

# HttpContext.Response Property

.NET Framework (current version)

## Note

The .NET API Reference documentation has a new home. Visit the [.NET API Browser](https://docs.microsoft.com/dotnet/api/) on docs.microsoft.com to see the new experience.

Gets the [HttpResponse](#) object for the current HTTP response.

**Namespace:** [System.Web](#)

**Assembly:** System.Web (in System.Web.dll)

## Syntax

C#

```
public HttpResponse Response { get; }
```

### Property Value

Type: [System.Web.HttpResponse](#)

The [HttpResponse](#) for the current HTTP response.

## Exceptions

Exception	Condition
<a href="#">HttpException</a>	The Web application is running under IIS 7 in Integrated mode.

## Remarks

The Response property provides programmatic access to the properties and methods of the [HttpResponse](#) class. Because ASP.NET pages contain a default reference to the [System.Web](#) namespace (which contains the [HttpContext](#) class), you can reference the members of [HttpContext](#) on an .aspx page without using the fully qualified class reference to [HttpContext](#). For example, you can use `Response.Write("some output")` to write output to an HTTP output stream. However, if you want to use the members of [HttpResponse](#) from an ASP.NET code-behind module, you must include a reference to the [System.Web](#) namespace in the module and a fully qualified reference to the currently active request/response context and the class in

[System.Web](#) that you want to use. For example, in a code-behind page you must specify the fully qualified name `HttpContext.Current.Response.Write("some output")`.

## Version Information

### **.NET Framework**

Available since 1.1

## See Also

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