

# Substring in Java

A part of string is called **substring**. In other words, substring is a subset of another string. In case of substring `startIndex` is inclusive and `endIndex` is exclusive.

**Note: Index starts from 0.**

You can get substring from the given string object by one of the two methods:

1. **public String substring(int startIndex):** This method returns new String object containing the substring of the given string from specified `startIndex` (inclusive).
2. **public String substring(int startIndex, int endIndex):** This method returns new String object containing the substring of the given string from specified `startIndex` to `endIndex`.

In case of string:

- **startIndex:** inclusive
- **endIndex:** exclusive

Let's understand the `startIndex` and `endIndex` by the code given below.

```
String s="hello";  
System.out.println(s.substring(0,2));//he
```

In the above substring, 0 points to h but 2 points to e (because end index is exclusive).

## Example of java substring

```
public class TestSubstring{  
    public static void main(String args[]){  
        String s="SachinTendulkar";  
        System.out.println(s.substring(6));//Tendulkar  
        System.out.println(s.substring(0,6));//Sachin  
    }  
}
```

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