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## **java.util.logging**

Interface Filter

public interface **Filter**

A Filter can be used to provide fine grain control over what is logged, beyond the control provided by log levels.

Each Logger and each Handler can have a filter associated with it. The Logger or Handler will call the isLoggable method to check if a given LogRecord should be published. If isLoggable returns false, the LogRecord will be discarded.

**Since:** 1.4

| **Method Summary** | |
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| boolean | [**isLoggable**](http://docs.google.com/java/util/logging/Filter.html#isLoggable(java.util.logging.LogRecord))([LogRecord](http://docs.google.com/java/util/logging/LogRecord.html) record)            Check if a given log record should be published. |

| **Method Detail** |
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### isLoggable

boolean **isLoggable**([LogRecord](http://docs.google.com/java/util/logging/LogRecord.html) record)

Check if a given log record should be published.

**Parameters:**record - a LogRecord **Returns:**true if the log record should be published.

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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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