

Data Type :

which type of data needs to be stored in a particular variable.

There are two types of datatypes

- 1) primitive
- 2) non primitive

1) primitive :

It is pre defined datatype

All primitive datatypes are keywords in Java

Hence it should be written in lowercase

There are 8 primitive datatypes

Datatype	primitive	bytes	bits.
Integer	Byte Byte	1	8
	Short	2	16
	int	4	32
Decimal	long	8	64
	float	4	32
	double	8	64
	char	2	16
	boolean	*	1 bit

$$2^0 = 1$$

$$2^1 = 2$$

$$2^2 = 4$$

$$2^3 = 8$$

$$2^4 = 16$$

$$2^5 = 32$$

$$2^6 = 64$$

$$2^7 = 128$$

-127 to 128 bytes int. P. datatype.

Non-primitive datatype

- are reference type
- are defined by the programmer
- JVM is responsible to allocate the memory

Ex:- string

Array

all class type