# Title

**javacall** — Call a static Java method

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## Syntax

javacall *class* *method* [ *varlist* ] [ *if* ] [ *in* ] [ , args(*argument_list*) ]

## Description

javacall calls a static Java method. The *method* to be called must be implemented with a specific Java signature, and the signature must be in the following form:

static int *java_method_name*(String[] args)

javacall requires the *class* to be a fully qualified name that includes the class's package specification. For example, to call a method named method1 from class Class1, which was part of package com.mydomain, the following would be used:

. javacall com.mydomain.Class1 method1

Optionally, a *varlist*, if condition, or in condition may be specified. Stata provides a Java package containing various classes and methods allowing access to the *varlist*, if, and in; see [P] **java** for more details.

## Option

args(*argument_list*) specifies the *argument_list* that will be passed to the Java method as a string array. If args() is not specified, the array will be empty.

## Also see

[P] **java** — Java plugins