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Example

Calculate the weekday name:

```
int day = 4;
switch (day) {
    case 1:
        System.out.println("Monday");
        break;
    case 2:
        System.out.println("Tuesday");
        break;
    case 3:
        System.out.println("Wednesday");
        break;
    case 4:
        System.out.println("Thursday");
        break;
    case 5:
        System.out.println("Friday");
        break;
    case 6:
        System.out.println("Saturday");
        break;
}
```

```
case 7:  
    System.out.println("Sunday");  
    break;  
}  
// Outputs "Thursday" (day 4)
```

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Definition and Usage

The **case** keyword marks a block of code in a **switch** statement.

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