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InfoTick Custom Control

Description:

DameWare InforTick ActiveX/OCX is a 32bit information ticker control for use with Visual Basic, Visual C++, web pages or any environment that can host the ActiveX controls. Allows for displaying information in various forms (scrolling, changing font size, text, colors, etc.) with flicker-free screen updates.

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Installation

To install InfoTick on your system copy the following files into the WINDOWS\SYSTEM directory:

| | |
|--------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| InfoTick.OCX | 32-bit OLE Control |
| InfoTick.HLP | On-line documentation |
| InfoTick.CNT | Context file for On-line documentation |
| InfoTick.LIC | License file (if you have a registered version) |

Distribution Note

When you create and distribute applications that use the InfoTick, you should install the appropriate file in the customer's Microsoft Windows \SYSTEM subdirectory. The Setup Wizard included with Visual Basic provides tools to help you write setup programs that install your applications correctly.

Note: You are not allowed to distribute the license file InfoTick.LIC with any application that you distribute.

Problems

Problems loading and using this OCX:

The most common problems using OCXs built with Microsoft's Visual C++ 4.0 or greater are incorrect versions of some of the VB4 runtime libs. PSS (Microsoft Premier Support Service) has confirmed this to be a problem. This only affects controls linked with the newer version of these libraries.

The libraries in question are listed in the VB4 SWDEPEND.INI:

| | |
|--------------|-------------------|
| MFC40.DLL | version 4.0.5277 |
| OLEPRO32.DLL | version 4.0.5277 |
| MSVCRT40.DLL | version 4.00.5277 |

The libraries shipped with Visual Basic 4.0 are dated 8/95. At this time, the known good libraries are dated 9/95 and 2/96.

These libraries can be obtained many ways such as on the VB conference on CompuServe and on our Home Page. The address is: **<http://www.ni-inc.com/~dameware>**

Version

InfoTick Version 1.0 - InfoTick.OCX

InfoTick Help Version 1.0 - InfoTick.HLP

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Properties

All the properties are listed below. Properties that apply only to InfoTick, or require special consideration when used with it, are underlined. They are documented in this help file. See the Visual Basic Language Reference or online Help for documentation of the remaining properties.

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BackColor Property

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Description

BackColor returns or sets the background color of the control.

Syntax

InfoTick1.BackColor [= color]

Data Type

Long

See Also

BorderStyle Property

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Description

BorderStyle enables or disables drawing a border around the control.

Syntax

```
InfoTick1.BorderStyle [ = {True | False}]
```

Data Type

Integer (Boolean)

See Also

OffsetText Property

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Description

OffsetText Offsets test each time a delimiter “ | “ is encountered.

Syntax

InfoTick1.OffsetText [= {True | False}]

Data Type

Integer (Boolean)

See Also

ScrollDelay Property

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Description

ScrollDelay returns or sets the scrolldelay in milliseconds.

Syntax

InfoTick1.ScrollDelay [= number]

Data Type

long

See Also

Scrolling Property

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Description

Scrolling Enable or disable scrolling.

Syntax

```
InfoTick1.Scrolling [ = {True | False}]
```

Data Type

long

See Also

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Description

TimerInterval returns or sets the TimerInterval in milliseconds.

Syntax

InfoTick1.TimerInterval [= number]

Data Type

long

See Also

Methods

All of the methods are listed below. Methods that apply only to InfoTick, or require special consideration when used with it, are underlined. They are documented in this help file. See the Visual Basic Language Reference or online Help for documentation of the remaining events.

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DisplayProperties Method

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Description

DisplayProperties Brings up the properties dialog.

Syntax

InfoTick1. DisplayProperties

Data Type

String

Example

```
Private Sub Command1_Click()  
    DisplayProperties  
End Sub
```

See Also

Events

All the events are listed below. Events that apply only to InfoTick, or require special consideration when used with it, are underlined. They are documented in this help file. See the Visual Basic Language Reference or online Help for documentation of the remaining events.

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GotFocus
KeyDown
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MouseUp
Timer

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Description

Timer Notifies that the TimerInterval has expired.

Syntax

```
Private Sub InfoTick1_Timer()
```

Data Type

String

Example

```
Private Sub InfoTick1_Timer()  
    If nCounter = 0 Then  
        InfoTick2.Text = "First Line of Text"  
    End If  
    If nCounter = 1 Then  
        InfoTick2.Text = "Second Line of Text"  
    End If  
    If nCounter = 2 Then  
        InfoTick2.Text = "One more Line of Text"  
        nCounter = 0  
    End If  
    nCounter = nCounter + 1  
End Sub
```

See Also

Using in WEB Page

InfoTick ActiveX control can easily be used in a Web Page. The following is a simple example. You may also wish to visit sites such as AtOnce WebTools Store (<http://www.webtools.atoncesoftware.com>) or Microsoft at (<http://www.microsoft.com/workshop>) or DameWare Development's home page at (<http://www.ni-inc/~dameware>).

```
<HTML>
<HEAD>
<TITLE>DameWare Development InfoTick ActiveX Control</TITLE>
  <SCRIPT LANGUAGE="JavaScript">
<!-- begin script
      var count = 8;
      var textcount = 0;
      var nwait = 0;
      var flag = 0;
      var strstock = "IBM | 5 1/4 | GSU | 2 1/6 | IIT | 1 7/8 | PPW | 1 1/4 | LPL | 1 1/8 | GLF | 1 1/2 | HPL | 2 1/8";
// begin script -->
</SCRIPT>
</HEAD>
```

```
<BODY>
<OBJECT CLASSID="clsid:5220cb21-c88d-11cf-b347-00aa00a28331"

>
<PARAM NAME="LPKPath" VALUE="dameware.lpk">
<EMBED SRC="dameware.lpk">
</OBJECT>
```

```
<OBJECT
id=InfoTick1
type="application/x-oleobject"
classid="clsid:7E8017C4-09A8-11D0-98CE-00AA006DB209"
CODEBASE="http://ni-inc.com/~dameware/bin/InfoTick.ocx#Version=1,0,0,1"
width=200
height=40
>
<PARAM NAME="Caption" value="Hi! this is sample 1 - Default scrolling speed 60 ms">
<PARAM NAME="BackColor" value=0>
<PARAM NAME="ForeColor" value=255>
<PARAM NAME="BorderStyle" value=0>
<PARAM NAME="TimerInterval" value=50>
</OBJECT>
```

```
<br>
<br>
```

```
<OBJECT
id=InfoTick2
type="application/x-oleobject"
classid="clsid:7E8017C4-09A8-11D0-98CE-00AA006DB209"
CODEBASE="http://ni-inc.com/~dameware/bin/InfoTick.ocx#Version=1,0,0,1"
width=200
```

height=40
>
<PARAM NAME="Caption" value="Hi! this is sample 2 - Scroll delay set at 25 ms">
<PARAM NAME="BorderStyle" value=0>
<PARAM NAME="ScrollDelay" value=25>
<PARAM NAME="BackColor" value=12632256>
<PARAM NAME="ForeColor" value=0>
</OBJECT>

<OBJECT
id=InfoTick3
type="application/x-oleobject"
classid="clsid:7E8017C4-09A8-11D0-98CE-00AA006DB209"
CODEBASE="http://ni-inc.com/~dameware/bin/InfoTick.ocx#Version=1,0,0,1"
width=370
height=40
>
<PARAM NAME="Caption" value="Hi! this is sample 3">
<PARAM NAME="BackColor" value=16711680>
<PARAM NAME="ForeColor" value=65535>
<PARAM NAME="BorderStyle" value=0>
<PARAM NAME="TimerInterval" value=100>
<PARAM NAME="Scrolling" value=0>
</OBJECT>

<OBJECT
id=InfoTick4
type="application/x-oleobject"
classid="clsid:7E8017C4-09A8-11D0-98CE-00AA006DB209"
CODEBASE="http://ni-inc.com/~dameware/bin/InfoTick.ocx#Version=1,0,0,1"
width=370
height=40
>
<PARAM NAME="Caption" value="Hi! this is sample 4">
<PARAM NAME="BackColor" value=16777215>
<PARAM NAME="ForeColor" value=0>
<PARAM NAME="BorderStyle" value=1>
<PARAM NAME="TimerInterval" value=1000>
<PARAM NAME="Scrolling" value=0>
</OBJECT>

<OBJECT


```
id=InfoTick5
type="application/x-oleobject"
classid="clsid:7E8017C4-09A8-11D0-98CE-00AA006DB209"
CODEBASE="http://ni-inc.com/~dameware/bin/InfoTick.ocx#Version=1,0,0,1"
width=370
height=40
>
<PARAM NAME="Caption" value="">
<PARAM NAME="BorderStyle" value=0>
<PARAM NAME="TimerInterval" value=0>
<PARAM NAME="Scrolling" value=1>
</OBJECT>
```

```
<SCRIPT LANGUAGE="JavaScript" FOR="InfoTick3" EVENT="Timer()">
<!-- begin script
```

```
if(nwait < 5 && count > 30)
{
    nwait++;
    if(nwait == 5)
    {
        count = 30;
        nwait = 0;
    }
}
```

```
}else
```

```
if(flag == 0)
{
    InfoTick3.Font.Size = count++;
    if(count > 30)
    {
        flag = 1;
    }
}
```

```
}else
```

```
if(flag == 1)
{
    InfoTick3.Font.Size = count--;

    if(count < 2)
    {
        flag = 0;
    }
}
```

```
}
```

```
// end script -->
</SCRIPT>
```

```
<SCRIPT LANGUAGE="JavaScript" FOR="InfoTick4" EVENT="Timer()">
```

```
<!-- begin script
```

```
    if(textcount == 0)
    {

        InfoTick4.Text = "This is the first line - Text Line 1";

    }

    if(textcount == 1)
    {

        InfoTick4.Text = "This is the second line - Text Line 2" ;

    }

    if(textcount == 2)
    {

        InfoTick4.Text = "One more - Text Line 3" ;

    }

    if(textcount == 3)
    {

        InfoTick4.Text = "etc. etc. etc. etc. - Text Line 4" ;

    }
    textcount++;

    if(textcount > 3)
    {

        InfoTick4.Font.Size = 14;
        textcount = 0;

    }


```

```
// end script -->
```

```
</SCRIPT>
```

```
<SCRIPT LANGUAGE="JavaScript" FOR="window" EVENT="onLoad()">
```

```
<!-- begin script
```

```
    InfoTick5.Font.Bold = 0;
    InfoTick5.Font.Size=14;
    InfoTick5.Font.Name="Times New Roman";
    InfoTick5.Text = strstock;
    InfoTick5.OffsetText = 1;
```

```
// end script -->
```

```
</SCRIPT>
```

```
<br>
```

```
<br>
```

```
<INPUT TYPE=BUTTON VALUE="Properties" NAME="BtnProperties">
```

```
<SCRIPT LANGUAGE="JavaScript" FOR="BtnProperties" EVENT="onClick()">
```

```
<!-- begin script
      InfoTick5.DisplayProperties() ;
```

```
// end script -->
</SCRIPT>
```

```
</BODY>
</HTML>
```

