

CS 5004: Lecture 13

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At the start of every lecture

1. Pull the latest code from the lecture-code repo
2. Open the Evening_lectures folder
3. Copy this week's folder somewhere else
 - So you can edit it without causing GitHub conflicts
4. Open the code:
 1. Find the build.gradle file in the folder called LectureX
 2. Double click it to open the project

Agenda

Functional programming

- Concepts
- Lambdas
- Using Streams
- Functions as objects

Concepts

Imperative vs. declarative programming

Imperative

- Specify *how* to do something
- Object-oriented

Declarative

- Specifies *what* to do
- Functional

Real world: even when taking an OOD approach, may include **some** functional programming

- lambdas

Immutability

A tenet of functional programming

- An object should be immutable
- Rather than change state, create a new copy with the new state

What is a function?

Think back to 5002...

- All elements in the domain are mapped to a value in the codomain
- There cannot exist elements in the domain with no image in the codomain
- A single element in the domain can only map to one element in the codomain

Functional methods

A method is functional if:

- Does not mutate anything outside the function
- Does not mutate arguments
- Does not throw errors or exceptions
 - Functional programming: no side effects!
- Always returns a value
- When called with the same argument, always returns the same result

Functional Java

Using the `Stream` API

- Start with a **stream** of data e.g. a stream of objects in a collection
 - **Apply** a series of operations/transformation to the stream
 - **Reduce** or **collect** the stream

Familiar stream example: Java IO

Stream oriented

- IO = “input/output”
- I/O stream – a communication channel (“pipe”) between a **source** and a **destination** that allows us to create a flow of **data**
- A stream is a sequence of data.
- Data is read 1+ bytes at a time directly from the stream

I/O Stream

- Input **source**: e.g. a file, another program, device
- Output **destination**: e.g. a file, another program, device
- The ***kind of data*** streamed: e.g. bytes, ints, objects

Reading a file

```
try ( BufferedReader reader =  
    new BufferedReader(new FileReader("filename"))) {  
    String line = "";  
    while ((line = reader.readLine()) != null) {  
        ...  
    }  
}  
catch...
```

Reading with a Stream...

Related to something we've already seen:

```
Stream<String> lines  
    = new BufferedReader(new FileReader(file)).lines();
```

BufferedReader's `lines()` method returns a *stream* of Strings
– representing each line in a file

Collections can be streamed

Streams can be **generated by a built-in Collection e.g.**

```
List<Integer> nums = new LinkedList();
```

```
Stream<Integer> numStream = nums.stream();
```

→ returns a *stream* of the Integers in the given linked list

All objects implementing **Collection** have this method.

?

Key point: a stream is a ***sequence of data***

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→ a **sequence of Strings**

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→ a **sequence of Integers**

What can we do with streams?

- Generate
- Iterate
- Filter
- Map input to output
- Count
- Sort
- ...and more

Lambdas

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What are they for?

- Functions that only need to be used once
- Keeping code short and tidy



Some (non-Java) examples

Things I use anonymous functions for

```
32 df_basic["age"] = df_basic.apply(lambda defendant: normalize_age(defendant, df_basic["age"].max()), axis=1)
```

- Instead of iterating through every row in a large dataset
- Shorter
- Only needs to happen once

Some (non-Java) examples

Things I use anonymous functions for

Event handling, callbacks

- Only needs to happen under specific circumstances
- Doesn't make sense to be called anywhere else

```
export const sendMessage = (msg, callbackFunc) => {  
  socket.emit("new message", msg);  
  
  socket.on("all messages", result => {  
    callbackFunc(result);  
  })  
}
```

When to use lambdas?

...to replace for loops/small helper methods:

- When a particular loop or helper is used in *only one place* e.g. called only from one method
 - If used in multiple places → named method
- Logic is fairly simple and short:
 - Complex/long logic in a lambda is very hard to follow → use named method instead

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```

Equivalent to:

```
int addNumbers(int a, int b) {  
    return a + b;  
}
```

Lambda syntax simplified further

When used to do something with items in a collection, parameters don't need types...Java knows what type is in the collection

```
(a, b) -> { return a + b; }
```

Lambda syntax simplified further

(Simple) methods don't need braces or a return

`(a, b) -> a + b`

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If there's only one parameter, no need for parentheses

a \rightarrow a * a

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`a -> a * a`

Equivalent to:

```
int square(int a) {  
    return a * a;  
}
```

Using Streams

Functional Java

Uses the `Stream` API

- Start with a **stream** of data e.g. a stream of objects in a collection
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Start with a Stream...

Create a stream **of known objects e.g.**

```
Stream.of(anObj, anotherObj, obj3);
```

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- For every object in the stream...pass it to...
- Some operation (e.g. square the number)...returned as next input

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- Single line of code → infinite output (without additional methods):

2 4 16 256 65536 4294967296 forever...

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```

...any ideas what that line does?

Intermediate operations – some examples

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```

...takes a stream of Integers from 0-49 and selects only the even numbers.

- Can be used on other types of stream too

Intermediate operations – some examples

- **limit()** – Limits the number of items to look at e.g.

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Stream.iterate(2, i -> i * i).limit(3);
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... what does this line do?

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Stops after 3 items: 2, 4, 16

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- **map()** – Maps the input to some output by performing an operation e.g.:

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Stream.of("a", "b", "c").map(s -> s.toUpperCase());
```

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Equivalent to:

```
// letters is a LinkedList containing "a", "b",  
"c" ...
```

```
for (String s: letters) {  
    s = s.toUpperCase();  
}
```


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Perform **operations** on the objects in the stream:

- Intermediate operations – perform actions before further processing
- **Terminal operations – “final” operations**
 - i.e. you can't tack on any additional operations such as filter, map...
- Reductions – make the stream smaller, possibly just one value

Terminal operations – some examples

- **forEach()** – Basically a for-each loop but tidier...

```
Stream.of("a", "b", "c").map(s ->  
    s.toUpperCase())  
    .forEach(s -> System.out.println(s));
```

Converts each String in the Stream to an upper case String then prints it

- Can't print from map() → requires a return

Terminal operations – some examples

- **forEach()** – simplified syntax

```
Stream.of("a", "b", "c").map(s ->  
s.toUpperCase())  
    .forEach(System.out::println);
```

Already knows the parameter—each object in the stream

- Note the ::, not a typo!

Terminal operations – some examples

- **collect()** – gather the items into a new collection e.g.

```
List<String> letters = Stream.of("a", "b", "c")  
    .map(s -> s.toUpperCase())  
    .collect(Collectors.toList());
```

Returns the result of the operation as a new list.

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Reductions – some examples

- **average()**, **count()**, **max()** etc... e.g.

```
Stream.iterate(2, i -> i * i).limit(3).count();
```

Returns the number of items: 3

```
Stream.iterate(2, i -> i * i).limit(3)  
                                .mapToInt(i -> i)  
                                .sum();
```

Returns the sum of the items: 22

Functional programming: Summary

- Stream gets mapped, filtered, reduced, and collected in some order
- Lambdas: unnamed methods (functions) that can be applied to a stream
- In functional programming, objects are **immutable**:
 - Rather than change an existing object, copy it and return with new state

Example: functionalcountrycodes

New version:

- CountryCodeProcessor.java uses a stream for processing
 - **processInput**

processInput()

```
private Map<String, String> processInput(List<String> lines) {  
    return lines.stream()  
        .map(line -> line.replaceAll("\\\\", ""))  
        .collect(  
            Collectors.toMap(  
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            )  
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Does the replaceAll on every line

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Terminal operation - Many possible outcomes e.g.

- Collectors.counting() // number of elements in the stream
- Collectors.joining() // join into String
- Collectors.groupingBy() // group by parameter → hash map

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Produces a map

- Need to define a key and a value

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Creates the key

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        );  
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Creates the value

- Takes the existing list entry, makes a substring for the value

Example: functionalcountrycodes

- CountryCodeProcessor.java uses a stream for processing
 - **processInput**
- ...but not file reading. Why?
 - **readFile**

- Could we do something like this instead?

```
private Stream<String> readFile(String path) {  
    try (Stream<String> lines  
        = new BufferedReader(new FileReader(path)).lines()) {  
        return lines;  
    } catch ...  
}  
  
private Map<String, String> processInput(Stream<String> lines) { ...  
}
```

- ***Try it and see what happens***

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    ...  
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private Map<String,String> processInput(Stream<String> lines)  
{  
    “Stream has already been operated upon or closed”  
    ... → streams need to be used when they're created  
}  
    A solution: read and process at the same time (has it's own  
    problems)
```

Exercise 1: streams & lambdas

In functional package, FunctionalPractice class, main method:

- Use a List to store multiple Books
- Use streams & lambdas on the List to:
 - make a new List containing only books published before a certain date
 - make a new List containing only books in a particular price range
 - get the total price of all books in the list
 - get the average price of all books in the list
- Refer to the Java 11 Streams docs
 - Google "Java 11 Streams"

Break (10 mins)



Filtering by year, price

```
List<Book> oldBooks = books.stream()  
    .filter(book -> book.getYear() < 1995)  
    .collect(Collectors.toList());
```

```
List<Book> midPrice = books.stream()  
    .filter(book -> book.getPrice() >= 5 &&  
        book.getPrice() <= 10)  
    .collect(Collectors.toList());
```

Total, average price

```
double total = books.stream()  
    .mapToDouble(book -> book.getPrice())  
    .sum();
```

```
OptionalDouble avg = books.stream()  
    .mapToDouble(book -> book.getPrice())  
    .average();
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In case the stream is empty

Things to remember about streams

Built-in collections can be turned in to **streams** using **stream()**:

```
public static List<Book> publishedBefore(List<Book> books, int year) {  
    return books.stream()  
        .filter(b -> b.getYear() < year)  
        .collect(Collectors.toList());  
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Use **filter()** to select only the items that meet some condition:

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Parameter passed to right side of lambda

- Represents each object in the stream (a Book in this example)

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Boolean condition

- Only stream objects that return true will be considered in the next operation
- i.e. Books whose year field is less than year

Things to remember about streams

collect(Collectors.toList()) returns the remaining items as a new list:

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year) {
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```

Things to remember about streams

Use **map()** to *transform* each object in stream:

```
List<Book> saleBooks = books.stream().filter(b -> b.getYear() <
year)
    .map(b -> {
        b.setPrice(b.getPrice * 0.9f);
        return b;
    })
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Use { } if the lambda function contains multiple lines

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The lambda function must return an Object

Things to remember about streams

map () takes a **lambda** expression:

```
List<String> saleBooks = books.stream().filter(b -> b.getYear() < year)
                                .map(b -> b.toString())
                                .collect(Collectors.toList());
```

...map () can also be used to
convert stream elements to a
different type

Things to remember about streams

Streams of Integers or Doubles can use `average()`, `min()`, and `max()`:

```
Integer oldestPubDate = books.stream().mapToInt(b -> b.getYear()).min();
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To map an Object to Integer or Double:

- `mapToInt(...)`
- `mapToDouble(...)`

map() vs. flatMap()

What does list contain?

```
Pattern splitAtSpaces = Pattern.compile("\\s+");  
String someStrings[] = {"one row", "some more words", "any other words"};  
Object list = Stream.of(someStrings)  
    .map(line -> splitAtSpaces.splitAsStream(line))  
    .collect(Collectors.toList());
```

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What does list contain? ...a list of lists of Strings

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To get a list of words, use flatMap()

```
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String someStrings[] = {"one row", "some more words", "any other words"};  
Object list = Stream.of(someStrings)  
    .flatMap(line -> splitAtSpaces.splitAsStream(line))  
    .collect(Collectors.toList());
```

reduce ()

Reduce the elements in a stream to a single value

```
double total = books.stream()  
    .mapToDouble(b -> b.getPrice())  
    .reduce(0, (p1, p2) -> p1 + p2);
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**the lambda takes two
parameters**

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**the starting point, passed in along
with the first element in the stream**

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This example does the same as:

```
double total = books.stream()  
    .mapToDouble(b -> b.getPrice())  
    .sum();
```

Stream API

- We've seen just a small subset of the API!
- Read the docs for more
- (We'll see some more variations in the practice finals)

Functions as objects

Functions as Objects

Functions can be saved as variables

```
Function<T, R> functionName = t -> operation returning an R;
```

Must specify T & R

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Different syntax, same outcome:

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T = type of parameter passed to functionName

- Only one parameter
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t = parameter name

- Call it whatever you want (doesn't have to be t)

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=, ->, and ; instead of ()

- Single-line operations don't need { }
- Multi-line operations do
- Don't always need return

Calling a function object

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function variable name

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Use Function.apply() to call the function

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pass in the required parameter

Example

```
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    return b;  
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```

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discountBook.apply(aBook);  
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**No. The argument is modified
→ create a new book instead**

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Uses of Functions as Objects

- Tidying up stream operations
- If you want a method to accept a function as a parameter
- If you want a function to be accessible to only one object
 - e.g. event listeners
- *a design choice*

```
private void transform(Shape s,  
    Function<Shape, Shape> change) {  
    change.apply(s);  
    redraw();  
}
```

```
transform(myShape, scaleUp);  
transform(myShape, scaleDown);  
transform(myShape, moveLeft);
```

Exercise 2: Functions as parameter practice

Add two function objects to the FunctionalPractice class:

- Discount a book by 10% (same as prev slide)
- Double the price of the book

Add a static method to the FunctionalPractice class:

- **Book adjustPrice(Book book, Function<Book, Book> adjuster)**
- Could be used to either decrease or increase the price

Exercise 2: Functions as parameter practice

```
private static Function<Book, Book> discountBook = b -> {  
    Book newBook = new Book(b.getTitle(), b.getAuthor(), b.getYear(), price: b.getPrice() * 0.9f);  
    return newBook;  
};  
  
private static Function<Book, Book> doublePrice = b -> {  
    Book newBook = new Book(b.getTitle(), b.getAuthor(), b.getYear(), price: b.getPrice() * 2);  
    return newBook;  
};  
  
private static Book adjustPrice(Book book, Function<Book, Book> adjuster) {  
    return adjuster.apply(book);  
}
```

```
Book cheaper = FunctionalBook.adjustPrice(b1, discountBook);|
```