Refactoring to Java 17 and beyond

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- Refactoring Lab: To Java 17 and beyond
- Refactoring to Java 17 and beyond

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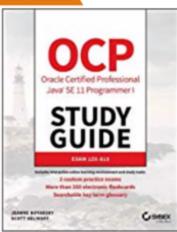












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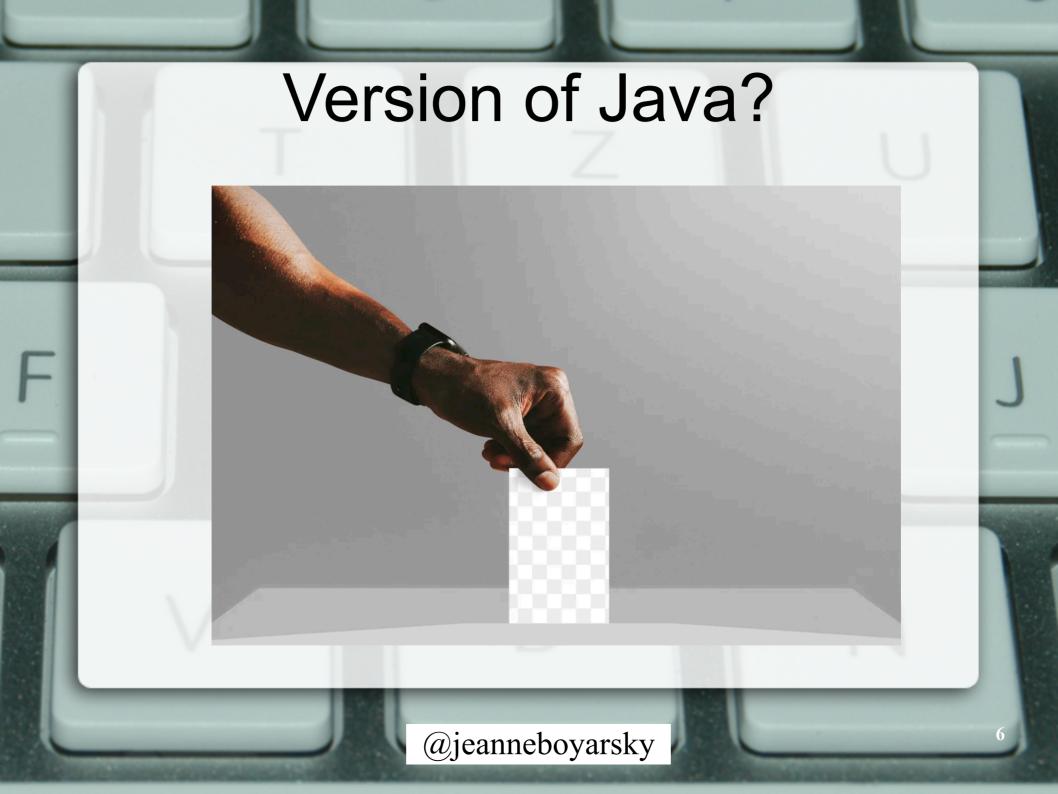
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 A bit of the material is from my books.



Version of Java?

<11 Targets 12-17. "older Java comments"

Align code to future. "older Java comments"

<16 Upgrade to LTS or latest

17 Lots of refactoring

Even more refactoring

For each Topic

- Example
- About the feature
- Opportunities
- IDE Support
- What to do if on older Java
- What will be explored in more detail in the lab version Wednesday....

Refactoring

- We are writing legacy code now!
- Refactor for future compatibility

Text blocks and Strings @jeanneboyarsky

Example: REST API Params

This is hard to read

Take Two

```
public String getJson(String search) {
    Path path = Path.of(
          "src/main/resources/query.json");
    String json = null;
    try {
        json = Files.readString(path);
    } catch (IOException e) {
        throw new UncheckedIOException(e);
    }
    return String.format(json, search);
}
```

Now the String is far away

Text Block

It's a string literal!

Adds line breaks, but still works

Text Block Syntax

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```
start block
string textBlock = """
incidental
whitespace

kcdc, Kansas City, "session, workshop"
meetup, Various, lecture
""";
end block
```

```
incidental
whitespace

// speaker>
// speaker
```

essential whitespace

Ending lines

```
new escape character
                                 keeps trailing whitespace
String textBlock =
        <session>
            <speaker>
                Jeanne Boyarsky
            </speaker>
            <title>
                Becoming one of the first Java 17 \
                certified programmers \
                 (and learning new features)
            </title>
        </session>
```

continue on next line without a line break

New lines

Two new lines (explicit and implicit)

One new line (explicit)

no line break at end

```
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```

```
String textBlock = """
    better \"""
    but can do \"\"\"
    """;
```

- Externalized data
- Expected values in JUnit
- Formats CSV, GraphQL, JSON, SQL, Text, XML, YAML, etc
- Others?

IDE Support



```
String json = "{" +

" \"query\": \"%s\"" +

" \"st
" \"en
" \"en
"}";

Replace '+' with 'StringBuilder.append()'

Replace with text block

Split into declaration and assignment
```

```
String json = """
{          "query": "%s"          "start": "1",          "end": "10"}""";
```

Literal refactoring - no \n

IDE Support



```
String ison = "{" +

Remove 'json' and all assignments

Remove 'json', keep assignments with side effect

Change type of 'json' to 'var'

Convert local variable to field

Convert String concarenation to Text Block

Inline local variable
```

Preserve lines but still no \n

On older Java?

Hard to read but positions for future

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- Practice identifying valid/invalid text blocks
- Related String APIs
- Hands on practice

Instanceof @jeanneboyarsky

Casting

```
if (num instanceof Integer) {
    Integer numAsInt = (Integer) num;
    System.out.println(numAsInt);
}
if (num instanceof Double) {
    Double numAsDouble = (Double) num;
    System.out.println(numAsDouble.intValue());
}
```

Casting

```
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```

Compiles

Does not compile because d2 might not be double

```
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```

```
if (num instanceof Double n)
    System.out.println(n.intValue());
if (num instanceof Integer n)
    System.out.println(n);
```

Yes. Only in scope for if statement

```
if (num instanceof Double n)
    System.out.println(n.intValue());
System.out.println(n.intValue());
```

No. If statement is over

Does this compile?

```
if (!(num instanceof Double n)) {
    return;
}
System.out.println(n.intValue());
```

Yes. Returns early so rest is like an else

Does this compile?

```
if (!(num instanceof Double n)) {
    return;
}
System.out.println(n.intValue());

if (num instanceof Double n)
    System.out.println(n.intValue());
```

No. n is still in scope

- Library code
- Equals methods

```
public boolean equals(Object anObject) {
   if (this == anObject) {
      return true;
   }
   return (anObject instanceof String aString)
      && (!COMPACT_STRINGS || this.coder == aString.coder)
      && StringLatin1.equals(value, aString.value);
}
```

• Others?

IDE Support



```
if (num instanceof Integer) {
    Integer numAsInt = (Integer) num;
    System.out.pri
    Replace 'numAsInt' with pattern variable >

if (num instanceof Integer numAsInt) {
    System.out.println(numAsInt);
}
```

On older Java?

```
//TODO convert to pattern var when on Java 17

if (num instanceof Double) {
   Double numAsDouble = (Double) num;
   System.out.println(numAsDouble.intValue());
}
```

Positions for future

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- Explore edge cases
- Sealed classes
- Hands on practice

Switch expressions @jeanneboyarsky

Originally

```
public String getLocation(String store) {
    String result = "";
    switch (store) {
        case "Hallmark":
            result = "KC";
            break;
        case "Crayola":
            result = "PA";
            break;
        default:
            result = "anywhere";
    return result;
```

You remembered the breaks, right?

No break keyword

```
enum Position { TOP, BOTTOM };

Position pos = Position.TOP;

int stmt = switch(pos) {
   case TOP: yield 1;
};

int expr = switch(pos) {
   case BOTTOM -> 0;
};
```

Does not compile because assigning value

(poly expression)

```
public int toInt(Object obj) {
    return switch (obj) {
        case Integer i -> i;
        case Double d -> d.intValue();
        case String s -> Integer.parseInt(s);
        default -> throw new
            IllegalArgumentException("unknown type");
```

Reminder: Syntax can change

Reminder: Feature can still change

Opportunities

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- Many if/else chains!
- Switch statements with many breaks
- Sets the stage for advanced matching

Others?

IDE Support



```
switch (store) {

Replace with 'switch' expression >
```

```
String result = switch (store) {
    case "Hallmark" -> "KC";
    case "Crayola" -> "PA";
    default -> "anywhere";
};
return result;
```

On older Java?

```
public String getLocation(String store) {
    //TODO convert to switch expression on Java 17
    String result = "";
    switch (store) {
        case "Hallmark":
            result = "KC";
            break;
        case "Crayola":
            result = "PA";
            break;
        default:
            result = "anywhere";
    return result;
```

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- Blocks and yield
- Switch with records
- More edge cases
- Hands on practice

Records @jeanneboyarsky

Originally

```
public class Book {
    2 usage
    private String title;
    2 usages
    private int numPages;
    public Book(String title, int numPages) {
        this.title = title;
        this.numPages = numPages;
    public String getTitle() {
        return title;
    public int getNumPages() {
        return numPages;
```

Ran out of room on screen!

```
public record Book (String title, int numPages) {
}
```

New type

Automatically get

- * final record
- * private final instance variables
- * public accessors
- * constructor taking both fields
- * equals
- * hashCode

Using the Record

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```

```
Book book = new Book("Breaking and entering", 289);
System.out.println(book.title());
System.out.println(book.toString());
```

Outputs:

Breaking and entering Book[title=Breaking and entering, numPages=289]

Opportunities



- Immutable POJOs
- Don't have to write equals/ hashCode
- Vs reflection EqualsBuilder
- Make code coverage tool happy
- Others?

IDE Support



```
blic final class Book {

Convert to a record >

Susages Safe delete 'records.Book' >

private final Str
Susages Make 'Book' package-private >

private final int Add Javadoc >

public Book(Strin Press ^J to open preview this.title = title;
```

```
public record Book(String title, int numPages) {
}
```

Had to make instance variables final. Also didn't remove my equals() even though generated by IntelliJ

On older Java?

```
//TODO convert to record when on Java 17
public final class Book {
    private String title;
    private int numPages;
    public Book(String title, int numPages) {
        this.title = title;
        this.numPages = numPages;
    public String title() {
        return title;
                               Be sure to use al
    public int numPages() {
        return numPages;
                               fields for equals/
                               hashCode
    // hash code, equals
```

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- Compact constructors
- Custom methods
- More edge cases
- Hands on practice



toList()

```
public List<String> listLonger(
    Stream<String> stream) {

    return stream.collect(Collectors.toList());
}

public List<String> listShorter(
    Stream<String> stream) {

    return stream.toList();
}
```

Teeing Collector

Formatting a String

```
String firstName = "Jeanne";
String lastName = "Boyarsky";
String str = String.format(
    "Hi %s %s!", firstName, lastName);
System.out.println(str);
System.out.println("Hi %s %s!".formatted(firstName, lastName));
```

Outputs: Hi Jeanne Boyarsky! Hi Jeanne Boyarsky!

Common Conversions

Conversion	What it does
%s	Formattable as String
%d	Decimal integer (no dot)
%c	Char
%f	Float (decimal)
%n	New line

Many more out of scope. Examples:

- %e scientific notation
- %t time
- %S converts to all uppercase

Conversion Examples

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Code	Output
"%d%%".formatted(1.2)	exception
"%d%%".formatted(1)	1%
"%s%%".formatted(1)	1%
"%s%%".formatted(1.2)	1.2%
"%f%%".formatted(1.2)	1.20000f

Formatting a Number

Char	What it does
-	Left justified
+	Always include +/-
space	Leading space if positive

Char	What it does
0	Zero padded
,	Group numbers
(Negative # in parens

Flag Examples

Code	Output
"%,d".formatted(1234)	1,234
"%+d".formatted(1234)	1234
"% d".formatted(1234)	1234
"%,(d".formatted(-1234)	(1,234)
"%,f".formatted(1.23456789)	1.234568

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```

```
NumberFormat defaultFormat =
NumberFormat.getCompactNumberInstance();
NumberFormat shortFormat = NumberFormat
   .getCompactNumberInstance(
        Locale. US, NumberFormat. Style. SHORT);
NumberFormat longFormat = NumberFormat
   .getCompactNumberInstance(
        Locale. US, NumberFormat. Style. LONG);
System.out.println(defaultFormat.format(1 000 000));
System.out.println(shortFormat.format(1 000 000));
System.out.println(longFormat.format(1 000 000));
```

1 million

```
Path kcdc = Path.of("files/kcdc.txt");
Path kc = Path.of("files/kc.txt");

System.out.println(Files.mismatch(kcdc, kc));
System.out.println(Files.mismatch(kcdc, kcdc));
```

11 (index of first character different)-1 (same file contents regardless of whether exists)

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Hands on practice

