# Introduction to Java

# What is Java?

- Java is a high-level programming language.
- Java supports object-oriented programming such as classes, inheritance, and polymorphism
- Our first Java Program – Hello World !

```
public class HelloWorld {

   public static void main(String[] args) {
      System.out.println("Hello, World!") ;
   }

}
```

```
Hello, World!
```

# Java Program

- A Java program is really a **class definition** with a method named **main**.
- When the program is run, the method named **main** is invoked.

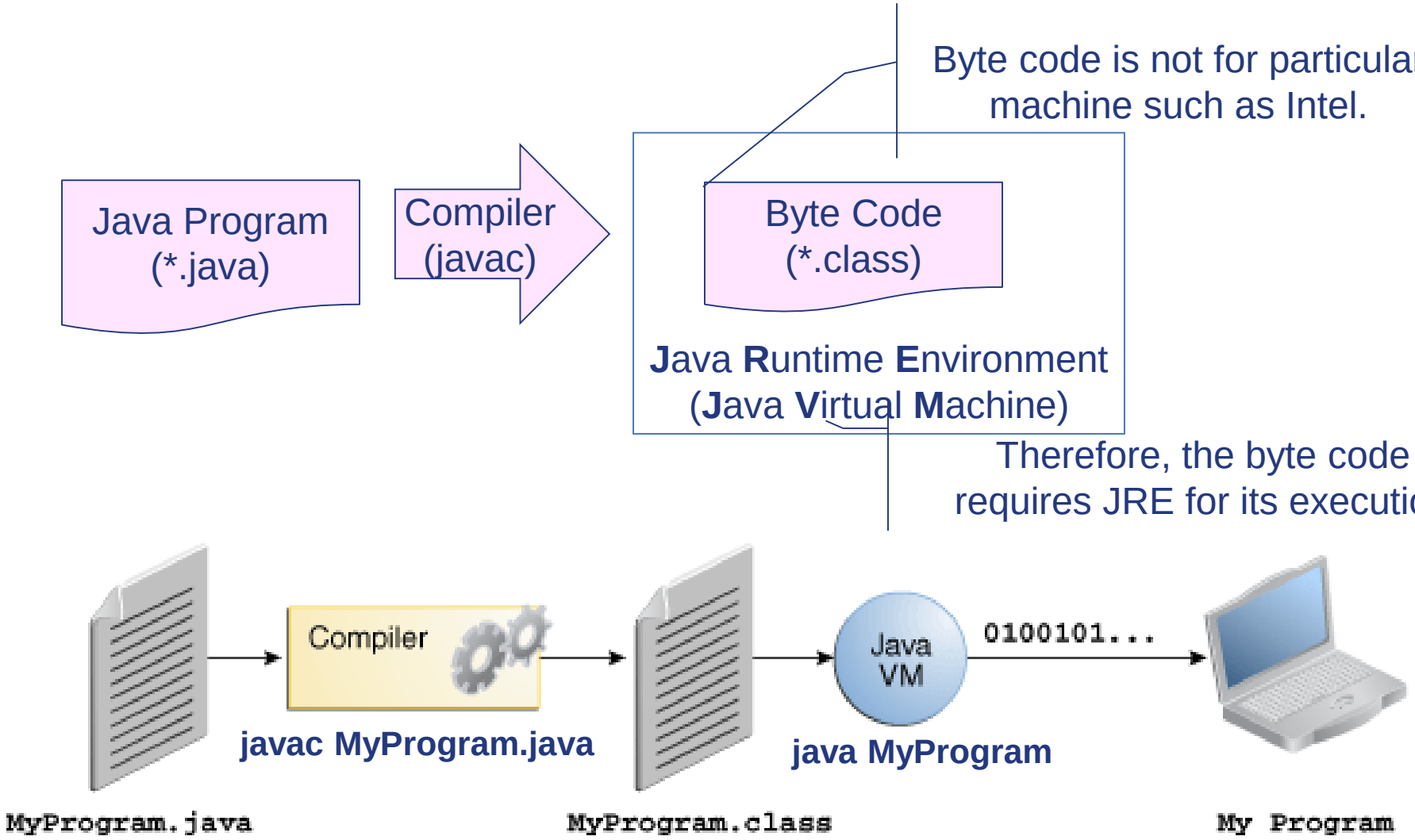
```
public class HelloWorld {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
      // You actual codes are here
      System.out.println("Hello, World!") ;
   }
}
```

# Another Java Program

- Java is similar to C++ in many ways
  - Types: int, long, array
  - Control structures: for, while, do, return, break, continue
  - Function call and parameter passing

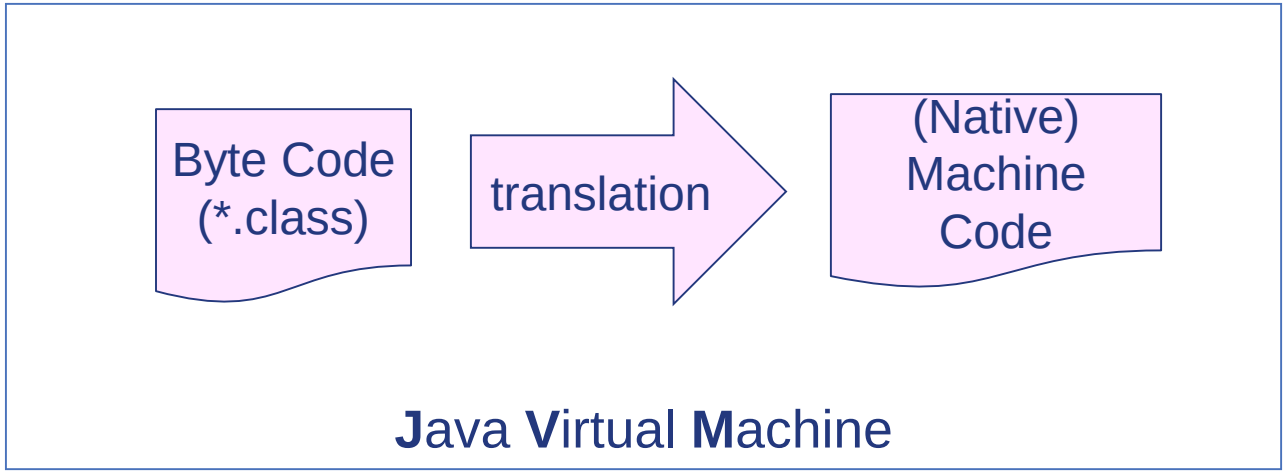
```
public class Factorial {
   public static void main(String[] args) {
      int values[] = {5, 10, 15} ;
      for ( int i: values )
         System.out.println("Factorial of " + i + ":₩t" + factorial(i)) ;
   }
   public static long factorial(final int n) {
      long result = 1 ;
      for ( int i = 1 ; i < n ; i ++ )
         result *= i ;
      return result ;
   }
}
```

# Java Compilation and Execution



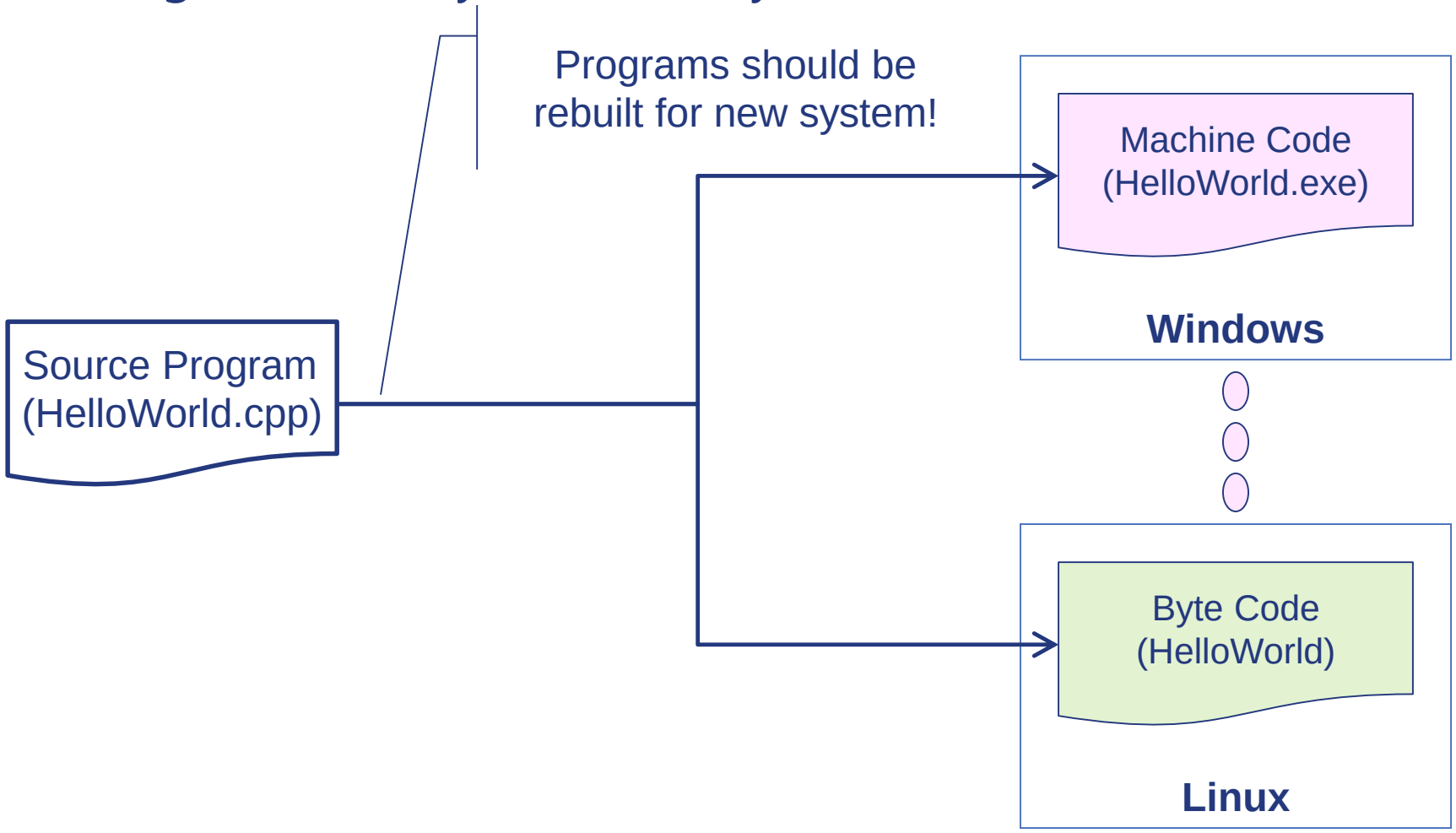
# Java Virtual Machine: Disadvantage

- At run-time, It requires an additional translation from byte code to machine code
- So, Java programs may show poor performance



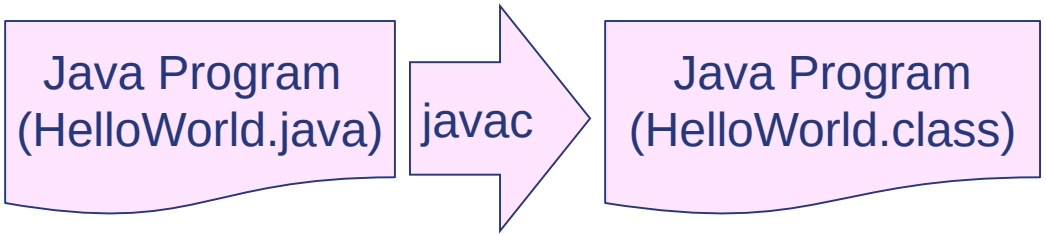
# Java Virtual Machine: Advantage

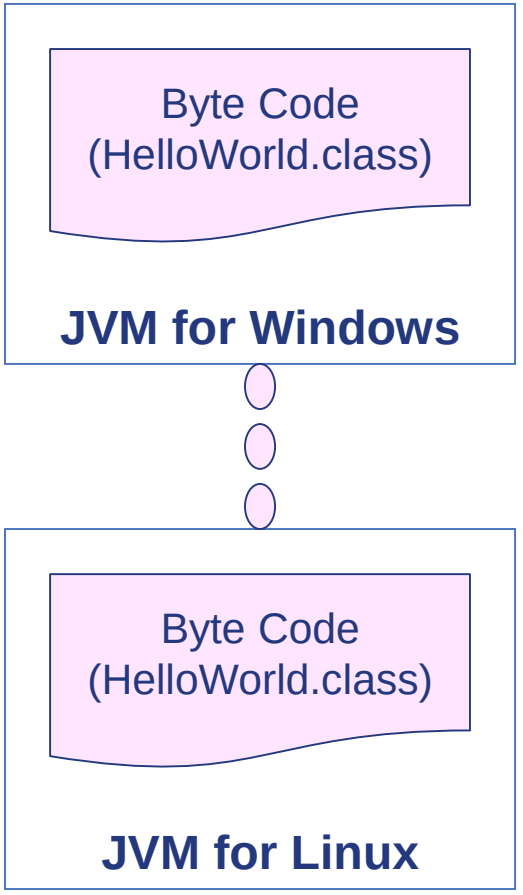
- Porting to other system is very difficult!



# Java Virtual Machine: Advantage

- Java programs are portable:
- No compilation is required!
- This is called Write Once, Run Anywhere

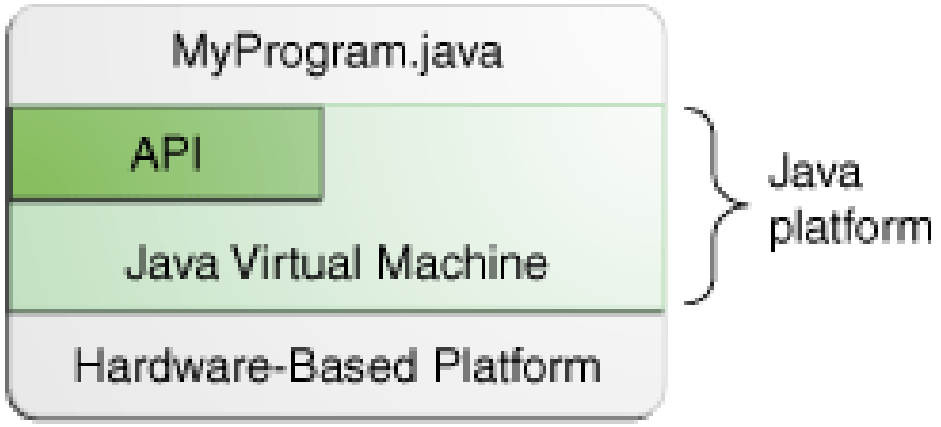


# Where can we get JVM?

- We can get JVM from Oracle free of charge.
  - https://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/index.html
- JVMs for the following OSs are available
  - Windows x86, x64
  - Linux x86, x64
  - Solaris SPARC
  - Solaris x64
  - Mac OS X

  * Dalvik is a JVM for Android!




- We can also get specific VMs for specific platforms.

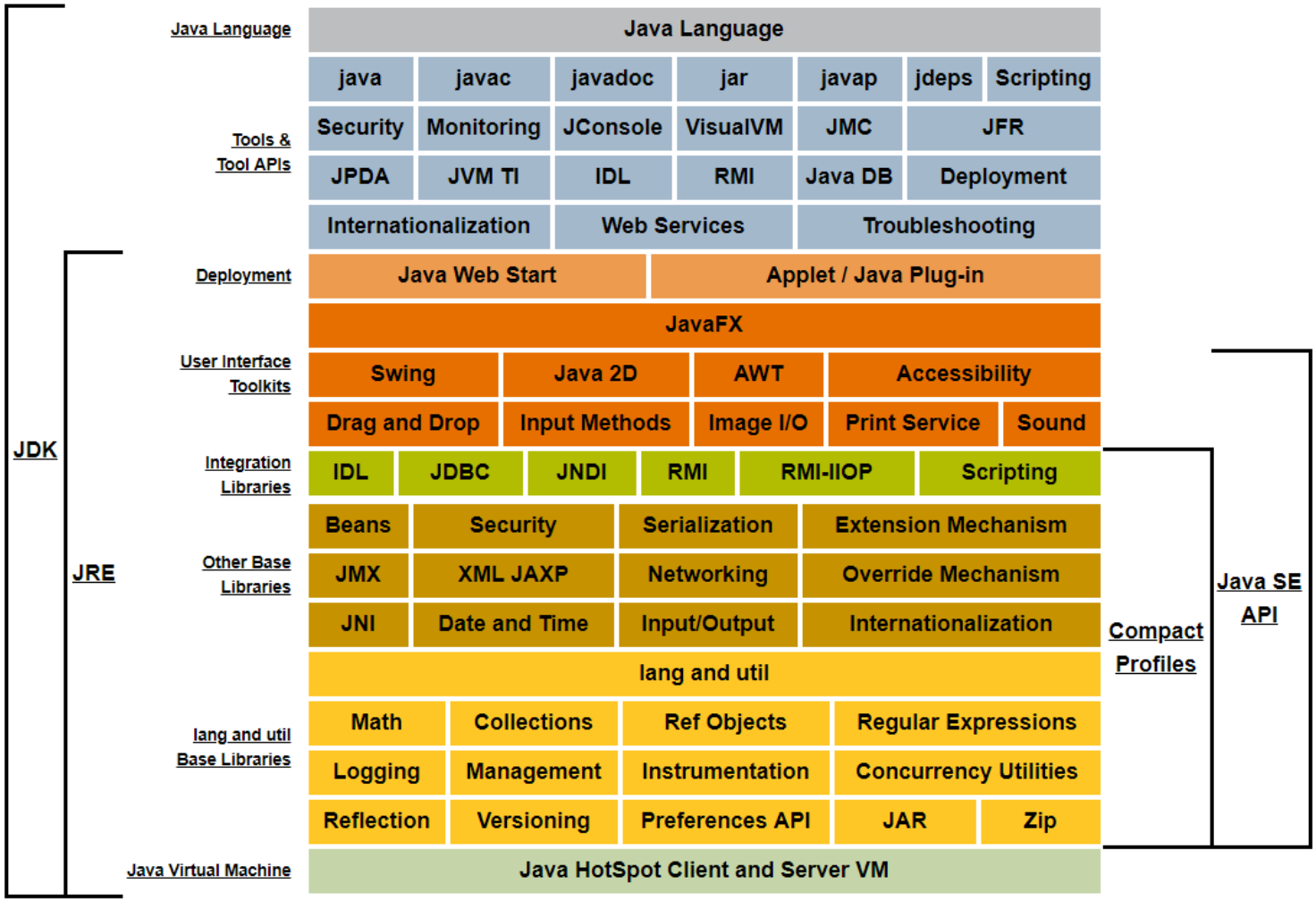
# Java is very popular!

- Java has been used for various applications.
- Java offeres three editions for different applications
  - Java **EE** (Enterprise Edition)
  - Java **SE** (Standard Edition)
  - Java **ME** (Micro Edition)

# Java is a system

- Java itself is very similar to other OO language such as C++.
- However, Java provides a huge number of useful APIs.
- Typical APIs are
  - **Swing, JavaFX** for GUI programming
  - **Applet** and **Servlet** for Web programming
  - **Socket** for Network programming
  - **JDBC** (Java Database Connectivity) for Database programming
  - **RMI** (Remote Method Invocation) for Distributed programming
  - **JNI** (Java Native Interface) for Native programming

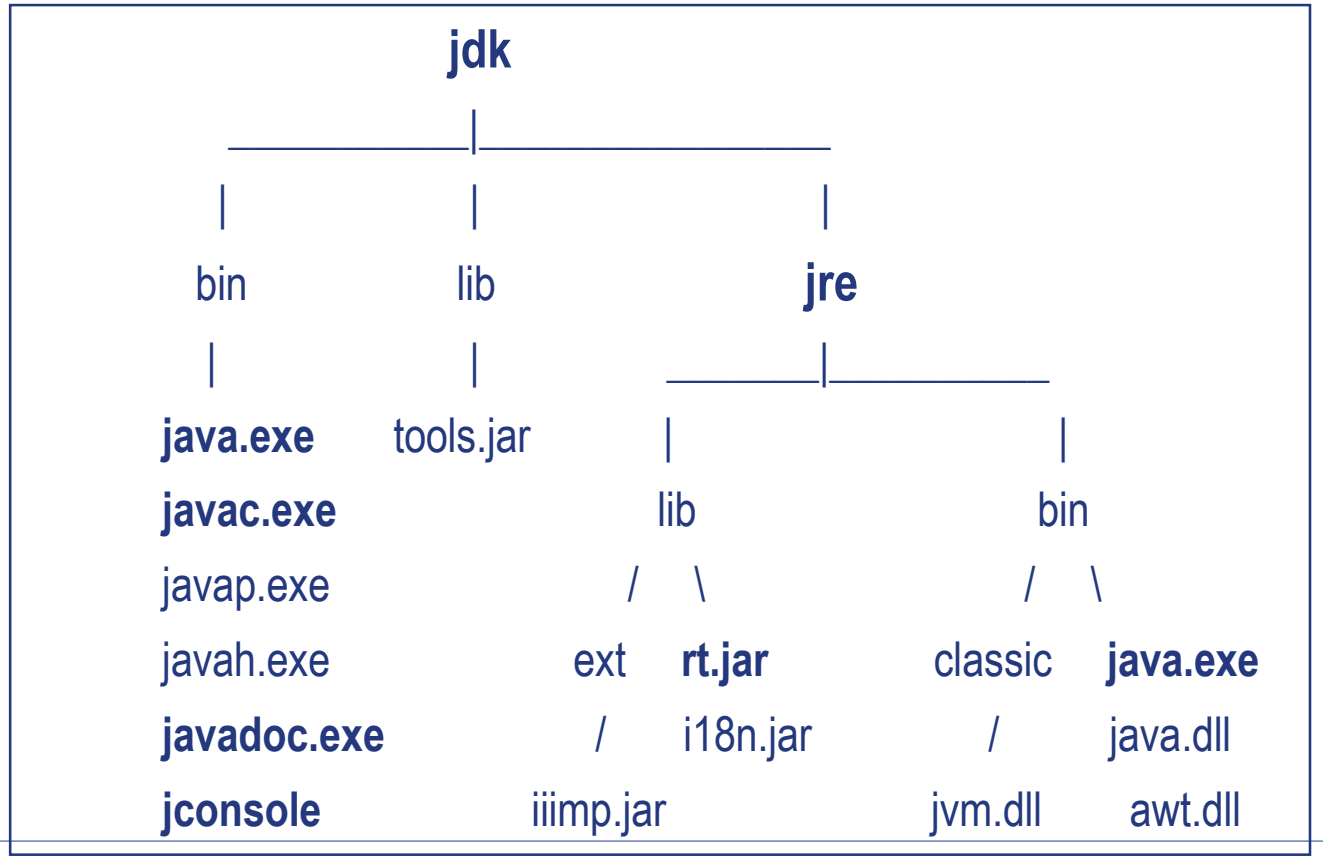
# Java SE 8 Platform




https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/

# Programming Environment for Java

- JDK (Java Development Kit)
  - the basic tools and libraries for developing Java SE applications
  - http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javase/downloads/index.html

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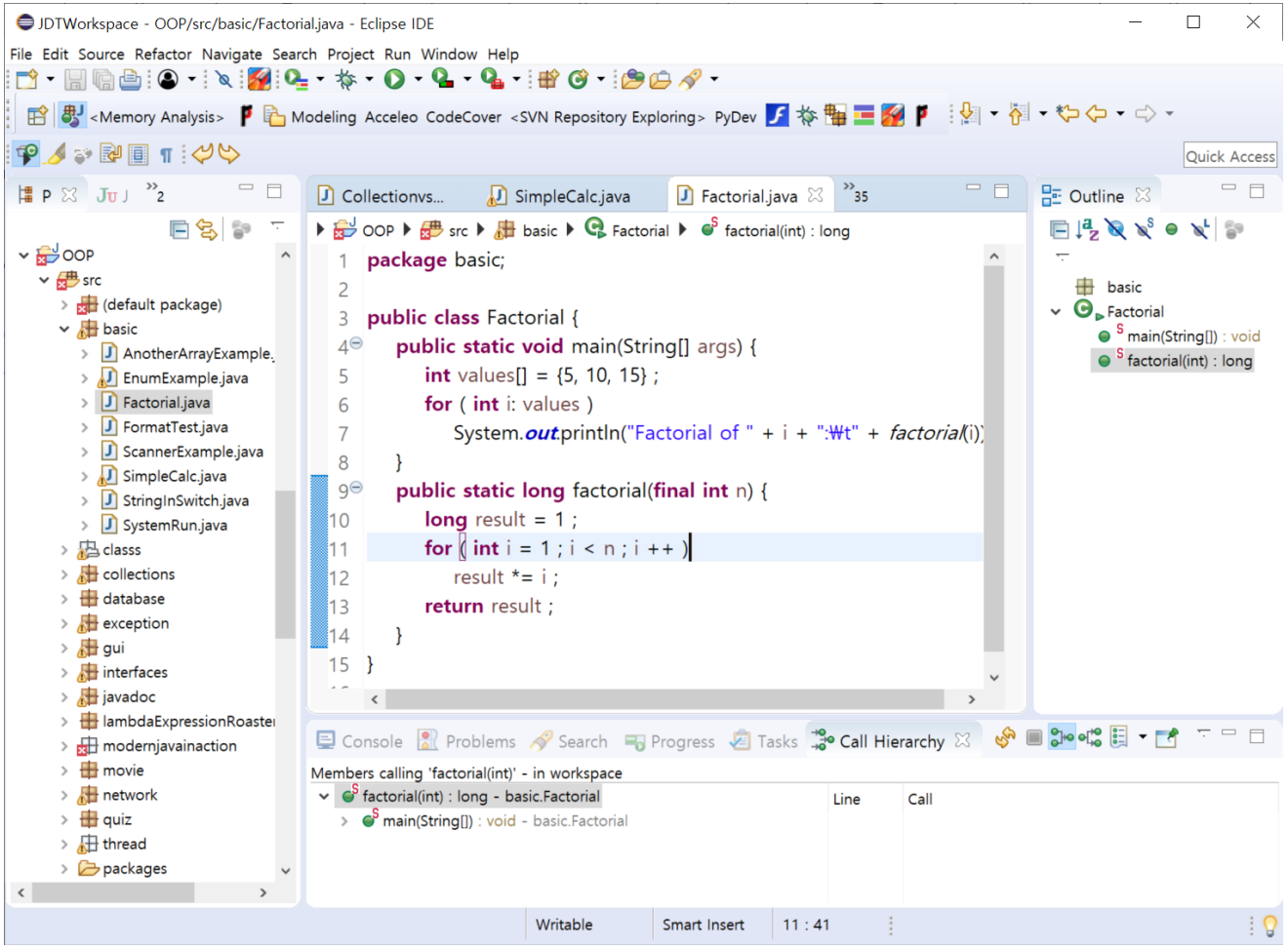
# Programming Environment for Java

- Eclipse: http://www.eclipse.org/



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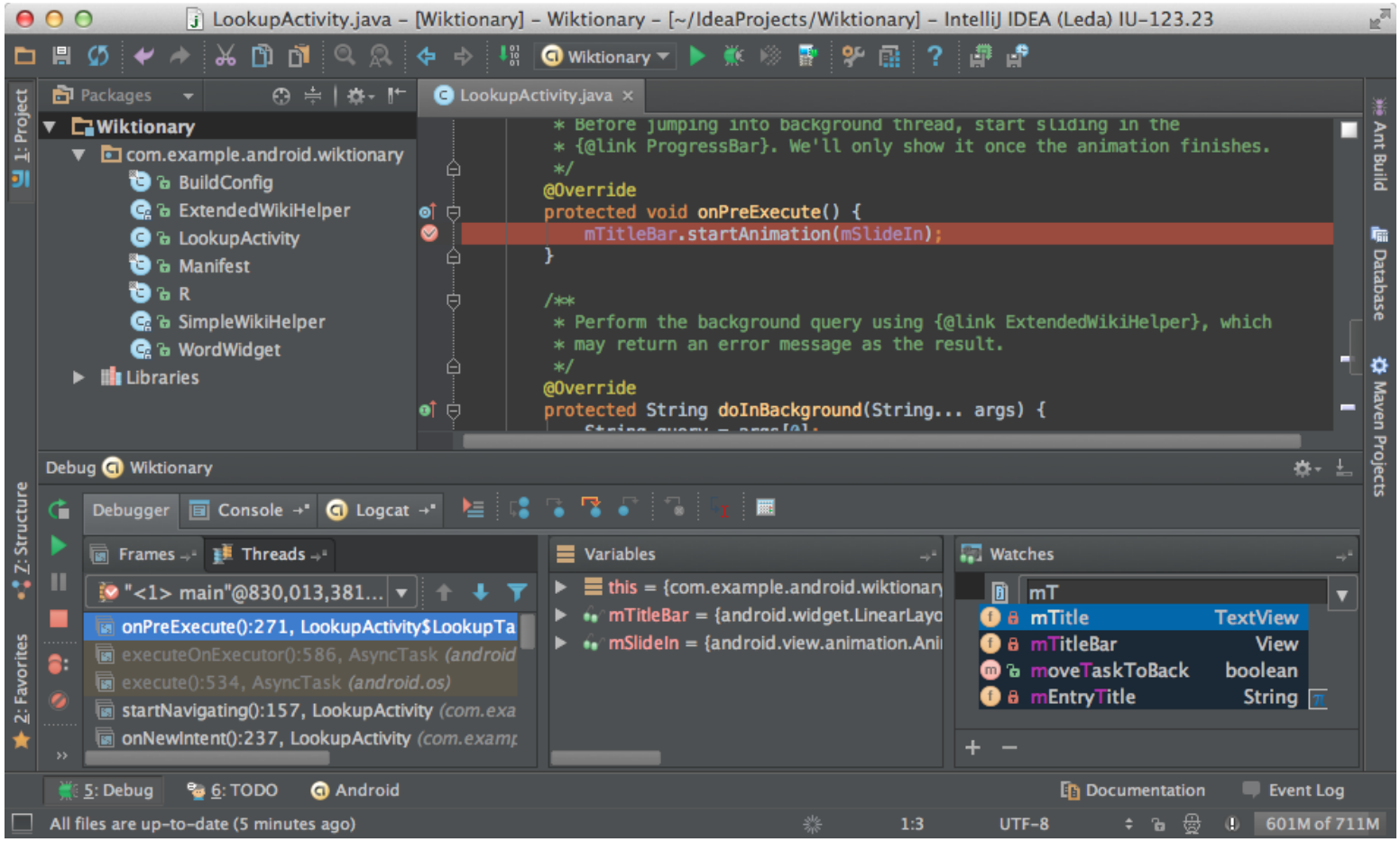
- IntelliJ IDEA: https://www.jetbrains.com/idea/



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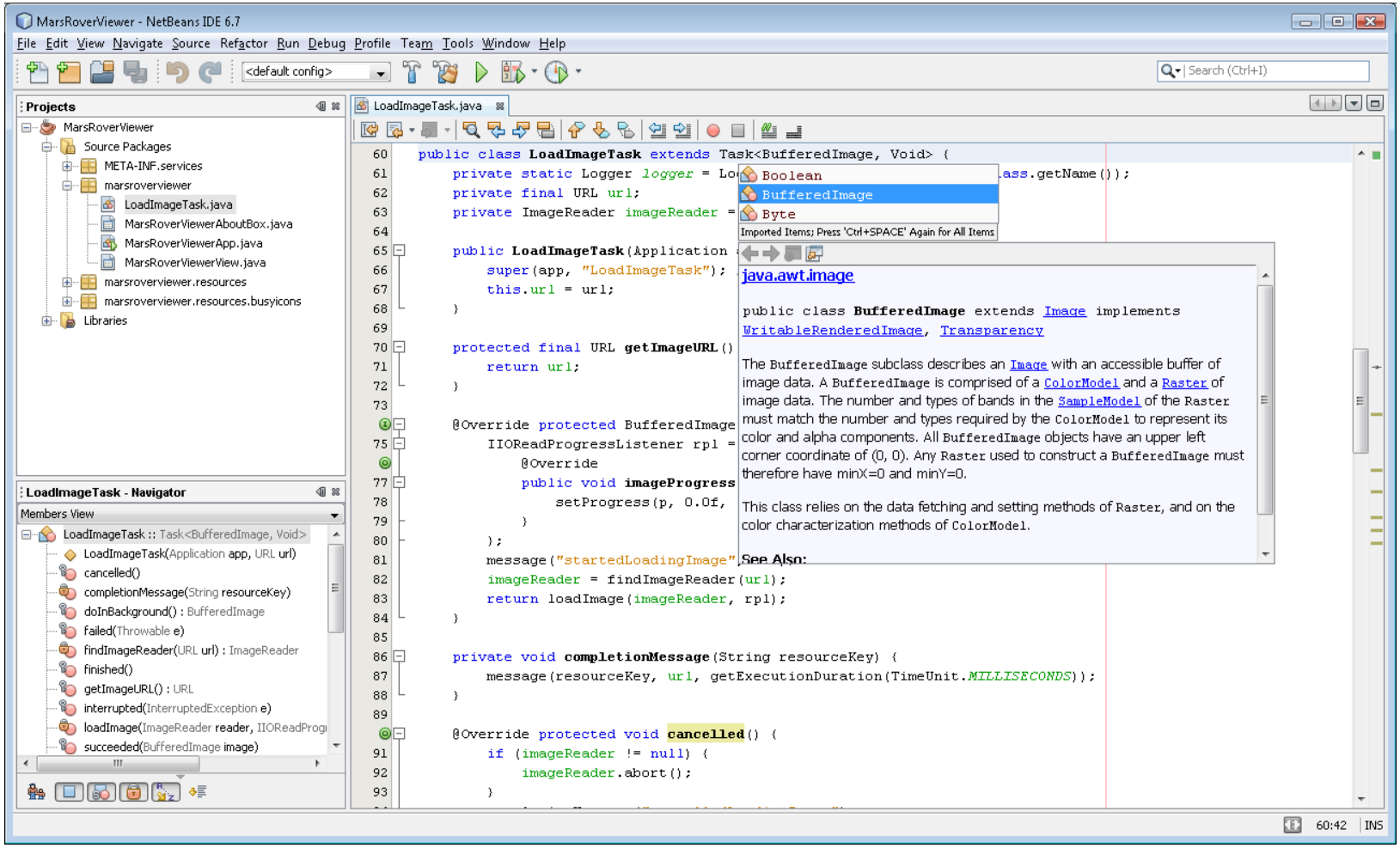
- NetBeans: http://netbeans.org/



# Information Sources on Java

- The entry to Java: http://java.oracle.com/
- Tutorials: http://docs.oracle.com/javase/tutorial/
- Java SE 8 documentation:
  - https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/
- Java SE 8 API documentation: http://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/

# Java SE 8 API Documentation