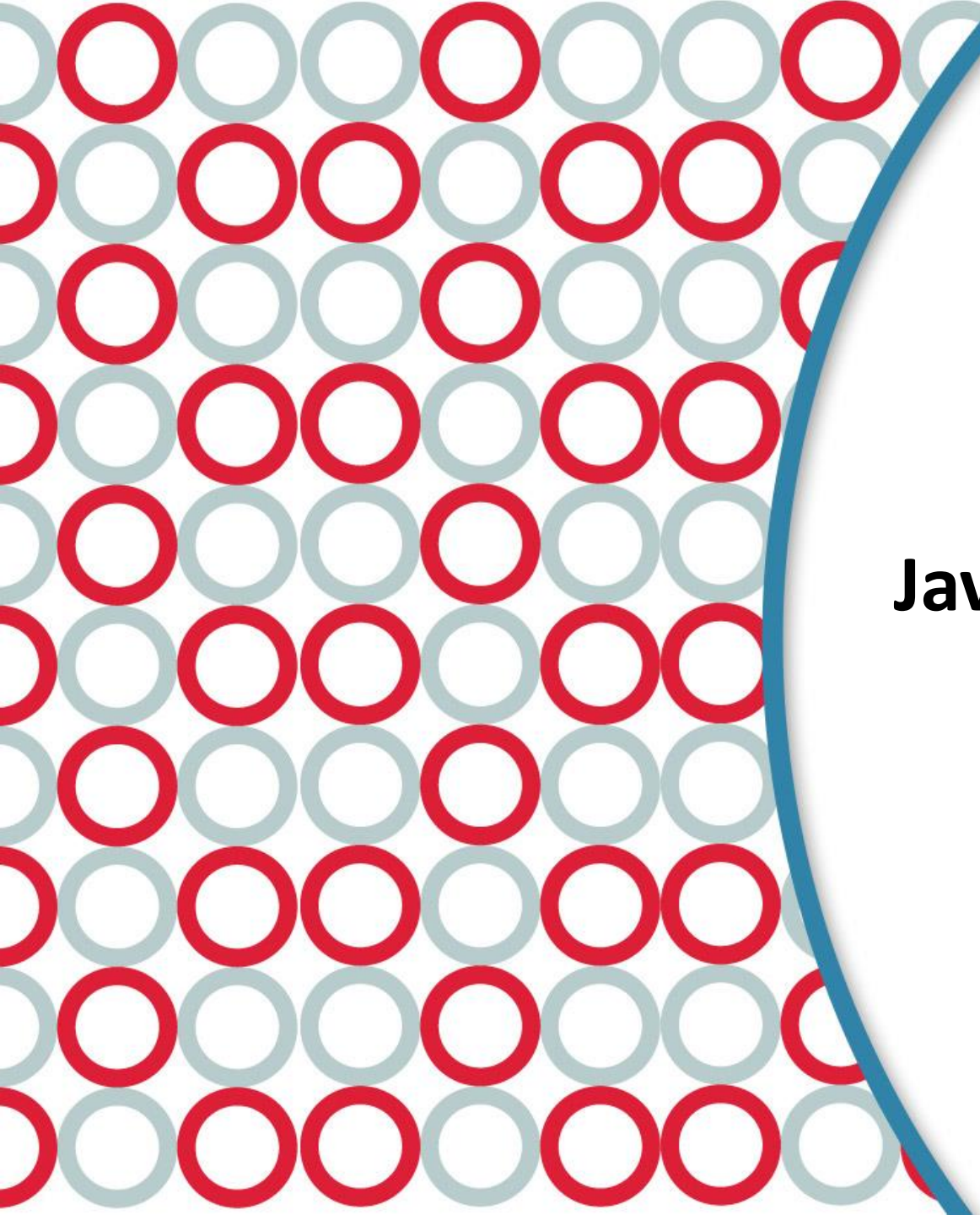

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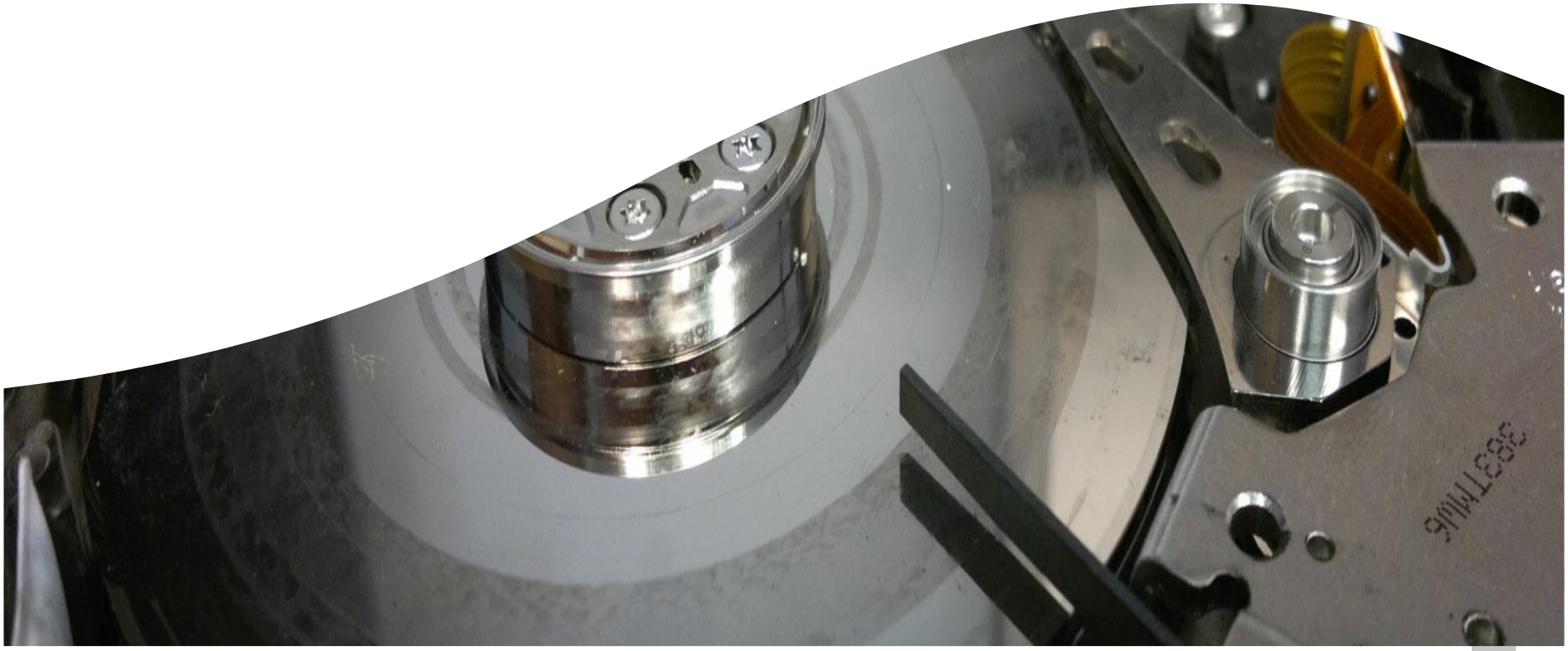
Java IO. New IO (NIO) 2



Agenda for This Session

- I/O basics,
- AutoCloseable,
- Closeable and Flushable interfaces,
- I/O exceptions,
- Serialization,
- java.io. and nio

Java I/O

- Input/Output from/to:

✓ Memory
✓ String
✓ Between different threads
✓ Files
✓ Console
✓ Network sockets

- Different data types – bytes / characters. Encoding.

- Common and extensible architecture of Java I/O system using Decorator design pattern.

Class **File** – Working with Files and Dirs

- Class ***File***
- Represents a file or a directory.
- Methods ***getName()*** and ***list()***
- Getting file information
- Creating, renaming and deleting directories.

Input and Output Streams

- Input streams – class ***InputStream*** and its inheritors
- Output streams – class ***OutputStream*** and its inheritors
- Decorator design pattern
- Decorators - class ***FilterInputStream*** and its inheritors, class ***FilterOutputStream*** and its inheritors

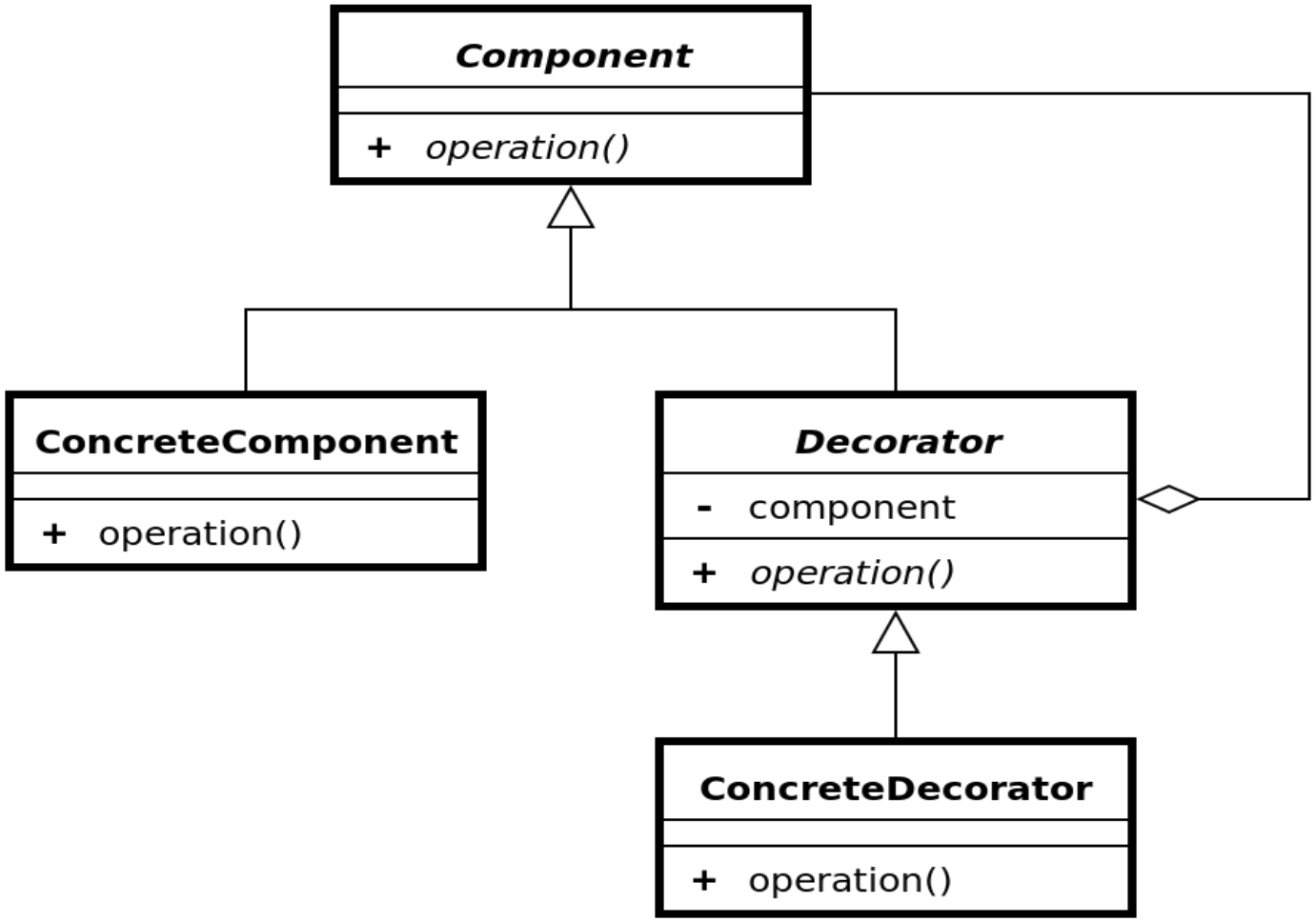
Input Streams: ***InputStream***

- **FileInputStream** – reads data from file
- **ByteArrayInputStream** – reads data from memory
- **StringBufferInputStream** – reads data from StringBuffer
- **ObjectInputStream** – de-serializes Objects and primitives
- **PipedInputStream** – receives data from another thread
- **SequenceInputStream** – combines several InputStreams
- **FilterInputStream** – decorates wrapped input streams with additional functionality

Output Streams: ***OutputStream***

- **FileOutputStream** – writes data to file
- **ByteArrayOutputStream** – writes data to memory buffer
- **ObjectOutputStream** – serializes objects and primitives
- **PipedOutputStream** – sends data to another thread
- **FilterOutputStream** – decorates wrapped InputStreams with additional functionality

Decorator Design Pattern



Input Stream Decorators

- **DataInputStream** – reads primitive types
- **BufferedInputStream** – buffers the input, allows reading lines instead of characters
- **DigestInputStream** – calculates content hash using algorithms such as: SHA-1, SHA-256, MD5
- **DeflaterInputStream** – data compression
- **InflaterInputStream** – data decompression
- **CheckedInputStream** – calculates checksum (Adler32, CRC32)
- **CipherInputStream** – decrips data (using Cipher)

Output Stream Decorators

- **PrintStream** – provides convenient methods for printing different data types, processes exceptions
- **DataOutputStream** – writes primitive data types
- **BufferedOutputStream** – output buffering
- **DigestOutputStream** – calculates content hash using algorithms such as: SHA-1, SHA-256, MD5
- **DeflaterOutputStream** – data compression
- **InflaterOutputStream** – data decompression
- **CheckedOutputStream** – checksum computation
- **CipherInputStream** – encrips data (using Cipher)

Reading Character Data: ***Reader***
Adaptor Class: ***InputStreamReader***

- **FileReader** – reads character data from file
- **CharArrayReader** - reads character data from memory
- **StringReader** – reads character data from String
- **PipedReader** – receives character data from a thread
- **FilterReader** – Reader decorator base class

Writing Character Data : *Writer*
Adaptor Class: *OutputStreamWriter*

- **FileWriter** – writes character data to file
- **CharArrayWriter** - writes character data to array
- **StringWriter** – writes character data to StringBuffer
- **PipedWriter** – sends character data to another thread
- **FilterWriter** – base class for Writer decorators
- **PrintWriter** – formatted output in string format, handles all exceptions

Reader / Writer Decorators

- **BufferedReader** – character input buffering
- **PushbackReader** – allows characters to be read without consuming
- **BufferedWriter** – character output buffering
- **StreamTokenizer** – allows parsing of character input (from Reader) token by token

Direct Access Files

- Class ***RandomAccessFile***.
- Access modes
- Method ***seek()***
- Usage examples.

- Standard I/O to/from console. Redirecting.

New More Effective I/O Implementation: New I/O

- Java New I/O – package ***java.nio.**** introduced in JDK 1.4
- Uses low level OS mechanisms and structures to allow more effective, faster and non-blocking IO.
- Underlying all types of Streams (FileInputStream, FileOutputStream, RandomAccessFile) as well as network socket streams.

New More Effective I/O Implementation: New I/O

- Buffers for primitive data types: **java.nio.Buffer, ByteBuffer, CharBuffer, DoubleBuffer, FloatBuffer, IntBuffer, LongBuffer, ShortBuffer**
- Channels – new low level IO abstraction: **java.nio.channels.Channel, FileChannel, SocketChannel**
- Supports different encodings: **java.nio.charset.Charset**

New More Effective I/O Implementation: New I/O

- Supports read/write locking of arbitrary sections of a file up to Integer.MAX_VALUE байта (2 GiB). Depending on OS can allow shared locking: **tryLock( )** or **lock( )** of the class **java.nio.channels.FileChannel**

- Allows multiplexing of I/O operations for implementing scalable servers processing multiple sessions using a single thread asyncronously: **java.nio.channels.Selector** и **SelectableChannel**

Compression: GZIP, ZIP. JAR Files

- File compression – gzip, zip. Check Sum.
- Application deployment using .jar archives. JAR file manifest.
- **jar** [options] archive [manifest] files

c – creates new archive
x / x файл – extracts specific/all files from an archive
t – prints archive content table
f – necessary to specify the file we read/write from/to
m – if we provide a manifest file
M – do not create manifest file automatically
0 – without compression
v – verbose output

Object Serialization

- Interface ***Serializable*** **–** all fields are serialized except those marked as ***transient***
- Interface ***Externalizable*** **–** we serialize all fields explicitely
- Methods ***readObject()*** and ***writeObject()*** **–** ***Serializable*** + customization where necessary
- Examples

Novelties in Java 7 - JSR 203: NIO.2 (1)

- New NIO packages: java.nio.file, java.nio.file.attribute
- FileSystem – allows a unified aceess to different file systems using URI or the method FileSystems.getDefault(). A factory for file system object creation. Methods: getPath(), getPathMatcher(), getFileStores(), newWatchService(), getUserPrincipalLookupService().
- FileStore – models a drive, partition or a root directory. Can be accessed using FileSystem.getFileStores()

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- Path – represents a file or directory path in the file system. Has a hierarchical structure – a sequence of directories separated using an OS specific separator ('/' или '\'). Provides methods for composing, decomposing, comparing, normalizing, transforming relative and absolute paths, watching for file and directory changes, conversion to/from File objects (java.io.File.toPath() и Path.toFile()).
- Files – utility class providing static methods for manipulation (creation, deletion, renaming, attributes change, content access, automatic MIME type inference, etc.) of files, directories, symbolic links, etc.

Resources

- Sun Microsystems Java™ Technologies webpage – http://java.sun.com/
- New I/O във Wikipedia: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/New_I/O
- Уроци за новостите в JSR 310: Date and Time API http://docs.oracle.com/javase/tutorial/datetime/
- Уроци за новостите в JSR 203: NIO.2 http://download.oracle.com/javase/tutorial/essential/io/fileio.html

Thank's for Your Attention!

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