Specifications of Implemented Refactorings

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This document collects the pseudo-code specifications of all refactoring implemented in our engine. **Note:** This is work in progress; some specifications are missing, and not all implementations agree completely with the specifications.

1 Pseudocode Conventions

We give our specifications in generic, imperative pseudocode. Parameters and return values are informally typed, with syntax tree nodes having one of the types from Fig. 1. Additionally, we use an ML-like option type with constructors None and Some for functions that may or may not return a value.

Where convenient, we make use of ML-like lists, with list literals of the form [1; 2; 3] and |xs| indicating the length of list xs.

The names of refactorings are written in SMALL CAPS, whereas utility functions appear in monospace. A list of utility functions with brief descriptions is given in Fig. 2. An invocation of a refactoring is written with floor-brackets [LIKE THIS]() to indicate that any language extensions used in the output program produced by the refactoring should be eliminated before proceeding.

We write A <: B to mean that type A extends or implements type B, and m <: m' to mean that method m overrides method m'.

2 The Refactorings

2.1 Convert Anonymous to Local

This refactoring converts an anonymous class to a local class. Implemented in TypePromotion/AnonymousClassToLocalClass.jrag.

2.2 Convert Anonymous to Nested

This refactoring converts an anonymous class to a member class. Implemented in TypePromotion/AnonymousClassToMemberClass.jrag.

Note: the implementation additionally handles the case where ${\cal A}$ occurs in a field initialiser.

Algorithm 1 Convert Anonymous to Local(A:AnonymousClass, n:Name): LocalClass

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked names

- 1: $c \leftarrow$ class instance expression containing A
- 2: $d \leftarrow [\text{EXTRACT TEMP}](c, \text{unCapitalise}(n))$
- 3: $b \leftarrow$ enclosing body declaration of s
- 4: lockNames(b, n)
- 5: convert A to class named n, remove it from c
- 6: Insert Type(b, A)
- 7: lock type access of c to A
- 8: Inline Temp(d)
- 9: **return** A

 $\begin{array}{lll} \textbf{Algorithm} & \textbf{2} & \textbf{Convert Anonymous To Nested}(A:AnonymousClass): \\ Member Type \end{array} .$

Require: Java Ensure: Java

- 1: $L \leftarrow \text{Convert Anonymous to Local}(A)$
- 2: **return** Convert Local to Member CLASS(L)

2.3 Convert Local to Member Class

This refactoring converts a local class to a member class. Implemented in TypePromotion/LocalClassToMemberClass.jrag.

TODO: provide specification of close over type variables and close over local variables (implemented in TypePromotion/CloseOverVariables.jrag)

2.4 Extract Class

This refactoring extracts some fields of a class into a newly created member class. Implemented in ExtractClass/ExtractClass.jrag.

This is only a bare-bones specification. The implementation additionally allows t encapsulate the extracted fields, and to move the wrapper class W to the toplevel.

2.5 Extract Constant

This refactoring extracts a constant expression into a field. Implemented in ExtractTemp/ExtractConstant.jrag.

An expression is extractible if its type is not void, it is not a reference to a type or package, and it is not the keyword super; furthermore, it is not on the right-hand side of a dot.

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Algorithm 3 Convert Local to Member CLASS(L : LocalClass):
MemberType
Require: Java
Ensure: Java \cup locked names, fresh variables
 1: A \leftarrow enclosing type of L
 2: close L over type variables
 3: close L over local variables
 4: if L is in static context then
      make L static
 6: end if
 7: lockNames(name(L))
 8: lock all names in L
 9: remove L from its declaring method
10: Insert Type(A, L)
Algorithm 4 Extract CLASS(C : Class, fs : list Field, n : Name, fn :
Name)
Require: Java
Ensure: Java \cup locked dependencies, first-class array init
 1: v \leftarrow \text{maximum visibility of any of the } fs
 2: W \leftarrow \text{new static class of name } n \text{ with visibility } v
 3: Insert Type(C, W)
 4: w \leftarrow \text{new} field of type W and name fn, initialised to a new instance of W
 5: Insert Field (C, w)
 6: for all f \in fs do
      assert f is not static
 7:
      for all uses v of f do
 8:
        qualify v with a locked access to w
 9:
      end for
10:
      remove f
      Insert Field (W, f)
12:
      if f has initialiser then
13:
        lock flow dependencies of f
14:
15:
         e \leftarrow \text{initialiser of } f
        remove initialiser of f
16:
        add e as argument to initialisation of w
17:
        p \leftarrow new parameter of same name and type as f
18:
        for all constructors cd of W do
19:
20:
           add copy of p as parameter of W
21:
           add assignment from parameter to f to body of cd
         end for
22:
      end if
23:
24: end for
```

Algorithm 5 Extract Constant(e: Expr, n: Name)

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked dependencies

- 1: **assert** e is extractible
- 2: $A \leftarrow$ enclosing type of e
- 3: $t \leftarrow$ effective type of e
- 4: $f \leftarrow \text{new public static final field of type } t \text{ and name } n$
- 5: Insert Field(A, f)
- 6: lock names, flow, and synchronisation of e
- 7: set initialiser of f to e
- 8: replace e with locked access to f

The effective type of an expression e is the same as the type of e, except when the type of e is an anonymous class, in which case the effective type is its superclass, or when the type of e is a captured type variable, in which case the effective type is its upper bound.

2.6 Extract Method

See ECOOP 2009 publication.

2.7 Extract Temp

This refactoring extracts an expression into a local variable. Implemented in ExtractTemp/ExtractTemp.jrag.

Algorithm 6 Extract Temp(e : Expr, n : Name)

Require: Java Ensure: Java

- 1: $t \leftarrow \text{effective type of } e$
- 2: $v \leftarrow \text{new local variable of type } t \text{ and name } n$
- 3: $s \leftarrow$ enclosing statement of e
- 4: Insert Local Variable(s, v)
- 5: Extract Assignment(v, e)
- 6: Merge Declaration(v)

2.7.1 Insert Local Variable

The refactoring inserts a local variable before a given statement. Implemented in ExtractTemp/IntroduceUnusedLocal.jrag.

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Algorithm 7 Insert Local Variable(s: Stmt, v: Local Var
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Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked names

- 1: $b \leftarrow \text{enclosing block of } s$
- 2: **assert** variable v can be introduced into block b
- 3: lockNames(b, n)
- 4: insert v before s

2.7.2 Extract Assignment

This refactoring extracts an expression into an assignment to a local variable. Implemented in ExtractTemp/ExtractAssignment.jrag.

$\textbf{Algorithm 8} \ \texttt{Extract} \ \texttt{Assignment}(v:LocalVar,e:Expr): Assignment$

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked dependencies

- 1: **assert** e is extractible
- 2: $a \leftarrow \text{new assignment from } e \text{ to } v$
- 3: **if** e is in expression statement **then**
- 4: replace e with a
- 5: **else**
- 6: $s \leftarrow \text{enclosing statement of } e$
- 7: lock all names in e
- 8: insert a before s
- 9: replace e with locked access to v
- 10: end if
- 11: \mathbf{return} a

2.7.3 Merge Variable Declaration

This refactoring merges a variable declaration with the assignment immediately following it, if that assignment is an assignment to the same variable. Implemented in ExtractTemp/MergeVarDecl.jrag.

2.8 Inline Constant

This refactoring inlines a constant field into all its uses. Implemented in InlineTemp/InlineConstant.jrag.

2.9 Inline Method

See ECOOP 2009 publication.

Algorithm 9 MERGE VARIABLE DECLARATION(v : LocalVar)

Require: Java \ multi-declarations

Ensure: Java

- 1: **if** v has initialiser **then**
- 2: return
- 3: end if
- 4: $s \leftarrow$ statement following v
- 5: **if** s is assignment to v **then**
- 6: make RHS of s the initialiser of v
- 7: remove s
- 8: end if

Algorithm 10 Inline Constant(f : Field)

Require: Java \ implicit assignment conversion

Ensure: Java

- 1: for all uses u of f do
- 2: Inline Constant(u)
- 3: end for
- 4: Remove Field(f)

Algorithm 11 Inline Constant(u: FieldAccess)

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked dependencies

- 1: $f \leftarrow$ field accessed by u
- 2: **assert** f is final and static, and has an initialiser
- 3: $e \leftarrow \text{locked copy of the initialiser of } f$
- 4: **assert** if u is qualified, then its qualifier is a pure expression
- 5: replace u with e, discarding its qualifier if any

Algorithm 12 Remove Field(f:Field)

Require: Java Ensure: Java

- 1: **if** f is not used and if it has an initialiser, it is pure **then**
- 2: remove f
- 3: end if

2.10Inline Temp

This refactoring inlines a local variable into all its uses. Implemented in InlineTemp/InlineTemp.jrag.

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Algorithm 13 Inline Temp(d : LocalVar)
Require: Java
Ensure: Java
 1: a \leftarrow |\text{Split Declaration}|(d)
 2: | Inline Assignment | (a)
 3: |Remove Decl|(v)
```

Algorithm 14 Split Declaration(d : LocalVar): option Assignment

Require: Java \ compound declarations

Ensure: Java \cup locked names, first-class array init

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1: if d has initialiser then
      x \leftarrow \text{variable declared in } d
      a \leftarrow \text{new assignment from initialiser of } d \text{ to } x
3:
      insert a as statement after d
4:
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remove initialiser of d5: return Some a

6:

7: else

return None

9: end if

2.11 **Introduce Factory**

This refactoring introduces a static factory method as a replacement for a given constructor, and updates all uses of the constructor to use this method instead. Implemented in IntroduceFactory/IntroduceFactory.jrag.

We use createFactoryMethod (implemented in util/ConstructorExt.jrag) to create the factory method corresponding to constructor cd and insert it into the host type of cd. The factory method has the same signature as cd, but it has its own copies of all type variables of the host type used in cd.

2.12 **Introduce Indirection**

This refactoring creates a static method m' in type B that delegates to a method m in type A. Implemented in IntroduceIndirection/IntroduceIndirection.jrag.

TODO: implementation needs to be cleaned up

Algorithm 15 Inline Assignment(a: Assignment)

Require: Java \ implicit assignment conversion

Ensure: Java \cup locked dependencies

- 1: $x \leftarrow \text{LHS of } a$
- 2: **assert** x refers to local variable
- 3: $U \leftarrow \text{all } u \text{ such that } a \text{ is a reaching definition of } u$
- 4: for all $u \in U$ do
- 5: **assert** a is the only reaching definition of u
- 6: **assert** u is not an lvalue
- 7: **assert** u, a are in same body declaration
- 8: replace u with a locked copy of the RHS of a
- 9: end for
- 10: if $U \neq \emptyset$ then
- 11: remove a
- 12: end if

Algorithm 16 Remove Decl(d : LocalVar)

Require: Java \ compound declarations

Ensure: Java

- 1: if d is not used and has no initialiser then
- 2: remove d
- 3: end if

Algorithm 17 Introduce Factory(cd: ConstructorDecl)

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked names

- 1: $f \leftarrow$ static factory method for cd
- 2: for all uses u of cd and its parameterised copies do
- 3: **if** *u* is a class instance expression without anonymous class and it is not in *f* **then**
- 4: replace u with a call to f
- 5: end if
- 6: end for

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Algorithm 18 Introduce Indirection(m: Method, B: ClassOrInterface)
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Require: Java

Ensure: Java ∪ locked names, return void

- 1: **assert** B is non-library
- 2: $fn \leftarrow \text{fresh method name}$
- 3: $m' \leftarrow \text{copy of } m \text{ with locked names and empty body}$
- 4: set name of m' to fn
- 5: $xs \leftarrow \text{locked accesses to parameters of } m'$
- 6: set body of m' to return m(xs);
- 7: INSERT METHOD(hostType(m), m')
- 8: Make Method Static(m')
- 9: Move Static Method(m', B)

2.13 Introduce Parameter

This refactoring turns an expression into a parameter of the surrounding method. Implemented in ChangeMethodSignature/IntroduceParameter.jrag.

Algorithm 19 Introduce Parameter(e : Expr, n : Name)

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked names

- 1: **assert** e is extractible and constant
- 2: **assert** e appears within a method m
- 3: assert m is not overridden by and does not override any other methods
- 4: **assert** m has no parameter or local variable n
- 5: lockMethodCalls(name(m))
- 6: $t \leftarrow$ effective type of e
- 7: $p \leftarrow \text{new parameter of type } t \text{ and name } n$
- 8: insert p as the first parameter of m
- 9: replace e with locked access to p
- 10: for all calls c to m do
- 11: insert a locked copy of e as first argument of c
- 12: end for

2.14 Introduce Parameter Object

This refactoring wraps a set P of parameters of a method m into a single parameter n of type w, where w is a newly created wrapper class containing fields corresponding to all the parameters in P. Implemented in IntroduceParameterObject/IntroduceParameterObject

Note that we need to perform the transformation for all relatives of m, *i.e.* for all methods r such that there exists a method m' with m <: * m' and r <: * m'. We also lock all calls to methods of the same as m in the whole program; this ensures that if overloading resolution changes due to the

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Algorithm
               20 Introduce Parameter Object(m)
                                                                       Method, P:
set Parameter, w : set Name, n : set Name)
Require: Java \ variable arity parameters
Ensure: Java \cup locked names
 1: assert m has a body
 2: assert the parameters in P are in contiguous positions i, \ldots, i+k
 3: W \leftarrow new class containing fields for all the P and a standard constructor to initialise them
 4: INSERT TYPE(hostType(m), W)
 5: lockMethodCalls(name(m))
 6: for all relatives r of m do
      assert r has no parameter or local variable with name n
 7:
      [p_1; \ldots; p_n] \leftarrow \text{parameters of } r
 8:
      p \leftarrow \text{new parameter of type } W \text{ and name } n
 9:
      replace parameters p_i, \ldots, p_{i+k} with p
10:
      for all j \in \{i, \ldots, i+k\} do
11:
         v_i \leftarrow new variable of same name, type, and finality as p_i
12:
         insert assignment from p.f_i to v_i at beginning of m
13:
      end for
14:
      for all calls c to r do
15:
         [a_1; \ldots; a_n] \leftarrow \text{arguments of } c
16:
         replace arguments a_i, \ldots, a_{i+k} with new W(a_i, \ldots, a_{i+k})
17:
      end for
18:
19: end for
```

transformation, the name binding framework will insert appropriate casts to rectify the situation.

2.15 Move Inner To Toplevel

This refactoring converts a member type to a toplevel type. Implemented in TypePromotion/MoveMemberTypeToToplevel.jrag.

Algorithm 21 Move Member Type to Toplevel(M: MemberType)

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked names

- 1: **if** M is not static **then**
- 2: |MAKE TYPE STATIC|(M)
- 3: end if
- 4: $p \leftarrow \mathtt{hostPkg}(M)$
- 5: lock all names in M
- 6: remove M from its host type
- 7: Insert Type(p, M)

Algorithm 22 INSERT TYPE(p : Package, T : ClassOrInterface)

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked names

- 1: **assert** no type or subpackage of same name as T in p
- 2: lockNames(name(T))
- 3: remove modifiers static, private, protected from T
- 4: insert T into p

2.16 Move Instance Method

See WRT 2009 publication.

2.17 Move Members

2.18 Promote Temp to Field

This refactoring turns a local variable into a field. Implemented in PromoteTempToField/PromoteTempToField

2.19 Pull Up

This refactoring pulls up a method m from its host class B to the super class A. Implemented in PullUp/PullUpMethod.jrag.

TODO: explain translation of type variables; this is basically a right-inverse of the type variable substitution that happens when inheriting a method

Algorithm 23 Make Type STATIC(M : MemberType)

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Require: Java
Ensure: Java \cup with, locked names
 1: [A_n; \ldots; A_1] \leftarrow enclosing types of M
 2: for all i \in \{1, ..., n\} do
      f \leftarrow \text{new field of type } A_i \text{ with name this$i}
       Insert Field(M, f)
 4:
       for all constructors c of M do
 5:
 6:
         p \leftarrow \text{parameter of type } A_i \text{ with name this$i}
         {\bf assert}no parameter or variable this$i in c
 7:
         insert p as first parameter of c
 8:
         if c is chaining then
 9:
            add this$i as first argument of chaining call
10:
11:
         else
12:
            a \leftarrow \text{new assignment of } p \text{ to } f
            insert a after super call
13:
         end if
14:
       end for
15:
16: end for
17: for all constructors c of M do
       for all non-chaining invocations u of c do
18:
         es \leftarrow \text{enclosing instances of } u
19:
         assert |es| = n
20:
         insert es as initial arguments to u
21:
         discard qualifier of u, if any
22:
23:
       end for
24: end for
25: put modifier static on M
26: for all non-static callables m of M do
       if m has a body then
27:
         surround body of m by
28:
         with(this$n, ..., this$1, this) {...}
29:
       end if
30: end for
```

Algorithm 24 PROMOTE TEMP TO FIELD(d:LocalVar)

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked dependencies

- 1: |SPLIT DECLARATION|(d)
- 2: $d' \leftarrow \text{new private field of same type and name as } d$
- 3: make d' static if d is in static context
- 4: $|INSERT\ FIELD|(hostType(d), d')$
- 5: for all uses u of d do
- lock u onto d'
- lock reaching definitions of u
- 8: end for
- 9: Remove Decl(d)

Algorithm 25 Insert Field (T: ClassOrInterface, d: Field)

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked names

- 1: **assert** T has no local field with same name as d
- 2: **assert** d has no initialiser
- 3: **assert** if T is inner and d is static, then d is a constant
- 4: lockNames(name(d))
- 5: insert field d into T

Algorithm 26 Pull Up Method(m:Method)

Require: Java

Ensure: Java \cup locked names

- 1: **assert** the host type of m B is a non-library class 2: **assert** the superclass A of B is also non-library
- 3: $m' \leftarrow \text{copy of } m \text{ with locked names}$
- 4: translate type variables in m' from B to A
- 5: Insert Method(A, m')
- 6: remove m from B

Note that INSERT METHOD ensures that the inserted method is not called from anywhere.

2.20 Push Down

This refactoring pushes a method down to all subclasses of its defining class. Implemented in PushDown/PushDownMethod.jrag.

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Algorithm 27 Trivially Override (B : Type, m : Virtual Method) :
option MethodCall
Require: Java \ implicit method modifiers
Ensure: Java + locked names, return void
 1: assert m is not final
 2: if m not a member method of B then
      return None
 4: end if
 5: m' \leftarrow \text{copy of } m \text{ with locked names}
 6: if m is abstract then
      insert method m' into B
      return None
 8:
 9: else
      xs \leftarrow \text{list of locked accesses to parameters of } m'
10:
      c \leftarrow \mathtt{super.} \, m(\mathit{xs})
11:
      set body of m' to return c;
12:
      insert method m' into B
13:
14:
      return Some c
15: end if
```

Algorithm 28 REMOVE METHOD(*m* : *Method*)

```
Require: Java
Ensure: Java

1: assert (uses(m) \cup calls(m)) \ below(m) = \emptyset
2: o \leftarrow \{m' \mid m <: m'\}
3: if o \neq \emptyset \land \forall m' \in o.m' is abstract then
4: for all types B that inherit m do
5: Make Type Abstract(B)
6: end for
7: end if
8: remove m
```

Algorithm 29 MAKE METHOD ABSTRACT(m:Method)Require: Java 1: assert calls $(m) \setminus below(m) = \emptyset$ 2: for all types B that inherit m do 3: MAKE Type Abstract(B)4: end for

${\bf Algorithm~30~{\rm Make~Type~Abstract}(\it{T:Type})}$

5: make m abstract

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Require: Java
Ensure: Java

1: if T is interface then
2: return
3: end if
4: assert T is class and never instantiated
5: make T abstract
```

Algorithm 31 Push Down Virtual Method(m: VirtualMethod)

```
Require: Java
Ensure: Java \cup locked names
 1: for all types B <: hostType(m) do
     c \leftarrow |\text{Trivially Override}|(B, m)
     if c \neq \text{None then}
 3:
 4:
        Inline Method(c)
     end if
 5:
 6: end for
 7: Remove Method(m)
        or Make Method Abstract(m)
 8:
        or Id()
 9:
```

2.21 Rename

2.22 Self-Encapsulate Field

This refactoring makes a field private, rerouting all accesses to it through getter and setter methods. Implemented in SelfEncapsulateField.jrag.

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Algorithm 32 Self-Encapsulate Field(f: Field)
Require: Java \ abbreviated assignments
Ensure: Java \cup locked names
 1: create getter method g for f
 2: if f is not final, create setter method s for it
 3: for all all uses u of f and its substituted copies do
      if u \notin below(g) \cup below(s) then
 5:
         if u is an rvalue then
           replace u with locked access to g
 6:
 7:
         else
 8:
           if f is not final then
              q \leftarrow \text{qualifier of } u, \text{ if any}
 9:
              r \leftarrow \text{RHS} of assignment for which u is LHS
10:
              replace u with locked access to s on argument r, qualified with q
11:
              if applicable
           end if
12:
         end if
13:
      end if
14:
15: end for
```

By "abbreviated assignment" we mean x+=y and friends, as well as increment and decrement expressions. The language restriction tries to expand these into normal assignments, but may fail if the data flow is too complicated. If it succeeds, every lyalue will appear on the left hand side of a (simple) assignment.

Note that even when f is final there may still be assignments to f from within constructors; we cannot encapsulate these assignments, so we skip them.

3 Node Types

See Fig. 1. We also use the non-node type Name to represent names.

4 Utility Functions

See Fig. 2.

Node Type	Description
ClassOrInterface	either a class or an interface; is a
	Type
Field	field declaration
LocalVar	local variable declaration
MemberType	type declared inside another
	type; is a <i>Type</i>
Method	method declaration
MethodCall	method call
Package	package
Type	type declaration
VirtualMethod	non-private instance method; is
	a Method

Figure 1: Node Types

Name	Description
$ extstyle{below}(n)$	returns the set of all nodes below
	<i>n</i> in the syntax tree
calls(m)	returns all calls that may dynami-
	cally resolve to method m ; can be
	a conservative over-approximation
$\mathtt{hostPkg}(e)$	returns the package of the compi-
	lation unit containing e
$\mathtt{hostType}(e)$	returns the closest enclosing type
	declaration around e
${\tt lockMethodCalls}(n)$	locks all calls to methods named n
	anywhere in the program
${\tt lockNames}(n)$	locks all names anywhere in the
	program that refer to a declaration
	with name n
$\mathtt{name}(e)$	returns the name of program entity
	e
uses(m)	returns all calls that statically bind
	to method m

Figure 2: Utility Functions