

# Introducción a Scala

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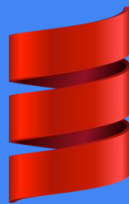
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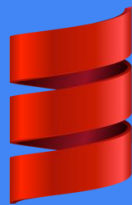
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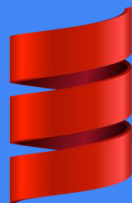
# What is Scala?

- A programming language running on the **JVM** (also a JS and LLVM).
- Statically typed, combines **object-orientation** and **functional** programming.
- Concise.
- Fully interoperable with **Java**.
- As fast as Java.
- Current version 2.12



# About

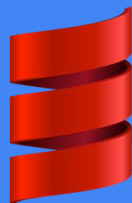
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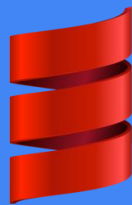
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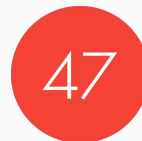


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Show me the code



```
val meetup = "VigoJUG"  
println(s"Hello ${meetup}")
```

```
case class Person (val name: String,  
                   val age: Int) extends Animal(age)
```

```
val people: Array[People] = ...  
val (minors, adults) = people.partition(_<.age < 18)
```

# Type inference

```
scala> val int = 10  
int: Int = 10
```

```
scala> val flaot = 10.0  
flaot: Double = 10.0
```

```
scala> val string = "Emma Glez"  
string: String = Emma Glez
```

```
scala> val list = List(0,1,2,3,4)  
list: List[Int] = List(0, 1, 2, 3, 4) //scala.collection.immutable.List
```

```
scala> val range = 0 to 10  
range: scala.collection.immutable.Range.Inclusive = Range(0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10)
```

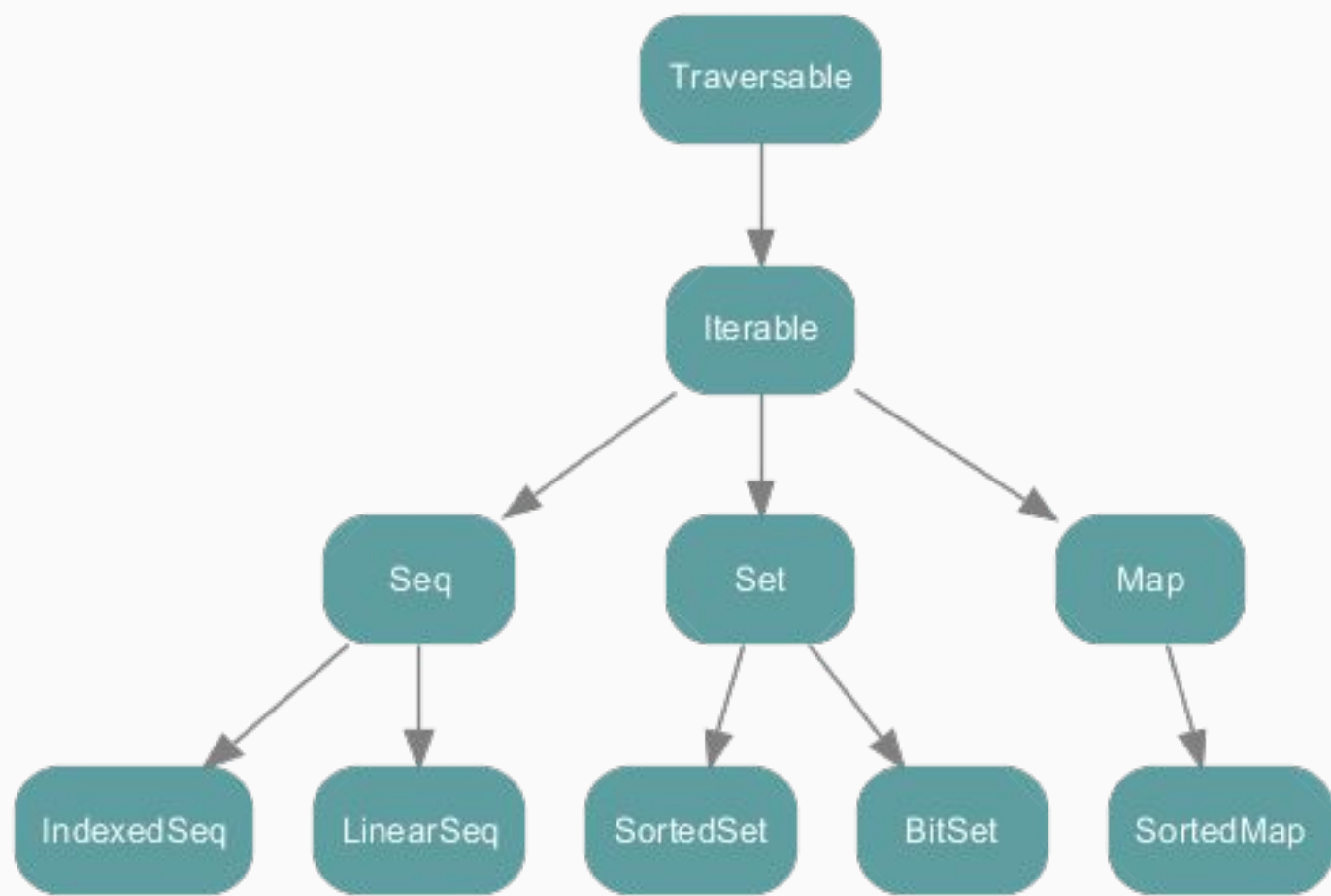
# Immutability

```
val x = 10 // x is now 10
x = 20      // error: reassignment to val
var y = 10
y = 20      // y is now 20
```

# Collections

## Set, Map, List/Seq, (Array)





```
val a = Array(1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13)
a(0)      // Int = 1
a(3)      // Int = 5
a(21)     // Throws an exception

val m = Map("fork" -> "tenedor", "spoon" -> "cuchara", "knife" -> "cuchillo")
m("fork")  // java.lang.String = "tenedor"
m("spoon") // java.lang.String = "cuchara"
m("bottle") // Throws an exception
m.get("spoon") // Option[String] = Some("cuchara")
m.get("bottle") // Option[String] = None

val safeM = m.withDefaultValue("no lo se")
safeM("bottle") // java.lang.String = no lo se

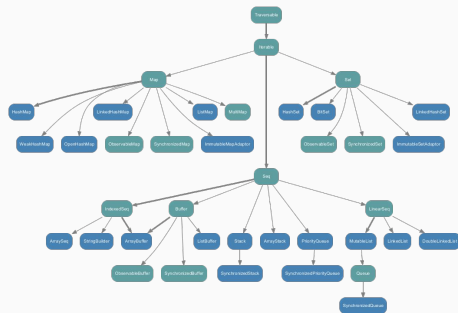
val s = Set(1, 3, 7)
s(0)    // Boolean = false
s(1)    // Boolean = true

// Tuples
val d = (1, 2)
d._0
val (minors, adults) = people.partition(_.age < 18)
```

# Collections



`scala.collection.immutable`



`...mutable`

- `filter`
- `map`
- `forall`
- `find`
- `flatMap`
- `reduce`
- `partition`
- `groupBy`
- `fold`
- `foldRight`
- `slice`
- `par...`

```
"hello world".length
"hello world".substring(2, 6)
"hello world".replace("C", "3")

// They also have some extra Scala methods. See also: scala.collection.immutable.StringOps
"hello world".take(5)
"hello world".drop(5)

// String interpolation: notice the prefix "s"
val n = 45
s"We have $n apples" // => "We have 45 apples"

// Expressions inside interpolated strings are also possible
val a = Array(11, 9, 6)
s"My second daughter is ${a(0) - a(2)} years old." // => "My second daughter is 5 years old."
s"We have double the amount of ${n / 2.0} in apples." // => "We have double the amount of 22.5 in apples."
s"Power of 2: ${math.pow(2, 2)}" // => "Power of 2: 4"

// Formatting with interpolated strings with the prefix "f"
f"Power of 5: ${math.pow(5, 2)}%1.0f" // "Power of 5: 25"
f"Square root of 122: ${math.sqrt(122)}%1.4f" // "Square root of 122: 11.0454"

// Raw strings, ignoring special characters.
raw"New line feed: \n. Carriage return: \r." // => "New line feed: \n. Carriage return: \r."

// Some characters need to be "escaped", e.g. a double quote inside a string:
"They stood outside the \"Rose and Crown\"" // => "They stood outside the "Rose and Crown""

// Triple double-quotes let strings span multiple rows and contain quotes
val html = """<form id="daform">
    <p>Press belo', Joe</p>
    <input type="submit">
</form>"""
```

# Classes and Traits

# Classes

## Classes

- Similar to Java classes
  - have fields, methods, parameters and types
  - every member can be overridden
  - any member can be abstract

```
abstract class Node[T] (val v: T, next: Node[T])  
  extends List(v, next) {  
    val cache: Int  
  
    def first: T  
    def children: List[T]  
    override def toString = "Node" + v  
  }
```

## Traits

- Like Java interfaces, but in action
  - allow concrete methods, fields and types
- Like Scala classes without constructor parameters
- Allow (a form of) multiple inheritance
  - mix-in composition

```
trait Ordered[A] extends java.lang.Comparable[A] {  
  def compare(that: A): Int  
  
  def < (that: A): Boolean = (this compare that) < 0  
  def > (that: A): Boolean = (this compare that) > 0  
  def <= (that: A): Boolean = (this compare that) <= 0  
  def >= (that: A): Boolean = (this compare that) >= 0  
  def compareTo(that: A): Int = compare(that)  
}
```

```
class Cell[T] (val init: T) {  
  private var v      = init  
  def get(): T = v  
  def set(v1: T) = { v = v1 }  
  override def toString = "Cell (" + v + ")"  
}
```

```
trait UndoableCell[T] extends Cell[T] {  
  private var hist = new ArrayStack[T]()  
  override def set(v1: T): Unit = {  
    hist.push(super.get())  
    super.set(v1)  
  }  
  def undo(): Unit = {  
    super.set(hist.pop)  
  }  
}
```

```
trait LoggingCell[T] extends Cell[T] {  
  override def get(): T = {  
    println("getting " + this)  
    super.get()  
  }  
  override def set(v1: T) = {  
    println("setting " + this + " to " + v1)  
    super.set(v1)  
  }  
}
```

<https://scastie.scala-lang.org/AI7xz2yLTMOpfyud4cS3vQ>

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class Cell[T] (val init: T) {  
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    super.set(hist.pop)  
  }  
}
```

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    super.get()  
  }  
  override def set(v1: T) = {  
    println("setting " + this + " to " + v1)  
    super.set(v1)  
  }  
}
```

```
new Cell(0)  
  
new Cell(0)  
  with LoggingCell[Int]  
  
new Cell(0)  
  with LoggingCell[Int]  
  with UndoableCell[Int]  
  
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  with LoggingCell[Int]
```



```
trait Accounting { this: Customers =>
  var logger: Logger

  customers.getCustomers..
}
```

```
trait Customers {
  val logger: Logger
  val customers: CustomerService

  class CustomerService {
    def getCustomers(): Unit = ()
  }
}
```

```
object App extends Accounting with Customers {
  var logger = ...
  val customers = new CustomerService()
}
```

# Pattern Matching

<https://scastie.scala-lang.org/ScMYQmKkRp2auRn34muHVg>

```
import scala.util.Random
val x: Int = Random.nextInt(10)
x match {
  case 0 => println("zero")
  case 1 => println("one")
  case 2 => println("two")
  case _ => println("many")
}
```

```
def matchTest(x: Int): String = x match {
  case 1 => "one"
  case 2 => "two"
  case _ => "many"
}
matchTest(3) // many
matchTest(1) // one
```

```
abstract class Notification
case class Email(sender: String, title: String, body: String) extends Notification
case class SMS(caller: String, message: String) extends Notification
case class VoiceRecording(contactName: String, link: String) extends Notification
case class Telegram(text: String) extends Notification
```

```
def showNotification(notification: Notification): String = {
  notification match {
    case Email(email, title, _) =>
      s"You got an email from $email with title: $title"
    case SMS(number, message) =>
      s"You got an SMS from $number! Message: $message"
    case VoiceRecording(name, link) =>
      s"you received a Voice Recording from $name! Click the link to hear it: $link"
    case t: Telegram =>
      s"you received a teltegram {t.text}"
  }
}
```

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abstract class Notification
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```
def showImportantNotification(notification: Notification, importantPeopleInfo: Seq[String]):
```

```
String = {
```

```
  notification match {
```

```
    case Email(email, _, _) if importantPeopleInfo.contains(email) =>
```

```
      "You got an email from special someone!"
```

```
    case SMS(number, _) if importantPeopleInfo.contains(number) =>
```

```
      "You got an SMS from special someone!"
```

```
    case other =>
```

```
      showNotification(other) // nothing special, delegate to our original function
```

```
  }
```

```
}
```

# For Comprehensions

<https://scastie.scala-lang.org/I2NA9XMST6SDBoWszVcL7A>



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```
scala> for(i <- 1 until 4 ; j <- 1 to 3) println(i,j)
```

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```
val nums = List(List(1), List(2), List(3), List(4), List(5))
```

```
val result = for {  
  numList <- nums  
  num <- numList  
  if (num % 2 == 0)  
} yield (num)
```

```
//result List(2,4)
```

```
// Which is the same as  
nums.flatMap(numList => numList).filter(_ % 2 == 0)  
// or the same as  
nums.flatten.filter(_ % 2 == 0)
```

# Implicits

<https://scastie.scala-lang.org/E1bbnXGxRSC5XYEeKtusrg>

```
// library  
class Prefixer(val prefix: String)  
def addPrefix(s: String)(implicit p: Prefixer) = p.prefix + s
```

```
// then probably in your application  
implicit val myImplicitPrefixer = new Prefixer("***")  
addPrefix("abc") // returns "***abc"
```

```
abstract class SemiGroup[A] {
  def add(x: A, y: A): A
}

abstract class Monoid[A] extends SemiGroup[A] {
  def unit: A
}

object ImplicitTest extends App {
  implicit object StringMonoid extends Monoid[String] {
    def add(x: String, y: String): String = x concat y
    def unit: String = ""
  }
  implicit object IntMonoid extends Monoid[Int] {
    def add(x: Int, y: Int): Int = x + y
    def unit: Int = 0
  }
  def sum[A](xs: List[A])(implicit m: Monoid[A]): A =
    if (xs.isEmpty) m.unit
    else m.add(xs.head, sum(xs.tail))

  println(sum(List(1, 2, 3)))           // uses IntMonoid implicitly
  println(sum(List("a", "b", "c")))    // uses StringMonoid implicitly
}
```



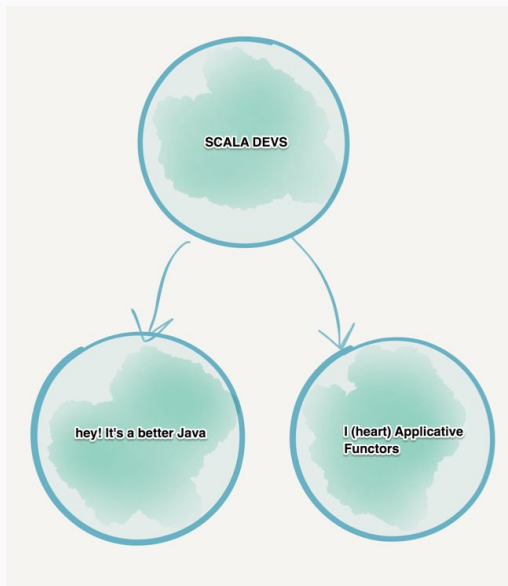
# Frameworks & Libraries

- **SBT**: A build tool for Scala and Java.
- **Play**: Web Framework.
- **Scalatra**: Web micro-framework.
- **Akka**: Toolkit and runtime simplifying the construction of concurrent and distributed applications.
- **Slick**: Modern database query and access library for Scala.
- **Cats/Scalaz**: library for functional programming.
- **Spark**: fast and general engine for big data processing.

More in <https://index.scala-lang.org>



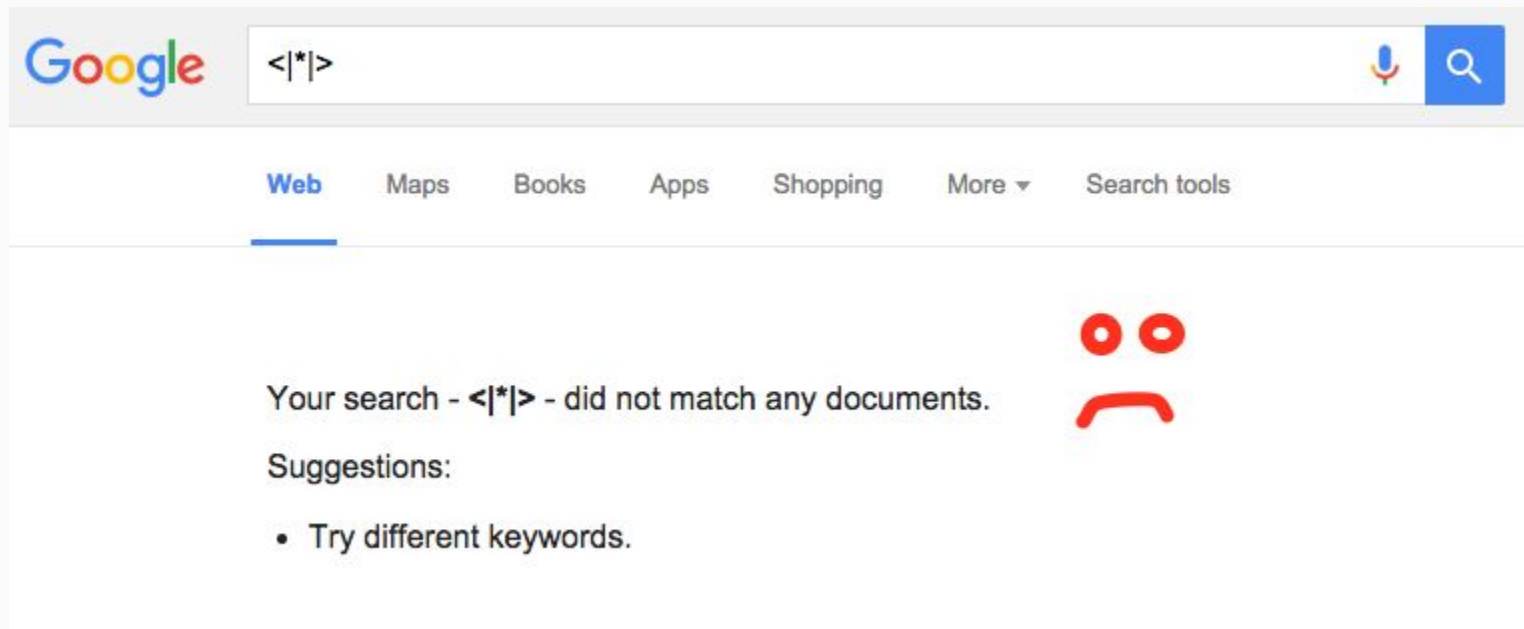
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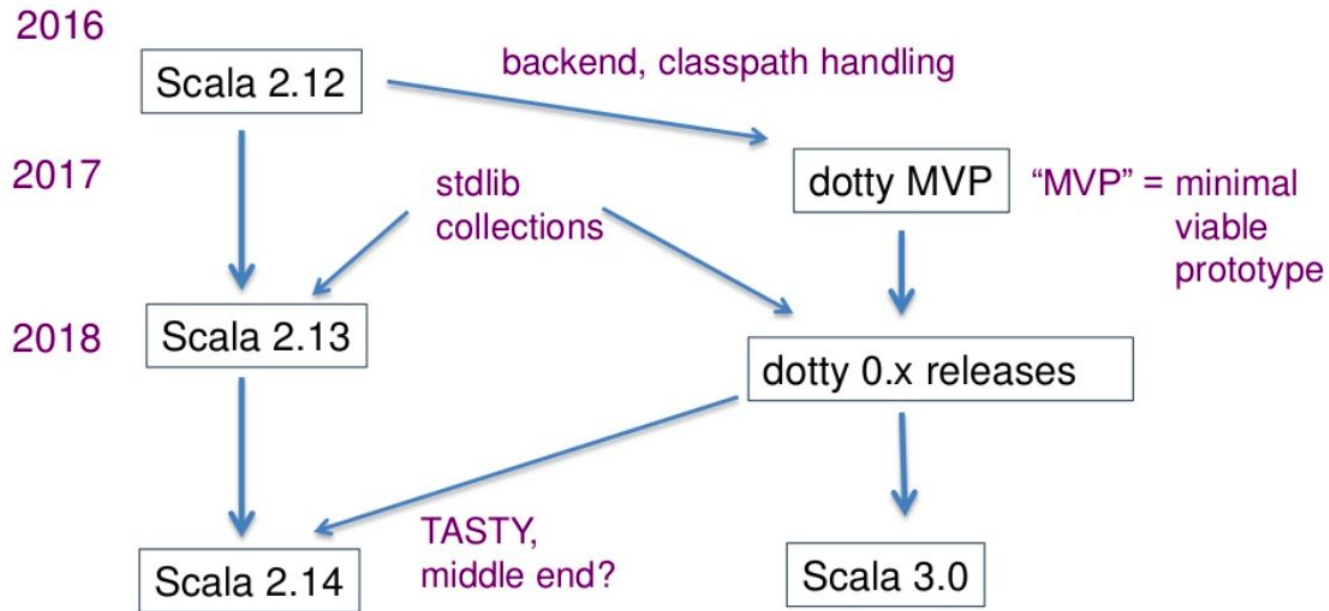
Scala has a steep learning curve.

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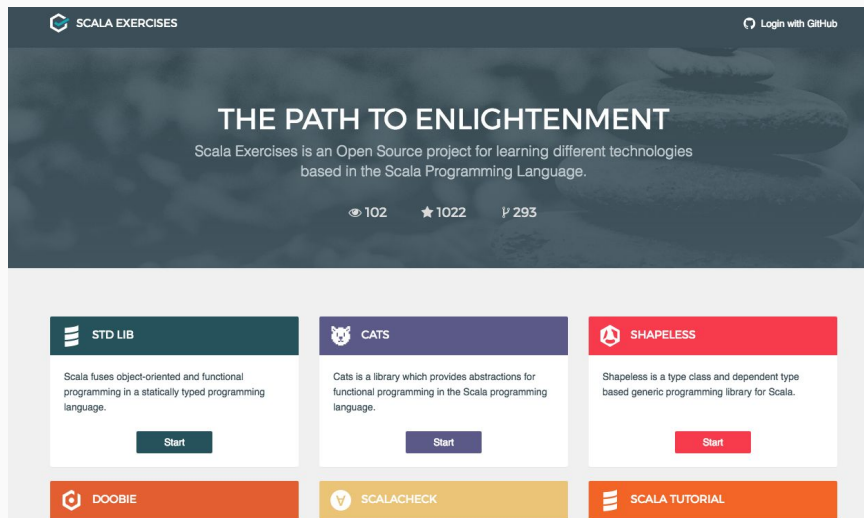




# Future: dotty (Scala 3.0)



# Resources



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## THE PATH TO ENLIGHTENMENT

Scala Exercises is an Open Source project for learning different technologies based in the Scala Programming Language.

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**STD LIB**

Scala fuses object-oriented and functional programming in a statically typed programming language.

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**CATS**

Cats is a library which provides abstractions for functional programming in the Scala programming language.

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**SHAPELESS**

Shapeless is a type class and dependent type based generic programming library for Scala.

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