

# Unity Composition Reference

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# AnimationClipVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.AnimationClipVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[AnimationClip](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [AnimationClips](#).

# AnimationPlayer

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.AnimationPlayer : [MonoBehaviour](#), [ICompletionNotifier](#)

## Description

Add this to any [GameObject](#) to provide an interface for playing [AnimationClips](#).

## Public Properties

**bool** *IsComplete* (read only)

This will return true as soon as the animation has completed. If the animation has not yet started, it is not considered complete, so this will return false. If the animation is set to loop, this will always return false.

## Public Methods

**void** **PlayAnimation**([AnimationClip](#) animation)

Plays *animation* and returns immediately.

**IEnumerator** **PlayAnimationAndWait**([AnimationClip](#) animation)

Plays *animation* and returns an enumerator so it can be run as or from a [coroutine](#). The enumerator will yield until *animation* has completed. If *animation* is set to loop, the enumerator will break immediately and an error will be printed. Call *PlayAnimation* instead to run looping animations.

**void** **Pause()**

Pauses playback of the currently running animation.

**void** **Unpause()**

Resumes playback of the currently running animation.

# AnimationType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.AnimationType

## Description

Defines the available options for the *AnimationMethod* of a [TransformNode](#).

## Values

### [AnimationType](#) *None*

The [Transform](#) will be updated immediately without any animation.

### [AnimationType](#) *Speed*

Position, rotation, and scale will each animate according to an individually set number of units per second.

### [AnimationType](#) *Duration*

The animation will take a set amount of time with position, rotation, and scale advancing linearly to their target.

# AssignmentOperator

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.AssignmentOperator : [InfixOperation](#)

## Description

A base class for [InfixOperations](#) that perform assignment of [VariableValues](#).

## Protected Methods

**[VariableValue](#) Assign([IVariableStore](#) variables, [VariableValue](#) value)**

Call this from a subclass to assign *value* to a variable on *variables* based on the result of evaluating the *Left* operation.



# AudioClipVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.AudioClipVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[AudioClip](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [AudioClips](#).

# AudioPlayer

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.AudioPlayer : [MonoBehaviour](#), [ICompletionNotifier](#)

## Description

Add this to any [GameObject](#) to provide an interface for playing [AudioClips](#).

## Public Properties

**bool** *IsComplete (read only)*

This will return true as soon as the sound has completed. If the sound has not yet started, it is not considered complete, so this will return false. If the sound is set to loop, this will always return false.

## Public Methods

**void** **PlaySound**([AudioClip](#) *sound*, **float** *volume*)

Plays *sound* at *volume* and returns immediately.

**IEnumerator** **PlaySoundAndWait**([AudioClip](#) *sound*, **float** *volume*)

Plays *sound* at *volume* and returns an enumerator so it can be run as or from a [coroutine](#). The enumerator will yield until *sound* has completed. If *sound* is set to loop, the enumerator will break immediately and an error will be printed. Call *PlaySound* instead to run looping sounds.

# AxisInput

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.AxisInput : [MonoBehaviour](#), [IEventHandler](#), [IPointerDownHandler](#), [IPointerUpHandler](#)

## Description

Add this to a [Graphic](#) or [Collider](#) to set the value of an axis on the [InputHelper](#) when the object is clicked or touched.

## Public Fields

**string** *AxisName*

The name of the axis that is set to *AxisValue* when the object is clicked or touched.

**float** *AxisValue*

The value to set *AxisName* to when the object is clicked or touched.

# BarBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.BarBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

Add this to an [Image](#) to set the *fillAmount* and *color* based on two bound values.

## Public Fields

**VariableReference** *AmountVariable*

The int or float variable indicating the amount the bar should be filled.

**VariableReference** *TotalVariable*

The int or float variable indicating the 'full' amount. [Image.fillAmount](#) is set to the result of  $AmountVariable / TotalVariable$ .

**Gradient** *FillColors*

The color to set [Image.color](#) to depending on the current fill amount.

**float** *Speed*

If this is greater than 0, the fill amount will animate when it changes. The value specifies the speed of the animation in percent per second. So, for example, a value of 0.1 would cause the bar to change its fill at a rate of 10% every second.

**bool** *UseScaledTime*

If this is set, *Speed* will be based on [scaled time](#), otherwise it will be based on [real time](#).

# BindingAnimationStatus

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.BindingAnimationStatus

## Description

Used with [VariableBinding](#) to provide feedback for binding updates that are animated or otherwise completed asynchronously. Callers, such as [UpdateBindingNode](#), can pass an instance of this type to the [UpdateBinding](#) method and query it to determine when the binding has completed.

```
using PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine
using UnityEngine;

namespace PiRhoSoft.CompositionExample
{
    public class UpdateBindingExample : MonoBehaviour
    {
        private BindingAnimationStatus _status = new BindingAnimationStatus();

        public override IEnumerator Run()
        {
            _status.Reset();

            VariableBinding.UpdateBinding(gameObject, string.Empty, _status);

            while (!_status.IsFinished())
                yield return null;
        }
    }
}
```

[VariableBindings](#), such as [BarBinding](#), use the *Increment* and *Decrement* methods to indicate when an animation has started and finished respectively.

```

using PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine
using UnityEngine;

namespace PiRhoSoft.CompositionExample
{
    public class ExampleBinding : VariableBinding
    {
        private WaitForSeconds _wait = new WaitForSeconds(1);

        protected override void UpdateBinding(IVariableStore variables,
        BindingAnimationStatus status)
        {
            // update the binding
            StartCoroutine(Animate(status));
        }

        private IEnumerator Animate(BindingAnimationStatus status)
        {
            status.Increment();
            yield return _wait; // do animation stuff
            status.Decrement();
        }
    }
}

```

## Public Methods

### void Reset()

Call this method before passing a `BindingAnimationStatus` instance to a binding method to re-initialize it.

### bool IsFinished()

Call this method to determine if all animations resulting from a bindings update have completed.

### void Increment()

Call this method from a [VariableBinding](#) implementation to indicate the binding is starting an animation. This can be called multiple times if the binding is performing multiple animations. Each call to *Increment* should have a corresponding call to *Decrement* when the animation completes.

### void Decrement()

Call this method from a [VariableBinding](#) implementation to indicate the binding has finished an animation. This should be called one time for each time *Increment* is called.

# BindingFormatter

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.BindingFormatter

## Description

A type to use for fields on text [VariableBindings](#) to provide number formatting support.

## Public Fields

**string** *Format*

The format of the resulting string. Use "{0}" to indicate the location in the string to insert the formatted number.

**FormatType** *Formatting*

Whether to format the number as a time or number, or skip formatting altogether.

**TimeFormatType** *TimeFormatting*

If *Formatting* is set to *Time*, specifies the format to use for the number.

**NumberFormatType** *NumberFormatting*

If *Formatting* is set to *Number*, specifies the format to use for the number.

**string** *ValueFormat*

If *Formatting* is set to *Time* and *TimeFormatting* is set to *Custom* or *Formatting* is set to *Number* and *NumberFormatting* is set to *Custom*, specifies the custom format to use. The syntax is the same as the .net [DateTime format strings](#) for *Formatting Time* and [numeric format strings](#) for *Formatting Number*.

## Public Methods

**string** **GetFormattedString(float number)**

Returns *number* as a string based on the configured properties. For *Formatting Time* *number* is interpreted as a number of seconds.

**string** **GetFormattedString(int number)**

Returns *number* as a string based on the configured properties. For *Formatting Time* *number* is interpreted as a number of seconds.

# BindingRoot

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.BindingRoot : [MonoBehaviour](#), [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

Add this to any [GameObject](#) to insert a [VariableValue](#) into the scene hierarchy that can be accessed by sibling or child [VariableBindings](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *ValueName*

The name for [VariableBindings](#) to use to look up *Value*.

## Public Properties

**VariableValue** *Value* (virtual)

The value to return when *ValueName* is looked up.

## Public Methods

**IList<string>** **GetVariableNames()** (virtual)

Returns a list with *ValueName* as its only item.

**VariableValue** **GetVariable(string name)** (virtual)

If *name* is *ValueName*, returns *Value*, otherwise calls *GetVariable* on the next BindingRoot up in the object hierarchy. If this is the highest BindingRoot, *DefaultStore* on [CompositionManager](#) is used instead.

**SetVariableResult** **SetVariable(string name, VariableValue value)** (virtual)

If *name* is *ValueName*, returns *ReadOnly*, otherwise calls *SetVariable* on the next BindingRoot up in the object hierarchy. If this is the highest BindingRoot, *DefaultStore* on [CompositionManager](#) is used instead.



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# BoolVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.BoolVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<bool>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for bools

## Constructors

**BoolVariableSource(bool defaultValue)**

Initializes *Value* to *defaultValue*

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# BoundsVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.BoundsVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Bounds](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [Bounds](#)

## Constructors

**BoundsVariableSource**([Bounds](#) *defaultValue*)

Initializes *Value* to *defaultValue*

# BranchNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.BranchNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

An [InstructionGraphNode](#) that continues to another [node](#) based on the result of an [Expression](#).

## Public Fields

**[Expression](#)** *Switch*

The [Expression](#) to execute to determine which of the nodes in *Outputs* to run.

**[InstructionGraphNodeDictionary](#)** *Outputs*

The set of possible [nodes](#) that could be run depending on the result of *Switch*.

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *Default*

If the result of *Switch* is not found in *Outputs*, this [node](#) will be run.

# BreakNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.BreakNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

When a [graph](#) encounters this node, execution will return to the closest [node](#) in the call stack that is an [ILoopNode](#).

# ButtonGraphTrigger

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ButtonGraphTrigger : [InstructionTrigger](#)

## Description

Runs *Graph* when a button is pressed.

## Public Fields

**string** *Button*

The name of the button that is checked for presses. The name corresponds to those recognized by [InputHelper](#).

# ButtonInput

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ButtonInput : [MonoBehaviour](#), [IEventSystemHandler](#), [IPointerDownHandler](#), [IPointerUpHandler](#)

## Description

ButtonInput is a [MonoBehaviour](#) that will set the state of a button when an object is clicked or released. See the [manual page](#) for usage details.

## Public Fields

**string** *ButtonName*

The name of the button whose state will be changed when this object is clicked or released.



# ButtonType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ButtonType

## Description

Defines the available input types for an [InputNodeButton](#) in an [InputNode](#).

## Values

### **ButtonType** *Axis*

The [InputNodeButton.Name](#) refers to the name of an axis.

### **ButtonType** *Button*

The [InputNodeButton.Name](#) refers to the name of a button.

### **ButtonType** *Key*

The [InputNodeButton.Key](#) is used instead of [InputNodeButton.Name](#).

# CallMethodNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.CallMethodNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

An [InstructionGraphNode](#) that calls a method on an object using reflection.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after calling the method.

[ObjectVariableSource](#) *Target*

The object to call the method on.

[VariableReference](#) *Output*

The variable to store the value returned from the method in.

[List<VariableValueSource>](#) *Parameters*

The parameters to pass to the method.

## Public Properties

**Type** *TargetType*

The type of the object to find *Method* on.

**MethodInfo** *Method*

The method to call when encountering this node.

**Type[]** *ParameterTypes*

The types of the parameters for *Method*.

# ClearTransition

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ClearTransition : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Ends the [Transition](#) currently running on the [TransitionManager](#)

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [node](#) to run after stopping the [Transition](#).

# ClickGraphTrigger

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ClickGraphTrigger : [InstructionTrigger](#), [IEventSystemHandler](#), [IPointerDownHandler](#), [IPointerUpHandler](#)

## Description

Runs *Graph* after the mouse is clicked and released over the object.

# CollisionGraphTrigger

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.CollisionGraphTrigger : [MonoBehaviour](#), [ICollisionTrigger](#)

## Description

Runs a graph when a [CollisionNotifier](#) informs this object that it has collided.

## Public Fields

**InstructionCaller** *EnterGraph*

The [InstructionGraph](#) to run when a [CollisionNotifier](#) begins colliding with this object.

**InstructionCaller** *ExitGraph*

The [InstructionGraph](#) to run when a [CollisionNotifier](#) stops colliding with this object.

# CollisionNotifier

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.CollisionNotifier : [MonoBehaviour](#)

## Description

Notifies an [ICollisionTrigger](#) when this object has started or stopped colliding with it.

# Colors

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Colors

## Description

Defines several colors that can be used by [InstructionGraphNode.NodeColor](#) derivations to indicate the color of the node in the graph editor. Using an appropriate color from here can improve the consistency in the editor and make it easier to quickly identify the function of a node.

## Static Fields

### **Color** *Start*

The color of the entry point node.

### **Color** *Default*

The color used for nodes that don't implement [InstructionGraphNode.NodeColor](#).

### **Color** *ExecutionLight*

The color used for nodes that defer execution to other systems.

### **Color** *ExecutionDark*

The color used for nodes that perform a specific execution process.

### **Color** *Animation*

The color used for nodes that interact with Unity's animation systems.

### **Color** *Sequence*

The color used for nodes that perform many actions in a sequence.

### **Color** *Loop*

The color used for nodes that repeat an action many times.

### **Color** *Branch*

The color used for nodes that select an action to perform based on some input.

### **Color** *Break*

The color used for nodes that alter the control flow of the graph.

### **Color** *Sequencing*

A color used for nodes that are used in making scripted sequences.

### **Color** *SequencingLight*

A color used for nodes that are used in making scripted sequences.

### **Color** *SequencingDark*

A color used for nodes that are used in making scripted sequences.

**Color** *Interface*

A color used for nodes that interact with the user interface.

**Color** *InterfaceLight*

A color used for nodes that interact with the user interface.

**Color** *InterfaceDark*

A color used for nodes that interact with the user interface.

**Color** *InterfaceCyan*

A color used for nodes that interact with the user interface.

**Color** *InterfaceTeal*

A color used for nodes that interact with the user interface.



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# ColorVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ColorVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Color](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [colors](#).

## Constructors

**ColorVariableSource**([Color](#) *defaultValue*)

Initializes *Value* to *defaultValue*

# Command

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Command : [ScriptableObject](#), [ICommand](#)

## Description

A [ScriptableObject](#) type that is used to define an [Expression](#) that can be called from other [Expressions](#) as if it were a [ICommand](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *Name*

The name of the command that is used to call it from [Expressions](#)

**ParameterList** *Parameters*

The list of [parameters](#) that should be passed to the command.

**Expression** *Expression*

The [Expression](#) that is evaluated when this command is called.

## Public Methods

**VariableValue** **Evaluate**([IVariableStore](#) variables, **string** name, [List](#)<[Operation](#)> parameters)

Validates *parameters* against the types defined in *Parameters* and, if valid, executes *Expression*.  
The result of executing *Expression* is returned.

## Protected Methods

**CommandEvaluationException** **WrongParameterType**(int index, [VariableType](#) got, [VariableType](#) expected)

**CommandEvaluationException** **WrongParameterType**(int index, [VariableType](#) got, [VariableType](#) expected1, [VariableType](#) expected2)

**CommandEvaluationException** **WrongParameterType**(int index, [VariableType](#) got, [VariableType](#)[] expected)

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## CommandEvaluationException

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.CommandEvaluationException : [Exception](#)

## Description

The [Exception](#) type that is thrown during execution of [Commands](#).

## Static Methods

**CommandEvaluationException WrongParameterCount**(string *commandName*, int *got*, int *expected*)

Returns an exception that can be thrown to indicate the command *commandName* was passed an incorrect number of parameters (*got*) when an exact amount (*expected*) is expected.

**CommandEvaluationException WrongParameterCount**(string *commandName*, int *got*, int *expected1*, int *expected2*)

Returns an exception that can be thrown to indicate the command *commandName* was passed an incorrect number of parameters (*got*) when one of two amounts (*expected1* or *expected2*) were expected.

**CommandEvaluationException WrongParameterRange**(string *commandName*, int *got*, int *expectedMinimum*, int *expectedMaximum*)

Returns an exception that can be thrown to indicate the command *commandName* was passed a number of parameters (*got*) outside of an expected range (*expectedMinimum* and *expectedMaximum*)

**CommandEvaluationException TooFewParameters**(string *commandName*, int *got*, int *expected*)

Returns an exception that can be thrown to indicate the command *commandName* was passed fewer parameters (*got*) than expected (*expected*).

**CommandEvaluationException TooManyParameters**(string *commandName*, int *got*, int *expected*)

Returns an exception that can be thrown to indicate the command *commandName* was passed more parameters (*got*) than expected (*expected*).

**CommandEvaluationException WrongParameterType**(string *commandName*, int *index*, **VariableType** *got*, **VariableType** *expected*)

Returns an exception that can be thrown to indicate the command *commandName* was passed a parameter at index *index* with the type *got* instead of the type *expected*.

**CommandEvaluationException WrongParameterType**(string *commandName*, int *index*, **VariableType** *got*, **VariableType** *expected1*, **VariableType** *expected2*)

Returns an exception that can be thrown to indicate the command *commandName* was passed a parameter at index *index* with type *got* instead of either of the types *expected1* or *expected2*.

**CommandEvaluationException WrongParameterType**(string *commandName*, int *index*, **VariableType** *got*, **VariableType[]** *expected*)

Returns an exception that can be thrown to indicate the command *commandName* was passed a parameter at index *index* with type *got* instead of any of the types in *expected*.

## Constructors

**CommandEvaluationException**(string *command*, string *error*)

Creates an exception indicating the command *command* failed with error *error*.

**CommandEvaluationException**(**string** *command*, **string** *errorFormat*, **Object[]** *arguments*)

Creates an exception indicating the command *command* failed with error built from *errorFormat* formatted with *arguments*.

## Public Fields

**string** *Command*

The name of the [Command](#) that threw this exception.

# CommentNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.CommentNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

A [node](#) that has no functionality but can be placed to visually add notes to a graph.

## Public Fields

**string** *Comment*

The text of the comment that will be displayed directly in the graph window.

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# CompositionManager

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.CompositionManager : [GlobalBehaviour](#)<[CompositionManager](#)>

## Description

An automatically created [MonoBehaviour](#) that manages execution of [Instructions](#). Use the static *Instance* property to access and use the CompositionManager.

## Static Fields

**string** *GlobalStoreName*

The name to use to access *GlobalStore* from *DefaultStore* or any [InstructionStore](#).

**string** *SceneStoreName*

The name to use to access *SceneStore* from *DefaultStore* or any [InstructionStore](#).

**string** *CommandFolder*

The name of the folder that any custom [commands](#) are placed in. By default this is "Commands". All folders with this name that are inside a folder called "Resources" will be loaded when the CompositionManager is created.

**bool** *LogTracking*

When this is true, information gathered in editor builds about the execution of instructions will be logged to the console. This information is the number of enumerator iterations, the number of frames, and the amount of time it took to complete execution of the instruction. The Watch Window in the editor exposes this variable as a toggle.

## Public Properties

[IVariableStore](#) *DefaultStore (read only)*

An [IVariableStore](#) that exposes *GlobalStore* under the name *GlobalStoreName* and *SceneStore* under the name *SceneStoreName*.

[VariableStore](#) *GlobalStore (read only)*

An [IVariableStore](#) that stores user defined values which can be arbitrarily added, changed, and removed.

[SceneVariableStore](#) *SceneStore (read only)*

An [IVariableStore](#) implementation that allows scene objects to be looked up by name.

## Public Methods

**void** *RunInstruction*([Instruction](#) *instruction*, [VariableValue](#) *context*)

Runs an instruction, usually an [InstructionGraph](#) without setting any inputs other than *context* or reading any outputs.

**void RunInstruction([InstructionCaller](#) *caller*, [IVariableStore](#) *store*, [VariableValue](#) *context*)**

Runs an instruction, usually an [InstructionGraph](#), reading the inputs specified in *caller* from *store* to an <<reference/instruction-store.html,InstructionStore> that is passed to the instruction, and reading the outputs from that instruction store to *store* when the instruction has completed.

# ConditionalNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ConditionalNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

An [InstructionGraphNode](#) that continues to another [node](#) based on the result of a conditional [Expression](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *OnTrue*

If *Condition* evaluates to true, this node will run.

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *OnFalse*

If *Condition* evaluates to false, this node will run.

[Expression](#) *Condition*

The expression to execute to determine which node should be run. The expression should return a bool, otherwise an error will be logged.

# ConnectionData

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ConnectionData

## Description

Stores data about a connection between two [InstructionGraphNode](#)s. This is managed automatically by the editor and does not need to be used in any way.

# ConstrainedStore

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ConstrainedStore : [WritableStore](#), [ISchemaOwner](#)

## Description

An [IVariableStore](#) implementation that contains a set of variables as declared by a [schema](#).

## Constructors

**ConstrainedStore**([VariableSchema](#) *schema*)

Adds the variables defined in *schema* to this store.

## Public Properties

[VariableSchema](#) *Schema (read only)*

The [VariableSchema](#) that was used to initialize this store.

# CreateGameObjectNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.CreateGameObjectNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Creates a [GameObject](#) from a [prefab](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after the object is created.

[GameObjectVariableSource](#) *Prefab*

The prefab to use as a template for the game object that will be created. This can be specified as a reference to an object in the editor or a variable reference that has the value of an object.

[StringVariableSource](#) *ObjectName*

The name to assign to the newly created object.

[VariableReference](#) *ObjectVariable*

The variable to assign the newly created object to.

[ObjectPositioning](#) *Positioning*

The way the value of *Position* and *Rotation* should be interpreted.

[VariableReference](#) *Object*

When *Positioning* is Relative, specifies the object the created object should be positioned relative to.

[VariableReference](#) *Parent*

When *Positioning* is Child, specifies the object the created object should be added to as a child.

[Vector3VariableSource](#) *Position*

The position at which to place the newly created object.

[Vector3VariableSource](#) *Rotation*

The rotation to set the newly created object to.

# CreateInstructionGraphNodeMenuAttribute

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.CreateInstructionGraphNodeMenuAttribute : Attribute

## Description

This attribute should be added to custom [InstructionGraphNode](#)s to add them to the create list in the graph editor.

## Constructors

**CreateInstructionGraphNodeMenuAttribute(string *menuName*, int *order*)**

The name to use for this node in the menu. Submenus will be created for each section of *menuName* that precedes a backslash. *order* specifies the relative order of entries in the lowest submenu.

# CreateScriptableObjectNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.CreateScriptableObjectNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Creates a [ScriptableObject](#) of the specified type.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after the object is created.

**string** *ScriptableObjectType*

The [AssemblyQualifiedName](#) of the type of object to create. This type should be a concrete type with a default constructor that is derived from [ScriptableObject](#).

[VariableReference](#) *ObjectVariable*

The variable to assign the newly created object to.



# Cutoff

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Cutoff : [Transition](#)

## Description

Cutoff is an abstract implementation of a [Transition](#) that provides a custom [Shader](#) with an interface to fade, distort, and dissolve the screen image over time using an input texture. See the [manual](#) for more information or [Fade](#), [Dissolve](#), or [Distort](#) for an example implementation.

## Protected Methods

**void SetTexture([Texture2D](#) texture)**

Sets the `_TransitionTexture` property of the material which is used to lookup the animation properties according to the description in the [manual](#).

**void SetColor([Color](#) color)**

Sets the `_Color` property of the material.

**void SetCutoff(float cutoff)**

Sets the `_Cutoff` property of the material which specifies the portion of the texture that is used as the mask based on the current elapsed time.

**void SetFade(float fade)**

Sets the `_Fade` property of the material which specifies the interpolated position between the color from the input texture and the value set to `_Color`.

**void SetDistort(bool distort)**

Sets the `_Distort` property which indicates whether or not the material should distort the input texture based on the R and G channels in `_TransitionTexture`.

**void Setup()** (*virtual*)

Override this in subclasses to set additional material properties. The base implementation sets `TransitionTexture` to [Texture2D.blackTexture](#), `_color` to *black*, and `_Distort` to *false*. `_Cutoff` and `_Fade` are set in [\\_Process](#) to the percentage of [Duration](#) that has elapsed.

# DependentObjectList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.DependentObjectList : [SerializedList<GameObject>](#)

## Description

Used by [InterfaceControl](#) to store a list of [GameObjects](#).

# DestroyObjectNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.DestroyObjectNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Destroys an object.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after the object is destroyed.

[VariableReference](#) *Target*

The reference to the variable holding the object that is to be destroyed. The object can be any [Object](#). If it is a [MonoBehaviour](#), the owning [GameObject](#) will be destroyed.

# DisableBehaviourNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.DisableBehaviourNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Disables a [Behaviour](#) or [Renderer](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after the object is disabled.

[VariableReference](#) *Target*

The reference to the variable holding the [Behaviour](#) or [Renderer](#) that is to be disabled. If the object is already disabled there will be no effect.

# DisableGameObjectNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.DisableGameObjectNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Deactivates a [GameObject](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after the object is deactivated.

[VariableReference](#) *Target*

The reference to the variable holding the [GameObject](#) that is to be deactivated. If the object is already inactive there will be no effect.

# Dissolve

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Dissolve : [Cutoff](#)

## Description

Dissolve is an implementation of a [Cutoff Transition](#). See the [manual page](#) for details.

## Public Fields

**Color** *Color*

The [Color](#) to dissolve the screen to.

**Texture2D** *Texture*

The input [Texture](#) that gives the pattern of the dissolve. If this is not specified, a texture filled with perlin noise will be generated and used.

**Vector2Int** *TextureSize*

If *Texture* is null, the size of the [Texture](#) to generate.

**float** *NoiseScale*

If *Texture* is null, the scale value of the perlin noise generated as the [Texture](#).

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# EnableBehaviourNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.EnableBehaviourNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Enables a [Behaviour](#) or [Renderer](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after the object is enabled.

[VariableReference](#) *Target*

The reference to the variable holding the [Behaviour](#) or [Renderer](#) that is to be enabled. If the object is already enabled there will be no effect.



# EnableBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.EnableBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

EnableBinding is a [VariableBinding](#) that will enable or disable an [Object](#) based on the evaluation of an [Expression](#). See the [manual](#) for more information.

## Public Fields

### [Object](#) *Object*

The [GameObject](#), [Behaviour](#), or [Renderer](#) to enable or disable based on *Condition*.

### [Expression](#) *Condition*

The [Expression](#) to evaluate when updating the binding. If this evaluates to true, *Object* will be enabled otherwise it will be disabled (if it is not already).

# EnableGameObjectNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.EnableGameObjectNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Activates a [GameObject](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after the object is activated.

[VariableReference](#) *Target*

The reference to the variable holding the [GameObject](#) that is to be activated. If the object is already active there will be no effect.

# EnableGraphTrigger

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.EnableGraphTrigger : [InstructionTrigger](#)

## Description

Enable Graph Trigger is an [InstructionTrigger](#) that will run *Graph* when this object becomes enabled.

# EnumVariableConstraint

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.EnumVariableConstraint : [VariableConstraint](#)

## Description

Specifies the [enum](#) type for [VariableValues](#) using this constraint.

## Public Fields

**Type** *Type*

The enum type.

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# Expression

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Expression

## Description

Expression fields are added to objects to provide an interface for specifying simple, repeatable operations in the editor. The full expression syntax and a guide on writing and using expressions can be found in the [Expressions topic](#).

## Public Properties

**ExpressionCompilationResult** *CompilationResult (read only)*

This will hold the result of the most recent expression compilation. If *HasError* is true, this can be queried to retrieve more information about the error. That same information will be visible in the editor when viewing the expression, and any expressions that are loaded with an invalid statement will have this information logged.

**Operation** *LastOperation (read only)*

The last [Operation](#) that was evaluated when evaluating the expression. If an [ExpressionEvaluationException](#) is thrown, this will be the [Operation](#) that was being evaluated when the error was encountered. If the evaluation is successful this will hold the last [Operation](#) in the expression.

**bool** *IsValid (read only)*

This will be true if *Statement* has been set and was parsed successfully.

**bool** *HasError (read only)*

This will be true if *Statement* has been set but failed to parse correctly.

**string** *Statement (read only)*

The statement containing the text of the expression.

## Public Methods

**ExpressionCompilationResult** **SetStatement(string statement)**

Sets *Statement* to *statement* and attempts to parse it. The parse result is returned.

**void** **GetInputs(IList<VariableDefinition> inputs, string source)**

Analyzes the expression to determine the variables that are being accessed on the variable store identified with name *source* and adds them to *inputs*.

**void** **GetOutputs(IList<VariableDefinition> outputs, string source)**

Analyzes the expression to determine the variables that are being set on the variable store identified with name *source* and adds them to *outputs*.

**VariableValue** **Execute(Object context, IVariableStore variables)**

Evaluates the expression using *Evaluate* and catches any [ExpressionEvaluation](#) or [CommandEvaluation](#) exceptions that are thrown and logs them. *context* should be the object that owns the expression and is passed along to the log.

**VariableValue Execute**([Object](#) context, [IVariableStore](#) variables, [VariableType](#) expectedType)

Evaluates the expression using *Evaluate* and catches any [ExpressionEvaluation](#) or [CommandEvaluation](#) exceptions that are thrown and logs them. Additionally, the result is checked to ensure it has the [VariableType](#) *expectedType* and an error is logged if it does not. *context* should be the object that owns the expression and is passed along to the log.

**VariableValue Evaluate**([IVariableStore](#) variables)

Evaluates the expression using *variables* as the root store for resolving [VariableReferences](#). The return value is the result of the last statement in the expression. If an error is encountered an [ExpressionEvaluation](#) or [CommandEvaluation](#) exception will be thrown.

# ExpressionBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionBinding : [StringBinding](#)

## Description

Sets the text of a [TextMeshPro](#) component to the result of the evaluation of an [Expression](#).

## Public Fields

**[BindingFormatter](#)** *Formatting*

Specifies how the result of *Expression* should be formatted. This is only relevant if *Expression* results in an Int or Float [Variable](#).

**[Expression](#)** *Expression*

The *Expression* to evaluate when the binding is updated.



# ExpressionCompilationResult

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionCompilationResult

## Description

Provides the information for the result of compiling an [Expression](#).

## Public Fields

**bool** *Success*

true if the [Expression](#) was compiled successfully.

**int** *Location*

If compilation failed, the index in the source text where the error was encountered.

**string** *Token*

If compilation failed, the text of the token in the source text where the error was encountered.

**string** *Message*

If compilation failed, a message giving details about why it failed.

# ExpressionDisplayAttribute

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionDisplayAttribute : [PropertyAttribute](#)

## Description

This [Attribute](#) is applied to [Expression](#) fields to customize the way the editor displays the [Expression](#). If an [Expression](#) is not given this attribute, it is interpreted as if all the following properties have been set to their default value.

## Public Fields

### **bool** *Foldout*

If this is true the expression will be expandable and collapsable with a foldout. The default is false.

### **bool** *FullWidth*

If this is true the text area for the [Expression](#) will appear beneath its label and expanded to the full width of the inspector. Otherwise it will appear to the right of its label. The default is true.

### **int** *MinimumLines*

This specifies the minimum number of lines that will be shown in the text area regardless of the length of the [Expression](#). The default is 2.

### **int** *MaximumLines*

This specifies the number of lines the text area will grow to as the [Expression](#) gets longer before using a scroll bar. The default is 8.

# ExpressionEvaluationException

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionEvaluationException : Exception

## Description

The exception type that is thrown when the evaluation of an [Expression](#) fails.

## Constructors

### **ExpressionEvaluationException(string error)**

Specifies the message that gives more information about why evaluation failed.

### **ExpressionEvaluationException(string errorFormat, Object[] arguments)**

Specifies the message that gives more information about why evaluation failed by formatting *errorFormat* with *arguments*.

# ExpressionLexer

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionLexer

## Description

The ExpressionLexer converts [Expression](#) statements into a series of tokens for processing by the [ExpressionParser](#). [Expression](#) handles this process automatically.

## Static Methods

**List<[ExpressionToken](#)> Tokenize(string input)**

Converts *input* into a list of [tokens](#) that can then be processed by the [ExpressionParser](#). This method will always successfully convert *input*, with any unknown character sequences being given [ExpressionTokenType](#) Unknown. It is the responsibility of the [ExpressionParser](#) to report these errors as well as errors for invalid token sequences.

**void AddConstant(string text, [VariableValue](#) value)**

Adds the string *text* as a sequence of characters the lexer should identify as a Constant [token](#) that is always [parser](#) as [VariableValue](#) *value*.

**void AddKeyword(string text)**

Adds the string *text* as a sequence of characters the lexer should identify as an Operator [token](#). The [parser](#) should be given an operator with *symbol text* using [AddPrefixOperator](#) or [AddInfixOperator](#) to define the functionality for the keyword.

**[VariableValue](#) GetConstant(string text)**

Returns the [VariableValue](#) that was assigned to *text* using *AddConstant*.

# ExpressionNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Runs an expression.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after *Expression* is executed.

[Expression](#) *Expression*

The [Expression](#) to run when this node is processed. The result of the expression is ignored.

# ExpressionParseException

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionParseException : Exception

## Description

The exception type thrown by the [ExpressionParser](#) or parsed [Operations](#) when encountering an error during parsing.

## Constructors

**ExpressionParseException([ExpressionToken](#) token, string error)**

Specifies *token* as the token that caused the error and sets the exception message to *error*.

**ExpressionParseException([ExpressionToken](#) token, string errorFormat, Object[] arguments)**

Specifies *token* as the token that caused the error and sets the exception message to *errorFormat* formatted with *arguments*.

## Public Fields

**[ExpressionToken](#) Token**

The token at which the error was encountered.

# ExpressionParser

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionParser

## Description

Converts a sequence of [ExpressionTokens](#) as interpreted by the [ExpressionLexer](#) into an executable [Operation](#).

## Static Methods

**List<Operation> Parse(string input, List<ExpressionToken> tokens)**

Performs the conversion. *input* is the entire source text that was sent to the [ExpressionLexer](#) for use in printing friendly error messages. *tokens* is the set of tokens interpreted by the [ExpressionLexer](#). If the tokens cannot be parsed, an [ExpressionParseException](#) will be thrown.

**void AddCommand(string name, ICommand command)**

Associates the name *name* with *command*. When this name is encountered in an [Expression command](#) will be executed. If a [Command](#) has already been added with name *name* an error will be logged.

**void RemoveCommand(string name)**

Removes the [Command](#) registered with name *name*. If no [Command](#) has been added with name *name* an error will be logged.

**ICommand GetCommand(string name)**

Returns the [Command](#) that was registered with name *name*, or null if no command has been registered with that name.

**void AddPrefixOperator<OperatorType>(string symbol)**

Associates the string *symbol* with the [PrefixOperation](#) *OperatorType*. If a [PrefixOperation](#) has already been registered with *symbol* an error will be logged.

**void AddInfixOperator<OperatorType>(string symbol, OperatorPrecedence precedence)**

Associates the string *symbol* with the [InfixOperation](#) *OperatorType*. If an [PrefixOperation](#) has already been registered with *symbol* an error will be logged.



A [PrefixOperation](#) and [InfixOperation](#) can be added with the same symbol.

## Public Methods

**Operation ParseLeft(OperatorPrecedence precedence)**

This should only be called from [Operation.Parse](#) implementations to parse the next sequence of tokens with the given *precedence* using left associativity.

**Operation ParseRight(OperatorPrecedence precedence)**

This should only be called from [Operation.Parse](#) implementations to parse the next sequence of

tokens with the given *precedence* using right associativity.

**string GetText([ExpressionToken](#) token)**

Gets the text that *token* was parsed from.

**bool HasText([ExpressionToken](#) token, string text)**

Returns true if *token* has the text *text*

**bool HasToken([ExpressionTokenType](#) type)**

Returns true if the next token in the current parse has type *type*.

**void SkipToken([ExpressionTokenType](#) type, string expected)**

Skips the next token in the current parse. If the next token does not have type *type*, an [ExpressionParseException](#) will be thrown. *expected* is the text that was expected at the current location and is used to provide a friendlier error message.



# ExpressionToken

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionToken

## Description

Stores the data for a sequence of characters as identified by the [ExpressionLexer](#).

## Public Fields

**ExpressionTokenType** *Type*

Specifies how the [ExpressionParser](#) should interpret this token.

**int** *Location*

The index in the source text that identifies the beginning of this token.

**int** *Start*

The index in the source text that identifies the beginning of the relevant text of this token. As opposed to *Location* this will not include any introductory characters and instead identifies the index relevant to the [ExpressionParser](#).

**int** *End*

The index in the source text that identifies the beginning of the relevant text of this token. Similarly to *Start*, this will not include any trailing characters in the token that are not relevant to the [ExpressionParser](#).

# ExpressionTokenType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ExpressionTokenType

## Description

Specifies the set of [ExpressionTokens](#) the [ExpressionLexer](#) and [ExpressionParser](#) understand.

## Values

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *Sentinel*

Separates for two distinct statements. This is either ; or a line break with multiple of these concatenated into a single token.

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *Constant*

A [VariableValue](#) that has been added to the [ExpressionLexer](#) with *AddConstant*.

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *Int*

A literal value that should be interpreted as an int. An int is any continuous sequence of digits.

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *Float*

A literal value that should be interpreted as a float. A float is any continuous sequence of digits that includes a decimal point.

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *String*

A literal value that should be interpreted as a string. A string is a sequence of characters bounded by double quotes (")

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *Color*

A literal value that should be interpreted as a color. A color is a sequence of 6 digits following a hash (#)

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *Identifier*

A name that is used to look up variable values. Identifiers can be any sequence of letters, numbers, spaces, or underscores beginning with a letter or underscore.

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *Command*

A name that is used to look up a [Command](#) that has been registered with the [ExpressionParser](#) using *AddCommand*. A command is an *Identifier* that is followed by an opening paren (().

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *Operator*

An operator that is used to look up a [PrefixOperation](#) or [InfixOperation](#) that has been registered with the [ExpressionParser](#) using *AddPrefixOperator* or *AddInfixOperator*. Valid operator characters are any of +-!^\*/%<>=&|?. in any sequence and any character sequence that has been registered with the [ExpressionLexer](#) using *AddKeyword*.

### [ExpressionTokenType](#) *StartLookup*

Indicates the following tokens should be interpreted as part of a **variable lookup**. This is the [ character.

#### **ExpressionTokenType** *EndLookup*

Indicates the following tokens are no longer part of a **variable lookup**. This is the ] character.

#### **ExpressionTokenType** *StartGroup*

Indicates the following tokens should be isolated and evaluated as a group, just as would be done in a math expression. This is the ( character.

#### **ExpressionTokenType** *EndGroup*

Ends a group that was started with a *StartGroup* token or a command that was started with a *Command* token. This is the ) character.

#### **ExpressionTokenType** *Separator*

Seperates parameters in a *Command* token. This is the , character.

#### **ExpressionTokenType** *Alternation*

This is the character used as the separator for the true and false statements of a ternary expression. This is the : character.

#### **ExpressionTokenType** *Unknown*

Any token that does not meet the requirements for one of the preceding types will be given this type.

# Fade

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Fade : [Cutoff](#)

## Description

Fade is an implementation of a [Transition](#) that automatically sets up a [Cutoff](#) to perform a fade in or out to a specified color.

## Public Fields

[Color](#) *Color*

The color to fade in to or out from.

# FloatVariableConstraint

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.FloatVariableConstraint : [VariableConstraint](#)

## Description

A [VariableConstraint](#) for Float [VariableValues](#) that restricts the value to a range.

## Public Fields

**float** *Minimum*

The smallest value allowed.

**float** *Maximum*

The largest value allowed.

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# FloatVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.FloatVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<float>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for Float [VariableValues](#)

## Constructors

**FloatVariableSource(float defaultValue)**

Initializes the source to *Type* Value with *Value* \_defaultValue.

# FocusBindingRoot

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.FocusBindingRoot : [BindingRoot](#)

## Description

See the [manual entry](#) for a complete description.

## Public Fields

### [Menu](#) *Menu*

The [Menu](#) to query for the currently focused item, which will then be used as *Value* for this binding root.



# FormatType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.FormatType

## Description

Specifies the types available to set for the *Format* of a [BindingFormatter](#).

## Values

### **FormatType** *None*

The [BindingFormatter](#) will not apply any formatting and instead return the result of ToString directly.

### **FormatType** *Time*

The [BindingFormatter](#) will apply formatting while interpreting the input value as a [TimeSpan](#)

### **FormatType** *Number*

The [BindingFormatter](#) will apply formatting while interpreting the input value as a [number](#)

# GameObjectVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.GameObjectVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[GameObject](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for Object [VariableValues](#) that hold [GameObjects](#).

# GetPropertyNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.GetPropertyNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

[Manual](#)

## Public Fields

**InstructionGraphNode** *Next*

The node to run after the property has been set.

**ObjectVariableSource** *Target*

The [Object](#) whose property value is being retrieved.

**VariableReference** *Output*

The variable to assign the value of the property to.

## Public Properties

**Type** *TargetType*

The Type of object the property will be set on.

**FieldInfo** *Field*

The field to set.

**PropertyInfo** *Property*

The property to set.

# GraphTriggerBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.GraphTriggerBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

A [VariableBinding](#) that runs a [graph](#) when the variable changes. When *UpdateBindings* is called, *Variable* will be resolved and compared against its value the last time *UpdateBindings* was called. If it has changed, *Graph* will be run unless it is already running. The first time *UpdateBindings* is called will always result in *Graph* running.

## Public Fields

[InstructionCaller](#) *Graph*

The [graph](#) to run when the value referenced by *Variable* changes.

[VariableReference](#) *Variable*

The variable to watch for changes.

# HideControlNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.HideControlNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Hides an [InterfaceControl](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after *Control* is hidden.

[VariableReference](#) *Control*

The *Control* to hide.

# IAssignableOperation

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IAssignableOperation

## Description

Implement this interface in an [Operation](#) subclass to support setting values when the [Operation](#) appears on the left hand side of an assignment.

## Public Methods

**SetVariableResult** **SetValue**(**IVariableStore** variables, **VariableValue** value) (*abstract*)

This method should assign *value* to a variable in *variables* and return the result.

# ICollisionTrigger

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ICollisionTrigger

## Description

Implement this interface on a [MonoBehaviour](#) to allow an object to respond to collisions between itself and a [CollisionNotifier](#).

## Public Methods

**void Enter()** (*abstract*)

Called by a [CollisionNotifier](#) to indicate a collision has started.

**void Exit()** (*abstract*)

Called by a [CollisionNotifier](#) to indicate a collision has ended.

# ICommand

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ICommand

## Description

Implement this interface to create a custom command that can be added to the [ExpressionParser](#) and ultimately called from [Expressions](#).

## Public Methods

**VariableValue** Evaluate(**IVariableStore** variables, **string** name, **List<Operation>** parameters)  
(abstract)

This method is called by an [Expression](#) when a command with the name this was registered with is encountered. *variables* contains the [IVariableStore](#) that should be passed to each [Operation](#) in *parameters* when evaluating them as well as to look up any custom variables. *name* is the name that was used to call this command and *parameters* is the parsed expressions that were passed to the command.

[CommandEvaluationException](#) should be used to indicate any errors in execution.



# ICompletionNotifier

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ICompletionNotifier

## Description

Implement this interface in a [MonoBehaviour](#) subclass to add support for using the behaviour as an *Effect* for a [PlayEffect](#) node in a [graph](#).

## Public Properties

**bool** *IsComplete (read only) (abstract)*

This property should return true when the effect has completed.

# ILoopNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ILoopNode

## Description

Add this interface to a custom [InstructionGraphNode](#) to inform an [InstructionGraph](#) that the node should be run repeatedly. The graph will continue to run the node until the node does not call [GoTo](#) or a [BreakNode](#) is encountered.

# ImageBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ImageBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

Sets *sprite* on a sibling [Image](#).

## Public Fields

[VariableReference](#) *Variable*

The reference to the variable holding the [Sprite](#) that should be set on *Image*

## Public Properties

[Image](#) *Image (read only)*

The image that will be updated.

# ImageColorBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ImageColorBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

Sets *color* on a sibling [Image](#).

## Public Fields

[VariableReference](#) *Variable*

The reference to the variable holding the color that should be set on *Image*

## Public Properties

[Image](#) *Image (read only)*

The image that will be updated.

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# InfixOperation

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InfixOperation : [Operation](#)

## Description

The base class for all [Operations](#) that have a left and right side.

## Public Properties

[OperatorPrecedence](#) *Precedence (read only) (abstract)*

The precedence of the operation relative to other operations.

## Protected Fields

[Operation](#) *Left*

The operation that makes up the left hand side.

**string** *Symbol*

The symbol for this operation.

[Operation](#) *Right*

The operation that makes up the right hand side.

## Protected Methods

[ExpressionEvaluationException](#) **TypeMismatch**([VariableType](#) *left*, [VariableType](#) *right*)

Creates an exception indicating the operation cannot operate on values with types *left* and *right*.

# InputMessage

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InputMessage : [MessageControl](#)

## Description

A [MessageControl](#) implementation that adds support for advancing the message when a button is pressed.

## Public Fields

**string** *AcceptButton*

The name of the button, as used by [InputHelper](#), to advance the message.

# InputNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InputNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

An [InstructionGraph node](#) that waits for user input before advancing to another node.

## Public Fields

[InputNodeButtonList](#) *Buttons*

The list of [InputNodes](#) that indicate a node to advance to when a particular input is triggered.



# InputNodeButton

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InputNodeButton

## Description

Holds data for a button or key in an [InputNode](#).

## Public Fields

**ButtonType** *Type*

The type of input to use for this button.

**string** *Name*

The name of the button if *Type* is Button or the name of the axis if *Type* is Axis.

**float** *Value*

If *Type* is Axis, the minimum amount of the axis value for it to be considered pressed. If this value is negative, the axis value must be more negative than this value.

**KeyCode** *Key*

If *Type* is Key, the keyboard key for the button.

**InstructionGraphNode** *OnSelected*

The node to go to when this input is triggered.

# InputNodeButtonList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InputNodeButtonList : [SerializedList](#)<[InputNodeButton](#)>

## Description

The serializable list of [InputNodeButtons](#) in an [InputNode](#).

# Instruction

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Instruction : [ScriptableObject](#)

## Description

Implements the core functionality for an [InstructionGraph](#) or any other asset to allow it to be run by the [CompositionManager](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *ContextName*

The name to assign to the variable that is passed as *context* to either of the [CompositionManager.Run](#) methods.

**ValueDefinition** *ContextDefinition*

The definition to use to validate the variable passed as *context* to either of the [CompositionManager.Run](#) methods. If the definition specifies a [MonoBehaviour](#) type and the *context* value is not that behaviour type, it will be converted by attempting to look up a sibling behaviour.

**VariableDefinitionList** *Inputs*

The list of definitions for the input variables this instruction expects to be set when called from an [InstructionCaller](#). This list will be automatically populated by the editor and each definition can optionally be set to constrain the corresponding input. If the definition is set, the input will be validated at runtime to ensure the correct data was passed, with a message being logged if it is not.

**VariableDefinitionList** *Outputs*

The list of definitions for the output variables indicating the values this instruction will set for an [InstructionCaller](#) when it has completed. The outputs are not validated because it is not required that they are set by the instruction, but setting these will improve the editor experience.

## Public Properties

**IVariableStore** *Variables (read only)*

The [InstructionStore](#) that was passed to the *Execute* method. This will be null if the instruction is not currently running.

**bool** *IsRunning (read only)*

This will return true while the *Execute* coroutine is running.

## Public Methods

**IEnumerator** *Execute(InstructionStore variables)*

Executes the instruction. When inside an existing [coroutine](#) this can be called directly as part of

a `yield return` statement. When outside a coroutine, the [CompositionManager.RunInstruction](#) methods should be used.

### **void RefreshInputs()**

Used by the editor to refresh the input list when necessary. This will happen automatically and can be ignored.

### **void RefreshOutputs()**

Used by the editor to refresh the input list when necessary. This will happen automatically and can be ignored.

## **Protected Methods**

### **void OnEnable()** (*virtual*)

Performs important setup for the instruction. If overridden make sure to call the base implementation.

### **void OnDisable()** (*virtual*)

Performs important teardown for the instruction. If overridden make sure to call the base implementation.

### **void GetInputs(IList<VariableDefinition> inputs)** (*virtual*)

Implement this in subclasses to populate the *inputs* list with definitions for values the instruction expects to be available when called.

### **void GetOutputs(IList<VariableDefinition> outputs)** (*virtual*)

Implement this in subclasses to populate the *outputs* list with definitions for values the instruction will set after it finishes running.

### **IEnumerator Run(InstructionStore variables)** (*abstract*)

Implement this in subclasses to perform the function of the instruction.

# InstructionCaller

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionCaller

## Description

InstructionCaller is used as a field in [MonoBehaviours](#) and [ScriptableObjects](#) to serve as a bridge between code and an [InstructionGraph](#). This class will automatically manage configuring and applying input and output values to the [InstructionGraph](#) and enable full editor support.

## Public Properties

**Instruction** *Instruction*

The instruction, usually an [InstructionGraph](#), to run when this caller is executed.

**IList<InstructionInput>** *Inputs (read only)*

The list of [inputs](#) to add to the [InstructionStore](#) when running *Instruction*.

**IList<InstructionOutput>** *Outputs (read only)*

The list of [outputs](#) to read from the [InstructionStore](#) after running *Instruction*.

**bool** *IsRunning (read only)*

This will return true when *Instruction* is being executed. [Instructions](#) that are already running cannot be run again until they have completed.

## Public Methods

**IEnumerator** **Execute**([IVariableStore](#) store, [VariableValue](#) context)

Call this as a [Coroutine](#) or from another coroutine to run *Instruction*.

**void** **UpdateVariables()**

This is an editor support function.

**VariableDefinition** **GetInputDefinition**([InstructionInput](#) input)

This is an editor support function.

**VariableDefinition** **GetOutputDefinition**([InstructionOutput](#) output)

This is an editor support function.

# InstructionGraph

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionGraph : [Instruction](#)

## Description

The main piece of the composition system, implementing all the functionality necessary to manage and execute a set of [nodes](#). See the [graph manual page](#) and [graph topic](#) for more information.

## Static Fields

### **bool** *IsDebugBreakEnabled*

Indicates the editor should pause graph execution when it encounters a breakpoint. This is on (true) by default but can be turned off in the graph editor window to disable all [node](#) breakpoints. The breakpoints are not removed, so when this setting is re-enabled, any previously set breakpoints will continue to function.



This setting is saved with [EditorPrefs](#) so it will persist across Unity launches on the local machine for all projects.

### **bool** *IsDebugLoggingEnabled*

Enable this setting to log execution events when running a graph. The events that will be logged are:

- A branch has started
- A branch has been manually stopped
- Execution of a branch has completed
- Execution has paused at a breakpoint or after a step
- A connection has been followed to a new node

The current frame number is printed with the log message to make it easy to determine how many frames a particular node has taken to complete (since they are run as coroutines). Additional profiling and debugging information can be enabled with [CompositionManager.LogTracking](#).



This setting is saved with [EditorPrefs](#) so it will persist across Unity launches on the local machine for all projects.

## Public Methods

### **void** *GoTo*([InstructionGraphNode](#) *node*, **string** *name*)

Call this from a [node](#) to tell the graph to traverse to *node*. *name* should be the name of the property the node was assigned to for use in log messages.

The following two overloads perform the same task but can be used to provide more information in log messages when *node* comes from a list (*index* would be the index of *node*) or dictionary (*key*

would be the key of *node*).

- void GoTo([InstructionGraphNode](#) node, string name, int index)::
- void GoTo([InstructionGraphNode](#) node, string name, string key)::

### **void Break()**

Call this from a [node](#) to tell the graph to return to the closest [node](#) in the call stack that is an [ILoopNode](#). The [BreakNode](#) calls this.

## Protected Methods

**IEnumerator Run**([InstructionStore](#) variables, [InstructionGraphNode](#) root, string source)

# Editor Support

The following properties and methods are exposed for use by the editor and only available in editor builds. They can be ignored.

- Action<[InstructionGraph](#), [InstructionGraph](#)> OnBreakpointHit::
- [Vector2](#) StartPosition::
- [InstructionGraphNodeList](#) Nodes (read only)::
- [PlaybackState](#) DebugState (read only)::
- bool CanDebugPlay (read only)::
- bool CanDebugPause (read only)::
- bool CanDebugStep (read only)::
- bool CanDebugStop (read only)::
- void DebugPlay()::
- void DebugPause()::
- void DebugStep()::
- void DebugStop()::
- int IsInCallStack([InstructionGraphNode](#) node)::
- bool IsInCallStack([InstructionGraphNode](#) node, string source)::
- bool IsExecuting([InstructionGraphNode](#) node)::
- void GetConnections([NodeData](#) data) (virtual)::
- void SetConnection([ConnectionData](#) connection, [InstructionGraphNode](#) target) (virtual)::

# InstructionGraphNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionGraphNode : [ScriptableObject](#)

## Description

The base class for all nodes in an [InstructionGraph](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *Name*

The name of the node. This is used to display the node in the graph editor and in log messages to identify the node the message is related to.

**Vector2** *GraphPosition*

Used by the editor to store the location of the node in the graph editor.

**bool** *IsBreakpoint*

Used by the editor to indicate whether this node has been marked as a breakpoint in the graph editor for debugging.

## Public Properties

**Color** *NodeColor (read only) (virtual)*

The color the node should be displayed with in the graph editor. By default this will use [InstructionGraphNode.Colors.Default](#) but can be customized as a way to visually differentiate nodes in the graph editor.

## Public Methods

**IEnumerator** **Run**([InstructionGraph](#) graph, [InstructionStore](#) variables, **int** iteration) (*abstract*)

Implement this method in derived classes to perform the execution of the node. Read the [graphs topic](#) for a complete overview of writing and using custom nodes.

Resolve

This collection of methods will lookup the value referenced by a [VariableReference](#) or [VariableSource](#). The resolved value is set to the output parameter *result* and the return value will indicate whether the value was resolved successfully. The *variables* parameter should be the *variables* parameter passed to the *Run* method.

- **bool** Resolve([IVariableStore](#) variables, [VariableValueSource](#) source, [VariableValue](#) result (out))
- **bool** Resolve([IVariableStore](#) variables, [VariableReference](#) reference, [VariableValue](#) result (out))
- **bool** Resolve([IVariableStore](#) variables, [BoolVariableSource](#) source, **bool** result (out))
- **bool** Resolve([IVariableStore](#) variables, [VariableReference](#) reference, **bool** result (out))::



- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, IntVariableSource source, int result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, int result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, FloatVariableSource source, float result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, float result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, Int2VariableSource source, Vector2Int result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Vector2Int result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, Int3VariableSource source, Vector3Int result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Vector3Int result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, IntRectVariableSource source, RectInt result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, RectInt result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, IntBoundsVariableSource source, BoundsInt result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, BoundsInt result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, Vector2VariableSource source, Vector2 result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Vector2 result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, Vector3VariableSource source, Vector3 result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Vector3 result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, Vector4VariableSource source, Vector4 result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Vector4 result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, QuaternionVariableSource source, Quaternion result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Quaternion result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, RectVariableSource source, Rect result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Rect result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, BoundsVariableSource source, Bounds result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Bounds result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, ColorVariableSource source, Color result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Color result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, StringVariableSource source, string result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, string result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve<EnumType>(IVariableStore variables, VariableSource<EnumType> source, EnumType result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve<EnumType>(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, EnumType result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, StoreVariableSource source, IVariableStore result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, IVariableStore result (out))::`

- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, ListVariableSource source, IVariableList result (out))::`
- `bool Resolve(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, IVariableList result (out))::`
- `bool ResolveObject<ObjectType>(IVariableStore variables, VariableSource<ObjectType> source, ObjectType result (out))::`
- `bool ResolveObject<ObjectType>(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, ObjectType result (out))::`
- `bool ResolveStore<StoreType>(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, StoreType result (out))::`
- `bool ResolveList<ListType>(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, ListType result (out))::`
- `bool ResolveInterface<InterfaceType>(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, InterfaceType result (out))::`
- `bool ResolveReference(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, Object result (out))::`

**void Assign(IVariableStore variables, VariableReference reference, VariableValue value)**

Assigns *value* to the variable referenced by *reference*. The *variables* parameter should be the *variables* parameter passed to the *Run* method. If the assignment fails, a warning will be logged.

**void GetInputs(IList<VariableDefinition> inputs) (virtual)**

Implement this method to customize the set of variables the node expects to have available as inputs on the `InstructionStore` when it is run. This rarely needs to be implemented as the base implementation should be sufficient most of the time. The base implementation will automatically find all `VariableReferences`, `VariableSources`, and `Expressions`.

**void GetOutputs(IList<VariableDefinition> outputs) (virtual)**

Implement this method to customize the set of variables this node will set as outputs on the `InstructionStore` when it is run. This rarely needs to be implemented as the base implementation should be sufficient most of the time. The base implementation will automatically find all `VariableReferences` and `Expressions`.

**void GetConnections(NodeData data) (virtual)**

Implement this method to specify the nodes this node has connections to. This rarely needs to be implemented as the base implementation should be sufficient most of the time.

**void SetConnection(ConnectionData connection, InstructionGraphNode target) (virtual)**

Used by the editor to update a connection. This only needs to be overridden if *GetConnections* is overridden.

# InstructionGraphNodeDictionary

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionGraphNodeDictionary : [SerializedDictionary](#)<string, string>

## Description

Use this class as a field on an [InstructionGraphNode](#) to store an editable list of nodes that are accessed by name.

# InstructionGraphNodeList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionGraphNodeList : [SerializedList](#)<[InstructionGraphNode](#)>

## Description

Use this class as a field on an [InstructionGraphNode](#) to store an editable list of nodes that are accessed by index.

# InstructionInput

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionInput

## Description

Used by [InstructionCaller](#) to store the data for an input [Variable](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *Name*

The name used to access the value on the *Input store* from a [VariableReference](#) or [Expression](#).

**InstructionInputType** *Type*

Specifies how the value of the input is retrieved.

**VariableReference** *Reference*

If *Type* is Reference, holds the [VariableReference](#) used to look up the value.

**VariableValue** *Value*

If *Type* is Value, holds value directly.

# InstructionInputType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionInputType

## Description

Defines the available types for an [InstructionInput](#).

## Values

### [InstructionInputType](#) *Reference*

The input is looked up using a [VariableReference](#).

### [InstructionInputType](#) *Value*

The input [VariableValue](#) is set directly.

# InstructionNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

An [InstructionGraphNode](#) that runs an external [InstructionGraph](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after this node has completed.

[InstructionCaller](#) *Instruction*

The [InstructionGraph](#) to run when this node is entered. [InstructionStore.Local](#) variables available to this node are not transferred to this graph - to share variables use the [InstructionStore.Global](#) store, [InstructionStore.Input](#) store, or *Context*.

[VariableValueSource](#) *Context*

The variable to use as the [InstructionStore.Context](#) for *Instruction*.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If true, *Next* will not be run until execution of *Instruction* is complete. If false, *Next* will be run immediately and continue in parallel with *Instruction*.

# InstructionOutput

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionOutput

## Description

Used by [InstructionCaller](#) to store the data for an output [Variable](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *Name*

The name used to access the value on the [Output store](#) from a [VariableReference](#) or [Expression](#).

**InstructionOutputType** *Type*

Specifies how the value of the output is handled.

**VariableReference** *Reference*

If *Type* is Reference, holds the [VariableReference](#) that specifies where the output value should be stored after execution of the instruction finishes.



# InstructionOutputType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionOutputType

## Description

Defines the available types for an [InstructionOutput](#).

## Values

**InstructionOutputType** *Ignore*

The output will be ignored.

**InstructionOutputType** *Reference*

The input is set using a [VariableReference](#).

# InstructionReferenceNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionReferenceNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

An [InstructionGraphNode](#) that runs an external [InstructionGraph](#) that is looked up from a [VariableReference](#). Because the [graph](#) is looked up dynamically, inputs and outputs cannot be used.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to run after this node has completed.

[VariableReference](#) *Instruction*

A variable containing the [InstructionGraph](#) to run when this node is entered. [InstructionStore.Local](#) variables available to this node are not transferred to this graph - to share variables use the [InstructionStore.Global](#) store or *Context*.

[VariableValueSource](#) *Context*

The variable to use as the [InstructionStore.Context](#) for *Instruction*.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If true, *Next* will not be run until execution of *Instruction* is complete. If false, *Next* will be run immediately and continue in parallel with *Instruction*.

# InstructionStore

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionStore : [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

The [IVariableStore](#) used with [InstructionGraphs](#) to provide a robust interface for accessing and isolating variables for use by [nodes](#). When using an [InstructionCaller](#) all management of the store will be handled automatically including creation of the store, reading input variables, and writing output variables.

## Static Fields

**string** *InputStoreName*

The name used to access the *Input* store from a [VariableReference](#) or [Expression](#). This is set to "input".

**string** *OutputStoreName*

The name used to access the *Output* store from a [VariableReference](#) or [Expression](#). This is set to "output".

**string** *LocalStoreName*

The name used to access the *Local* store from a [VariableReference](#) or [Expression](#). This is set to "local".

## Static Methods

**bool** *IsInput*([VariableReference](#) variable)

Determines if *variable* reads from the *Input* store. This can be used from overridden implementations of *GetInputs* in rare cases where the default implementation isn't sufficient.

**bool** *IsOutput*([VariableReference](#) variable)

Determines if *variable* writes to the *Output* store. This can be used from overridden implementations of *GetOutputs* in rare cases where the default implementation isn't sufficient.

**bool** *IsInput*([InstructionInput](#) input)

Determines if *input* reads from the *Input* store. This can be used from overridden implementations of *GetInputs* in rare cases where the default implementation isn't sufficient.

**bool** *IsOutput*([InstructionOutput](#) output)

Determines if *inputs* writes to the *Output* store. This can be used from overridden implementations of *GetOutputs* in rare cases where the default implementation isn't sufficient.

## Constructors

**InstructionStore**([Instruction](#) instruction, [VariableValue](#) context)

Creates an InstructionStore that will be used with *instruction*, validates *context* with [instruction](#)

[.ContextDefinition](#) and sets it to *Context*. *context* is not required (it can be [VariableValue.Empty](#)) but usually holds the object that execution of *instruction* is initiated from.

## Public Properties

**string** *ContextName* (read only)

The name used to access the *Context* from a [VariableReference](#) or [Expression](#).

**VariableValue** *Context* (read only)

The value sent as *context* in the *InstructionStore* constructor.

**VariableStore** *Input* (read only)

The variable store, accessed with *InputStoreName*, that holds variables passed from the [caller](#). [Variables](#) in this store can be accessed and changed, but new [variables](#) cannot be added.

**VariableStore** *Output* (read only)

The variable store, accessed with *OutputStoreName*, that holds variables set by the instruction and returned to the [caller](#). [Variables](#) in this store can be accessed and changed, but new [variables](#) cannot be added. The store will be pre-populated with variables specified as *Outputs* on the [caller](#).

**VariableStore** *Local* (read only)

The variable store, accessed with *LocalStoreName*, that holds variables that are isolated to the execution of the *instruction* this store was created with. When execution begins, this store will be empty, but variables can be added or changed on this store at any time without affecting any other stores.



It is not required to use *LocalStoreName* when accessing the local store but it can improve readability or resolve ambiguities in some cases.

**VariableStore** *Global* (read only)

The variable store, accessed with *GlobalStoreName*, that shares variables between all [InstructionGraphs](#), [InstructionGraphNode](#)s, and [VariableBindings](#). Variables can be added or changed on this store at any time and those changes will be available to any other location that has access to the global store. From code, the global store is available at [CompositionManager.Instance.GlobalStore](#).

**SceneVariableStore** *Scene* (read only)

The variable store, accessed with *SceneStoreName*, that provides access to [GameObjects](#) in any currently loaded scene by name. From code, the scene store is available at [CompositionManager.Instance.SceneStore](#).

## Public Methods

**void** *WriteInputs*([InstructionCaller](#) *instruction*, [IList](#)<[InstructionInput](#)> *inputs*, [IVariableStore](#) *caller*)

Takes each of the [InstructionInputs](#) from *inputs*, resolves them using *caller* if they are

[VariableReferences](#), and adds them to the *Input* store.

**void WriteOutputs([IList<InstructionOutput>](#) outputs)**

Takes each of the [InstructionOutputs](#) from *outputs* and adds them to the *Output* store.

**void ReadOutputs([IList<InstructionOutput>](#) outputs, [IVariableStore](#) caller)**

Takes each of the [InstructionOutputs](#) from *outputs* and resolves them using this store if they are [VariableReferences](#), and adds them to *caller*.

**[VariableValue](#) GetVariable(string name)**

Returns the value of the variable with name *name* on this store. If *name* is not found, the *Local* store will be searched.

**[SetVariableResult](#) SetVariable(string name, [VariableValue](#) value)**

Each of the names exposed by this store are read only, but if *name* is unrecognized, this will attempt to set *value* on the *Local* store.

**[IList<string>](#) GetVariableNames()**

Returns the names of all variables exposed by this store. This is *InputStoreName*, *OutputStoreName*, *LocalStoreName*, *CompositionManager.GlobalStoreName*, *CompositionManager.SceneStoreName*, and *ContextName*.

# InstructionTrigger

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InstructionTrigger : [MonoBehaviour](#)

## Description

Add this to an object to provide an interface for specifying an [InstructionGraph](#) in the editor that can be run from code. This is also used as a base class for behaviours that run [graphs](#) on certain events. Built in implementations are:

- [ButtonGraphTrigger](#)
- [ClickGraphTrigger](#)
- [EnableGraphTrigger](#)
- [StartGraphTrigger](#)

Additionally, [InstructionGraphTrigger](#) is included that, while not deriving from this class, performs a similar function.

## Public Fields

**[InstructionCaller](#)** *Graph*

The [InstructionGraph](#) to execute when *Run* is called.

## Public Methods

**void Run()**

Runs *Graph* using the [CompositionManager](#). [CompositionManager.DefaultStore](#) is used to read input variables from and this is used as the *Context*

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# Int2VariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Int2VariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Vector2Int](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [Vector2Int](#)

## Constructors

**Int2VariableSource([Vector2Int](#) defaultValue)**

Initializes *Value* to *defaultValue*



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# Int3VariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Int3VariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Vector3Int](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [Vector3Int](#)

## Constructors

**Int3VariableSource([Vector3Int](#) defaultValue)**

Initializes *Value* to *defaultValue*

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# IntBoundsVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IntBoundsVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[BoundsInt](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [BoundsInt](#)

## Constructors

**IntBoundsVariableSource([BoundsInt](#) *defaultValue*)**

Initializes *Value* to *defaultValue*

# InterfaceControl

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.InterfaceControl : [MonoBehaviour](#)

## Description

Add this [behaviour](#) to provide support for enabling and disabling the object from an [InstructionGraph](#) using the [ShowControlNode](#) and [ControlNode](#). An InterfaceControl will always start inactive.

## Public Fields

[DependentObjectList](#) *DependentObjects*

A list of [GameObjects](#) whose enabled state should always match the enabled state of this object.

## Public Properties

**bool** *IsActive (read only)*

true if the control is currently enabled, false otherwise.

## Public Methods

**void** *Activate()*

Enables the control (and *DependentObjects*) if it is not already enabled. *Setup* will be called only if the control is not already enabled.

**void** *Deactivate()*

Disables the control (and *DependentObjects*) regardless of how many times *Activate* was called. *Teardown* will be called only if the control is not already disabled.

## Protected Methods

**void** *Awake() (virtual)*

Disables the control on load.

**void** *Setup() (virtual)*

Implement this method in a subclass to perform setup when the object becomes enabled. The base implementation does nothing.

**void** *Teardown() (virtual)*

Implement this method in a subclass to perform clean up when the object becomes disabled. The base implementation does nothing.

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# IntRectVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IntRectVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[RectInt](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [RectInt](#)

## Constructors

**IntRectVariableSource**([RectInt](#) *defaultValue*)

Initializes *Value* to *defaultValue*

# IntVariableConstraint

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IntVariableConstraint : [VariableConstraint](#)

## Description

A [VariableConstraint](#) for Int [VariableValues](#) that restricts the value to a range.

## Public Fields

**int** *Minimum*

The smallest value allowed for the value.

**int** *Maximum*

The largest value allowed for the value.



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# IntVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IntVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<int>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for ints

## Constructors

**IntVariableSource(int *defaultValue*)**

Initializes *Value* to *defaultValue*

# ISchemaOwner

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ISchemaOwner

## Description

Implement this interface on a class that also implements [IVariableStore](#) to indicate to other systems that this store is constrained by a [VariableSchema](#). This is used to improve the editing experience and enable runtime serialization of the store data. The built in classes [ConstrainedStore](#), [VariableSetComponent](#), and [VariableSetAsset](#) implement this and should be sufficient for most use cases.

## Public Properties

**VariableSchema** *Schema (read only) (abstract)*

The [VariableSchema](#) that is constraining this store.

## Public Methods

**void SetupSchema()** *(abstract)*

This method should apply the schema to the store.

# ISequenceNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ISequenceNode

## Description

Add this interface to a custom [InstructionGraphNode](#) to inform an [InstructionGraph](#) that the node should be run repeatedly. The graph will continue to run the node until the node does not call [InstructionGraph.GoTo](#).

# IterateNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IterateNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#), [ILoopNode](#)

## Description

Executes one time for each [VariableValue](#) in a [IVariableList](#).

## Public Fields

[VariableReference](#) *Container*

The variable for the [IVariableList](#) holding each of the [VariableValue](#) to iterate.

[VariableReference](#) *Index*

The variable to set to the current number of times the node has been repeated.

[VariableReference](#) *Value*

The variable to set to the current value being iterated.

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Loop*

The node to run for each [VariableValue](#) in *Container*.

# IVariableList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IVariableList

## Description

Implement this interface on a class to allow the class to be stored with type `List` in a [VariableValue](#). [VariableList](#) provides an implementation that is sufficient for most use cases.

## Public Properties

**int** *Count* (read only) (abstract)

The number of items in the list.

## Public Methods

**VariableValue** **GetVariable(int index)** (abstract)

Returns the value at the index *index* in the list.

**SetVariableResult** **SetVariable(int index, VariableValue value)** (abstract)

Sets the value at index *index* to *value*.

**SetVariableResult** **AddVariable(VariableValue value)** (abstract)

Adds the value *value* to the end of the list.

**SetVariableResult** **RemoveVariable(int index)** (abstract)

Removes the value at index *index* from the list.

# IVariableListener

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IVariableListener

## Description

Implement this on a class that uses a [MappedVariableStore](#) to receive notifications whenever a variable in the store changes.

## Public Methods

**void VariableChanged(int *index*, [VariableValue](#) *value*)** (*abstract*)

Called by [MappedVariableStore](#) to indicate the value at index *index* was changed to *value*.

# IVariableReset

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IVariableReset

## Description

Implement this interface to add support for the class to be resolved from *Object* in a [ResetTag](#) or [ResetVariables InstructionGraphNode](#). Although there is no restriction on how this interface can be used, it is intended as a way to reset [Variables](#) in a [VariableSchema](#) based on the [ValueDefinition.Tag](#) (with *ResetTag*) or [Variable.Name](#) (with *ResetVariables*).

## Public Methods

**void ResetTag(string tag) (abstract)**

Called from [ResetTag](#) with *tag* as the tag that should be reset.

**void ResetVariables(IList<string> variables) (abstract)**

Called from [ResetVariables](#) with *variables* as the list of names that should be reset.



# IVariableStore

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.IVariableStore

## Description

Implement this interface on a class to allow the class to be stored with type `Store` in a [VariableValue](#). Many built in implementations are provided for various use cases:

- [VariableStore](#)
- [ConstrainedStore](#)
- [ReadOnlyStore](#)
- [WritableStore](#)
- [SceneVariableStore](#)
- [MappedVariableStore](#)



This interface is one of the most important pieces to the variable system. Read the [variables topic](#) for a complete description of this interface and how it interacts with the rest of the system.

## Public Methods

**[VariableValue](#) GetVariable(string name)** (*abstract*)

Returns the value of the variable with name *name*.

**[SetVariableResult](#) SetVariable(string name, [VariableValue](#) value)** (*abstract*)

Sets the value of the variable with name *name* to *value*

**[IList<string>](#) GetVariableNames()** (*abstract*)

Returns the complete list of variable names that exist in this store.

# ListBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ListBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

A [VariableBinding](#) that instantiates a [prefab](#) for each item in a [IVariableList](#).

## Public Fields

**[VariableReference](#)** *Variable*

A reference to the variable containing the [IVariableList](#) to bind to.

**[BindingRoot](#)** *Template*

The [prefab](#) that will be instantiated as a child of this object for each item in the [list](#) referenced by *Variable*.

# ListVariableConstraint

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ListVariableConstraint : [VariableConstraint](#)

## Description

A [VariableConstraint](#) for List [VariableValues](#) that specifies the [VariableType](#) of [VariableValues](#) that can be added to the list.

## Public Fields

[VariableType](#) *ItemType*

The type of items in the list. If this is [Empty](#), any value can be added.

[VariableConstraint](#) *ItemConstraint*

The constraint to enforce for each item in the list.

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# ListVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ListVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[IVariableList](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [IVariableLists](#)

# LoadSceneNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.LoadSceneNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[SceneSource](#) *Source*

Specifies how the scene to load is retrieved.

[SceneReference](#) *Scene*

If *Source* is Value, holds the scene to load.

[VariableReference](#) *SceneVariable*

If *Source* is Variable, references the scene to load. If the resolved value is an Int, the scene will be loaded by index. If it is a String, it will be loaded by name.

**string** *SceneName*

If *Source* is Name, the name of the scene to load.

**int** *SceneIndex*

If *Source* is Index, the build index of the scene to load.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If this is true (the default), the node will block until the scene has been loaded. Otherwise the scene will be loaded and the graph will continue in parallel.

**bool** *CleanupAssets*

If this is true (the default), [Resources.UnloadUnusedAssets](#) will be called after the scene has been loaded.

**bool** *Additive*

If this is true (the default), the scene will be loaded in additive mode, meaning all other loaded scenes will remain loaded. If this is false, all currently loaded scenes will be unloaded first.

# LogNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.LogNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

A [node](#) that logs a message when it is run. Useful for debugging.

## Public Fields

[Message](#) *Message*

The message to log.

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The node to continue to after logging *Message*.

# LoopNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.LoopNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#), [ILoopNode](#)

## Description

Executes repeatedly until a condition [Expression](#) evaluates to false.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Loop*

The node to run repeatedly while *Condition* is true.

[VariableReference](#) *Index*

The variable to set to the current number of times the node has been repeated.

[Expression](#) *Condition*

The [Expression](#) to evaluate to determine if the node should continue to repeat.



# MappedVariableAttribute

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MappedVariableAttribute : Attribute

## Description

An [attribute](#) to apply to properties and fields to expose them to the [variables](#) system using [MappedVariableStore](#).

## Constructors

**MappedVariableAttribute**(**bool** *readable*, **bool** *writable*)

Sets the allowed access for the property or field the attribute is applied to. If the default constructor is used instead, *readable* and *writable* are both true.

## Public Fields

**bool** *Readable*

Set this to true to allow the property or field value to be retrieved when accessed through a [MappedVariableStore](#).

**bool** *Writable*

Set this to true to allow the property or field value to be set when accessed through a [MappedVariableStore](#).

# MappedVariableStore

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MappedVariableStore : [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

An [IVariableStore](#) implementation that provides an [attribute](#) based interface for exposing properties and fields defined in code to the [variables](#) system.

## Public Properties

**int** *VariableCount* (read only)

The total number of variables in the store.

## Public Methods

**void** **Setup**(Object *owner*, [VariableSchema](#) *schema*, [VariableSet](#) *variables*)

Initializes the store with [MappedVariables](#) from *owner* and [Variables](#) defined by *schema*. *variables* is initialized with *schema* as well.

[VariableValue](#) **GetVariable**(string *name*)

Returns the value of the variable with name *name*.

[SetVariableResult](#) **SetVariable**(string *name*, [VariableValue](#) *value*)

Sets the value of the variable with name *name* to *\_value*.

[IList<string>](#) **GetVariableNames**()

Returns a list of the names of all the variables in this store.

**string** **GetVariableName**(int *index*)

Returns the name of the variable at index *index*.

[VariableValue](#) **GetVariableValue**(int *index*)

Returns the value of the variable at index *index*.

[SetVariableResult](#) **SetVariableValue**(int *index*, [VariableValue](#) *value*)

Sets the value of the variable at index *index* to *value*.

# MaterialAnimation

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MaterialAnimation : [MonoBehaviour](#), [ICompletionNotifier](#)

## Description

A [MonoBehaviour](#) for use with the [PlayEffect InstructionGraphNode](#) that animates a `_Progress material property`.

## Public Fields

### **bool** *AutoAdvance*

If this is true (the default), *Progress* will be automatically updated every frame according to the values set for *UseScaledTime* and *Duration*.

### **float** *Progress*

The value that is set on the `_Progress material property` for a sibling [Renderer](#).

### **bool** *UseScaledTime*

If *AutoAdvance* is true, specifies how *Progress* will be updated when [Time.timeScale](#) is changed. When true, [Time.deltaTime](#) is used, otherwise [Time.unscaledDeltaTime](#) is used.

### **float** *Duration*

If *AutoAdvance* is true, specifies the total duration of the animation. The `_Progress material property` will be set to `_Progress_ / _Duration`.

## Public Properties

### **bool** *IsComplete* (read only)

Returns true as soon as the animation has completed. When *AutoAdvance* is true, the animation is complete when *Progress*  $\geq$  *Duration*. When *AutoAdvance* is false, the animation is complete when *Progress*  $\geq$  1.0

## Protected Methods

### **void** *LateUpdate()* (virtual)

Performs the update of the `_Progress material property`.

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# Menu

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Menu : [MonoBehaviour](#), [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

Implements the functionality for managing a list of [MenuItems](#). Input is handled by adding a [MenuInput](#) behaviour as a sibling of this behaviour. [MenuItems](#) can be added directly as children in the editor or at runtime, or by using the [ListBinding](#). Additionally, this can be used with a [SelectionControl](#) to automate the process of selecting from a menu in an [InstructionGraph](#).

## Public Fields

**Action**<[MenuItem](#)> *OnItemAdded*

Subscribe to this callback to receive a notification any time a [MenuItem](#) is added to this menu.

**Action**<[MenuItem](#)> *OnItemRemoved*

Subscribe to this callback to receive a notification any time a [MenuItem](#) is removed from this menu.

**Action**<[MenuItem](#)> *OnItemMoved*

Subscribe to this callback to receive a notification any time a [MenuItem](#)'s position in the menu changes.

**Action**<[MenuItem](#)> *OnItemBlurred*

Subscribe to this callback to receive a notification any time a [MenuItem](#) loses focus.

**Action**<[MenuItem](#)> *OnItemFocused*

Subscribe to this callback to receive a notification any time a [MenuItem](#) gains focus.

**Action**<[MenuItem](#)> *OnItemSelected*

Subscribe to this callback to receive a notification any time a [MenuItem](#) is selected.

**Action** *OnCancelled*

Subscribe to this callback to receive a notification any time the menu is closed without a selection being made.

## Public Properties

**List**<[MenuItem](#)> *Items (read only)*

The items that are in the menu.

**MenuItem** *FocusedItem*

The item that has focus.

**int** *FocusedIndex*

The index of the item that has focus.

## Public Methods

### **void SelectItem([MenuItem](#) item)**

Selects *item*. The result of an item being selected is only that *OnItemSelected* will be triggered. Selection is most commonly used indirectly through a [SelectionControl](#).

### **void Cancel()**

Triggers *OnCancelled* with no other effect.

### **[IList<string>](#) GetVariableNames()**

Returns the names of the [Variables](#) exposed by this [IVariableStore](#). These are "FocusedItem" and "FocusedIndex".

### **[VariableValue](#) GetVariable(string name)**

Returns the variable with name *name*.

### **[SetVariableResult](#) SetVariable(string name, [VariableValue](#) value)**

Sets the value of the variable with *name* to *value*.

## Protected Methods

### **void ItemAdded([MenuItem](#) item) (virtual)**

Called when a [MenuItem](#) (*item*) is added to the menu. The base implementation triggers *OnItemAdded*.

### **void ItemRemoved([MenuItem](#) item) (virtual)**

Called when a [MenuItem](#) (*item*) is removed from the menu. The base implementation triggers *OnItemRemoved*.

### **void ItemMoved([MenuItem](#) item) (virtual)**

Called when a [MenuItem](#) (*item*)'s position in menu changes. The base implementation triggers *OnItemMoved*.

### **void ItemFocused([MenuItem](#) item) (virtual)**

Called when a [MenuItem](#) (*item*) gains focus. The base implementation triggers *OnItemFocused*.

### **void ItemBlurred([MenuItem](#) item) (virtual)**

Called when a [MenuItem](#) (*item*) loses focus. The base implementation triggers *OnItemBlurred*.

### **void ItemSelected([MenuItem](#) item) (virtual)**

Called when a [MenuItem](#) (*item*) is selected. The base implementation triggers *OnItemSelected*.

### **void Cancelled() (virtual)**

Called when the menu is cancelled. The base implementation triggers *OnCancelled*.

# MenuInput

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MenuInput : [MonoBehaviour](#)

## Description

Provides input handling for a [Menu](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *HorizontalAxis*

The name of the axis, as used by [InputHelper](#), that moves focus left and right through the [Menu](#).

**string** *VerticalAxis*

The name of the axis, as used by [InputHelper](#), that moves focus up and down through the [Menu](#).

**string** *SelectButton*

The name of the button, as used by [InputHelper](#), that will select the focused item on the [Menu](#).

**string** *CancelButton*

The name of the button, as used by [InputHelper](#), that will cancel the menu.

**MenuInputPointerAction** *HoverAction*

The action to perform when the mouse moves over an item in the [Menu](#).

**MenuInputPointerAction** *ClickAction*

The action to perform when the mouse is clicked while over an item in the [Menu](#).

**PrimaryAxis** *PrimaryAxis*

Specifies how [MenuItems](#) are laid out in the [Menu](#) relative to their child index in the object. If items are laid out top to bottom (potentially with multiple columns), use Column. If items are laid out left to right (potentially with multiple rows), use Row.

**int** *RowCount*

If *PrimaryAxis* is Row, specifies the number of rows of [MenuItems](#) in the [Menu](#).

**int** *ColumnCount*

If *PrimaryAxis* is Column, specifies the number of columns of [MenuItems](#) in the [Menu](#).

**MenuInput** *NextLeft*

Specifies the menu to transfer focus to when moving past the left most [MenuItem](#) in the [Menu](#). This can be set to this menu input to cause focus to wrap back to the right. If this is not set, focus will be clamped to the left most column.

**MenuInput** *NextRight*

Specifies the menu to transfer focus to when moving past the right most [MenuItem](#) in the [Menu](#). This can be set to this menu input to cause focus to wrap back to the left. If this is not set, focus

will be clamped to the right most column.

### **MenuItem** *NextUp*

Specifies the menu to transfer focus to when moving past the top most **MenuItem** in the **Menu**. This can be set to this menu input to cause focus to wrap back to the bottom. If this is not set, focus will be clamped to the top most row.

### **MenuItem** *NextDown*

Specifies the menu to transfer focus to when moving past the bottom most **MenuItem** in the **Menu**. This can be set to this menu input to cause focus to wrap back to the top. If this is not set, focus will be clamped to the bottom most row.

### **bool** *FocusOnLoad*

Set this to true to have the first **MenuItem** gain focus when this behaviour is loaded.

### **float** *ScrollPadding*

When inside a <https://docs.unity3d.com/Manual/script-ScrollRect.html>, indicates the amount of padding to maintain around the focused item when menu navigation causes the menu to scroll.

## Public Methods

### **void** *EnterFromBeginning()*

Focuses the first **MenuItem**.

### **void** *EnterFromEnd()*

Focuses the last **MenuItem**.

### **void** *EnterFromLeft(int fromRow)*

Focuses the left most **MenuItem** in row *fromRow*.

### **void** *EnterFromRight(int fromRow)*

Focuses the right most **MenuItem** in row *fromRow*.

### **void** *EnterFromTop(int fromColumn)*

Focuses the top most **MenuItem** in column *fromColumn*.

### **void** *EnterFromBottom(int fromColumn)*

Focuses the bottom most **MenuItem** in column *fromColumn*.

### **void** *Leave()*

Clear focus so no **MenuItem** has focus.

### **void** *MoveFocusUp(int amount)*

Focus the **MenuItem** *amount* rows above the current focused item.

### **void** *MoveFocusDown(int amount)*

Focus the **MenuItem** *amount* rows below the current focused item.



**void MoveFocusLeft(int amount)**

Focus the [MenuItem](#) *amount* columns to the left of the current focused item.

**void MoveFocusRight(int amount)**

Focus the [MenuItem](#) *amount* columns to the right of the current focused item.

**void RefreshLayout()**

Re-layout the [MenuItems](#). Layout is maintained automatically when [MenuItems](#) are added, moved, or removed, but if *PrimaryAxis*, *ColumnCount*, or *RowCount* changes without altering the [MenuItems](#), this should be called.

**[MenuItem](#) GetItem(Vector2 screenPoint)**

Returns the [MenuItem](#) at position *screenPoint*. *screenPoint* is in the same coordinate system as [Input.mousePosition](#).

**void ScrollToItem(MenuItem item)**

When inside a <https://docs.unity3d.com/Manual/script-ScrollRect.html>, ensures *item* is visible with *ScrollPadding* space around it on all sides.

# MenuInputPointerAction

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MenuInputPointerAction

## Description

Defines the available options for mouse actions on [MenuInput](#).

## Values

**MenuInputPointerAction** *None*

The action will have no effect.

**MenuInputPointerAction** *Focus*

The action will focus the [MenuItem](#).

**MenuInputPointerAction** *Select*

The action will select the [MenuItem](#).

# MenuItem

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MenuItem : [BindingRoot](#)

## Description

This [MonoBehaviour](#) is used by [Menu](#) to identify child [GameObjects](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *ItemName*

The name to use to access the this item from child [VariableBindings](#). Available variables are Index, Column, Row, Label, and Focused.

## Public Properties

**int** *Index (read only)*

The index of the item in the [Menu](#).

**int** *Column (read only)*

The index of the column the item is in in the [Menu](#).

**int** *Row (read only)*

The index of the row the item is in in the [Menu](#).

**string** *Label (read only)*

The label assigned to the item by a [SelectionControl](#).

**bool** *Focused (read only)*

true when this item is the focused item in its [Menu](#)

**MenuItemTemplate** *Template (read only)*

The template this item was generated from or initialized with.

**bool** *Generated (read only)*

true if this item was generated from a prefab set by a [MenuItemTemplate](#).

## Public Methods

**void** **Setup**([MenuItemTemplate](#) *template*, **bool** *generated*)

Initializes *Template* and *Generated* after the item has been associated with a [Menu](#).

**void** **Move**(**int** *index*)

Moves the item in its [Menu](#).

## Protected Methods

**void OnDestroy()** (*virtual*)

Informs the owning [Menu](#) that this item is being removed.

# MenuItemTemplate

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MenuItemTemplate

## Description

Holds information about how a [MenuItem](#) should be setup in a [Menu](#)

## Public Fields

### [VariableReference](#) *Variables*

A reference to the variable that should be used as the [BindingRoot](#) *Value* for the [MenuItem](#)

### [ObjectSource](#) *Source*

Specifies whether the [MenuItem](#) should be looked up in the scene using *Name* (Scene) or created from a [prefab](#) using *Template* (Asset).

### **string** *Name*

When *Source* is *Name*, the name of the [GameObject](#) containing the [MenuItem](#) in the loaded scenes.

### [MenuItem](#) *Template*

When *Source* is *Asset*, the [prefab](#) to create the [MenuItem](#) from.

### **string** *Label*

When *Source* is *Asset*, the label to assign to the [MenuItem](#).

### **bool** *Expand*

When *Source* is *Asset*, this is true, and *Variables* references a [List](#), a [MenuItem](#) will be created from *Template* for each item in the [List](#).

## Public Properties

### **string** *Id* (*read only*)

The identifier used for the item when referenced by string. If *Source* is *Scene* this will be *Name*. If *Source* is *Asset* this will be *Label*.

# Message

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Message

## Description

Manages editing of formatted strings that are resolved at runtime using the [Variables System](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *Text*

The string that will be formatted at runtime. [VariableReferences](#) to resolve can be inserted in the text by surrounding it with braces ({ and }). Access the resolved text with the *GetText* method.

## Public Properties

**bool** *HasText* (read only)

Indicates that *Text* has been set and *GetText* will return a non-empty string.

## Public Methods

**void** *GetInputs*([IList](#)<[VariableDefinition](#)> *inputs*)

Adds a definition for each [VariableReference](#) in *Text* to *inputs* if the [VariableReference](#) accesses [InstructionStore.Input](#).

**string** *GetText*([IVariableStore](#) *variables*, **bool** *suppressErrors*)

Formats and returns *Text*, looking up any [VariableReferences](#) on *variables*. If *suppressErrors* is false, an error will be logged when a [VariableReference](#) cannot be resolved.

# MessageBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MessageBinding : [StringBinding](#)

## Description

Sets the text of a [TextMeshPro](#) component to the string retrieved from a [Message](#).

## Public Fields

**Message** *Message*

The [Message](#) to resolve and apply to the [TextMeshPro](#) component when the binding is updated.

# MessageControl

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MessageControl : [InterfaceControl](#)

## Description

Displays text on a [TextMeshPro](#) component. Use this [MonoBehaviour](#) directly to hide the control programmatically (or with a [\[reference/message-node.html\]](#)). To add support for dismissing this [InterfaceControl](#) with a button press, use [InputMessage](#).

## Public Fields

[TMP\\_Text](#) *DisplayText*

The [TextMeshPro](#) component that the text will be displayed on. This component will be enabled and disabled along with this MessageControl.

## Public Properties

**bool** *IsRunning* (read only)

Returns true when this MessageControl is displaying text.

## Public Methods

**void** **Show**(string *text*)

Activates the MessageControl if necessary, sets *text* on *DisplayText*, and enables *DisplayText*. If this is called a second time before it is hidden, the text will simply be replaced and the control will continue to function as normal.

## Protected Methods

[IEnumerator](#) **Run**() (virtual)

Implement this method in a subclass to add support for custom input handling. This base implementation has no functionality.



# MessageNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MessageNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Displays a [Message](#) on a [MessageControl](#).

## Public Fields

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) that will be run after this [InstructionGraphNode](#) has completed.

**[VariableReference](#)** *Control*

The [VariableReference](#) to the [VariableValue](#) that holds the [MessageControl](#) to display *Message* on.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

When true, this [InstructionGraphNode](#) will not complete until the [MessageControl](#) has been dismissed.

**bool** *AutoHide*

When true, the [MessageControl](#) will be automatically dismissed after *WaitTime* seconds.

**float** *WaitTime*

When *AutoHide* is true, the number of seconds to wait before dismissing the [MessageControl](#).

**[Message](#)** *Message*

The [Message](#) to display on the [MessageControl](#)

# MockupConnection

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MockupConnection

## Description

Holds data for a connection in a [MockupNode](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *Name*

The name to display in the graph window for this connection.

**InstructionGraphNode** *Node*

The node this connection is connected to.

# MockupConnectionList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MockupConnectionList : [SerializedList](#)<[MockupConnection](#)>

## Description

The serializable list of [MockupConnections](#) for a [MockupGraph](#) or [MockupNode](#)

# MockupGraph

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MockupGraph : [InstructionGraph](#)

## Description

Performs no function but can have an arbitrary number of entry points for quickly making [InstructionGraph](#) blueprints.

## Public Fields

**[MockupConnectionList](#)** *EntryPoints*

The list of [MockupConnections](#) to show as entry points in the start node of the graph editor window when editing this [InstructionGraph](#).

# MockupNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.MockupNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

A [node](#) that performs no function but can have arbitrary connections added for quickly making blueprints of graphs.

## Public Fields

**[MockupConnectionList](#)** *Connections*

The connections that have been added to this node.

**[Color](#)** *DisplayColor*

The color of the node in the graph editor window.

# NodeData

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.NodeData

## Description

Stores data about an [InstructionGraphNode](#). This is managed automatically by the editor and does not need to be used in any way.

# NumberBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.NumberBinding : [StringBinding](#)

## Description

Sets the text of a [TextMeshPro](#) component to a formatted number.

## Public Fields

**BindingFormatter** *Format*

Specifies how the number in *Variable* should be interpreted and formatted when converting it to a string.

**VariableReference** *Variable*

The [VariableReference](#) containing the Int or Float [VariableValue](#) that will be formatted and applied when the binding is updated.

# NumberFormatType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.NumberFormatType

## Description

Specifies the number formats available to set for the *NumberFormatting* of a [BindingFormatter](#).

## Values

### **NumberFormatType** *Percentage*

The number will be formatted as a percentage. Equivalent to setting the [custom format string](#) to "0.##%".

### **NumberFormatType** *Commas*

The number will be formatted as a number with commas separating every 3 digits. Equivalent to setting the [custom format string](#) to ",,0".

### **NumberFormatType** *Rounded*

The number will be rounded before converting it to a string. Equivalent to setting the [custom format string](#) to "0".

### **NumberFormatType** *Decimal*

The number will be rounded to 2 decimal places before converting it to a string. Equivalent to setting the [custom format string](#) to "0.00".

### **NumberFormatType** *Custom*

The format string will be read from the *ValueFormat* property of the [BindingFormatter](#).



# ObjectBindingRoot

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ObjectBindingRoot : [BindingRoot](#)

## Description

## Public Fields

[Object](#) *Object*

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## ObjectPositioning

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ObjectPositioning

## Description

Specifies the available settings for the *Positioning* property of [PlayEffect](#).

## Values

[ObjectPositioning](#) *Absolute*

The created object will be placed at the scene root and positioned at the value of [PlayEffect.Position](#) in world space.

[ObjectPositioning](#) *Relative*

The created object will be placed at the scene root and positioned at the value of [PlayEffect.Position](#) relative to [PlayEffect.Object](#).

[ObjectPositioning](#) *Child*

The created object will be placed as a child of [PlayEffect.Parent](#) and positioned at the value of [PlayEffect.Position](#) in [PlayEffect.Parent's](#) coordinates.

# ObjectPositioning

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ObjectPositioning

## Description

Specifies the available settings for the *Positioning* property of [CreateGameObjectNode](#).

## Values

### **ObjectPositioning** *Absolute*

The created object will be placed at the scene root and positioned at the value of [CreateGameObjectNode.Position](#) in world space.

### **ObjectPositioning** *Relative*

The created object will be placed at the scene root and positioned at the value of [CreateGameObjectNode.Position](#) relative to [CreateGameObjectNode.Object](#).

### **ObjectPositioning** *Child*

The created object will be placed as a child of [CreateGameObjectNode.Parent](#) and positioned at the value of [CreateGameObjectNode.Position](#) in [CreateGameObjectNode.Parent's](#) coordinates.

# ObjectSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ObjectSource

## Description

Defines the available options for the *Source* property of [MenuItemTemplate](#).

## Values

### **ObjectSource** *Scene*

The [MenuItem](#) should be looked up by name in the loaded scenes.

### **ObjectSource** *Asset*

The [MenuItem](#) should be instantiated from a [prefab](#).

# ObjectVariableConstraint

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ObjectVariableConstraint : [VariableConstraint](#)

## Description

A [VariableConstraint](#) for Object [VariableValues](#) that restricts the value to a specific type.

## Public Fields

### Type *Type*

The type the object must be or be derived from.

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# ObjectVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ObjectVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Object](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for Object [VariableValues](#)

# Operation

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Operation

## Description

The base class for all operations in an [Expression](#). Custom operations should derive from either [PrefixOperation](#) or [InfixOperation](#) rather than deriving from this class directly.

## Public Methods

**void Parse([ExpressionParser](#) parser, [ExpressionToken](#) token)** (*abstract*)

Implement this in a subclass to initialize the operation by reading [ExpressionTokens](#) from *parser*. *token* is the [ExpressionToken](#) that led to the creation of this operation.

**[VariableValue](#) Evaluate([IVariableStore](#) variables)** (*abstract*)

Implement this in a subclass to perform the execution of the operation. Any [VariableReferences](#) should use *variables* for lookups and assignments.

**void ToString([StringBuilder](#) builder)** (*abstract*)

Writes a reversible representation of this operation to *builder*.

**void GetInputs([IList](#)<[VariableDefinition](#)> inputs, [string](#) source)** (*virtual*)

Implement this in a subclass to add [VariableDefinitions](#) to *inputs* that access an [IVariableStore](#) named *source*.

**void GetOutputs([IList](#)<[VariableDefinition](#)> outputs, [string](#) source)** (*virtual*)

Implement this in a subclass to add [VariableDefinitions](#) to *outputs* that write [VariableValues](#) to an [IVariableStore](#) named *source*.

# OperatorPrecedence

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.OperatorPrecedence : ValueType

## Description

Specifies the necessary information to determine the evaluation order for different [Operations](#). Lower values will have lower precedence, meaning they will be evaluated first. The static values defined on this class follow the same precedence rules as math and other programming languages and are listed here in order of lowest precedence to highest.

## Static Fields

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Default*

This should be the precedence passed to [ExpressionParser.ParseLeft](#) when parsing a new statement or sub-statement.

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Assignment*

The precedence for all assignment operations. This is right associative so assignments can be chained..

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Ternary*

The precedence for a ternary (condition ? trueStatement : falseStatement) statement.

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Or*

The precedence for a logical or.

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *And*

The precedence for a logical and.

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Equality*

The precedence for an equality or inequality check.

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Comparison*

The precedence for comparisons.

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Addition*

The precedence for addition and subtraction.

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Multiplication*

The precedence for multiplication and division.

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Exponentiation*

The precedence for exponents.

### [OperatorPrecedence](#) *Prefix*

The precedence for all prefix operations.



### **OperatorPrecedence** *Postfix*

The precedence for all postfix operations.

### **OperatorPrecedence** *MemberAccess*

The precedence for all member access operations.

## **Static Methods**

### **OperatorPrecedence** **LeftAssociative**(*int value*)

Creates a precedence with left associativity meaning operations with the same precedence will be evaluated left to right.

### **OperatorPrecedence** **RightAssociative**(*int value*)

Creates a precedence with right associativity meaning operations with the same precedence will be evaluated right to left.

## **Public Properties**

### **int** *Value* (*read only*)

The precedence value when parsed standalone or as the left hand side of an [InfixOperation](#).

### **int** *AssociativeValue* (*read only*)

The precedence value when parsed as the right hand side of an [InfixOperation](#).

# Parameter

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Parameter

## Description

Holds the name and [type](#) of a parameter passed to a [Command](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *Name*

The name the [Command](#) uses to reference the parameter in its [Expression](#)

**VariableType** *Type*

The type the [Command](#) is expecting for the parameter.

# ParameterList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ParameterList : [SerializedList](#)<[Parameter](#)>

## Description

A [SerializedList](#) for [CommandParameters](#)

# Pixelate

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Pixelate : [Transition](#)

## Description

Dissolve is an implementation of a [Transition](#) that makes the image more and more pixelated over time. The [material property](#) `_Amount` will be set to a number between 1 and `_MaxAmount_`, with the number incrementing (or decrementing if the [phase](#) is In) every frame.

## Public Fields

**int** *MaxAmount*

The number of pixels for the dimension of the pixelation when the [Transition](#) is at its extreme.

# PlayAnimation

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.PlayAnimation : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Plays an [AnimationClip](#) on an [AnimationPlayer](#).

## Public Fields

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

**[VariableReference](#)** *AnimationPlayer*

The [AnimationPlayer](#) to play *Animation* on.

**[AnimationClipVariableSource](#)** *Animation*

The [AnimationClip](#) to play on *AnimationPlayer*.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If this is true, this node will not complete until *Animation* has completed. Otherwise, this node will complete immediately and the [InstructionGraph](#) will continue.

# PlayAnimationState

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.PlayAnimationState : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Activates a trigger using [SetTrigger](#) on an [Animator](#).

## Public Fields

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

**[VariableReference](#)** *Animator*

The [Animator](#) to set *State* on.

**[StringVariableSource](#)** *State*

The name of the trigger to set on *Animator* using [SetTrigger](#)

# PlaybackState

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.PlaybackState

## Description

Used internally by the editor to determine the current execution state of an [InstructionGraph](#).

## Values

**PlaybackState** *Running*

The graph is running.

**PlaybackState** *Paused*

The graph has stopped at a breakpoint.

**PlaybackState** *Step*

The graph is running a single node before pausing again.

**PlaybackState** *Stopped*

The graph has been manually stopped.

# PlayEffect

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.PlayEffect : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Instantiates a [prefab](#) containing one or more [ParticleSystem](#)s or [ICompletionNotifiers](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[GameObjectVariableSource](#) *Effect*

The [prefab](#) to instantiate.

[StringVariableSource](#) *EffectName*

The name to assign to the instantiated [prefab](#).

[VariableReference](#) *EffectVariable*

The variable to assign the instantiated [prefab](#) to.

[ObjectPositioning](#) *Positioning*

The way the value of *Position* and *Rotation* should be interpreted.

[VariableReference](#) *Object*

When *Positioning* is Relative, specifies the object the created object should be positioned relative to.

[VariableReference](#) *Parent*

When *Positioning* is Child, specifies the object the created object should be added to as a child.

[Vector3VariableSource](#) *Position*

The position at which to place the newly created object.

[Vector3VariableSource](#) *Rotation*

The rotation to set the newly created object to.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If this is true, this node will not complete until all [ParticleSystem](#)s and [ICompletionNotifiers](#) in *Effect* have completed. Otherwise, this node will complete immediately and the [InstructionGraph](#) will continue.

**bool** *DestroyOnComplete*

If this is true, the [GameObject](#) created from *Effect* will be destroyed when it finishes playing.



# PlaySound

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.PlaySound : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Plays an [AudioClip](#) on an [AudioPlayer](#).

## Public Fields

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

**[VariableReference](#)** *AudioPlayer*

The [AudioPlayer](#) to play *Sound* on.

**[AudioClipVariableSource](#)** *Sound*

The [AudioClip](#) to play on *AudioPlayer*.

**[FloatVariableSource](#)** *Volume*

The volume to set on *AudioPlayer* when playing *Sound*.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If this is true, this node will not complete until *Sound* has completed. Otherwise, this node will complete immediately and the [InstructionGraph](#) will continue.

# PlayTransition

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.PlayTransition : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Plays a [Transition](#) on the [TransitionManager](#).

## Public Fields

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

**[TransitionVariableSource](#)** *Transition*

The [Transition](#) to play.

**[TransitionPhase](#)** *Phase*

The [TransitionPhase](#) to play the [Transition](#) in.

**bool** *AutoFinish*

If this is true, the [Transition](#) will be ended as soon as it has completed. If this is false, the [Transition](#) will persist in its final state until another [Transition](#) (perhaps the same one with a different [TransitionPhase](#)) is started.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If this is true, this node will not complete until *Transition* has completed. Otherwise, this node will complete immediately and the [InstructionGraph](#) will continue.

# PrefixOperation

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.PrefixOperation : [Operation](#)

## Description

The base class for all [Operations](#) that have a right side.

## Public Fields

**string** *Symbol*

The symbol for this operation.

**Operation** *Right*

The operation that makes up the right hand side.

## Protected Methods

**ExpressionEvaluationException** **TypeMismatch**(**VariableType** *type*)

Creates an exception indicating the operation cannot operate on a value with type *type*.

# PrimaryAxis

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.PrimaryAxis

## Description

Defines the options available for the *PrimaryAxis* property of [MenuInput](#)

## Values

### [PrimaryAxis](#) *Column*

[MenuItems](#) are laid out in column order, meaning each [MenuItem](#) is visually below its predecessor before, optionally, wrapping to new columns.

### [PrimaryAxis](#) *Row*

[MenuItems](#) are laid out in row order, meaning each [MenuItem](#) is visually to the right of its predecessor before, optionally, wrapping to new rows.

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# QuaternionVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.QuaternionVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Quaternion](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for Quaternion [VariableValues](#)

## Constructors

**QuaternionVariableSource([Quaternion](#) *defaultValue*)**

Initializes the source to *Type* Value with *Value* \_defaultValue.

# ReadOnlyStore

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ReadOnlyStore : [VariableStore](#)

## Description

An [IVariableStore](#) implementation that disallows contained [VariableValues](#) to be assigned or added.

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# RectVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.RectVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Rect](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for Rect [VariableValues](#)

## Constructors

**RectVariableSource**([Rect](#) *defaultValue*)

Initializes the source to *Type* Value with *Value* *\_defaultValue*.

# ResetTag

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ResetTag : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Resets all [Variables](#) on an object implementing [IVariableReset](#) with a given tag. To reset a specific set of [Variables](#) use [ResetVariables](#)

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[VariableReference](#) *Object*

The [IVariableReset](#) to call *ResetTag* on.

**string** *Tag*

The tag to reset on *Object*.

# ResetVariableList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ResetVariableList : [SerializedList](#)<string>

## Description

The list of variables for a [ResetVariables](#).

# ResetVariables

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ResetVariables : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Resets a specific set of [Variables](#) on an object implementing [IVariableReset](#). To reset [Variables](#) by tag use [ResetTag](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[VariableReference](#) *Object*

The [IVariableReset](#) to call *ResetVariables* on.

[ResetVariableList](#) *Variables*

The list of variable names that should be reset.



# RunTimeline

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.RunTimeline : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Plays a [TimelineAsset](#) on a [PlayableDirector](#).

## Public Fields

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

**[VariableReference](#)** *Director*

The [PlayableDirector](#) to play *Timeline* on.

**[TimelineVariableSource](#)** *Timeline*

The [TimelineAsset](#) to play.

**[DirectorWrapMode](#)** *Mode*

The [DirectorWrapMode](#) to play *Timeline* with.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If this is true, this node will not complete until *Timeline* has completed. Otherwise, this node will complete immediately and the [InstructionGraph](#) will continue.

# SceneSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SceneSource

## Description

Defines how the scene to load is retrieved in a [LoadSceneNode](#)

## Values

### **SceneSource** *Value*

The scene is specified directly in [LoadSceneNode.Scene](#).

### **SceneSource** *Variable*

The scene is resolved from the [LoadSceneNode.SceneVariable](#) [VariableReference](#).

### **SceneSource** *Name*

The scene is loaded by name as specified by [LoadSceneNode.SceneName](#).

### **SceneSource** *Index*

The scene is loaded by build index as specified by [LoadSceneNode.SceneIndex](#).

# SceneSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SceneSource

## Description

Defines how the scene to unload is retrieved in an [UnloadSceneNode](#)

## Values

### **SceneSource** *Value*

The scene is specified directly in [UnloadSceneNode.Scene](#).

### **SceneSource** *Variable*

The scene is resolved from the [UnloadSceneNode.SceneVariable](#) [VariableReference](#).

### **SceneSource** *Name*

The scene is unloaded by name as specified by [UnloadSceneNode.SceneName](#).

### **SceneSource** *Index*

The scene is unloaded by build index as specified by [UnloadSceneNode.SceneIndex](#).

# SceneVariableStore

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SceneVariableStore : [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

An [IVariableStore](#) implementation that allows the retrieval of [GameObjects](#) from the loaded scenes.

## Public Methods

**[VariableValue](#) GetVariable(string name)**

Returns a [VariableValue](#) containing the [GameObject](#) with name *name*. The [GameObject](#) does not need to be enabled in order to access it with this method. If no [GameObject](#) is found with name *name*, [VariableValue.Empty](#) will be returned.

**[SetVariableResult](#) SetVariable(string name, [VariableValue](#) value)**

This will always return `ReadOnly`.

**[IList<string>](#) GetVariableNames()**

This will always return an empty list.

# ScopedGraph

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ScopedGraph : [InstructionGraph](#)

## Description

An [InstructionGraph](#) with an entry branch, a main branch, and an exit branch. These branches will run in sequence but for organization purposes it is useful to think of *Enter* as a setup branch and *Exit* a cleanup branch that reverses any changes made in *Enter*.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Enter*

The branch that will run when the [InstructionGraph](#) is first run.

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Process*

The branch that will run after *Enter* has completed.

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Exit*

The branch that will run after *Process* has completed.

# SelectionControl

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SelectionControl : [InterfaceControl](#)

## Description

A [InterfaceControl](#) used with a [Menu](#) to allow a [MenuItem](#) to be selected.

## Public Properties

**bool** *IsRunning (read only)*

This will be true when a selection is in progress.

**bool** *IsSelectionRequired (read only)*

This will be true if the current selection requires an item to be selected.

**bool** *IsClosing (read only)*

This will be true when the selection will be closed on the next frame.

**bool** *HasFocusedItem (read only)*

This will be true when the [Menu](#) has a focused [MenuItem](#).

**bool** *HasSelectedItem (read only)*

This will be true when a selection has been made.

**MenuItem** *FocusedItem (read only)*

The [MenuItem](#) that currently has focus, or null if there is no focused item.

**int** *FocusedIndex (read only)*

The index of the [MenuItem](#) that currently has focus, or -1 if there is no focused item.

**VariableValue** *FocusedValue (read only)*

The value associated with the [MenuItem](#) that currently has focus, or `VariableValue.Empty` if there is no focused item.

**MenuItem** *SelectedItem (read only)*

The [MenuItem](#) that has been selected, or null if no selection has been made.

**int** *SelectedIndex (read only)*

The index of the [MenuItem](#) that has been selected, or -1 if no selection has been made.

**VariableValue** *SelectedValue (read only)*

The value associated with the [MenuItem](#) that has been selected, or `VariableValue.Empty` if no selection has been made.

## Public Methods

**void Show**(**IVariableStore** *variables*, **IEnumerable**<**MenuItemTemplate**> *items*, **bool** *isSelectionRequired*, **bool** *resetIndex*)

Show *items* on the sibling **Menu**. This will start a **coroutine** that waits for a selection to be made. If *isSelectionRequired* is true, the **Menu** will be required to have a selection made. If *resetIndex* is true, the **Menu**'s focus will be set to the first item, otherwise the focus will not change. *variables* is used with *items* to resolve any **VariableReferences**.

**void Select**(**MenuItem** *item*)

Makes *item* the selected item and closes the menu.

**void Close**()

Closes the menu. If *IsSelectionRequired* is true, this will only succeed if a selection has been made.

## Protected Methods

**Transform GetItemParent**() (*virtual*)

Implement this in subclasses to specify the **Transform** that created items should be added to. By default this is the **Transform** of this object.

**void OnInitialize**() (*virtual*)

Implement this in subclasses to perform setup when *Show* is called after the items have been created and menu has been set up.

**void OnCreate**() (*virtual*)

Implement this in subclasses to perform setup when *Show* is called after the items have been created but before the menu has been set up.

**IEnumerator Run**() (*virtual*)

Implement this in subclasses to perform custom handling for waiting for a selection. The default implementation will do nothing but yield until the control closes.

# SelectionNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SelectionNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Shows a [SelectionControl](#) and retrieves a selection from it.

## Public Fields

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *OnCanceled*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when the selection is cancelled.

**[VariableReference](#)** *Control*

The [SelectionControl](#) to perform the selection with.

**[VariableReference](#)** *SelectedItem*

The variable to store the selected item in.

**[VariableReference](#)** *SelectedIndex*

The variable to store the index of the selected item in.

**bool** *IsSelectionRequired*

If this is true, a selection must be made before the node will complete.

**bool** *AutoHide*

If this is true, *Control* will be hidden once a selection has been made.

**[SelectionNodeItemList](#)** *Items*

The list of [SelectionNodeItems](#) available to be selected.



# SelectionNodeItem

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SelectionNodeItem : [MenuItemTemplate](#)

## Description

The information for an item in a [SelectionNode](#).

## Public Fields

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *OnSelected*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this item is selected.

# SelectionNodeItemList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SelectionNodeItemList : [SerializedList](#)<[SelectionNodeItem](#)>

## Description

A list of [SelectionNodeItems](#) used by [SelectionNode](#).

# SequenceNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SequenceNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#), [ISequenceNode](#)

## Description

Runs a set of [InstructionGraphNodes](#) one after the other.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNodeList](#) *Sequence*

The list of [InstructionGraphNodes](#) to run.

# SetAnimationParameter

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SetAnimationParameter : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[StringVariableSource](#) *Parameter*

The name of the parameter to set.

[AnimatorControllerParameterType](#) *Type*

The type of parameter to set.

[VariableReference](#) *Animator*

The [Animator](#) to set the parameter on.

[BoolVariableSource](#) *BoolValue*

If *Type* is [Bool](#), the value to set using [SetBool](#)

[IntVariableSource](#) *IntValue*

If *Type* is [Bool](#), the value to set using [SetInteger](#)

[FloatVariableSource](#) *FloatValue*

If *Type* is [Float](#), the value to set using [SetFloat](#)

# SetBindingNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SetBindingNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Changes the *Value* for a [BindingRoot](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[VariableReference](#) *Object*

The [BindingRoot](#) to change *Value* on.

[VariableReference](#) *Binding*

The [IVariableStore](#) to set as the *Value* on *Object*.

# SetPropertyNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SetPropertyNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Sets a property on an object using reflection.

## Public Fields

**InstructionGraphNode** *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

**ObjectVariableSource** *Target*

The [Object](#) to set the property on.

**VariableValueSource** *Value*

The [VariableValue](#) to set the property to.

## Public Properties

**Type** *TargetType*

The type of the object that the property will be set on.

**FieldInfo** *Field*

If setting a field, the field that will be set.

**PropertyInfo** *Property*

If setting a property, the property that will be set.

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# SetVariableResult

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SetVariableResult

## Description

The result returned from calls to [IVariableStore.SetVariable](#) indicating if a [VariableValue](#) was set successfully or why it failed.

## Values

**SetVariableResult** *Success*

The [VariableValue](#) was set.

**SetVariableResult** *NotFound*

The [VariableValue](#) was not set because it could not be found and values cannot be added.

**SetVariableResult** *ReadOnly*

The [VariableValue](#) was not set because it is not allowed to be changed.

**SetVariableResult** *TypeMismatch*

The [VariableValue](#) was not set because the [VariableType](#) is not allowed to be changed.



# ShowControlNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ShowControlNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[VariableReference](#) *Control*

The [InterfaceControl](#) to show.

# ShuffleNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ShuffleNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Shuffles the [VariableValues](#) in an [IVariableList](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[VariableReference](#) *Variable*

The [IVariableList](#) to shuffle.

# SimpleGraph

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SimpleGraph : [InstructionGraph](#)

## Description

A basic [InstructionGraph](#) with a single branch.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Process*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this graph runs.

# SortConditionList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SortConditionList : [SerializedList](#)<[VariableReference](#)>

## Description

The list of [VariableReferences](#) used as conditions for a [SortNode](#).

# SortNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SortNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Sorts the [VariableValues](#) in an [VariableList](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[VariableReference](#) *List*

The [VariableList](#) to sort.

**bool** *SortByProperty*

If this is true, *SortConditions* is used to sort the [VariableValues](#) by properties on each value. Otherwise the [VariableValues](#) are sorted directly.

[SortConditionList](#) *SortConditions*

The [Variables](#) on each item in *List* to sort by. When sorting by more than one property, the result will be fully sorted by the last property with equal values sorted by each previous property.

# SpriteBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SpriteBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

Sets the *sprite* of a sibling [SpriteRenderer](#).

## Public Fields

[VariableReference](#) *Variable*

The [VariableReference](#) containing the [Sprite VariableValue](#) that will be applied when the binding is updated.

## Public Properties

[SpriteRenderer](#) *Sprite (read only)*

The component to set the sprite on.

# SpriteColorBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.SpriteColorBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

Sets the *color* of a sibling [SpriteRenderer](#).

## Public Fields

[VariableReference](#) *Variable*

The [VariableReference](#) containing the Color [VariableValue](#) that will be applied when the binding is updated.

## Public Properties

[SpriteRenderer](#) *Sprite (read only)*

The component to set the color on.

# StartGraphTrigger

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.StartGraphTrigger : [InstructionTrigger](#)

## Description

Runs an [InstructionGraph](#) when *Start* is called.



# StoreVariableConstraint

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.StoreVariableConstraint : [VariableConstraint](#)

## Description

A [VariableConstraint](#) for Store [VariableValues](#) that specifies the [Variables](#) that are available in the store.

## Public Fields

[VariableSchema](#) *Schema*

The schema defining the [Variables](#) that are in the store.

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# StoreVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.StoreVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[IVariableStore](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [IVariableStores](#)

# StringBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.StringBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

The base class for all [VariableBindings](#) that set text on a [TextMeshPro](#) component.

## Public Fields

**bool** *AutoSizeContainer*

Set this to true to set *autoSizeTextContainer* on *Text*. This property is otherwise not exposed to the editor, but is necessary in some situations to ensure an [Auto Layout](#) ui is sized correctly.

## Public Properties

[TMP\\_Text](#) *Text (read only)*

The component to set the text on.

## Protected Methods

**void** **SetText**(string *text*, bool *enabled*)

Call this from subclasses to set *Text*'s text to *text*. *Text* will also be enabled or disabled according to the *enabled* parameter.

# StringVariableConstraint

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.StringVariableConstraint : [VariableConstraint](#)

## Description

A [VariableConstraint](#) for String [VariableValues](#) that restricts the value to one of a set of values.

## Public Fields

**string[]** *Values*

The allowed values.

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# StringVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.StringVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<string>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for String [VariableValues](#)

## Constructors

**StringVariableSource(string defaultValue)**

Initializes the source to *Type* Value with *Value* \_defaultValue.

# TagList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TagList : [SerializedList](#)<string>

## Description

The serializable list of tags in a [VariableSchema](#).



# TextBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TextBinding : [StringBinding](#)

## Description

Sets the text of a [TextMeshPro](#) component to a string value.

## Public Fields

**VariableReference** *Variable*

The [VariableReference](#) containing the [VariableValue](#) that will be converted to a string and applied when the binding is updated. To perform custom formatting for Int or Float [VariableValues](#) use [NumberBinding](#).

# TextColorBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TextColorBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

Sets the color of a sibling [TextMeshPro](#) component.

## Public Fields

[VariableReference](#) *Variable*

The [VariableReference](#) containing the Color [VariableValue](#) that will be applied when the binding is updated.

## Public Properties

[TMP\\_Text](#) *Text (read only)*

The component to set the color on.

# TextInputBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TextInputBinding : [VariableBinding](#)

## Description

Sets the text from a sibling [TextMeshPro](#) component and applies it to a variable.

## Public Fields

[VariableReference](#) *Variable*

The variable to apply the text to when it changes.

## Public Properties

[TMP\\_InputField](#) *Text (read only)*

The component to get the text from.

# TimeFormatType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TimeFormatType

## Description

Specifies the time formats available to set for the *TimeFormatting* of a [BindingFormatter](#).

## Values

### **TimeFormatType** *SecondsMilliseconds*

The number will be printed in seconds and milliseconds. Equivalent to setting the [custom format string](#) to "s\\.fff".

### **TimeFormatType** *MinutesSeconds*

The number will be printed in minutes and seconds. Equivalent to setting the [custom format string](#) to "m\\:ss".

### **TimeFormatType** *MinutesSecondsMilliseconds*

The number will be printed in minutes, seconds, and milliseconds. Equivalent to setting the [custom format string](#) to "m\\:ss\\.fff".

### **TimeFormatType** *HoursMinutes*

The number will be printed in hours and minutes. Equivalent to setting the [custom format string](#) to "h\\:mm".

### **TimeFormatType** *Custom*

The format string will be read from the *ValueFormat* property of the [BindingFormatter](#).

# TimelineVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TimelineVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[TimelineAsset](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for Object [VariableValues](#) that must be [TimelineAssets](#)

# TimeScaleNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TimeScaleNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Sets *timeScale*.

## Public Fields

**[InstructionGraphNode](#)** *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

**[FloatVariableSource](#)** *TimeScale*

The value to set *timeScale* to.

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# TransformNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TransformNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Animates the [Transform](#) of a [GameObject](#).

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[VariableReference](#) *Transform*

The [Transform](#) to animate.

**bool** *UseRelativePosition*

If this is true, *TargetPosition* will be added to the position of the [Transform](#) when the node starts. Otherwise, *TargetPosition* will be used directly.

**bool** *UseRelativeRotation*

If this is true, *TargetRotation* will be added to the rotation of the [Transform](#) when the node starts. Otherwise, *TargetRotation* will be used directly.

**bool** *UseRelativeScale*

If this is true, *TargetScale* will be multiplied with the scale of the [Transform](#) when the node starts. Otherwise, *TargetScale* will be used directly.

[Vector3VariableSource](#) *TargetPosition*

The position to move *Transform* toward.

[Vector3VariableSource](#) *TargetRotation*

The rotation to rotate *Transform* toward.

[Vector3VariableSource](#) *TargetScale*

The size to scale *Transform* toward.

[AnimationType](#) *AnimationMethod*

Specifies the advancement method of the animation.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If this is true, this node will not complete until the animation has completed. Otherwise, this node will complete immediately and the [InstructionGraph](#) will continue.

[FloatVariableSource](#) *Duration*

If *AnimationMethod* is *Duration*, the number of seconds the animation will take.

### **FloatVariableSource** *MoveSpeed*

If *AnimationMethod* is Speed, the number of units per second to move the [Transform](#).

### **FloatVariableSource** *RotationSpeed*

If *AnimationMethod* is Speed, the number of radians per second to rotate the [Transform](#).

### **FloatVariableSource** *ScaleSpeed*

If *AnimationMethod* is Speed, the number of units per second to scale the [Transform](#).

# Transition

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Transition : [ScriptableObject](#)

## Description

The base class for assets that perform postprocessing of the rendered scene over a time period.

## Public Fields

**float** *Duration*

The time in seconds the transition should last.

## Public Methods

**void** **Begin**([TransitionPhase](#) *phase*) (*virtual*)

Implement this to setup properties when the transition is started.

**void** **Process**(float *time*, [TransitionPhase](#) *phase*) (*virtual*)

Implement this to animate properties of the transition as time advances.

**void** **End**() (*virtual*)

Implement this to perform any clean up of the transition.

**void** **Render**([RenderTexture](#) *source*, [RenderTexture](#) *destination*) (*virtual*)

Renders the transition using *source* as the input scene and *destination* as the target. The [Graphics.Blit](#) methods are used to copy the texture using *Material*. To fully customize rendering, this can be overridden, but for most situations updating properties of *Material* in *Update* is sufficient.

## Protected Properties

**Material** *Material* (*read only*)

The [Material](#) the effect will be rendered with. This is created with a call to *SetShader*.

## Protected Methods

**void** **SetShader**(string *name*)

Creates the material using the specified shader. *name* is the name set for the shader at the beginning of the shader script. This should be called from subclasses during initialization.

**void** **Update**() (*virtual*)

Implement this to update the [material properties](#) of *Material*.

# TransitionList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TransitionList : [SerializedList](#)<[Transition](#)>

## Description

A serializable list of [Transitions](#).

# TransitionManager

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TransitionManager : [GlobalBehaviour](#)<[TransitionManager](#)>

## Description

Manages the loaded [TransitionRenderers](#) for playback of [Transitions](#).

## Public Properties

**[Transition](#)** *CurrentTransition (read only)*

The [Transition](#) that is currently running, or null if no [Transition](#) is running.

## Public Methods

**[IEnumerator](#)** **RunTransition**([Transition](#) transition, [TransitionPhase](#) phase)

Runs *transition* in [TransitionPhase](#) *phase* and ends it when it has completed - *EndTransition* will not need to be called.



If a [Transition](#) is already running, it will be ended.

**[IEnumerator](#)** **StartTransition**([Transition](#) transition, [TransitionPhase](#) phase)

Runs *transition* in [TransitionPhase](#) *phase*. *EndTransition* (or a subsequent call to *StartTransition*) should be called manually later.



If a [Transition](#) is already running, it will be ended.

**void EndTransition()**

Ends the currently running [Transition](#) if a [Transition](#) is running.

# TransitionPhase

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TransitionPhase

## Description

Defines the phases of a [Transition](#) to allow a [Transition](#) to perform differently depending on how it is being used.

## Values

### [TransitionPhase](#) *Out*

The [Transition](#) should transition away from the rendered scene into its obscured state (fade out for example).

### [TransitionPhase](#) *Obscure*

The [Transition](#) should obscure the rendered scene for an indeterminate amount of time while the loaded content is changing.

### [TransitionPhase](#) *In*

The [Transition](#) should transition from its obscured state into the rendered scene (fade in for example).

# TransitionRenderer

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TransitionRenderer : [MonoBehaviour](#)

## Description

Add this to a [Camera](#) to have any running [Transition](#) include the cameras rendered output in post processing.

# TransitionVariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.TransitionVariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Transition](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for Object [VariableValues](#) that must be [Transitions](#)



# UnloadSceneNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.UnloadSceneNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[SceneSource](#) *Source*

Specifies how the scene to unload is retrieved.

[SceneReference](#) *Scene*

If *Source* is Value, holds the scene to unload.

[VariableReference](#) *SceneVariable*

If *Source* is Variable, references the scene to unload. If the resolved value is an Int, the scene will be unloaded by index. If it is a String, it will be unloaded by name.

**string** *SceneName*

If *Source* is Name, the name of the scene to unload.

**int** *SceneIndex*

If *Source* is Index, the build index of the scene to unload.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If this is true, this node will not complete until the scene has completed unloading. Otherwise, this node will complete immediately and the [InstructionGraph](#) will continue.

**bool** *CleanupAssets*

If this is true (the default), [Resources.UnloadUnusedAssets](#) will be called after the scene has been unloaded.

# UpdateBindingNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.UpdateBindingNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Updates the [VariableBindings](#) on a [GameObject](#) and its descendants.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[VariableReference](#) *Object*

The [GameObject](#) containing the [VariableBindings](#) to update.

**string** *Group*

The *BindingGroup* of [VariableBindings](#) to update. If this is empty, all [VariableBindings](#) in *Object* will be updated.

**bool** *WaitForCompletion*

If this is true, this node will not complete until any animated bindings have finished animating. Otherwise, this node will complete immediately and the [InstructionGraph](#) will continue.

# ValueDefinition

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ValueDefinition : ValueType

## Description

Defines properties for how a [VariableValue](#) is initialized and can be used, usually as part of a [VariableSchema](#). The *Generate* method can be used to create a [VariableValue](#) that satisfies the properties of the definition.

## Static Methods

**ValueDefinition Create(VariableType type)**

Creates a definition for a [VariableValue](#) with [type](#) *type* and no other constraints.

**ValueDefinition Create(int minimum, int maximum)**

Creates a definition for a [VariableValue](#) with [type](#) *Int* and with a constraint restricting it to values between *minimum* and *maximum*.

**ValueDefinition Create(float minimum, float maximum)**

Creates a definition for a [VariableValue](#) with [type](#) *Float* and with a constraint restricting it to values between *minimum* and *maximum*.

**ValueDefinition Create(string[] values)**

Creates a definition for a [VariableValue](#) with [type](#) *String* and with a constraint restricting it to one of the values in *values*.

**ValueDefinition Create<T>()**

Creates a definition for a [VariableValue](#) with [type](#) *Object* whose value can be set to any [Object](#) that is type *T* or is derived from type *T*.

**ValueDefinition Create(Type type)**

Creates a definition for a [VariableValue](#) with [type](#) determined by [VariableValue.GetType](#).

**ValueDefinition Create(VariableType type, VariableConstraint constraint)**

Creates a definition for a [VariableValue](#) with [type](#) *type* and [VariableConstraint](#) *constraint*.



The caller must ensure *constraint* is a [VariableConstraint](#) of the appropriate type for *type*.

**ValueDefinition Create(VariableType type, VariableConstraint constraint, string tag, Expression initializer, bool isTypeLocked, bool isConstraintLocked)**

Creates a definition with the given properties.



The caller must ensure *constraint* is a [VariableConstraint](#) of the appropriate type for *type*.

# Public Properties

## **VariableType** *Type (read only)*

The **VariableType** to assign to **VariableValues** created by *Generate* or to test against with *IsValid*. If this is *Empty*, the **VariableValue** can be any type.

## **VariableConstraint** *Constraint (read only)*

The **VariableConstraint** laying out *Type* dependent requirements for **VariableValues** using this definition. This can be null, and in that case, the only constraint for **VariableValues** will be *Type*.

## **string Tag** *(read only)*

An arbitrary string that can be used to group different definitions in the same **VariableSchema**. This has no impact on the validity of a **VariableValue** or how it is generated. It is most commonly used to indicate a set of variables that should be saved (for runtime saves) or group variables for resetting to their defaults (i.e by **VariableSetComponent.ResetTag**) or any other class that implements **IVariableReset.ResetTag**).

## **Expression** *Initializer (read only)*

The **Expression** to evaluate when calling *Generate* to determine the initial value of the **VariableValue**. If the **Expression** is not set, a **VariableValue** with the default for *Type* will be generated.

## **bool IsTypeLocked** *(read only)*

Indicates to the editor that this definition cannot have *Type* changed.

## **bool IsConstraintLocked** *(read only)*

Indicates to the editor that this definition cannot have *Constraint* changed. The properties of *Constraint* can be changed, but the *Constraint* itself cannot.

# Public Methods

## **VariableValue Generate(IVariableStore variables)**

Generates a **VariableValue** that satisfies the constraints laid out by this definition with initial value determined by *Initializer*.

## **bool IsValid(VariableValue value)**

Returns true if *value* satisfies the runtime constraints specified by this definition.

# ValueDefinitionList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.ValueDefinitionList : [SerializedList](#)<[ValueDefinition](#)>

## Description

A serializable list of [ValueDefinitions](#).

# Variable

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Variable : ValueType

## Description

Associates a name with a [VariableValue](#).

## Static Properties

[Variable](#) *Empty* (read only)

A [Variable](#) with an empty *Name* and *Value* with [VariableType](#) *Empty*.

## Static Methods

[Variable](#) **Create**(string *name*, [VariableValue](#) *value*)

Creates a [Variable](#) with *Name* *name* and *\_Value* *value*.

## Public Properties

**string** *Name* (read only)

The name assigned to the variable.

[VariableValue](#) *Value* (read only)

The value assigned to the variable.

# VariableBinding

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableBinding : [MonoBehaviour](#)

## Description

The base class for all [MonoBehaviours](#) that provide support for automatically updating properties of loaded [GameObjects](#) (for instance, user interface elements) based on [VariableValues](#) stored in the [Variables System](#).

Read the [Bindings Topic](#) for a complete overview of how to use bindings and how to implement custom bindings.

## Static Methods

**void UpdateBinding([GameObject](#) obj, string group, [BindingAnimationStatus](#) status)**

Triggers an update for bindings on *obj* and its descendants. If *group* is null or empty, all bindings will be updated, otherwise all bindings with *BindingGroup* matching *group* will be updated. Optionally pass a [BindingAnimationStatus](#) instance as *status* to access information about bindings that perform an animation or otherwise take multiple frames to complete.

**void UpdateBinding([GameObject](#) obj, string group, [BindingAnimationStatus](#) status, List<[VariableBinding](#)> bindings)**

Performs the same function as the other *UpdateBinding* method but uses *bindings* as a location to store the [VariableBindings](#) looked up on *obj*. It is not necessary to use this overload exception when called from the *UpdateBinding* instance method of a [VariableBinding](#) subclass.

## Public Fields

**string BindingGroup**

An arbitrary string used to allow the binding to be targeted by calls to *UpdateBinding*. This has two common uses: for performance, if a [GameObject](#) has many bindings that don't all need to be updated at the same time, different bindings can be updated individually or as a group. And, if the value behind a binding is updated but that update shouldn't be indicated to the player until some point in the future, the update can be deferred until that time.

**bool AutoUpdate**

If this is true, the binding will be updated every frame, thus always keeping it up to date with the [VariableValues](#) it is bound to.

**bool SuppressErrors**

If this is true, failure to resolve [VariableReferences](#) when updating the binding will be considered a valid condition and therefore not log error messages.

## Public Properties

## **IVariableStore** *Variables (read only)*

Returns the **IVariableStore** to use to resolve **VariableReferences** for this binding. The **IVariableStore** will be found using **BindingRoot.FindParent**.

## Public Methods

### **void UpdateBinding**(string *group*, **BindingAnimationStatus** *status*)

Use this method to update this specific binding when *group* is either null, empty, or matches *BindingGroup*. To update all bindings on an **GameObject**, use the static *UpdateBinding* method instead. Optionally pass a **BindingAnimationStatus** instance as *status* to access information about bindings that perform an animation or otherwise take multiple frames to complete.

## Protected Methods

### **void Awake()** (*virtual*)

Performs necessary bookkeeping with the **CompositionManager** so make sure to call this base implementation when overriding in a subclass.

### **void OnDestroy()** (*virtual*)

Performs necessary bookkeeping with the **CompositionManager** so make sure to call this base implementation when overriding in a subclass.

### **void UpdateBinding**(**IVariableStore** *variables*, **BindingAnimationStatus** *status*) (*abstract*)

Implement this in subclasses to perform the binding. *variables* is the **IVariableStore** **VariableReferences** should be looked up with. For bindings that take multiple frames to complete, *status* should be updated to indicate when the binding has started and finished.



*status* will always be a valid instance so does not need to be checked for null.



# VariableConstraint

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableConstraint

## Description

VariableConstraint is the base class for constraints applied to [ValueDefinitions](#). For each relevant [VariableType](#) an implementation of this class is provided. These are:

Type	Constraint
Enum	<a href="#">EnumVariableConstraint</a>
Float	<a href="#">FloatVariableConstraint</a>
Int	<a href="#">IntVariableConstraint</a>
List	<a href="#">ListVariableConstraint</a>
Object	<a href="#">ObjectVariableConstraint</a>
Store	<a href="#">StoreVariableConstraint</a>
String	<a href="#">StringVariableConstraint</a>

## Public Methods

**bool IsValid([VariableValue](#) value)** (*abstract*)

Returns true if *value* satisfies the rules of this constraint.

# VariableConstraintAttribute

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableConstraintAttribute : Attribute

## Description

This [Attribute](#) is applied to [VariableReference](#) or [VariableSource](#) fields to inform the editor of the type of [VariableValue](#) the code is expecting, thereby providing a more useful editor for the field.

## Constructors

**VariableConstraintAttribute([VariableType](#) type)**

Specifies the corresponding field should have [VariableType](#) type.

**VariableConstraintAttribute(int *minimum*, int *maximum*)**

Specifies the corresponding field should have [VariableType](#) Int and value between *minimum* and *maximum*.

**VariableConstraintAttribute(float *minimum*, float *maximum*)**

Specifies the corresponding field should have [VariableType](#) Float and value between *minimum* and *maximum*.

**VariableConstraintAttribute(string[] *values*)**

Specifies the corresponding field should have [VariableType](#) String and value one of the options in *values*.

**VariableConstraintAttribute(Type type)**

Specifies the corresponding field should have [VariableType](#) as determined by [VariableValue.GetType](#).

# VariableDefinition

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableDefinition : ValueType

## Description

Extends a [ValueDefinition](#) by associating it with a name. All of the heavy lifting for for constraining [VariableValues](#) is provided by [ValueDefinition](#).

## Public Fields

**string** *Name*

The name of *Definition*.

**ValueDefinition** *Definition*

The [ValueDefinition](#) being given *Name*

# VariableDefinitionList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableDefinitionList : [SerializedList](#)<[VariableDefinition](#)>

## Description

A serializable list of [VariableDefinitions](#).

# VariableHandler

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableHandler

## Description

A utility class for working with [VariableValues](#) independent of their [VariableType](#).

## Static Methods

**string ToString([VariableValue](#) value)**

Returns the string representation of *value* depending on the [VariableType](#) it is holding.

**[VariableValue](#) CreateDefault([VariableType](#) type, [VariableConstraint](#) constraint)**

Creates and returns a variable with type *type* whose value meets the requirements of *constraint*. If *constraint* is null, the default value for type *type* is returned.

**void ToString([VariableValue](#) value, [StringBuilder](#) builder)**

Appends the string representation of *value* to *builder*.

**[List](#)<string> SaveVariables([IList](#)<[Variable](#)> variables, [List](#) objects (ref))**

Converts the [Variables](#) in *variables* to a representation that can be serialized by Unity. The returned list of strings, as well as *objects*, should be assigned to serializable fields an an object.

**[List](#)<[Variable](#)> LoadVariables([List](#) data (ref), [List](#) objects (ref))**

Creates a set of variables from the serialized representation in *data* and *objects*. *data* and *objects* will be cleared.

**string SaveVariable([Variable](#) variable, [List](#) objects (ref))**

Converts *variable* to a representation that can be serialized by Unity. The returned string and *objects* should be assigned to serializable fields on an object.

**[Variable](#) LoadVariable(string data (ref), [List](#) objects (ref))**

Creates a variable from the serialized representation in *data* and *objects*. *data* and *objects* will be cleared.

**string SaveValue([VariableValue](#) value, [List](#) objects (ref))**

Converts *value* to a representation that can be serialized by Unity. The returned string and *objects* should be assigned to serializable fields on an object.

**[VariableValue](#) LoadValue(string data (ref), [List](#) objects (ref))**

Creates a value from the serialized representation in *data* and *objects*. *data* and *objects* will be cleared.

**string SaveConstraint([VariableType](#) type, [VariableConstraint](#) constraint, [List](#) objects (ref))**

Saves *constraint* with type *type* to a representation that can be serialized by Unity. The returned string and *objects* should be assigned to serializable fields on an object.

### **VariableConstraint LoadConstraint**(string *data* (ref), List *objects* (ref))

Creates a constraint from the serialized representation in *data* and *objects*. *\_data* and *objects* will be cleared.

### **VariableValue Add**(VariableValue *left*, VariableValue *right*)

Returns the result of adding *left* to *right*. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **VariableValue Subtract**(VariableValue *left*, VariableValue *right*)

Returns the result of subtracting *right* from *left*. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **VariableValue Multiply**(VariableValue *left*, VariableValue *right*)

Returns the result of multiplying *left* and *right*. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **VariableValue Divide**(VariableValue *left*, VariableValue *right*)

Returns the result of dividing *left* by *right*. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **VariableValue Modulo**(VariableValue *left*, VariableValue *right*)

Returns the remainder of dividing *left* by *right*. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **VariableValue Exponent**(VariableValue *left*, VariableValue *right*)

Returns the result of raising *left* to the *right* power. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **VariableValue Negate**(VariableValue *value*)

Returns the result of inverting *value*. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **VariableValue And**(VariableValue *left*, VariableValue *right*)

Returns the logical and of *left* and *right*. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **VariableValue Or**(VariableValue *left*, VariableValue *right*)

Returns the logical or of *left* and *right*. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **VariableValue Not**(VariableValue *value*)

Returns the inverse of *value*. If the result cannot be computed due to invalid or incompatible types, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

### **Nullable<bool> IsEqual**(VariableValue *left*, VariableValue *right*)

Returns true if *left* and *right* are equal, false if *left* and *right* can be legally compared but are not equal, and null if the types cannot be compared.

**Nullable<int> Compare**(**VariableValue** *left*, **VariableValue** *right*)

Returns -1 if *left* is less than *right*, 1 if *left* is greater than *right*, 0 if *left* is equal to *right*, and null if the types cannot be compared.

**VariableValue Lookup**(**VariableValue** *owner*, **VariableValue** *lookup*)

Returns a value contained in *owner* based on the value of *lookup*. If *lookup* is not found, **VariableValue.Empty** will be returned.

**SetVariableResult Apply**(**VariableValue** *owner (ref)*, **VariableValue** *lookup*, **VariableValue** *value*)

Sets a value contained in *owner* based on *lookup* to *value*. *owner* will be updated to the new value. If *owner* is not holding a reference as determined by **VariableValue.IsReference** it must be reassigned to the container it is being held in. The return value indicates success or the reason for failure.

**VariableValue Cast**(**VariableValue** *owner*, **string** *type*)

Returns the value of *owner* converted to type *type*. For object values, this is used to lookup sibling components.

**bool Test**(**VariableValue** *owner*, **VariableValue** *test*)

Determines if *owner* is holding the type indicated by *test*.

# VariableInitializerType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableInitializerType

## Description

Defines the options for how a [VariableValue](#) will be initialized when created from a [ValueDefinition](#) in a [VariableSchema](#).

## Values

**VariableInitializerType** *Expression*

The [VariableValue](#) will be initialized with the result of an [Expression](#).

**VariableInitializerType** *DefaultValue*

The [VariableValue](#) will be initialized to a specific value set in the editor.

**VariableInitializerType** *None*

The [VariableValue](#) will be initialized to the default value for its type.



# VariableLink

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableLink : [MonoBehaviour](#)

## Description

Adds a custom set of [Variables](#) to [CompositionManager.Global](#).

## Public Fields

[VariablePool](#) *Variables*

The [Variables](#) to add to [CompositionManager.Global](#) while this [MonoBehaviour](#) is enabled.

# VariableList

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableList : [IVariableList](#)

## Description

An implementation of [IVariableList](#) that has no constraints on the [ValueValues](#) it can hold.

## Constructors

**VariableList(int count)**

Adds *count* [Empty ValueValues](#) to the list.

## Public Properties

**List<VariableValue> Values (read only)**

The [VariableValues](#) in the list.

**int Count (read only)**

The number of [VariableValues](#) in the list.

## Public Methods

**VariableValue GetVariable(int index)**

Returns the [VariableValue](#) at index *index* in the list. If *index* is not between 0 and *Count*, [VariableValue.Empty](#) will be returned.

**SetVariableResult AddVariable(VariableValue value)**

Adds *value* to the list. This will always succeed and return [Success](#).

**SetVariableResult RemoveVariable(int index)**

Removes the [VariableValue](#) at index *index* from the list.

**SetVariableResult SetVariable(int index, VariableValue value)**

Changes the [VariableValue](#) at index *index* to *value*.

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# VariablePool

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariablePool : [VariableStore](#)

## Description

An [IVariableStore](#) that allows an arbitrary set of [VariableValues](#) to be added in the editor with a [ValueDefinition](#).

## Public Fields

[List<ValueDefinition>](#) *Definitions*

Provides the editor access to the definitions. This should not be accessed at runtime.

## Public Methods

**void ChangeName(int index, string name)**

This is an editor support function that can be ignored.

**void ChangeDefinition(int index, [ValueDefinition](#) definition)**

This is an editor support function that can be ignored.

**[SetVariableResult](#) SetVariable(int index, [VariableValue](#) value)**

This is an editor support function that can be ignored.

# VariablePoolAsset

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariablePoolAsset : [ScriptableObject](#), [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

An asset for storing an arbitrary set of [Variables](#) using a [VariablePool](#).

## Public Fields

[VariablePool](#) *Variables*

The [Variables](#) stored by this asset.

## Public Methods

[VariableValue](#) **GetVariable**(string *name*)

The names of all the [Variables](#) stored by this asset.

[SetVariableResult](#) **SetVariable**(string *name*, [VariableValue](#) *value*)

Returns the [VariableValue](#) with name *name*.

[IList<string>](#) **GetVariableNames**()

Sets the [VariableValue](#) with name *name* to *\_value*.

# VariablePoolComponent

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariablePoolComponent : [MonoBehaviour](#), [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

A behaviour for storing an arbitrary set of [Variables](#) using a [VariablePool](#).

## Public Fields

[VariablePool](#) *Variables*

The [Variables](#) stored by this behaviour.

## Public Methods

[IList<string>](#) **GetVariableNames()**

The names of all the [Variables](#) stored by this behaviour.

[VariableValue](#) **GetVariable(string name)**

Returns the [VariableValue](#) with name *name*.

[SetVariableResult](#) **SetVariable(string name, [VariableValue](#) value)**

Sets the [VariableValue](#) with name *name* to *\_value*.

# VariableReference

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableReference

## Description

Specifies the name and location of a [VariableValue](#) for lookup or assignment.

## Static Fields

### **string** *Cast*

The text to use in *Variable* to lookup a sibling [Component](#) when referencing a [Component](#) or [GameObject](#). This is set to `as`.

### **Char** *Separator*

The character to use to separate the variable names in *Variable*. This is set to `'.'`.

### **Char** *LookupOpen*

The character to use in *Variable* to specify an index. This is set to `'['`.

### **Char** *LookupClose*

The character to use in *Variable* after specifying an index. This is set to `']'`.

## Public Properties

### **bool** *IsValid (read only)*

Returns `true` if *Variable* contains a valid statement. This only verifies the syntax, it does not check if the variable exists.

### **bool** *IsAssigned (read only)*

Returns `true` if *Variable* has been assigned regardless of if it's valid or not.

### **string** *StoreName (read only)*

The first part of *Variable* (i.e the section before the first *Separator*).

### **string** *RootName (read only)*

The second part of *Variable* (i.e the section between the first and second *Separator*).

### **string** *Variable*

The reference to the [VariableValue](#).

## Public Methods

### **VariableValue** *GetValue(IVariableStore variables)*

Returns the referenced [VariableValue](#) by looking up *Variable* on *variables*.



**SetVariableResult SetValue**(**IVariableStore** *variables*, **VariableValue** *value*)

Sets the referenced **VariableValue** by looking up *Variable* on *variables* and assigning it *value*.

# VariableSchema

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableSchema : [ScriptableObject](#)

## Description

A VariableSchema is used to define the variables that are available to a [variable store](#) object - usually a [VariableSetComponent](#) or [VariableSetAsset](#). This improves the editor experience for working with those object types along with enforcing constraints so typos or other mistaken accesses can be caught and reported at runtime.

## Public Fields

[VariableInitializerType](#) *InitializerType*

Specifies how the initializer for each [ValueDefinition](#) will be displayed in the editor and ultimately how [VariableValues](#) created by this schema will be initialized.

[TagList](#) *Tags*

Specifies the set of tags that can be selected in the editor for each [ValueDefinition](#) added to this schema.

## Public Properties

**int** *Version (read only)*

The current version of the schema. This is incremented every time any change is made to the schema so objects using it know to update themselves. These updates are automatically managed by [VariableSetComponent](#) and [VariableSetAsset](#) and any class derived from them.

**int** *Count (read only)*

The number of [VariableDefinitions](#) that have been added to this schema.

[VariableDefinition](#) **this**[**int** *index*]

Sets or returns the [VariableDefinition](#) at index *index*.



[VariableDefinition](#) is a struct so any changes made to the returned [definition](#) will not change the actual schema. Reassign the [definition](#) using this indexer to apply the change.

## Public Methods

**int** **GetIndex**(string *name*)

Returns the index of the [VariableDefinition](#) with *Name* *name* or -1 if no [VariableDefinition](#) has been added with that name.



Variable names are case sensitive.

**bool HasDefinition(string name)**

Returns true if this schema has a [VariableDefinition](#) with *Name* name.

**bool AddDefinition(string name, [VariableType](#) type)**

Adds a new [VariableDefinition](#) to the schema with *Name* name and *Type* type. If a [definition](#) with that name has already been added, nothing will happen and this method will return false. If the definition is successfully added this method will return true.

**void RemoveDefinition(int index)**

Removes the [VariableDefinition](#) at index *index* from this schema.

# VariableSet

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableSet : [IVariableReset](#)

## Description

Holds a serializable list of [Variables](#) that are defined by a [VariableSchema](#). This is most often used with a [MappedVariableStore](#).

## Public Properties

**[VariableSchema](#)** *Schema (read only)*

The [VariableSchema](#) that defines the [Variables](#) in the set.

**[IVariableStore](#)** *Owner (read only)*

The [IVariableStore](#) that this is a member of.

**bool** *NeedsUpdate (read only)*

This will be true if *Schema* has changed since the last time this set was updated.

**int** *VariableCount (read only)*

The number of [Variables](#) in the set.

## Public Methods

**void LoadFrom([VariableSet](#) variables, string tag)**

Copy all the [Variables](#) in *variables* with *Tag tag* into this set. This is for runtime persistence of game state.

**void SaveTo([VariableSet](#) variables, string tag)**

Copy all the [Variables](#) in this set with *Tag tag* into *variables*. This is for runtime persistence of game state.

**void Setup([VariableSchema](#) schema, [IVariableStore](#) owner)**

Associate this set with *schema* and *owner*. If *schema* has changed since the last time this was called, the [Variables](#) will be updated.

**void Update()**

This is an editor support function and can be ignored.

**void Reset(int index)**

Resets the [Variable](#) at *index* to its default value defined in *Schema*.

**void Clear()**

Disassociates this set with *Schema* and *Owner* and removes all its [Variables](#).

**string GetVariableName(int index)**

Returns the name of the [Variable](#) at index *index*.

**[VariableValue](#) GetValueValue(int index)**

Returns the [VariableValue](#) of the [Variable](#) at index *index*

**[SetVariableResult](#) SetVariableValue(int index, [VariableValue](#) value)**

Sets the [VariableValue](#) of the [Variable](#) at index *index* to *value*.

**void ResetTag(string tag)**

Resets all [Variables](#) with *Tag tag* to their default value defined in *Schema*.

**void ResetVariables([IList](#)<string> variables)**

Resets all [Variables](#) in *variables* to their default value defined in *Schema*.

# VariableSetAsset

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableSetAsset : [ScriptableObject](#), [ISchemaOwner](#), [IVariableReset](#), [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

An asset for storing [Variables](#) that are defined by a [VariableSchema](#). This can also be used as a base class for assets that need to expose variables defined in code to the variables system.

## Public Fields

[VariableSet](#) *Variables*

The [Variables](#) stored by this asset that are defined in *Schema*.

## Public Properties

[VariableSchema](#) *Schema (read only)*

The [VariableSchema](#) used to define *Variables*.

[MappedVariableStore](#) *Store (read only)*

The store providing the mapping for all the [Variables](#) in this asset - both *Variables* and those defined in code using [VariableMapping](#).

## Public Methods

**void SetupSchema()**

One time setup to initialize *Store*. This is managed automatically.

**VariableValue** **GetVariable(string name)**

Returns the variable, defined by either *Schema* or with [VariableMappings](#) with name *name*.

**SetVariableResult** **SetVariable(string name, VariableValue value)**

Sets the variable, defined by either *Schema* or with [VariableMappings](#), with name *name* to *value*.

**IList<string>** **GetVariableNames()**

Returns the names of all the variables, defined by either *Schema* or with [VariableMappings](#).

**void ResetTag(string tag)**

Resets all the variables defined in *Schema* with with tag *tag*.

**void ResetVariables(IList<string> variables)**

Resets all the variables in *variables*.

## Protected Methods

**void OnEnable()** (*virtual*)

Provides necessary initialization. When overridden this base implementation must be called.

# VariableSetComponent

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableSetComponent : [MonoBehaviour](#), [ISchemaOwner](#), [IVariableReset](#), [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

A behaviour for storing [Variables](#) that are defined by a [VariableSchema](#). This can also be used as a base class for behaviours that need to expose variables defined in code to the variables system.

## Public Fields

[VariableSet](#) *Variables*

The [Variables](#) stored by this asset that are defined in *Schema*.

## Public Properties

[VariableSchema](#) *Schema (read only)*

The [VariableSchema](#) used to define *Variables*.

[MappedVariableStore](#) *Store (read only)*

The store providing the mapping for all the [Variables](#) in this asset - both *Variables* and those defined in code using [VariableMapping](#).

## Public Methods

**void SetupSchema()**

One time setup to initialize *Store*. This is managed automatically.

[VariableValue](#) **GetVariable(string name)**

Returns the variable, defined by either *Schema* or with [VariableMappings](#) with name *name*.

[SetVariableResult](#) **SetVariable(string name, [VariableValue](#) value)**

Sets the variable, defined by either *Schema* or with [VariableMappings](#), with name *name* to *value*.

[IList<string>](#) **GetVariableNames()**

Returns the names of all the variables, defined by either *Schema* or with [VariableMappings](#).

**void ResetTag(string tag)**

Resets all the variables defined in *Schema* with with tag *tag*.

**void ResetVariables([IList<string>](#) variables)**

Resets all the variables in *variables*.



## Protected Methods

**void OnEnable()** (*virtual*)

Provides necessary initialization. When overridden this base implementation must be called.

# VariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableSource

## Description

A wrapper type for fields that allows a value to be set directly or set to a [VariableReference](#). [VariableSource<T>](#) provides a generic implementation that is sufficient for all use cases.

## Public Fields

### [VariableSourceType](#) *Type*

Whether this source has a value or [VariableReference](#). If this is set to *Value* the subclass will include the value field of the correct type.

### [VariableReference](#) *Reference*

If *Type* is set to *Reference*, this holds the [VariableReference](#) where the [VariableValue](#) should be looked up.

## Public Methods

**void GetInputs(IList<[VariableDefinition](#)> inputs)**

If *Type* is set to *Reference* and *Reference* accesses [InstructionStore.Inputs](#), adds the definition for *Reference* to *inputs*.

## Protected Methods

**[ValueDefinition](#) GetInputDefinition()** (*abstract*)

Implement this in a subclass to return a definition for the represented type.

# VariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableSource<T> : [VariableSource](#)

## Description

An implementation of [VariableSource](#) that exposes the value to use when *Type* is set to *Value*. Because Unity cannot serialize fields of generic types this class is defined as abstract. Therefore, concrete types for each value type must be implemented. The following built in variable sources are included:

	Type
<a href="#">BoolVariableSource</a>	bool
<a href="#">IntVariableSource,</a>	int
<a href="#">FloatVariableSource,</a>	float
<a href="#">Int2VariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Vector2Int</a>
<a href="#">Int3VariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Vector3Int</a>
<a href="#">IntRectVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">RectInt</a>
<a href="#">IntBoundsVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">BoundsInt</a>
<a href="#">Vector2VariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Vector2</a>
<a href="#">Vector3VariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Vector3</a>
<a href="#">Vector4VariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Vector4</a>
<a href="#">QuaternionVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Quaternion</a>
<a href="#">RectVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Rect</a>
<a href="#">BoundsVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Bounds</a>
<a href="#">ColorVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Color</a>
<a href="#">StringVariableSource,</a>	string
<a href="#">ObjectVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">Object</a>
<a href="#">GameObjectVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">GameObject</a>
<a href="#">StoreVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">IVariableStore</a>
<a href="#">ListVariableSource,</a>	<a href="#">IVariableList</a>
<a href="#">VariableValueSource,</a>	<a href="#">VariableValue</a>

Variable sources for additional types can be added by deriving from this class.

## Public Fields

**T** *Value*

If *Type* is set to *Value*, this holds the value the owner should use for this variable.

# VariableSourceType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableSourceType

## Description

Used by [VariableSource](#) to specify how a [VariableValue](#) is retrieved.

## Values

### [VariableSourceType](#) *Value*

The value is specified directly.

### [VariableSourceType](#) *Reference*

The value is looked up from a [VariableReference](#).

# VariableStore

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableStore : [IVariableStore](#)

## Description

An [IVariableStore](#) that allows an arbitrary set of [VariableValues](#) to be added.

## Public Properties

[List](#)<[string](#)> *Names (read only)*

The names of the [VariableValues](#) in the store.

[List](#)<[VariableValue](#)> *Variables (read only)*

The [VariableValues](#) in the store.

[Dictionary](#)<[string](#), [string](#)> *Map (read only)*

The dictionary that maps names to indexes of the [VariableValues](#).

## Public Methods

**void AddVariable**([string](#) name, [VariableValue](#) value) (virtual)

Adds *value* to the store and assigns it the name *name*.

**bool RemoveVariable**([string](#) name)

Removes the [VariableValue](#) with name *name* from the store. If *name* does not exist, false is returned.

**void RemoveVariable**([int](#) index)

Removes the [VariableValue](#) at index *index* from the store.

**void VariableMoved**([int](#) from, [int](#) to) (virtual)

This is an editor support function that can be ignored.

**void Clear**() (virtual)

Removes all [VariableValues](#) from the store.

[IList](#)<[string](#)> **GetVariableNames**() (virtual)

Returns *Names*.

[VariableValue](#) **GetVariable**([string](#) name) (virtual)

Returns the [VariableValue](#) with name *name*.

[SetVariableResult](#) **SetVariable**([string](#) name, [VariableValue](#) value) (virtual)

Sets the [VariableValue](#) with *name* name to *value*. If *name* does not exist, it will be added.

## Protected Methods

**void RemoveVariable(string name, int index)** (*virtual*)

Removes the variable with *name* name and index *index*.

**SetVariableResult SetVariable(string name, VariableValue value, bool allowAdd)**

Sets the **VariableValue** with *name* name to *value*. If *name* does not exist, it will be added only if *allowAdd* is true.

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# VariableType

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableType

## Description

Defines the set of types a [VariableValue](#) can hold.

## Values

### **VariableType** *Empty*

The [VariableValue](#) has no value.

### **VariableType** *Bool*

The [VariableValue](#) is a bool.

### **VariableType** *Int*

The [VariableValue](#) is an int.

### **VariableType** *Float*

The [VariableValue](#) is a float.

### **VariableType** *Int2*

The [VariableValue](#) is a [Vector2Int](#).

### **VariableType** *Int3*

The [VariableValue](#) is a [Vector3Int](#).

### **VariableType** *IntRect*

The [VariableValue](#) is a [RectInt](#).

### **VariableType** *IntBounds*

The [VariableValue](#) is a [BoundsInt](#).

### **VariableType** *Vector2*

The [VariableValue](#) is a [Vector2](#).

### **VariableType** *Vector3*

The [VariableValue](#) is a [Vector3](#).

### **VariableType** *Vector4*

The [VariableValue](#) is a [Vector4](#).

### **VariableType** *Quaternion*

The [VariableValue](#) is a [Quaternion](#).

### **VariableType** *Rect*

The [VariableValue](#) is a [Rect](#).

### **VariableType** *Bounds*

The **VariableValue** is a **Bounds**.

### **VariableType** *Color*

The **VariableValue** is a **Color**.

### **VariableType** *String*

The **VariableValue** is a string.

### **VariableType** *Enum*

The **VariableValue** is an enum. The type of enum is stored in *EnumType* on **VariableValue**.

### **VariableType** *Object*

The **VariableValue** is an **Object**. If the type is constrained the base type is stored in *ReferenceType* on **VariableValue**.



If a value is both an **Object** and **IVariableStore**, its *Type* will be **Object**.

### **VariableType** *Store*

The **VariableValue** is an **IVariableStore**.

### **VariableType** *List*

The **VariableValue** is an **IVariableList**.

# VariableValue

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableValue : ValueType

## Description

Stores a value or object in a generic fashion without boxing value types (except enums). The possible types that can be stored are defined in [VariableType](#).

## Static Properties

**VariableValue** *Empty (read only)*

Creates a value with [VariableType](#) Empty.

## Static Methods

**VariableType** **GetType**(Type type)

Returns the [VariableType](#) that would be used to store a value of Type type. If type is not supported, Empty will be returned.

**VariableValue** **Create**(bool value)

Creates a [VariableValue](#) with Type Bool that holds value.

**VariableValue** **Create**(int value)

Creates a [VariableValue](#) with Type Int that holds value.

**VariableValue** **Create**(float value)

Creates a [VariableValue](#) with Type Float that holds value.

**VariableValue** **Create**(Vector2Int value)

Creates a [VariableValue](#) with Type Int2 that holds value.

**VariableValue** **Create**(Vector3Int value)

Creates a [VariableValue](#) with Type Int3 that holds value.

**VariableValue** **Create**(RectInt value)

Creates a [VariableValue](#) with Type RectInt that holds value.

**VariableValue** **Create**(BoundsInt value)

Creates a [VariableValue](#) with Type BoundsInt that holds value.

**VariableValue** **Create**(Vector2 value)

Creates a [VariableValue](#) with Type Vector2 that holds value.

**VariableValue** **Create**(Vector3 value)

Creates a [VariableValue](#) with Type Vector3 that holds value.

### **VariableValue Create(Vector4 value)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* Vector4 that holds *value*.

### **VariableValue Create(Quaternion value)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* Quaternion that holds *value*.

### **VariableValue Create(Rect value)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* Rect that holds *value*.

### **VariableValue Create(Bounds value)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* Bounds that holds *value*.

### **VariableValue Create(Color value)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* Color that holds *value*.

### **VariableValue Create(string str)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* String that holds *str*.

### **VariableValue Create(Enum e)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* Enum and *EnumType* the type of *e* that holds *e*.

### **VariableValue Create(Object obj)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* Object that holds *obj*.

### **VariableValue Create(IVariableStore store)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* Store that holds *store*.

### **VariableValue Create(IVariableList list)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* List that holds *list*.

### **VariableValue CreateValue<T>(T value)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* determined from *T* that holds *value*. This can be used for all **VariableTypes** except Enum, Object, Store, and List.

### **VariableValue CreateReference(object reference)**

Creates a **VariableValue** with *Type* determined from the type of *reference* that holds *reference*. This can be used for the **VariableTypes** Enum, Object, Store, and List.



If *reference* is both an **IVariableStore** and an **Object**, the value will have type Object.

## Public Properties

### **VariableType** *Type (read only)*

The **VariableType** of the value.

### **bool** *IsEmpty (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is Empty.

**bool** *IsNull (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is Object, Store, or List and no value is stored.

**bool** *HasValue (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is a value type (i.e anything other than String, Enum, Object, Store, or List).

**bool** *HasString (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is String.

**bool** *HasEnum (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is Enum.

**bool** *HasReference (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is Object, Store, or List.

**bool** *HasObject (read only)*

Returns true if the stored object is an [Object](#) or derived from [Object](#).

**bool** *HasStore (read only)*

Returns true if the stored object is an [IVariableStore](#).



Even if *Type* is Object, this will still return true if the stored object is also an [IVariableStore](#).

**bool** *HasList (read only)*

Returns true if the stored object is an [IVariableList](#).



Even if *Type* is Object, this will still return true if the stored object is also an [IVariableList](#).

**bool** *HasNumber (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is Int or Float.

**bool** *HasNumber2 (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is Int2 or Vector2.

**bool** *HasNumber3 (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is Int3, Vector3, Int2, or Vector2.

**bool** *HasNumber4 (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is Vector4, Int3, Vector3, Int2, or Vector2.

**bool** *HasRect (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is IntRect or Rect.

**bool** *HasBounds (read only)*

Returns true if *Type* is IntBounds or Bounds.

**bool** *Bool (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Bool or an undefined value if it is not.

**int** *Int (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Int or an undefined value if it is not.

**float** *Float (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Float or an undefined value if it is not.

**Vector2Int** *Int2 (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Int2 or an undefined value if it is not.

**Vector3Int** *Int3 (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Int3 or an undefined value if it is not.

**RectInt** *IntRect (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is IntRect or an undefined value if it is not.

**BoundsInt** *IntBounds (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is IntBounds or an undefined value if it is not.

**Vector2** *Vector2 (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Vector2 or an undefined value if it is not.

**Vector3** *Vector3 (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Vector3 or an undefined value if it is not.

**Vector4** *Vector4 (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Vector4 or an undefined value if it is not.

**Quaternion** *Quaternion (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Quaternion or an undefined value if it is not.

**Rect** *Rect (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Rect or an undefined value if it is not.

**Bounds** *Bounds (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Bounds or an undefined value if it is not.

**Color** *Color (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Color or an undefined value if it is not.

**string** *String (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is String or null if it is not.

**Enum** *Enum (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Enum or null if it is not.

**Object** *Object (read only)*

Returns the stored object if *Type* is Object or null if it is not.

**IVariableStore** *Store (read only)*

Returns the stored object if the object is an **IVariableStore** or null if it is not.

**IVariableList** *List (read only)*

Returns the stored object if the object is an **IVariableList** or null if it is not.

**float** *Number (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Int or Float or 0.0 if it is not.

**Vector2** *Number2 (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Int2 or Vector2 or (0.0, 0.0) if it is not.

**Vector3** *Number3 (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Int3 or Vector3, *Number2* with *z* = 0.0 if *Type* is Int2 or Vector2, or (0.0, 0.0, 0.0) otherwise.

**Vector4** *Number4 (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is Vector4, *Number3* with *w* = 1.0 if *Type* is Int3, Vector3, Int2, or Vector2, or (0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 1.0) otherwise.

**Rect** *NumberRect (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is IntRect or Rect or a 0 sized rect at (0.0, 0.0) if it is not.

**Bounds** *NumberBounds (read only)*

Returns the stored value if *Type* is IntBounds or Bounds or a 0 sized bounds at (0.0, 0.0, 0.0) if it is not.

**Object** *Reference (read only)*

The stored reference value whether *Type* is Object, Store, or List.

**Type** *EnumType (read only)*

The type of the stored *Enum* if *Type* is Enum or null if it is not.

**Type** *ReferenceType (read only)*

The type of the stored *Object* if *Type* is Object or null if it is not.

## Public Methods

**bool** **HasEnumType**<*Type*>() *O*

true if *Type* is Enum and *EnumType* is *Type*.

**bool HasReferenceType<Type>()**

true if *Type* is Object and *ReferenceType* is *Type* or is derived from *Type*.

**bool HasEnumType(Type type)**

true if *Type* is Enum and *EnumType* is *type*.

**bool HasReferenceType(Type type)**

true if *Type* is Object and *ReferenceType* is *type* or is derived from *type*.

**object GetBoxedValue()**

Returns the stored value, regardless of *Type*. Value types will be boxed.

**bool TryGetBool(bool value (out))**

If *Type* is Bool, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to false and returns false.

**bool TryGetInt(int value (out))**

If *Type* is Int, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to 0 and returns false.

**bool TryGetFloat(float value (out))**

If *Type* is Float, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to 0.0 and returns false.

**bool TryGetInt2(Vector2Int value (out))**

If *Type* is Int2, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to (0, 0) and returns false.

**bool TryGetInt3(Vector3Int value (out))**

If *Type* is Int3, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to (0, 0, 0) and returns false.

**bool TryGetIntRect(RectInt value (out))**

If *Type* is IntRect, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to a 0 sized rect at (0, 0) and returns false.

**bool TryGetIntBounds(BoundsInt value (out))**

If *Type* is IntBounds, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to a 0 sized bounds at (0, 0, 0) and returns false.

**bool TryGetVector2(Vector2 value (out))**

If *Type* is Vector2, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to (0.0, 0.0) and returns false.

**bool TryGetVector3(Vector3 value (out))**

If *Type* is Vector3, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to (0.0, 0.0, 0.0) and returns false.



**bool TryGetVector4(Vector4 value (out))**

If *Type* is Vector4, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to (0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 1.0) and returns false.

**bool TryGetQuaternion(Quaternion value (out))**

If *Type* is Quaternion, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to Quaternion.identity and returns false.

**bool TryGetRect(Rect value (out))**

If *Type* is Rect, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to a 0 sized rect at (0.0, 0.0) and returns false.

**bool TryGetBounds(Bounds value (out))**

If *Type* is Bounds, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to a 0 sized bounds at (0.0, 0.0, 0.0) and returns false.

**bool TryGetColor(Color value (out))**

If *Type* is Color, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *color* to white and returns false.

**bool TryGetString(string s (out))**

If *Type* is String, sets *s* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *s* to an empty string and returns false.

**bool TryGetEnum<EnumType>(EnumType value (out))**

If *Type* is Enum and *EnumType* is *EnumType*, sets *value* to the stored value and returns true. Otherwise sets *value* to 0 and returns false.

**bool TryGetObject(Object obj (out))**

If *Type* is Object, sets *obj* to the stored object and returns true. Otherwise sets *obj* to null and returns false.

**bool TryGetStore(IVariableStore store (out))**

If the stored object is an IVariableStore, sets *store* to the stored object and returns true. Otherwise sets *store* to null and returns false.

**bool TryGetList(IVariableList list (out))**

If the stored object is an IVariableList, sets *list* to the stored object and returns true. Otherwise sets *list* to null and returns false.

**bool TryGetReference<T>(T t (out))**

If *Type* is Object, Store, or List and the stored object has type *T* or is derived from type *T*, sets *t* to the stored object and returns true. Otherwise sets *t* to null and returns false.

# VariableValueSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.VariableValueSource : [VariableSource](#)<[VariableValue](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for any [VariableValue](#).

## Constructors

**VariableValueSource**([VariableType](#) type, [ValueDefinition](#) definition)

Initializes the source to *Type* Value with *Value* a [VariableValue](#) with [VariableType](#) *type* and initialized with *definition*.

## Public Fields

[ValueDefinition](#) *Definition*

The [ValueDefinition](#) the source was initialized with.

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# Vector2VariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Vector2VariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Vector2](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for Vector2 [VariableValues](#).

## Constructors

**Vector2VariableSource([Vector2](#) defaultValue)**

Initializes the source to *Type* Value with *Value* \_defaultValue.

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# Vector3VariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Vector3VariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Vector3](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for [Vector3](#) [VariableValues](#).

## Constructors

**Vector3VariableSource([Vector3](#) *defaultValue*)**

Initializes the source to *Type* *Value* with *Value* *\_defaultValue*.

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# Vector4VariableSource

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.Vector4VariableSource : [VariableSource](#)<[Vector4](#)>

## Description

A [VariableSource](#) for Vector4 [VariableValues](#).

## Constructors

**Vector4VariableSource([Vector4](#) defaultValue)**

Initializes the source to *Type* Value with *Value* \_defaultValue.



# WaitNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.WaitNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Delays the [InstructionGraph](#) for a specified amount of time.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.

[FloatVariableSource](#) *Time*

The number of seconds to delay the [InstructionGraph](#).

**bool** *UseScaledTime*

If this is set, the delay will be based on [scaled time](#), otherwise it will be based on [real time](#).

# WritableStore

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.WritableStore : [VariableStore](#)

## Description

An [IVariableStore](#) implementation that disallows contained [VariableValues](#) to be added. [Variables](#) that already exist in the store can have their value changed.

# YieldNode

PiRhoSoft.CompositionEngine.YieldNode : [InstructionGraphNode](#)

## Description

Delays the [InstructionGraph](#) for one frame.

## Public Fields

[InstructionGraphNode](#) *Next*

The [InstructionGraphNode](#) to run when this node completes.