# Data Structures and Algorithms in Java

Assignment 4 (Collections) Discussion

## Problem 1 (Deque)

Create a generic, iterable data type called `LinkedDeque` that uses a doubly-linked list to implement the following deque API

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|---|---|
| `LinkedDeque()` | constructs an empty deque |
| `boolean isEmpty()` | returns `true` if this deque empty, and `false` otherwise |
| `int size()` | returns the number of items on this deque |
| `void addFirst(T item)` | adds `item` to the front of this deque |
| `void addLast(T item)` | adds `item` to the back of this deque |
| `T peekFirst()` | returns the item at the front of this deque |
| `T removeFirst()` | removes and returns the item at the front of this deque |
| `T peekLast()` | returns the item at the back of this deque |
| `T removeLast()` | removes and returns the item at the back of this deque |
| `Iterator<T> iterator()` | returns an iterator to iterate over the items in this deque from front to back |
| `String toString()` | returns a string representation of this deque |

## Problem 1 (Deque)

```
× ~/workspace/collections
$ javac -d out src/LinkedDeque.java
$ java LinkedDeque
Filling the deque...
The deque (364 characters): There is grandeur in this view of life, with its
several powers, having been originally breathed into a few forms or into one;
and that, whilst this planet has gone cycling on according to the fixed law
of gravity, from so simple a beginning endless forms most beautiful and most
wonderful have been, and are being, evolved. ~ Charles Darwin, The Origin
of Species
Emptying the deque...
deque.isEmpty()? true
```

## Problem 1 (Deque)

Use a doubly-linked list `Node` to implement the API — each node in the list stores a generic `item`, and references `next` and `prev` to the next and previous nodes in the list


Instance variables (`LinkedDeque`)

- Reference to the front of the deque, `Node first`
- Reference to the back of the deque, `Node last`
- Size of the deque, `int n`

`LinkedDeque()`

- Initialize instance variables to appropriate values

`boolean isEmpty()`

- Return whether the deque is empty or not

`int size()`

- Return the size of the deque

## Problem 1 (Deque)

`void addFirst(T item)`
- Add the given item to the front of the deque
- Increment `n` by one
- If this is the first item that is being added, both `first` and `last` must point to the same node

`void addLast(T item)`
- Add the given item to the back of the deque
- Increment `n` by one
- If this is the first item that is being added, both `first` and `last` must point to the same node

`T peekFirst()`
- Return the item at the front of the deque

`T removeFirst()`
- Remove and return the item at the front of the deque
- Decrement `n` by one
- If this is the last item that is being removed, both `first` and `last` must point to `null`

`T peekLast()`
- Return the item at the back of the deque

## Problem 1 (Deque)

`T removeLast()`
- Remove and return the item at the back of the deque
- Decrement `n` by one
- If this is the last item that is being removed, both `first` and `last` must point to `null`

`Iterator<T> iterator()`
- Return an object of type `DequeIterator`

`LinkedDeque::DequeIterator`
- Instance variable
  - Reference to current node in the iterator, `Node current`

  `DequeIterator()`
  - Initialize instance variable appropriately

  `boolean hasNext()`
  - Return whether the iterator has more items to iterate or not

  `T next()`
  - Return the item in `current` and advance `current` to the next node

## Problem 2 (Random Queue)

Create a generic, iterable data type called `ResizingArrayRandomQueue` that uses a resizing array to implement the following random queue API

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|---|---|
| `ResizingArrayRandomQueue()` | constructs an empty random queue |
| `boolean isEmpty()` | returns `true` if this queue is empty, and `false` otherwise |
| `int size()` | returns the number of items in this queue |
| `void enqueue(T item)` | adds *item* to the end of this queue |
| `T sample()` | returns a random item from this queue |
| `T dequeue()` | removes and returns a random item from this queue |
| `Iterator<T> iterator()` | returns an independent† iterator to iterate over the items in this queue in random order |
| `String toString()` | returns a string representation of this queue |

## Problem 2 (Random Queue)

```
× ~/workspace/collections
$ javac -d out src/ResizingArrayRandomQueue.java
$ java ResizingArrayRandomQueue
sum        = 5081434
iterSumQ   = 5081434
dequeSumQ  = 5081434
iterSumQ + dequeSumQ == 2 * sum? true
```

## Problem 2 (Random Queue)

Use a resizing array to implement the API

Instance variables (`ResizingArrayRandomQueue`)

- Array to store the items of queue, `Item[] q`
- Size of the queue, `int n`

`ResizingArrayRandomQueue()`

- Initialize instance variables appropriately — create `q` with an initial capacity of 2

`boolean isEmpty()`

- Return whether the queue is empty or not

`int size()`

- Return the size of the queue

`void enqueue(T item)`

- If `q` is at full capacity, resize it to twice its current capacity
- Insert the given item in `q` at index `n`
- Increment `n` by one

## Problem 2 (Random Queue)

`T sample()`
- Return `q[r]`, where `r` is a random integer from the interval `[0, n)`

`T dequeue()`
- Save `q[r]` in `item`, where `r` is a random integer from the interval `[0, n)`
- Set `q[r]` to `q[n - 1]` and `q[n - 1]` to `null`
- Decrement `n` by one
- If `q` is at quarter capacity, resize it to half its current capacity
- Return `item`

`Iterator<T> iterator()`
- Return an object of type `RandomQueueIterator`

## Problem 2 (Random Queue)

`ResizingArrayRandomQueue::RandomQueueIterator`

- Instance variables
  - Array to store the items of `q`, `T[] items`
  - Index of the current item in `items`, `int current`
- `RandomQueueIterator()`
  - Create `items` with capacity `n`
  - Copy the `n` items from `q` into `items`
  - Shuffle `items`
  - Initialize `current` appropriately
- `boolean hasNext()`
  - Return whether the iterator has more items to iterate or not
- `T next()`
  - Return the item in `items` at index `current` and advance `current` by one