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Operators in Java

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Operator

Operator is a symbol which is used to perform some operation.

Operators are used to perform operations on variables and values.

Types of operators

1) Unary operators
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1) Unary Operator

1. Increment (++)
2. Decrement (--)
3. Negation (!)

2) Binary Operator

1. Arithmetic (+, -, *, /, %)
2. Relational (>, <, >=, <=, !=, ==)
3. Logical (&&, ||)
4. Assignment (=)
5. Arithmetic Assignment operator (+=, -=, *=, /=, %=)

3) Ternary Operator

- Conditional operator (?:)

Example

(condition) **?** statement 1 **:** statement 2;

```
int result= (n1>n2) ? n1 : n2;
```

Hard coded values

- Values given during variable declaration.
- Value given to variable in source code.
- **Examples**

```
public static void main(String args[])
{
    int a=2;
    int b=3;
    int c=2;
    int result = a+b+(c--);
    System.out.println("Result is: "+result);
    System.err.println("Value of c is: "+c);
}
```

Mathematical Operators in Java

Operator	Description	Example – given a is 15 and b is 6
+	Addition	a + b, would return 21
-	Subtraction	a - b, would return 9
*	Multiplication	a * b, would return 90
/	Division	a / b, would return 2
%	Modulus	a % b, would return 3 (the remainder)

Logical Operators in Java

Operator	Description
&	AND gate behaviour (0,0,0,1)
|	OR gate behaviour (0,1,1,1)
^	XOR – exclusive OR (0,1,1,0)
&&	Short-circuit AND
||	Short-circuit OR
!	Not

Increment and Decrement Operators

- The operators that is used to add 1 to the value of a variable is called increment operator.

- The operator that is used to subtract 1 from the value of a variable is called decrement operator.

The Increment Operator (++)

- The increment operator is represented by a double plus (++) sign.
- It is used to add 1 to the value of an integer variable.
- This variable can be used before or after the variable name.
- For example, to add 1 to a value of variable xy, it is normally written as

```
xy = xy + 1;
```

- By using increment operator “++” it is written as

```
xy++
```

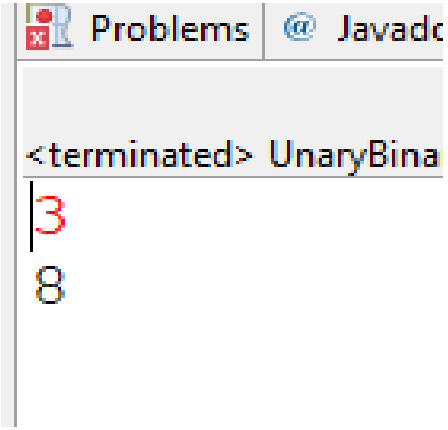
The Increment Operator (++)…

- The increment operator can be written either before or after the variable.
- If it is written before the variable, it is known as prefixing.
- If it is written after the variable, it is known as post fixing.
- Prefix and postfix operators have different effects when they are used in expressions.

Prefix Increment Operator

- When an increment operator is used in prefix mode in an expression, it adds 1 to the value of the variable **before** the values of the variable is used in the expression.
- For Example

```
public static void main(String args[])
{
    int a=2;
    int b=3;
    int c=2;
    int result = a+b+(++c);
    System.out.println(result);
    System.err.println(c);
}
```



Prefix Increment Operator...

- In the above program, 1 will be added to the value of **c** before it is used in the expression.
- Thus after execution, the result will be equal to 8 and the value of **c** will be 3.

Postfix Increment Operator

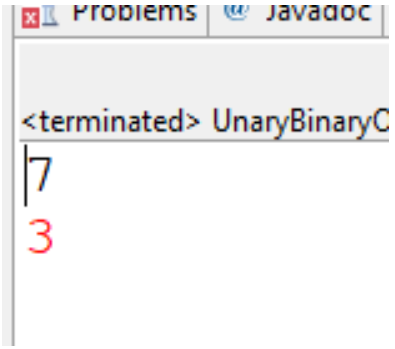
- When an increment operator is used in postfix mode in an expression, it adds 1 to the value of the variable **after** the values of the variable is used in the expression.
- For Example, if in the above example, increment operator is used in postfix mode, the result will be different. The statement will be shown below:

```
result =a + b + c++;
```

Postfix Increment Operator…

- In this case, 1 will be added to the value of c after its existing value has been used in the expression. Thus after execution, the result will be equal to 7 and the value of c will be 3.

```
public static void main(String args[])
{
    int a=2;
    int b=3;
    int c=2;
    int result = a+b+(c++);
    System.out.println(result);
    System.err.println(c);
}
```



The Decrement Operator (--)

- The decrement operator is represented by a double plus (--) sign.
- It is used to subtract 1 from the value of an integer variable.
- This variable can be used before or after the variable name.
- For example, to subtract 1 from the value of variable xy, the decrement statement is written as:

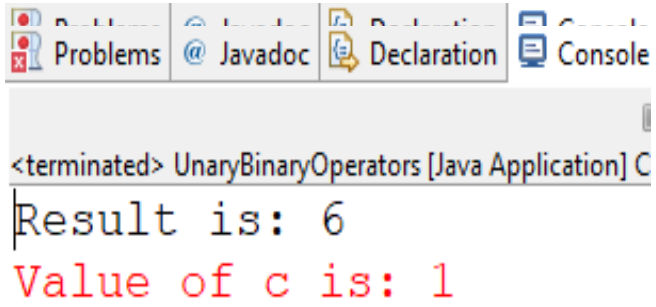
xy--; or --xy;

Prefix Decrement Operator

- When decrement operator is used in prefix mode in an expression, it subtracts 1 from the value of the variable **before** the values of the variable is used in the expression.

- For Example

```
public static void main(String args[])
{
    int a=2;
    int b=3;
    int c=2;
    int result = a+b+(--c);
    System.out.println("Result is: "+result);
    System.err.println("Value of c is: "+c);
}
```



Prefix Decrement Operator…

- In the above program, 1 will be subtracted from the value of **c** before it is used in the expression.
- Thus after execution, the result will be equal to 6 and the value of **c** will be 1.

Postfix Decrement Operator

- When an decrement operator is used in postfix mode in an expression, it subtracts 1 from the value of the variable **after** the values of the variable is used in the expression.
- For Example, if in the above example, decrement operator is used in postfix mode, the result will be different. The statement will be shown below:

```
result =a + b + c--;
```

Postfix Decrement Operator…

- In this case, 1 will be subtracted from the value of **c** after its existing value has been used in the expression. Thus after execution, the result will be equal to 7 and the value of c will be 1.

```
public static void main(String args[])
{
    int a=2;
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    int result = a+b+(c--);
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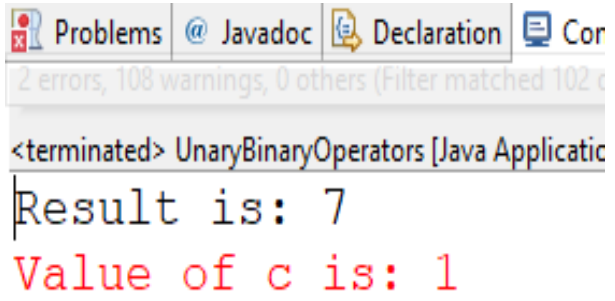

Runtime values

- Values given to variable during program execution.

Scanner Class

Scanner is built in class which is used to get data from users.

Method in Scanner Class

1) **nextInt()** To get integer values
2) **nextFloat()** To get float values
3) **nextDouble()** To get double values
4) **next()** To get String values. It will not accept space
5) **nextLine()** To get String values. It will accept space

Scanner Class object

Scanner obj = new Scanner(System.in);

Note: Scanner class is contained in “ java.util ” pakage of java.

Import Statement:

Import java.util.Scanner;

String Class

String is predefined class. String is treated as object in java.

Syntax:

String variableName;

Example

String name, fName;

System.out.println(“Enter name”);

name= input.nextLine();

Character in Java

Scanner class in Java supports nextInt(), nextLong(), nextDouble() etc. **But there is no nextChar()**

To read a char, we use **next().charAt(0)**. next() function returns the next token/word in the input as a string and **charAt(0)** function returns the first character in that string.

char letterA = 'A’;

Character in Java…

```java
// Java program to read character using Scanner
// class
import java.util.Scanner;
public class ScannerDemo1
{
    public static void main(String[] args)
    {
        // Declare the object and initialize with
        // predefined standard input object
        Scanner sc = new Scanner(System.in);

        // Character input
        char c = sc.next().charAt(0);

        // Print the read value
        System.out.println("c = "+c);
    }
}
```

Character in Java…

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    // TODO Auto-generated method stub

    Scanner obj= new Scanner(System.in);


    System.err.println("Enter 1st number:");
    int num1= obj.nextInt();
    System.err.println("Enter 2nd number:");
    int num2=obj.nextInt();
    System.err.println("Enter Any Operator:");
    char cha= obj.next().charAt(0);


    if(cha=='+')
    {
        int sum= num1+num2;
        System.err.println("Sum is: "+sum);
    }
    else {
        System.err.println("you entered invalid operator");
    }
```

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