The Java Developers Kit

Version 1.0 Beta 2

The Java Developers Kit (JDK) lets you write applets that conform to the applet API for the Java Programming Language.

The JDK comes with a COPYRIGHT file with copyright and license information, and a README file with information about why we made the JDK, what packages comprise the final applet API and how to get in touch with us.

Download the JDK for
SPARC/Solaris 2.3, 2.4, or 2.5
Microsoft Windows NT/95

Documentation

(some of these documents are also available via FTP.)

Frequently Asked Questions
: Answers to common questions.

Changes Since the Last Release
: An overview of the changes we've made since Beta 1.

Example Applets
: The applets that we've converted to the new API.

API Documentation
: Reference documentation for the JDK API.

Tool Documentation
: Reference documentation for the JDK tools, including the compiler, interpreter, and debugger for the Java Programming Language, and the Applet Viewer.

Java Programming Language Debugging
: Tutorials to help you use JDB, as well as a discussion of the Java Programming Language debugging architecture.

Java Language Specification
: An up–to–date draft, in PostScript format.

Known Bugs and Frequently Requested Features
: Please look at these lists before you report a bug.

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