Maven

- local, central, remote repository
- life cycle
- command line for maven

Git

Java

- primitive type
 - byte, short
- wrapper class
 - Byte, Short..
- · autoboxing and unboxing
- String/StringBuilder/StringBuffer
 - what different between them?
 - immutable
 - threadsafe
 - which situation prefer which one
- String, Integer constant pool
 - what situation will use pool?
- equals/hashCode
 - why need to override equals() and hashCode() (logical backhand)

- Collection
 - List, Set, Queue, Map
 - list vs set
 - list can set order, and access by index
 - set elements can not allow duplicated values
 - arraylist vs linkedlist
 - dynamic array
 - Collections.synchronizedList(new ArrayList<YourClassNameHere>()) Thread Safe
 - Linked nodes?
 - heap (completed tree)-> PriorityQueue
 - deque -> ArrayDeque
 - arrayDeque implement deque
 - HashMap vs HashTable vs ConcurrentHashMap
 - concurrentHashMap
 - In ConcurrentHashMap, the Object is divided into a number of segments according to the concurrency level. The default concurrency-level of ConcurrentHashMap is 16.
 - HastSet, TreeSet, LinkedHashSet
 - TreeSet
 - ordered by redblackTree
 - LinkedHashSet
 - keep insertion order of set
 - HashSet → based on HashMap?
 - unorder
 - TreeMap, LinkedHashMap

- TreeMap → Keys are ordered,
- linkedHashMap > first unique character in a String
 - an additional feature of maintaining the order of the inserted element.
- Stack, Queue
 - Stack → FILO
 - Queue → FIFO
- array
 - Integer array, 1D array
 - 2D array
- binary tree, balanced binary tree
 - Balance binary tree: is commonly defined as a binary tree in which the height of the left and right subtrees of every node differ by 1 or less
- Comparator vs Comparable
 - Comparable internal order, natural order
 - comparator, third party judge
- JVM
 - classloader
 - Loading
 - bootstrap/extension/application classloader
 - application class loader
 - classes in application classpath (like classes written by ourselves)
 - Linking
 - Initialization

- runtime data area/Memory Area
 - What's the functionality for each of them?
 - method areas, heap, stack, PC register, native method stack
 - what's the data store in method area
 - what's in the heap?
 - what's in the stack?
 - what's is PC register?
 - what's native method stack?
- Execution Engineer
 - interpreter, JIT compiler, Garbage Collector
- Native method interface, Native method Library
 - native is a keyword in Java, what's native means?
- Garbage Collector
 - types
 - serial GC
 - parallel GC
 - G1 GC
 - note: CMS GC
 - deprecated since java 9, completely removed in java 14
 - GC Process
 - young generation
 - eden, S0, S1
 - old generation
 - Permanent Generation
- Keywords

- 53 keywords
 - reserved literals: true, false, null
 - unused keywords: goto, const
 - used keywords: 48
 - (data types)byte,short,int,long,float,double,char,boolean
 - (flow control)if ,else, switch ,case ,default ,for ,do ,while ,break ,continue, return

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- (modifiers)public private protected, static, final, abstract, synchronized, native, stripfp, transient, volatile
 - strictfp
 - used in java for restricting floating-point calculations and ensuring the same result on every platform while performing operations in the floating-point variable.
 - volatile
 - volatile must be used whenever you want a mutable variable to be accessed by multiple threads
- (exception handling)try, catch, finally ,throw, throws, assert(1.4 version)
- (Class related keywords) class, package, import, extends, implements, interface
- (**Object** related keywords)new, instanceof, super ,this
 - this() vs. super()
 - super() as well as this() both are used to make constructor calls
 - super() is used to call(run/运行) Base (i.e, Parent's class)class's constructor
 - this() is used to call current class's constructor

- i.e. this(10), this(10, "abc")
- Attention: constructor can have multiple ones (with different signature)

Most frequent interview question:

- final vs. finally vs. finalized
 - finalized: used to perform cleanup operations on unmanaged
 resources held by the current object before the object is destroyed
- what's is volatile
- what's static
- implements vs extends
- immutable class
- throw vs throws

- Throws is a keyword used in the method signature used to declare an exception which might get thrown by the function while executing the code.
- OOP
 - abstraction

how do we achieve abstraction?

- Abstract class
- interface
- encapsulation
 - declare variable as private
 - declare setter and getter
 - not access variable directly
- inheritance
 - extends,

implements

polymorphism

- override
- overload
- o public protected, default, private scope

Exception

- checked exception vs unchecked exception and name some examples
- exception vs error
- how to handle exception
- how to customize exception
- how to handle multiple exception
- try with resources
 - AutoCloseable interface
 - override close()

Generics Basics

- what ? how? why?
- E vs ?(question mark)
 - what's the different between E and ? in Generics
- what's type erasure?
 - https://www.cnblogs.com/flydean/p/java-type-erasure.html
 - List<int> wrong?
 - type erasure will change to type to object, primitive type extend object

IO Stream

- Byte/ Character Stream (category)
- InputStream/ OutputStream,(serialization)
- Reader/ Writer (upper level class?)

File

Serialization and deserialization

how do we do the Serialization and deserialization?
use input/output stream
serialVersionVID

- transient keyword
- Serializable interface
- Java 8 features
 - lambda (video YT)
 - what? why? how?
 - lambda is used to do the functional programming
 - how do we create lambda?
 - All the variable created by lambda is immutable, so thread safe

Functional Interface

- @FuncationalInterface
- pre-define functional Interface
 - Predicate -> test
 - Function -> apply
 - Consumer -> accept
 - Supplier -> get
- Optional
 - what? why? how?
 - optional used to prevent what's kinds of problems
 - advantage of optional is don't need to if else to do the null-check every time
 - prevent NPE

- of, ofNullable, orElse, orElseThrow
- orElseThrow(): if input is null, it can throw exception
- Stream API
 - intermediate operation → return Stream
 - terminal operation → return null Stream
 - API:
 - map vs. flatmap
 - how to transfer list to map
- Method reference *
- multi thread
 - process vs thread
 - Thread state
 - new, runnable, waiting, timed_waiting, blocked, terminated
 - how does one state transfer to another state?
 - how to create a thread? When should I use which one?
 - 4 ways to create
 - when use run(), When use call()
 - runnable vs callable
- Thread Pool
 - customized thread pool
 - threadPoolExecutor
 - corePoolSize
 - maximumPoolSize
 - keepAliveTime
 - unit
 - workQueue

- BlockingQueue threadsafe
- extends Queue → FIFL
- threadFactory
- handler (how do we reject)
 - AbortPolicy
 - CallerRunPolicy
 - DiscardPolicy
 - DiscardOldestPolicy
- inbuild(Predefined) thread pool (4)

what different between them? when should we use them?

- newFixedThreadPool
- newSingleThreadExecutor
- newCachedThreadPool
- newScheduledThreadPool
- completableFuture vs Future
 - (YT)
- Lock
 - synchronized
 - Lock interface
 - reentrant lock
 - ReadWriteLock interface
 - ReentrantReadWriteLock
 - synchronized keyword can be used on method, block, object, static method
 - synchronized static method vs. synchronized non-static method?
 - Fair lock / unfair lock
 - Fair lock: first come, first served.

public ReentrantLock() { sync = new NonfairSync(); }

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public ReentrantReadWriteLock(boolean fair) {
    sync = fair ? new FairSync() : new NonfairSync();
    readerLock = new ReadLock(this);
    writerLock = new WriteLock(this);
}
```

Other:

A <u>ReentrantLock</u> is <u>unstructured</u>, unlike <u>synchronized</u> constructs -- i.e. you don't need to use a block structure for locking and can even hold a lock across methods. An example:

```
private ReentrantLock lock;

public void foo() {
    ...
    lock.lock();
    ...
}

public void bar() {
    ...
    lock.unlock();
    ...
}
```

Such flow is impossible to represent via a single monitor in a synchronized construct.

Enum

- why we should use Enum?
 - Enum used to create some constant value
 - some method in Enum,
 - like Enum.values() → get all values
 - ordinal() → get index