

Super ScrollView for UGUI 2.3

Package Overview

In the SuperScrollView package, there are two main components, **LoopListView2** and **LoopStaggeredGridView**. LoopListView2 is mainly for ListView, and LoopStaggeredGridView is mainly for StaggeredGridView. StaggeredGridView can be used to create GridView that the items have different height (or width for an horizontal GridView), such as www.pinterest.com looks like.

LoopListView2 and LoopStaggeredGridView are components attaching to the same gameobject of UGUI ScrollRect. They help the UGUI ScrollRect to support any count items with high performance and memory-saving.

This document would firstly introduce the LoopListView2 component and then introduce the LoopStaggeredGridView component.

LoopListView2 overview

For a ScrollRect with 10,000 items, LoopListView2 does not really create 10,000 items, but create a few items based on the size of the viewport.

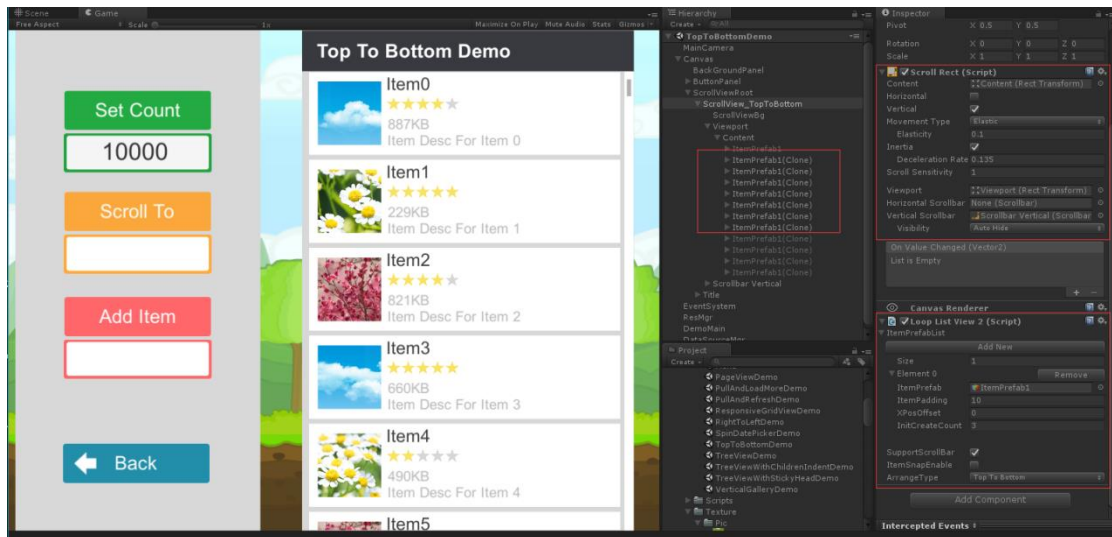
When the ScrollRect moving up, for example, the LoopListView2 component would check the topmost item's position, and once the topmost item is out of the viewport, then the LoopListView2 component would recycle the topmost item, and at the same time check the downmost item's position, and once the downmost item is near the bottom of the viewport, the LoopListView2 component would call the **onGetItemByIndex** handler to create a new item and then position the new created item under the downmost item, so the new created item becomes the new downmost item.

Every item can use a different prefab and can have different height/width and padding.

There are several examples to help you learning the LoopListView2 component, in the folder with path : Assets -> SuperScrollView -> Scenes -> ListView.



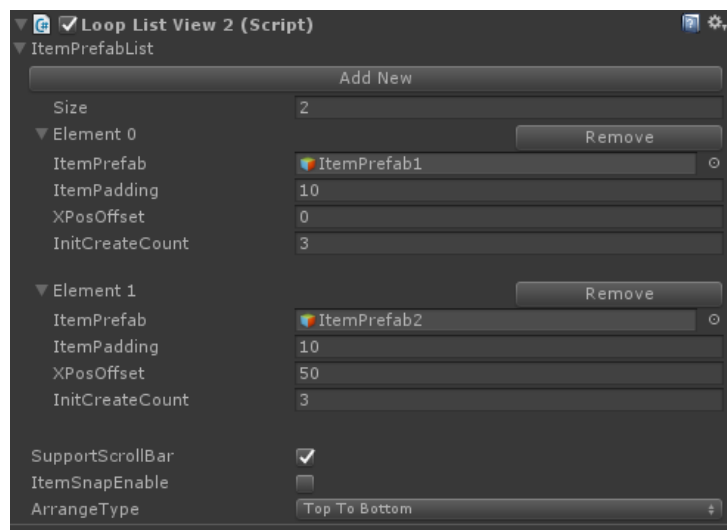
The following picture is what a TopToBottom arranged scrollrect looks like:



In the above picture, the scrollrect have 10000 items, but in fact, only 7 items really created.

LoopListView2 Inspector Settings

In the Inspector, to make sure the LoopListView2 component works well, there are several parameters need to set:



ItemPrefabList: this is the existing items to clone.

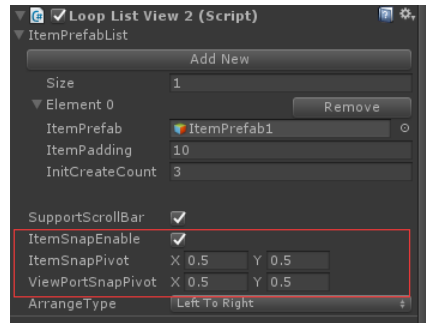
Every item can use a different prefab and every prefab can have different **default padding**(the amount of spacing between each item in the scrollrect). And also, every prefab can have different default x local pos(for **Vertical** scrollrect) or default y local pos(for **Horizontal** scrollrect), and here, is called (X/Y)PosOffset. Every prefab has a pool for getting and recycling action, and the **InitCreateCount** is the count created in pool at start.

In fact, in runtime, every item can have different padding and (X/Y)PosOffset, you can change an item's padding and (X/Y)PosOffset in your `onGetItemByIndex` callback. You can get/set them by `LoopListViewItem2`. Padding and `LoopListViewItem2.StartPosOffset`.

Important note: All the itemPrefab's localScale need to be (1,1,1).

SupportScrollbar: if checked, the LoopListView2 component would support scrollbar.

ItemSnapEnable:



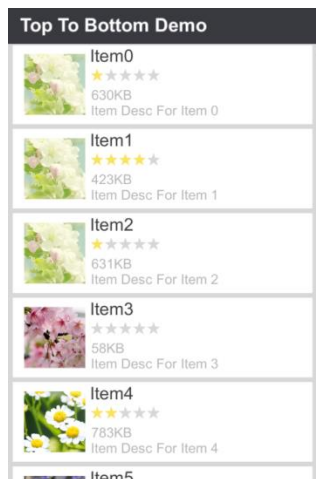
if checked, the LoopListView2 component would try to snap item to the configed location in viewport.

ItemSnapPivot is the location of the snap pivot point of the item, defined as a fraction of the size of the rectangle itself. 0,0 corresponds to the lower left corner while 1,1 corresponds to the upper right corner.

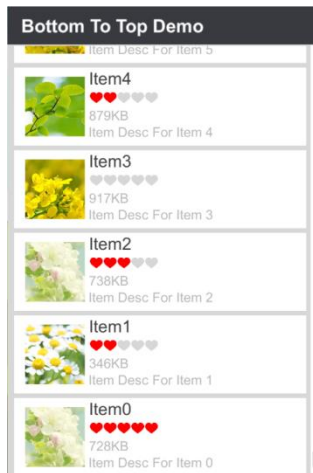
ViewPortSnapPivot is the location of the snap pivot point of the ScrollRect ViewPort, defined as a fraction of the size of the rectangle itself. 0,0 corresponds to the lower left corner while 1,1 corresponds to the upper right corner.

ArrangeType: the scroll direction, there are four types:

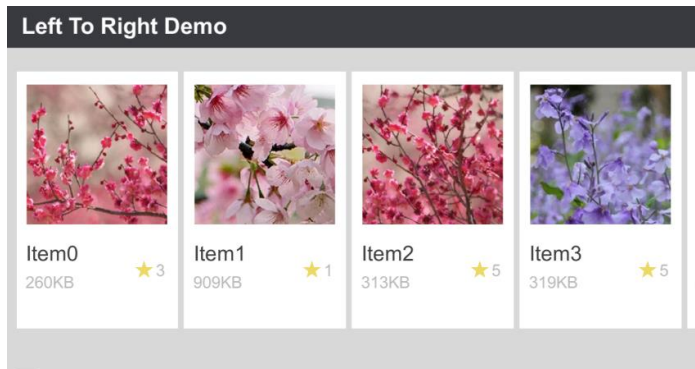
- (1) **TopToBottom:** this type is used for a vertical scrollrect, and the item0,item1,...itemN are positioned one by one **from top to bottom** in the scrollrect viewport, just like the following:



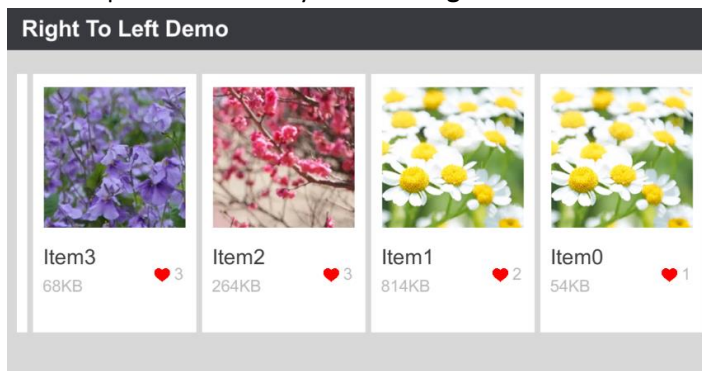
- (2) **BottomToTop:** this type is used for a vertical scrollrect, and the item0,item1,...itemN are positioned one by one **from bottom to top** in the scrollrect viewport, just like the following:



- (3) **LeftToRight**: this type is used for a horizontal scrollrect, and the item0,item1,...itemN are positioned one by one **from left to right** in the scrollrect viewport.



- (4) **RightToLeft**: this type is used for a horizontal scrollrect, and the item0,item1,...itemN are positioned one by one **from right to left** in the scrollrect viewport.



LoopListView2 Important Public Method

```
public void InitListView(int itemTotalCount,
    System.Func<LoopListView2, int, LoopListViewItem2> onGetItemByIndex,
    LoopListViewInitParam initParam = null)
```

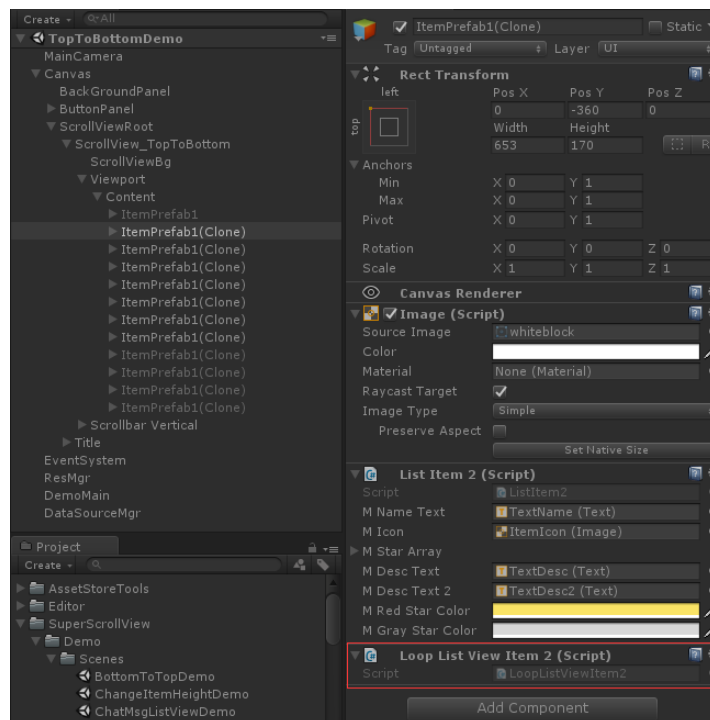
InitListView method is to initiate the LoopListView2 component. There are 3 parameters:

itemTotalCount: the total item count in the scrollbar. If this parameter is set -1, then means there are infinite items, and scrollbar would not be supported, and the ItemIndex can be from **-MaxInt** to **+MaxInt**. If this parameter is set a value ≥ 0 , then the ItemIndex can only be from 0 to **itemTotalCount - 1**.

onGetItemByIndex: when an item is getting in the scrollrect viewport, this Action will be called with the item' index as a parameter, to let you create the item and update its content.

LoopListViewItem2 is the return value of **onGetItemByIndex**

Every created item has a **LoopListViewItem2** component auto attached:



LoopListViewItem2 component is very sample:

```
public class LoopListViewItem2 : MonoBehaviour
{
    int mItemIndex = -1;
    int mItemId = -1;
    LoopListView2 mParentListView = null;
    bool mIsInitHandlerCalled = false;
    string mItemPrefabName;
    RectTransform mCachedRectTransform;
    float mPadding;
```

The **mItemIndex** property indicates the item's index in the list, as mentioned above, if **itemTotalCount** is set -1, then the **mItemIndex** can be from **-MaxInt** to **+MaxInt**. If

itemTotalCount is set a value ≥ 0 , then the **mItemIndex** can only be from 0 to **itemTotalCount** -1.

The mItemId property indicates the item's id. This property is set when the item is created or fetched from pool, and will no longer change until the item is recycled back to pool.

The following codes is an example of **onGetItemByIndex**:

```
LoopListViewItem2 OnGetItemByIndex(LoopListView2 listView, int itemIndex)
{
    if (itemIndex < 0 || itemIndex >= DataSourceMgr.Get.TotalItemCount)
    {
        return null;
    }
    //get the data to showing
    ItemData itemData = DataSourceMgr.Get.GetItemDataByIndex(itemIndex);
    if(itemData == null)
    {
        return null;
    }
    /*get a new item. Every item can use a different prefab, the parameter of the
    NewListViewItem is
    the prefab' name.
    And all the prefabs should be listed in ItemPrefabList in LoopListView2 Inspector
    Setting */
    LoopListViewItem2 item = listView.NewListViewItem("ItemPrefab1");
    ListItem2 itemScript = item.gameObject.GetComponent<ListItem2>(); //get your own
    component
    // IsInitHandlerCalled is false means this item is new created but not fetched from
    pool.
    if (item.IsInitHandlerCalled == false)
    {
        item.IsInitHandlerCalled = true;
        itemScript.Init(); // here to init the item, such as add button click event listener.
    }
    //update the item' s content for showing, such as image, text.
    itemScript.SetItemData(itemData);
    return item;
}
```

```
public LoopListViewItem2 NewListViewItem(string itemPrefabName)
```

This method is used to get a new item, and the new item is a clone from the prefab named itemPrefabName. This method is usually used in onGetItemByIndex.

```
public void SetListItemCount(int itemCount, bool resetPos = true)
```

This method may use to set the item total count of the scrollview at runtime. If this parameter is set -1, then means there are infinite items, and scrollbar would not be supported, and the `itemIndex` can be from **-MaxInt** to **+MaxInt**. If this parameter is set a value ≥ 0 , then the `itemIndex` can only be from 0 to **itemTotalCount -1**.

If `resetPos` is set false, then the scrollrect's content position will not changed after this method finished.

```
public LoopListViewItem2 GetShownItemByItemIndex(int itemIndex)
```

To get the visible item by `itemIndex`. If the item is not visible, then this method return null.

```
public LoopListViewItem2 GetShownItemByIndex(int index)
```

All visible items is stored in a `List<LoopListViewItem2>`, which is named `mItemList`; this method is to get the visible item by the index in visible items list. The parameter `index` is from 0 to `mItemList.Count`.

```
public int ShownItemCount
{
    get
    {
        return mItemList.Count;
    }
}
```

To get the total count of all visible items.

```
public void RefreshItemByItemIndex(int itemIndex)
```

To update a item by `itemIndex`. if the `itemIndex`-th item is not visible, then this method will do nothing. Otherwise this method will first call `onGetItemByIndex(itemIndex)` to get an updated item and then reposition all visible items' position.

```
public void RefreshAllShownItem()
```

This method will update all visible items.

```
public void MovePanelToItemIndex(int itemIndex, float offset)
```

This method will move the scrollrect content's position to (the positon of `itemIndex`-th **item** + `offset`), and **in current version the `itemIndex` is from 0 to MaxInt, `offset` is from 0 to scrollrect viewport size.**

```
public void OnItemSizeChanged(int itemIndex)
```

For a vertical scrollrect, when a visible item's height changed at runtime, then this method should be called to let the `LoopListView2` component reposition all visible items' position.

For a horizontal scrollrect, when a visible item's width changed at runtime, then this method

should be called to let the LoopListView2 component reposition all visible items' position.

```
public void FinishSnapImmediately()
```

Snap move will finish at once.

```
public int CurSnapNearestItemIndex
```

Get the nearest item index with the viewport snap point.

```
public void SetSnapTargetItemIndex(int itemIndex)
```

Set the snap target item index. This method is used in PageViewDemo.

```
public void ClearSnapData()
```

Clear current snap target and then the LoopScrollView2 will auto snap to the CurSnapNearestItemIndex.

LoopStaggeredGridView overview

LoopStaggeredGridView is similar to the LoopListView2, for a ScrollRect with 10,000 items, LoopStaggeredGridView does not really create 10,000 items, but create a few items based on the size of the viewport.

When the ScrollRect moving up, for an vertical GridView, the LoopStaggeredGridView component would check the topmost item's position of every column, and once the topmost item of a column is out of the viewport, then the LoopStaggeredGridView component would recycle the topmost item.

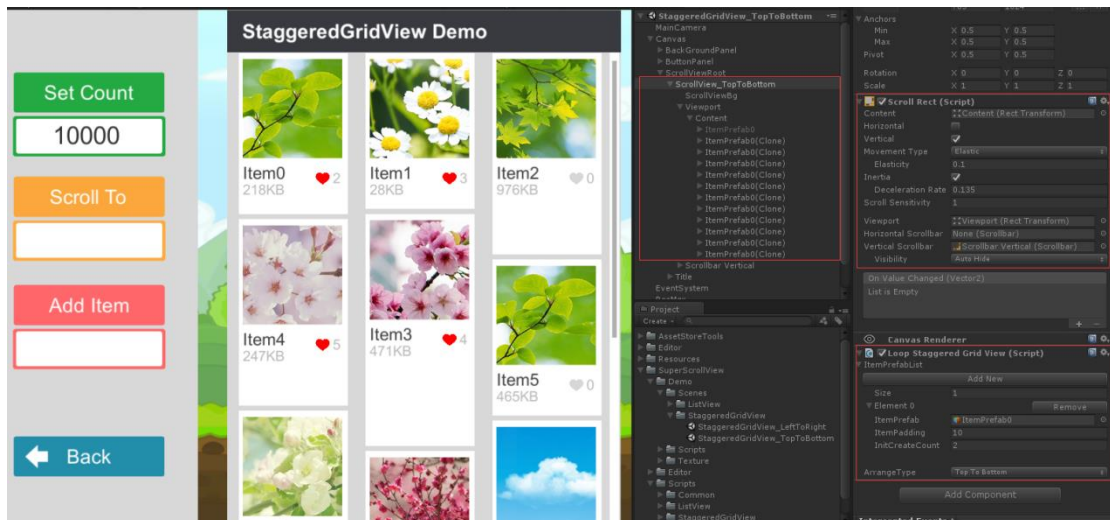
And at the same time check the downmost item's position of every column, and once the downmost item of a column is near the bottom of the viewport , the LoopStaggeredGridView component would call the **onGetItemByIndex** handler to create a new item and then **positon the new created item under the downmost item of the shortest column**, that is the column whose downmost item's bottom position is the top most position in all the columns' downmost positon. In the whole, all the items are arranged from left to right, from top to bottom.

Every item can use a different prefab. But for an vertical GridView, items can have different height but the width must be same. For an horizontal GridView, items can have different width but the height must be same.

There are two examples to help you learning the LoopStaggeredGridView component, in the folder with path : Assets -> SuperScrollView -> Demo -> Scenes -> StaggeredGridView.



The following picture is what a TopToBottom arranged StaggeredGridView with 3 columns looks like:



In the above picture, the scrollrect have 10,000 items, but in fact, only 11 items really created.

LoopStaggeredGridView Inspector Settings

In the Inspector, to make sure the LoopStaggeredGridView component works well, there are several parameters need to set:



ItemPrefabList: this is the existing items to clone.

Every item can use a different prefab and every prefab can have different **default padding**(the amount of spacing between each item in the scrollrect). Every prefab has a pool for getting and recycling action, and the **InitCreateCount** is the count created in pool at start.

In fact, in runtime, every item can have different padding, you can change an item's padding in your **onGetItemByIndex** callback. You can get/set them by **LoopStaggeredGridViewItem.Padding**

Important note: All the itemPrefab's localScale need to be (1,1,1).

ArrangeType: the scroll direction, this is same to ListView. there are four types: **TopToBottom**, **BottomToTop**, **LeftToRight**, **RightToLeft**.

LoopStaggeredGridView Important Public Method

```
public void InitListView(int itemTotalCount, GridViewLayoutParam layoutParam,
    System.Func<LoopStaggeredGridView, int, LoopStaggeredGridViewItem> onGetItemByItemIndex,
    StaggeredGridViewInitParam initParam = null)
```

InitListView method is to initiate the LoopStaggeredGridView component. There are 4 parameters:

itemTotalCount: the total item count in the scrollview, this parameter should be >=0.

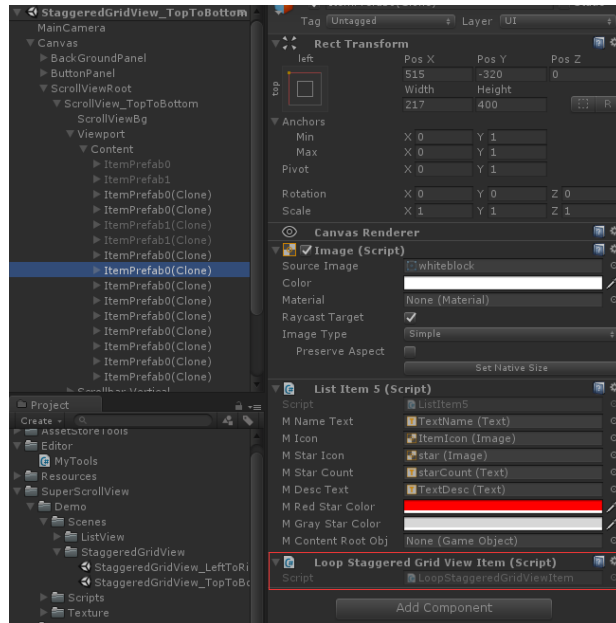
```
public class GridViewLayoutParam
{
    public int mColumnOrRowCount = 0;
    public float mItemWidthOrHeight = 0;
    public float mPadding1 = 0;
    public float mPadding2 = 0;
    public float[] mCustomColumnOrRowOffsetArray = null;
```

layoutParam: this class is very sample, and you need new a GridViewLayoutParam instance and set the values you want. For an vertical GridView, mColumnOrRowCount is the column count, mItemWidthOrHeight is the item's width, mPadding1 is the viewport left margin, mPadding2 is the viewport right margin. For an horizontal GridView, mColumnOrRowCount is the row count, mItemWidthOrHeight is the item's height, mPadding1 is the viewport top margin, mPadding2 is the viewport bottom margin. If mCustomColumnOrRowOffsetArray is null, that is to say, you do not set value for this parameter, then the GridView would arrange all the columns or rows averaged. If mCustomColumnOrRowOffsetArray is not null, the values of the array is the XOffset/YOffset of each column/row, and mCustomColumnOrRowOffsetArray.length must be same to mColumnOrRowCount.

onGetItemByItemIndex: when an item is getting in the scrollrect viewport, this Action will be called with the item' index as a parameter, to let you create the item and update its content.

LoopStaggeredGridViewItem is the return value of onGetItemByItemIndex

Every created item has a LoopStaggeredGridViewItem component auto attached:



LoopStaggeredGridViewItem component is very sample:

```
public class LoopStaggeredGridViewItem : MonoBehaviour
{
    int mItemIndex = -1;
    int mItemIndexInGroup = -1;
    int mItemId = -1;
    float mPadding;
    bool mIsInitHandlerCalled = false;
    string mItemPrefabName;
}
```

The **mItemIndex** property indicates the item's index in the GridView, can be from 0 to itemTotalCount -1.

The **mItemIndexInGroup** property indicates the item's index in a column or row. Here the word "Group" means: for an vertical GridView, a group means a column and for an horizontal GridView, a group means a row.

The **mItemId** property indicates the item's id. This property is set when the item is created or fetched from pool, and will no longer change until the item is recycled back to pool.

The following codes is an example of **onGetItemByItemIndex**:

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LoopStaggeredGridViewItem OnGetItemByItemIndex(LoopStaggeredGridView gridView, int itemIndex)
```

```
{
    if (itemIndex < 0 || itemIndex >= DataSourceMgr.Get.TotalItemCount)
    {
        return null;
    }

    //get the data to showing
    ItemData itemData = DataSourceMgr.Get.GetItemDataByIndex(itemIndex);
    if(itemData == null)
    {
        return null;
    }

    /*get a new item. Every item can use a different prefab, the parameter of the
```

NewListViewItem is

the prefab' name.

All the prefabs should be listed in ItemPrefabList in LoopStaggeredGridView Inspector Setting */

```
LoopStaggeredGridViewItem item = gridView.NewListViewItem("ItemPrefab1");
ListItem2 itemScript = item.gameObject.GetComponent<ListItem2>(); //get your own
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```
public void RefreshItemByItemIndex(int itemIndex)
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public void RefreshAllShownItem()
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```
public void MovePanelToItemIndex(int itemIndex, float offset)
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This method will move the scrollrect content's position to (the positon of itemIndex-th **item** + offset)

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public void OnItemSizeChanged(int itemIndex)
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For a horizontal scrollrect, when a visible item's width changed at runtime, then this method should be called to let the LoopStaggeredGridView component reposition all visible items' position of the same group (that is the same column / row).