

```
while(true)
{
    System.out.println("Do you want to continue [Yes/no]:");
    String choice = scanner.next(); //NO OR No

    if(choice.equals("no"))
    {
        break;
    }
}
```

Program on equals(), equalsIgnoreCase() and isEmpty() method :

```
-----  
package com.ravi;  
  
import java.util.Scanner;  
  
public class StringComparison {  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);  
        System.out.print("Enter your first Name :");  
        String fname = sc.next();  
  
        if(fname.equalsIgnoreCase("James")) //equals() equalsIgnoreCase()  
        {  
            System.out.println("Your name is :" + fname);  
        }  
        else  
        {  
            System.out.println("You are not James!!!!");  
        }  
  
        System.out.println(".....");  
        String str = "Hello";  
        System.out.println("Is String Empty ?" + str.isEmpty());  
        sc.close();  
    }  
}
```

Method return type as a class :

```
* In java, We cannot define a method without return type.  
* As a method return type, We have so many possibilities are available :  
a) Method return type as a void.  
b) Method return type as a primitive data type.  
c) Method return type as a class/ interface/ enum/ record as so on.
```

Method return type Example :

```
-----  
public int accept()      The return value (5.5) of the method must be compatible with return type  
{          (int) of the method. In the example it is not compatible so we will get  
    return 5.5;      an error  
}  
-----
```

Example :

```
-----  
public class Test  
{  
    public Test accept()      If we are able to assign the return value of the method (new Test())  
    {                          to the return type (Test) of the method using a variable then it is  
        return new Test();      compatible  
    }  
}  
-----  
Test t = new Test();  
return type of           return value of  
the method               the method
```

Programs :

```
-----  
package com.ravi;  
  
public class Test  
{  
    public Test accept()  
    {  
        return new Test();  
    }  
}
```

Note : The return value is calling the default constructor (added by javac) of Test class

//Program :

```
-----  
package com.ravi;  
  
public class Demo  
{  
    int x;  
  
    public Demo(int x)  
    {  
        this.x = x;  
    }  
  
    public Demo accept()  
    {  
        return new Demo(15);  
    }  
}
```

Note : In order to return the value we depend upon parameterized constructor

What is a Factory Method ?

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* If a method return type is class OR interface that means from that particular method we can return the  
object then it is called Factory method.
```

//Program :

```
-----  
package com.ravi.factory_method;  
  
public class Book  
{  
    private String title;  
    private String author;  
  
    public Book(String title, String author)  
    {  
        super();  
        this.title = title;  
        this.author = author;  
    }  
  
    @Override  
    public String toString()  
    {  
        return "Book [title=" + title + ", author=" + author + "]";  
    }  
  
    public static Book getBookObject() //static factory method  
    {  
        return new Book("Java", "James Gosling");  
    }  
}
```

//Program on static factory method

```
-----  
package com.ravi.factory_method;  
  
import java.util.Scanner;  
  
public class Customer  
{  
    private int id;  
    private String name;  
    private double bill;  
  
    public Customer(int id, String name, double bill)  
    {  
        super();  
        this.id = id;  
        this.name = name;  
        this.bill = bill;  
    }  
  
    @Override  
    public String toString()  
    {  
        return "Customer [id=" + id + ", name=" + name + ", bill=" + bill + "]";  
    }  
  
    public static Customer getCustomerObject() //static factory method  
    {  
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);  
        System.out.print("Enter Customer Id :");  
        int cid = Integer.parseInt(sc.nextLine());  
  
        System.out.print("Enter Customer Name :");  
        String cname = sc.nextLine();  
  
        System.out.print("Enter Customer Bill :");  
        double bill = Double.parseDouble(sc.nextLine());  
  
        Customer c1 = new Customer(cid, cname, bill);  
  
        return c1;  
    }  
}
```

package com.ravi.factory_method;

```
-----  
import java.util.Scanner;  
  
public class CustomerDemo {  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);  
        System.out.println("How many Customer Object :");  
        int noOfObj = sc.nextInt();  
  
        for(int i=1; i<noOfObj; i++)  
        {  
            Customer cust = Customer.getCustomerObject();  
            System.out.println(cust);  
        }  
        sc.close();  
    }  
}
```

Another Program on Static Factory Method :

```
-----  
package com.ravi.factory_method;  
  
import java.util.Scanner;  
  
public class Product {  
    private int id;  
    private String name;  
    private double price;  
  
    public Product(int id, String name, double price)  
    {  
        super();  
        this.id = id;  
        this.name = name;  
        this.price = price;  
    }  
  
    @Override  
    public String toString()  
    {  
        return "Product [id=" + id + ", name=" + name + ", price=" + price + "]";  
    }  
  
    public static Product getProductObject()  
    {  
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);  
        System.out.print("Enter Product Id :");  
        int pid = Integer.parseInt(sc.nextLine());  
  
        System.out.print("Enter Product Name :");  
        String pname = sc.nextLine();  
  
        System.out.print("Enter Product Price :");  
        double price = sc.nextDouble();  
  
        return new Product(pid, pname, price);  
    }  
}
```

package com.ravi.factory_method;

```
-----  
import java.util.Scanner;  
  
public class ProductDemo {  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);  
        System.out.print("How many Product Object :");  
        int noOfObj = sc.nextInt();  
  
        for(int i=1; i<noOfObj; i++)  
        {  
            Product p1 = Product.getProductObject();  
            System.out.println(p1);  
        }  
        sc.close();  
    }  
}
```