

# Introduction to Method Output

What's the outcome of calling a method?

Sometimes a message is printed to the console:

```
Console.WriteLine("Hello World!");
```

Sometimes a value is returned:

```
Math.Floor(15.6); // Returns 15
```

Sometimes a variable is altered:

```
int number;  
bool success = Int32.TryParse("10602", out number);  
// number is 10602 and success is True
```

If you don't understand all of the code examples, that's okay! By the end of this lesson you will be able to:

- Define methods with output using the `return` and `out` keywords

- Recognize and resolve errors related to method output

Let's get started!

## ☒ Instructions

To remind yourself of some earlier concepts about method input, review the code on the right. We assume you are comfortable with these concepts before taking this lesson.