

C# DOCUMENTATION

Introduction :

Known as C-Sharp created by Microsoft that runs on .NET Framework.

Namespace:

Namespaces in C# are used to organize too many classes so that it can be easy to handle the application. In a simple C# program, we use System. Console where System is the namespace and Console is the class.

Syntax: using System;

Variables in C-Sharp:

C# Variables

Variables are containers for storing data values.

In C#, there are different types of variables (defined with different keywords), for example:

- int - stores integers (whole numbers), without decimals, such as 123 or -123
- double - stores floating point numbers, with decimals, such as 19.99 or -19.99
- char - stores single characters, such as 'a' or 'B'. Char values are surrounded by single quotes
- string - stores text, such as "Hello World". String values are surrounded by double quotes
- bool - stores values with two states: true or false

Variable Syntax:

type variableName = value;

Example:

```
int myNum = 15;
```

```
Console.WriteLine(myNum);
```

C# Type Casting

Type casting is when you assign a value of one data type to another type.

In C#, there are two types of casting:

- Implicit Casting (automatically) - converting a smaller type to a larger type size
char -> int -> long -> float -> double
 - int myInt = 9; double

- myDouble = myInt;
- Explicit Casting (manually) - converting a larger type to a smaller size type
double -> float -> long -> int -> char
 - double myDouble = 9.78;
 - int myInt = (int) myDouble;

Type Conversion Methods

It is also possible to convert data types explicitly by using built-in methods, such as Convert.ToBoolean, Convert.ToDouble, Convert.ToString, Convert.ToInt32 (int) and Convert.ToInt64 (long):

```
int myInt = 10;
Console.WriteLine(Convert.ToString(myInt));
Console.WriteLine(Convert.ToDouble(myInt));
```

User Input:

```
string userName = Console.ReadLine();
```

Operators:

- **C# Arithmetic Operators:**

OPERATOR	NAME	DESCRIPTION	EXAMPLE
+	Addition	Adds together two values	x + y
-	Subtraction	Subtracts one value from another	x - y
*	Multiplication	Multiplies two values	x * y
/	Division	Divides one value by another	x / y
%	Modulus	Returns the division remainder	x % y
++	Increment	Increases the value of a variable by 1	x++
--	Decrement	Decreases the value of a variable by 1	x--

- **C# Assignment operators:**

OPERATOR	EXAMPLE	SAME AS
=	x = 5	x = 5
+=	x += 3	x = x + 3
-=	x -= 3	x = x - 3
*=	x *= 3	x = x * 3
/=	x /= 3	x = x / 3
%=	x %= 3	x = x % 3
&=	x &= 3	x = x & 3
=	x = 3	x = x 3
^=	x ^= 3	x = x ^ 3
>>=	x >>= 3	x = x >> 3
<<=	x <<= 3	x = x << 3

- **C# Comparison Operators**

Comparison operators are used to compare two values:

OPERATOR	NAME	EXAMPLE
==	Equal to	x == y
!=	Not equal	x != y
>	Greater than	x > y
<	Less than	x < y
>=	Greater than or equal to	x >= y
<=	Less than or equal to	x <= y

- **C# Logical Operators**

Logical operators are used to determine the logic between variables or values:

OPERATOR	NAME	DESCRIPTION	EXAMPLE
&&	Logical and	Returns true if both statements are true	<code>x < 5 && x < 10</code>
	Logical or	Returns true if one of the statements is true	<code>x < 5 x < 4</code>
!	Logical not	Reverse the result, returns false if the result is true	<code>!(x < 5 && x < 10)</code>

C# Math

- `Math.Max(x,y)`
- `Math.Min(x,y)`
- `Math.Sqrt(x)`
- `Math.Abs(x)`
- `Math.Round()`

C# Strings

- String Length
- `ToUpper()` and `ToLower()`
- String Concatenation - `string.Concat()`
- String Interpolation
 - `string firstName = "John";`
 - `string lastName = "Doe";`
 - `string name = $"My full name is: {firstName} {lastName}";`

C# Booleans

C# Conditions and If Statements

- Use `if` to specify a block of code to be executed, if a specified condition is true
- Use `else` to specify a block of code to be executed, if the same condition is false
- Use `else if` to specify a new condition to test, if the first condition is false
- Use `switch` to specify many alternative blocks of code to be executed

C# Switch Statements

```
switch(expression)
{ case x:
  // code block break;
  case y:
  // code block break;
  default:
  // code block break;
}
```

C# While Loop

```
while (condition) { // code block to be executed }
```

C# For Loop

```
for (statement 1; statement 2; statement 3) { // code block to be executed }
```

Statement 1 is executed (one time) before the execution of the code block.

Statement 2 defines the condition for executing the code block.

Statement 3 is executed (every time) after the code block has been executed.

C# Break and Continue

- **C# Break**

The break statement can also be used to jump out of a loop.

- **C# Continue**

The continue statement breaks one iteration (in the loop), if a specified condition occurs, and continues with the next iteration in the loop.

C# Arrays

Example: `int[] myNumbers = {5, 1, 8, 9};`

C# Methods:

A method is a block of code which only runs when it is called.

Example Syntax:

```
class Program {
    static void MyMethod() {
        // code to be executed
    }
}
```

Parameters and Arguments

Information can be passed to methods as parameter. Parameters act as variables inside the method.

Method Overloading

With method overloading, multiple methods can have the same name with different parameters:

```
int MyMethod(int x)
float MyMethod(float x)
double MyMethod(double x, double y)
```

OOPS in C#:

Procedural programming is about writing procedures or methods that perform operations on the data, while object-oriented programming is about creating objects that contain both data and methods.

```
class Car
{
    string color = "red";

    static void Main(string[] args)
    {
        Car myObj = new Car();
        Console.WriteLine(myObj.color);
    }
}
```

Constructors

A constructor is a special method that is used to initialize objects.

C# has the following access modifiers:

MODIFIER	DESCRIPTION
PUBLIC	The code is accessible for all classes
PRIVATE	The code is only accessible within the same class
PROTECTED	The code is accessible within the same class, or in a class that is inherited from that class. You will learn more about <u>inheritance</u> in a later chapter
INTERNAL	The code is only accessible within its own assembly, but not from another assembly. You will learn more about this in a later chapter

Properties

A property is like a combination of a variable and a method, and it has two methods: a get and a set method:

```

class Person
{
    private string name; // field

    public string Name // property
    {
        get { return name; } // get method
        set { name = value; } // set method
    }
}

```

C# Inheritance

In C#, it is possible to inherit fields and methods from one class to another. We group the "inheritance concept" into two categories:

- Derived Class (child) - the class that inherits from another class
- Base Class (parent) - the class being inherited from

```

class Vehicle // base class (parent)
{
    public string brand = "Ford"; // Vehicle field
    public void honk() // Vehicle method
    {
        Console.WriteLine("Tuut, tuut!");
    }
}

class Car : Vehicle // derived class (child)
{
    public string modelName = "Mustang"; // Car field
}

```

```

class Program
{
    static void Main(string[] args)
    {
        // Create a myCar object
        Car myCar = new Car();

        // Call the honk() method (From the Vehicle class) on the myCar object
        myCar.honk();

        // Display the value of the brand field (from the Vehicle class) and the value of the
        modelName from the Car class
    }
}

```

```
Console.WriteLine(myCar.brand + " " + myCar.modelName);  
}}
```

C# Polymorphism

Polymorphism means "many forms", and it occurs when we have many classes that are related to each other by inheritance.

```
class Animal // Base class (parent)  
{  
    public void animalSound()  
    {  
        Console.WriteLine("The animal makes a sound");  
    }  
}
```

```
class Pig : Animal // Derived class (child)  
{  
    public void animalSound()  
    {  
        Console.WriteLine("The pig says: wee wee");  
    }  
}
```

```
class Dog : Animal // Derived class (child)  
{  
    public void animalSound()  
    {  
        Console.WriteLine("The dog says: bow wow");  
    }  
}
```

Abstract Classes and Methods

Data abstraction is the process of hiding certain details and showing only essential information to the user.

Abstraction can be achieved with either abstract classes or interfaces

The abstract keyword is used for classes and methods:

- Abstract class: is a restricted class that cannot be used to create objects (to access it, it must be inherited from another class).
- Abstract method: can only be used in an abstract class, and it does not have a body.
The body is provided by the derived class (inherited from).

```
abstract class Animal
```



```

{
    public abstract void animalSound();
    public void sleep()
    {
        Console.WriteLine("Zzz");
    }
}
// Derived class (inherit from Animal)
class Pig : Animal
{
    public override void animalSound()
    {
        // The body of animalSound() is provided here
        Console.WriteLine("The pig says: wee wee");
    }
}

```

Interfaces

An interface is a completely "abstract class", which can only contain abstract methods and properties (with empty bodies)

```

interface IAnimal
{
    void animalSound(); // interface method (does not have a body)
}
// Pig "implements" the IAnimal interface
class Pig : IAnimal
{
    public void animalSound()
    {
        // The body of animalSound() is provided here
        Console.WriteLine("The pig says: wee wee");
    }
}

```

C# Enums:

An enum is a special "class" that represents a group of constants (unchangeable/read-only variables)

```

enum Level
{
    Low,
    Medium,
    High
}

```

```
}  
Level myVar = Level.Medium;  
Console.WriteLine(myVar);
```

C# Files

```
using System.IO;
```

```
string writeText = "Hello World!";  
File.WriteAllText("filename.txt", writeText);
```

```
string readText = File.ReadAllText("filename.txt");  
Console.WriteLine(readText);
```

C# try and catch

The try statement allows you to define a block of code to be tested for errors while it is being executed.

The catch statement allows you to define a block of code to be executed, if an error occurs in the try block.

The try and catch keywords come in pairs:

```
try  
{  
    // Block of code to try  
}  
catch (Exception e)  
{  
    // Block of code to handle errors  
}
```

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