

Command Line Arguments

- It is the process of passing the values to the program by the time of execution along with classname [prgname]
- The values which we passing through command line those values will be stored in the "args[]" of main()
- "args[]" is SDA and it is dynamic
- The size of "args[]" will be increased based on the values which we are passing by the time of execution java program
- We can pass N no.of arguments and any type of arguments but JVM treat them as "String" Only
- We can pass N no.of arguments but each argument should be separated by a space
- While passing strings recommended to have them into " " marks

Example:

```
//Cmd.java
```

```
class Cmd
```

```
{
```

```
    public static void main(String args[ ])
```

```
    { //args[ ] is local to main( )
```

```
        System.out.println
```

```
            ("total cmd line args : "+args.length);
```

```
        System.out.println("First : "+args[0]);
```

```
        System.out.println("Second : "+args[1]);
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

```
//javac Cmd.java
```

```
//javac Cmd 10 java.lang.ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException
```

Example 2:

//Cmd2.java

```
class Cmd2
{
    public static void main(String args[ ])
    {
        System.out.println("App-1");
        for(int i=0; i<args.length; i++)
        {
            System.out.println(args[i]);
        }

        System.out.println("App-2");
        for(String j:args)
        {
            System.out.println(j);
        }
    }
}
```

//javac Cmd2.java

//java Cmd2 10 20 30 40 50

//java Cmd2 10 2.3f 30 "shashi kumar" sssit

Example 3:

//CmdSum.java

```
class CmdSum
{
    public static void main(String args[ ])
    {
        int x=(int)args[0];
        int y=(int)args[1];
    }
}
```

//javac CmdSum.java

//java CmdSum 10 20

Note :

- We can't convert string type values to any primitive type using ordinary typecasting approach but we can achieve by using parsing methods from Wrapper classes

Wrapper Class

Methods

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Byte	public static
Short	byte parseByte(String);
	short parseShort(String);
Integer	int parseInt(String);
Long	long parseLong(String);
Float	float parseFloat(String);
Double	double parseDouble(String);
Boolean	boolean parseBoolean(String);

Note: All Warapper classes are from java.lang and they are implemented by java.lang.Comparable(i)

Example :

```
//CmdSum.java
class CmdSum
{
    public static void main(String args[ ])
    {
        int x=Integer.parseInt(args[0]);
        int y=Integer.parseInt(args[1]);
        int s=x+y;
        System.out.println("Sum is : "+s);
    }
}
```

```
//javac CmdSum.java  
//java CmdSum 10 20
```

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