

# In the beginning...

## ◆ Class ATM

```
package banking;

public class ATM {
    private String _id;
    private String _address;

    private transient ATMCard _currentATMCard;
    private transient Account _currentAccount;

    public ATM(String id, String address) {
        _id = id;
        _address = address;
    }

    public String getID() {
        return _id;
    }

    public String getAddress() {
        return _address;
    }

    public void setCurrentATMCard(ATMCard currentATMCard) {
        _currentATMCard = currentATMCard;
    }

    public void setCurrentAccount(Account currentAccount) {
        _currentAccount = currentAccount;
    }

    public void credit(float amount) {
        _currentATMCard.getBankLiaison()
            .credit(_currentAccount, amount);
    }

    public void debit(float amount) throws InsufficientBalanceException {
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    public float getBalance() {
        return _currentATMCard.getBankLiaison()
            .getBalance(_currentAccount);
    }
}
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## ◆ Class Account

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package banking;

public class Account {
    private int _accountNumber;
    private float _balance;

    public Account(int accountNumber) {
        _accountNumber = accountNumber;
    }

    public int getAccountNumber() {
        return _accountNumber;
    }

    public void credit(float amount) {
        _balance = _balance + amount;
    }

    public void debit(float amount)
        throws InsufficientBalanceException {
        if (_balance < amount) {
            throw new InsufficientBalanceException(
                "Total balance not sufficient");
        } else {
            _balance = _balance - amount;
        }
    }

    public float getBalance() {
        return _balance;
    }

    public String toString() {
        return "Account: " + _accountNumber;
    }
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# ...and access control

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package banking;

import java.security.*;
import javax.security.auth.*;
import java.util.logging.*;

public class ATM {
    ...

    private Subject _atmSubject;

    private static Logger _logger = Logger.getLogger("banking");
    ...

    public void credit(final float amount) {
        _logger.log(Level.INFO, "ATM", "credit", "Entering");
        PrivilegedAction worker
            = new PrivilegedAction() {
            public Object run() {
                _currentATMCard.getBankLiaison().credit(_currentAccount, amount);
                return null;
            }
        };
        Subject.doAsPrivileged(_atmSubject, worker, null);
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        try {
            Subject.doAsPrivileged(_atmSubject, worker, null);
        } catch (PrivilegedActionException ex) {
            Throwable cause = ex.getCause();
            if (cause instanceof InsufficientBalanceException) {
                throw (InsufficientBalanceException)ex.getCause();
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import java.util.logging.*;
import java.security.AccessController;

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    public void credit(float amount) {
        AccessController.checkPermission(
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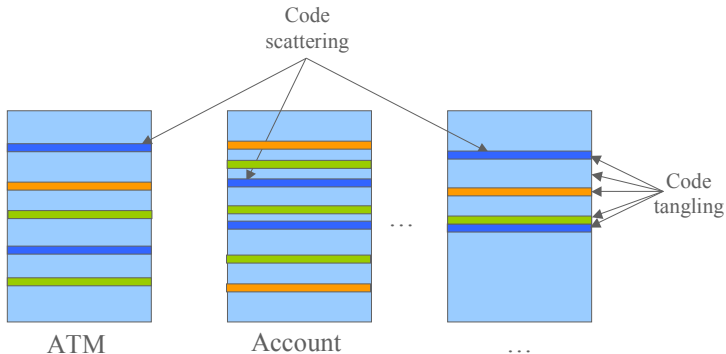
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## ...and so it goes

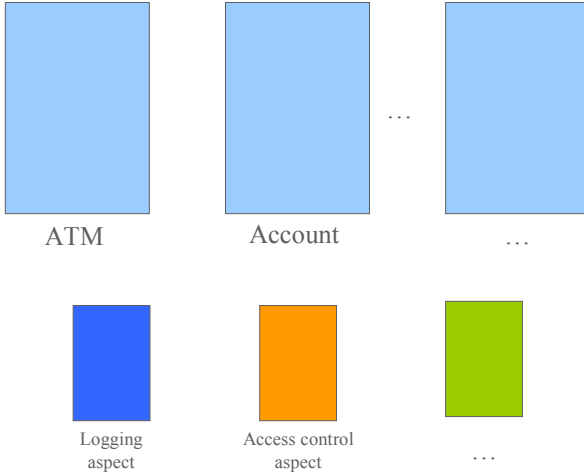
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- ◆ Thread safety
- ◆ Caching
- ◆ Resource pooling
- ◆ Profiling
- ◆ Policy enforcement
- ◆ Monitoring
- ◆ Testing
- ◆ Statement generation
- ◆ Service level agreement enforcement
- ◆ Business rules

# System Evolution: Conventional





# System Evolution: AOP based



# AOP

- ◆ A new programming methodology that facilitates modularization of crosscutting concerns
  - Also a new way of thinking about crosscutting concerns
- ◆ Introduces a new modularization unit: **Aspect**
  - Individual aspects are coded separately
    - Individual concern is dealt with one-at-a-time
  - Weaving rules are specified to combine different modules together
    - Weaver uses these to compose the system.

# Core concepts: Join point model

## ◆ Join point

- An identifiable point in the execution of a program
- Central, distinguishing concept in AOP
- Exposed join points
  - Not all join points are exposed
  - Restricts the power
    - Therefore makes AOP powerful!

## ◆ Pointcut

- Program construct that selects join points and collects context at those points.
- The “when” part

# Core concepts: Dynamic crosscutting

## ◆ Advice

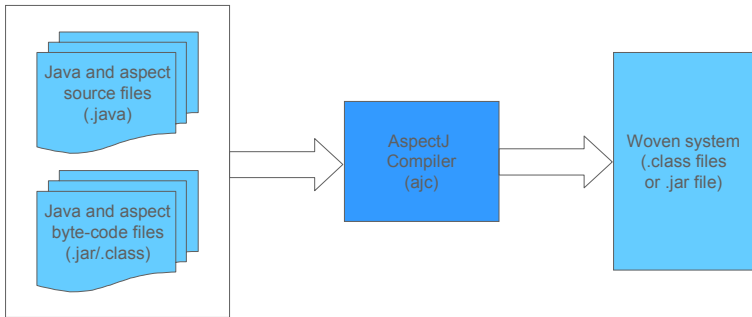
- Code to be executed at a join point that has been selected by a pointcut
- The “what to do” part
- Three kinds:
  - Before
  - After
  - Around

# Introducing AspectJ

- ◆ Aspect-oriented extension to Java
  - Compiles to standard Java byte-code
- ◆ Open source project at Eclipse.org
  - Originated at Xerox PARC
- ◆ Extensive tools support
  - IDE integration: Eclipse, NetBeans, JBuilder, Emacs
  - Ant, maven
  - Spring framework integration
  - BEA Weblogic integration
- ◆ Currently the leading AOP implementation
  - Numerous articles and papers
  - Four published books (one in Japanese)

A language that doesn't affect the way you think about programming, is not worth knowing. -- Alan J. Perlis

# AspectJ compilation



# AspectJ Pointcuts

- ◆ Recap: Pointcut is a program construct that selects join points and collects context at those points
- ◆ AspectJ's pointcut language is very powerful
  - Join points to capture can be precisely defined
  - Simple pointcuts may be combined to form composite pointcuts: `!`, `&&`, and `||` operators
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# Pointcut supported

## ◆ Method/constructor execution

```
pointcut debitOp()  
    : execution(void Account.debit(float))
```

```
pointcut accountCreation()  
    : execution(Account.new())
```

## ◆ Method/constructor call

```
pointcut release()  
    : call(void Connection.close())
```

## ◆ Exception handler

```
pointcut remoteHandler()  
    : handler(RemoteException)
```



# Pointcut supported (contd...)

## ◆ Field read-access

```
pointcut amountRead()  
    : get(float Account._amount)
```

## ◆ Field write-access

```
pointcut amountWrite()  
    : set(float Account._amount)
```

## ◆ Many more...

- Class initialization
- Object initialization/preinitialization
- Advice execution

# Pointcut and wildcards

- ◆ Capture the method `debit()` in `Account` that takes a float argument

```
pointcut accountDebitOp()  
    : execution(void Account.debit(float))
```

- ◆ Capture *all* methods in `Account` that take a float argument

```
pointcut accountFloatArgOps()  
    : execution(* Account.*(float))
```

- ◆ Capture all methods in `Account` that take *any arguments*

```
pointcut accountAllOps()  
    : execution(* Account.*(..))
```

- ◆ Capture all methods in `Account` *and its subclass* that take any arguments

```
pointcut accountAndSubAllOps()  
    : execution(* Account+.*(..))
```

# Advice Examples

## ◆ Before advice

```
before(ATM atm) : execution(* ATM.*(..)) && this(atm) {  
    System.out.println("Making ATM request"  
        + thisJoinPointStaticPart.getSignature()  
        .getName()  
        + " from " + atm);  
}
```

## ◆ After advice

```
after(Account account) returning  
    : accountOperation(account) {  
        observer.accountOperationSucceeded  
            (new PropertyChangeSupport(account));  
    }
```

# Advice examples

## ◆ Around advice

Object `around()`

```
: call(* Remote+.*(..) throws RemoteException){  
  
    int retry = 0;  
    while(true){  
  
        try{  
            return proceed();  
        } catch(RemoteException ex){  
            // log ex  
            if (++retry > MAX_RETRIES) {  
                throw ex;  
            }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

# A Logging Aspect: AspectJ

```
public aspect BankLoggingAspect {
    private static Logger _logger
        = Logger.getLogger("banking");

    public pointcut loggedOperations()
        : execution(* *.*(..))
          && !within(BankLoggingAspect);

    before() : loggedOperations() {
        Signature sig =
            thisJoinPointStaticPart.getSignature();
        _logger.log(Level.INFO,
            sig.getDeclaringType().getName(),
            sig.getName(), "Entering");
    }
}
```

# Putting all together: Aspect

- ◆ Crosscutting type comprised of AspectJ primitives
- ◆ Like classes, an aspect
  - Can have access specification
  - Can extend another aspect, class or implement interfaces
  - Can be marked abstract
  - Can contain Java methods, fields etc.
- ◆ Unlike classes, an aspect
  - Cannot be instantiated
  - Cannot extend concrete aspect