Bazel with Java

1. Install the JDK

- 1. Install Java JDK (preferred version is 11, however versions between 8 and 15 are supported).
- 2. Set the JAVA_HOME environment variable to point to the JDK.
 - On Linux/macOS:

```
export JAVA_HOME="$(dirname $(dirname $(realpath $(which
javac))))"
```

- On Windows:
 - a. Open Control Panel.
 - b. Go to "System and Security" > "System" > "Advanced System Settings" > "Advanced" tab > "Environment Variables..." .
 - c. Under the "User variables" list (the one on the top), click "New...".
 - d. In the "Variable name" field, enter JAVA_HOME.
 - e. Click "Browse Directory...".
 - f. Navigate to the JDK directory (for example C:\Program Files\Java\jdk1.8.0_152).
 - g. Click "OK" on all dialog windows.
- 1. Create the following directory structure:

```
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src
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```

```
srcs = glob(["src/main/java/com/example/*.java"]),
   main_class = "main.java.com.example.ProjectRunner",
)
```

Greeting.java

```
package main.java.com.example;

public class Greeting {
    public static void sayHi() {
        System.out.println("Hi!");
    }
}
```

ProjectRunner.java

```
package main.java.com.example;

public class ProjectRunner {
    public static void main(String args[]) {
        Greeting.sayHi();
    }
}
```

Navigate to java-tutorial directory and execute the commands on terminal

\$ bazel build //:ProjectRunner

\$ bazel-bin/ProjectRunner

or

\$bazel run //:ProjectRunner

Review Dependency graph

```
$ bazel query --notool_deps --noimplicit_deps "deps(//:ProjectRunner)"
--output graph
```

Copy the output string to http://www.webgraphviz.com/. you will be able to see dependency graph

Specify multiple build targets

Modify java-tutorial/BUILD.bazel file

```
java_binary(
    name = "ProjectRunner",
    srcs = glob(["src/main/java/com/example/ProjectRunner.java"]),
    main_class = "main.java.com.example.ProjectRunner",
```

```
deps = [":greeter"],
)
java_library(
    name = "greeter",
    srcs = ["src/main/java/com/example/Greeting.java"],
)
```

Navigate to java-tutorial directory and run

\$bazel run //:ProjectRunner

Again use query to visualize the dependency

Use multiple packages cmdline/BUILD.bazel

```
java_binary(
    name = "runner",
    srcs = ["Runner.java"],
    main_class = "main.java.com.example.cmdline.Runner",
    deps = ["//:greeter"],
)
```

Java-tutorial/BUILD.bazel

```
java_binary(
    name = "ProjectRunner",
    srcs = glob(["src/main/java/com/example/ProjectRunner.java"]),
    main_class = "main.java.com.example.ProjectRunner",
    deps = [":greeter"],
)
java_library(
    name = "greeter",
    srcs = ["src/main/java/com/example/Greeting.java"],
    visibility = ["//src/main/java/com/example/cmdline:__pkg__"],
```

Navigate to java-tutorial directory and run

```
$ bazel build //src/main/java/com/example/cmdline:runner
Check dependencies using bazel query
$ bazel query --notool_deps --noimplicit_deps
"deps(//src/main/java/com/example/cmdline:runner)" --output graph
```

Package a Java target for deployment

Examine the content of runner.jar file

\$ jar tf bazel-bin/src/main/java/com/example/cmdline/runner.jar

```
META-INF/
META-INF/MANIFEST.MF
main/
main/java/
main/java/com/
main/java/com/example/
main/java/com/example/cmdline/
main/java/com/example/cmdline/Runner.class
```

It is not showing greeting.class, so it can run locally, but not outside the development environment.

To run independent of development environment, add "deploy.jar"

- \$ bazel build //src/main/java/com/example/cmdline:runner_deploy.jar
- \$ jar tf bazel-bin/src/main/java/com/example/cmdline/runner_deploy.jar

```
META-INF/
META-INF/MANIFEST.MF
build-data.properties
main/
main/java/
main/java/com/
main/java/com/example/
main/java/com/example/cmdline/
main/java/com/example/cmdline/Runner.class
main/java/com/example/Greeting.class
```

Adding External dependencies

BUILD.bazel

```
load("@rules_java//java:defs.bzl", "java_binary", "java_library")

java_binary(
    name = "ProjectRunner",
    srcs = ["src/main/java/com/example/ProjectRunner.java"],
    main_class = "main.java.com.example.ProjectRunner",
    deps = [":greeter"],
)
java_binary(
    name="salutations",
    main_class = "main.java.com.example.Salutations",
    runtime_deps = [":textio"],
```

```
java_library(
    name="textio",
    srcs = ["src/main/java/com/example/Salutations.java"],
    deps = [":greeter","@maven//:org_beryx_text_io"],
    #visibility = ["//src/main/java/com/example/cmdline:__pkg__"],
)
java_library(
    name = "greeter",
    srcs = ["src/main/java/com/example/Greeting.java"],
    visibility = ["//src/main/java/com/example/cmdline:__pkg__"],
)
```

MODULE.bazel

Salutations.java