Java8 - Case Study

Lambda Expressions – Case Study: Sorting and Filtering Employees Scenario: You are building
a human resource management module. You need to: • Sort employees by name or salary. •
Filter employees with a salary above a certain threshold. Use Case: Instead of creating
multiple comparator classes or anonymous classes, you use Lambda expressions to sort and
filter employee records in a concise and readable manner.

```
import java.util.*;
class Employee {
  String name;
  double salary;
  Employee(String name, double salary) {
    this.name = name;
    this.salary = salary;
  }
  public String toString() {
    return name + " - ₹" + salary;
  }
}
public class LambdaExample {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    List<Employee> list = Arrays.asList(
      new Employee("Raj", 55000),
      new Employee("Anita", 70000),
      new Employee("Vikram", 45000)
    );
    // Sort by name
    list.sort((e1, e2) -> e1.name.compareTo(e2.name));
```

```
System.out.println("Sorted by name: " + list);
    // Filter salary > 50000
    list.stream()
       .filter(e -> e.salary > 50000)
       .forEach(e -> System.out.println("High Earner: " + e));
  }
}
    2. Stream API & Operators – Case Study: Order Processing System Scenario: In an e-commerce
        application, you must: • Filter orders above a certain value. • Count total orders per
        customer. • Sort and group orders by product category. Use Case: Streams help to process
        collections like orders using operators like filter, map, collect, sorted, and groupingBy to build
        readable pipelines for data processing.
import java.util.*;
import java.util.stream.*;
import static java.util.stream.Collectors.*;
class Order {
  String customer;
  String category;
  double value;
  Order(String customer, String category, double value) {
    this.customer = customer;
    this.category = category;
    this.value = value;
  }
  public String toString() {
    return customer + ": " + category + " - ₹" + value;
  }
}
```

```
public class StreamExample {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    List<Order> orders = Arrays.asList(
      new Order("Amit", "Electronics", 1200),
      new Order("Amit", "Books", 300),
      new Order("Sara", "Electronics", 900),
      new Order("Sara", "Clothing", 1500)
    );
    // Filter orders > 1000
    orders.stream()
      .filter(o -> o.value > 1000)
      .forEach(System.out::println);
    // Count orders per customer
    Map<String, Long> orderCount = orders.stream()
      .collect(groupingBy(o -> o.customer, counting()));
    System.out.println("Orders per customer: " + orderCount);
    // Group by category
    Map<String, List<Order>> grouped = orders.stream()
      .collect(groupingBy(o -> o.category));
    System.out.println("Grouped by category: " + grouped);
  }
}
```

3. Functional Interfaces – Case Study: Custom Logger Scenario: You want to create a logging utility that allows: • Logging messages conditionally. • Reusing common log filtering logic. Use Case: You define a custom LogFilter functional interface and allow users to pass behavior using lambdas. You also utilize built-in interfaces like Predicate and Consumer.

```
interface LogFilter {
  boolean shouldLog(String msg);
}
public class Logger {
  public static void log(String msg, LogFilter filter) {
    if (filter.shouldLog(msg)) {
      System.out.println("LOG: " + msg);
    }
  }
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    log("ERROR: Disk full", msg -> msg.contains("ERROR"));
    log("INFO: App started", msg -> msg.contains("ERROR")); // won't log
  }
}
    4. Default Methods in Interfaces – Case Study: Payment Gateway Integration Scenario: You're
        integrating multiple payment methods (PayPal, UPI, Cards) using interfaces. Use Case: You
        use default methods in interfaces to provide shared logic (like transaction logging or currency
        conversion) without forcing each implementation to re-define them.
interface Payment {
  void pay(double amount);
  default void logTransaction(double amount) {
    System.out.println("Transaction of ₹" + amount + " logged.");
  }
}
class PayPal implements Payment {
  public void pay(double amount) {
    System.out.println("Paid ₹" + amount + " via PayPal");
```

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logTransaction(amount);
}
```

5. Method References – Case Study: Notification System Scenario: You're sending different types of notifications (Email, SMS, Push). The methods for sending are already defined in separate classes. Use Case: You use method references (e.g., NotificationService::sendEmail) to refer to existing static or instance methods, making your event dispatcher concise and readable.

```
class NotificationService {
  static void sendEmail(String msg) {
    System.out.println("Email sent: " + msg);
  }
  void sendSMS(String msg) {
    System.out.println("SMS sent: " + msg);
  }
}
public class MethodRefDemo {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    Consumer<String> emailNotifier = NotificationService::sendEmail;
    emailNotifier.accept("Order confirmed!");
    NotificationService service = new NotificationService();
    Consumer<String> smsNotifier = service::sendSMS;
    smsNotifier.accept("OTP: 123456");
  }
}
```

6. Optional Class – Case Study: User Profile Management Scenario: User details like email or phone number may be optional during registration. Use Case: To avoid NullPointerException,

you wrap potentially null fields in Optional. This forces developers to handle absence explicitly using methods like or Else, if Present, or map.

```
import java.util.Optional;
class User {
  Optional<String> email = Optional.ofNullable(null);
}
public class OptionalExample {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    User user = new User();
    System.out.println(user.email.orElse("Email not provided"));
    user.email = Optional.of("user@example.com");
    user.email.ifPresent(e -> System.out.println("Email: " + e));
  }
}
    7. Date and Time API (java.time) - Case Study: Booking System Scenario: A hotel or travel
        booking system that: • Calculates stay duration. • Validates check-in/check-out dates. •
        Schedules recurring events. Use Case: You use the new LocalDate, LocalDateTime, Period,
        and Duration classes to perform safe and readable date/time calculations.
import java.time.*;
public class DateTimeDemo {
  public static void main(String[] args) {
    LocalDate checkIn = LocalDate.of(2025, 7, 24);
    LocalDate checkOut = LocalDate.of(2025, 7, 28);
    Period stayDuration = Period.between(checkIn, checkOut);
```

```
System.out.println("Stay: " + stayDuration.getDays() + " days");

LocalDateTime now = LocalDateTime.now();

System.out.println("Current time: " + now);
}
```

8. Executor Service – Case Study: File Upload Service Scenario: You allow users to upload multiple files simultaneously and want to manage the processing efficiently. Use Case: You use ExecutorService to handle concurrent uploads by creating a thread pool, managing background tasks without blocking the UI or main thread.

```
import java.util.concurrent.*;

public class FileUpload {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        ExecutorService executor = Executors.newFixedThreadPool(3);

        Runnable uploadTask = () -> {
            System.out.println("Uploading file by: " + Thread.currentThread().getName());
        };

        for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
            executor.submit(uploadTask);
        }

        executor.shutdown();
    }
}</pre>
```