

## Java BufferedInputStream class

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Java BufferedInputStream class is used to read information from stream. It internally uses buffer mechanism to make the performance fast.

The important points about BufferedInputStream are:

- When the bites from stream are skipped or read, the internal buffer automatically refilled from the contained input stream, many bytes at a time.
- When a BufferedInputStream is created, an internal buffer array is created.

Constructor	Description
<code>BufferedInputStream(InputStream in)</code>	Creates a BufferedInputStream and saves its argument, the input stream in, for later use.
<code>BufferedInputStream(InputStream in, int size)</code>	Creates a BufferedInputStream with the specified buffer size, and saves its argument, the input stream in, for later use.

### Method Summary

All Methods	Instance Methods	Concrete Methods
Modifier and Type	Method	Description
int	<code>available()</code>	Returns an estimate of the number of bytes that can be read (or skipped over) from this input stream without blocking by the next invocation of a method for this input stream.
void	<code>close()</code>	Closes this input stream and releases any system resources associated with the stream.
void	<code>mark(int readlimit)</code>	See the general contract of the <code>mark</code> method of <code>InputStream</code> .
boolean	<code>markSupported()</code>	Tests if this input stream supports the <code>mark</code> and <code>reset</code> methods.
int	<code>read()</code>	See the general contract of the <code>read</code> method of <code>InputStream</code> .
int	<code>read(byte[] b, int off, int len)</code>	Reads bytes from this byte-input stream into the specified byte array, starting at the given offset.
void	<code>reset()</code>	See the general contract of the <code>reset</code> method of <code>InputStream</code> .
long	<code>skip(long n)</code>	See the general contract of the <code>skip</code> method of <code>InputStream</code> .

```
import java.util.*;
import java.io.*;

/**
 * Write a description of class BufferedInputStreamClass here.
 *
 * @author (your name)
 * @version (a version number or a date)
 */
public class BufferedInputStreamClass
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        String path=".//Datafiles/";
        String filename;
```

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Scanner sc=new Scanner(System.in);
System.out.print("\f Enter file name: ");
filename=sc.nextLine();
try
{
    FileInputStream fis= new FileInputStream(path+filename);
    BufferedInputStream bis= new BufferedInputStream(fis);
    int i;
    while((i=bis.read())!=-1)
    {
        System.out.print((char)i);
    }
    bis.close();
    fis.close();
}
catch(FileNotFoundException fnfe)
{
    System.err.print("\n File not found at specified path: ");
}
catch(IOException ioe)
{
    System.err.print("\n Connection problem.");
}
}
```