

A Deck has multiple Cards.

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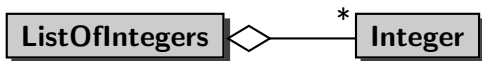
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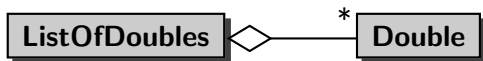
Answer

Yes.

Number of millimeters of rain per day



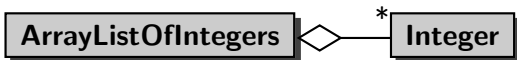
Score for each test



Whether there was any snow for each day

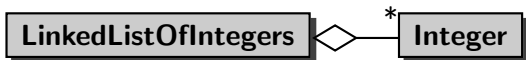


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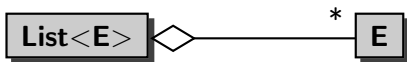


The list is implemented by means of an array and multiple threads can manipulate the list at the same time.

These different lists can be classified based on

- the type of the elements of the list (Integer, Double, Boolean, ...) and
- the way the list is implemented (using an array, using “links,” ...).

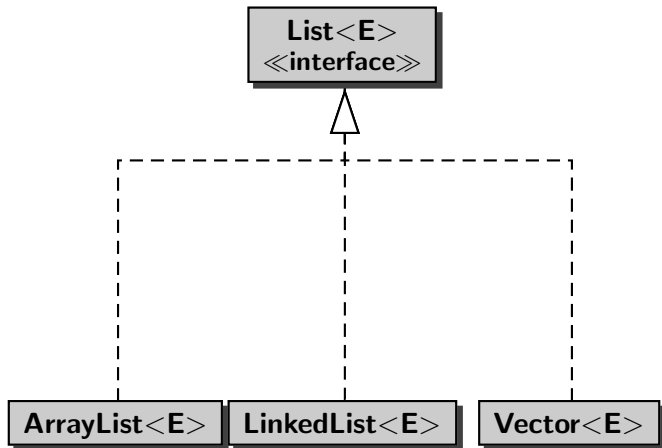
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`E` is a **type parameter**. The elements of the list are of type `E`.

Lists

To abstract from the way the list is implemented, we exploit interfaces.



Class versus Interface

interface	specification	what?
class	implementation	how?

Number of millimeters of rain per day

```
final int DAYS_PER_YEAR = 365;  
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Question

Why can we assign an object of type `ArrayList<Integer>` to a variable of type `List<Integer>`?

Answer

Because the class `ArrayList<E>` implements the interface `List<E>`.

```
List<Double> tests = new LinkedList<Double>();
```

- The type of the elements is `Double` and
- the list is implemented by means of “links.”

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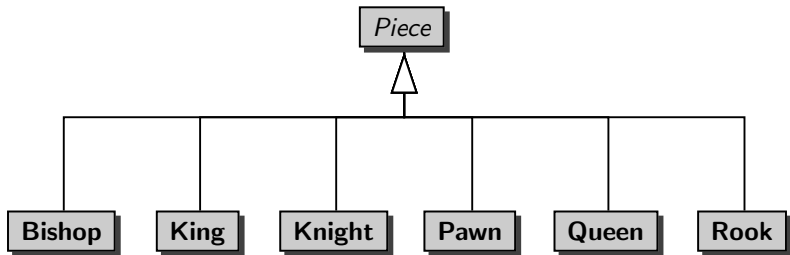
Answer

n	ArrayList	LinkedList	Vector
10^5	9	12	14
10^6	47	92	113
10^7	442	824	1041
2×10^7	913	1,650	2,076
3×10^7	1,350	143,616	3,230
4×10^7	2,527		4,103
5×10^7	2,689		6,119

ArrayList, LinkedList or Vector?

- Adding to or deleting from the beginning of a `LinkedList` is in general more efficient than adding to or deleting from the beginning of an `ArrayList` or `Vector`.
- Adding and deleting while traversing a `LinkedList` is in general more efficient than adding and deleting while traversing an `ArrayList` or `Vector`.
- In most other cases, `ArrayList` outperforms `LinkedList` and `Vector`.

Chess pieces



Question

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Answer

```
final int COLUMNS = 8;  
List<Piece> row = new ArrayList<Piece>(COLUMNS);
```

- The type of the elements is Piece and
- the list is implemented by means of an array.

List<E>
«interface»

```
add(E) : boolean
add(int, E)
contains(E) : boolean
get(int) : E
iterator() : Iterator<E>
remove(int) : E
set(int, E) : E
size() : int
```

Question

Create an empty row of a chess board.

Row of a Chess board

Answer

```
final int COLUMNS = 8;
List<Piece> row = new ArrayList<Piece>(COLUMNS);
for (int c = 0; c < COLUMNS; c++)
{
    row.add(null);
}
```

Question

Place a black rook on the first and the last square of the row.



Row of a Chess board

Answer

```
Rook rook = new Rook(Color.BLACK);  
row.set(0, rook);  
row.set(COLUMNS - 1, rook);
```

Row of a Chess board

Question

Place a white pawn on each square of the row.



Row of a Chess board

Answer

```
Pawn pawn = new Pawn(Color.WHITE);  
for (int c = 0; c < COLUMNS; c++)  
{  
    row.set(c, pawn);  
}
```


Question

Print the row.

An empty square is represented by two spaces. A non-empty square is represented by the representation of the piece on that square. For example, a black king is represented by BK and a white queen is represented by WQ.

The squares are separated by a single space.

Answer

```
StringBuffer representation = new StringBuffer();
for (Piece piece : row)
{
    if (piece == null) {
        representation.append(" ");
    }
    else
    {
        representation.append(piece.toString());
    }
    representation.append(" ");
}
output.println(representation.toString());
```

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Answer

```
final int ROWS = 8;  
List<List<Piece>> board = new ArrayList<List<Piece>>(ROWS);
```

- The type of the elements is `List<Piece>`, each representing a row of the board, and
- the list is implemented by means of an array.

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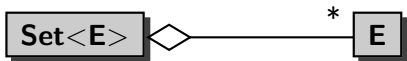
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Set<E>

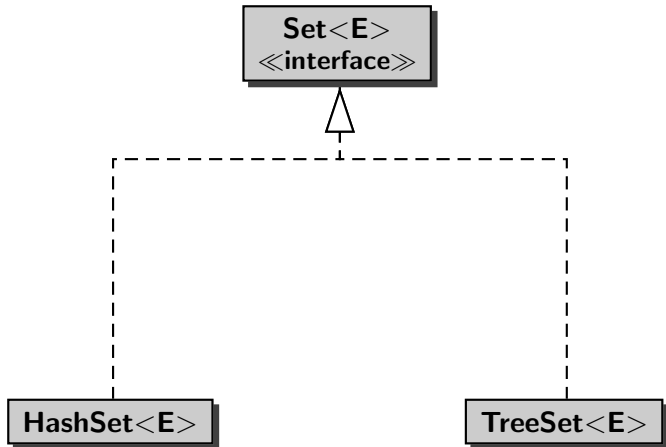
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add(E) : boolean

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size() : int



HashSet or TreeSet?

- Adding to or deleting from or searching in a `HashSet` is in general more efficient than adding to or deleting from or searching in a `TreeSet`.
- `TreeSet` keeps the elements sorted, but `HashSet` does not.

Problem

Given an iTunes library, determine whether each playlist of an iTunes library contains duplicates.