

Non-static Block

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- ```
{
//some code goes here
}
```



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- **A non-static block is executed for each object that is created.**



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- A non-static block is executed for each object that is created.
- It executes before the constructor's execution.



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- It can initialize instance member variables of the class.



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- Any other execution like calculation could also be given in the block.



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- We don't need the default constructor.
- But the non-static block cannot be parameterized.
- You cannot have objects taking values from outside.
- **So non-static block is not a substitute for constructor.**



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- **About non-static block.**



# Assignment



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- Create a class named B.
- Create a non-static block and a constructor as shown in the tutorial.
- Create an object of class B in the class NonStaticTest already created.
- Check the output.





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