Expanding TdbMemo Component

What is it ?

TZoomDbMemo is a descendent of the standard Delphi TDbMemo
component that now has the ability to produce a zoomed Modal
edit screen for viewing or changing the contents of the memo
field - rather like that used by Microsoft Access (amongst
others).

TZoomDbMemo also has properties for setting the Title text
displayed on the zoomed edit window and optionally a status word
(Edit, View, Insert) alongside the window title.

How to use it ?

Using a TZoomDbMemo is very easy:

1)   Place a TZoomDbMemo on the form just as you would with a
        standard TDbMemo component.

2)   Set the Caption and ShowEditStatus properties as needed.

3)   Set the TZoomDbMemo Double-click handler to call the new Zoom method

That's it!

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above.

Revision History

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Derive a new component from the standard Delphi TDbMemo component such that an extra
method ZOOM is made available.

Calling ZOOM will invoke a full screen modal form containing a
large version of the actual memo contents to facilitate easier editing and
viewing.

The component is aware of the state [dsEdit,dsInsert etc] of the TTable and will not let the user edit the memo if the TTable is not in an editable state

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Two additional properties have been added:

Caption - Window caption to display on zoomed edit window

ShowEditStatus - Boolean used to determine if the words
        [Edit],[Insert] or [View] are displayed after the
        window caption

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Freeware

This version of TZoomDbMemo is Freeware.