

# Java is Platform Independent

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JVM

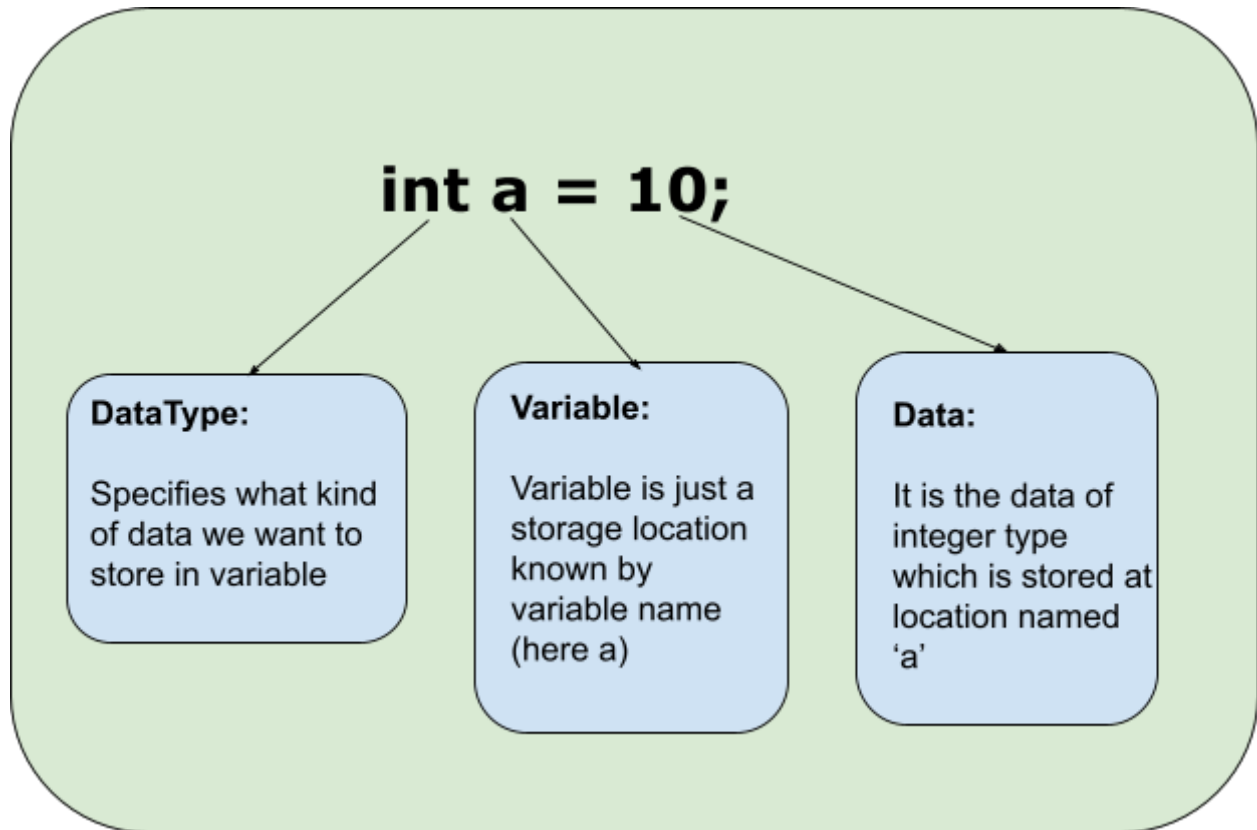
JRE

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# Variables & DataTypes

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## Storing integral data

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byte	1 byte
short	2 byte
int	4 byte
long	8 byte

## Storing decimal numbers

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float	4 bytes
double	8 bytes

## Storing characters

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char	2 bytes
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## Storing true/false

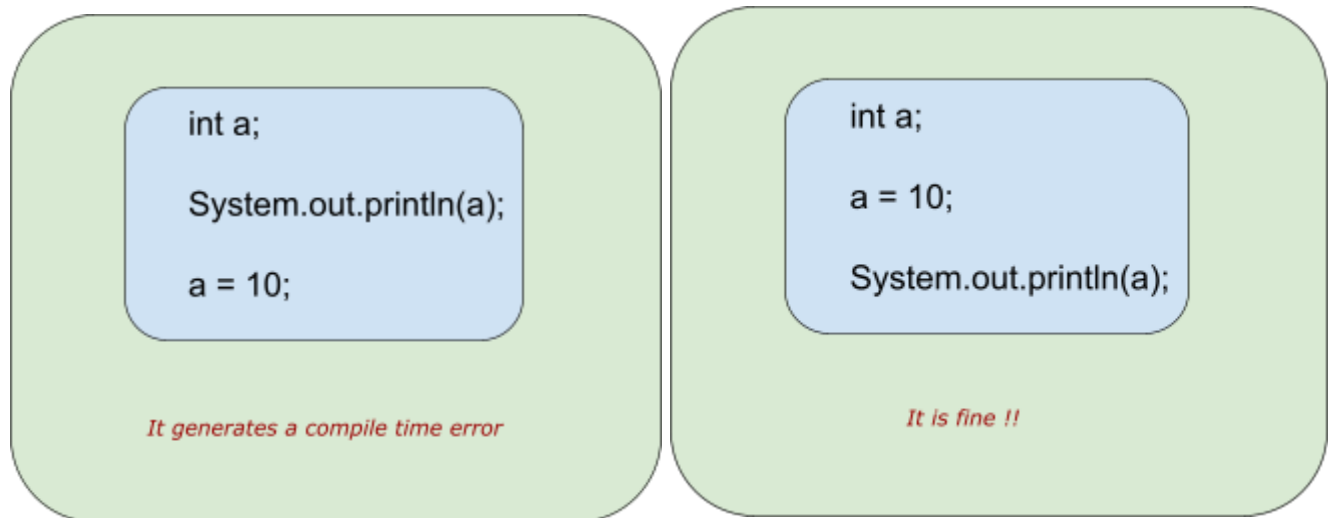
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boolean	Not defined
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## Ground Rules while working with variables

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**Rule 1:** you can not use a variable before initializing it.



!!!! the java compiler never assigns a default value to uninitialized local variable

*That's why : declare -> initialize -> use*

**Rule 2:** variable naming rules

- All variable names may contain uppercase and lowercase letters (a-z, A-Z), underscore( \_ ), dollar sign (\$) and the digits 0 to 9. The dollar sign character is not intended for general use. No spaces and no other special characters are allowed.
- The Variable Names Must Not Begin With A Number.
- Java is case-sensitive. Uppercase characters are distinct from lowercase Characters.
- A Java keyword(reserved word)cannot be used as a variable name.

# Arithmetic Operators & Precedence

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Precedence	Operators	Associativity
high	*, /, %	Left to right
low	+, -	Left to right

## Taking Input

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🔥 The Java Scanner class breaks the input into tokens using a delimiter that is whitespace by default. It provides many ways to read and parse various primitive values.

In order to use scanner you have to write this import statement at the top –  
`import java.util.Scanner;`

Example Code:

```
//Code for adding two integers entered by the user import java.util.Scanner;
class AddTwoNumbers
{
    public static void main(String args[]) {
        int a, b, c;
        System.out.println("Enter two integers to calculate their sum: ");
        // Create a Scanner
        Scanner s = new Scanner(System.in); a = s.nextInt();
        b = s.nextInt();
        c = a + b;
        System.out.println("Sum of entered integers = "+c);
    }
}
```

Sample Input: 10 5

Output:

15

Here, `s.nextInt()` scans and returns the next token as int.

*A token is part of an entered line that is separated from other tokens by space, tab or newline.*

So when the input line is: "10 5" then `s.nextInt()` returns the first token i.e. "10" as int and `s.nextInt()` again returns the next token i.e. "5" as int.

## Taking character input

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To read a character as input, we use `next().charAt(0)`.

The `next()` function returns the next token in the input as a string and `charAt(0)` function returns the first character in that string.

Example code to read a character as input:

```
import java.util.Scanner;
public class ScannerDemo1 {

    public static void main(String[] args) {
        Scanner s = new Scanner(System.in);
        char ch = s.next().charAt(0); // character input
        System.out.println("input character = " +ch);
    }
}
```

Sample Input:

k

Output:

input character = k

Example code to take a string as input:

```
public static void main(String[] args)
{
    Scanner s = new Scanner(System.in); String str;
    str = s.next();
    System.out.print(str);
}
```

Sample Input:

Coding Ninjas

Output:

Coding

Here, s.next() returns the next token as String. So when input line is - "Coding Ninjas" then s.next() returns the first token i.e. "Coding".