RxJava Code Lab

https://github.com/jraska/RxJava-Codelab

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Agenda

- Motivation
- Brief overview of ReactiveX
- Let's code!
- Transformations
- Combining
- Error handling
- Scheduling

Why this Code Lab?

- Rx is powerful tool
- Rx is trendy
- We use Rx and we want to use it more
- Different way of thinking
- Difficult to understand
- Lot of confusion

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void failure(IOException e);
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private UserManager um = new UserManager();
void updateUserName() {
  um.setName( name: "John Doe", new UserManager.Listener() {
   @Override
   public void success() {
     runOnUiThread(new Runnable() {
  @Override
  public void run() {
      textView.setText(um.getUser().toString());
@Override
   public void failure(IOException e) {
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Can you model your whole system synchronously?

- Removes the web of callbacks
- Declarative
- Simple asynchronous composing
- Threading abstraction
- Code more readable
- Less bugs

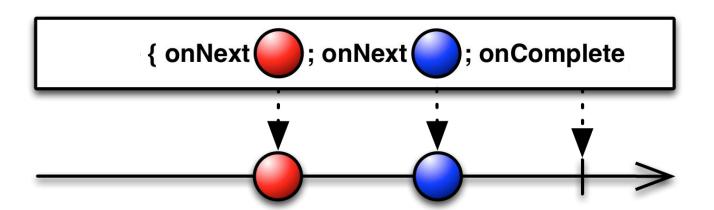
RxJava ⊂ ReactiveX

"ReactiveX is a library for composing asynchronous and event-based programs by using observable sequences."

- Observer pattern
- Concepts language independent

Observable<T>

```
onNext(T)
onError(Throwable)
onCompleted()
```



Observable is "dual" to Iterable

event	Iterable (pull)	Observable (push)
retrieve data	T next()	onNext(T)
discover error	throws Exception	onError(Exception)
complete	!hasNext()	onCompleted()

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um.setName("John Doe")
   .concatWith(um.setAge(33))
   .subscribe(System.out::println);
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um.setName("John Doe")
.flatMap((user) -> um.setAge(33))
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TextView textView;
UserManager um = new UserManager();

void updateUserName() {
  um.setName("John Doe")
    .subscribeOn(schedulers.io())
    .observeOn(schedulers.mainThread())
    .subscribe(user -> textView.setText(user.toString()));
```

Codelab project

- RxJava 2
- Code playground is unit test
- Separate tasks for particular areas
- Each task has a solution in solutions package

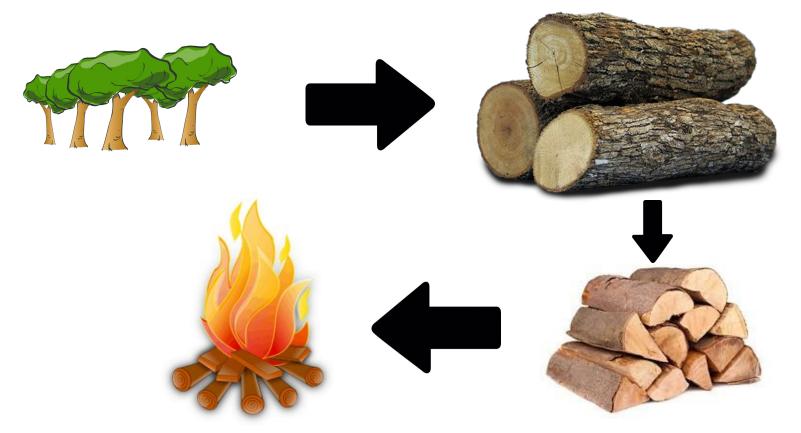
Project setup

- Running unit tests with icon → □ public vo.
- Is everyone ready?
- Entertainment meanwhile:

http://reactivex.io/intro.html

http://rxmarbles.com/

Firewood Deploy Chain



Now let's make some furniture

