

# Read a line of string and check its length

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using System;
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class MainEntryPoint {  
    static void Main(string[] args) {  
        Console.WriteLine("Type in a string");  
        string input;  
        input = Console.ReadLine();  
        if (input == "") {  
            Console.WriteLine("You typed in an empty string");  
        } else if (input.Length < 5) { Console.WriteLine("The string  
had less than 5 characters"); } else if (input.Length < 10) {  
            Console.WriteLine("The string had at least 5 but less than 10  
characters"); } Console.WriteLine("The string was " + input);  
        } } [/csharp]
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