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Generic Collections (System.Collections.Generic)

includes List<T>, Dictionary<TKey, TValue>, Stack<T>, Queue<T>

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Non-Generic Collection (System.Collections)

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2.3.

Generic Collections is always better.

Generic Collections is type safe,

and the size can be changeable by using Add(), Remove ...etc.

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1. New Project

1.1. Create New Project

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

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

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2. Program.cs

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", "AA")}");

            // 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("AA", "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.

            // 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]}");

            }

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            //the size can not be increased once initialized.

        }

       // 5. ------------------------------------

        public static void ArrayListSample()

        {

            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]}");

            }

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        }

        // 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]}");

            }

            //Generic Collections is always better.

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        }

    }

}

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