

Learn How Java Parallel Streams Work “Under the Hood”

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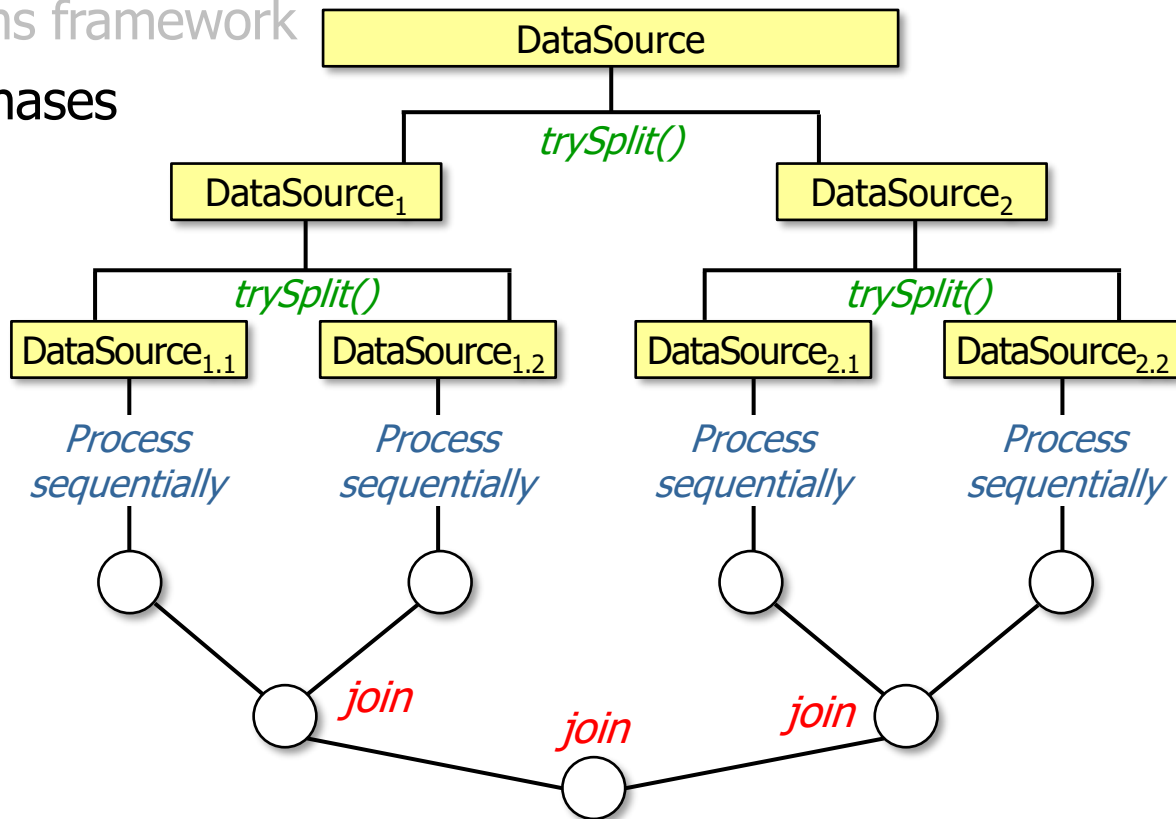
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Learning Objectives in this Part of the Lesson

- Know how aggregate operations & functional programming features are applied in the parallel streams framework
- Learn how parallel stream phases work “under the hood”

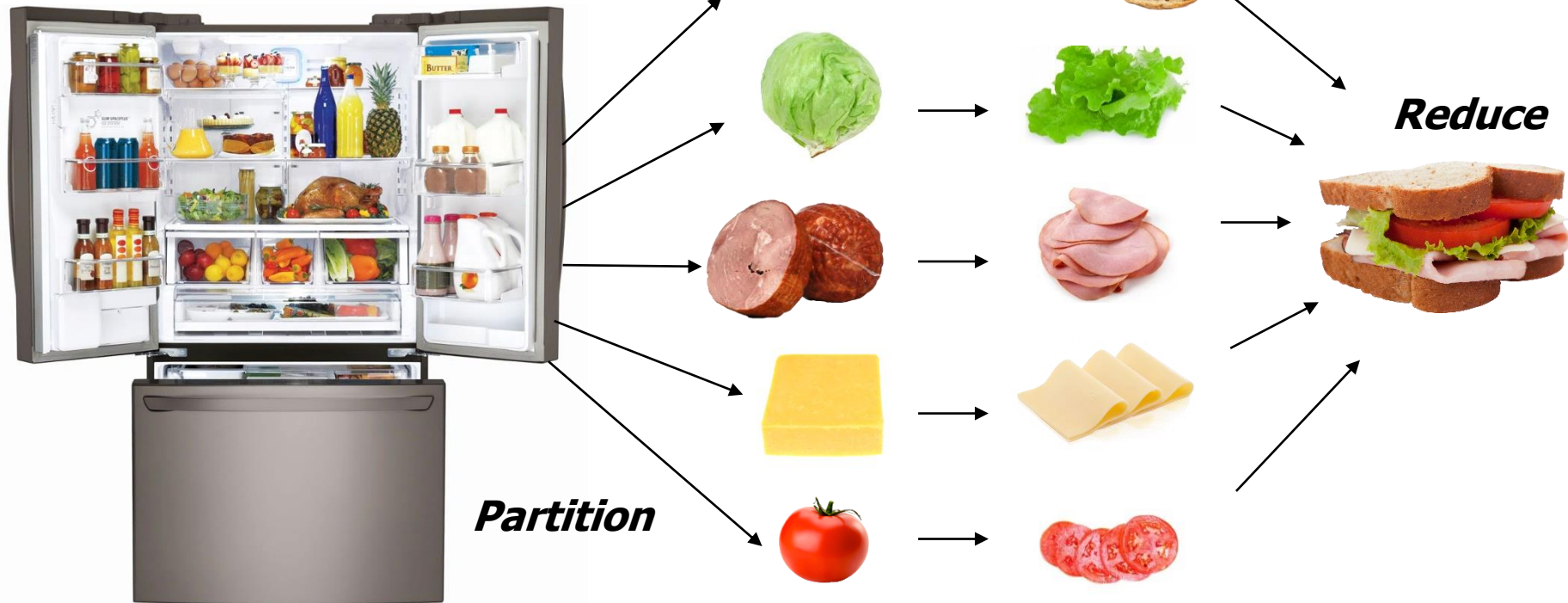


See developer.ibm.com/articles/j-java-streams-3-brian-goetz

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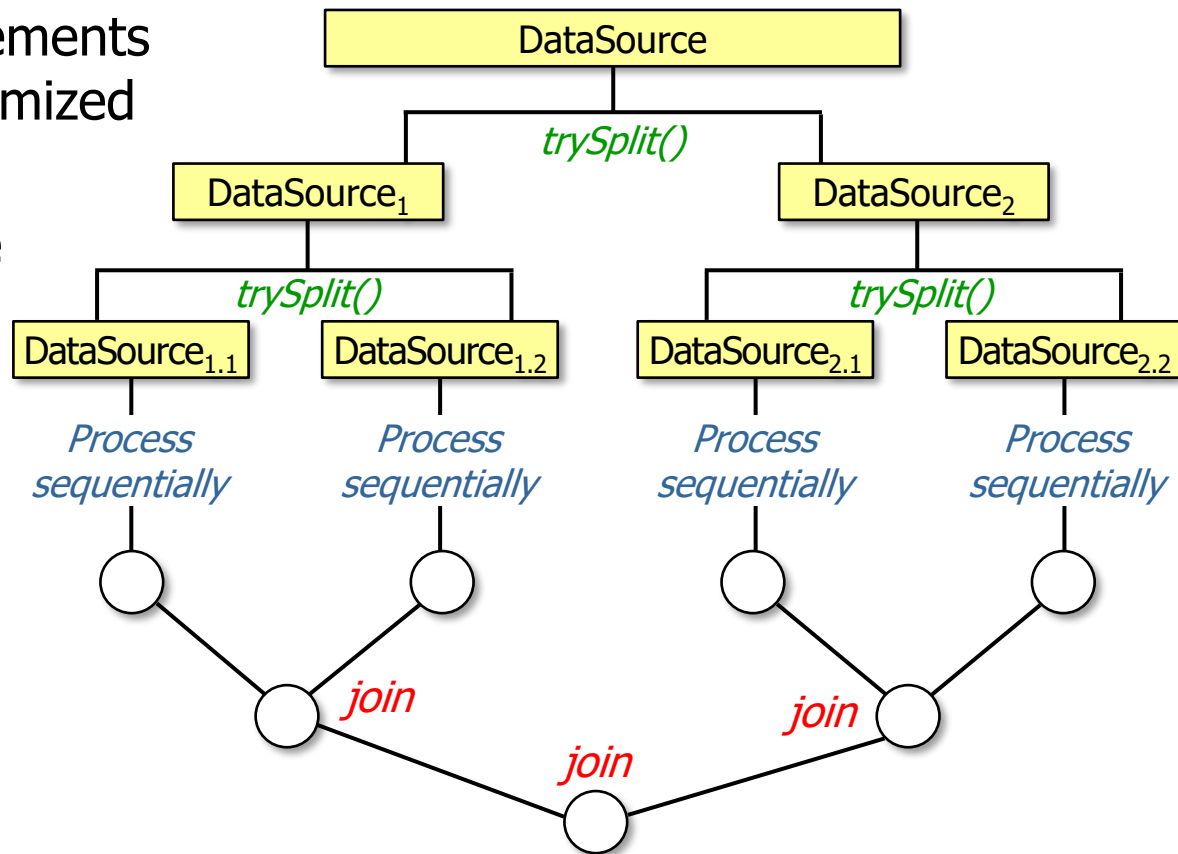
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See en.wikipedia.org/wiki/MapReduce

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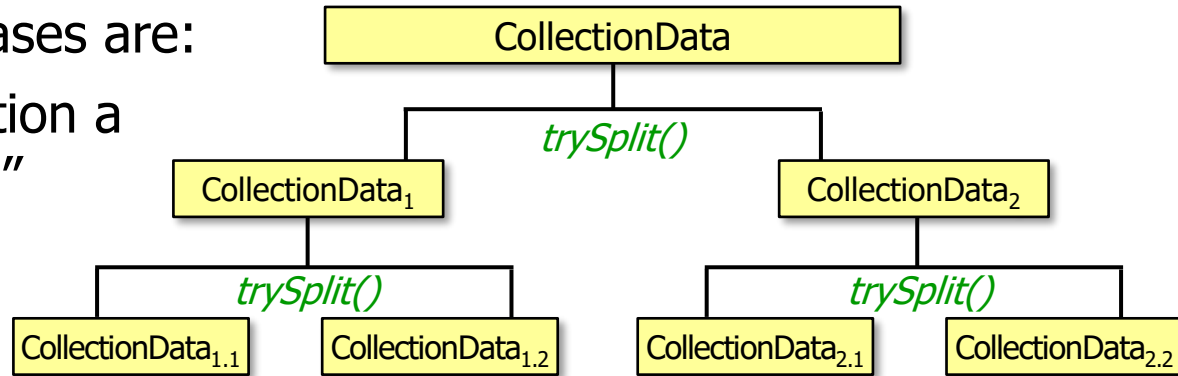
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- It’s actually a three phase “split-apply-combine” data processing strategy



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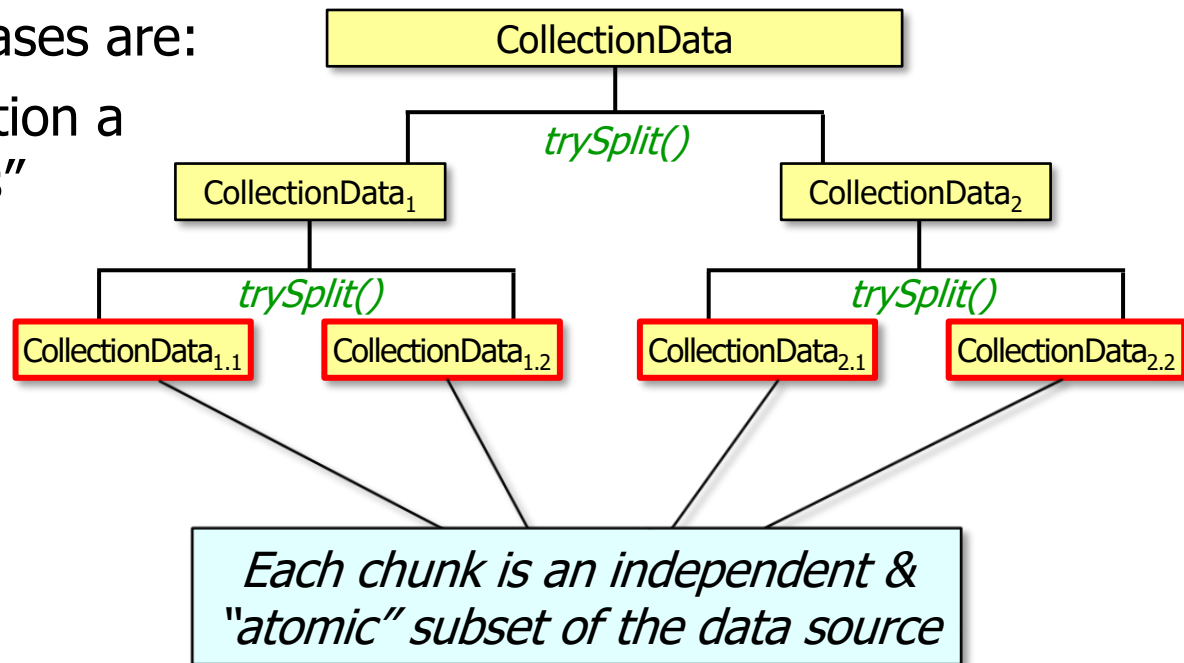


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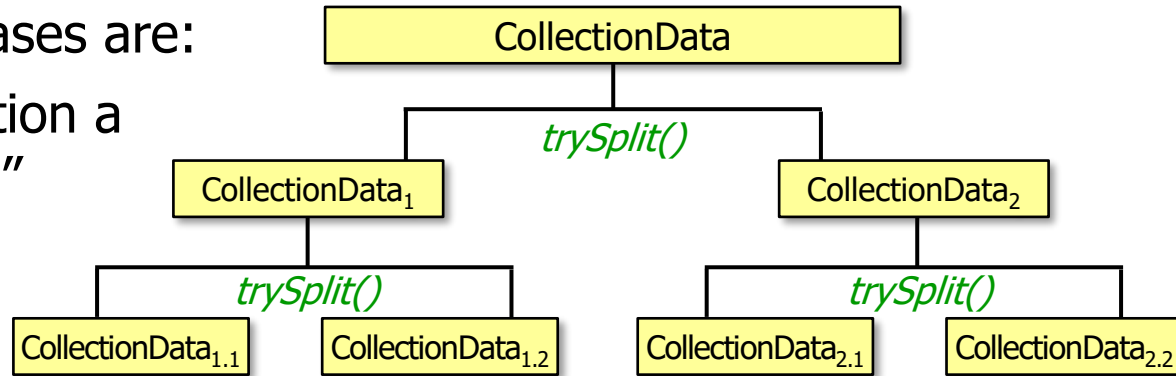
See upcoming lesson on “*Java Parallel Stream Internals: Partitioning*”

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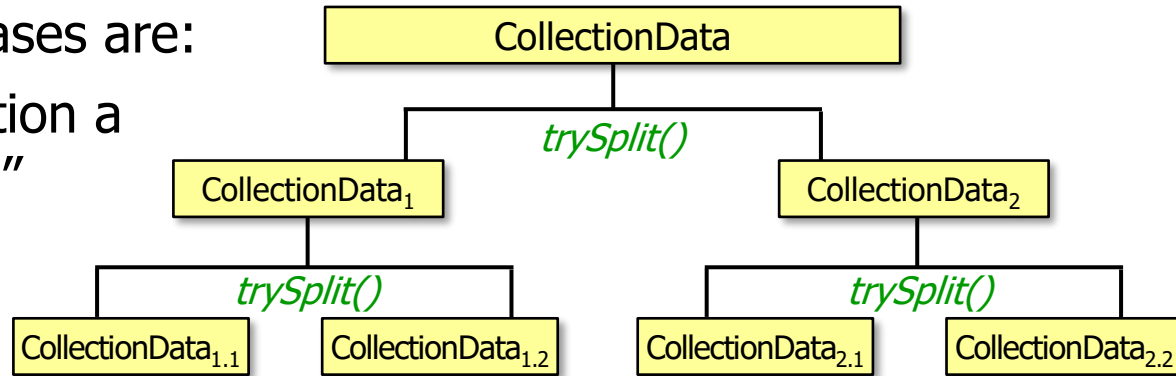
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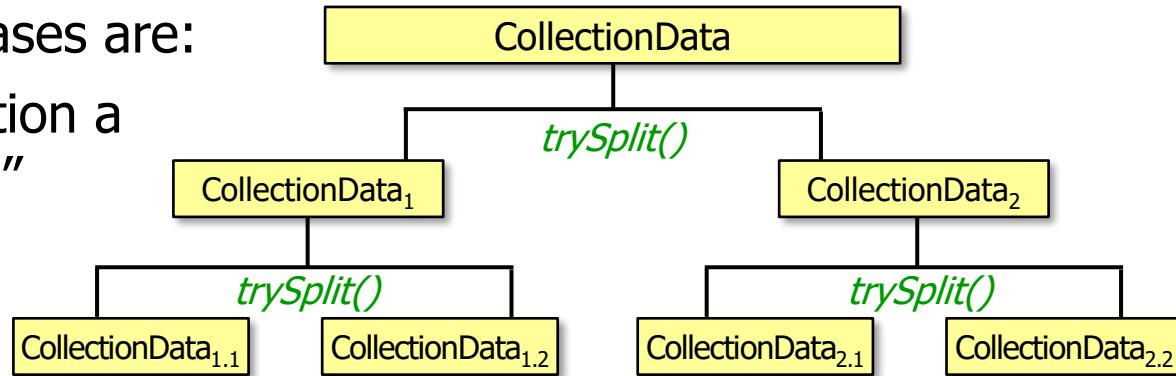
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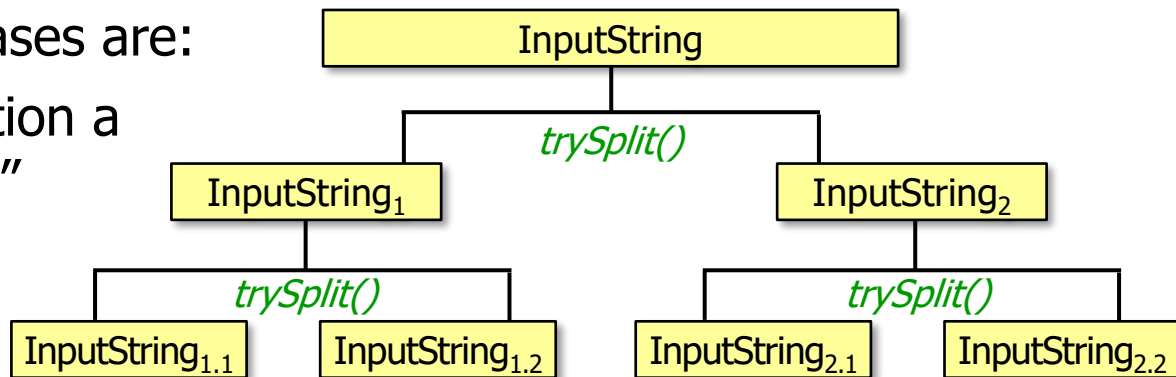
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```
interface Collection<E> {  
    ...  
    default Spliterator<E> spliterator() {  
        return Spliterators.spliterator(this, 0);  
    }  
  
    default Stream<E> parallelStream() {  
        return StreamSupport.stream(spliterator(), true);  
    }  
    ...  
}
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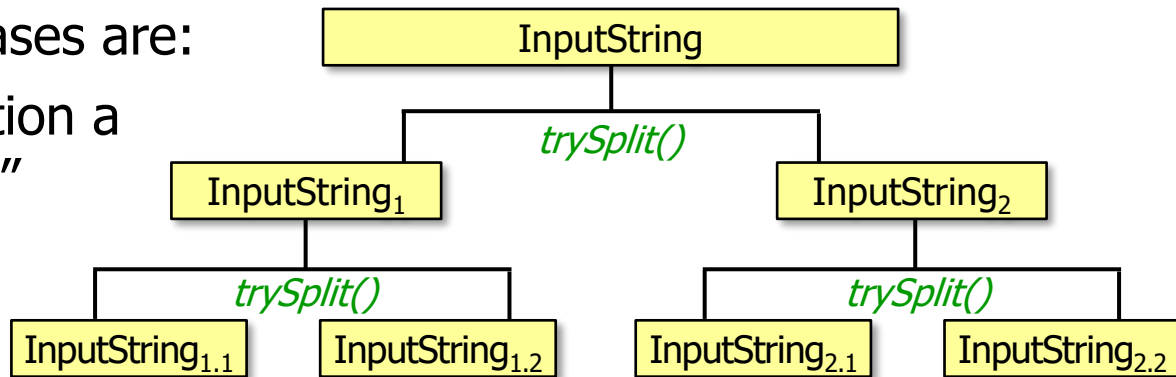
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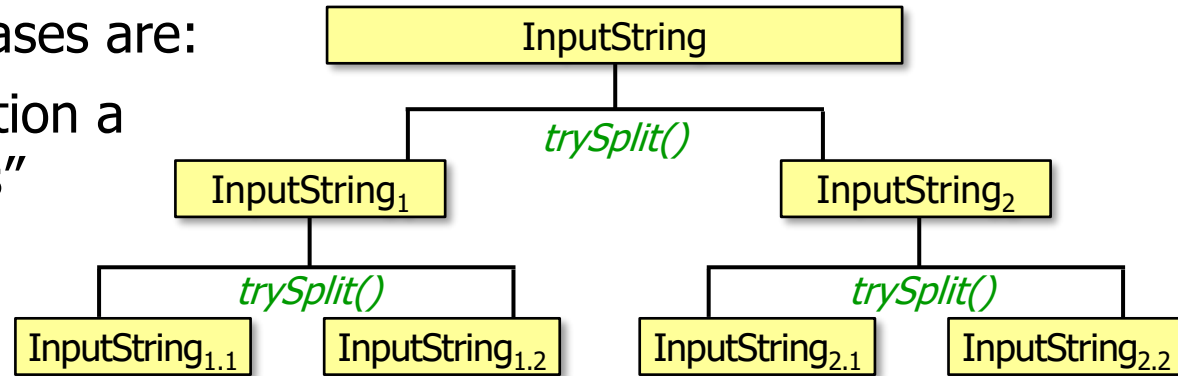


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- Parallel streams perform better on data sources that can be split efficiently & evenly

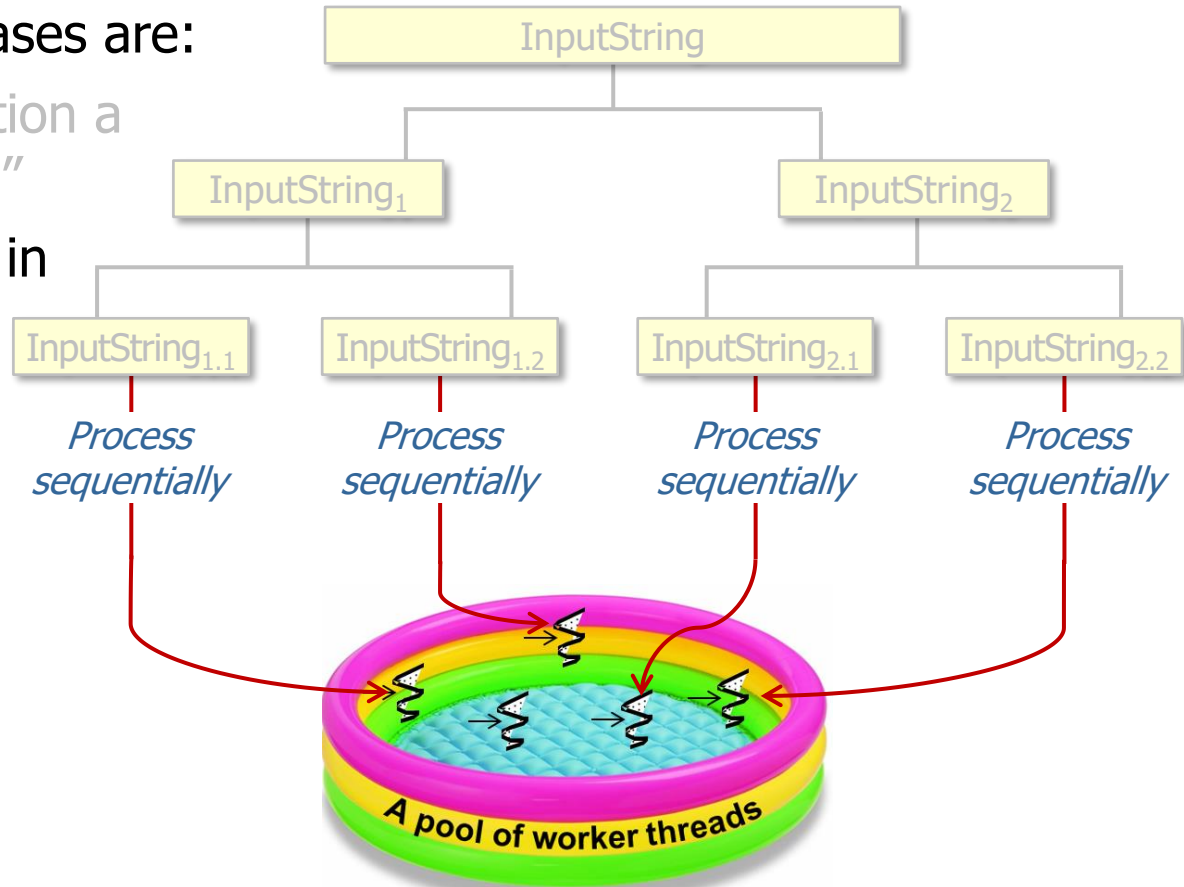


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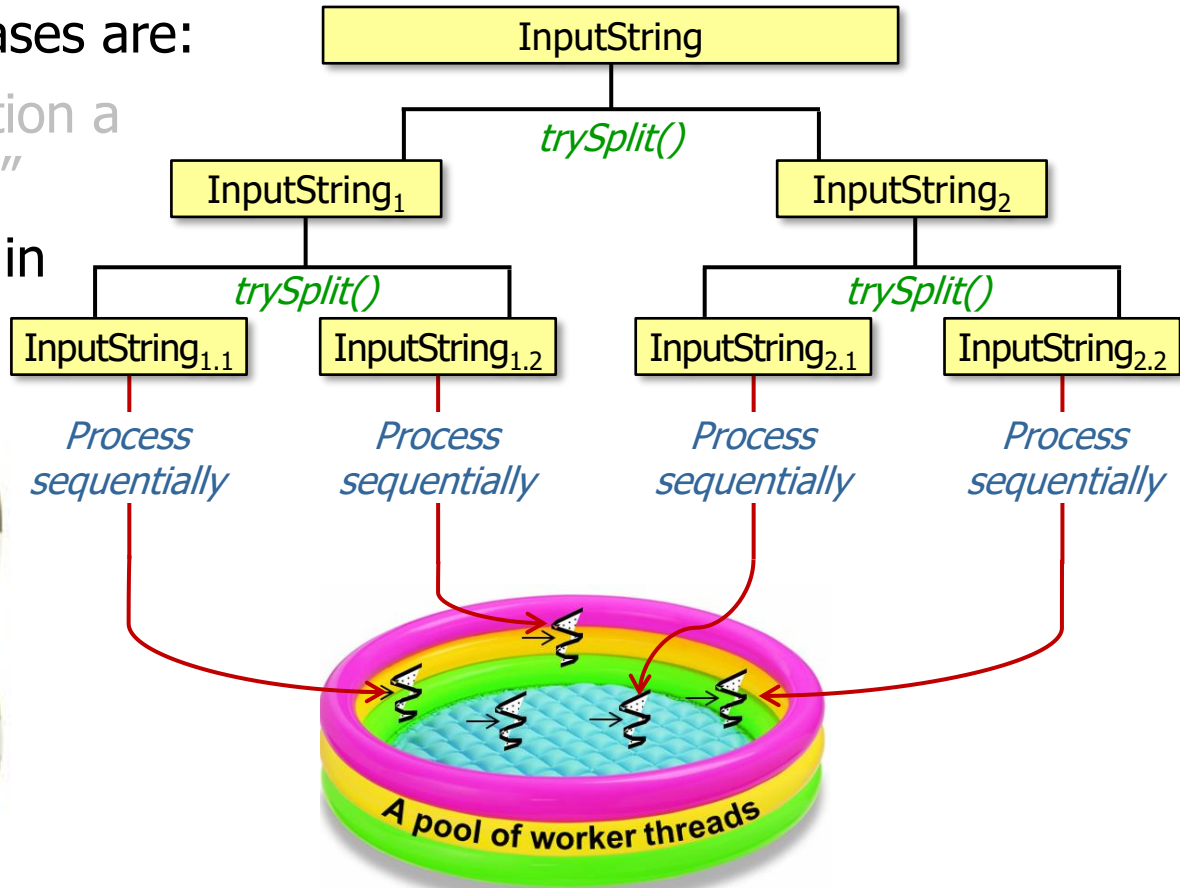
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Splitting & applying run simultaneously (after certain limits met), not sequentially

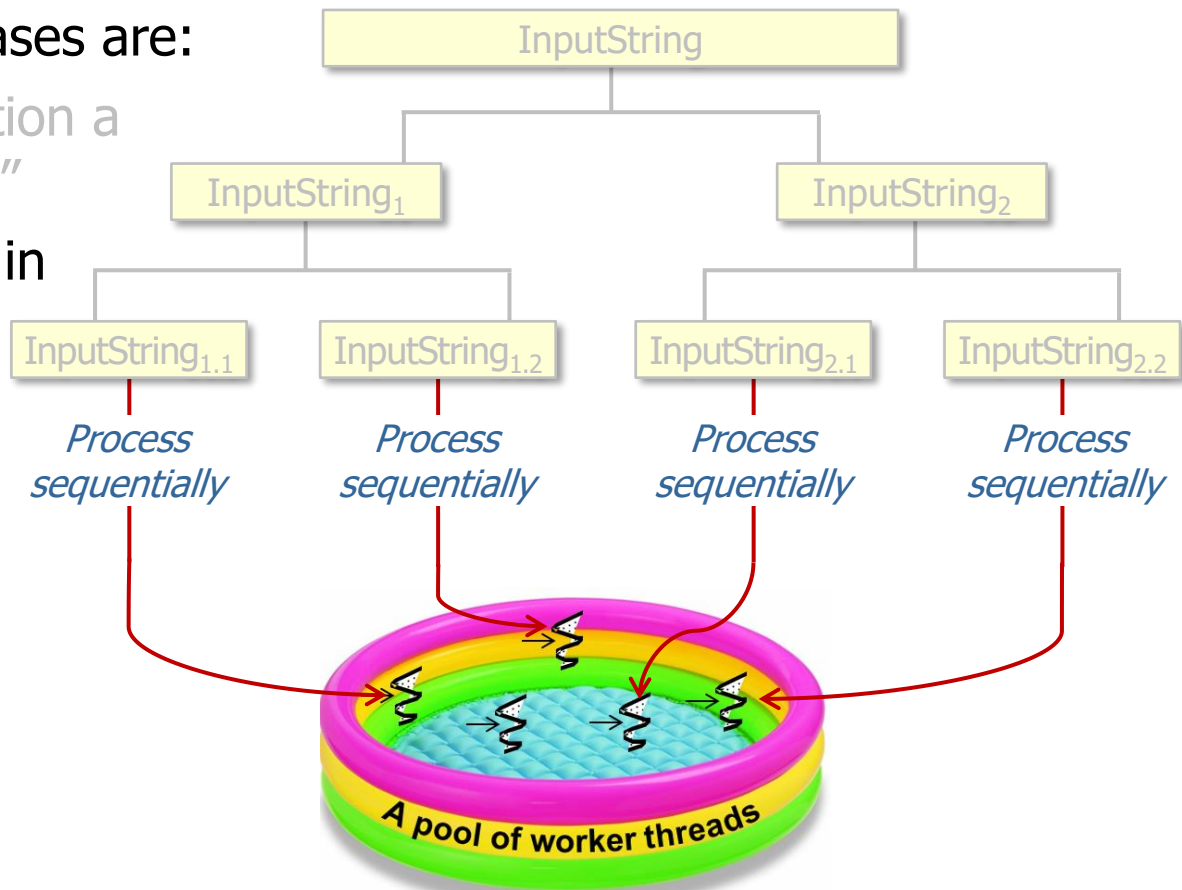
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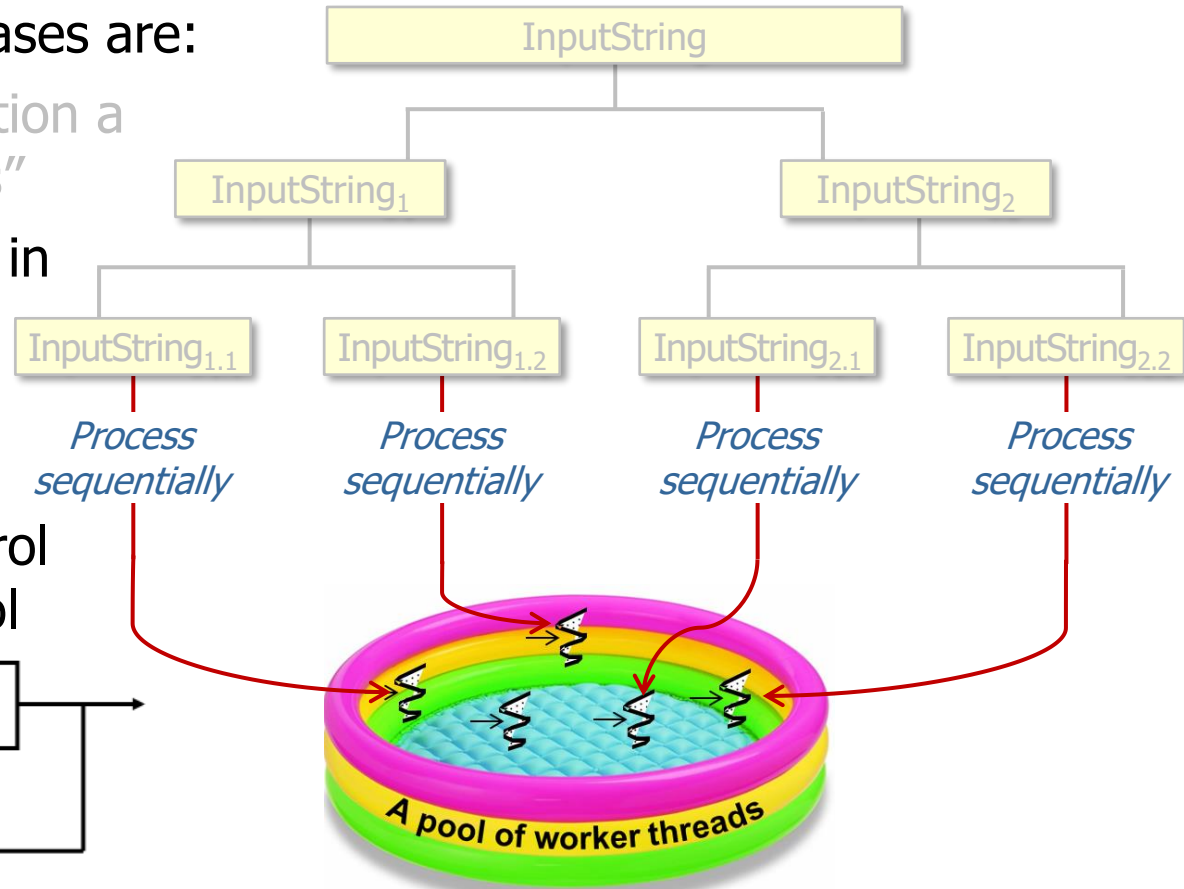
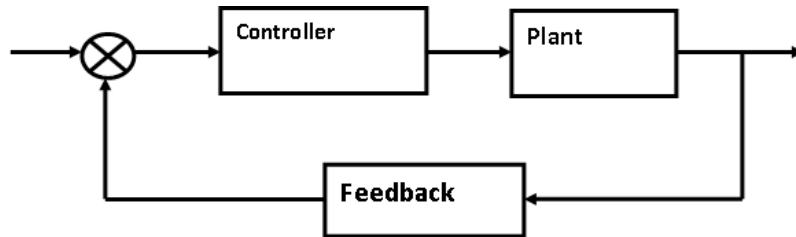
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- Programmers can control # of threads in the pool



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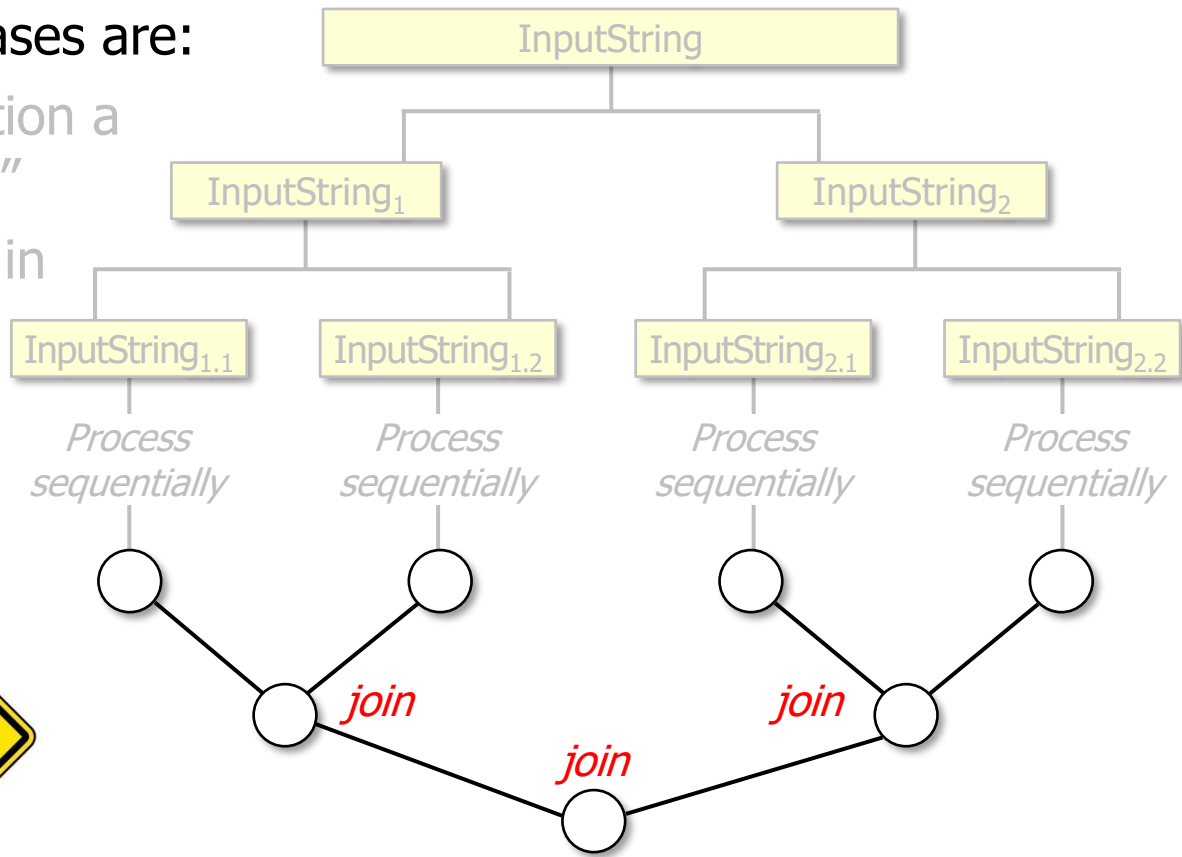
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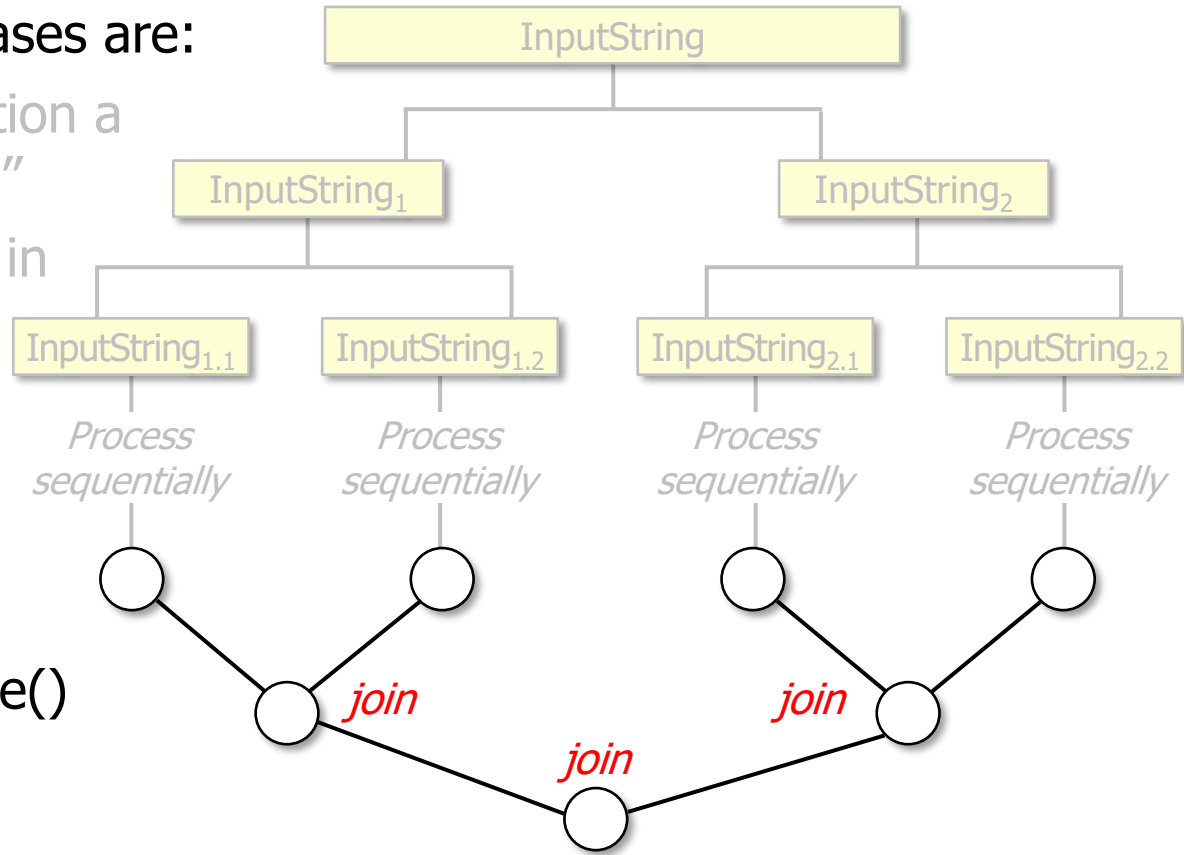
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 - e.g., `collect()` & `reduce()`



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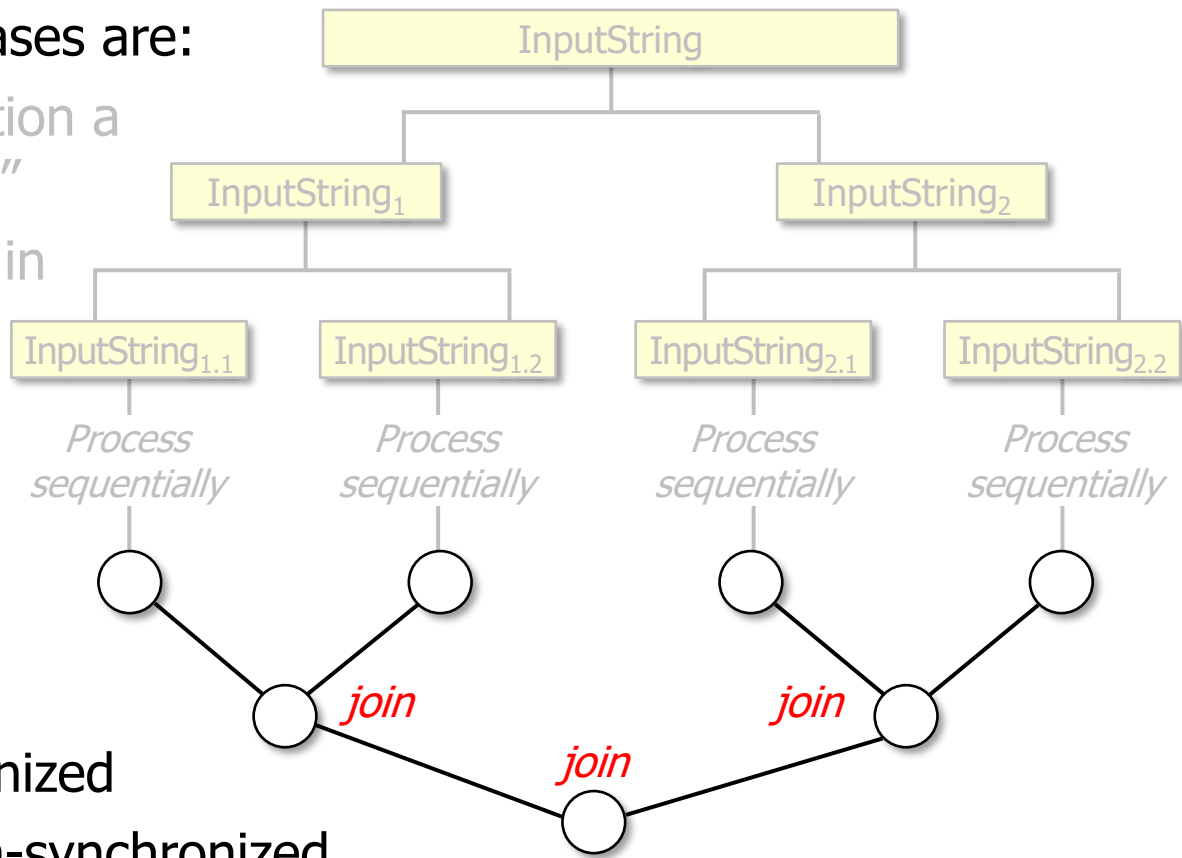
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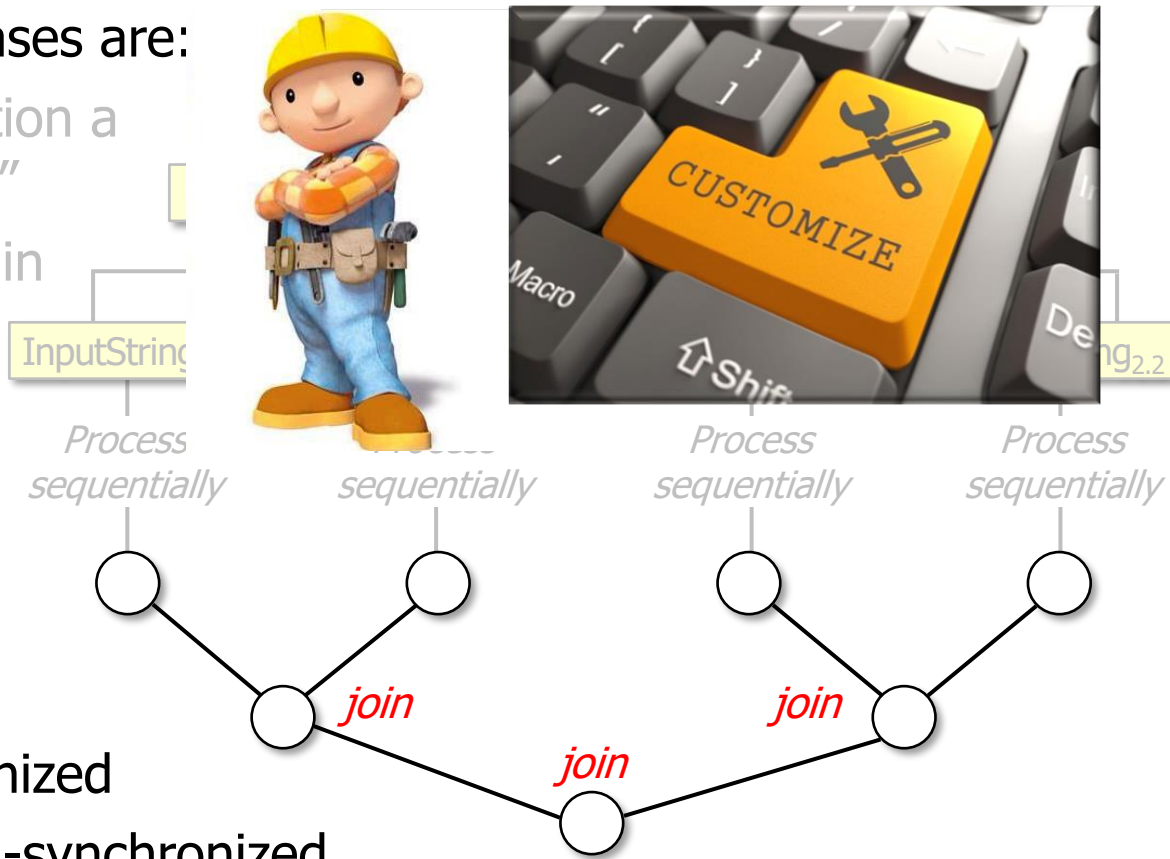
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