

Refactoring HelloWorld Application

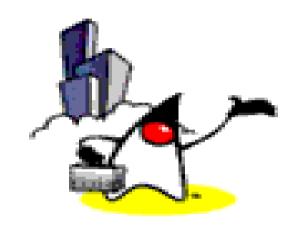


Theme of this Presentation

- How a simple HelloWorld application can be refactored in order to achieve the agility (and testability)?
 - How can I change a certain part of an application without affecting other parts of the code?
 - How can I wire different parts of the application without writing a lot of glue code myself?
 - How can I test the business logic without being tied up with a particular framework?

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1. HelloWorld Application

HelloWorld

```
// This is a good old HelloWorld application we all have written
// the first time we learn Java programming.

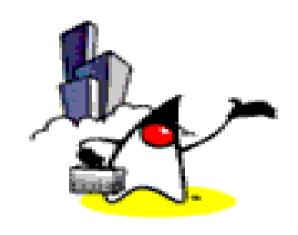
public class HelloWorld {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        System.out.println("Hello World!");
    }
}
```

HelloWorld: Outstanding Problems

- This code is not extensible. You have change code (and recompile) to handle a situation below.
 - What if I want to change the message?

HelloWorld: Areas for Refactoring

 Support a simple and flexible mechanism for changing the message



2. HelloWorld Application with Command Line Arguments

HelloWorld With Command Line arguments

```
public class HelloWorldWithCommandLine {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        if(args.length > 0) {
            System.out.println(args[0]);
        } else {
            System.out.println("Hello World!");
        }
    }
}
```

HelloWorld With Command Line arguments: Areas Refactored

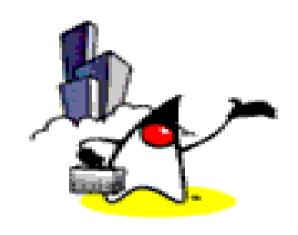
- This code externalize the message content and read it in at runtime, from the command line argument
 - You can change the message without changing and recompiling the code

HelloWorld With Command Line arguments: Outstanding Problems

- The code responsible for the rendering message (renderer – the code that does println) is also responsible for obtaining the message
 - Changing how the message is obtained means changing the code in the renderer
- The renderer cannot be changed easily
 - What if I want to output the message differently, maybe to stderr instead of stdout, or enclosed in HTML tags rather than as plain text?

HelloWorld With Command Line arguments: Areas for Further Refactoring

- Rendering logic should be in a logically separate code from the rest of the code
- Message provider logic should be in a logically separate code from the rest of the code



3. HelloWorld Application with Decoupling (without using Interface)

 De-couple message provider logic implementation from the rest of the code by creating a separate class

```
public class HelloWorldMessageProvider {
   public String getMessage() {
      return "Hello World!";
   }
}
```

- De-couple message rendering logic implementation from the rest of the code
- Message rendering logic is given
 HelloWorldMessageProvider object by someone (code is in
 the next slide) this is Dependency Injection behavior

```
// continued from previous page

public void setMessageProvider(HelloWorldMessageProvider provider) {
    this.messageProvider = provider;
}

public HelloWorldMessageProvider getMessageProvider() {
    return this.messageProvider;
}
```

Launcher

HelloWorld With Decoupling: Areas Refactored

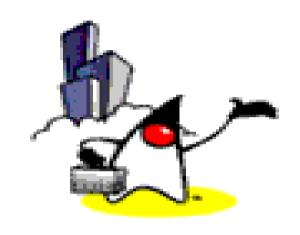
 Message provider logic and message renderer logic are separated from the rest of the code

HelloWorld With Decoupling: Outstanding Problems

 A particular MessageRenderer implementation (StandardOutMessageRenderer) and a particular MessageProvider implementation (HelloWorldMessageProvider) are hard-coded in the main code

HelloWorld With Decoupling: Areas for Further Refactoring

 Let these components implement interfaces and the launcher use these interfaces



4. HelloWorld Application with Decoupling Using Interface

HelloWorld With Decoupling (Using Interface)

 Message provider logic now uses Java interface

HelloWorld With Decoupling (using Interface)

- Message renderer logic now uses Java interface
- Message rendering logic is given MessageProvider object by someone – this is Dependency Injection behavior

```
public interface MessageRenderer {
   public void render();
   public void setMessageProvider(MessageProvider provider);
   public MessageProvider getMessageProvider();
}
```

HelloWorld With Decoupling (using Interface)

```
public class StandardOutMessageRenderer
                  implements MessageRenderer {
  // MessageProvider is Java Interface
  private MessageProvider messageProvider = null;
  public void render() {
    if (messageProvider == null) {
       throw new RuntimeException(
            "You must set the property messageProvider of class:"
                + StandardOutMessageRenderer.class.getName());
    System.out.println(messageProvider.getMessage());
 // Continued to the next page
```

Decouple message rendering logic

```
public void setMessageProvider(MessageProvider provider) {
    this.messageProvider = provider;
}

public MessageProvider getMessageProvider() {
    return this.messageProvider;
}
```

HelloWorld With Decoupling (using Interface)

Launcher

```
public class HelloWorldDecoupled {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
        MessageRenderer mr = new StandardOutMessageRenderer();
        MessageProvider mp = new HelloWorldMessageProvider();
        mr.setMessageProvider(mp);
        mr.render();
   }
}
```

HelloWorld With Decoupling (using Interface): Areas Refactored

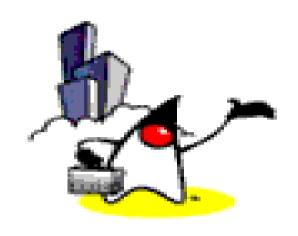
- Message rendering logic can change without affecting messaging provider logic
- Message provider logic can change without affecting message rendering logic

HelloWorld With Decoupling: Outstanding Problems

 Using different implementation of either the MessageRenderer or MessageProvider interfaces means a change to the business logic code (launcher in this example)

HelloWorld With Decoupling: Areas for Further Refactoring

 Create a simple factory class that reads the implementation class names from a properties file and instantiate them during runtime on behalf of the application



5. HelloWorld Application with Decoupling through Factory class

HelloWorld With Factory Class

```
public class MessageSupportFactory {
  private static MessageSupportFactory instance = null;
  private Properties props = null;
  private MessageRenderer renderer = null;
  private MessageProvider provider = null;
  private MessageSupportFactory() {
    props = new Properties();
    try {
       props.load(new FileInputStream("msf.properties"));
       // get the implementation classes
       String rendererClass = props.getProperty("renderer.class");
       String providerClass = props.getProperty("provider.class");
       renderer = (MessageRenderer) Class.forName(rendererClass).newInstance();
       provider = (MessageProvider) Class.forName(providerClass).newInstance();
    } catch (Exception ex) {
       ex.printStackTrace();
```

HelloWorld With Factory Class

```
static {
  instance = new MessageSupportFactory();
public static MessageSupportFactory getInstance() {
  return instance;
public MessageRenderer getMessageRenderer() {
  return renderer;
public MessageProvider getMessageProvider() {
  return provider;
```

HelloWorld With Factory Class

HelloWorld With Factory Class: Properties file

msf.properties renderer.class=StandardOutMessageRenderer provider.class=HelloWorldMessageProvider

HelloWorld With Decoupling: Areas Refactored

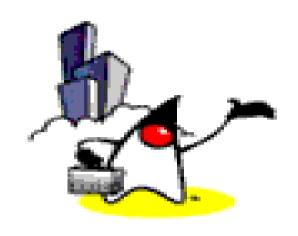
- Message retrieval implementation and Message renderer implementation can be replaced simply by changing the properties file
 - No change is required in the business logic code

HelloWorld With Factory: Outstanding Problems

- You still have to write a lot of glue code yourself to assemble the application together
 - You have to write MessageSupportFactory class
 - You still have to inject an instance of *MessageProvider* into the implementation of *MessageRenderer* manually

HelloWorld With Factory: Areas for Further Refactoring

- We can use Spring framework to handles the problems mentioned in previous slide
- Replace MessageSupportFactory class with Spring framework's DefaultListableBeanFactory class
 - You can think of DefaultListableBeanFactory class as a more generic version of MessageSupportFactory class



6. HelloWorld Application with Spring Framework (but not using DI feature yet)

HelloWorld With Spring Framework

```
public class HelloWorldSpring {
  public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
    // Get the bean factory - the code of getBeanFactory() is in the next slide
    BeanFactory factory = getBeanFactory();
    MessageRenderer mr = (MessageRenderer) factory.getBean("renderer");
    MessageProvider mp = (MessageProvider) factory.getBean("provider");
    mr.setMessageProvider(mp);
    mr.render();
  // Continued in the next page
```

HelloWorld With Spring Framework (No need to understand this code)

```
// You write your own getBeanFactory() method using Spring framework's
// DefaultListableBeanFactoryclass.
private static BeanFactory getBeanFactory() throws Exception {
  // get the bean factory
  DefaultListableBeanFactory factory = new DefaultListableBeanFactory();
  // create a definition reader
  PropertiesBeanDefinitionReader rdr = new PropertiesBeanDefinitionReader(
       factory);
  // load the configuration options
  Properties props = new Properties();
  props.load(new FileInputStream("beans.properties"));
  rdr.registerBeanDefinitions(props);
  return factory;
```

HelloWorld With Spring Framework: Areas Refactored

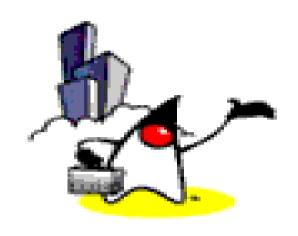
- Removed the need of your own glue code (MessageSupportFactory)
- Gained a much more robust factory implementation with better error handling and fully de-coupled configuration mechanism

HelloWorld With Spring Framework: Outstanding Problems

- The startup code must have knowledge of the MessageRenderer's dependencies and must obtain dependencies and pass them to the MessageRenderer
 - Spring acts as no more than a sophisticated factory class creating and supplying instances of classes as needed in this case
 - You are providing your own getBeanFactory()
 method using low-level API's of Spring framework

HelloWorld With Spring Framework: Areas for Further Refactoring

- Use Dependency Injection (DI) of the Spring Framework
 - Glue the application together externally using the BeanFactory configuration



7. HelloWorld Application using Spring Framework & Dependency Injection (DI)

HelloWorld using Spring Framework's DI

```
#Message renderer
renderer.class=StandardOutMessageRenderer
# Ask Spring to assign provider bean to the MessageProvider property
# of the Message renderer bean (instead of you doing it manually)
renderer.messageProvider(ref)=provider
```

#Message provider provider.class=HelloWorldMessageProvider

HelloWorld using Spring Framework's DI

```
public class HelloWorldSpringWithDI {
  public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
    // get the bean factory
     BeanFactory factory = getBeanFactory();
     MessageRenderer mr = (MessageRenderer) factory.getBean("renderer");
    // Note that you don't have to manually inject message provider to
    // message renderer anymore.
    mr.render();
  // Continued in the next page
```

HelloWorld using Spring Framework's DI

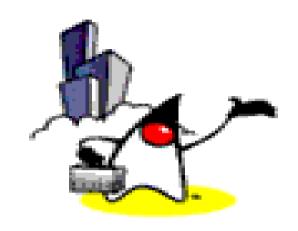
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private static BeanFactory getBeanFactory() throws Exception {
  // get the bean factory
  DefaultListableBeanFactory factory = new DefaultListableBeanFactory();
  // create a definition reader
  PropertiesBeanDefinitionReader rdr = new PropertiesBeanDefinitionReader(
       factory);
  // load the configuration options
  Properties props = new Properties();
  props.load(new FileInputStream("beans.properties"));
  rdr.registerBeanDefinitions(props);
  return factory;
```

HelloWorld using Spring Framework's DI: Areas Refactored

- The main() method now just obtains the MessageRenderer bean and calls render()
 - It does not have to obtain MessageProvider bean and set the MessageProvider property of the MessageRenderer bean itself.
 - This "wiring" is performed through Spring framework's Dependency Injection.

A Few Things to Observe

- Note that we did not have to make any changes to the classes that are being wired together
- These classes have no reference to Spring framework whatsoever and completely oblivious to Spring framework's existence
 - No need to implement Spring framework's interfaces
 - No need to extend Spring framework's classes
- These classes are genuine POJO's which can be tested without dependent on Spring framework



8. HelloWorld Application with Spring Framework & Dependency Injection (DI) using XML Configuration File

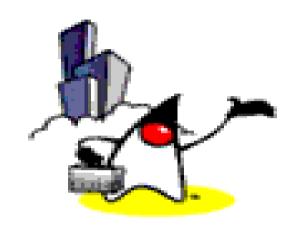
Spring DI with XML file

- Dependencies of beans are specified in an XML file
 - XML based bean configuration is more popular than properties file based configuration

Spring DI with XML Configuration File

Spring DI with XML Configuration File

```
public class HelloWorldSpringWithDIXMLFile {
    public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception {
        // get the bean factory
        BeanFactory factory = getBeanFactory();
        MessageRenderer mr =
              (MessageRenderer) factory.getBean("renderer");
        mr.render();
    private static BeanFactory getBeanFactory() throws Exception {
        // get the bean factory
        BeanFactory factory = new XmlBeanFactory(new FileSystemResource(
                "beans.xml"));
        return factory;
```



9. HelloWorld Application with Spring Framework & Dependency Injection (DI) using XML Configuration File with Constructor argument

Spring DI with XML Configuration File: via Constructor

Spring DI with XML Configuration File: via Constructor

```
public class ConfigurableMessageProvider implements
  MessageProvider {
    private String message;
    public ConfigurableMessageProvider(String message) {
        this.message = message;
    public String getMessage() {
        return message;
```



Thank You!

