

## Equatable Protocol

For a struct all of its stored properties conform to Equatable  
For an enum all of its associated values conform to Equatable

For anything else, we implement the equal-to operator (==) as a static method of our type.

```
let yourName = "Paul"  
let myName = "Gwingai"  
  
if yourName == myName {  
}  
}
```

```
struct User : Equatable {  
    var id: Int  
    var name: String  
}  
  
let user1 = User(id: 1, name: "Gwingai")  
let user2 = User(id: 2, name: "Paul")  
if user1 == user2 {  
    print  
}
```

```
class UserModel {  
    var id: Int  
    var name: String  
  
    init(id: String, name: String) {  
        self.id = id  
        self.name = name  
    }  
}
```

```
extension UserModel : Equatable {  
    static func == (lhs: UserModel, rhs: UserModel) -> Bool {  
        return lhs.id == rhs.id  
    }  
}
```

\* Create a static method to make it equatable

```
let userModel1 = UserModel(id: 1, name: "Gwingai")  
let userModel2 = UserModel(id: 2, name: "Paul")  
if userModel1 == userModel2 {  
    print("the user models are the same")  
} else {  
    print("the user models are different")  
}
```

## Comparable Protocol (will also have to conform to Equatable)

- ⇒ Any type conforms to Comparable can be compared using the relational operators (<) (>) (==) and (>=)
- ⇒ must implement the < as a static method
- must implement the == as a static method

```
import Foundation
```

```
struct User {  
    var id: Int  
    var name: String  
    var registrationDate: Date  
}
```

```
extension User: Comparable {  
    static func < (lhs: User, rhs: User) -> Bool {  
        return lhs.registrationDate < rhs.registrationDate  
    }  
}
```

```
static func == (lhs: User, rhs: User) -> Bool {
```

return lhs.registrationDate == rhs.registrationDate

}

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```
let user1 = User(id: 1, name: "Gwinyai", registrationDate: Date.init(timeIntervalSinceNow: 5))
let user2 = User(id: 2, name: "Paul", registrationDate: Date.init(timeIntervalSinceNow: 1))
```

```
if user1 < user2 {
```

print("\(user1.name) registered before \(user2.name)")

```
3 else {
```

print("\(user2.name) registered before \(user1.name)")

```
}
```

Paul registered before Gwinyai

```
var collectionOfUsers = [user1, user2]
```

```
collectionOfUsers.sort()
```

```
let newCollection = collectionOfUsers.sorted()
```

## // Hashable Protocol

Any type that conforms to Hashable can be used in a set or as a Dictionary key, the idea is that a type that is Hashable is unique

Set<Element>

following conditions needed:

A struct whose stored properties all conform to Hashable

An enum whose associated values all conform to Hashable

For any other custom type, implement the hash(into:) method in addition to conforming to the protocol Equatable because Hashable inherits from Equatable

Int and String already conform to Hashable

→ must be unique

→ unordered collection

```
let studentScores = ["Gwinyai": 60, "Paul": 50]
```

→ usually means generic type

```
let students : Set<String> = Set<String>([ "Gwinyai", "Paul", "Gwinyai" ])
```

↑ collection, unordered, not duplicated

```
print(students.count)
```

```
class User {
```

var name: String = "

```
}
```

```
struct Song {
```

var id: String

var artist: String

var genre: String

var user: User

```
3
```

```

extension Song: Hashable {
    static func == (lhs: Song, rhs: Song) -> Bool {
        return lhs.id == rhs.id
    }
}

func hash(into hasher: inout Hasher) {
    hasher.combine(id) // if more factors just add ⇒ hasher.combine(x)
}

```

```

let song1 = Song(id: "1", artist: "Guhyai", genre: "LoFi")
let song2 = Song(id: "2", artist: "Paul", genre: "Pop")
let song3 = Song(id: "1", artist: "Guhyai", genre: "LoFi")

```

```

let musicPlaylist: Set<Song> = Set<Song>([song1, song2, song3])
print(musicPlaylist, count) // 2
musicPlaylist.forEach { print($0.genre) }

```

## // Generics

allow us to write reusable code

arrays can work with different types such as Int and String because an Array uses a generic type parameter called Element

Generics start with a type parameter, can simply be a letter enclosed with diamond brackets  
T, U, V often used where a meaningful name does not exist, type parameter is a place holder for any type  
can provide type constraints to our generic code to restrict or enforce some kind of conformance  
on a type parameter. It's often useful to add type constraints using abstract types like  
Equatable and Comparable

can go a step further and provide generic Where clauses. These give us the ability to create properties and methods for specific types of a type.

```
var numberArray: [Int] = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
```

```
var numberArray: Array<Int> = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
```

```
var numberDictionary: [String: Int] = ["1": 1, "2": 2]
```

```
var numberDictionary: Dictionary<String, Int> = ["1": 1, "2": 2]
```

// struct Dictionary<Key, Value> where Key: Hashable

↳ Generic constraints

```

func mergeTogether(a: String, b: String) -> String {
    return [a, b]
}

```

just a generic place holder  
↑ also U, V

```

func mergeTogetherInts(a: Int, b: Int) -> [Int] {
    return [a, b]
}

```

```

func mergeTogether<T>(a: T, b: T) -> [T] {
    return [a, b]
}

```

↓ can also be  
func mergeTogether<T, U>(a: T, b: U) -> [T] {
 return [a, b]
}

```
let mergedStrings = mergeTogether (a:"Gwingya!", b: "Pan!")
print (mergedStrings)
```

```
let mergedInts = mergeTogether (a: 1, b: 2)
print (mergedInts)
```

first in first out

```
class Queue<T> {
    var storage: [T]
    init (head: T) {
        storage = [head]
    }
    func enqueue (_ element: T) { // add element to the queue
        storage.append(element)
    }
    func peek() -> T? { // return the first element
        guard !storage.isEmpty else { return nil }
        return storage[0]
    }
    func dequeue() -> T? { // remove the first element
        guard !storage.isEmpty else { return nil }
        return storage.remove(at: 0)
    }
}
```

```
let ourFirstQueue = Queue(head: 2)
```

```
ourFirstQueue.enqueue(5)
```

```
ourFirstQueue.enqueue(9)
```

```
print(ourFirstQueue.dequeue() ?? "there was nothing left")
```

⇒ // 2  
5  
9

"there was nothing left"

```
func isTheSame<T: Equatable> (a: T, b: T) -> Bool {
    return a == b
}
```

```
print (isTheSame(a: "Gwingya", b: "Pan") ? "they same" : "they not same")
```

```
func changeBackground (color: UIColor) (view: UIView) {
    view.backgroundColor = UIColor.blue
}
```

```
changeBackground (color: UIColor (view: UIButton (frame: CGRect (x: 0, y: 0, width: 100, height: 100))))
```

```
class Design< T: UIView> {
    let view: T
    init(view: T) {
        self.view = view
    }
}
```

```
extension Design where T: UIButton {
    func changeTitle(to title: String) {
        view.setTitle(title, for: .normal)
    }
}
```

```
extension Design where T: UILabel {
    func changeFont(to font: UIFont) {
        view.font = font
    }
}
```

```
extension Design where T: UILabel {
    func changeFont(to font: UIFont) {
        view.font = font
    }
}
```

```
let genericButton = Design(view: UIButton(frame: CGRect(x: 0, y: 0, width: 100, height: 100)))
let genericLabel = Design(view: UILabel(frame: CGRect(x: 0, y: 0, width: 100, height: 100)))

genericButton.changeTitle(to: "New Button")
genericLabel.changeFont(to: UIFont.systemFont(ofSize: 16))
```