



- The non-access modifiers in java are
 - Static
 - Final
 - Abstract
 - Synchronized
 - Transient
 - volatile

Static modifier

- The static modifier can be used in
 - Variable and
 - methods

Static variable

- The static key word is used to create variables that will exist independently of any instances created for the class.
- Only one copy of the static variable exists regardless of the number of instances of the class.
- Static variables are also known as class variables.
- Local variables cannot be declared static.

Static method

- The static key word is used to create methods that will exist independently of any instances created for the class.
 Static methods do not use any instance variables of any object of the
- class they are defined in.
- Static methods take all the data from parameters and compute something from those parameters, with no reference to variables.
- Class variables and methods can be accessed using the class name followed by a dot and the name of the variable or method.

Example of static modifier

```
package day6;
class Staticmodifier
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   private static int counter = 0;
   static void addcounter()
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       counter++;
                                                                           initial value of counter: 0
   static int getCount()
                                                                           Counting started
                                                                           final value of counter:10
       return counter;
   Staticmodifier()
       Staticmodifier.addcounter();
public class Staticex
   public static void main(String args[])
       System.out.println("initial value of counter: "+ Staticmodifier.getCount());
       System.out.println("Counting started");
       for(int i=0;i<10;i++)
           new Staticmodifier();
       System.out.println("final value of counter:"+ Staticmodifier.getCount());
```

Final modifier

- The final modifier can be given to
 - Variable and
 - Method
 - Class

Final variable

- A final variable can be explicitly initialized only once.
- A reference variable declared final can never be reassigned to refer to an different object.
- The data within the object can be changed. So the state of the object can be changed but not the reference.

Final method

- A final method cannot be overridden by any subclasses.
- The final modifier prevents a method from being modified in a subclass.

Final class

- The main purpose of using a class being declared as final is to prevent the class from being subclassed.
- If a class is marked as final then no class can inherit any feature from the final class.

Final modifier sample code

```
package day6;
class Final1
    final int a =10;
    int out()
        return a;
    @Override
    public String toString()
        return a+"";
    Final1()
        out();
public class Finalex
    public static void main(String[] args)
        System.out.println(new Finall().toString());
        Final1 f = new Final1();
        //f.a =12;
```

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<terminated> Finalex [Java Application] /usr/lib/jvm/java-7
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```

Synchronized modifier

- The synchronized key word used to indicate that a method can be accessed by only one thread at a time.
- The synchronized modifier can be applied with any of the four access level modifiers.

```
Example public synchronized add() {.....}
```

Transient modifier

- An instance variable is marked transient to indicate the JVM to skip the particular variable when serializing the object containing it.
- This modifier is included in the statement that creates the variable, preceding the class or data type of the variable.
- Example

```
transient int a =10; // will remain forever int a1 = 20; // will be deallocated after its scope.
```

Volatile modifier

- The volatile is used to let the JVM know that a thread accessing the variable must always merge its own private copy of the variable with the master copy in the memory.
- Accessing a volatile variable synchronizes all the cached copied of the variables in the main memory.
- Volatile can only be applied to instance variables, which are of type object or private.
- A volatile object reference can be null.

