

Kata Retrospective in Java 11

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Me, Myself and I



Java Champion,
OpenJDK amber & valhalla
ex: jigsaw, lambda, invokedynamic



LXR
NOWHERE ELSE

Goal

```
var lexer = Lexer.create()  
    .with("[0-9]+", Integer::parseInt)  
    .with("[0-9]+\\.?[0-9]*", Double::parseDouble)  
    .with("[a-zA-Z]+", Function.identity());  
  
lexer.tryParse("foo")    // the String foo  
lexer.tryParse("12.3")   // the double 12.3  
lexer.tryParse("200")    // the int 200
```

Functional form of ...

An if/else cascade

```
static Object parse(String text) {  
    if (recognize(text, "[0-9]+")) {  
        return Integer.parseInt(text);  
    }  
    if (recognize(text, "[0-9]+\\.\\.[0-9]*")) {  
        return Double.parseDouble(text);  
    }  
    if (recognize(text, "[a-zA-Z]+")) {  
        return text;  
    }  
    throw new ...  
}
```

Is it a function ?

a function that takes one input and has two outputs

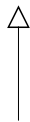
```
if (recognize(text, "[0-9]+")) {  
    return Integer.parseInt(text);  
} else {  
    ...  
}
```

so it's a not function ??

The railroad switch pattern

term coined by Scott Wlaschin (fsharpforfunandprofit.com)

?? tryParse(String text)



```
if (recognize(text, "[0-9]+")) {  
    return Integer.parseInt(text);  
} else {  
    ...  
}
```



The Option monad to the rescue

Monad

- Superposition of states using a common interface

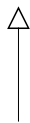
`java.util.Optional`

- `Optional.of(...)`
- `Optional.empty()`

The railroad switch pattern

The result is either a value or nothing

```
Optional<V> tryParse(String text)
```



```
if (recognize(text, "[0-9]+")) {  
    return Integer.parseInt(text);  
} else {  
    ...  
}
```



This talk !

3 levels !

- Any behavioral/creational patterns in Java
- Railroad Switch Pattern
- Lexer implementation / Java 11

The railroad switch kata in Java 11

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Question 1

Write a Lexer that doesn't recognize any pattern

```
var lexer = Lexer.create();  
lexer.tryParse("a_keyword").isEmpty() // true
```

Demo Question 1

A Lexer

```
@FunctionalInterface  
interface Lexer<V> {  
    Optional<V> tryParse(String text);  
}
```

A simple lambda is enough

```
static <T> Lexer<T> create() {  
    return text -> {  
        requireNonNull(text);  
        return Optional.empty();  
    };  
}
```

Question 2

Write a Lexer that recognizes a pattern

```
var lexer = Lexer.from(Pattern.compile("([a-z]o)o"));  
lexer.tryParse("zoo").orElseThrow() // zo  
lexer.tryParse("bar").isEmpty()    // true
```

```
var lexer2 = Lexer.from("([a-z]o)o");
```


Demo Question 2

Lexer.from()

```
private static void requireOneCaptureGroup(Pattern pattern) {  
    if (pattern.matcher("").groupCount() != 1) {  
        throw new IAE(pattern + " has not one captured group");  
    }  
}  
  
static Lexer<String> from(Pattern pattern) {  
    requireOneCaptureGroup(pattern);  
    return text -> Optional.of(pattern.matcher(text))  
        .filter(Matcher::matches)  
        .map(matcher -> matcher.group(1));  
}  
  
static Lexer<String> from(String regex) {  
    return from(compile(regex));  
}
```

Question 3

Write a method `map()` that transforms the result of a `Lexer`

```
var lexer =  
    Lexer.from("([0-9]+)").map(Integer::parseInt);  
  
lexer.tryParse(404).orElseThrow() // 404
```

Demo Question 3

Lexer.map()

```
default <U> Lexer<U> map(  
    Function<? super T, ? extends U> mapper) {  
    requireNonNull(mapper);  
    return text -> tryParse(text).map(mapper);  
}
```

Question 4

Write a method `or()` that combines two Lexers

```
var lexer1 = Lexer.from("[0-9]+")  
    .map(Integer::parseInt);  
var lexer2 = Lexer.from("[0-9]+\\. [0-9]*")  
    .map(Double::parseDouble);  
var lexer3 = lexer1.or(lexer2);
```

Demo Question 4

Lexer.or()

```
default Lexer<T> or(Lexer<? extends T> lexer) {  
    requireNonNull(lexer);  
    return text -> tryParse(text)  
        .or(() -> lexer.tryParse(text));  
}
```


Lexer.with()

Add a method with() that combines a pattern and a transformation

```
var lexer =  
  Lexer.create()  
    .with("[0-9]+", Integer::parseInt)  
    .with("[0-9]+\\.?[0-9]*", Double::parseDouble);
```

Demo Question 5

Lexer.with()

```
default Lexer<T> with(String regex,  
    Function<? super String, ? extends T> parser) {  
    return or(from(regex).map(parser));  
}
```

Lexer.from(List, List)

Write an overload of from() that takes couples of pattern/action

```
var lexer =  
  Lexer.from(  
    List.of("[0-9]+", "[0-9]+\\. [0-9]*"),  
    List.of(Integer::parseInt, Double::parseDouble));
```

Demo Question 6

Lexer.from(List, List)

```
static class FastLexer<T> implements Lexer<T> {  
    private final List<String> regexes;  
    private final List<Function<? super String, ? extends T>> mappers;  
    ...  
    @Override  
    public Optional<T> tryParse(String text) {  
        requireNonNull(text);  
        if (regexes.isEmpty()) {  
            return Optional.empty();  
        }  
        var matcher = compile(join("|", regexes)).matcher(text);  
        if (!matcher.matches()) {  
            return Optional.empty();  
        }  
        for(var i = 0; i < matcher.groupCount(); i++) {  
            var group = matcher.group(i + 1);  
            if (group != null) {  
                return Optional.of(group).map(mappers.get(i));  
            }  
        }  
        return Optional.empty();  
    }  
}
```

Lexer.from(List, List)

```
static <T> Lexer<T> from(List<String> regexes,  
    List<? extends Function<? super String, ? extends T>> mappers) {  
    if (regexes.size() != mappers.size()) { // implicit nullchecks  
        throw new IllegalArgumentException("lists with different sizes");  
    }  
    regexes.forEach(regex -> requireOneCaptureGroup(compile(regex)));  
    return new FastLexer<>(List.copyOf(regexes), List.copyOf(mappers));  
}
```

Lexer.from(List, List) with a Stream

```
return Optional.of(regexes)
    .filter(not(List::isEmpty))
    .map(regexes -> compile(join("|", regexes)).matcher(text))
    .filter(Matcher::matches)
    .flatMap(matcher -> range(0, matcher.groupCount())
        .boxed()
        .flatMap(i -> ofNullable(matcher.group(i + 1))
            .map(mappers.get(i))
            .stream()))
    .findFirst());
```


Lexer.from(List, List).map|or()

Provide a better map() implementation for the FastLexer

```
var lexer = Lexer.<Integer>from(  
    List.of("[0-9]+"), List.of(Integer::parseInt));  
lexer = lexer.map(x -> x * 2);  
  
var lexer2 = Lexer.from(  
    List.of("..."), List.of(Double::parseDouble));  
lexer2.or(lexer);
```

Demo Question 7

Lexer.from(List, List).map()

```
@Override
public <U> Lexer<U> map(
    Function<? super T, ? extends U> mapper) {
    return new FastLexer<>(regexes,
        mappers.stream()
            .map(mapper::compose)
            .collect(toUnmodifiableList()));
}
```

Lexer.from(List, List).or()

```
@Override
public Lexer<T> or(Lexer<? extends T> lexer) {
    if (lexer instanceof FastLexer) {
        var fastLexer = (FastLexer<? extends T>)lexer;
        return new FastLexer<>(
            concat(regexes, fastLexer.regexes),
            concat(mappers, fastLexer.mappers));
    }
    return Lexer.super.or(lexer);
}

private static <T> List<T> concat(List<? extends T> l1, List<? extends T> l2) {
    return Stream.of(l1, l2).flatMap(List::stream).collect(toUnmodifiableList());
}
```

Java 8 / 11

More functional (language)

Fake structural type + inference

- Functional interface/lambda

Less names !

- var + anonymous class

More functional (API)

Immutable collections

- List/Set/Map.of()
- List/Set/Map.copyOf()
- Collectors.toUnmodifiableList/Set/Map()

Monads

- Optional, Stream

but ...

Too many wildcards

- JEP 300: Augment Use-Site Variance with Declaration-Site Defaults

Generics are still not reified

- Reified generics for primitives: valhalla

Railroad Switch Pattern

Railroad Switch Pattern

@FunctionInterface

```
public interface Switch<T, R> {  
    Optional<R> apply(T t);  
  
    static <T, R> Switch<T, R> lift(Function<? super T, ? extends R> function) {  
        return t -> Optional.of(function.apply(t));  
    }  
  
    default Switch<T, R> filter(Predicate<? super R> filter) {  
        return t -> apply(t).filter(filter);  
    }  
  
    default <V> Switch<T, V> map(Function<? super R, ? extends V> mapper) {  
        return t -> apply(t).map(mapper);  
    }  
  
    default Switch<T, R> or(Switch<? super T, ? extends R> switz) {  
        return t -> apply(t).or(() -> switz.apply(t));  
    }  
}
```

FizzBuzz

Imperative implementation

```
for (int i = 1; i <= 100; i++) {  
    if ((i % 15) == 0)  
        System.out.println("fizzbuzz");  
    else if ((i % 3) == 0)  
        System.out.println("fizz");  
    else if ((i % 5) == 0)  
        System.out.println("buzz");  
    else  
        System.out.println(i);  
}
```

Functional Implementation

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    var fizz = lift((Integer i) -> i)  
        .filter(i -> i % 3 == 0).map(i -> "fizz");  
    var buzz = lift((Integer i) -> i)  
        .filter(i -> i % 5 == 0).map(i -> "buzz");  
    var fizzbuzz = lift((Integer i) -> i)  
        .filter(i -> i % 15 == 0).map(i -> "fizzbuzz");  
    var all = fizzbuzz.or(buzz).or(fizz);  
  
    rangeClosed(1, 100)  
        .mapToObj(i -> all.apply(i).orElseGet(() -> "" + i))  
        .forEach(System.out::println);  
}
```

Questions ?