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1. get() (blocking, checked exceptions)
                                                                             java
 CompletableFuture<Integer> future = CompletableFuture.supplyAsync(() -> 42);
 // waits until result is ready
 Integer result = future.get(); // may throw InterruptedException, ExecutionException
 System.out.println(result);

    Simple, blocks until result arrives.

    X Throws checked exceptions → need try/catch.

2. join() (blocking, unchecked exceptions)
                                                                             java
  CompletableFuture<Integer> future = CompletableFuture.supplyAsync(() -> 42);
 // waits until result is ready
 Integer result = future.join(); // throws unchecked CompletionException
 System.out.println(result);

    V Cleaner than get(), no checked exceptions.

    X Still blocks.

Use join() when you're okay with blocking and want cleaner syntax.
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1. Using Future with 2 Threads

With Future, we need an ExecutorService (thread pool).

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java
import java.util.concurrent.*;
public class FutureTwoThreads {
    public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
        ExecutorService executor = Executors.newFixedThreadPool(2);
        Future<Integer> f1 = executor.submit(() -> {
            Thread.sleep(1000);
        });
        Future<Integer> f2 = executor.submit(() -> {
            Thread.sleep(1500);
            return 20;
        });
        // Blocking calls
        System.out.println("Result1 = " + f1.get());
        System.out.println("Result2 = " + f2.get());
        executor.shutdown();
    }
}
```

Behavior:

- Runs both tasks in parallel (because 2 threads available).
- get() blocks until each finishes.

2. Using CompletableFuture with 2 Threads

With CompletableFuture, you can launch tasks asynchronously, and chain results without blocking.

3. Synchronization (traditional issue)

When multiple threads share data, you need synchronization to avoid race conditions:

```
java
                                                                               public class CounterDemo {
    private int count = 0;
   public synchronized void increment() {
        count++;
    }
    public static void main(String[] args) throws InterruptedException {
        CounterDemo counter = new CounterDemo();
        Thread t1 = new Thread(() -> {
            for (int i = 0; i < 1000; i++) counter.increment();</pre>
        });
        Thread t2 = new Thread(() -> {
            for (int i = 0; i < 1000; i++) counter.increment();</pre>
        });
        t1.start();
        t2.start();
        t1.join();
        t2.join();
        System.out.println("Final count = " + counter.count);
    }
}
```

Without synchronized, the result might not be 2000 because of race conditions.