



JAVA

Functional programming

Pure
Functions



Mathematical
Functions

FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING



How is this different than what I already do?



Can I use functional programming in line of business applications?



Why should I learn functional programming?

COMMON QUESTIONS



Just do one thing



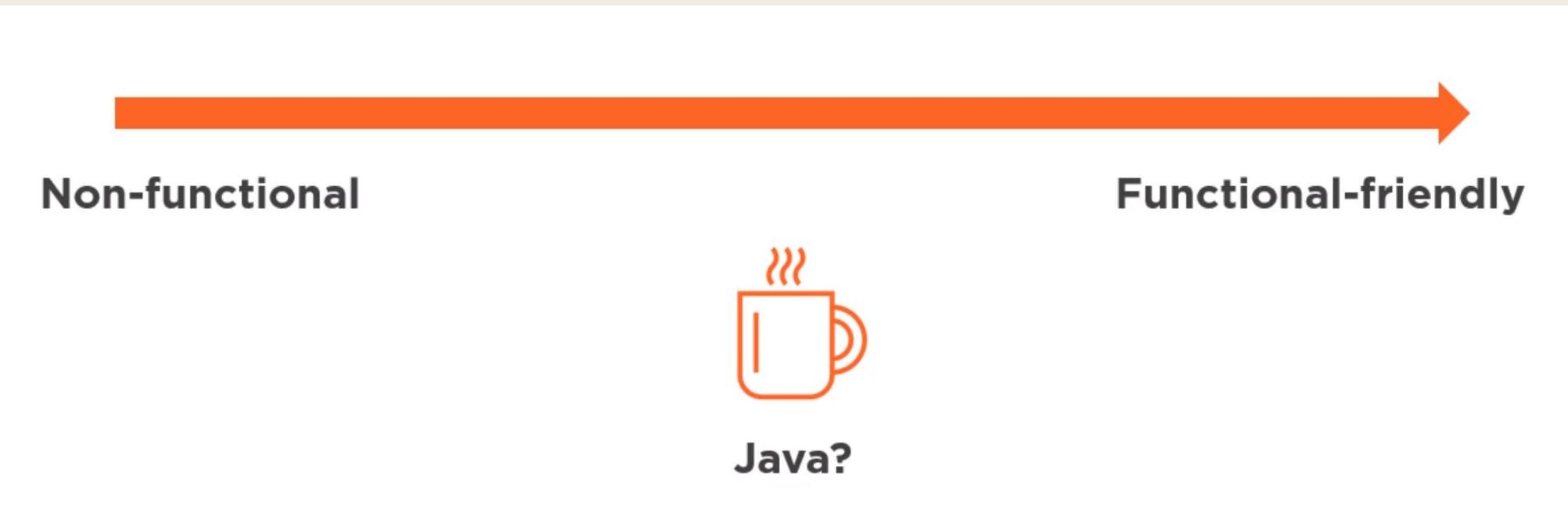
Don't depend on anything else but their arguments



And always give us the same result

FUNCTIONS

Functional programming Languages?



Functional Programming

A programming paradigm that treats computation as the evaluation of mathematical functions and avoids changing-state and mutable data.

It's not the language that
makes programming
functional.

It's the way you write the
code.

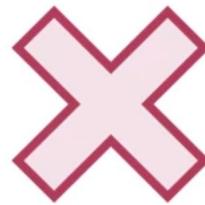


Practicing is the key

This lecture is about concepts, not features.



Java 8 features



Functional concepts



Imperative

```
List<Order> shipped = new ArrayList<>();  
  
for (Order order : orders)  
  
    if (order.isShipped())  
  
        shipped.add(order);
```

Functional

```
List<Order> shipped =  
  
    orders.stream()  
  
        .filter(Order::isShipped)  
  
        .collect(Collectors.toList());
```

The Single Responsibility Principle

```
class Order {  
    private Customer customer;  
    private OrderStatus orderStatus;  
  
    public void issueRewards() {  
        this.orderStatus = OrderStatus.REWARDS_ISSUED;  
        if (this.getOrderRewards() != null) {  
            this.customer.addToRewardBalance(this.getOrderRewards());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Split the method in two

```
class Order {  
    private Customer customer;  
    private OrderStatus orderStatus;  
  
    public void issueRewards() {  
        this.orderStatus = OrderStatus.REWARDS_ISSUED;  
    }  
  
    public void updateBalanceReward() {  
        if (this.getOrderRewards() != null) {  
            this.customer.addToRewardBalance(this.getOrderRewards())  
        }  
    }  
}
```

```
order.issueRewards();  
  
order.issueRewards();  
order.updateBalanceReward();
```

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    public void updateBalanceReward(Customer customer) {  
        if (this.getOrderRewards() != null) {  
            customer.addToRewardBalance(this.getOrderRewards());  
        }  
    }  
}
```

```
order.issueRewards();  
order.updateBalanceReward();
```



```
Customer customer = //...  
order.issueRewards();  
order.updateBalanceReward(customer);
```

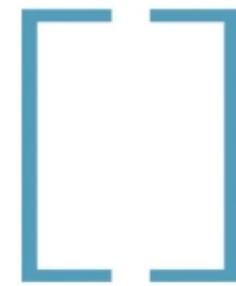


“I fear not the man who has practiced 10,000 kicks once, but I fear the man who has practiced one kick 10,000 times.”

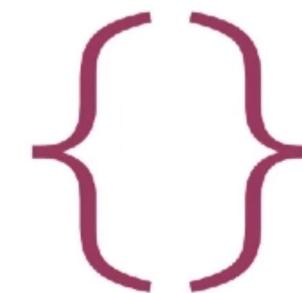
“It is better to have 100 functions operate on one data structure than 10 functions on 10 data structures.”

Alan Perlis

Functional programming Data Structures



List



Map

OOP vs. FP

Object-oriented

More data structures

Fewer functions per data structure

10 functions on 10 data structures

Functional Programming

Fewer data structures

More functions per data structure

100 functions on 1 data structure

Unix Philosophy



Make each program do one thing well



Expect the output of every program to become the input of another



Design software to be tried early



Use tools over unskilled labor

Functional Programming Philosophy



Make each function do one thing well



Expect the output of every function to become the input of another

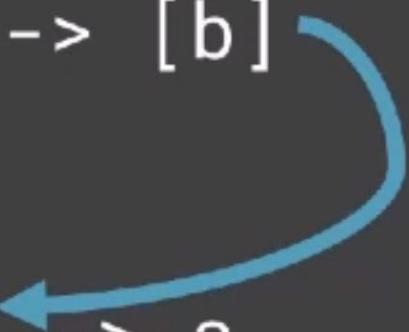


Design functions to be tested early

Type Signatures

```
findAuthor :: (a, [a]) -> [a]
def findAuthor author, authors
    filter(x => x.contains(author), authors)
end
```

funcA :: [a] -> [b]

funcB :: [a]  -> a

Immutable Data

An object whose state cannot be modified after it is created.

How can my program do anything if the data can't change?

Immutability pseudo example

```
def addToCart (cart, item) do
  %{
    items = cart.items.concat(item),
    total = cart.total + item.price
  }
end
```

Eliminate Side Effects

```
customer.getRewardBalance() // 10  
  
....order.issueRewards();  
  
customer.getRewardBalance() // 15
```

Side effect



Mutation of variables



Printing to the console



Writing to files, databases, or anything in the outside world

Functions Are Black Boxes



Pure Functions Benefits

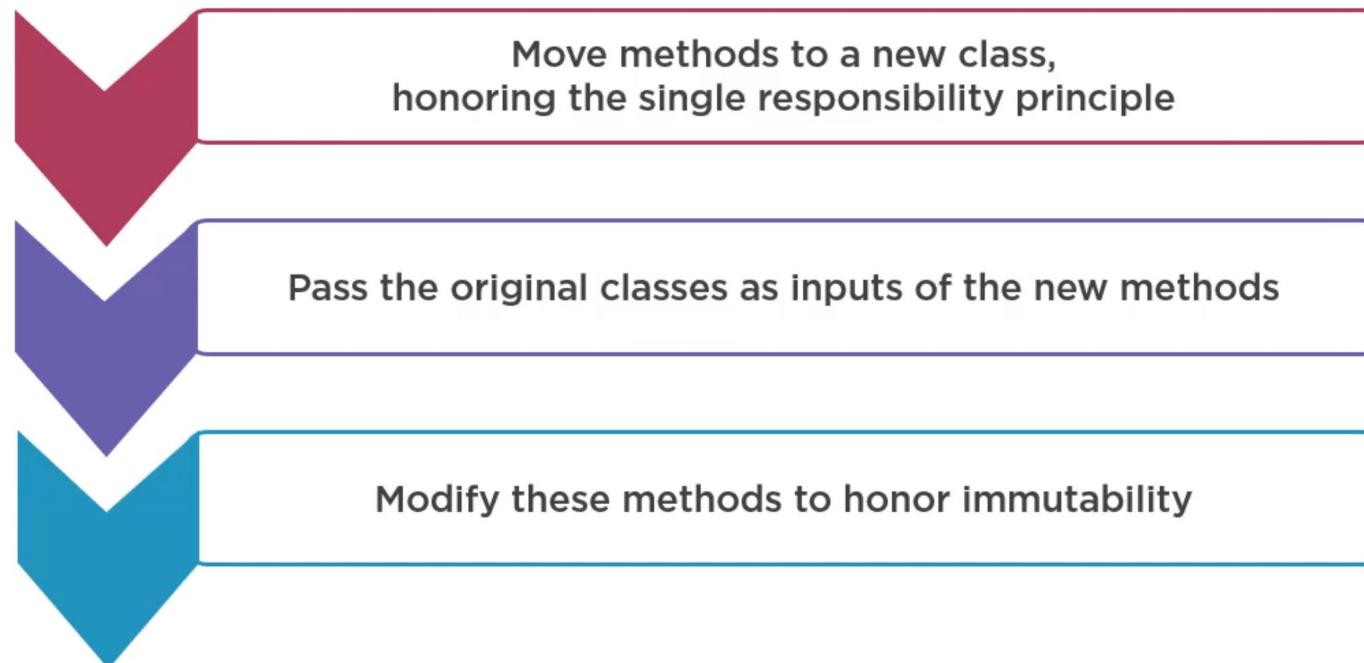
No unexpected results

No side effects

Thread safety

Modular programs

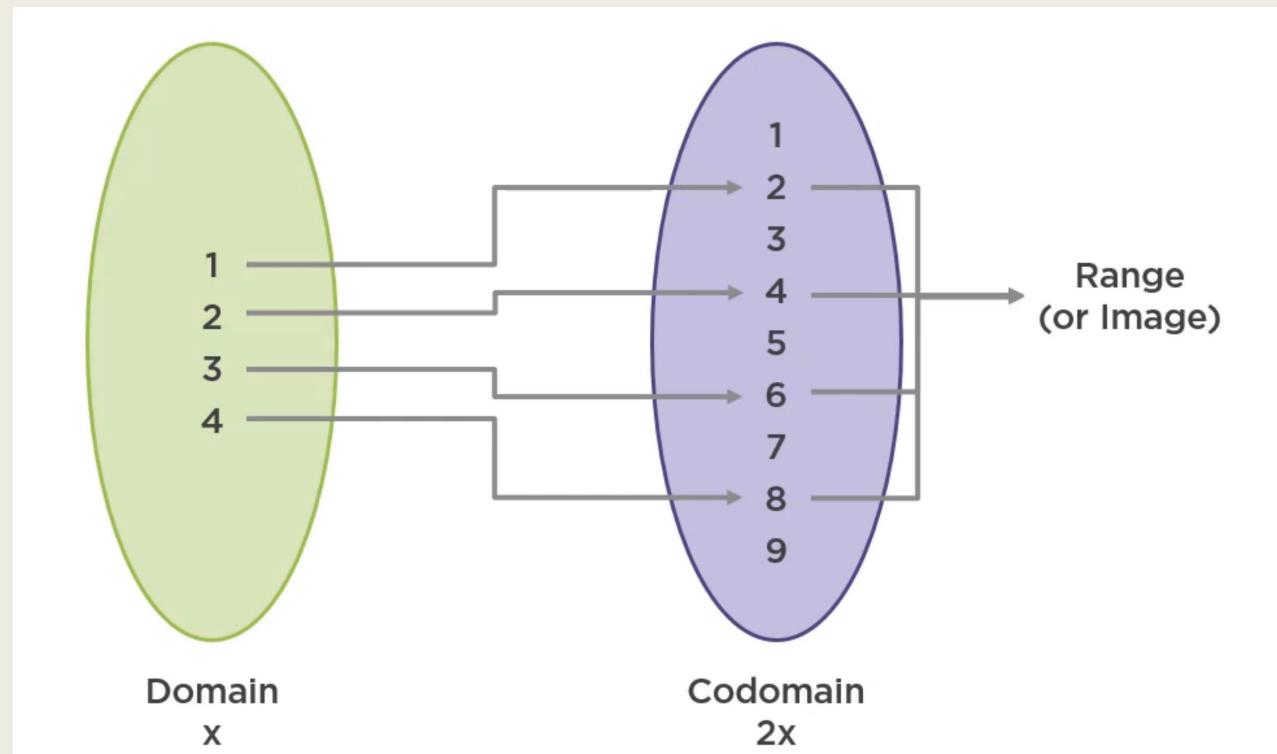
From Imperative to Functional



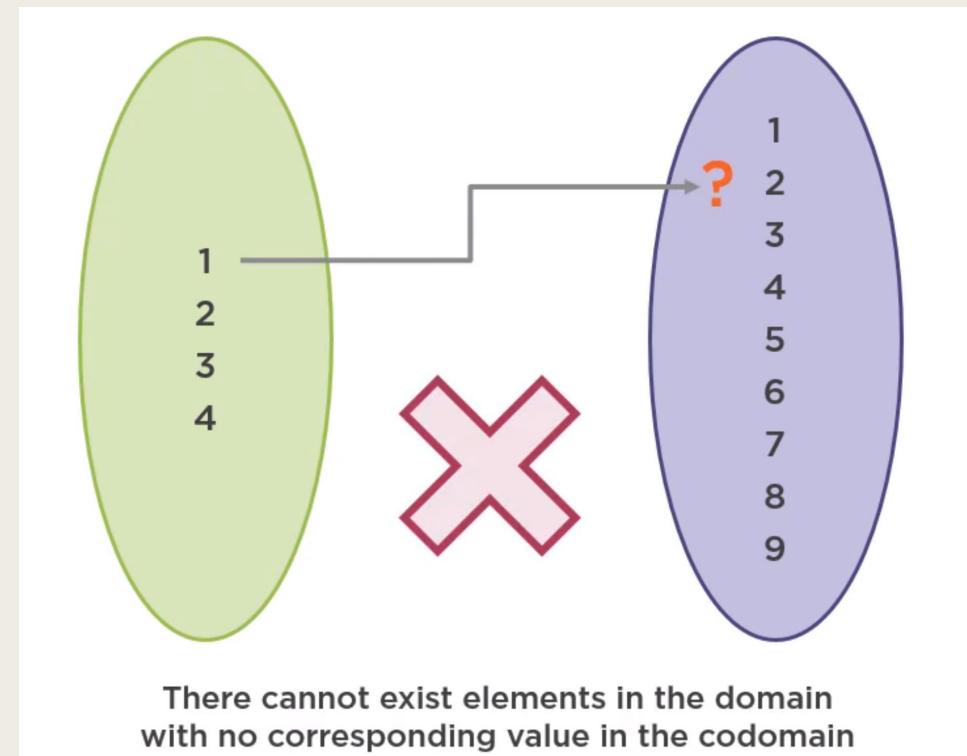
UNDERSTANDING FUNCTIONS

Mathematical Functions domains

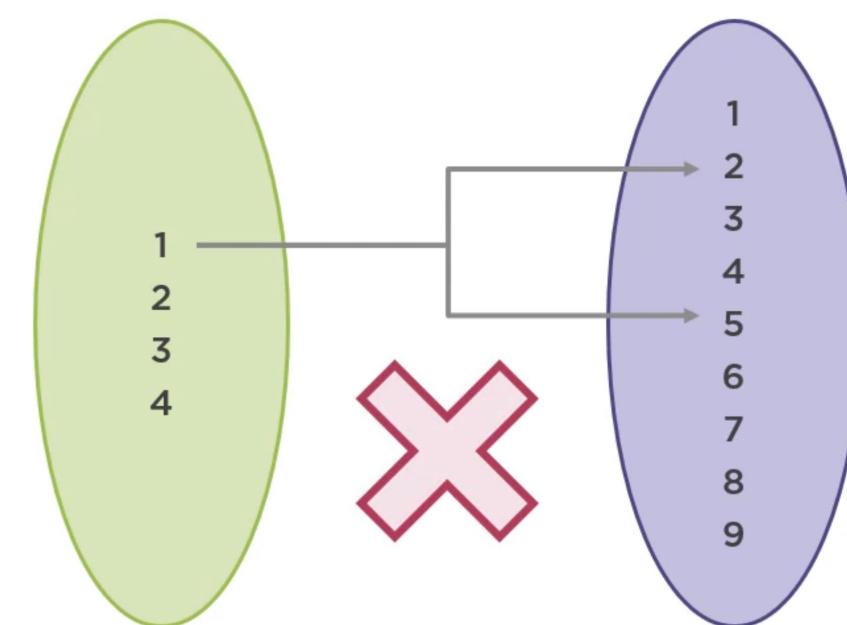
$$f: A \rightarrow B$$



Mathematical Functions domains

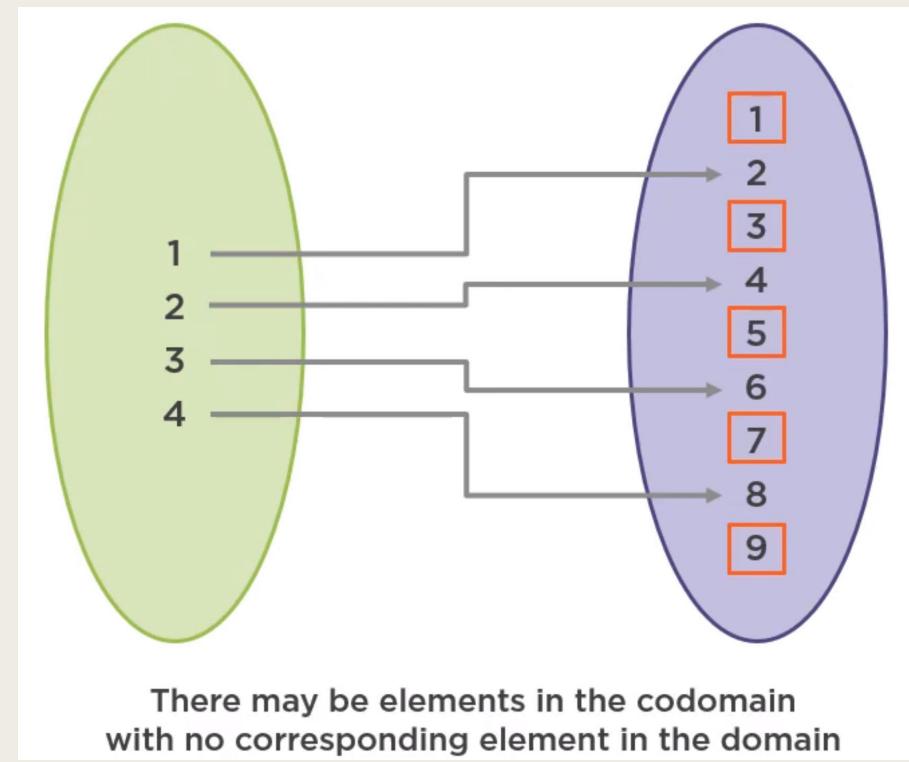
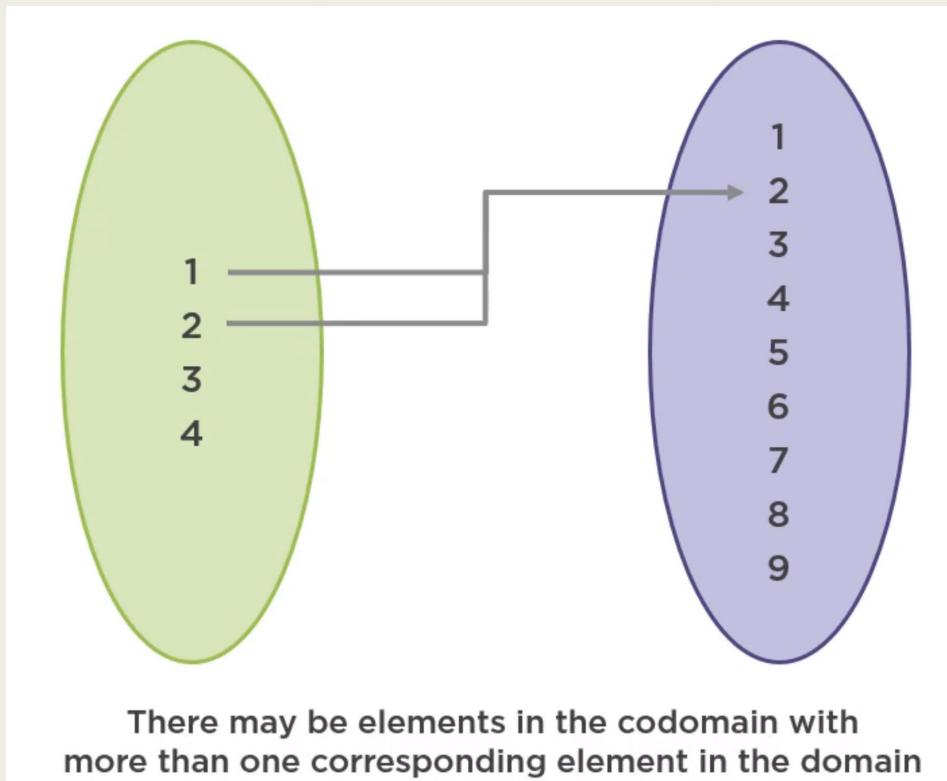


Mathematical Functions domains



There cannot exist two elements in the codomain corresponding to the same element of the domain

Mathematical Functions domains



Reconcile Programming and Math Functions



They must not mutate their argument or anything outside the function



They must always return a value



When called with the same argument, they must always return the same result

Lambda Expression

```
Function<Integer, Integer> addOne = arg -> arg + 1;
```

as a lambda expression

```
System.out.println( addOne.apply(2) );
```

We need to
apply the function

Main Functional Interfaces



Unary operator



```
UnaryOperator<Integer> doubleIt = x -> x * 2;  
UnaryOperator<String> shout = s -> s + "!!!";  
  
System.out.println(doubleIt.apply(6));    // 12  
System.out.println(shout.apply("Hey"));   // Hey!!!
```

Predicate

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Boolean

```
Predicate<Integer> isPositive = x -> x > 0;  
  
System.out.println(isPositive.test(10)); // true  
System.out.println(isPositive.test(-5)); // false
```

Consumer & Supplier

```
Consumer<String> greet = name -> System.out.println("Hello " + name);  
  
greet.accept("Alice"); // Prints: Hello Alice
```



```
Supplier<Double> lazyPi = () -> 3.14159;
```

```
System.out.println(lazyPi.get()); // 3.14159
```

```
System.out.println(lazyPi.get()); // 3.14159 again (runs every time)
```

```
hFunc( 1 -> 1 + 1 )
```

Takes a function as its
input

```
Function<Long, Long>  
f = hFunc()
```

Returns a function as
its output

```
Function<Long, Long>  
f = hFunc( 1 -> 1 + 1 )
```

Or both

HIGH-ORDER FUNCTION

Reusability

Composition

Abstraction



FP
Functions

```
List<Integer> filteredList = new ArrayList<Integer>();
for (int n : listOfNumbers) {
    if (n % 3 == 0) {
        filteredList.add(n);
    }
}
```

```
List<Integer> filteredList = listOfNumbers.stream()
    .filter(n -> n % 3 == 0)
    .collect(Collectors.toList());
```

```
Predicate<Integer> divisibleBy3 = n -> n % 3 == 0;
List<Integer> filteredList = listOfNumbers.stream()
    .filter(divisibleBy3)
    .collect(Collectors.toList());
```

Composition

- Nesting functions, passing the result of one function as the input of the next

$$f(x) = x + 10$$

$$g(x) = x * 10$$

$$f \circ g (x) = f(g(x))$$

$$f(x * 10)$$

$$(x * 10) + 10$$

Associative property

- Mathematical principle that proves that the grouping of values does not affect the results

$$\begin{array}{c} f = a \circ b \circ c \\ \\ g = a \circ b \\ \\ f = g \circ c \end{array} \quad \mid \quad \begin{array}{c} g = b \circ c \\ \\ f = a \circ g \end{array}$$

Why Functional Programming Matters



Caching



Laziness



Parallelism and Concurrency

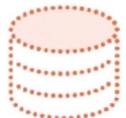
Sales Dashboard Application



Performance dashboard



Slow changing data



Caching results

CACHING EXAMPLE

Memoization

To speed up computer programs by storing the results of expensive function calls and returning the cached result when the same inputs occur again.

Cached Function

```
def calculateTotalPrice(items) do
  if(cache.contains(items)) do
    cache[items]
  else
    tot = reduce((item, acc) => acc = acc + item.price, 0, items)
    cache[items] = tot
    tot
  end
end
```

Lazy Evaluation

delays the evaluation of an expression until its value is needed

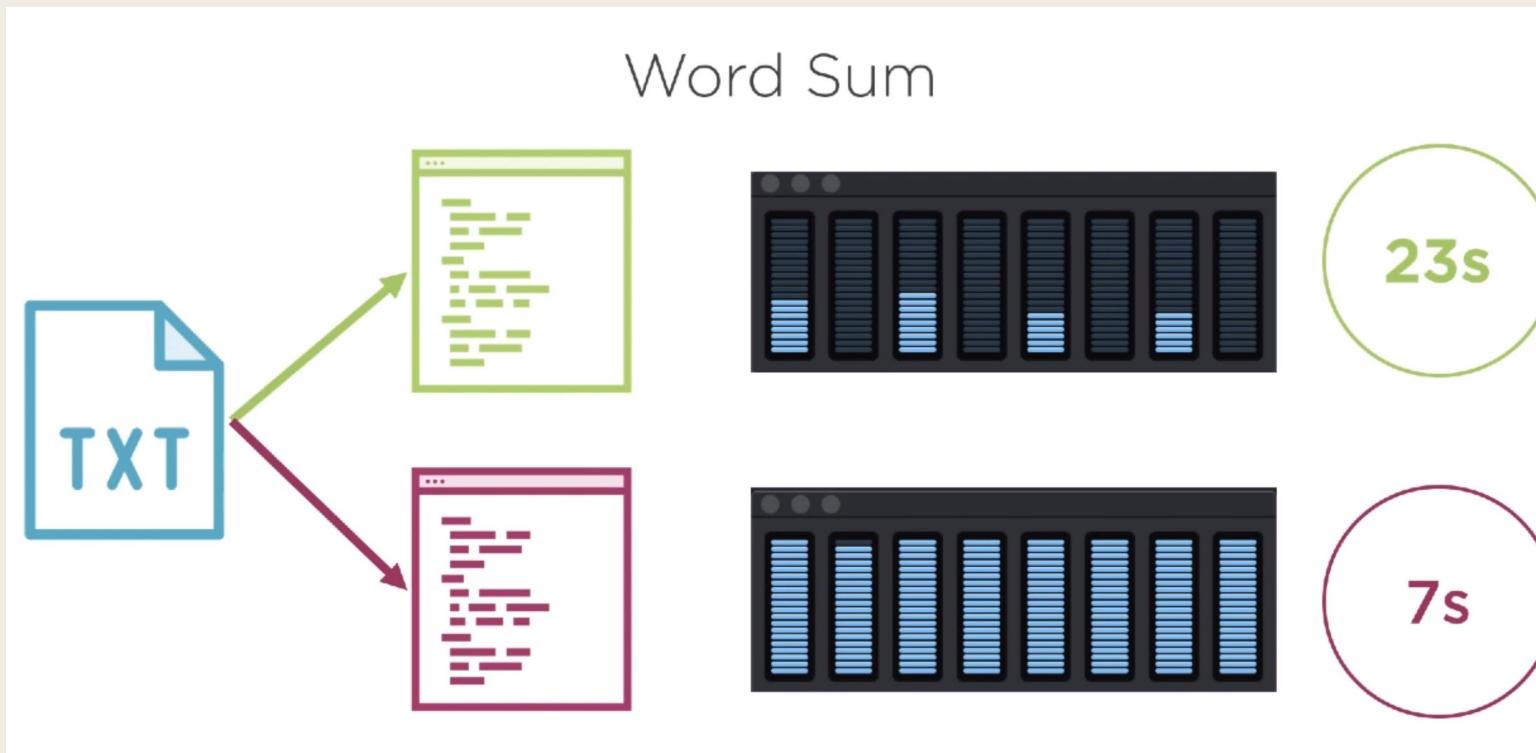
LAZINESS

Lazy Evaluation defers execution

Lazy Evaluation: Database

```
nebraskaTaylors = users
|> where(lastName = 'Taylor')
|> where(state = 'NE')
|> orderBy('firstName')
```

Parallelism and Concurrency



Parallelization due to immutability



FUNCTIONAL PROGRAMMING
IS EQUIPPED FOR THE
FUTURE!

QUESTIONS?