# Console view

This view shows the output of the execution of your program and enables you to enter input for the program.



The console shows three different kinds of text, each in a different color:

* Standard output
* Standard error
* Standard input

You can choose the different colors for these kinds of text on the preferences pages (**Window > Preferences > Debug > Console**).

## Console View Context Menu

When you right-click in the **Console** view (or when you press **Shift+F10** when the focus is on the **Console** view), you see the following options:

Edit options: Cut, Copy, Paste, Select All These options perform the standard edit operations. Which options are available depends on where the focus is in the **Console** view. For example, you cannot paste text into the program output, but you can paste text to the bottom of the file. Find/Replace Opens a **Find/Replace** dialog that operates only on the text in the **Console** view. Go to Line Opens a dialog that moves the focus to the line you specify. The dialog also indicates the total number of lines in the console buffer. Terminate Terminates the process that is currently associated with the console.

## Console View Toolbar

| Icon | Command | Description |
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|  | Terminate | Terminates the process that is currently associated with the console. |
|  | Remove all Terminated Launches | Removes all terminated launches that are associated with the console. |
|  | Scroll Lock | Toggles the Scroll Lock. |
|  | Clear Console | Clears the console. |
|  | Pin Console | Forces the Console view to remain on top of other views in the window area. |
|  | Display Selected Console | If multiple consoles are open, you can select the one to display from a list. |
|  | MinimizeConsole | Minimizes the Console view. |
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