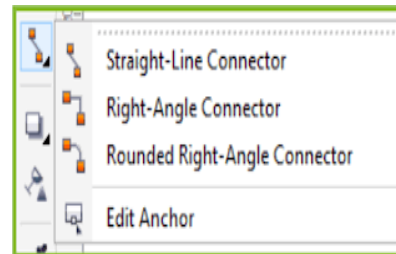


Lesson no. 8: Corel Draw Toolbox

Corel Draw Tool Box and Function Working with Toolbox:-

Connector Tools in Corel Draw Flyout




Connector Tools used in Corel Draw

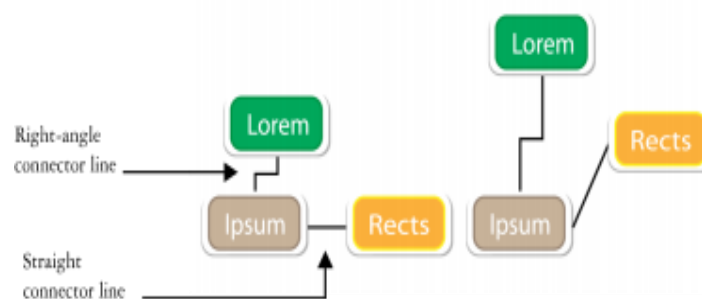
You can draw connector lines between objects. Objects stay connected by these lines even when you move one or both objects. Connector lines, which are also known as "flow lines", are used in technical drawings such as diagrams, flowcharts, and schematics. For information about drawing flowchart shapes, see Drawing predefined shapes.


There are three types of connector lines that you can draw in Corel draw.

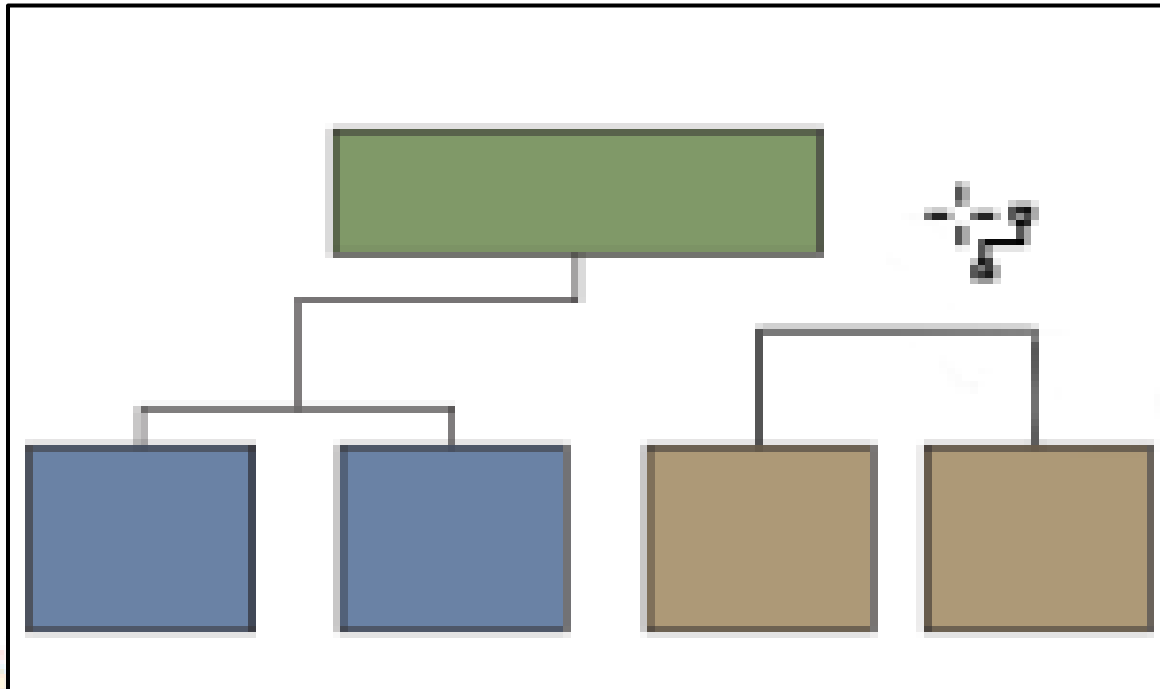
- 1- **Straight-line connector tool** —
- 2- **Right-angle connector tool** —
- 3- **Rounded right-angle connector tool** —


 **Straight-Line Connector tool** - Draw a straight line to connect two objects.

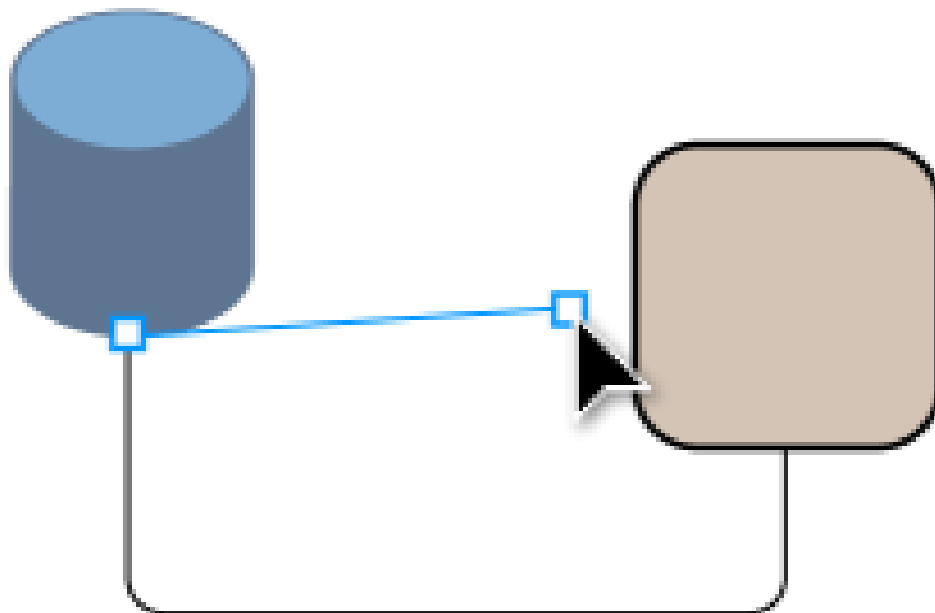
When you move objects, their connector lines remain attached. You can draw callout lines that label and draw attention to objects.







 **Right-Angle Connector tool** - Draw a right angle to connect two objects. When you move objects, their connector lines remain attached. Right-Angle Connector tool to create a connector line containing vertical and horizontal segments at right angles



 **Right-Angle Round Connector tool** - Draw a right angle with a rounded corner to connect two objects. Right-Angle Round Connector tool to create a connector line containing vertical and horizontal elements at rounded right angles.



You can change also in straight line connector

Move a horizontal segment in an angled connector line	Using the Shape tool  select a connector line, and drag the middle node on the segment that you want to move.
Move an end point of an angled connector line	Using the Shape tool  , drag an end node along the edge of the object.
Add a segment in an angled connector line	Using the Shape tool  , drag a corner node.
Delete a segment in an angled connector line	Using the Shape tool  , drag a corner node over the closest corner node.




Edit Anchor tool – Modify the connector line anchor points of objects. Edit Anchor tool to create a connector line containing vertical and horizontal elements at rounded right angles. To change the direction of a connection line by using the Edit Anchor tool.



In the toolbox, click the Edit anchor tool .

Click the anchor point from which you want to change the connector line direction.

On the property bar, click the Adjust anchor direction button.

By default, anchor points that you add to an object are not available as snap points for a connector line when the object is moved around in the drawing. To make an anchor point available as a snap point, select it with the Edit anchor tool, and click the **Auto anchor** button  on the property bar.

To move or delete an anchor point

<u>To</u>	<u>Do the following</u>
Move the anchor anywhere along the perimeter of an object	Using the Edit anchor tool  drag the anchor point to another point on the perimeter.
Move the anchor to the middle of an object	Drag the anchor point to any point inside the object.
Delete an anchor	On the property bar  click the Delete anchor button

Connectors Practice Exercise

