

JAVA EXAMPLES - DISPLAYING MONTHS IN SHORT FORMAT

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Problem Description:

How to display name of the months in short format?

Solution:

This example displays the names of the months in short form with the help of `DateFormatSymbols` class. `getShortMonths` method of `DateFormatSymbols` class.

```
import java.text.SimpleDateFormat;
import java.text.DateFormatSymbols;

public class Main {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        String[] shortMonths = new DateFormatSymbols()
            .getShortMonths();
        for (int i = 0; i < (shortMonths.length-1); i++) {
            String shortMonth = shortMonths[i];
            System.out.println("shortMonth = " + shortMonth);
        }
    }
}
```

Result:

The above code sample will produce the following result.

```
shortMonth = Jan
shortMonth = Feb
shortMonth = Mar
shortMonth = Apr
shortMonth = May
shortMonth = Jun
shortMonth = Jul
shortMonth = Aug
shortMonth = Sep
shortMonth = Oct
shortMonth = Nov
shortMonth = Dec
```

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