

JAVA.UTIL.SCANNER.DELIMITER METHOD

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Description

The **java.util.Scanner.delimiter** method returns the Pattern this Scanner is currently using to match delimiters.

Declaration

Following is the declaration for **java.util.Scanner.delimiter** method

```
public Pattern delimiter()
```

Parameters

- NA

Return Value

This method returns this scanner's delimiting pattern.

Exception

- NA

Example

The following example shows the usage of java.util.Scanner.delimiter method.

```
package com.tutorialspoint;

import java.util.*;

public class ScannerDemo {

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        String s = "Hello World! 3+3.0=6";

        // create a new scanner with the specified String Object
        Scanner scanner = new Scanner(s);

        // print the next line of the string
        System.out.println("" + scanner.nextLine());

        // print the delimiter this scanner is using
        System.out.println("" + scanner.delimiter());

        // close the scanner
        scanner.close();
    }
}
```

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

```
Hello World! 3+3.0=6
\n{javaWhitespace}+
```

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