
Subject: Balloon-like window

Posted by [Mindtraveller](#) on Wed, 27 Jan 2010 14:03:22 GMT

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Is there a way in U++ to make popup window like balloon?

Actually I have a list of items, and, on pressing "Add item" button, I'd like to show balloon like popup-window (pointing to this control) with edit control and a button inside it.

Subject: Re: Balloon-like window

Posted by [mrjt](#) on Wed, 27 Jan 2010 14:10:55 GMT

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There are either multiple solutions or none, depending on requirements:

- If the balloon has to be a native window then you will need to do the platform specific code yourself. This should be relatively easy in Win32, much more difficult in X11 (at least for a solution that works across window managers).
 - The easiest solution would be to cheat. Create a type of Parent ctrl that looks like a balloon and use that instead. The restriction here is that obviously it can't leave the parent window.
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