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Java Programming

Java Language

1. Java Terminology
2. Java is a Platform Independent Language
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4. Java Features

Java Terminology

- **Java Installation:** echo $(/usr/libexec/java_home)
- **Java Program Execution:** It starts with we writing the program, then compiling the program and at last running the program.
- **Java Virtual Machine (JVM):** The primary function of the JVM is execute the bytecode produced by compiler while running the program. Each operating system has different JVM, however the output they produce after execution of bytecode is same across all operating systems. That is why we call java as platform independent language.
- **Bytecode:** javac compiler of JDK compiles the java source code into bytecode so that it can be executed by JVM. The bytecode is saved in a .class file by compiler.
- **Java Development Kit(JDK):** JDK is platform specific installation and it includes JRE (Java Runtime Environment), compilers and various tools like JavaDoc, Java debugger etc.
- **Java Runtime Environment(JRE):** JRE is part of JDK and when JRE is only installed then only Java program can be run but not compiled. JRE includes JVM, browser plugins and applets support.

Java is a platform independent language

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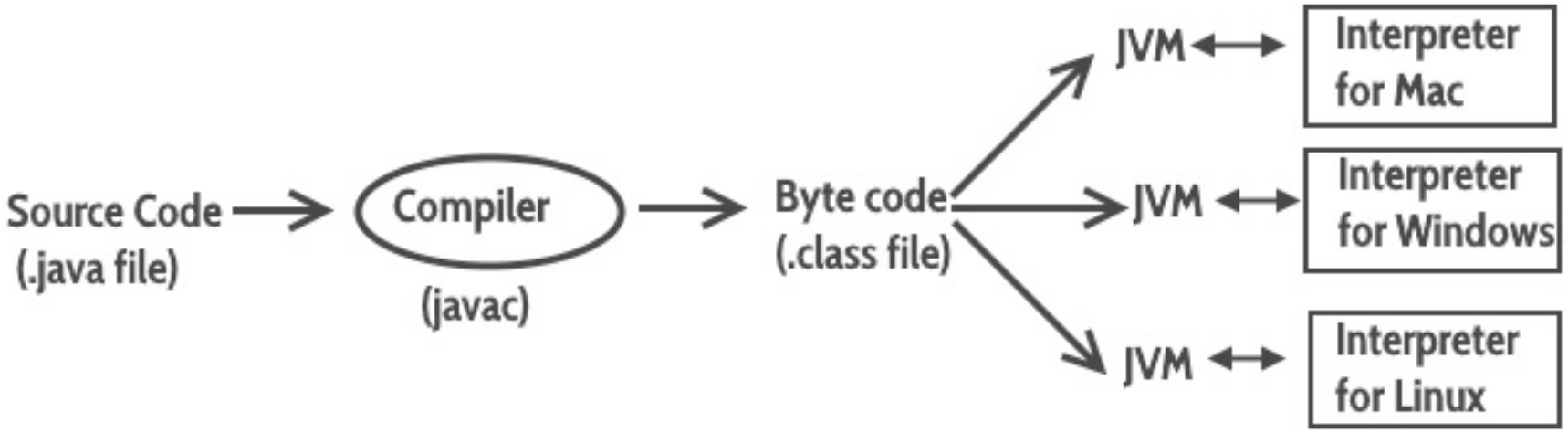
Compiler(javac) converts source code (.java file) to the generic byte code(.class file). The bytecode can be run in any platform using OS specific JRE. Each OS has different JVM, however the output they produce after execution of bytecode is same across all operating systems.



JVM Architecture

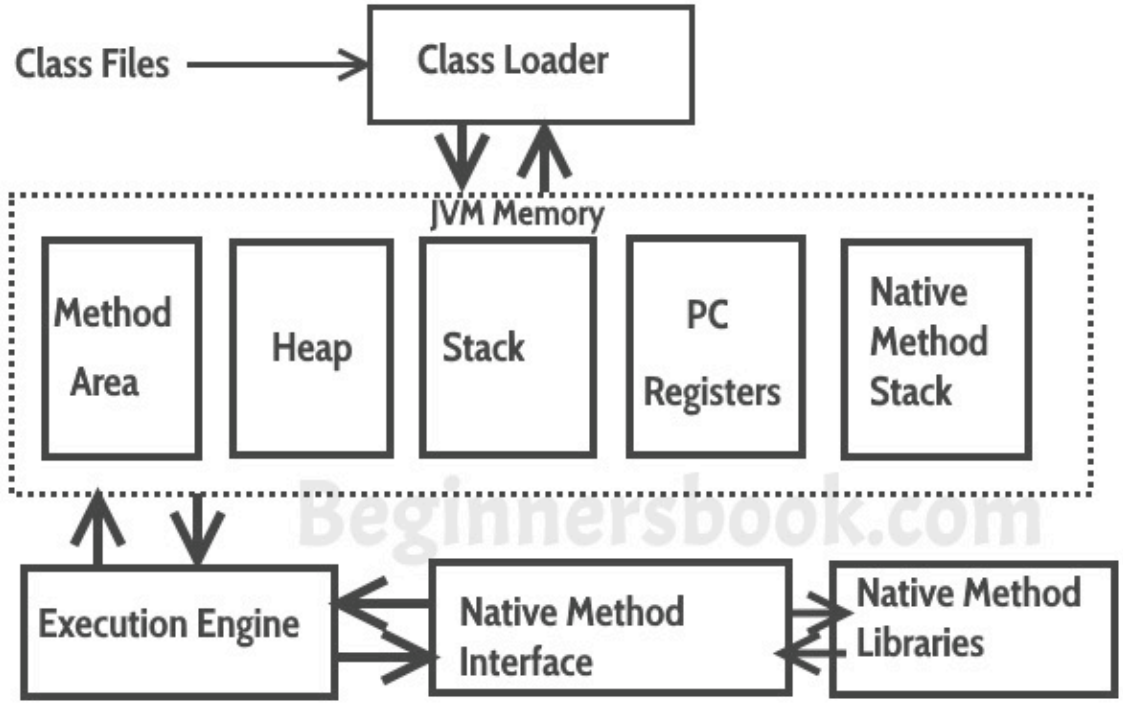
Class Loader: The class loader reads the .class file and save the byte code in the method area.

Method Area: There is only one method area in a JVM which is shared among all the classes. This holds the class level information of each .class file.

Heap: Heap is a part of JVM memory where objects are allocated. JVM creates a Class object for each .class file.

Stack: Stack is also a part of JVM memory but unlike Heap, it is used for storing temporary variables.

PC Registers: This keeps the track of which instruction has been executed and which one is going to be executed. Since instructions are executed by threads, each thread has a separate PC register.



Native Method stack: A native method can access the runtime data areas of the virtual machine.

Native Method interface: It enables java code to call or be called by native applications. Native applications are programs that are specific to the hardware and OS of a system.

Java Features

- **Java is an Object Oriented language:** Java is a pure Object oriented language where even writing the smallest of the Program starts with writing a class. Its essentially a way of organizing programs as collection of objects, each of which represents an instance of a class. And Classes are Organized using Object Oriented Concepts of Abstraction, Encapsulation, Inheritance, Polymorphism, and Association.
- **Robust Language:** Robust means reliable. Its made reliable by checking possible errors at compile time and runtime and supporting runtime features like Garbage Collection, Exception Handling and memory management which also makes it Secure.
- **Java is distributed:** The java programs can be distributed on more than one systems that are connected to each other using internet connection. Objects on one JVM (java virtual machine) can execute procedures on a remote JVM.
- **Multithreading:** Multithreading is a Java feature that allows concurrent execution of two or more parts of a program for maximum utilization of CPU.
- **Java Runtime Environment(JRE):** JRE is part of JDK and when JRE is only installed then only Java program can be run but not compiled. JRE includes JVM, browser plugins and applets support.

Java Programming Constructs

1. Sequences, Selection & Repetition
2. Class, Object and Methods
3. Key Concepts
4. Patterns

Note:  java cheatsheet

1. Sequences, Selection & Repetition

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- Sequences are simple Java Statement
- A selection statement provides for selection between alternatives. Consists of if, else & switch statements
- A repetition construct causes a group of one or more program statements to be invoked repeatedly until some end condition is met. Consists of Fixed for loop and Variable while loop

Check Employee is Present or Absent

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Check Employee Presence UC 1

```
public class EmpWageBuilderUC1 {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        // Constants
        int IS_FULL_TIME = 1;
                // Computation
        double empCheck = Math.floor(Math.random() * 10) % 2;
        if (empCheck == IS_FULL_TIME)
            System.out.println("Employee is Present");
        else
            System.out.println("Employee is Abscent");
    }
}
EmpWageBuilderUC1.java (END)
```

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