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## **javax.management**

Interface DescriptorRead

**All Known Subinterfaces:** [DescriptorAccess](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/DescriptorAccess.html) **All Known Implementing Classes:** [MBeanAttributeInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/MBeanAttributeInfo.html), [MBeanConstructorInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/MBeanConstructorInfo.html), [MBeanFeatureInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/MBeanFeatureInfo.html), [MBeanInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/MBeanInfo.html), [MBeanNotificationInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/MBeanNotificationInfo.html), [MBeanOperationInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/MBeanOperationInfo.html), [MBeanParameterInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/MBeanParameterInfo.html), [ModelMBeanAttributeInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/modelmbean/ModelMBeanAttributeInfo.html), [ModelMBeanConstructorInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/modelmbean/ModelMBeanConstructorInfo.html), [ModelMBeanInfoSupport](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/modelmbean/ModelMBeanInfoSupport.html), [ModelMBeanNotificationInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/modelmbean/ModelMBeanNotificationInfo.html), [ModelMBeanOperationInfo](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/modelmbean/ModelMBeanOperationInfo.html), [OpenMBeanAttributeInfoSupport](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/openmbean/OpenMBeanAttributeInfoSupport.html), [OpenMBeanConstructorInfoSupport](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/openmbean/OpenMBeanConstructorInfoSupport.html), [OpenMBeanInfoSupport](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/openmbean/OpenMBeanInfoSupport.html), [OpenMBeanOperationInfoSupport](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/openmbean/OpenMBeanOperationInfoSupport.html), [OpenMBeanParameterInfoSupport](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/openmbean/OpenMBeanParameterInfoSupport.html)

public interface **DescriptorRead**

Interface to read the Descriptor of a management interface element such as an MBeanInfo.

**Since:** 1.6

| **Method Summary** | |
| --- | --- |
| [Descriptor](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/Descriptor.html) | [**getDescriptor**](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/DescriptorRead.html#getDescriptor())()            Returns a copy of Descriptor. |

| **Method Detail** |
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### getDescriptor

[Descriptor](http://docs.google.com/javax/management/Descriptor.html) **getDescriptor**()

Returns a copy of Descriptor.

**Returns:**Descriptor associated with the component implementing this interface. The return value is never null, but the returned descriptor may be empty.

| | [**Overview**](http://docs.google.com/overview-summary.html) | [**Package**](http://docs.google.com/package-summary.html) | **Class** | [**Use**](http://docs.google.com/class-use/DescriptorRead.html) | [**Tree**](http://docs.google.com/package-tree.html) | [**Deprecated**](http://docs.google.com/deprecated-list.html) | [**Index**](http://docs.google.com/index-files/index-1.html) | [**Help**](http://docs.google.com/help-doc.html) | | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | | | ***Java™ Platform***  ***Standard Ed. 6*** |
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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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