



OpenRewrite in a Nutshell

*Scaling Upgrades with
Practical Insights*

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Frameworks we've used



2

JUnit



1

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Upgraded to...



JAKARTA® EE



spring® 6



QUARKUS

3

JUnit



LOG4J



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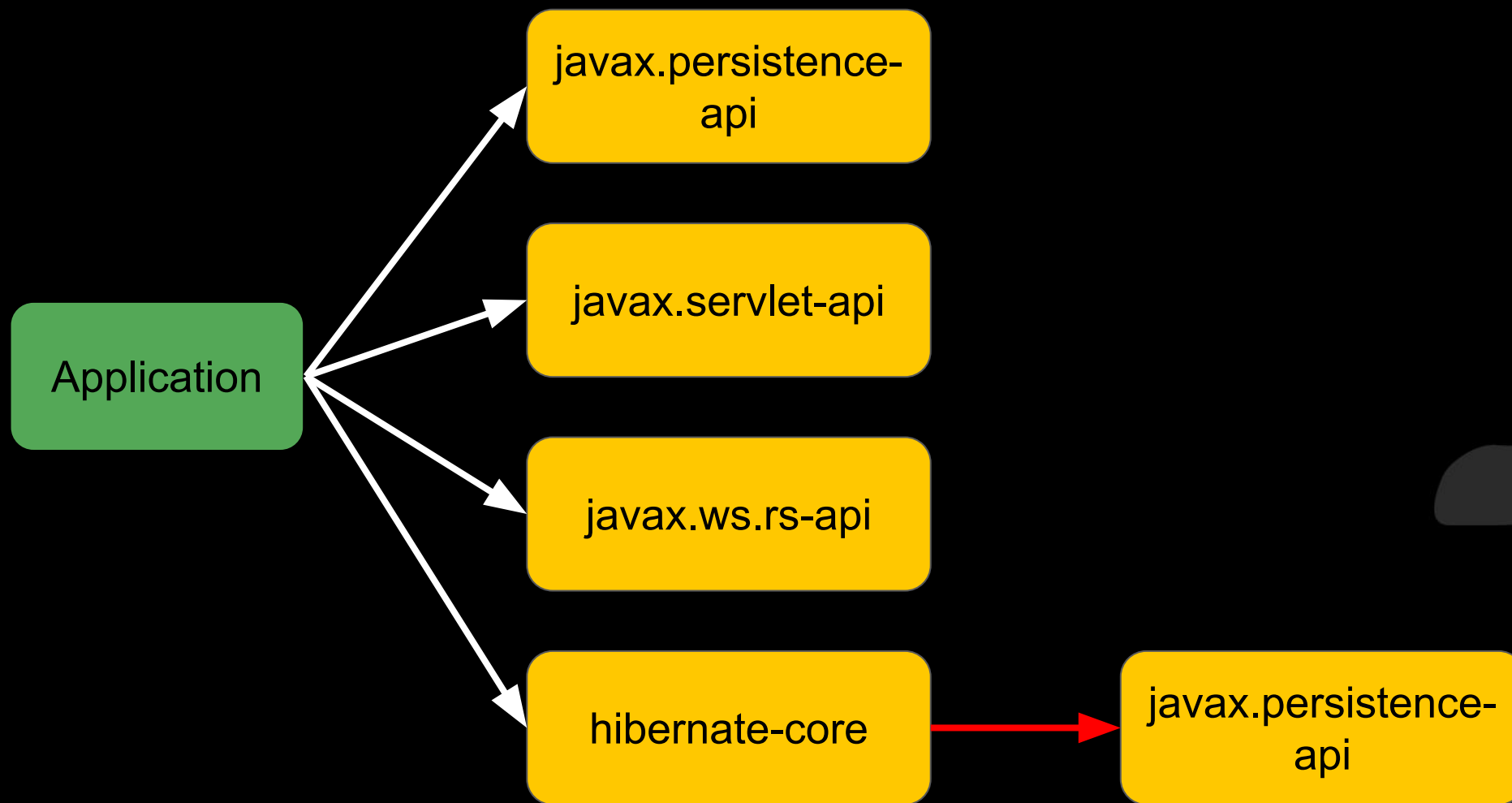
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A large upgrade: Jakarta EE 9

// **javax**.inject.Inject -> **jakarta**.inject.Inject

// **javax**.naming.InitialContext -> **javax**.naming.InitialContext

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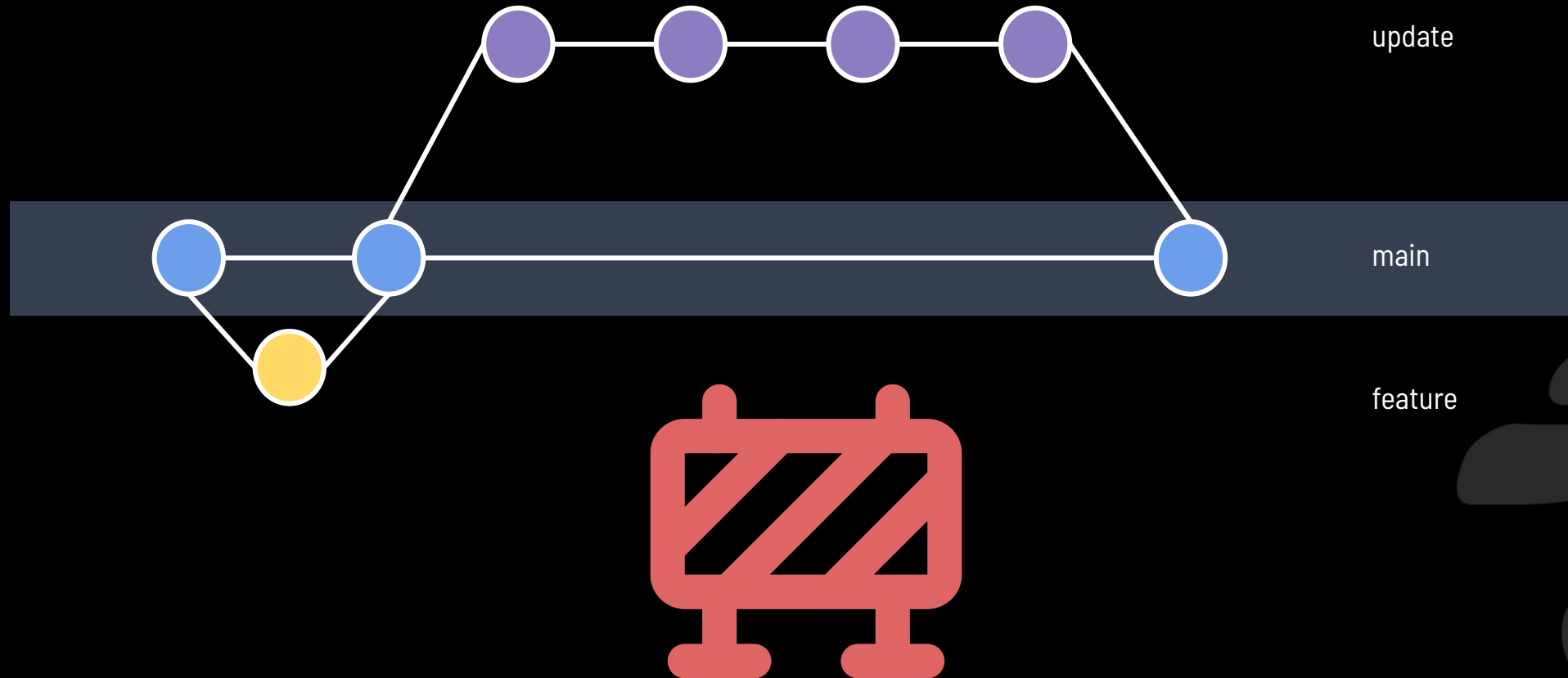
Upgrading manually - A tedious task

// Time consuming

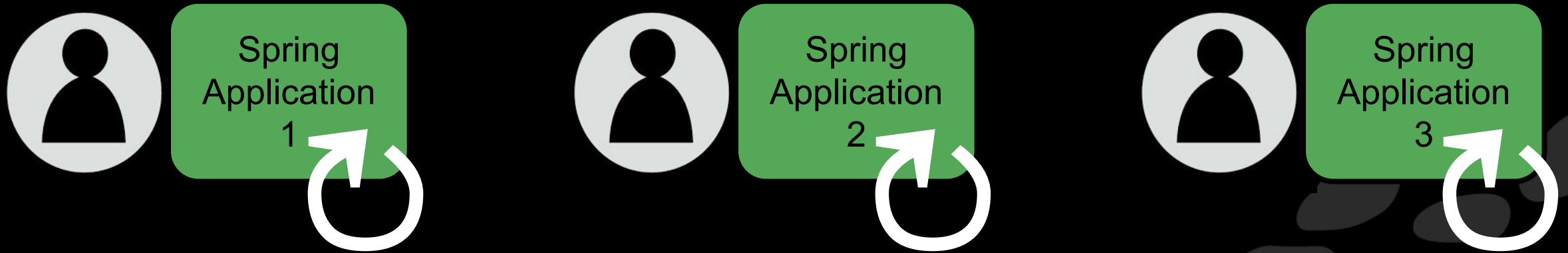
// Error prone

// Not fun

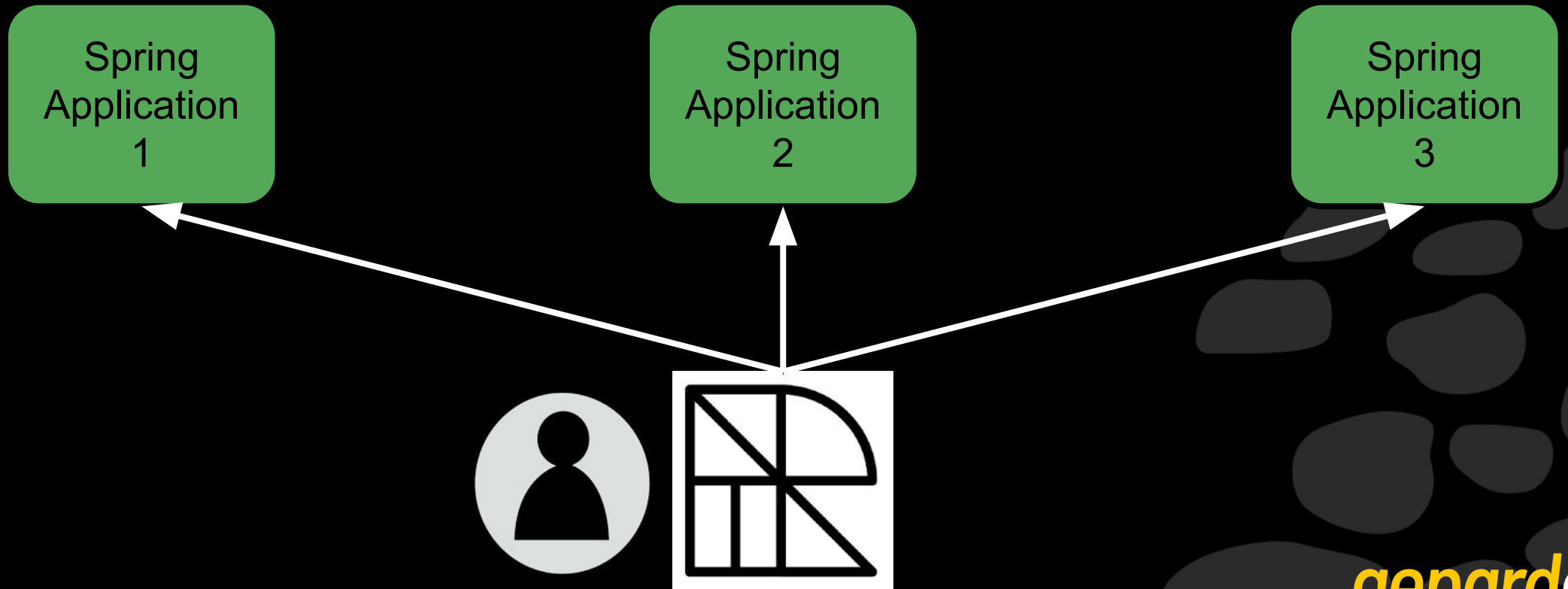
Upgrading manually - Stop the world



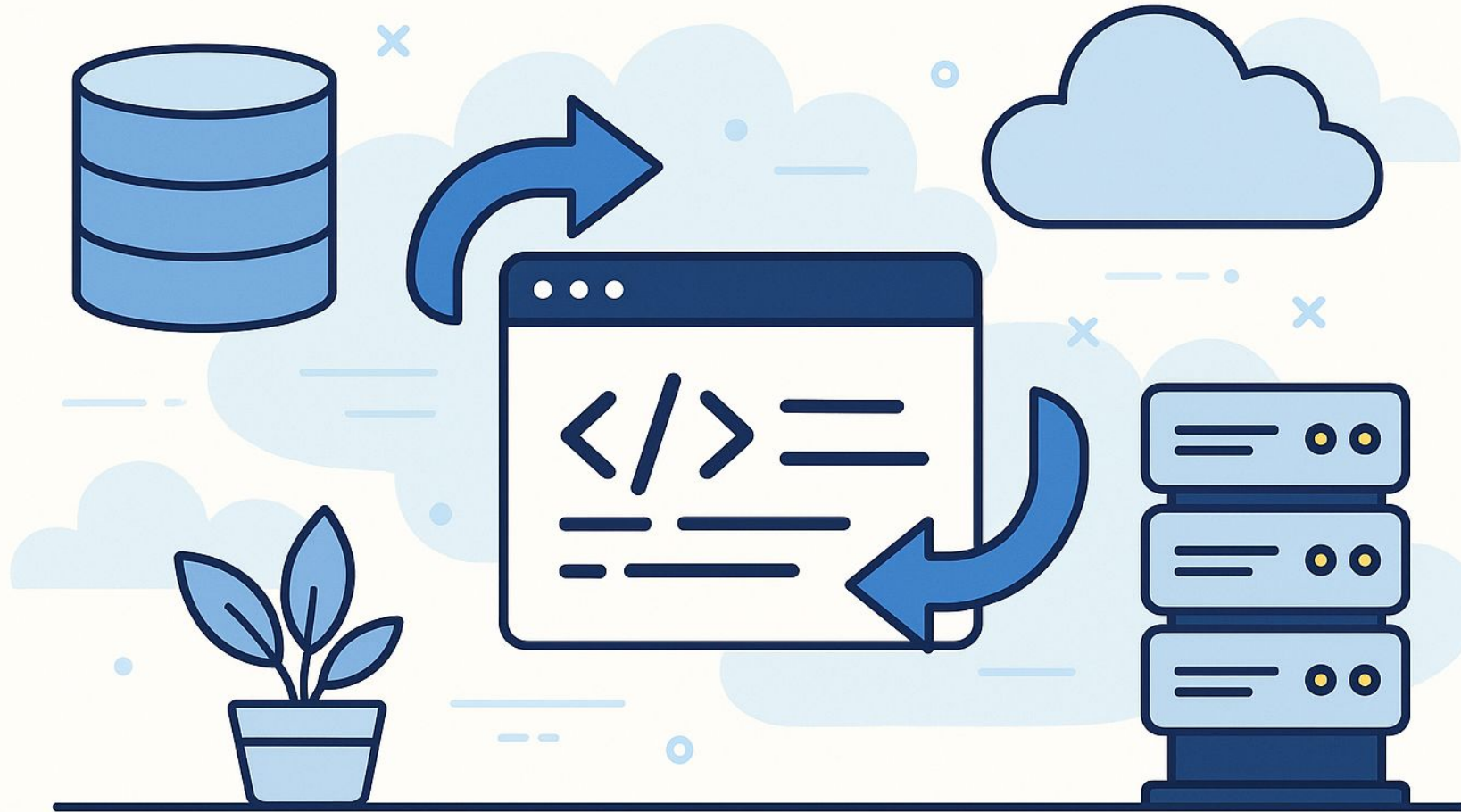
Upgrading manually - Repeated effort



And that's how OpenRewrite got born!



MIGRATIONS AS CODE



Formats supported by OpenRewrite

// Java

// XML / Maven

// Groovy / Gradle

// JSON

// YAML

// Properties

// ...

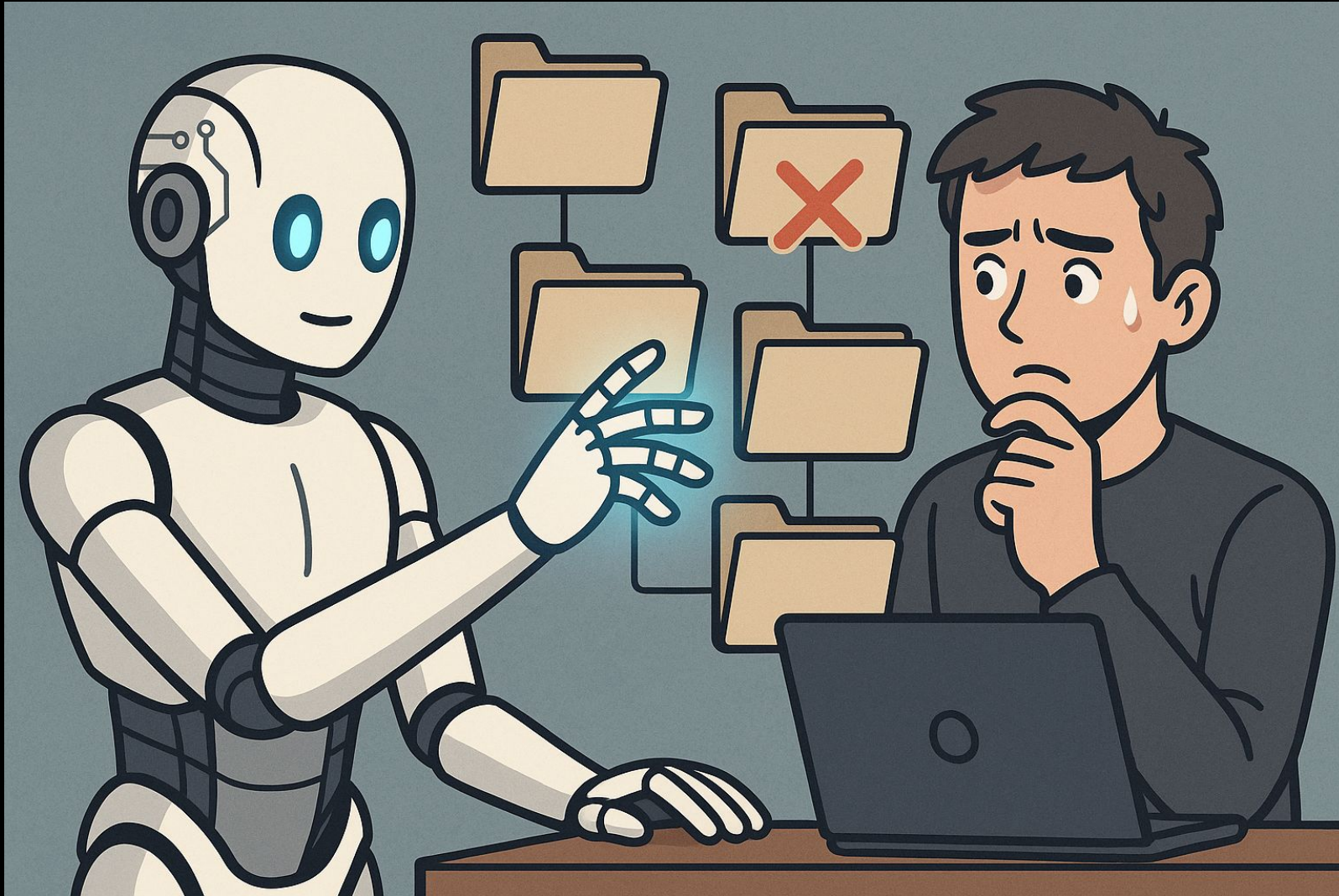
About text replacements

```
public void example() {  
    Type x = new Type();  
    x.doSomething();  
    OtherType y = new OtherType();  
    y.doSomething();  
}
```



```
public void example() {  
    Type x = new Type();  
    x.doNothing();  
    OtherType y = new OtherType();  
    y.doSomething();  
}
```

About LLMs



Recipe Catalog

// List of official Recipes by Moderne / Open Source

<https://docs.openrewrite.org/recipes/java/migrate/jakarta/jakartaee11>



Composite Recipes

Another Recipe

<https://docs.openrewrite.org/recipes/maven/changedependencygroupidandartifactid>

Other Recipes

// UpgradeDependency

// ChangePropertyValue

// ChangeType

// ReplaceAnnotation

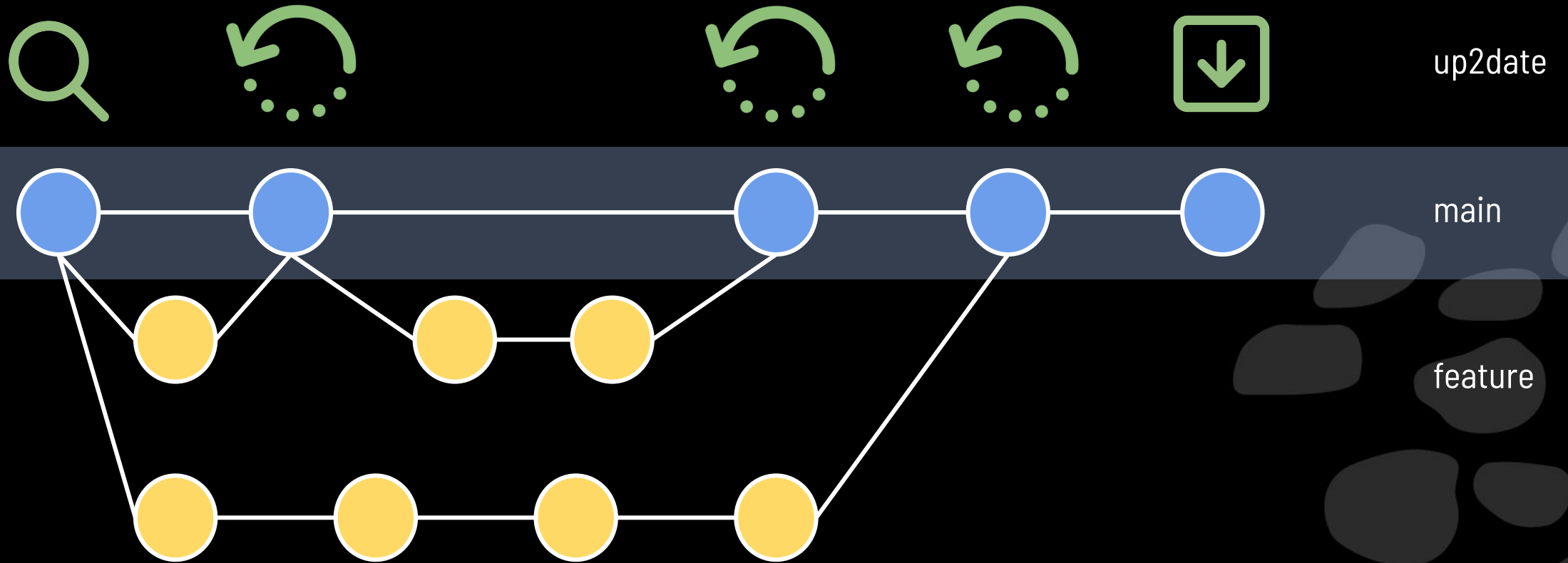
// JakartaEE10

// Slf4jToLog4j

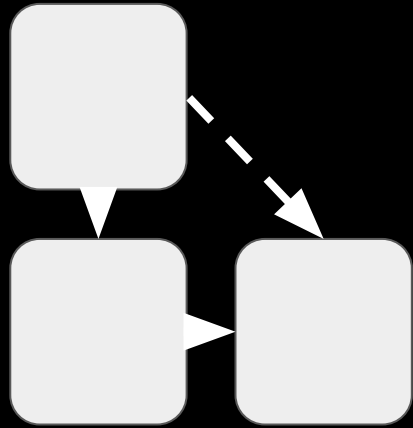


Framework Migrations

Transformer



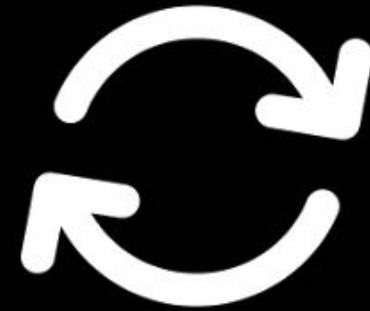
Prerequisites for Framework Migrations



// Transitive dependencies in controlled code?

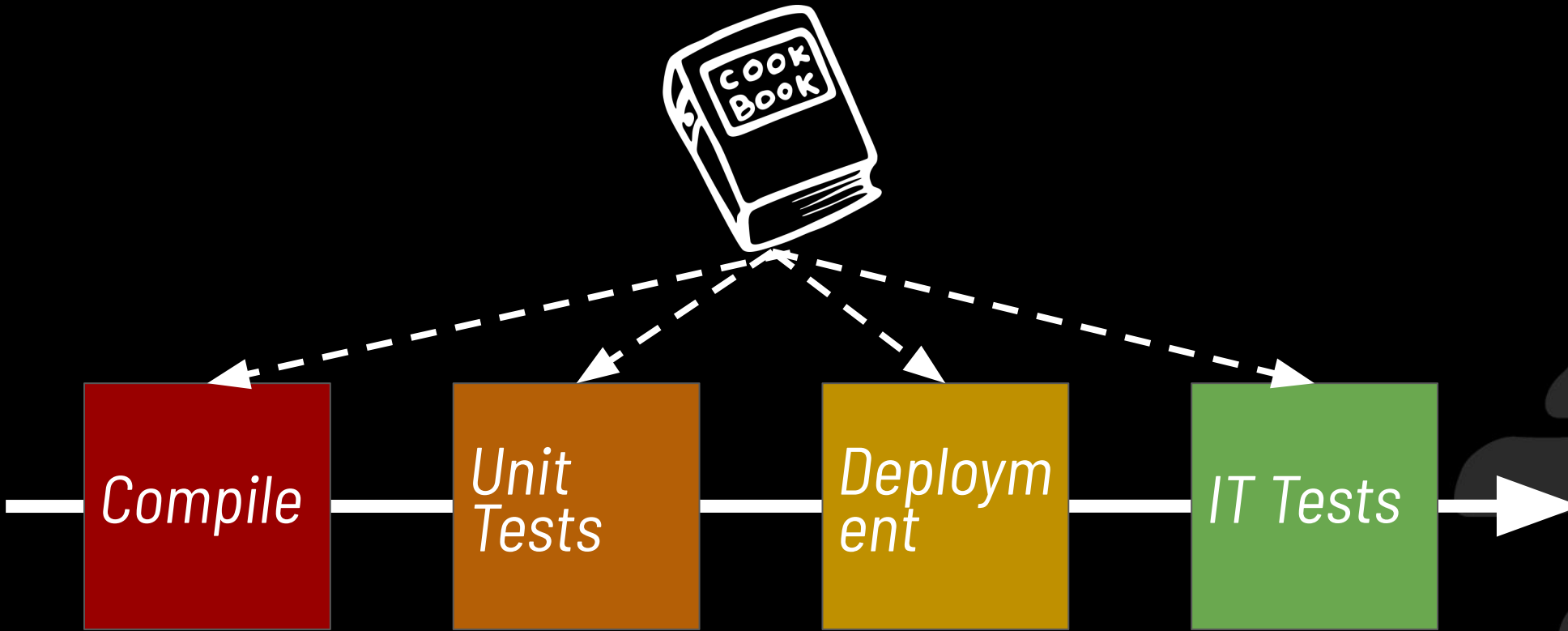


// Ensure a good test coverage



// Clean up to ease automation

Automating Framework Migrations



Single Cases

Q: Should I make the effort to integrate specific cases even if they only have one occurrence?

A: Yes! But keep it simple! For example, you could do:

- FindAndReplace*
- Replace entire files*



Custom Recipes

Interface transformation

```
request  
    .getMetadata()  
    .setTenantId("1");
```

```
Metadata meta =  
    ObjectFactory.createMetadata();  
JaxbElement<String> tenantId =  
    ObjectFactory  
        .createMetadataTenantId("1");  
meta.setTenantId(tenantId);  
request.setMetadata(meta);
```



Lossless Semantics Tree (LST)

```
\--J.ClassDeclaration  
  |--J.Modifier | "public"  
  |--J.Identifier | "Main"  
  \--J.Block
```

public class Main {...}

```
\-----J.MethodDeclaration | "MethodDeclaration{com.gepardec.Main}"  
  |--J.Modifier | "public"  
  |--J.Modifier | "static"  
  |--J.Primitive | "void"  
  |--J.Identifier | "main"  
  |-----J.VariableDeclarations | "String[] args"  
  \--J.Block  
    \-----J.MethodInvocation | "System.out.println("Hello world!")"  
      |-----J.FieldAccess | "System.out"  
      |--J.Identifier | "println"  
      |-----J.Literal | ""Hello world!""
```

Lossless Semantics Tree (LST)

```
\--J.ClassDeclaration  
  |--J.Modifier | "public"      public static void main(String[] args)  
  |--J.Identifier | "Main"      {...}  
  \--J.Block
```

```
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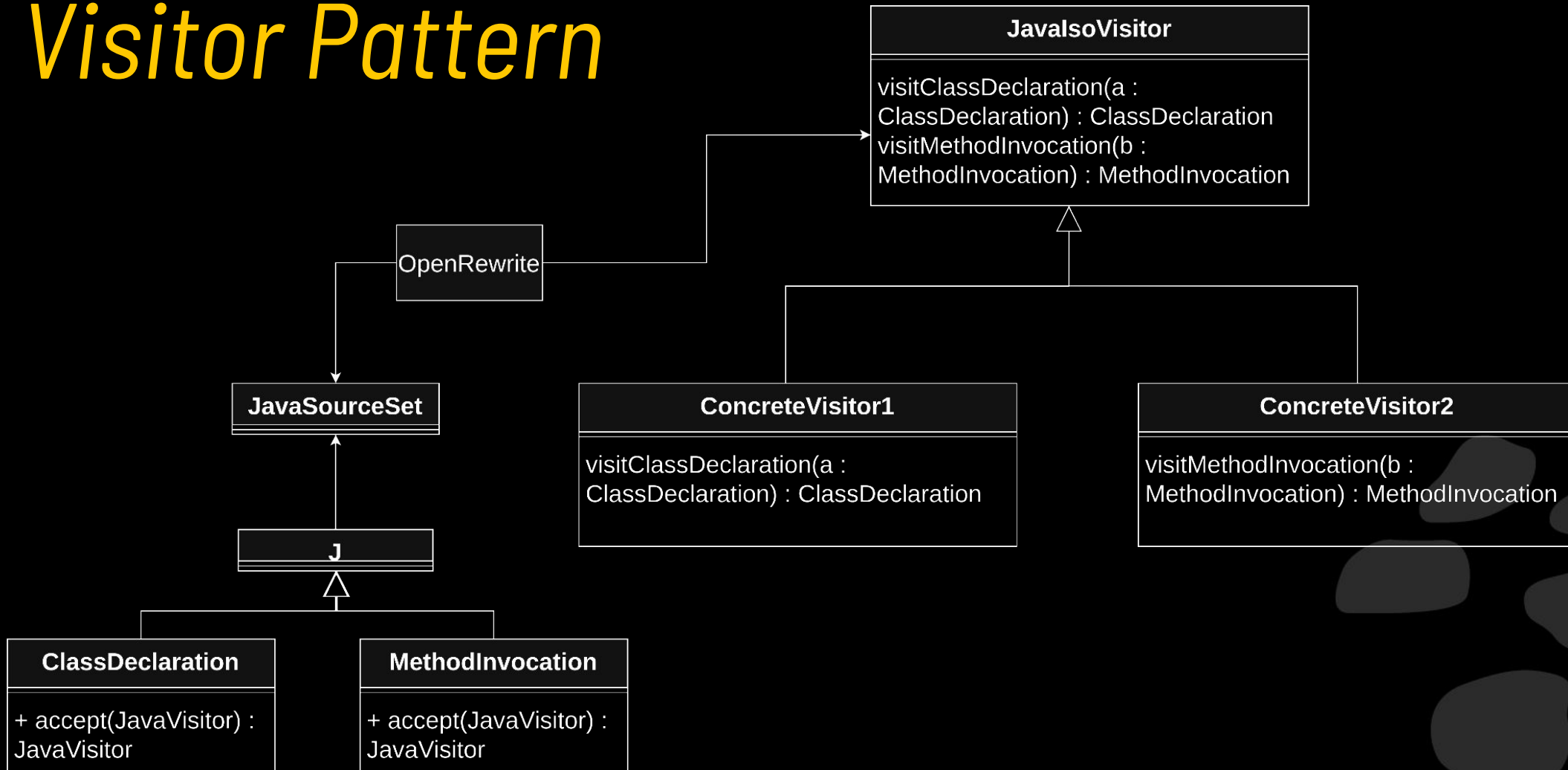
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Visitor Pattern





Example for custom recipes

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Scanning Recipe

1
SCAN



// Scan DTO
hierarchies and store
as Tree

2
GENERATE



3
VISIT



// Lookup DTO in
tree and add
initialisations +
nested setters

Quality Criterias for Recipes

// Type attribution

// Idempotency

// Atomicity

Learning to write Recipes

[// https://docs.openrewrite.org/authoring-recipes](https://docs.openrewrite.org/authoring-recipes)

[// https://docs.moderne.io/user-documentation/community-office-hours/](https://docs.moderne.io/user-documentation/community-office-hours/)

[// https://app.moderne.io/recipes/org.openrewrite.java.search.FindMethods](https://app.moderne.io/recipes/org.openrewrite.java.search.FindMethods)

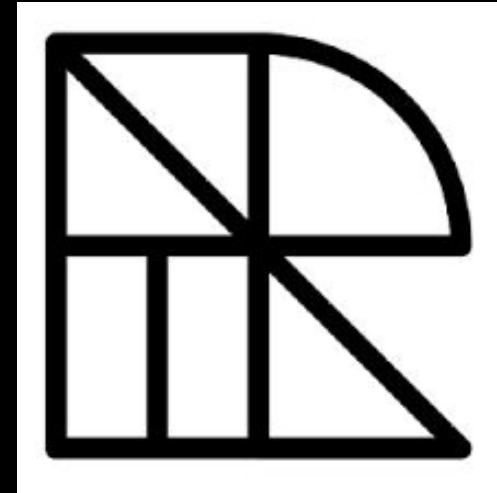
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dv_0uzwow](https://join.slack.com/t/rewriteoss/shared_invite/zt-1ihfggp2a-gllit_aXJnhHA_dv_0uzwow)

DataTables: RelocatedDependencyCheck

```
<dependencies>
  <dependency>
    <groupId>javax.servlet</groupId>
    <artifactId>javax.servlet-api</artifactId>
    <version>3.0.1</version>
  </dependency>
</dependencies>
```

C1	C2	C3	C4	C5
Dependency group id	Dependency artifact id	Relocated dependency group id	Relocated dependency artifact id	Context
The Group ID of th...	The Artifact ID of the...	The Group ID of the relocated...	The Artifact ID of the relocate...	Context for the relocation, if any.
javax.servlet	javax.servlet-api	jakarta.servlet	jakarta.servlet-api	Java EE new home is Jakarta EE, se...

Auto Update Service



// Renovate finds new Updates

// OpenRewrite migrates to a new update



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