

Class `java.lang.Boolean`

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public final class **Boolean**
extends [Object](#)

The Boolean class provides an object wrapper for Boolean data values, and serves as a place for boolean-oriented operations. A wrapper is useful because most of Java's utility classes require the use of objects. Since booleans are not objects in Java, they need to be "wrapped" in a Boolean instance.

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Assigns this Boolean to be false.
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Assigns this Boolean to be true.

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Constructs a Boolean object initialized to the specified boolean value.

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Returns the value of this Boolean object as a boolean.
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Compares this object against the specified object.

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Gets a Boolean from the properties.
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Returns a new String object representing this Boolean's value.

Variables

- o **TRUE**

```
public final static Boolean TRUE
```

Assigns this Boolean to be true.

- o **FALSE**

```
public final static Boolean FALSE
```

Assigns this Boolean to be false.

Constructors

- o **Boolean**

```
public Boolean(boolean value)
```

Constructs a Boolean object initialized to the specified boolean value.

Parameters:

value – the value of the boolean

Methods

- o **booleanValue**

```
public boolean booleanValue()
```

Returns the value of this Boolean object as a boolean.

- o **toString**

```
public String toString()
```

Returns a new String object representing this Boolean's value.

Overrides:

toString in class Object

- o **equals**

```
public boolean equals(Object obj)
```

Compares this object against the specified object.

Parameters:

obj – the object to compare with

Returns:

true if the objects are the same; false otherwise.

Overrides:

equals in class Object

o **getBoolean**

```
public static boolean getBoolean(String name)
```

Gets a Boolean from the properties.

Parameters:

name – the property name.

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