

A landscape painting by Claude Monet, likely "The Path at Giverny" (1896). It depicts a sunlit garden with a path leading towards a pond. Several weeping willow trees stand along the path, their long, drooping branches reaching over the water. The background shows a distant shoreline with buildings under a bright, hazy sky.

# A06 Maps: HashMap and TreeMap

Map as an ADT

A Map interface

A hash-table-based Map implementation

A tree-based Map implementation

# ADT Recap

First-principles implementation of three Java container types:

- List
  - **ArrayList**, **LinkedList** implementations (A1, A2)
- Set
  - **HashSet**, **TreeSet** implementations (A3, A4, A5)
- Map
  - **HashMap**, **TreeMap** implementations (A6)

Introduced **hash tables**, **trees** (A4, A5)



# The Map ADT (also known as Associative Array)

A map consists of **(key, value)** pairs

- Each key may occur only once in the map
- Values are retrieved from the map via the key
- Values may be modified
- Key, value pairs may be removed

# Our Map Interface

We will explore maps using a simple interface:

```
public interface Map<K, V> {  
    V put(K key, V value);  
    V get(K key);  
    V remove (K key);  
    int size();  
}
```

```
fruit.put("grape", 7.00)
```

fruit

a-f
g-m
n-t
u-z



