

# Data Structures

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CSSE 221

Fundamentals of Software Development Honors

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**The gem cannot be polished without friction,  
nor man perfected without trials.**

**-- Chinese Proverb**

# This week: VectorGraphics

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- Tuesday:
  - Lists and Iterators (capsule)
- Wednesday:
  - Threads (capsule)
  - Project workday
- Today:
  - Stacks and Queues
  - Sets and Maps

# Stacks

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- A last-in, first-out (LIFO) data structure
- Real-world stacks
  - Plate dispensers in the cafeteria
  - Pancakes!
- Some uses:
  - Tracking paths through a maze
  - Providing “unlimited undo” in an application

Operations Provided	Efficiency
Push item	$O(1)$
Pop item	$O(1)$

Implemented by Stack, LinkedList, and ArrayDeque in Java. An ArrayList also works

# Queues

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- A first-in, first-out (FIFO) data structure
- Real-world queues
  - Waiting line at the BMV
  - Character on Star Trek TNG
- Some uses:
  - Scheduling access to shared resource (e.g., printer)

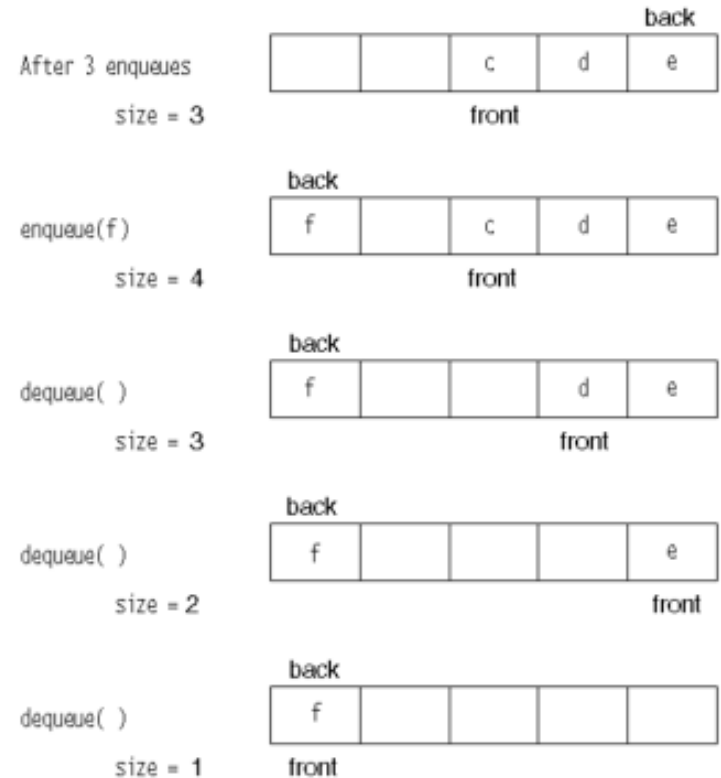
Operations Provided	Efficiency
Enqueue item	$O(1)$
Dequeue item	$O(1)$

Implemented by  
LinkedList and  
ArrayDeque in Java

# Array implementation of queue

```
private int increment( int x )  
{  
    if( ++x == theArray.length )  
        x = 0;  
    return x;  
}
```

What if we run out of room?



# Demo

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# A tale of two interfaces: Set<E>...

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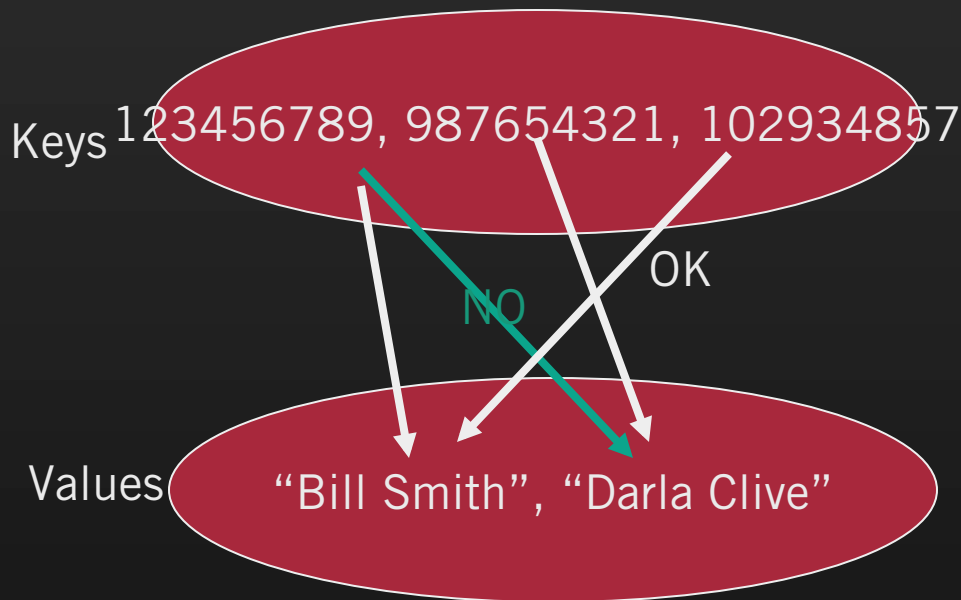
- A collection with **no duplicates**
- If **obj1** and **obj2** are both in the set, then **obj1.equals(obj2)** returns false.
- Can **.add()** and **.remove()**
- Subinterface: **SortedSet**
- Even has intersection (**retainsAll()**) and union (**addAll()**) methods

“Bob”, “Flo”, “Gary”, “Lisa”, “Marie”

# ...and Map<K,V>

```
HashMap<Integer, String> map =  
new HashMap<Integer, String>();
```

```
map.put(123456789, "Bill Smith");  
map.put(987654321, "Darla Clive");
```



- An object that maps keys to values. Duplicates?
  - A map cannot contain duplicate keys; each key can map to at most one value.  
`V get(Object key)`
  - Multiple keys **can** have the same value
- Other operations:
  - `put(K key, V value)`
  - `containsKey(Object key)`
  - `V remove(Object key)`

# TreeSets and TreeMaps

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- ...are java.util implementations of SortedSet and Map.
- **Sorted** elements.
- In a tree, average time is  $O(\log n)$ ,
  - and with complex algorithms, worst case can also be  $O(\log n)$
- Also support taking ordered subsets from head, tail, or interior of set or map
- Implement in CSSE230

# HashSets and HashMaps

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- ...are java.util implementations of Set (not SortedSet) and Map.
- Average time for lookup, insertion, or deletion is  $O(1)$ .
  - but worst case is  $O(N)$ .
  - A quick view of how it works:
    - hashCode function maps object to an integer, which is used to find an index into an array
    - Resolve collisions
    - Fast search, but unordered
  - Need to use a class for your keys that implements .equals() and .hashCode() [or implement them]
- More details in CSSE230

# Sets

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- Collections **without duplicates**
- Real-world sets
  - Students
  - Collectibles
- Some uses:
  - Quickly checking if an item is in a collection

Operations	HashSet	TreeSet
Add/remove item	$O(1)$	$O(\lg n)$
Contains?	$O(1)$	$O(\lg n)$

Can hog space

Sorts items!

# Maps

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- Associate unique keys with values
- Real-world “maps”
  - Dictionary
  - Phone book
- Some uses:
  - Associating student ID with transcript
  - Associating name with high scores

Operations	HashMap	TreeMap
Insert key-value pair	$O(1)$	$O(\lg n)$
Look up value for key	$O(1)$	$O(\lg n)$

Can hog space

Sorts items by key!

# Demo

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