• Generic In C#

- Generics are a way to create reusable code that can work with different types of data.
- Generic types are declared using angle brackets (<>).
- can be <u>any type that is supported by the .NET.</u>
- Generic types can be used to create classes, structures, interfaces, and methods.
- Generics <u>provide compile-time type checking</u>, ensuring type safety and reducing runtime errors.
- Code Reusability: Generics enable you to write generic algorithms and data structures that can be used with different data types, promoting code reusability.
- improved performance: Generics avoid boxing and unboxing operations for value types.

Generic Collection.

- List<T>
- List<T> is a dynamic array that can grow or shrink in size.
- It allows you to store elements of a specific data type T.
- Provides methods to add, remove, access elements, and more.

```
List<int> numbers = new List<int>();

numbers.Add(10);
numbers.Add(20);
int firstNumber = numbers[0]; // Access elements by index
```

- Dictionary<TKey, TValue>
- Dictionary<TKey, TValue> is a collection of key-value pairs.
- It allows you to store elements with unique keys of type TKey and corresponding values of type TValue.
- Provides methods to add, remove, access elements, and more using the keys.

```
Dictionary <string, List<student>>> DIC = new Dictionary<string, List<student>>>();

DIC.Add("BI Students", BI_Std);
DIC.Add("dotNET Students", dotNET_Std);
```

- Queue<T>
- Queue<T> is a first-in-first-out (FIFO) collection.
- where elements are added at the end and removed from the beginning..
- It allows you to store elements of type T.
- Provides methods to enqueue (add), dequeue (remove), and access elements.

```
Queue<string> tasks = new Queue<string>();
tasks.Enqueue("Task 1");
tasks.Enqueue("Task 2");
string nextTask = tasks.Dequeue(); // Remove and get the first element
```

- Stack<T>
- Stack<T> is a last-in-first-out (LIFO) collection.
- where elements are added and removed from the top (end) of the stack.
- It allows you to store elements of type T.
- Provides methods to push (add), pop (remove), and access elements.

```
Stack<int> numbers = new Stack<int>();
numbers.Push(10);
numbers.Push(20);
int topNumber = numbers.Pop(); // Remove and get the top element
```

- LinkedList<T>
- LinkedList<T> is a doubly linked list collection that allows you to store elements of type T.
- Provides methods to add, remove, and access elements efficiently.

```
LinkedList<string> names = new LinkedList<string>();

names.AddLast("Ashraf");

names.AddLast("Ahmed");

LinkedListNode<string> firstNode = names.First; // Get the first node
```

Feature	List	LinkedList
Pros	 Efficient for accessing elements by index 	 Efficient for inserting and removing elements in the middle
Cons	 Inefficient for inserting and removing elements in the middle 	Less efficient for accessing elements by index

Feature	List	LinkedList
Storage	 Dynamic array 	Doubly linked list
Access by index	 Efficient 	 Inefficient
Insert/remove in the middle	• Inefficient	• Efficient
Memory usage	More efficient	Less efficient

`Object` class:

- The `Object` class is the base class for all other classes in C#.
- Every class implicitly or explicitly inherits from the `Object` class.
- The default implementation of `Equals` in the `Object` class performs reference equality comparison.
- Boxing is the process of converting a value type to a reference type ('Object').
- unboxing is the reverse process of converting a reference type (`Object`) To value type.

Common Members:

- 'Equals': Compares two objects for value equality.
- 'GetHashCode': Returns a hash code value for the object.
- `ToString`: Returns a string representation of the object.
- 'GetType': Returns the runtime type of the object.

Enumerations (Enum)

- Enums are a type of value type in C# (means that they are stored on the stack).
- Enums are immutable -> means that their values cannot be changed after they are created.
- Enum members are named constants that represent specific values within the enum type.
- (To make your code more readable and maintainable.)
- Enums can be used in switch statements.
- Enums can be explicitly converted to strings (useful for displaying the value of an enum).
- Enums can be used to implement enumerations.
- Inheritance from

```
enum Prev : byte
{
    admin=10,
    supervisoer,//11 by Defulat
    DataBase_Design=15,
    DataBase_Developer,//16 by Defulat
    Web_Developer,
    student
}
```

Interfaces in C#

- Allow you to specify a set of method and property signatures without providing implementation details.
- Inside the interface, you can define method signatures, property declarations, events, and indexers, but you cannot provide implementation details.
- Classes that implement an interface must provide implementations for all the members defined in the interface.
- A class can implement multiple interfaces, allowing it to adhere to multiple contracts.
- Interfaces can inherit from other interfaces.
- Interfaces provide a way to achieve abstraction and polymorphism in C#.
- Interfaces play a crucial role in achieving loose coupling between components in object-oriented programming.
- good design principles like separation of concerns and facilitate code reuse and maintainability.