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Annotations in Java

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Annotations

- Additional processing instructions
- Written by programmer in the source code
- Used by an external entity – container, context

```
@Resource(name = "customerDB")  
public void setDataSource(DataSource myDB) {  
    this.ds = myDB;  
}
```

```
@EJB  
public ShoppingCart myShoppingCart;
```

```
@Local  
public interface RepeaterSessionBeanLocal {  
}
```

```
@Copyright("2002 Yoyodyne Propulsion Systems")  
public class OscillationOverthruster {  
    ...  
}
```

Annotations are defined by the construct

```
public @interface RequestForEnhancement {  
    int id();  
    String synopsis();  
    String engineer() default "[unassigned]";  
    String date() default "[unimplemented]";  
}
```

```
public class EnhancementTest {  
  
    @RequestForEnhancement(id = 2868724,  
        synopsis = "Enable time-travel",  
        engineer = "Mr. Peabody",  
        date = "4/1/3007")  
    public static void travelThroughTime(Date destination) {  
        // do something here  
    }  
}
```

A complex example taken from

<http://java.sun.com/j2se/1.5.0/docs/guide/language/annotations.html>

```
@Retention(RetentionPolicy.RUNTIME)
@Target(ElementType.METHOD)
public @interface Test { }
```

Annotations =
metadata

Annotated code

```
public class Foo {
    @Test public static void m1() { }
    public static void m2() { }
    @Test public static void m3() {
        throw new RuntimeException("Boom");
    }
    public static void m4() { }
    @Test public static void m5() { }
    public static void m6() { }
    @Test public static void m7() {
        throw new RuntimeException("Crash");
    }
    public static void m8() { }
}
```

Use of annotation by a container

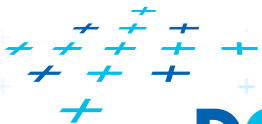
```
public class RunTests {
    public static void main(String[] args) throws Exception
    {
        int passed = 0, failed = 0;
        for (Method m :
            Class.forName(args[0]).getMethods()) {
            if (m.isAnnotationPresent(Test.class)) {
                try {
                    m.invoke(null); passed++;
                } catch (Throwable ex) {
                    System.out.printf("Test %s failed: %s %n", m,
                        ex.getCause()); failed++;
                }
            }
        }
        System.out.printf("Passed: %d, Failed %d%n",
            passed, failed);
    }
}
```

Use of
reflection



More details about annotations

- Default values can be defined
- Some annotations already exist in Java
 - @Retention
 - SOURCE (source code only), CLASS (in binary class), RUNTIME (in runtime)
 - @Target – enumeration ElementType
 - TYPE
 - FIELD
 - METHOD
 - PARAMETER
 - CONSTRUCTOR
 - LOCAL_VARIABLE
 - ANNOTATION_TYPE
 - PACKAGE
 - @Inherited
 - Descendants of annotated class are also annotated



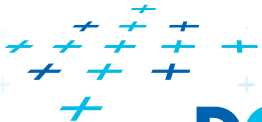
Annotations last one

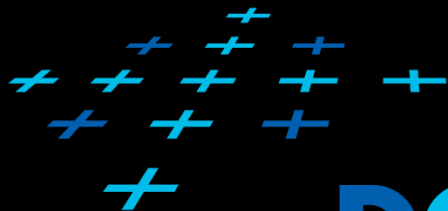
- Annotations without a value
- Annotation with one value
- With multiple values and a default one

```
@Retention(RetentionPolicy.RUNTIME)
@Target(ElementType.METHOD)
public @interface Test { }
```

```
@Retention(RetentionPolicy.RUNTIME)
@Target(ElementType.TYPE)
@Inherited
/**
 * Trida bude vracet chybovy stav uvedeny ve { @code value}.
 */
public @interface ErrorPage {
    int value();
}
```

```
public @interface RequestForEnhancement {
    int id();
    String synopsis();
    String engineer() default "[unassigned]";
    String date() default "[unimplemented]";
}
```





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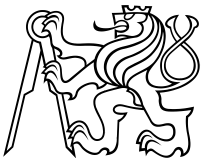
Inversion of Control

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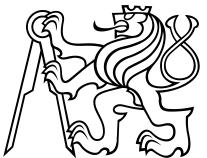
What is Inversion of Control

- IoC is a design paradigm
- Decoupling the execution of a task from implementation.
- Focus on what you (module) have to do.
- No assumption about other systems. Rely on contracts only.
- Tight coupling – replacing other modules has not effect.



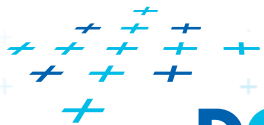
Dependency Injection

- One of the ways to implement IoC.
- Create instances of objects when needed, **NOT** at compile time.



How IoC is implemented

1. Factory pattern
2. Service locator
3. Dependency injection
 - Constructor injection
 - Setter injection
 - Interface injection



Now some examples (<http://martinfowler.com/articles/injection.html>)

Lets have a simple and naive program that find all movies produced by a given director...

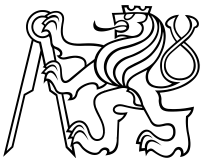
```
class MovieLister...
public Movie[] moviesDirectedBy(String arg) {

    List allMovies = finder.findAll();

    for (Iterator it = allMovies.iterator(); it.hasNext();) {
        Movie movie = (Movie) it.next();
        if (!movie.getDirector().equals(arg)) it.remove();
    }
    return (Movie[]) allMovies.toArray(new Movie[allMovies.size()]);
}
```



A finder should be independent on my code. Finder is not known at compilation time

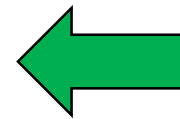


OK, let's have a contract

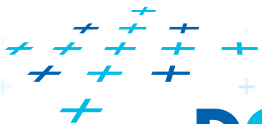
```
public interface MovieFinder {  
    List findAll();  
}
```

...and the MovieLISTER can now look like this:

```
class MovieLISTER...  
    private MovieFinder finder;  
    public MovieLISTER() {  
        finder = new ColonDelimitedMovieFinder("movies1.txt");  
    }
```



Tight coupling.
Any way out?

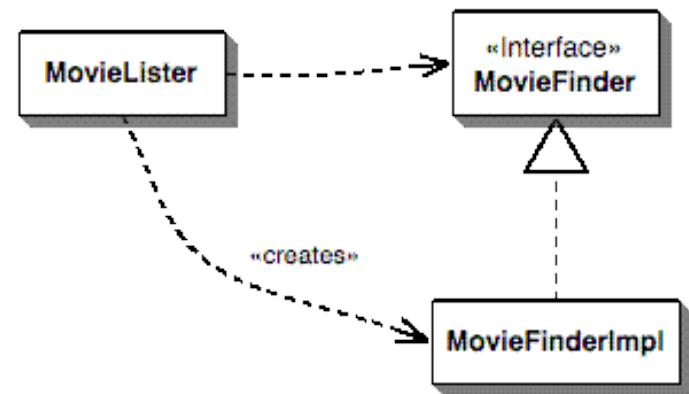


Ways out of tight coupling

- Factory – looser but still too tight (compile time)

- Plug-in

```
private static Object buildObject(String aClassName){  
    Object result = null;  
    try {  
        Class implClass = Class.forName(aClassName);  
        result = implClass.newInstance();  
    }  
    catch (ClassNotFoundException ex) {  
    }  
    catch (InstantiationException ex) {  
    }  
    catch (IllegalAccessException ex) {  
    }  
    return result;  
}
```



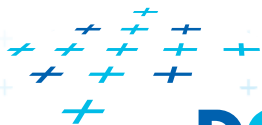
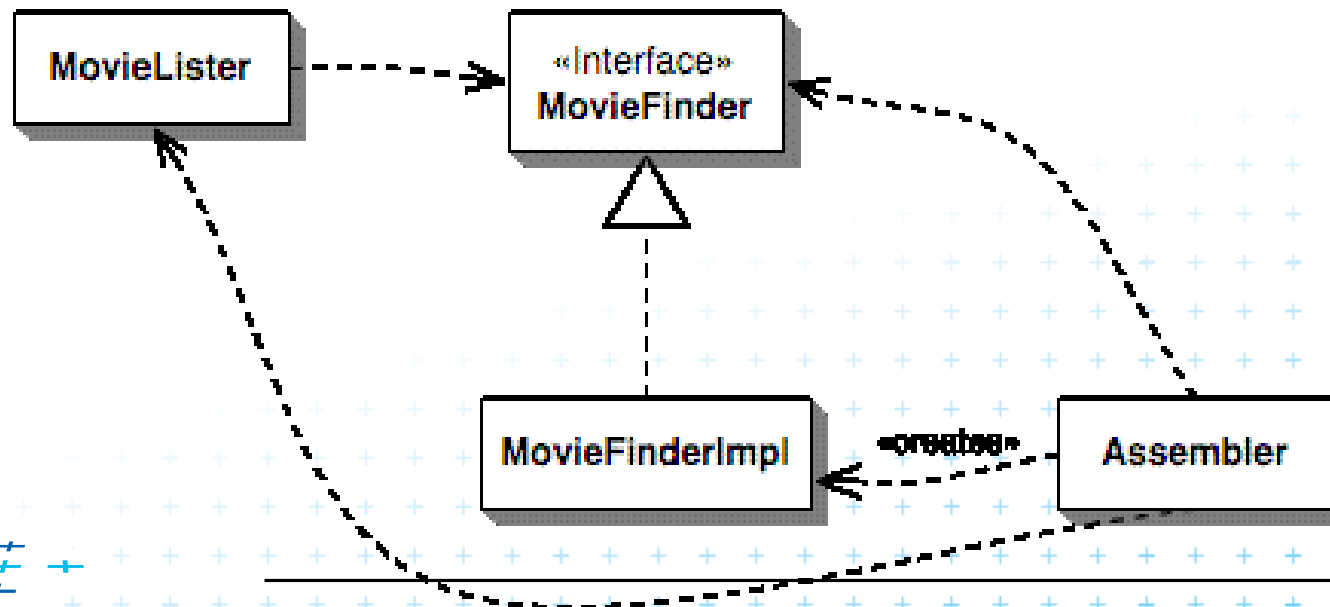
(no compile time)

- IoC (no compile time)



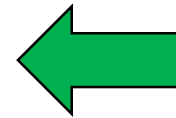
Inversion of Control

- The MovieLISTER should look up the finder.
- Some external entity – an assembler – should provide it.
- The assembler can be configured to provide different implementation if needed.



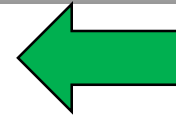
Example of PicoContainer DI

```
public MovieLister(MovieFinder finder) {  
    this.finder = finder;  
    ...  
}
```



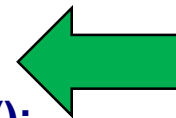
Loose coupling

```
class ColonMovieFinder...  
public ColonMovieFinder(String filename) {  
    this.filename = filename;  
    ...  
}
```

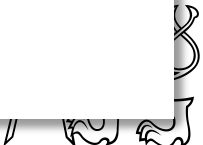


One implementing class

```
private MutablePicoContainer configureContainer() {  
    MutablePicoContainer pico = new DefaultPicoContainer();  
    Parameter[] finderParams = {new ConstantParameter("movies1.txt")};  
    pico.registerComponentImplementation(MovieFinder.class, ColonMovieFinder.class,  
finderParams);  
    pico.registerComponentImplementation(MovieLister.class);  
    return pico;  
}
```

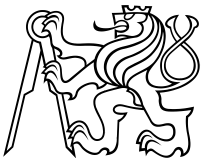


Container setup
(can be provided
as XML)



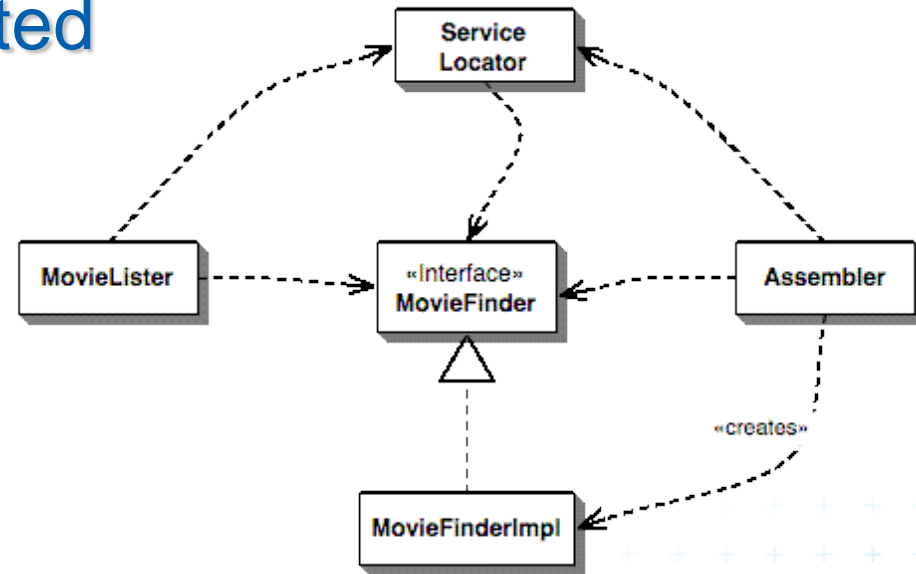
Usage

```
public void testWithPico() {  
    MutablePicoContainer pico = configureContainer();  
    MovieLister lister = (MovieLister) pico.getComponentInstance(MovieLister.class);  
    Movie[] movies = lister.moviesDirectedBy("Sergio Leone");  
    assertEquals("Once Upon a Time in the West", movies[0].getTitle());  
}
```



Service Locator using DI

- Lets have a service-oriented architecture
- Services register to **Registry**



Static implementation of Service Locator

```
class MovieLister...
```

```
MovieFinder finder = ServiceLocator.movieFinder();
```

```
class ServiceLocator...
```

```
private static ServiceLocator soleInstance;  
private MovieFinder movieFinder;
```

```
public static MovieFinder movieFinder() {  
    return soleInstance.movieFinder;  
}
```

```
public static void load(ServiceLocator arg) {  
    soleInstance = arg;  
}
```

```
public ServiceLocator(MovieFinder movieFinder) {  
    this.movieFinder = movieFinder;  
}
```

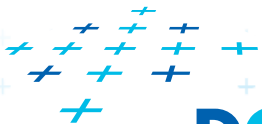


Try it out

```
class Tester...

private void configure() {
    ServiceLocator.load(new ServiceLocator(new ColonMovieFinder("movies1.txt")));
}

public void testSimple() {
    configure();
    MovieLister lister = new MovieLister();
    Movie[] movies = lister.moviesDirectedBy("Sergio Leone");
    assertEquals("Once Upon a Time in the West", movies[0].getTitle());
}
```



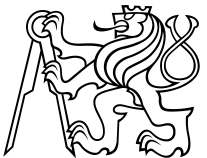
We usually want a dynamic ServiceLocator

```
class ServiceLocator...
  private static ServiceLocator soleInstance;
  private Map services = new HashMap();

  public static void load(ServiceLocator arg) {
    soleInstance = arg;
  }

  public static Object getService(String key){
    return soleInstance.services.get(key);
  }

  public void loadService (String key, Object service) {
    services.put(key, service);
  }
}
```



A dynamic ServiceLocator can be configured

```
class Tester...
```

```
private void configure() {  
    ServiceLocator locator = new ServiceLocator();  
    locator.loadService("MovieFinder", new ColonMovieFinder("movies1.txt"));  
    ServiceLocator.load(locator);  
}
```

Use in MovieLister

```
class MovieLister...
```

```
MovieFinder finder = (MovieFinder) ServiceLocator.getService("MovieFinder");
```

