

# Area.SetColumnWidthInChars(Int32, Double)

## Description

Sets or returns the width of the column as a number of '0' characters in the font of the 'Normal' style. This must be a value between the 0 - 255.

**C#**

```
public void SetColumnWidthInChars(int columnIndex, double width)
```

**vb.net**

```
Public Sub SetColumnWidthInChars(ByVal columnIndex As Integer, ByVal width As Double)
```

## Parameters

### *columnIndex*

The column's 0-based index, relative to the starting column of the Area.

### *width*

The width of the column, as a number of '0' characters.

## Examples

**C#**

```
a.SetColumnWidthInChars(0, 100);
```

**vb.net**

```
a.SetColumnWidthInChars(0, 100)
```