

# Testing the effects of passing array references by value and by reference.

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using System;

public class ArrayReferenceTest
{
    public static void Main( string[] args )
    {
        int[] firstArray = { 1, 2, 3 };
        int[] firstArrayCopy = firstArray;
        for ( int i = 0; i < firstArray.Length; i++ ) Console.Write(
            "{0} ", firstArray[ i ] ); FirstDouble( firstArray );
        for ( int i = 0; i < firstArray.Length; i++ ) Console.Write( "{0} ",
            firstArray[ i ] );
        if ( firstArray == firstArrayCopy )
            Console.WriteLine("same" );
        else
            Console.WriteLine("different" );
        int[] secondArray = { 1, 2, 3 };
        int[] secondArrayCopy = secondArray;
        for ( int i = 0; i < secondArray.Length; i++ )
            Console.Write( "{0} ", secondArray[ i ] );
        SecondDouble( ref secondArray );
        for ( int i = 0; i < secondArray.Length; i++ )
            Console.Write( "{0} ", secondArray[ i ] );
        if ( secondArray == secondArrayCopy )
            Console.WriteLine("same" );
        else
            Console.WriteLine("different" );
    }
    public static void FirstDouble( int[] array )
    {
        for ( int i = 0; i < array.Length; i++ )
            array[ i ] *= 2;
        array = new int[] { 11, 12, 13 };
    }
    public static void SecondDouble( ref int[] array )
    {
        for ( int i = 0; i < array.Length; i++ )
            array[ i ] *= 2;
        array = new int[] { 11, 12, 13 };
    }
}
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