

About Boo

Boo is a language for .Net which appeals to a variety of users due to it's clean syntax and powerful extensibility features.

An ultra clean syntax:

- >> Python-style indentation, no unnecessary keywords, brackets or semi-colons makes for highly readable code.
- >> Try pasting some C#/VB.Net in this online converter and see the difference!

Powerful extension features:

- >> add new keywords,
- >> modify or generate extra code during compilation
- >> even create your own DSL!

IDE support:

- >> Boo has been supported in Sharpdevelop since 2006.
- >> There are also plugins for <u>sublime</u> and <u>Notepad++</u>.

Advanced language features:

- >> First class functions
- >> Generators
- >> Closures
- >> List comprehension

All the speed of C#:

- >> Boo is statically compiled, running at the same speed as C#.
- >> Assemblies produced by one .Net language can be used by another, so fully interoperable
- >> Option to use duck typing, making it feel more like Python (but run significantly slower, like IronPython)

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