

# The Java Predicate Functional Interface: Case Study ex8

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# Learning Objectives in this Part of the Lesson

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- Know how the Java Predicate functional interface can be used in conjunction with the Java HashMap removeIf() method

```
Map<String, Integer> stooges =  
    makeMap();  
  
Predicate<Map.Entry<String,  
          Integer>> iq = entry ->  
    entry.getValue() <= 100;  
  
Predicate<Map.Entry<String,  
          Integer>> curly = entry ->  
    entry.getKey().equals("Curly");  
  
stooges.entrySet()  
    .removeIf(iq.and(curly));
```

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The screenshot shows an IDE interface with a Java file named `ex7.java` open. The code demonstrates the use of the `removeIf` method from the `Map` interface, utilizing a lambda expression to filter entries based on a predicate.

```
static public void main(String[] argv) {
    // Create a map that associates Stooges with their IQs.
    Map<String, Integer> stooges = makeMap();

    System.out.println(stooges);

    // This lambda expression removes entries with IQ less than or
    // equal to 100.
    stooges.entrySet().removeIf(entry -> entry.getValue() <= 100);
    System.out.println(stooges);

    // Create another map that associates Stooges with their IQs.
    stooges = makeMap();
    System.out.println(stooges);
}
```

The IDE's left sidebar displays the project structure, showing a directory tree for the `ex7` project. The `src/main/java/ex7.java` file is selected. The bottom navigation bar includes tabs for Git, CodeWhisperer Reference Log, Logcat, Profiler, TODO, Problems, Terminal, Services, Dependencies, and App Inspection. The status bar at the bottom provides build information: AWS: No credentials selected, CodeWhisperer, 6:66 (131 chars, 1 line break), CRLF, UTF-8, 4 spaces, and main.

See [github.com/douglasraigschmidt/ModernJava/tree/main/FP/ex8](https://github.com/douglasraigschmidt/ModernJava/tree/main/FP/ex8)

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# End of the Java Predicate Functional Interface: Case Study ex8