
Subject: Question about Threads

Posted by [Reini](#) on Fri, 19 Mar 2010 17:07:41 GMT

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```

```
    //thread handling
    volatile Atomic terminated;
    volatile Atomic threads;
};
```

```
typedef struct {
    MyClass *gui;
} PlayInfo;
```

```
//thread callback
void WorkerThread(PlayInfo f)
{
    while (true)
    {
        if(f.gui->terminated)
            break;
        //playfile

    }
    AtomicDec(f.gui->threads);
}
```

```
//Callback of button
void MyClass::StartPlay()
{
    PlayInfo f;
    f.gui = this;
```

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AtomicInc(threads);
Thread().Run(callback1(WorkerThread, f));//error in this line
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Thank you for comments and help

Subject: Re: Question about Threads

Posted by [koldo](#) on Fri, 19 Mar 2010 20:25:15 GMT

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Hello Reini

I can answer you with a 99,999% of possibilities that the problem comes from you have not included in "Project/Main package configuration" the option MT (multi thread).

Subject: Re: Question about Threads
Posted by [Reini](#) on Fri, 19 Mar 2010 21:38:50 GMT
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Hello Koldo

Thanks for your help ! It worked

But anyway it was way complicated to activate the MT Flag in an already existing project since I did not found a possibility to activate the MT switch if the project already exists.

So I had to do that manually in the upp Project File and then only it worked.

Nice weekend so far

Subject: Re: Question about Threads

Posted by [cbpporter](#) on Sat, 20 Mar 2010 19:44:30 GMT

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Yes, it is really very easy.

Just clicking there

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