

# WordTemplate.Open(WordApplication, Document)

## Description

Passes a document from [WordApplication](#) to [WordTemplate](#).

**C#**

```
public void Open(WordApplication aApp, Document aDoc)
```

**vb.net**

```
Public Sub Open(ByVal aApp As WordApplication, ByVal aDoc As Document)
```

## Parameters

### ***aApp***

The instance of [WordApplication](#) that was used to create the document.

### ***aDoc***

A [Document](#) object representing the Word file created with [WordApplication](#).

## Remarks

You can use [WordApplication](#) to create a document with merge fields (a template) and pass the file to [WordTemplate](#) to populate the merge fields.

## Examples

**C#**

```
WordApplication wwApp = new WordApplication();  
Document doc = wwApp.Create();  
WordTemplate wwTpl = New WordTemplate();  
wwTpl.Open(wwApp, doc);
```

**vb.net**

```
Dim wwApp As New WordApplication()  
Dim doc As Document = wwApp.Create()  
Dim wwTpl As New WordTemplate()  
wwTpl.Open(wwApp, doc)
```