

Exercises about classes

Solve them in Visual Studio.

Exercise 11.01: Who are you, what's your name?

- The namespace of your project is “LearnCSharp”.
- You have a class “Program” that contains the Main().
 - This tests the class “Person”.
 - Create 2 persons.
 - Show the full name of the 2 persons.
- Create an extra class with the name “Person”.
 - Do this in the same file as the Main().
- The class Person has 2 variables.
 - One for the first name. Choose a good variable name.
 - One for the last name. Choose a good variable name.
 - The 2 parameters must be invisible inside the Main() routine.
 - Tip: Make them private.
- The class Person has a constructor.
 - This must be the same name as the class.
 - 2 input parameters.
 - strFirstName (string).
 - strLastName (string).
- The class has one extra method “ShowFullName”.
 - This shows the FirstName and the LastName with a space in between.

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- This is the same exercise.
- But the class Person is a different file.
 - You have an extra file called Person.cs.

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Exercise 11.02: The ark of Noah

- In the slides of Part 1 – C# Class Object you can find a code example with the namespace ArkOfNoah.
- This example allows only 2 animals of the same kind (being a panda) on the ark.
- Change the code, so that only 2 animals of the same kind, that have a different sex, are allowed.

Tip

- When the first animal is male, the second animal that is allowed must be a female.
- But also the other way around, when the first animal is a female, the second animal that is allowed must be a male.
- You will need a variable to know what the sex of the animal is.
- You will need to change the criteria to find out when an animal is accepted to the ark.

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Exercise 11.03: My name is Bond, ..., James Bond

Restart from scratch.

You must learn the principle. You are not learning to “Copy Paste”.

- The namespace of your project is “LearnCSharp”.
- You have a class “Program” that contains the Main().
 - This tests the class “Person”.
 - Create 2 persons.
 - Show the full name of the 2 persons.
- Create an extra class with the name “Person”.
- The class Person has 2 variables.
 - One for the first name. Choose a good variable name.
 - One for the last name. Choose a good variable name.
 - The 2 parameters must be invisible inside the Main() routine.
 - Tip: Make them private.
- The class Person has a constructor.
 - This must be the same name as the class.
 - 2 input parameters.
 - strFirstName (string).
 - strLastName (string).
- The class Person has 2 public properties.
 - To get and to set the first name.
 - To get and to set the last name.
- The class has one extra method “ShowFullName”.
 - This shows the firstname and the lastname with a space in between.
 - Use the properties instead of the variables.

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Exercise 11.04: A name with data checks on correctness

Restart from scratch.

You must learn the principle. You are not learning to “Copy Paste”.

When you are confused on the exercise, take a decision or contact the PO.

- The namespace of your project is “LearnCSharp”.
- You have a class “Program” that contains the Main().
 - This tests the class “Person”.
 - Create 2 persons.
 - Show the full name of the 2 persons.
 - Test with spaces in front.
 - Test with spaces at the back.
 - Test with names that are not filled in.
 - Test with names that are too long.
- Create an extra class with the name “Person”.
- The class Person has 2 variables.
 - One for the first name. Choose a good variable name.
 - One for the last name. Choose a good variable name.
 - The 2 parameters must be invisible inside the Main() routine.
 - Tip: Make them private.
- The class Person has 2 public properties.
 - To get and to set the first name.
 - To get and to set the last name.
 - Both properties has 2 corrections for the input.
 - Spaces in front and at the end are removed. Use the method “Trim”.
 - The length must be longer than 0, but smaller than 25 for the first name and 50 for the last name.

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- Create for trimming and checking the length a separate private method. Use it in both first and last name.
- When the first name is not filled in, you place “Unknown”.
- When the last name is not filled in, you place “Unknown”.
- When the first name is too long, you only put the first 25 characters in it.
- When the last name is too long, you only put the first 50 characters in it.
- The class Person has a constructor.
 - This must be the same name as the class.
 - 2 input parameters.
 - strFirstName (string), can be an empty string.
 - strLastName (string), can be an empty string.
 - Use the properties to force the correct input.
- The class has one extra method “ShowFullName”.
 - This shows the firstname and the lastname with a space in between.
 - Use the properties instead of the variables.



Is the maximum length for the first name and the last name easy to change?

Meaning, you can change it in one location / line.

Exercise 11.05: Me Tarzan, You Jane Doe

Make postits for all the actions that must be checked.

- Create a class for employees.
 - The name of the class must be “Employee”.
- Employees has 7 properties.
 - Every property can be changed using the object of that type “Employee” except “WorkingHoursPerWeek”.
 - An employee number (string).
 - A name (string).
 - The name can’t be empty.
 - If you make it empty the name “John Doe” (when male) or name “Jane Doe” (when female) is used.
 - A gender (boolean).
 - True = Female.
 - False = Male.
 - A start date (DateTime).
 - An end date (DateTime).
 - This date can be empty.
 - When not empty, it must be after of equal to the start date.
 - When it is before the start date, the end date and start date must be equal.
 - PartTime (Boolean).
 - True when PartTime.
 - False when FullTime.
 - WorkingHoursPerWeek.
 - When PartTime this must be 20.

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- When FullTime this must be 40.
- Create a constructor with an employee number, a name, a gender, a start date and if it is PartTime or not.
 - In the create of the object, the end date is always empty.
- Create a TestProgram (your Main()) to prove that you routine works always correct.
 - This means, all criteria must be matched whatever I try to do in the test program with the class “Employee”.

Exercise 11.06: An employee form

- Change the code of “00101-j Employee.zip”.
- Everywhere you show the full name, you must use a read only property that gives you that value.

Exercise 11.07: How old are you?

- Change the code of “00101-n PersonClass.zip”.
- Add a method that will show the age of the person on 31 December of the current year.
 - Call this method AgeThisYear.



Change both the Windows Form and the WPF form.

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Exercise 11.08: If I were a rich man, ...

- A banking account does have a number and a balance.
- The number of a banking account is a number that has exactly 4 digits. Possible numbers are 1000 till 9999 (borders included).
 - When you try to input a wrong number, it will become automatic "1234".
- The balance can't become negative.
- You can add money to your balance.
- You can withdraw money from your balance.
 - When you try to withdraw more money than there is on the balance the withdrawing fails.
 - There is no transaction of a withdrawal. You show an error message.
- Create a method that shows the balance of the account.



You are completely free in how you solve this technically.

Create a little documentation on how this class should be used by any programmer who wants to use this in an application.

- *What are the public properties?*
- *How must the constructor(s) be used?*
- *How to add money.*
- *How to withdraw money?*

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- Keep track of all transactions.
- Create a method that shows all the transactions.
 - From start (the creation) till the actual moment.

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Exercise 11.09: Count me in (Part 01)

Below this paragraph you see a photo of a “counter”. This is an electronic device that can be used to count stuff.

- People entering a building.
- Counting the number of stitches in a crochet project.
- Counting the traffic.



Your task

- Create a class in a namespace that has the same functionality.
 - Namespace should be "CountingTool".
 - Class name should be "Counter"
- There are 2 values / properties:
 - Is it switched on?
 - What is the value?
 - On the photo it is switched on, with value 5.
- There is a method that increments the value.
 - The value becomes 1 higher, if the counter is switched on.
- There is a method that resets the value.
 - The value becomes 0, if the counter is switched on.
- There is a constructor.
 - The value becomes 0.
- The user of the class must be able to get the value.

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- You show the value, if the counter is switched on.
 - When not switched on, nothing is shown.
- The user of the class must be able to switch on the counter.
 - Value becomes 0.
- The user of the class must be able to switch off the counter.
 - Value becomes nothing. (This is not 0).
- Write a test routine, that test the complete functionality.



Make sure that all needed properties, methods, constructors and classes are public.

You will use them in the next exercise.

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Exercise 11.10: Count me in too (Part 02)

In this exercise, you will use the result of exercise 11.09.

- Do not copy the code of the class.
- Create a dependency towards exercise 11.09.

Create a form application that has 2 labels and four buttons.

- Give all components of the form and the form itself a good name.
- The form you have created is a class.
 - Add a field of the data type "Counter".
 - Make sure you are using the namespace "CountingTool".
- The first label has the text "Next Customer", and will never change.
- The second label shows the number of the counter.
 - This can be nothing.
 - This can be a number.
- The first button has the label "Next".
 - Clicking on the button should increment the counter.
 - Make sure you can only click when the counter is on.
 - The value must be shown in the second label.
- The second button has the label "Reset".
 - Clicking on the button should put the counter back to zero.
 - Make sure you can only click when the counter is on.
 - The value must be shown in the second label.
- The third button has the label "On".
 - You switch on the counter.
 - You can't click on this button anymore till you have switched off the counter.
- The fourth button has the label "Off".
 - You can guess what must be done.
- Test what you will deliver to me.

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Class Exercises in framework Karel the Robot

Solve them in Visual Studio.

Example 09999-e Karel the Robot.zip contains all demos given during the courses.

You can adapt, extend the existing code by solving those exercises. Create a new GitHub repository to save your progress. Make me contributor if it, when you want me to evaluate the exercises.

Exercise 11.11:

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