



Java vs. C++

Part 1



On the surface: file names

Java	C++
■ .java – source files	■ .h – header files
■ .class – JVM files	■ .cpp – source files
■ .jar – library files	■ .o – object files
	■ .so – shared library files
	■ .dylib – shared library files
	■ .a – static library files
	■ .dll – shared library files



On the surface: directory structure

Java	C++
■ src/ ■ edu/ ■ brynmawr/ ■ cs246/ ■ Introduction.java	■ include/ ■ introduction.h
■ class/ ■ edu/ ■ brynmawr/ ■ cs246/ ■ Introduction.class	■ src/ ■ introduction.cpp
	■ bin/ (if it's a program) ■ introduction
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Required by the
JVM based on
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+ On the surface: directory structure

Java

- src/
 - edu/
 - brynmawr/
 - cs246/
 - Introduction.java
- class/
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C++

- include/
 - introduction.h
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Done by convention.

+ code structure

Java

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public class VectorExample {
    public static void
    main(String[] args) {

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            new Vector<String>();
        for(int i = 0;
            i < args.length; ++i) {
            test.add(args[i]);
        }
        for(String j : test) {
            System.out.println(j);
        }
    }
}
```

C++

```
#include <vector>
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;
int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {

    vector<char*> test;

    for (int i = 0;
        i < argc; ++i) {
        test.insert(test.begin(), argv[i]);
    }
    for (char* j : test) {
        cout << j << endl;
    }
    return 0;
}
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import includes package and class definitions

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#include gets only definitions

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using namespace gets implied namespace use

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what else is different?

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+ compiling

Java	C++
<pre>javac [options] [sourcefiles] [@argfiles]</pre>	<pre>g++ [-c -S -E] [-std=standard] [-g] [-pg] [-Olevel] [-Wwarn...] [-Wpedantic] [-Idir...] [-Ldir...] [-Dmacro[=defn]...] [-Umacro] [-foption...] [-mmachine-option...] [-o outfile] [@file] infile...</pre>

Only the most useful options are listed here; see man page for the remainder.

+ compiling

Java	C++
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We'll start with these.

Compiling an application:

g++ <file1.cpp> ...

example:

g++ hello.cpp

creates file:

HelloWorld.class

creates file:

a.out

+ compiling

Java

■ **javac** [options]
[sourcefiles] [@argfiles]

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■ **java** HelloWorld.java

creates file:
HelloWorld.class

C++

g++ [-c] [-o outfile]
infile...

We'll start with these.

Compiling an application:

g++ -o <appname> <file1.cpp> ...

example:

g++ -o HelloWorld hello.cpp

creates file:
HelloWorld

+ compiling

Java

■ **javac** [options]
[sourcefiles] [@argfiles]

■ Compiling a part of an application:

■ **javac** <file1.java> ...

■ example:

■ **java** Hello.java

creates file:
Hello.class

C++

g++ [-c] [-o outfile]
infile...

We'll start with these.

Compiling a part of an application:

g++ -c -o <objname.o> <file1.cpp> ...

example:

g++ -c -o hello.o hello.cpp

creates file:
hello.o

+ running

Java

■ **java** <className>

■ Example:

■ **java** HelloWorld

java edu.brynmawr.cs246.Introduction

C++

■ **./<appname>**

■ Example

■ **./HelloWorld**

■ Or, if the program is in your path: <appname>

■ Example:

■ ls
■ cd
■ cat
■ emacs

+ Language Goals

Java

■ Consistency

■ every file is a class
■ one source file name
■ one object file name
■ one library file name
■ every class is descended from Object
■ Programs are "safe"

C++

■ Specificity

■ every file type has a specific purpose
■ every programming construct has a specific purpose
■ Abstraction at the level you want.
■ Programmer has ultimate control over her program.

+ Primitive types

Java	C++
■ boolean – true, false ■ not numeric ■ char - 2 bytes (numeric) ■ all numeric types are signed	■ bool – true or false ■ numeric ■ char – 1 byte (numeric integer) ■ numeric types can have unsigned versions ■ integer type modifiers ■ long ■ short ■ signed ■ unsigned