
Subject: Re: Shutdown procedure by clicking red x
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I had a few times when the app locked also on
Thread::ShutdownThreads(); or Thread::IsShutdownThreads()
I don't remember which but in debug just jumped from there and then stopped.
In a release it just hung and MS closed it.

This is what I changed to:

```
while (CommPort.ReadDataWaiting() ) {  
    if(end) break;  
    try{  
        ....  
void endX(){end = true; Sleep(2000);}
```

```
GUI_APP_MAIN{  
    GPSx2().Run();  
    if(CommPort.IsOpened()) CommPort.Close();  
    if(CommPort2.IsOpened()) CommPort2.Close();  
    endX();  
}
```

This is in a GPS tracking app that has Sleep(1000) waiting for the next sentence, if not it checks every (500) to see if the signal is regained.

The if(end) break; closes the thread with the break inside the thread.

bool end; and the void endX() are global (if that is the right term).

I did it about the same way in a TrackReplay app, triggering a break inside the thread to end it.

Maybe a hack but no problem closing since.

Your code is above me just looking at it, will study it later.

It does look like you have a break inside the thread to close it also.

StaticMutex, volatile Atomic, PostCallback, are all new to me.

Neil