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- AOP is a way to cleanly write crosscutting concerns once and apply them many times
- There are 5 types of advice, of which the @Around advice is the most powerful
  - Allowing you not just to receive arguments, return, and exceptions, but also to alter them (pass on different ones)
- Pointcut expressions are used to connect advice to joinpoints of which execution() is the most used
- Do be aware that proxy based (interceptor) AOP does have some limitations (cannot intercept local calls etc).