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New Q&As this month:
Gestalt selector for Text Services Manager

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Is there a Gestalt selector for the Text Services Manager (TSM)? (I did try to look in the documentation and sample code, but wasn't able to locate it. The only thing I found so far was that sample code tests for Apple events and assumes that TSM is available.)

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The Gestalt selector for TSM isn't yet published in the regular MPW interfaces. To check for availability of TSM, you can use the following code:

```
#define  gestaltTSMgrVersion  'tsmv'

    tsmVersion = 0;
    tsmErr = Gestalt(gestaltTSMgrVersion, &tsmVersion);
       /* If gestaltUnknownErr or gestaltUndefSelectorErr was returned in tsmErr,
       ** then we don't have TSM available to us. */
```

As suggested by the symbolic names, Gestalt (if successful) returns the version number in tsmVersion.