Seriously, use Groovy NOW

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Publications

O'Reilly video courses:

[Groovy Programming Fundamentals](#)

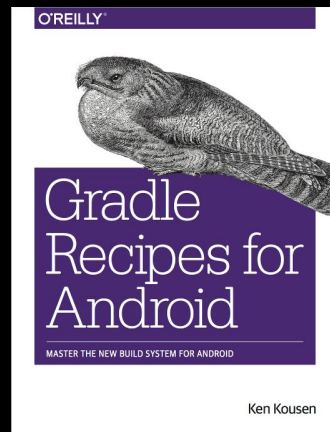[Practical Groovy Programming](#)

[Mastering Groovy Programming](#)

[Learning Android](#)

[Practical Android](#)

[Gradle Fundamentals](#)

[Gradle for Android](#)

Groovy Features

Operator overloading

POGOs

Groovy JDK

Closures

Builders

Metaprogramming

Groovy Ecosystem

Grails

Gradle

Spock

Geb

Griffon

GPars

Easy Stuff

Some trivial (for Groovy) examples

    HTTP GET requests

    Native data structures

    Type conversions

Best Part

Add Groovy to Java at any time

Adding Groovy to Java is easy

Adding Java to Groovy is inevitable

Let's do some examples

Fun with BigDecimal

Let's do some examples

Functional programming
    (Still simpler than Java 8)

Let's do some examples

POGOs FTW

Let's do some examples

AST Magic

    @Canonical

    @Delegate

    @Immutable

    Lots more...

Let's do some examples

I/O is supposed to be easy

Let's do some examples

Builders and slurpers

Let's do some examples

The heartbreak of JDBC

Let's do some examples

You do Spring Framework?

Groovy Badger Don't Care

Let's do some examples

You'd really rather use Maven?

Let's do some examples

You'd really rather use Maven?

Really?

Let's do some examples

You'd really rather use Maven?

Really?

No, really??

That ought to be enough

Any questions?

So use **Groovy** NOW

(after completing your session evals)