

# Dependency Injection

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## Inversion of Control



What is the OO matrix?

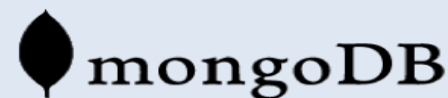
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# Dependency Injection

```
public class OldStyleRepository {  
  
    public void save(Entity entity, DataSource dataSource) {  
        // Use data source parameter  
    }  
}
```

```
public class DependencyInjectionRepository {  
  
    @Inject DataSource dataSource;  
  
    public void save(Entity entity) {  
        // Use injected data source  
    }  
}
```

Dependency  
Injection

We agree on it!

Well, except for  
field or constructor  
injection?

## Control of what?

Something to  
do with “flow”

Abstractions should  
not depend on details

Hollywood Principle:  
Don't call us,  
we'll call you

Stackoverflow full of arguments

<https://stackoverflow.com/questions/3058/what-is-inversion-of-control>

# Red or Blue Pill

Would you like to know what's right before your eyes?



but there is no going back once you see it

# OO Matrix unseen 5 problems

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DI changed the interface from

```
repository.save(entity, dataSource)
```

to

```
repository.save(entity)
```

*Only 1 problem has been solved*

# Parameter Coupling

Dependency Injection removes parameters  
resulting in **looser coupling by caller**

R1 method(P1 p1, ~~P2 p2~~, ~~P3 p3~~) throws E1, E2



But what about:

Return type?  
Method Name?  
Exceptions?  
Executing Thread?

# 5 Couplings of the Method

**R1** `methodName(P1 p1, P2 p2)` throws **E1**, **E2**

Any change of the below requires **changing all client calls!**

- Return type
- Name of method
- Variable number of Parameters
- Handling various Exceptions
- Executing Thread (e.g. async vs sync)





# OO Matrix

## Object Orientation Vision

Objects passing messages



Alan Kay:

“OOP to me means **only messaging**, local retention and protection and hiding of state-process, and extreme late-binding of all things.”

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## Mainstream Object Orientation

5 method couplings shaping objects differently



Object re-use difficult. It's like using a jigsaw piece of one puzzle to complete another puzzle.

# Method a problem ???



But I write methods  
everywhere in my code

And you think that refactoring  
all those methods is a really  
good use of your time?



Let's unplug you from the OO Matrix

# Decouple Method Name

```
Consumer<T> f1 = (param) -> object.methodName(param);
```

```
// Client call now decoupled from method name  
f1.accept(param)
```

*Yes, boring but stay with me*

# Method name decoupled

But there still is

Return type  
Exceptions  
Executing Thread



# Decouple Exceptions

```
Consumer<T> f1 = (param) -> {  
  
    // Inject handlers for exceptions  
    @Inject Consumer<E1> h1;  
    @Inject Consumer<E2> h2;  
  
    try {  
        object.method(param);  
    } catch (E1 e1) {  
        h1.accept(e1);  
    } catch (E2 e2) {  
        h2.accept(e2);  
    }  
}
```

*Pattern: Continuation Injection*

# Name and Exceptions decoupled

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But there's still

Return type  
Executing Thread



# Decouple Calling Thread

```
Consumer<T> f1 = (param) -> {  
  
    // Inject Executor to run with appropriate thread  
    @Inject Executor executor;  
  
    executor.execute(() -> {  
        object.method(param);  
    });  
}
```

*Pattern: Thread Injection*

# No Return Value

So how do you manage state?





# Cache Dependencies

Pattern already used in Web Servers

## Request Context

- Cache DI Objects within Request Context
- Re-used DI Objects pass state between methods

# Inversion of (Coupling) Control

“Non-changing” Client Interface

```
public interface Continuation<T> {  
    void invoke(T message);  
}
```

Decoupled

Dependency Injection

Continuation Injection

Thread Injection

“Changing” Method Implementation

Injection provides decoupling

Inverts coupling control so method defines it

```
public class FirstClassProcedure  
    implements Continuation<T> {  
  
    public void invoke(T p1) {  
        executor.execute(() -> {  
            try {  
                Implementation(p1, p2, p3, m1, m2);  
            } catch (E1 e1) {  
                h1.invoke(e1);  
            } catch (E2 e2) {  
                h2.invoke(e2);  
            }  
        });  
    }  
  
    // Re-used DI objects to pass state  
    @Inject P2 p2;  
    @Inject P3 p3;  
  
    // Continuations to call other methods  
    @Inject Continuation<S> m1;  
    @Inject Continuation<R> m2;  
    // Continuations to handle exceptions  
    @Inject Continuation<E1> h1;  
    @Inject Continuation<E2> h2;  
  
    // Inject the thread to execute the method  
    @Inject Executor executor;  
  
    private void implementation(  
        T p1, P2 p2, P3 p3,  
        Continuation<S> m1, Continuation<R> m2  
    ) throws E1, E2 {  
  
        // implementation logic  
    }  
}
```

# DI vs IoC

**Boiler plate – can all be determined from method signature**



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introspects your  
method signature  
to run all this for you

DI Framework (e.g. Spring)

```
public class FirstClassProcedure
    implements Continuation<T> {

    public void invoke(T p1) {
        executor.execute() -> {
            try {
                Implementation(p1, p2, p3, m1, m2);
            } catch (E1 e1) {
                h1.invoke(e1);
            } catch (E2 e2) {
                h2.invoke(e2);
            }
        });
    }
}
```

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// Inject the thread to execute the method
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```

**We only write this**

```
private void implementation(
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    Continuation<S> m1, Continuation<R> m2
) throws E1, E2 {

    // implementation logic
}
}
```

# Function coupled like Method

**R1 methodName(P1 p1, P2 p2) throws E1, E2**

**Either<R1,E1> functionName(P1 p1, P2 p2)**

- Return type
- Name of function
- Variable number of Parameters
- Handling Exception (in return)
- Executing Thread

# Mathematics say Invert

Functional programming “*perceived hard*”

“**Invert, always invert**”, Mathematician Carl Jacobi 1820’s

(many hard problems can be clarified by re-expressing them in inverse form)

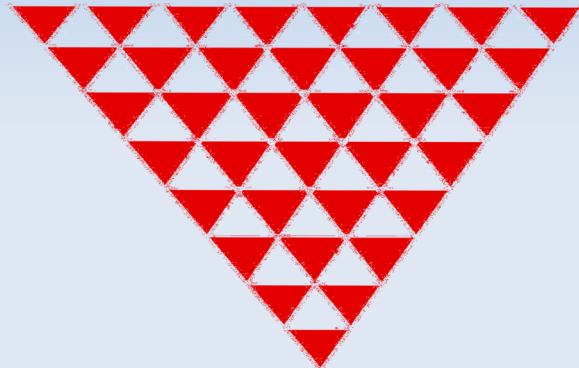
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Maybe inverting functional programming will clarify it?

# Inverting Functions

## Higher Order Functions

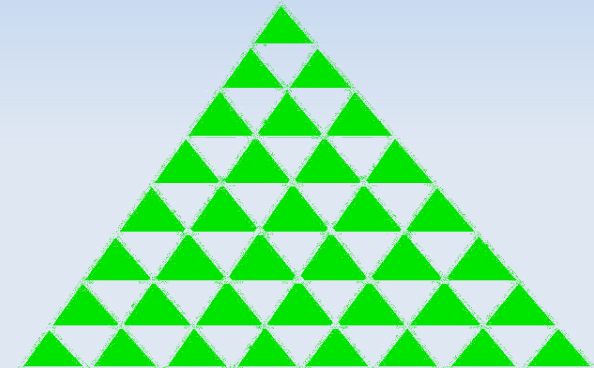
Explosion in function complexity  
(limits system size)



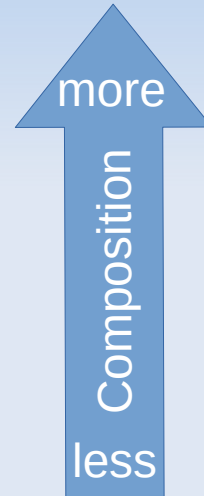
Simple re-useable Functions

## IoC on Functions

Same Continuation interface

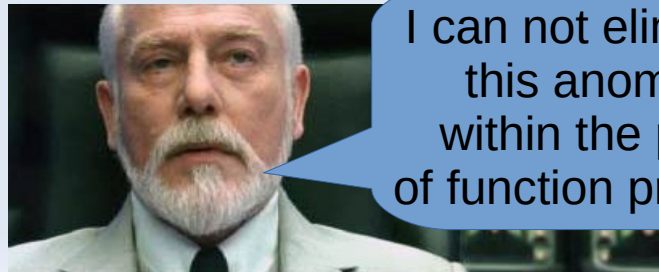


Encapsulated complexity  
(enabling bigger systems)



Function IoC meets Actor principles

*Thread Injection shares threads between  
Actors for increased scale/performance  
(via Protothreads)*



I can not eliminate  
this anomaly  
within the purity  
of function precision

# Nice Theory / Framework

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Where is this practical?

# Microservices (*heavy weight*)

## Client HTTP call

```
public class HttpClient  
    implements Continuation<T> {  
  
    @Inject WebClient client;  
  
    public void invoke(T message) {  
        client.post(message);  
    }  
}
```

## Client Queue call

```
public class MessageProducer  
    implements Continuation<T> {  
  
    @Inject Queue queue;  
  
    public void invoke(T message) {  
        queue.send(message);  
    }  
}
```

## Microservice

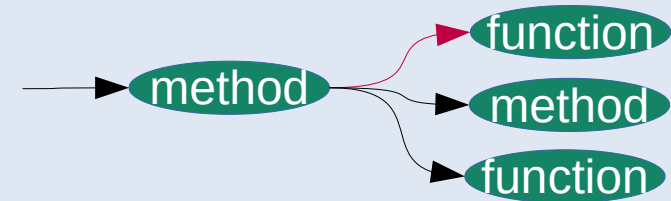
```
public class ServicerImpl {  
  
    @Inject SomeRepository rep;  
    @Inject AnotherRepository anRep;  
  
    @Inject Continuation<S> client;  
  
    // Execution thread  
    public void service(T message) {  
        // use dependencies to service  
    }  
}
```

## OO message passing



*Alan Kay getting his vision*

**IoC is a light weight solution  
at the method / function level**





# Final Thought: I uncoupled from T in IT #oomatrix

## Mechanical Mainstream Software ("monolith")

**Method**

*represents*

**Thread Stack**

*represents*

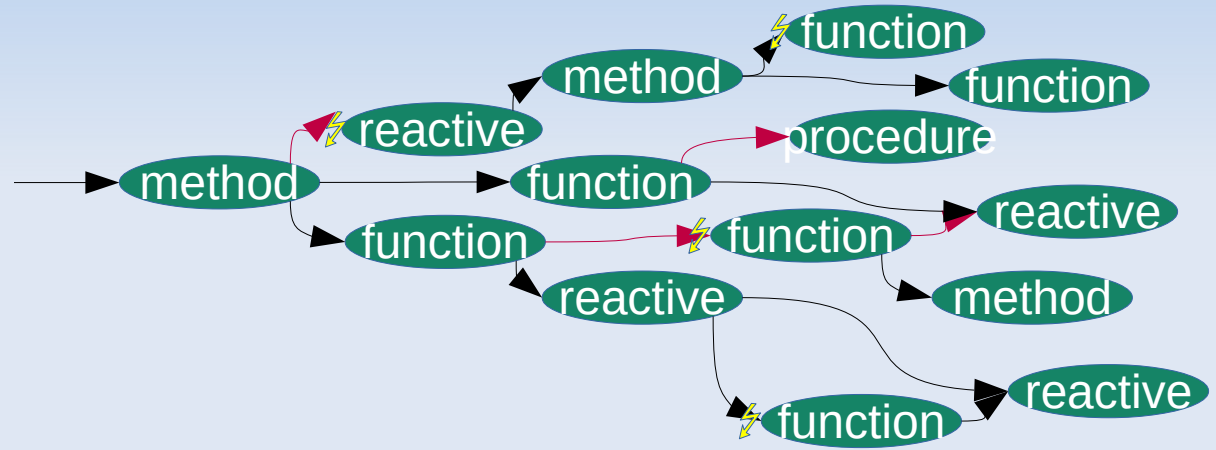
**The Machines**



**Interfaces via methods plug  
you into the Machines**

Refactoring is expensive due  
to complex mechanical coupling

## Organic IoC Software



**Refactoring**

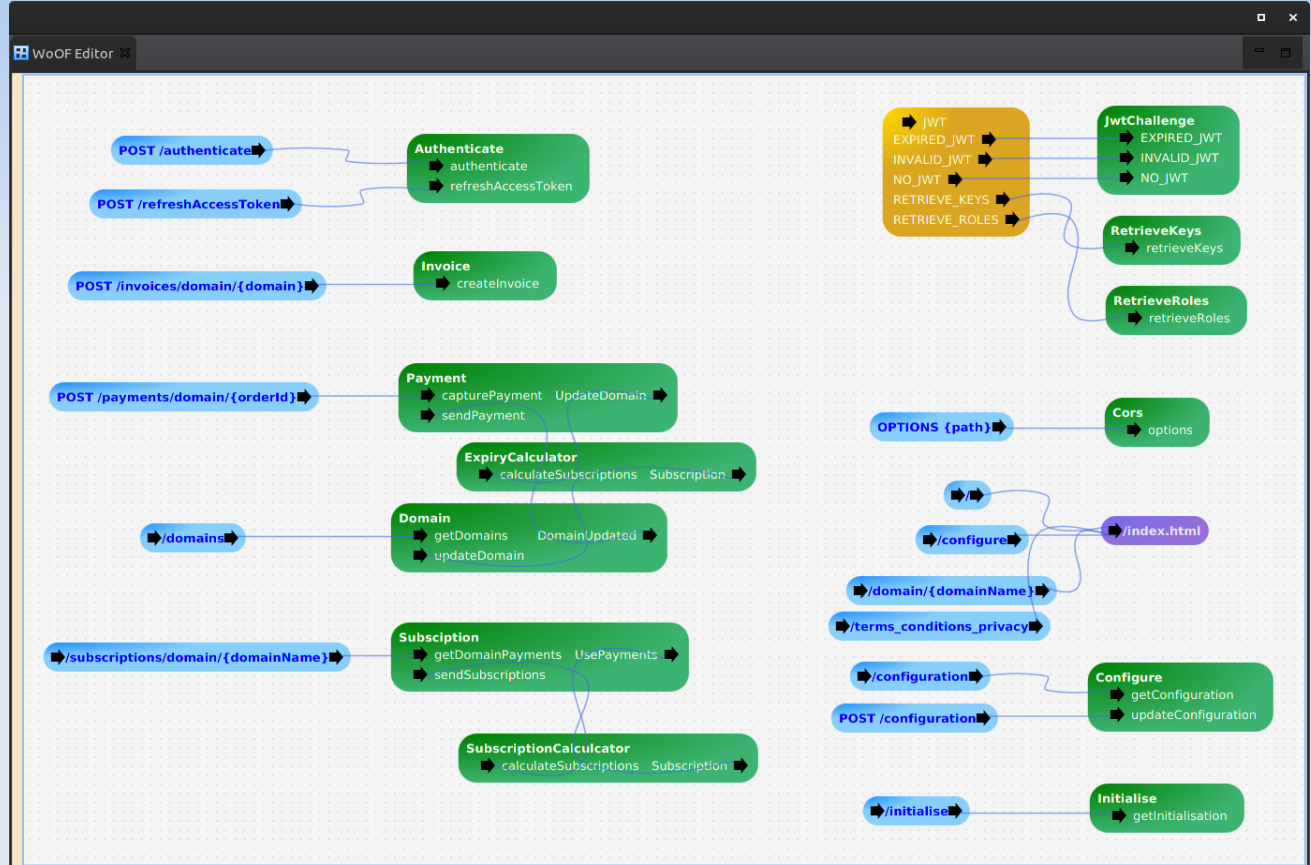
is now just

**Reconfiguring**

# Example App



Production ready  
implementation





# Summary

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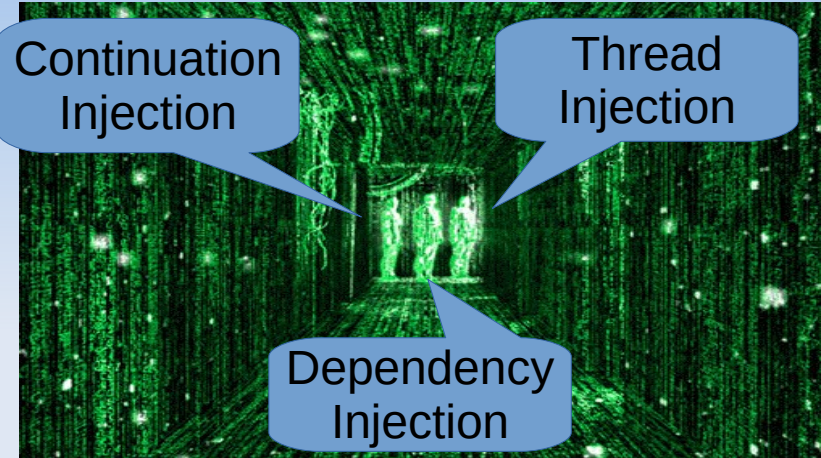
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## Dependency Injection 1/5

### Inversion of (Coupling) Control

- Return Type (CI)
- Name of method / function (CI)
- Variable number of Parameters (DI)
- Handling various Exceptions (CI)
- Correct executing Thread (TI)



***We're looking for Neo's to fight against the machines***

Try out at: <http://officefloor.net/tutorials>

Read more at: <http://sagenschneider.blogspot.com>

Slides:

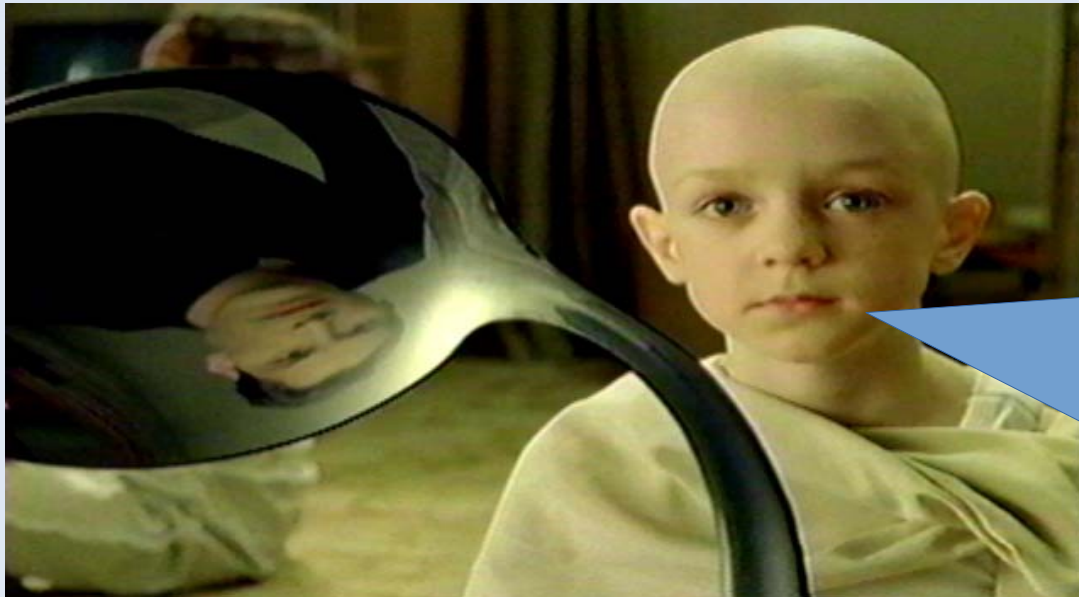
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# Appendices

# No Behavioural References

Don't create artificial objects so methods can access objects



Do not try to reference everything for the method

Only realise there is no behavioural object reference

Then you'll see it is not the objects that behave, it is functions that reference

# Tightly coupled methods

We've learnt to live with it

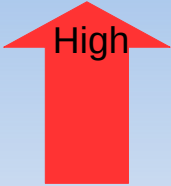
“refactoring” is just part of development

But should we live with it?



# Low Coupling / High Cohesion

5 variations  
(couplers)



## Caller Coupling

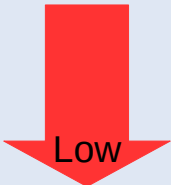


Standardised  
(interchangeable,  
no client impact)

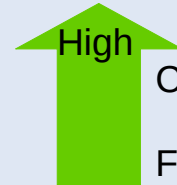
```
R1 method(P1 p1) throws E1 {  
    // method signature  
}
```

```
@Inject P1 p1;  
@Inject H1 h1;  
@Inject Executor executor;  
void firstClassProcedure() {  
    executor.execute(() -> {  
        try {  
            method(p1);  
        } catch (E1 e1) {  
            h1(e1);  
        }  
    })  
}
```

OO jigsaw matrix



## Component Cohesion



Clear boundaries  
Focused function

Vague component  
boundaries,  
e.g.:

- over referencing
- exception handling
- return types

# Synchronous + Asynchronous

**First-Class Procedure allows choice to use both as necessary within the application**

```
@Inject P1 p1;  
@Inject F1 f1;  
@Inject H1 h1;  
@Inject Executor executor;  
void firstClassProcedure() {  
    executor.execute(() → {  
        try {  
            method(p1, f1);  
        } catch (E1 e1) {  
            h1(e1);  
        }  
    })  
}
```

can embed sync within async

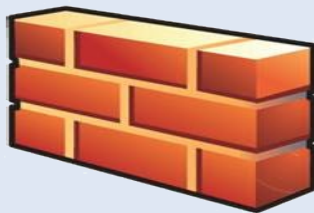
executor allows multiple threads

can not embed async within sync  
(e.g. thread per request)

async runs single threaded

```
R1 synchronousMethod(P1 p1) {  
    asynchronousMethod((result) → {  
        // no callback thread  
    });  
    // no R1 value available yet  
}
```

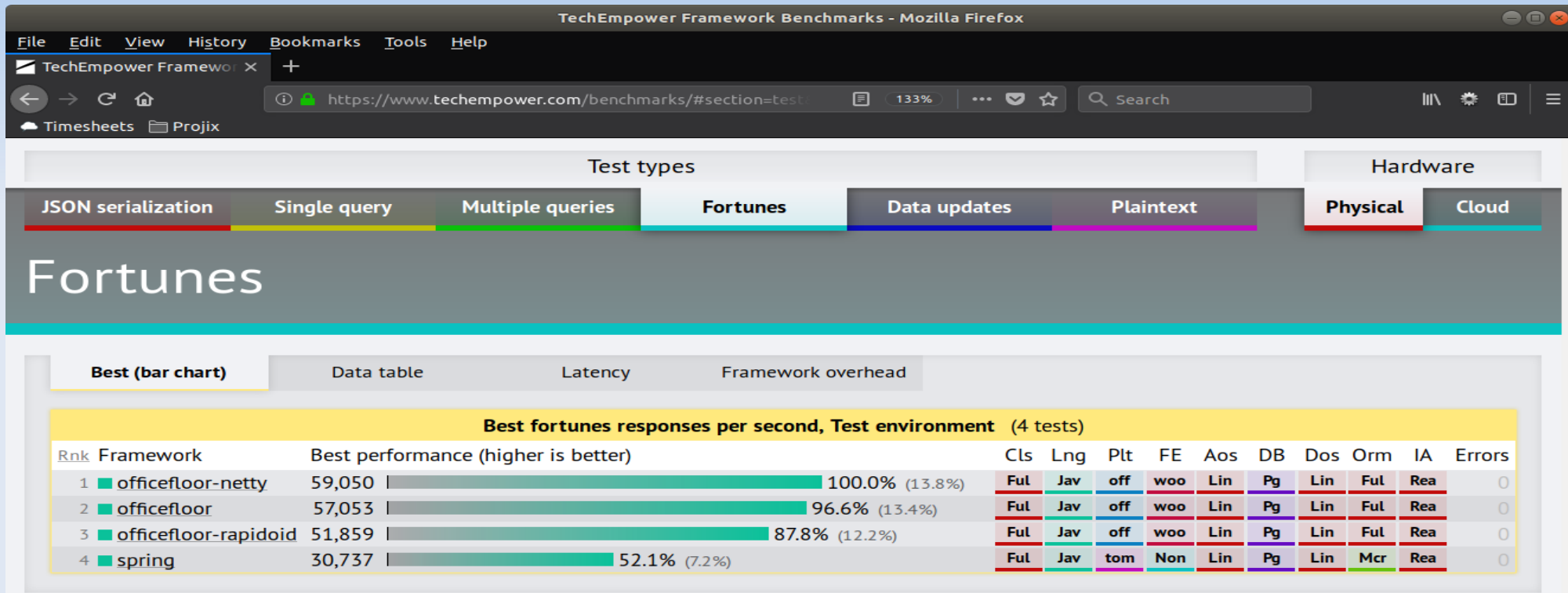
```
void asynchronousMethod(F1 callback) {  
    // single thread blocked  
    // whole application halts  
    R1 r1 = blockingMethod();  
    callback(r1);  
}
```



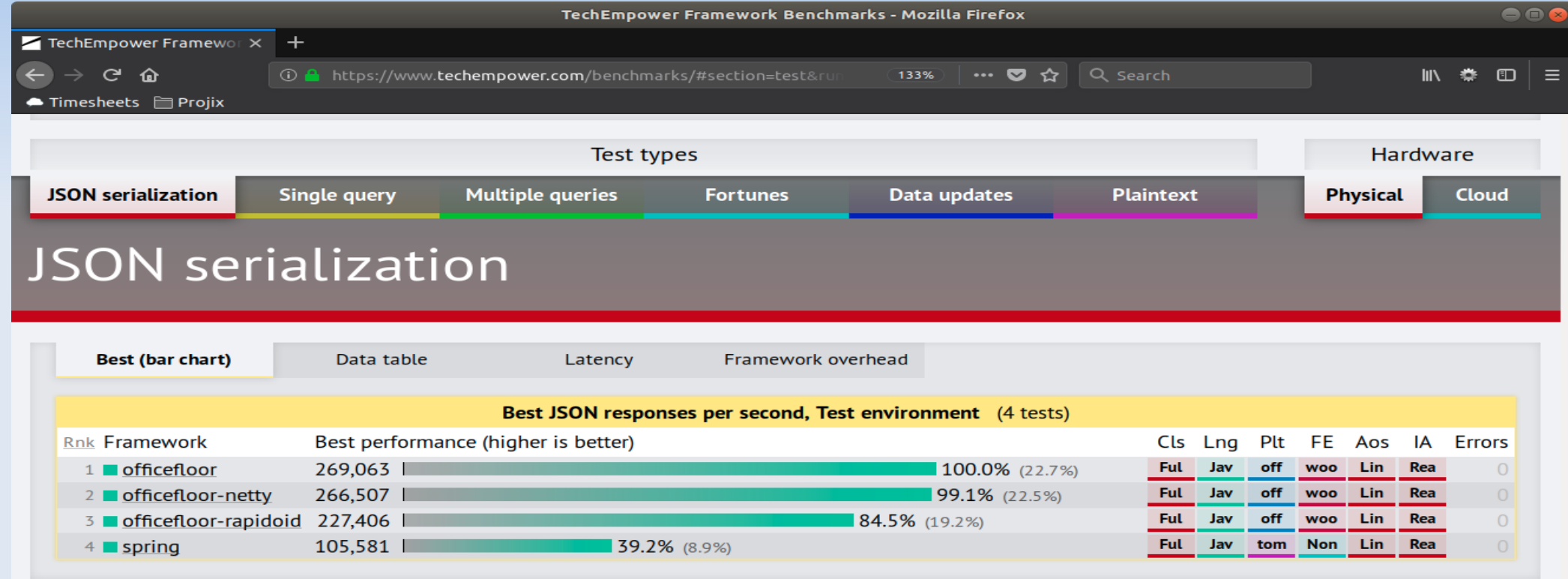
**Methods require choosing only one as application architecture**



# OfficeFloor vs Spring (DB)



# OfficeFloor vs Spring (no DB)



Even higher performance as OfficeFloor knows no thread context switch is necessary

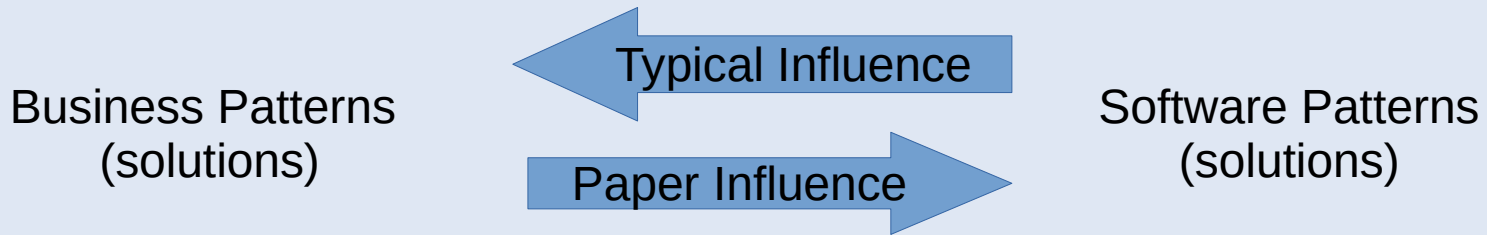


# OfficeFloor

**OfficeFloor: re-using Office patterns to improve Software Design**

<http://doi.acm.org/10.1145/2739011.2739013>

( free download: <http://www.officefloor.net/about.html> )



*People typically smart (lazy)  
and improve solution*

*Threads will happily loop forever*

# Other OfficeFloor concepts

Suppliers: Make use of other DI frameworks as object libraries

Administration: weaving of “aspects” (first-class procedures)

Governance: managing state in contexts (e.g. transactions)

Recursive typing for encapsulating complexity (e.g. modular sections created from other sub-modular sections)

- Previously not possible due to implicit threading assumptions

Executive: manages thread pools (e.g. sizes, thread affinity)

# Client Continuation Interface

```
@FlowInterface
interface ClientContinuations {
    void flowOne(String message);
    void flowTwo(Results message);
}
```

Proxy built that provides implementation as such:

```
class ClientContinuationsImpl {
    @Inject Continuation<String> c1;
    @Inject Continuation<Results> c2;

    public void flowOne(String message) { c1.invoke(message); }
    public void flowTwo(Results message) { c2.invoke(message); }
}
```

# Reduced Context Switching

```
@Inject P1 p1;
@Inject F1 f1;
@Inject H1 h1;
@Inject Executor executor;
firstClassProcedure() {
    Runnable runnable = () -> {
        try {
            method(p1, f1);
        } catch (E1 e1) {
            h1(e1);
        }
    }
    if (executor.isOwner(Thread.currentThread())) {
        runnable.run(); // no context switch and carries on executing with current thread
    } else {
        executor.execute(runnable);
    }
}
```

```
SynchronousExecutor implements Executor {
    void execute(Runnable runnable) {
        runnable.run(); // no context switch
    }
}
```