

# Exercises: Lambda Expressions Part 2

These exercises are dramatically easier than the previous set. Start by copying and renaming your project from the previous set of exercises.

1. **The `@FunctionalInterface` annotation.** Add the annotation to your two interfaces (`TwoStringPredicate` and `TwoElementPredicate`). Does adding this annotation change the behavior of your code? What happens if you try to add a second abstract method to `TwoStringPredicate`?
2. **Method references.** On the previous set of exercises, your solutions to the sorting problems looked something like this:

- Bullet 1 `Arrays.sort(words, (s1,s2) -> someValue);`
- Bullet 2 `Arrays.sort(words, (s1,s2) -> someValue);`
- Bullet 3 `Arrays.sort(words, (s1,s2) -> someValue);`
- Bullet 4 `Arrays.sort(words, (s1,s2) -> { some code;  
  some more code;  
  even more code;  
  return(someValue); }`
- Bullet 5 `Arrays.sort(words, (s1,s2) -> Utils.yourMethod(s1,s2))`

For that very last example (bullet 5), replace the explicit lambda with a method reference.

3. **More method references.** Following is some imaginary code; you can get this code by copying `method-references.txt` from the `lambdas-2-exercises` project. Change each to use method references instead of explicit lambdas. Hint: you can do this without knowing what any of the code does.

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method1(x, y, d -> Math.cos(d));  
someList.forEach(entry -> System.out.println(entry));  
method2(a, b, c, (d1,d2) -> Math.pow(d1,d2));  
someStream.reduce(0, (i1,i2) -> Integer.sum(i1, i2));  
method3(foo, bar, (a,b,c) -> Utils.doSomethingWith(a,b,c));  
method4(() -> Math.random());
```