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**Uses of Class**

**java.security.Identity**

| Packages that use [Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) | |
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| [**java.security**](#3znysh7) | Provides the classes and interfaces for the security framework. |

| Uses of [Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) in [java.security](http://docs.google.com/java/security/package-summary.html) | |
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| Subclasses of [Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) in [java.security](http://docs.google.com/java/security/package-summary.html) | |
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| class | [**IdentityScope**](http://docs.google.com/java/security/IdentityScope.html)  **Deprecated.** *This class is no longer used. Its functionality has been replaced by java.security.KeyStore, the java.security.cert package, and java.security.Principal.* |
| class | [**Signer**](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Signer.html)  **Deprecated.** *This class is no longer used. Its functionality has been replaced by java.security.KeyStore, the java.security.cert package, and java.security.Principal.* |

| Methods in [java.security](http://docs.google.com/java/security/package-summary.html) that return [Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) | |
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| [Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) | **IdentityScope.**[**getIdentity**](http://docs.google.com/java/security/IdentityScope.html#getIdentity(java.security.Principal))([Principal](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Principal.html) principal)  **Deprecated.** Retrieves the identity whose name is the same as that of the specified principal. |
| abstract  [Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) | **IdentityScope.**[**getIdentity**](http://docs.google.com/java/security/IdentityScope.html#getIdentity(java.security.PublicKey))([PublicKey](http://docs.google.com/java/security/PublicKey.html) key)  **Deprecated.** Retrieves the identity with the specified public key. |
| abstract  [Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) | **IdentityScope.**[**getIdentity**](http://docs.google.com/java/security/IdentityScope.html#getIdentity(java.lang.String))([String](http://docs.google.com/java/lang/String.html) name)  **Deprecated.** Returns the identity in this scope with the specified name (if any). |

| Methods in [java.security](http://docs.google.com/java/security/package-summary.html) that return types with arguments of type [Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) | |
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| abstract  [Enumeration](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Enumeration.html)<[Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html)> | **IdentityScope.**[**identities**](http://docs.google.com/java/security/IdentityScope.html#identities())()  **Deprecated.** Returns an enumeration of all identities in this identity scope. |

| Methods in [java.security](http://docs.google.com/java/security/package-summary.html) with parameters of type [Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) | |
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| abstract  void | **IdentityScope.**[**addIdentity**](http://docs.google.com/java/security/IdentityScope.html#addIdentity(java.security.Identity))([Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) identity)  **Deprecated.** Adds an identity to this identity scope. |
| protected  boolean | **Identity.**[**identityEquals**](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html#identityEquals(java.security.Identity))([Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) identity)  **Deprecated.** Tests for equality between the specified identity and this identity. |
| abstract  void | **IdentityScope.**[**removeIdentity**](http://docs.google.com/java/security/IdentityScope.html#removeIdentity(java.security.Identity))([Identity](http://docs.google.com/java/security/Identity.html) identity)  **Deprecated.** Removes an identity from this identity scope. |

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