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Definition Search Shortcut

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QuickFind;↵Quick Find

If you know the name of a symbol, you can quickly and directly ascertain where it is defined or referenced. Type a known class, protocol, method, function, macro, or type in the Find field using a special syntax described below. Then click the Find button to display definitions.

Class	<i>@class</i>
Protocol	<i><protocol></i>
Instance method	<i>-method</i>
Class method	<i>+method</i>
Method in particular class	<i>[class method]</i>
Function	<i>function()</i>
Macro	<i>#macro</i>

Customizing Searching; ↵ Customizing Searching

Project Builder's Preferences panel allows you some control over incremental searching and over the Project Find panel. To see these preferences, choose Preferences from the Infomenu and choose Find from the pop-up list.

The first two groups of preferences control incremental searching. Turn on the wrapping preferences if you want incremental searching to wrap around to the beginning of the file when it reaches the end.

Allow searching for newlines lets you enter a newline in the search string. By default, typing a newline will exit the incremental search window.

If Ignore case is set, incremental searching ignores the case of the characters you type, instead searching for both the upper and lower-case version of the letter. If you want a case-sensitive search, turn off this preference.

The Language-based find preferences control the searches you perform from the Project Find panel. If you normally use the right mouse button to display the menu in OPENSTEP applications, you can enable the right mouse button in Project Builder as an alternative to the Control-Shift-clicking a symbol. (It performs a Definition search on that symbol.) The Order results by type options groups definition searches by the file in which they were found rather than by the Objective-C symbol type.