Functional Programming

Functions and Lambda Expressions



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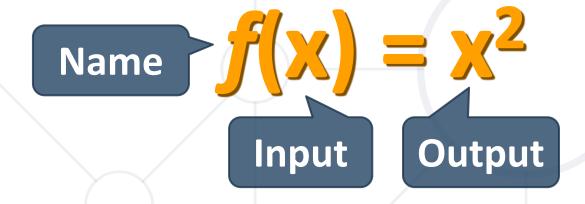




What is a Function?



Mathematic function



A function is a special relationship where each input has a single output

X	f(x)	
3	9	厂
1	1	
0	0	
4	16	
-4	16	

Lambda Expressions (1)



Lambda Syntax

- Lambda expression unnamed function
 - Has parameters and a body

(parameters) -> {body}

Use the lambda operator -> Read as "goes to"

Lambda Expressions (2)



Implicit lambda expression

```
(msg) -> { System.out.println(msg); }
```

Parameters can be enclosed in parentheses ()

The body can be enclosed in braces {}

Explicit lambda expression

```
String msg -> System.out.println(msg);
```

Declares parameters' type

Lambda Expressions (3)



- Can have a different number of parameters:
 - Zero parameters

```
() -> { System.out.println("Hello!"); }
() -> { System.out.println("How are you?"); }
```

More parameters

```
(int x, int y) -> { return x + y; }
(int x, int y, int z) -> { return (y - x) * z; }
```

Problem: Sort Even Numbers



- Read Integers from the console
- Print the even numbers
- Sort the even numbers
- Print the sorted numbers







4, 2, 4, 2, 12



2, 2, 4, 4, 12

Solution: Sort Even Numbers



```
//TODO: Read numbers and parse them to List Of Integers
numbers.removeIf(n -> n % 2 != 0);
// TODO: Print the even numbers
numbers.sort((a, b) -> a.compareTo(b));
//TODO: Print the sorted numbers
```



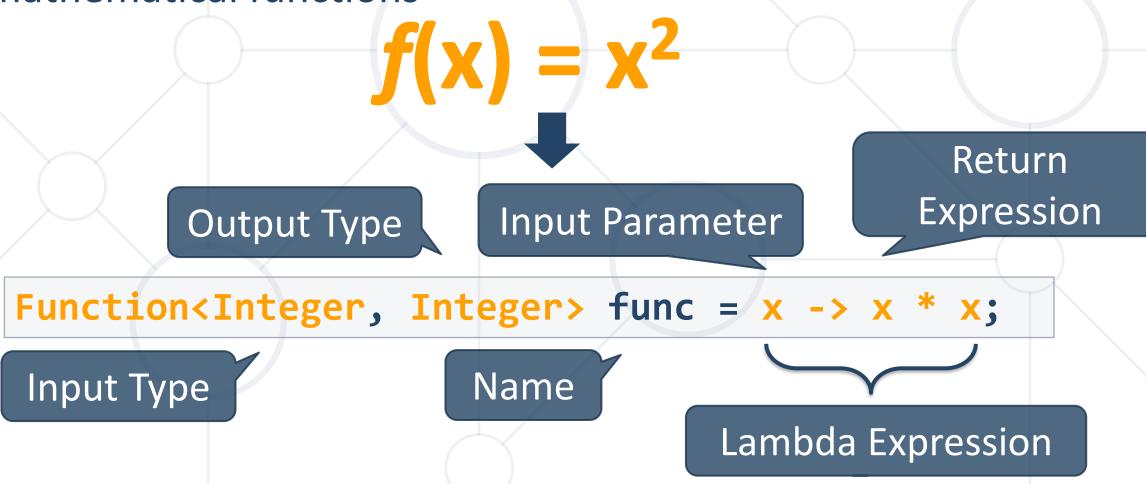
Functions

Mathematical and Java Functions

Java Functions



 In Java, we can create functions analogical to mathematical functions



Function<T, R>



 In Java Function<T,R> is an interface that accepts a parameter of type T and returns a variable of type R

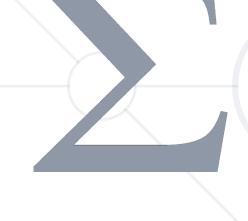
```
int increment(int number) {
   return number + 1;
}
```

We use function with .apply()

Problem: Sum Numbers



- Read numbers from the console
- Print their count
- Print their sum
- Use a Function





Solution: Sum Numbers



```
// TODO: Read input
if (input.length < 2) {</pre>
   System.out.println("Count = " + input.length);
   System.out.println("Sum = " + input[0]);
} else {
   Function<String, Integer> parser = x -> Integer.parseInt(x);
   int sum = 0;
   for (String s : input) sum += parser.apply(s);
   // TODO: Print output
```



Other Function Types

Special Functions

Consumer<T>



In Java Consumer < T > is a void interface:

```
void print(String message) {
    System.out.println(message);
}
```

We use a Consumer with .accept():

```
Consumer<String> print =
    message -> System.out.print(message);
print.accept("Peter");
```

Supplier<T>



In Java Supplier<T> takes no parameters:

```
int genRandomInt() {
  Random rnd = new Random();
  return rnd.nextInt(51);
}
```

We use a Supplier with .get():

Predicate<T>



In Java Predicate<T> evaluates a condition:

```
boolean isEven(int number) {
   return number % 2 == 0;
}
```

We use the Predicate with .test():

Problem: Count Uppercase Words



- Read text from the console
- Find the words starting with an Uppercase letter
- Print the count and the words
- Use a Predicate

The following example shows how to use Predicate





The Predicate

Solution: Count Uppercase Words



```
// TODO: Read text
Predicate<String> checkerUpperCase =
              word -> Character.isUpperCase(word.charAt(0));
ArrayList<String> result = new ArrayList<>();
for (int i = 0; i < textAsList.length; i++) {</pre>
  if (checkerUpperCase.test(textAsList[i]))
    result.add(textAsList[i]);
// TODO: Print results
```

Problem: Add VAT



- Read some items' prices from the console
- Add VAT of 20% to all of them

1.38, 2.56, 4.4



Prices with VAT:

1,66

3,07

5,28



Solution: Add VAT



```
// TODO: Read input
List<Double> numbers = new ArrayList<>();
for (String s : input)
  numbers.add(Double.parseDouble(s));
UnaryOperator<Double> addVat = x -> x * 1.2;
System.out.println("Prices with VAT:");
for (Double str : numbers)
  System.out.println(String.format("%1$.2f",
                                     addVat.apply(str)));
```



Using Functions With More Parameters

BiFunctions



BiFunction <T, U, R>

BiFunction <Integer, Integer, String> sum = $(x, y) \rightarrow$ "Sum is" + (x + y);

Two input parameters

- Analogically you can use:
 - BiConsumer <T, U>
 - BiPredicate <T, U>



Problem: Sum Numbers



- Read numbers from the console
- Print their count
- Print their sum
- Use BiFunctions



Solution: Sum Numbers



```
// TODO: Read input
int length = input.length;
int sum = Integer.parseInt(input[0]);
if (input.length >= 2) {
  BiFunction<Integer, String, Integer> parser =
                                 (x, y) -> x + Integer.parseInt(y);
  for (int i = 1; i < input.length; i++)</pre>
    sum = parser.apply(sum, input[i]);
  TODO: Print output
```

Passing Functions to Method



• We can pass Function<T,R> to methods:

```
static int operation(int number, Function<Integer, Integer> function) {
   return function.apply(number);
}
```

We can use the method like that:

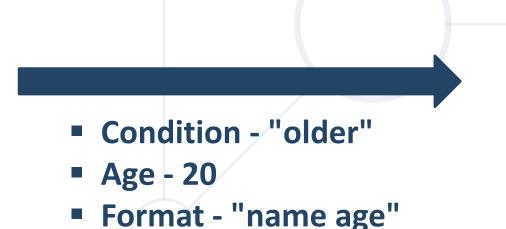
```
int a = 5;
int b = operation(a, number -> number * 5); // b = 25
int c = operation(a, number -> number - 3); // c = 2
int d = operation(b, number -> number % 2); // d = 1
```

Problem: Filter by Age



- Read from console n people with their age
- Read a condition and an age so to filter them
- Read format type for the output
- Print all people that fulfill the condition

Peter	20
George	18
Raddy	29
Maria	32
Ivan	16



Peter	20
Raddy	29
Maria	32

Solution: Filter by Age (1)



Solution: Filter by Age (2)



```
static Consumer<Map.Entry<String, Integer>> createPrinter(String format) {
  Consumer<Map.Entry<String, Integer>> printer = null;
  switch (format) {
    case "name age":
      printer = person -> System.out.printf("%s - %d%n",
                                person.getKey(), person.getValue());
      break; //TODO: Add more cases
  return printer;
```

Solution: Filter by Age (3)



```
static Predicate<Integer> createTester(String condition, Integer age) {
  Predicate<Integer> tester = null;
  switch (condition) {
    case "younger":
      tester = x \rightarrow x <= age;
      break; //TODO: Add more cases
  return tester;
```

Solution: Filter by Age (4)



```
static void printFilteredStudent(
                LinkedHashMap<String, Integer> people,
                Predicate<Integer> tester,
                Consumer<Map.Entry<String, Integer>> printer) {
  for (Map.Entry<String, Integer> person : people.entrySet()) {
    if (tester.test(people.get(person.getKey())))
      printer.accept(person);
```

Summary



- Lambda expressions are anonymous methods
- Function<T,R> is a function that returns R type
- Consumer<T> is a void function
- Supplier<T> gets no parameters
- Predicate<T> evaluates a condition
- BiFunction<T, U, R> accepts two parameters
- Functions can be passed like variables to methods





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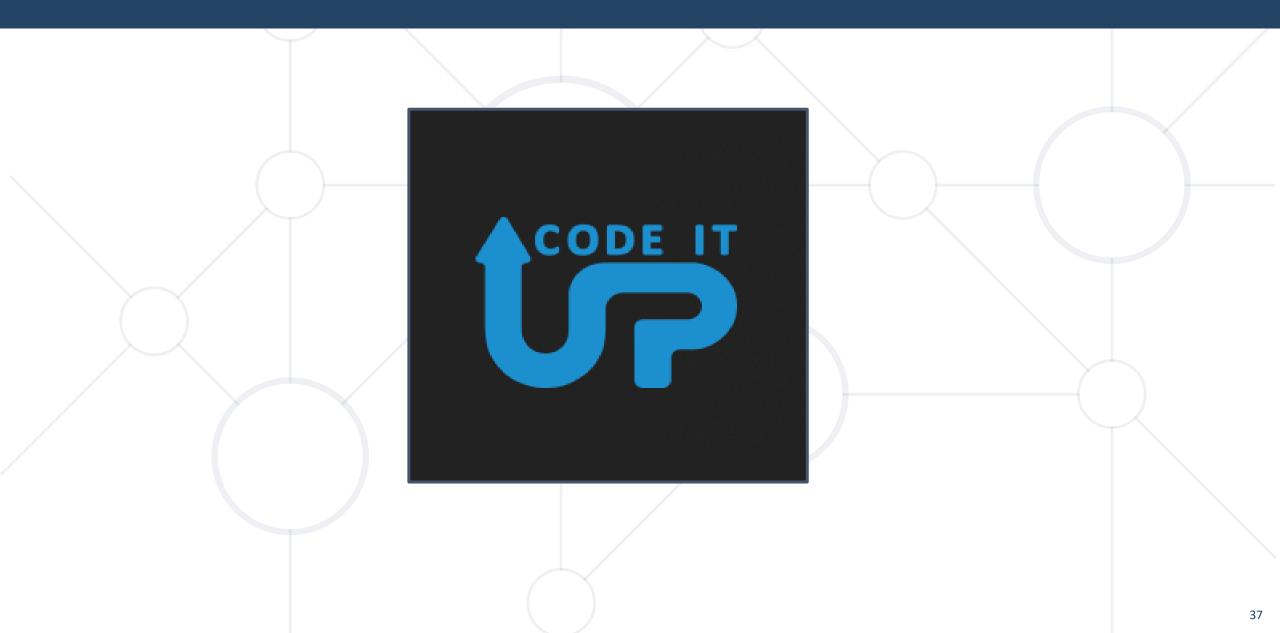






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