

# Worksheet.CreateArea(String)

## Description

Defines a rectangular [Area](#) of cells in the worksheet.

**C#**

```
public Area CreateArea(System.String areaFormula)
```

**vb.net**

```
Public Function CreateArea(ByVal areaFormula As String) As Area
```

## Parameters

### ***areaFormula***

A formula representing the area, e.g. "A3:B5". The formula must be local to the worksheet and should not contain a sheet reference.

## Returns

An Area object.

## Examples

**C#**

```
Area a = ws.CreateArea("B7:H24");
```

**vb.net**

```
Dim a As Area = ws.CreateArea("B7:H24")
```