Key Methods in Java ForkJoinPool

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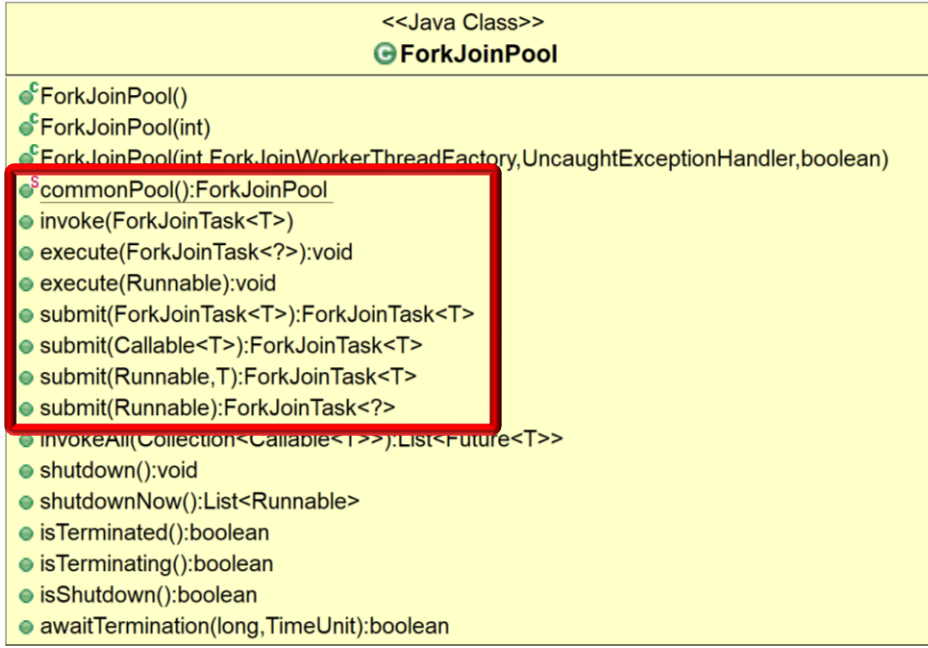
Learning Objectives in this Part of the Lesson

- Recognize the key methods in the ForkJoinPool class



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See docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/java/util/concurrent/ForkJoinPool.html

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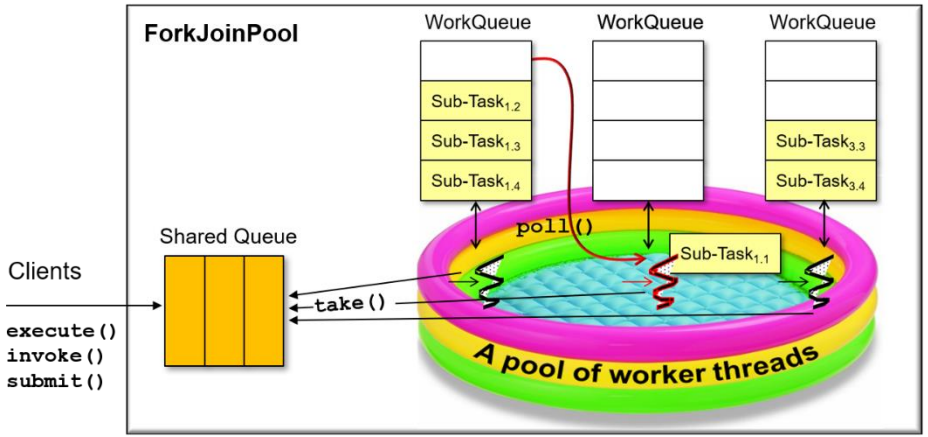


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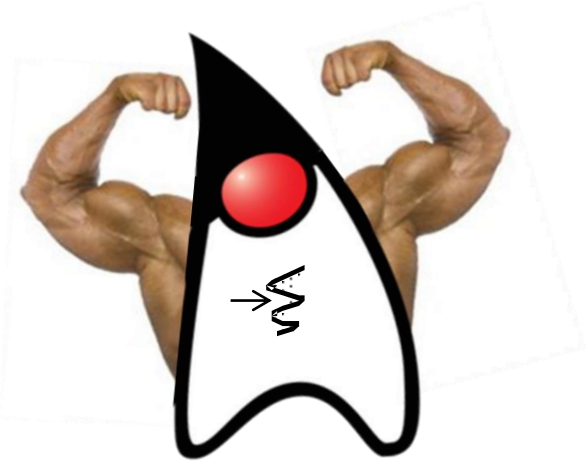

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      AbstractExecutorService {
  public ForkJoinPool() {
    this(Math.min(MAX_CAP,
         Runtime.getRuntime()
         .availableProcessors()),
         ...);
  }

  public ForkJoinPool
              (int parallelism) {
    this(parallelism, ...);
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  - This size can also be controlled programmatically via the ForkJoinPool constructor

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This method accesses a static field that can be accessed via all threads in a process

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