

# JAVA - VALUEOF() METHOD

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## Description:

The valueOf method returns the relevant Number Object holding the value of the argument passed. The argument can be a primitive data type, String, etc.

This method is a static method. The method can take two arguments, where one is a String and the other is a radix.

## Syntax:

All the variants of this method are given below:

```
static Integer valueOf(int i)
static Integer valueOf(String s)
static Integer valueOf(String s, int radix)
```

## Parameters:

Here is the detail of parameters:

- **i** -- An int for which Integer representation would be returned.
- **s** -- A String for which Integer representation would be returned.
- **radix** -- This would be used to decide the value of returned Integer based on passed String.

## Return Value:

- **valueOf(int i)**: This returns an Integer object holding the value of the specified primitive.
- **valueOf(String s)**: This returns an Integer object holding the value of the specified string representation.
- **valueOf(String s, int radix)**: This returns an Integer object holding the integer value of the specified string representation, parsed with the value of radix.

```
public class Test{

    public static void main(String args[]) {

        Integer x = Integer.valueOf(9);
        Double c = Double.valueOf(5);
        Float a = Float.valueOf("80");

        Integer b = Integer.valueOf("444",16);

        System.out.println(x);
        System.out.println(c);
        System.out.println(a);
        System.out.println(b);
    }
}
```

This produces the following result:

```
9
5.0
80.0
1092
```