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Sulong (LLVM)







Truffle Framework

Graal Compiler

JVM Compiler Interface (JVMCI) JEP 243

Substrate VM

Java HotSpot VM

GraalVM in a Nutshell

- → Polyglot Runtime: JVM Languages, R, JavaScript, NodeJS, Ruby, Python, C/C++ via LLVM
- → Ahead-of-time Compilation
 - → Memory management, thread scheduling via SubstrateVM
- → GraalVM as a Platform
 - → Embed and extend GraalVM with Truffle
 - → Implement your own language and tools

Demos

Build CLIs with Picocli and GraalVM

- → Picocli is a framework to easily build JVM command line apps.
- → Support for ANSI colors, completion, sub commands, annotations and programmatic API.
- → Good support for GraalVM AOT Compilation to Native Images via the ReflectionConfigGenerator utility.
- → Native utilities and sidecar containers can now also be build using Java! Golang is still cool.

Polyglot Mayhem

→ The Graal Polyglot API allows you to embed and use different languages with full bidirectional interop.

→ This is not the same as with the Java Scripting API (defined by JSR 223)!