

# FileExists

This functions checks whether a specified file exists inside a resource.

## Syntax

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bool fileExists ( string filePath )
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**OOP Syntax** Help! I don't understand this!

**Note:** *This function is a static function underneath the File class.*

**Method:** *File.exists(...)*

## Required Arguments

- **filePath:** The filepath of the file, whose existence is going to be checked, in the following format: **":resourceName/path"**. 'resourceName' is the name of the resource the file is checked to be in, and 'path' is the path from the root directory of the resource to the file.

For example, if you want to check whether a file named 'myfile.txt' exists in the resource 'mapcreator', it can be done from another resource this way: *fileExists(":mapcreator/myfile.txt")*.

If the file, whose existence is going to be checked, is in the current resource, only the file path is necessary, e.g. *fileExists("myfile.txt")*. Note that you must use forward slashes '/' for the folders, backslashes '\' will return false.

## Returns

Returns *true* if the file exists, *false* otherwise.