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Structure

FloatingPointFormatStyle

A structure that converts between floating-point values and their textual representations.

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```
struct FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value> where Value : BinaryFloatingPoint
```

Overview

Instances of [FloatingPointFormatStyle](#) create localized, human-readable text from [BinaryFloatingPoint](#) numbers and parse string representations of numbers into instances of [BinaryFloatingPoint](#) types. All of the Swift standard library's floating-point types, such as [Double](#), [Float](#), and [Float80](#), conform to [BinaryFloatingPoint](#), and therefore work with this format style.

[FloatingPointFormatStyle](#) includes two nested types, [FloatingPointFormatStyle.Percent](#) and [FloatingPointFormatStyle.Currency](#), for working with percentages and currencies, respectively. Each format style includes a configuration that determines how it represents numeric values, for things like grouping, displaying signs, and variant presentations like scientific notation. [FloatingPointFormatStyle](#) and [FloatingPointFormatStyle.Percent](#) include a [NumberFormatStyleConfiguration](#), and [FloatingPointFormatStyle.Currency](#) includes a [CurrencyFormatStyleConfiguration](#). You can customize numeric formatting for a style by adjusting its backing configuration. The system automatically caches unique configurations of a format style to enhance performance.

Note

Foundation provides another format style type, [IntegerFormatStyle](#), for working with numbers that conform to [BinaryInteger](#). For Foundation's [Decimal](#) type, use [Decimal.FormatStyle](#).

Formatting floating-point values

Use the [formatted\(\)](#) method to create a string representation of a floating-point value using the default [FloatingPointFormatStyle](#) configuration.

```
let formattedDefault = 12345.67.formatted()  
// formattedDefault is "12,345.67" in the en_US locale.  
// Other locales may use different separator and grouping behavior.
```

You can specify a format style by providing an argument to the [formatted\(_:_\)](#) method. The following example shows the number `0.1` represented in each of the available styles, in the `en_US` locale:

```
let number = 0.1  
  
let formattedNumber = number.formatted(.number)  
// formattedNumber is "0.1".  
  
let formattedPercent = number.formatted(.percent)  
// formattedPercent is "10%".  
  
let formattedCurrency = number.formatted(.currency(code: "USD"))  
// formattedCurrency is "$0.10".
```

Each style provides methods for updating its numeric configuration, including the number of significant digits, grouping length, and more. You can specify a numeric configuration by calling as many of these methods as you need in any order you choose. The following example shows the same number with default and custom configurations:

```
let exampleNumber = 123456.78  
  
let defaultFormatting = exampleNumber.formatted(.number)  
// defaultFormatting is "123 456,78" for the "fr_FR" locale.  
// defaultFormatting is "123,456.78" for the "en_US" locale.
```

```
let customFormatting = exampleNumber.formatted(  
    .number  
        .grouping(.never)  
        .sign(strategy: .always()))  
// customFormatting is "+123456.78"
```

Creating a floating-point format style instance

The previous examples use static factory methods like `number` to create format styles within the call to the `formatted(_:_)` method. You can also create a `FloatingPointFormatStyle` instance and use it to repeatedly format different values, with the `format(_:_)` method:

```
let percentFormatStyle = FloatingPointFormatStyle<Double>.Percent()  
  
percentFormatStyle.format(0.5) // "50%"  
percentFormatStyle.format(0.855) // "85.5%"  
percentFormatStyle.format(1.0) // "100%"
```

Parsing floating-point values

You can use `FloatingPointFormatStyle` to parse strings into floating-point values. You can define the format style within the type's initializer or pass in a format style created outside the function, as shown here:

```
let price = try? Double("$3,500.63",  
    format: .currency(code: "USD")) // 3500.63  
  
let priceFormatStyle = FloatingPointFormatStyle<Double>.Currency(code: "USD")  
let salePrice = try? Double("$731.67",  
    format: priceFormatStyle) // 731.67
```

Matching regular expressions

Along with parsing numeric values in strings, you can use the Swift regular expression domain-specific language to match and capture numeric substrings. The following example defines a percentage format style to match a percentage value using en_US numeric conventions. The rest

of the regular expression ignores any characters prior to a ":" sequence that precedes the percentage substring.

```
import RegexBuilder
let source = "Percentage complete: 55.1%"
let matcher = Regex {
    OneOrMore(.any)
    ":" "
    Capture {
        One(.localizedDoublePercentage(locale: Locale(identifier: "en_US")))
    }
}
let match = source.firstMatch(of: matcher)
let localizedPercentage = match?.1
print("\(localizedPercentage!)") // 0.551
```

Topics

Creating a floating-point format style

```
init(locale: Locale)
```

Creates a floating-point format style that uses the given locale.

Customizing style behavior

```
func decimalSeparator(strategy: FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>.Configuration.DecimalSeparatorDisplayStrategy) -> FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>
```

Modifies the format style to use the specified decimal separator display strategy.

```
func grouping(FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>.Configuration.Grouping) -> FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>
```

Modifies the format style to use the specified grouping.

```
func notation(FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>.Configuration.Notation) -> FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>
```

Modifies the format style to use the specified notation.

```
func precision(FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>.Configuration.Precision) -> FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>
```

Modifies the format style to use the specified precision.

```
func rounded(rule: FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>.Configuration.RoundingRule, increment: Double?) -> FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>
```

Modifies the format style to use the specified rounding rule and increment.

```
func scale(Double) -> FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>
```

Modifies the format style to use the specified scale.

```
func sign(strategy: FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>.Configuration.SignDisplayStrategy) -> FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>
```

Modifies the format style to use the specified sign display strategy for displaying or omitting sign symbols.

```
typealias Configuration
```

The type the format style uses for configuration settings.

```
enum NumberFormatStyleConfiguration
```

Configuration settings for formatting numbers of different types.

Accessing style locale

```
var locale: Locale
```

The locale of the format style.

Applying currency styles

```
struct Currency
```

A format style that converts between floating-point currency values and their textual representations.

Applying measurement styles

```
struct FormatStyle
```

A type that provides localized representations of measurements.

Applying list styles

```
struct ListFormatStyle
```

A type that formats lists of items with a separator and conjunction appropriate for a given locale.

Creating attributed strings

```
var attributed: FloatingPointFormatStyle<Value>.Attributed
```

An attributed format style based on the floating-point format style.

```
struct Attributed
```

A format style that converts integers into attributed strings.

Parsing floating-point numbers

```
struct FloatingPointParseStrategy
```

A parse strategy for creating floating-point values from formatted strings.

Supporting types

```
struct Currency
```

A format style that converts between floating-point currency values and their textual representations.

```
struct Percent
```

A format style that converts between floating-point percentage values and their textual representations.

Relationships

Conforms To

Copyable

CustomConsumingRegexComponent

Decodable

Encodable

Equatable

FormatStyle

Conforms when Value conforms to BinaryFloatingPoint.

Hashable

ParseableFormatStyle

Conforms when `Value` conforms to `BinaryFloatingPoint`.

RegexComponent

Sendable

SendableMetatype

See Also

Data formatting in Swift

{} Language Introspector

Converts data into human-readable text using formatters and locales.

protocol FormatStyle

A type that converts a given data type into a representation in another type, such as a string.

struct IntegerFormatStyle

A structure that converts between integer values and their textual representations.

struct FormatStyle

A structure that converts between decimal values and their textual representations.

struct ListFormatStyle

A type that formats lists of items with a separator and conjunction appropriate for a given locale.

struct TextStyle

struct FormatStyle

A structure that converts between URL instances and their textual representations.

struct FormatStyleCapitalizationContext

The capitalization formatting context used when formatting dates and times.

≡ Format Style Configurations

Behaviors for traits like numeric precision, rounding, and scale, used for formatting and parsing numeric values.