JAVA 9

the great modularity migration



an exploratory experiment into how many emojis we can fit into one presentation

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- old java
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- new java
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 - emojis 🔮

disclaimers

- Oracle is charging money for support and security updates
- otherwise use the openJDK
- new garbage collector in V10
- JAVA 9 HAS EMOJI SUPPORT

classpath hell (3)

- when a class is initialised the JVM looks for a class name by going down a list of all classes
- uses the first hit
- becomes a problem with multiple versions of the same JAR; when similar class names are used

reflection \wp

- you can use reflection to make any private matter... less private...
- AKA, everyone can use everything
- welcome to the wild west \(\exists \)

```
public static void main(String[] args) throws ClassNotFoundException,
    Class c = Class.forName("AmazingClassName").getClass();
    Object o = c.newInstance();
    Method m = c.getDeclaredMethod( name: "amazingMethod");
    m.setAccessible(true);
    m.invoke(o, ...args: null);
}
```

modules (\$)

- extra layer around a set of packages
- explicitly states what it imports/exports
- public is no longer application 'global' but module bound
- deals with the problems of reflection and class path hell

- modules deal in readability not visibility
- modules are defined in "module-info.java" file
- "exports" for PACKAGES
 - only public classes can be exported
- "requires" for external modules
- "requires transitive" forces import

```
module madness.modularity.migration {
    // exports
    exports madness.geocoder.output;
    exports madness.geocoder.input;
    exports madness.geocoder.process;

    //imports
    requires google.maps.services;
    requires java.sql;
}
```

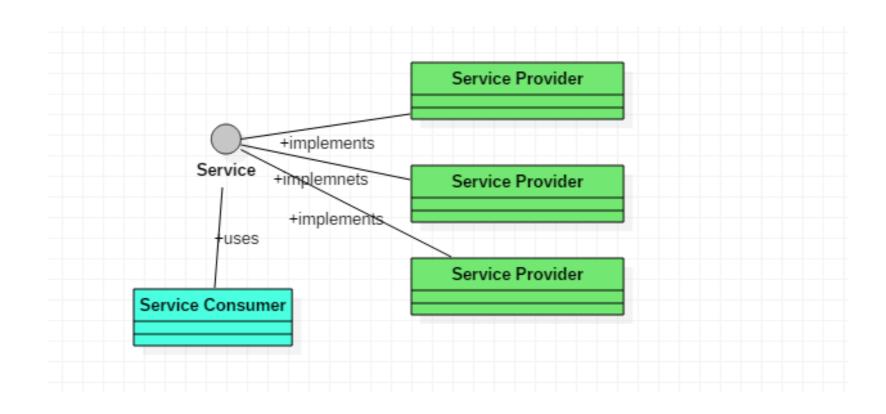
GeoCoder

- 1. fork and clone the git repo
- 2. implement class diagram
- 3. export/require the right modules
- 4. install the module to your local maven repository (mvn install) (good luck with that... ぽ)
- 5. open user project and import the right modules
- make the user project use the GeoCoder app to get coordinates for Fontys FHTenL

services

- services are a way to make your application "plug-and-play"
- you do not need an implementation of a service on compile time only at run time
- Without services you would need to export/import all implementations and users and recompile all stake holding JAR's
- With services you only recompile the service providing JAR
- Java 9 synergy!

- service admin
- service provider
- service implementation
- service annotation



vehicle ORM

- 1. commit to your own git repo and first checkout the "transportorm" project
- 2. have a look around the internet for some examples
- 3. Good luck!
- 4. No but seriously ask us questions when you get stuck, we are/have the solution(s)