

JAVA.MATH.BIGDECIMAL.FLOATVALUE METHOD

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Description

The **java.math.BigDecimal.floatValue** converts this BigDecimal to a float. If this BigDecimal has too great a magnitude represent as a float, it will be converted to Float.NEGATIVE_INFINITY or Float.POSITIVE_INFINITY as appropriate. The conversion can also lose information about the precision of the BigDecimal value when the return value is finite.

Declaration

Following is the declaration for **java.math.BigDecimal.floatValue** method

```
public Float floatValue()
```

Specified by

- floatValue in class **Number**

Parameters

- NA

Return Value

This method returns the float value of the BigDecimal Object

Exception

- NA

Example

The following example shows the usage of math.BigDecimal.floatValue method

```
package com.tutorialspoint;

import java.math.*;

public class BigDecimalDemo {

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        // create a BigDecimal object
        BigDecimal bg;

        // create a Float object
        Float f;

        bg=new BigDecimal("1234.123486");

        // assign the converted value of bg to f
        f=bg.floatValue();

        String str = "Float value of " + bg + " is " + f;

        // print f value
        System.out.println( str );

    }
}
```

Let us compile and run the above program, this will produce the following result:

Float value of 1234.123486 is 1234.1235

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