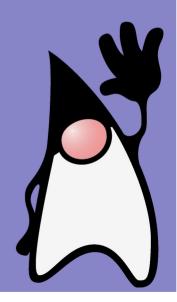
## Java

switch – since Java 14



#### switch

- arrow instead of colon
- no break needed

```
switch (k) {
    case 1 -> System.out.println("one");
    case 2 -> System.out.println("two");
    case 3 -> System.out.println("many");
}
```

```
return switch (day) {
    case "mon", "tue", "wed", "thu", "fri" ->
        System.out.println("Working day");
    case "sat", "sun" ->
        System.out.println("Weekend");
};
```

### switch expression

switch as an expression

requires all possibilites

expression value

 must complete with a value or exception

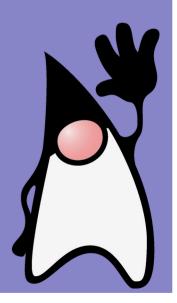
### switch expression

```
static boolean isWeekend(String day) {
    return switch (day) {
        case "mon", "tue", "wed", "thu", "fri" -> false;
        case "sat", "sun" -> true;
        default -> {
            System.out.printf("unknown day: %s%n", day);
            yield false;
```

 resulting value in a block of code

# Java

Enum



#### **Enumerations**

"enum" without enum

```
public static final int COLOR BLUE = 0;
public static final int COLOR RED = 1;
public static final int COLOR GREEN = 2;
```

- possible problems
  - type (un)safety
  - no namespace
  - constants hard-compiled in clients
  - only numbers when printed

#### **Enum**

```
public enum Color { BLUE, RED, GREEN }
...
public Color clr = Color.BLUE;
```

- "normal" class
  - can have fields, methods, even the main method
  - subclass of java.lang.Enum
  - for each value single instance
    - public static final field
    - protected constructor

### "Enum without enum"

- how to implement enum without enum
  - (and how enums are in principle implemented)

```
class Color {
 private int ordinal;
 public static final Color RED = new Color(0);
 public static final Color GREEN = new Color(1);
 public static final Color BLUE = new Color(2);
 private Color(int o) {
    ordinal = o;
```

### java.lang.Enum

```
public abstract class Enum <E extends Enum<E>> { ... }
```

- methods
  - String name()
  - int ordinal()
- each enum has the method values ()
  - returns an array with all enum's values

```
public Colors clr = Colors.BLUE;
System.out.println(clr); → BLUE
```

### Fields and methods

```
public enum Planet {
  MERCURY (3.303e+23, 2.4397e6),
  VENUS (4.869e+24, 6.0518e6),
  EARTH (5.976e+24, 6.37814e6),
  private final double mass;
  private final double radius;
  Planet (double mass, double radius) {
    this.mass = mass;
    this.radius = radius;
  double surfaceGravity() {
    return G * mass / (radius * radius);
```

#### Fields and methods

#### example

```
public enum Operation {
    PLUS, MINUS, TIMES, DIVIDE;
    double eval(double x, double y) {
         return switch (this) {
               case PLUS \rightarrow x + y;
               case MINUS \rightarrow x \rightarrow y;
               case TIMES \rightarrow x * y;
              case DIVIDE -> x / y;
```

#### Fields and methods

- abstract methods
- particular implementations with each of the values

```
public enum Operation {
  PLUS { double eval(double x, double y) { return x+y; }},
  MINUS { double eval(double x, double y) { return x-y; }},
  TIMES { double eval(double x, double y) { return x*y; }},
  DIVIDE { double eval(double x, double y) { return x/y;}};
  abstract double eval(double x, double y);
}
```

#### enum

- cannot be extended
  - enum MoreColors extends Colors
  - enum Colors extends AnotherClass
- why?

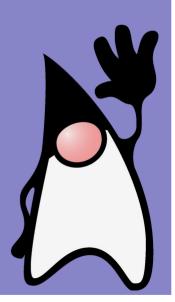
```
enum Color { Red, Green }
```



```
final class Color extends java.lang.Enum<Color> {
  public static final Color Red;
  public static final Color Green;
  ...
```

## Java

Variable number of arguments



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- ..three dots
- · only as the last argument
- either an array or list of arguments can be passed
- in the method, available as an array

```
void argtest(Object... args) {
  for (int i=0;i <args.length; i++) {
    System.out.println(args[i]);
  }
}
argtest("Hello", "how", "are", "you");
argtest(new Object[] {"Hello", "how", "are", "you"});</pre>
```

#### · methods printf

- System.out.printf("%s %d\n", user, total);

#### **Test**

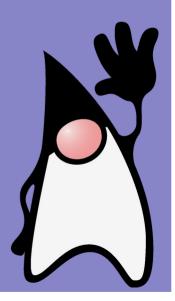
Are the calls equivalent?

```
argtest("Hello", "how", "are", "you");
argtest(new Object[] {"Hello", "how", "are", "you"});
argtest((Object) new Object[] {"Hello", "how", "are", "you"});
```

- a) Yes, all of them
- b) Only 1. and 2.
- c) Only 2. and 3.
- d) Each of them will print something different

# Java

Annotations



#### **Annotations**

- (metadata)
- since Java 5
- allow attaching information to elements of code (to classes, methods, fields,...)
  - in general, can be used in the same places as visibility modifiers
    - but also elsewhere
- written as @NameOfAnnotation
- own annotations can be created
  - can be specified, where can be used, how can be used,....
- predefined annotations in the package java.lang
  - @Deprecated
  - @Override
  - @SuppressWarnings
  - ...

#### **Annotations**

can have arguments

```
@Deprecated(since="1.2", forRemoval=true)
```

- arguments can have default values
  - i.e., can be used without argument value @Deprecated
- where can be used
  - classes, fields, methods ...
  - method arguments, packages
  - type usage
  - can restricted in the annotation definition

#### **Predefined annotations**

- @Override
  - marks a method that overrides the method from a parent
  - in a case that nothing is overridden => the compiler will not compile the class
  - usage is optional (but strongly recommended)

#### **Predefined annotations**

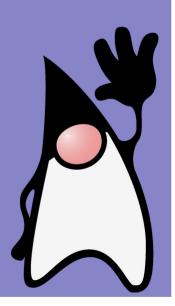
- @Deprecated
  - marks API that programmers are discouraged from using
    - replacement of the javadoc tag @deprecated
  - if used => warning when compiled
  - arguments
    - String since
      - default ""
    - boolean forRemoval
      - **default** false

#### **Predefined annotations**

- @SuppressWarnings
  - suppress warnings during compilation
  - argument kinds of suppressed warnings
    - String[] value
    - supported kinds depend on a compiler
    - always available kinds
      - unchecked warning for "improper" usage of generics
      - deprecation warning when deprecated elements are used
  - e.g. @SuppressWarnings("unchecked")@SuppressWarnings({"unchecked", "deprecation"})

# Java

Lambda expressions



#### **Motivation**

- event handling in GUI
- a comparator implementation
- a thread implementation
- ...
  - commonly using an anonymous inner class

always an interface with

a single method

### **Motivation**

• the previous example using a lambda expression

```
Arrays.sort(array, (o1, o2) -> o1.x - o2.x );
```

- informally:
   an lambda expression ~ a block of code with parameters
- since Java 8

#### **Functional interface**

where can be the lambda expressions use?

where an object of an interface with a single abstract method is expected

- = functional interface
- a lambda expression = an instance of a functional interface
- but

   a lambda expression does not contain information about which functional interface it is implementing

### **Functional interface**

```
interface Predicate<T> {
   default Predicate<T> and(Predicate<? super T> other) {}
   static <T> Predicate<T> isEqual(Object targetRef) {}
   default Predicate<T> negate() {}
   default Predicate<T> or(Predicate<? super T> other) {}
   boolean test(T t);
```

• is it functional interface?

yes only a single **abstract** method

## Type of a lambda expression

• the same lambda expression can be assigned to different interfaces

```
Runnable r = () \rightarrow \{\};
AutoCloseable r = () \rightarrow \{\};
public interface Runnable {
  void run();
public interface AutoCloseable {
  void close();
```

## Type of a lambda expression

lambda expressions are objects

```
Runnable r = () \rightarrow \{\};
Object o = r;
```

 but lambda expressions cannot be (directly) assigned to the Object type

as Object is not a functional interface

### Lambda expression syntax

- a comma-separated list of parameters in parentheses
  - types can be omitted
    - since Java 11, var can be used
  - parentheses can be omitted if there is only one parameter
- "arrow" ->
- body
  - single expression
    - return can be omitted
    - no braces
      - cannot be omitted if return is used
  - block
    - in curly braces

## **Examples of lambda expressions**

• (int x, int y) -> x + y • (x, y) -> x - y • (var x, var y) -> x - y • () **->** 42 • (String s) -> System.out.println(s) • x -> 2 \* x

• c -> { int s = c.size(); c.clear(); return s; }

### **Functional interface**

- @FunctionalInterface
  - annotation
  - to mark a functional interface
    - usage is not mandatory
      - similarly to @Override

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### References to methods

- String::valueOfa reference to a static method
  - equivalent to: x -> String.valueOf(x)
- Object::toString
  - a reference to a non-static method
  - ekvivalent to: x -> x.toString()
- x::toString
  - a reference a method of a particular object
  - equivalent to: () -> x.toString()
- ArrayList::new
  - a reference to a constructor

### Lambda expressions

lambda expressions do not add a new scope of variable visibility

```
Path first = Paths.get("/usr/bin");
Comparator<String> comp = (first, second) ->
Integer.compare(first.length(), second.length());
```

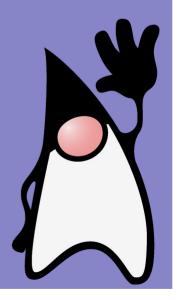
this in a lambda expression refers to this of a method, in which the lambda expression is created

## Lambda expr. compilation

```
public class AClass {
   public void foo(AClass[] array) {
     Arrays.sort(array, new Comparator<AClass> () {
       public int compare(AClass o1, AClass o2) {
                                                     javac AClass.java
         return o1.x - o2.x;
     } } );
                                                       => AClass.class
                                                            AClass@1.class
• but
 public class AClass {
   public void foo(AClass[] array) {
     Arrays.sort(array, (01, 02) \rightarrow 01.x - 02.x);
                                                     javac AClass.java
                                                       => AClass.class
```

## Java

java.lang.Object



### **Methods**

- clone
- equals
- finalize
- getClass
- hashCode
- notify
- notifyAll
- toString
- wait

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### equals

- boolean equals(Object obj)
  - be aware about the signature
  - defined with the parameter type **Object**
  - if overridden the parameter **Object** must be kept

- example

```
class Complex {
  long x,y;
  public boolean equals(Object obj) {
    if (obj instanceof Complex) {
       Complex c = (Complex) obj;
       if (c.x == x && c.y == y) {
          return true;
       }
    }
    return false;
}
```

### equals

- ideal to declare the method with @Override
  - @Override public boolean equals(Object obj)
- if defined with another type, the method is **overloaded** but not overridden

```
class Complex {
  long x,y;
  public boolean equals(Complex obj) {
    ...
  }
}
```

- the class contains **two** method equals

### instanceof pattern matching

the previous equals example

```
if (obj instanceof Complex) {
              Complex c = (Complex) obj;
              if (c.x .....
                                             declaration here

    since Java 16 – instanceof pattern matching

         if (obj instanceof Complex c) {
              if (c.x .....
```

no cast needed

#### hashCode

- int hashCode()
- hash code of the object
- used e.g. in the java.util.HashMap and others
- for the same object must always return the same value
  - the value need not to be the same in different runs of a program
- if two objects are equals (by the *equals* method), then the hashCode must be the same value
- two different objects need not to have a different hashCode
  - but it is desirable

#### clone

- Object clone() throws CloneNotSupportedException
- creates a copy of the object
- must hold

```
x.clone() != x
```

should hold

```
x.clone().equals(x)
```

- the class must implement the interface Cloneable
  - otherwise the method throws CloneNotSupportedException
- arrays "implement" the Cloneable
- shallow copy of objects
  - i.e. fields are not cloned
  - for different behavior, the method should be overridden

#### clone

- overriding clone
  - typical implementation
    - but not mandatory

```
protected Object clone() {
   Object clonedObj = super.clone();
   ....
   return clonedObj;
}
```

### toString

- returns textual representation of an object
- default

```
- getClass().getName() + '@' + Integer.toHexString(hashCode())
```

should be overridden

```
class MyClass { .... }
...
MyClass o = new MyClass();
System.out.println(o); // toString() is called
```

