



String studio is a MFC CString class extension and a set of routines to simplify the MFC programming. Now it includes about 150 (useful) functions for Win16 and Win32.

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String Studio 3.0

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Versions...

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Registration...

String Studio is part of our 'Full programmer' s pack' which includes:

- Q Zip Studio API (>= 2.x),
- Q Zip Studio Shell
- Q Zip Studio Shell MFC Source Code
- Q VBX Studio
- Q Setup Studio
- Q And this 'String Studio' toolkit.

This bundle price is 729- FF (or 135- US\$, 215- DM or 95- GBP). All these toolkits are available on many public networks like Compuserve (go WINSHARE and search for 'STUDIO' sharewares, CICA ftp server, that is winftp.cica.indiana.edu, the new Microsoft Network and so on...). You may register directly to us (by Credit Card or US\$, FRF or DEM check) or via PsL. With your registration you will receive the passwords via email (if you have an email address) and snail mail. We always send out a printed invoice. In most cases, orders are processed in 1 or 2 days.

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How to build the registered version?

When you register we will send you the required password to unzip the STR_SRC3.ZIP encrypted ZIP file. This file doesn' t include the registered LIB files: If choose to use String Studio as you did with the unregistered LIB versions you must rebuild the Registered LIB file(s). However, we found some problems with the static LIB version with VC++ 1.5X. The QuickWatch window doesn' t display the string values as it should do. Also, if you use the source files, you are able to include/remove some components of String Studio which is not available with LIB versions. So, we think it' s better to include the sources files into your projects rather than using the LIB versions. See Tips for details.

Ä To compile String Studiio, load MSVC.EXE then build a new project or open an existing MFC MAK file Then define or undefine `_WINDOWS` and/or `_WIN32`, and don' t forget to define `_REGISTERED` before you compile a String Studio file. If you plan to use a LIB version, remember to define `_REGISTERED` in all your MFC works. Of course you can delete the unregistered constructors to avoid to define `_REGISTERED` in your new projects. With this version, you can choose which components (FILE, TIME, INI, WINCTL...) you want to use in order to reduce the code size.

Upgrade...

Upgrade from String Studio 2.x is absolutely free. If you already own a 'Studio' shareware, there is a 300- FF bonus when you register directly to us. In this case, please don' t forget to send us your user code with the Order Form. Also, we don' t plan to ask for upgrade fees for the future versions.

Technical support...

Your comments or questions are welcome. You can join us on the Internet (hnet@dialup.francenet.fr) or on COMUSERVE (100333,27): We check the mail every day. If you can't access these networks, you may send us a request via snail mail, see at the bottom of this page.

About the String Studio license...

The license is an using authorization but not a product cession. Programs made with the unregistered version musn' t be distributed. To distribute your programs using String Studio, you must register to HEXANET before. Then you will build (and customize) your own String Studio Library without the shareware dialog box displayed when you create your first CStr object. You can use this product on several PC but no more than one unique copy can be used at the same time. As a conclusion you are not allowed to distribute a String library based on the String Studio toolkit...

Others Studio components...

Q Zip Studio API and Shell

Zip Studio is our famous Zip/Unzip API and Shell specifically designed for Windows. Current version is 2.56, see ZS25A.ZIP, ZS25B.ZIP (or ZSAPI25A.ZIP and ZSAPI25B.ZIP) and Z256UP.ZIP. The Win32/Win95 version will be available in some weeks.

Q Setup Studio

A powerful toolkit to create professional quality Setup programs for Windows 3.10/Win95. The 2.5 version includes templates for VB and VC++. Current version is 2.5 (see SSETUP25.ZIP).

Q VBX Studio

VBX Studio is a set of VBXs to build nice programs in a very short time. Also, they may be useful to port your Win32 programs to Win31. Current version is 1.2b (see VBXSTD12.ZIP).

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Ä When you distribute String Studio, don't change any file and give the complete package. If you upload String Studio on a BBS, please name it CSTR30.ZIP or CSTR30.EXE.

Obviously, if you register, you can't distribute your registered CPP files! Distributing programs made with String Studio unregistered version is not allowed.

Notes for vendors...

Feel free to distribute one or more 'Studio' sharewares on your next book/CD-ROM. We can't send authorizations to all people who want to do this.

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 **Terms**

Used terms are C and SDK language type. If you do not develop with these languages, perhaps you will have some difficulties to understand them. These are some explanations:

int	Integer value.
long	Long integer value.
UINT	Signed long integer value.
BOOL	Integer value, 0 for FALSE, anything else for TRUE.
char	Character.
char far*	String.
LPSTR	String.
LPTSTR	
LPCSTR	Constant String.
LPCTSTR	
HWND	Window' s Handle(Integer value).
HINSTANCE	Application' s Handle(Integer value).
void	Null type (empty).
WINAPI	FAR PASCAL.
COLORREF	Long integer value (Colour).

Overview

String Studio advantages...

With String Studio you will find that handling strings with Microsoft Visual C++ 1.x/2.x is as easy as (even more) you can do with VB. You don't have to re-invent the wheel each time you build a new program and you can safely port your Win31 apps to Win32. Also, with this version you have more than a single string class: You will find many useful global functions, a CTime and a CFFind class extension. String Studio 3.0 is part of our 'Full programmer' s pack' (US\$ 135-). Free upgrade from 2.x and there is no royalties.

Ä To use the CStr class (i.e. the main String Studio class), you will need the MFC CString implementation (defined in <afx.h>). To know all the required include files, see STDAFX.H. Now, to use CStr (and others String Studio classes or functions), add '#include "cstr30.h"' at the end of your project STDAFX.H file, then link with CSTR30W.LIB (for Win16) or, CSTR30NT.LIB (for Win32). Now, replace all your CString objects with CStr. Then compile. To have a look at all functions, just point on a CStr object and press the [F11] key or have a look at this HLP file. See [Tips](#) for details.

Features?

CStr class..

Trim:	<i>Trim, TrimBegin, TrimEnd</i>
Find:	<i>Count, FindWord, FindWordInMultilineBuffer</i>
Input:	<i>From, FromCurrentTime, FromFileTime, FromRes</i>
Output:	<i>ToInt, ToUINT, ToLong, ToULong, ToFloat, ToDouble, ToTime</i>
Modifications:	<i>Delete, Replace, Insert, Extract, ExtractToBegin, ExtractToEnd</i>
Improvements:	<i>Operator(), GetBuffer</i>
Numbers:	<i>Round, IsDigit, IsInRange, NumFormat, NumUnformat</i>
Format:	<i>FirstUpper, AddLF, Align</i>
Misc.:	<i>Blank, Replicate, CheckSize, CheckDirSize, sprintf</i>
Ini files:	<i>FromIni, ToIni</i>
Text files:	<i>FromFile, ToFile</i>
File names:	<i>IsFileName, IsPathName, IsFullFileName, GetPathValue, GetFileNameValue, CheckFullFileName, CheckFileExtension, DoesFileExist, DoesDirExist, GetTempFileName, IsUNC, FilenameToUNC, UNCToFilename</i>
Files:	<i>GetFileAttributes, SetFileAttributes, GetFileSize, DeleteFile, IsWriteable, GetDiskFreeSpace, CreateFile, CopyTo, RemoveDir, IsRDOnly</i>
Directories:	<i>ChDir, Mkdir, GetAppDir, GetWinDir, GetWinSysDir, GetThisDir, GetTempDir</i>
Characters infos.:	<i>IsCharUpper, IsCharLower, IsCharAlpha, IsCharAlphaNum, IsNumeric, IsSpace</i>
Characters modif.:	<i>MakeCharUpper, MakeCharLower</i>
GDI:	<i>GetTextWidth, GetTextHeight, TabbedTextOut</i>
Windows specific:	<i>GetWindowTitle, GetClassName, GetWinfileAssociation</i>
Windows interface:	<i>ToCtl, FromCtl, MB, GetDlgItemText</i>

CTim class..

Build: *Build, FromFile*
Modifications: *SetDay, SetMonth, SetYear, SetHour, SetMin, SetHour, IncDay, IncSec, IncMin, IncHour, ToFile*
Infos: *IsLeapYear, IsLastDay, IsValid*

CMem class..

Actions: *CMem, Alloc, ReAlloc*
Infos: *GetPtr, GetHandle, GetSize, IsValid*

CFFind class..

Actions: *FindFirst, FindNext, Find, SetPath, Reset*
Infos: *GetCount, GetAttributes, GetCreationTime, GetLastAccessTime, GetLastWriteTime, GetSize, GetShortName, GetLongName, GetFullShortName, GetFullLongName*

Global routines..

Infos: *AfxGetFreeResRate, AfxGetFreeResValue, AfxHasWin4Look*
User' s config: *AfxGetPrecision, AfxGetDecimalPoint, AfxGetThousandsSeparator, AfxGetShortDateFormat, AfxGetLongDateFormat*
CTL3D wrappers: *AfxCtl3dLoad, AfxCtl3dUnload, AfxCtl3dNewColors, AfxCtl3dSubclassCtl*
Windows coord.: *AfxWriteWindowPos, AfxGetWindowPos, AfxCenterWindow*
Dialog controls management: *AfxEnableDlgItem, AfxEnableOK, AfxEnableCANCEL, AfxSetFocus, AfxSetDefButton, AfxActivateEdit*
Misc: *AfxSleep, AfxGiveTheHand, AfxSetFileTime, AfxTouchFile, AfxSetFileAttributes, AfxFindWordInFile, AfxCheckFileName, AfxIsDateValid, AfxRoundToInt, AfxRound*

Of course, all CString functions are available for CStr objects! Also, the CStr class is very easy to use because it' s quite similar to the CString class but there is one main difference with CStr: Generally when you call a CStr function, the current CStr object (this) is changed.

Warning

Ä The LIB files were compiled with VC++ 1.52 (2.52 for the 32bits version) large model without debugging informations. If you use _AFXDLL or _USRDLL, some CTime functions won' t be available any more. If you' ve registered String Studio, define _REGISTERED before you include CSTR30.H (in this case you must use the source code instead of the LIB file). The Win16 version is for LARGE model and it uses FAR strings. String Studio should not be used as a DLL. See [Tips](#) for details.

String Studio components

To reduce the size of the toolkit, we included some DEFINES at the top of CSTR30.H. This let you choose which parts of String Studio you want to use for your project. To do this, add a comment or uncomment a DEFINE. You need the source code to do it. Also you may find some incompatibilities when a necessary group is required but missing. The groups are the followings:


```

#define _CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC    -> additional functions
#define _CSTR30_HASFILE        -> all files/dirs function
#define _CSTR30_HASINI         -> All functions which use INI files
#define _CSTR30_HASWINCTL     -> Dialog box controls functions
#define _CSTR30_HASNUM         -> Math functions
#define _CSTR30_HASCTIM        -> CTim class and Time functions
#define _CSTR30_HASCFFIND      -> CFFind
#define _CSTR30_HASUNC         -> UNC file names
#define _CSTR30_HASCTL3D       -> AfxCtl3d.. functions
#define _CSTR30_HASFINDWORD    -> FindWord functions
#define _CSTR30_HASCHAR        -> Character oriented functions

```

All other functions (group <none>) are standard functions (like Extract, Count..). They are required for most of the functions of String Studio.

CStr values

One nice feature of String Studio is that you can use functions that are specifically designed for a kind of data (specifically file names, times and numbers functions). In order to simplify the code, this kind of method will use the current CStr string to perform the required action. So, you must make sure your CStr object contains the required type of data. For instance, use:

```

CStr strMyFile( "C:\MYFILE.TXT")
if ( strMyFile.DoesFileExist() )...

```

but

```

CStr strMyFile( "C:\MYFILE.TXT")
CTime ctMyTime();
if ( (ctMyTime = strMyFile.ToTime()) )...

```

has no sense...

Registration

Have a look at the [registration](#) chapter.

See also...

[license](#)



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CStr functions

How to use the CStr?

Before you can use a CStr function, you must create a CStr object (like you do with CString), then you apply the function to this object. CStr functions are CStr members (or methods)...

Example

```
CStr szMyString;  
szMyString.FromCtl( this, IDC_STATICTITLE );  
szMyString.MB();
```

ü Trim...

Trim, TrimEnd,
TrimBegin

Trim the current
CStr. [3.0]

ü Find...

Count

Count substrings in
the current CStr.

FindWord

Find a word in the
current string.

FindWordInMultilineBuffer

Find a word in a
multiline string.

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ü Input...

From

Copy data into the
current CStr.

ü Output...

ToInt, ToUINT, ToLong,
ToULong, ToFloat,
ToDouble
ToTime

Convert the current
CStr string into a
number.

FromCurrentTime

Copy the current
date/Time into the
current CStr.

Retrieve a CTime
object from the
current CStr.

FromFileTime

Fill the current CStr
with a file date/time.

ü Modifications...

Delete

Delete a current
CStr part

ü Improvements...

operator()

Modify a character in
the current CStr.

Replace

Replace all
substrings in the
current CStr.

GetBuffer

Return a LPTSTR
buffer for the current
CStr.

Insert

Insert a substring in
the current CStr.

CStr

New CStr constructor
using a resource ID.

Extract

Extract an item of
the current CStr.

ExtractToBegin

Extract the items at
the beginning of the
string.

ExtractToEnd

Extract the items at
the end of the string.

ü Numbers...

Round

Round a numerical
value in the current
CStr.

ü Format...

FirstUpper

Convert the first
character into
uppercase.

IsDigit

Test for a numerical
value in the current

AddLF

Add a CRLF to the
current CStr.

<u>IsInRange</u>	CStr. Check if the numerical value is in the range.	<u>Align</u>	Change the string datas alignment.
<u>NumFormat</u>	Format a number using a pattern.		
<u>NumUnformat</u>	Remove unwanted characters from a number.		
ü Miscellaneous...		ü INI files...	
<u>Blank</u>	Replace all characters by a space.	<u>FromIni</u>	Fill the current CStr with an INI file value.
<u>Replicate</u>	Create a string for the current CStr.	<u>ToIni</u>	Write the current CStr value to an INI file.
<u>CheckSize</u>	Check the length of the current CStr.		
<u>CheckDirSize</u>	Check the length of the dir. in the current CStr.	ü Text files...	
<u>sprintf</u>	Similar to wvsprintf/vsprintf. [3.0]	<u>FromFile</u>	Loads a text file into the current CStr.
		<u>ToFile</u>	Puts the current CStr value into a text file.
ü File names...		ü File attributes...	
<u>GetPathValue</u>	Return a file name path.	<u>GetFileAttributes</u>	Retrieve the attributes of the file. [3.0]
<u>GetFileNameValue</u>	Return a file name value (without its path).	<u>SetFileAttributes</u>	Change the file attributes. [3.0]
<u>CheckFullFileName</u>	Check (and change) all the file name components.	<u>IsRDOnly</u>	TRUE if the file is read-only. [3.0]
<u>CheckFileExtension</u>	Check the file extension.		
<u>GetTempFileName</u>	Returns a temporary file name.	ü File operations...	
<u>IsFileName</u>	TRUE if the current CStr value is a file name.	<u>DoesFileExist</u>	Returns TRUE if the specified file exists.
<u>IsFullFileName</u>	Check all the file specification components.	<u>GetFileSize</u>	Retrieve the size of the file. [3.0]
<u>IsPathName</u>	TRUE if the current CStr value is a dir. name.	<u>DeleteFile</u>	Delete the file. [3.0]
<u>IsUNC</u>	Returns TRUE if the filename is an UNC name. [3.0]	<u>IsWriteable</u>	Returns TRUE if the file can be written. [3.0]
		<u>GetDiskFreeSpace</u>	Retrieve the hard disk free space. [3.0]
		<u>CopyTo</u>	Copy the current file. [3.0]
		<u>CreateFile</u>	Creates a new file. [3.0]
ü Directories...		ü Characters...	
<u>ChDir</u>	Go to the specified directory.	<u>IsCharUpper</u>	Return TRUE if specified character is

<u>Mkdir</u>	Build the specified directory.	<u>IsCharLower</u>	in uppercase. Return TRUE if specified character is in lowercase.
<u>DoesDirExist</u>	Return TRUE if the specified dir. exists.	<u>IsCharAlpha</u>	Return TRUE if specified character is alphabetic.
<u>GetAppDir</u>	Return the Windows application directory.	<u>IsCharAlphaNum</u>	Return TRUE if specified character is alpha or num.
<u>GetWinDir</u>	Return the WINDOWS directory.	<u>IsCharNumeric</u>	Return TRUE if specified character is a digit.
<u>GetWinSysDir</u>	Return the SYSTEM directory.	<u>IsSpace</u>	Return TRUE if specified character is the space c..
<u>GetThisDir</u>	Return the current directory.	<u>MakeCharUpper</u>	Convert a character in uppercase.
<u>GetTempDir</u>	Return the temporary directory name.	<u>MakeCharLower</u>	Convert a character in lowercase.
<u>RemoveDir</u>	Delete one or more directories. [3.0]		

ü Windows...

<u>FromRes</u>	Load a string from resources.
<u>GetWindowTitle</u>	Return a window title. [3.0]
<u>GetClassName</u>	Retrieve the class name of a window.
<u>GetWinfileAssociati n</u>	Return the associated program name for a document extension.
<u>FromCtl</u>	Retrieve the text of an Windows control.
<u>ToCtl</u>	Put the current CStr value into a Dialog control.
<u>MB</u>	Display the current CStr value into an MessageBox.
<u>GetDlgItemText</u>	Retrieve the caption of a control.

ü GDI...

<u>GetTextWidth</u>	Return the string width in logical units
<u>GetTextHeight</u>	Return the string height in logical units.
<u>TabbedTextOut</u>	Display the current string

See also...

- [CTim functions](#)
- [CFFind functions](#)
- [CMem functions](#)
- [Afx... functions](#)

 **CStr::Trim**

CString CStr::Trim(void); [3.0]

Description

Trims a string (delete spaces, tabs and CR-LF characters).CHANGES THE CSTR OBJECT

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMyString(" ABC ");  
szMyString.Trim();  
szMyString.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::TrimEnd](#)

[CStr::TrimBegin](#)

[CStr::Replace](#)

[CStr::FirstUpper](#)

[CStr::Blank](#)



CStr::TrimEnd

CString CStr::TrimBegin(void); [3.0]

Description

Trims the beginning of a string (delete spaces, tabs and CR-LF characters).CHANGES THE CSTR OBJECT

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMyString(" ABC ");  
szMyString.TrimBegin();  
szMyString.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::Trim](#)

[CStr::TrimBegin](#)

[CStr::Replace](#)

[CStr::FirstUpper](#)

[CStr::Blank](#)



CStr::TrimBegin

CString CStr::TrimEnd(void); [3.0]

Description

Trims the end of a string (delete spaces, tabs and CR-LF characters).CHANGES THE CSTR OBJECT

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMyString("  ABC  ");  
szMyString.TrimEnd();  
szMyString.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::Trim](#)

[CStr::TrimEnd](#)

[CStr::Replace](#)

[CStr::FirstUpper](#)

[CStr::Blank](#)



CStr::Count

unsigned int CStr::Count(LPCTSTR szSubString) const;
unsigned int CStr::Count(char szSubString) const;

Description

Returns the number of a char or a string in the current CStr object .

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMyString("ABA"), szMsg;  
int a = 0;  
a = szMyString.Count("A");  
szMsg.From( (int)a );  
szMsg.MB();
```




CStr::From

```
CString CStr::From( long data, int base = 10, LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",");  
CString CStr::From( unsigned long data, int base = 10, LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",");  
CString CStr::From( int data, int base = 10, LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",");  
CString CStr::From( unsigned int data, int base = 10, LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",");  
CString CStr::From( double data, int precision = 2, LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",", LPCTSTR  
szDecimalPoint = "." );  
CString CStr::From( CTime& TimeValue, LPCTSTR szFilter = "%d/%m/%y" ); [3.0]
```

Description

Q From long, unsigned long, int and unsigned int:

Translates a numerical value specified with <data> to a string, <base> is 10 or 16 and <szSeparator> indicates the character to use as a thousands separator ("," is highly recommended for translations).

Q From double:

Translates a double value specified with <data> to a string, <precision> is the number of decimal digits and <szSeparator> indicates the character to use as a thousands separator ("," is highly recommended for translations) and <szDecimalPoint> is the character to use as decimal point.

Q From CTime:

Translates a CTime object specified with <TimeValue> to a string using <szFilter> mask. see CTime.Format for possible values for <szFilter>.CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL (but From(CTime))

Group

```
_CSTR30_HASNUM  
_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC ( From(CTime) )
```

Example

```
CStr szMyString("ABA"), szMsg;  
int a = 0;  
a = szMyString.Count("A");  
szMsg.From( (int)a );  
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::FromCurrentTime](#)
[CStr::FromFileTime](#)
[CStr::ToInt](#)
[CStr::ToUINT](#)
[CStr::ToLong](#)
[CStr::ToULong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToDouble](#)
[CStr::ToTime](#)
[CStr::IsInRange](#)
[CStr::FromIni](#)
[CStr::FromFile](#)
[CStr::FromCtl](#)
[CTim::ToFile](#)
[CTim::FromFile](#)



CStr::FromCurrentTime

```
CString CStr::FromCurrentTime( LPCTSTR szFilter = "%d/%m/%y" );
```

Description

Retrieves the current date/time and puts it into the current CStr object using <szFilter>.
See CTime::Format for possible values for <szFilter>.CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szMsg;  
szMsg.FromCurrentTime();  
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::FromFileTime](#)
[CStr::ToTime](#)
[CStr::FromIni](#)
[CTim::ToFile](#)
[CTim::FromFile](#)



CStr::FromFileTime

CString CStr::FromFileTime(LPCTSTR szFile, LPCTSTR szFilter = "%d/%m/%y");

Description

Retrieves the file date/time specified with <szFile> and puts it into the current CStr object using <szFilter>. See CTime::Format for possible values for <szFilter>.CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC
_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CStr szMsg;  
szMsg.FromFileTime ("C:\\WINDOWS\\WIN.INI");  
szMsg.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::FromCurrentTime](#)
[CStr::ToTime](#)
[CStr::FromFile](#)
[CStr::GetFileAttributes](#)
[CStr::SetFileAttributes](#)
[CStr::GetFileSize](#)
[CStr::IsRDOnly](#)
[CTim::ToFile](#)
[CTim::FromFile](#)
[AfxSetFileTime](#)
[AfxTouchFile](#)
[AfxSetFileAttributes](#)

CStr::ToInt

signed int CStr::ToInt(LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",") const;

Description

Returns the value of the current CStr object as a signed integer or 0 if CStr doesn't correspond to a number.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32

Group

`_CSTR30_HASNUM`

Example

```
int iValue = 125, iTest = 0;
CStr szMsg;
szMsg.From( (int)iValue );
iTest = szMsg.ToInt();
szMsg.From( (int)iTest );
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::ToUINT](#)
[CStr::ToLong](#)
[CStr::ToULong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToDouble](#)
[CStr::ToTime](#)
[CStr::Round](#)
[CStr::IsDigit](#)
[CStr::IsInRange](#)

CStr::ToUINT

UINT CStr::ToUINT(LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",") const;

Description

Returns the value of the current CStr object as an unsigned integer or 0 if CStr doesn't correspond to a number.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32

Group

`_CSTR30_HASNUM`

Example

```
int iValue = 125, iTest = 0;
CStr szMsg;
szMsg.From( (int)iValue );
iTest = (int)szMsg.ToUINT();
szMsg.From( (int)iTest );
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::ToInt](#)
[CStr::ToLong](#)
[CStr::ToULong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToDouble](#)
[CStr::ToTime](#)
[CStr::Round](#)
[CStr::IsDigit](#)
[CStr::IsInRange](#)

 **CStr::ToLong**

signed long CStr::ToLong(LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",") const;

Description

Returns the value of the current CStr object as a signed long or 0L if CStr doesn't correspond to a number.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32

Group

`_CSTR30_HASNUM`

Example

```
long LValue = 125000L, LTest = 0;
CStr szMsg;
szMsg.From( (long)LValue );
LTest = szMsg.ToLong();
szMsg.From( (long)LTest );
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::ToInt](#)
[CStr::ToUINT](#)
[CStr::ToULong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToDouble](#)
[CStr::ToTime](#)
[CStr::Round](#)
[CStr::IsDigit](#)
[CStr::IsInRange](#)

CStr::ToULong

unsigned long CStr::ToULong(LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",") const;

Description

Returns the value of the current CStr object as an unsigned long or 0L if CStr doesn't correspond to a number.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32

Group

`_CSTR30_HASNUM`

Example

```
unsigned long LValue = 125000L, LTest = 0;
CStr szMsg;
szMsg.From( (unsigned long)LValue );
LTest = szMsg.ToULong();
szMsg.From( (unsigned long)LTest );
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::ToInt](#)
[CStr::ToUINT](#)
[CStr::ToLong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToDouble](#)
[CStr::ToTime](#)
[CStr::Round](#)
[CStr::IsDigit](#)
[CStr::IsInRange](#)



CStr::ToFloat

float CStr::ToFloat(LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",", LPCTSTR szDecimalPoint = ".") const;

Description

Returns the value of the current CStr object as a float or 0 if CStr doesn't correspond to a number.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32

Group

_CSTR30_HASNUM

Example

```
float FValue = 125.382, LTest = 0;  
CStr szMsg;  
szMsg.From( (double)FValue );  
FTest = szMsg.ToFloat();  
szMsg.From( (double)FTest );  
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)

[CStr::ToInt](#)

[CStr::ToUINT](#)

[CStr::ToLong](#)

[CStr::ToULong](#)

[CStr::ToDouble](#)

[CStr::ToTime](#)

[CStr::Round](#)

[CStr::IsDigit](#)

[CStr::IsInRange](#)



CStr::ToDouble

double CStr::ToDouble(LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",", LPCTSTR szDecimalPoint = ".") const;

Description

Returns the value of the current CStr object as a double or 0 if CStr doesn't correspond to a number.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32

Group

_CSTR30_HASNUM

Example

```
double DValue = 125.382, DTest = 0;
CStr szMsg;
szMsg.From( (double)DValue );
DTest = szMsg.ToDouble();
szMsg.From( (double)DTest );
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::ToInt](#)
[CStr::ToUINT](#)
[CStr::ToLong](#)
[CStr::ToULong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToTime](#)
[CStr::Round](#)
[CStr::IsDigit](#)
[CStr::IsInRange](#)



CStr::ToTime

CTime CStr::ToTime(LPCTSTR szFilter = "D/M/Y") const;

Description

Returns the value of the current CStr object as a CTime object using <szFilter>. <szFilter> uses C++ runtime _strftime format specification but **'m' must be replaced with 'M'**. Also, you can use:

ü D	For the day (01-31),
ü M	For the month (01-12),
ü Y	For the year with century (1900-1999),
ü y	For the year without any century (00-99)
ü H	For the Hour (00-23),
ü m	For the minute (00-59),
ü S	For the second (00-59).

The other strftime specifiers won't be used. Value must be filled with 0 ('01' instead of '1').

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CTime TheTime;  
CStr szTest("12/01/1994");  
TheTime = szTest.ToTime();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::FromCurrentTime](#)
[CStr::FromFileTime](#)



CStr::Delete

CStr CStr::Delete(unsigned PFirst = 0, unsigned PLength = 0);

Description

Deletes a piece of a string starting with <PFirst> and with the <PLength> length. <PFirst begin> is 0 indexed. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMsg("0123456789");  
szMsg.Delete(2,3);  
szMsg.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::Replace](#)

[CStr::Insert](#)

[CStr::Extract](#)

[CStr::Blank](#)

 **CStr::Replace**

```
CStr CStr::Replace( LPCTSTR szOld, LPCTSTR szNew = "" );  
CStr CStr::Replace( char szOld, char szNew );
```

Description

Replaces all substrings <szOld> of the current CStr object with <szNew>. If you use LPCTSTR, <szOld> and <szNew> can have different lengths, otherwise they must correspond to a character. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMsg("ABABAB");  
szMsg.Replace( "AB", "C");  
szMsg.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::Count](#)
[CStr::Delete](#)
[CStr::Insert](#)
[CStr::Extract](#)
[CStr::operator\(\)](#)



CStr::Insert

```
CStr CStr::Insert( LPCTSTR szSub, int Pos = 0 );  
CStr CStr::Insert( char szSub, int Pos = 0 );
```

Description

Inserts the string <szSub> or the char <szSub> in the current CStr object at position <Pos> (0 indexed).
CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMsg("ABABAB");  
szMsg.Insert( "00", 3);  
szMsg.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::Delete](#)

[CStr::Replace](#)

[CStr::Extract](#)

[CStr::operator\(\)](#)



CStr::Extract

```
CStr CStr::Extract( int Pos = 1, LPCTSTR szDelimit = "\t" );  
CStr CStr::Extract( int Pos, char szDelimit );
```

Description

Extracts an item of the current CStr object using the <szDelimit> string as an item separator. <szDelimit> must be 1 character length if you use the LPCTSTR version. <Pos> is the item number you wish to extract (1 indexed).
CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMsg("ITEM1\tITEM2");  
if ( szMsg.Count(' \t' ) )  
{  
    szMsg.Extract(2);  
    szMsg.MB();  
}
```

See also...

[CStr::Count](#)
[CStr::Delete](#)
[CStr::Replace](#)
[CStr::Insert](#)
[CStr::operator\(\)](#)



CStr::operator()

char& CStr::operator()(int Index);

Description

You can use this operator like you do with the CString SetAt function. Of course, the character specified with <index> (0 indexed) must be available (ie. in the string)!CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMsg("0123456789");  
szMsg(0) = 'A';  
szMsg.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::Replace](#)

[CStr::Insert](#)

[CStr::Extract](#)

[CStr::FirstUpper](#)



CStr::GetBuffer

virtual LPTSTR CStr::GetBuffer(int size = 0);

Description

Same as the CString function, but, if you don't specify a <size>, GetBuffer will use the current object size or 255 if this one is 0. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMsg;  
lstrcpy( szMsg.GetBuffer(), "TEST" );  
szMsg.ReleaseBuffer();  
szMsg.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::operator\(\)](#)

[CStr::sprintf](#)



CStr::Round

CStr CStr::Round(LPCTSTR szDecimalPoint = "."); [3.0]

Description

Rounds the current CStr object (which indicates a number) to the next integer. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASNUM

Example

```
CStr szMsg;  
szMsg.From( (float) 123.236 );  
szMsg.Round();  
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)

[CStr::ToInt](#)

[CStr::ToUINT](#)

[CStr::ToLong](#)

[CStr::ToULong](#)

[CStr::ToFloat](#)

[CStr::ToDouble](#)

[CStr::IsDigit](#)

[CStr::IsInRange](#)

[CStr::NumFormat](#)

[AfxRound](#)

[AfxRoundToInt](#)



CStr::FirstUpper

CStr CStr::FirstUpper(void);

Description

Put the first character into uppercase. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szMsg("abcde AAAA");  
szMsg.FirstUpper();  
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::operator\(\)](#)

[CStr::MakeCharUpper](#)

[CStr::IsCharUpper](#)

 **CStr::AddLF**

CStr CStr::AddLF(void);

Description

Adds a Carriage return and a line feed to the current CStr object. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szMsg("abcde AAAA");  
szMsg.AddLF();  
szMsg.ToFile("C:\\\\TRACE.LOG");
```

 **CStr::Blank**

CStr CStr::Blank(void);

Description

Fills the current string with blanks characters (spaces) using the original length of the string (so that the string length stay the same). CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szMsg("abcde AAAA");  
szMsg.Blank();
```

See also...

[CStr::operator\(\)](#)

[CStr::AddLE](#)

[CStr::Replicate](#)



CStr::Replicate

CStr CStr::Replicate(char cPattern = ' ', int iLen = 1);

Description

Creates a string with the character <cPattern> and the length <iLen> (but it's not a constructor!). The string is filled with <cPattern>. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szMsg;  
szMsg.Replicate(' ',25);  
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::Insert](#)

[CStr::operator\(\)](#)

[CStr::Blank](#)



CStr::CheckSize

CStr CStr::CheckSize(int iLength = 255, BOOL bAddPoints = TRUE);

Description

Checks the size of the current CStr object, and, if the length of the string is higher than <iLength>, this function will truncate the string and add '...' if <bAddPoints> is set to TRUE. This function is quite useful to use before you put values in Static controls. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
Cstr szMsg;  
szMsg.FromIni("General", "FirstName", "C:\\MYAPP\\MYAPP.INI");  
szMsg.CheckSize( 25 );  
szMsg.ToCtl( this, IDC_STATICFNAME );
```

See also...

[CStr::Delete](#)

[CStr::Extract](#)

[CStr::FirstUpper](#)

[CStr::CheckDirSize](#)

[CStr::FromCtl](#)

[CStr::ToCtl](#)



CStr::CheckDirSize

CStr CStr::CheckDirSize(int iLength = 60, BOOL bShift = TRUE);

Description

Checks the size of the current CStr object, and, if the length of the string is higher than <iLength>, this function will truncate the string and will try to keep the drive and the last dir or file name. So, in case some dirs are too long to be conserved, they will be replaced by '...'. If <bShift> is TRUE, the string will be converted to uppercase. This function is quite useful to use before you put values in Static controls. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
Cstr szMsg;  
szMsg.FromIni("General","AppPath","C:\\MYAPP\\MYAPP.INI");  
szMsg.CheckDirSize( 80 );  
szMsg.ToCt1( this, IDC_APPPATH );
```

See also...

[CStr::Delete](#)

[CStr::Extract](#)

[CStr::FirstUpper](#)

[CStr::CheckSize](#)

[CStr::FromCt1](#)

[CStr::ToCt1](#)

CStr::IsDigit

BOOL CStr::IsDigit(LPCTSTR szSeparator = ",", LPCTSTR szDecimalPoint = ".") const; [3.0]

Description

Returns TRUE is the current CStr object corresponds to a number, ie. all characters are numbers or '-', a space or <szSeparator> or <szDecimalPoint>.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASNUM

Example

```
Cstr szMsg("123,024.23");  
if ( szMsg.IsDigit() )  
    szMsg.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::ToInt](#)
[CStr::ToUINT](#)
[CStr::ToLong](#)
[CStr::ToULong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToDouble](#)
[CStr::Round](#)
[CStr::IsInRange](#)
[CStr::FromCtl](#)



CStr::IsInRange

BOOL CStr::IsInRange(double dMini = 0, double dMaxi = 100) const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the current number specified by the current CStr object is higher or equal to <dMini> and lower or equal to <dMaxi>. In many cases you must use IsDigit before this function.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASNUM

Example

```
Cstr szMsg("99.23");  
if ( szMsg.IsInRange(50,100) )  
    szMsg.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::ToInt](#)
[CStr::ToUINT](#)
[CStr::ToLong](#)
[CStr::ToULong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToDouble](#)
[CStr::Round](#)
[CStr::IsDigit](#)
[CStr::CheckSize](#)
[CStr::FromCtI](#)



CStr::FromIni

```
CStr CStr::FromIni( LPCTSTR szSection, LPCTSTR szKey, LPCTSTR szFile = NULL, int iSize = 512 );
```

Description

Reads a value in the <szFile> INI File, or if this one is set to NULL, in WIN.INI. Also looks at the <szSection> section ("[...]"), at the <szKey> Key ("XXX=") and reads <iSize> characters. If this key is not defined, the current CStr will contain "". See GetProfileString documentation for more informations. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASINI

Example

```
CStr szIniValue;  
szIniValue.FromIni ("MyApp", "UserName");  
szIniValue.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)

[CStr::ToIni](#)

[CStr::FromFile](#)

 **CStr::ToIni**

```
void CStr::ToIni( LPCTSTR szSection, LPCTSTR szKey, LPCTSTR szFile = NULL ) const;
```

Description

Write the current CStr object into an INI file. This INI file is <szFile>, or, if this value is NULL, the WIN.INI file will be used. Also this function will use the <szSection> section and the <szKey> key. See WriteProfileString documentation for more informations.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASINI

Example

```
CStr szIniValue("MyName");  
szIniValue.ToIni("MyApp", "UserName");
```

See also...

[CStr::FromIni](#)

[CStr::ToFile](#)



CStr::FromFile

CStr CStr::FromFile(LPCTSTR szFile, BOOL bKeepString = FALSE, BOOL bAddPoints = TRUE);

Description

Reads the file <szFile> and puts its content into the current CStr object. If <bKeepString> is set to TRUE, the file content will be appended to the current CStr. This function can read up to 32700 characters and if there are more than 32700 characters in the string or file, if <bAddPoints> is TRUE, the function will add "..." to the string. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szFileList;  
szFileList.FromFile("C:\\MYAPP\\MYLIST.DAT");  
szFileList.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::FromFileTime](#)
[CStr::AddLF](#)
[CStr::FromIni](#)
[CStr::ToFile](#)
[CTim::ToFile](#)
[CTim::FromFile](#)
[AfxSetFileTime](#)
[AfxTouchFile](#)

 **CStr::ToFile**

BOOL CStr::ToFile(LPCTSTR szFile, BOOL bAppend = TRUE) const;

Description

Writes the current CStr object into the file <szFile>. If <bAppend> is TRUE, the string will be appended to the file, otherwise, the file will be deleted. Returns TRUE if successful, FALSE if not.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

`_CSTR30_HASFILE`

Example

```
CStr szFileList;  
szFileList = "Line1";  
szFileList.AddLF();  
szFileList += "Line2";  
szFileList.AddLF();  
szFileList.ToFile("C:\\MYAPP\\MYLIST.DAT", FALSE);
```

See also...

[CStr::AddLF](#)
[CStr::ToIni](#)
[CStr::FromFile](#)
[CTim::ToFile](#)
[CTim::FromFile](#)
[AfxSetFileTime](#)
[AfxTouchFile](#)



CStr::FromCtl

CStr CStr::FromCtl(CWnd* pWnd, int iCtl);

Description

Reads the text value, or the current selected value, of control <iCtl> of the window (or dialog box) <pWnd>. In many cases, <pWnd> is the local pointer 'this'. This function doesn't support multiple selection listboxes.
CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASWINCTL

Example

```
CStr szMsg;  
szMsg.FromCtl( this, IDC_VALUE1 );  
szMsg.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::FirstUpper](#)
[CStr::ToCtl](#)
[CStr::GetDlgItemText](#)



CStr::ToCtl

void CStr::ToCtl(CWnd* pWnd, int iCtl, BOOL bAltMode = FALSE) const;

Description

Puts the current CStr string into the Windows control <iCtl> of the Window (or Dialog box) <pWnd>.

In many cases, <pWnd> is the local pointer 'this'. This function supports all Windows controls. In case of a ComboBox or a ListBox, the string will be appended to the end of the list without any sorting or, if you set <bAltMode> to TRUE, this value will be appended with a sorting process if this one is available.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASWINCTL

Example

```
CStr szMsg("Value...");  
szMsg.ToCtl( this, IDC_VALUE1 );
```

See also...

[CStr::FirstUpper](#)

[CStr::CheckDirSize](#)

[CStr::CheckSize](#)

[CStr::FromCtl](#)

[CStr::GetDlgItemText](#)



CStr::MB

```
int CStr::MB( CWnd* pWnd = NULL, LPCTSTR szTitle = NULL, UINT mbType = MB_OK |  
MB_ICONINFORMATION ) const;
```

Description

Display a message box using the current CStr value. <pWnd> is the parent Window to use ("this") and it can be NULL. <szTitle> is the title of the message box and <mbType> the type of this message box (see "MessageBox" SDK documentation for possible values). This function is useful because you can call it without any parameter.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASWINCTL

Example

```
CStr szMsg("Test");  
szMsg.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::FirstUpper](#)

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CTim functions

How to use the CTim?

Before you can use a CTim function, you must create a CTim object (thanks to a classic CTime constructor), then you apply the function to this object. CTim functions are CTim members!

Example

```
CTim MyTime;  
myTime.SetDay( 10 );
```

ü CTim()	CTim new constructor.	ü SetDay	Change the CTim day value.
ü Build	Fill the CTim fields.	ü SetHour	Change the CTim hour value.
ü FromFile	Retrieve a file last modification date.	ü SetMonth	Change the CTim month value.
ü IncDay	Increment the current date with a number of days.	ü SetYear	Change the CTim minute value.
ü IncSec	Increment the current date with a number of seconds.	ü SetSec	Change the CTim second value.
ü IncMin	Increment the current date with a number of minutes.	ü SetMin	Change the CTim year value.
ü IncHour	Increment the current date with a number of hours.	ü ToFile	Change the file last modification date. [3.0]
ü IsLeapYear	Returns TRUE if the current date concerns a Leap Year.		
ü IsLastDay	Returns TRUE if the current date is the last day of the month.		
ü IsValid	Returns TRUE if the current date is valid. [3.0]		

See also...

[AfxIsDateValid](#)

Afx global routines

ü Miscellaneous...

<u>AfxIsDateValid</u>	Returns TRUE if sepecified date is correct.
<u>AfxFindWordInFile</u>	Find a word in a text file.
<u>AfxGiveTheHand</u>	Let the user do something... [3.0]
<u>AfxRound</u>	Round a number with specified decimals.
<u>AfxRoundToInt</u>	Convert a number to an integer.
<u>AfxSleep</u>	Wait for n seconds [3.0]

ü Configuration

<u>AfxGetDecimalPoint</u>	Returns the decimal character for this PC.
<u>AfxGetFreeResRate</u>	Return some free resources rates.
<u>AfxGetFreeResValue</u>	Return some free resources values.
<u>AfxGetPrecision</u>	Returns the number of decimals for this PC.
<u>AfxGetLongDateFormat</u>	Returns the full date format for this PC.
<u>AfxGetShortDateFormat</u>	Returns the short date format for this PC.
<u>AfxGetThousandsSeparator</u>	Returns the thousands separator character for this PC.
<u>AfxHasWin4Look</u>	Returns TRUE if the Win95 interface is here.

ü Controls...

<u>AfxActivateEdit</u>	Activate an edit control text.
<u>AfxEnableCANCEL</u>	Enable/disable the dialog box CANCEL button.
<u>AfxEnableDlgItem</u>	Enable/disable a dialog box control.
<u>AfxEnableOK</u>	Enable/disable the dialog box OK button.
<u>AfxSetDefButton</u>	Change the dialog box default button.
<u>AfxSetFocus</u>	Set the focus to a dialog control.

ü Files...

<u>AfxCheckFileName</u>	Check (and change) a DOS filename.
<u>AfxSetFileTime</u>	Change the file last modification date. [3.0]
<u>AfxSetFileAttributes</u>	Change the attributes of a file. [3.0]
<u>AfxTouchFile</u>	Change the file last modification date. [3.0]

ü CTL3D...

<u>AfxCtl3dLoad</u>	Load CTL3DV2.DLL or CTL3D32.DLL. [3.0]
<u>AfxCtl3dNewColors</u>	Change CTL3D colors.
<u>AfxCtl3dUnload</u>	Unload CTL3DV2.DLL or CTL3D32.DLL.
<u>AfxCtl3dSubclassCtl</u>	Add 3D style to a control. [3.0]

ü Dialog boxes...

<u>AfxCenterWindow</u>	Center a Window (dialog box).
<u>AfxGetWindowPos</u>	Recover a Window position.
<u>AfxWriteWindowPos</u>	Keep a Window position.

CTim::CTim constructors

```
CTim::CTim( void )
CTim::CTim( const CTime& timeSrc )
CTim::CTim( time_t time )
CTim::CTim( int nYear, int nMonth, int nDay, int nHour = 0, int nMin = 0, int nSec = 0 )
CTim::CTim( WORD wDosDate, WORD wDosTime )
CTim::CTim( const FILETIME& ft ) [3.0] (Win32 only)
CTim::CTim( const SYSTEMTIME& ft ) [3.0] (Win32 only)
```

Description

CTim constructors are the same than MFC 2.x/3.x CTime constructors. CTime add the CTime::CTime() constructor. This constructor doesn't require any parameter and it will initialize the CTime object with the date 1/1/1980. This constructor is helpful if you plan to use [AfxIsValidDate](#) and/or [Build](#).

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();
if ( AfxIsValidDate(iYear, iMonth, iDay))
    myTime.Build( iYear, iMonth, iDay );
```

See also...

[CTim::Build](#)
[AfxIsValidDate](#)

CTim::Build

int CTim::Build(int iYear, int iMonth, int iDay, int iHour = 0, int iMin = 0, int iSec = 0);

Description

This method fills the CTim fields. Parameters must be the same as CTime constructor parameters (i.e. <iYear> must be in the 1970-2038 range and <iMonth> and <iDay> must be higher than 0). The function returns:

```
ü CTIME_OK           0
ü CTIME_OVERFLOW    1
ü CTIME_NOTVALID    2
```

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();
if ( AfxIsValidDate(iYear, iMonth, iDay ))
    myTime.Build( iYear, iMonth, iDay );
```

See also...

CTim()
AfxIsValidDate

CTim::FromFile

BOOL CTim::FromFile(LPCTSTR szFile);

Description

This method fills the CTim fields using the last modification date of the <szFile> file. The function returns FALSE if this date is not valid.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
if ( !myTime.FromFile("C:\\WINDOWS\\WIN.INI") )  
    MessageBox( "Can' t retrieve WIN.INI date!" );
```

See also...

[CTim::ToFile](#)

[CTim::CTim\(\)AfxIsDateValid](#)

[AfxSetFileTime](#)

[AfxTouchFile](#)

CTim::ToFile

BOOL ToFile(LPCTSTR szFile) const; [3.0]

Description

Change the last modification date/time of <szFile> using the current CTim value. The file must exist. The function returns FALSE if this date isn't set.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
if ( !myTime.ToFile("C:\\WINDOWS\\WIN.INI") )  
    MessageBox( "Can' t change WIN.INI date!" );
```

See also...

[CTim::FromFile](#)

[CTim::CTim\(\)](#)

[AfxIsDateValid](#)

[AfxSetFileTime](#)

[AfxTouchFile](#)

CTim::SetMonth

BOOL CTim::SetMonth(int iMonth = 1);
BOOL CTim::SetMonth(LPCTSTR szMonth);

Description

Change the current CTim MONTH value. Valid range is 1-12. Returns TRUE if the new MONTH value is set.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.SetMonth(1);  
myTime.SetDay(10);  
myTime.SetYear(1995);  
myTime.SetHour(12);  
myTime.SetMin(30);
```

See also...

[CTim::SetSec](#)

[CTim::SetMin](#)

[CTim::SetHour](#)

[CTim::SetDay](#)

[CTim::SetYear](#)

[AfxIsDateValid](#)

CTim::SetDay

```
BOOL CTim::SetDay( int iDay = 1 );  
BOOL CTim::SetDay( LPCTSTR szDay );
```

Description

Change the current CTim DAY value. Valid range is 1-31. Returns TRUE if the new DAY value is set.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.SetMonth(1);  
myTime.SetDay(10);  
myTime.SetYear(1995);  
myTime.SetHour(12);  
myTime.SetMin(30);
```

See also...

[CTim::SetSec](#)
[CTim::SetMin](#)
[CTim::SetHour](#)
[CTim::SetMonth](#)
[CTim::SetYear](#)
[AfxIsDateValid](#)

CTim::SetYear

BOOL CTime::SetYear(int iYear);
BOOL CTime::SetYear(LPCTSTR szYear);

Description

Change the current CTime YEAR value. Valid range is 1970-2038. Returns TRUE if the new YEAR value is set.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTime myTime();  
myTime.SetMonth(1);  
myTime.SetDay(10);  
myTime.SetYear(1995);  
myTime.SetHour(12);  
myTime.SetMin(30);
```

See also...

[CTime::SetSec](#)
[CTime::SetMin](#)
[CTime::SetHour](#)
[CTime::SetDay](#)
[CTime::SetMonth](#)
[AfxIsDateValid](#)

CTim::SetHour

BOOL CTim::SetHour(int iHour = 0);
BOOL CTim::SetHour(LPCTSTR szHour);

Description

Change the current CTim HOUR value. Valid range is 0-23. Returns TRUE if the new HOUR value is set.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.SetMonth(1);  
myTime.SetDay(10);  
myTime.SetYear(1995);  
myTime.SetHour(12);  
myTime.SetMin(30);
```

See also...

[CTim::SetSec](#)
[CTim::SetMin](#)
[CTim::SetDay](#)
[CTim::SetMonth](#)
[CTim::SetYear](#)
[AfxIsDateValid](#)

CTim::SetMin

```
BOOL CTim::SetMin( int iMin = 0 );  
BOOL CTim::SetMin( LPCTSTR szMin );
```

Description

Change the current CTim MINUTE value. Valid range is 0-59. Returns TRUE if the new MINUTE value is set.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.SetMonth(1);  
myTime.SetDay(10);  
myTime.SetYear(1995);  
myTime.SetHour(12);  
myTime.SetMin(30);
```

See also...

[CTim::SetSec](#)
[CTim::SetHour](#)
[CTim::SetDay](#)
[CTim::SetMonth](#)
[CTim::SetYear](#)
[AfxIsDateValid](#)

CTim::SetSec

```
BOOL CTim::SetSec( int iSec = 0 );  
BOOL CTim::SetSec( LPCTSTR szSec );
```

Description

Change the current CTim SECOND value. Valid range is 0-59. Returns TRUE if the new SECOND value is set.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.SetMonth(1);  
myTime.SetDay(10);  
myTime.SetYear(1995);  
myTime.SetHour(12);  
myTime.SetMin(30);
```

See also...

[CTim::SetMin](#)
[CTim::SetHour](#)
[CTim::SetDay](#)
[CTim::SetMonth](#)
[CTim::SetYear](#)
[AfxIsDateValid](#)

CTim::IncDay

BOOL CTim::IncDay(int iDay = 1);

Description

Increment/Decrement the current CTim object with <iDay> days. You can add (or subtract) up to 25000 days...The function returns TRUE if <iDay> is in this range.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.Build( 1995, 1, 1, 23, 0);  
myTime.IncDay(30);  
myTime.IncSec(-30);  
myTime.IncMin(-1);  
myTime.IncHour();
```

See also...

[CTim::IncMin](#)
[CTim::IncSec](#)
[CTim::IncHour](#)
[AfxIsDateValid](#)

 **CTim::IncSec**

BOOL CTim::IncSec(int iSec = 1);

Description

Increment/Decrement the current CTim object with <iSec> seconds. <iSec> valid range is -59/+59. The function returns TRUE if <iSec> is in this range.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.Build( 1995, 1, 1, 23, 0);  
myTime.IncDay(30);  
myTime.IncSec(-30);  
myTime.IncMin(-1);  
myTime.IncHour();
```

See also...

[CTim::IncMin](#)
[CTim::IncHour](#)
[CTim::IncDay](#)
[AfxIsDateValid](#)

 **CTim::IncMin**

BOOL CTim::IncMin(int iMin = 1);

Description

Increment/Decrement the current CTim object with <iMin> minutes. <iMin> valid range is -59/+59. The function returns TRUE if <iMin> is in this range.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.Build( 1995, 1, 1, 23, 0);  
myTime.IncDay(30);  
myTime.IncSec(-30);  
myTime.IncMin(-1);  
myTime.IncHour();
```

See also...

[CTim::IncDay](#)
[CTim::IncSec](#)
[CTim::IncHour](#)
[AfxIsDateValid](#)

 **CTim::IncHour**

BOOL CTim::IncHour(int iHour = 1);

Description

Increment/Decrement the current CTim object with <iHour> hours. <iHour> valid range is -23/+23. The function returns TRUE if <iHour> is in this range.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.Build( 1995, 1, 1, 23, 0);  
myTime.IncDay(30);  
myTime.IncSec(-30);  
myTime.IncMin(-1);  
myTime.IncHour();
```

See also...

[CTim::IncMin](#)
[CTim::IncDay](#)
[CTim::IncSec](#)
[AfxIsDateValid](#)

CTim::IsLeapYear

BOOL CTim::IsLeapYear() const;

Description

As you think this function returns TRUE if the current CTim value concerns a Leap year.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.Build( 1995, 1, 1, 23, 0);  
if ( myTime.IsLeapYear() )  
    MessageBox( "It is a Leap year...");
```

See also...

[CTim::IsValid](#)
[CTim::IsLastDay](#)
[AfxIsValidDate](#)

CTim::IsLastDay

BOOL CTim::IsLastDay() const;

Description

This function returns TRUE if the current CTim value correspond to the last day of the month.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.Build( 1994, 12, 31, 23, 0);  
if ( myTime.IsLastDay() )  
    MessageBox( "12/31 is really the last day of december...");
```

See also...

[CTim::IsLeapYear](#)

[CTim::IsValid](#)

[AfxIsDateValid](#)

CTim::IsValid

BOOL CTim::IsValid() const;

Description

This function returns TRUE if the current CTim value corresponds to a valid date/time.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
myTime.Build( 1994, 12, 31, 23, 0);  
if ( !myTime.IsValid() )  
    MessageBox( "31 december 1994 should be valid...");
```

See also...

[CTim::ToFile](#)
[CTim::FromFile](#)
[AfxIsValidDate](#)
[AfxSetFileTime](#)
[AfxTouchFile](#)

AfxIsDateValid

BOOL AfxIsDateValid(int iYear, int iMonth, int iDay);

Description

Returns TRUE if the specified components correspond to a correct date. <iYear> is the year value (with its century), <iMonth> the month value and <iDay> the day value.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTIM

Example

```
CTim myTime();  
if ( AfxIsDateValid(iYear, iMonth, iDay ))  
    myTime.Build( iYear, iMonth, iDay );
```

See also...

[CTim](#)
[CTim::IsLeapYear](#)
[CTim::IsLastDay](#)
[CTim::IsValid](#)
[CTim::ToFile](#)
[CTim::FromFile](#)
[AfxSetFileTime](#)
[AfxTouchFile](#)

AfxGetFreeResRate

UINT AfxGetFreeResRate(int iResCode);

Description

Return a free resources rate for the GLOBAL, USER, GDI or DISK parameter. <iResCode> must be one of the following constants:

ü FREERES_GLOBAL	0	
ü FREERES_USER	1	
ü FREERES_GDI	2	2
ü FREERES_DISK	4	

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr sMsg1, sMsg2;  
sMsg1.From( AfxGetFreeResRate( FREERES_GDI ) );  
sMsg2.From( AfxGetFreeResValue( FREERES_MEM ) );  
sMsg1.MB( NULL, "Free GDI rate...");  
sMsg2.MB( NULL, "Free Memory...");
```

See also...

[AfxGetFreeResValue](#)
[AfxHasWin4Look](#)

AfxGetFreeResValue

unsigned long AfxGetFreeResValue(int iResCode);

Description

Return a free resources value for the current DISK or MEMORY parameter. <iResCode> must be one of the following constants and the returned value is in KBytes.

```
ü FREERES_MEM      3
ü FREERES_DISK     4
```

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr sMsg1, sMsg2;
sMsg1.From( AfxGetFreeResRate( FREERES_GDI ) );
sMsg2.From( AfxGetFreeResValue( FREERES_MEM ) );
sMsg1.MB( NULL, "Free GDI rate...");
sMsg2.MB( NULL, "Free Memory...");
```

See also...

[AfxGetFreeResRate](#)
[AfxHasWin4Look](#)

AfxGetPrecision

int AfxGetPrecision();

Description

This function returns the number of decimal digits the user specified thanks to the control panel.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASINI

See also...

[AfxGetDecimalPoint](#)

[AfxGetLongDateFormat](#)

[AfxGetShortDateFormat](#)

[AfxGetThousandsSeparator](#)

AfxGetDecimalPoint

CStr AfxGetDecimalPoint();

Description

This function returns the character to use display as the decimal point the user specified thanks to the control panel.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASINI

See also...

[AfxGetPrecision](#)

[AfxGetLongDateFormat](#)

[AfxGetShortDateFormat](#)

[AfxGetThousandsSeparator](#)

AfxGetThousandsSeparator

CStr AfxGetThousandsSeparator();

Description

This function returns the character to use display as the thousands separator the user specified thanks to the control panel.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASINI

See also...

[AfxGetDecimalPoint](#)

[AfxGetPrecision](#)

[AfxGetLongDateFormat](#)

[AfxGetShortDateFormat](#)

AfxGetShortDateFormat

CString AfxGetShortDateFormat();

Description

This function returns the short date format string the user specified through the control panel. This string can be used with the [CStr::From\(CTime \)](#) function. If you use this string with the [CStr::ToTime](#) function, you must replace 'M' with 'm' and 'm' with 'M'.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

`_CSTR30_HASINI`

Example

```
CStr szTestString;  
szTestString.FromCurrentTime( AfxGetShortDateFormat() );  
szTestString.MB();
```

See also...

[AfxGetDecimalPoint](#)

[AfxGetPrecision](#)

[AfxGetLongDateFormat](#)

[AfxGetThousandsSeparator](#)

AfxGetLongDateFormat

CString AfxGetLongDateFormat();

Description

This function returns the long (full) date format string the user specified thanks to the control panel. This string can be used with the [CStr::From\(CTime \)](#) function. If you use this string with the [CStr::ToTime](#) function, you must replace 'M' with 'm' and 'm' with 'M'.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

[_CSTR30_HASINI](#)

Example

```
CStr szTestString;  
szTestString.FromCurrentTime( AfxGetLongDateFormat() );  
szTestString.MB ();
```

See also...

[AfxGetDecimalPoint](#)

[AfxGetPrecision](#)

[AfxGetShortDateFormat](#)

[AfxGetThousandsSeparator](#)



extern "C" int AfxCtl3dLoad(); [3.0]

Description

This function will load (and 'register') the CTL3DV2.DLL (for Win16) or CTLD3D32.DLL (for NT < 3.52). For details and terms regarding this DLL, have a look at this Microsoft product.

Ä If you choose to use CTL3D and String Studio, you must call this function in your CWinApp::InitInstance method. Also you can call [AfxCtl3dNewColors](#) on the next line to reset the used colors. As we use the automatic mode (CTL3D_ALL), the only thing you will have to do is to call the [AfxCtl3dUnload](#) in your CWinApp::ExitInstance function. The main interest of the String Studio CTL3D wrappers comes from the dynamic DLL loading: If the library don't find the DLL, no warning will be displayed and the program will run. The new version only load CTL3D from WINDOWS/SYSTEM as required.

Ä Also, if you are using VC++ 1.5x but your (16bits) works may be used under Win95 you should do the following: First, use [AfxHasWin4Look](#) in you InitInstance method. If the function returns FALSE, call <SetDialogBkColor(>. Now use <AfxCtl3dLoad> in all cases.

The function returns one of the following constants:

```
ü AFXCTL3D_OK           0 // Ok to use CTL3D
ü AFXCTL3D_NOTFOUND    1 // The user doesn't get this DLL
ü AFXCTL3D_BADDLL      2 // Error
ü AFXCTL3D_ERROR 3     // Error
```

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTL3D

Example

```
CMyApp::InitInstance (...
{
...
if ( bUseCtl3d = AfxCtl3dLoad())
    AfxCtl3dNewColors ();
...
}

CMyApp::ExitInstance (...
{
AfxCtl3dUnload ();
...
}
```

See also...

[AfxCtl3dUnload](#)
[AfxCtl3dNewColors](#)
[AfxCtl3dSubclassCtl](#)
[AfxHasWin4Look](#)

AfxCtl3dUnload

extern "C" BOOL AfxCtl3dUnload();

Description

Unregister and unload the CTL3DV2.DLL (for Win16) or CTL3D32.DLL (for NT < 3.52) you loaded with [AfxCtl3dLoad](#) .Returns FALSE if an error occurred.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

[_CSTR30_HASCTL3D](#)

Example

```
CMyApp::InitInstance (...
{
...
if ( bUseCtl3d = AfxCtl3dLoad())
    AfxCtl3dNewColors ();
...
}

CMyApp::ExitInstance (...
{
AfxCtl3dUnload ();
...
}
```

See also...

[AfxCtl3dLoad](#)
[AfxCtl3dNewColors](#)
[AfxCtl3dSubclassCtl](#)

AfxCtl3dNewColors

extern "C" BOOL AfxCtl3dNewColors();

Description

Tell CTL3DV2.DLL to use new colors. You can use this function in your CWinApp::InitInstance and/or CMainFrm::OnSysColorChanged for instance. The function returns TRUE if the new colors are set.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTL3D

Example

```
CMyApp::InitInstance (...
{
...
if ( bUseCtl3d = AfxCtl3dLoad())
    AfxCtl3dNewColors ();
...
}

CMyApp::ExitInstance (...
{
AfxCtl3dUnload ();
...
}
```

See also...

[AfxCtl3dLoad](#)
[AfxCtl3dUnload](#)
[AfxCtl3dSubclassCtl](#)

AfxCtl3dSubclassCtl

extern "C" BOOL AfxCtl3dSubclassCtl(HWND hItem); [3.0]

Description

<AfxCtl3d...> functions use the automatic mode so that you don't need to subclass each control of your dialog boxes. However, sometimes, when you dynamically create a control for instance, you need to perform a manual subclassing. In this case use this function and give the HWND of your control as <hItem>. The function returns TRUE if successful. See the CTL3D help file for details.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCTL3D

See also...

[AfxCtl3dLoad](#)

[AfxCtl3dUnload](#)

[AfxCtl3dNewColors](#)

AfxWriteWindowPos

BOOL AfxWriteWindowPos(HWND hWnd , BOOL bUseParent = FALSE, LPCTSTR szWindowName = "Main", LPCTSTR szIni = NULL);

Description

This function writes the <hWnd> coordinates to the <szIni> Inifile under the <szWindowName> key. If <szIni> is NULL, WIN.INI will be used. AfxWriteWindowPos will use the "WindowPos" section in the INI file. If <bUseParent> is set to TRUE the function will use the parent window to compute the <hWnd> window coordinates (it is especially useful with MDI child windows). If the window is iconized or maximized the function does not perform anything. The function returns TRUE if the coordinates were written.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASINI

Example

```
OnInitDialog()  
{  
...  
AfxGetWindowPos( m_hWnd, "MyDialogBox", szIniFile );  
...  
}  
  
OnDestroy()  
{  
AfxWriteWindowPos( m_hWnd, FALSE, "MyDialogBox", szIniFile );  
CDialog::OnDestroy();  
...  
}
```

See also...

[AfxGetWindowPos](#)
[AfxCenterWindow](#)

AfxGetWindowPos

RECT AfxGetWindowPos(HWND hWnd = NULL, LPCTSTR szWindowName = "Main", LPCTSTR szIni = NULL, BOOL bMove = TRUE, BOOL bSize = FALSE);

Description

This function will retrieve a window coordinates from an INI file then it will change the specified window position if chosen. <hWnd> is the window to use to change the coordinates, <szWindowName> is the key label in <szIni> INI file under the "WindowPos" section. If <szIni> is NULL the function will use WIN.INI. <bMove> specify you wish to move the Window and set <bSize> if you wish to resize the Window. The function doesn't move iconized or maximized windows. If you wish to perform a special process before moving the window, set <bSize> and <bMove> to FALSE, then use the returned RECT structure.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASINI

Example

```
OnInitDialog()
{
    ...
    AfxGetWindowPos( m_hWnd, "MyDialogBox", szIniFile );
    ...
}

OnDestroy()
{
    AfxWriteWindowPos( m_hWnd, FALSE, "MyDialogBox", szIniFile );
    CDialog::OnDestroy();
    ...
}
```

See also...

[AfxWriteWindowPos](#)

[AfxCenterWindow](#)

AfxCenterWindow

BOOL AfxCenterWindow(CWnd* pWnd, BOOL bAbsolute = TRUE);

Description

This function center the <pWnd> window. If <bAbsolute> is FALSE the <pWnd> window will be centered on its parent window. The function returns TRUE in case of success.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
OnInitDialog()  
{  
    ...  
    AfxCenterWindow( this );  
    ...  
}
```

See also...

[AfxWriteWindowPos](#)

[AfxGetWindowPos](#)

AfxEnableDlgItem

BOOL AfxEnableDlgItem(CWnd* pWnd, UINT id = 1, BOOL bEnabled = TRUE);

Description

This function enable or disable the control <id> in the dialog box <pWnd>. The control will be disabled if <bEnabled> is set to FALSE;

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASWINCTL

Example

```
AfxEnableDlgItem( this, IDOK );
```

See also...

[AfxActivateEdit](#)

[AfxEnableCANCEL](#)

[AfxEnableOK](#)

[AfxSetDefButton](#)

[AfxSetFocus](#)

AfxEnableOK

BOOL AfxEnableOK(CWnd* pWnd, BOOL bEnabled = TRUE);

Description

This function enable or disable the IDOK button in the dialog box <pWnd>. The control will be disabled if <bEnabled> is set to FALSE;

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASWINCTL

Example

```
AfxEnableOK( this, FALSE );
```

See also...

[AfxActivateEdit](#)

[AfxEnableCANCEL](#)

[AfxEnableDlgItem](#)

[AfxSetDefButton](#)

[AfxSetFocus](#)

AfxEnableCANCEL

BOOL AfxEnableCANCEL(CWnd* pWnd, BOOL bEnabled = TRUE);

Description

This function enable or disable the IDCANCEL button in the dialog box <pWnd>. The control will be disabled if <bEnabled> is set to FALSE;

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASWINCTL

Example

```
AfxEnableCANCEL( this, FALSE );
```

See also...

[AfxActivateEdit](#)
[AfxEnableDlgItem](#)
[AfxEnableOK](#)
[AfxSetDefButton](#)
[AfxSetFocus](#)

AfxSetFocus

```
void AfxSetFocus( CWnd* pWnd, UINT id = 1 );
```

Description

This function set the focus to the control <id> in the dialog box <pWnd>.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASWINCTL

Example

```
AfxSetFocus( this, IDC_LIST1 );
```

See also...

[AfxActivateEdit](#)

[AfxEnableCANCEL](#)

[AfxEnableDlgItem](#)

[AfxEnableOK](#)

[AfxSetDefButton](#)

AfxSetDefButton

```
void AfxSetDefButton( CWnd* pWnd, UINT id = 1);
```

Description

This function set the default button to the control <id> in the dialog box <pWnd>. This fonction don' t work with all the kinds of dialog controls.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASWINCTL

Example

```
AfxSetDefButton( this, IDEDIT );
```

See also...

[AfxActivateEdit](#)

[AfxEnableCANCEL](#)

[AfxEnableDlgItem](#)

[AfxEnableOK](#)

[AfxSetFocus](#)

AfxActivateEdit

```
void AfxActivateEdit( CWnd* pWnd, UINT id );
```

Description

This function set the focus to the edit control <id> in the dialog box <pWnd>, then it select all the control text.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASWINCTL

Example

```
AfxActivateEdit( this, IDC_EDIT1 );
```

See also...

[AfxEnableCANCEL](#)

[AfxEnableDlgItem](#)

[AfxEnableOK](#)

[AfxSetDefButton](#)

[AfxSetFocus](#)

AfxRoundToInt

#define AfxRoundToInt(x)

Description

This macro rounds <x> to an integer.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

See also...

[AfxRound](#)

[CStr::NumFormat](#)

 **AfxRound**

double AfxRound(double x, int precision = 2);

Description

This function rounds the double value <x> with <precision> number of decimals. So, the returned value is <x> with <precision> decimal digits.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASNUM

See also...

[AfxRoundToInt](#)

[CStr::NumFormat](#)

AfxFindWordInFile

BOOL AfxFindWordInFile(LPCTSTR szFile, LPCTSTR szWord, unsigned long iFromLine = 0L, int iFromCursor = 0, unsigned long* rLineValue = NULL, int* rCursorValue = NULL, BOOL bExact = TRUE, BOOL bMatchCase = FALSE);

Description

This function is the same as [CStr::FindWordInMultilineBuffer](#) but it uses a file instead of a string. <szFile> is a text file you will use as the data source. <szWord> is the word to look for. <iFromLine> is the index of the line from which you want to search <szWord>; <iFromCursor> is the position in the line from which you want to begin the search process; Set <bExact> to TRUE if you want to exclude the partial names and <bMatchCase> to TRUE if you want to check the case too. <rLineValue> and <rCursorValue> are filled on output and they specify the word position in the file. If they are set to NULL they won't be used by the function. As usual all indexes are 0 based. The function returns TRUE if <szWord> exist, FALSE if not.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFINDWORD

Example

```
CStr szMsg, szLine, szCursor;
unsigned long Y=0L;
int X=0;
if ( AfxFindWordInFile("C:\\\\TEST.TXT", "test", 0L, 0, &Y, &X ) )
{
    szLine.From( Y );
    szCursor.From( X );
    szMsg = "test found at position ";
    szMsg += szLine;
    szMsg += " ";
    szMsg += szCursor;
    szMsg.MB();
}
```

See also...

[CStr::FindWord](#)

[CStr::FindWordInMultilineBuffer](#)

AfxCheckFileName

BOOL AfxCheckFileName(CString& sValue, BOOL bNoWildCards = TRUE);

Description

This function checks the <sValue> DOS filename. <sValue> is a file name single component (without any drive and path specification) like 'MYDIR', 'MYFILE.TXT' or '?*o.*'. If <sValue> is not a filename component it will be translated to an appropriate DOS file name. As <sValue> is passed by reference this value can be changed by the function. If <bNoWildCard> is set to TRUE, the function will remove * and ?. The function returns TRUE if <sValue> is a valid DOS filename.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr myFileName = "123+89,78*";  
AfxCheckFileName( myFileName );  
myFileName.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::CheckFullFileName](#)

[CStr::IsFileName](#)

[CStr::IsPathName](#)

[CStr::IsFullFileName](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::GetFileNameValue](#)

[CStr::CheckFullFileName](#)

[CStr::CheckFileExtension](#)

CStr::CStr

CStr::CStr(UINT iStringID, HINSTANCE hInstance = NULL);

Description

A new constructor for the CStr objects. It loads the string <iStringID> from the resources of <hInstance>. You must cast <iStringID> to an UINT and, if <hInstance> is NULL (default), the library will use the default HINSTANCE (thanks to AfxGetInstanceHandle()).

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr myProgName ( (UINT) IDS_APPNAME );  
myProgName.MB ();
```

See also...

[CStr::FromRes](#)

CStr::IsFileName

BOOL CStr::IsFileName(BOOL bAllowWildCards = FALSE) const;

Description

The function checks the current CStr object and returns TRUE if it is a single component filename. This component can be a file name without the drive and the path specification (like 'MYFILE.TXT' or 'DIR1'). If <bAllowWildCard> is set to TRUE, the function will allow DOS pattern characters (* and ?). The function returns TRUE if the string is a file name, FALSE if not.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szFile = "AUTOEXEC.BAT";  
if ( szFile.IsFileName() )  
    MessageBox( "AUTOEXEC.BAT is a valid file name" );
```

See also...

[CStr::IsPathName](#)

[CStr::IsFullFileName](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::GetFileNameValue](#)

[CStr::CheckFullFileName](#)

[CStr::CheckFileExtension](#)

[AfxCheckFileName](#)

 **CStr::IsPathName**

BOOL CStr::IsPathName() const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the current CStr object specifies a valid DOS directory name (with its full path). String Studio 2.0 will return FALSE if the first right character is not '\'. The function doesn't test the directory exist. It returns TRUE if this is a valid DOS path name.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szMyDir = "C:\\DOS\\DIR1\\";  
if ( szMyDir.IsPathName() )  
    MessageBox( "C:\\DOS\\DIR1\\ is a valid directory name" );
```

See also...

[CStr::IsFileName](#)

[CStr::IsFullFileName](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::GetFileNameValue](#)

[CStr::CheckFullFileName](#)

[CStr::CheckFileExtension](#)

[AfxCheckFileName](#)

CStr::IsFullFileName

BOOL CStr::IsFullFileName(BOOL bNoWildCards = TRUE) const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the current CStr object specifies a valid DOS file name (with its full path). If <bNoWildCards> is set to FALSE, * and ? will be allowed. It returns TRUE if this is a valid DOS file name. As usual, this function doesn't support UNC file names.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szMyFile = "C:\\DOS\\MYFILE.TXT";
if ( szMyFile.IsFullFileName() )
    MessageBox( "C:\\DOS\\MYFILE.TXT is a valid file name" );
```

See also...

[CStr::IsFileName](#)

[CStr::IsPathName](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::GetFileNameValue](#)

[CStr::CheckFullFileName](#)

[CStr::CheckFileExtension](#)

[AfxCheckFileName](#)

CStr::GetPathValue

CStr CStr::GetPathValue();

Description

Returns the path value for a full file name (with the path). The string must include a file name (i.e. the first right character must not be '\\'). CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szMyFile = "C:\\DOS\\COMMAND.COM";  
szMyFile.GetPathValue();  
szMyFile.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::IsFileName](#)

[CStr::IsPathName](#)

[CStr::IsFullFileName](#)

[CStr::GetFileNameValue](#)

[CStr::CheckFullFileName](#)

[CStr::CheckFileExtension](#)

[AfxCheckFileName](#)

CStr::GetFileNameValue

CStr CStr::GetFileNameValue();

Description

Returns the file name value for a full file name (with the path). The string must include a file name (i.e. the first right character must not be '\\'). CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

`_CSTR30_HASFILE`

Example

```
CStr szMyFile = "C:\\DOS\\COMMAND.COM";  
szMyFile.GetFileNameValue();  
szMyFile.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::IsFileName](#)

[CStr::IsPathName](#)

[CStr::IsFullFileName](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::GetFileNameValue](#)

[CStr::CheckFullFileName](#)

[CStr::CheckFileExtension](#)

[AfxCheckFileName](#)

CStr::CheckFullFileName

CStr CStr::CheckFullFileName(BOOL bNoWildCards = TRUE, BOOL bAddSlash =FALSE);

Description

This function will check a full file name or directory name value. You can use relative directories ('/' or '../' or './'). <bNoWildCards> must be set to FALSE if you wish to use a DOS pattern and set <bAddSlash> to TRUE if you are using a directory with a final '\\'. The function returns the new full file name or a blank string. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szMyFile = "C:\\\\BAD++\\W.R.O.N.G";  
szMyFile.CheckFullFileName();  
szMyFile.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::IsFileName](#)

[CStr::IsPathName](#)

[CStr::IsFullFileName](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::GetFileNameValue](#)

[CStr::CheckFileExtension](#)

[AfxCheckFileName](#)

CStr::CheckFileExtension

CStr CStr::CheckFileExtension(LPCTSTR szExtension, BOOL bForceExtension = FALSE);

Description

The function will search for the <szExtension> in the current CStr object. If not found <szExtension> will be added. If <bForceExtension> is set to TRUE, the new <szExtension> extension will be used in all cases. You can use single component file names or full file names. The function returns the new string. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szMyFile = "TEST";  
szMyFile.CheckFileExtension( "ZIP");  
szMyFile.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::IsFileName](#)

[CStr::IsPathName](#)

[CStr::IsFullFileName](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::GetFileNameValue](#)

[CStr::CheckFullFileName](#)

[AfxCheckFileName](#)

 **CStr::ChDir**

BOOL CStr::ChDir(BOOL bIncludesFName = FALSE, BOOL bCreateDir = FALSE) const;

Description

Go to the current CStr directory specification. If <bIncludeFName> is set to TRUE, the function will temporary remove the file name component before the action. If <bCreateDir> is set to TRUE, the function will try to create the new required directories. The function can use a different drive and a relative path. It will return TRUE if the new directory is reached. If <bIncFile> is set to TRUE you must not use a relative path specification.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
szOpenFileDir = "C:\\\\TEST\\BACKUP\\BACK.TXT";  
if ( szOpenFile.ChDir( TRUE, TRUE ) )  
    MessageBox( "ChDir to C:\\\\TEST\\BACKUP successful!");
```

See also...

[CStr::MkDir](#)
[CStr::GetPathValue](#)
[CStr::DoesDirExist](#)
[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)
[CStr::GetAppDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinSysDir](#)
[CStr::GetThisDir](#)
[CStr::GetTempDir](#)



BOOL CStr::MkDir(BOOL blncFile = FALSE) const;

Description

Build a new directory as specified in the current CStr object. If <blncFile> is set to TRUE the function will temporary removes the file name before it make the new directories. It can build more than one directory at the same time, use a relative path or a different drive. If <blncFile> is set to TRUE you must not use a relative path specification. The function returns FALSE if an error ocured.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szNewDir = "..\\BACKUP\\";
if ( szNewDir.MkDir() )
    MessageBox( "..\\BACKUP succesfully created!" );
```

See also...

[CStr::ChDir](#)
[CStr::RemoveDir](#)
[CStr::CreateFile](#)
[CStr::DeleteFile](#)
[CStr::GetPathValue](#)
[CStr::DoesDirExist](#)
[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)
[CStr::GetAppDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinSysDir](#)
[CStr::GetThisDir](#)
[CStr::GetTempDir](#)

CStr::DoesFileExist

BOOL CStr::DoesFileExist() const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the current CStr file specification exists. The function doesn't allow relative path.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szFile = "C:\\\\AUTOEXEC.BAT";  
if (!szFile.DoesFileExist() )  
    MessageBox( "AUTOEXEC.BAT missing...");
```

See also...

[CStr::ChDir](#)

[CStr::MkDir](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::DoesDirExist](#)

[CStr::GetAppDir](#)

[CStr::GetWinDir](#)

[CStr::GetWinSysDir](#)

[CStr::GetThisDir](#)

[CStr::GetTempDir](#)

[CStr::GetFileAttributes](#)

[CStr::SetFileAttributes](#)

[CStr::IsRDOOnly](#)

[CStr::GetFileSize](#)

[CStr::CreateFile](#)

[CStr::DeleteFile](#)

[AfxSetFileAttributes](#)

CStr::DoesDirExist

BOOL CStr::DoesDirExist(BOOL bIncFile = FALSE) const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the current CStr directory specification exists. The function doesn't allow relative path. If <bIncFile> is set to TRUE the function will temporary remove the file name component to test the dir.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

`_CSTR30_HASFILE`

Example

```
CStr szDir = "C:\\\\DOS";  
if (!szDir.DoesDirExist() )  
    MessageBox( "DOS directory missing...");
```

See also...

[CStr::ChDir](#)
[CStr::MkDir](#)
[CStr::RemoveDir](#)
[CStr::GetPathValue](#)
[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)
[CStr::GetAppDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinSysDir](#)
[CStr::GetThisDir](#)
[CStr::GetTempDir](#)

CStr::GetAppDir

CStr CStr::GetAppDir(LPCTSTR szAppName = NULL);

Description

Returns the application directory. If <szAppName> is set to NULL, this function will use the default application name thanks to a <AfxGetAppName()> call. Otherwise, <szAppName> must be a 'module' name like 'MYAPP.EXE' or 'MYMODULE.DLL'. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Under Win16, this function uses TOOLHELP.DLL (but you don't have to link with TOOLHELP.LIB) and it can return a bad value in case you use more than one module with the same base name (MYPROG.DLL and MYPROG.EXE for instance).

Ä Since TOOLHELP.DLL isn't available under Win32, the function may fail or returns if <szAppName> isn't NULL.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szAppPath;  
szAppPath.GetAppDir();  
szAppPath.MB( this, "Application path is:" );
```

See also...

[CStr::ChDir](#)
[CStr::MkDir](#)
[CStr::GetPathValue](#)
[CStr::DoesDirExist](#)
[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)
[CStr::GetWinDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinSysDir](#)
[CStr::GetThisDir](#)
[CStr::GetTempDir](#)

CStr::GetWinDir

CStr CStr::GetWinDir();

Description

Returns the WINDOWS directory (with the final '\\' character). CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

See also...

[CStr::ChDir](#)

[CStr::MkDir](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::DoesDirExist](#)

[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)

[CStr::GetAppDir](#)

[CStr::GetWinSysDir](#)

[CStr::GetThisDir](#)

[CStr::GetTempDir](#)

CStr::GetWinSysDir

CStr CStr::GetWinSysDir();

Description

Returns the WINDOWS\SYSTEM directory (with the final '\\' character). CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

See also...

[CStr::ChDir](#)

[CStr::MkDir](#)

[CStr::GetPathValue](#)

[CStr::DoesDirExist](#)

[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)

[CStr::GetAppDir](#)

[CStr::GetWinDir](#)

[CStr::GetThisDir](#)

[CStr::GetTempDir](#)

CStr::GetThisDir

CStr CStr::GetThisDir();

Description

Returns the current directory (with the final '\\' character). CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szLastOpenedDir;  
szLastOpenedDir.GetThisDir();  
szLastOpenedDir.MB( this, "Current dir is:" );
```

See also...

[CStr::ChDir](#)
[CStr::MkDir](#)
[CStr::GetPathValue](#)
[CStr::DoesDirExist](#)
[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)
[CStr::GetAppDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinSysDir](#)
[CStr::GetTempDir](#)

CStr::GetTempFileName

CStr CStr::GetTempFileName();

Description

Returns a temp file name or a blank string. GetTempFileName can use the TEMP directory as specified in AUTOEXEC.BAT. If there are no temporary file name available, the function fails and returns a blank string. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szTempFile;  
szTempFile.GetTempFileName();  
szTempFileName.MB( this, "temporary file name is:" );
```

See also...

[CStr::ChDir](#)
[CStr::MkDir](#)
[CStr::GetPathValue](#)
[CStr::DoesDirExist](#)
[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)
[CStr::GetAppDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinSysDir](#)
[CStr::GetThisDir](#)
[CStr::GetTempDir](#)

CStr::GetTempDir

CStr CStr::GetTempDir();

Description

Returns the temporary directory to use or a blank string. GetTempDir can use the TEMP directory as specified in AUTOEXEC.BAT. If there are no temporary file name available, the function fails and returns a blank string. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szTempDir;  
szTempDir.GetTempDir();  
szTempDir.MB( this, "temporary directory is:" );
```

See also...

[CStr::ChDir](#)
[CStr::MkDir](#)
[CStr::GetPathValue](#)
[CStr::DoesDirExist](#)
[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)
[CStr::GetAppDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinDir](#)
[CStr::GetWinSysDir](#)
[CStr::GetThisDir](#)

CStr::IsCharUpper

BOOL CStr::IsCharUpper(int iIndex = 0) const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the 0 indexed <iIndex> character in the current CStr object is in uppercase.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCHAR

Example

```
CStr szCharTest = "Abcd";  
if ( szCharTest.IsCharUpper(0) )  
    MessageBox("ok..");
```

See also...

[CStr::IsCharLower](#)
[CStr::IsCharAlpha](#)
[CStr::IsCharAlphaNum](#)
[CStr::IsCharNumeric](#)
[CStr::IsSpace](#)

CStr::IsCharLower

BOOL CStr::IsCharLower(int iIndex =0) const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the 0 indexed <iIndex> character in the current CStr object is in lowercase.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCHAR

Example

```
CStr szCharTest = "Abcd";  
if ( szCharTest.IsCharLower(1) )  
    MessageBox("ok..");
```

See also...

[CStr::IsCharUpper](#)
[CStr::IsCharAlpha](#)
[CStr::IsCharAlphaNum](#)
[CStr::IsCharNumeric](#)
[CStr::IsSpace](#)

CStr::IsCharAlpha

BOOL CStr::IsCharAlpha(int iIndex =0) const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the 0 indexed <iIndex> character in the current CStr object is alphabetic.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCHAR

Example

```
CStr szCharTest = "Abcd";  
if ( szCharTest.IsCharAlpha(0) )  
    MessageBox("ok..");
```

See also...

[CStr::IsCharUpper](#)
[CStr::IsCharLower](#)
[CStr::IsCharAlphaNum](#)
[CStr::IsCharNumeric](#)
[CStr::IsSpace](#)

CStr::IsCharAlphaNum

BOOL CStr::IsCharAlphaNum(int iIndex =0) const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the 0 indexed <iIndex> character in the current CStr object is alphanumeric (0-9, A-Z).

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCHAR

Example

```
CStr szCharTest = "Abcd";  
if ( szCharTest.IsCharAlphaNum(0) )  
    MessageBox("ok..");
```

See also...

[CStr::IsCharUpper](#)
[CStr::IsCharLower](#)
[CStr::IsCharAlpha](#)
[CStr::IsCharNumeric](#)
[CStr::IsSpace](#)

CStr::IsCharNumeric

BOOL CStr::IsCharNumeric(int iIndex =0) const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the 0 indexed <iIndex> character in the current CStr object is numeric (0-9).

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCHAR

Example

```
CStr szCharTest = "A2cd";  
if ( szCharTest.IsCharNumeric(1) )  
    MessageBox("ok..");
```

See also...

[CStr::IsCharUpper](#)
[CStr::IsCharLower](#)
[CStr::IsCharAlpha](#)
[CStr::IsCharAlphaNum](#)
[CStr::IsSpace](#)

CStr::IsSpace

BOOL CStr::IsSpace(int iIndex =0) const;

Description

Returns TRUE if the 0 indexed <iIndex> character in the current CStr object is the space character (0x20).

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCHAR

Example

```
CStr szCharTest = "A bcd";  
if ( szCharTest.IsSpace(1) )  
    MessageBox("ok..");
```

See also...

[CStr::IsCharUpper](#)

[CStr::IsCharLower](#)

[CStr::IsCharAlpha](#)

[CStr::IsCharAlphaNum](#)

[CStr::IsCharNumeric](#)

CStr::NumFormat

CStr CStr::NumFormat(double dValue, LPCTSTR szFormat = "###,###,###,###.00;-###,###,###,###.00; ", LPCTSTR szDecimalPoint = ".", LPCTSTR szThousandSeparator = ",");

Description

This function formats the <dValue> number and puts it in the current CStr object. <dValue> is the number to use (don' t forget to include MATH.H in your STDAFX.H include file), <szFormat> is the format string to use (it' s quite similar to Microsoft Access): The string can contain up to 3 parts separated with ';': The first part is the pattern to use for positive numbers, the second one for negative number and the last one for the zero values. You must provide at least 1 format string. A single space string will return a blank string. **CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.** To build the pattern you can use all the characters you wish but not the following characters since they will be replaced with the correct values:

Ü #	For a digit or nothing,
Ü 0	For a digit or a '0',
Ü .	(point) For the decimal point,
Ü ,	(comma) For the thousands separator,
Ü %	For this sign and the value will be multiply by 100
Ü ()	Will be added if the number is less than 0.

Ä You must give all the necessary masks: For instance if your <dValue> is 1 000 000 and your <szFormat> string is ###,###.00, the returned string will be 1000,000.00. So, give ###,###,###.00 to obtain 1,000,000.00... You can also use '(' and ')' to format a negative number. <szDecimalPoint> is the character to use as the decimal point and <szThousandsSeparator> is the character to use as the thousands separator. Of course this function will round the returned string depending on the used format.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASNUM

Example

```
CStr szOut = "";  
szOut.NumFormat( 123456.789, "###,###.00", (LPCTSTR) AfxGetDecimalPoint(),  
(LPCTSTR) AfxGetThousandsSeparator());  
szOut.ToCtl(this, IDC_EDITAMOUNT);
```

See also...

[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::NumUnformat](#)
[CStr::sprintf](#)
[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::ToInt](#)
[CStr::ToUINT](#)
[CStr::ToLong](#)
[CStr::ToULong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToDouble](#)
[CStr::IsDigit](#)
[CStr::IsInRange](#)
[CStr::sprintf](#)
[AfxRound](#)

AfxRoundToInt

CStr::NumUnformat

CStr CStr::NumUnformat(LPCTSTR szDecimalPoint = ".");

Description

The function removes the non digit characters from the current CStr value and uses <szDecimalPoint> as the (user) decimal point. If '(' or ')' are found, the function will add '-' at the beginning of the number. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASNUM

Example

```
CStr szOut = "";  
szOut.NumFormat( 123456.789, "###,###.00", (LPCTSTR)AfxGetDecimalPoint(),  
(LPCTSTR)AfxGetThousandsSeparator() );  
szOut.ToCtl(this, IDC_EDITAMOUNT);  
szOut.NumUnformat( (LPCTSTR)AfxGetDecimalPoint() );  
szOut.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::NumFormat](#)
[CStr::From](#)
[CStr::ToInt](#)
[CStr::ToUINT](#)
[CStr::ToLong](#)
[CStr::ToULong](#)
[CStr::ToFloat](#)
[CStr::ToDouble](#)
[CStr::IsDigit](#)
[CStr::IsInRange](#)
[AfxRound](#)
[AfxRoundToInt](#)

CStr::Align

CStr CStr::Align(int aMode, int iSize);

Description

Align the current CStr value. <aMode> is one of the following constants and <iSize> is the length (in characters) to use to build the new string:

ü TA_LEFT	0x0000
ü TA_RIGHT	0x0002
ü TA_CENTER	0x0006

The string must not be longer than 511 characters. Returns the new string. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szAlignTest = "890";  
szAlignTest.Align( TA_RIGHT, 10);
```

See also...

[CStr::TabbedTextOut](#)
[CStr::GetTextWidth](#)
[CStr::GetTextHeight](#)
[CStr::Replicate](#)
[CStr::Blank](#)
[CStr::AddLF](#)

CStr::MakeCharUpper

CStr CStr::MakeCharUpper(int iIndex =0);

Description

Put the specified <iIndex> character in the current CStr object in uppercase. <iIndex> is zero indexed. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCHAR

Example

```
CStr szMakeTest = "abcd";  
szMakeTest.MakeCharUpper(3);  
szMakeTest.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::MakeCharLower](#)

[CStr::IsCharUpper](#)

[CStr::IsCharLower](#)

CStr::MakeCharLower

CStr CStr::MakeCharLower(int iIndex =0);

Description

Put the specified <iIndex> character in the current CStr object in lowercase. <iIndex> is zero indexed. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCHAR

Example

```
CStr szMakeTest = "abcd";  
szMakeTest.MakeCharUpper(3);  
szMakeTest.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::MakeCharUpper](#)

[CStr::IsCharUpper](#)

[CStr::IsCharLower](#)

CStr::ExtractToEnd

```
CStr CStr::ExtractToEnd( int iFrom, char szSeparator );  
CStr CStr::ExtractToEnd( int iFrom, LPCTSTR szSeparator = ";" );
```

Description

Extracts some items of the current CStr object using the <szSeparator> string as an item separator. <szDelimit> must be 1 character length if you use the LPCTSTR version. The function returns the string part from <iFrom> : For instance, if the string is "item1;item2;item3" and <iFrom> is 2, the function returns "item2;item3". WARNING: <iFrom> is not 0 based (the first item is 1). CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szExtractTest = "item1;item2;item3";  
szExtractTest.ExtractToEnd(2);  
szExtractTest.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::Extract](#)
[CStr::ExtractToBegin](#)



CStr::ExtractToBegin

```
CStr CStr::ExtractToBegin( int iFrom, char szSeparator );  
CStr CStr::ExtractToBegin( int iFrom, LPCTSTR szSeparator = ";" );
```

Description

Extracts some items of the current CStr object using the <szSeparator> string as an item separator. <szDelimit> must be 1 character length if you use the LPCTSTR version. The function returns the first string part to <iFrom> : For instance, if the string is "item1;item2;item3" and <iFrom> is 2, the function returns "item1;item2". WARNING: <iFrom> is not 0 based (the first item is 1). CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR OBJECT.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szExtractTest = "item1;item2;item3";  
szExtractTest.ExtractToBegin(2);  
szExtractTest.MB();
```

See also...

[CStr::Extract](#)

[CStr::ExtractToEnd](#)

CStr::FindWord

int CStr::FindWord(LPCTSTR szWord, int iFrom = 0, BOOL bExact = TRUE, BOOL bMatchCase = FALSE) const;

Description

The function will search for the <szWord> word in the current CStr object. If the word exists the function returns its zero based index; if not found -1 is returned. <iFrom> is the zero based index from which the process must begin. Set <bExact> to FALSE if you wish the function also uses partial match. If you wish to distinguish characters case, set <bMatchCase> to TRUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFINDWORD

Example

```
CStr szFindTest = "FindWord test...";  
if ( szFindTest.FindWord("FindWord") > -1 )  
    MessageBox( "Found!");
```

See also...

[CStr::FindWord](#)

[CStr::FindWordInMultilineBuffer](#)

[AfxFindWordInFile](#)

CStr::FindWordInMultilineBuffer

BOOL CStr::FindWordInMultilineBuffer(LPCTSTR szWord, unsigned long iFromLine = 0L, int iFromCursor = 0, unsigned long* rLineValue = NULL, int* rCursorValue = NULL, BOOL bExact = TRUE, BOOL bMatchCase =FALSE) const;

Description

This function is the same than [AfxFindWordInFile](#) but it uses the current CStr object instead of a text file. <szWord> is the word to look for. <iFromLine> is the index of the line from which you want to search <szWord>; <iFromCursor> is the position in the line from which you want to begin the search process; Set <bExact> to TRUE if you want to exclude the partial names and <bMatchCase> to TRUE if you want to check the case too. <rLineValue> and <rCursorValue> are filled on output and they specify the word position in the file. If they are set to NULL they won't be used by the function. As usual all indexes are 0 based. The function returns TRUE if <szWord> exist, FALSE if not.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

`_CSTR30_HASFINDWORD`

Example

```
CStr szMsg, szLine, szCursor, szTextString;
unsigned long Y=0L;
int X=0;
szTextString = "This is the first line.\nThis is the second line!";
if ( szTextString.FindWordInMultilineBuffer("second", 0L, 0, &Y, &X ) )
{
    szLine.From( Y );
    szCursor.From( X );
    szMsg = "'second' found at position ";
    szMsg += szLine;
    szMsg += ":";
    szMsg += szCursor;
    szMsg.MB();
}
```

See also...

[CStr::FindWord](#)
[AfxFindWordInFile](#)

CStr::FromRes

```
CStr CStr::FromRes( UINT iStringID, HINSTANCE hInstance = NULL, LPCTSTR szItem1 = NULL,
LPCTSTR szItem2 = NULL, LPCTSTR szItem3 = NULL, LPCTSTR szItem4 = NULL, LPCTSTR
szItem5 = NULL, LPCTSTR szItem6 = NULL, LPCTSTR szItem7 = NULL, LPCTSTR szItem8 = NULL,
LPCTSTR szItem9 = NULL );
```

Description

Loads a string resource from the resources and change the '%1' to '%9' values. <iStringID> is the string resource constant (IDS_...) to use to load the string. <hInstance> is the HINSTANCE to use to load the string: If <hInstance> is NULL, the function will call <AfxGetInstanceHandle()>. <szItem1> is the string to use to replace all the '%1' items in the resource string. <szItem2> to <szItem9> will do the same with '%2' to '%9'. The function returns the new string. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szWarning;
szWarning.FromRes( IDS_BADFILE, NULL, szInputFile );
szWarning.MB(NULL, szAppName, MB_OK | MB_ICONSTOP);
```

See also...

[CStr::CStr\(\)](#)

CStr::GetTextWidth

```
int CStr::GetTextWidth( HDC hDC, int iTabCount = 0, int far* pTabList = NULL ) const;  
int CStr::GetTextWidth( CDC* pDC , int iTabCount = 0, int far* pTabList = NULL ) const;  
int CStr::GetTextWidth( CWnd* pWnd , int iTabCount = 0, int far* pTabList = NULL ) const;
```

Description

Returns the current CStr text width in logical units using an HDC, a CDC* or a CWnd*. If the string includes some customised tab keys you must fill <iTabCount> and <pTabList>. <iTabCount> is the number of values in the <pTabList> array. <pTabList> is a tab key array (see <CDC::GetTabbedTextExtent> for possible values).

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32 (CWnd/CDC only), WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szMyString = "This is my string...";  
szMsg.From( szMyString.GetTextWidth(this));  
szMsg.MB( this, "String width:" );
```

See also...

[CStr::TabbedTextOut](#)

[CStr::GetTextHeight](#)

[CStr::Replicate](#)

[CStr::Blank](#)

[CStr::AddLF](#)

CStr::GetTextHeight

```
int CStr::GetTextHeight( HDC hDC , int iTabCount = 0, int far* pTabList = NULL ) const;  
int CStr::GetTextHeight( CDC* pDC , int iTabCount = 0, int far* pTabList = NULL ) const;  
int CStr::GetTextHeight( CWnd* pWnd , int iTabCount = 0, int far* pTabList = NULL ) const;
```

Description

Returns the current CStr text height in logical units using an HDC, a CDC* or a CWnd*. If the string includes some customised tab keys you must fill <iTabCount> and <pTabList>. <iTabCount> is the number of values in the <pTabList> array. <pTabList> is a tab key array (see <CDC::GetTabbedTextExtent> for possible values).

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32 (CWnd/CDC only), WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szMyString = "This is my string...";  
szMsg.From( szMyString.GetTextHeight(this));  
szMsg.MB( this, "String height:" );
```

See also...

[CStr::GetTextWidth](#)
[CStr::TabbedTextOut](#)
[CStr::Replicate](#)
[CStr::Blank](#)
[CStr::AddLF](#)



CStr::GetWindowTitle

CStr GetWindowTitle(CWnd* pWnd, BOOL bIncDocName = FALSE); [3.0]

CStr GetWindowTitle(HWND hWnd, BOOL bIncDocName = FALSE); [3.0]

Description

Return a window title (caption). <pWnd> or <hWnd> is the window to use. If <bIncDocName> is set to TRUE the function will return the first part of the caption if a document name is specified. To do this the document name must use '-' as delimiter. The function supports reversed titles as Win95 does. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szWindowTitle;  
szWindowTitle.GetWindowTitle(this);  
szWindowTitle.MB(this, "Current window title is:");
```

See also...

[CStr::GetClassName](#)



CStr::TabbedTextOut

```
CSize CStr::TabbedTextOut( CDC* pDC, int X, int Y, int iTabCount = 0, int far* TabList = NULL )  
const;
```

```
CSize CStr::TabbedTextOut( CWnd* pWnd, int X, int Y, int iTabCount = 0, int far* TabList = NULL )  
const;
```

Description

Display the current CStr string using a CDC* or a CWnd*. <X> and <Y> are the coordinates to use to display the string. If the string includes some customised tab keys you can fill <iTabCount> and <pTabList>. <iTabCount> is the number of values in the <pTabList> array. <pTabList> is a tab key array (see <CDC::GetTabbedTextExtent> for possible values). Returns a CSize structure with the height and the width for the string in logical units.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szMsg = "Direct output";  
szMsg.TabbedTextOut( pDC, 10, 10);
```

See also...

[CStr::GetTextWidth](#)

[CStr::GetTextHeight](#)

[CStr::Replicate](#)

[CStr::Blank](#)

[CStr::AddLF](#)

CStr::GetClassName

```
int CStr::GetClassName( CWnd* pWnd );  
int CStr::GetClassName( HWND hWnd );
```

Description

Fill the current CStr object with the classname of the specified CWnd* or HWND. The function returns the length of this name. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szMyClass;  
szMyClass.GetClassName( this );  
szMsg.MB( this, "Current window class name is:" );
```

See also...

[CStr::GetWindowTitle](#)

CStr::GetWinfileAssociation

CStr CStr::GetWinfileAssociation(LPCTSTR szExtension);

Description

Returns the associated WinFiles program for a kind of document. <szExtension> can be the extension (like 'ZIP') or a file name (like 'MYFILE.ZIP'). Do not use full file names since these names can include a directory extension. If there is no associated program for this kind of document a blank string is returned. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
CStr szProgram;  
szProgram.GetWinfileAssociation( "TXT" );  
szProgram.MB( this, "Program for TXT files is:" );
```

CStr::GetDlgItemText

int CStr::GetDlgItemText(CWnd* pWnd, UINT iControl);

Description

Same as [FromCtl](#). Retrieve a dialog control text. <pWnd> is the dialog box CWnd* ('this') and <iControl> is the control ID as specified in the RESOURCE.H file. The function returns the text length. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

[_CSTR30_HASWINCTL](#)

Example

```
CStr szLabel1Text;  
szLabel1Text.GetDlgItemText( this, IDC_STATICLABEL1 );  
szLabel1Text.MB( this, "IDC_STATICLABEL1 text is:" );
```

See also...

[CStr::ToCtl](#)

[CStr::FromCtl](#)

[CStr::GetDlgItemText](#)

AfxGiveTheHand

void AfxGiveTheHand(HWND hDialog = NULL); [3.0]

Description

This function flushes the Windows message loop, so that the other applications 'have the hand'. This is specially useful when you use a big loop which may freeze Windows. It's similar to the VB <DoEvent> function. If you give a valid <hDialog> HWND, the function won't treat the messages for this dialog box.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<none>

Example

```
int i;
while ( i < 1000 )
{
    AfxGiveTheHand();
    i++;
}
```

See also...

[AfxSleep](#)



void AfxSleep(int iSecs, BOOL bBackGnd = TRUE); [3.0]

Description

This function waits for <iSecs> seconds. If <bBackGnd> is set to TRUE, the user can use others programs during this delay, if not, the WAIT cursor is displayed during this delay (in this case your application must own a CWinApp class).

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<None>

Example

```
AfxSleep (3) ;
```

See also...

[AfxGiveTheHand](#)

AfxSetFileTime

BOOL AfxSetFileTime(LPCTSTR szSrcFile, LPCTSTR szDestFile); [3.0]

Description

Thanks to this function, the last modification date/time of the existing file <szDestFile> will be changed using the <szSrcFile> date/time value. The function returns TRUE if both files own the same date. This function doesn't work with directories (but you can change a directory attributes with [AfxSetFileAttributes](#) or [CStr::SetFileAttributes](#))

A If you plan to use [AfxSetFileAttributes](#) too, you must call AfxSetFileTime before because the function may change the file attributes in case it is read-only.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

[_CSTR30_HASCTIM](#)

Example

```
AfxSetFileTime( "C:\AUTOEXEC.BAT", "C:\AUTOEXEC.BAK" );
```

See also...

[AfxSetFileAttributes](#)

[AfxTouchFile](#)

[CTim::ToFile](#)

[CTim::FromFile](#)

[CStr::GetFileAttributes](#)

[CStr::SetFileAttributes](#)

AfxSetFileAttributes

BOOL AfxSetFileAttributes(LPCTSTR szSrcFile, LPCTSTR szDestFile); [3.0]

Description

Thanks to this function, the attributes of the existing file <szDestFile> will be replaced by the <szSrcFile> attributes. The function returns TRUE if both files own the same attributes.

Ä If you plan to use [AfxSetFileTime](#) too, you must call [AfxSetFileTime](#) before because the function may change the file attributes in case it is read-only.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
AfxSetFileAttributes( "C:\AUTOEXEC.BAT", "C:\AUTOEXEC.BAK" );
```

See also...

[AfxSetFileTime](#)

[AfxTouchFile](#)

[CStr::IsRDOOnly](#)

[CStr::GetFileAttributes](#)

[CStr::SetFileAttributes](#)

[CTim::ToFile](#)

[CTim::FromFile](#)

AfxTouchFile

BOOL AfxTouchFile(LPCTSTR szFile); [3.0]

Description

AfxTouchFile changes the date/time of the existing <szFile> file using the current system date/time. Returns TRUE if successful. This function doesn't work with directories (but you can change a directory attributes with [AfxSetFileAttributes](#) or [CStr::SetFileAttributes](#))

A If you plan to use [AfxSetFileAttributes](#) too, you must call AfxTouchFile before because the function may change the file attributes in case it is read-only.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

[_CSTR30_HASFILE](#)

Example

```
AfxTouchFile( "C:\\LASTCHK.FLG" );
```

See also...

[AfxSetFileTime](#)

[CTim::ToFile](#)

[CTim::FromFile](#)

CStr::sprintf

CStr CStr::sprintf(LPCTSTR szFormat, ...); [3.0]

Description

Same as wvsprintf (for the Windows version) or vsprintf but doesn't require you retrieve the string buffer first. Returns the new string. CHANGES THE CURRENT CSTR VALUE.

Ä Current implementation of CStr::sprintf uses a 512 char buffer: Do not use more characters..

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<None>

Example

```
CStr szMyString;  
szMyString.sprintf("Free memory rate is: %i",  
(int)AfxGetFreeResRate( FREERES_MEM) );  
szMsg.MB( this, "sprintf sample" );
```

See also...

[CStr::NumFormat](#)

[CStr::GetBuffer](#)

CStr::GetFileAttributes

DWORD CStr::GetFileAttributes() const; [3.0]

Description

Returns the current WIN32 files attributes for the current CStr file. Files attributes may be one or more following attributes:

FILE_ATTRIBUTE_READONLY	0x00000001
FILE_ATTRIBUTE_HIDDEN	0x00000002
FILE_ATTRIBUTE_SYSTEM	0x00000004
FILE_ATTRIBUTE_DIRECTORY	0x00000010
FILE_ATTRIBUTE_ARCHIVE	0x00000020
FILE_ATTRIBUTE_NORMAL	0x00000080

Notice this function is available under Win16 and Win32.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
DWORD dwResult = 0L;
CStr strSrcFile("C:\\TESTSRC.TXT"), strDestFile("C:\\TESTDEST.TXT");
dwResult = strSrcFile.GetFileAttributes();
if ( !( dwResult & FILE_ATTRIBUTE_DIRECTORY ) )
    strDestFile.SetFileAttributes( dwResult );
```

See also...

[CStr::SetFileAttributes](#)

[CStr::IsRDOOnly](#)

[CStr::GetFileSize](#)

[AfxSetFileAttributes](#)

CStr::SetFileAttributes

BOOL CStr::SetFileAttributes(DWORD dwNewAttrib) const; [3.0]

Description

Changes the current CStr file using the Win32 <dwNewAttrib> attributes. The file must exist. The function returns TRUE if the new attributes were set. Files attributes may be one or more following attributes:

Ü FILE_ATTRIBUTE_READONLY	0x00000001
Ü FILE_ATTRIBUTE_HIDDEN	0x00000002
Ü FILE_ATTRIBUTE_SYSTEM	0x00000004
Ü FILE_ATTRIBUTE_DIRECTORY	0x00000010
Ü FILE_ATTRIBUTE_ARCHIVE	0x00000020
Ü FILE_ATTRIBUTE_NORMAL	0x00000080

Ä While this function uses Win32 file attributes, it is available under Win16 too. Also, if you plan to change the file date too, you must call SetFileAttributes once the date/time is changed since [CTim::ToFile](#) may change the file attributes in case it is read-only.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
DWORD dwResult = 0L;
CStr strSrcFile("C:\TESTSRC.TXT"), strDestFile("C:\TESTDEST.TXT");
dwResult = strSrcFile.GetFileAttributes();
if ( !( dwResult & FILE_ATTRIBUTE_DIRECTORY ) )
    strDestFile.SetFileAttributes( dwResult );
```

See also...

[CStr::GetFileAttributes](#)
[CStr::IsRDOOnly](#)
[CStr::GetFileSize](#)
[AfxSetFileAttributes](#)

CStr::IsRDOnly

BOOL CStr::IsRDOnly() [3.0]

Description

Returns TRUE if the current CStr file is read-only.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr strSrcFile("C:\\TESTSRC.TXT");  
if ( strSrcFile.IsRDOnly() )  
    strSrcFile.MB(this, "READ-ONLY");
```

See also...

[CStr::GetFileAttributes](#)

[CStr::SetFileAttributes](#)

[CStr::GetFileSize](#)

[AfxSetFileAttributes](#)

CStr::GetFileSize

unsigned long CStr::GetFileSize(unsigned long* pulSizeInBytes = NULL) const; [3.0]

Description

Retrieve the current CStr file size. If successful, the returned value is in KBytes, but, if the pointer <pulSizeInBytes> isn't NULL, it will contain the file size in bytes. Under Win32, this function isn't useful if you handle files larger than ULONG_MAX.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
unsigned long ulResult = 0L;
CStr strSrcFile("C:\\TESTSRC.TXT");
dwResult = strSrcFile.GetFileSize();
```

See also...

[CStr::GetFileAttributes](#)

[CStr::SetFileAttributes](#)

[CStr::IsRDOnly](#)

[AfxSetFileAttributes](#)

CStr::DeleteFile

BOOL CStr::DeleteFile(BOOL bDeleteRO = TRUE) const; [3.0]

Description

Deletes the current CStr file. If <bDeleteRO> is set to TRUE, even read-only files can be removed. The function returns TRUE if the file doesn't exist any longer, FALSE if not.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr strSrcFile("C:\TESTSRC.TXT");  
strSrcFile.DeleteFile();
```

See also...

[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)
[CStr::GetFileAttributes](#)
[CStr::SetFileAttributes](#)
[CStr::IsRDOOnly](#)
[CStr::RemoveDir](#)
[CStr::GetFileSize](#)
[CStr::CreateFile](#)
[AfxSetFileAttributes](#)

CStr::IsWriteable

BOOL CStr::IsWriteable(long lBytes = 0L) const; [3.0]

Description

This function is useful when you want to write some data on a diskette. Give the size of the data you want to write in bytes as <lBytes> and check the returned value. The current CStr value must be the destination file or directory.

Ä This function should not be used during a copy process (i.e. when a file is opened). In this case you can use IsWriteable before the process then, the TRY/CATCH macros during the process.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szMyDestFile("A:");  
if ( !szMyDestFile.IsWriteable() )  
    szMyDestFile.MB( this, "Drive not ready" );
```

See also...

[CStr::DoesFileExist](#)

[CStr::GetDiskFreeSpace](#)

CStr::GetDiskFreeSpace

long CStr::GetDiskFreeSpace() const; [3.0]

Description

Returns the free space in KBytes for the current CStr file or directory.

⚠ This function should not be used during a copy process (i.e. when a file is opened). In this case you can use GetDiskFreeSpace before the process then, the TRY/CATCH macros during the process.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASMOREBASIC

Example

```
CStr szMyDestFile("A:");  
if ( szMyDestFile.GetDiskFreeSpace() < 1L )  
    szMyDestFile.MB( this, "Drive not ready" );
```

See also...

[CStr::IsWriteable](#)

CStr::CopyTo

int CStr::CopyTo(LPCTSTR szDestFile, BOOL bDeleteDest = TRUE, BOOL bChangeDate = TRUE, BOOL bChangeAttrib = TRUE , BOOL bDeleteSrc = FALSE, int iBufferSize = 4096 | 16384) const; [3.0]

Description

This function copies an existing file. <szDestFile> is the new file you wish to build. It can be a directory (with '\') or a file name. If one or more directories don't exist, they will be built during the process. If <bDeleteDest> is TRUE, the function will delete the destination file in case that one already exists. Also, set <bChangeDate> and <bChangeAttrib> to TRUE if you want the new file has the same date/attributes as the source file. Once done, if <bDeleteSrc> is TRUE the source file will be removed.

You can change the internal buffer size thanks to <iBufferSize>. Default value for <iBufferSize> is 4096 bytes with _WINDLL or 16384 bytes. There is no background processing during the <CopyTo> process. The function returns one of the following code:

Ü COPYTO_SUCCESS	0
Ü COPYTO_NOTFOUND	1
Ü COPYTO_BADSRCFNAME	2
Ü COPYTO_BADDESTFNAME	3
Ü COPYTO_NOMEM	4
Ü COPYTO_CANTCREATEDEST	5
Ü COPYTO_READERROR	6
Ü COPYTO_WRITEERROR	7
Ü COPYTO_DISKFULL	8
Ü COPYTO_CANTDELETEDEST	9
Ü COPYTO_NOATTRIB	10
Ü COPYTO_NODATE	11
Ü COPYTO_CANTDELETESRC12	

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szMySrcFile("C:\SRCTST.TXT");  
szMySrcFile.CopyTo( "D:\" );
```

See also...

[CStr::CreateFile](#)

[CStr::DeleteFile](#)

 **CStr::RemoveDir**

BOOL CStr::RemoveDir(BOOL bIncFile = FALSE, BOOL bDeleteRO = TRUE) const; [3.0]

Description

Removes one or more directory even in case they contains read-only files. Set <bIncFile> to TRUE if your current CStr object is a file name instead of a directory name. If <bDeleteRO> is FALSE, the function won't try to delete the read-only files/directories. Returns TRUE if the specified directory doesn't exist any longer.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szMyDir("A:\\OLD\\BACKUP\\");  
szMyDir.RemoveDir();
```

See also...

[CStr::CreateFile](#)

[CStr::DeleteFile](#)

[CStr::IsRDOOnly](#)

 **CStr::IsUNC**

BOOL CStr::IsUNC() const; [3.0]

Description

Returns TRUE if the current file name doesn't have a drive specification ("A:"), but begins with a valid server name. This server must be available. UNC names look like "\\server\shared\dirs.\file". Returns FALSE if the file doesn't have an UNC file name.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASUNC

Example

```
CStr szMyUNCFile("\\\\ourserver\\bin\\hnetworks\\tstfile.txt");
if ( szMyUNCFile.IsUNC()
    szMyUNCFile.MB( this, "Following UNC name recognized:" );
```

CStr::CreateFile

BOOL CStr::CreateFile(UINT uiWin16Attrib = OF_SHARE_COMPAT) const; [3.0]

Description

Build a new file or replace an old file. If the current file has subdirectories, they will be built if necessary. Once built, the file will be closed. If you are using Win16, you may give an <uiWin16Attrib> like OF_SHARE_COMPAT (see 'OpenFile' in WIN31WH.HLP). Returns TRUE if the new file exists, FALSE if not.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASFILE

Example

```
CStr szMyNewFile("A:\TSTNEW.TXT");  
szMyNewFile.CreateFile();
```

See also...

[CStr::DeleteFile](#)

[CStr::ToFile](#)

[CStr::FromFile](#)



Description

String Studio uses the CMem class for its buffers. CMem simplify HGLOBAL handles and buffers management for 2 reasons: First, GlobalAlloc/GlobalLock and GlobalUnlock/GlobalFree are grouped. And, the CMem destructor frees the memory so that it's not necessary to manually do it. If you use global CMem objects, you may need to call <Free> during your program execution.

Functions

Ü CMem()	Simple constructor
Ü CMem(DWORD dwSize, UINT uFlags)	Constructor with allocation
Ü ~CMem()	Destructor which frees pointers
Ü Alloc(DWORD dwSize, UINT uFlags)	Allocates a buffer
Ü ReAlloc(DWORD dwSize, UINT uFlags)	ReAllocates a buffer
Ü GetHandle()	Returns the HGLOBAL
Ü GetPtr()	Returns the pointer
Ü GetSize()	Returns the actual buffer size
Ü IsValid()	TRUE if the pointer is ok.

How to use CMem

In most case you will do like this:

```
LPTSTR szBuffer;           // Your buffer
CMem cm1;                  // Your CMem object
/*
It' s better to use the simple constructor instead
of allocating the buffer when you declare your CMem
object
*/
szBuffer = (LPTSTR)cm1.Alloc( 1024L );
/*
Don' t forget to cast the Allocated pointer..
*/
if ( szBuffer == NULL )
/*
Make sure that <szBuffer> is here.
*/
...
if ( !cm1.IsValid() )
/*
If you ask for a big pointer, make sure that <szBuffer>
size is >= 1024..
*/
```

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCMEM



Description

CFFind is a simple wrapper for `_dos_find..` (under Win16) functions and `Find...` (under Win32) functions. There are 2 advantages: First of all you can use the same class, with the same arguments for all your projects; And, you may use the `<Find>` method instead of `<FindFirst>` and `<FindNext>`. As usual, we use Win32 files attributes instead of Win16 (DOS) attributes.

Functions

Q There are 2 constructors:

Ü **CFFind()**

Ü **CFFind(LPCTSTR szPath, UINT win16Attrib)**

When you use the simple constructor, you must call `<SetPath>` to give the path you want to check out. `<win16Attrib>` will be ignored on Win32. Under Win31 you may give one or more `_A_..` attrib to perform an attributes based search.

To change the path you can use:

Ü **SetPath(LPCTSTR szPath, UINT win16Attrib)**

Ü **Reset()**

Q To begin the search process use either:

Ü **Find()**

or

Ü **FindFirst()**

Ü **FindNext()**

Find will call `<FindFirst>` or `<FindNext>`. These 3 functions returns TRUE if a file is found.

Q Now to retrieve the details about this file, use:

Ü **DWORD GetAttributes();**

To retrieve the Win32 attributes (`FILE_ATTRIBUTE_...`) for the current file.

Ü **DWORD GetSize();**

To retrieve the size (in bytes) for the current file.

Ü **GetCreationTime(CTim* pTim);**

Ü **GetLastAccessTime(CTim* pTim);**

Ü **GetLastWriteTime(CTim* pTim);**

Which fill CTim with the file time. These 3 dates are the same under Win16.

Ü **GetShortName(LPTSTR szName);**

Ü **GetShortName(CString& szName);**

Retrieve the short file name (DOS formatted).

Ü **GetFullShortName(LPTSTR szName);**

Ü **GetFullShortName(CString& szName);**

Same as `<GetShortName>` but includes the full path.

Ü **GetLongName(LPTSTR szName);**

Ü **GetLongName(CString& szName);**

Retrieve the long file name (up to 254 chars). This is the same as GetShortName under Win16.

Ü **GetFullLongName(LPTSTR szName);**

Ü **GetFullLongName(CString& szName);**

Same as <GetLongName> but includes the full path.

Example

```
CFFind ff;
CStr strMsg;
int Y = 0;

ff.SetPath("C:\\TEST\\*.TXT");
while ( ff.Find() )
{
    Y+=15;
    strMsg.printf("%s size is %ld bytes.\n", ff.GetShortName(),
        (long)ff.GetSize());
    strMsg.TabbedTextOut( this, 10, Y );
}
```

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

_CSTR30_HASCFIND



Tips to avoid linker messages

VC++ 2.x messages

There are 2 common error messages you can get: with the 32bits linker:

ü **Unresolved external: WNetGetConnection...**

This message occurs because you don't link with MPR.LIB. By default, VC++ (2.52) doesn't include this static library. To add the library, choose [Project][Settings] then click on 'Link' tab and choose 'General' in the 'Category' combobox. Now, in the 'Object/Library' field, simply add 'MPR.LIB'. If you own the String Studio, undefine _CSTR30_HASUNC if you don't want to use it.

ü **Unresolved external: _beginThreadEx...**

This is because you want to build a 'Single Thread' MFC application whereas the default settings required a 'Multiple threads' application. The string studio Win32 LIB file was build with the 'Multiple threads' application mode. To change it, choose [Project][Settings] and thanks to the 'C/C++' tab choose 'Code generation' in the 'Category' combobox. Then Set the 'Use Runtime Library' combobox value to 'Multithreaded'.

All versions tips

As you know, the String Studio evaluation LIB files are static libraries compiled without debugging informations. We do this to distribute a small ZIP file.. So, to evaluate the toolkit, please do not use the _DEBUG mode (it doesn't work). Still with the unregistered version, you may not build a DLL because the library doesn't use this flag.

AfxHasWin4Look

BOOL AfxHasWin4Look(); [3.0]

Description

Returns TRUE if the current Windows version is higher than (or equal to) 3.52. This function may be use with VC++ 1.5x to disable the background color (which is false under Win95) under Win95. See the sample below.

Compatibility

WIN16, WIN32, WINDLL

Group

<None>

Example

```
CWinApp::InitInstance(..  
if ( !AfxHasWin4Look() )  
    SetDialogBkColor();  
...
```

See also...

[AfxCtl3dLoad](#)

