# WorkshopPLUS - Essentials on Azure DevOps Services and GitHub

## Lab Guides

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# Module 5: Azure Artifacts

# Lab 1: Azure Artifacts

### Introduction

Azure Artifacts makes it easy to discover, install, and publish NuGet, npm, and Maven packages in Azure DevOps. It's deeply integrated with other hubs like Pipelines so that Azure Artifacts can become a seamless part of your existing workflows.

Exercise 1: Working with the Azure Artifacts service

# Objectives

After completing this lab, you will be able to:

- Create a feed in Azure DevOps Services.
- Create and publish a NuGet package to a feed.
- Update an existing NuGet package.

# **Prerequisites**

- Visual Studio 2017/2019
- Lab 2: PartsUnlimited Lab Setup

# Estimated Time to Complete This Lab

45 minutes

# Exercise 1: Working with the Azure Artifacts service

## **Objectives**

Azure Artifacts is an extension that makes it easy to discover, install, and publish NuGet, npm, and Maven packages in Azure DevOps. It's deeply integrated with other hubs like Build so that Azure Artifacts can become a seamless part of your existing workflows. In this exercise, you will configure and work with Azure Artifacts. You will learn how to:

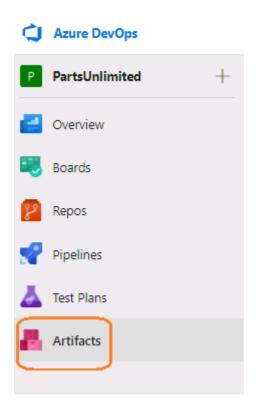
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#### **Tasks**

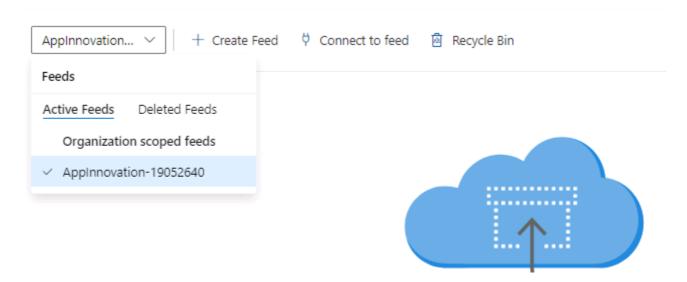
- Task 1: Creating and connecting to a feed
- Task 2: Creating and publishing a NuGet package
- Task 3: Cloning PartsUnlimited Repository
- Task 4: Importing a NuGet package
- Task 5: Updating a NuGet package

# Task 1: Creating and connecting to a feed

- 1. Navigate to the **PartsUnlimited** project in **Azure DevOps Services**.
- 2. Navigate to the **Artifacts** hub.



3. You should see a feed with the name of your organization. For the purposes of this lab, we will create a new project-scoped feed.



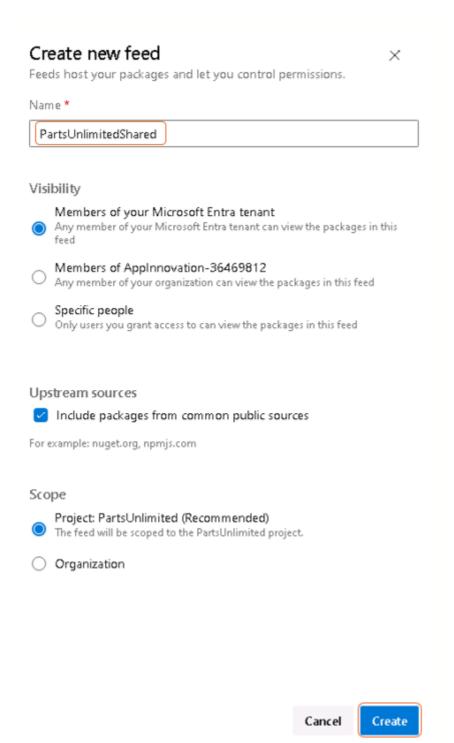
Historically, all feeds used to be scoped to an organization. However, to enable public feeds and to become more consistent with the rest of Azure DevOps, Feeds created through the new *Create Feed* panel will now be scoped to a project. New organization will automatically have one

feed scoped to the organization, and all subsequent feeds created will be scoped to a project. All existing organization-scoped feeds will remain organization-scoped.

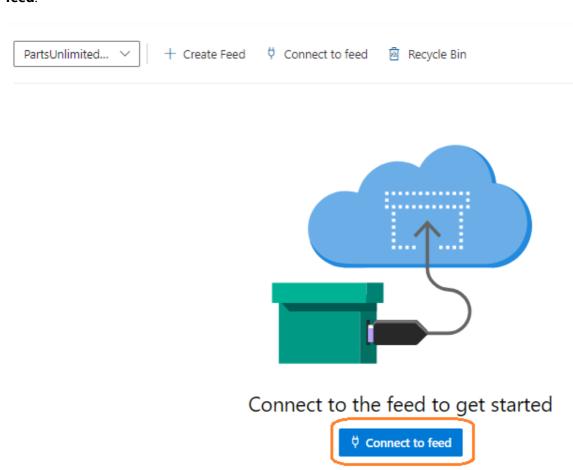
#### 4. Click + Create Feed.

This feed will be a collection of NuGet packages available to users scoped to the PartsUnlimited project. The scenario in this lab will focus on the workflow for using Azure Artifacts service, so the actual architectural and development decisions are purely illustrative.

5. In the **Create new feed** pane, set the **Name** to **PartsUnlimitedShared** and click **Create**. Leave other default options.

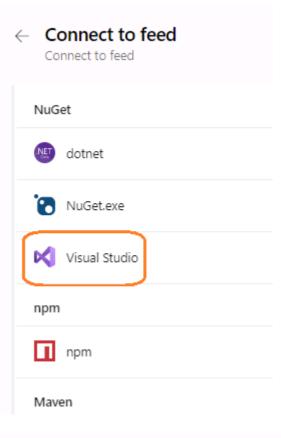


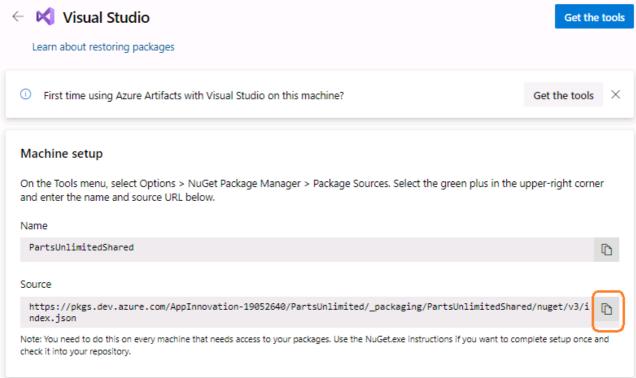
6. Any user who wants to connect to this NuGet feed must configure their environment. Click **Connect to feed**.



7. Select **Visual Studio** from the **Connect to feed** screen and copy the package **Source URL**. This is the only thing Visual Studio and NuGet need to start taking advantage of the new feed. Leave the dialog open in the browser.

Learn more about Azure Artifacts

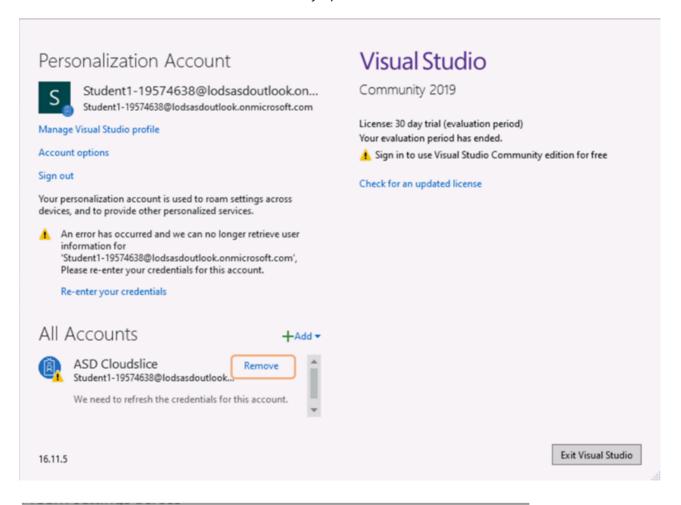


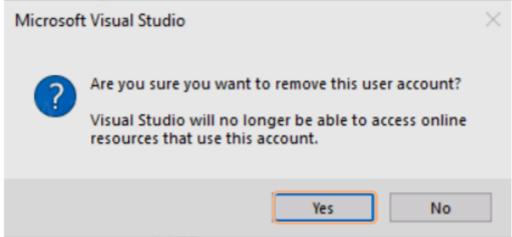


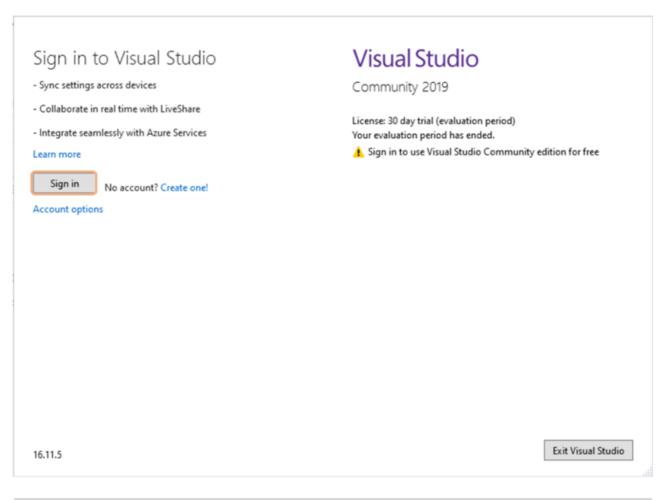
8. Start Visual Studio from the taskbar.

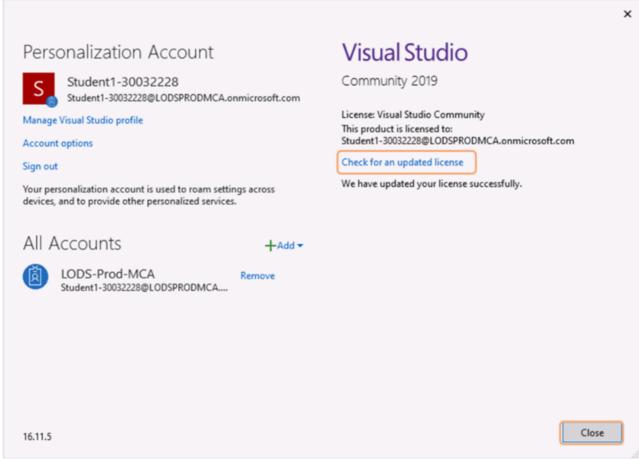


9. If you see a pop up window asking for an updated license, first **Remove** the existing account (Click on **Yes** if you are asked for a confirmation), and **Sign In** with your student account (You might be asked to enter the username and password one more time). Finally, click on the link to **Check for an updated license**, confirm that the license was successfully updated, and then **Close** the window.

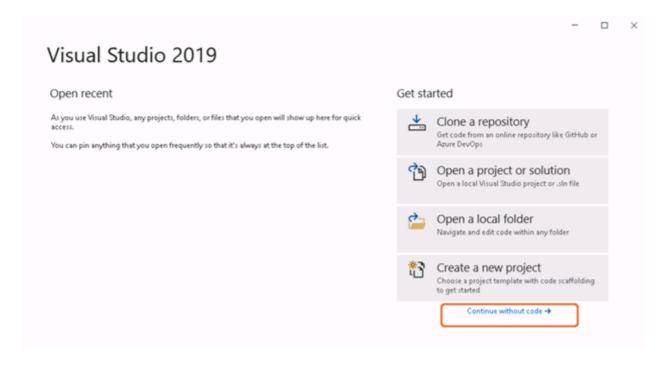




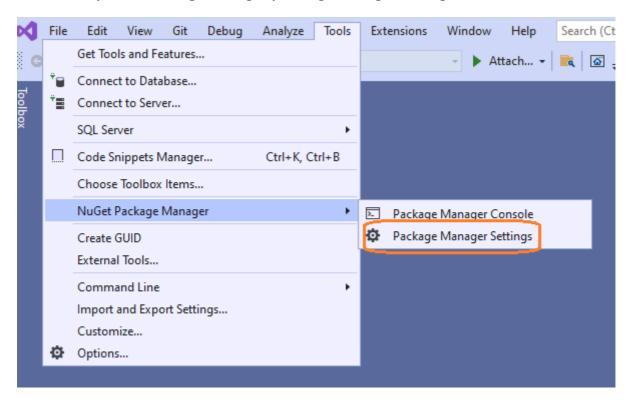




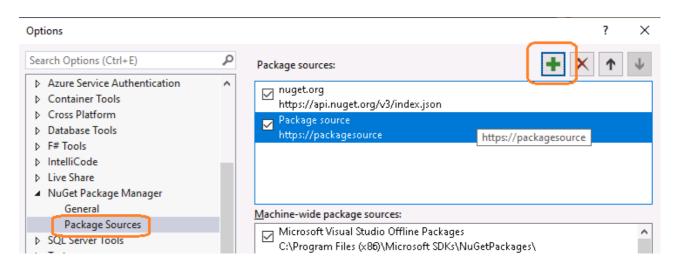
#### 10. Select Continue without code.



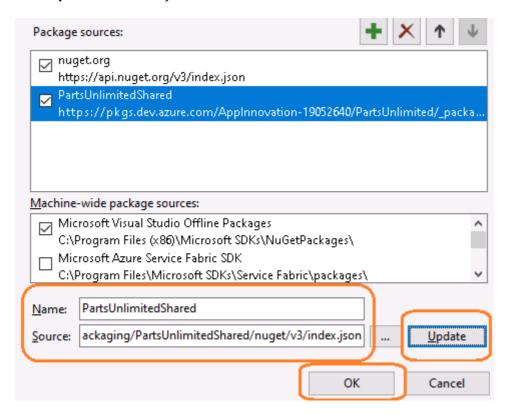
11. Select Tools | NuGet Package Manager | Package Manager Settings.



12. Locate the **Package Sources** section and click the **Add button** to add a new package source.

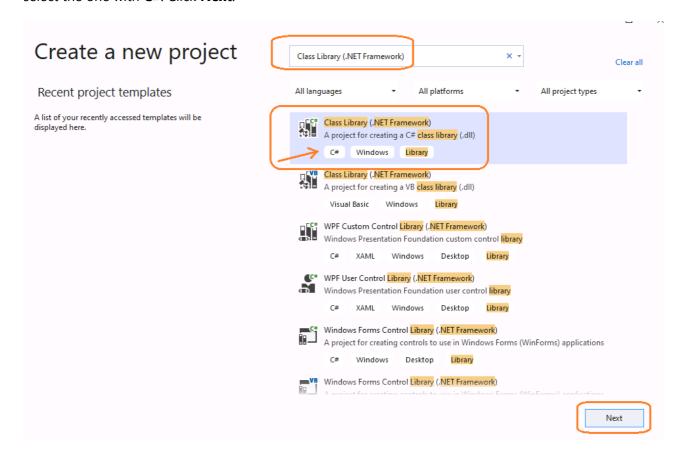


13. Set the **Name** to **PartsUnlimitedShared** and paste the **Source URL** copied earlier in the **Source** field. Click **Update** followed by **OK**. Visual Studio is now connected to the new feed.

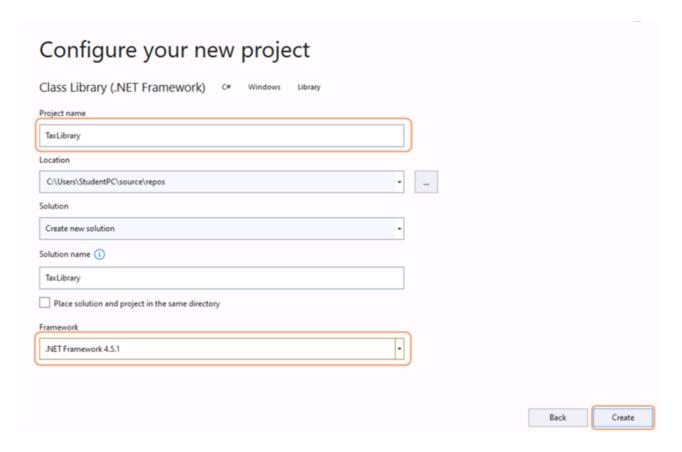


# Task 2: Creating and publishing a NuGet package

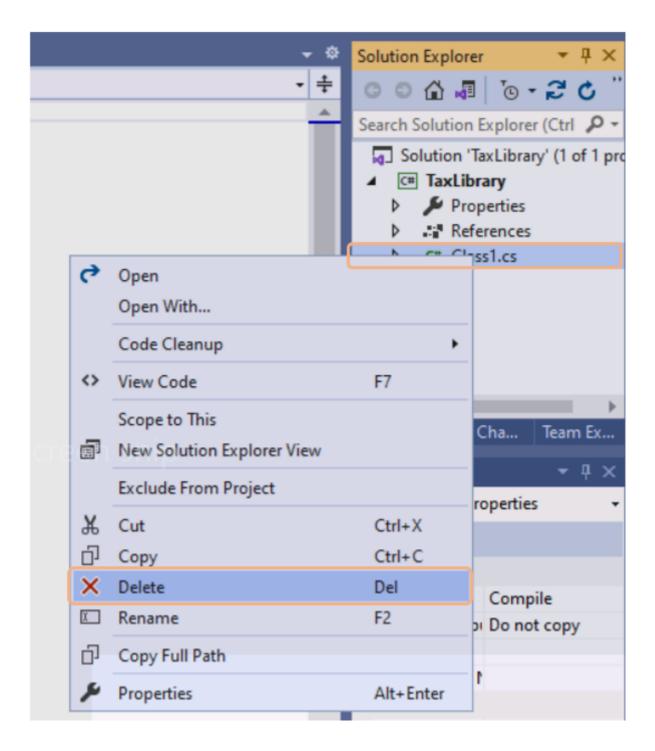
- 1. In Visual Studio (the most recent one where you added the package source), from the main menu, select File | New | Project. You will be creating a shared assembly that will be published as a NuGet package so that other teams can integrate it and stay up to date without having to work directly with the project source.
- 2. In the **Create a new project** window, enter **Class Library (.NET Framework)** in the search bar and select the one with **C#**. Click **Next**.



3. Select the Project name as TaxLibrary and Framework as .NET Framework 4.5.1. Click Create.



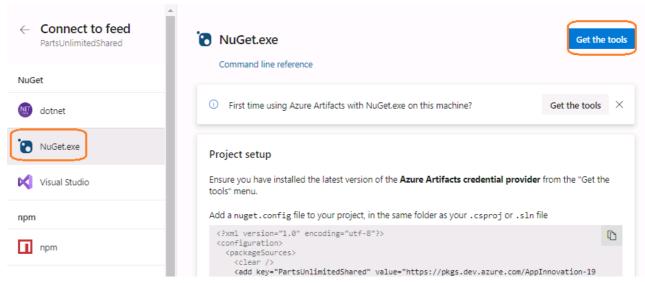
4. In the Solution Explorer, **delete Class1.cs**. Confirm the delete action.

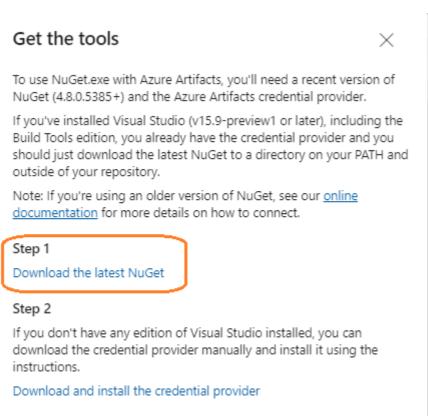


5. Press **Ctrl+Shift+B** to build the project.

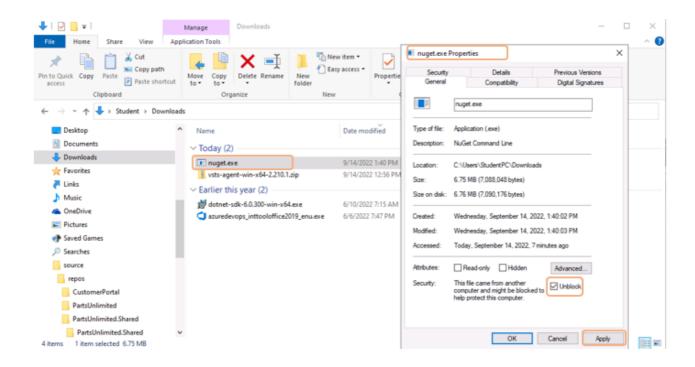
In the next task we'll use NuGet.exe to generate a NuGet package directly from the built project, but it requires the project to be built first.

6. Return back to Azure DevOps Services and select **NuGet.exe**. Select **Get the tools** and click on **Download the latest NuGet**.

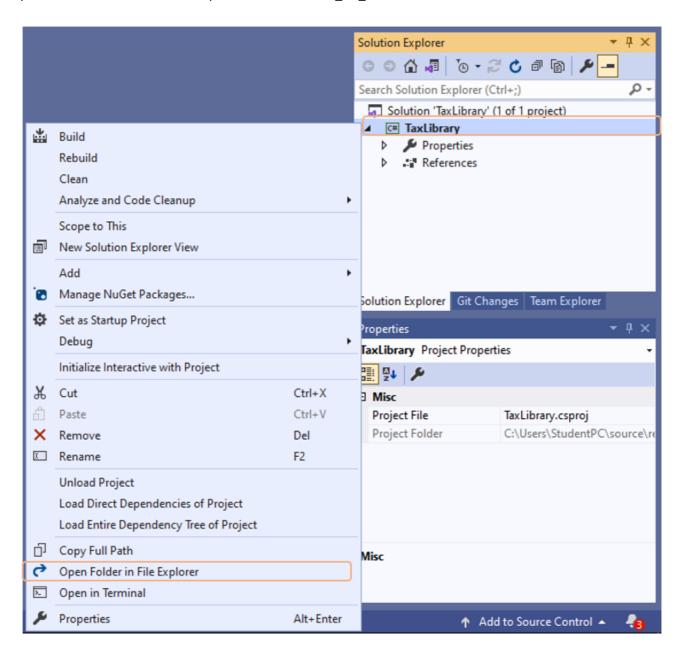




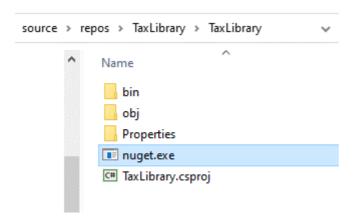
7. Click on the latest nuget.exe to download it. Open the folder where nuget.exe is downloaded. **Right click** to the nuget.exe and select **Properties** from the menu. Select the **Unblock** option and **Apply** the change.



8. Return to **Visual Studio** with **TaxLibrary solution** open. From the **Solution Explorer**, right-click the TaxLibrary project node and select **Open Folder in File Explorer**.



9. Move the downloaded nuget.exe file into the folder containing the .csproj file.



- 10. In the same Windows Explorer window, select **File | Open Windows PowerShell | Open Windows PowerShell as administrator**.
- 11. Execute the following command to create a .nupkg file from the project.

This is a quick shortcut to package the NuGet bits together for deployment. NuGet is very customizable and offers a lot of great flexibility for providing detailed information for

consumers. You can learn more over on the NuGet package creation page.

```
./nuget.exe pack TaxLibrary.csproj

Administrator: Windows PowerShell

C:\Users\StudentPC\source\repos\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary> ./nuget.exe pack TaxLibrary.csproj
Attempting to build package from 'TaxLibrary.csproj'.

MSBuild auto-detection: using msbuild version '16.11.1.47101' from 'C:\Program Files (x86)\Microsoft Visual Studio\2019\
Community\MSBuild\Current\bin'.

Packing files from 'C:\Users\StudentPC\source\repos\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\bin\Debug'.

MARNING: NU5115: Description was not specified. Using 'Description'.

WARNING: NU5115: Author was not specified. Using 'StudentPC'.

Successfully created package 'C:\Users\StudentPC\source\repos\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibra
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Switching back to the Windows Explorer you can see **TaxLibrary.1.0.0.nupkg** file got created.

NuGet builds a minimal package based on the information it is able to pull from the project. For example, note that the name is TaxLibrary.1.0.0.nupkg. That version number was pulled from the assembly.

12. Return to Visual Studio. From Solution Explorer, open Properties\AssemblyInfo.cs.

The AssemblyVersion attribute specifies the version number to build into the assembly. Each NuGet release requires a unique version number, so if we continue to use this method for creating packages, we will need to remember to increment this before building.

```
24
25
       // Version information for an assembly consists of the following four values:
26
       //
               Major Version
27
       //
               Minor Version
       //
28
               Build Number
       //
29
       //
               Revision
30
       //
31
       // You can specify all the values or you can default the Build and Revision Numbers
32
       // by using the '*' as shown below:
33
34
       // [assembly: AssemblyVersion("1.0.*")]
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       [assembly: AssemblyVersion("1.0.0.0")]
36
       [assembly: AssemblyFileVersion("1.0.0.0")]
37
```

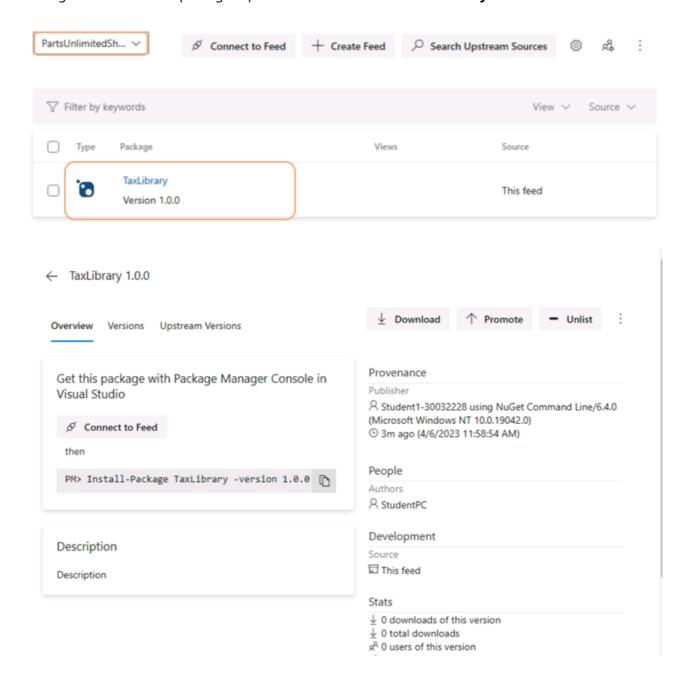
13. Return to the PowerShell window and execute the following command (it should be in one line). When prompted, type in your credentials and proceed.

You need to provide an "API Key", which can be any non-empty string. We're using "AzureDevOps" here.

```
./nuget.exe push -source "PartsUnlimitedShared" -ApiKey AzureDevOps
TaxLibrary.1.0.0.nupkg
```

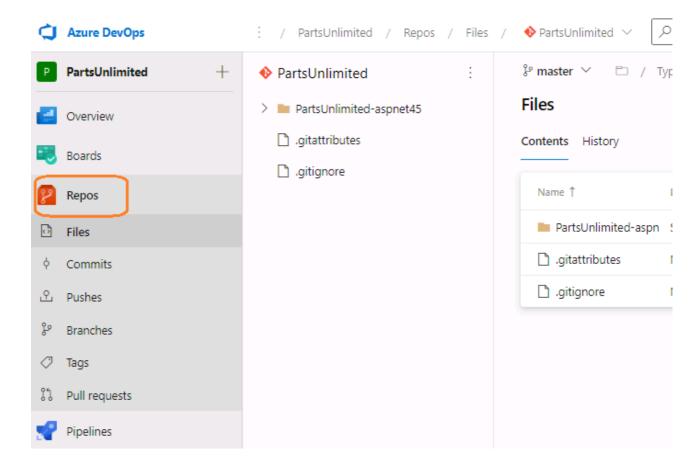
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ps TaxLibrary.1.0.0.nupkg
MSBuild auto-detection: using msbuild version '16.11.1.47101' from 'C:\Program Files (x86)\Microsoft Visual Studio\2019\
Community\MSBuild\Current\bin'.
    [CredentialProvider]Using the ADAL UI flow for uri https://pkgs.dev.azure.com/AppInnovation-30032228/PartsUnlimited
/_packaging/PartsUnlimitedShared/nuget/v3/index.json. User sign-in required in a pop-up authentication window.
    [CredentialProvider]VstsCredentialProvider - Acquired bearer token using 'ADAL UI'
    [CredentialProvider]VstsCredentialProvider - Attempting to exchange the bearer token for an Azure DevOps session tok
en.
Pushing TaxLibrary.1.0.0.nupkg to 'https://pkgs.dev.azure.com/AppInnovation-30032228/bf205fb6-e477-41ca-a35d-50665dedad9
d/_packaging/aeb6ba86-2e3a-4bf4-80b9-eb6a4757271b/nuget/v2/'...
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Your package was pushed.
C:\Users\StudentPC\source\repos\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\_a
```

14. Return to the browser window open with Azure DevOps Services. Click on **Artifacts** for the PartsUnlimited project. Select the dropdown to select **PartsUnlimitedShared** feed. You should now see the organization's NuGet package is published in the feed. Click **TaxLibrary** to view the details.

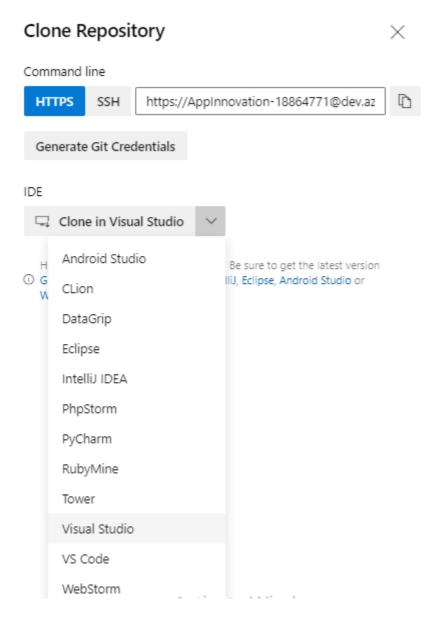


# Task 3: Cloning PartsUnlimited Repository

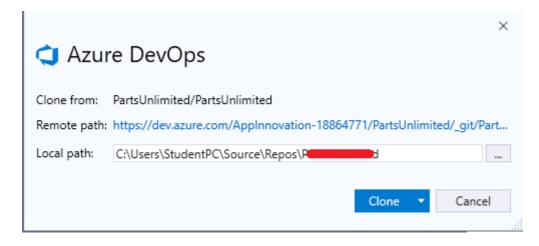
- 1. Navigate to **PartsUnlimited** project in the browser. You can do this by navigating to https://dev.azure.com/AppInnovation-[YourName]/PartsUnlimited.
- 2. Navigate to the **Repos hub**. And select **PartsUnlimited** repo from the top-center dropdown.



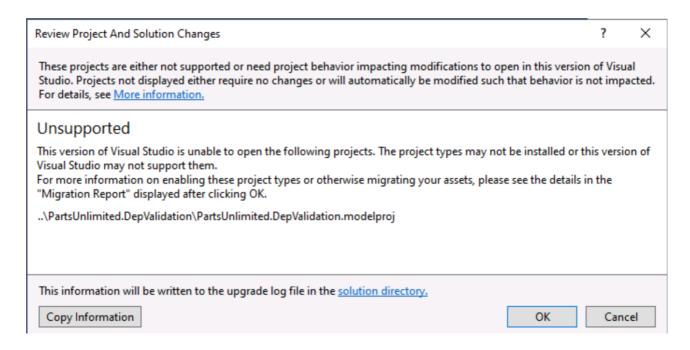
3. Click **Clone** and select **Clone in Visual Studio**. Follow the workflow that opens Visual Studio.



4. **Clone** the repository at the new local folder.



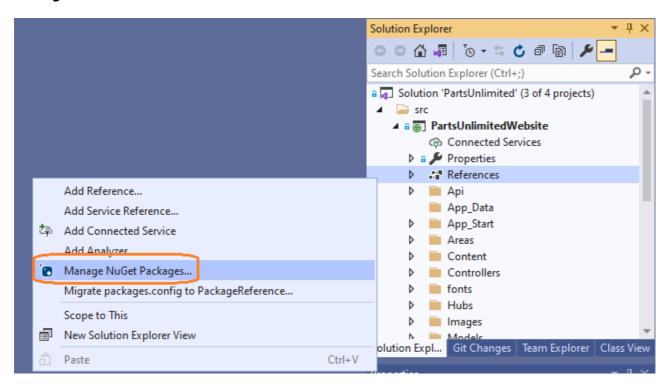
5. In the **Solution Explorer** double-click on **PartsUnlimited.sln**. If displayed with the following message, click on **OK**.



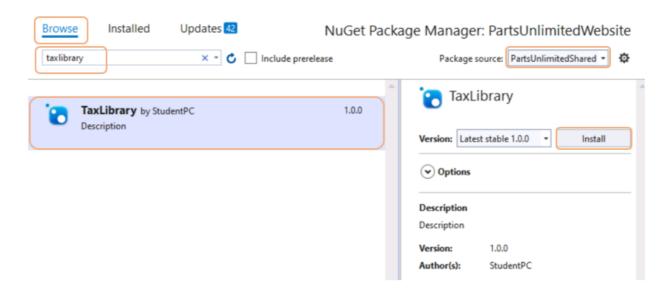
6. Close the **Migration Report** that might have got opened in the browser.

## Task 4: Importing a NuGet package

 Inside the Visual Studio that has the PartsUnlimited solution open, in the Solution Explorer, rightclick the References node under the PartsUnlimitedWebsite project and select Manage NuGet Packages.



2. Click the **Browse** tab and change the **Package source** to **PartsUnlimitedShared**. Search for the **TaxLibrary** package. Click **Install** to add it to the project.

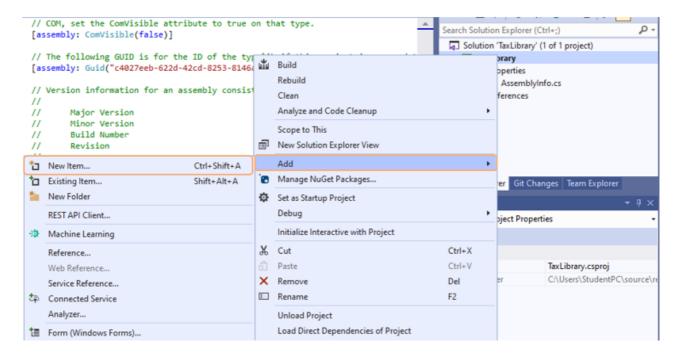


3. If asked, confirm the addition by clicking **OK**.

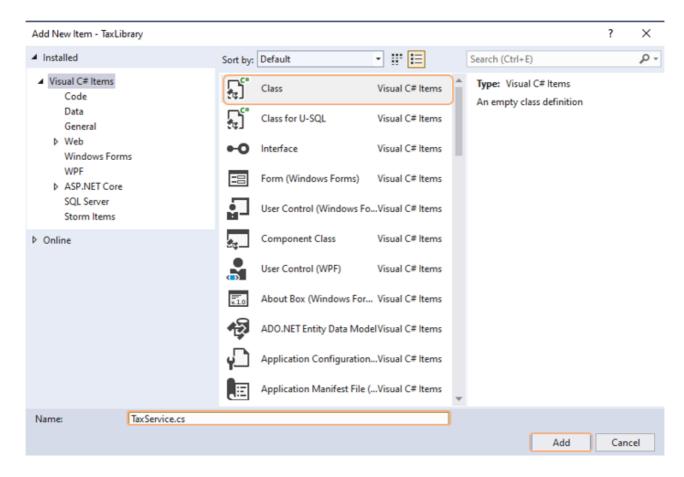
4. Press **Ctrl+Shift+B** to build the project. It should succeed. The NuGet package doesn't add any value yet, but at least we know it's there.

## Task 5: Updating a NuGet package

- 1. Switch to the instance of **Visual Studio** that has the **TaxLibrary** project open (the NuGet source project).
- 2. In the **Solution Explorer**, right-click the TaxLibrary project node and select **Add | New Item**.



3. Select the Class template and enter the Name **TaxService.cs**. Click **Add** to add the class. We can pretend that tax calculation will be consolidated into this shared class and managed centrally so that other teams can simply work with the NuGet package.



4. Replace the code in the new file with the code below and save the file with **Ctrl + S**. For now it will just hardcode a 10% rate.

```
namespace TaxLibrary
{
    public class TaxService
    {
        static public decimal CalculateTax(decimal taxable, string postalCode)
        {
            return taxable * (decimal).1;
        }
    }
}
```

5. Since we're updating the assembly (and package), return to **AssemblyInfo.cs** to update the **AssemblyVersion to 1.1.0.0** and **Ctrl + s** to save the changes.

```
// You can specify all the values or you can default the Bu:
// by using the '*' as shown below:
// [assembly: AssemblyVersion("1.0.*")]

[assembly: AssemblyVersion("1.1.0.0")]

[assembly: AssemblyFileversion( 1.0.0.0")]
```

6. Press **Ctrl+Shift+B** to build the project.

7. Return to the PowerShell window and execute the following line to repackage the NuGet package. Note that the new package will have the updated version number.

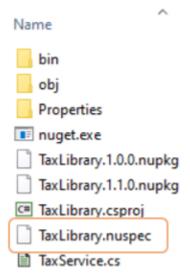
```
./nuget.exe pack TaxLibrary.csproj
```

8. If your AssemblyVersion is not updating as expected, return to your PowerShell window and run the following command

```
./nuget.exe spec TaxLibrary.csproj
```

This will create a Manifest file for your package that we can then manually edit.

9. Open the File Explorer window containing your .csproj file and select the newly created **TaxLibrary.nuspec** manifest file to open in a **Notepad/text editor**.



- 10. In the Manifest file, update the following:
  - \$version\$ to **1.1.0**
  - \$\square\$ \text{ sauthor}\$ to **Student**
  - Remove the **projectURL** and **icon** lines completely
  - \$description\$ to Sample NuGet package
- 11. When finished editing, your Manifest file should look similar to the following:

```
☐ TaxLibrary.nuspec 
☐

       <?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
     -chage >
     <metadata>
  4
          <id>$id$</id>
          <version>1.1.0
          <title>$title$</title>
  6
 7
          <authors>Student</authors>
 8
          <requireLicenseAcceptance>false</requireLicenseAcceptance>
          cense type="expression">MIT</license>
 10
          <description>Sample NuGet package</description>
 11
          <releaseNotes>Summary of changes made in this release of the package.</releaseNotes>
 12
          <copyright>$copyright$</copyright>
 13
           <tags>Tag1 Tag2</tags>
 14
         </metadata>
      </package>
 15
```

12. Save and close this file and return to PowerShell window. Re-run the following command again:

```
./nuget.exe pack TaxLibrary.csproj
```

```
C:\Users\StudentPC\source\repos\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary> ./nuget.exe pack TaxLibrary.csproj
Attempting to build package from 'TaxLibrary.csproj'.
MSBuild auto-detection: using msbuild version '16.11.1.47101' from 'C:\Program Files (x86)\Microsoft Visual Studio\2019\
Community\MSBuild\Current\bin'.
Packing files from 'C:\Users\StudentPC\source\repos\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\bin\Debug'.
Using 'TaxLibrary.nuspec' for metadata.
WARNING: NU5102: The value "Tagl Tag2" for tags is a sample value and should be removed. Replace it with an appropriate value or remove it and rebuild your package.
WARNING: NU5102: The value "Summary of changes made in this release of the package." for releaseNotes is a sample value and should be removed. Replace it with an appropriate value or remove it and rebuild your package.
Successfully created package 'C:\Users\StudentPC\source\repos\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary.1.1.0.nupkg'.
C:\Users\StudentPC\source\repos\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary\TaxLibrary.1.1.0.nupkg'.
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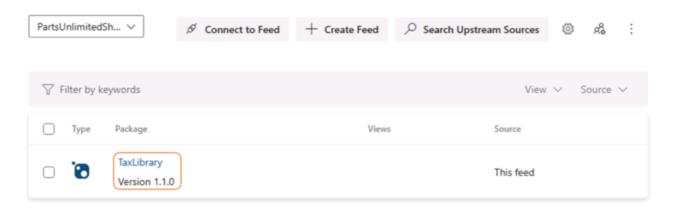
Your Manifest file will override the AssemblyVersion and tell NuGet that this is version 1.1.0 of your NuGet package.

13. Execute the following line to publish the updated package. Note that the version number has changed to reflect the new package. If prompted, enter your username and password again.

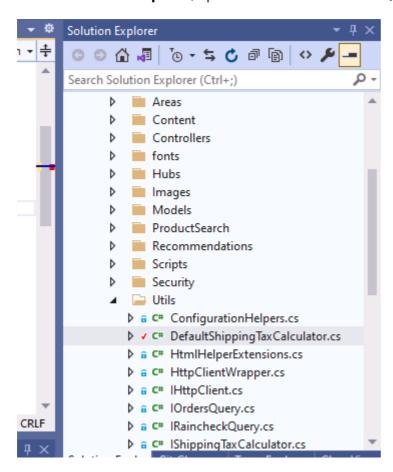
```
./nuget.exe push -source "PartsUnlimitedShared" -ApiKey AzureDevOps
TaxLibrary.1.1.0.nupkg
```

You should see Your package was pushed message again!

14. Return to the browser window open to Azure DevOps Services and click on **Artifacts**. You can now see **Version 1.1.0** for TaxLibrary package.



- 15. Switch back to the instance of **Visual Studio** with the **PartsUnlimited** project (with PartsUnlimitedWebsite).
- 16. From the Solution Explorer, open PartsUnlimitedWebsite\Utils\DefaultShippingTaxCalculator.cs.



17. Locate the call to CalculateTax around line 20 and add the qualifier **TaxLibrary.TaxService.** at the beginning.

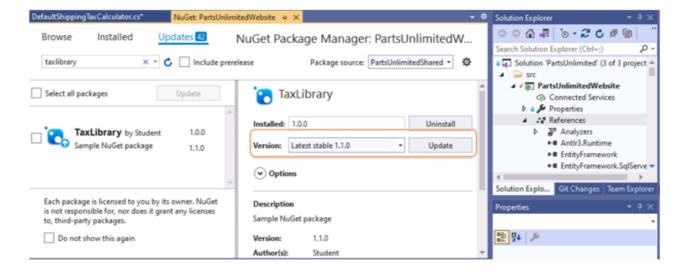
The original code called a method internal to this class, so the code we're adding to the beginning of the line is redirecting it to code from our NuGet assembly. However, since this project hasn't updated the NuGet package yet, it's still referencing 1.0.0.0 and doesn't have these new changes available, so the code will not build.

```
if (items != null)

{
    subTotal = items.Sum(x => x.Count * x.Product.Price);
    itemsCount = items.Sum(x => x.Count);
    shipping = CalculateShipping(itemsCount);
    tax = TaxLibrary.TaxService.CalculateTax(subTotal + shipping, postalCode);
    total = subTotal + shipping + tax;
}
```

- 18. In the Solution Explorer, right-click the References node and select Manage NuGet Packages.
- 19. NuGet is aware of our update, so click the **Updates** tab to view the details. Click **Update** to bring down the new version.

[!note] If the **Updates** tab hasn't yet updated, you can still update the package from the **Browse** tab. Note that there may be many NuGet updates available, but you should only need to update TaxLibrary. Note that it may take a little while for the package to become completely available for updating. If you get an error, wait a moment and try again. You can also try clearing the NuGet cache in Visual Studio by going to Tools -> NuGet Package Manager -> Package Manager Settings -> General -> Clear All NuGet Cache(s)



- 20. If asked, click OK to approve the update.
- 21. Press **F5** to build and run the site. It should work as expected.