

# Luna Programming Language

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# Luna

## 1 Building LunaC and LPM from sources

Guessing operating system (recommended)

```
cd src && make
```

Windows for x86-64

```
cd src && make windows
```

Windows for ARM64

```
cd src && make windows-arm64
```

Linux for x86-64

```
cd src && make linux
```

Linux for ARM64

```
cd src && make linux-arm64
```

## 2 Using interpreted built-in LunaC - Slower

```
./lunac.sh -c <source_file>  
./lpm.sh -i http://yoursite.com.br/file.ts
```

## 3 Using compiled LunaC - Faster

```
lunac -c <source_file>  
lpm -i http://yoursite.com.br/file.ts
```

## 4 Code Comments

```
# This is my single line comment  
  
# This is another comment  
#This is an invalid comment
```

## 5 Basic Program in Luna

```
namespace "HelloWorldProgram"  
    puts "Hello world"  
  
end_namespace
```

## 6 Global/Public Variables

```
var [identifier] := [value]  
var msg := "Hello world"  
var age := 18
```

## 7 Local/Private Variables

```
let [identifier] := [value]  
let msg := "Hello world"  
let age := 18
```

## 8 Std I/O - Line Feed

```
puts [value/string]  
puts "Hello world"  
puts msg
```

## 9 Std Output - Std I/O

```
print [value/string]
print "Hello world"
print msg
```

## 10 Std Input - Std I/O

```
scanf : public [variable]
scanf : private [variable]
scanf : default [variable]
```

```
scanf : public myValue
scanf : private myValue
scanf : default myValue
```

```
puts myValue
```

## 11 Include directive

include "file.luac" inside the bytecode without imports

```
include "file.luac"
include "file.lua"
```

## 12 Import local libraries written in Lua

```
import "[module]" as [module_nickname]
import "os" as System
```

## 13 Import global modules written in Lua and Luna

```
import "[module_identificator]"
import "Math"
```

## 14 Create global modules in Luna

```
module "[module_identificator]"
module "Math"
```

## 15 Declare, initialize and do references to module variables

```
var Math::MyValue := 12  
let Math::MyValue := 12.67456
```

## 16 Declare, initialize and do references to module variables and functions

```
public def Math::Calculate(num)
  return num+5
end

call Math::Calculate(45) : result
puts result
```

## 17 For loop

```
for i in 1..10
  ...
end
```

## 18 While loop

```
while a > b
  ...
  break
end
```

## 19 Infinity loop

```
loop
  ...
  break
end
```

## 20 If-Elseif-Else Structure

```
var age := 15
if age == 18
    ...

elseif age < 5
    ...

else
    ...

end
```

## 21 Tables

All tables in Lua and Luna begin with index 1, instead of 0

```
let text := "Hello world"
let client := "Joseph"
public table MyTable := {text,12,35.4,client}

private table MyTable := {2,4,6,8,10}
default table MyTable := {2.8,4.7,6.2,8.9,10.3}

var myValue := MyTable[1]      # FIRST INDEX

var myValue := MyTable[0]      # ERROR
```

## 22 Inspect Tables

1. The first and short way of inspecting a table.

```
inspect MyTable
```

2. The second of inspecting a table and return the result to a variable.

```
inspect MyTable => InspectedTable
puts InspectedTable
```

### 3. Inspecting tables via function-calls

```
call inspect(MyTable) : InspectedTable
puts InspectedTable
```

## 23 OOP - Object Oriented Programming

```
default class [identificator]
default def [identificator].[method_identificator] ([param1],[param2],[param3], ...)
  ...
end
[identificator].[property] := [value]
[identificator].[property] := [value]
```

```
default class Dog
default def Dog.speak(phrase)
  ...
end
Dog.weight := 45
Dog.surname := "Diensberg"
```

```
public class [identificator]
public def [identificator].[method_identificator] ([param1],[param2],[param3], ...)
  ...
end
[identificator].[property] := [value]
```

```
public class Dog
public def Dog.speak(phrase)
  ...
end
```

```
Dog.weight := 45
Dog.surname := "Diensberg"
```

## 24 Inheritance

```
public class [class_name] extends [another_class]
```

```
private class [class_name] extends [another_class]
```

```
public class Bus extends Car
```

```
private class Bus extends Car
```

```
private class Cat extends Dog
```

```
@Override
```

```
private def Cat.speak(phrase)
```

```
...
```

```
end
```

```
default def Cat.meow()
```

```
...
```

```
end
```

## 25 Modifiers

They give global/public access to instantiated object.

```
default new [object_identificator] : [class_identificator]
```

```
default new Tom : Dog
```

```
private new [object_identificator] : [class_identificator]
```

```
private new Tom : Dog
```

It gives local/private access to instantiated object.

```
public new [object_identificator] : [class_identificator]
```

```
public new Tom : Dog
```



## 26 Static properties

```
[class_identifier].[static_property] := [value]  
Dog.weight := 45  
Dog.name := "Tom"
```

## 27 Objects from classes

1. Creating new object "jake" from class "Dog"
2. Here the keyword none means, that function/method does not return anything.

```
public new jake : Dog  
call jake.speak() : none
```

## 28 Calling functions from class object

```
call [object_identifier].[method_identifier]  
([param1],[param2],[param3], ...) : none
```

```
call Dog.bark() : none  
call Dog.bark(a,b,c) : none
```

## 29 Calling function from module

```
call [method_identifier].[method_identifier]  
([param1],[param2],[param3], ...) : none
```

```
call Math.calculate() : none  
call Math.calculate(a,b,c) : none
```

## 30 Calling function with return

```
call [object_identifier].[method_identifier]  
([param1],[param2],[param3], ...) : [return_identifier]
```

```
call Dog.bark() : spoke_dog  
call Dog.bark(a,b,c) : spoke_dog
```

## 31 Calling function with return from module

```
call [method_identificator].[method_identificator]
([param1],[param2],[param3], ...) : [return_identificator]

call Math.calculate() : result
call Math.calculate(a,b,c) : result

puts result
```

## 32 Import modules from package manager

Download and import modules from internet

```
$> lpm -i https://yoursite.org.br/lib.lua
```

Add this line inside source-code file, corresponding to the module file name.

```
webimport "lib.lua"
```

## 33 Package.json on Luna (deps.config)

Install all modules in cache from "deps.config" - Similar to Javascript's "package.json"

```
$> lpm --config
```

## 34 Uninstall packages from Luna's local cache

```
$> lpm -u lib.luac
```

## 35 Macros for detecting operating system

```
@if_unix
...
end

@if_win32
...
end
```

## 36 Macros for detecting processor architecture

```
@if_intel32
    ...
end

@if_intel64
    ...
end

@if_powerpc
    ...
end

@if_arm
    ...
end

@if_mips
    ...
end
```

## 37 Run Shell commands

```
lvm.run "ls -a"

@if_unix
    lvm.run "ls -a"
end

@if_win32
    lvm.run "dir"
end
```

## 38 Calculating Factorial of a number

```
var myFactorial := fat(5)
puts myFactorial
```

## 39 Using Lua integration

```
var pi := math.pi
puts pi

var random := math.random(0,256)
puts random
```

## 40 Read File

```
io.ReadFile("text.txt") => public MyFile
puts MyFile
```

## 41 Write File or Create new - No line feed

Create new file if does not exist and overwrite all information inside it, however does not jump to next line.

```
io.WriteFile("text.txt") => "Hello world\n"
```

## 42 Write File or Create new - Do line feed

Create new file if does not exist and overwrite all information inside it, and jump to next line.

```
io.WriteFileLn("text.txt") => "Hello world"
```

## 43 Append File - No line feed

Add information to existing file, however does not jump to next line.

```
io.AppendFile("text.txt") => "Second time\n"
```

## 44 Append File - Do line feed

Add information to existing file, and jump to next line.

```
io.AppendFileLn("text.txt") => "Second time"
```

## 45 Strings concatenation - Without function return

Strings concatenation can be done with double dots (..) or plus signal (+), both gives the same result.

```
public def say(name)
  let msg := "Hello "
  puts msg+name
end

call say("Gustavo Guanabara") : none
```

## 46 Strings concatenation - With do function return

Strings concatenation can be done with double dots (..) or plus signal (+), both gives the same result.

```
public def say(name)
  let msg := "Hello "
  return msg+name
end

call say("Gustavo Guanabara") : person
puts person
```

## 47 With multiple variables

Strings concatenation can be done with double dots (..) or plus signal (+), both gives the same result.

```
let msg := "Hello "
let name := "Gustavo "
let friend := "my friend!"

puts msg+name+friend
```

## 48 Lua integrations

```
var a := math.abs(x)
var a := math.acos(x)
var a := math.asin(x)

var a := math.atan(y,x)
var a := math.atan(x)

var a := math.ceil(x)
var a := math.cos(x)
var a := math.deg(x)
var a := math.exp(x)
var a := math.floor(x)

var a := math.fmod(x,y)
var a := math.huge

var a := math.log(x)
var a := math.log(x,base)
```

\*Visit this link for more information.

## 49 Reserved keywords and macros

```
namespace  end_namespace  if      elseif  else  end  class  extends
public  private  default
def  var  let  module  table  at  assign  :=  while  break
for  in  print  puts  import  as  webimport  include  lvm.run
@if_unix  @if_win32  @if_intel32  @if_intel64  @if_powerpc  @if_arm
@if_mips  end  call  return  new  io.ReadFile  io.WriteFile  io.AppendFile
io.WriteFileLn  io.AppendFileLn  inspect  then  scanf
```

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