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The return statement is the last jump statement. The return statement is used to end the execution of a specific method and then return a value. When we use a return statement in our program then it sends the program control to the method caller. The data type of the returned value should always be equal to the data type of the method's declared return value.

Syntax :

if(condition)

{

   return;

}

**Example :**

**class** Test\_return {

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

{

*yahoo*(**true**);

System.***out***.println("hi");

}

**public** **static** **void** yahoo(**boolean** a)

{

System.***out***.println("1");

**if** (a)

{

**return**;

}

System.***out***.println("2");

System.***out***.println("3");

}

}

**Output :**

1

hi