# Java SPI & Demo

## What is it

Provide implementation at startup time

Iterate multiple implementations

## Use Cases

### Simple Plugins

- spell checker in editor
- SAL event validation

Slf4j

Java Cryptography Extension

JDBC

## Alternative

#### Java reflection

- **₩** Load implementation at run-time
- Messy syntax for methods discovery
- class loader problem

#### OSGI

- ( load implementation at runtime
- colocation of different Java version and library version
- deep learning curve
- slow startup time E.g. Eclipse

#### Sprint

dislike Sprint

### Java SPI

- Clean syntax
- Fast loading time
- U IDE support
- Future proof Java9 module build on top of it

- = Jar loading at startup time only
- No way to run in different JVM version
- Difficult to support multi-version of the same library, Layer

# Demo