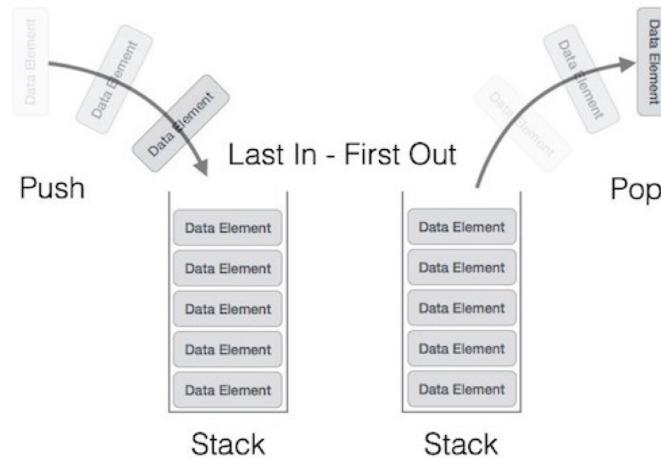
```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        List<Integer> values = new Vector<Integer>();  
  
        // add elements:  
        values.add(1);  
        values.add(5);  
        values.add(2);  
        values.add(7);  
        values.add(10);  
        values.add(2,6);  
  
        // iterate over elements:  
        Iterator valIterator = values.iterator();  
        while(valIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(valIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println();  
  
        // access specific element by index:  
        System.out.println("Element at index 1 is "+values.get(1));  
  
        // test presence of elements in the list:  
        System.out.println("values contains 3 =" +values.contains(3));  
        System.out.println("index of 7 is " +values.indexOf(7));  
  
        // remove some elements:  
        values.remove(1);  
  
        // get sublist:  
        System.out.println("Elements at indices 1 through 4: "+values.subList(1, 4));  
    }  
}
```

Output:

```
1  
5  
6  
2  
7  
10  
  
Element at index 1 is 5  
values contains 3 =false  
index of 7 is 4  
Elements at indices 1 through 4: [6, 2, 7]
```

Stack data structure

- LIFO data structure
 - Last in first out
 - Elements are added at the end of the queue
 - Elements are removed from the beginning of the queue
- Stack data structure has specialized methods: push(), peek(), pop()



<https://www.tutorialspoint.com/>

Example: stack of integers

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        Stack<Integer> values = new Stack<Integer>();  
  
        // add elements:  
        values.push(1);  
        values.push(5);  
        values.push(2);  
        values.push(7);  
        values.push(10);  
        values.push(6);  
  
        // iterate over elements:  
        Iterator valIterator = values.iterator();  
        while(valIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(valIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println();  
  
        // peek at the top element:  
        System.out.println("Top element is "+values.peek());  
  
        // search stack for an element:  
        System.out.println("Index of value 10 is "+values.search(10));  
  
        // remove the top element:  
        values.pop();  
        System.out.println("After popping top element: "+values);  
  
        // Vector methods still work on a Stack data structure:  
        values.remove(1);  
        System.out.println("After removing element at index 1: "+values);  
    }  
}
```

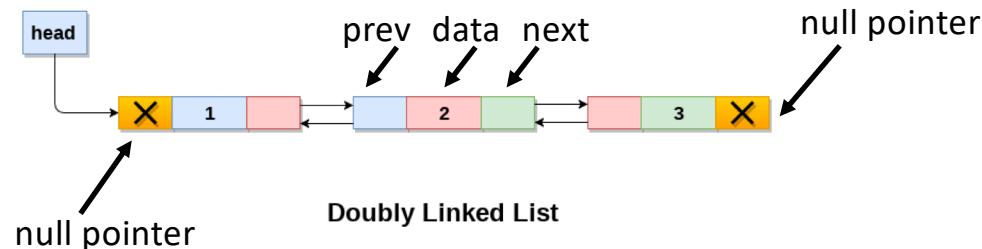
Declare as *Stack* because we want to use methods not available to *List* objects

Output:

```
1  
5  
2  
7  
10  
6  
  
Top element is 6  
Index of value 10 is 2  
After popping top element: [1, 5, 2, 7, 10]  
After removing element at index 1: [1, 2, 7, 10]
```

Linked lists

- Linear data structure where elements are not stored in contiguous allocated location
- We have to traverse the linked list in order to access elements
- Elements are linked by pointers to the next location
- Doubly linked lists have pointers to the previous location
- Java LinkedList is implemented with doubly linked lists



<https://www.javatpoint.com>

Linked lists (cont'd)

- When an element of a doubly linked list is deleted:
 - next pointer of the previous element has to be pointed to the next element of the deleted item
 - previous pointer of the next element has to be pointed to the previous element of the deleted item
- *LinkedList* data structure can be used to represent a *Stack*

Example: you can do many of the same manipulations with LinkedList as with ArrayList

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        List<String> names = new LinkedList<String>();  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Dan");  
        names.add("Joe");  
        names.add("Annie");  
        names.add("Casey");  
        names.add(2,"Anthony");  
  
        // iterate over elements:  
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println();  
  
        // access specific element by index:  
        System.out.println("Element at index 1 is "+names.get(1));  
  
        // test presence of elements in the list:  
        System.out.println("names contains Joe =" +names.contains("Joe"));  
        System.out.println("index of Casey is " +names.indexOf("Casey"));  
  
        // remove some elements:  
        names.remove(1);  
        names.remove("Anthony");  
    }  
}
```

we declare *LinkedList* instead o *ArrayList*

Example: additional methods in *LinkedList* class

```
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args){
        LinkedList<String> names = new LinkedList<String>();

        // add elements:
        names.add("Jeff");
        names.add("Dan");
        names.add("Joe");
        names.add("Annie");
        names.add("Casey");
        names.add(2,"Anthony");
        names.addFirst("Tanya");
        names.addLast("Teddy");

        // additional methods available in LinkedList class:
        System.out.println("Head element, peek(): "+names.peek());
        System.out.println("First element, peekFirst(): "+names.peekFirst());
        System.out.println("Last element, peekLast(): "+names.peekLast());
        System.out.println("Retreve and remove head element, pollFirst(): "+names.pollFirst());
        System.out.println("Retreve and remove tail element, pollLast(): "+names.pollLast());

        // replaces the element at the specified index:
        names.set(2, "Brandy");

        // iterate over elements:
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());
        }
    }
}
```

Note: many more methods are available, refer to Java API

Ways to iterate over elements of Java collections

- *Iterator* interface
 - *Iterator myIterator = myCollection.iterator();*
 - *while(iterator.hasNext()){...}*
- *ListIterator* interface
 - To do
- For-each loop
 - *for(Type element : myCollection){...}*
- For loop
 - To do
- *forEach()* method
 - To do
- *forEachRemaining()* method
 - To do

Example: iterating over elements of Java collection

```
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args){
        List<String> names = new ArrayList<String>();
        names.add("Jeff");
        names.add("Dan");
        names.add("Joe");

        // Iterator interface:
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());
        }
        System.out.println();

        // ListIterator interface:
        ListIterator<String> nameListIterator = names.listIterator();
        while( nameListIterator.hasNext() ){
            System.out.println(nameListIterator.next());
        }
        System.out.println();

        // for-each loop:
        for(String s:names){
            System.out.println(s);
        }
        System.out.println();

        // for loop:
        for(int i=0; i < names.size(); i++){
            System.out.println(names.get(i));
        }
        System.out.println();

        // forEach() method:
        names.forEach(System.out::println);
        System.out.println();

        // forEachRemaining() method:
        Iterator nameIterator2 = names.iterator();
        nameIterator2.forEachRemaining(System.out::println);
    }
}
```

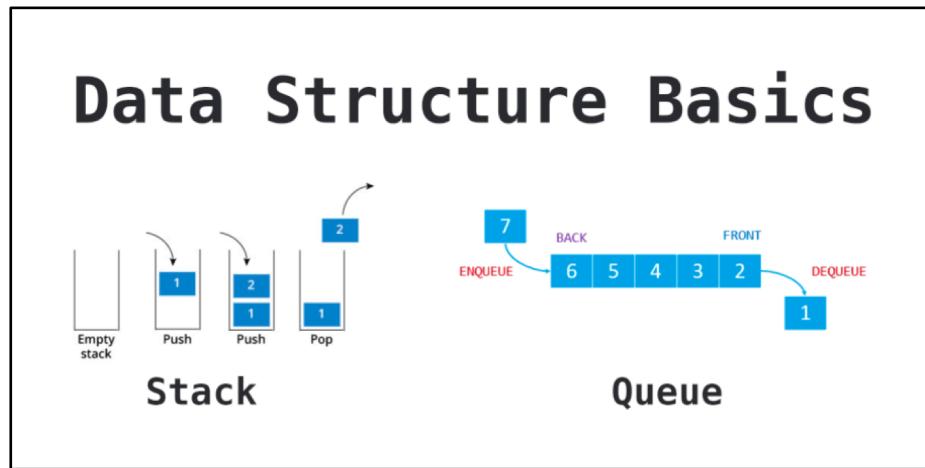
method reference operator
`<Class>::<method>`

Queues

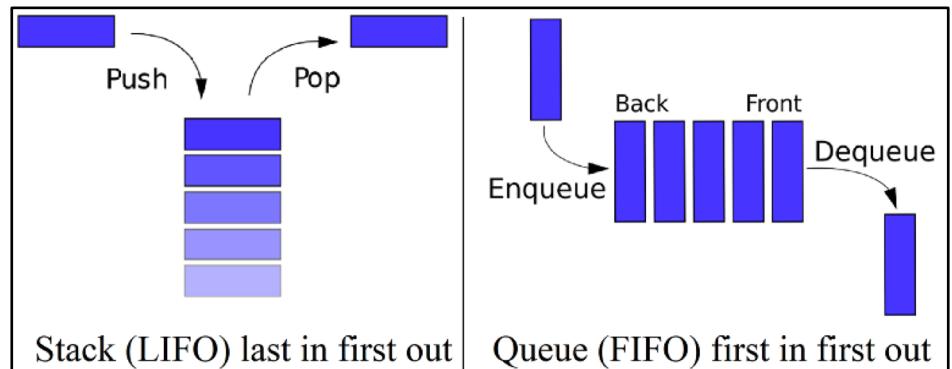
- FIFO data structure
 - First in first out
 - Operated from both ends
 - Elements are added at the rear of the queue
 - Elements are removed from the front of the queue
 - Similar to the way queues work in real life (e.g. bank)



Queue vs. stack data structure



<https://dev.to/rinsama77/data-structure-stack-and-queue-4ecd>



<https://dunglai.github.io/2018/07/26/linked-list/>

Queue interface

- *Queue* interface extends *Collection* interface
- Directly implemented by *PriorityQueue* class and inherited by *Dequeue* interface
 - *ArrayDeque* class implements *Dequeue* interface

Summary of Queue methods		
	<i>Throws exception</i>	<i>Returns special value</i>
Insert	<code>add(e)</code>	<code>offer(e)</code>
Remove	<code>remove()</code>	<code>poll()</code>
Examine	<code>element()</code>	<code>peek()</code>

PriorityQueue class

- Implements *Queue* interface
- Objects in priority queue are processed by their priorities
- Does not allow *null* values to be stored in this data structure
- Allows duplicate elements
 - Can implement your own class that extends *PriorityQueue* that will scan for duplicates
- Insertions are performed in the order, as regular queues
 - Enqueue
- Deletions are performed by the priority order
 - Element with the highest priority is removed first
 - Dequeue

Example: basic operations with *PriorityQueue*

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        PriorityQueue<String> names = new PriorityQueue<String>();  
  
        // queue elements:  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Dan");  
        names.add("Joe");  
        names.add("Annie");  
        names.add("Casey");  
  
        // iterate over elements:  
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        // additional methods available in LinkedList class:  
        System.out.println("Head element, peek(): "+names.peek());  
  
        // remove element from the front of the queue:  
        names.poll();  
  
        // dequeue elements:  
        System.out.println("After polling the front of the queue:");  
        while (!names.isEmpty()){  
            System.out.println(names.remove());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

The element at the front of the queue is the one with the highest priority (in this case, highest value String)

Output:

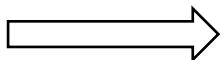
```
Annie  
Casey  
Joe  
Jeff  
Dan
```

```
Head element, peek(): Annie  
After polling the front of the queue:  
Casey  
Dan  
Jeff  
Joe
```

← dequeues all elements and empties the queue

Example: adding elements to the *PriorityQueue*

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        PriorityQueue<String> names = new PriorityQueue<String>();  
  
        // queue elements:  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Dan");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Joe");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Annie");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Casey");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Anthony");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Alan");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
    }  
}
```



```
Jeff  
Dan  
Jeff  
Dan  
Jeff  
Joe  
Annie  
Dan  
Joe  
Jeff  
Annie  
Casey  
Joe  
Jeff  
Dan  
Annie  
Casey  
Anthony  
Jeff  
Dan  
Joe  
Alan  
Casey  
Annie  
Jeff  
Dan  
Joe  
Anthony
```

Observe as the front of the elements at the front of the queue change

Example: poll front element to see how the front value changes

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        PriorityQueue<String> names = new PriorityQueue<String>();  
  
        // queue elements:  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Dan");  
        names.add("Joe");  
        names.add("Annie");  
        names.add("Casey");  
        names.add("Anthony");  
        names.add("Alan");  
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
        names.poll();  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
    }  
}
```

Output:

```
Alan  
Casey  
Annie  
Jeff  
Dan  
Joe  
Anthony  
  
Annie  
Casey  
Anthony  
Jeff  
Dan  
Joe
```

Same example as before but we poll the front of the queue, which removes the front element



```
names.poll();
```

Priority queues with custom comparators

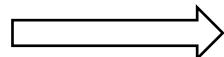
- Custom comparators allow customizing how priorities are assigned to elements in the priority queue
- *java.util.Comparator* interface

```
Comparator<String> myComparator = new Comparator<String>() {  
    @Override  
    public int compare(String s1, String s2) {  
        return s1.length() - s2.length();  
    }  
};
```

Example: adding elements to the *PriorityQueue* with custom *Comparator*

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        Comparator<String> myComparator = new Comparator<String>() {  
            @Override  
            public int compare(String s1, String s2) {  
                return s1.length() - s2.length();  
            }  
        };  
  
        PriorityQueue<String> names = new PriorityQueue<String>(myComparator);  
  
        // queue elements:  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Dan");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Joe");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Annie");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Casey");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Anthony");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
  
        names.add("Alan");  
        nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
        System.out.println("");  
    }  
}
```

custom Comparator
that compares strings
based on their length

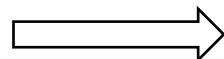


Jeff
Dan
Jeff
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Jeff
Joe
Annie
Casey
Dan
Jeff
Joe
Annie
Casey
Anthony
Dan
Jeff
Joe
Annie
Casey
Anthony
Alan

Example: longest strings have the highest priority

```
Comparator<String> myComparator = new Comparator<String>() {  
    @Override  
    public int compare(String s1, String s2) {  
        return s2.length() - s1.length();  
    }  
};
```

switch s1 and s2 in the previous example



Jeff
Jeff
Dan
Jeff
Dan
Joe
Annie
Jeff
Joe
Dan
Annie
Casey
Joe
Dan
Jeff
Anthony
Casey
Annie
Dan
Jeff
Joe
Anthony
Casey
Annie
Dan
Jeff
Joe
Alan

Example: PriorityQueue with Employee objects

```
class Employee{  
    private String name;  
    private double performanceRank;  
  
    Employee(String name, double rank){  
        this.name = name;  
        this.performanceRank = rank;  
    }  
  
    public double getRank(){return this.performanceRank;}  
  
    @Override  
    public String toString(){  
        return this.name+" ("+this.performanceRank+");  
    }  
}
```

Employees are ranked by performance

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        Comparator<Employee> myComparator = new Comparator<Employee>() {  
            @Override  
            public int compare(Employee e1, Employee e2) {  
                return (int) Math.floor(e2.getRank() - e1.getRank());  
            }  
        };  
  
        PriorityQueue<Employee> employees = new PriorityQueue<Employee>(myComparator);  
  
        // queue elements:  
        employees.add(new Employee("Jeff", 1.1));  
        employees.add(new Employee("Dan", 1.9));  
        employees.add(new Employee("Joe", 0.5));  
        employees.add(new Employee("Annie", 2.7));  
        employees.add(new Employee("Casey", 3.1));  
        employees.add(new Employee("Anthony", 1.6));  
        employees.add(new Employee("Alan", 2.5));  
  
        Iterator nameIterator = employees.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Custom comparator compares employees based on their performance score

Output:

```
Casey (3.1)  
Annie (2.7)  
Alan (2.5)  
Jeff (1.1)  
Dan (1.9)  
Joe (0.5)  
Anthony (1.6)
```

Example: PriorityQueue of Animal objects with custom comparator based on # of legs

```
interface Animal{
    public abstract int getLegs();
}

class Dog implements Animal{
    private int numLegs;

    Dog(int legs){this.numLegs = legs;}
    public String toString(){return "I am a dog with "+this.numLegs+" legs";}
    public int getLegs(){return this.numLegs;}
}

class Cat implements Animal{
    private int numLegs;

    Cat(int legs){this.numLegs = legs;}
    public String toString(){return "I am a cat with "+this.numLegs+" legs";}
    public int getLegs(){return this.numLegs;}
}

class Tarantula implements Animal{
    private int numLegs;

    Tarantula(int legs){this.numLegs = legs;}
    public String toString(){return "I am a tarantula with "+this.numLegs+" legs";}
    public int getLegs(){return this.numLegs;}
}

class Shrimp implements Animal{
    private int numLegs;

    Shrimp(int legs){this.numLegs = legs;}
    public String toString(){return "I am a shrimp with "+this.numLegs+" legs";}
    public int getLegs(){return this.numLegs;}
}
```

```
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args){
        Comparator<Animal> myComparator = new Comparator<Animal>() {
            @Override
            public int compare(Animal a1, Animal a2) {
                return a2.getLegs() - a1.getLegs();
            }
        };

        PriorityQueue<Animal> animals = new PriorityQueue<Animal>(myComparator);

        // queue elements:
        animals.add(new Dog(4));
        animals.add(new Cat(4));
        animals.add(new Shrimp(10));
        animals.add(new Tarantula(8));
        animals.add(new Tarantula(7));
        animals.add(new Shrimp(9));
    }
}
```

any object that implements Animal interface can be collected in this priority queue

these two animals lost a leg in an accident

Output:

```
I am a shrimp with 10 legs
I am a tarantula with 8 legs
I am a shrimp with 9 legs
I am a cat with 4 legs
I am a tarantula with 7 legs
I am a dog with 4 legs
```

Alternatively can implement *Comparable* interface and override *compareTo()* method

- There must be a way to compare the objects you are storing in *PriorityQueue*
- One way is to have the object type implement *Comparable* interface
 - Override *compareTo()* method

Example: alternative implementation of *PriorityQueue* with Employee objects

No need for custom comparator here

```
class Employee implements Comparable<Employee>{
    private String name;
    private double performanceRank;

    Employee(String name, double rank){
        this.name = name;
        this.performanceRank = rank;
    }

    public double getRank(){return this.performanceRank;}

    @Override
    public String toString(){
        return this.name+" ("+this.performanceRank+)";
    }

    public int compareTo(Employee employee) {
        if(this.performanceRank > employee.getRank()) {
            return -1;
        } else if (this.performanceRank < employee.getRank()){
            return 1;
        } else {
            return 0;
        }
    }
}
```

Class Employee
implements Comparable

Implement compareTo()

```
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args){
        PriorityQueue<Employee> employees = new PriorityQueue<Employee>();

        // queue elements:
        employees.add(new Employee("Jeff", 1.1));
        employees.add(new Employee("Dan", 1.9));
        employees.add(new Employee("Joe", 0.5));
        employees.add(new Employee("Annie", 2.7));
        employees.add(new Employee("Casey", 3.1));
        employees.add(new Employee("Anthony", 1.6));
        employees.add(new Employee("Alan", 2.5));

        Iterator nameIterator = employees.iterator();
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());
        }
    }
}
```

ArrayDeque class

- *Deque* interface
 - Extends *Queue* interface
 - Linear collection
 - Allows inserting and removing elements to/from both ends of the queue
 - Deque stands for double-ended queue
- *ArrayDeque* class
 - Implements *Deque* interface and extends *AbstractCollection*
 - Faster than *ArrayList* and *Stack* classes
 - No capacity restrictions

Example: *ArrayDeque* of strings

```
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args){
        ArrayDeque<String> names = new ArrayDeque<String>();

        // queue elements:
        names.add("Jeff");
        names.add("Dan");
        names.add("Joe");
        names.add("Annie");
        names.add("Casey");
        names.add("Anthony");
        names.add("Alan");

        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());
        }

        // retrieve but do not remove elements:
        names.getFirst();
        System.out.println("After getFirst(): "+names);
        names.getLast();
        System.out.println("After getLast(): "+names);

        // poll the front of the queue:
        names.poll();
        System.out.println("After poll(): "+names);
        names.pollFirst();
        System.out.println("After pollFirst(): "+names);

        // poll the end of the queue:
        names.pollLast();
        System.out.println("After pollLast(): "+names);
    }
}
```

Output:

```
Jeff
Dan
Joe
Annie
Casey
Anthony
Alan
After getFirst(): [Jeff, Dan, Joe, Annie, Casey, Anthony, Alan]
After getLast(): [Jeff, Dan, Joe, Annie, Casey, Anthony, Alan]
After poll(): [Dan, Joe, Annie, Casey, Anthony, Alan]
After pollFirst(): [Joe, Annie, Casey, Anthony, Alan]
After pollLast(): [Joe, Annie, Casey, Anthony]
```

Set interface

- Set interface extends *Collection* interface
- Directly implemented by *HashSet* and *LinkedHashSet* classes
 - Directly extended by *SortedSet* interface, which is implemented by *TreeSet* class
 - These classes are non-synchronized
- Represents unordered collection of objects
- Does not allow duplicate objects
- Allows at most one null value

Classes that represent sets

- *HashSet*
 - Uses hash table for storage
- *LinkedHashSet*
 - Implemented as a linked list
 - Maintains insertion order
- *TreeSet*
 - Uses a tree as storage
 - Ordered set
 - Elements are arranged in ascending order

Example: *HashSet* of names

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        HashSet<String> names = new HashSet<String>();  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Dan");  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Joe");  
        names.add("Annie");  
        names.add("Anthony");  
        names.add("Annie");  
  
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Output:

```
Dan  
Joe  
Anthony  
Jeff  
Annie
```

Example: *LinkedListSet* of names

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        LinkedHashSet<String> names = new LinkedHashSet<String>();  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Dan");  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Joe");  
        names.add("Annie");  
        names.add("Anthony");  
        names.add("Annie");  
  
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Output:

```
Jeff  
Dan  
Joe  
Annie  
Anthony
```

Example: *TreeSet* of names

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        TreeSet<String> names = new TreeSet<String>();  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Dan");  
        names.add("Jeff");  
        names.add("Joe");  
        names.add("Annie");  
        names.add("Anthony");  
        names.add("Annie");  
  
        Iterator nameIterator = names.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Output:

```
Annie  
Anthony  
Dan  
Jeff  
Joe
```

Example: a set from another collection

```
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args){
        ArrayList<String> names = new ArrayList<String>();

        // add elements:
        names.add("Jeff");
        names.add("Dan");
        names.add("Jeff");
        names.add("Joe");
        names.add("Annie");
        names.add("Anthony");
        names.add("Annie");
        names.add("Tanya");
        names.add("Teddy");

        TreeSet<String> nameSet = new TreeSet<String>(names);

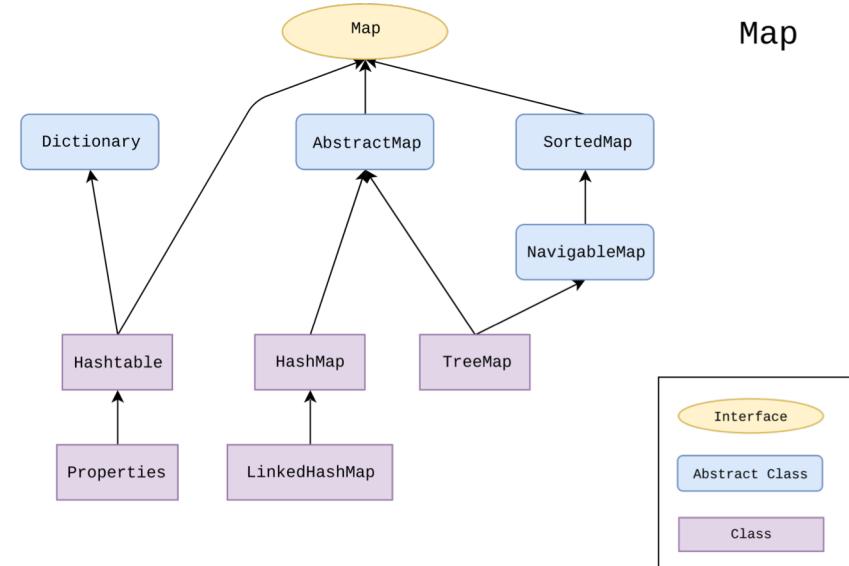
        Iterator nameIterator = nameSet.iterator();
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){
            System.out.println(nameIterator.next());
        }
    }
}
```

Output:

```
Annie
Anthony
Dan
Jeff
Joe
Tanya
Teddy
```

Map interface

- Provides a framework for data structures that implement key-value pairs as elements
 - Dictionary-like data structure
- Each key is unique
- Each key maps to exactly one value



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Java_collections_framework

Differences between classes representing map data structure

- **HashMap**
 - Hash table based implementation
 - Permits one null key and multiple null values
 - No guarantee of the order of key-value pairs
- **LinkedHashMap**
 - Linked list base implementation
 - Permits one null key and multiple null values
 - Maintains insertion order
- **TreeMap**
 - Red-black tree based implementation
 - Sorted by natural or Comparator order of the keys

Example: dictionary of names with HashMap

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        Map <Integer, String> names = new HashMap();  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.put(1,"Jeff");  
        names.put(2,"Dan");  
        names.put(3,"Teddy");  
        names.put(4,"Joe");  
        names.put(5,"Annie");  
        names.put(6,"Anthony");  
  
        // test if the map contains elements:  
        System.out.println("Map contains value Joe: "+names.containsValue("Joe"));  
        System.out.println("Map contains key 3: "+names.containsKey(3));  
        System.out.println("Value at key=2: "+names.get(2));  
        System.out.println("Map size: "+names.size());  
        System.out.println("All values in the map: "+names.values());  
  
        // traverse the map:  
        System.out.println();  
        Set dict = names.entrySet();  
        Iterator nameIterator = dict.iterator();  
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()){  
            Map.Entry nameEntry = (Map.Entry)nameIterator.next();  
            System.out.println(nameEntry.getKey()+" : "+nameEntry.getValue());  
        }  
  
        // remove items from the map:  
        names.remove(2);  
        names.remove(5,"Annie");  
    }  
}
```

Output:

```
Map contains value Joe: true  
Map contains key 3: true  
Value at key=2: Dan  
Map size: 6  
All values in the map: [Jeff, Dan, Teddy, Joe, Annie, Anthony]  
  
1: Jeff  
2: Dan  
3: Teddy  
4: Joe  
5: Annie  
6: Anthony
```

Some of the ways to traverse a map

```
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args){
        Map<String, Integer> names = new HashMap();

        // add elements:
        names.put("a", 100);
        names.put("b", 5);
        names.put("c", 78);
        names.put("d", 34);
        names.put("e", 99);
        names.put("f", 11);

        // Iterator with entrySet():
        Iterator<Map.Entry<String, Integer>> nameIterator = names.entrySet().iterator();
        while(nameIterator.hasNext()) {
            Map.Entry<String, Integer> nameEntry = nameIterator.next();
            System.out.println(nameEntry.getKey()+" : "+nameEntry.getValue());
        }
        System.out.println();

        // Iterator with keySet():
        Iterator<String> keyIterator = names.keySet().iterator();
        while(keyIterator.hasNext()) {
            String k = keyIterator.next();
            System.out.println(k+" : "+names.get(k));
        }
        System.out.println();

        // for-each loop with Map.Entry:
        for (Map.Entry<String, Integer> mapEntry : names.entrySet()) {
            System.out.println(mapEntry.getKey()+" : "+mapEntry.getValue());
        }
        System.out.println();

        // for-each loop with keySet():
        for (String key : names.keySet()) {
            System.out.println(key+" : "+names.get(key));
        }
        System.out.println();

        // forEach():
        names.forEach((k, v) -> System.out.println(k+" : "+v));
    }
}
```

Sorting a map data structure

- Can sort by both keys and values
- Custom sort order can be achieved by using custom Comparator
- Sorting by key
 - Converting the map to TreeMap data structure is the easiest way to sort the map
 - We can sort the keys separately and then process the map entries based on that sorted order
 - E.g. *Collections.sort(arrayListOfKeys)*

Example: sort a map of names by key using TreeMap data structure

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        LinkedHashMap <Integer, String> names = new LinkedHashMap();  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.put(6,"Jeff");  
        names.put(1,"Dan");  
        names.put(3,"Teddy");  
        names.put(2,"Joe");  
        names.put(5,"Annie");  
        names.put(4,"Anthony");  
  
        // sort names:  
        TreeMap<Integer, String> sortedNames = new TreeMap();  
        sortedNames.putAll(names); ←  
  
        // traverse the sorted map:  
        for (Integer key : sortedNames.keySet()) {  
            System.out.println(key+": "+sortedNames.get(key));  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Output:

```
1: Dan  
2: Joe  
3: Teddy  
4: Anthony  
5: Annie  
6: Jeff
```

Make a *TreeMap* from an already populated *LinkedHashMap*

Example: alternatively, we can use TreeMap constructor to instantiate a map from another map

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        LinkedHashMap <Integer, String> names = new LinkedHashMap();  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.put(6,"Jeff");  
        names.put(1,"Dan");  
        names.put(3,"Teddy");  
        names.put(2,"Joe");  
        names.put(5,"Annie");  
        names.put(4,"Anthony");  
  
        // sort names:  
        TreeMap<Integer, String> sortedNames = new TreeMap(names); ← Same example as before but we pass  
        // traverse the sorted map:  
        for (Integer key : sortedNames.keySet()) {  
            System.out.println(key+": "+sortedNames.get(key));  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Same example as before but we pass
names as an argument to TreeMap
constructor

Example: sorting a map of Person objects

Employee, Contractor, and Visitor classes extend Person class

```
class Person {  
    private String name;  
    private Integer age;  
  
    Person(String name, Integer age) {  
        this.name = name;  
        this.age = age;  
    }  
  
    public String getName(){return this.name;}  
    public Integer getAge(){return this.age;}  
}
```

```
class Employee extends Person {  
    private Integer id;  
  
    Employee(String name, Integer age, Integer id) {  
        super(name, age);  
        this.id = id;  
    }  
  
    public Integer getId(){return this.id;}  
    public String toString() {  
        return super.getName()+" is "+super.getAge()+"yo (id = "+this.id+");  
    }  
  
class Contractor extends Person {  
    private Double pay;  
  
    Contractor(String name, Integer age, Double pay) {  
        super(name, age);  
        this.pay = pay;  
    }  
  
    public Double getPay(){return this.pay;}  
    public String toString() {  
        return super.getName()+" is "+super.getAge()+"yo (pay = $"+this.pay+");  
    }  
  
class Visitor extends Person {  
    Visitor(String name, Integer age) {  
        super(name, age);  
    }  
  
    public String toString() {  
        return super.getName()+" is "+super.getAge()+"yo (visitor);  
    }  
}
```

Example: sorting a map of Person objects (cont'd)

Map that contains Person objects as entries

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        LinkedHashMap <Integer, Person> names = new LinkedHashMap <Integer, Person>();  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.put(3, new Employee("Jeff", 24, 101));  
        names.put(8, new Contractor("Dan", 32, 15.75));  
        names.put(1, new Employee("Teddy", 28, 102));  
        names.put(5, new Visitor("Joe", 40));  
        names.put(2, new Contractor("Annie", 35, 55.0));  
        names.put(7, new Contractor("Anthony", 40, 34.0));  
        names.put(9, new Employee("Casey", 20, 103));  
        names.put(4, new Visitor("Lauren", 24));  
  
        // sort names:  
        TreeMap<Integer, Person> sortedNames = new TreeMap(names);  
  
        // traverse the sorted map:  
        for (Integer key : sortedNames.keySet()) {  
            System.out.println(key+": "+sortedNames.get(key).toString());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Output:

```
1: Teddy is 28yo (id = 102)  
2: Annie is 35yo (pay = $55.0)  
3: Jeff is 24yo (id = 101)  
4: Lauren is 24yo (visitor)  
5: Joe is 40yo (visitor)  
7: Anthony is 40yo (pay = $34.0)  
8: Dan is 32yo (pay = $15.75)  
9: Casey is 20yo (id = 103)
```

As before, we use TreeMap data structure to sort unsorted map by keys

Example: use Person object as keys for the map, sort based on the person's age

```
public class Test {  
    public static void main(String[] args){  
        LinkedHashMap <Person, Integer> names = new LinkedHashMap<Person, Integer>();  
  
        Comparator<Person> myPersonComparator = new Comparator<Person>() {  
            @Override  
            public int compare(Person p1, Person p2) {  
                return p1.getAge() - p2.getAge();  
            }  
        };  
  
        // add elements:  
        names.put(new Employee("Jeff", 24, 101),3);  
        names.put(new Contractor("Dan", 32, 15.75),8);  
        names.put(new Employee("Teddy", 28, 102),1);  
        names.put(new Visitor("Joe", 40),5);  
        names.put(new Contractor("Annie", 35, 55.0),2);  
        names.put(new Contractor("Anthony", 40, 34.0),7);  
        names.put(new Employee("Casey", 20, 103),9);  
        names.put(new Visitor("Lauren", 24),4);  
  
        // sort names:  
        TreeMap<Person, Integer> sortedNames = new TreeMap<Person, Integer>(myPersonComparator);  
        sortedNames.putAll(names);  
  
        // traverse the sorted map:  
        for (Person key : sortedNames.keySet()) {  
            System.out.println(key+": "+sortedNames.get(key));  
        }  
    }  
}
```

person objects are keys

custom Comparator that
compares two Person objects

Output:

```
Casey is 20yo (id = 103): 9  
Jeff is 24yo (id = 101): 4  
Teddy is 28yo (id = 102): 1  
Dan is 32yo (pay = $15.75): 8  
Annie is 35yo (pay = $55.0): 2  
Joe is 40yo (visitor): 7
```

Use custom comparator as a constructor
argument for TreeMap object

Example: sort map by value

```
public class Test {
    public static void main(String[] args){
        LinkedHashMap <Integer, Person> names = new LinkedHashMap<Integer, Person>();
        ArrayList<Person> personList = new ArrayList<Person>();
        LinkedHashMap <Integer, Person> sortedNames = new LinkedHashMap<Integer, Person>();

        Comparator<Person> myPersonComparator = new Comparator<Person>() {
            @Override
            public int compare(Person p1, Person p2) {
                return p1.getAge() - p2.getAge();
            }
        };

        // add elements:
        names.put(3, new Employee("Jeff", 24, 101));
        names.put(8, new Contractor("Dan", 32, 15.75));
        names.put(1, new Employee("Teddy", 28, 102));
        names.put(5, new Visitor("Joe", 40));
        names.put(2, new Contractor("Annie", 35, 55.0));
        names.put(7, new Contractor("Anthony", 40, 34.0));
        names.put(9, new Employee("Casey", 20, 103));
        names.put(4, new Visitor("Lauren", 24));

        // sort by value:
        for (Map.Entry<Integer, Person> person : names.entrySet()) {
            personList.add(person.getValue());
        }
        Collections.sort(personList, myPersonComparator);
        for(Person p : personList) {
            for(Map.Entry<Integer, Person> mapEntry : names.entrySet()) {
                if(mapEntry.getValue().equals(p)) {
                    sortedNames.put(mapEntry.getKey(), p);
                }
            }
        }
    }

    // traverse the sorted map:
    for (Integer key : sortedNames.keySet()) {
        System.out.println(key+": "+sortedNames.get(key));
    }
}
```

store map values in ArrayList

sort values

reconstruct the map with sorted value order

Output:

```
9: Casey is 20yo (id = 103)
3: Jeff is 24yo (id = 101)
4: Lauren is 24yo (visitor)
1: Teddy is 28yo (id = 102)
8: Dan is 32yo (pay = $15.75)
2: Annie is 35yo (pay = $55.0)
5: Joe is 40yo (visitor)
7: Anthony is 40yo (pay = $34.0)
```

Example: sort map by value (cont'd)

Implement equals method to compare another Person object to this object

```
class Person {  
    private String name;  
    private Integer age;  
  
    Person(String name, Integer age) {  
        this.name = name;  
        this.age = age;  
    }  
  
    public String getName(){return this.name;}  
    public Integer getAge(){return this.age;}  
    public boolean equals(Person p) {  
        if(p.getName() == this.name && p.getAge() == this.age){return true;}  
        else{return false;}  
    }  
}
```

Modifiable vs. unmodifiable collections

- Collections that do not allow modifications (add, remove, clear) are called “unmodifiable”
 - No guarantee that content will not change by indirect methods though
 - `copyOf()` collections method returns unmodifiable collection
 - E.g. `List.copyOf()`, `Set.copyOf()`, `Map.copyOf()`
- Immutable collections are guaranteed to not change contents

Bird's eye view of collections available in Java

General-purpose Implementations					
Interfaces	Hash table Implementations	Resizable array Implementations	Tree Implementations	Linked list Implementations	Hash table + Linked list Implementations
Set	HashSet		TreeSet		LinkedHashSet
List		ArrayList		LinkedList	
Queue					
Deque		ArrayDeque		LinkedList	
Map	HashMap		TreeMap		LinkedHashMap

www.docs.oracle.com

PriorityQueue

Concluding remarks

- Read Java API for these data structures!
 - Get familiar with methods offered by each data structure
 - <https://docs.oracle.com/en/java/javase/13/docs/api/java.base/java/util/package-summary.html>
- Other data structures exist
 - We did not cover every single one