

WRAPPER CLASSES

Wrapper Class: Special classes that convert primitives into objects.

Integer class

java.lang.Integer
-value: int <u>+MAX_VALUE: int</u> <u>+MIN_VALUE: int</u>
+Integer(value: int) +Integer(s: String) +byteValue(): byte +shortValue(): short +intValue(): int +longVlaue(): long +floatValue(): float +doubleValue(): double +compareTo(o: Integer): int +toString(): String <u>+valueOf(s: String): Integer</u> <u>+valueOf(s: String, radix: int): Integer</u> <u>+parseInt(s: String): int</u> <u>+parseInt(s: String, radix: int): int</u>

Double class

java.lang.Double
-value: double <u>+MAX_VALUE: double</u> <u>+MIN_VALUE: double</u>
+Double(value: double) +Double(s: String) +byteValue(): byte +shortValue(): short +intValue(): int +longVlaue(): long +floatValue(): float +doubleValue(): double +compareTo(o: Double): int +toString(): String <u>+valueOf(s: String): Double</u> <u>+valueOf(s: String, radix: int): Double</u> <u>+parseDouble(s: String): double</u> <u>+parseDouble(s: String, radix: int): double</u>

Character class

java.lang.Character	
+Character(value: char) +charValue(): char +compareTo(anotherCharacter: Character): int +equals(anotherCharacter: Character): boolean <u>+isDigit(ch: char): boolean</u> <u>+isLetter(ch: char): boolean</u> <u>+isLetterOrDigit(ch: char): boolean</u> <u>+isLowerCase(ch: char): boolean</u> <u>+isUpperCase(ch: char): boolean</u> <u>+toLowerCase(ch: char): char</u> <u>+toUpperCase(ch: char): char</u>	Constructs a character object with char value. Returns the char value from this object. Compares this character with another. Returns true if this character is equal to another. Returns true if the specified character is a digit. Returns true if the specified character is a letter. Returns true if the character is a letter or a digit. Returns true if the character is a lowercase letter. Returns true if the character is an uppercase letter. Returns the lowercase of the specified character. Returns the uppercase of the specified character.

Constructing Objects from Wrapper Classes:

There are two constructors for each class that take one parameter. One constructor takes its equivalent primitive data type and the other takes a `String`.

Example 1: Constructing an Object from the Wrapper Classes

```
Double obj1 = new Double(4.5);
Double obj2 = new Double("4.76");

Integer obj3 = new Integer(19);
Integer obj4 = new Integer("8");
```

Example 2: "Auto-boxing" or "Auto-wrapping"

```
Double obj5 = 19.54;

Integer obj6 = 18;
```

Converting Back to Primitive Data Types:

Example 3: Using Methods

```
double d1 = obj1.doubleValue();

int i1 = obj3.intValue();
```

Example 4: "Auto-unboxing" or "Auto-unwrapping"

```
double d2 = obj2;

int i2 = obj4;
```

Other Methods to Know:

* `equals`

* `compareTo`

* `valueOf`

* "Parsing" Methods

