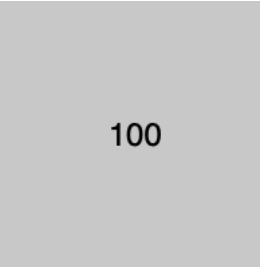


# width

A `Number` variable that stores the width of the canvas in pixels.

`width`'s default value is 100. Calling `createCanvas()` or `resizeCanvas()` changes the value of `width`. Calling `noCanvas()` sets its value to 0.

## Examples



```
function setup() {  
  background(200);  
  
  // Display the canvas' width.  
  text(width, 42, 54);  
  
  describe('The number 100 written in black on  
a gray square.');
```



```
function setup() {  
  createCanvas(50, 100);  
  
  background(200);  
  
  // Display the canvas' width.  
  text(width, 21, 54);  
  
  describe('The number 50 written in black on a gray rectangle.');
```



```
function setup() {  
  createCanvas(100, 100);  
  
  background(200);  
  
  // Display the canvas' width.  
  text(width, 42, 54);  
  
  describe('The number 100 written in black on a gray square.  
When the mouse is pressed, the square becomes a rectangle and  
the number becomes 50.');
```

```
  // If the mouse is pressed, reisze  
  // the canvas and display its new  
  // width.  
  function mousePressed() {  
    if (mouseX > 0 && mouseX < width && mouseY > 0 && mouseY <  
height) {  
      resizeCanvas(50, 100);  
      background(200);  
      text(width, 21, 54);  
    }  
  }  
}
```

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## Related References

**cursor**  
Changes the cursor's appearance.

**deltaTime**  
A Number variable that tracks the number of milliseconds it took to draw the last frame.

**describe**  
Creates a screen reader-accessible description of the canvas.

**describeElement**  
Creates a screen reader-accessible description of elements in the canvas.

