

# III. Collections, Delegates, Events

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## 1. Collections



Sample code available on <http://online.ase.ro> – “StandardCollections” Sample

### Assignment

1. Create a new project with the name “StandardCollections”

### 1.1. ArrayList

2. Add the following method in the “Program” class and call it from the Main method

```
private static void ArrayListExample()  
{  
    var words = new ArrayList();  
    words.Add("melon");  
    words.Add("avocado");  
    string first = (string)words[0];  
  
    //int first = (int)words[0];  
}
```

### 1.2. List<T>

3. Add the following method in the “Program” class and call it from the Main method

```
private static void ListExample()  
{  
    // New string-typed list  
    var words = new List<string>();  
    words.Add("melon");  
    words.Add("avocado");  
    words.AddRange(new[] { "banana", "plum" });  
}
```

```

// Insert at start
words.Insert(0, "lemon");

// Insert at start
words.InsertRange(0, new[] { "peach", "nashi" });
words.Remove("melon");

// Remove the 4th element
words.RemoveAt(3);

// Remove first 2 elements
words.RemoveRange(0, 2);

// Remove all strings starting in 'n':
words.RemoveAll(x => x.StartsWith("n"));

for (var i=0; i<words.Count; i++)
{
    Console.WriteLine(words[i]);
}

foreach (var word in words)
{
    Console.WriteLine(word);
}
}

```

#### 4. Add the following "Person" class

```

internal class Person
{
    #region Properties
    public string Name { get; set; }
    public int Age { get; set; }
    #endregion

    public Person(string name, int age)
    {
        Name = name;
        Age = age;
    }
}

```

#### 5. Add the following method in the "Program" class and call it from the Main method

```

private static void ListPersonExample()
{
    var personList = new List<Person>();

    var rnd = new Random();
    for (var i = 0; i < 10; i++)
    {
        personList.Add(new Person("Persoana " + i, rnd.Next(100)));
    }

    //Which interface is needed for Array.Sort(personList)

    foreach (var p in personList) //equivalent to foreach (var p in personList)
        Console.WriteLine(p);
}

```

### 1.3. Queues, Stacks, and Sets

- [Queue](#), [Stack<T>](#), [LinkedList<T>](#)
- [SortedList<TKey, TValue>](#) and many others: [link](#)

### 1.4. Custom Collections

**C#** Sample code available on <http://online.ase.ro> – “CustomCollections” Sample

#### Assignment

1. Add the following “PersonCollection” class

```
internal class PersonCollection : IEnumerable<Person>
{
    private Person[] _personArray;

    public Person this[int index]
    {
        get { return _personArray[index]; }
        set { _personArray[index] = value; }
    }

    public int Length
    {
        get { return _personArray.Length; }
    }

    public PersonCollection()
    {
        _personArray = new []
        {
            new Person("name1", 1),
            new Person("name2", 2),
            new Person("name3", 3)
        };
    }

    public IEnumerator<Person> GetEnumerator()
    {
        return new PersonEnumerator(this);
    }

    IEnumerator IEnumerable.GetEnumerator()
    {
        return GetEnumerator();
    }
}
```

2. Add the following “PersonEnumerator” class

```
internal class PersonEnumerator : IEnumerator<Person>
{
    private int _nIndex;
    private PersonCollection _personCollection;

    public PersonEnumerator(PersonCollection personCollection)
    {
        _personCollection = personCollection;
        _nIndex = -1;
    }
}
```

```

public bool MoveNext()
{
    _nIndex++;
    return _nIndex < _personCollection.Length;
}

public void Reset()
{
    _nIndex = -1;
}

public Person Current
{
    get { return _personCollection[_nIndex]; }
}

object IEnumerator.Current
{
    get { return Current; }
}

public void Dispose()
{
}

```

3. Add the following method in the “Program” class and call it from the Main method

```

private static void PersonCollectionExample()
{
    var personList = new PersonCollection();

    foreach (var p in personList)
        Console.WriteLine(p);
}

```

## 2. Delegates

**C#** Sample code available on <http://online.ase.ro> – “Delegates” Sample

### Assignment

1. Create a new project with the name “Delegates”

```

// This delegate can point to any method, taking two integers and returning an
integer.
public delegate int BinaryOp(int x, int y);

//
public class SimpleMath
{
    public static int Add(int x, int y)
    { return x + y; }
    public static int Subtract(int x, int y)
    { return x - y; }
}

internal class Program
{
    private static void Main()
    {

```

```

        Console.WriteLine("***** Delegate Example *****\n");

        //Definire si instantiere delegat
        BinaryOp b = new BinaryOp(SimpleMath.Add);
        //BinaryOp b = new BinaryOp(SimpleMath.Subtract));
        //b += new BinaryOp(SimpleMath.Subtract);

        //Apel prin delegat
        Console.WriteLine("10 + 10 is {0}", b(10, 10));
        Console.ReadLine();
    }
}

```

## 3. Events

### 3.1. Custom Events

**C#** Sample code available on <http://online.ase.ro> – “EventsPropertyTrigger” Sample

#### Assignment

1. Create a new project with the name “EventsPropertyTrigger”

```

public delegate void PriceChangedHandler(decimal oldPrice, decimal newPrice);

internal class Stock
{
    private string _symbol;
    private decimal _price;

    public Stock(string symbol)
    {
        _symbol = symbol;
    }

    public event PriceChangedHandler PriceChanged;

    public decimal Price
    {
        get { return _price; }
        set
        {
            if (_price == value) return; // Exit if nothing has changed
            decimal oldPrice = _price;
            _price = value;
            if (PriceChanged != null) // If invocation list not
                PriceChanged(oldPrice, _price); // empty, fire event.
        }
    }
}

internal class Program
{
    private static void Main()
    {
        var stock = new Stock("MSFT");
        stock.PriceChanged += Stock_PriceChanged;
        stock.Price = 30;
        stock.Price = 60;
        stock.Price = 90;
    }
}

```

```

private static void Stock_PriceChanged(decimal oldPrice, decimal newPrice)
{
    Console.WriteLine("MSFT: {0} {1}", oldPrice, newPrice);
}
}

```

## 3.2. Standard Event Pattern

**C#** Sample code available on <http://online.ase.ro> – “EventsPropertyTriggerEventArgs” Sample

### Assignment

1. Create a new project with the name “EventsPropertyTriggerEventArgs”

```

public class PriceChangedEventArgs : EventArgs
{
    public readonly decimal LastPrice;
    public readonly decimal NewPrice;
    public PriceChangedEventArgs(decimal lastPrice, decimal newPrice)
    {
        LastPrice = lastPrice;
        NewPrice = newPrice;
    }
}

public class Stock
{
    private string _symbol;
    private decimal _price;

    public Stock(string symbol)
    {
        _symbol = symbol;
    }

    public event EventHandler<PriceChangedEventArgs> PriceChanged;
    protected virtual void OnPriceChanged(PriceChangedEventArgs e)
    {
        if (PriceChanged != null) PriceChanged(this, e);
    }
    public decimal Price
    {
        get { return _price; }
        set
        {
            if (_price == value) return;
            decimal oldPrice = _price;
            _price = value;

            OnPriceChanged(new PriceChangedEventArgs(oldPrice, _price));
        }
    }
}

internal class Program
{
    private static void Main()
    {
        var stock = new Stock("MSFT");
        stock.PriceChanged += Stock_PriceChanged1; ;
        stock.Price = 30;
        stock.Price = 60;
    }
}

```

```
        stock.Price = 90;  
    }  
  
    private static void Stock_PriceChanged1(object sender, PriceChangedEventArgs e)  
    {  
        Console.WriteLine("MSFT: {0} {1}", e.LastPrice, e.NewPrice);  
    }  
}
```



More event samples available on <http://online.ase.ro>