

# Week 10 : Programming Assignment 2

Due on 2025-04-03, 23:59 IST

## Check if a JDBC Driver is Available

Java uses **JDBC drivers** to connect to different databases.  
Each database (like SQLite, MySQL, PostgreSQL, etc.) has its own JDBC driver.

This program checks whether the **SQLite JDBC driver** is available in the classpath.  
To do that, Java uses `Class.forName(...)` to **try to load** the driver class by its name.

Your task is to **complete one line** of code to load the SQLite driver and **print true** if the driver is successfully loaded.

This is a common step when using JDBC in real-world applications, and this exercise helps you get comfortable with how drivers are managed.

Private Test cases used for evaluation	Input	Expected Output	Actual Output	Status
Test Case 1		true	true\n	Passed

The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.  
1 out of 1 tests passed.  
You scored 100.0/100.

## Assignment submitted on 2025-03-26, 22:33 IST

Your last recorded submission was :

```
1 import java.sql.*; // Import required for JDBC classes
2
3 public class W10_P2 {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
5         try {
6             // We will attempt to load the SQLite JDBC driver class.
7             // If successful, we'll print true.
8             // If the driver class isn't available, we'll catch the error and print false.
9             Connection conn = null;
10            Statement stmt = null;
11            String DB_URL = "jdbc:sqlite:/tmpfs/db";
12            System.setProperty("org.sqlite.tmpdir", "/tmpfs");
13            conn = DriverManager.getConnection(DB_URL);
14            conn.close();
15            // If the driver loads successfully, this line will execute.
16            System.out.println(true);
17        } catch (Exception e) {
18            // If there is any error in loading the driver, this line will execute.
19            System.out.println(false);
20        }
21    }
22 }
```

## Sample solutions (Provided by instructor)

```
1 import java.sql.*; // Import required for JDBC classes
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3 public class W10_P2 {
4     public static void main(String[] args) {
5         try {
6             // We will attempt to load the SQLite JDBC driver class.
7             // If successful, we'll print true.
8             // If the driver class isn't available, we'll catch the error and print false.
9             Class.forName("org.sqlite.JDBC");
10            // If the driver loads successfully, this line will execute.
11            System.out.println(true);
12        } catch (Exception e) {
13            // If there is any error in loading the driver, this line will execute.
14            System.out.println(false);
15        }
16    }
17 }
```