

## 6. Optional Class

- ♦ **Optional is a container object** which may or may not contain a non-null value.
- ♦ **Purpose of Optional class** is to provide a type-level solution for representing optional values instead of null references.
- ♦ **Optional class** has the following methods.

```
static <T> Optional<T> empty();  
static <T> Optional<T> of(T);  
static <T> Optional<T> ofNullable(T);
```

```
T get();  
boolean isPresent();  
T orElse(T);
```

```
void ifPresent(Consumer<? super T>);  
Optional<T> filter(Predicate<? super T>);
```

```
Optional<U> map(Function<? super T, ? extends U>);  
Optional<U> flatMap(Function<? super T, Optional<U>>);
```

```
T orElseGet(Supplier<? extends T>);  
T orElseThrow(Supplier<? extends X>) throws X;
```



### Demo1.java

```
package com.jlcindia.demos;

import java.util.Optional;
/*
 * @Author : Srinivas Dande
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 */

public class Demo1 {
    public static void main(String[] args) {

        // Optional<String> myopts = new Optional<String>();

        //Optional.empty() method
        Optional<String> myopts= Optional.empty();

        System.out.println("1. "+myopts);
        System.out.println("2. "+myopts.orElse("Hello Guys"));
        System.out.println("3. "+myopts);
        System.out.println("4. "+myopts.isPresent());

        //System.out.println("5. "+myopts.get());

        if(myopts.isPresent()) {
            System.out.println("5. "+myopts.get());
        }else {
            System.out.println("6. No value Found");
        }

    }
}
```

### Demo2.java

```
package com.jlcindia.demos;

import java.util.Optional;
/*
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 */
```



```
public class Demo2 {
    public static void main(String[] args) {

        //Optional.of() method
        String str ="Srinivas";
        Optional<String> myopts= Optional.of(str);

        System.out.println("1. "+myopts);
        System.out.println("2. "+myopts.orElse("Hello Guys"));
        System.out.println("3. "+myopts);
        System.out.println("4. "+myopts.isPresent());
        //System.out.println("5. "+myopts.get());

        if(myopts.isPresent()) {
            System.out.println("5. "+myopts.get());
        }else {
            System.out.println("6. No value Found");
        }

    }
}
```

### **Demo3.java**

```
package com.jlcindia.demos;

import java.util.Optional;
/*
 * @Author : Srinivas Dande
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 */
public class Demo3 {

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        //Optional.of() with null
        String str =null;
        Optional<String> myopts= Optional.of(str);
        System.out.println(myopts);

    }
}
```



#### Demo4.java

```
package com.jlcindia.demos;

import java.util.Optional;
/*
 * @Author : Srinivas Dande
 * @Company: Java Learning Center
 */

public class Demo4 {
    public static void main(String[] args) {

        //Optional. ofNullable () method
        String str =null;
        Optional<String> myopts= Optional.ofNullable(str);

        System.out.println("1. "+myopts);
        System.out.println("2. "+myopts.orElse("Hello Guys"));
        System.out.println("3. "+myopts);
        System.out.println("4. "+myopts.isPresent());

        if(myopts.isPresent()) {
            System.out.println("5. "+myopts.get());
        }else {
            System.out.println("6. No value Found");
        }

    }
}
```

#### Demo5.java

```
package com.jlcindia.demos;

import java.util.Optional;
/*
 * @Author : Srinivas Dande
 * @Company: Java Learning Center
 */

public class Demo5 {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
```



```
//Optional. ofNullable() method
String str ="Srinivas";
Optional<String> myopts= Optional.ofNullable(str);

System.out.println("1. "+myopts);
System.out.println("2. "+myopts.orElse("Hello Guys"));
System.out.println("3. "+myopts);
System.out.println("4. "+myopts.isPresent());

if(myopts.isPresent()) {
System.out.println("5. "+myopts.get());
}else {
System.out.println("6. No value Found");
}

}
}
```

#### **Demo6.java**

```
package com.jlcindia.demos;

import java.util.Optional;
/*
 * @Author : Srinivas Dande
 * @Company: Java Learning Center
 */
public class Demo6 {
public static void main(String[] args) {

//isPresent() Vs ifPresent()
String str =null;
//String str ="Srinivas";
Optional<String> myopts= Optional.ofNullable(str);

if(myopts.isPresent()) {
System.out.println(myopts.get());
}

myopts.ifPresent(input -> System.out.println(input));

if(myopts.isPresent()) {
System.out.println(myopts.get().toUpperCase());
}
}
```



```
myopts.ifPresent(input -> System.out.println(input.toUpperCase()));

System.out.println("-----");

System.out.println("Done!!!");
}
}
```

### **Demo7.java**

```
package com.jlcindia.demos;

import java.util.Optional;
/*
 * @Author : Srinivas Dande
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 */
public class Demo7 {
    public static void main(String[] args) {

        //filter() method
        String str1 = null;
        Optional<String> myopts1 = Optional.ofNullable(str1);

        Optional<String> myopts4= myopts1.filter(input -> input.contains("Sri"));
        System.out.println("1 . "+myopts4);

        String str2 ="Srinivas";
        Optional<String> myopts2 = Optional.ofNullable(str2);

        Optional<String> myopts5= myopts2.filter(input -> input.contains("Sri"));
        System.out.println("2 . "+myopts5);

        String str3 ="Hello Guys";
        Optional<String> myopts3 = Optional.ofNullable(str3);

        Optional<String> myopts6= myopts3.filter(input -> input.contains("Sri"));
        System.out.println("3 . "+myopts6);

        System.out.println("Done!!!");

    }
}
```



### Demo8.java

```
package com.jlcindia.demos;

import java.util.Optional;
/*
 * @Author : Srinivas Dande
 * @Company: Java Learning Center
 */
public class Demo8 {
    public static void main(String[] args) {

        //map() method
        String str1 = "Srinivas";
        Optional<String> myopts1 = Optional.ofNullable(str1);
        System.out.println("1. "+myopts1);

        Optional<String> myopts2 = myopts1.map(input -> input);
        System.out.println("2. "+myopts2);

        Optional<String> myopts3 = myopts1.map(input -> input.toUpperCase());
        System.out.println("3. "+myopts3);

        Optional<String> myopts4 = myopts3.map(input -> new
        StringBuilder(input).reverse().toString());

        System.out.println("4. "+myopts4);

        String mystr = null;
        Optional<String> myopts = Optional.ofNullable(mystr);
        System.out.println("5. "+myopts);

        Optional<String> myopts5 = myopts.map(input -> input.toUpperCase());
        System.out.println("6. "+myopts5);

        System.out.println("Done!!!");
    }
}
```