

# Java Collections Framework Reference Sheet

List				
	get(i)	set(i, x)	add(i, x)	remove(i)
ArrayList	$O(1)$	$O(1)$	$O(1 + n - i)$	$O(n - i)$
LinkedList	$O(1 + \min\{i, n - i\})$			

Set			
	add(x)	remove(x)	contains(x)
HashSet	$O(1)$		
TreeSet	$O(\log n)$		

SortedSet			
	headSet(y) <sup>1</sup>	tailSet(x) <sup>1</sup>	subSet(x, y) <sup>1</sup>
TreeSet	$O(\log n)$		

Map <sup>2</sup>			
	get(k)	put(k, v)	containsKey(k)
HashMap	$O(1)$		
TreeMap <sup>3</sup>	$O(\log n)$		

Deque				
	addFirst(x)	removeFirst()	addLast(x)	removeLast(x)
ArrayDeque	$O(1)$			
LinkedList	$O(1)$			

Queue			
	add(x)	remove()	element()
ArrayDeque	$O(1)$		
LinkedList	$O(1)$		
PriorityQueue	$O(\log n)$	$O(\log n)$	$O(1)$

Collections			
sort(list)	min(c)/max(c)	reverse(list)	binarySearch(list, x) <sup>4</sup>
$O(n \log n)$	$O(n)$	$O(n)$	$O(\log n)$

<sup>1</sup>Avoid using the size() method on the sets returned by headSet(y), tailSet(x), or subSet(x, y); it takes  $\Omega(n)$  time. Use isEmpty() if you only want to check if the set is empty.

<sup>2</sup>Use keySet(), values(), and entrySet() to get direct access to the Set of keys, Collection of values, or Set of key/value pairs in the Map.

<sup>3</sup>TreeMap implements the SortedMap interface, so its keySet() is a SortedSet.

<sup>4</sup>To run in  $O(\log n)$  time, binarySearch(list, x) requires that list have an  $O(1)$ -time get(i) operation; only use it with an ArrayList.