

Elementary Programming

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Trace a Program Execution

public class ComputeArea {

```
/** Main method */
public static void main(String[] args) {
   double radius;
   double area;
```

```
// Assign a radius
radius = 20;
```

```
// Compute area
area = radius * radius * 3.14159;
```

```
// Display results
System.out.println("The area for the circle of radius " +
  radius + " is " + area);
```

🖏 Command Prompt	<u>_ </u>
c:∖book>java ComputeArea The area for the circle of radius 20.0 :	is 1256.636 🛓
•	► [].

memory			
radius	20		
area	1256.636		

Identifiers

- An identifier is a sequence of characters that consist of letters, digits, underscores (_), and dollar signs (\$).
- An identifier must start with a letter, an underscore (_), or a dollar sign (\$). It cannot start with a digit.
 - An identifier cannot be a reserved word. (See Appendix A, "Java Keywords").
- An identifier cannot be true, false, or null.
- An identifier can be of any length.



Declaring Variables

int x; // Declare x to be an integer variable

double radius; // Declare radius to be a double variable

char a; // Declare a to be a character variable

Assignment Statements

x = 1; // Assign 1 to x

radius = 1.0; // Assign 1.0 to radius

a = 'A'; // Assign 'A' to a

Declaring and Initializing

- in One Step
 - int x = 1;
 - double d = 1.4;

Named Constants

final datatype CONSTANTNAME = VALUE;

final double PI = 3.14159;



final int SIZE = 3;

Naming Conventions

- Choose meaningful and descriptive names.
- Variables and method names:
 - Use lowercase.
 - If the name consists of several words, concatenate all in one, use lowercase for the first word, and capitalize the first letter of each subsequent word in the name.
 - For example, the variables radius and area, and the method computeArea.



Naming Conventions, cont.

Class names:

- Capitalize the first letter of each word in the name.
- For example, the class name **ComputeArea**.

Constants:

- Capitalize all letters in constants, and use underscores to connect words.
- For example, the constant PI and MAX_VALUE

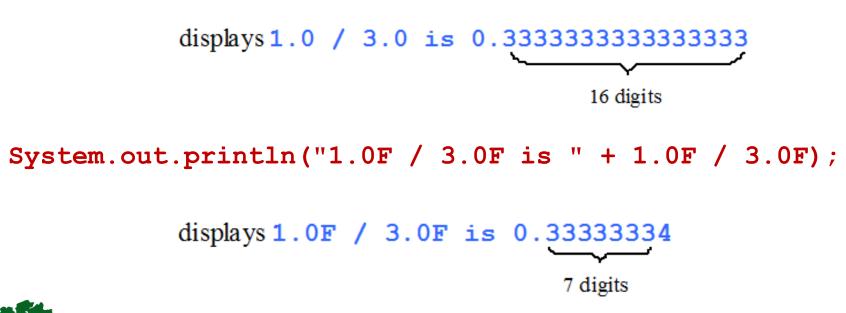
Numerical Data Types

Name	Range	Storage Size
byte	-2^7 to $2^7 - 1$ (-128 to 127)	8-bit signed
short	-2^{15} to $2^{15} - 1$ (-32768 to 32767)	16-bit signed
int	-2^{31} to $2^{31} - 1$ (-2147483648 to 2147483647)	32-bit signed
long	-2 ⁶³ to 2 ⁶³ - 1 (i.e., -9223372036854775808 to 9223372036854775807)	64-bit signed
float	Negative range: -3.4028235E+38 to -1.4E-45 Positive range: 1.4E-45 to 3.4028235E+38	32-bit IEEE 754
double	Negative range: -1.7976931348623157E+308 to -4.9E-324	64-bit IEEE 754
	Positive range: 4.9E-324 to 1.7976931348623157E+308	8

double vs. float

The double type values are more accurate than the float type values. For example,

System.out.println("1.0 / 3.0 is " + 1.0 / 3.0);



Increment and Decrement Operators

Operator	Name	Description	Example (assume $i = 1$)
++var	preincrement	Increment var by 1 , and use the new var value in the statement	<pre>int j = ++i; // j is 2, i is 2</pre>
var++	postincrement	Increment var by 1 , but use the original var value in the statement	<pre>int j = i++; // j is 1, i is 2</pre>
var	predecrement	Decrement var by 1 , and use the new var value in the statement	<pre>int j =i; // j is 0, i is 0</pre>
var—	postdecrement	Decrement var by 1 , and use the original var value in the statement	int j = i; // j is 1, i is 0



Numeric Type Conversion

Consider the following statements:

byte i = 100;

long k = i * 3 + 4;

double d = i * 3.1 + k / 2;



Conversion Rules

- When performing a binary operation involving two operands of different types, Java automatically converts the operand based on the following rules:
- 1. If one of the operands is **double**, the other is converted into double.
- 2. Otherwise, if one of the operands is **float**, the other is converted into float.
- 3. Otherwise, if one of the operands is **long**, the other is converted into long.

Otherwise, both operands are converted into int.

Type Casting

Implicit casting double d = 3;

(type widening)

Explicit casting

int i = (int)3.0; int i = (int)3.9; (type narrowing)(Fraction part is truncated)

What is wrong?

int x = 6 / 2.0;

range increases

byte, short, int, long, float, double

Character Data Type

char letter = 'A'; (ASCII)
char numChar = '4'; (ASCII)
char letter = '\u0041'; (Unicode)
char numChar = '\u0034'; (Unicode)

NOTE: The increment and decrement operators can also be used on **char** variables to get the next or preceding Unicode character. For example, the following statements display character **b**.

char ch = 'a';



System.out.println(++ch);

The String Type

The char type only represents one character. To represent a string of characters, use the data type called String. For example:

String message = "Welcome to Java!";

String is actually a predefined class in the Java library.

The String type is not a primitive type. It is known as a *reference type*.



String Concatenation

// Three strings are concatenated

String message = "Welcome " + "to " + "Java";

// String Chapter is concatenated with number 2
String s = "Chapter" + 2; // s becomes Chapter2

// String Supplement is concatenated with character B
String s1 = "Supplement" + 'B'; // s1 becomes SupplementB



Console Input

You can use the Scanner class for console input.

Java uses System.in to refer to the standard input device (i.e. Keyboard).

```
import java.util.Scanner;
public class Test{
  public static void main(String[] s){
    Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in);
    System.out.println("Enter X : ");
     int x = input.nextInt();
     System.out.println("You entered: "+ x);
```

Reading Numbers from the Keyboard

Scanner input = new Scanner(System.in); int value = input.nextInt();

Method	Description
nextByte()	reads an integer of the byte type.
nextShort()	reads an integer of the short type.
<pre>nextInt()</pre>	reads an integer of the int type.
nextLong()	reads an integer of the long type.
<pre>nextFloat()</pre>	reads a number of the float type.
nextDouble()	reads a number of the double type.