

Introducción a Kotlin



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Classes, Objetos e Interfaces

Interfaces en Kotlin

```
interface Clickable {  
    fun click()  
}
```

```
class Button : Clickable {  
    override fun click() = println("I was clicked")  
}
```

```
>>> Button().click()  
I was clicked
```

Interfaces en Kotlin

**Regular
method
declaration**

```
interface Clickable {  
    fun click()  
    fun showOff() = println("I'm clickable!")  
}
```

**Method with a default
implementation**

Modificadores de acceso: open, abstract y final (por defecto)

```
open class RichButton : Clickable {  
    fun disable() {}  
    open fun animate() {}  
    override fun click() {}  
}
```

← This class is open: others can inherit from it.

← This function is final: you can't override it in a subclass.

← This function is open: you may override it in a subclass.

← This function overrides an open function and is open as well.

open o final

```
open class RichButton : Clickable {  
    final override fun click() {}  
}
```

← **“final” isn’t redundant here because “override” without “final” implies being open.**

abstract

```
abstract class Animated {  
    abstract fun animate()  
    open fun stopAnimating() {  
    }  
    fun animateTwice() {  
    }  
}
```

This function is abstract: it doesn't have an implementation and must be overridden in subclasses.

This class is abstract: you can't create an instance of it.

Non-abstract functions in abstract classes aren't open by default but can be marked as open.

Modificadores de acceso en una clase

Modifier	Corresponding member	Comments
<code>final</code>	Can't be overridden	Used by default for class members
<code>open</code>	Can be overridden	Should be specified explicitly
<code>abstract</code>	Must be overridden	Can be used only in abstract classes; abstract members can't have an implementation
<code>override</code>	Overrides a member in a superclass or interface	Overridden member is open by default, if not marked <code>final</code>

Modificadores de visibilidad

Modifier	Class member	Top-level declaration
<code>public</code> (default)	Visible everywhere	Visible everywhere
<code>internal</code>	Visible in a module	Visible in a module
<code>protected</code>	Visible in subclasses	—
<code>private</code>	Visible in a class	Visible in a file

Clases selladas

```
interface Expr
class Num(val value: Int) : Expr
class Sum(val left: Expr, val right: Expr) : Expr

fun eval(e: Expr): Int =
    when (e) {
        is Num -> e.value
        is Sum -> eval(e.right) + eval(e.left)
        else ->
            throw IllegalArgumentException("Unknown expression")
    }
```

**You have to check
the “else” branch.**



Classes selladas

```
sealed class Expr {  
  class Num(val value: Int) : Expr()  
  class Sum(val left: Expr, val right: Expr) : Expr()  
}
```

← **Mark a base class as sealed ...**

← **... and list all the possible subclasses as nested classes.**

```
fun eval(e: Expr): Int =  
  when (e) {  
    is Expr.Num -> e.value  
    is Expr.Sum -> eval(e.right) + eval(e.left)  
  }
```

← **The “when” expression covers all possible cases, so no “else” branch is needed.**

Constructor primario

```
class User(val nickname: String)
```

```
class User constructor(_nickname: String) {  
    val nickname: String  
  
    init {  
        nickname = _nickname  
    }  
}
```

← Initializer block

← Primary constructor
with one parameter

Constructor primario

```
class User(_nickname: String) {  
    val nickname = _nickname  
}
```

Primary constructor
with one parameter

The property is initialized
with the parameter.

```
class User(val nickname: String)
```

“val” means the corresponding property is
generated for the constructor parameter.

```
class User(val nickname: String,  
           val isSubscribed: Boolean = true)
```

Provides a default value for
the constructor parameter

Constructor primario

```
>>> val alice = User("Alice")
>>> println(alice.isSubscribed)
true
```

← **Uses the default value “true”
for the isSubscribed parameter**

```
>>> val bob = User("Bob", false)
>>> println(bob.isSubscribed)
false
```

← **You can specify all parameters
according to declaration order.**

```
>>> val carol = User("Carol", isSubscribed = false)
>>> println(carol.isSubscribed)
false
```

← **You can explicitly specify
names for some
constructor arguments.**

Constructor primario

```
open class User(val nickname: String) { ... }
```

```
class TwitterUser(nickname: String) : User(nickname) { ... }
```

Constructor primario

```
open class Button
```

```
class RadioButton: Button()
```

```
class Secretive private constructor() {}
```

The default constructor without arguments is generated.

This class has a private constructor.

Constructores secundarios

```
open class View {  
    constructor(ctx: Context) {  
        // some code  
    }  
    constructor(ctx: Context, attr: AttributeSet) {  
        // some code  
    }  
}
```



Constructores secundarios

```
class MyButton : View {  
    constructor(ctx: Context)  
        : super(ctx) {  
        // ...  
    }  
    constructor(ctx: Context, attr: AttributeSet)  
        : super(ctx, attr) {  
        // ...  
    }  
}
```



**Calling superclass
constructors**

Implementado interfaces

```
interface User {  
    val nickname: String  
}
```

Implementado interfaces

```
class PrivateUser(override val nickname: String) : User
class SubscribingUser(val email: String) : User {
    override val nickname: String
        get() = email.substringBefore('@')
}
class FacebookUser(val accountId: Int) : User {
    override val nickname = getFacebookName(accountId)
}

>>> println(PrivateUser("test@kotlinlang.org").nickname)
test@kotlinlang.org
>>> println(SubscribingUser("test@kotlinlang.org").nickname)
test
```

← **Primary constructor property**

← **Custom getter**

← **Property initializer**

Métodos generados por el compilador

Métodos de object

```
class Client(val name: String, val postalCode: Int)
```

toString()

```
class Client(val name: String, val postalCode: Int) {  
    override fun toString() = "Client(name=$name, postalCode=$postalCode)"  
}
```

```
>>> val client1 = Client("Alice", 342562)  
>>> println(client1)  
Client(name=Alice, postalCode=342562)
```

equals()

```
class Client(val name: String, val postalCode: Int) {  
    override fun equals(other: Any?): Boolean {  
        if (other == null || other !is Client)  
            return false  
        return name == other.name &&  
            postalCode == other.postalCode  
    }  
    override fun toString() = "Client(name=$name, postalCode=$postalCode)"  
}
```

Checks whether "other" is a Client →

Checks whether the corresponding properties are equal →


"Any" is the analogue of java.lang.Object: a superclass of all classes in Kotlin. The nullable type "Any?" means "other" can be null. ←

hashCode()

```
class Client(val name: String, val postalCode: Int) {  
    ...  
    override fun hashCode(): Int = name.hashCode() * 31 + postalCode  
}
```

Data classes

```
data class Client(val name: String, val postalCode: Int)
```



object keyword

Singletons

```
object Payroll {  
    val allEmployees = arrayListOf<Person>()  
  
    fun calculateSalary() {  
        for (person in allEmployees) {  
            ...  
        }  
    }  
}
```

```
Payroll.allEmployees.add(Person(...))
```

```
Payroll.calculateSalary()
```

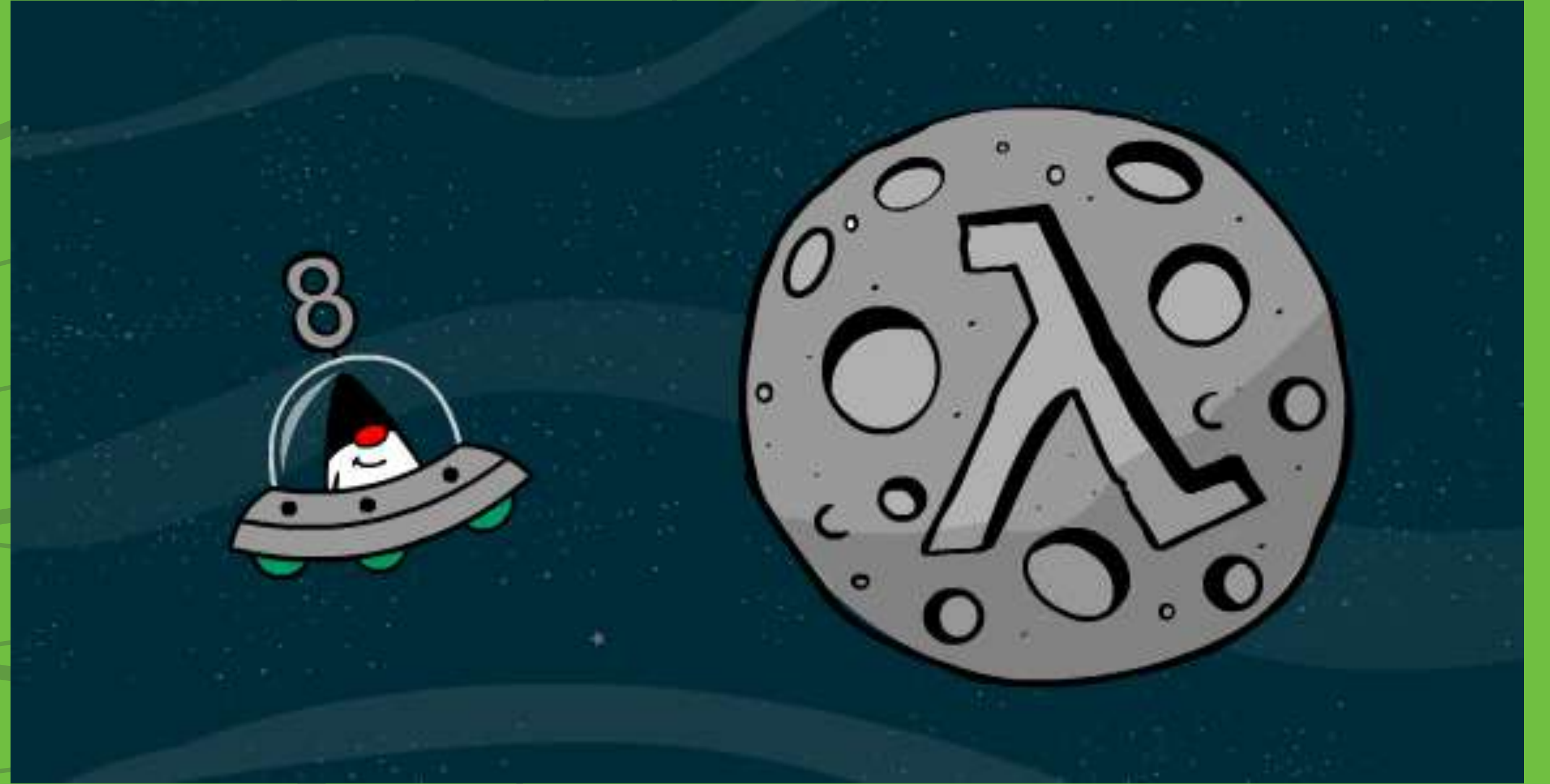
Singletons

```
data class Person(val name: String) {  
    object NameComparator : Comparator<Person> {  
        override fun compare(p1: Person, p2: Person): Int =  
            p1.name.compareTo(p2.name)  
    }  
}
```

```
>>> val persons = listOf(Person("Bob"), Person("Alice"))  
>>> println(persons.sortedWith(Person.NameComparator))  
[Person(name=Alice), Person(name=Bob)]
```

Singletons

```
/* Java */  
CaseInsensitiveFileComparator.INSTANCE.compare(file1, file2);
```



Programando con lambdas

Expresiones Lambda

```
/* Java */  
button.setOnClickListener(new OnClickListener() {  
    @Override  
    public void onClick(View view) {  
        /* actions on click */  
    }  
});
```

Kotlin

```
button.setOnClickListener { /* actions on click */ }
```


Lambdas y colecciones

```
data class Person(val name: String, val age: Int)
```

```
fun findTheOldest(people: List<Person>) {  
    var maxAge = 0  
    var theOldest: Person? = null  
    for (person in people) {  
        if (person.age > maxAge) {  
            maxAge = person.age  
            theOldest = person  
        }  
    }  
    println(theOldest)  
}
```

Stores the
maximum age

Stores a person of
the maximum age

If the next person is older
than the current oldest person,
changes the maximum

```
>>> val people = listOf(Person("Alice", 29), Person("Bob", 31))  
>>> findTheOldest(people)  
Person(name=Bob, age=31)
```

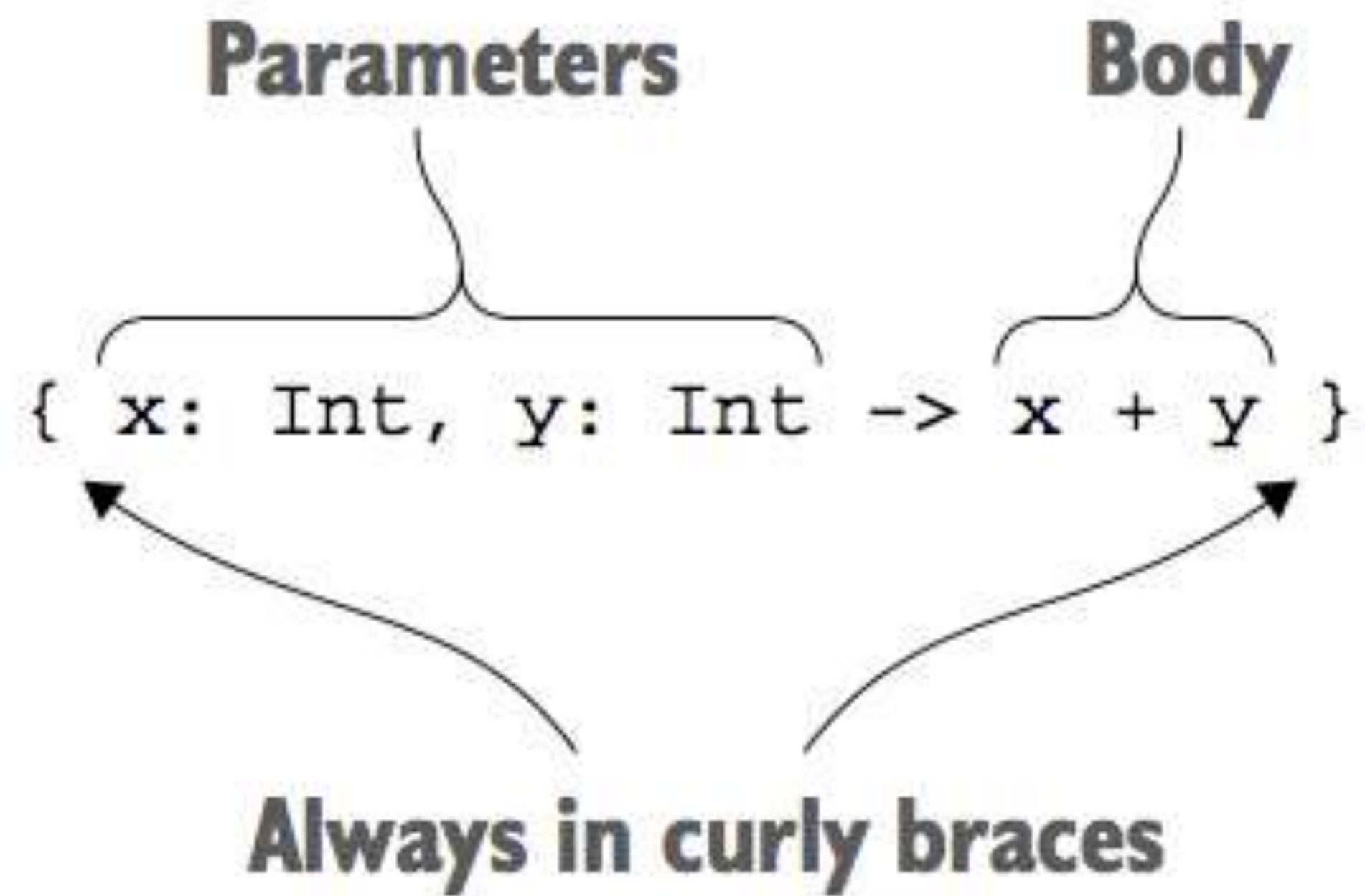
Lambdas y colecciones

```
>>> val people = listOf(Person("Alice", 29), Person("Bob", 31))
>>> println(people.maxBy { it.age })
Person(name=Bob, age=31)
```

← **Finds the maximum by
comparing the ages**

```
people.maxBy(Person::age)
```

Syntax



Sintaxis

```
>>> val sum = { x: Int, y: Int -> x + y }  
>>> println(sum(1, 2))  
3
```

← **Calls the lambda
stored in a variable**

Sintaxis

```
>>> val people = listOf(Person("Alice", 29), Person("Bob", 31))  
>>> println(people.maxBy { it.age })  
Person(name=Bob, age=31)
```

```
people.maxBy({ p: Person -> p.age })
```

Syntax

```
people.maxBy({ p: Person -> p.age })
```

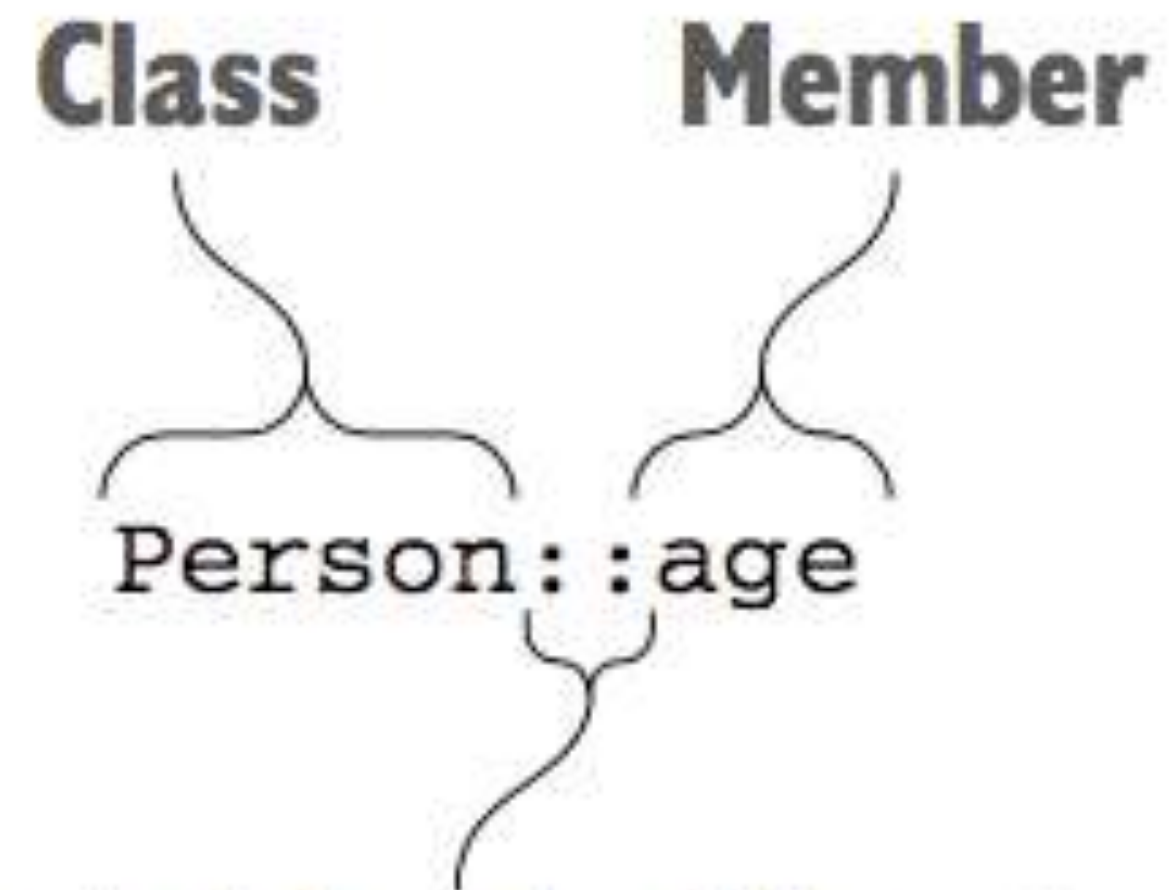
```
people.maxBy() { p: Person -> p.age }
```

```
people.maxBy { p -> p.age }
```

```
people.maxBy { it.age }
```

```
people.maxBy(Person::age)
```

Member references



Separated by double colon

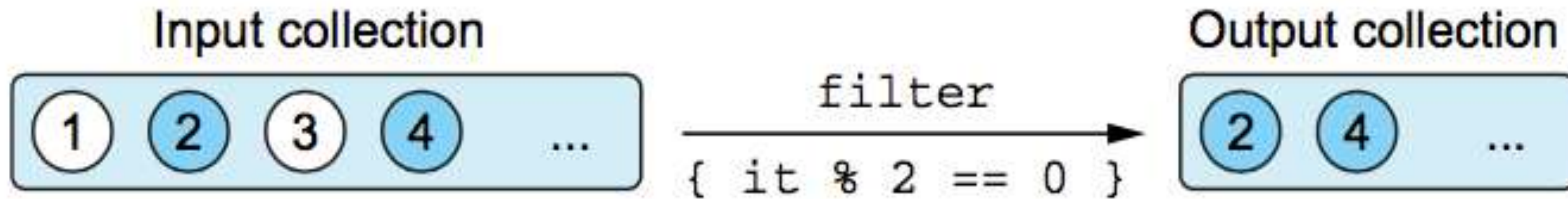
Functional APIs for collections

```
data class Person(val name: String, val age: Int)
```


filter

```
>>> val list = listOf(1, 2, 3, 4)
>>> println(list.filter { it % 2 == 0 })
[2, 4]
```

Only even numbers remain.

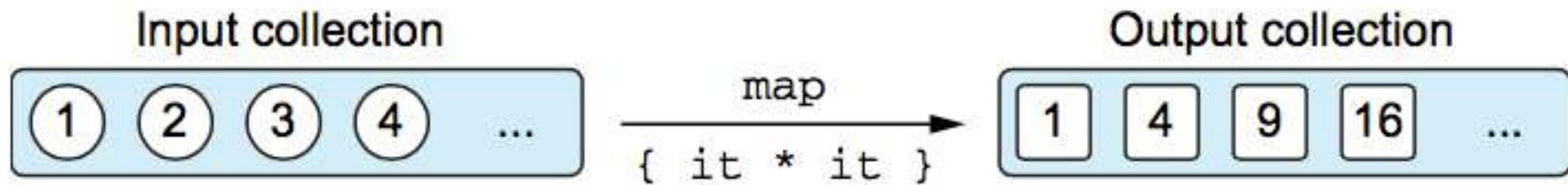


filter

```
>>> val people = listOf(Person("Alice", 29), Person("Bob", 31))
>>> println(people.filter { it.age > 30 })
[Person(name=Bob, age=31)]
```

map

```
>>> val list = listOf(1, 2, 3, 4)
>>> println(list.map { it * it })
[1, 4, 9, 16]
```



map

```
>>> val people = listOf(Person("Alice", 29), Person("Bob", 31))  
>>> println(people.map { it.name })  
[Alice, Bob]
```

```
people.map(Person::name)
```

filter y map

```
>>> people.filter { it.age > 30 }.map(Person::name)
[Bob]
```

```
>>> val numbers = mapOf(0 to "zero", 1 to "one")
>>> println(numbers.mapValues { it.value.toUpperCase() })
{0=ZERO, 1=ONE}
```

all, any, count, find

```
val canBeInClub27 = { p: Person -> p.age <= 27 }
```

all, any, count, find

```
>>> val people = listOf(Person("Alice", 27), Person("Bob", 31))
>>> println(people.all(canBeInClub27))
false
```

all, any, count, find

```
>>> println(people.any{canBeInClub27})  
true
```


all, any, count, find

```
>>> val people = listOf(Person("Alice", 27), Person("Bob", 31))
>>> println(people.count(canBeInClub27))
1
```

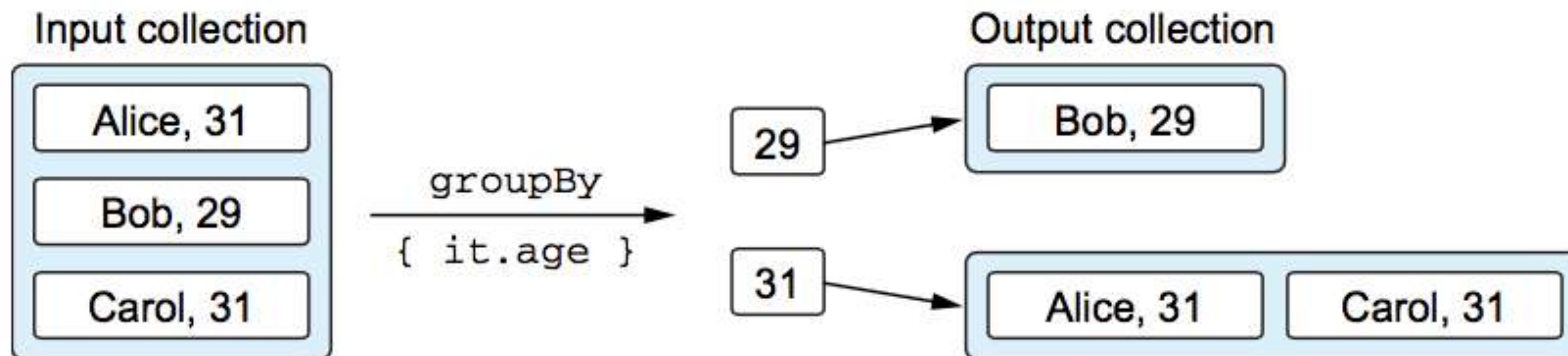
all, any, count, find

```
>>> val people = listOf(Person("Alice", 27), Person("Bob", 31))  
>>> println(people.find(canBeInClub27))  
Person(name=Alice, age=27)
```

groupBy

```
>>> val people = listOf(Person("Alice", 31),  
...           Person("Bob", 29), Person("Carol", 31))  
>>> println(people.groupBy { it.age })
```

```
{29= [Person(name=Bob, age=29)],  
 31= [Person(name=Alice, age=31), Person(name=Carol, age=31)] }
```



groupBy

```
>>> val list = listOf("a", "ab", "b")  
>>> println(list.groupBy(String::first))  
{a=[a, ab], b=[b]}
```

flatMap, flatten

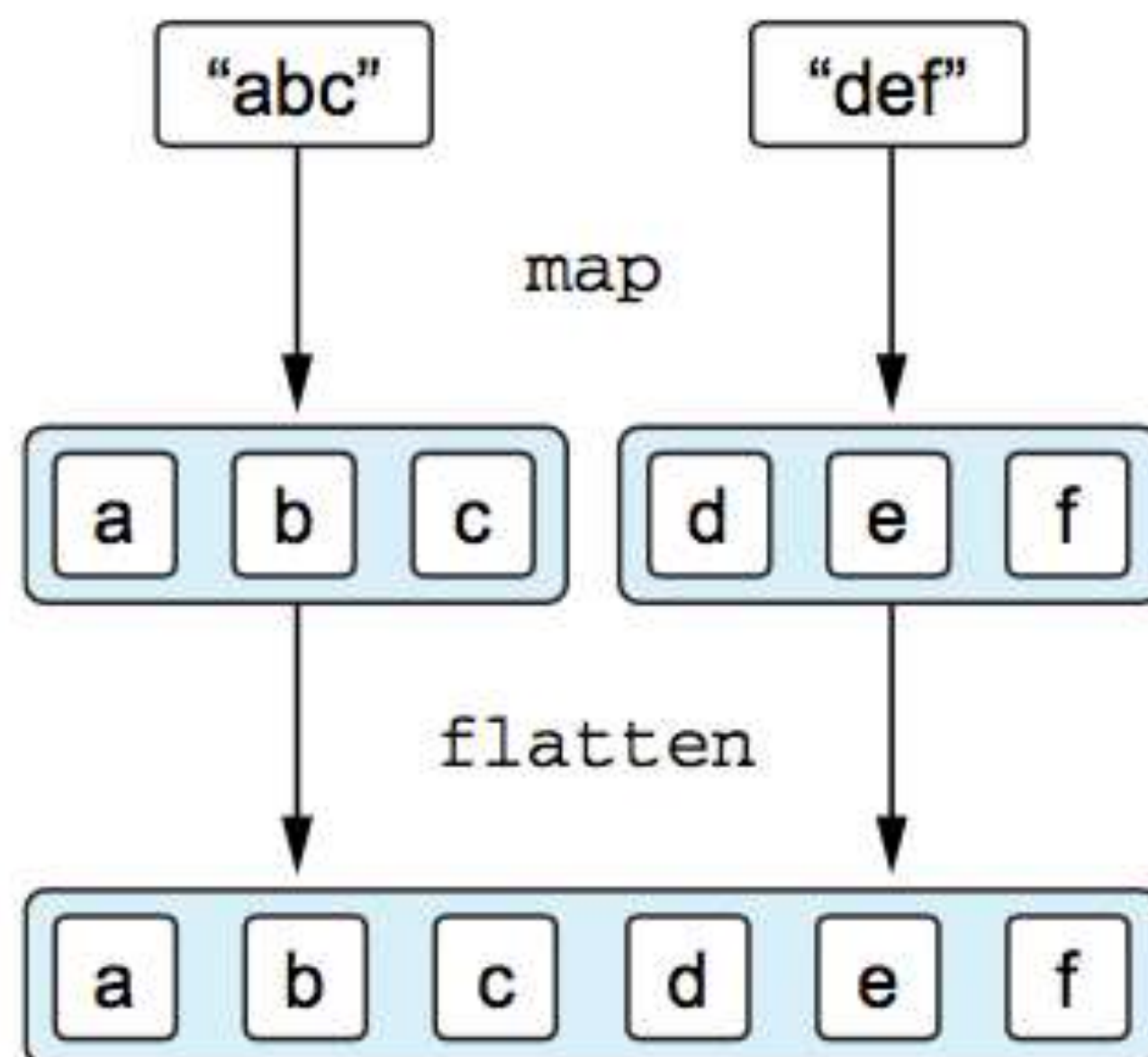
```
class Book(val title: String, val authors: List<String>)
```

```
books.flatMap { it.authors }.toSet()
```

← **Set of all authors who wrote
books in the “books” collection**

flatMap, flatten

```
>>> val strings = listOf("abc", "def")  
>>> println(strings.flatMap { it.toList() })  
[a, b, c, d, e, f]
```



flatMap, flatten

```
>>> val books = listOf(Book("Thursday Next", listOf("Jasper Fforde")),
...                    Book("Mort", listOf("Terry Pratchett")),
...                    Book("Good Omens", listOf("Terry Pratchett",
...                                             "Neil Gaiman")))
>>> println(books.flatMap { it.authors }.toSet())
[Jasper Fforde, Terry Pratchett, Neil Gaiman]
```

Usando interfaces java

```
/* Java */  
public class Button {  
    public void setOnClickListener(OnClickListener l) { ... }  
}
```

```
/* Java */  
public interface OnClickListener {  
    void onClick(View v);  
}
```


Usando interfaces java

```
button.setOnClickListener(new OnClickListener() {  
    @Override  
    public void onClick(View v) {  
        ...  
    }  
})
```

```
button.setOnClickListener { view -> ... }
```

```
public interface OnClickListener {  
    void onClick(View v);  
}
```

→ { view -> ... }

Algunas funciones de Kotlin

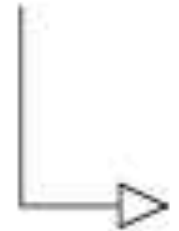
```
fun alphabet(): String {
    val result = StringBuilder()
    for (letter in 'A'..'Z') {
        result.append(letter)
    }
    result.append("\nNow I know the alphabet!")
    return result.toString()
}

>>> println(alphabet())
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
Now I know the alphabet!
```

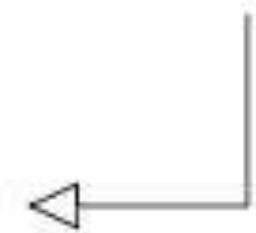
with

```
fun alphabet(): String {  
    val stringBuilder = StringBuilder()  
    return with(stringBuilder) {  
        for (letter in 'A'..'Z') {  
            this.append(letter)  
        }  
        append("\nNow I know the alphabet!")  
        this.toString()  
    }  
}
```

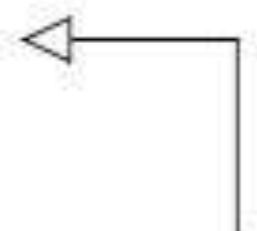
**Calls a method,
omitting "this"**



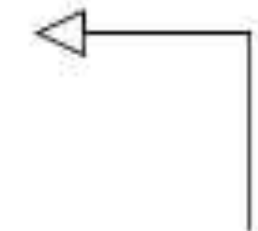
**Specifies the receiver value on
which you're calling the methods**



**Calls a method on the receiver
value though an explicit "this"**



**Returns a value
from the lambda**



apply

```
fun alphabet() = StringBuilder().apply {  
    for (letter in 'A'..'Z') {  
        append(letter)  
    }  
    append("\nNow I know the alphabet!")  
}.toString()
```

Sistema de tipos de Kotlin





Nullability

Nullable types

```
/* Java */  
int strLen(String s) {  
    return s.length();  
}
```

```
fun strLen(s: String) = s.length
```

```
>>> strLen(null)  
ERROR: Null can not be a value of a non-null type String
```

Nullable types

```
fun strLenSafe(s: String?) = ...
```

`Type?` = `Type` or `null`

Nullable types

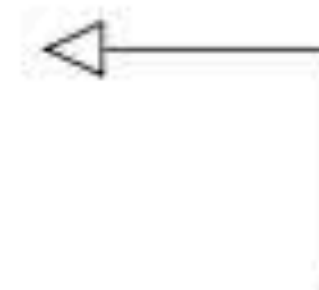
```
>>> fun strLenSafe(s: String?) = s.length()
ERROR: only safe (?.) or non-null asserted (!!.) calls are allowed
on a nullable receiver of type kotlin.String?
```

```
>>> val x: String? = null
>>> var y: String = x
ERROR: Type mismatch: inferred type is String? but String was expected
```

Nullable types

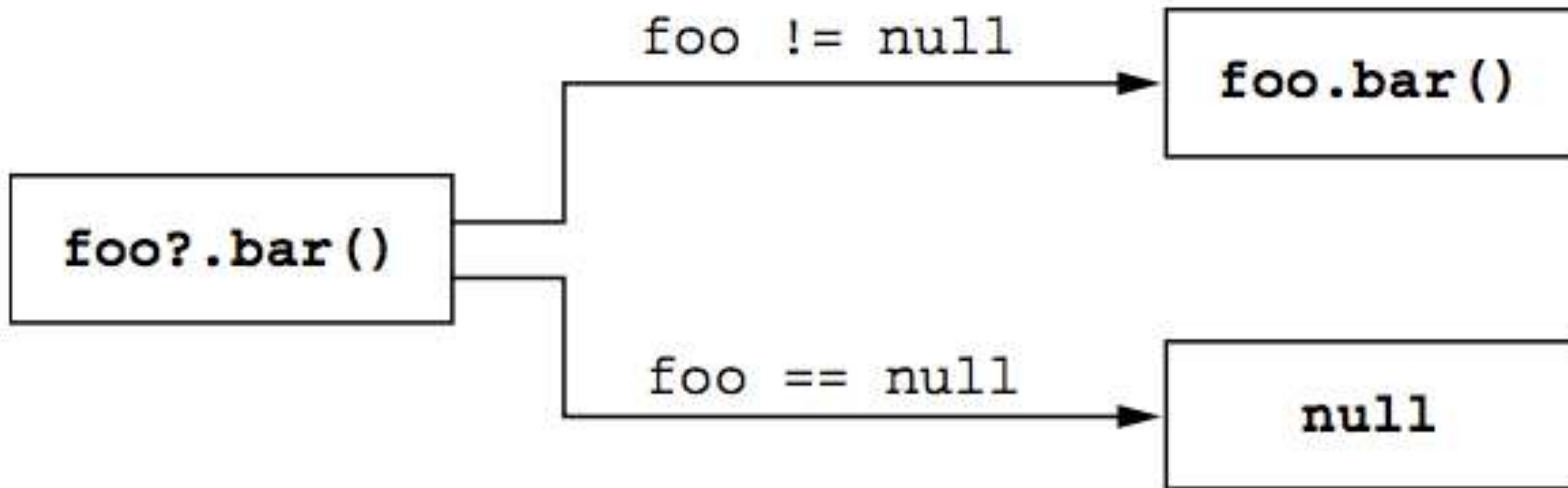
```
fun strLenSafe(s: String?): Int =  
    if (s != null) s.length else 0
```

```
>>> val x: String? = null  
>>> println(strLenSafe(x))  
0  
>>> println(strLenSafe("abc"))  
3
```



**By adding the check for null,
the code now compiles.**

Safe call operator “?.”



Safe call operator “?.”

```
fun printAllCaps(s: String?) {  
    val allCaps: String? = s?.toUpperCase()  
    println(allCaps)  
}
```

```
>>> printAllCaps("abc")  
ABC  
>>> printAllCaps(null)  
null
```

← **allCaps may
be null.**

Safe call operator “?.”

```
class Employee(val name: String, val manager: Employee?)

fun managerName(employee: Employee): String? = employee.manager?.name

>>> val ceo = Employee("Da Boss", null)
>>> val developer = Employee("Bob Smith", ceo)
>>> println(managerName(developer))
Da Boss
>>> println(managerName(ceo))
null
```

Safe call operator “?.”

```
class Address(val streetAddress: String, val zipCode: Int,  
              val city: String, val country: String)
```

```
class Company(val name: String, val address: Address?)
```

```
class Person(val name: String, val company: Company?)
```

```
fun Person.countryName(): String {  
    val country = this.company?.address?.country  
    return if (country != null) country else "Unknown"  
}
```

```
>>> val person = Person("Dmitry", null)
```

```
>>> println(person.countryName())
```

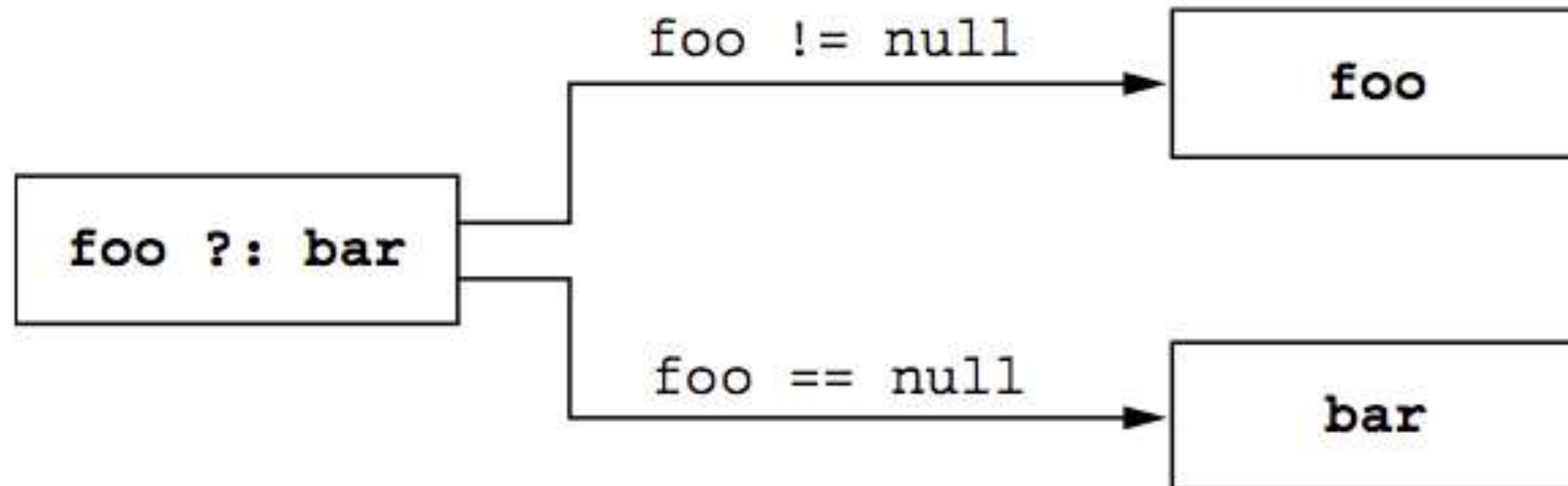
```
Unknown
```

← **Several safe-call operators can be in a chain.**

Elvis operator “?:”

```
fun foo(s: String?) {  
    val t: String = s ?: ""  
}
```

If “s” is null, the result is an empty string.



Elvis operator “?:”



```
fun strlenSafe(s: String?): Int = s?.length ?: 0
```

```
>>> println(strlenSafe("abc"))
```

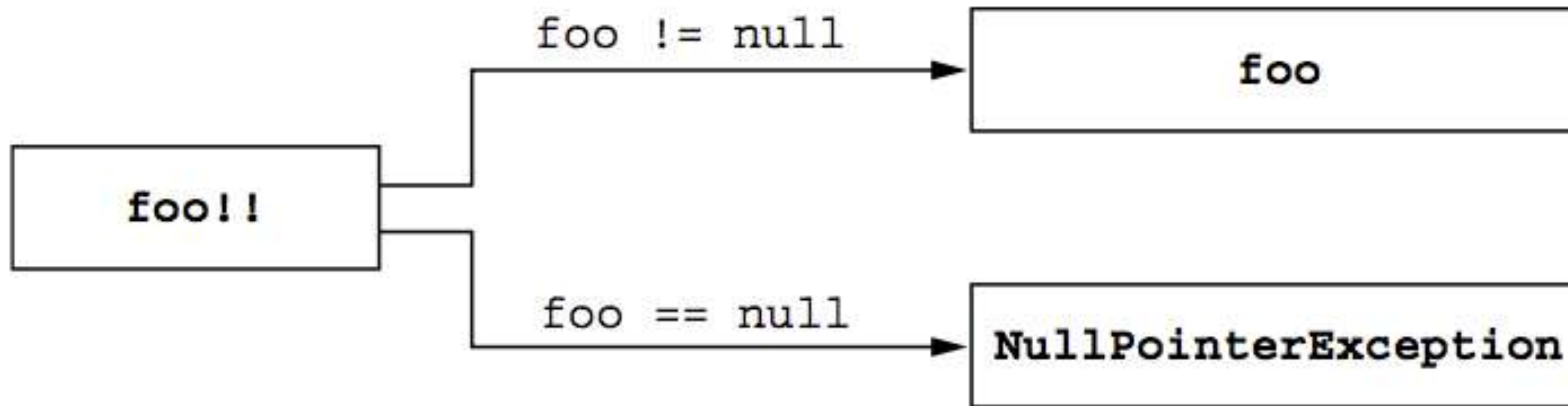
```
3
```

```
>>> println(strlenSafe(null))
```

```
0
```

```
fun Person.countryName() =  
    company?.address?.country ?: "Unknown"
```


Not-null assertions: “!!”



Not-null assertions: “!!”

```
class CopyRowAction(val list: JList<String>) : AbstractAction() {  
    override fun isEnabled(): Boolean =  
        list.selectedValue != null  
  
    override fun actionPerformed(e: ActionEvent) {  
        val value = list.selectedValue!!  
        // copy value to clipboard  
    }  
}
```

← **actionPerformed is called only if isEnabled returns “true”.**

let

```
fun sendEmailTo(email: String) { /*...*/ }
```

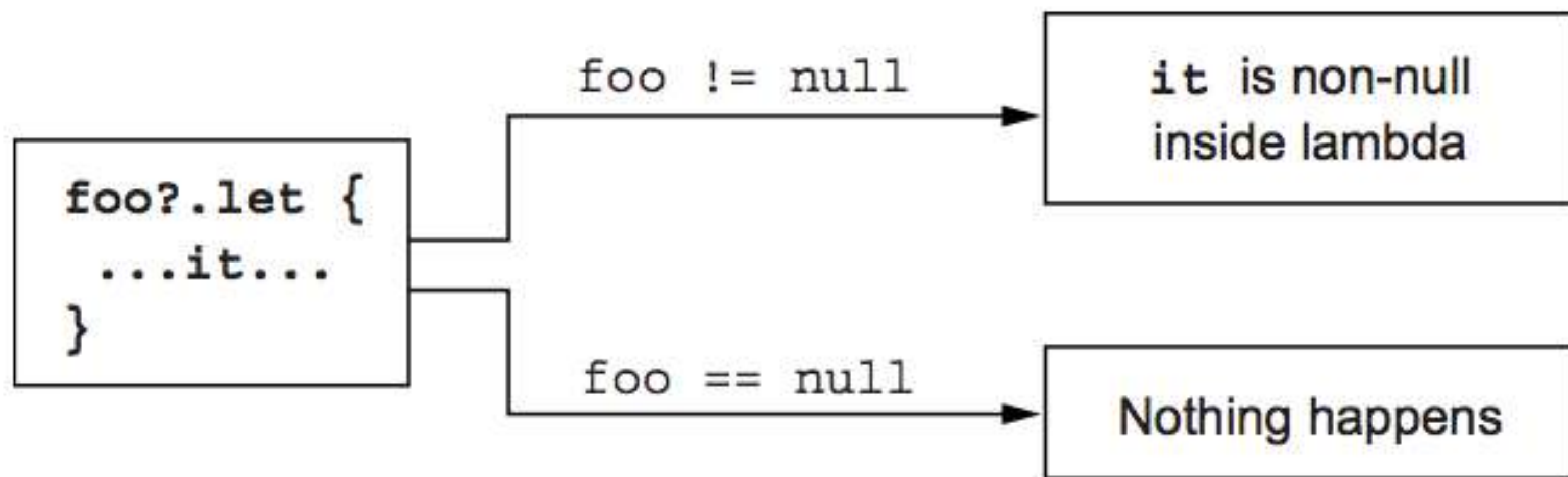
```
>>> val email: String? = ...
```

```
>>> sendEmailTo(email)
```

```
ERROR: Type mismatch: inferred type is String? but String was expected
```

```
if (email != null) sendEmailTo(email)
```

let



let

```
email?.let { email -> sendEmailTo(email) }
```

```
email?.let { sendEmailTo(it) }
```

let

```
val person: Person? = getTheBestPersonInTheWorld()  
if (person != null) sendEmailTo(person.email)
```

```
getTheBestPersonInTheWorld()?.let { sendEmailTo(it.email) }
```

Tipos primitivos y otros tipos básicos

```
val i: Int = 1  
val list: List<Int> = listOf(1, 2, 3)
```

Tipos primitivos

- *Integer types*—Byte, Short, Int, Long
- *Floating-point number types*—Float, Double
- *Character type*—Char
- *Boolean type*—Boolean

Nullable primitive type

```
data class Person(val name: String,
                  val age: Int? = null) {

    fun isOlderThan(other: Person): Boolean? {
        if (age == null || other.age == null)
            return null
        return age > other.age
    }
}

>>> println(Person("Sam", 35).isOlderThan(Person("Amy", 42)))
false
>>> println(Person("Sam", 35).isOlderThan(Person("Jane")))
null
```

Conversiones de números

```
val i = 1  
val l: Long = i
```

← **Error: type mismatch**

```
val i = 1  
val l: Long = i.toLong()
```

Tipos base “Any” and “Any?”

```
val answer: Any = 42
```



“Unit”: el “void” de Kotlin

```
fun f(): Unit { ... }
```

```
fun f() { ... }
```

**Explicit Unit declaration
is omitted**



“Unit”: el “void” de Kotlin

```
interface Processor<T> {  
    fun process(): T  
}
```

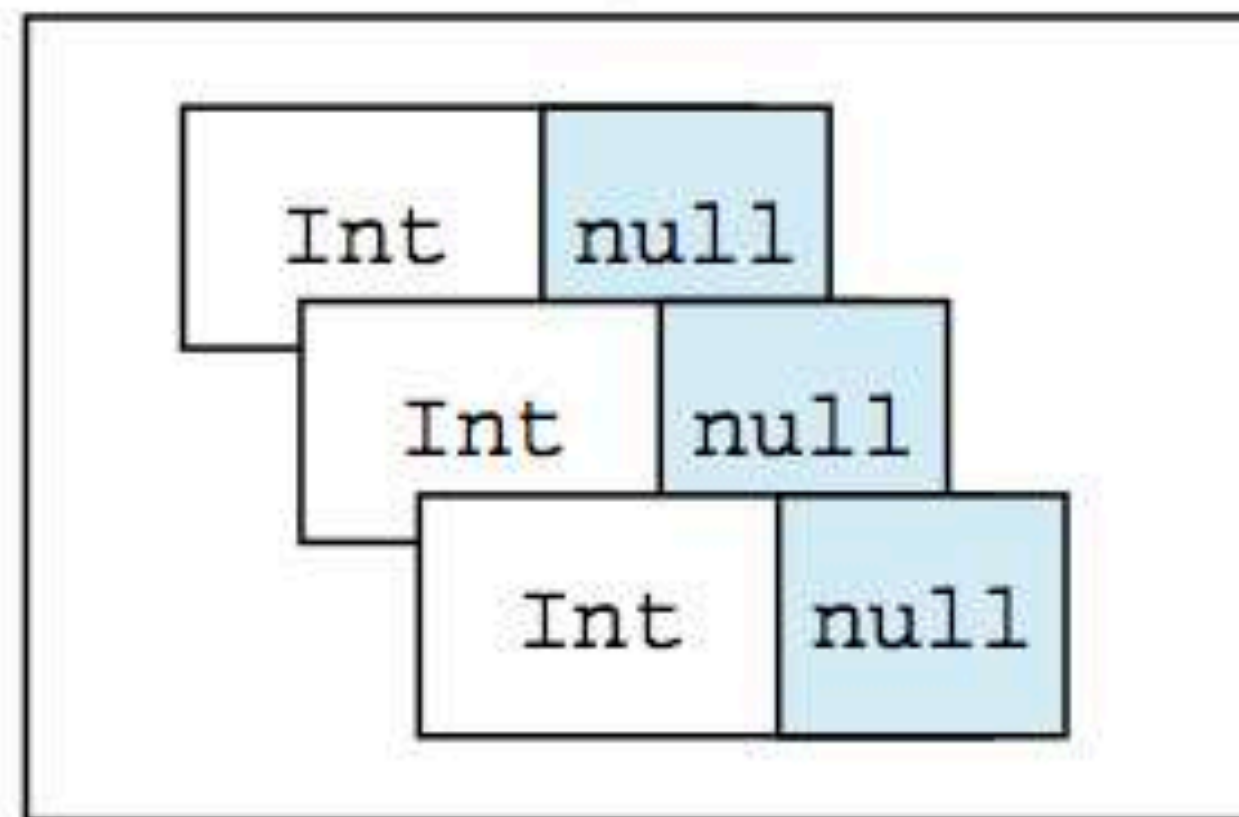
```
class NoResultProcessor : Processor<Unit> {  
    override fun process() {  
        // do stuff  
    }  
}
```

← Returns Unit, but you omit the type specification

← You don't need an explicit return here.

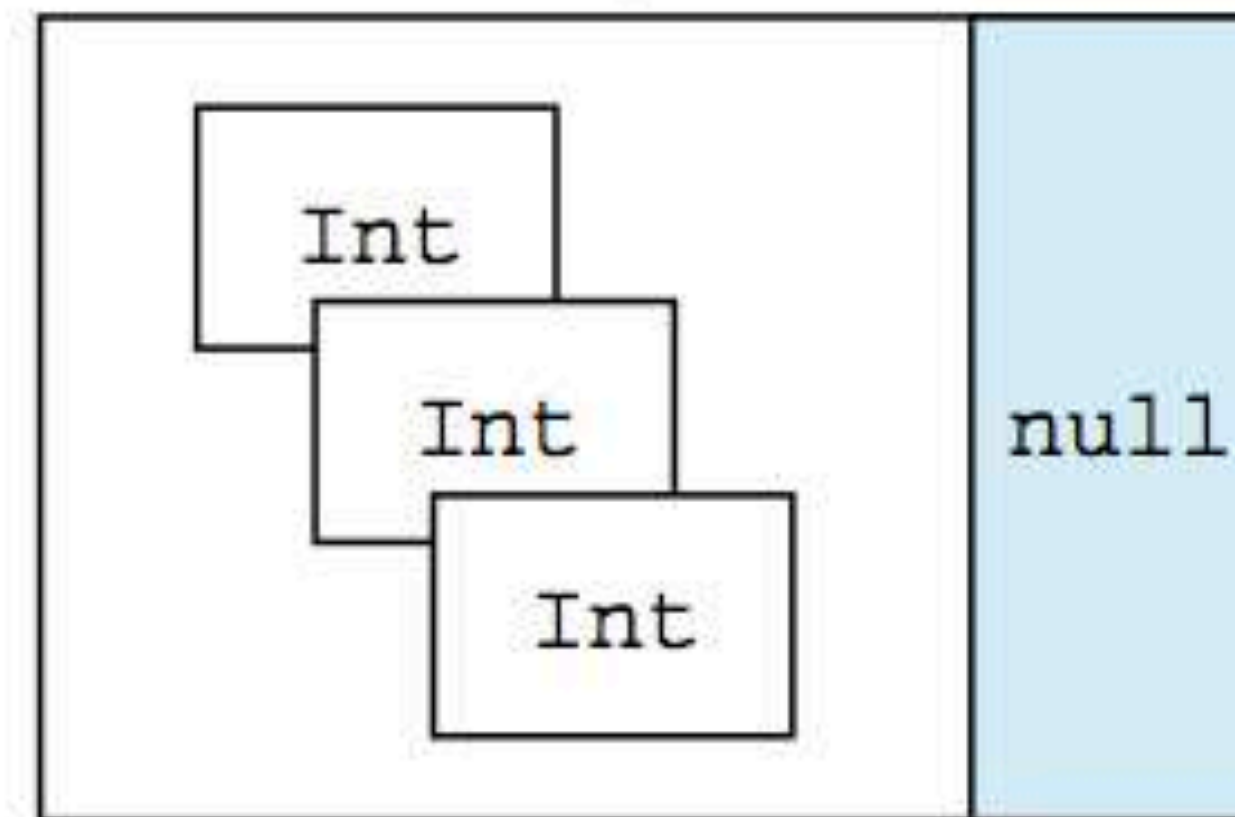
Nullability and collections

Individual values are nullable within the list.



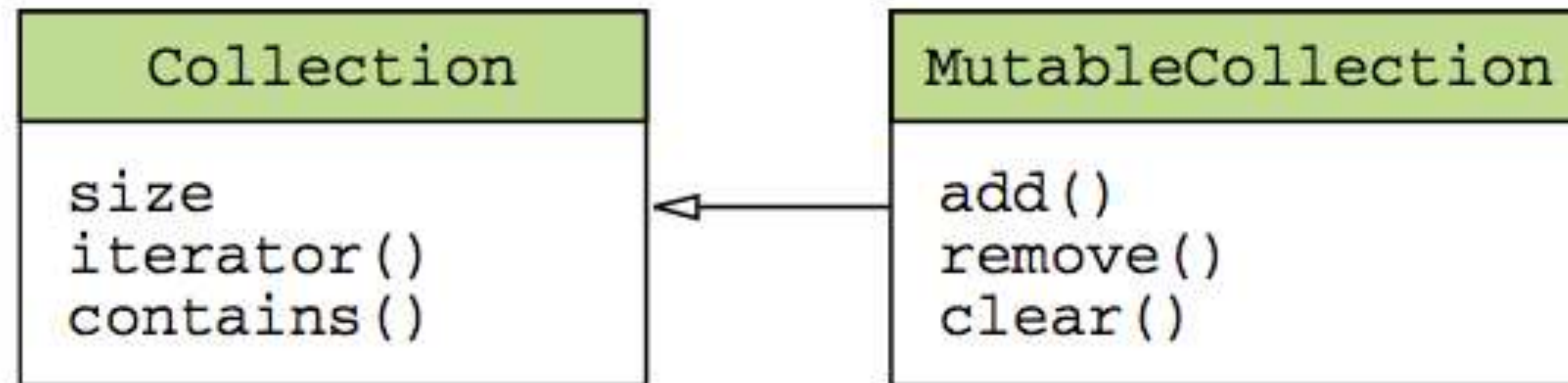
`List<Int?>`

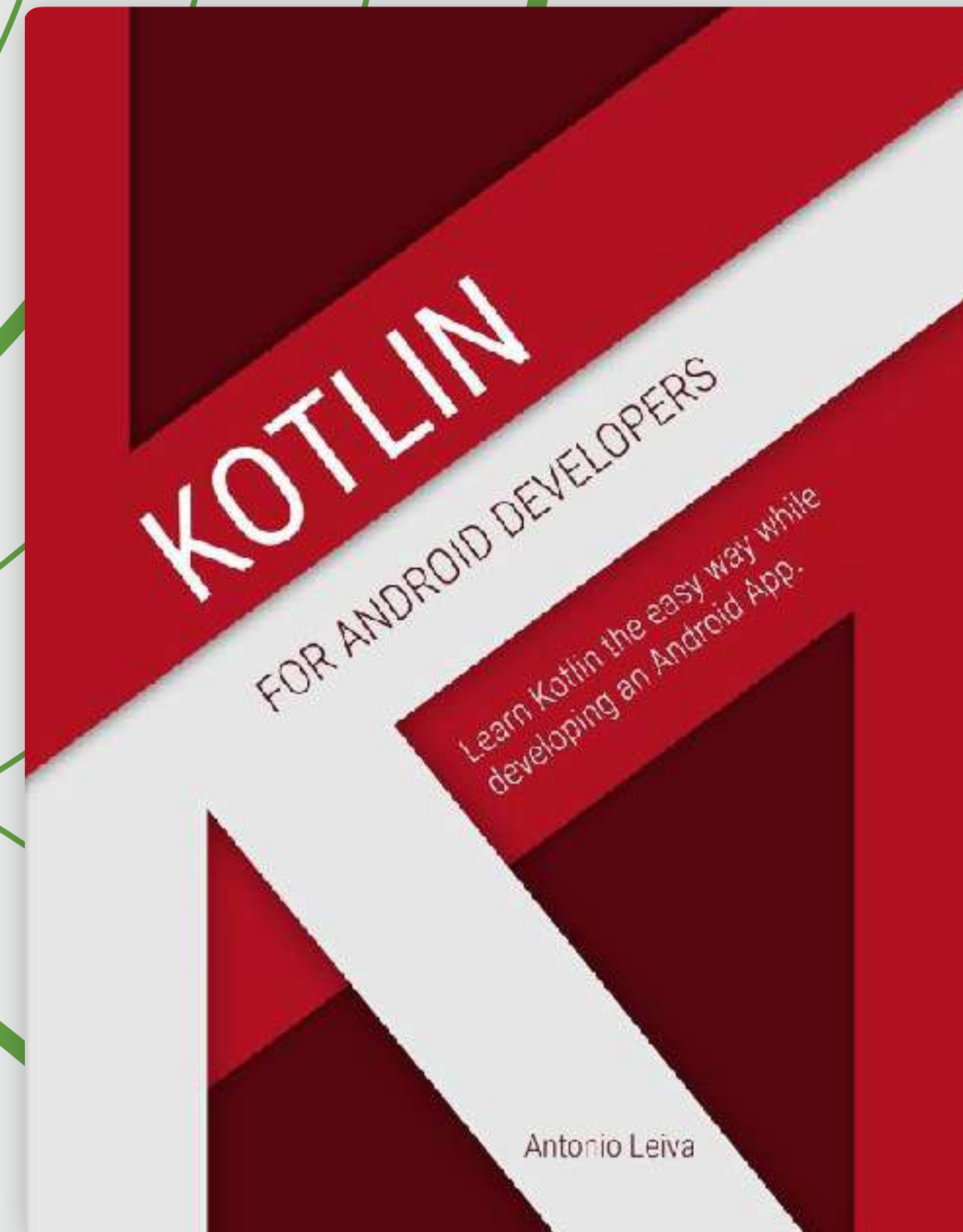
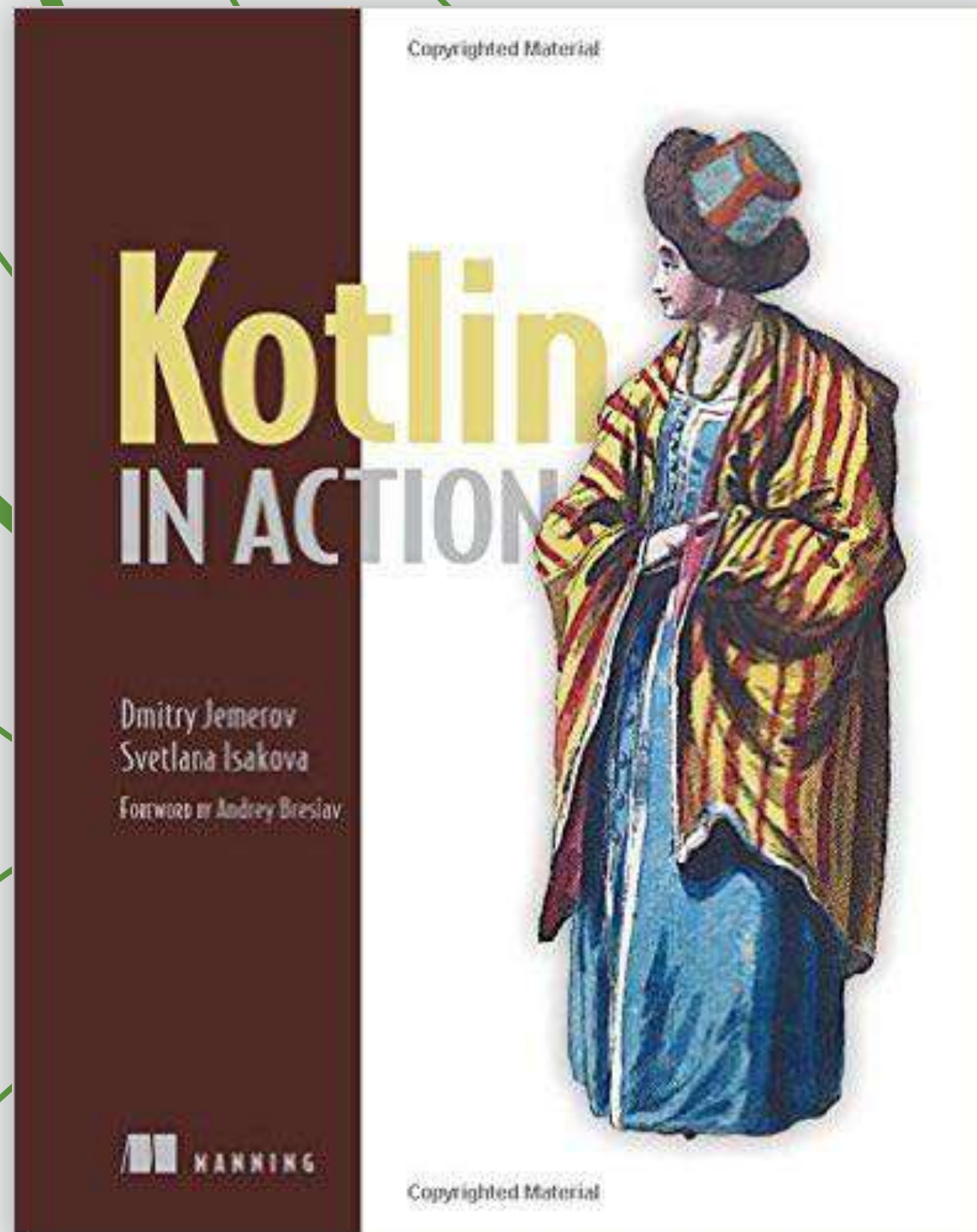
Entire list is nullable.



`List<Int>?`

Read-only and mutable collections





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