

# Series.ChartType

## Description

Sets or returns the [ChartType](#) the series is displayed as.

### C#

```
public ChartType ChartType { get; set; }
```

### vb.net

```
Public Property ChartType() As ChartType
```

## Remarks

Unless otherwise specified, all series created on a chart will inherit the [ChartType](#) of that chart.

Note that depending on the configuration of the rest of the chart, it may not be possible to set the [ChartType](#) of a series to any [ChartType](#) with out error. For an overview of valid series configurations, see the remarks on the [SeriesCollection](#) class. If you need to change both the [ChartType](#) and the [AxisType](#) of a series at once in order to maintain a valid configuration, see the [Series.ChangeConfiguration](#) method.

## Exceptions

### ***ArgumentException***

The rules for what series can coexist on a chart are described under [SeriesCollection](#). If these rules would be violated by changing the chart type to the specified value, an [ArgumentException](#) will be thrown. Depending on the current series that are in your chart, you may need to change the chart type to a different [ChartType](#) or remove some existing series before calling this method in order to ensure that the rules described in [SeriesCollection](#) are adhered to.