

# Why doesn't C# have "const"?

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I was going to write about why C# doesn't have "const", but [Stan Lippman](#) already discussed this in [A Question of Const](#), so now I don't have to.

(And another example of synchronicity: After I wrote up this item and tossed it into the queue, [Eric Gunnerson](#) took up the topic as well.

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