

# User defined Exception

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package customExceptionProgram;
public class OwnException extends Exception
{
// Declare default constructor.
OwnException()
{
}

}
}

public class MyClass {
public static void main(String[] args)
{
try
{
// Create an object of user defined exception and throw it using throw clause.
OwnException obj = new OwnException();
throw obj;
}
catch (OwnException ex)
{
System.out.println("Caught a user defined exception");
}
}
}
```

```
public class OwnException extends Exception
{
// Declare parameterized constructor with String as a parameter.
OwnException(String str)
{
super(str); // Call super exception class constructor.
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    }
}

public class MyClass {
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        try
        {
            // Create an object of user defined exception and throw it using throw clause.
            OwnException obj = new OwnException("Creating user defined exception");
            throw obj;

            // or, throw new OwnException("Creating user defined exception");
        }
        catch (OwnException ex)
        {
            System.out.println("Caught a user defined exception");
            System.out.println(ex.getMessage());
        }
    }
}

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public class InvalidAgeException extends Exception
{
    // Declare a parameterized exception with string str as a parameter.
    InvalidAgeException(String str)
    {
        super(str);
    }
}

import java.util.Scanner;
public class TestClass
{
    private static int age;
    static void validate() throws InvalidAgeException
    {

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Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);
System.out.println("Enter your age");
age = sc.nextInt();

if(age < 18)
throw new InvalidAgeException("Invalid Age, You are not eligible to vote");
else
System.out.println("Welcome to vote");
}

public static void main(String[] args)
{
try
{
validate();
}
catch(Exception e)
{
System.out.println("Caught an Exception: \n "+e);
}
}
}
```