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Non-Generic Collection (System.Collections)
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Generic Collections is always better.
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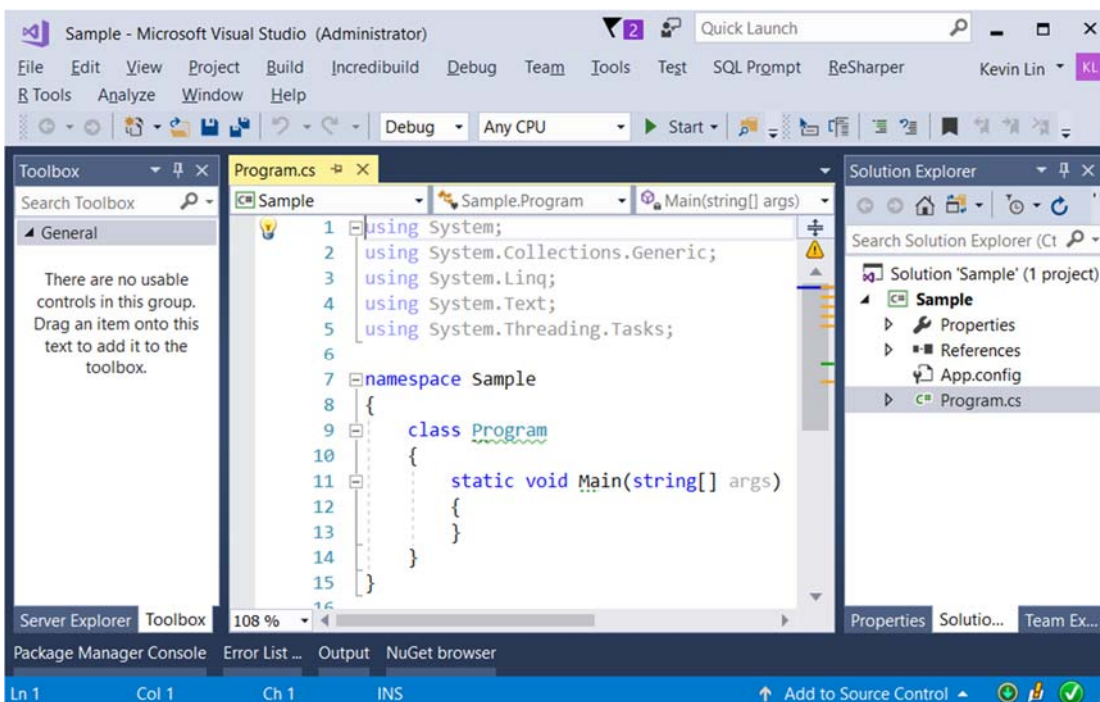
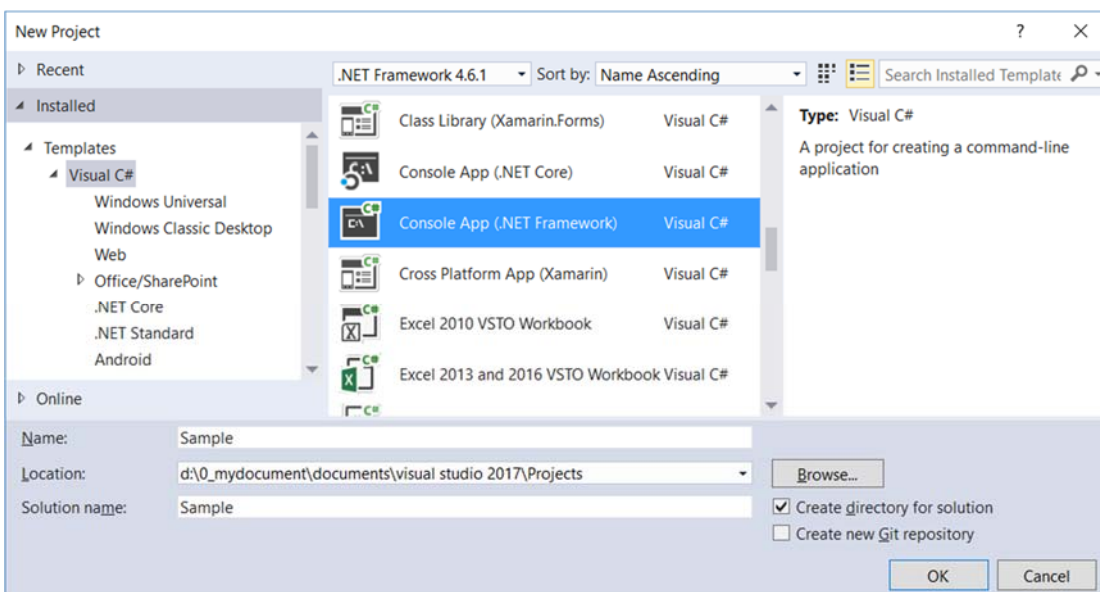
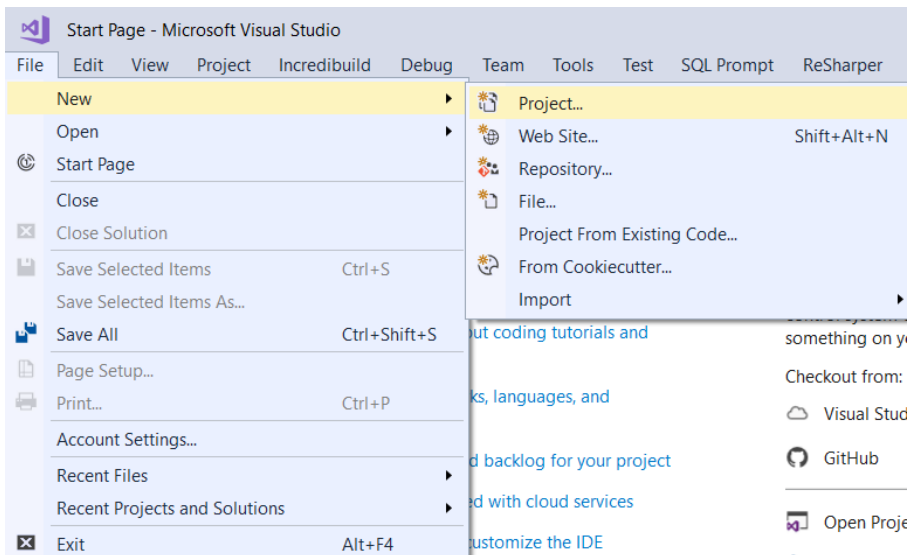
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1.1. Create New Project

File --> New --> Project... -->

Visual C# --> **Console App (.Net Framework)** -->

Name: **Sample**



2. Program.cs

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using System;
using System.Collections;
using System.Collections.Generic;
namespace Sample
{
    class Program
    {
        static void Main(string[] args)
        {
            // 1. -----
            Console.WriteLine("AreEqual(int i1, int i2) =====");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqual(1,1) : {GenericSample.AreEqual(1, 1)}");
            Console.WriteLine("AreEqual(double d1, double d2) =====");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqual(2.0, 2.0) : {GenericSample.AreEqual(2.0, 2.0)}");
            Console.WriteLine("AreEqual(string obj1, string obj2) =====");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqual(\"AA\", \"AA\") : {GenericSample.AreEqual(\"AA\", \"A
A\")}");

            // It need different AreEqual() methods to handle different type of inputs.
            // The logic of AreEqual() method are not reusable.
            // 2. -----
            Console.WriteLine("AreEqualObj(object obj1, object obj2)
=====");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqualObj(\"AA\", \"AA\") : {GenericSample.AreEqualObj(\"A
A\", \"AA\")}");

            // Using "object" type can reuse the logic of AreEqualObj(object obj1, object obj2) method,
            // but it allows users to pass int to obj1 and string to obj2.
            // Thus, AreEqualObj() method is not type safe.
            // In addition, AreEqualObj() reduce the performance,
            // because it needs an extra action
            // that coverting object type to other type in order to do comparation.
            // 3. -----
            Console.WriteLine("@\"AreEqualGeneric<T>(T obj1, T obj2) =====");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric(\"AA\", \"AA\") : " +
                $"{GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric(\"AA\", \"AA\")}");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric<string>(\"AA\", \"AA\") : " +
                $"{GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric<string>(\"AA\", \"AA\")}");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric(1,1) : " +
                $"{GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric(1, 1)}");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric<int>(1,1) : " +
                $"{GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric<int>(1, 1)}");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric(2.0, 2.0) : " +
                $"{GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric(2.0, 2.0)}");
            Console.WriteLine($"GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric<double>(2.0, 2.0) : " +
                $"{GenericSample.AreEqualGeneric<double>(2.0, 2.0)}");

            // Using Generic type can reuse the logic of AreEqualGeneric<T>(T obj1, T obj2) method,
            // The users have to pass the type to T in order to use generic method.
            // It makes parameters become type safe,
            // and also doesn't need to an extra converting.
            // T can be Class type or Interface type.
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        // 4. -----
        Console.WriteLine(@"ArraySample() =====");
        GenericSample.ArraySample();
        // 5. -----
        Console.WriteLine(@"ArrayListSample() =====");
        GenericSample.ArrayListSample();
        // 6. -----
        Console.WriteLine(@"GenericListSample() =====");
        GenericSample.GenericListSample();
        Console.ReadLine();
    }
}

public class GenericSample
{
    // 1. -----
    public static bool AreEqual(int i1, int i2)
    {
        return i1 == i2;
    }
    public static bool AreEqual(double d1, double d2)
    {
        return d1.Equals(d2);
    }
    public static bool AreEqual(string str1, string str2)
    {
        return str1.Equals(str2);
    }
    // 2. -----
    public static bool AreEqualObj(object obj1, object obj2)
    {
        return obj1.Equals(obj2);
    }
    // 3. -----
    public static bool AreEqualGeneric<T>(T obj1, T obj2)
    {
        return obj1.Equals(obj2);
    }
    // 4. -----
    public static void ArraySample()
    {
        int[] intArr = new int[3];
        intArr[0] = 1;
        intArr[1] = 2;
        intArr[2] = 3;
        //intArr[3] = 4; // RunTime Error
        for (int i = 0; i<intArr.Length ; i++)
        {
            Console.WriteLine($"intArr[{i}] == {intArr[i]}");
        }
        //Array is strongly typed and type safe.
        //Index starts from 0 and
        //the size can not be increased once initialized.
    }

    // 5. -----
    public static void ArrayListSample()

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{
    ArrayList arrList = new ArrayList();
    arrList.Add(1);
    arrList.Add(2);
    arrList.Add(3);
    arrList.Add(4);
    arrList.Add("AA"); // not type safe
    for (int i = 0; i < arrList.Count; i++)
    {
        Console.WriteLine($"arrList[{i}] == {arrList[i]}");
    }
    //Collection is not Strongly Type and not Type safe.
    //But the size can be increased by using Add()
    //or can be decreased by using Remove().
}
// 6. -----
public static void GenericListSample()
{
    List<int> list = new List<int>();
    list.Add(1);
    list.Add(2);
    list.Add(3);
    list.Add(4);
    //list.Add("AA"); // compiler error, generic is type safe.
    for (int i = 0; i < list.Count; i++)
    {
        Console.WriteLine($"list[{i}] == {list[i]}");
    }
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ArrayListSample() =====
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arrList[3] == 4
arrList[4] == AA
GenericListSample() =====
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list[2] == 3
list[3] == 4
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