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**Uses of Class**

**java.util.Formatter**

| Packages that use [Formatter](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html) | |
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| [**java.util**](#3znysh7) | Contains the collections framework, legacy collection classes, event model, date and time facilities, internationalization, and miscellaneous utility classes (a string tokenizer, a random-number generator, and a bit array). |

| Uses of [Formatter](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html) in [java.util](http://docs.google.com/java/util/package-summary.html) | |
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| Methods in [java.util](http://docs.google.com/java/util/package-summary.html) that return [Formatter](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html) | |
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| [Formatter](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html) | **Formatter.**[**format**](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html#format(java.util.Locale,%20java.lang.String,%20java.lang.Object...))([Locale](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Locale.html) l, [String](http://docs.google.com/java/lang/String.html) format, [Object](http://docs.google.com/java/lang/Object.html)... args)            Writes a formatted string to this object's destination using the specified locale, format string, and arguments. |
| [Formatter](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html) | **Formatter.**[**format**](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html#format(java.lang.String,%20java.lang.Object...))([String](http://docs.google.com/java/lang/String.html) format, [Object](http://docs.google.com/java/lang/Object.html)... args)            Writes a formatted string to this object's destination using the specified format string and arguments. |

| Methods in [java.util](http://docs.google.com/java/util/package-summary.html) with parameters of type [Formatter](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html) | |
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| void | **Formattable.**[**formatTo**](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formattable.html#formatTo(java.util.Formatter,%20int,%20int,%20int))([Formatter](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html) formatter, int flags, int width, int precision)            Formats the object using the provided [formatter](http://docs.google.com/java/util/Formatter.html). |

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For further API reference and developer documentation, see [Java SE Developer Documentation](http://docs.google.com/webnotes/devdocs-vs-specs.html). That documentation contains more detailed, developer-targeted descriptions, with conceptual overviews, definitions of terms, workarounds, and working code examples.

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