

# CLEARDRAGDATA

## Description

This message removes all data from the drag source data object. This can be used during a DRAGSTART event to cancel the drag.

## Syntax

```
RetVal = Send_Message(ctrlEntId,"CLEARDRAGDATA",format)
```

## Parameters

The function has the following parameters:

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ctrlEntID	Must be a current drag source control.									
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## Returns

A boolean value. TRUE for successful, FALSE if unsuccessful.

## Remarks

The message can only be used during the DRAGSTART event for drag source control. This effectively cancels all current drag activity.

## See also

[DRAGSOURCE property](#), [DROPTARGET property](#), [SETDRAGDATA message](#), [REMOVEDRAGDATA message](#), [GETDRAGDATA message](#)

## Example

```
* Change the "TEXT" data being dragged
dragSource = Get_Property("SYSTEM", "DRAGSOURCE")
data = Send_Message(dragSource, "GETDRAGDATA", "TEXT", "", "")
if data _eqc 'Zachary Taylor' then
    data = Send_Message(dragSource, "CLEARDRAGDATA", "TEXT")
end
```