

GOTFOCUS

Description

Occurs when focus shifts to the control.

Syntax

bforward = **GOTFOCUS** (*ctrlentID*, *ctrlclassID*, *PrevFocusID*)

Parameters

GOTFOCUS accepts arguments for the following parameters.

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<i>ctrlentID</i>	Has the format <i>WindowName.ControlName</i> , where <i>WindowName</i> is the identifier of the window that contains the affected control, and <i>ControlName</i> is the identifier of the control. Notice that a period separates the two values.																				
<i>ctrlclassID</i>	The type of control that recognizes the event. Valid entries are: <table><thead><tr><th>Type</th><th>Description</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>CHECKBOX</td><td>Check box.</td></tr><tr><td>COMBOBOX</td><td>Combo box.</td></tr><tr><td>EDITBOX</td><td>Edit box.</td></tr><tr><td>EDITFIELD</td><td>Edit line.</td></tr><tr><td>EDITTABLE</td><td>Edit table.</td></tr><tr><td>LISTBOX</td><td>List box.</td></tr><tr><td>PUSHBUTTON</td><td>Push-button.</td></tr><tr><td>RADIOBUTTON</td><td>Radio button.</td></tr><tr><td>WINDOW</td><td>Window.</td></tr></tbody></table>	Type	Description	CHECKBOX	Check box.	COMBOBOX	Combo box.	EDITBOX	Edit box.	EDITFIELD	Edit line.	EDITTABLE	Edit table.	LISTBOX	List box.	PUSHBUTTON	Push-button.	RADIOBUTTON	Radio button.	WINDOW	Window.
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<i>PrevFocusID</i>	The previous value of the GOTFOCUS_CONTROL property.																				

Returns

True or false. If false, the program execution returns to the calling procedure. If true, the event processing goes to the next level.

See also

[LOSTFOCUS](#), [ACTIVATED](#), [INACTIVATED](#) events, [FOCUS](#) property

Remarks

Set_Property(ctrlentID, 'FOCUS') does not execute this event while Set_Property('SYSTEM', 'FOCUS', ctrlentID) does.