



Programming Language for JVM and Android

Costruiamo un treno in Kotlin < . . _ . \ . [☺] . [☺]

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Linguaggi JVM

Kotlin [edit]

```
fun main(args: Array<String>) {  
    println("Hello world!")  
}
```

Scala [edit]

```
println("Hello world!")
```

Groovy [edit]

```
println "Hello world!"
```

GOSU [edit]

```
print("Hello world!")
```

Java [edit]

```
public class HelloWorld  
{  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        System.out.println("Hello world!");  
    }  
}
```

C# [edit]

Works with: Mono version 1.2
Works with: Visual C# version 2003

```
namespace HelloWorld  
{  
    class Program  
    {  
        static void Main(string[] args)  
        {  
            System.Console.WriteLine("Hello world!");  
        }  
    }  
}
```



Concise, simple and very easy to read (and write)

```
package hello
```

Optional package header

```
fun main(args: Array<String>) {  
    println("Hello World!")  
}
```

Package-level function,
which returns Unit and
takes an Array of strings as
a parameter

Have you noticed?
Semicolons are optional



Concise

Drastically reduce the amount
of boilerplate code you need to
write.



Safe

Avoid entire classes of errors
such as null pointer
exceptions.



Versatile

Build server-side applications,
Android apps or frontend code
running in the browser.



Interoperable

Leverage existing frameworks
and libraries of the JVM with
100% Java Interoperability.



Tooling

Command Line Compiler or
First Class IDE Support.
Freedom to choose.



Motivazioni: luglio 2011

"We've looked at all of the existing JVM languages, and none of them meet our needs. Scala has the right features, but its most obvious deficiency is very slow compilation," said Dmitry Jemerov, JetBrains development lead, on Friday. "Other languages don't meet some of our requirements in terms of the feature set."

JetBrains wants the object-oriented Kotlin language to be safer than Java, statically checking for pitfalls such as null pointer dereference, and more concise than Java. Another goal is to make it simpler than its "most mature competitor," Scala.

<http://www.infoworld.com/article/2622405/java/jetbrains-readies-jvm-based-language.html>

The next thing is also fairly straightforward: we expect Kotlin to drive the sales of IntelliJ IDEA. We're working on a new language, but we do not plan to replace the entire ecosystem of libraries that have been built for the JVM. So you're likely to keep using Spring and Hibernate, or other similar frameworks, in your projects built with Kotlin.

<https://blog.jetbrains.com/kotlin/2011/08/why-jetbrains-needs-kotlin/>



Confronto con Java / 1

Some Java issues addressed in Kotlin

Kotlin fixes a series of issues that Java suffers from

- — Null references are [controlled by the type system](#).
- — [No raw types](#)
- Arrays in Kotlin are [invariant](#)
- — Kotlin has proper [function types](#), as opposed to Java's SAM-conversions
 - [Use-site variance](#) without wildcards
- — Kotlin does not have checked [exceptions](#)

What Java has that Kotlin does not

- [Checked exceptions](#)
- [Primitive types](#) that are not classes
- [Static members](#)
- [Non-private fields](#)
- [Wildcard-types](#)



Confronto con Java / 2

What Kotlin has that Java does not

- [Lambda expressions](#) + [Inline functions](#) = performant custom control structures
- — [Extension functions](#)
- — [Null-safety](#)
- — [Smart casts](#)
- — [String templates](#)
- — [Properties](#)
- — [Primary constructors](#)
- [First-class delegation](#)
- — [Type inference for variable and property types](#)
- — [Singletons](#)
- [Declaration-site variance & Type projections](#)
- — [Range expressions](#)
- [Operator overloading](#)
- [Companion objects](#)
- — [Data classes](#)
- [Separate interfaces for read-only and mutable collections](#)



Strumenti

- IntelliJ IDEA / Android Studio / Eclipse / Netbeans
- Dokka (Javadoc con Markdown)
- Gradle / Maven / Ant / linea di comando
- Integrazione OSGi
- 100% interoperabile con l'ecosistema Java
(Java EE, Spring, Hibernate, Guava, Jackson...)
- Supporto Android (JVM 1.6)
- Supporto di primo livello in Gradle 3
- Supporto REPL (Read Evaluate Print Loop)



Kotlin

Java

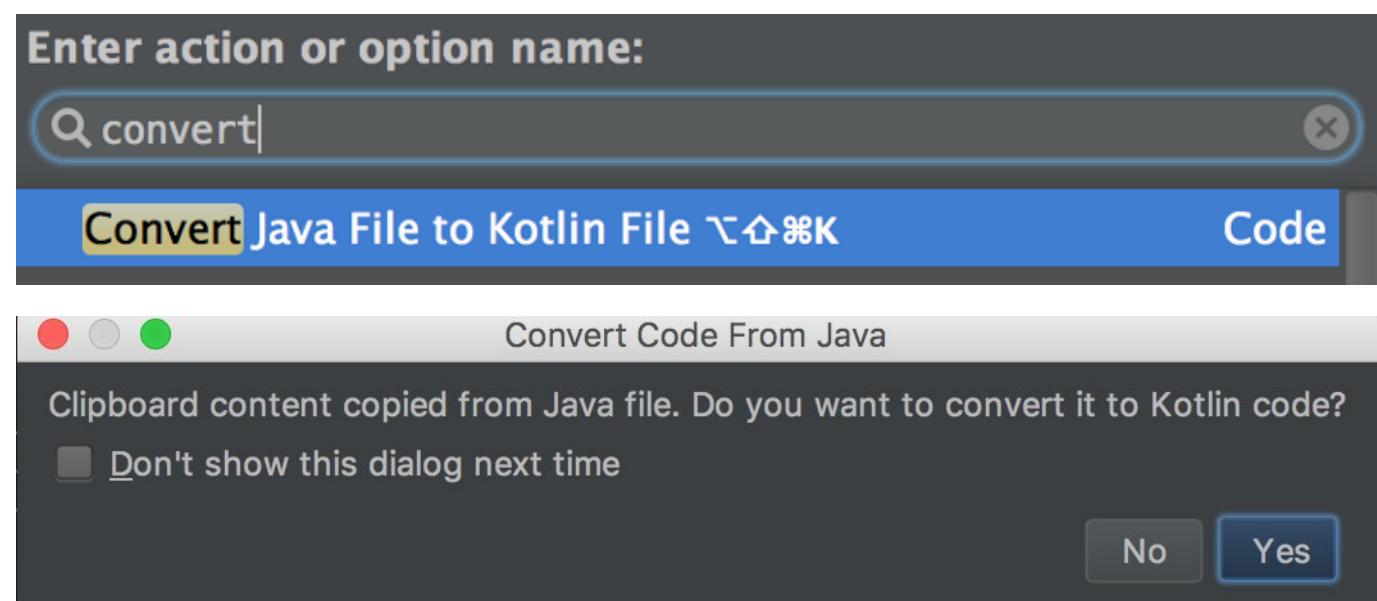
- Kotlin 1.0
- JVM 1.6-1.8
- Package k
- Java 8.0
- JVM 1.8
- Package j



Enum

```
public enum TicketType {  
    REGULAR, REDUCED, FREE  
}
```

```
enum class TicketType {  
    REGULAR, REDUCED, FREE  
}
```





Print ticket type

```
import k.TicketType;

public final class PrintTicketTypeJava {
    public static void main(final String... args) {
        System.out.println("Ticket types:");
        for (final TicketType ticketType : TicketType.values()) {
            System.out.println(" - " + ticketType);
        }
    }
}
```

```
import j.TicketType

fun main(vararg args: String) {
    println("Ticket types:")
    for (ticketType in TicketType.values()) {
        println(" - $ticketType")
    }
}
```



Utility library

```
public final class Util {

    private static final AtomicInteger idGenerator = new AtomicInteger();

    private Util() {
    }

    public static Object generateId() {
        return String.valueOf(idGenerator.incrementAndGet());
    }
}

private val idGenerator = AtomicInteger()

fun generateId(): Any = idGenerator.incrementAndGet().toString()
```



Java bean

```
public class Passenger {  
  
    private final Object ticketId;  
  
    private final k.TicketType ticketType;  
  
    public Passenger() {  
        this(UtilKt.generateId(), TicketType.REGULAR);  
    }  
  
    public Passenger(Object ticketId, TicketType ticketType) {  
        Objects.requireNonNull(ticketId);  
        Objects.requireNonNull(ticketType);  
        this.ticketId = ticketId;  
        this.ticketType = ticketType;  
    }  
}
```

Java bean qualche click dopo

```
public class Passenger {  
  
    private final Object ticketId;  
  
    private final k.TicketType ticketType;  
  
    public Passenger() {  
        this(UtilKt.generateId(), TicketType.REGULAR);  
    }  
  
    public Passenger(Object ticketId, TicketType ticketType) {  
        Objects.requireNonNull(ticketId);  
        Objects.requireNonNull(ticketType);  
        this.ticketId = ticketId;  
        this.ticketType = ticketType;  
    }  
  
    public Object getTicketId() {  
        return ticketId;  
    }  
  
    public TicketType getTicketType() {  
        return ticketType;  
    }  
  
    @Override  
    public boolean equals(Object o) {  
        if (this == o) return true;  
        if (o == null || getClass() != o.getClass()) return false;  
  
        Passenger passenger = (Passenger) o;  
  
        if (!ticketId.equals(passenger.ticketId)) return false;  
        return ticketType == passenger.ticketType;  
    }  
  
    @Override  
    public int hashCode() {  
        int result = ticketId.hashCode();  
        result = 31 * result + ticketType.hashCode();  
        return result;  
    }  
}
```



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Any piece of code that you're forced to duplicate or that can be automatically generated by a IDE is a missing language abstraction feature



Java bean `toString`

```
public String toString() {  
    final String string;  
    switch (ticketType) {  
        case REGULAR:  
            string = "€";  
            break;  
        case REDUCED:  
            string = "₺";  
            break;  
        case FREE:  
            string = "🆓";  
            break;  
        default:  
            throw new IllegalStateException("Unsupported ticket type " + ticketType);  
    }  
    return string;  
}
```

A blue callout bubble points from the word "FREE" in the code towards the text "Caso impossibile".



Java bean in Kotlin

```
data class Passenger(val ticketId: Any = generateId(),
                     val ticketType: TicketType = TicketType.REGULAR) {

    override fun toString(): String {
        val string: String
        when (ticketType) {
            TicketType.REGULAR -> string = "☺"
            TicketType.REDUCED -> string = "↘"
            TicketType.FREE -> string = "👑"
        // else -> throw IllegalStateException("Unsupported ticket type " + ticketType)
        }
        return string
    }
}
```

```
val defaultPassenger = Passenger()
val freePassenger = defaultPassenger.copy(ticketType = TicketType.FREE)
    ⏪ copy(ticketId: Any = ..., ticketType: TicketType = ...) Passenger
Dot, space and some other keys will also close this lookup and be inserted into editor >>
```



Passenger in Kotlin

```
data class Passenger(val ticketId: Any = generateId(),
                     val ticketType: TicketType = TicketType.REGULAR) {

    override fun toString(): String =
        when (ticketType) {
            TicketType.REGULAR -> "☺"
            TicketType.REDUCED -> "↳"
            TicketType.FREE -> "👑"
        }
}
```



Seat

```
public final class Seat {  
    private Optional<k.Passenger> optionalPassenger = Optional.empty();  
  
    @Override  
    public String toString() {  
        return optionalPassenger.map(p -> p.toString()).orElse("_");  
    }  
  
    public Optional<k.Passenger> getOptionalPassenger() {  
        return optionalPassenger;  
    }  
  
    public void setOptionalPassenger(Optional<Passenger> optionalPassenger) {  
        Objects.requireNonNull(optionalPassenger);  
        this.optionalPassenger = optionalPassenger;  
    }  
  
    class Seat(var passenger: Passenger? = null) {  
        override fun toString() = passenger?.toString() ?: "_"  
    }  
}
```



Railroad car

```
public interface RailroadCar {  
    int getWeight();  
}
```

```
interface RailroadCar {  
    val weight: Int  
}
```



Locomotive Java

```
public final class Locomotive implements k.RailroadCar {  
  
    @Override  
    public int getWeight() { return 8; }  
  
    public int getTowableMass() { return 20; }  
  
    @Override  
    public String toString() { return "<...>"; }  
}
```



Locomotive Kotlin

```
class Locomotive : k.RailroadCar {  
  
    override val weight: Int  
        get() = 8  
  
    val towableMass: Int  
        get() = 20  
  
    override fun toString() = """..._..."""  
}
```



Coach Java

```
public final class Coach implements k.RailroadCar {  
  
    private final List<Seat> seats;  
  
    public Coach(final int availableSeats) {  
        if (availableSeats < 1) {  
            throw new IllegalArgumentException("availableSeats " + availableSeats);  
        }  
        seats = IntStream.range(0, availableSeats)  
            .mapToObj((i) -> new Seat())  
            .collect(Collectors.toList());  
    }  
  
    @Override  
    public int getWeight() { return 5; }  
  
    @Override  
    public String toString() {  
        return "[" +  
            seats.stream()  
                .map(Object::toString)  
                .collect(Collectors.joining("")))  
            + "]";  
    }  
}
```



Coach Kotlin

```
class Coach(availableSeats: Int) : k.RailroadCar {

    init {
        require(availableSeats > 0) { "availableSeats $availableSeats" }
    }

    val seats: List<Seat> = (1..availableSeats).map { Seat() }

    override val weight: Int
        get() = 5

    override fun toString(): String =
        seats.joinToString(separator = "", prefix = "[", postfix = "]")
}
```



Train Java

```
public class Train {  
  
    private List<RailroadCar> railroadCars;  
    private boolean running = false;  
  
    public Train(final List<RailroadCar> composition) {  
        Objects.requireNonNull(composition);  
        railroadCars = composition;  
    }  
  
    public int getTotalWeight() { return railroadCars.stream().mapToInt(RailroadCar::getWeight).sum(); }  
  
    public int getTotalTowableMass() {  
        return railroadCars.stream()  
            .filter((c) -> c instanceof k.Locomotive)  
            .map((c) -> (Locomotive) c)  
            .mapToInt(Locomotive::getTowableMass)  
            .sum();  
    }  
  
    public void start() {  
        if (getTotalTowableMass() < getTotalWeight()) {  
            throw new IllegalStateException("Too many coaches");  
        }  
        running = true;  
    }  
}
```



Train Kotlin

```
class Train(val railroadCars: List<RailroadCar>) {  
    var running = false  
    private set  
  
    val totalWeight: Int  
        get() = railroadCars.sumBy { it.weight }  
  
    val totalTowableMass: Int  
        get() {  
            var total = 0  
            for (car in railroadCars)  
                if (car is Locomotive)  
                    total += car.towableMass  
            return total  
        }  
    //railroadCars  
    // .filterIsInstance(Locomotive::class.java)  
    // .sumBy { it.towableMass }  
  
    fun start() {  
        check(totalTowableMass >= totalWeight) { "Too many coaches" }  
        running = true  
    }  
  
    fun stop() { running = false }  
  
    override fun toString(): String = railroadCars.joinToString(",")  
}
```

Read-only list



Train check

```
public interface TrainCheck {  
    Optional<String> searchIssue(Train train);  
}
```

```
interface TrainCheck {  
    fun searchIssue(train: Train): String?  
}
```



Train size check Java

```
public class TrainSizeCheck implements TrainCheck {  
  
    private int minSize, maxSize;  
  
    public TrainSizeCheck(int minSize, int maxSize) {  
        this.minSize = minSize;  
        this.maxSize = maxSize;  
    }  
  
    @Override  
    public Optional<String> searchIssue(Train train) {  
        final int trainSize = train.getRailroadCars().size();  
        if (trainSize < minSize)  
            return Optional.of("Train too small");  
        else if (trainSize > maxSize)  
            return Optional.of("Train too big");  
        else  
            return Optional.empty();  
    }  
}
```



Train size check Kotlin

```
class TrainSizeCheck(private val validTrainSize: IntRange) : TrainCheck {

    override fun searchIssue(train: Train): String? {
        val trainSize = train.railroadCars.size
        return when {
            trainSize in validTrainSize -> null
            trainSize < validTrainSize.first -> "Train too small"
            else -> "Train too big"
        }
    }
}
```



Standard check list Java

```
public final class TrainCheckList {  
  
    public static final TrainCheckList INSTANCE = new TrainCheckList();  
    private List<TrainCheck> standardCheckList;  
  
    public synchronized List<TrainCheck> getStandardCheckList() {  
        if (standardCheckList == null) {  
            standardCheckList = Util.loadStandardCheckList();  
        }  
        return standardCheckList;  
    }  
  
    public List<String> execute(final Train train) {  
        return getStandardCheckList().stream()  
            .map((check) -> check.searchIssue(train))  
            .filter(Optional::isPresent)  
            .map(Optional::get)  
            .collect(Collectors.toList());  
    }  
  
    private TrainCheckList() {...}  
}
```



Standard check list Kotlin

```
object TrainCheckList {  
  
    val standardCheckList by lazy { loadStandardCheckList() }  
  
    fun execute(train: Train) =  
        standardCheckList  
            .map { it.searchIssue(train) }  
            .filterNotNull()  
}
```



Train extension functions

```
fun checkAndStart(train: Train) {  
    require(TrainCheckList.execute(train).isEmpty()) { "Check list failed" }  
    train.start()  
}
```

checkAndStart(train)

...

```
fun Train.checkAndStart() {  
    require(TrainCheckList.execute(this).isEmpty()) { "Check list failed" }  
    start()  
}
```

train.checkAndStart()

...



Kotlin 1.1

- Coroutines
- Type aliases
- Bound callable references
- Local delegated properties & Inline properties
- Relaxed rules for sealed classes and data classes
- JSR-223 (javax.script API)
- Java 7/8/9 support
- JavaScript



Riferimenti

- Kotlin Programming Language:
<http://kotlinlang.org/>
- Try Kotlin:
<http://try.kotlinlang.org/>
- Links:
<http://kotlin.link/>
- Kotlin Evolution and Enhancement Process:
<https://github.com/Kotlin/KEEP>



Grazie

```
val locomotives: List<Locomotive> = listOf(Locomotive())  
  
val choaches: MutableList<Coach> = ArrayList()  
choaches.add(makeCoachWithTickets(FREE, REGULAR, REGULAR, REGULAR))  
choaches += makeCoachWithTickets(REDUCED, REGULAR, REGULAR, null)  
  
val railroadCars /* : List<RailroadCar> */ = locomotives + choaches  
val train = Train(railroadCars)  
println("Don't miss the train $train")  
train.checkAndStart()
```

```
/usr/lib/jvm/default-java/bin/java ...  
Don't miss the train <_. _ . [⌚😊😊] . [⌚😊_]
```

Process finished with exit code 0