
Subject: Re: switch date format
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Hi,

I tried `AutoFormat(true)` and `AutoFormat(false)`, but in both cases I got the wrong result ...

what I did:

- open gui
- click on arrow (calender opens)
- click on current day
- switch output and scan format (output - string is still the same)
- click on arrow and view calender (wrong date)
- switch output and scan format to old style (output - string is still the same)
- click on arrow and view calender (correct date)

I use the following lines to switch:

```
if( ... )
{
    SetDateScan("mdy");
    SetLanguage( LNG_( 'E', 'N', 'G', 'B' ) );
    SetDateFormat("%2:02d/%3:02d/%1:4d");
}
else
{
    SetDateScan("dmy");
    SetLanguage( LNG_( 'D', 'E', 'D', 'E' ) );
    SetDateFormat("%3:02d/%2:02d/%1:4d");
}
```

I think this problem could be solved if all Controls derived from Date, receive a Signal that the Strings have been changed.

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