# Interface Comparable

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https://docs.oracle.com/javase/10/docs/api/java/lang/Comparable.html

```
public interface Comparable<T> {
   int compareTo(T o);
}
```

### Problema motivador

Faça um programa para ler um arquivo contendo nomes de pessoas (um nome por linha), armazenando-os em uma lista. Depois, ordenar os dados dessa lista e mostra-los ordenadamente na tela. Nota: o caminho do arquivo pode ser informado "hardcode".

```
Maria Brown
Alex Green
Bob Grey
Anna White
Alex Black
Eduardo Rose
Willian Red
Marta Blue
Alex Brown
```

```
package application;
import java.io.BufferedReader;
import java.io.FileReader;
import java.io.IOException;
import java.util.ArrayList;
import java.util.Collections;
import java.util.List;
public class Program {
     public static void main(String[] args) {
          List<String> list = new ArrayList<>();
          String path = "C:\\temp\\in.txt";
          try (BufferedReader br = new BufferedReader(new FileReader(path))) {
          String name = br.readLine();
          while (name != null) {
                list.add(name);
                name = br.readLine();
          Collections.sort(list);
          for (String s : list) {
                System.out.println(s);
          } catch (IOException e) {
               System.out.println("Error: " + e.getMessage());
     }
}
```

### Outro problema

Faça um programa para ler um arquivo contendo funcionários (nome e salário) no formato .csv, armazenando-os em uma lista. Depois, ordenar a lista por nome e mostrar o resultado na tela. Nota: o caminho do arquivo pode ser informado "hardcode".

Maria Brown,4300.00 Alex Green,3100.00 Bob Grey,3100.00 Anna White,3500.00 Alex Black,2450.00 Eduardo Rose,4390.00 Willian Red,2900.00 Marta Blue,6100.00 Alex Brown,5000.00

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```

```
System.out.println("maria".compareTo("alex"));
System.out.println("alex".compareTo("maria"));
System.out.println("maria".compareTo("maria"));
Output:
12
-12
0
```

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#### Method compareTo:

#### Parameters:

o - the object to be compared.

#### Returns

a negative integer, zero, or a positive integer as this object is less than, equal to, or greater than the specified object.

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import java.io.IOException;
import java.util.ArrayList;
import java.util.Collections;
import java.util.List;
import entities.Employee;
public class Program {
        public static void main(String[] args) {
               List<Employee> list = new ArrayList<>();
String path = "C:\\temp\\in.txt";
                try (BufferedReader br = new BufferedReader(new FileReader(path))) {
                        String employeeCsv = br.readLine();
while (employeeCsv != null) {
    String[] fields = employeeCsv.split(",");
    list.add(new Employee(fields[0], Double.parseDouble(fields[1])));
    employeeCsv = br.readLine();
                        Collections.sort(list);
                        for (Employee emp : list) {
    System.out.println(emp.getName() + ", " + emp.getSalary());
               } catch (IOException e) {
    System.out.println("Error: " + e.getMessage());
       }
}
```

```
package entities;
public class Employee implements Comparable<Employee> {
       private String name;
private Double salary;
       public Employee(String name, Double salary) {
              this.name = name;
this.salary = salary;
       public String getName() {
    return name;
       }
       public void setName(String name) {
    this.name = name;
       }
       public Double getSalary() {
    return salary;
       }
       public void setSalary(Double salary) {
    this.salary = salary;
       }
       @Override
       public int compareTo(Employee other) {
              return name.compareTo(other.getName());
}
```