

Assignment 4 Interview questions.

Q1] What is the Role of the static keyword in the Context of memory management

ans:- The Static keyword in java is mainly used for memory management. Static keyword is used to share the same variable or method of given class. The user can apply static keyword with variable, methods, block & nested classes. The static keyword belongs to the class than an instance of the class.

Q2] Can static methods be overloaded & overridden in Java? How do static variables share access multiple instances of a class?

ans:- Yes static method can be overloaded in java but cannot override them.

- static variables are shared across multiple instances of a class because only one copy of the variable is created & use for the entire class regardless of how many instances are created.

Q3] What is significance of final keyword in java?

ans:- final keyword in java is the non-access modifier that prevents entities from being changed or modified.

- In java final keyword or class cannot be modified or extended.

(u) What are meaning of narrowing & widening Conversion in java?

ans: - Widening Conversion

- It is used as implicit type of Conversion.
- In this Conversion we convert lower datatype into higher datatype.

- Narrowing:

- It is caused as Explicit type of Conversion.
- In this Conversion we convert higher datatype into lower datatype.

3) Provide examples of narrowing & widening conversions between primitive datatypes.

→ Example of ~~Narrowing~~ widening Conversion are between Primitive data types are:-

- Narrowing Conversion example:- byte - short -> int - long - double, float.

Short -> int -> long, double, float
 int -> long, double
 long -> double

1 byte = 8 bits = $2^8 = 256$ byte range.

Primitive Datatypes

Ex:-

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int i = 128
byte b = 1
int j = 128
byte b = byte(i);
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6) How ~~does~~ does Java handles potential loss of precision during narrowing conversions.

ans: → Because Java requires explicit casting in order to narrow conversions, programmers must actively detect & manage the risk of data loss. This helps Java handle any precision loss that might happen when ~~narrow~~ narrowing conversions are made. Since the language does not necessarily always provide or ~~ever~~ alert against precision loss such transaction must be done with the utmost care. Case.

7) Explain the concept of automatic widening conversion in Java?

→ The process by which the Java compiler converts in Java.

(7) Explain the Concept of automatic Widening Conversion in Java.

ans →

The process by which the Java Compiler automatically transform a value from a smaller primitive data type to a larger one is known as automatic widening Conversion in Java. because The large type can always represent every possible value of the smaller type without loss of precision or data.

— In Java widening Conversions follow a special hierarchy from smaller to larger type.

byte → short → int → long → float → double

Primitive data types

byte (8 bits)

short (16 bits)

int (32 bits)

float (32 bits)

long (64 bits)

double (64 bits)

Narrowing Conversion:-

Converting a value from a bigger datatypes to a smaller one is remain as a narrowing Conversion
Ex. Converting double to float or long to int

- ~~Imp~~ Implications :-

(1) ~~Type of~~ Type of ~~Complac~~ Compatibility

① Type of Compatibility :-

1) Explicit Casting :- Narrowing Conversions require explicit Casting due to the possibility of data loss the Java Compiler does not carry out these transformation (conversion) automatically.

2) Data loss :-

- Potential Data loss - Narrowing Conversion can in data loss or truncation.

- overflow :- when narrowing between integer types values outside the range of the target type are lost.

(8) What are the implications of narrowing & widening Conversions on type & Compatibility & data loss?

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Converting a value from a smaller data type to a larger one it is known as widening Conversion for example Converting int to long or float to double.

Implications of Widening Conversions :-

i) Type Compatibility :-

(i) Automatic :- Widening Conversions are automatic & safe because there is no risk of data loss to overflow when using the larger type to represent all values of the smaller type. the Java compiler implicitly conducts these conversions.

(ii) Compatibility :- Compatibility ensures that we can assign a value of a smaller type to a large type without explicit casting.

(iii) Data loss :- No risk of data loss with widening conversions.