C#





Array

Arrays are like organized shelves, helping us store and manage multiple items of the same type.

Syntax of defining an array

data_type[] array_name = new data_type[size];





Initializing Arrays.

Once an array is declared, the next step is to initialize an array.

The initialization process of an array includes adding actual data to the array.

```
First:
```

```
// Initialize a fixed array
int[] FixedArray = new int[3] {1, 3, 5};

// Initialize a dynamic array items during declaration
string[] jobs= new string[] { "Manager", "Developer",
"Accountant", "Marketting);
```





Array Types

Arrays can be divided into the following categories.

- ✓ Single-dimensional arrays
- ✓ Multidimensional arrays or rectangular arrays
- √Jagged arrays





Single-dimensional arrays

Single-dimensional array is a collection of elements of the same type, arranged in a sequential manner. It is the most basic form of an array and can be declared and used as follows:

```
// Example: Creating an integer array with 4 elements
string[] roles= new string[4];
// Assigning values to array elements
roles[0] = "CompanyMember";
roles[1] = "JobSeeker";
roles[2] = "JobProvider";
roles[3] = "Admin";
// Iterating over array elements using a loop
for (int i = 0; i < roles.Length; i++)
  Console.WriteLine(roles[i]);
Console.ReadLine();
```

CompanyMember JobSeeker JobProvider Admin



Multi-dimensional arrays

The multidimensional array is also known as rectangular arrays in C#. It can be two dimensional or three dimensional. The data is stored in tabular form (row * column) which is also known as matrix.

```
//declaration of 2D array
string[,] roles = new string[2, 2];
                                      //initialization
roles[0, 0] = "JobProvider";
roles[0, 1] = "Admin";
roles[1, 0] = "JobSeeker";
roles[1, 1] = "CompanyMember";
//traversal
for (int i = 0; i < 2; i++)
  for (int j = 0; j < 2; j++)
   Console.Write(roles[i,i] + " ");
                               //new line at each row
   Console.WriteLine();
Console.ReadLine();
```

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Jagged Arrays

In C#, jagged array is also known as "array of arrays" because its elements are arrays. The element size of jagged array can be different

```
// Declare the array
string[][] roles = new string[2][];
// Initialize the array
roles[0] = new string[] {"JobProvider" };
roles[1] = new string[] { "JobSeeker",
           "JobProvider", "CompanyMember" };
// Traverse array elements
for (int i = 0; i < roles.Length; i++)
  for (int j = 0; j < roles[i].Length; j++)
    System.Console.Write(roles[i][j] + " ");
  Console. WriteLine();
Console.ReadLine();
```



Enum

- ☐ An enum type is a distinct value type with a set of named constants.
- ☐ The enum keyword is used to declare an enumeration.
- ☐ Enums are strongly typed constants.
- ☐ All member of enum are of enum type.
- ☐ Enums type can be integer (float, int, byte, double etc.).
- ☐ The default underlying type of the enumeration element is int.





Enum

- □ By default, the first enumerator has the value 0, and the value of each successive enumerator is increased by 1.
- ☐ Enumerations (enums) make your code much more readable and understandable.
- ☐ Every enum type automatically derives from System. Enum

```
Syntax:
An enum is declared as follows:
[modifiers] enum identifier
     enumerator-list [,]
```

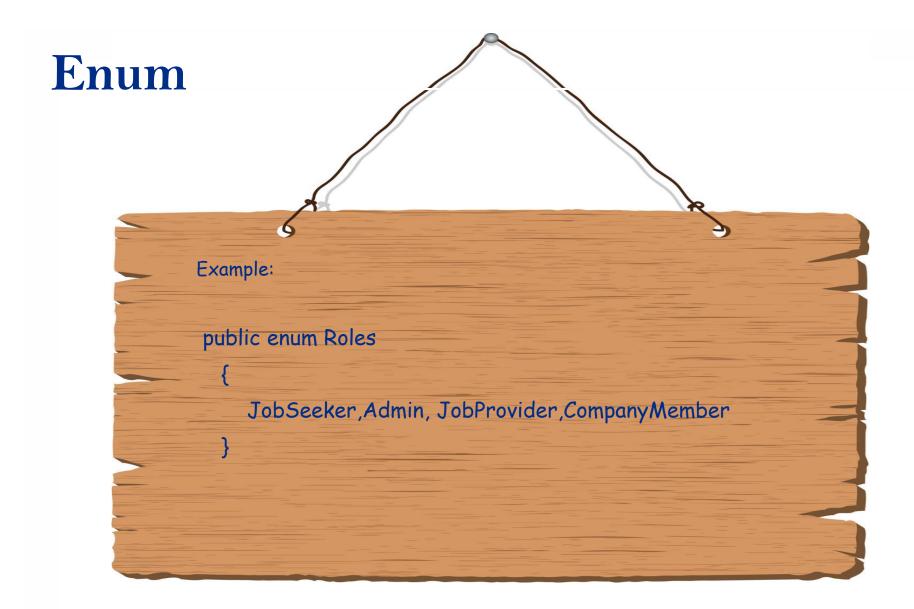


Enum

- ☐ The attributes is optional and is used to hold additional declarative information.
- □ Modifiers are new, public, protected, internal and private.
- ☐ The keyword enum must be followed by an identifier that names the enum.
- ☐ The underlying type that specifies the storage allocated for each enumerator. It can be one of the integral types except char. The default is int..
- ☐ The enumerator-list contains the identifiers which are separated by commas









Type Conversions

Type conversion is converting one type of data to another type. It is also known as Type Casting.

In C# Type casting has two forms

- 1. Implicit type conversion
- 2. Explicit type conversion

Implicit Casting (automatically) - converting a smaller type to a larger type size char -> int -> long -> float -> double

Explicit Casting (manually) - converting a larger type to a smaller size type double -> float -> long -> int -> char





Implicit type conversion

□ conversions from smaller to larger integral types

```
int salary= 250000;
long sal= salary;
// implicit conversion from int type to long type
```





Explicit type conversion

Explicit type conversion:- These conversions are done explicitly by users using the pre-defined functions.

Example:

```
double myDouble = 9.78;
int myInt = (int) myDouble;
```

```
Console.WriteLine(myDouble); // Outputs 9.78
Console.WriteLine(myInt); // Outputs 9
```





```
class Program
  static void Main(string[] args)
   int myInt = 10;
   double myDouble = 5.25;
   bool myBool = true;
   Console.WriteLine(Convert.ToString(myInt)); // Convert int
to string
   Console.WriteLine(Convert.ToDouble(myInt)); // Convert int
to double
   Console.WriteLine(Convert.ToInt32(myDouble)); // Convert
double to int
   Console. WriteLine(Convert. To String(myBool)); // Convert bool
to string
```





Structures

A structure is a value type data type. It helps you to make a single variable hold related data of various data types. The struct keyword is used for creating a structure.

Structures are used to represent a record.

```
For example, declare the job structure struct Books {

    public string title;
    public string Name;
    public int Salary;
};
```





Conclusion

As we conclude Chapter 3, we've navigated through pivotal concepts in C# programming, expanding our toolkit for effective coding.

■ Arrays:

Arrays provide a powerful way to store and manage collections of data. They enhance our ability to work with multiple values efficiently.

Different Types of Arrays:

We explored various array types, from single-dimensional to multidimensional arrays. This versatility equips us to handle diverse data structures.

■ Enums:

Enums bring clarity to our code by allowing us to define named integral constants. This enhances code readability and makes it more maintainable.

■ Type Conversions:

Understanding type conversions is essential for handling data of different types. We explored implicit and explicit conversions, ensuring smooth interaction between different data types.

Thank You

