Project 15 - BoundList Tuesday, January 17, 2023 Name:

Due Sunday, January 29, 2023, by 11:59 PM. Make sure to put your name as a comment on the top line of each source file. Zip all .java files and submit in Schoology. Name the file LastnameFirstname\_P15\_BoundList.zip, where of course you should use your own name.

This sequence of projects will be due in three parts. Project 15 is BoundList (lists which grow logically but not physically), Project 16 is GrowthList (lists which grow physically using arrays), and a later project may be ChainList (lists which grow automatically using linked list data structures).

DO NOT import java.util.Arrays.

DO NOT import anything from the standard library into the BoundList class.

The official AP Computer Science Course Description includes the following sections.

#### IV. Standard Data Structures

Data structures are used to represent information within a program. Abstraction is an important theme in the development and application of data structures.

- (A) Simple data types (int, boolean, double)
- (B) Classes
- (C) Lists
- (D) Arrays

#### V. Standard Algorithms

Standard algorithms serve as examples of good solutions to standard problems. Many are intertwined with standard data structures. These algorithms provide examples for analysis of program efficiency.

- (A) Operations on data structures previously listed
  - (1) Traversals
  - (2) Insertions
  - (3) Deletions
- (B) Searching
  - (1) Sequential
  - (2) Binary
- (C) Sorting
  - (1) Selection
  - (2) Insertion
  - (3) Mergesort

Hopefully, we already have a good understanding of most of section (IV); in this sequence of projects, we code all of the algorithms in section (V). To focus on the algorithms, we do this in the case of an array of positive integers with a fixed length, but with variable size. The length of the list is the length of the underlying array, but the size of the list is the number of occupied slots. We implement all of the algorithms as instance methods in a new class called BoundList.

Be aware of this: none of the methods in these projects methods print anything, other than in the testing methods of the Program class. Low lying methods do not communicate with the (human) user; they only communicate with the programs which invoke them, by returning values.

## Preparation

**Program 0** (Bound List). Create a new folder BoundList. In it, create new source files Program.java and BoundList.java. In the BoundList.java file, type this code.

```
import java.util.Random;
public class BoundList
                            // Fixed Length Array
    private int[] a;
    private int n;
                            // Number of Occupied Slots
    public BoundList()
        a = new int[1000];
        n = 0;
    public BoundList(int length)
        a = new int[length];
        n = 0;
    public static BoundList generate(int length, int size, int max)
        BoundList bl = new BoundList(length);
        bl.n = size:
        Random random = new Random();
        for (int i = 0; i < size; i++)
            bl.a[i] = random.nextInt(max) + 1;
    }
}
In the Program.java file, create a Program class to contain test cases.
class Program
    public static void main(String[] args)
        test0();
    public static void test0()
        BoundList bl = BoundList.generate(1000, 100, 100);
    }
}
```

Compile and run Program.

**Program 1** (ToString). Override the public String toString() method to output a BoundList as in this example:

**Program 2** (Properties). Create the following instance methods in the BoundList class. After each method is coded, add code to a method Program.test1 to test the new method, and then compile and run Program.

- (a) public int length() returns the length of the private array.
- (b) public int size() returns the number of occupied slots.
- (c) public int get(int i) returns a[i], only if this slot is occupied; otherwise returns 0.
- (d) public boolean set(int i, int v) sets the i<sup>th</sup> slot to v, only if this slot is occupied. The value v must be positive. Returns true if successful, otherwise returns false.
- (e) public void clear() sets the number of occupied slots to zero.

**Program 3** (Copy Constructors). A copy constructor instantiates a new object by copying an existing one.

- (a) Implement a constructor public BoundList(int[] x) which creates a new instance of BoundList which contains the values of the array; the constructor creates new array, sets the size to the length, and copies the contents of x into the new array. Only the positive values are copied.
- (b) Implement a constructor public BoundList (BoundList bl) which creates a new instance of BoundList which is identical to bl; the constructor creates new array and copies the size and contents of bl into the new array.
- (c) Implement a constructor public BoundList(BoundList bl, int length) which behaves like (b) except that the length of the new array is length. This will truncate bl's data if length < bl.size.
- (d) Implement a constructor public BoundList (BoundList bl, int length, int size) which behaves like (c) except that a maximum of size elements are copied.

After each method is coded, add code to a method Program.test2 to test the new method, and then compile and run Program.

### **Operations**

**Program 4** (Traversals). A *traversal* travels through a sequence of objects, looking at each one. A traversal for the BoundList class would traverse up to size, not up to length.

Create the following instance methods in BoundList which are traversals. Use the generate method to help create test cases for each new method in a Program.test3 method.

- (a) public void print(): print the index and value of each member of the list (up to size).
- (b) public int minimum(): return the index of the minimum value in the list.
- (c) public int maximum(): return the index of the maximum value in the list.

**Program 5** (Additions). Create an instance method public boolean add(int v) which, if size is less than length, adds the value v into the  $\mathbf{n}^{\text{th}}$  slot, where n is the number of occupied slots, thus increasing the number of occupied slots by 1. Only positive values may be added. Return true if this is successful; if there is no room left for an addition, or if v is not positive, return false. Write, compile, and run appropriate testing code in a Program.test4 method.

**Program 6** (Insertions). Create an instance method public boolean insert(int i, int v) which, if size is less than length, inserts the value v into the  $i^{th}$  slot, pushing all other values forward, thus increasing the number of occupied slots by 1. Only positive values may be inserted. Return true if this is successful; if the index is out of bounds, or if there is no room left for an insertion, or if v is not positive, return false. Write, compile, and run appropriate testing code in the Program.test4 method.

**Program 7** (Deletions). Create an instance method public boolean delete(int i) which removes the value in the i<sup>th</sup> slot, moving all other values backward, thus decreasing the number of occupied slots by 1. Return true if this is successful; if the index is out of bounds, return false. Write, compile, and run appropriate testing code in the Program.test4 method.

If you have gotten this far, go on to the next project; the next two sections are part of it.

### Sorting

**Program 8** (Selection Sort). A *selection sort* finds the lowest member in a list using a transversal, switches it with the first (index 0) member, then finds the next lowest member in the rest of the list and switches it with the second (index 1) member, and so forth until the list is sorted.

Implement a method public void selectionSort() which implements this algorithm.

**Program 9** (Insertion Sort). An *insertion sort* keeps the front of the list sorted by inserting the next object into the front. More precisely, suppose the first k members are sorted. Get the  $(k+1)^{\text{st}}$  value v. Find its correct position j in the front of the list (it is possible j = k+1). Move everything from the  $j^{\text{th}}$  slot to the  $(k+1)^{\text{st}}$  slot forward one slot, and set the  $j^{\text{th}}$  slot equal to v.

Implement a method public void insertionSort() which implements this algorithm.

# Growing

**Program 10** (Growth). Copy your BoundList class into a new class, and call it GrowthList. Modify all necessary parts of the software to allow the physical size of the list to grow upon insertion of a new element. More details on this next week.