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JSR 354 – Money & Currency Introduction

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Platform (SE) Scope
Standalone Scope



History and Motivation



Earlier Approaches

Martin Fowler:

A large proportion of the computers in this world manipulate money, so it's always puzzled me that money isn't actually a first class data type in any mainstream programming language. The lack of a type causes problems, the most obvious surrounding currencies... see

<http://martinfowler.com/eaaCatalog/money.html>

Eric Evans – Time and Money:

On project after project, software developers have to reinvent the wheel, creating objects for simple recurring concepts such as "money" and "currency". Although most languages have a "date" or "time" object, these are rudimentary, and do not cover many needs, such as recurring sequences of time, durations of time, or intervals of time. ...

To be fair, they didn't mention the fact that in the real world, their code isn't more than an academic POC, factories called dollars() or euros() are useless in real globally deployed frameworks, but he made a good point.

Motivation

- ◊ Monetary values are a key feature to many applications
- ◊ Existing `java.util.Currency` class is strictly a structure used for representing ISO-4217 standard currencies.
- ◊ No standard value type to represent a monetary amount
- ◊ No support for currency arithmetic or conversion
- ◊ JDK Formatting features lack of flexibility

Schedule

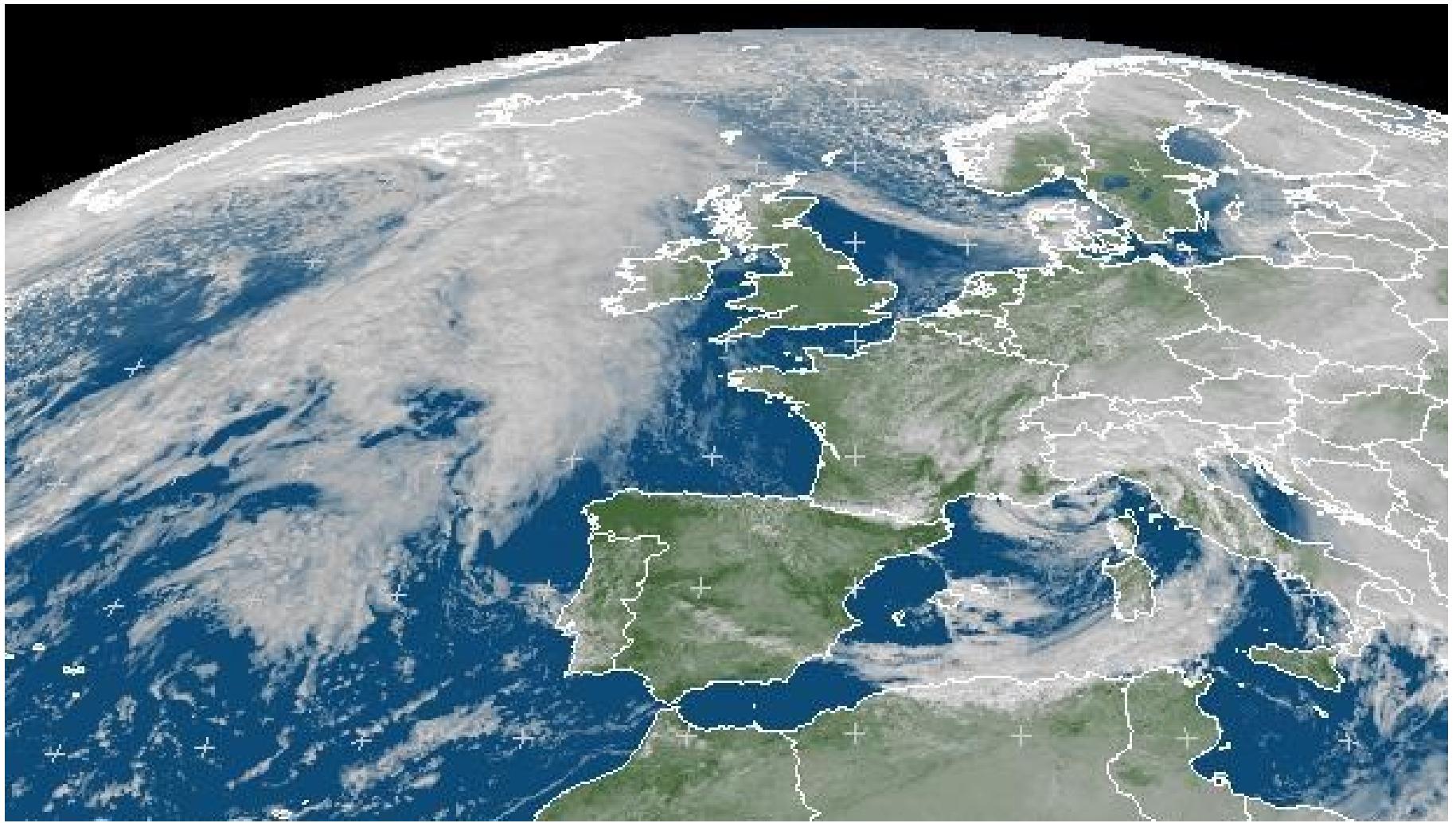
- ◊ Java SE 9
- ◊ Java ME/Embedded 8 oder 9

Following the EC Merge and Standard/Embedded harmonization, no JSR should be SE/EE or ME only. Money is so important, and has almost no legacy in the JDK except `java.util.Currency`, that it should be supported by **all possible** platforms, except maybe JavaCard for now.

- ◊ With back-port to previous versions still supported and in relevant use
- ◊ EDR: Beginning of April 2013



Overview



Overview of JSR 354

- ◊ **Core API:** `javax.money`

`CurrencyUnit`, `MonetaryAmount` and exceptions

- ◊ **Conversion API:** `javax.money.conversion`

`ExchangeRate`, `CurrencyConverter`

- ◊ **Formatting:** `javax.money.format`

`LocalizationStyle`, `ItemFormatter`, `ItemParser`

- ◊ **Provider** singleton: `javax.money.provider`

`Monetary`

- ◊ **Extensions:** `javax.money.ext`

`Region support`, `Calculations`

Currencies and Amounts

jax.money



Currencies

ISO 4217

Special Codes

- ◊ Precious Metals (XAU, XAG)
- ◊ Testing (XTS)
- ◊ No Currency (XXX)
- ◊ Supranational currencies, e.g. East Caribbean dollar, the CFP franc, the CFA franc.

- ◊ **CFA** franc: **West African CFA** franc und **Central African CFA** franc = denotes 2 effectively interchangeable (!).
- ◊ Switzerland: CHF, CHE (WIR-EURO), CHW (WIR)
- ◊ USA: USD, USN (next day), USS (same day)

Ambiguities

Legal acceptance, e.g. Indian Rupees are legally accepted in Buthan/Nepal, but not vice versa!

Typically 1/100, rarely 1/1000, but also 1/5
~~(Mauritania, Madagascar), 0.00000001 (BitCoin)~~

Virtual Currencies

- ⑧ **Video Game Currencies** (Gold, Gil, Rupees, Credits, Gold Rings, Hearts, Zenny, Potch, Munny, Nuyen...)
- ⑧ **Facebook Credits** are a virtual currency you can use virtual goods in any games or apps of the Facebook platform that accept payments. You can purchase Facebook Credits directly from within an app using your credit card, PayPal, mobile phone and many other local payment methods.
- ⑧ **Bitcoin** (sign: **BTC**) is a decentralized digital currency based on an open-source, peer-to-peer internet protocol. It was introduced by a pseudonymous developer named Satoshi Nakamoto in 2009.



Limitations of `java.util.Currency`

- ◊ No support for historical Currencies
- ◊ No support for non standard Currencies (e.g. cows or camels)
- ◊ No support for virtual Currencies (Lindon Dollars, BitCoin, Social Currencies)
- ◊ No support for custom schemes (e.g. legacy codes)
- ◊ Only access by currency code, or Locale
- ◊ No support for special use cases/extensions

Implementation:
`MoneyCurrency`

```
public interface CurrencyUnit{  
    public String getCurrencyCode();  
    public int getNumericCode();  
    public int getDefaultFractionDigits();  
    // new methods  
    public String getNamespace();  
    public boolean isLegalTender();  
    public boolean isVirtual();  
    public Long getValidFrom();  
    public Long getValidUntil();  
    public <T> TgetAttribute(  
        String key, Class<T> type);  
}
```

Access/Create Currencies

Usage

```
/**  
 * Shows simple creation of a CurrencyUnit for ISO, backed up by JDK  
 * Currency implementation.  
 */  
public void forISOCurrencies() {  
    CurrencyUnit currency = MoneyCurrency.of("USD");  
    currency = MoneyCurrency.of("myNamespace", "myCode"); // null!  
}  
  
public void buildACurrencyUnit() {  
    MoneyCurrency.Builder builder = new MoneyCurrency.Builder();  
    builder.setNamespace("myNamespace");  
    builder.setCurrencyCode("myCode");  
    builder.setDefaultFractionDigits(4);  
    builder.setLegalTender(false);  
    builder.setValidFrom(System.currentTimeMillis());  
    builder.setVirtual(true);  
    builder.setAttribute("test-only", true);  
    CurrencyUnit unit = builder.build();  
    // nevertheless MoneyCurrency.of("myNamespace", "myCode"); still returns  
    // null!  
    builder.build(true);  
    // no it is registered  
    unit = MoneyCurrency.of("myNamespace", "myCode");  
}
```

Monetary Amount

Amount = Number + Currency + Operations

How to represent the numeric amount?
Contradictory requirements:

- δ Performant (e.g. for trading)
- δ Precise (e.g. for calculations)
- δ Must model small numbers (e.g. webshop)
- δ Must support huge Numbers (e.g. risk calculations, statistics)

	Money
	amount currency
	+, -, * allocate >, >=, <=, >=, =

Solution: support several numeric representations!

Rounding, Precision, Scale

Monetary Amount (continued)

```
public interface MonetaryAmount{  
    public CurrencyUnit getCurrency();  
    public Class<?> getNumberType();  
    public <T> T asType(Class<T>);  
    public int intValue(); public int intValueExact();  
    public long longValue(); public long longValueExact();  
    [...]  
    public MonetaryAmount abs();  
    public MonetaryAmount min(...);  
    public MonetaryAmount max(...);  
    public MonetaryAmount add(...);  
    public MonetaryAmount subtract(...);  
    public MonetaryAmount divide(...);  
    public MonetaryAmount[] divideAndRemainder(...);  
    public MonetaryAmount divideToIntegralValue(...);  
    public MonetaryAmount remainder(...);  
    public MonetaryAmount multiply(...);  
    public MonetaryAmount withAmount(Number amount);  
    [...]  
    public int getScale(); public int getPrecision();  
    [...]  
    public boolean isPositive(); public boolean isPositiveOrZero();  
    public boolean isNegative(); public boolean isNegativeOrZero();  
    public boolean isLessThan(...);  
    public boolean isLessThanOrEqualTo(...);  
    [...]  
}
```

}{ Data Access.

Implementation:
Money

}{ Algorithmic
Operations...

}{ Data Representation
and Comparison.

Creating Amounts

Usage

```
/**  
 * Simplest case create an amount with an ISO currency.  
 */  
public void forISOurrencies() {  
    MonetaryAmount amount = Money.of("USD", 1234566.15);  
}  
  
/**  
 * Create an amount using a custom currency.  
 */  
public void forCustomCurrencies() {  
    CurrencyUnit currency = MoneyCurrency.of(  
        "myNamespace", "myCode");  
    MonetaryAmount amount = Money.of(currency, 1234566.15);  
}
```

Precision and Rounding

javax.money



Numeric Precision

- ◊ **Internal** Precision (implied by internal number type)
- ◊ **External** Precision (Rounding applied, when the numeric part is accessed/passed outside)
- ◊ **Formatting** Precision (Rounding for display and output)
- ◊ **Interoperability**
 - Different precision/scale
 - Distinct numeric representations
 - Serialization

By default only internal rounding is applied automatically.

Mixing Numeric Representations

```
Money amt1 = Money.of("CHF", 10.23d);  
IntegralMoney amt2 = IntegralMoney.of("CHF", 123456789);  
Money result = amt1.add(amt2);
```

- δ **Money** as representation type, since its the class on which add() was called.
- δ Precision = 9
- δ Scale = 2

- δ Mechanism applies similarly for operation chaining

```
Money amt1 ...;  
IntegralMoney amt2 = ...;  
CurrencyConversion conversion = ...;  
Money result = amt1  
    .add(amt2)  
    .multiply(2)  
    .with(conversion)  
    .round(MoneyRounding.of());
```

Rounding

External Rounding and Formatting Rounding can be implemented in many ways,

```
public interface Rounding{  
    public MonetaryAmount round(MonetaryAmount );  
}
```

Implementation:
MoneyRounding

```
Rounding rounding =  
MoneyRounding.getRounding(  
    MoneyCurrency.of("USD"));  
MonetaryAmount myAmount = ...;  
MonetaryAmount rounded =  
    rounding.round(myAmount);
```

Original	Rounded	Remark
123.452	123.45	3. digit <3 -> round down
123.456	123.455	3<= 3. digit <=7 -> change to 5
123.459	123.46	3. digit >=8 -> round up

Example for non standard-rounding Argument.

- If the third digit is 2 or less, change it to 0 or drop it.
- If the third digit is between 3 and 7, change it to 5

Arithmetics & Rounding

Usage

```
/**  
 * Mixed representations.  
 */  
public void mixedImplementations() {  
    MonetaryAmount m1 = IntegralMoney.of("USD", 789);  
    MonetaryAmount m2 = Money.of("USD", 1234566.15);  
  
    MonetaryAmount sum = m1.add(m2);  
    MonetaryAmount diff = m2.subtract(m1).negate();  
}  
  
/**  
 * Round amount based on 1st currency (defaultFractionUnits).  
 */  
public MonetaryAmount roundDefault(MonetaryAmount amount) {  
    Rounding rounding =  
        MoneyRounding.of(amount.getCurrency());  
    return rounding.round(amount);  
}
```

Formatting and Parsing

javax.money.format

Portfolio

Cash: 64102.56 € Market: FRA

Symbol	Company	Price	Change	% Change	Shares	Open	Volume	Current Value *	Gain/Loss
IBM	"IBM"	115.43	-0.37	-32%	50	115.80	2,655,471	3699.68 €	-15.98
JAVA	"JAVA"	16.56	0.44	273%	200	16.12	5,750,460	2123.08 €	545.90
DELL	"DELL"	19.52	0.08	41%	200	19.44	14,293,015	2502.56 €	82.30
GOOG	"GOOG"	426.88	1.62	38%	100	425.26	5,523,309	27363.97 €	38.05
MSFT	"MSFT"	28.58	0.20	71%	100	28.38	47,317,464	1832.15 €	71.00

* in local Currency

Currency rates from 03/08/2007 12:00pm EST

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100 US Dollar

Currency Name	Currency Code	Exchange Rate to US \$	Exchange Amount
Australian Dollar	AUD	1.28783006	128.78
Baht	THB	32.7	3270.00
Bolivar	VEB	2144.6	214460.00

Formatting and Parsing

Challenges

- Multiple Locale instances for Translation, Dates, Time, Numbers, Currencies
- Additional parameters
 - Currency Placement
 - Rounding, Lenient Fractions, Min, Max etc.
- Natural language support for non example
 - Lakhs, Crores (1 Lakh = 100,000)
 - INR 12,34,56,000.21 is written 12 Crore, 34 Lakh, 56 Thousand Rupees and 21 Paise

```
public class LocalizationStyle
implements Serializable {
    [...]
    public String getId();
    public Locale getTranslationLocale();
    public Locale getNumberLocale();
    public Locale getDateLocale();
    public Locale getTimeLocale();
    public Map<String, Object> getAttributes() ;
    public <T> TgetAttribute(
        String key, Class<T> type);
    public static LocalizationStyle of(
        Locale locale);
    public boolean isDefaultStyle() ;
    [...]
}
```

**LocalizationStyle, ItemFormatter/
Parser** Unsupported by NumberFormat,
INR 12,34,225.21

Formatting and Parsing

ItemFormat

```
public interface ItemFormat<T> {  
    public Class<T> getTargetClass();  
    public LocalizationStyle getStyle();  
    public String format(T item);  
    public void print(Appendable appendable,  
                      T item)  
        throws IOException;  
    public T parse(CharSequence input)  
        throws ParseException;  
}
```

```
public final class MonetaryFormat{  
    public Collection<String>  
        getSupportedStyleIds(Class<?> targetType);  
    public boolean isSupportedStyle(  
        Class<?> targetType, String styleId);  
    public <T> ItemFormat<T>  
        getItemFormat(Class<T> targetType,  
                      LocalizationStyle style)  
  
    throws ItemFormatException;  
    public <T> ItemFormat<T>  
        getItemFormat(Class<T> targetType,  
                      Locale locale)  
    throws ItemFormatException;  
}
```

Currency Conversion

javax.money.conversion



Currency Conversion

- ◊ ExchangeRateType
- ◊ ExchangeRate:
 - ExchangeRateType
 - Base, Term currency
 - Conversion factor
 - Validity (from/until)
 - Provider (optional)
 - Direct/Derived Rates
- ◊ ExchangeRateProvider
- ◊ CurrencyConverter

```
public interface ExchangeRate {  
    public ExchangeRateType getExchangeRateType();  
    public CurrencyUnit getBase();  
    public CurrencyUnit getTerm();  
    public Number getFactor();  
    public Long getValidFrom();  
    public Long getValidUntil();  
    public boolean isValid();  
    public String getProvider();  
    public ExchangeRate[] getExchangeRateChain();  
    public boolean isDerived();  
}
```

Currency Conversion

Usage

```
/**  
 * Shows simple conversion of an amount.  
 */  
public Money convertAmountToCHF(Money amount) {  
  
    CurrencyUnit currency = MoneyCurrency.of(curr);  
    ExchangeRateType rateType = ExchangeRateType.of("EZB");  
  
    ConversionProvider convProvider =  
  
        MonetaryConversion.getConversionProvider(rateType);  
  
    CurrencyConversion chfConversion =  
        convProvider.getConverter()  
  
.getCurrencyConversion(MoneyCurrency.of("CHF"));  
    return amount.with(chfConversion);  
}
```

Note: this module has changed in the meantime

Provider & Extensions

javax.money, javax.money.ext



Provider

Monetary Singleton

- ◊ javax.money.Monetary singleton provides access to all components
- ◊ By default components loaded using JDK's java.util.ServiceLoader.
- ◊ Alternate Loader implementations possible, e.g.
 - Using CDI standalone
 - Within a J2EE container
 - Spring
 - ...

```
public final class Monetary{  
    public static CurrencyUnitProvider getCurrencyUnitProvider();  
    public static ConversionProvider getConversionProvider();  
    public static ItemFormatterFactory getItemFormatterFactory();  
    public static ItemParserFactory getItemParserFactory();  
    public static RoundingProvider getRoundingProvider();  
}
```

Extensions

Allow registration of additional functionalities into Monetary:

- ø Calculation Utilities
- ø Compound Values
- ø Statistical Modules
- ø Financial Modules
- ø Regions/Regional Providers,
e.g. for mapping currencies, legal tenders etc.
- ø ...

```
@ExposedType(CalculationUtils.class)
public class CalculationUtilsImpl implements
CalculationUtils, MonetaryExtension{
    ...
}
```

To be discussed:

- ø if and what extensions are part of the JSR

Extensions

Usage

```
/**  
 * Shows simple usage of an extension, e.g. calculating  
 * the total of all amounts, that have a certain currency.  
 */  
public MonetaryAmount total(MonetaryAmount... amount,  
                           String curr) {  
  
    AmountUtils utils = MoneyCurrency.getExtensions(  
                                              AmountUtils.class);  
return utils.total(utils.filter(amount, curr));  
}
```

Demo



Stay Tuned!

- ◊ JSR 354: <http://jcp.org>
- ◊ Java.net Project: <http://java.net/projects/javamoney>
- ◊ GitHub Project:
<https://github.com/JavaMoney/javamoney>
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Q & A

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