

A.3 Instructions by Category

This section contains a listing of the instructions and what they do, grouped by category. Here is a key to the descriptions:

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| a | The top slot of the stack. May be an int, float, or reference. |
| b | The second stack slot. May be an int, float, or reference. |
| c | The third stack slot. May be an int, float, or reference. |
| d | The fourth stack slot. May be an int, float, or reference. |
| ab | The long or double on top of the stack, made up of slots a and b. |
| cd | The long or double second on the stack, made up of slots c and d. |



A.3.1 Arithmetic

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|----------|-----------|--------------------------|
| dadd | | Add double (ab+cd) |
| dcmpg | | Compare double |
| dcmpl | | Compare double |
| ddiv | | Divide double (ab/cd) |
| dmul | | Multiply double (ab*cd) |
| dneg | | Negate double (-ab) |
| drem | | Remainder double (ab%cd) |
| dsub | | Subtract double (ab-cd) |
| fadd | | Add float (a+b) |
| fcmpg | | Compare float |
| fcmpl | | Compare float |
| fdiv | | Divide float (a/b) |
| fmul | | Multiply float (a*b) |
| fneg | | Negate float (-a) |
| frem | | Remainder float (a%b) |
| fsub | | Subtract float (a-b) |
| i2b | | Convert int to byte |
| i2c | | Convert int to char |
| i2s | | Convert int to short |

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|----------|-----------|--------------------------------------|
| iadd | | Add int (a+b) |
| iand | | Bitwise and ints (a & b) |
| idiv | | Divide ints (a/b) |
| imul | | Multiply ints (a*b) |
| ineg | | Negate int (-a) |
| ior | | Bitwise or ints (a b) |
| irem | | Remainder int (a%b) |
| ishl | | Shift int left (a << b) |
| ishr | | Shift int right (a >> c) |
| isub | | Subtract int (a-b) |
| iushr | | Unsigned shift int right (a >>> c) |
| ixor | | Bitwise xor ints (a ^ b) |
| ladd | | Add long (ab+cd) |
| land | | Bitwise and longs (ab & cd) |
| lcmp | | Compare longs |
| ldiv | | Divide long (ab/cd) |
| lmul | | Multiply long (ab*cd) |
| lneg | | Negate long (-ab) |
| lor | | Bitwise or longs (ab cd) |
| lrem | | Remainder longs (ab%cd) |
| lshl | | Shift long left (bc << 9) |
| lshr | | Shift long right (bc >> 9) |
| lsub | | Subtract long (ab-cd) |
| lushr | | Unsigned shift long right (bc >>> 9) |
| lxor | | Bitwise x or longs (ab ^ cd) |

A.3.2 Array

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|-------------|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| aaload | | Push array element a from array b |
| aastore | | Store a in array element b of array c |
| anewarray | class | Create array of class, length a |
| arraylength | | Length of array a |
| athrow | | Throw exception a |

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| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|----------------|-----------|---|
| baload | | Push array element a from array b |
| bastore | | Store a in array element b of array c |
| caload | | Push array element a from array b |
| castore | | Store a in array element |
| daload | | Push array element a from array b |
| dastore | | Store ab in array element |
| faload | | Push array element a from array b |
| fastore | | Store a in array element b of array c |
| iaload | | Push array element a from array b |
| iastore | | Store a in array element |
| laload | | Push array element a from array b |
| lastore | | Store ab in array element c of array d |
| multianewarray | class n | Create multidimensional array with first n dimensions initialized to lengths a, b, c... |
| newarray | type | Create array of type, length a |
| saload | | Push array element a from array b |
| sastore | | Store a in array element b of array c |

A.3.3 Constant

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|-------------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| aconst_null | | Push null reference |
| bipush | n | Push int between -128 and 127 |
| dconst_0 | | Push 0 (double) |
| dconst_1 | | Push 1 (double) |
| fconst_0 | | Push 0 (float) |
| fconst_1 | | Push 1 (float) |
| fconst_2 | | Push 2 (float) |
| iconst_0 | | Push 0 (int) |
| iconst_1 | | Push 1 (int) |
| iconst_2 | | Push 2 (int) |
| iconst_3 | | Push 3 (int) |
| iconst_4 | | Push 4 (int) |
| iconst_5 | | Push 5 (int) |

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|-----------|-----------|---|
| iconst_m1 | | Push -1(int) |
| lconst_0 | | Push 0 (long) |
| lconst_1 | | Push 1 (long) |
| ldc | x | Push x (a constant int, float, or String) |
| ldc_w | x | Push x (a constant int, float, or String) |
| ldc2_w | x | Push x (a constant long or double) |
| sipush | n | Push int between -32,768 and 32767 |

A.3.4 Control

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|-----------|-----------|------------------------------|
| areturn | | Return reference from method |
| dreturn | | Return double from method |
| freturn | | Return float from method |
| goto | label | Branch always |
| goto_w | label | Branch always to label |
| if_acmpeq | label | Branch if a == b |
| if_acmpne | label | Branch if a != b |
| if_icmpeq | label | Branch if a > b |
| if_icmpge | label | Branch if a >= b |
| if_icmpgt | label | Branch if a > b |
| if_icmple | label | Branch if a <= b |
| if_icmplt | label | Branch if a < b |
| if_icmpne | label | Branch if a != b |
| ifeq | label | Branch if a == 0 |
| ifge | label | Branch if a >= 0 |
| ifgt | label | Branch if a > 0 |
| ifle | label | Branch if a <= 0 |
| iflt | label | Branch if a < 0 |
| ifne | label | Branch if a != 0 |
| ifnonnull | label | Branch if a is not null |
| ifnull | label | Branch if a is null |

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|---------------------------|---|--|
| <code>ireturn</code> | | Return int from method |
| <code>jsr</code> | <code>label</code> | Branch to <code>label</code> ; push return location |
| <code>jsr_w</code> | <code>label</code> | Jump to <code>label</code> |
| <code>lookupswitch</code> | <code>tag1: label1</code> <code>tag2: label2...</code> <code>default: labeln</code> | Branch to <code>label1</code> on <code>tag1</code> , <code>label2</code> on <code>tag2</code> , ..., <code>labeln</code> otherwise |
| <code>lreturn</code> | | Return long from method |
| <code>nop</code> | | Do nothing |
| <code>ret</code> | <code>n</code> | Branch to location in variable <code>n</code> |
| <code>return</code> | | Return from method |
| <code>tableswitch</code> | <code>n</code> <code>label1</code> <code>label2</code> ... <code>default: labeln</code> | Branch to <code>label1</code> on <code>n</code> , <code>label2</code> on <code>n+1</code> , ..., <code>labeln</code> otherwise |

A.3.5 Data Type Conversion

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|------------------|-----------|---|
| <code>d2f</code> | | Convert double <code>ab</code> to float |
| <code>d2i</code> | | Convert double <code>ab</code> to int |
| <code>d2l</code> | | Convert double <code>ab</code> to long |
| <code>f2d</code> | | Convert float <code>a</code> to double |
| <code>f2i</code> | | Convert float <code>a</code> to int |
| <code>f2l</code> | | Convert float <code>a</code> to long |
| <code>i2d</code> | | Convert int <code>a</code> to double |
| <code>i2f</code> | | Convert int <code>a</code> to float |
| <code>i2l</code> | | Convert int <code>a</code> to long |
| <code>l2d</code> | | Convert long <code>ab</code> to double |
| <code>l2f</code> | | Convert long <code>ab</code> to float |
| <code>l2i</code> | | Convert long <code>ab</code> to int |

A.3.6 Object

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|-----------------|---------------------|---|
| checkcast | class | Throw exception if a is not an instance of class |
| getfield | class/field desc | Push object field from object a |
| getstatic | class/field desc | Push static field |
| instanceof | class | Push 1 if a is class, 0 otherwise |
| invokeinterface | class/method desc n | Invoke method through interface with n argument words |
| invokespecial | class/method desc | Invoke method directly |
| invokestatic | class/method desc | Invoke static method |
| invokevirtual | class/method desc | Invoke method virtually |
| new | class | Create new object of class |
| putfield | class/field desc | Store a in object field |
| putstatic | class/field desc | Store a in static field |

A.3.7 Stack Manipulation

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|----------|-----------|------------------------------|
| dup | | Duplicate a |
| dup_x1 | | Duplicate a, insert under b |
| dup_x2 | | Duplicate a, insert under c |
| dup2 | | Duplicate ab |
| dup2_x1 | | Duplicate ab, insert under c |
| dup2_x2 | | Duplicate ab, insert under d |
| pop | | Remove a |
| pop2 | | Remove ab |
| swap | | Swap a and b |

A.3.8 Synchronization

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|--------------|-----------|------------------------------|
| monitorenter | | Gain control of monitor of a |
| monitorexit | | Release monitor of a |

A.3.9 Variable

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|----------|-------------|------------------------------|
| aload | n | Push local variable n |
| aload_0 | | Push local variable 0 |
| aload_1 | | Push local variable 1 |
| aload_2 | | Push local variable 2 |
| aload_3 | | Push local variable 3 |
| astore | n | Store a in local variable n |
| astore_0 | | Store a in local variable 0 |
| astore_1 | | Store a in local variable 1 |
| astore_2 | | Store a in local variable 2 |
| astore_3 | | Store a in local variable 3 |
| dload | n | Push local variable n |
| dload_0 | | Push local variable 0 |
| dload_1 | | Push local variable 1 |
| dload_2 | | Push local variable 2 |
| dload_3 | | Push local variable 3 |
| dstore | n | Store ab in local variable n |
| dstore_0 | | Store ab in local variable 0 |
| dstore_1 | | Store ab in local variable 1 |
| dstore_2 | | Store ab in local variable 2 |
| dstore_3 | | Store ab in local variable 3 |
| fload | n | Push local variable n |
| fload_0 | | Push local variable 0 |
| fload_1 | | Push local variable 1 |
| fload_2 | | Push local variable 2 |
| fload_3 | | Push local variable 3 |
| fstore | n | Store a in local variable n |
| fstore_0 | | Store a in local variable 0 |
| fstore_1 | | Store a in local variable 1 |
| fstore_2 | | Store a in local variable 2 |
| fstore_3 | | Store a in local variable 3 |
| inc | n increment | Increment local variable |
| iload | n | Push local variable n |
| iload_0 | | Push local variable 0 |
| iload_1 | | Push local variable 1 |
| iload_2 | | Push local variable 2 |

| Mnemonic | Arguments | Description |
|----------|--------------------------|---|
| iload_3 | | Push local variable 3 |
| istore | n | Store a in local variable n |
| istore_0 | | Store a in local variable 0 |
| istore_1 | | Store a in local variable 1 |
| istore_2 | | Store a in local variable 2 |
| istore_3 | | Store a in local variable 3 |
| lload | n | Push local variable n |
| lload_0 | | Push local variable 0 |
| lload_1 | | Push local variable 1 |
| lload_2 | | Push local variable 2 |
| lload_3 | | Push local variable 3 |
| lstore | n | Store ab in local variable n |
| lstore_0 | | Store ab in local variable 0 |
| lstore_1 | | Store ab in local variable 1 |
| lstore_2 | | Store ab in local variable 2 |
| lstore_3 | | Store ab in local variable 3 |
| wide | instruction arguments | Like instruction, except using wider range of values |