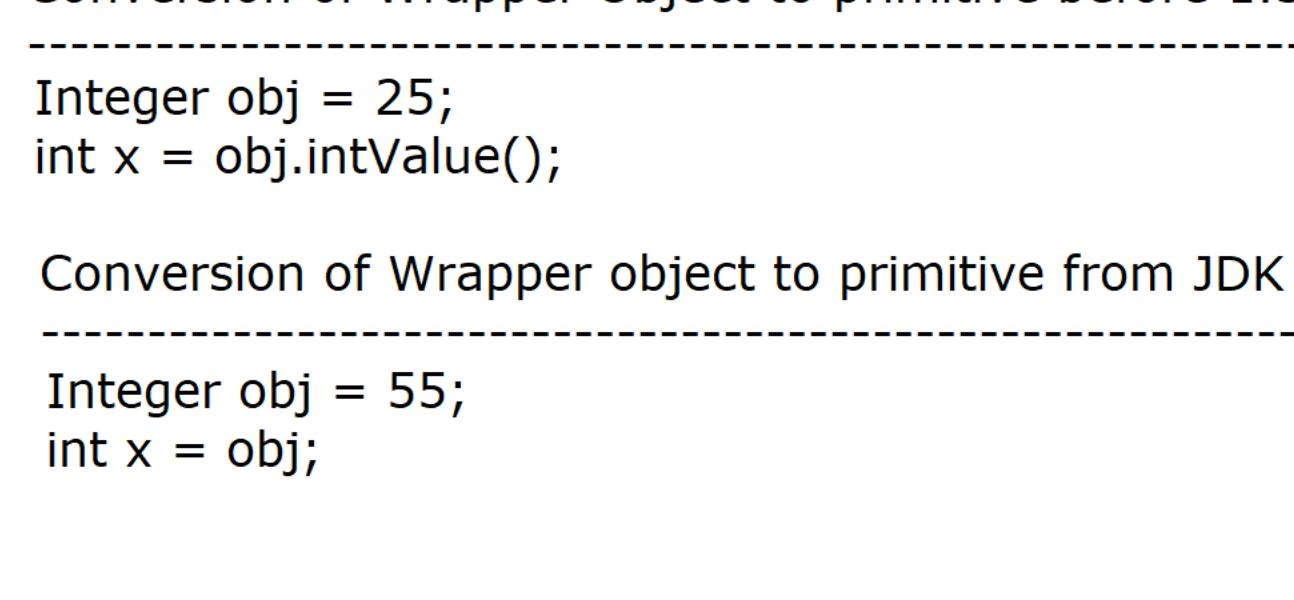


Unboxing :

* It is a technique through which we can convert Wrapper object back to the primitive data type.



Conversion of Wrapper Object to primitive before 1.5V

```
Integer obj = 25;  
int x = obj.intValue();
```

Conversion of Wrapper object to primitive from JDK 1.5V onwards :

```
Integer obj = 25;  
int x = obj;
```

Wrapper Object	Primitive type
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Byte	- byte
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Short	- short
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Integer	- int
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Long	- long
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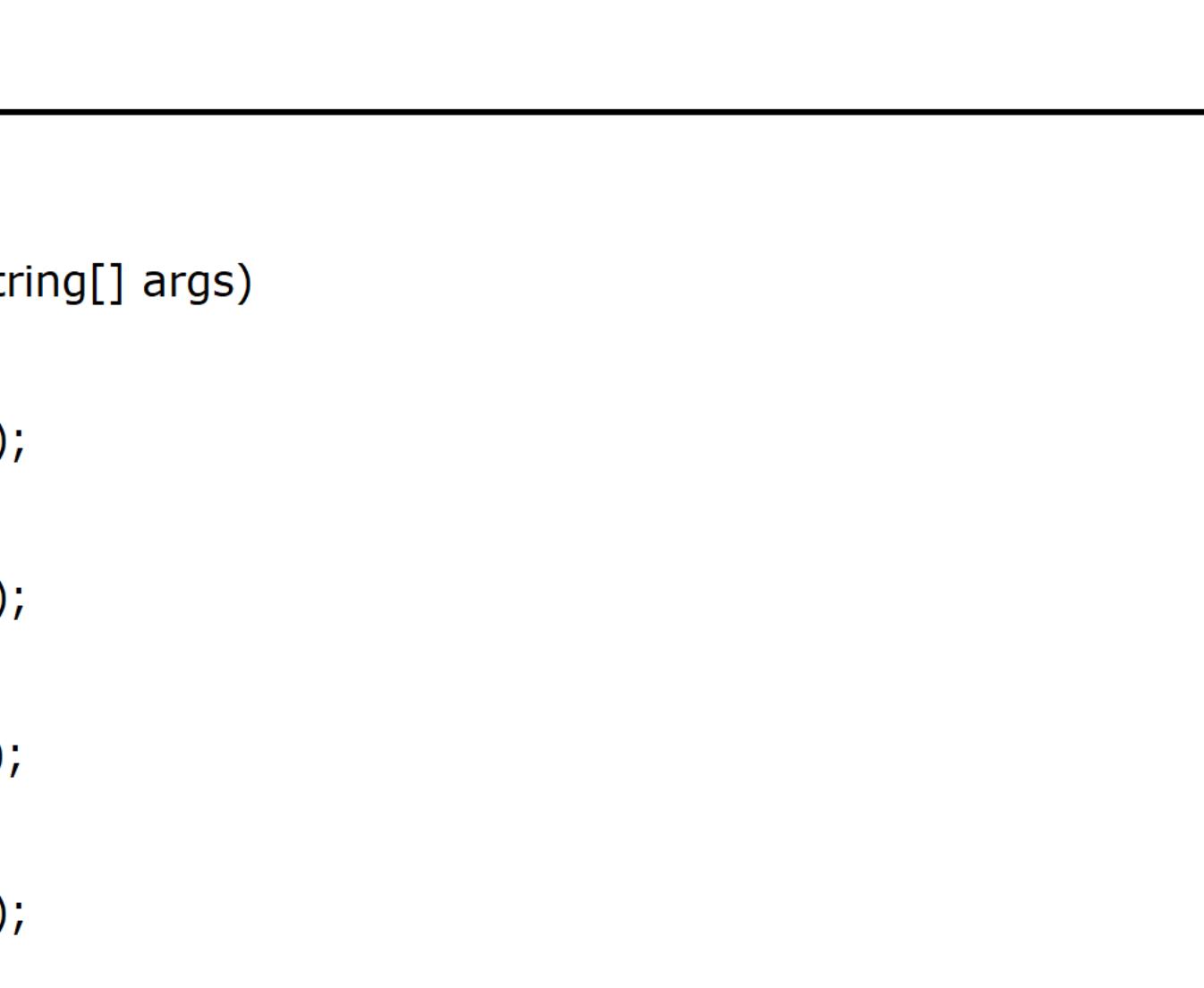
Float	- float
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Double	- double
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Character	- char
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Boolean	- boolean
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* As we know we have total 8 primitive data types in java. Among all these 8 primitive data 6 data types i.e byte, short, int, long, float and double represents numeric type so java has provided a predefined class called **java.lang.Number** which support numeric type hence this class **java.lang.Number** contains 6 sub classes as shown below :



All the above six wrapper classes have provided the following methods :

1) public byte byteValue()

2) public short shortValue()

3) public int intValue()

4) public long longValue()

5) public float floatValue()

6) public double doubleValue()

We have total (6 X 6) 36 methods are available.

* Unlike primitive, auto conversion is not possible while working with Wrapper classes.

//Converting Wrapper object into primitive

```
public class AutoUnboxing1
```

```
{  
    public static void main(String args[])  
    {  
        Integer obj = 15; //Upto 1.4  
        int x = obj.intValue();  
        System.out.println(x);  
    }  
}
```

```
public class AutoUnboxing2
```

```
{  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Integer x = 25;  
        int y = x; //JDK 1.5 onwards  
        System.out.println(y);  
    }  
}
```

```
public class AutoUnboxing3
```

```
{  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Integer i = 15;  
        System.out.println(i.byteValue());  
        System.out.println(i.shortValue());  
        System.out.println(i.intValue());  
        System.out.println(i.longValue());  
        System.out.println(i.floatValue());  
        System.out.println(i.doubleValue());  
    }  
}
```

```
public class AutoUnboxing4
```

```
{  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Character c1 = 'A';  
        char ch = c1.charValue();  
        System.out.println(ch);  
    }  
}
```

```
public class AutoUnboxing5
```

```
{  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Boolean b1 = true;  
        boolean b = b1.booleanValue();  
        System.out.println(b);  
    }  
}
```

```
public class Test
```

```
{  
    public static void main(String[] args)  
    {  
        Long a = 12L;  
        System.out.println(a);  
  
        Float b = 15F;  
        System.out.println(b);  
  
        Double c = 1.0;  
        System.out.println(c);  
  
        Double d = 1D;  
        System.out.println(d);  
    }  
}
```

Note : From the above program , It is clear that auto-conversion is not possible while working with Wrapper classes but same is possible with primitive.

long x = 12; //Automatic Type Casting OR Widening [int is converted to long]

Polymorphism :

Poly = Many
Morphism = forms

* Poly means "many" and morphism means "forms".

* It is a Greek word whose meaning is "SAME OBJECT HAVING DIFFERENT BEHAVIOR".

* In our real life a person can perform so many task as shown below :

Example :

```
void person(Walking w)  
void person(Running w)
```

```
void person(Reading w)
```

* In the same way, In our programming languages, A method OR a constructor can perform so many task.

Example :

```
void add(int x, int y)
```

```
{  
}
```

```
void add(float x, float y)
```

```
{  
}
```

```
void add(String x, String y)
```

```
{  
}
```

Method names are same but parameters are different so add method can perform so many task.

* Types of Polymorphism :

We have 2 types of Polymorphism :

1) Compile time OR Static Polymorphism OR Early Binding

2) Runtime OR Dynamic Polymorphism OR Late Binding

Static Polymorphism :

* The polymorphism which **exist at the time of compilation** is called static polymorphism.

* In static polymorphism, compiler has very good idea regarding method call based on the **method parameter** type.

* The **binding of the method** is done at the time of compilation that is the reason It is also known as Early binding.

* We can achieve static polymorphism by using "Method Overloading".

Dynamic Polymorphism :