

An Example of a Method

```
private double feetToInches(double feet) {  
    double number;  
    number = 12 * feet;  
    return number;  
}
```

Multiple **return** statements

```
private int max(int val1, int val2) {  
    if (val1 > val2) {  
        return val1;  
    } else {  
        return val2;  
    }  
}
```

Predicate Methods

```
private boolean isOdd(int x) {  
    return ((x % 2) == 1);  
}
```

Methods that Don't Return Anything

```
private void printIntro() {  
    println("Welcome to CS106A");  
}
```

Returning objects

```
private GOval filledCircle(double x,  
                           double y,  
                           double r,  
                           Color color) {  
    GOval circle = new GOval(x-r, y-r, 2*r, 2*r);  
    circle.setFilled(true);  
    circle.setColor(color);  
    return circle;  
}
```