

**CS 445**

**Rec 3**

# Agenda

1. General Announcements
2. Topics of This Week
  - a. Set Operations (for Lab 2 context)
  - b. Generics(<T>)
3. Working Session: Lab 2

# General Announcements

1. **Location/format of recitations & office hours are still up in the air...**
  - a. If given a choice, any preference between zoom and in-person?
  - b. Will communicate the decisions later
2. **Lecture notes shared on GitHub**
3. **Lab 2 & Project 2 are both up**
  - a. Lab 2 is due Jan 30th
  - b. Project 2 is due Feb 3rd

# Topics of This Week

1. **Set Operations**
  - a. Union, Intersection, Difference, XOR
2. **Generics: one definition that applies to any data types**
  - a. You will get a better understanding of `<T>` when doing project 2

# Set Operations

## UNION

$$\text{set1} + \text{set2} = \{A, B, C, D, E\}$$

## INTERSECT

$$\text{set1} * \text{set2} = \{B, C, D\}$$

## DIFF

$$\text{set1} - \text{set2} = \{A\}, \text{set2} - \text{set1} = \{E\}$$

## XOR

$$\begin{aligned} \text{set1 xor set2} &= (\text{set1} + \text{set2}) - (\text{set1} * \text{set2}) \\ &= \{A, E\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{xor} = \text{union} - \text{intersection}$$

## Example

$$\text{Set1} = \{A, B, C, D\}$$

$$\text{Set2} = \{B, C, D, E\}$$

# Lab 2

**union()  
intersection()  
difference()  
xor()  
doubleLength()  
trimArray()  
\*contains()**

## Notes

- Hints on Union() and doubleLength() are given during lecture (see video directory)
- Helper function contains() to check the uniqueness of elements in a set
  - ``static boolean contains(String elem, String[] set)``
- Recommended order:
  - doubleLength(), trimArray(), & contains() so that you could make use of loadSet()
  - Set operations