

Exception Handling - Types

Agenda



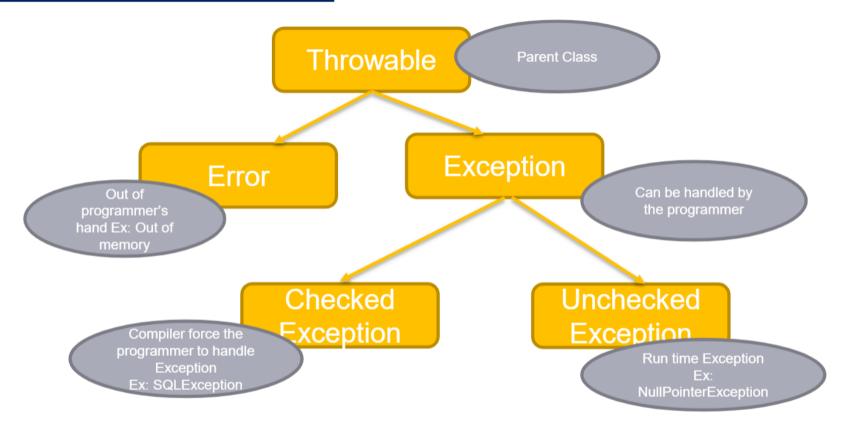
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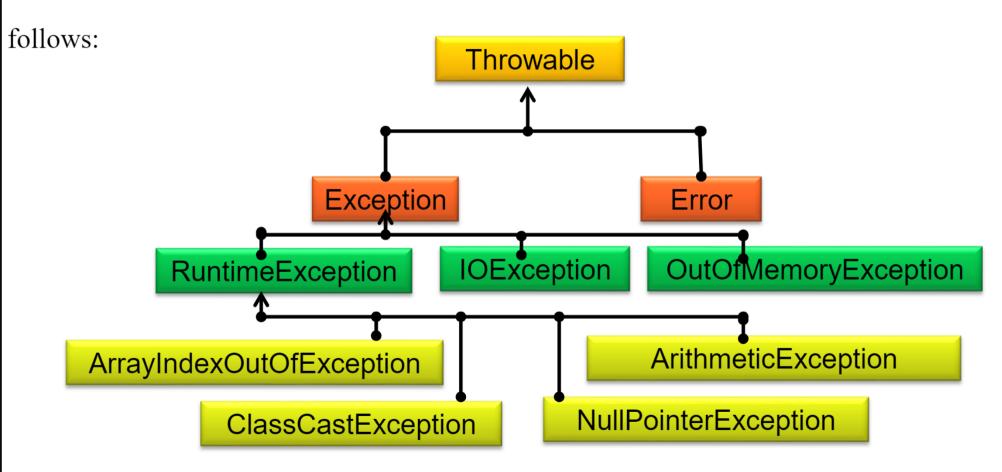


Exception in a Nutshell



Exception Types

Exceptions are implemented in Java through a number of classes. The exception hierarchy is as



Checked and Unchecked Exceptions





Checked Exception

- A checked exception must be handled using a try or catch or at least declared to be thrown using throws clause.
- Non compliance of this rule results in a compilation error

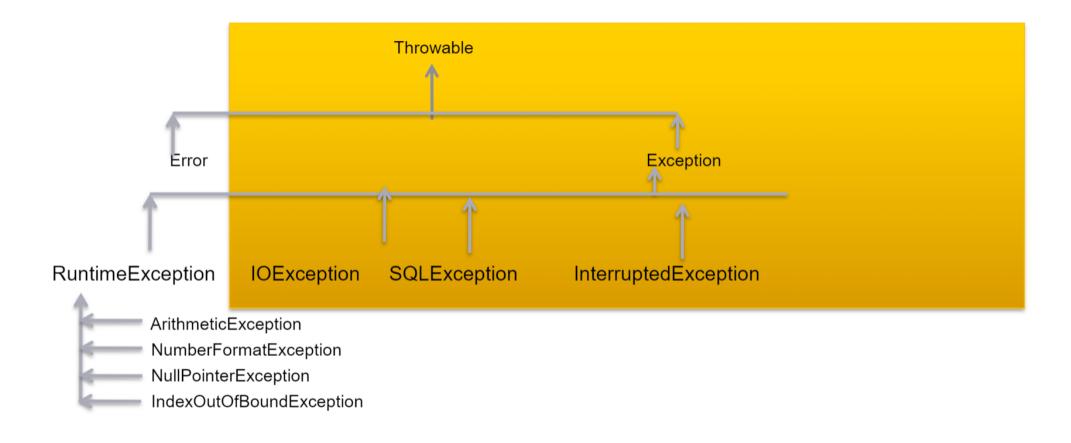
Ex: FileNotFoundException

If you try to open a file using

```
FileInputStream fx = new FileInputStream("A1.txt");
```

• During execution, the system will throw a FileNotFoundException, if the file A1.txt is not located, which may be beyond the control of a programmer

Checked Exceptions (marked in yellow color)



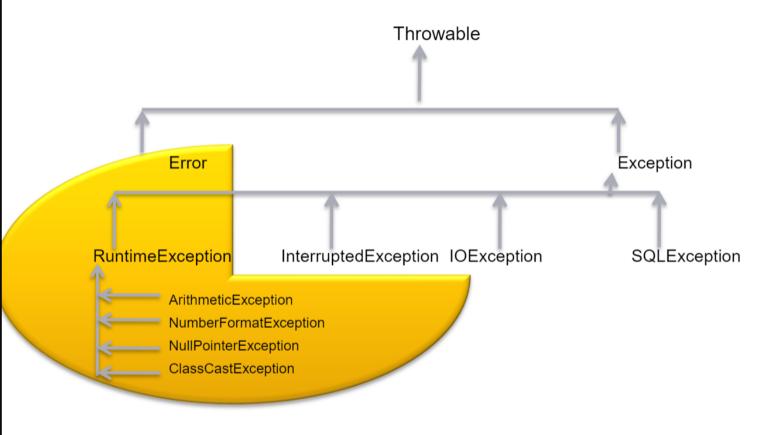
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Unchecked Exceptions

- An unchecked exception is an exception, which could have been avoided by the programmer
- The class RuntimeException and all its subclasses are categorized as Unchecked Exceptions
- If there is any chance of an unchecked exception occurring in the code, it is ignored during compilation

Unchecked Exception (marked in yellow color)

Sensitivity: Internal & Restricted



Error

- Errors are problems that arise beyond the control of the programmer or the user
- A programmer can rarely do anything about an Error that occurs during the execution of a program
- Ex : Stack Overflow Error, java.lang.OutOfMemoryError

Example - StackOverflowError

```
public class Tester {
public static void recursivePrint(int num) {
System.out.println("Number: " + num);
if(num == 0)
return;
else
recursivePrint(++num);
public static void main(String[] args) {
Tester.recursivePrint(1);
```

Exception in thread "main" java.lang.StackOverflowError

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Activity

Listed below are some of the built in exception classes.

Classify them

1)NullPointerException

2) ClassNotFoundException

3) IOException

4) InterruptedException

5)ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException7) ClassCastException

8)SQLException

6) NumberFormatException9) IllegalAccessException

10) NegativeArraySizeException

Which are Checked Exceptions	Which are Unchecked Exceptions

Activity(Contd.).

Match each situation in the list -1 with an item in the list-2.

List 1:

- int[]A;a. A[0] = 0;
- b. The JVM starts running your program, but the JVM can't find the required Java classes.
- c. A program is reading a stream and not yet reached the end of stream marker.
- d. FileNotFoundException

List 2:

Sensitivity: Internal & Restricted

- ClassNotFoundException
- checked exception
- 3 compile time error
- no exception

Summary

In this session, you were able to:

Learn about types of exceptions





