

JAVA COMPILATION – UKELELE VERSION

Words by Henry Gardner, to the tune of “The Black Cat Piddled in the White Cat’s Eye”
(traditional Australian folk tune)

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D *A*

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I've lost a curly bracket and my block is out of scope,

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So I type a curly bracket and for the best I hope

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But my efforts won't compile and my plans go up in smoke!

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My sub-class extends super and calls a method there,

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My sub-class extends super and calls something somewhere,

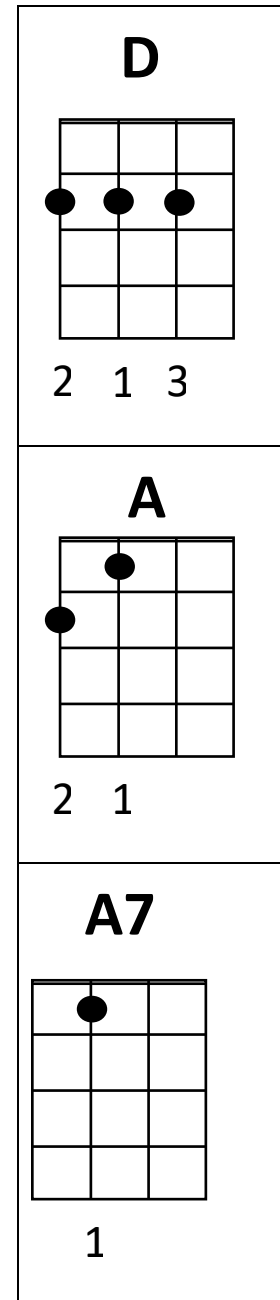
A

But there is no resolution for that method invocation,

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And the compiler has a mouthful that denies interpretation!

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