

## # \$ About

**Description** Displays the WinHelp application's About topic.

**Syntax** **About()**

# MACRO\_About

\$ About Macro

## # \$ AddAccelerator (AA)

**Description** Assigns a help macro to an accelerator key or key or key combination so that the macro is executed when the accelerator key is pressed.

**Syntax** **AddAccelerator**(*key*, *shift-state*, *'macro'*)

#           MACRO\_AddAccelerator  
\$           AddAccelerator (AA)

## # \$ Annotate

**Description** Displays the WinHelp application's Annotate dialog box, as if the user had selected **Annotate** from the **Edit** menu.

**Syntax** `Annotate()`

#           MACRO\_Annotate  
\$           Annotate

## **# \$ AppendItem**

**Description** Appends a menu item to the end of an existing menu - either one of the default menus or one created with the **InsertMenu** macro.

**Syntax** **AppendItem**(`menu-id', `item-name', `macro')

#           MACRO\_AppendItem  
\$           AppendItem

## # \$ Back

**Description** Displays the previous topic in the history list. This is a list of the topics displayed since starting WinHelp. Topics displayed in popup windows are not included in this list. The function of this macro is identical to selecting the **Back** button.

**Syntax** **Back()**

# MACRO\_Back  
\$ Back

## **# \$ BookmarkDefine**

**Description** Displays the Bookmark Define dialog box. Executing this macro is the same as selecting **Define** from the **Bookmark** menu.

**Syntax** **BookmarkDefine()**

```
# MACRO_BookmarkDefine
$ BookmarkDefine
```

## **# \$ BookmarkMore**

**Description** Displays the Bookmark dialog box. Executing this macro is the same as selecting **More** from the **Bookmark** menu. The **More** item appears on the **Bookmark** menu if there are more than nine bookmarks defined.

**Syntax** **BookmarkMore()**

```
# MACRO_BookmarkMore
$ BookmarkMore
```

## **# \$ BrowseButtons**

**Description** Adds the browse buttons, << and >>, to the WinHelp button bar.

**Syntax** **BrowseButtons()**

#           MACRO\_BrowseButtons  
\$           BrowseButtons



## **# \$** ChangeButtonBinding (CBB)

**Description** Assigns a new macro or macro string to a help button, replacing the button's previously-defined action.

**Syntax** **ChangeButtonBinding**(`button-id', `macro')

#           MACRO\_ChangeButtonBinding  
\$           ChangeButtonBinding (CBB)

## **# \$ ChangeltemBinding (CIB)**

**Description** Assigns a new macro or macro string to a help menu item, replacing the item's previously-defined action.

**Syntax** **ChangeltemBinding**(`item-id', `macro')

# MACRO\_ChangeltemBinding  
\$ ChangeltemBinding (CIB)

## **# \$** CheckItem (CI)

**Description** Places a check-mark beside a help menu item.

**Syntax** `CheckItem(`menu-id')`

#           MACRO\_CheckItem  
\$           CheckItem (CI)

## # \$ CloseWindow

**Description** Closes either a secondary window or the main help window.

**Syntax** **CloseWindow**(`*window-name*')

```
# MACRO_CloseWindow  
$ CloseWindow
```

## # \$ Command

**Description** Executes a WinHelp menu command, based on the command number passed to it.

**Syntax** **Command**(*command-number*)

# MACRO\_Command

\$ Command

## **# \$ Contents**

**Description** Displays the Contents topic in the current help file. The Contents topic is defined by the CONTENTS option in the [OPTIONS] section of the help project file. If no Contents topic is defined, the Contents topic defaults to the first topic in the first topic file specified in the [FILES] section of the help project file.

**Syntax** **Contents()**

#           MACRO\_Contents  
\$           Contents

## # \$ CopyDialog

**Description** Displays the Copy dialog box. Copies the text from the current topic into the Copy dialog box where portions of the text may be selected and copied to the Windows Clipboard. Executing this macro is the same as selecting **Copy** from the **Edit** menu.

**Syntax** `CopyDialog()`

# MACRO\_CopyDialog  
\$ CopyDialog

## # \$ CopyTopic

**Description** Copies all of the text in the currently displayed topic to the Clipboard. Executing this macro is the same as pressing **Ctrl+Ins** in the main help window.

**Syntax** **CopyTopic()**

#           MACRO\_CopyTopic  
\$           CopyTopic



## ## \$\$ CreateButton

**Description** Creates a button and adds it to the button bar.

**Syntax** **CreateButton**(`*button-id*`, `*name*`, `*macro*`)

# MACRO\_CreateButton  
\$ CreateButton

## # \$ Deleteltem

**Description** Removes an item from a WinHelp menu.

**Syntax** `Deleteltem('item-id')`

#           MACRO\_Deleteltem  
\$           Deleteltem

## # \$ DeleteMark

**Description** Removes a text marker that was previously added with the **SaveMark** macro.

**Syntax** **DeleteMark**(`*marker-text*')

#           MACRO\_DeleteMark  
\$           DeleteMark

## `## $$ DestroyButton`

**Description** Removes a button that was previously added with the **CreateButton** macro.

**Syntax** `DestroyButton(`button-id')`

```
# MACRO_DestroyButton
$ DestroyButton
```

## **# \$ DisableButton (DB)**

**Description** Disables (grays-out) a button on the WinHelp button bar. The disabled button will remain inoperative until it is re-enabled with the **EnableButton** macro.

**Syntax** **DisableButton**(`*button-id*'

# MACRO\_DisableButton  
\$ DisableButton (DB)

## # \$ DisableItem (DI)

**Description** Disables (grays out) a WinHelp menu item. The item will remain disabled until it is re-activated with **EnableItem** or **ExtAbleItem**, or until the menu is reset using **ResetMenu**.

**Syntax** `DisableItem('item-id')`

# MACRO\_DisableItem  
\$ DisableItem (DI)

## ## \$\$ EnableButton (EB)

**Description** Re-enables a button that was previously disabled with the **DisableButton** macro.

**Syntax** **EnableButton**(`*button-id*')

#           MACRO\_EnableButton  
\$           EnableButton (EB)

## `## $$ EnableItem (EI)`

**Description** Re-enables a menu item that was previously disabled with **DisableItem** or **ExtAbleItem**.

**Syntax** `EnableItem(`item-id')`

```
# MACRO_EnableItem
$ EnableItem (EI)
```



## ## \$\$ ExecProgram (EP)

**Description** Executes an application.

**Syntax** **ExecProgram**(`*command-line*`, *display-state*)

# MACRO\_ExecProgram  
\$ ExecProgram (EP)

## # \$ Exit

**Description** Exits the WinHelp application. The action of this macro is identical to selecting **Exit** on the **File** menu.

**Syntax** `Exit()`

#           MACRO\_Exit  
\$           Exit

## ## \$\$ ExtAbleItem

**Description** Enables or disables a specified menu item.

**Syntax** **ExtAbleItem**(`*item-id*`, *enabled-state*)

```
# MACRO_ExtAbleItem
$ ExtAbleItem
```

## ## \$ ExtInsertItem

**Description** Inserts an item into a WinHelp menu and allows the initial enabled state (enabled or disabled) to be specified.

**Syntax** `ExtInsertItem(`menu-id', `item-id', `item-name', `macro', position, enabled-state)`

#           MACRO\_ExtInsertItem  
\$           ExtInsertItem

## **# \$ ExtInsertMenu**

**Description** Inserts a sub-menu as an item in a previously-defined menu, and allows the initial enabled state (enabled or disabled) to be specified.

**Syntax** **ExtInsertMenu**(*'parent-id', 'menu-id', 'menu-name', position, enabled-state*)

#           MACRO\_ExtInsertMenu  
\$           ExtInsertMenu

## # \$ FileOpen

**Description** Displays the Open dialog box from the **File** menu.

**Syntax** **FileOpen()**

# MACRO\_FileOpen

\$ FileOpen

## # \$ FloatingMenu

**Description** Displays the floating menu at the current mouse cursor position.

**Syntax** `FloatingMenu()`

# `MACRO_FloatingMenu`

\$ `FloatingMenu`

## # \$ FocusWindow

**Description** Changes the focus to the specified window - either the main help window, or a secondary window.

**Syntax** **FocusWindow**(`*window-name*`)

# MACRO\_FocusWindow  
\$ FocusWindow



## `# $` GotoMark

**Description** Jumps to a text marker that was previously set with the **SaveMark** macro.

**Syntax** **GotoMark**(`*marker-text*`)

# MACRO\_GotoMark

\$ GotoMark

## # \$ HelpOn

**Description** Displays the help file for the WinHelp application. Executing this macro is the same as selecting **How to Use Help** from the **Help** menu.

**Syntax** HelpOn()

# MACRO\_HelpOn  
\$ HelpOn

## `## $$ HelpOnTop`

**Description** Toggles the on-top state of WinHelp, checking or un-checking the **Always on Top** menu item as required. Executing this macro is equivalent to selecting **Always on Top** from the **Help** menu.

**Syntax** `HelpOnTop()`

```
# MACRO_HelpOnTop
$ HelpOnTop
```

## # \$ History

**Description** Displays the WinHelp History window, which shows the titles of the last 40 topics that have been displayed since WinHelp was started. Executing this macro is the same as selecting the **History** button.

**Syntax** **History()**

# MACRO\_History  
\$ History

## `## $$ IfThen`

**Description** Executes the specified *macro* if the *condition* is true.

**Syntax** `IfThen(condition, `macro')`

#           MACRO\_IfThen  
\$           IfThen

## `## $$ IfThenElse`

**Description** Executes the specified *macro1* if the *condition* is true, and *macro2* if the *condition* is false.

**Syntax** `IfThenElse(condition, `macro1', `macro2')`

```
#          MACRO_IfThenElse
$          IfThenElse
```

## # \$ InsertItem

**Description** Inserts an item in a specified position in a WinHelp menu.

**Syntax** `InsertItem(`menu-id', `item-id', `item-name', `macro', position)`

# MACRO\_InsertItem

\$ InsertItem

## # \$ InsertMenu

**Description** Inserts a menu in a specified position on the WinHelp menu bar.

**Syntax** `InsertMenu(`menu-id',`menu-name',position)`

#           MACRO\_InsertMenu  
\$           InsertMenu



## # \$ IsMark

**Description** Determines whether or not a particular text marker exists. Returns 1 if it does, or 0 if it does not.

**Syntax** `IsMark(`marker-text`)`

# MACRO\_IsMark

\$ IsMark

## **# \$ JumpContents**

**Description** Executes a jump to the Contents topic of the specified help file. Executing this macro is equivalent to opening a new help file by choosing **Open** from the **File** menu.

**Syntax** **JumpContents**( *filename* )

```
# MACRO_JumpContents
$ JumpContents
```

## **# \$ JumpContext (JC)**

**Description** Executes a jump to the topic in the specified help file that corresponds to the specified context number. Context numbers are assigned in the [MAP] section of the help project file.

**Syntax** **JumpContext**(*filename*, *context-number*)

```
# MACRO_JumpContext
$ JumpContext (JC)
```

## `## $ JumpHash`

**Description** Executes a jump to the topic in the specified help file that corresponds to the specified hash code.

**Syntax** `JumpHash('filename', hash-code)`

```
# MACRO_JumpHash
$ JumpHash
```

## **# \$ JumpHelpOn**

**Description** Displays the help file for the WinHelp application. Executing this macro is the same as selecting **How to Use Help** from the **Help** menu.

**Syntax** **JumpHelpOn()**

```
# MACRO_JumpHelpOn
$ JumpHelpOn
```

## **# \$ JumpId (JI)**

**Description** Executes a jump to the topic in the specified help file that has the specified context string.

**Syntax** **JumpId**(`filename', `context-string')

#           MACRO\_JumpId  
\$           JumpId (JI)

## # \$ JumpKeyword (JK)

**Description** Searches the keyword table of the specified help file and displays the first topic that matches the specified keyword.

**Syntax** **JumpKeyword**(`filename', `keyword')

# MACRO\_JumpKeyword  
\$ JumpKeyword (JK)

## # \$ Next

**Description** Displays the next topic in the current browse sequence. Executing this macro is the same as selecting the forward browse button (>>).

**Syntax** `Next()`

#           MACRO\_Next  
\$           Next



## **# \$ Not**

**Description** Reverses the result (non-zero or zero) returned by a conditional macro such as **IsMark**.

**Syntax** **Not**(`condition`)

#           MACRO\_Not  
\$           Not

## **# \$** PopupContext (PC)

**Description** Displays, in a popup window, the topic in the specified help file that corresponds to the specified context number. Context numbers are assigned in the [MAP] section of the help project file.

**Syntax** **PopupContext**(`filename', context-number)

#           MACRO\_PopupContext  
\$           PopupContext (PC)

## # \$ PopupHash

**Description** Displays, in a popup window, the topic in the specified help file that corresponds to the specified hash code.

**Syntax** **PopupHash**(*filename*, *hash-code*)

#           MACRO\_PopupHash  
\$           PopupHash

## **# \$** Popupd (PI)

**Description** Displays, in a popup window, the topic in the specified help file that has the specified context string.

**Syntax** **Popupd**( *filename*, *context-string* )

#           MACRO\_Popupd  
\$           Popupd (PI)

## **# \$ PositionWindow (PW)**

**Description** Sets the size, position, and display state of either the main help window, or a secondary window.

**Syntax** **PositionWindow**(*x, y, width, height, state, `name'*)

# MACRO\_PositionWindow  
\$ PositionWindow (PW)

## # \$ PreV

**Description** Displays the previous topic in the current browse sequence. Executing this macro is the same as selecting the backward browse button (<<).

**Syntax** `Prev()`

#           MACRO\_Prev  
\$           Prev

## # \$ Print

**Description** Prints the currently displayed topic to the printer. Executing this macro is equivalent to selecting **Print Topic** from the **File** menu.

**Syntax** **Print()**

#           MACRO\_Print  
\$           Print

## **# \$ PrinterSetup**

**Description** Displays the Print Setup dialog box. Executing this macro is equivalent to selecting **Print Setup** from the **File** menu.

**Syntax** **PrinterSetup()**

```
# MACRO_PrinterSetup
$ PrinterSetup
```



## **# \$ RegisterRoutine (RR)**

**Description** Registers a function within a DLL as a custom help macro. The custom help macro may then be used as are the standard Windows help macros.

**Syntax** **RegisterRoutine**(`*DLL-name*`, `*function-name*`, `*format-spec*')

```
# MACRO_RegisterRoutine
$ RegisterRoutine (RR)
```

## # \$ RemoveAccelerator (RA)

**Description** Removes an accelerator key or key combination that was previously assigned with the **AddAccelerator** macro.

**Syntax** **RemoveAccelerator**(*key, shift-state*)

```
# MACRO_RemoveAccelerator
$ RemoveAccelerator (RA)
```

## **# \$ ResetMenu**

**Description** Returns the WinHelp menu bar and all popup menus to their defaults.

**Syntax** **ResetMenu()**

```
# MACRO_ResetMenu  
$ ResetMenu
```

## # \$ SaveMark

**Description** Saves the location of the currently displayed topic and file, and associates a text marker with that location. Text markers are used by the **GoToMark** and **IsMark** macros.

**Syntax** **SaveMark**(`*marker-text*')

#           MACRO\_SaveMark  
\$           SaveMark

## # \$ Search

**Description** Displays the Search dialog box. Executing this macro is equivalent to selecting the **Search** button on the WinHelp button bar.

**Syntax** Search()

# MACRO\_Search  
\$ Search

## **# \$ SetContents**

**Description** Designates a specific topic as the Contents topic in the specified help file.

**Syntax** **SetContents**("filename", context-number)

```
#          MACRO_SetContents
$          SetContents
```

## **# \$ SetHelpOnFile**

**Description** Specifies the name of the replacement How to Use Help file

**Syntax** **SetHelpOnFile**("filename")

```
# MACRO_SetHelpOnFile
$ SetHelpOnFile
```

## **# \$ UncheckItem (UI)**

**Description** Removes the check-mark that was previously placed beside a help menu item by the **CheckItem** macro.

**Syntax** **UncheckItem**(`*menu-id*' )

#           MACRO\_UncheckItem  
\$           UncheckItem (UI)