

Java mastery

Generics in java



- Introduced in java for two main purpose:
 - a. For Type Safety
 - b. Avoid Manual Type Casting
- 2. They enable us to create classes, interfaces, and methods that can seamlessly work with various data types without sacrificing compile-time safety.
- 3. Introduced in java 1.5 (java 5)

Wildcard in Java Generics



- 1. There are three types of wildcard:
 - a. Upperbound Wildcards <? extends Type>
 - b. Lowerbound Wildcards <? super Type>
 - c. Unbound <?>

Java Inner Classes



- Class created inside another class is called inner class.
- Inner classes is used to group logical related classes together at one place make more readable.
- 3. Nested classes are used to develop more readable and maintainable code because it logically group classes and interfaces in one place only.

Inner class Types



- 1. Non-static nested class (inner class)
 - i. Member inner class/Regular Inner class
 - ii. Anonymous inner class
 - iii. Local inner class / Method local inner classes
- Static nested class
- 3. Nested Interface

Regular Expression



- Regex is a powerful tool in Java for defining patterns that can be used for searching, manipulating, and editing strings.
- 2. **java.util.regex** package defined classes to work with regex in java.
- 3. Pattern Class- Represent Compile version of regex
- 4. **Matcher** Class- Represent regex engine perform maches
- 5. PatternSyntaxException
- 6. PatternResult interface

Use of Regex



- 1. Validating user input (e.g., email addresses, passwords).
- 2. Extracting specific information from text (e.g., phone numbers, dates).
- 3. Searching and replacing text based on patterns.

Regular Expression PP



- Create RE that accept alphanumeric characters only.
- Create RE that accept 10 digits number only.
- 3. Write a EX to match email addresses.
- 4. Write a RE for matching username that contain numbers, letters and @,\$ only.

Java 8 new features

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- 1. Lambda expressions
- 2. Functional interfaces
- 3. Method references
- 4. Stream API
- 5. Default methods
- 6. Static methods in interfaces
- 7. Optional Class
- Collector class
- 9. forEach methods
- 10. JDBC Enhancements et



Lambda Expression



- A lambda expression is a compact way to represent an anonymous function (a function without a name)
- 2. More concise way to implement Functional interfaces (Interface having single method)
- Lambda expressions were introduced in Java 8 to bring functional programming concepts to the Java language.

```
Runnable runnable = () -> {
// code goes here
};
```

Why lambda

- 1. More concise and readable code.
- 2. Support functional programming
- 3. Enhance api design
- 4. More performance

Functional Interfaces



- Interfaces that contain only one abstract method is called functional interfaces.
- Helps to achieve Functional programming

```
@FunctionalInterface
public interface Runnable
    void run();
```

Method References



- Method References allows you to refer to methods or constructors without invoking them directly.
- 2. Static method references
- 3. Not-static method references
- 4. Constructor references

Stream API



- 1. Introduced in Java 8, Stream API is used to process collections of objects.
- 2. A stream in Java is a sequence of elements that supports various methods which can be pipelined to produce the desired result.
- Stream does not store elements.
- 4. Stream is lazy and evaluates code only when required.
- 5. Pipelining
- 6. Parallelism: Streams can leverage parallel processing to improve performance on multi-core processors.
- 7. Immutable Data: They do not modify the underlying data source.
- 8. The elements of a stream are only visited once during the life of a stream.

Commonly used operations



- 1. forEach
- 2. filter
- 3. map
- 4. reduce
- 5. collect
- 6. findFirst
- 7. sorted
- 8. distinct
- 9. flatMap
- 10. limit
- 11. skip

Java Default Methods inside interfaces



- 1. From java 8 we can create default methods inside interfaces.
- Method with default keyword

```
interface Findable{
   default void test(){
      System.out.println("default method");
}
```

Java static Methods inside interfaces



- 1. From java 8 we can create static methods inside interfaces.
- 2. Used to create utility methods

```
interface Findable{
    static void test(){
        System.out.println("default method");
}
```

forEach() method



- 1. New method is given in Iterable interfaces forEach() to iterate over elements.
- 2. From java 8(1.8)

Java Collectors class



- 1. New java that provide implementation of different types of reduction methods.
- 2. java.util.steam.Collectors

Java StringJoiner



- 1. String class use to create string with joining the string separated by delimiter.
- 2. We can create string by passing delimiters like comma(,), hyphen(-) etc

Type Inference



- 1. In old version:
 - a. List<Integer> list=new ArrayList<Integer>();

- 2. In java 8 :
- a. List<Integer> list=new ArrayList<>();

Optional Class

- 1. Present in **java.util** package
- Public final class use to deal with NullPointerException.
- 3. Use to represent optional value instead of **null** references.

Type Annotation



- 1. We have power to declare annotations with type.
- 2. With declaring variables, we have use annotations.
 - a. @NonNull String str;

Java created type annotations to support improved analysis of Java programs. It supports way of ensuring stronger type checking.

Java 9 Features



- 1. JPMS (Java Platform Module System) Project Jigsaw
- 2. JShell-REPL
- 3. Improvement to Stream API
- 4. Private Interface methods
- 5. Try-With-Resource Improvement
- 6. Process API Updates
- 7. Diamond Operator Extension
- 8. @SafeVarargs Annotations
- 9. Collection Factory Methods
- 10. Multi-Resolution Image API



JShell - REPL



- The Java Shell tool (JShell) is an interactive tool for learning the Java programming language and prototyping Java code.
- 2. JShell is a Read-Evaluate-Print Loop tool (REPL), which evaluates declarations, statements, and expressions as they are entered and immediately shows the results.



Java Module System



 A Module is a group of closely related packages and resources along with a new module descriptor file.



Module Descriptor



- When we create a module, we include a descriptor file that defines several aspects of our new module:
- 2. Name the name of our module
- 3. **Dependencies** a list of other modules that this module depends on
- 4. **Public Packages** a list of all packages we want accessible from outside the module
- 5. **Services Offered** we can provide service implementations that can be consumed by other modules
- 6. **Services Consumed** allows the current module to be a consumer of a service
- 7. **Reflection Permissions** explicitly allows other classes to use reflection to access the private members of a package

Improvement to Stream API



- 1. New methods is added to stream interface of java 9
- 2. takeWhile
- 3. dropWhile
- 4. Of Nullable
- 5. iterate

Private method in interface



1. From java 9 we can create private method inside interface.

Try with resource enhancement

- 1. Try with resource was introduced in java 7
- 2. Try with resources is enhanced in java 9
- 3. Lets understand with example

Java 9 Inner class enhancement



- 1. From Java 9 allows use diamond operator in side anonymous classes.
- 2. Features is added in java 9 to add **Type Inference**.

Collection Static Methods



- Java 9 Collection library includes static factory methods for List, Set and Map interface.
- 2. These methods are useful to create small number of collection.
- 3. List.of(Elements..)
- 4. Set.of(Elements..)
- 5. Map.of(Elements..)