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# Object Oriented Programming



# Operators and Expressions

## Arithmetic Operations

There are several binary arithmetic operators that operate on any of the primitive numerical types:

- + addition
- subtraction (also used for negation)
- \* multiplication
- / division
- % remainder

**1. Integer Arithmetic:** Integer arithmetic is two's-complement arithmetic.

Exp:  $7/2 = 3$ , and  $-7/2 = -3$  and  $7\%2 = 1$ , and  $-7\%2 = 1$ .

Exp: Dividing by zero or remainder by zero is invalid for integer arithmetic and throws `ArithmeticException`.

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## 2. Floating-Point Arithmetic:

- Arithmetic with finite operands performs as expected, within the limits of precision of double or float.
  - The result of an invalid expression, such as dividing infinity by infinity, is a NaN
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- We can get an infinity value from the constants `POSITIVE_INFINITY` and `NEGATIVE_INFINITY` in the wrapper classes `Float` and `Double`.

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x	y	x/y	x%y
Finite	$\pm 0.0$	$\pm \infty$	NaN
Finite	$\pm \infty$	$\pm 0.0$	x
$\pm 0.0$	$\pm 0.0$	NaN	NaN
$\pm \infty$	Finite	$\pm \infty$	NaN
$\pm \infty$	$\pm \infty$	NaN	NaN

### 3. Strict and Non-Strict Floating-Point Arithmetic:

- Floating-point arithmetic can be executed in one of two modes: FP-strict or not FP-strict.
- `strictfp`: you will always get exactly equivalent results on all JVM implementations.
- `Non-strictfp`: executed with somewhat relaxed rules.
- When you declare a method `strictfp`, all the code in the method will be executed according to strict constraints.

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## General Operators:

**Increment and Decrement Operators:** The ++ and -- operators are the increment and decrement operators and can only be applied to numeric variables or numeric array elements. The expression i++ is equivalent to i= i+ 1 except that i is evaluated only once.

Exp: ++arr[where()];

Statement invokes where only once and uses the result as an index into the array only once. On the other hand, in the Statement arr[where()]=arr[where()]+1;

the where method is called twice: once to determine the index on the right-hand side, and a second time to determine the index on the left-hand side. If where returns a different value each time it is invoked, the results will be quite different from those of the ++ expression. To avoid the second invocation of where you would have to store its result in a temporary.

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Exp:

```
class IncOrder {  
public static void main(String[] args) {  
int i = 16;  
System.out.println(++i + " " + i++ + " " + i);  
}  
}
```

The output is  
17 17 18

**Note:** The increment and decrement operators ++ and -- can also be applied to char variables to get to the next or previous Unicode character.

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**Relational and Equality Operators:** (>, <, >=, <=, ==, !=)

- All relational and equality operators in java yield boolean values.
- All relational and equality operators that test a number against NaN return false, except !=, which always returns true,

Exp: `Double.NaN == Double.NaN`

Is always **false**.



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## Logical Operators:

&    logical AND  
|    logical inclusive OR  
^    logical exclusive or (XOR)  
!    logical negation  
&&    conditional AND  
||    conditional OR

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**Instanceof:** The instanceof operator evaluates whether a reference refers to an object that is an instance of a particular class or interface. The left-hand side is a reference to an object, and the right-hand side is a class or interface name.

**Bit Manipulation Operators:** The binary bitwise operators are:

&      bitwise AND  
|      bitwise inclusive OR  
^      bitwise exclusive or (XOR)

- The bitwise operators perform operation on each pair of bits in the two operands. The AND of two bits yields a 1 if both bits are 1, the OR of two bits yields a 1 if either bit is 1, and the XOR of two bits yields a 1 only if the two bits have different values.

**Exp:**    0xf00f & 0x0ff0  
         = 0x0000

**Exp:**    0xf00f | 0x0ff0

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## The Conditional Operator ?:

The conditional operator provides a single expression that yields one of two values based on a boolean expression. The statement

```
value = (userSetIt ? usersValue : defaultValue);
```

is equivalent to

```
if (userSetIt)
value = usersValue;
else
value = defaultValue;
```

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## Assignment Operators:

```
z = 3;  
x = y = z = 3;  
a *= b + 1 is analogous to a = a * (b + 1)
```

## String Concatenation Operator:

You can use + to concatenate two strings.

```
String boo = "boo";  
String cry = boo + "hoo";  
cry += "!";  
System.out.println(cry);
```

**new:** The new operator is a unary prefix operator. It has one operand that follows the operator. Technically, the use of new is known as an instance creation expression because it creates an instance of a class or array. The value of the expression is a reference to the object created.



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## Order of Evaluation:

- given  $x+y+z$ , the compiler evaluates  $x$ , evaluates  $y$ , adds the values together, evaluates  $z$ , and adds that to the previous result.

## Expression Type:

- Every expression has a type. The type of an expression is determined by the types of its component parts and the semantics of operators.
- If an arithmetic or bit manipulation operator is applied to integer values, the result of the expression is of type `int` unless one or both sides are `long`, in which case the result is `long`.
- If either operand of an arithmetic operator is floating point, the operation is performed in floating-point arithmetic. Such operations are done in `float` unless at least one operand is a `double`, in which case `double` is used for the calculation and result.

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## Type Conversions

### Implicit Type Conversions:

- Any numeric value can be assigned to any numeric variable whose type supports a larger range of values widening primitive conversion.
- A char can be used wherever an int is valid. A floating-point value can be assigned to any floating-point variable of equal or greater precision.

```
long orig = 0x7effffff00000000L;  
float fval = orig;  
long lose = (long) fval;  
System.out.println("orig = " + orig);  
System.out.println("fval = " + fval);  
System.out.println("lose = " + lose);
```

```
orig = 9151314438521880576  
fval = 9.1513144E18  
lose = 9151314442816847872
```

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```
short s1 = 27; // implicit int to short
```

```
byte b1 = 27; // implicit int to byte
```

```
short s3 = 0x1ffff; // INVALID: int value too big for short
```

## Explicit Type Casts:

- A boolean cannot be cast to an int but explicit casting can be used to assign a double to a long. Exp: `double d = 7.99;`  
`long l = (long) d;`
- When a floating-point value is cast to an integer, the fractional part is lost by rounding toward zero; for instance, `(int)-72.3` is `-72`.
- A char can be cast to any integer type and vice versa. When an integer is cast to a char, only the bottom 16 bits of data are used; the rest are discarded. When a char is cast to an integer type, any additional upper bits are filled with zeros.

## String Conversions:

- Whenever a `+` operator has at least one String operand, it is interpreted as the string concatenation operator and the other operand, if not a String, is implicitly converted into

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## Operator Precedence and Associativity

postfix operators	[] . (params) expr++ expr--
unary operators	++expr --expr +expr -expr ~ !
creation or cast	new (type)expr
multiplicative	* / %
additive	+ -
shift	<< >> >>>
relational	< > >= <= instanceof
equality	== !=
AND	&
exclusive OR	^
inclusive OR	
conditional AND	&&
conditional OR	
conditional	?:
assignment	= += -= *= /= %= >>= <<= >>>= &= ^=  =



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- All binary operators except assignment operators are left-associative. Assignment is right-associative. In other words,  $a=b=c$  is equivalent to  $a=(b=c)$ , so it is convenient to chain assignments together. The conditional operator `?:` is right-associative.

# References

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