

# The Java Supplier Functional Interface: Case Study ex13

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# Learning Objectives in this Part of the Lesson

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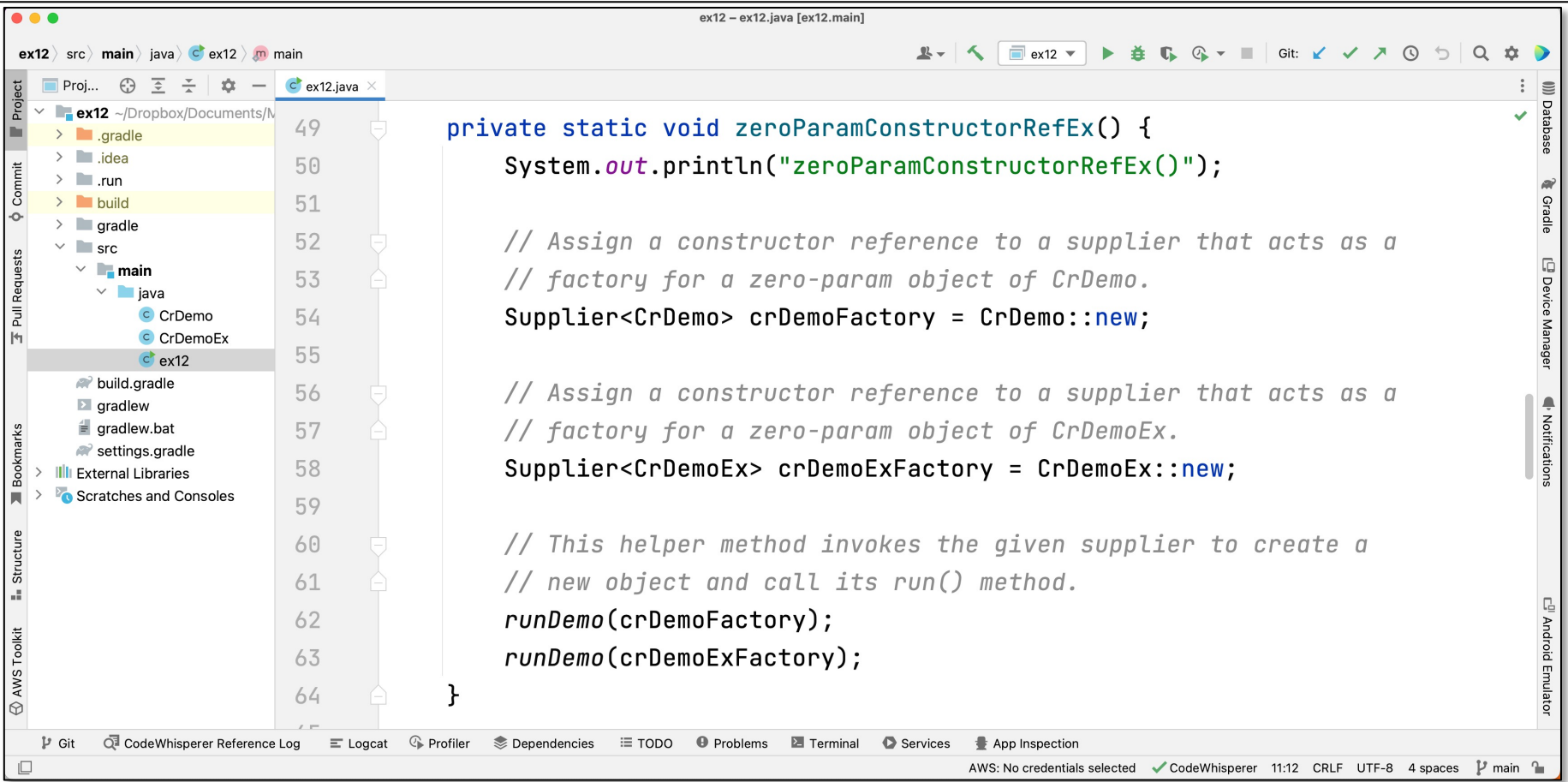
- Know how Java functional interfaces (including a Supplier & a custom functional interface) can be used in conjunction with Java constructor references for constructors with zero parameters & multiple parameters

```
void zeroParamConstructorRefEx() {  
    Supplier<CrDemo> crDemoFactory  
        = CrDemo::new;  
  
    Supplier<CrDemoEx>  
        crDemoFactoryEx =  
            CrDemoEx::new;  
  
    runDemo (crDemoFactory) ;  
    runDemo (crDemoFactoryEx) ;  
}
```

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# Applying the Supplier Functional Interface with Constructor References

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The screenshot shows an IDE window titled "ex12 - ex12.java [ex12.main]". The left sidebar displays a project structure for "ex12" with folders like ".gradle", ".idea", ".run", "build", "gradle", "src", "main", "java", "CrDemo", "CrDemoEx", and "ex12". The main editor area shows the following Java code:

```
49 private static void zeroParamConstructorRefEx() {  
50     System.out.println("zeroParamConstructorRefEx()");  
51  
52     // Assign a constructor reference to a supplier that acts as a  
53     // factory for a zero-param object of CrDemo.  
54     Supplier<CrDemo> crDemoFactory = CrDemo::new;  
55  
56     // Assign a constructor reference to a supplier that acts as a  
57     // factory for a zero-param object of CrDemoEx.  
58     Supplier<CrDemoEx> crDemoExFactory = CrDemoEx::new;  
59  
60     // This helper method invokes the given supplier to create a  
61     // new object and call its run() method.  
62     runDemo(crDemoFactory);  
63     runDemo(crDemoExFactory);  
64 }
```

The IDE interface includes a top toolbar with icons for search, run, and other actions, and a bottom status bar showing "AWS: No credentials selected", "CodeWhisperer", "11:12", "CRLF", "UTF-8", "4 spaces", and "main".

See [github.com/douglasraigschmidt/ModernJava/tree/main/FP/ex13](https://github.com/douglasraigschmidt/ModernJava/tree/main/FP/ex13)

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# End of the Java Supplier Functional Interface: Case Study ex13