

Send_Message Function

Description

Requests a specific action from a form or control.

Syntax

response = **Send_Message** (*controlID*, *message*, *param1*, *param2*, *param3*, *param4*)

Parameters

controlID is the fully qualified name of the form or control.

Choose a message from the following list:

The text to display in the status line or System Monitor	Text
Edit Table Column Styles	This is a listing of the various styles that can be set within an edit table column.
CLEARDRAGDATA	This message removes all data from the drag source data object. This can be used during a DRAGSTART event to cancel the drag.
COLCHARS	Number of characters in an edit table column.
COLDROPDOWNLIST	Sets or retrieves the Drop Down list used within an edit table's COLUMN, a ROW, or a particular CELL.
COLLABEL	Label of the specified edit table column.
COLOR_BY_POS	Set the background color, foreground color, selected background color, and/or selected foreground color, for a specified cell in an edit table.
COLSTYLE	Styles, of edit table columns.
COLWIDTH	Widths of edit table columns.
COPY	Copies the current selection from an edit control or combo box to the clipboard.
CUT	Deletes (cuts) the current selection from an edit control or combo box and copies the deleted text to the clipboard.
DELETE	Deletes a row in a Combo box, edit table, and list box.
DELETE_EX	Deletes an item from a visible or non-visible part of a (hierarchical) list.
DELETETECOL	Delete an edit table column.
DROPDOWNLIST_BY_POS	Sets or retrieves the Drop Down list used within an edit table's COLUMN, a ROW, or a particular CELL.
EXPAND	Expands or collapses hierarchical list box.
FINDTEXT	Used to search for text within an edit box control.
FONT_BY_POS	Font for text of specified item.
FORCEKEYDISPATCH	The FORCEKEYDISPATCH message will force the OpenInsight Presentation Server to handle an individual keystroke regardless of the OCX translation.
GETDRAGDATA	This message is used to extract data of a specified format from a dragged data object.
GETCHARFORMAT	Used to retrieve selected text's character format within an edit box control.
INSERT	Insert new row or rows into list box, edit table, etc.
INSERT_EX	Insert new item or items into a visible or non-visible part of a (hierarchical) list.
INSERTCOL	Inserts column into an edit table.
MDICASCADE	Arranges MDI child windows in cascaded format.
MDIICONARRANGE	Arranges minimized MDI child windows.
MDITILE	Arranges MDI child windows in tiled format.

MOVE_ROW	Moves rows within an edit table control.
PASTE	Inserts data from the clipboard at the current cursor position.
POS_BY_CURSOR	Determines the cell, within an edit table, that the mouse cursor is over.
POS_BY_CLIENT_CURSOR	Determines the cell that the mouse cursor is over.
POS_BY_TEXT	Position of a list item.
QUALIFY_EVENT	Enable or disable events for specified control.
REMOVEDRAGDATA	This message is used to remove the specified data format from the dragged data.
RESETZORDER	Used to ensure that controls are placed properly into the Z order when created.
ROWHEIGHT	Set or retrieve the height of all rows in an edit table control.
SCROLL	Scroll a window.
SELPOS_EX_BY_POS	Position of a non-visible list item in a hierarchical list.
SETCHARFORMAT	Used to set selected text's character format within an edit box control.
SETDRAGBITMAP	This message sets the bitmap used by the system when dragging data from the drag source.
SETDRAGDATA	This message is used to set the data for a dragged data object.
SET_ZORDER	Allows the z-order position of a control to be set programmatically.
STYLE_BY_POS	Sets or retrieves the style of a COLUMN, a ROW, or a particular CELL within an edit table.
SUPPRESSKEYTRANSLATE	This message provides for NOACCELTRANSLATION property functionality for specific keystrokes within an OLE/OCX control.
TEXT_BY_POS	Text of a list item.
UNDO	Undoes the previous operation.
UPDATE	Updates the image of an item in a list box with bitmaps.