

# ChartType

## Description

The [ChartType](#) class contains all available chart types. When setting a chart type, always specify both the major type and the sub-type, for example:

**C#**

```
public abstract class ChartType
```

**vb.net**

```
Public MustInherit Class ChartType
```

## Properties

Name	Description
<a href="#">Category</a>	Returns the <a href="#">ChartType</a> 's chart category (Column, Pie, Line, Radar, Bar, Surface, Area, Scatter, Doughnut, Bubble, or Custom).
<a href="#">Is3D</a>	Returns whether the chart type is three-dimensional or not.
<a href="#">Name</a>	Returns the name of the chart type as a string.

## Nested Classes

Name	Description
<a href="#">Area</a>	Enumerations for area chart types
<a href="#">Bar</a>	Enumerations for bar chart types
<a href="#">Bubble</a>	Enumerations for Bubble chart types
<a href="#">ChartCategory</a>	A <a href="#">ChartCategory</a> specifies a chart type's category. For example, column is a chart category, while clustered column and stacked column are chart types in the column category.
<a href="#">Column</a>	Enumerations for Column chart types
<a href="#">Custom</a>	Enumerations for Customer chart types
<a href="#">Doughnut</a>	Enumerations for doughnut chart types
<a href="#">Line</a>	Enumerations for line chart types
<a href="#">Pie</a>	Enumerations for pie chart types
<a href="#">Radar</a>	Enumerations for radar chart types
<a href="#">Scatter</a>	Enumerations for scatter chart types
<a href="#">Surface</a>	Enumerations for surface chart types