Java BufferedReader Class

Java BufferedReader class is used to read the text from a character-based input stream. It can be used to read data line by line by readLine() method. It makes the performance fast. It inherits Reader class.

Java BufferedReader class declaration

Let's see the declaration for Java.io.BufferedReader class:

    public class BufferedReader extends Reader

Java BufferedReader Example

In this example, we are reading the data from the text file **testout.txt** using Java BufferedReader class.

```
package com.javatpoint;
import java.io.*;
    public class BufferedReaderExample {
            public static void main(String args[])throws Exception{
                    FileReader fr=new FileReader("D:\\testout.txt");
                    BufferedReader br=new BufferedReader(fr);
                    int i;
                    while((i=br.read())!=-1){
                    System.out.print((char)i);
            }
            br.close();
            fr.close();
        }
    }
```