

# Advanced Java Completable Future Features: Applying Completion Stage Methods

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# Learning Objectives in this Part of the Lesson

- Understand advanced features of completable futures, e.g.
  - Factory methods initiate async computations
- Completion stage methods chain together actions to perform async result processing & composition
  - Method grouping
  - Single stage methods
  - Two stage methods (and)
  - Two stage methods (or)
  - Apply these methods

<<Java Class>>  <b>BigFraction</b> (default package)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <sup>F</sup>mNumerator: BigInteger</li><li>• <sup>F</sup>mDenominator: BigInteger</li></ul>
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See [github.com/douglasraigschmidt/LiveLessons/tree/master/Java8/ex8](https://github.com/douglasraigschmidt/LiveLessons/tree/master/Java8/ex8)

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*Generate a bounded # of large, random, & unreduced fractions*

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    BigInteger denominator =  
        numerator.divide(BigInteger  
            .valueOf(random.nextInt(10) + 1));  
  
    return BigFraction.valueOf(numerator,  
                               denominator,  
                               reduced);  
}
```

*Factory method that creates  
a large & random big fraction*

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*A random # generator &  
a flag indicating whether  
to reduce the BigFraction*

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}
```

*Make a random numerator uniformly distributed over range 0 to  $(2^{150000} - 1)$*

See [docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/java/math/BigInteger.html#BigInteger](https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/java/math/BigInteger.html#BigInteger)

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*Make a denominator by dividing the numerator by random # between 1 & 10*

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*Return a BigFraction w/the  
numerator & denominator*

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*Reduce & multiply all these  
big fractions asynchronously*

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static void testFractionMultiplications1() {  
    Function<BigFraction, CompletableFuture<BigFraction>>  
    reduceAndMultiplyFraction = unreducedFrac ->  
        CompletableFuture  
        .supplyAsync(() -> BigFraction.reduce(unreducedFrac))  
        .thenCompose(reducedFrac -> CompletableFuture  
            .supplyAsync(() -> reducedFrac  
                .multiply(sBigFraction))) ;  
}
```

*Lambda function that asynchronously reduces & multiplies big fractions*

...

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*Asynchronously  
reduce a big fraction*

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*Asynchronously  
multiply big fractions*

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```

*thenCompose() acts like flatMap() to ensure one level of CompletableFuture nesting*

```
        .supplyAsync(() -> BigFraction.reduce(unreducedFrac))  
        .thenCompose(reducedFrac -> CompletableFuture  
            .supplyAsync(() -> reducedFrac  
                .multiply(sBigFraction)));
```

...

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```
static void testFractionMultiplications2() {  
    Function<BigFraction, CompletableFuture<BigFraction>>  
        reduceAndMultiplyFraction = unreducedFrac ->  
            CompletableFuture  
  
                .supplyAsync(() -> BigFraction.reduce(unreducedFrac))  
  
                .thenApplyAsync(reducedFrac ->  
                                reducedFrac.multiply(sBigFraction));
```

*thenApplyAsync() is an alternative means to avoid calling supplyAsync() again*

...

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*Outputs a stream of completable futures to async operations on big fractions*

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*Return a single future to a list of big fractions being reduced & multiplied asynchronously*

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*Sort & print results when all async computations complete*

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```
static void sortAndPrintList(List<BigFraction> list) {
```

*Sort & print a list of reduced & multiplied big fractions*

```
CompletableFuture<List<BigFraction>> quickSortF =  
    CompletableFuture.supplyAsync(() -> quickSort(list));
```

```
CompletableFuture<List<BigFraction>> mergeSortF =  
    CompletableFuture.supplyAsync(() -> mergeSort(list));
```

```
quickSortF.acceptEither(mergeSortF, sortedList ->  
    sortedList.forEach(frac -> display(frac.toMixedString())));  
}; ...
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*Asynchronously apply quick sort & merge sort!*

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}; ...
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*Select whichever result finishes first..*

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*If future is already completed the action runs in the thread that registered the action*

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*Otherwise, the action runs in the thread in which the previous stage ran*

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}; ...
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`acceptEither()` does *not* cancel the second future after the first one completes

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# End of Advanced Java CompletableFuture Features: Applying Completion Stage Methods