

Code comments - `//` and `/*`. `*/`

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C# supports two different forms of comments. Single line comments start with `//` and end at the end of that line of code. Multiline comments start with `/*` and end with `*/`. The following code shows an example of each:

C#

```
// This is a single line comment.

/* This could be a summary of all the
   code that's in this class.
   You might add multiple paragraphs, or links to pages
   like https://learn.microsoft.com/dotnet/csharp.

   You could even include emojis. This example is 🍌
   Then, when you're done, close with
   */
```

The multi-line comment can also be used to insert text in a line of code. Because these comments have an explicit closing character, you can include more executable code after the comment:

C#

```
public static int Add(int left, int right)
{
    return left /* first operand */ + right /* second operand */;
}
```

The single line comment can appear after executable code on the same line. The comment ends at the end of the text line:

C#

```
return source++; // increment the source.
```

Some comments start with three slashes: `///`. *Triple-slash comments* are *XML documentation comments*. The compiler reads these to produce human documentation. You can read more about [XML doc comments](#) in the section on triple-slash comments.