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# Chapter 1

## 079d5630-0

### 1.1 AFReqTools

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*****

ReqTools C++ Object

The ReqTools.library Wrapper.

AFrame Version 1.0
ReqTools Object Version 1.0

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        Deryk B Robosson

*****
```

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## 1.2 AFReqTools

AFReqTools/AFReqTools

NAME AFReqTools()

DESCRIPTION

Default class constructor. Modify this only if you wish each class to have the modifications

INPUTS

none

RESULT

none

BUGS

none known

SEE ALSO

~AFReqTools

## 1.3 ~AFReqTools

AFReqTools/~AFReqTools

NAME ~AFReqTools()

DESCRIPTION

Default class destructor. Modify this only if you wish each class to have the modifications

## INPUTS

none

## RESULT

none

## BUGS

none known

## SEE ALSO

AFReqTools

## 1.4 RTCreate

AFReqTools/RTCreate

NAME RTCreate()

```
ret = RTCreate();
```

## DESCRIPTION

The default Create function tests to see if reqtools.library is open, if not then will open the library.

## NOTE

If you wish to use this class under 1.2 or 1.3 kickstarts you will have to override this function to open the correct version of your library

## INPUTS

none

## RESULT

TRUE if success

FALSE if failure to open correct version of library

## BUGS

none known

## SEE ALSO

## 1.5 RTScreenMode

AFReqTools/RTScreenMode

NAME RTScreenMode()

```
ret = RTScreenMode();
```

```
ret = RTScreenModeA(ULONG *)
```

## DESCRIPTION

**\*IMPORTANT\*** THIS REQUESTER IS ONLY AVAILABLE FROM KICKSTART 2.0 ONWARDS!  
 The 1.3 version of ReqTools also contains the screenmode requester, but unless you are running 2.0 or higher it will not come up. So what you essentially have to do is NOT call `RTScreenModeA()` if your program is running on a machine with Kickstart 1.2/1.3. You can safely call `RTScreenModeA()` if you are running on a 2.0 machine, even if the user has installed the 1.3 version of ReqTools.

Get a screen mode from the user.

The user will be able to pick a screen mode by name, enter the size and the number of colors (bitplane depth).

`rtScreenModeRequestA()` will call the appropriate 2.0 functions to get all the mode's information. If no name has been assigned to the mode one will be constructed automatically.

#### INPUTS

If using `RTScreenModeA` it expects to see a taglist of items for customizing the requester.

EXAMPLE: `ULONG taglist[] = { ITEM1, ITEM2, ITEM3, ..., TAG_END };`

#### NOTE

See reqtools developer documentation for descriptions of tag items which can be used with `RTScreenModeA`

#### RESULT

TRUE if success  
 FALSE if failure to open requester

#### BUGS

none known

#### SEE ALSO

`m_screenmoderequester`

## 1.6 RTFileRequest

AFReqTools/RTFileRequest

NAME `RTFileRequest()`

`ret = RTFileRequest();`

`ret = RTFileRequestA(ULONG *)`

#### DESCRIPTION

Get a filename from the user.

'filename' should point to an array of at least 108 chars. The filename already in 'filename' will be displayed in the requester when it comes up. When the requester returns 'filename' will probably have changed.

Using certain tags may result in the calling of a caller-supplied hook.

The hook will be called with A0 holding the address of your hook structure (you may use the `h_Data` field to your own liking), A2 a pointer to the requester structure calling the hook ('req') and A1 a pointer to an object. The object is variable and depends on what your hook is for.

#### INPUTS

If using `RTFileRequestA` it expects to see a taglist of items for customizing the requester.

EXAMPLE: `ULONG taglist[] = { ITEM1, ITEM2, ITEM3, ..., TAG_END };`

#### NOTE

See `reqtools` developer documentation for descriptions of tag items which can be used with `RTFileRequestA`

#### RESULT

TRUE if success  
FALSE if failure to open requester

#### BUGS

none known

#### SEE ALSO

`RTFilesRequest`  
`m_filerequester`  
`m_filterhook`  
`m_volume_filterhook`  
`Hooks`

## 1.7 RTFilesRequest

`AFReqTools/RTFilesRequest`

NAME `RTFilesRequest()`

`ret = RTFilesRequest();`

`ret = RTFilesRequestA(ULONG *)`

#### DESCRIPTION

Get filename(s) from the user.

'filename' should point to an array of at least 108 chars. The filename already in 'filename' will be displayed in the requester when it comes up. When the requester returns 'filename' will probably have changed.

Using certain tags may result in the calling of a caller-supplied hook.

The hook will be called with A0 holding the address of your hook structure (you may use the `h_Data` field to your own liking), A2 a pointer to the requester structure calling the hook ('req') and A1 a pointer to an object. The object is variable and depends on what your hook is for.

**INPUTS**

If using RTFileRequestA it expects to see a taglist of items for customizing the requester.

EXAMPLE: `ULONG taglist[] = { ITEM1, ITEM2, ITEM3, ..., TAG_END };`

**NOTE**

See reqtools developer documentation for descriptions of tag items which can be used with RTFileRequestA

**RESULT**

TRUE if success  
FALSE if failure to open requester

**BUGS**

none known

**SEE ALSO**

RTFileRequest  
m\_filerequester  
m\_filterhook  
m\_volume\_filterhook  
Hooks

## 1.8 RTDirRequest

AFReqTools/RTDirRequest

NAME RTDirRequest()

`ret = RTDirRequest();`

**DESCRIPTION**

Get a directory from the user. What follows is an example of directory extraction.

EXAMPLE: `AFReqTools rt;  
printf("Directory: %s\n",rt.m_filerequester->Dir);`

**NOTE**

The hook function is not implemented at this time

**INPUTS**

none

**RESULT**

TRUE if success  
FALSE if failure to open requester

**BUGS**

none known

**SEE ALSO**

```
m_filerequester
m_volume_filterhook
Hooks
```

## 1.9 RTVolumeRequest

AFReqTools/RTVolumeRequest

NAME RTDirRequest()

```
ret = RTDirRequest();
```

DESCRIPTION

Get a volume from the user. What follows is an example of volume extraction.

```
EXAMPLE:  AFReqTools rt;
          printf("Volume: %s\n",rt.m_filerequester->Dir);
```

## INPUTS

none

## RESULT

TRUE if success

FALSE if failure to open requester

BUGS

none known

SEE ALSO

```
m_filerequester
m_volume_filterhook
Hooks
```

## 1.10 RTFontRequest

AFReqTools/RTFontRequest

NAME RTFontRequest()

```
ret = RTFontRequest();
```

```
ret = RTFontRequest (ULONG *);
```

DESCRIPTION

Get a font from the user. What follows is an example of font extraction.

```
EXAMPLE:  AfReqTools rt;
          printf("Fontname: %s\nSize: %ld",
                rt.m_fontrequester->Attr.ta_Name,
                rt.m_fontrequester->Attr.ta_YSIZE);
```

## NOTE

See reqtools developer documentation for descriptions of tag items which can be used with RTFileRequestA

## INPUTS

If using RTFileRequestA it expects to see a taglist of items for customizing the requester.

EXAMPLE: ULONG taglist[] = { ITEM1, ITEM2, ITEM3, ..., TAG\_END };

## RESULT

TRUE if success

FALSE if failure to open requester

## BUGS

none known

## SEE ALSO

m\_fontrequester

m\_font\_filterhook

Hooks

## 1.11 RTPaletteRequest

AFReqTools/RTPaletteRequest

NAME RTPaletteRequest()

ret = RTPaletteRequest();

ret = RTPaletteRequest(ULONG \*);

## DESCRIPTION

Get a color from the user.

## NOTE

See reqtools developer documentation for descriptions of tag items which can be used with RTFileRequestA

## INPUTS

If using RTFileRequestA it expects to see a taglist of items for customizing the requester.

EXAMPLE: ULONG taglist[] = { ITEM1, ITEM2, ITEM3, ..., TAG\_END };

## RESULT

TRUE if success

FALSE if failure to open requester

The member color is set to the selected color

## BUGS

none known

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SEE ALSO

```
rtPaletteRequest()  
rtPaletteRequestA()  
color
```

## 1.12 RTScreenToFront

AFReqTools/RTScreenToFront

NAME RTScreenToFront()

```
RTScreenToFront(struct Screen *);
```

DESCRIPTION

Brings the specified screen to the front of the display, but only after checking it is still in the list of currently open screens.

This function can be used to bring a screen back to the front of the display after bringing another screen to the front. If the first screen closed while you were busy it is harmless to call this function, unlike calling the normal ScreenToFront().

NOTE

This function is for the advanced ReqTools user.

INPUTS

screen - pointer to the screen

RESULT

none

BUGS

none known

SEE ALSO

intuition.library/ScreenToFront()

## 1.13 RTSetWaitPointer

AFReqTools/RTSetWaitPointer

NAME RTSetWaitPointer()

```
RTSetWaitPointer(struct Window *);
```

DESCRIPTION

Change the window's pointer image to that of a wait pointer. Call this function whenever your program will be busy doing something for a lengthy period of time.

It is recommended you call this function before calling any of the requester functions. This way if the user clicks in your window he will

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know he must respond to the requester before doing anything else. Also see the RT\_WaitPointer tag for an automatic way of setting the wait pointer. If you are using ReqTools V38+ check out the RT\_LockWindow tag!

**NOTE**

The wait pointer will look exactly like the standard Workbench 2.0 wait pointer. In combination with PointerX, ClockTick or LacePointer the handle will turn.

**INPUTS**

window - pointer to the window to receive the wait pointer

**RESULT**

none

**BUGS**

none known

**SEE ALSO**

## 1.14 RTLockWindow

AFReqTools/RTLockWindow

NAME RTLockWindow()

```
m_windowlock = RTLockWindow(struct Window *);
```

**DESCRIPTION**

Lock a window so it will no longer accept any user input. The only functions left to the user are depth arrangement and window dragging. All gadgets will be un-selectable and the window can not be resized. It will also get the standard wait pointer set. The pointer at the time of locking will be restored when the window is unlocked (this will \*not\* happen on Kickstart V39 or higher!).

You may nest calls to RTLockWindow() and RTUnlockWindow(). Make sure you unlock the window in the correct (opposite) order.

**NOTE**

The wait pointer will look exactly like the standard Workbench 2.0 wait pointer. In combination with PointerX, ClockTick or LacePointer the handle will turn.

**INPUTS**

windowlock - a pointer to a (private) window lock. You must pass this to RTUnlockWindow() to unlock the window again. Never mind if this is NULL. This means there was not enough memory and the window will not be locked. There is no sense in reporting this, just carry on and pass the NULL window lock to RTUnlockWindow().

**RESULT**

none

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## BUGS

none known

## SEE ALSO

RTUnlockWindow  
m\_windowlock

## 1.15 RTUnlockWindow

AFReqTools/RTUnlockWindow

NAME RTUnlockWindow()

```
RTUnlockWindow(window, windowlock);
```

## DESCRIPTION

Unlock a window previously locked with RTLockWindow(). The window will once again accept user input and will get its original mouse pointer back (default or custom).

Under Kickstart V39 or higher the original window pointer will not be restored if it was set using SetWindowPointer(). You will have to restore the pointer yourself in this case.

## INPUTS

window - pointer to the window to be unlocked.  
windowlock - the windowlock pointer returned by rtLockWindow(), may be NULL.

## RESULT

none

## BUGS

none known

## SEE ALSO

RTLockWindow  
m\_windowlock

## 1.16 RTGetLong

AFReqTools/RTGetLong

NAME RTGetLong()

```
ULONG ret = RTGetLong(ULONG var, char *title, struct rtReqInfo *reqinfo);  
  
ULONG ret = RTGetLong(ULONG var, char *title, struct rtReqInfo *reqinfo,  
                      ULONG *taglist);
```

## DESCRIPTION

Puts up a requester to get a signed long (32-bit) number from the user.

'reqinfo' can be used to customize the requester. For greater control use the tags listed below. The advantage of the rtReqInfo structure is that it is global, where tags have to be specified each function call. See libraries/regtools.[hi] for a description of the rtReqInfo structure.

#### NOTE

'var' will NOT change if the requester is aborted.

See regtools developer documentation for descriptions of tag items which can be used with RTFileRequestA

#### INPUTS

&var - address of long (32 bit!) variable to hold result.  
 title - pointer to null terminated title of requester window.  
 reqinfo - pointer to a rtReqInfo structure allocated with  
           rtAllocRequest() or NULL.  
 taglist - pointer to a TagItem array.

#### RESULT

ret - TRUE if user entered a number, FALSE if not. If one of your idcmp flags caused the requester to end 'ret' will hold this flag.  
 If you used the RTGL\_GadFmt tag the return code will hold the value of the response as with rteZRequestA().

#### BUGS

none known

#### SEE ALSO

m\_reqinfo

## 1.17 RTGetString

AFReqTools/RTGetString

NAME RTGetString()

```
ULONG ret = RTGetString(UBYTE *buffer, ULONG maxchars, char *title,
                        struct rtReqInfo *reqinfo);
```

```
ULONG ret = RTGetString(ULONG *buffer, ULONG maxchars, char *title,
                        struct rtReqInfo *reqinfo, ULONG *taglist);
```

#### DESCRIPTION

Puts up a string requester to get a line of text from the user. The string present in 'buffer' upon entry will be displayed, ready to be edited.

'reqinfo' can be used to customize the requester. For greater control use the tags listed below. The advantage of the rtReqInfo structure is that it is global, where tags have to be specified each function call. See libraries/regtools.[hi] for a description of the rtReqInfo structure.

#### NOTE

The contents of the buffer will NOT change if the requester is aborted.

See reqtools developer documentation for descriptions of tag items which can be used with RTFileRequestA

#### INPUTS

buffer - pointer to buffer to hold characters entered.  
 maxchars - maximum number of characters that fit in buffer (EX-cluding the 0 to terminate the string !).  
 title - pointer to null terminated title of requester window.  
 reqinfo - pointer to a rtReqInfo structure allocated with rtAllocRequest() or NULL.  
 taglist - pointer to a TagItem array.

#### RESULT

ret - TRUE if user entered a number, FALSE if not. If one of your idcmp flags caused the requester to end 'ret' will hold this flag.  
 If you used the RTGL\_GadFmt tag the return code will hold the value of the response as with rtEZRequestA().

#### BUGS

none known

#### SEE ALSO

AFReqTools buffer member

## 1.18 RTGetVScreenSize

AFReqTools/RTGetVScreenSize

NAME RTGetVScreenSize()

```
ULONG spacing = RTGetVScreenSize(struct Screen *screen, ULONG *widthptr,
                                ULONG *heightptr);
```

#### DESCRIPTION

Use this function to get the size of the visible portion of a screen.

The value returned by RTGetVScreenSize() can be used for vertical spacing. It will be larger for interlaced and productivity screens. Using this number for spacing will assure your requester will look good on an interlaced and a non-interlaced screen.

Current return codes are 2 for non-interlaced and 4 for interlaced. These values may change in the future, don't depend on them too much. They will in any case remain of the same magnitude.

#### NOTE

This function is for the advanced ReqTools user.

#### INPUTS

screen - pointer to the screen.  
 widthptr - address of an ULONG variable to hold the width.  
 heightptr - address of an ULONG variable to hold the height.

RESULT  
spacing - vertical spacing for the screen

BUGS  
none known

SEE ALSO

## 1.19 Misc Members

AFReqTools/Misc Members

m\_reqinfo  
m\_filerequester  
m\_fontrequester  
m\_screenmoderequester  
m\_filelist  
m\_tempfilelist  
  
m\_filterhook  
m\_font\_filterhook  
m\_volume\_filterhook  
  
m\_windowlock  
color  
buffer  
filename  
longvar

## 1.20 Structs

AFReqTools/Structs

NAME rtReqInfo, rtFileRequester, rtFontRequester, rtScreenModeRequester  
rtFileList, Hook

DESCRIPTION  
Miscellaneous structures used by the AFReqTools class object

INPUTS  
none

RESULT  
none

BUGS  
none known

SEE ALSO  
struct~rtReqInfo  
struct~rtFileRequester  
struct~rtFontRequester

---

```

struct~rtScreenModeRequester
struct~rtFileList
<utility/hooks.h>

```

## 1.21 Hooks

AReqTools/Hooks

```

NAME BOOL __asm __saves file_filterfunc (
    register __a0 struct Hook *, register __a2 struct rtFileRequester *,
    register __a1 struct FileInfoBlock *
);

NAME BOOL __asm __saves font_filterfunc (
    register __a0 struct Hook *, register __a2 struct rtFontRequester *,
    register __a1 struct TextAttr *
);

NAME BOOL __asm __saves vol_filterfunc (
    register __a0 struct Hook *, register __a2 struct rtFileRequester *,
    register __a1 struct rtVolumeEntry *
);

```

### DESCRIPTION

Used to filter unwanted items in a requester so the user does not have them as an option.

### INPUTS

```

hook          - struct Hook pointer
rtFileRequester, rtFontRequester
               - reqtools requester struct pointer
rtVolumeEntry, TextAttr, FileInfoBlock
               - appropriate struct for information comparison

```

### RESULT

```

BOOL          - TRUE if item examined is accepted, FALSE if not

```

### BUGS

none known

### SEE ALSO

## 1.22 Includes

```

/////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////
// ReqTools.hpp - AFrame v1.0 © 1996 Synthetic Input
//
// ReqTools C++ Object utilizing reqtools.library version 38.1296
// by Nico François. ReqTools is © Nico François
//
//

```

```

// Deryk B Robosson
// Jeffry A Worth
// January 20, 1996
////////////////////////////////////

#ifndef __AFREQTOOLS_HPP__
#define __AFREQTOOLS_HPP__

////////////////////////////////////
// INCLUDES
#include "AFrame:include/AFrame.hpp"
#include "AFrame:include/Object.hpp"
#include <exec/types.h>
#include <exec/memory.h>
#include <exec/execbase.h>
#include <intuition/intuition.h>
#include <utility/tagitem.h>
#include <libraries/dos.h>
#include <proto/exec.h>
#include <proto/dos.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#include <stdlib.h>
#include <string.h>

#include <libraries/reqtools.h>
#include <proto/reqtools.h>

#define REG register

BOOL __asm __saveds file_filterfunc (
    REG __a0 struct Hook *, REG __a2 struct rtFileRequester *,
    REG __a1 struct FileInfoBlock *
);

BOOL __asm __saveds font_filterfunc (
    REG __a0 struct Hook *, REG __a2 struct rtFontRequester *,
    REG __a1 struct TextAttr *
);

BOOL __asm __saveds vol_filterfunc (
    REG __a0 struct Hook *, REG __a2 struct rtFileRequester *,
    REG __a1 struct rtVolumeEntry *
);

////////////////////////////////////
// Req_Tools Class
class AFReqTools : public AObject
{
public:

    AFReqTools();
    ~AFReqTools();

    virtual void DestroyObject();
    virtual char *ObjectType() { return "ReqTools"; };

// Methods

```

```

virtual BOOL RTCreate();
virtual BOOL RTEZRequest(char *, char *);
virtual BOOL RTEZRequestA(char *, char *, struct rtReqInfo *, ULONG *);
virtual BOOL RTScreenMode();
virtual BOOL RTScreenModeA(ULONG *);
virtual BOOL RTFileRequest();
virtual BOOL RTFileRequestA(ULONG *);
virtual BOOL RTFilesRequest();
virtual BOOL RTFilesRequestA(ULONG *);
virtual BOOL RTDirRequest();
virtual BOOL RTVolumeRequest();
virtual BOOL RTFontRequest();
virtual BOOL RTFontRequestA(ULONG *);
virtual BOOL RTPaletteRequest();
virtual BOOL RTPaletteRequestA(ULONG *);
virtual void RTScreenToFront(struct Screen *);
virtual void RTSetWaitPointer(struct Window *);
virtual BOOL RTLockWindow(struct Window *);
virtual void RTUnlockWindow(struct Window *,APTR);
virtual ULONG RTGetLong(char *, struct rtReqInfo *);
virtual ULONG RTGetLongA(char *, struct rtReqInfo *, ULONG *);
virtual ULONG RTGetString(UBYTE *, ULONG, char *, struct rtReqInfo *);
virtual ULONG RTGetStringA(UBYTE *, ULONG, char *, struct rtReqInfo *, ULONG ←
    *);
virtual ULONG RTGetVScreenSize(struct Screen *, ULONG *, ULONG *);

struct rtReqInfo *m_reqinfo;
struct rtFileRequester *m_filerequester;
struct rtFontRequester *m_fontrequester;
struct rtScreenModeRequester *m_screenmoderequester;
struct rtFileList *m_filelist, *m_tempfilelist;
struct Hook m_filterhook, m_font_filterhook, m_volume_filterhook;
APTR m_windowlock;
ULONG color, longvar;
char buffer[128], filename[108];
};

////////////////////////////////////
#endif // __AFREQTOOLS_HPP__

```

## 1.23 Source

```

////////////////////////////////////
// ReqTools.cpp - AFrame v1.0 © 1996 Synthetic Input
//
// ReqTools C++ Object utilizing reqtools.library version 38.1296
// by Nico François. ReqTools is © Nico François
//
//
// Deryk B Robosson
// Jeffery A Worth
// January 20, 1996
////////////////////////////////////

```

```

////////////////////////////////////
// INCLUDES
#include "AFRAME:include/reqtools.hpp"

#ifndef __AFREQTOOLS_DEFTAGS__
#define __AFREQTOOLS_DEFTAGS__

ULONG def_screentags[] = {
RTSC_Flags, SCREQF_DEPTHGAD|SCREQF_SIZEGADS|SCREQF_AUTOSCROLLGAD|SCREQF_OVERSCANGAD ↵
, TAG_END } ;
ULONG def_filetags[] = { RTFI_FilterFunc, TAG_END };
ULONG def_multifiletags[] = { RTFI_FilterFunc, RTFI_Flags, FREQF_MULTISELECT, ↵
TAG_END };
ULONG def_dirtags[] = { RTFI_Flags, FREQF_NOFILES, TAG_END };
ULONG def_volumetags[] = { RTFI_FilterFunc, RTFI_VolumeRequest, 0, TAG_END };
ULONG def_fonttags[] = { RTFO_FilterFunc, TAG_END };
ULONG def_palettetags[] = { TAG_END };
ULONG def_getlong[] = { RTGL_ShowDefault, FALSE, RTGL_Min, 0, RTGL_Max, 999999, ↵
TAG_END };
//ULONG def_getstring[] = {
RTGS_GadFmt, "_Ok|_Cancel", RTGS_BackFill, FALSE, RTGS_Flags, GSREQF_CENTERTEXT| ↵
GSREQF_HIGHLIGHTTEXT, TAG_MORE, RT_Undersco
re, '_', TAG_END };

#endif //__AFREQTOOLS_DEFTAGS__

extern struct ExecBase *SysBase;
extern struct ReqToolsBase *ReqToolsBase;

////////////////////////////////////
//

AFReqTools::AFReqTools()
{
    color=0;
    filename[0]=0;
    m_filelist=NULL;
    m_screenmoderequester=NULL;
    m_filerequester=NULL;
    m_fontrequester=NULL;
}

AFReqTools::~~AFReqTools()
{
    DestroyObject();
}

void AFReqTools::DestroyObject()
{
    if(m_filelist) rtFreeFileList(m_filelist);
    if(m_screenmoderequester) rtFreeRequest(m_screenmoderequester);
    if(m_filerequester) rtFreeRequest(m_filerequester);
    if(m_fontrequester) rtFreeRequest(m_fontrequester);

    color=0;
    filename[0]=0;
    m_filelist=NULL;

```

```

    m_screenmoderequester=NULL;
    m_filerequester=NULL;
    m_fontrequester=NULL;
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTCreate()
{
    if(!ReqToolsBase)
        if(!(ReqToolsBase=(struct ReqToolsBase *)OpenLibrary((UBYTE*) ↵
            REQTOOLSNAME, (ULONG)REQTOOLSVERSION)))
            return FALSE;
        else return TRUE;
    else return FALSE;
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTEZRequest(char *text, char *gadfmt)
{
    return ::rtEZRequest(text, gadfmt, NULL, NULL);
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTEZRequestA(char *text, char *gadfmt, struct rtReqInfo * ↵
    reqinfo, ULONG taglist[])
{
    return ::rtEZRequest(text, gadfmt, reqinfo, (struct TagItem *)taglist);
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTScreenMode()
{
    if(SysBase->LibNode.lib_Version<37) {
        rtEZRequestTags("ScreenMode requesters require\n Kickstart 2.0 or
higher.\n", "_Ok", NULL, NULL, RT_Underscore, '_', TAG_END);
        return FALSE;
    } else {
        if(m_screenmoderequester=(struct rtScreenModeRequester*)rtAllocRequestA( ↵
            RT_SCREENMODEREQ, NULL)) {
            if(!rtScreenModeRequest(m_screenmoderequester, (char *) "Select a ↵
                Screen Mode", (ULONG)RTSC_Flags,
                                (ULONG) (SCREQF_DEPTHGAD|SCREQF_SIZEGADS| ↵
                                SCREQF_AUTOSCROLLGAD|SCREQF_OVERSCANGA
D), (ULONG)TAG_END))
                return FALSE;
            else return TRUE;
        } else {
            rtEZRequest((char *) "Out of memory!", (char *) "Ok!", NULL, NULL);
            return FALSE;
        }
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTScreenModeA(ULONG taglist[])
{
    if(SysBase->LibNode.lib_Version<37) {
        rtEZRequestTags("ScreenMode requesters require\n Kickstart 2.0 or
higher.\n", "_Ok", NULL, NULL, RT_Underscore, '_', TAG_END);
        return FALSE;
    } else {

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        if(m_screenmoderequester=(struct rtScreenModeRequester*)rtAllocRequestA( ←
            RT_SCREENMODEREQ,NULL)) {
            if(!rtScreenModeRequestA(m_screenmoderequester,(char *)"Select a ←
                Screen Mode",(struct TagItem
*)taglist))
                return FALSE;
            else return TRUE;
        } else {
            rtEZRequest((char *)"Out of memory!",(char *)"Ok!",NULL,NULL);
            return FALSE;
        }
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTFileRequest()
{
    if(m_filerequester=(struct rtFileRequester*)rtAllocRequestA(RT_FILEREQ,NULL) ←
        ) {
        m_filterhook.h_Entry=(ULONG(*)())file_filterfunc;
        if(!rtFileRequest(m_filerequester,filename,"Select a File", ←
            RTFI_FilterFunc,&m_filterhook,TAG_END))
            return FALSE;
        else return TRUE;
    } else {
        rtEZRequest((char *)"Out of memory!",(char *)"Ok!",NULL,NULL);
        return FALSE;
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTFileRequestA(ULONG taglist[])
{
    if(m_filerequester=(struct rtFileRequester*)rtAllocRequestA(RT_FILEREQ,NULL) ←
        ) {
        m_filterhook.h_Entry=(ULONG(*)())file_filterfunc;
        if(!rtFileRequestA(m_filerequester,filename,"Select a File",(struct ←
            TagItem *)taglist))
            return FALSE;
        else return TRUE;
    } else {
        rtEZRequest((char *)"Out of memory!",(char *)"Ok!",NULL,NULL);
        return FALSE;
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTFilesRequest()
{
    if(m_filerequester=(struct rtFileRequester*)rtAllocRequestA(RT_FILEREQ,NULL) ←
        ) {
        m_filterhook.h_Entry=(ULONG(*)())file_filterfunc;
        m_filelist=(struct rtFileList*)rtFileRequest(m_filerequester,filename," ←
            Select
Files",RTFI_FilterFunc,&m_filterhook,RTFI_Flags,FREQF_MULTISELECT,TAG_END);
        if(!m_filelist)
            return FALSE;
        else return TRUE;
    } else {
        rtEZRequest((char *)"Out of memory!",(char *)"Ok!",NULL,NULL);

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        return FALSE;
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTFilesRequestA(ULONG taglist[])
{
    if(m_filerequester=(struct rtFileRequester*)rtAllocRequestA(RT_FILEREQ,NULL) ←
        ) {
        m_filterhook.h_Entry=(ULONG(*)())file_filterfunc;
        m_filelist=(struct rtFileList*)rtFileRequestA(m_filerequester,filename," ←
            Select Files",(struct TagItem
*)taglist);
        if(!m_filelist)
            return FALSE;
        else return TRUE;
    } else {
        rtEZRequest((char *)"Out of memory!",(char *)"Ok!",NULL,NULL);
        return FALSE;
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTDirRequest()
{
    if(m_filerequester=(struct rtFileRequester*)rtAllocRequestA(RT_FILEREQ,NULL) ←
        ) {
        if(!rtFileRequest(m_filerequester,filename,"Select a Directory", ←
            RTFI_Flags,FREQF_NOFILES,TAG_END))
            return FALSE;
        else return TRUE;
    } else {
        rtEZRequest((char *)"Out of memory!",(char *)"Ok!",NULL,NULL);
        return FALSE;
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTVolumeRequest()
{
    if(m_filerequester=(struct rtFileRequester*)rtAllocRequestA(RT_FILEREQ,NULL) ←
        ) {
        m_volume_filterhook.h_Entry=(ULONG (*)())vol_filterfunc;
        if(!rtFileRequest(m_filerequester,filename,"Select a
Volume",RTFI_FilterFunc,&m_volume_filterhook,RTFI_VolumeRequest,0,TAG_END))
            return FALSE;
        else return TRUE;
    } else {
        rtEZRequest((char *)"Out of memory!",(char *)"Ok!",NULL,NULL);
        return FALSE;
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTFontRequest()
{
    if(m_fontrequester=(struct rtFontRequester*)rtAllocRequestA(RT_FONTREQ,NULL) ←
        ) {
        m_fontrequester->Flags=FREQF_STYLE|FREQF_COLORFONTS;
        m_font_filterhook.h_Entry=(ULONG (*)())font_filterfunc;

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        if(!rtFontRequest(m_fontrequester,"Select a Font",RTFO_FilterFunc,& ←
            m_font_filterhook,TAG_END))
            return FALSE;
        else return TRUE;
    } else {
        rtEZRequest((char *)"Out of memory!",(char *)"Ok!",NULL,NULL);
        return FALSE;
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTFontRequestA(ULONG taglist[])
{
    if(m_fontrequester=(struct rtFontRequester*)rtAllocRequestA(RT_FONTREQ,NULL) ←
        ) {
        m_fontrequester->Flags=FREQF_STYLE|FREQF_COLORFONTS;
        m_font_filterhook.h_Entry=(ULONG (*)( ))font_filterfunc;
        if(!rtFontRequestA(m_fontrequester,"Select a Font",(struct TagItem *) ←
            taglist))
            return FALSE;
        else return TRUE;
    } else {
        rtEZRequest((char *)"Out of memory!",(char *)"Ok!",NULL,NULL);
        return FALSE;
    }
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTPaletteRequest()
{
    color=rtPaletteRequest("Change Palette",NULL,TAG_END);

    if(color==-1)
        return FALSE;
    else return TRUE;
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTPaletteRequestA(ULONG taglist[])
{
    color=rtPaletteRequestA("Change Palette",m_reqinfo,(struct TagItem *)taglist ←
        );

    if(color==-1)
        return FALSE;
    else return TRUE;
}

void AFReqTools::RTScreenToFront(struct Screen *screen)
{
    rtScreenToFrontSafely(screen);
}

void AFReqTools::RTSetWaitPointer(struct Window *win)
{
    rtSetWaitPointer(win);
}

BOOL AFReqTools::RTLockWindow(struct Window *win)
{

```

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```

        m_windowlock=(APTR)rtLockWindow(win);
        return TRUE;
    }

void AFReqTools::RTUnlockWindow(struct Window *win, APTR winlock)
{
    rtUnlockWindow(win,winlock);
}

ULONG AFReqTools::RTGetLong(char *title, struct rtReqInfo *reqinfo)
{
    ULONG ret;
    if(!(ret=rtGetLong((ULONG
*)&longvar,title,reqinfo,RTGL_ShowDefault,FALSE,RTGL_Min,0,RTGL_Max,999999,TAG_END ←
)))
        return FALSE;
    else return ret;
}

ULONG AFReqTools::RTGetLongA(char *title, struct rtReqInfo *reqinfo, ULONG ←
taglist[])
{
    ULONG ret;
    if(!(ret=rtGetLongA((ULONG *)&longvar,title,reqinfo,(struct TagItem *) ←
taglist)))
        return FALSE;
    else return ret;
}

ULONG AFReqTools::RTGetString(UBYTE *buffer, ULONG maxchars, char *title, struct ←
rtReqInfo *reqinfo)
{
    ULONG ret;

    if(!(ret=rtGetString(buffer, maxchars, title, reqinfo, RTGS_GadFmt,
"_Ok|_Cancel",RTGS_BackFill,FALSE,RTGS_Flags,GSREQF_CENTERTEXT| ←
GSREQF_HIGHLIGHTTEXT,TAG_MORE,RT_Underscore,'_',TAG_E
ND)))
        return FALSE;
    else return ret;
}

ULONG AFReqTools::RTGetStringA(UBYTE *buffer, ULONG maxchars, char *title, ←
struct rtReqInfo *reqinfo, ULONG
taglist[])
{
    ULONG ret;

    if(!(ret=rtGetStringA(buffer, maxchars, title, reqinfo, (struct TagItem *) ←
taglist)))
        return FALSE;
    else return ret;
}

ULONG AFReqTools::RTGetVScreenSize(struct Screen *screen, ULONG *widthptr, ULONG ←
*heightptr)
{

```

```

        ULONG spacing;

        if (!(spacing=rtGetVScreenSize(screen,widthptr,heightptr)))
            return FALSE;
        else return spacing;
    }

    BOOL __asm __saves file_filterfunc (register __a0 struct Hook *filterhook,
        register __a2 struct rtFileRequester *req,
        register __a1 struct FileInfoBlock *fib)
    {
        // examine fib to decide if you want this file in the requester
        return TRUE;
    }

    BOOL __asm __saves vol_filterfunc (
        REG __a0 struct Hook *hook,
        REG __a2 struct rtFileRequester *filereq,
        REG __a1 struct rtVolumeEntry *volentry
    )
    {
        // examine volentry to decide which volumes you want in this requester
        return TRUE;
    }

    BOOL __asm __saves font_filterfunc (
        REG __a0 struct Hook *hook,
        REG __a2 struct rtFontRequester *fontreq,
        REG __a1 struct TextAttr *textattr
    )
    {
        // examine textattr to decide which fonts you want in this requester
        return TRUE;
    }
}

```

## 1.24 ReqTools Object Information

### AFReqTools/Object Information

The ReqTools Object was written to provide a C++ Object Class interface to the reqtools.library. Most of the functions are supported, but alas a few are not because we do not feel they are necessary at this time. The class may be updated to support the remaining functions if a need or desire arise. This class is subject to change as does the reqtools.library.

## 1.25 History

\*\*\*HISTORY\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\* ReqTools Object v1.0

Created January 20, 1996 Release January 21, 1996

- Created all function class objects for reqtools.library usage. The only functions not supported are:

- rtChangeReqAttrA
- rtFreeReqBuffer
- rtReqHandlerA
- rtSetReqPosition
- rtSpread

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## 1.27 m\_screenmoderequester

AFrameTools/m\_screenmoderequester

### MEMBER TYPE

struct rtScreenModeRequster

### DESCRIPTION

A rtScreenModeRequster struct unique to each class

### SEE ALSO

RTScreenMode

## 1.28 m\_filerequester

AFrameTools/m\_filerequester

### MEMBER TYPE

struct rtFileRequster

### DESCRIPTION

A rtFileRequster struct unique to each class

### SEE ALSO

RTFileRequest

## 1.29 m\_filterhook

AFrameTools/m\_filterhook

### MEMBER TYPE

struct Hook

### DESCRIPTION

A Hook struct used in the rtFileRequster hook

### SEE ALSO

RTFileRequster  
struct~rtFileRequest  
<utility/hooks.h>

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### 1.30 m\_volume\_filterhook

AFReqTools/m\_volume\_filterhook

MEMBER TYPE  
struct Hook

DESCRIPTION  
A Hook struct used in the rtFileRequester hook

SEE ALSO  
RTVolumeRequest  
struct~rtFileRequest  
<utility/hooks.h>

### 1.31 m\_fontrequester

AFReqTools/m\_fontrequester

MEMBER TYPE  
struct rtFontReqester

DESCRIPTION  
A rtFontRequester struct unique to each class

SEE ALSO  
RTFontRequest

### 1.32 m\_font\_filterhook

AFReqTools/m\_font\_filterhook

MEMBER TYPE  
struct Hook

DESCRIPTION  
A Hook struct used in the rtFontRequester hook

SEE ALSO  
RTFontRequest  
struct~rtFontRequest  
<utility/hooks.h>

### 1.33 color

AFReqTools/color

MEMBER TYPE  
ULONG

---

## DESCRIPTION

Can be used to retain the color returned by a RTPaletteRequest

## SEE ALSO

RTPaletteRequest

## 1.34 m\_windowlock

AFReqTools/m\_windowlock

## MEMBER TYPE

APTR

## DESCRIPTION

A storage pointer to a locked window to be used with RTUnlockWindow

## SEE ALSO

RTUnlockWindow

## 1.35 m\_reqinfo

AFReqTools/m\_reqinfo

## MEMBER TYPE

struct rtReqInfo

## DESCRIPTION

A rtReqInfo struct unique to each class

## SEE ALSO

struct~rtReqInfo

## 1.36 buffer

AFReqTools/buffer

## MEMBER TYPE

char

## DESCRIPTION

Used to retain the string filled by a RTGetString

## SEE ALSO

RTGetString

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## 1.37 m\_filelist

AFReqTools/m\_filelist

MEMBER TYPE  
struct rtFileList

DESCRIPTION  
A rtFileList struct unique to each class

SEE ALSO  
m\_tempfilelist  
struct~rtFileList

## 1.38 m\_tempfilelist

AFReqTools/m\_tempfilelist

MEMBER TYPE  
struct rtFileList

DESCRIPTION  
A second rtFileList struct which can be used as a buffer

SEE ALSO  
m\_filelist  
struct~rtFileList

## 1.39 filename

AFReqTools/filename

MEMBER TYPE  
char

DESCRIPTION  
Used to retain the filename filled by a RTFileRequest

SEE ALSO  
RTFileRequest  
RTVolumeRequest

## 1.40 longvar

AFReqTools/longvar

MEMBER TYPE  
ULONG

---

## DESCRIPTION

Used by RTGetLong and RTGetLongA it is set by the preceeding functions if the user enters a number. If not, then the variable remains NULL. ←

## SEE ALSO

RTGetLong, RTGetLongA  
rtGetLong, rtGetLongA

## 1.41 RTEZRequest

AFReqTools/RTEZRequest

NAME RTEZRequest()

```
ret = RTEZRequest(char *bodyfmt, char *gadfmt)
```

```
ret = RTEZRequest(char *bodyfmt, char *gadfmt, struct rtReqInfo *reqinfo,
                  ULONG *taglist)
```

## DESCRIPTION

## INPUTS

bodyfmt - requester body text, can be format string ala RawDoFmt()  
gadfmt - text for gadgets (left to right, separated by '|') or NULL  
- \*WARNING\* click here for information on passing NULL as gadfmt  
reqinfo - pointer to a rtReqInfo structure allocated with rtAllocRequest() or NULL

taglist - if using RTEZRequestA it expects to see a taglist of items for customizing the requester.

EXAMPLE: ULONG taglist[] = { ITEM1, ITEM2, ITEM3, ..., TAG\_END };

## NOTE

See reqtools developer documentation for descriptions of tag items which can be used with RTEZRequestA

## RESULT

ret - 1 (TRUE) for leftmost (positive) response, then each consecutive response will return 1 more, the rightmost (false) response will return 0 (FALSE), so 1,2,3,...,num-1,0 -- or idcmp flag.

## BUGS

none known

## SEE ALSO

struct~rtReqInfo