



Rocky Enterprise Linux 9.2 Manual Pages on command 'javap.1'

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NAME

javap - Disassembles one or more class files.

SYNOPSIS

javap [options] classfile...

options

The command-line options. See Options.

classfile

One or more classes separated by spaces to be processed for annotations such as DocFooter.class. You can specify a class that can be found in the class path, by its file name or with a URL such as file:///home/user/myproject/src/DocFooter.class.

DESCRIPTION

The javap command disassembles one or more class files. The output depends on the options used. When no options are used, then the javap command prints the package, protected and public fields, and methods of the classes passed to it. The javap command prints its output to stdout.

OPTIONS

-help

--help

-?

Prints a help message for the javap command.

-version

Prints release information.

-l

Prints line and local variable tables.

-public

Shows only public classes and members.

-protected

Shows only protected and public classes and members.

-private

-p

Shows all classes and members.

-Joption

Passes the specified option to the JVM. For example:

```
javap -J-version
```

```
javap -J-Djava.security.manager -J-Djava.security.policy=MyPolicy MyClassName
```

For more information about JVM options, see the command documentation.

-s

Prints internal type signatures.

-sysinfo

Shows system information (path, size, date, MD5 hash) of the class being processed.

-constants

Shows static final constants.

-c

Prints disassembled code, for example, the instructions that comprise the Java bytecodes, for each of the methods in the class.

-verbose

Prints stack size, number of locals and arguments for methods.

`-classpath path`

Specifies the path the `javap` command uses to look up classes.

Overrides the default or the `CLASSPATH` environment variable when it is set.

`-bootclasspath path`

Specifies the path from which to load bootstrap classes. By default, the bootstrap classes are the classes that implement the core Java platform located in `jre/lib/rt.jar` and several other JAR files.

`-extdir dirs`

Overrides the location at which installed extensions are searched for. The default location for extensions is the value of `java.ext.dirs`.

EXAMPLE

Compile the following `DocFooter` class:

```
import java.awt.*;
import java.applet.*;

public class DocFooter extends Applet {
    String date;
    String email;

    public void init() {
        resize(500,100);
        date = getParameter("LAST_UPDATED");
        email = getParameter("EMAIL");
    }

    public void paint(Graphics g) {
        g.drawString(date + " by ",100, 15);
        g.drawString(email,290,15);
    }
}
```

The output from the `javap DocFooter.class` command yields the following:

Compiled from "DocFooter.java"

```

public class DocFooter extends java.applet.Applet {
    java.lang.String date;
    java.lang.String email;
    public DocFooter();
    public void init();
    public void paint(java.awt.Graphics);
}

```

The output from `javap -c DocFooter.class` command yields the following:

Compiled from "DocFooter.java"

```

public class DocFooter extends java.applet.Applet {
    java.lang.String date;
    java.lang.String email;
    public DocFooter();

```

Code:

```

    0: aload_0
    1: invokespecial #1          // Method

```

`java/applet/Applet."<init>":()V`

```

    4: return

```

```

public void init();

```

Code:

```

    0: aload_0
    1: sipush      500
    4: bipush     100
    6: invokevirtual #2          // Method resize:(II)V
    9: aload_0
   10: aload_0
   11: ldc        #3              // String LAST_UPDATED
   13: invokevirtual #4          // Method

```

`getParameter:(Ljava/lang/String;)Ljava/lang/String;`

```

   16: putfield   #5              // Field date:Ljava/lang/String;
   19: aload_0
   20: aload_0
   21: ldc        #6              // String EMAIL

```

```

    23: invokevirtual #4          // Method
getParameter:(Ljava/lang/String;)Ljava/lang/String;

    26: putfield    #7          // Field email:Ljava/lang/String;

    29: return

public void paint(java.awt.Graphics);

Code:

    0: aload_1
    1: new          #8          // class java/lang/StringBuilder
    4: dup
    5: invokespecial #9          // Method
java/lang/StringBuilder."<init>":()V

    8: aload_0
    9: getfield    #5          // Field date:Ljava/lang/String;
   12: invokevirtual #10         // Method
java/lang/StringBuilder.append:(Ljava/lang/String;)Ljava/lang/StringBuilder;

   15: ldc         #11          // String by
   17: invokevirtual #10         // Method
java/lang/StringBuilder.append:(Ljava/lang/String;)Ljava/lang/StringBuilder;

   20: invokevirtual #12         // Method
java/lang/StringBuilder.toString:()Ljava/lang/String;

   23: bipush     100
   25: bipush     15
   27: invokevirtual #13         // Method
java/awt/Graphics.drawString:(Ljava/lang/String;II)V

   30: aload_1
   31: aload_0
   32: getfield    #7          // Field email:Ljava/lang/String;
   35: sipush     290
   38: bipush     15
   40: invokevirtual #13         // Method
java/awt/Graphics.drawString:(Ljava/lang/String;II)V

   43: return
}

```

SEE ALSO

- ? [java\(1\)](#)
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