

# Applying Java Lambda Expressions – Case Study ex4

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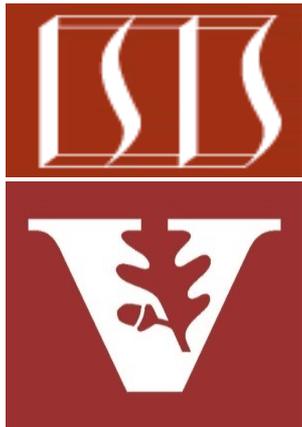
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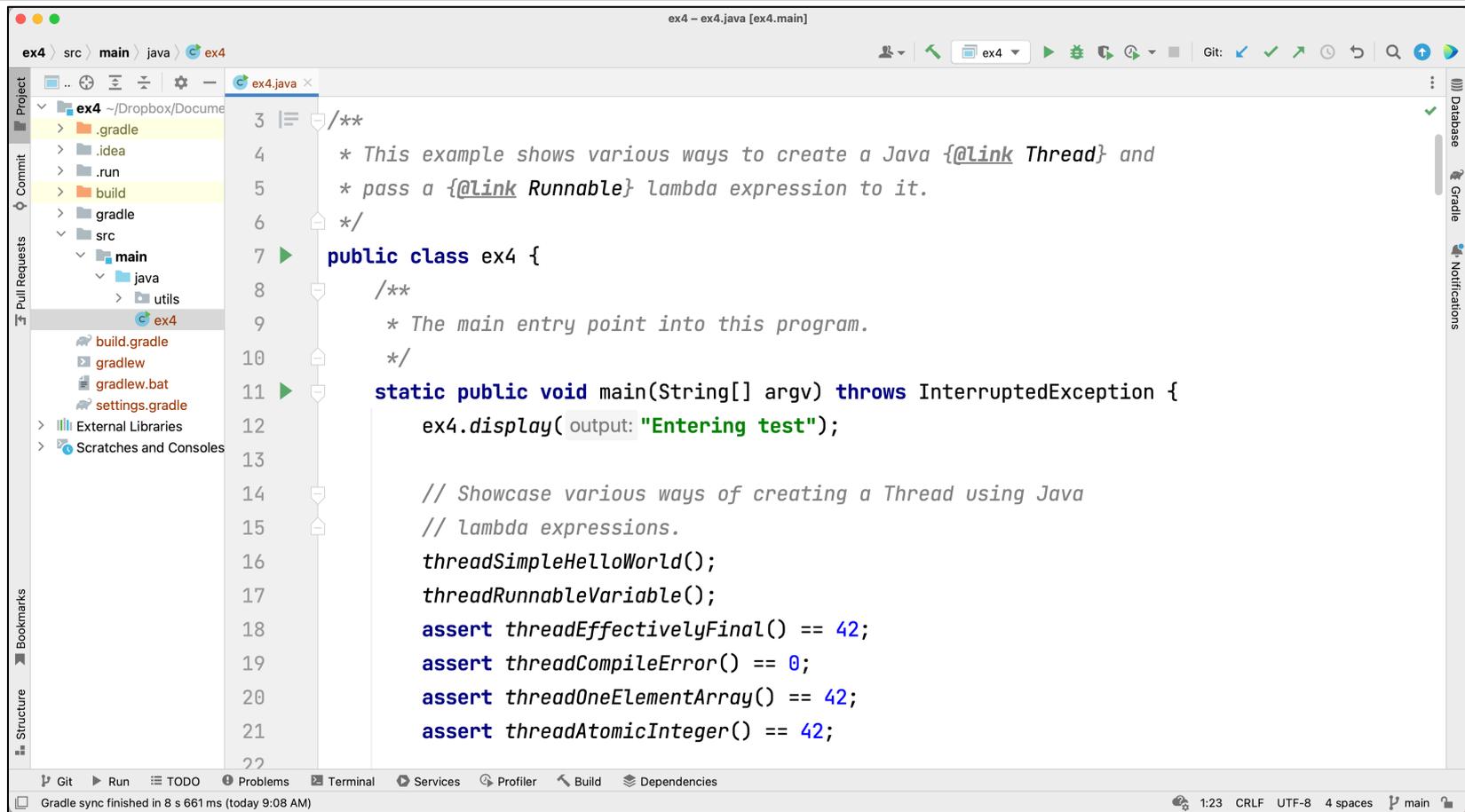
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*This example demonstrates Java lambda expressions in a multi-threaded context*

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The screenshot shows an IDE window titled "ex4 - ex4.java [ex4.main]". The code is as follows:

```
3  /**
4   * This example shows various ways to create a Java {@link Thread} and
5   * pass a {@link Runnable} lambda expression to it.
6   */
7  public class ex4 {
8      /**
9       * The main entry point into this program.
10     */
11     static public void main(String[] argv) throws InterruptedException {
12         ex4.display( output: "Entering test");
13
14         // Showcase various ways of creating a Thread using Java
15         // lambda expressions.
16         threadSimpleHelloWorld();
17         threadRunnableVariable();
18         assert threadEffectivelyFinal() == 42;
19         assert threadCompileError() == 0;
20         assert threadOneElementArray() == 42;
21         assert threadAtomicInteger() == 42;
22     }
```

The IDE interface includes a project structure on the left, a toolbar at the top with icons for Git, Run, and other actions, and a status bar at the bottom showing "Gradle sync finished in 8 s 661 ms (today 9:08 AM)" and "1:23 CRLF UTF-8 4 spaces main".

See [github.com/douglasraigschmidt/ModernJava/tree/main/FP/ex4](https://github.com/douglasraigschmidt/ModernJava/tree/main/FP/ex4)

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# End of Applying Java Lambda Expressions – Case Study ex4