

**Types of Method in Java :**

- As of now, In Java we have only two types of method
- 1) Static Method (Object is not required)
- 2) Non Static Method (Object is required)

**1) Static Method :**

- In Java, If we declare a method with static keyword (static modifier) then it is called static method.
- In order to call the static method, **Object is not required, We can call static method with the help of class name.**
- Example :**

```
public static void access()
{
    //static method
}
```


**2) Non static method :**

- In Java, If we declare a method without static keyword (static modifier) then it is called non static method.
- In order to call non static method, **Object is required.**
- Example :**

```
public void access()
{
    //Non static method
}
```

**main() :**

- main is user-defined method because user is responsible to write the logic inside main method.
- The execution of Java program always starts from main method (Entry Point)
- Our Java main method is a **NON-STATIC** main method so internally JVM WILL CREATE THE OBJECT FOR THE CLASS WHICH IS GENERATED BY JAVA COMPILER TO CALL THE MAIN METHOD



**Can we write multiple methods with same name in Java source file :**

Yes, we can write multiple methods with same name but parameter must be different otherwise code will not compile. (Known as Method Overloading)

**Note :** We can also write multiple main methods with different parameter but JVM will always execute the main method which takes String [] args (String array) as a parameter as shown in the program below.

```
Test.java
void main()
{
    IO.println("Hi");
}

void main(String [] args)
{
    IO.println("Hello");
}

//Output : Hello

Case 1:
void main ()
{
    IO.println ("Hello India");
}

public static void main(String [] args)
{
    IO.println("Hello World");
}

Output : Hello World

Case 2 :
void main(String [] args)
{
    IO.println("Hello India");
}

void main()
{
    IO.println("Hello World");
}

Output : Hello India

Case 3 :
void main(int [] args)
{
    IO.println("Hello India");
}

void main()
{
    IO.println("Hello World");
}

Output : Hello World
```

**Why Java has taken String [] args as a parameter to the main method :**

- String is a predefined class available in java.lang package (like header file). It is a collection of character (character array).
- Our main method always takes String array as a parameter so it can accept wide range of values. (Remember args is an array variable so it can hold multiple values)

```
Demn.java
void main(String [] args)
{
    String s = "Hi";
    IO.println(s);

    s = "123";
    IO.println(s);

    s = "A";
    IO.println(s);

    s = "True";
    IO.println(s);

    s = "12.345";
    IO.println(s);
}

//Output :
```

**IO class :**

- IO provides for Input & Output. It is a predefined class available in java.lang package from JDK 250(LTS).
- It is mainly used to provide input and output operations in Java.
- IO class provides various static methods so we need not to create object for IO class to call these static method.

**IO class static method :**

- IO class static method print(Object obj) :
- It is a predefined static method of IO class. (Object is not required)
- It is used to print the data on the console.
- It accepts Object as a parameter so we can assign different value to this print() method.

**WAP to provide Welcome message in Java :**

```
Welcome.java
void main()
{
    IO.println("Welcome to Java Language");
}
```

**WAP to add two numbers :**

```
Addition.java
void main()
{
    int x = 10;
    int y = 20;
    int sum = x + y;
    IO.println(sum);
}
```

The above program is generating the output is 30, but it is not user friendly message

**How to provide user-friendly message in Java :**

- In order to provide user-friendly message we need to take the support of String concatenation operator

**Behaviour of String concatenation Operator (+)**

- 1 + 1 = 2 [Here + Operator is working as Arithmetic Operator]
- 1 + "1" = 11 [Here + Operator is working as String concatenation Operator]
- "1" + 1 = 21 [Here + Operator is working as String concatenation Operator]
- "Java " + 11 = Java 11 [Here + Operator is working as String concatenation Operator]

**The '+' operator will work as String concatenation operator, If any of the operand is String type.**

```
Sum.java
void main()
{
    int x = 10;
    int y = 20;
    int sum = x + y;
    IO.println("The Sum is (" + sum);
}
```

**WAP to add two numbers without using 3rd Variable :**

```
void main()
{
    int x = 10;
    int y = 20;
    IO.println("The Sum is " + ++y); //The Sum is : 1020
    IO.println(++x+y); //30
    IO.println(++x+y); //30
    IO.println("The Sum is " + ++y); //The Sum is : 30
    IO.println(x + ++y); //30
}
```