



# ROAD-TO-NINJA

Core Java - Beginner (Part 4)

Standard IO, String, Date-TimeZone-Locale

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Question?



## ☼ Standard Input/Output

- STDOUT
- STDERR
- STDIN
- Interactive/Prompt

## ☼ String Manipulation

- Length/SizeMatch

## ☼ Date

- Calendar
- TimeZone
- Locale



# STANDARD INPUT & OUTPUT



- Standard output.
- This output can be printed in console or pipe to another command/process.
- Usually with exit code 0 which means program terminated without any error.

```
System.out.print("Hello");  
System.out.println("Hello World");  
System.out.printf("%s - %s", "Hello", "World");
```



- Standard error.
- Similar to STDOUT but only for error purpose.
- Usually will comes with exit code > 0.
- Cannot be piped to another program as STDIN.

```
System.err.print("Hello");  
System.err.println("Hello World");  
System.err.printf("%s - %s", "Hello", "World");  
System.exit(1);
```

```
Unix/Linux/Mac/Solaris:  
> echo $?
```

```
Windows:  
> echo %errorlevel%
```



- Standard input.
- Input comes from previous command's STDOUT.

```
public class FirstApp {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        System.out.println("Hello World");  
    }  
}
```

```
public class SecondApp {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        byte[] buffer = new byte[8192];  
        int read = 0;  
        try (InputStream stdin = System.in;  
            ByteArrayOutputStream outputStream = new ByteArrayOutputStream()) {  
            while ((read = stdin.read(buffer)) != -1) {  
                outputStream.write(buffer, 0, read);  
            }  
            byte[] outArray = outputStream.toByteArray();  
            String stdinStr = new String(outArray, StandardCharsets.UTF_8);  
            System.out.println("From STDIN: " + stdinStr);  
        }  
        catch (IOException e) {  
            e.printStackTrace();  
        }  
    }  
}
```



```
> java FirstApp | java SecondApp  
From STDIN: Hello World
```





# INTERACTIVE

- Prompt input for user interaction or manual entry for data feed.

```
try (Scanner scanner = new Scanner(System.in)) {  
    System.out.print("Enter message: ");  
    String message = scanner.nextLine();  
  
    System.out.print("Enter a number: ");  
    int num1 = scanner.nextInt();  
  
    for (int i = 1; i <= num1; i++) {  
        System.out.println(i + " - " + message);  
    }  
}
```

Get all input after  
user press  
enter/return

Get single user  
input before space  
entered by user.

```
Enter message: Hello World  
Enter a number: 5  
1 - Hello World  
2 - Hello World  
3 - Hello World  
4 - Hello World  
5 - Hello World
```



“  
Strings  
”



# STRING

- Sequence of characters.
- Can be manipulated as a whole or partial.

## ➤ Length / Count

Number of characters.

```
String a = "Hello";  
int length = a.length();
```

## ➤ Actual size in byte

Number of bytes used to store the string.

```
String a = "Hello";  
int size = a.getBytes().length;
```

## ➤ Blank

same as  
if `a.length() = 0`

```
String a = "HELLO";  
boolean empty = a.isEmpty();
```



# CHARACTER SETS

- Usually in Unicode (UTF-8) character sets to support other region font types and custom types.
- Most of the time, we use 1 byte character.
- There are multi-bytes characters that used around the world

**ISO/IEC 8859-1**  
8 bits / 1 byte only

Not good for  
internationalisation

**Windows-1252**  
8 bits / 1 byte only  
Latin characters only.

**UTF-8**  
from 1-4 bytes

Common.  
Might confuse with  
multi-bytes.

**UTF-16**  
from 2-4 bytes

1-byte become 3-  
bytes.

**UTF-32**  
fixed to 4 bytes

Memory hog.  
Faster operation.



# STRING LOCATION

- Location/Index/Position
- Return positive integer if exists, else -1.

```
String a = "HELLO";  
int index1 = a.indexOf("L");  
int index2 = a.indexOf("X");
```

First character's  
position of first  
occurrence

```
int index3 = a.lastIndexOf("L");  
int index4 = a.lastIndexOf("X");
```

First character's  
position of last  
occurrence

- Character at specific position/index.

```
char char1 = a.charAt(4);  
char char1 = a.charAt(5);
```



# STRING MATCH

## ➤ Exact match

```
String a = "HELLO";  
  
boolean equal1 = a.equals("HELLO");  
boolean equal2 = a.equals("hello");  
  
int compare1 = a.compareTo("HELLO");  
int compare2 = a.compareTo("hello");
```

If 0, then match.  
Else, not match.

## ➤ Partial match

```
String a = "HELLO";  
boolean contain1 = a.contains("ELL");  
boolean contain2 = a.contains("EEL");  
  
boolean start1 = a.startsWith("HE");  
boolean start2 = a.startsWith("he");  
  
boolean end1 = a.endsWith("LO");  
boolean end2 = a.endsWith("lo");
```

Match anywhere

Match at the  
beginning

Match at the  
ending



# STRING MATCH

## ➤ Regular Expression

```
String a = "HELLO";  
boolean match1 = a.matches("^HE");  
  
boolean match2 = a.matches("LOO$");  
  
boolean match3 = a.matches(".*EL.*");
```

Match at the  
beginning

Match at the  
ending

Match anywhere

## ➤ Case insensitive match

```
String a = "HeLlo";  
boolean equal3 = a.equalsIgnoreCase("HELLO");  
boolean equal4 = a.equalsIgnoreCase("hello");
```



# STRING CHANGE

## ➤ Concatenation / Join

```
String a = "Hello";  
String b = "World";  
String c = a + b;  
  
String d = String.join("#", "Hello", "World", "Java");
```

The separator

## ➤ Partial / Extract

```
String a = "Hello";  
String b = a.substring(2);  
  
String c = a.substring(0, 4);
```

From  
position/index 2  
to the end.

From position 0 to  
position before 4,  
which is 3 (4-1).

## ➤ Split

```
String a = "Hello-World-Java";  
String[] b = a.split("-");
```

The delimiter





# STRING CHANGE

## ➤ Change case

```
String a = "HeLlo";  
String b = a.toUpperCase();  
  
String c = a.toLowerCase();
```

HELLO

hello

## ➤ Remove leading and trailing whitespace characters

```
String a = "  HELLO  ";  
String b = a.trim();
```



# STRING CHANGE

## ➤ Replace

```
String a = "Hello";  
String c = a.replace("ll", "tt");
```

Hetto

## ➤ Replace using regex

```
String a = "Hello";  
String b = a.replaceFirst("[Hl]", "yy");  
  
String b = a.replaceAll("[Hl]", "yy");
```

yyello

match any  
character within  
the brackets

yyeyyyyo



# STRING FORMAT

## ➤ Like system.out.printf

```
String str1 = "Hello";  
String str2 = "World";  
  
String str3 = String.format("%s - %s", str1, str2);  
  
int num1 = 123;  
String num2 = String.format("%d", num1);  
String num3 = String.format("%05d", num1);  
  
double num4 = 456.789;  
String num5 = String.format("%.2f", num4);  
String num5 = String.format("%010.2f", num4);
```

String

Sequence of arguments  
based on sequence of  
format.

Whole  
number

Decimal  
number

Leading zero to fill  
the desired length.

## ➤ Decimal formatting

```
int num1 = 123456;  
DecimalFormat format1 = new DecimalFormat("0000000000");  
String str1 = format1.format(num1);  
  
double num2 = 456789.0123;  
DecimalFormat format2 = new DecimalFormat("###,###,###.00");  
String str2 = format2.format(num2);
```

Thousand  
separator



# STRING CONVERT

## ➤ Character array

```
String str1 = "Hello";  
char[] chars1 = str1.toCharArray();
```

## ➤ Numeric

```
String a = "123";  
int aa = Integer.parseInt(a);  
  
String b = "123.456";  
double bb = Double.parseDouble(b);
```

Parse to number



# STRING BUILDER

- Object to construct and manipulate String without re-create the resulting String.

```
String[] strArry = new String[] {"abc","def","ghi","jkl"};
```

```
StringBuilder builder = new StringBuilder("Test");  
for (String s : strArry) {  
    builder.append(s);  
}
```

Manipulating without re-create and re-assign

```
builder.insert(7, "First");
```

insert at specific position

```
builder.delete(3,8);
```

Delete from position 3 to position before 8 which is 7 (8-1)

```
String finalStr = builder.toString();
```

Convert to String after finish manipulation



# DATE & TIME



# DATE & TIME

- Presentation of a timestamp.
- Smallest unit is nanoseconds. Most of the time, millisecond is sufficient.
- Can be formatted and parsed.

```
Calendar calendar1 = Calendar.getInstance();  
  
Calendar calendar2 = new GregorianCalendar();  
  
Calendar calendar3 = new GregorianCalendar(2018, 9, 1);  
  
Calendar calendar4 = new GregorianCalendar(2018, 9, 1, 9, 28);  
  
Calendar calendar5 = new GregorianCalendar(2018, 9, 1, 9, 28, 57);
```

Create calendar with  
specific timestamp up to  
seconds.



# CALENDAR OPERATION

## ➤ Add year/month/day/hour/minute/seconds

```
Calendar calendar = Calendar.getInstance();  
calendar.add(1, Calendar.YEAR);  
calendar.add(2, Calendar.MONTH);
```

Add/set value of specific time unit.

## ➤ Set year/month/day/hour/minute/seconds

```
Calendar calendar = Calendar.getInstance();  
calendar.set(3, Calendar.DAY_OF_YEAR);  
calendar.set(4, Calendar.HOUR);
```

## ➤ Compare

```
Calendar calendar1 = Calendar.getInstance();  
  
Calendar calendar2 = Calendar.getInstance();  
calendar2.add(-3, Calendar.DAY_OF_YEAR);  
  
Calendar calendar3 = Calendar.getInstance();  
calendar3.add(3, Calendar.DAY_OF_YEAR);  
  
boolean before = calendar1.before(calendar2);  
  
boolean after = calendar1.after(calendar3);
```





# DATE FORMAT

- Convert date value into human readable format.

```
DateFormat dateFormat = new SimpleDateFormat("EEEE, dd/MM/yyyy  
hh:mm:ss.SSS aa Z");  
  
Calendar calendar = Calendar.getInstance();  
String dateStr = dateFormat.format(calendar.getTime());
```

Format can be used  
to convert to or read  
from String

- Parse string formatted date value into Date/Calendar object.

```
DateFormat dateFormat = new SimpleDateFormat("dd/MM/yyyy HH:mm:ss");  
  
String dateStr = "01/09/2018 09:29:57";  
Date date = dateFormat.parse(dateStr);  
Calendar calendar = Calendar.getInstance();  
calendar.setTime(date.getTime());
```



# DATE FORMAT

- Refer to the following URL for more details for the accepted formats.
- <https://docs.oracle.com/javase/8/docs/api/java/text/SimpleDateFormat.html>
- Below are some common formats.

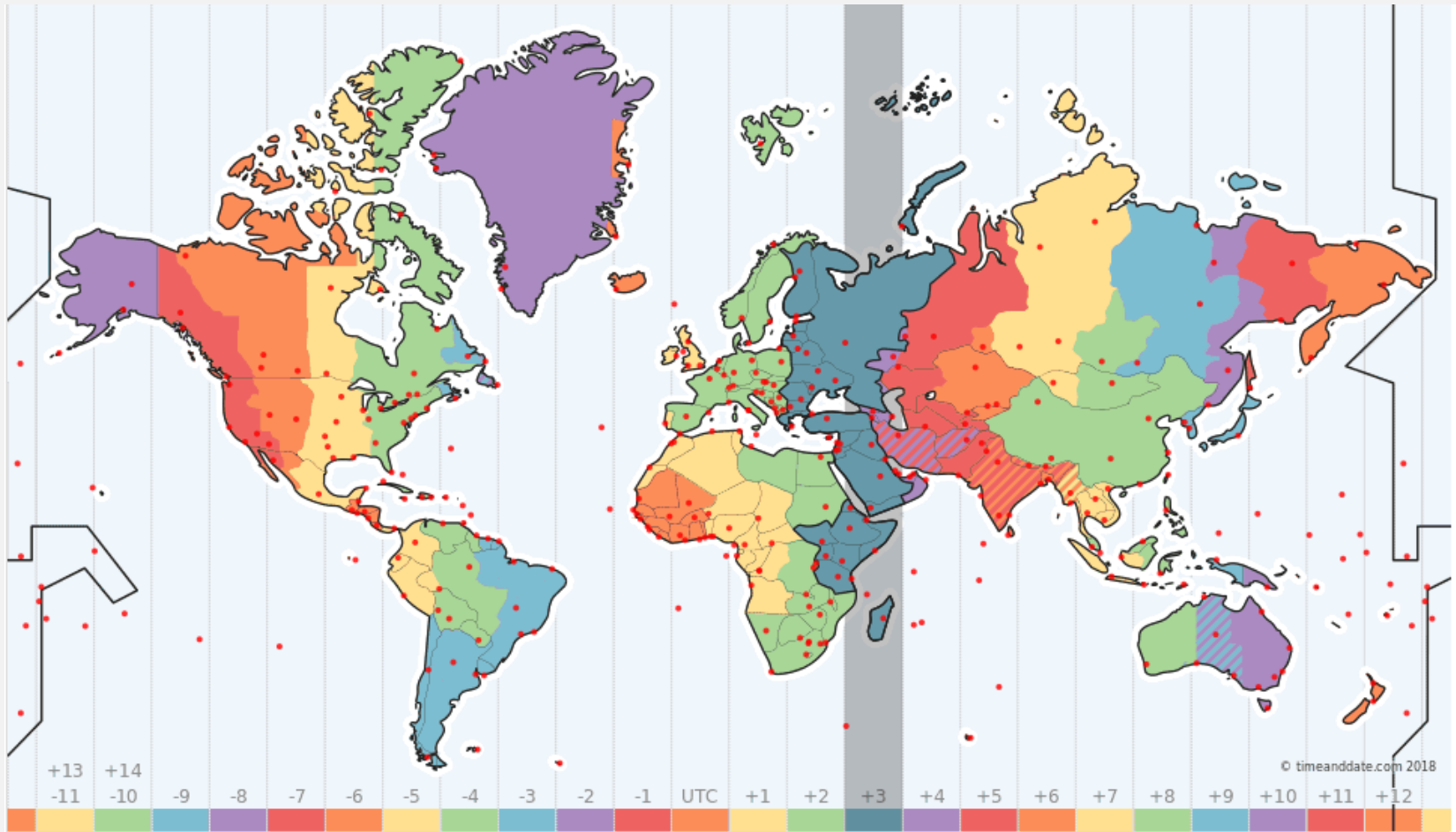
Format	Description
E	Day of week
d	Day of month (1-31)
M	Month of year (0-11)
y	Year
H	Hour (24 hours) (0-23)
h	Hour (12 hours) (1-12)

Format	Description
m	Minute (0-59)
s	Second (0-59)
S	Miliseconds
a	AM/PM
Z	TimeZone (GMT)



# TIMEZONE

- A time zone is a region of the globe that observes a uniform standard time for legal, commercial, and social purposes



# DATE & TIMEZONE

## ➤ Format to specific time zone

```
DateFormat dateFormat = new SimpleDateFormat("dd/MM/yyyy HH:mm:ss.SSS  
ZZZ");  
dateFormat.setTimeZone(TimeZone.getTimeZone("America/Los_Angeles"));  
  
Calendar calendar = Calendar.getInstance();  
String dateStr = dateFormat.format(calendar.getTime());
```

TimeZone can be in  
region/UTC/GMT  
format.

## ➤ Check available timezones

```
for (String tz : TimeZone.getAvailableIDs()) {  
    System.out.println(tz);  
}
```





# DATE & LOCALE

## ➤ Format to specific language

```
DateFormat dateFormat = new SimpleDateFormat("EEEE, dd MMMM yyyy  
HH:mm:ss.SSS ZZZ", Locale.FRENCH);  
  
Calendar calendar = Calendar.getInstance();  
String dateStr = dateFormat.format(calendar.getTime());
```

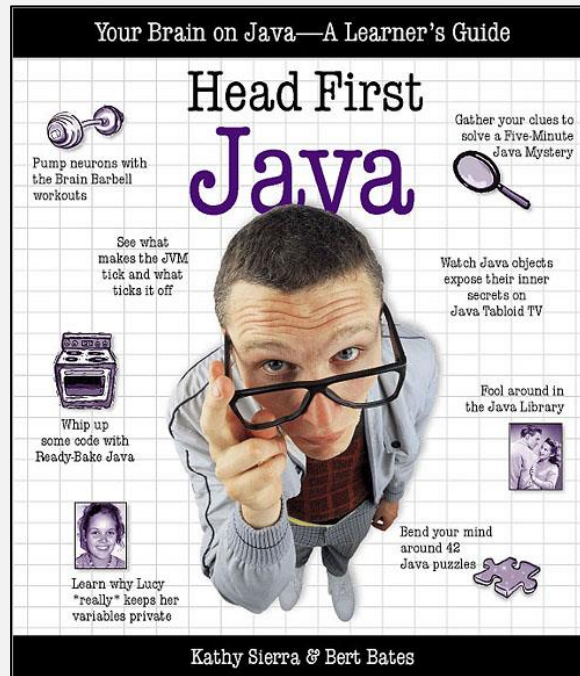
Java has some predefined locale.

**mercredi, 02 septembre 2018 00:30:15.618 AM +0100**

## ➤ Check available locale

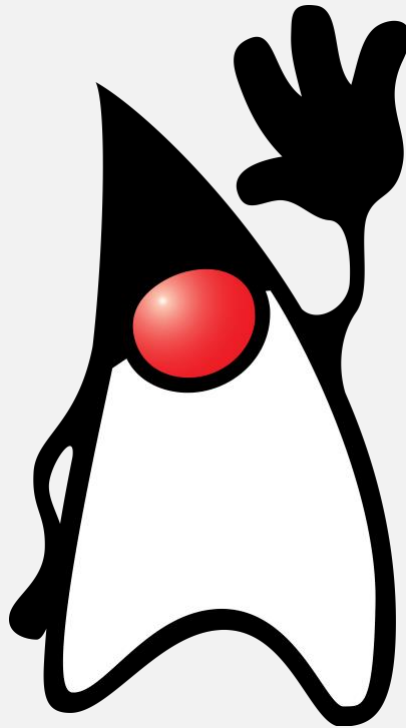
```
for (Locale l : Locale.getAvailableLocales()) {  
    System.out.println(l.getDisplayName());  
}
```





## Head First Java (2<sup>nd</sup> Edition)

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