

# PPL anguage

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### Introduction

**PPL** is the **Parenthesis Programming Language**, in which all elements (statements, parameters, blocks) are enclosed in parentheses. PPL includes a preprocessor to simplify the writing programs and reduce the number of parentheses.

There are some PPL languages (see <u>References</u>), and this language is not the latest with such abbreviation. The only thing that unites all these languages is the abbreviation.

PPL was developed with Microsoft Developer Studio ,C#, without using any third party packages.

PPL is interpreted language, source code (format scr) is translated into intermedeate representation (format ppl) for immediate execution.

### The main PPL features:

- extensibility, using functionalities of C# and adding user's libraries by means of creating
   DLLs in accordance with template, described in this tutorial,
- possibility to add all PPL-functionality to any user Applications.

### PPL supports 2 modes:

**ppl (base) mode**, which syntax is similar to language LISP, math and logical expressions in prefix notation (**ppl expression**).

Examples:

```
var (x [0]);
set(x) (+(1)(2));
if(==(x) (1)) ...
```

**scr (preprocessor) mode**, which syntax is similar to language C, math and logical expressions in infix notation (**scr expression**).

Examples:

```
var x = 0;
set x = 1 + 2;
if (x == 1)...
Commands in format scr may be used on the left side of the expression(example).
```

PPL includes 2 levels of parsing - code written in scr mode is translated to ppl mode before executing, parser on each level creates syntax tree.

CPPL and WPPL utilities call PPL API functions, PPL API may be used in other user applications. Mode scr or ppl is set depending on file extension is being executed or by means of the command code, mode scr makes coding easier as it does not require statements to be enclosed in parentheses. Default mode is set in **Configutation.Data**:

```
(Code [ppl])
```

Preprocessor includes the following statements – var, const, realloc, storage statements,

array statements,
set, setkvp,cpc, sumdata,
savedata,readdata,array
write#, writearray,call,
createstruct, insertstruct,
delegate, dlgtistant,dlgset,dlgtcall,callback,
setloopend,savedata,readdata

and following compound statements (blocks) -

definestruct, function, for, if, else, switch, case, default.

All ppl mode statements may be also added to scr code in format ppl if these statements do not have scr mode.

Data are saved as Unicode symbols, digital data will be converted into a string. Examples:

```
set x = 5.2; saved as "5.2"
```

Boolean values are saved as strings - "True" and "False":

```
set x = True;
```

Script code execution consists of several stages:

- creating array of statements (simple or compound),
- creation syntax tree per each element in array of statements,
- traversal all nodes per each tree are execution of procedure associated with each node,
- process is repeated recursively for each statement in compound statement,
- the above-mentioned process is repeated for the next element in the array of statements, and so on until the end of the array.

It is possible to see syntax tree per each statement in script by command dstree.

Execution of the program in the language PPL is carried out by means of the utilities cppl.exe or wppl.exe, which control commands are listed in section <a href="Keywords">Keywords</a>.

There are different statement formats for ppl mode and scr mode if a statement belongs to two modes.

## **Base Concepts**

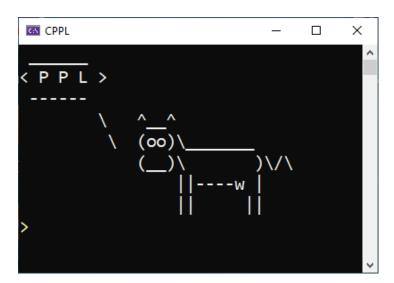
As is customary in many programming language guides the first ppl program is: write("Hello World!"); without main function.

Another example with using Console and String libraries: File examples\console\colors.scr:

### Result:

```
>rc examples\console\colors.scr
Hello World!
>
```

The following 4 samples illustrate the possibilities of PPL:



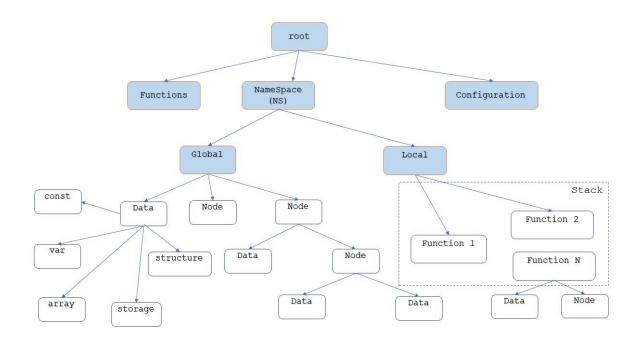
2. Added loading of second file, function call, creation node and array under this node

>rc examples\cowsay\cowsay2.scr

- 3. Added second operator 'for' to move cow
  >rc examples\cowsay\cowsay3.scr
- 4. Added passing data as arguments when calling command readcode >rc examples\cowsay\cowsay4.scr 1 1 10

### **Trees**

Functions and data are stored in PPL as several kinds of Trees — **root, NS, Functions, Configuration** and may be displayed on Screen, saved and restored.



Blue nodes are created automatically when Cppl.exe (or WPPL.exe) loads or re-created when command **init** is called.

By default Tree **Functions** is filling from file Functions\ **CommonFunctions**.ppl, defined as "**default\_loaded\_functions**" in **file Configuration.data**, it may be changed by user on other one, to display its contents perform:

```
>display Functions;
```

User may perform command **readcode** (**rc**) to read files with user's functions and add these functions to Tree **Functions** or to node, created under Tree **Functions**.

Tree Functions (or nodes under Tree Functions) saves only functions, not data (see examples 6-8 in <u>function</u>).

### Examples:

```
>d Functions
----Functions----
-N2 Sum [function]
---L0 result
---L1 n1
---L2 n2
---N1 # [internal_block]
```

```
----N2 set
----L0
                result
----N3
                +
----L0
                n1
----L1
                n2
Adding functions to node under Tree Functions:
>createnode Functions.Calc;
function
 Functions.Calc.Sum(result) (n1) (n2)
     (set(result)(+(n1)(n2)))
 )
);
>d Functions
-----Functions----
-N2
        Calc
                [Node]
---N3
        Sum
                [function]
----LO result
----L1 n1
----L2 n2
----N1 #
                [internal block]
----N2
                set
----L0
                result
-----N3
-----LO
                n1
-----L1
Tree Configuration is filling from file Configuration.data, to display its contents perform:
>display Configuration;
default loaded functions
                           [Functions\CommonFunctions.ppl])
   //(UserFunctions1
                            [])
   //(UserFunctions2
                            [])
   //(UserFunctions3
                            [])
   11
   (Code
                               [ppl])
   (debugppl
                               [no])
   (delete all in readcode
                               [yes])
   (log
                               [no])
   (stay interactive
                               [no])
                                        // for cppl.exe
                               [11000]) // for cppl.exe
   (OFD port
   //(UserFunctions1
                                [Functions\printchar.ppl])
   (UserImport1
                                [Directory])
   (UserImport2
                                [Math])
                                [String])
   (UserImport3
   (UserImport4
                                [File])
   (UserImport5
                                [Console])
   //(UserImport6
                                [Convert])
   //(UserImport7
                                [ArrayList])
   //(UserImport8
                                [Excel])
   //(UserImport9
                                [Queue])
```

```
//(UserImport10 [Stack])
//(UserImport11 [Dictionary])
```

Any public variables (var, const, array, storage and node) are saved in Tree **Global** as common data for all functions and for code without functions (in "main function").

Public functions are available to functions from any node in Tree **Global**.

Private variables and functions are available to functions in the node, that they belong to only. Full name variables and functions include name of node.

Example:

```
createnode N1;
   function
      N1.f()
      (
         (write("public function N1.f"))
         (N1. f())
   );
   function
                // private
      N1. f()
         (write("private function N1. f"))
         (write(N2.x))
         //(write(N2._x))
                             // Error: [GetValue] [N2. x] private
                                 object, no access
         //(N2. f())
                             // Error: [Traversal] [N2._f] private
                                 function, no access
   );
createnode N2;
   var(N2.x["public var N2.x"]);
   var(N2. x["private var N2. x"]);
   function
     N2. f() // private
         (write("private function N2. f"))
      )
   );
N1.f();
write (N2.x);
//write(N2. x); // Error: [GetValue] [N2. x] private object, no
                      access
```

Variables for functions are created in Tree **Local**, to display its contents perform in function: >display Local

When exiting a function, its variables are deleted.

For illustration difference between modes scr and ppl consider the following examples:

```
>rc Examples\scr\for.scr
=== scr code for preprocessor ===
var begin = 0;
var end = 3;
for(i,begin + 1,end + 1,1)
  write(i);
}
=== generated by preprocessor ppl code ===
>var (begin[0]);
>var (end[3]);
>loop (i)( + ( begin )( 1 ) )( + ( end )( 1 ) )( 1 )
  do
    (write(i))
  )
);
Result:
1
2
3
```

Statement terminator ';' always follows after each type of statements in scr mode. In ppl mode statement terminator ';' does not follow after statements within compound statements(blocks) – loop, switch,if,function.

Examples in ppl mode:

```
loop (i) (0) (3) (1)
(
    do
    (
        (write(hello))
        (write(world))
    )
);
```

# Comments

Two kinds of commentaries are possible:

/\*...\*/ - for several lines of code

and

// - for one line of code or part of line.

### Configuration

Configuration is defined in the file **Configuration.data**, meaning of its members is explained in this tutorial.

### **Identifiers and DNS**

Names of nodes, variables, arrays, storage and functions contain any symbols, first symbol is any upper or lower case letter or any of the following symbols: \_\$#, but not a digit. Variables with first symbol \_ in name are hidden or private variables (see hidden variables).

Name "all" can not be used (see cmd del).

Length of identifiers is not limited. Do not set keywords and names of Libraries as identifiers. When data is created, its full name and saved address are added to **Data Names Structure** (**DNS**). DNS creates separately for non-functions identifiers in Global and for each function in Local, DNS of function will be destroyed when exiting the function.

Symbolic values are enclosed in quotation marks, to include a quotation mark in a symbolic expression, precede it with backslash.

### Example:

```
"123\"qwe" => "123"qwe"

Backslash before the last quote mark it is backslash, not quote mark.

"123\qwe\" => "123\qwe\"
```

### **Public and private variables**

Variables, constants, arrays, storage and functions, whose names start with **underscore** are private, all other are public.

### Examples:

Error occurs when re-creating a variable, it is possible to delete this variable and to create again:

```
>var(x);
>var(x); // re-creation
Error: [FuncCreateVariables] name [x] already exists
>del x;
>var(x);
```

### **Compound statements (blocks)**

Compound statements include one or several statements enclosed in curly brackets:

```
if (x == 1)
{
    write("COMPOUND");
    write("STATEMENTS");
}
else
{
    write("compound");
    write("statements");
```

If compound statements "for", "if" contain only one not compound statement in curly

```
brackets it is possible to omit brackets:
if (x == 1)
    write("COMPOUND");
else
    write("statements");
if (x == 1)
                                        // right
    if (y == 2)
       write("right sample");
if (x == 1)
                                        // wrong
   if (y == 2)
       write("wrong sample");
```

### Libraries

Default name of library is **Main**, it loads always when Cppl.exe or Wppl.exe starts. It is possible to set in file **Configuration.data** as "UserImportN" names of additional libraries initialization loaded. To display list of loaded libraries perform:

```
>importlist;
Main
Directory
Math
```

To display contents of any library perform:

<name of library>.help or **help** for Main library

```
Example:
```

```
>Directory.help;
```

```
help
GetFiles
GetDirectories
SetCurrentDirectory
GetCurrentDirectory
```

To get short information about any library function perform:

# <name of library>.help(function name)

```
>Math.help(Sinh)

Returns the hyperbolic sine of the specified angle:

Math.Sinh(double value)
```

```
For Main Library help or ?:
>? d
display | d [root|NS| Functions|Local|node name]
display NS.namespace.name]
```

### **Keywords**

Keyword formats are defined in this tutorial, all format are defined for **ppl mode** by default. Additionally defined format for **scr mode** for some keywords. All keywords are divided into 9 groups and presented below:

### **Service Commands**

help, version, cls, shell, init, code, showcode, readcode, fdreadcode, createpplcode, display, displaynodes, dn, dstree, datanames, suspend, resume, debugppl, traceppl, recreate, log, exit, createcodeppl, sumdata

### **Special Commands**

import, importlist, eval, length, calc, sleep, isexist, isdigits, isinteger, isalldigits, isallinteger, iseven, isodd, del, getbykey, getbyvalue, set, setkvp, getvalue, getname, gettoken

### **Nodes and Leaves**

createnode, copynode, getnodes, getleaves

### **Structures**

defunestruct,insertstruct,createstruct

### **Variables and Arrays**

var, const, array, realloc, array.push, array.pop, array.reverse, array.shift, array.remove, array.clear, array.unshift, array.insert

### Storage

storage, sinit, sget, sset, swrite, sinfo, ssetrow

### **Backup and Recovery**

savedata, readdata

### **Control Flow**

if, else, switch, case, default, loop, do, for, break, continue, setloopend.

### **Input Output**

write, writeline (write#), writearray, readline

### **Functions**

function, funclist, funcname, argc, getargname, call, return, getreturn

### **Delegates and callbacks**

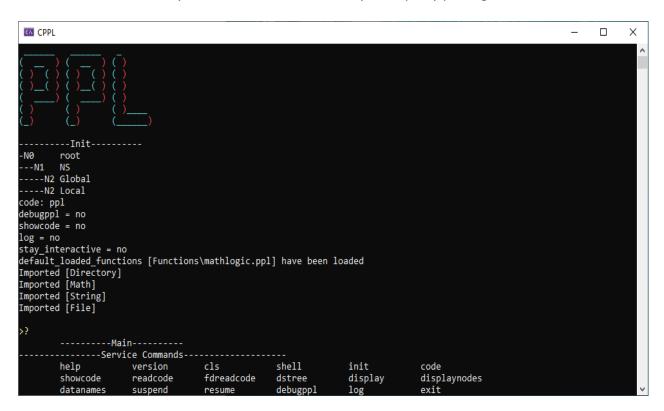
delegate, dlgtinstance, dlgtset, dlgtcall, callback

# Special variables, constants and words

**empty** – see methods ArrayList.Add, Queue.Enqueue, Stack.Push **tab,comma,space** – see String.Split, String.Splitcsv.

# **CPPL** utility

Command-line REPL utility **cppl.exe** is a PPL interpreter which syntax and keywords are given in this tutorial. This utility is written in C# without any third party packages.



These are following subdirectories and files used to work with cppl.exe Subdirectories:

\Data

**\Examples** 

**\Functions** 

\JsonHelp

Files:

Configuration.data

CPPL.exe, OFD.exe

Set Screen Buffer Size and Window Size in Properties\Layout.

There are 2 operating modes in accordance with cppl.exe arguments:

### 1. NonInteractive mode

Execute program in file with extension scr or ppl.

cppl.exe file [arg1 arg2 ...]

file := file.ppl|file.scr

If arguments are present, they override the variables \$1\$, \$2\$ and so on in the body of the called file. Number between two symbols \$ is the serial number of argument.

An error occurs if arguments quantity less than max variable number.

Value of argument is literal, not command.

When value of **stay\_interactive** in file **Configuration.data** = "no" cppl.exe finishes after program execution, when value of **stay\_interactive** = "yes" cppl.exe does not finish and continues in interactive mode.

### Example:

```
File example.scr
```

```
var $1$ = $2$;
>cppl.exe example.scr x 2;
```

### 2.Interactive mode

### cppl.exe

Command input from standard input stream.

To get list of commands and their short explanation perform **help** (or ?).

### **Examples:**

Prompt ">" appears on Screen before each command.

### Examples:

```
>display;
-N1 NS
---N2 Global
```

When code scr is defined only one command is executed interactively:

In addition to commands required to work with scr/ppl programs, cppl.exe allows you to execute all Windows commands and save the results. Command **shell** uses for that.

### Examples:

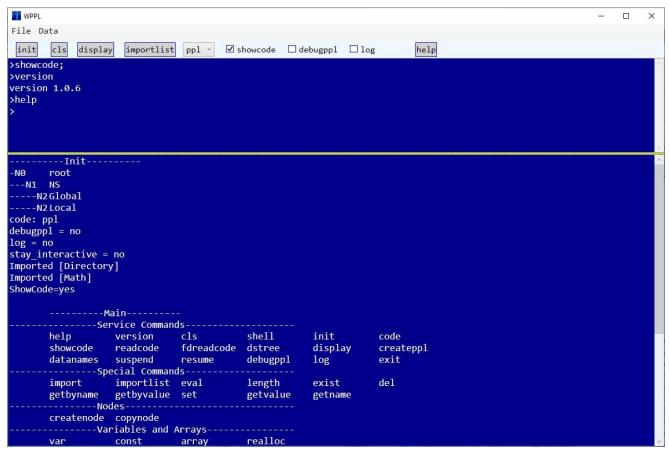
```
>var (x);
>set(x)(shell(cd));  // output is saved in var x
>write(x);
```

The following often used commands and operators with one parameter may be used with or without parentheses around arguments:

help (?), import, readcode (rc), showcode, createnode, isexist, display (d), displaynodes(dn), del, code, debugppl.

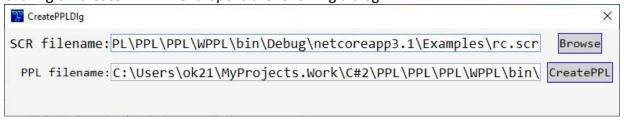
# **WPPL** utility

WPPL.exe is also a PPL interpreter, its functionalities are liked cpp.exe. WPPL.exe is WPF Application, runs in interactive mode only.



Top part is used as input any PPL commands, down part is for results presentation. Also service commands may be performed by menu and wpf controls over top part. The following dialogs are used to perform service commands:

### Clicking on **CreatePPL in Menu** opens the following dialog:



Clicking on **ReadCode in Menu** opens the following dialog:

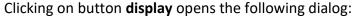


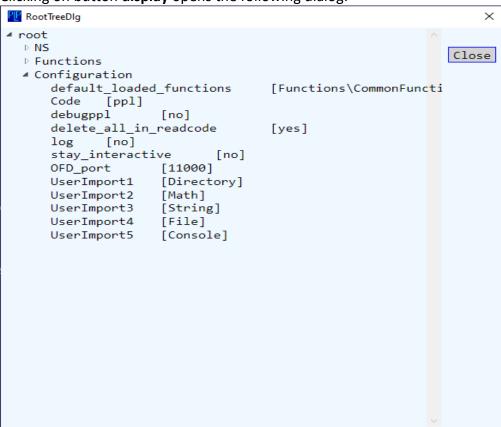
Clicking on **ReadData in Menu** opens the following dialog:



Clicking on **SaveData in Menu** opens the following dialog:





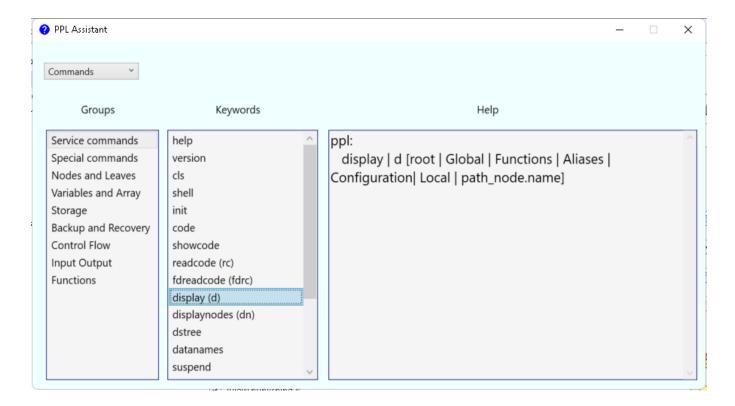


History of commands is supported by buttons PgUp and Pgdn.

WPPL.exe is an example of using the PPL API, which can be easily used in the user's application.

### **PPL Assistant**

PPL Assistant displays format commands in ppl and scr modes. As well this application displays format methods in <u>additional libraries</u>. Files JsonHelp\\*.json are generated by utility <u>ULC.exe</u>.



### **Service Commands**

### help

Displays keywords list for Library by <name> or format of command from Main library.
Library must be loaded before (see <import>) by default name = Main, this library is loaded automatically

Format: help | ? [library name>] | keyword

```
GS CPPL
                                                                                                                    -----Main-----
                     ----Service Commands-
       help
                     version
                                    cls
                                                  shell
                                                                 init
                                                                               displaynodes
       showcode
                     readcode
                                    fdreadcode
                                                  dstree
                                                                 display
       datanames
                     suspend
                                    resume
                                                  debugppl
                                                                 traceppl
                                                                               recreate
                                    createpplcode
       log
                     exit
                      ----Special Commands---
       import
                      importlist
                                    eval
                                                   length
                                                                 del
       isexist
                      isdigits
                                    isinteger
                                                  calc
                                                                 sleep
       isalldigits
                                                  isodd
                     isallinteger
                                    iseven
       getbykey
                     getbyvalue
                                    set
                                                  getvalue
                                                                 getname
                       ---Nodes and Leaves-
       createnode
                     copynode
                                    getnodes
                                                  getleaves
                        --Variables and Arrays
       var
                     const
                                    array
                                                  realloc
                      ----Storage-
       storage
                     sinit
                                                  sset
       swrite
                     sinfo
                                    ssetrow
                      ----Backup and Recovery---
       savedata
                     readdata
                      ----Control Flow--
       if
                     else
                                    switch
                                                  case
                                                                 default
       loop
                     do
                                    for
                                                  break
                                                                 continue
                      ----Input Output--
       write
                     write#
                                    writeline
                                                  writearray
                                                                 readline
                        --Functions-
                     call.
                                    funclist
       function
                                                  funcname
                                                                 argc
                                                                               return
       to get short explanation of each command: help command
```

### Examples:

Any other library has function help for display its contents.

<name of library>.help [(keyword)]

>Matrix.help (Rotate)

### version

Display current version

Format: version

### cls

Clears the Screen Format: **cls** 

### shell

Executes Windows Console Commands, several commands are hash symbol separated. Results of shell are saved and can be displayed by commands write or by debugppl yes Format: shell (command with parameters[#command with parameters])

**Examples:** 

```
>write(shell (cd:\));
>debugppl yes;
>shell (dir /b tests#cd);
```

### init

Deletes all data and functions and creates new root, use this command for console input only.

Format: init

### code

Sets mode for Console input or displays it on Screen.

Mode scr is more convenient for writing code with blocks and for using infix expressions. But in other cases there is no difference.

Format: code [ppl|scr]

default - ppl

It is possible to set **code** in file **Configuration.data**.

### showcode

Shows or hides on Screen ppl\_code when command readcode is executed or displays showcode value on Screen

Format: showcode [yes | no]

Default: no Examples:

>showcode no;

### readcode

Reads file with code in format scr or ppl.

At the end of the execution readcode the previous code will be set.

Format: readcode | rc <file.scr | ppl > [arg1 arg2 ...]

If arguments are present, they override the variables \$1\$, \$2\$ and so on in the body of the called file.

Number between two symbols \$ is the serial number of argument.

An error occurs if arguments quantity less than max variable number.

Arguments are literals, not commands.

If delete\_all\_in\_readcode = yes in Configuration.data command

**delete all** is added automatically as first command when first command **readcode** is called.

The file being called can also include readcode commands. Files called by command readcode can be of different formats - .scr or .ppl.

If caller script and internal scripts are in the same path you can omit path for internals. You can specify relative path from cppl.exe or full path, including drive:

```
>rc path\caller.scr
call internal script:
    rc internal.scr
or rc path\internal.scr or rc drive:\path\internal.scr
```

### Example

```
1.
     > Directory. SetCurrentDirectory (examples\ppl);
     >rc loop.ppl; // or rc examples\ppl\loop.ppl
     loop (i) (0) (3) (1)
        do
         (
           (write("PPL"))
            (write("ppl"))
      );
2. File example.scr
     var $1$ = $2$;
     >rc example.scr x 2;
3. reading script with command readcode inside:
File main.scr:
     write("main script");
     rc examples\rc\first.scr;
     rc examples\rc\second.scr;
     write("return from main script");
File first.scr:
     write("first script");
     rc examples\rc\third.scr;
     write("return from first script");
File second.scr:
     write("second script");
File third.scr
     write("third script");
     >rc examples\rc\main.scr;
Result:
     main script
     first script
     third script
     return from first script
     second script
     return from main script
```

### fdreadcode

Like readcode with using FileDialog to select file. This command loads ofd.exe and sets connection with **cppl.exe** via UDP protocol, port defined in file **Configuration.data** as **OFD port**.

Format: fdreadcode | fdrc

### createpplcode (cpc)

Creates file in format ppl from file (or files) in format scr.

Format ppl: createpplcode | cpc (file.scr)(file.ppl) [(all)]

Format scr: createpplcode | cpc file.scr file.ppl [all]

arg all - include all files, loaded by command readcode.

**Examples** 

```
> code ppl;
>createpplcode (ttt.scr) (ttt.ppl);
>cpc (ttt.scr) (ttt.ppl);
>code scr;
>cpc ttt.scr ttt.ppl;
```

### display (d)

Displays nodes(N) and leaves(L) in Tree, alias – d.

Format:

display | d [root | Global | Functions | Configuration | Local | path\_node.name]

Increase Screen Buffer Size.Height in CPPL.exe Properies\Layout in case large number of lines.

default: Global

Examples:

```
>array(y[2])(0);
>d;
-N NS
---N Global
----N y
-----L0 [0]
-----L1 [0]
>d Global.y;
>d y;
>d Functions.Sum;
```

### displaynodes (dn)

Displays nodes(N) only, alias – dn.

Format:

displaynodes | dn [root | Global | Functions | Configuration | Local | path\_node.name]

Increase Screen Buffer Size.Height in CPPL.exe Properies\Layout in case large number of lines.

### Example:

### dstree

Displays syntax tree per each statement in script and corresponding statement in format ppl.

**dstree** may be entered from script or from console in interactive mode.

### Format: dstree() | dstree

### Examples:

```
>rc examples\scr\GetResult.scr;

dstree;
call String.Concat("123","qwe","asd");
write(getresult);

function Sum(x,y)
{
    return x + y;
}
call Sum(2,2+1);
write#("result = {0}",getresult);
```

```
//result:
```

```
String.Concat ("123") ("qwe") ("asd");
--N0 root
                   [0]
----N1 String.Concat
----L0
        "123"
            "qwe"
----L1
----L2
            "asd"
write(getresult);
--N0 root
                   [0]
----N1 write
----N0
           getresult
function
 Sum (x)(y)
   (return ( + (x) (y) ))
 )
);
--NO root
                   [0]
----N1 function
----N2
            Sum
----L0
            X
----L1
            У
----N3
                          [internal block]
----N4
            return
----N5 +
----L0
                   X
-----L1
                   У
```

```
Sum (2)(+(2)(1));
--N0 root [0]
         2
----N1 Sum
----L0
----N2
           +
----L0
           2
-----L1 1
write ("result = {0}") (getresult);
--N0 root
                 [0]
----N1 write
----L0
          "result = {0}"
----N0
           getresultcode: scr
123qweasd
result = 5
```

### datanames

Displays contents of <u>DNS</u>. Format: **datanames** [Local]

### suspend and resume

Stops script to perform manually one or several commands, continue script execution – **resume** stop script – **exit** and double click

Format: **suspend** 

Examples:

```
>Enter:
>d
-N1 NS
---N1 Global
>resume // continue script execution
```

### debugppl

Displays information about creation and deletion variables, results operations and duration or displays debugppl value on Screen.

Format: **debugppl [yes | no]** 

It is possible to set **debugppl** in file **Configuration.data**.

Example:

```
>var(x)
>debugppl yes
>duration = 0.0015026
>del x
leaf [x] is deleted
>duration = 0.0054401
```

### traceppl

Displays all commands and function names on screen during the execution of commands. By default – traceppl no.

Format: traceppl [yes | no]

Example: >traceppl yes;

### recreate

Permits recreation vars, arrays, storage and nodes. By default – recreate no.

Format: **recreate [yes | no]** 

Example:

```
>recreate yes;
>code scr;
code: scr
>var x;
>var x;
>recreate no;
>var x;
Error: [FuncCreateVariables] name [x] already exists
```

### log

Writes commands and results to logfile in directory **Log** or displays log value on Screen.

Format: log [yes | no]

It is possible to set log in file Configuration.data.

Opened logfile will be closed by command init or exit.

### exit

Exit from Cppl.exe (exit) or exit from script (exit()).

### sumdata

Defines argument type for summation. By default – sumdata digit.

Format:

### sumdata [digit | string]

Example:

```
>code scr;
>sumdata digit;
>write#(1+2);
>sumdata string;
>write#(1+2);
12
```

```
>sumdata string;

>var x = 1;

>call Sum(x,2);

>write#("x={0}",x);

x=12
```

# **Special Commands**

### import

Loads Library from current directory or from user directory.

Format:

import <Library name>
import <Directory\><Library name>

Examples:

```
>import Math;
>import DLL\Erato; // (see examples\scr\erato.scr)
```

### importlist

Displays list of loaded Libraries

Format: importlist

Examples:

>importlist;
Main
Math

#### eval

Performs string in format ppl.

Format: eval (ppl expression)[result]

Examples:

```
>var x = "var(r); set(r)(/(180)(Math.PI())); write(r)";
>eval(x);
Result:57.29577951308232
>write(eval("+(1)(2)"))
Result:3
```

## length

Returns length of value for var | const or length array | storage

Format: length (var | const name | array name|storage name)

Examples:

```
>array (y[3]);
>length(y);
Result: 3
>var (x["Hello!"]);
>length(x);
Result: 6
```

## isexist

Determines whether var, array or storage with specified name exists or not in Global or Local, returns "**True**" or "**False**".

Format: isexist(name)

name:= [NS.][namespace.][node.]name

Example:

```
1.
    >debugppl yes
    >var (x);
    >isexist (x);
    Result: True
2.
    >createnode Functions.New;
    >isexist (Functions.New);
    Result: True
```

## isdigits

Checks is value of var or member of array or storage digital, returns "True" or "False".

Format: isdigits(var name | member of array or storage | literal )

```
Example:

>var(x[1.1]);

>isdigits (x);

Result: True
```

## isinteger

Checks is value of var or member of array or storage integer, returns, returns "**True**" or "**False**".

Format: isinteger(var name | member of array or storage | literal )

```
Example:
>var(x[1]);
>isinteger (x);
Result: True
```

## isalldigits

Checks is all members of array or storage digital, returns, returns "**True**" or "**False**"

Format: isalldigits(member of array or storage)

```
Example:
>code scr;
>array x[] = {1,2,3};
>isalldigits (x);
Result: True
```

## isallinteger

Checks is all members of array or storage integer, returns, returns "**True**" or "**False**".

Format: isallinteger(member of array or storage)

```
Example:
> array(x)(1)(2)(3);
>isallinteger (x);
Result: True
```

## iseven, isodd

Checks is integer value even or odd, returns "True" or "False".

Format:

iseven(var name | member of array or storage | literal )

isodd(var name | member of array or storage | literal )

#### del

Deletes any kinds of data from Global or Local Tree, also deletes nodes from Functions.

Format: del (fullname) | del fullname

To delete all Global contents: **del all,** so name "**all**" can not be used as any kind of variable names.

If "delete\_all\_in\_readcode" = yes in Configuration.data command delete all adds automatically as first command when command readcode is called. Otherwise all data will be saved in memory, if necessary add this command manually.

fullname:= node path.name node path:= node path | node

Example:

```
>createnode Node1;
>var(Node1.x);
>del Node1.x;

>createnode Functions.Geo
>del Functions.Geo
```

For re-run script, that creates array or use command recreate yes:

```
>if (==(isexist(y)) (True))
(
    (del y)
);
>array(y[5]);
```

#### calc

Calculates infix notation math. expression and writes result on screen, may be used for ppl and scr modes, **but in interactive mode only**, not in .ppl or .scr files.

Limitation: do not use expression for calculation indexes to array elements.

Format: calc math.expression

```
>code ppl;
>var (x[1]);
>calc x + 2*Math.PI();
7.283185307179586
```

```
>code scr;
>array arr[] = {1,2,3};
>var x = 1;
>calc 1+ arr[0];
>calc 1+ arr[1+1];  // error: calculation indexes
> var y = 1+1;
>calc 1 + arr[y];  // right
```

```
>calc Math.Sqrt(1+3) + 1;
```

# sleep

Suspends the interpreter for the specified number of milliseconds Format: sleep(msec)

Example:
>sleep(100);

## getbykey

Gets value from array by name.

Format: getbykey(name array)(name element)

Example:

```
See example in readdata
>getbykey(Colors)(Black);
Result: 0
```

if key is absent return **nan**.

## getbyvalue

Gets name from array by value.

Format: getbyvalue(name array)(value element)

Example:

```
See example in <u>readdata</u>
>getbyvalue(Colors)(0);
Result: Black
```

if value is absent return nan.

#### set

Sets value for variable and array element

Format **ppl**:

set (var\_name | array\_name [index]) (value | array\_name [index])

index:=value| ppl expression

Format scr:

set var\_name | array\_name [index] = value | scr expression index:=value| scr expression

Command **set** checks whether index is out of bounds.

Examples:

```
>code ppl:
>var (x);
>set(x)(+(1)(2));
>array(y[3]);
>set(y[+(1)(2)])(0);

>code scr:
>var x;
>set x = 1;
>array y[3];
>set y[x + 1] = 2 + 3;
>set y[0] = y[1];
```

Starting from the version v.2.0.1 **set** can be omitted in **scr-mode**:

```
>x = 3;
>y[0] = 2+3;
```

To calculate indexes for access to array elements command set in scr-mode creates temporary variables and deletes them at the end (**for non-interactive mode only**):

```
file test.scr

array a[] = {1,2,3,4,5,6,7};

set a[1+2] = a[2+2]+ 1;

>rc test.scr

The following ppl-code will be generated:

array (a) (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7);

var (#0[ + (1) (2) ]);

var (#1[ + (2) (2) ]);

set (a[#0]) (+(a[#1]) (1));

del #0;
del #1;

It is possible to use logical and comparison operands:

>code scr:
```

```
>code scr;

>var x;

>set x = ((1==1) && (2==2)) && (3==3);

>write(x);

Result: True
```

```
>code scr
array x[3] = 0;
set x[1+1] = ((1==1) && (2==2)) && (3==3);
writearray x row;
```

The following ppl-code will be generated:

```
>array(x[3])(0);
>var (#0[ + (1) (1) ]);
>set (x[#0])( && ( && ( == (1) (1) ) ( == (2) (2) ) ( == (3) (3) ) ));
>del #0;
>writearray (x ) ( row );
```

See examples\if\QuestionMark.scr: (for non-interactive mode only)

```
var x;
set x = 1==1? t:f;
write(x);
```

The following ppl-code will be generated:

```
var (x);
if (== (1) (1) )
(
    (set (x)(t))
);
(
    else
    (
        (set (x)(f))
    )
);
write(x);
```

To set data in structure see (<a href="sample">sample</a>).

## setkvp

```
Sets key and value array element
Format ppl:
setkvp(array_name [index])(key)(value | ppl expression)
index:=value| ppl expression
Format scr:
setkvp(array_name [index]) = key, value | scr expression)
index:=value| scr expression
```

Command **setkvp** checks whether index is out of bounds. For setting key and value command **setkvp** checks whether key already exists in array.

To calculate indexes for access to array elements command setkvp in scr-mode creates temporary variables and deletes them at the end (for non-interactive mode only):

To get key and value it is possible by commands **getbykey** and **getbyvalue**.

```
>code ppl:
>array(y[3]);
>setkvp(y[0])(+(1)(2));
>setkvp(y[1])(one)(1);
>setkvp(y[2])(two)(2);

>code scr:
>var x = 1;
>array y[3];
>setkvp y[x + 1] = five,2 + 3; //(for non-interactive mode only)
>setkvp y[0] = null, 0;
```

Starting from the version v.2.0.1 **setkvp** can be omitted in **scr-mode**:

```
>y[0] = five, 2 + 3;
```

## getvalue

Returns value of single var const or array element.

Error: when argument is literal or not existed variable.

Format: getvalue (var\_name) | getvalue(array\_name[index]

index:= value | ppl expression

Alias: get

Examples:

```
>array (y[3])(999);
>write("getvalue(y[0]) = {0}")(getvalue (y[0]));
Result: getvalue (y[0]) = 999
```

To get data from structure see (sample).

#### getname

Returns name of single var|const | array | array element as string.

Error: when argument is literal or not existed variable.

Format: **getname (name)** 

```
1.
    >var (x[ppl]);
    >write("{0} = {1}") (getname(x)) (getvalue(x);
    x = ppl
2.
    function f(array: arr)
    {
        write#("argname={0} name={1}",getargname(arr), getname(arr));
    }
    array y;
    f(y);
    Result: argname=y name=arr

function f2(storage: stor)
    {
        write#("argname={0} name={1}",getargname(stor),getname(stor));
    }
    storage s[2];
    f2(s);
    Result: argname=s name=stor
```

## gettoken

Returns token in accordance with its number in string, string contains tokens, separated by "separator". Parts of string arounded by quotes are passed. As well gettoken may return number of tokens.

If number >= max number of tokens cmd returns "Exception".

Format: gettoken (string)(separator)(number)

return: item\_value

gettoken (string)(separator)
return: number of tokens

## **Nodes and Leaves**

#### createnode

Creates node in path, default path is "**Global**", it is possible to create nodes in Global, Local and Functions Trees. It will be error if name already exists (see recreate).

Format: **createnode(path.name) | createnode path.name** Examples:

## copynode

Copies one or more times node from path with new name, by default path is "Global" Format:

## copynode (src node)(dst node)[number of copies]

default number of copies: 1

```
>cope ppl;
>createnode Person;
>var(Person.Name);
>var(Person.Family);
>var(Person.DOB);
>var(Person.Gender);
>array(Person.cars[3]);
>createnode Team;
>copynode(Person)(Team);
>set(Team.Name)(Oscar);
>set(Team.Family)(Ko);
>set(Team.DOB)(2050);
>set(Team.Gender)(m);
>set(Team.cars[0])(Juke)(Nissan);
>set(Team.cars[1])(Qashqai)(Nissan);
>d
-N1
       NS
---N2
       Global
----N3 Person [Node]
----L0
               Name
```

```
----L1
           Family
----L2
           DOB
----L3
           Gender
----N4
           cars
                [Array 3]
----L0
-----L1
----L2
----N3 Team [Person]
----L0
          Name
                [Oscar]
----L1
          Family [Ko]
----L2
          DOB [2050]
          Gender [m]
----L3
----N1
          cars [Array 3]
----L0
          Juke
                [Nissan]
----L1
           Qashqai [Nissan]
---N2 Local
```

## getnodes

Creates ppl\_array with fullnames of nodes till defined nesting. Processing results of commands getnodes and getleaves allows to find required information in hierarchical data dtructure.

Format:

## getnodes (top node)[(nesting)]("ppl\_array")

Number of required nesting it is possible to get by command displaynode. If (nesting) do not set node names under top\_node will be saved in ppl\_array. For example there is file Data\Mng2.data

```
(Staff
  (Marketing
    (Managers
      (Personal Data1 [base]
        (Name [Benjamin])
        (Salary [6000])
        (Hobby
           (sport [tennis])
           (music [jazz])
        )
      )
   )
   (Clerks
      (Personal Data2 [base]
       (Name [Oliver])
       (Salary [4000])
```

#### Read it:

```
>readdata (data\Mng2.data);
>d
```

```
-N2 NS
     ---N3
            Global
     ----N4 Staff
     ----N5
                   Marketing
     ----N6
                   Managers
     -----N7 Personal Data1
                                   [base]
     -----LO Name
                            [Benjamin]
     -----L1 Salary [6000]
     ----N8 Hobby
     ----L0
                           sport
                                   [tennis]
     -----L1
                           music
                                   [jazz]
     ----N6
                    Clerks
     ----N7
                   Personal Data2
                                   [base]
     -----LO Name [Oliver]
     -----L1 Salary [4000]
or
     >dn Staff
     -----Variables and arrays-----
     -N4
           Staff
     ---N5 Marketing
     ----N6 Managers
     ----N7
                    Personal Data1 [base]
     ----N8
                   Hobby
     ----N6 Clerks
     ----N7
                    Personal Data2 [base]
     ----N7
                   Personal Data3 [base]
     ----N8
                   Hobby
     ----N7
                    Personal Data4
                                   [base]
     ----N7
                    Personal Data5 [base]
     ----N8
                   Hobby
Get fullnames of nodes till nesting 7 and save in ppl array "persons":
>getnodes(Staff)(7)("persons");
>d persons
-----Variables and arrays-----
-N4
       persons [Array 21]
---LO
       #
               [Staff.Marketing.Managers.Personal Data1]
---L1
               [Staff.Marketing.Clerks.Personal Data2]
---L2
               [Staff.Marketing.Clerks.Personal Data3]
---L3
       #
               [Staff.Marketing.Clerks.Personal Data4]
---L4
       #
               [Staff.Marketing.Clerks.Personal Data5]
---L5 #
               [Staff.Finance.Managers.Personal Data6]
---L6
       #
               [Staff.Finance.Managers.Personal Data7]
---L7
       #
               [Staff.Finance.Managers.Personal Data8]
---L8 #
               [Staff.Finance.Clerks.Personal Data9]
---L9
       #
               [Staff.Finance.Clerks.Personal Data10]
---L10 #
               [Staff.Finance.Clerks.Personal Data11]
---L11 #
               [Staff.Operations management.Managers.Personal
                                              Data12]
---L12
               [Staff.Operations management.Managers.Personal
                                              Data13]
---L13 #
               [Staff.Operations management.Clerks.Personal Data14]
```

```
---L14 # [Staff.Operations management.Clerks.Personal Data15]
---L15 # [Staff.Operations management.Clerks.Personal Data16]
---L16 # [Staff.Operations management.Clerks.Personal Data17]
---L17 # [Staff.Operations management.Clerks.Personal Data18]
---L18 # [Staff.Operations management.Clerks.Personal Data19]
---L19 # [Staff.Human Resource.Managers.Personal Data20]
---L20 # [Staff.Human Resource.Clerks.Personal Data21]
```

## getleaves

Creates ppl\_array whose elements have names and values of node:

Format:

getleaves(node)("ppl array")

Example:

See previous example with command getnodes

```
>getleaves(Staff.Marketing.Managers.Personal Data1)("property")
>d property
-----Variables and arrays----
-N4 property [Array 2]
---L0 "Name" [Benjamin]
---L1 "Salary" [6000]
```

Full code of file Data\mng2.scr to find persons with salary = 2000:

```
var tmp;
var salary;
var name:
readdata (data\Mng2.data);
getnodes(Staff)(7)("persons");
for(i,0,length(persons))
 if (isexist(property) == True)
  del property;
 getleaves(persons[i])("property");
 for(j,0,length(property))
    set tmp = getname(property[j].name);
   if (tmp == "Name")
   {
      set name = property[j].value;
   if (tmp == "Salary")
     set salary = property[j].value;
     if (salary == 2000)
     {
         write("Name = \{0, -15\} \setminus \{1\}") (name) (salary);
     }
  }
```

## **Structures**

Preprocessor generates additional ppl-code for commands **definestruct, insertstruct and createstruct** so they used for non-interactive mode only (in scripts).

#### definestruct

Creates named block statement, that contains one or several objects - vars, arrays, storages and insertstructs.

```
storages and insertstructs.
Format scr:
    definestruct name
{
        array ...;
        var ...;
        storage...;
        insertstruct ...;
        ...
    }
    Example:
    definestruct Room
    {
        array computers[3];
        array tables[3];
    }
    Generated code in ppl-mode
    definestruct
    (Room
        (
        (array (computers[3])))
```

(array (tables[3]) )

);

#### insertstruct

Inserts defined structure, previously defined by definestruct. It is possible to insert several instances.

Format scr:

## insertstruct object\_name [ [size] ] as struct\_name

Example:

```
insertstruct rooms[2] as Room;
Generated ppl_code:
  (createnode (rooms) )
  (copynode (rooms) (Room) (2))
```

#### createstruct

Creates one or several instances in accordance with structure, previously defined by definestruct.

Format **scr**:

createstruct name[[size]] as struct\_name;

```
Example: create struct array
createstruct Group[2] as Person;
Generated ppl_code:
createstruct (Group) (Person) (2);
```

See examples\struct\teststr4.scr

Tree of above-created object:

>displaynodes;

```
Result:
                      [Person]
-N4
       Group
---N5
                      [Node]
----N6 rooms
                      [Rooms]
----N7
               0
----N8
                              [Array 3]
              computers
----N8
                              [Array 3]
              tables
----N7
----N8
              computers
                              [Array 3]
----N8
                              [Array 3]
               tables
---N5
       1
                      [Node]
----N6 rooms
                      [Rooms]
----N7
               0
----N8
                              [Array 3]
              computers
----N8
               tables
                              [Array 3]
----N7
----N8
               computers
                              [Array 3]
----N8
               tables
                              [Array 3]
```

To set data for structure members it is possible by this manner (see examples above):

```
set Group.0.Name = Oscar;
set Group.0.Family = Kogosov;
set Group.0.rooms.0.computers[0] = "HPE Cray EX";
set Group.0.rooms.1.computers[0] = "Asus";
set Group.0.rooms.1.computers[1] = "Sony";
set Group.0.rooms.1.computers[2] = "HP";
set Group.0.rooms.1.tables[0] = "IKEA 70x140";
set Group.0.rooms.1.tables[1] = "IKEA 70x160";
set Group.0.rooms.1.tables[2] = "IKEA 70x200";
set Group.1.Name = John;
set Group.1.Family = Deere;
or:
var y, x = 0;
set Group.y.Name = Oscar;
set Group.y.Family = Kogosov;
set Group.y.rooms.x.computers[0] = "HPE Cray EX";
```

To get data from structure, using vaiable:

```
definestruct Person
{
    var Name;
}
createstruct Group[2] as Person;
// index as var
var y = 0;
set Group.y.Name = "John";
//var x = Group.y.Name; // error
var x = get(Group.y.Name); // right

write#("x = {0}",x);
//Result: x = John
```

# **Arithmetic operators**

```
+, -, *, /, ^, %, ++, --
```

These are binary operators.

Do not confuse with functions names in file **CommonFunctions.ppl**:

Sum, Sub, Mul, Div, Pow

Examples in ppl prefix notation:

```
+(x)(y)
*(+(x)(y))(-(z)(3))
```

Examples in scr infix notation:

```
>code scr;
> var z = x + y;
> var z = (x + y) * (z - 3);
```

# **Logical operators**

```
<, <=, >, >=, ==, !=, &&, ||, xor
```

xor only for ppl mode

These are binary operators.

Do not confuse with functions names in file **CommonFunctions.ppl**:

LT, LE, GT, GE, EQ, NE, AND, OR, XOR

Examples in ppl prefix notation:

```
== (x) (y)
&& (== (x) (y) (== (z) (3))
```

Examples in scr infix notation:

$$x == y$$
  
 $(x == y) && (z == 3)$ 

# **Variables and Arrays**

var

Creates a single variable in Global or in Local function scope. It will be error if name already exists (see <u>recreate</u>).

```
Format ppl:
```

```
var (name)| (name[init value])
```

name:= [node path]name

node path:= node. | node

init value:= value | ppl expression

ppl expression:=value | prefix notation expression

## Examples:

#### Format scr:

To calculate indexes for access to array elements command **var** in scr-mode creates temporary variables and deletes them at the end:

#### var name

var name1,name2,name3...

var name | name = init value

var name1,name2,name3... = init value

name:= node path.name

node path:= node. | node

init value:= value | scr expression

scr expression:= value | infix notation expression

```
>code scr;
>createnode N1;
>createnode N1.N2;
>var greeting = "Hello";
>var x;
>var N1.N2.z = 2 + 3;
>var x = z[0];
>var x = get(y[get(y[0])]);
>array arr[] = {1,2,3};
>var y = arr[0] + arr[1];
>var a,b,c = 0;
```

```
>var OneRadian = 180/Math.PI();
>var x = Math.Sin(30/OneRadian);
Do not use Math.Function in Math.Function:
>var x = Math.Sin(30/(180/Math.PI())) // error
```

#### const

Creates a single constant variable in Global or in Local function scope. It will be error if name already exists (see recreate).

## Format **ppl**:

const (name[init value])

name:= [node.]name

init value:= value | ppl expression

ppl expression:=value | prefix notation expression

Example:

```
>const (x[0])
>const (y[+(2)(3)]);
```

#### Format scr:

To calculate indexes for access to array elements command **const** in scr-mode creates temporary variables and deletes them at the end (**for non-interactive mode only**):

```
const name = init value const name1,name2,name3... = init value
```

name:= node path.name node path:= node. | node

init value:= value | scr expression

scr expression:= value | infix notation expression

```
>createnode N1;
>code scr;
>const greeting = "Hello";
>const radian = 180 / Math.PI();
Result: 57.29577951308232
```

#### array

Creates single-dimensional array in Global or in Local function scope. It will be error if array with same name already exists (see <u>recreate</u>).

```
Format ppl:
```

```
array(name [length]) [ (init value)]
array(name)(1st item)(2nd item)...
name:= node path.name
node path:= node. | node
length:= value| ppl expression
init value:= value| ppl expression
item:= value| ppl expression
ppl expression:=value | prefix notation expression
```

## Examples:

#### Format scr:

```
array name[length];
array name [length] = init value;
array name [] = {1<sup>st</sup> item, 2<sup>nd</sup> item,...};
name:= node path.name
node path:= node. | node
length:= value| scr expression
init value:= value| scr expression
item:= value| scr expression
scr expression:=value | infix notation expression
```

### Examples:

To access an array element you need to calculate index as a separate variable:

```
Only operator set can use index as expression
>set y[x + 1] = 100;

Creation array with length = 0:
array arr; or
array arr[]; or
```

In the following sample array with **length = 0** is created preliminary and reallocated in function **Directory.GetDirectories** in accordance with real length:

array arr[0];

```
> array Dir.dir; // or array Dir.dir [0];
>call Directory.GetDirectories(getname(Dir.dir), "c:\\users\\");
```

## realloc

```
Changes length of array, all elements are saved in changed array.
Format ppl:
       realloc(array name)(new length)
       realloc(array name)(new length) (init_value)
Format scr:
       realloc array name[new length]
       realloc array name[new length] = init_value
       realloc(array name)(new length) [(init_value)] ( supported format ppl)
```

```
>code scr;
>array y[5] = 0;
>realloc y[10];
>d;
-N1
         NS
---N2 Global
---N2 GIODAI
----N3 y [Array 10]
-----L0 # [0]
-----L1 # [0]
-----L2 # [0]
-----L3 # [0]
-----L4 # [0]
                               [0]
                                [0]
                                [0]
                                [0]
                                [0]
----L6
----L7
-----L8
-----19
---N2 Local
>realloc y[3];
>d;
-N1
         NS
---N2 Global
----N3 y [Array 3]
-----L0 # [0]
-----L1 # [0]
-----L2 # [0]
---N2 Local
```

If init\_value is specified this value will be set in all elements of the new array. If init\_value is not specified old values are saved in the new array.

Size of the new array can be equal zero, can be smaller or larger than the old one.

It is possible to use realloc for storage on Row level.

```
Example 1
storage s[3,4,5];
realloc s.0.0.Row[3]; // or realloc(s.0.0.Row)(3);
ssetrow s[0,0] = \{1,2,3\};
sinit s = 0;
realloc s.0.1.Row[10];
ssetrow s[0,1] = {1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10};
realloc s.0.2.Row[15];
ssetrow s[0,2] = {1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15};
realloc s.1.1.Row[10];
ssetrow s[1,1] = {1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10};
realloc s.2.1.Row[10];
ssetrow s[2,1] = {1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10};
swrite s;
Result:
       1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14
            -----NS.Global.s.0-----
[0] 0
       0 0
[1] 1
       2 3 4 5 6
                    7 8 9 10
[2] 1
       2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15
[3] 0
       0 0 0 0
            ------NS.Global.s.1-----
[0] 0 0 0 0 0
       2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
[1] 1
       0 0 0 0
[2] 0
[3] 0
       0 0 0 0
      -----NS.Global.s.2------
[0] 0
      0 0 0 0
[1] 1
       2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
[2] 0
      0 0 0 0
[3] 0 0 0 0 0
```

## Example 2

```
>storage s[2,1];
>realloc s.0.Row[3];
>d s;
-----Variables and arrays-----
-N4
      s
                       [Storage 2 *]
---N5
     0
                       [Array element]
----N6 Row
                      [Array 3]
              #
----L1
----L2
----L0
---N5 1
                      [Array element]
----N6 Row
                      [Array 1]
----L0
               #
>code scr;
>storage s[2,3];
>realloc s.0.Row[0] = 0;
>storage s[2];
>realloc s.Row[3];
>d s;
-----Variables and arrays-----
-N4 s
                      [Storage 1 *]
---N5 Row
                      [Array 3]
----LO #
----L1 #
----L2 #
```

The following commands in format **scr** are used without parentheses in simple statement without equal sign.

They are used with parentheses in statements as arguments of other commands or in statements with equal sign on the right side:

push, shift, unshift, remove, insert, slice, concat, clear.

## Example:

Writing arguments in parentheses implies ppl-mode and prefix notation.

## Example:

## array.push

```
Adds a new item to an array as last, returns a new size of array.

Format ppl: array.push (array_name)(item_value) |

or for key and value array

array.push (array_name)(item_name)(item_value)

Format scr: array.push (array_name, item_value) |

array.push (array_name, item_name, item_value)
```

```
>code scr;
>array y;
>array.push (y,1);
>array.push (y,1 + 2);
>array.push (y,1 + array.min());
>writearray y row;
----Array y----
1, 3, 2
>var length = array.push(y)(1 + 2);  // error
>var length = array.push(y)(+(1)(2));  // right
```

## array.pop

Returns the latest item value and removes item.

For kvp-array returns item name and item value, separated by comma and removes item.

If array is empty: returns string "Empty".

Format: array.pop (array\_name)

```
1.
>code scr
> array y[] = {1,2,3};
>var result = "";
>set result = array.pop(y); // result = 3
>writearray y row;
Result:
----Array y-----
1, 2
2.
>code scr
>array y[3];
>setkvp y[0] = one,1;
>setkvp y[1] = two,2;
>setkvp y[2] = three,3;
>var result = "";
>set result = array.pop(y); // return three,3
>write#("name={0}value={1}",
    gettoken(result)(",")(0),gettoken(result)(",")(1));
name=three value=3
>writearray y row;
Result:
----Array y-----
1, 2
```

## array.reverse

```
Reverses items order in array, returns a size of array;
```

Format ppl: array.reverse (array\_name)

Format scr: array.reverse array\_name | array.reverse (array\_name)

## array.shift

Removes the first item of the array, returns a new size of array.

Format ppl: array.shift (array\_name)

Format scr: array.shift array\_name | array.shift (array\_name)

Example:

```
>code scr;
>array y[] = {1,2,3,4,5};
>array.shift y;
>writearray y row
----Array y----
2,3,4,5
> write#(array.shift(y))
2
>writearray y row
----Array y----
3, 4
```

## array.remove

Removes item by index, returns a new size of array.

Format ppl: array.remove (array\_name)(index)
Format scr: array.remove array\_name index |
array.remove (array\_name, index) |

array.remove (array\_name) (index)

## array.clear

Removes all items from array, returns 0.

Format ppl: array.clear (array\_name)

Format scr: array.clear array\_name | array.clear (array\_name)

## array.unshift

```
Adds a new item as first to an array, returns a new size of array.
```

Format ppl: array.unshift (array\_name)(item\_value) |

array.unshift (array\_name)(item\_name)(item\_value)

Format scr: array.unshift (array\_name, item\_value) |

array.unshift (array\_name, item\_name, item\_value)

## array.insert

Inserts item before item with index, returns a new size of array.

Format **ppl**:

```
array.insert (array_name)(index)(item_value) |
array.insert (array_name)(index)(item_name)(item_value)
```

## Format scr:

```
array.insert (array_name,index, item_value) |
array.insert (array_name,index, item_name, item_value)
```

See array commands examples in **examples\ArrayFunc\Samples.scr**. Additional array service see in file **CommonFunctions.Data**.

## array.slice

Forms a slice [of specified length] out of the current array segment starting at the specified index and return new array length or "Error".

Format **ppl**:

```
array.slice (array_name)(index)| array.slice(array_name)(index)(length)
```

Format scr:

```
array.slice (array_name, index)|
array.slice (array_name, index, length)
```

index starts from 0

```
Example:
```

```
>code scr;
>array y[] = {1,2,3,4,5};
>writearray y row;
----Array y----
1, 2, 3, 4, 5
>array.slice(y, 2);
>writearray y row;
----Array y----
3, 4, 5
>array.slice(y, 1, 2);
>writearray y row;
----Array y----
4, 5
```

#### array.sum

Returns the sum of all items in array. In case of error returns string "Error". Format: array.sum (array name)

```
>code scr;
>debugppl yes;
>array y[] = {1,2,s,4,5,a};
Info: [CreateArrayFormat1] Global array [y] is created
>array.sum(y);
Error: [FuncArraySum] not digital data array y[2] = s
Error: [FuncArraySum] not digital data array y[5] = a
result = Error;
>recreate yes;
>array y[] = {1,2,3,4,5};
Info: [CreateArrayFormat1] Global array [y] is created
>array.sum(y);
result = 15
```

## array.copy

```
Copies src array to dst array. In case of error returns string "Error".

Format ppl : array.copy (src array)(dst array)

Format scr : array.copy src_array dst_array |

array.copy (src_array, dst_array) |

array.copy (src_array) (dst_array)
```

## Example:

## array.min

Returns the minimum value in array. In case of error returns string "Error". Format: array.min (array name)

## array.max

Returns the maximum value in array. In case of error returns string "Error". Format: array.max (array name)

## array.average

Returns the mean value in array. In case of error returns string "Error". Format: array. average (array name)

## array.first

Returns value of the first item in array. In case of error returns string "Error". Format: array.first (array name)

### array.last

Returns value of the last item in array. In case of error returns string "Error". Format: array.last (array name)

### array.concat

Concatenates several arrays to destination array, returns length of destination array or "Error" if one of arrays is absent.

```
Format ppl: array.concat (array1)(array2)(...arrayN) (dst array)
Format scr: array.concat array1 array2 ...arrayN dst_array |
           array.concat (array1, array2, ...arrayN, dst array)
           array.concat (array1)(array2)(...arrayN) (dst array)
```

Example:

```
1.
```

```
>code scr;
>array y[] = {1,2,3,4,5};
> array a[] = \{10,20,30\};
> array b[] = {100,200};
>array dst;
>array.concat y a b dst; // simple statement
     // or
     //>array.concat (y, a, b, dst);
     //>array.concat (y) (a) (b) (dst);
>writearray y row;
----Array y-----
1, 2, 3, 4, 5
>writearray dst row;
----Array dst----
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 20, 30, 100, 200
```

```
2.
```

```
>code scr;
> array y[] = {1,2,3};
> array b[] = {4,5,6};
>array dst;
>var len = array.concat(y)(b)(dst); // right side of statement
                                      // with equal sign
>writearray dst row;
----Array dst----
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
>write#("length={0}",len);
length = 6
```

See array samples in examples\arrayfunc.

# **Storage**

Service of multi-dimensional arrays is realized by storage operators in mode ppl (parameters with prefix expressions in parentheses, but may be used also in mode scr (see Examples 3).

## storage

Creates single variable, single-dimensional or multi-dimensional array with dimension from 1 to N in Global or in Local function scope. It will be error if name already exists (see <u>recreate</u>).

Storage contains several levels of arrays, name of the topmost level is name of storage, name of the bottommost arrays in each level is **Row**. Names of intermediate levels are array index in level. To set different length arrays on Row level use realloc. (see examples\scr\testswrite.scr).

```
Size of the lowest level may be 0.
```

```
Format ppl:
```

```
storage (name)[(length dim1)][( length dim2)]...
```

name:= node path.name

node path:= node. | node

length:= value | ppl expression

ppl expression:=value | prefix notation expression

## Format scr:

```
storage name || storage name [length dim1, length dim2 ...]
```

```
1.
>code scr;
>storage x; // or in format ppl: storage (x)
>d;
-N1 NS
---N1 Global
----L0 x
```

```
3.
>code ppl
// size calculation for ppl only
>storage (x) (+(2)(3)) - single -dimensional array [Storage 1 5]
or same result:
>code scr;
>var y = 2 + 3;
>storage x[y]; // single-dimensional array, length = 5
>storage x[2,3] - two-dimensional array
Result:
-N1
      NS
---N2 Global
----N3 x [Storage 2 2x3]
----N4
             0
                      [Array element]
-----N5 Row
                     [Array 3]
-------------------------#
------ #
----L2 #
----N4
                     [Array element]
             1
----N5 Row
                    [Array 3]
-----LO #
-----------------------#
----L2
[Storage 2 2x3] - dimension length x length
>storage x[3,4,5,100] - four-dimensional array
>storage x[0,2]; //error length=0 may by for the lowest
                       Level only
>storage x [2,0]; // right
```

#### sinit

Init storage Format **ppl**: sinit (name)(init value) Format scr: sinit name = init value

# init value:= value | ppl expression

```
>code scr;
>storage x[2,3];
>sinit x = 0;
>d;
Result:
-N1
      NS
---N2 Global
----N3 x
             [Storage 2 2x3]
----N4
             0
                 [Array element]
----N5
            Row
                    [Array 3]
----LO #
                    [0]
-----# #
                    [0]
----L2
             #
                    [0]
----N4
             1
                    [Array element]
----N5
            Row
                    [Array 3]
-------------------------#
                    [0]
-----L1
                    [0]
----L2
                    [0]
```

sget

#### sset

```
Sets value for element in storage
Format ppl: sset (name)(index1)(index2)(value)
Format scr: sset name [index1,index2] = value
Examples:
>code scr;
>storage stor;
>sset stor = 0; // set value of single-variable = 0
                // or: set stor = 0;
// set value of single-dimensional array,stor[0]= 1
>storage stor[3];
>sset stor[0] = 1; // or: set stor.Row[0] = 1;
// set value of two-dimensional array,stor[0][0] = 1
>storage stor[2,3];
>sset stor[0,0] = 1; // or: set stor.0.Row[0] = 1;
> var y = 1;
>sset stor[y,y] = 2; // it is possible to use var as index
>swrite stor 30
result:
                  1
                             2
-----NS.Global.stor-----
[0]
        1
                   2
[1]
```

#### swrite

```
Displays elements values of storage
      Format ppl:
     swrite(name)
      swrite(name) (max_window_width)
      Format scr:
      swrite name
      swrite name max_window_width
      default max window width = 100
      Limit for CPPL.exe max_window_width = Console.WindowWidth = 120
      NoLimit for WPPL.exe
      Examples:
     >code scr;
      >storage x[3];
      >sinit x = 0;
      >swrite x 50;
                                            2
             -----NS.Global-----
[x] 0
                          0
                                            0
     >code scr;
      storage s[5,3];
      >sinit s = 0;
     >swrite s;
                                                                            2
                                           ----NS.Global.s-----
        0
                                           0
                                                                            0
[0]
        0
                                           0
[1]
                                                                            0
[2]
        0
                                           0
                                                                            0
[3]
        0
                                           0
                                                                            0
                                           0
[4]
        0
                                                                            0
     >swrite s 30;
        0
                               2
     ----NS.Global.s-----
[0]
                   0
                               0
        0
                    0
                               0
[1]
[2]
        0
                    0
                               0
                               0
[3]
        0
                    0
[4]
```

```
>code scr;
>storage xxx[3,3,5];
>sinit xxx = 0;
>swrite xxx 40;
      1 2 3 4
-----NS.Global.xxx.0-----
       0
           0
[0] 0
[1] 0
       0
           0
               0
                   0
[2] 0
       0
           0
-----NS.Global.xxx.1-----
[0] 0
       0
           0
               0 0
[1] 0
       0
           0
               0
                   0
[2] 0
       0
           0
               0
-----NS.Global.xxx.2-----
[0] 0
           0
       0
               0
                  0
[1] 0
       0
           0
               0
                   0
[2] 0 0 0 0 0
```

#### sinfo

Displays length of each dimension in storage

Format: **sinfo(name)** 

Format scr not used, because this command may be used on the left side of the expression.

```
>storage y[5];
>sinfo(y);

Result: Storage 1 5  // single-dimensional array length 5

After using realloc for storage Row it will be written:
>code scr;
>storage s[3,5];
>realloc s.0.Row[10];
>sinfo(s);

Result: Storage 2 *
```

#### ssetrow

Sets value for elements of the lowest level.

Format **ppl**:

ssetrow(name)(ind1)(ind2)(indN)... (elem1)(elem2)(elemM)...

Format scr:

ssetrow name [ind1,ind2,indN...] = {elem1,elem2,elemM...}

```
// N = 2, M=3
>code scr;
>storage y[2,3];
>ssetrow y[0]={1,2,3};
>ssetrow y[1]={4,5,6};
>swrite y 50;
                                        2
                        1
        0
          -----NS.Global.y-----
                                        3
[0]
        1
[1]
                        5
                                        6
```

# **Backup & Recovery**

# savedata

Saves data from node to file with extension .data. If node is root, all root contents will be saved. Format ppl: savedata(filename.data) [(node)] Format scr: savedata filename.data [node]

Default node: NS.Global

Example:

>code ppl;

>savedata(Data\Colors1.data)(Colors);

#### readdata

Reads data from file file with extension .data to Nodes Configuration and NS.Global, not to Local.

Format ppl: readdata(filename.data)[(node)]
Format scr: readdata filename.data [node]

Default node: NS.Global

## **Examples:**

```
>code scr
>readdata Data\Colors.data;
>d
-N NS
---N Global
----N Colors
----L0
             Black
                     [0]
----L1
             Blue
                     [9]
----L2
             Cyan [11]
----L3
             DarkBlue
                            [1]
----L4
             DarkCyan
                            [3]
----L5
             DarkGray
                            [8]
----L6
             DarkGreen
                            [2]
----L7
             DarkMagenta
                            [5]
----L8
             DarkRed [4]
-----19
             DarkYellow
                            [6]
----L10
             Gray
                    [7]
----L11
              Green
                     [10]
----L12
             Magenta [13]
----L13
             Red
                     [12]
----L14
              White
                     [15]
----L15
             Yellow [14]
```

Each item in such array has key (Black, Blue,...) and value (0,9,...), use getbykey and getbyvalue.

# **Control Flow**

# if, else

Format **ppl**: if (condition)

The meaning of the block "if-else" does not differ from the generally accepted. About using statements terminator ";" in if see <a href="Base Concepts">Base Concepts</a>.

```
(statement)
          (statement)
    )]
Here expression in prefix notation.
Statement in ppl mode.
Format scr:
if (condition)
     statement;
     statement;
   [else
     statement;
     statement;
   }]
}
Here expression in infix notation.
Statement in ppl or scr mode.
```

# Example ppl mode:

# Example scr mode:

```
var x = 1;
var y = 1;
if (x == y)
{
    write(true);
    write(TRUE);
    else
    {
        write(false);
        write(FALSE);
    }
}
write(end);
```

# switch, case, default

switch statement – for select one from several case blocks to be executed. About using statements terminator ";" in switch see <u>Base Concepts</u>.

```
Format ppl:
  switch(expression)
         (case1) [(case2)...]
             (statement)
             (statement)
           )
         (caseN) ...
             (statement)
            (statement)
        [ (default)
             (statement)
             (statement)
        ) ]
     );
Here expression in prefix notation.
Statement in ppl mode.
Format scr:
switch(expression)
   case <value>:
   case <value>:
        statement;
   break;
   case <value>:
     [ statement;
   break;
   default:
      statement;
   break; ]
Here expression in infix notation.
Statement in ppl or scr mode.
```

```
Examples:
Format ppl:
1.
switch(x)
  (1)(3)
    (write("Cases 1 & 3"))
  )
);
2.
var (x[1]);
switch (x)
   (
   (1)(3)
      (write("Case 1 & 3"))
   (2)
      (write("Case 2"))
   (default)
      (write("Default"))
   )
  );
Result:
  Case 1 & 3
3.Format scr
var x = 2;
switch(x)
  case 1: case 3:
      write("Case 1 & 3");
  break;
  case 2:
      write("Case 2");
  break;
  default:
```

write("Default");

break;

# loop,do

```
Iteration block for ppl mode only.
About using statements terminator ";" in loop see <a href="Base Concepts">Base Concepts</a>.
Format ppl:
loop (iteration var) (begin) (end) [(increment)] or
loop () //infinity loop
 (do
   (
     (statement)
     (statement)
  )
 )
begin:= value|ppl expression
end:= value|ppl expression
increment:= value|ppl expression
By default increment = 1. Increment may positive or negative.
Parameter end is set before entry to iteration block and may be changed by
setloopend inside iteration block.
Statement in ppl mode.
```

Examples:

See infinity example – greatest common factor (gcf) calculation in for

## setloopend

```
Changes "end" in loop (iteration var)(begin)(end)[(increment)] inside iteration block
Format ppl:
setloopend(end)
Format scr:
setloopend end
Example:
1.
array arr[10] = 0;
for(j,0,length(arr))
 write#("j = {0})
                     length = {1}",j,length(arr));
  array.remove(arr)(0);
  setloopend length(arr);
writearray arr row;
j = 0 length = 10
j = 1 length = 9
j = 2 length = 8
j = 3 length = 7
j = 4
      length = 6
----Array arr----
0, 0, 0, 0, 0
```

2. (see examples\lib\IsItemExist.scr)

```
// delete all repeated items from array
array arr[] = {a,1,2,a,2,3,4,4};
writearray arr row;
for(i,0,length(arr))
{
    for(j,i + 1,length(arr) )
    {
        if(arr[i] == arr[j])
        {
            array.remove (arr,j);
            setloopend length(arr);
        }
        setloopend length(arr);
    }
}
writearray arr row;
----Array arr----
a, 1, 2, a, 2, 3, 4, 4
----Array arr----
a, 1, 2, 3, 4
```

for

Example with Infinity for:

```
function gcd(x,y,z)
   if(isinteger (x) == "False")
     write#("not integer value x={0}",x);
    return;
   if(isinteger (y) == "False")
     write#("not integer value y={0}",y);
     return;
   }
   for() // infinity for
     if (x > y)
      set x = x - y; // or Sub(x)(x)(y);
     if (x < y)
     {
      set y = y - x; // or Sub(y)(y)(x);
     if (x == y)
        set z = x;
        return;
   }
}
var z = 0;
var x = 14144;
var y = 26163;
gcd(x)(y)(z);
write#(gcd = \{0\}, z);
Result: gcd = 17;
```

# break

Exit from loop (ppl mode) or from for (scr mode) or end of case in switch block.

```
for(i, 0, 4, 1)
{
   if (i == 2)
   {
     write("true i = {0}")(i);
     break;
   }
};
```

# continue

Continue executing in loop (ppl mode) or in for (scr mode).

# **Input and Output**

#### write

Writes the string value to the standard output stream.

String interpolation (\$"x") is not supported. If string value contains "Error:" it will be wrote in red color in cppl.exe or in wppl.exe.

Format:

write(value) | write(c# format)( value )(value)...
value:=value | ppl expression with prefix notation

```
Example:
```

This operator is used in ppl and scr mode.

#### write#, writeline

Like as write, for mode scr only, each argument is not enclosed in parentheses.

Format scr:

```
write#(arg) | write#("c# format", arg1, arg2,...)
writeline(arg) | writeline("c# format", arg1, arg2,...)
```

arg:= eral> | <scr expression with infix notation>

```
1.
```

```
>write#("{0} {1}", aaaa,1+3)
Result: aaaa 4
```

2.

```
>code scr;
>write#(1+2);
3
>write(1+2); // not same result as with write#
1+2
>write#("1+2");
1+2
```

## writearray

Writes array contents to the standard output stream. By default writearray writes array elements into the column. Writearray writes array elements into the row by second argument "row".

```
Format ppl:
```

```
writearray ([node.]array_name) [(row)]
Format scr:
writearray [node.]array_name [row]
writearray ( [node.]array_name [,row] )
```

{one,1}, {two,2}, {three,3}

## Examples:

1.

```
>code scr
> array y[] = \{1,2,3\}
>writearray y
----Array y-----
[0]
      1
        2
[1]
[2]
       3
>writearray y row
Result:
----Array y-----
1, 2, 3
2.
>code scr;
>storage(x)(2)(3);
>sinit(x)(0);
// write the bottommost arrays in storage
>writearray (x.0.Row);
Result:
[0]
        #
                0
        #
[1]
                0
                0
[2]
>writearray (x.1.Row, row);
Result:
0, 0, 0
3.
>array y[3];
>setkvp y[0] = one,1;
>setkvp y[1] = two,2;
>setkvp y[2] = three,3;
>writearray y row
-----Array y-----
```

# readline

Reads the next line of characters from the standard input stream. Result will be passed to calling operator.

Format: readline()

## **Functions**

Function library **CommonFunctions.ppl**, defined in file **Configuration.data** as **default\_loaded\_functions**, loads automatically and reloads when command **init** executes. It includes 2 types of functions:

- -Mathematical and Logical functions,
- -Array services and other functions.

Mathematical and Logical functions:

```
Sum (result)(n1)[( n2)]
Sub (result)(n1)[( n2)]
Mult (result)(n1)[(n2)]
Div (result)(n1)[( n2)]
Pow (result, n1, n2)
PlusPlus (result) | Plus1 (result)
                                           // like c#: ++(var)
MinusMinus (result) | Minus1 (result) // like c#: --(var)
LT (result, n1, n2)
LTEQ (result, n1, n2)
GT (result, n1, n2)
GTEQ (result, n1, n2)
EQ (result, n1, n2)
NOTEQ (result, n1, n2)
AND (result, n1, n2)
OR (result, n1, n2)
XOR (result, n1, n2)
```

These functions replace using prefix notations. Result are returned in 1<sup>st</sup> parameter and does not passed to the next command:

```
>var (z[0]);
>var(x[1]);
>set(z)(Sum(x)(1)); // error
>Sum(z)(x)(1)); // right
Examples:
1.
>var(x[1]);
>var(z);
>Sum(z)(x)(1); // set z = x + 1
>Sum(x)(2); // set x = x + 2
>d
-N2
       NS
---N3 Global
----L4 x
               [3]
----L5 z
               [2]
```

```
2. This sample returns wrong result:
>var(x[5]);
>Sum(x)(x)(2);
>d x
-----Variables and arrays----
-L4 x [5]
>Sum(x)(2); // right, x = x + 2
```

```
3.
>code scr;
>call Sum(x,2,3);
>call Sum(x,2+3);
>Sum(x) (+(2)(3));
```

User may create own functions file, like CommonFunctions.ppl, and set it in file **Configuration.data** as **UserFunctionsN** or load it:

```
>rc user functions.ppl|scr;
```

Files, defined in **Configuration**, load their function only and do not execute any command, commands in files, loaded by command rc (readcode) are executed one after another.

Array services and other functions:

CsvToArray (var:str, array:arr) – to fill array from string data separated by comma ArrayToCsv (array:arr, var:str) – copy to string separated by comma data from array ArrayIsExist (result, array:arr, value) – return True/False if devined value exists in array

ArrayIndexOf (result, array:arr, value) – return the index of the first occurrence within array or -1.

**ArrayLastIndexOf (result, array:arr, value)** – return the index of the last occurrence within array or -1.

## Example:

```
array my_array;
call CsvToArray("1,2,3,,1,5",my_array);
writearray my_array row;

var result;
call ArrayToCsv(my_array,result);
write#("result = {0}",result);

call ArrayIndexOf (result, my_array, 3);
write#("index = {0}",result);

call ArrayLastIndexOf (result, my_array, 1);
write#("index = {0}",result);

Result:
1, 2, 3, , 1, 5
result = 1,2,3,,1,5
index = 2
index = 4
```

See examples\ArrayFunc\SamplesFunc.scr.

# **ArrayForEach(array:arr, array:callback\_name)** — calls a callback function once for each array element

```
Example: (examples\arrayfunc\foreach.scr)
function sumfunc (array:arr,var:i)
{
    set result = result + arr[i];
}

var result = 0;
delegate dd (array:arr,var i);
dlgtinstance instance dd;
dlgtset instance sumfunc;
call ArrayForEach({1,2,3,4,5},instance);
write#("result = {0}",result);
//result = 15
```

#### function

Functions must be declared before being called.

Functions are saved in Tree **Functions** or in Tree **Global** for later call.

Functions return result via parameters, like a classic procedure, and via operator "return" (see Examples\ArrayFunc\mean.scr).

When function is called **by name** (in mode **ppl** or **scr**) each argument must be enclosed in parentheses.

When function is called by command 'call' (in mode scr only) each argument not must be enclosed in parentheses, but separated by comma.

Function uses data created inside and data from NS.Global.

Data created in function are deleted when function will be finished.

#### **Limitations:**

 For passing array member use 2 arguments (sample): array name,

index array member or temporary variable:

```
>array y[] = {1,2,3};
>var x = 10;
>set tmp = y[0];
>call Sum(x,tmp);
>write#("x={0}",x)
x=11
```

2. If argument value will be changed in function this argument can be used only one time when function is called(see example Sum\_wrong\_result).

#### Format **ppl**:

Statement terminator ';' does not follow after statements within function,but each statement is surrounded by parentheses.

```
function
(
    name
    parameter_list
    (function body)
);
name::= identifier
parameter_list::= parameter [parameter_list]
parameter::= (identifier) | (identifier[default value]) | empty
function body::= (statement1) [(statement2) (statementN)]
identifier::= [var] | [array] | [storage] |
    [struct <struct name>] | [struct array <struct name>]:<parameter</pre>
```

```
4.code ppl;
function
  test2(n)
     (write(n))
  )
);
function
 test()
    (loop (i) (0) (5) (1)
     (do
      (
         (test2(i))
      )
    )
   )
)
);
test(); // function call
```

```
5.
code scr; // (see examples\scr\func.scr)
function sum arr(array:n,array:m)
// dstree;
  for(i,0,length(n),1)
    write#("[{0}] [{1}]" ,i, n[i] + m[i]);
  }
array x[] = \{1,2,3,4,5\};
array y[] = \{6,7,8,9,10\};
sum arr(x)(y); // function call
result:
[0] [7]
[1] [9]
[2] [11]
[3] [13]
[4] [15]
```

In the following example (see examples\scr\func4.scr) parameter index default value = 0 and this parameter may be omitted when the function is called. Array and member array index are passed as 2 arguments.

```
9. Recursion example
var tmp = 0;
function rec(x)
    set tmp = tmp + 1;
    write#("tmp={0}",tmp);
    if (tmp == x)
    -{
      return;
    }
    rec(x);
}
rec(5);
10. Function may be updated
function f()
 write("f");
f();
function f()
 write("f2");
}
f();
result:
Warning: [FuncCreateFunction] function [f] is updated
f2
```

```
11. Passing structure as function parameter
definestruct Room
{
    var x;
    array y[3];
}
// function f(struct Toom:r) - wrong struct_name causes error
function f(struct Room:r)
{
    set r.x = 1;
    set r.y[0] = "A";
}
createstruct R as Room;
f(R);
```

```
12. Passing structure array as function parameter
definestruct Room
{
    var x;
    array y[3];
}
function f(struct array Room:r)
{
    set r.0.x = 1;
    set r.0.y[0] = "A";
}
createstruct R[2] as Room;
f(R);
```

Examples with using public and private functions in Trees Functions and Global it is possible to find in directory Examples\Access.

```
13. Array as parameter (see
         Examples\ArrayFunc\mean.scr)
// return result via parameter
function mean1(array:arr,result)
   result = 0;
   for(i,0,length(arr))
       result = result + arr[i];
   result = result/ length(arr);
var result;
call mean1({1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10},result);
write#("mean1 = {0}",result);
//return result via operator 'return'
function mean2(array:arr)
  var result = 0;
   for(i,0,length(arr))
       result = result + arr[i];
   result = result/ length(arr);
   return result;
}
call mean2({1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10});
write#("mean2 = {0}",getresult);
// the following line is wrong, because array.average is not
// function, it is ppl command
var result = array.average({1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10 });
```

#### call

Command 'call' invokes a function in mode scr, it is possible to use expression in infix notation as arguments, do not need to enclose in parentheses each argument when function is called.

Do not use 'call' as function argument or in right side of mathematical expression.

Format:

```
call function_name(arg1,arg2,...)
Examples:
1.
>code scr
>var x = 0;
>call Sum(x,4 + 1); // right: 2<sup>nd</sup> arg in infix notation
-----Variables and arrays-----
-L1
                [5]
      X
>call Sum(x,-(5)(2)); // wrong: 2<sup>nd</sup> arg in prefix notation
                      // right: Sum(x)(-(5)(2))
2.Call function without arguments or with one not-expression
argument by command 'call' and without 'call':
call func(123); same as func(123);
3. To get return of function, called by 'call',
  run 'debugppl yes' before:
>debugppl yes;
>call Math.PI();
result = 3.141592653589793
// or
>debugppl no;
>call Math.PI();
>write(getresult);
3.141592653589793
4.To get return from function, when function is used as
argument do not use 'call', use ppl notation:
>write#( Math.PI() );
result = 3.141592653589793
>write#(call Math.PI()); // error
>set x = call Math.PI();
                            // error
>set x = Math.PI();
3.141592653589793
```

# 6. It is possible to pass array by this manner: call function\_name({item1,item2,...},arg2,...)

```
Example: (see examples\CallFunc\funcarr2.scr and examples\CallFunc\funcarr2.ppl)
function SumArray(array:arr,var:result)
{
   for(i,0,length(arr))
      call Sum(result,arr[i]);
}

var result=0;
call SumArray({1,2,3,4,5},result);
write#("result = {0}",result);
instead of:
array arr[] = {1,2,3,4,5};
call SumArray(arr,result);

Preprocessor generates the following ppl-code:
```

```
function
(
  SumArray (array:arr) (var:result)
    (set (result)(0))
      loop (i)(0)(length(arr))(1)
      (
        do
          (Sum(result)(result)(arr[i]))
      )
    )
  )
);
var (result);
array (arg_array0)(1)(2)(3)(4)(5);
SumArray (arg array0 ) ( result );
del arg array0;
write ("result = {0}") (result);
```

#### return

Returns from function or exit from script, passes result from called function.

```
Format ppl:
      return [(result)]
       result := value | statement in prefix notation
Format scr:
      return [(]result[)]
      result := value | statement in infix notation
Example:
1.
function f()
  for(i, 0, 5, 1)
      write(i);
      if (i == 3)
        return;
  };
};
f();
write("end of script");
code scr;
return 2 + 3;
```

# getreturn

Gets result of return passed from called function. By default result of return is cleaned inside PPL after execution , to save it use argument value = "save". Format:

getreturn [(save)]

# Example:

# 1. Return from function:

```
function sum(x,y)
{
    return x + y;
}
call sum(1,2);
write#("result = {0}",getresult);
```

# 2.Return from script:

```
write("Hello");
return;
write("World");
```

#### funclist

Displays function names and their parameters from node Functions.

Format:

# funclist | finclist()

```
>funclist;
Result:
-----Function List----
Sum (result, n1, n2)
Sub (result, n1, n2)
Mult (result, n1, n2)
Div (result, n1, n2)
Pow (result, n1, n2)
PlusPlus
         (result)
MinusMinus (result)
LT (result, n1, n2)
LTEQ (result, n1, n2)
GT (result, n1, n2)
GTEQ (result, n1, n2)
EQ (result, n1, n2)
NOTEQ (result, n1, n2)
AND (result, n1, n2)
OR (result, n1, n2)
XOR (result, n1, n2)
```

#### funcname

Returns the current function name.

Format:

# funcname()

```
Example:
```

```
>write(funcname());
main
```

### argc

Returns number of arguments

Format:

# argc() | argc

```
Example:
```

```
function Sum (result,n1,n2 = "")
{
    write#("argc = {0}",argc());
    if (argc() == 2)
        set result = result + n1;
    else
        set result = n1 + n2;
}
>code scr;
> var x = 0;
>call Sum(x,1);
>write#("x = {0}",x);
Result:
    argc = 2
    x = 1
```

#### getargname

Returns argument name (or argument value if it is literal) by parameter name Format:

# getargname (parameter\_name)

# **Delegates and callbacks**

```
There are 4 operators for using delegates:
delegate – creation delegate
dlgtinstance – creation delegate instance
dlgtset - setting the function to delegate instance
dlgtcall – call function by delegate instance
```

## delegate

## dlgtinstance

digtinstance is created as an array with 2 elements, first is delegate name, second is empty and will be set by digtset. Delegate parameters types must be matched types of function parameters . Prefix "digtinstance\_" is added to delegate instance name for internal using.

Format **ppl**:

dlgtinstance (<delegate instance name>)(<delegate name>)

Format scr:

dlgtinstance <delegate instance name><delegate name>

### Example(scr-mode):

```
>dlgt dd (var:x,array:arr);
>dlgtinstance instance dd;
>d;
-N2
       NS
---N3 Global
----L0 empty
              (const)
----N4 delegate dd
                      [Array 2]
-----L0
                      [var:x]
               #
----L1
                      [array:arr]
----N4 dlgtinstance instance
                             [Array 2]
----L0
               #
                      ["delegate dd"]
----L1
```

digtset sets function name as second element in **digtinstance** array.

## dlgtset

```
dlgtset (delegate instance name)(function name)
      Format scr:
      dlgtset delegate instance name function name
      Example (scr-mode):
      // see previous example with dlgt and dlgtinstance
      function f1(var:x,array:arr)
          write#("x = [{0}]",x);
         writearray arr;
      >dlgtset instance f1;
dlgtcall
      dlgtcall calls function defined in dlgtset.
      Format ppl:
      dlgtcall(delegate instance name)(arg1)(arg2)(arg3)...
      Format scr:
      dlgtcall delegate instance name(arg1,arg2,arg3,...)
      Example:
      // see previous examples with dlgt, dlgtinstance and dlgtset
      var z = "qqq";
      array y[] = {1,2,3};
      dlgtcall instance (z,y);
```

See the samples with delegates - Examples\delegates\\*.scr

Result: x = [qqq]

[0]

[1]

[2]

----Array arr----

1 2

3

#### callback

callback invokes synchronous callback method.

Format **ppl**:

callback (callback name)(arg1)(arg2)(arg3)...

Format scr:

callback callback name (arg1,arg2,arg3,...)

Example: (see Examples\delegates\callback.scr)

```
function cb1(var:n)
 write#("====={0}=====",funcname);
  write#("n = {0}",n);}
function cb2(var:n)
 write#("====={0}=====",funcname);
  write#("n = {0}",n);}
function f(array:x,var:str)
  callback x(str);
delegate dd (var:n);
dlgtinstance instance dd;
dlgtset instance cb1;
call f(instance, "PPL");
dlgtset instance cb2;
call f(instance,"PPL");
Result:
function cb1 PPL
function cb2 PPL
```

## Additional functionalities

The following below-mentioned additional DLLs with C# functionalities are added and this list will be expanded.

There are two types of methods called from additional DLLs:

 methods that return result, this result may be used in the next operation, method arguments in prefix notation (ppl-mode) for example:

```
var result = Math.Max(10)(*(2)(10));
```

methods that not return result, for example:

```
ArrayList.Remove(arrlist, item1);
```

Methods of second type of may be called by command 'call' in **scr-mode** and method arguments in infix notation:

```
call ArrayList.Remove(arrlist, 1+2);
```

In the following sample it is created wrapper for calling method that returns result (examples\lib\char.scr):

```
function Wrapper_GetChar(result,text,index)
{
   result = String.Char(text)(index);
}

var char;
var text = "Hello";
for(i,0,length(text))
{
   call Wrapper_GetChar(char,text, i);
   write#("{0} {1}", i, char);
}
```

See how to <u>create wrappers by ULC</u>.

To get list of methods of additional loaded DLLs:

### <DLLname>.help

For using user's library it is needed to set it in Configuration.data or to add by command <a href="import">import</a> in program.

Use Application ULC.exe(Structure of User's DLL) to create code for additional DLLs. Arguments of additional DLLs use prefix math.notation, only Math library uses infix math. notation in scr-mode, this feature is added to preprocessor: set x = Math.Sqrt(1+3) + Math.Max(2)(3\*5);

#### Math

Methods:

Max Ε ы Min Exp BigMul Floor Sqrt Log Round Log10 Abs Pow Acos Sign Asin Sin Atan Tan Atan2 Truncate Ceiling Tanh Cos Cosh **DivRem** Sinh

Limitation: Do not use Math.Function in Math.Function:

var x = Math.Sin(30/(180/Math.PI())) // error

To get short help of every method in Math.DLL:

>Math.help[(method name)];

Returns the larger of two double-precision floating-point numbers:

Math.Max(double d1)(double d2)

Returns the smaller of two double-precision floating-point numbers:

Math.Min(double d1)(double d2)

Produces the full product of two 32-bit numbers:

Math.BigMul(Int32 n1)(Int32 n2)

Returns the square root of a specified number: Math.Sqrt(double d1)

Rounds a double-precision floating-point value to a specified number:

Math.Round (double value)[(Int32 digits)]

Returns the absolute value of a double-precision floating-point number:

Math.Abs(double value)

Returns the angle whose cosine is the specified number: Math.Acos(double d)
Returns the angle whose sine is the specified number: Math.Asin(double d)

Returns the angle whose tangent is the specified number: Math..Atan(double d)

Returns the angle whose tangent is the quotient of two specified numbers: Math.Atan2(double d1)(double d2)

Returns the smallest integral value greater than or equal to the specified number: **Math.Ceiling(double d)** 

Returns the cosine of the specified angle: Math.Cos(double d)

Returns the remainder in an output parameter: Math.DivRem(Int64 n1)(Int64 n2)

Represents the ratio of the circumference of a circle to its diameter: Math.PI()

Represents the natural logarithmic base: Math.E()

Returns e raised to the specified power: Math.Exp(double value)

Returns the largest integral value less than or equal to the specified number: Math.Floor(double value)

Returns the logarithm of a specified number: Math.Log(double value)

Returns the base 10 logarithm of a specified number: Math.Log10(double value)

Returns a specified number raised to the specified power:

Math.Pow(double value)(double power)

Returns an integer that indicates the sign of a double-precision floating-point number: Math.Sign(double value)

Returns the sine of the specified angle: Math.Sin(double value)

Returns the tangent of the specified angle: Math.Tan(double value)

Calculates the integral part of a number: Math.Truncate(double value)

Returns the hyperbolic tangent of the specified angle: Math.Tanh(double value)

Returns the hyperbolic cosine of the specified angle: Math.Cosh(double value)

Returns the hyperbolic sine of the specified angle: Math.Sinh(double value)

### String

#### Methods:

Compare	Replace
Concat	DeleteEndOfLine
Contains	StartsWith
Format	Substring
IndexOf	ToCharArray
LastIndexOf	ToLower
Insert	ToUpper
Remove	Trim
Split	Char
SplitCsv	

To get short help of every method in String.DLL:

## >String.help[(method name)];

Returns signed int as string: **String.Compare(stringA)(stringB)** 

Returns concatenation of several strings: String.Concat(string1)(string2)...

Returns true | false: String.Contains(string)(specified substring)

Converts the value of objects to string based on the formats specified and returns result:

## String.Format(format)(string1)(string2)...

Example:

```
String.Format("{0} {1}")("qwe")("zxc")
Result: qwe zxc
```

Returns a new string in which a specified number of characters from the current string are deleted:

## String.Remove(string)(startIndex)(number of deleted symbols)

Example:

>rc examples\lib\StringRemove.scr

```
import String;
array primes = {1,2,3,5,7};
var output = "";
for(i,0,length(primes),1)
{
    set output = String.Concat(output)(primes[i])(",");
}
var index = length(output) - 1;
set output = String.Remove(output)(index)(1); //remove the latest ','
write(output);
Result:1,2,3,5,7
```

Returns a new string in which all occurrences of a specified Unicode character or string in the current string are replaced with another specified Unicode character or string:

### String.Replace(string)(old value)(new value)

Determines whether this string instance starts with the specified character: Returns **True** | **False**:

String.StartsWith(string)( value)

Retrieves a substring from this instance. The substring starts at a specified character position and has a specified length:

String.Substring(string)(startIndex)(length)

Writes the characters in this instance to a Unicode character array:

String.ToCharArray(string)( "ppl\_chars\_array")

node\_of PPL\_chars\_array is string in quotes or value of variable.

```
Example:
>array chars;
>String.ToCharArray("qwerty")(getname(chars));
>writearray chars;
Result:
----Array chars----
[0]
        q
[1]
        W
[2]
        е
[3]
        r
[4]
        t
[5]
        У
```

Returns a copy of this string converted to lowercase: **String.ToLower(string)** 

Returns a copy of this string converted to uppercase: **String.ToUpper(string)** 

Returns a new string in which all leading and trailing occurrences of a set of specified characters from the current string are removed:

```
String.Trim(string)[(trim chars string)]
```

```
>String.Trim(" abcde")(" ae");
Result: bcd
```

Returns one character from string: String.Char(string)(index)

Returns the reallocated string array that contains the substrings in this instance that are delimited by elements of a specified string array or in special string var, string array must be created before with size = 0:

Returns the reallocated string array that contains the substrings in this instance that are delimited by separator of a specified string var, string array must be created before with size = 0 (array <name>;).

If value with separator is surrounded by quotes it doesn't split. (see example\lib\splitcsv.scr):

```
array ppl_array_result;
String.SplitCsv(string)("var_separator")("ppl_array_result")
It is possible to use comma instead of ','
space instead of '\t'
```

#### Example:

Returns string from File.ReadAllText without EndOfLine: **DeleteEndOfLine(string)**>rc Examples\Lib\FilesplitCsv.scr

Reports the zero-based index of the first occurrence of the specified string in this instance: String.IndexOf (string)(value)[(start\_index)][(count)]

Reports the zero-based index of the last occurrence of the specified string in this instance: String.LastIndexOf (string)(value)[(start\_index)][(count)]

Example (see examples\lib\lsUniqueSymbol.scr)

```
function IsUnique(str,result)
  var char;
  for(i,0,length(str))
   set char = String.Char(str)(i);
   if( String.LastIndexOf (str) (char) != i)
     set result = "False";
     return;
   }
  set result = "True";
}
var result;
call IsUnique("abcdef", result);
write(result);
call IsUnique("1234567", result);
write(result);
call IsUnique("abcABC", result);
write(result);
call IsUnique("abcadef", result);
write(result);
Result:
True
True
True
False
```

Returns a new string in which a specified string is inserted at a specified index position in this instance:

String.Insert (string)(start index)(string to insert)

### **Directory**

```
Methods:
      GetFiles
      GetDirectories
      SetCurrentDirectory
      GetCurrentDirectory
      GetParent
      CreateDirectory
      Exists
      Delete
To get short help of every method in Directory.DLL:
> Directory.help[(method name)];
Writes the names of files (including their paths) in the specified directory to
node_of_PPL_array, created before with size = 0:
array node_of_PPL_array;
Directory.GetFiles("node_of_PPL_array")("path")
node of PPL array is string in quotes or value of variable or
getname(node_of_PPL_array).
Example:
>array files;
>Directory.GetFiles("files") ( "c:\" );
var (x["files"]);
>Directory.GetFiles(x)(path);
2.
>rc examples\lib\WriteFilesInDir.scr
function WriteFilesInDirectory (array:arr,dir)
  array arr;
  Directory.GetFiles(arr)(dir);
  Writearray arr;
WriteFilesInDirectory ("files")("c:\");
Result:
----Arr files----
[0] c:\DumpStack.log.tmp
[1] c:\hiberfil.sys
[2] c:\pagefile.sys
```

[3] c:\swapfile.sys

Writes the names of files (including their paths) in the specified directory to **node\_of\_PPL\_array**, created before with size = 0:

```
array node_of_PPL_array;
Directory.GetDirectories("node_of_PPL_array")( "path")
```

node of PPL array is string in quotes or value of variable or getname(node\_of\_PPL\_array).

## Example:

```
array dir;
Directory.GetDirectories("dir")("c:\Users");
or
var (x["dir"]);
```

Sets the current working directory to the specified directory:

Directory.SetCurrentDirectory("path")

Gets the current working directory: **Directory.GetCurrentDirectory()** 

Returns parent fullname: Directory.GetParent("path")

Returns CreationTime: Directory.CreateDirectory("path")

Returns True or False: Directory.Exists("path")

Deletes the specified directory and any subdirectories and files in the directory

Returns True or False: Directory.Delete("path")

#### **Array**

```
Methods:
```

MaxMinSumAverageSum2Sub2Mult2Div2Sort

Reverse IndexOf LastIndexOf

To get short help of every method in ArrayDLL: Array.help[(method name)];

Returns result: Array.Max("ppl\_array")
Returns result: Array.Min("ppl\_array")
Returns result: Array.Sum("ppl\_array")
Returns result: Array.Average("ppl\_array")

Math operations with 2 array, result is saved in result\_ppl\_array:

Array.Sum2("ppl\_array1")("ppl\_array2")("result\_ppl\_array")

Array.Sub2("ppl\_array1")("ppl\_array2")("result\_ppl\_array")

Array.Mult2("ppl\_array1")("ppl\_array2")("result\_ppl\_array")

Array.Div2("ppl\_array1")("ppl\_array2")("result\_ppl\_array")

Replaces source array: Array.Sort("ppl\_array") ("double" | "string")

Replaces source array: Array.Reverse("ppl\_array")

Returns result: Array.IndexOf("ppl\_array")(value)

Array.LastIndexOf("ppl\_array")(value)

Example: >code scr; >import Array;  $> array arr[] = \{-4,4,-3,3,-2,2\};$ >Array.Sort("arr")("double"); >writearray arr; >Array.Reverse("arr"); >writearray arr; Result: -----Array arr---- double------4 [0] -3 [1] [2] -2 2 [3] [41 3 [5] 4 -----Array arr---- double-----[0] 4 3 [1] [2] 2 -2 [3] [4] -3 -4 [5]

```
>import Array;
>code scr;
>array a[] = {1,3,,5};
>debugppl yes;
>Array.Average(a);
result = 3
>recreate yes;
>array a[] = {1,3,0,5};
Info: [CreateArrayFormat1] Global array [a] is created
>Array.Average(a);
Result: 2.25
```

See samples in Examples\lib\Array.scr.

The following collections are supported: ArrayList, Queue, Stack, Dictionary.

## ArrayList

### Methods:

Create	ToArray	Count
Write	Reverse	Get
Add	Remove	Set
Clear	Insert	Delete
Contains	IndexOf	
AddArray	Sort	

To get short help of every method in ArrayList.DLL: ArrayList.help[(method name)];

Creates ArrayList object: ArrayList.Create(name)

It is possible to create ArrayList repeatedly, in this case previous data removed.

Writes all array\_list\_names or all elements from the specified array\_list to the standard output stream: ArrayList.Write() or ArrayList.Write(arrlist name)

Adds a string to the end of the ArrayList: **ArrayList.Add(arrlist name)(string)**To add empty string use keyword **empty**:

Example:

```
>ArrayList.Create(arr)
>ArrayList.Add(arr)(empty)
```

Adds node of PPL array to the end of the ArrayList:

## ArrayList.AddArray("PPL array")(arrlist name)

Name of PPL array is **string in quotes** or value of variable with value = name of PPL array.

Removes all elements from the ArrayList: **ArrayList.Clear(arrlist name)** 

Determines whether an element is in the ArrayList, returns "True" or "False":

ArrayList.Contains(arrlist name)(string)

Writes all elements from arrlist to PPL array created before with size = 0 and reallocated in **ArrayList. ToArray** with size of arrlist name:

array "ppl\_array";

ArrayList. ToArray(arrlist name)(getname("ppl\_array"))

Name of PPL array is **string in quotes** or value of variable with value = name of PPL array . Error: If PPL array exists.

Reverses the order of the elements in the ArrayList: ArrayList.Reverse(arrlist name)

Removes the first occurrence of a specific object from the ArrayList:

## ArrayList.Remove(arrlist name)(string)

Inserts an element into the ArrayList at the specified index:

### ArrayList.Insert(arrlist name)(index)(element)

To insert empty string use keyword **empty**.

Returns the zero-based index of the first occurrence of a value in the ArrayList:

## ArrayList.IndexOf(arrlist name)(value)

Sorts the elements in the ArrayList: ArrayList.Sort(arrlist name)

Returns the number of elements actually contained in ArrayList: ArrayList.Count(arrlist name)

The following example includes all ArrayList methods:

```
>rc Examples\lib\ArrayList.scr
```

```
>import ArrayList;
>ArrayList.Create("al1");
>createnode Private;
>array(Private.src)(ONE)(TWO)(THREE);
>var(x["Private.src"]);
>ArrayList.AddArray(x)(al1);
>ArrayList.Write(all);
>ArrayList.Add(all)(empty);
>ArrayList.Add(all)(2two);
>ArrayList.Add(al1)(3three);
>ArrayList.Add(al1)(1one);
>write("=====Added objects=====");
>ArrayList.Write(all);
>ArrayList.Remove(all)(1one);
>ArrayList.Remove(all)(lone); // // error: lone does not exist
>write("=====Removed objects=====");
>ArrayList.Write(al1);
>ArrayList.Reverse(al1);
>write("=====Reverse=====");
>ArrayList.Write(all);
>write("ArrayList.Contains lone" = {0})(ArrayList.Contains(all)
                                        (1one));
>ArrayList.Insert(all)(2)(4four);
>write("ArrayList.Contains 4four" = {0})(ArrayList.Contains(all)
                                         (4four));
>ArrayList.IndexOf(all)(3three);
>ArrayList.Sort(all);
>write("====Sort=====");
>ArrayList.Write(all);
>array (N1.dst arr);
>ArrayList.ToArray(all)(getname(N1.dst arr));
```

```
>ArrayList.Clear(al1);
>d;
Result:
Imported [ArrayList]
al1
     ONE
     TWO
     THREE
=====Added objects=====
al1
     ONE
     TWO
     THREE
     2two
     3three
Warning: [ArrayList.FuncRemove] element [1one] does not exist
=====Removed objects=====
al1
     ONE
     TWO
     THREE
     2two
     3three
=====Reverse=====
al1
     3three
     2two
     THREE
     TWO
     ONE
ArrayList.Contains lone" = False
ArrayList.Contains 4four" = True
=====Sort=====
al1
     2two
     3three
     4four
     ONE
     THREE
     TWO
-N1 NS
---N2 Global
----N3 Private
                    [Node]
-----N4 src [Array 3]
----LO #
                    [ONE]
----L1
              #
                     [TWO]
----L2
               #
                    [THREE]
```

```
-----N4 dst_arr [Array 7]
-----L0 #
-----L1 # [2two]
-----L2 # [3three]
-----L3 # [4four]
-----L4 # [ONE]
-----L5 # [THREE]
-----L6 # [TWO]
-----L11 x ["Private.src"]
```

Returns value of ArrayList member by index:

ArrayList.Get(arrlist\_name)(index)

Set value of ArrayList member by index:

ArrayList.Set(arrlist\_name)(index)(value)

### Example:

```
>import ArrayList
Imported [ArrayList]
>ArrayList.Create(x)
>ArrayList.Add(x) (qqq)
>ArrayList.Add(x) (zzz)
>ArrayList.Get(x) (0)
result = qqq
>ArrayList.Set(x) (0) (aaa)
>ArrayList.Get(x) (0)
result = aaa
```

Delete all ArrayList objects:

ArrayList .Delete();

#### Queue

Methods:

Create Peek
Count Clear
Write Contains
Enqueue AddArray

**Dequeue ToArray Delete** 

To get short help of every method in Queue.DLL:

Queue. help[(method name)]

Creates Queue object: Queue.Create(queue name)

Returns the number of elements actually contained in Queue: Queue.Count(queue name)

Writes queue names or all elements from the specified queue to the standard output stream: **Queue.Write() or Queue.Write(name)** 

Adds an object to the end of the Queue: **Queue.Enqueue(queue name)(string)**To add empty string use keyword **empty**.

Removes and returns the object at the beginning of the Queue:

Queue.Dequeue(queue name)

Returns the object at the beginning of the Queue without removing it: **Queue.Peek(queue name)** 

Removes all objects from the Queue: Queue.Clear(queue name)

Determines whether an element is in the Queue, returns "True" or "False":

Queue.Contains(queue name)(string)

Adds PPL array to the Queue: Queue.AddArray("PPL array") (queue name)

Writes all elements from Queue to the PPL array created before with size = 0:

array "ppl\_array";

Queue.ToArray(queue name) ("ppl\_array")

Delete all Queue objects: Queue.Delete();

Examples of code with Dictionary methods in examples\lib\Queue.ppl

#### Stack

Methods:

Create Peek
Count Clear
Write Contains
Push AddArray

Pop ToArray Delete

To get short help of every method in Stack.DLL:

>Stack.help[(method name)]

Creates Stack object: **Stack.Create(stack name)** 

Returns the number of elements actually contained in Stack: **Stack.Count(stack name)** 

Writes stack names or all elements from the specified stack to the standard output stream: Stack.Write() or Stack.Write(stack name)

Inserts an object at the top of the stack: **Stack.Push(stack name)(string)** To insert empty string use keyword **empty**.

Removes and returns the object at the top of the Stack:

Stack.Pop(stack name)

Returns the object at the top of the Stack without removing it: Stack.Peek(stack name)

Removes all objects from the Stack: Stack.Clear(stack name)

Determines whether an element is in the Stack, returns "True" or "False": Stack.Contains(stack name)(string)

Adds PPL array to the Stack: **Stack.AddArray**) ("PPL array")(stack name)

Writes all elements from Stack to the PPL array created before with size = 0:

array "ppl\_array";

Stack.ToArray(stack name) ("ppl array")

Delete all Queue objects: Stack.Delete();

## Examples: >debugppl yes; >import Stack Imported [Stack] >Stack.Create(s) >Stack.Push(s)(one) >Stack.Push(s)(two) >Stack.Push(s)(three) >debugppl yes >Stack.Pop(s) result = three >Stack.Pop(s) result = two >Stack.Pop(s) result = one >Stack.Pop(s) result = empty

Examples of code with Stack methods in examples\lib\Stacks.ppl

### **Dictionary**

Methods:

Create ContainsKey
Count ContainsValue

Add Remove Write AddArray

Clear ToArray Delete

To get short help of every method in Dictionary.DLL:

>Dictionary.help[(method name)]

Creates Dictionary object: **Dictionary.Create(dictionary name)** 

Returns the number of elements actually contained in Dictionary:

Dictionary.Count(dictionary name)

Adds the specified key and value to the Dictionary:

Dictionary.Add(dictionary name)(key)(value)

Writes dictionary names or all elements from the specified Dictionary to the standard output stream: **Dictionary.Write()** or **Dictionary.Write(dictionary name)** 

Removes all keys and values from the Dictionary: Dictionary.Clear(dictionary name)

Determines whether the Dictionary contains the specified key, returns **True** or **False**: **Dictionary.ContainsKey(dictionary name)(key)** 

Removes the value with the specified key from the Dictionary:

Dictionary.Remove(dictionary name)(value)

Determines whether the Dictionary contains a specific value, returns **True** or **False**: **Dictionary.ContainsValue(dictionary name)(value)** 

Adds PPL array to the Dictionary: **Dictionary.AddArray("PPL array")(dictionary name)** 

Write all elements from Dictionary to new PPL array created before with size = 0: array "ppl array";

Dictionary.ToArray(dictionary name) ("ppl\_array")

Delete all Queue objects: Dictionary.Delete();

Examples of code with Dictionary methods in examples\lib\Dictionary.ppl

#### Convert

```
Methods:
```

```
StringToInt32Array
StringToHexArray
HexToBin
BinToHex
IntToHex
HexToInt
IntToBin
BinToInt
```

To get short help of every method in Convert.DLL:

>Convert.help[(method name)];

String characters converts to int32 array created before with size = 0 and reallocated in **Convert.StringToInt32Array** with size of string characters:

Convert.StringToInt32Array(string\_chararacters)("Int32 "ppl\_array"")

String characters converts to hex array created before with size = 0 and reallocated in **Convert.StringToHexArray** with size of string\_characters:

Convert.StringToHexArray(string chararacters)("Hex "ppl array"")

All below mentioned methods convert data in accordance with method name and return:

Returns string bin: Convert.HexToBin(string with hex value)
Returns string hex: Convert.BinToHex(string with bin value)
Returns string hex: Convert.IntToHex(string with Int32 value)
Returns string Int32: Convert.HexToInt(string with hex value)
Returns string bin: Convert.IntToBin(string with Int32 value)
Returns string Int32: Convert.BinToInt(string with bin value)

#### **Examples:**

>array Hex;

```
See Examples\lib\Convert.scr
```

```
>array Int32;
>Convert.StringToInt32Array("12345")("Int32");
Info [CreateArrayFormat2] Global array [Int32] is created
>writearray Int32;
Result:
----Array Int32----
      49
[0]
[1]
       50
[2]
       51
       52
[3]
[4]
      53
```

```
>Convert.StringToHexArray("12345")("Hex");
>writearray Hex;
Result:
----Array Hex----
[0] 31
[1] 32
      33
[2]
       34
[3]
[4] 35
Examples:
>debugppl yes
>Convert.HexToBin(16);
result = 10110
>Convert.BinToHex(1111111)
result = 7F
```

>Convert.IntToHex(256)

result = 100

#### Excel

The following methods may be used for reading from XLSX files to two-dimensional storage or writing from two-dimensional storage to XLSX files.

Methods:

Open

Close

Read

CreateWorkBook

Write

SaveAs

To get short help of every method in Excel.DLL:

> Excel.help[(method name)];

Opens XLSX file for reading:

Excel.Open(filename.xlsx)

Closes XLSX file after reading or writing:

Excel.Close()

Reads opened XLSX to storage, size of storage must be enough to save Excel cells:

Excel.Read("sheet")("left top")("right down")("storage")

Example:

```
"left top": "A1"
"right down": "H10"
```

Creates workbook for writing:

Excel.CreateWorkBook()

Writes storage to Excel cells, quantity of cells must be enough to save storage:

Excel.Write("sheet")("left top")("right down")("storage")

Saves created XLSX file after writing:

Excel.SaveAs(filename.xlsx)

Examples:

```
see file Examples\Excel\test.scr
```

```
import Excel;
Excel.Open("$1$\examples\Excel\example.xlsx");
Excel.Read("Sheet1")("A1")("H10")("Example_XLSX");
Excel.Close();
swrite(Example_XLSX);
```

```
Excel.CreateWorkBook();

Excel.Write("Sheet1")("A1")("H10")("Example_XLSX");

Excel.SaveAs("$1$\examples\Excel\example2.xlsx");

Excel.Close();
```

>rc examples\excel\test.scr c:\path
Parameter c:\path overrides the variable \$1\$ in file test.scr.

File

Methods:

ReadAllText ReadAllLines
WriteAllText WriteAllLines

**Exists** Delete

Returns all contents of text file: File. Read All Text (filename)

Creates a new file, write the contents to the file, and then closes the file: File.WriteAllText(var\_ppl)(filename)

Determines whether the specified file exists, returns **True** or **False**: **File.Exists(filename)** 

Returns string array with lines of text file: File. ReadAllLines (filename) ("ppl\_array") Example:

```
>File.ReadAllLines("examples\lib\split.txt")("x")
>d
Result:
-N1 NS
---N2 Global
-----N3 x [Array 2]
------L0 # [1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,]
------L1 # [11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18,19,20]
```

Creates a new file, writes one or more strings to the file, and then closes the file: File.WriteAllLines(""ppl\_array"")(filename)

Deletes the specified file: File.Delete(filename)

Methods:

Create NextDouble
Next NextInt64
NextBytes NextSingle

Creates Random object: Random.Create(name)[(Seed)]

Returns a non-negative random integer: Random.Next(random\_name)

Returns a non-negative random integer that is less than the specified maximum:

Random.Next(random\_name) (maxValue)

Returns a random integer that is within a specified range:

Random.Next(random\_name) (minValue)(maxValue)

Creates random numbers and writes them to the of a specified "ppl\_array" created before with size = 0:

Random.NextBytes(random name)(""ppl\_array"")(quantity of random elements)

Returns a random floating-point number that is greater than or equal to 0.0, and less than 1.0: Random.NextDouble(random name)

Returns a non-negative random integer: Random.NextInt64(random name)

Returns a non-negative random integer that is less than the specified maximum:

Random.NextInt64(random name)(maxValue)

Returns a random integer that is within a specified range:

Random.NextInt64(random name)(minValue)(maxValue)

Returns a random floating-point number that is greater than or equal to 0.0, and less than 1.0: Random.NextSingle(random name)

```
Examples:
>debugppl yes;
>import Random;
Imported [Random]
>Random.Create(r);
>Random.Next(r)(0)(10);
Result: 2
>array x;
>Random.NextBytes(r)(x)(5);
>writearray x;
Result:
-----Array x-----
[0]
        5
[1]
        121
        226
[2]
        108
[3]
[4]
        61
```

#### Console

Methods:

ForegroundColor Beep BackgroundColor Clear

ForegroundPromptColor SetCursorPosition
DefaultColors GetCursorPosition

Write

Sets the foreground color of the console:

Console.ForegroundColor(color)

Sets the background color of the console:

Console.BackgroundColor(color)

Sets the prompt foreground color of the console:

Console.ForegroundPromptColor(color)

Sets the default foreground, background and ForegroundPromptColor color of the console:

Console.DefaultColors()

Writes the text representation of the specified value or values to the standard output stream: **Console.Write [(format)](string)** 

Plays the sound of a beep through the console speaker:

Console.Beep (frequency)(duration)

frequency - 37 to 32767 hertz

duration - msec

Clears the console buffer and corresponding console window of display information:

Console.Clear()

Sets the position of the cursor:

Console.SetCursorPosition(left column cursor position)(top row cursor position)

Gets the position of the cursor:

Console.GetCursorPosition ()

Returns 'left column cursor position, top row cursor position'

See examples in examples \Console.

#### Vector

For using with library MathNet.Numerics and others. Using Vector and Matrix libraries significantly increases program performance.

```
Methods:
```

Vector.Create ("vector\_name")(length)(type)
type:= double|float|decimal|bool|int|uint|long|ulong|string
types in accordance with value types in

https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/csharp/language-reference/builtin-

types/built-in-types

Vector.Get(vector\_name)(index); Vector.Set(vector\_name)(index)(value); Vector.Add("vector\_name")( ""ppl\_array"")

Write to line - "row"

Write not nullable data to column - "col"

Write all data to column - "col0"

Vector.Write("vector\_name")[("row"|"col"|"col0")]

Vector.WriteNames()

Vector.Delete("vector name")

Vector.DeleteAll()

### **Examples:**

```
>import Vector;
>array v[] = {1,2,3,4,5};
>call Vector.Create ("V",5,int);
>call Vector.Add("V",getname(v));
> call Vector.Write("V");
Result:
=====vector V=====
1 2 3 4
>call Vector.Set("V",0,0);
> call Vector.Write("V",col);
Result:
=====vector V=====
    2
[1]
[2] 3
[3] 4
[4]
>call Vector.Delete("V");
```

See examples in examples\MatrixVector, examples\scr\erato.scr.

#### Matrix

```
For using with library MathNet.Numerics and others.
```

### Methods:

```
Create ("matrix_name")(rows)(columns)(type)

type:= double|float|decimal|bool|int|uint|long|ulong|string

types in accordance wth value types in
```

<u>https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/dotnet/csharp/language-reference/builtin-types/built-in-types</u>

```
Get("matrix_name")(index row)(index_column)
Set("matrix_name")(index row)(index_column)(value)
AddArrayToRow ("matrix_name")(row)(""ppl_array"")
AddArrayToColumn ("matrix_name")(column)(""ppl_array"")
Write to line - "row"
Write not nullable data to column - "col"
Write all data to column - "colo"

Write("matrix_name")[("row"|"col"|"colo")]
WriteNames()
Delete("matrix_name")
DeleteAll()
Rotate("matrix_name")("cw" | "ccw") - for square matrix only
```

### Example:

```
>import Matrix;
>call Matrix.Create ("A",3,3,float);
>array r1[] = {1,2,3};
>array r2[] = {4,5,6};
>array r3[] = {7,8,9};
>call Matrix.AddArrayToRow ("A",0, getname(r1));
>call Matrix.AddArrayToRow ("A",1, getname(r2));
>call Matrix.AddArrayToRow ("A",2, getname(r3));
>call Matrix.Write("A");
>call Matrix.Delete("A");
```

See examples in **examples\MatrixVector**.

### **MN Numerics**

```
For using MathNet.Numerics.dll Methods:
```

```
Matrix("matrix_name")(rows)(columns)  // like as Matrix.CreateDouble

Vector("vector_name")(length)  // like as Vector.CreateDouble

AddRowToMatrix("matrix_name")(""ppl_array"")  // like as Matrix.AddRow

AddColumnToMatrix("matrix_name")(""ppl_array"")  // like as Matrix .AddColumn

AddDataToVector("vector_name")(""ppl_array"")  // like as Vector.Add
```

Linear Equation Systems:

See detailed information: <a href="https://numerics.mathdotnet.com/LinearEquations.html">https://numerics.mathdotnet.com/LinearEquations.html</a>
Solve("matrix\_name")("vector\_name")(""ppl\_array"\_result")

```
DeleteAll() // delete all matrix and name
DeleteMatrix("matrix_name")
DeleteVector("vector_name")
```

For operations with vectors and matrices It is possible to use methods from MN\_Numerics.Matrix and MN\_Numerics.Vector or from

Matrix and Vector, **but not together**.

Example: (see examples\mnn\lesrow2.scr)

```
//linear equation systems
//AX = B
// Creation rows as "ppl array"s
// Creation Matrix.matrix
// Creation Vector.vector
import Matrix;
import Vector;
import MN_Numerics;
Matrix.DeleteAll();
Vector.DeleteAll();
write("----Creation Matrix.matrix & Vector.vector----");
call Matrix.Create("A",3,3,double);
array row1[] = {3,2,-1};
array row2[] = {2,-2,4};
array row3[] = {-1,0.5,-1};
call Matrix.AddArrayToRow("A",0,getname(row1)); // fill matrix
call Matrix.AddArrayToRow("A",1,getname(row2));
call Matrix.AddArrayToRow("A",2,getname(row3));
call Vector.Create("B",3,double);
array vector[] = {1,-2,0}; // create vector as "ppl_array"
call Vector.Add("B",getname(vector)); // fill vector
```

```
array X[length(vector)] = 0; // create result as "ppl_array"
call MN_Numerics.Solve("A","B",getname(X));
writearray X;
Vector.Delete("B");
Result:
-----Array X-----
[0] 1
[1] -1.99999999999996
[2] -1.9999999999999
```

Constants: to get list of constants from MathNet.Numerics:
>MN\_Numerics.help();

## Examples:

```
>debugppl yes
>import MN_Numerics;
>MN_Numerics.Pi()
Result: 3.141592653589793
>MN_Numerics.E()
Result: 2.718281828459045
```

#### **DataFrame**

DataFrame is a table with named columns, columns may be defined with different types, number of rows and columns is not limited.

#### Methods:

SetRow AddRowData
SetColumn GetRowArray
Write GetSliceRowArray
Save GetColumnArray
ReadFile GetSliceColumnArray

Create SetCell
InsertRows GetCell
AddRows CellName
InsertColumns SetWidth
AddColumns SetType
RemoveRows GetWidth
RemoveColumns GetType

ClearColumns SetPrintEmptyRows SetWidthForAll GetPrintEmptyRows SetTypeForAll SetRowSelectedFrom Sort GetRowSelectedFrom SetRowSelectedTo Reverse **SelectRows** GetRowSelectedTo SetReallocIncrement UnselectRows GetReallocIncrement GetRowsLength

GetColumnLength

Delete DataFrame – del df\_name df name –DataFrame name

**Create** - creates node **df\_name**, node **df\_name**>.**Settings** and arrays per each column

```
>import DataFrame
>DataFrame.Create(DF)(2)(A)(B)
>d
-N2 NS
---N3 Global
-----L0 empty (const)
----N4 DF
              [DataFrame]
----N5 Settings
-----LO RowSelectedFrom
-----L1 RowSelectedTo
-----L2 PrintEmptyRows [yes]
-----L3 RowsLength [2]
-----L4 ReallocIncrement
                           [10]
-----L5 AType [Text]
-----L6 AWidth [12]
-----L7 BType [Text]
-----L8 BWidth [12]
----N5
         Α
                 [Array 2]
-----LO #
-----L1 #
----N5 B
                 [Array 2]
-----LO #
-----L1 #
```

**RowSelectedFrom** and **RowSelectedTo** sets selected rows and used in Read,Save,Write **PrintEmptyRows** sets to present or not empty rows and used in Write.

**RowsLength** is set automatically as number of rows.

**Reallocincrement** sets number of rows and used in Create and AddRows.

<column name>Type sets column type and used in Read and Sort.

<column name>Width sets column width and used in Write.

#### Formats:

**DataFrame.Create()** - creates DataFrame "**DF**" with 26x26 columns with following names: A,B,C,... BA,BB,BC,...ZA,...ZZ and 1000 rows

**DataFrame.Create(Name)** - creates DataFrame "Name" with 26x26 columns with following names: A,B,C,... BA,BB,BC,...ZA,...ZZ and 10 rows

**DataFrame.Create(Name)(rows length)** - creates DataFrame "Name" with 26 columns with following names: A,B,C,...Z and "rows length" rows

DataFrame.Create(Name)(rows length)(column1)( column2)...( columnN) - creates
DataFrame "Name" with N columns and "rows length" rows

# 1. Example:

# 2. Example

```
>import DataFrame
>DataFrame.Create(MyDataFrame)(2)(One)(Two)(Three)
-----Variables and arrays-----
-N4 MyDataFrame [Node]
---N5 Settings
                [Node]
---N5 One
                [Array 2]
---N5 Two
                [Array 2]
---N5 Three
                [Array 2]
>DataFrame.Write(MyDataFrame)
Result:
  One
                  Three
          Two
0
1
```

**SetRow** and **SetColumn** return \*error if columnType = Number and value is not number

**SetRow** - sets value for each column for defined row:

Format:

DataFrame.SetRow(df\_name)(row index)("ppl\_array")

**SetColumn** - sets value for each row for defined column:

Format:

DataFrame.SetColumn(df\_name)(column) ("ppl\_array")

Write - displays DataFrame full contents or only contents of defined columns:

Format:

DataFrame.Write([df\_name])[(column)(column)...]

To display contents of specific rows:

DataFrame. RowSelectedFrom (df\_name)(row index)

DataFrame. RowSelectedTo (df name)(row index)

or by method SelectRows.

DataFrame.SelectRows(df\_name)(row index from)(row index to)

**Save** -saves full contents of DataFrame in file format ".csv" or ".data or defined columns only in format ".csv"

Format:

DataFrame.Save(df\_name)(filename.csv|.data)[(column)( column)]...

**ReadFile** - reads full contents of DataFrame from file in format ".csv" or ".data" or contents of defined columns from file in format ".csv" only.

Format:

DataFrame.ReadFile(df\_name) (filename.csv|.data)[(column)( column)]...

**InsertRows** - inserts number of rows before index

Format:

DataFrame.InsertRows(df name)(index)[(number of rows)]

By default number of added rows= 1

AddRows - adds number of empty rows at the end

Format:

DataFrame.AddRows([df\_name])[(number of rows)]

By default df name = DF

By default number of added rows = 10

InsertColumns - insert one or several named columns before defined column

Format:

DataFrame.InsertColumns(df name))(defined column1)(column2)(column3)...

AddColumns - adds number of named columns at the end

Format:

DataFrame.AddColumns(df\_name)(column1)(column2)...

#### RemoveRows

Format:

DataFrame.RemoveRows(df\_name) – remove all rows

DataFrame.RemoveRows(df\_name)[(number\_of\_row) - remove 1 row

DataFrame.RemoveRows(df\_name)(number\_from)(\*) - remove rows

between number\_from to end

**DataFrame.RemoveRows(df\_name)(number\_from)(number\_to)** - remove rows between number from – number end

#### RemoveColumns

Format:

Removes named columns and their Type and Width from Settings:

RemoveColumns(df\_name)[(column1)(column2)...]

Removes all columns and their Type and Width in Settings:

RemoveColumns(df\_name)

**ClearColumns** - clears contents of all DataFrame or defined columns:

Format:

DataFrame.ClearColumns(df\_name)[(column)(column)...]

**SetWidthForAll** - sets same width for all columns to display DataFrame by DataFrame.Write:

Format:

DataFrame.SetWidthForAll([df\_name])([width])
default name – DF
default with = 12

Example:

>DataFrame.SetWidthForAll(14)

# **SetTypeForAll** - sets same type for all columns

Format:

DataFrame.SetTypeForAll([df\_name])([Text | Number])
default name – DF
default type = Text

Example:

>DataFrame.SetTypeForAll(Number)

Sort - sorts all contents by specified column in ascending or descending order

#### Format:

# DataFrame.Sort(df\_name)(ascend | descend)(column)

#### Example:

```
File: examples\DataFrame\products.csv
Bagel, 140, 310, Medium
Buiscuit ,86,480,High
Jaffa cake, 48, 370, Med-High
Bread white, 96, 240, Medium
Bread wholemeal, 88, 220, LowMed
Chapatis, 250, 240, Medium
Cornflakes, 130, 300, Med-High
Program: examples\DataFrame\df8.scr
import DataFrame;
DataFrame.Create(Products)(0)(Bread&Cereals)(Size)(per100grams)
                            (energy);
set Products.Settings.Bread&CerealsWidth = 20;
DataFrame.ReadFile(Products) (examples\DataFrame\products.csv);
DataFrame.Write(Products);
DataFrame.Sort(Products) (ascend) (per100grams);
DataFrame.Write(Products);
```

#### results:

```
Select CPPL
                                                                               X
>rc examples\df\df8.scr
code: scr
Info: [FuncImport] the library [DataFrame] is already loaded
DataFrame [Products] added [7] rows
-----Variables and arrays----
-N4
        Products
                         [Node]
        Settings
---N5
                         [Node]
---N5
        Bread&Cereals
                         [Array 7]
---N5
        Size
                         [Array 7]
 --N5
        per100grams
                         [Array 7]
---N5
        energy
                         [Array 7]
     Bread&Cereals
                          Size
                                       per100grams energy
0
     Bagel
                          140
                                       310
                                                    Medium
     Buiscuit
                                       480
                                                    High
                          86
     Jaffa cake
                          48
                                       370
                                                    Med-High
3
4
                          96
     Bread white
                                       240
                                                    Medium
                                                    LowMed
     Bread wholemeal
                          88
                                       220
5
     Chapatis
                          250
                                       240
                                                    Medium
     Cornflakes
                                       300
                          130
                                                    Med-High
     Bread&Cereals
                          Size
                                       per100grams energy
     Bread wholemeal
                          88
                                       220
                                                    LowMed
     Bread white
                          96
                                       240
                                                    Medium
2
3
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5
     Chapatis
                          250
                                       240
                                                    Medium
     Cornflakes
                                                    Med-High
                          130
                                       300
                                                    Medium
     Bagel
                          140
                                       310
     Jaffa cake
                                                    Med-High
                          48
                                       370
6
     Buiscuit
                                                    High
                          86
                                       480
```

See examples df8.scr and df9.scr(wrong results for digital data when Type = Text).

**Reverse** - reverses all DataFrame contents by defined column

Format:

DataFrame.Reverse(df\_name)(column)

#### **SelectRows**

Format:

Select one row only: DataFrame.SelectRows(df\_name)(select\_from)

Select rows select from – to end: DataFrame.SelectRows(df\_name)(select\_from)(\*)

Select rows between select from – select to:

DataFrame.SelectRows(df\_name)(select\_from)(select\_to)

### **UnSelectRows**

Format: DataFrame.UnSelectRows(df\_name)

**GetRowsLength** – returns number of rows

Format: DataFrame.GetRowLength(df\_name)

**GetColumnsLength** – returns number of columns

Format: DataFrame.GetRowLength(df\_name)

AddRowData – adds row with data per columns at the end

Format:

DataFrame.AddRowData(df\_name)(column1 data) (column2 data)...

**GetRowArray** – copies data from defined row to ppl array

Format:

DataFrame.GetRowArray(df\_name)(index row) ("ppl array")...

**GetSliceRowArray** - copies part of array defined by index row to ppl array

Format:

DataFrame. GetSliceRowArray (df name)(index row)[length]( "ppl array")

**GetColumnArray** - copies data from defined column to array

Format:

DataFrame.GetColumnArray(df\_name)(column) ("ppl array")...

**GetSliceColumnArray** – copies part of array defined by column name to ppl array

Format:

DataFrame. GetSliceColumnArray (df\_name)(column name)[length]( "ppl array")

**SetCell** - sets value for cell ,defined by name or by column name and row index

Format: DataFrame.SetCell(df\_name)(column name)( index row)(value)

DataFrame.SetCell(df\_name.cell\_name)(value)

GetCell - returns value of cell, defined by name or by column name and row index

Format: DataFrame.GetCell(df\_name)(column name)( index row)

DataFrame.GetCell(df\_name.cell\_name)

CellName - sets name for defined cell

Format: DataFrame.CellName(df name)(column name)(index row)(cell name)

SetWidth - sets Width value for defined column name in Settings

Format: DataFrame. SetWidth (df\_name)(column name)(value)

**SetType** - sets Type value for defined column name in Settings

Format: DataFrame. SetType (df\_name)(column name)(Text | Number)

**GetWidth** - returns Width for defined column name in Settings

Format: DataFrame. GetWidth (df\_name)(column name)

```
Example:
```

```
>import DataFrame
>DataFrame.Create(DF)(2)(A)(B)
>DataFrame.SetWidth(DF)(A)(15)
>write(DataFrame.GetWidth(DF)(A))
result: 15
```

**GetType** - returns Type for defined column name in Settings

Format: DataFrame. GetType(df\_name)(column name)

Example:

>import DataFrame

>DataFrame.SetType(DF)(A)(Number)

>write(DataFrame.GetType(DF)(A))

**SetPrintEmptyRows** - sets PrintEmptyRows value in Settings

Format: DataFrame. SetPrintEmptyRows (df\_name)(value)

**GetPrintEmptyRows** - returns PrintEmptyRows value from Setting

Format:: DataFrame. GetPrintEmptyRows (df name)

Example:

result: Number

```
>import DataFrame;
>DataFrame.Create(DF)(2)(A)(B);
>DataFrame.SetPrintEmptyRows(DF)(yes);
>write(DataFrame.GetPrintEmptyRows(DF));
result: yes
```

SetRowSelectedFrom - sets RowSelectedFrom value in Setting

Format: DataFrame. SetRowSelectedFrom (df\_name)(value)

GetRowSelectedFrom - returns RowSelectedFrom value from Setting

Format: DataFrame. GetRowSelectedFrom (df\_name)

**SetRowSelectedTo** - sets RowSelectedTo value in Setting

Format: DataFrame. SetRowSelectedTo (df\_name)(value)

# **GetRowSelectedTo** – returns RowSelectedTo value from Setting

Format: DataFrame. GetRowSelectedTo (df\_name)

```
Example:

>code scr;

>import DataFrame;

>call DataFrame.Create(DF,2,A,B);

>call DataFrame.SetRowSelectedFrom(DF,0);

>call DataFrame.SetRowSelectedTo(DF,1);

>write(DataFrame.GetRowSelectedFrom(DF));

result: 0

>write(DataFrame.GetRowSelectedTo(DF));

result: 1
```

**SetReallocIncrement** - sets ReallocIncrement value in Setting

Format: DataFrame.SetReallocIncrement(df name)(value)

**GetReallocIncrement** - returns ReallocIncrement value from Setting

Format: DataFrame.GetReallocIncrement(df\_name)

### Example:

```
>import DataFrame;
>DataFrame.Create(DF)(2)(A)(B);
>DataFrame.SetReallocIncrement(DF)(100);
>write(DataFrame.GetReallocIncrement(DF));
result: 100
```

Examples of using DataFrame methods in directory: examples\DataFrame

df1.scr - methods ReadFile, Save

df2.scr - methods ReadFile, RemoveColumns, Save

df3.scr - methods AddColumns

df4.scr - methods DataFrame with default name DF

df5.scr - methods ClearColumns

df6.scr - methods RemoveRows, RemoveColumns

df7.scr - methods InsertRows, InsertColumns, SetRow, SetColumn, Sort, Reverse

df8.scr - methods Create, ReadFile, Write, ascending and descending Sort, Reverse

df9.scr - methods Create,ReadFile,Write, ascending Sort for Type = Text and Type Number

df10.scr - methods SetType, GetRowArray, CellName, SetCell, GetCell, GetSlicedRowArray

df11.scr - methods CellName, SetCell, GetCell

df12.scr - methods GetSlicedColumnArray

AddressBook2.scr - methods AddRowData

#### **Statistics**

Statistics.dll uses MathNet.Numerics.dll.

See details in -

https://numerics.mathdotnet.com/api/MathNet.Numerics.Statistics/ArrayStatistics.htm

#### Methods:

Covariance **FiveNumberSummary** 

**GMean HMean** Maximum Mean MeanStandardDeviation Median

Minimum **OrderStatistic** 

Percentile **PopulationCovariance** PopulationStandardDeviation **PopulationVariance** 

QuantileCustom Quantile

RanksInplace RootMeanSquare

StandardDeviation **Variance** 

#### Formats:

Statistics.help([name]) Statistics.Covariance"(\"sample1\")(\"sample2\") Statistics.FiveNumberSummary(\"sample name\")(\"result array5\") Statistics.GMean(\"array\_ppl\") Statistics.HMean(\"array\_ppl\") Statistics.Maximum(\"array ppl\") Statistics.Mean(\"array ppl\") Statistics.MeanStandardDeviation(\"array\_ppl\") Statistics.Median(\"array ppl\") Statistics.Minimum(\"array\_ppl\") Statistics.OrderStatistic(\"array ppl\")(order) Statistics.Percentile(\"array ppl\")(selector) Statistics.FuncCovariance(\"sample1\")(\"sample2\") Statistics.PopulationStandardDeviation(\"array\_ppl\") Statistics.PopulationVariance(\"array ppl\")

Statistics.QuantileCustom(\"array\_ppl\")(tau)(definition)

Statistics.Quantile(\"array ppl\")(tau)

Statistics.Ranks(\"array\_ppl\")(\"rank\_array\_ppl\")(definition)

Statistics.RootMeanSquare(\"array\_ppl\") Statistics.StandardDeviation(\"array\_ppl\")

Statistics. Variance(\"array ppl\")

```
Example: (examples\Statistics\test.scr)
import Statistics;
recreate yes;
write#("Statistics Array Tests");
array sample1[] = \{2.1, 2.5, 3.6, 4\};
array sample2[] = {8,10,12,14};
var covariance = Statistics.Covariance("sample1")("sample2");
write#("Covariance = {0}",covariance);
var population covariance = Statistics.PopulationCovariance("sample1")("sample2");
write#("PopulationCovariance = {0}",population_covariance);
array arr[] = {5,9,3,1,7};
var gm = Statistics.GMean("arr");
var hm = Statistics.HMean("arr");
var msd = Statistics.MeanStandardDeviation("arr");
write#("GeometricMean = {0}",gm);
write#("HarmonicMean = {0}",hm);
write#("Mean, StandardDeviation = {0}",msd);
array arr[] = {3,2,5, 7, 6, 4, 6, 9,6, 8,7};
array FiveNumberSummary[5];
call Statistics.FiveNumberSummary("arr", "FiveNumberSummary");
writearray FiveNumberSummary;
write#("min = {0}",FiveNumberSummary[0]);
write#("low_quartile = {0}",FiveNumberSummary[1]);
write#("median = {0}",FiveNumberSummary[2]);
write#("upper_quartile = {0}",FiveNumberSummary[3]);
write#("max = {0}",FiveNumberSummary[4]);
write#("quartile_range = {0}",FiveNumberSummary[3] - FiveNumberSummary[1]);
write#();
var max = Statistics.Maximum("arr");
write#("max = {0}",max);
var min = Statistics.Minimum("arr");
write#("min = {0}",min);
var mean = Statistics.Mean("arr");
write#("mean = {0}",mean);
var order statistic = Statistics.OrderStatistic("arr")(3);
write#("order_statistic = {0}",order_statistic);
var variance = Statistics.Variance("arr");
```

```
write#("variance = {0}",variance);
var population_variance = Statistics.PopulationVariance("arr");
write#("population_variance = {0}",population_variance);
var median = Statistics.Median("arr");
write#("median = {0}",median);
var percentile = Statistics.Percentile("arr")(50);
write#("percentile = {0}",percentile);
array arr[] = {5,9,3,1,7};
var standard_deviation = Statistics.StandardDeviation("arr");
write#("standard_deviation = {0}",standard_deviation);
var population_standard_deviation = Statistics.PopulationStandardDeviation("arr");
write#("population_standard_deviation = {0}",population_standard_deviation);
var quantile_customR1 = Statistics.QuantileCustom("arr")(0)(R1);
write#("quantile_customR1 = {0}",quantile_customR1);
var quantile_customR8 = Statistics.QuantileCustom("arr")(0)(R8);
write#("quantile_customR8 = {0}",quantile_customR8);
var quantile = Statistics.Quantile("arr")(0);
write#("quantile = {0}",quantile);
array ranks;
Statistics.Ranks("arr")(Average)("ranks");
writearray ranks;
var rms = Statistics.RootMeanSquare("arr");
write#("rms = {0}",rms);
```

### **Distributions**

Distributions.dll uses MathNet.Numerics.dll

See details in -

https://numerics.mathdotnet.com/api/MathNet.Numerics.Distributions.htm

Distributions.dll includes the following classes:

Normal, StudentT, ChiSquared, FisherSnedecor.

Only static methods and consructors in these classes are supported.

Project Distributions.csproj with sources -> github/okogosov/PPL/Distributions.zip.

# Structure of User's DLL

Directory Template is the example for creation user's DLL, see Template.cs.

# Example:

```
>import Template
>Template.sum(1)(2)
result = 3
>Template.help
help
sum
>Template.help(sum)
    Returns sum of two double-precision floating-point numbers:
    Template.sum(double d1)(double d2)
```

Add in Project Dependencies the project PPL.

Utility **ulc.exe** creates code for User's DLL, help file for Assistant.exe and wrapped file for using in script .

# ulc.exe [config\_file.json]

by default name of config file - ConfigULC.json

## Examples:

creation code without classes:
 ulc.exe Template\Config.json

```
File Template\Config.json:
{
    "name": "Template",
    "path": ".\\Template",
       "functions":
        [
           "name": "sum",
           "parameters":
             "n1",
             "n2"
         },
           "name": "sub",
           "parameters":
             "n1",
             "n2"
         },
           "name": "mult",
           "parameters":
             "n1",
             "n2"
           1
         },
           "name": "div",
           "parameters":
             "n1",
             "n2"
        },
      ]
```

## Format of parameters:

```
"name" - obligatory parameter
"[name]" - not obligatory parameter
"name..." - repeated parameter.
```

# Utility ulc.exe generates 3 files:

- **Template.cs**, file must be added to user's dll project
- **Template.json**, file must be added to directory **JsonHelp** (for Assistant.exe).
- Wrapper\_Template.scr, file may be added to directory Functions and loaded:

```
import Template;
rc Functions\Wrapper_Template.scr;
```

Functions inside Wrapper\_Template.scr -

Template.sum, Template.sub, Template.mult,div may be used in format scr with command call instead of getresult:

```
var result;
call Functions.Template.sum(result,1, 2*3);
```

### 2. creation code with classes:

ulc.exe ConfigULC.json

```
File ConfigULC. json:
    "name": "Distributions",
    "path":"",
    "ulc classes": [
     {"name":"Normal",
       "functions":
        "Normal",
        "CDF",
        "Estimate",
        "InvCDF"
       1
     },
     {"name": "StudentT",
      "functions":
        "StudentT",
        "CDF",
        "InvCDF"
      1
     },
     {"name": "ChiSquared",
     "functions":
      [
        "ChiSquared",
        "CDF",
         "InvCDF"
      1
     }
   1
```

Utility ulc.exe generates files:

- Distributions.cs must be added to user's dll project
   Normal.cs must be added to user's dll project
   StudentT.cs must be added to user's dll project
   ChiSquared.cs must be added to user's dll project
- **Distributions.json** must be added to directory **JsonHelp** ( for Assistant.exe).

# **Examples of code**

See Examples\scr\Eratosthenes3.scr mode scr

```
//Sieve of Eratosthenes
function FillArray(array:arr)
  for (k,0,length(arr))
    set arr[k] = k;
function WriteArray(array:arr)
 var len = length(arr);
 var output = "";
  for (i,0,len)
  {
    if (primes[i] != 0)
      set output = String.Concat(output)(primes[i])(",");
 var index = length(output) - 1;
  // remove the latest ','
  set output = String.Remove(output)(index)(1);
 write#("{0}",output );
}
var n = 100;
var len = m + 1;
array primes[len];
var tmp;
FillArray(primes);
for (n, 2, len)
   for (j,n + 1,len)
       if (primes[j] % n == 0)
         array.remove(primes)(j);
       set len = length(primes);
       setloopend len;
   }
   setloopend len;
WriteArray(primes); // or writearray primes row;
```

# Examples\scr\erato.scr

This samples significantly improves performance because all calculations are performed in Erato.DLL and data are saved by Vector.DLL.

```
// calculations in library Erato.dll
import Vector;
import Erato;
debugppl yes;
Vector.DeleteAll();
var m = 1000;
var len = m + 1;
array primes[len];
for (k,0,len)
 primes[k] = k;
call Vector.Create("VPrimes", m + 1, int);
call Vector.Add("VPrimes",getname(primes));
call Erato.Solve("VPrimes");
var output = "";
var tmp;
for (i,0,len)
  tmp = Vector.Get("VPrimes")(i);
  if (tmp != 0)
    output = String.Concat(output)(tmp)(",");
}
var index = length(output) - 1;
output = String.Remove(output)(index)(1);
writeline("{0}",output );
```

The following example performs copying elements from two dimensional storage to one dimensional array

(see examples\scr\CopyTo.scr)

```
// copy row elements from first column to last column
function CopyRowElementsToArray(storage:src,row,first_element,last_element,array:dst)
  write#("====={0}=====",funcname);
  write(src={0} row={1} first_element ={2} last_element={3} dst={4})
     (getname(src))(row)(first_element)(last_element) (getname(dst));
 var x;
  for(i,first_element,last_element + 1)
  set dst[i] = sget(src)(row)(i);
function CopyColumnElementsToArray(storage:src,column,first_element,last_element,array:dst)
  write#("====={0}=====",funcname);
  write(src={0} column={1} first_element ={2} last_element={3} dst={4})
     (getname(src))(column)(first_element)(last_element) (getname(dst));
  for(i,first_element,last_element + 1)
    set dst[i] = sget(src)(i)(column);
storage(src)(8)(8);
var tmp = 0;
for(i,0,8)
 for(j,0,8)
  PlusPlus(tmp);
  sset(src)(i)(j)(tmp);
 }
swrite(src);
array dstRow[6];
var row = 1;
var first = 0;
var last = 5;
call CopyRowElementsToArray(src,row,first,last,dstRow);
writearray dstRow row;
array dstColumn[8];
call CopyColumnElementsToArray(src,7,0,7,dstColumn);
writearray dstColumn row; >rc examples\scr\copyto.scr;
```

Resi	ult:							
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	NS.Global.src							
[0]	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
[1]	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
[2]	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
[3]	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
[4]	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
[5]	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48
[6]	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56
[7]	<b>57</b>	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
====CopyRowElementsToArray====								
src=	c=src row=1 first_element =0 last_element=5 dst=dst							
9, 10	0, 11, 1	2, 13, 1	4					
===:	==Copy	<b>/Colum</b> n	Elemen	tsToArra	ay=====			
src=	src=src column=7 first_element =0 last_element=7 dst=dst							st
Array dstColumn								
8, 1	6, 24, 3	2, 40, 4	8, 56, 64	,				

Open console window:

cmd

and run:

Examples.bat

**Callfunc.bat** 

Delegates.bat

Struct.bat

Dataframe.bat

ArrayFunc.bat

with numerous examples of code.

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