# Type Casting in JavaType Casting in JavaType casting

Convert a value from one data type to another data type is known as **type casting**.

## **Types of Type Casting**

There are two types of type casting:

* Widening Type Casting
* Narrowing Type Casting

Widening: It converts a Lower datatype into Higher Datatype

**Syntax:**

Datatype ref.name=var.name;

Narrowing: It converts a Higher Datatype into Lower Datatype.

**Syntax:**

Datatype ref.name=(datatype) var.name;