## Managing the Java Thread Lifecycle: Introduction



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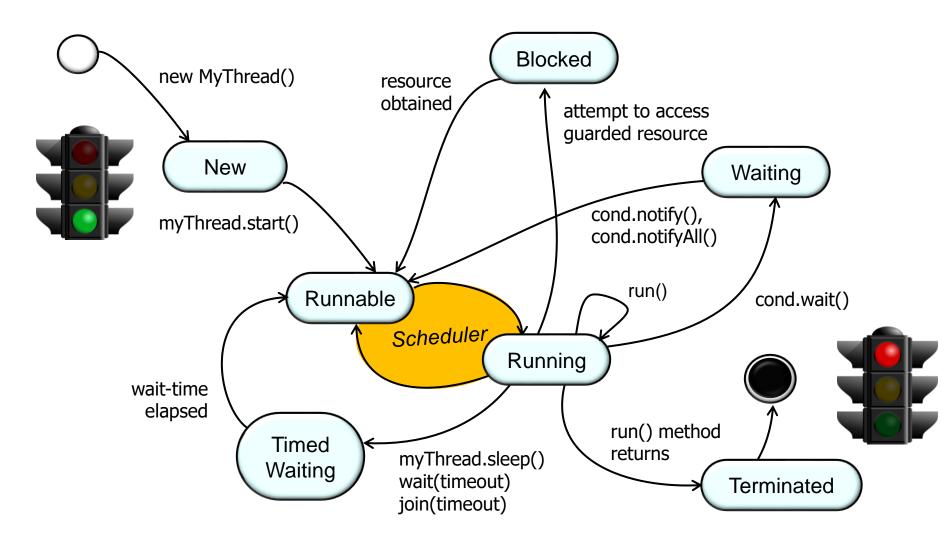
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#### Learning Objectives in this Part of the Lesson

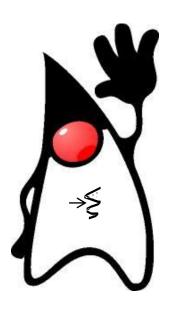
Be aware of the Java thread lifecycle



The primarily focus of this overall lesson is on starting & stopping Java threads

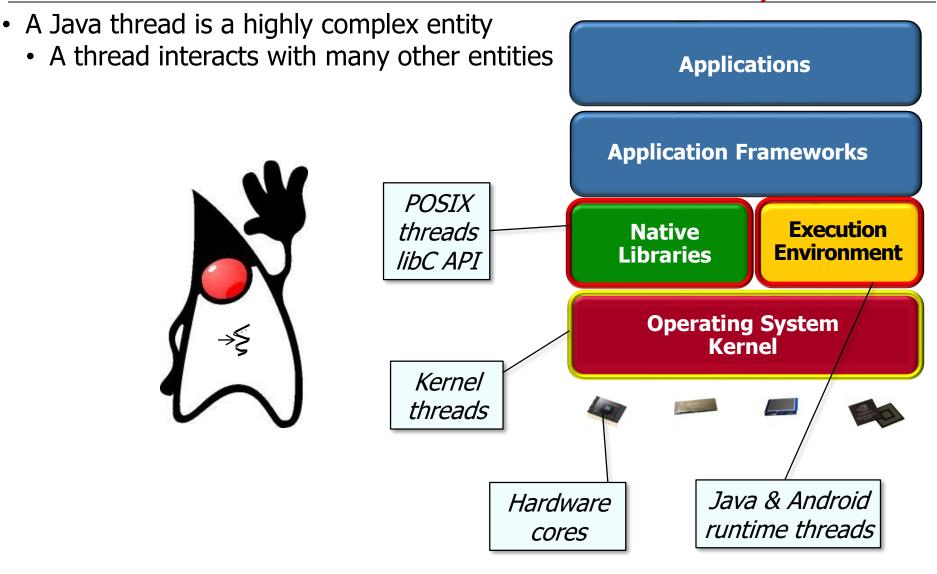
# Overview of the States in the Java Thread Lifecycle

A Java thread is a highly complex entity



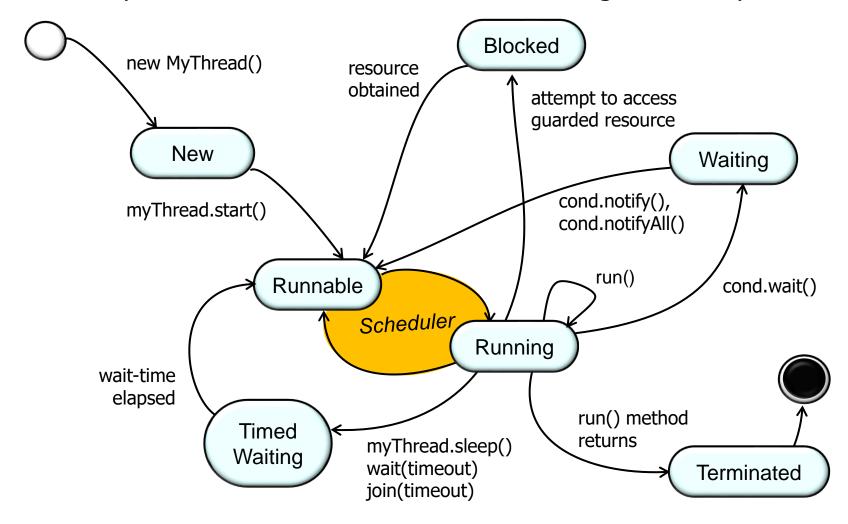


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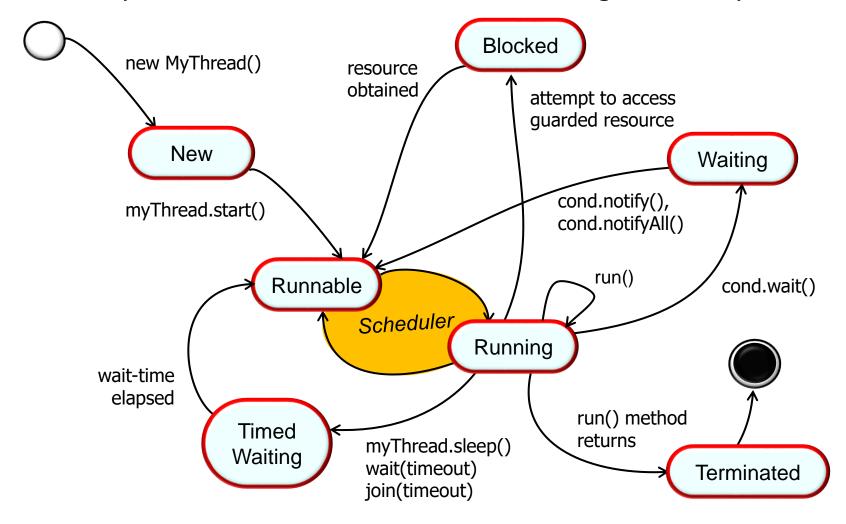


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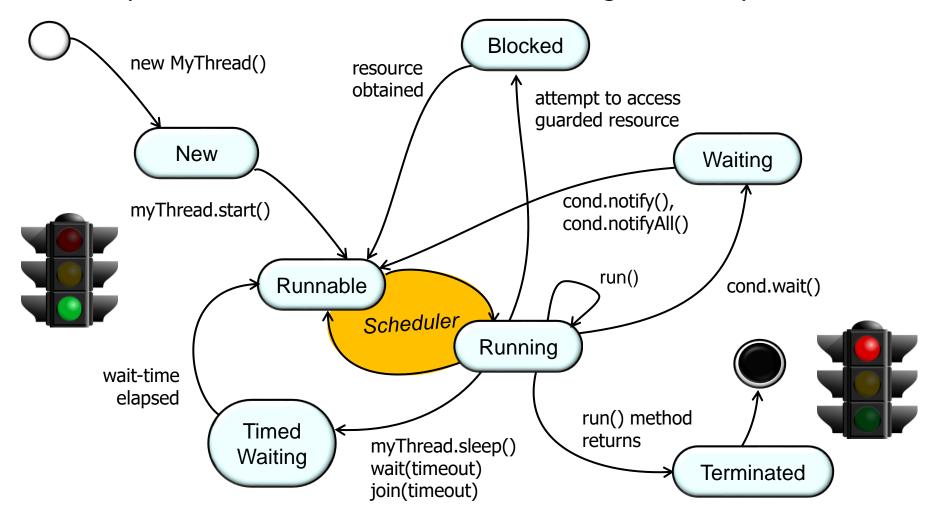


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A thread transitions through various "states" based on program operations

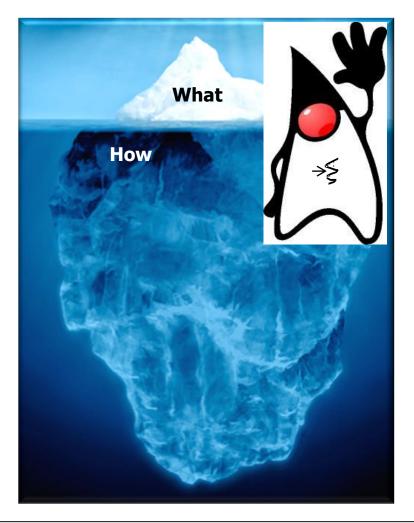
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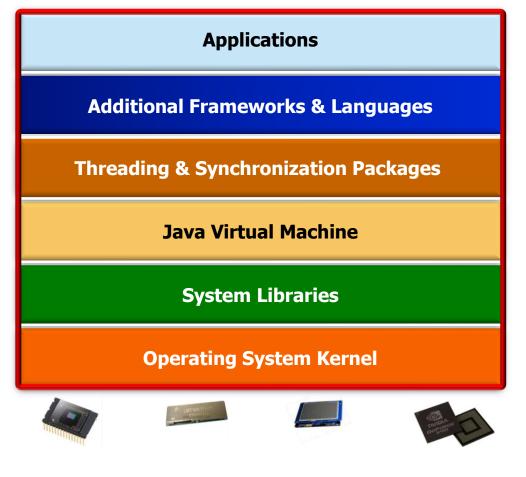


Two key parts of a Java thread's lifecycle involve starting & stopping it

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• This type of "systems" knowledge may help you avoid "commoditization"!!





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### End of Managing the Java Thread Lifecycle: Introduction