

# Inheritance: Applications

## Lecture 23

### Sections 14.5 - 14.6

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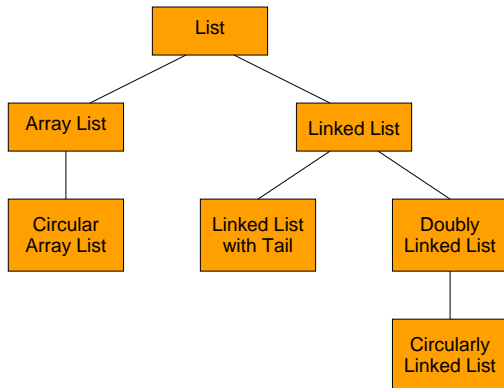
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# List Classes

- We have developed several different implementations of an abstract list.
  - ▶ `ArrayList`
  - ▶ `CircArrayList`
  - ▶ `LinkedList`
  - ▶ `LinkedListwTail`
  - ▶ `DoublyLinkedList`
  - ▶ `CircLinkedList`
- They fall into two basic categories.
  - ▶ Array-based.
  - ▶ Linked.

# Hierarchy of Lists

- We can easily imagine a hierarchy of list classes.



# The List Interface

```
class List
{
    List();
    List(int sz);
    List(int sz, const T& value);
    List(const List<T>& lst);
    ~List();
    T getElement(int pos) const;
    T& getElement(int pos);
    int size() const;
    bool isEmpty() const;
    void setElement(int pos, const T& value);
    void insert(int pos, const T& value);
    void remove(int pos);
}
```

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```
void pushFront(const T& value);  
void pushBack(const T& value);  
T popFront();  
T popBack();  
void makeEmpty();  
void input(istream& in);  
void output(ostream& out) const;  
List<T>& operator=(const List<T>& lst);  
T operator[(int pos) const];  
T& operator[(int pos)];  
void swap(List<T>& lst);  
int search(const T& value) const;  
void sort();  
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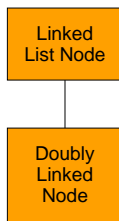
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# Hierarchy of Node Classes

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- If not, then what should we do about it?

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## Homework

- Read Section 14.5, pages 810 - 822.
- Read Section 14.6, pages 823 - 827.