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Java executor framework for running multi-threaded applications concurrently, sequentially, and with a strategy design pattern to switch between sequential and concurrent execution. 1. Running concurrently

```
1 package com.writtentest13;
2
3 import java.util.ArrayList;
4 import java.util.List;
5 import java.util.concurrent.Callable;
6 import java.util.concurrent.ExecutorService;
7 import java.util.concurrent.Executors;
```

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```

8
9 /**
10  * Tasks are executed concurrently in a thread pool
11  */
12
13 public class ThreadExecutorMainCon {
14
15     private ExecutorService concurrentThreadExecutor;
16
17     public static void main(String[] args) {
18         ThreadExecutorMainCon main = new ThreadExecutorMainCon();
19
20         // concurrent executor
21         main.concurrentThreadExecutor = Executors.newCachedThreadPool();
22         // newFixedThreadPool(3)
23         List<Callable<Boolean>> tasks = new ArrayList<>();
24
25         // create dummy tasks
26         for (int i = 1; i <= 5; i++) {
27             tasks.add(main.createTask(i));
28         }
29
30         // submit the tasks to the concurrentThreadExecutor
31         try {
32             main.concurrentThreadExecutor.invokeAll(tasks);
33         } catch (InterruptedException e) {
34             e.printStackTrace();
35         }
36
37         System.out.println("Completed .....");
38     }
39
40     private Callable<Boolean> createTask(final int i) {
41         Callable<Boolean> task = new Callable<Boolean>() {
42
43             @Override
44             public Boolean call() throws Exception {
45                 System.out.println("Performing task " + i);
46                 return true;
47             }
48         };
49
50         return task;
51     }
52 }
53
54
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```

The output will be

```

1 Performing task 1 on thread - pool-1-thread-1
2 Performing task 5 on thread - pool-1-thread-4
3 Performing task 4 on thread - pool-1-thread-1
4 Performing task 3 on thread - pool-1-thread-3
5 Performing task 2 on thread - pool-1-thread-2
6 Completed .....
7

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