Subject: more functions which use keys [FEATURE REQUEST] Posted by nixnixnix on Thu, 28 Feb 2008 16:53:58 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message
I am currently working with a DropList and whilst I can add items of the form
m_drop.Add(key,value);
there does not appear to be a function for
m_drop.SetCurrentKey(key);
as an alternative to
m_drop.SetIndex(index);
Keys are great for adding and retrieving data but it would also be handy to be able to do everything with keys. I worked around this for now so its just a suggestion.
Nick
Subject: Re: more functions which use keys [FEATURE REQUEST] Posted by unodgs on Thu, 28 Feb 2008 18:31:11 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message
<pre>droplist <<= key; droplist.SetData(key);</pre>
Subject: Re: more functions which use keys [FEATURE REQUEST] Posted by nixnixnix on Fri, 29 Feb 2008 14:37:52 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message
Thanks Daniel,
Not sure what the first function does but it looks like the second function will be interpreted as
droplist.SetData(Value);
Nick

Subject: Re: more functions which use keys [FEATURE REQUEST] Posted by mrjt on Fri, 29 Feb 2008 15:01:27 GMT

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the <<= operator is the same as SetData(key).

In this case calling SetData(key) looks for the matching key and selects it. It's the same as: droplist.SetIndex(droplist.FindKey(key))

Subject: Re: more functions which use keys [FEATURE REQUEST] Posted by nixnixnix on Fri, 29 Feb 2008 15:54:55 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

Thanks James,

Now I understand much better.

Cheers,

Nick