Subject: Common Dialog
Posted by elch on Mon, 17 Nov 2014 12:02:20 GMT
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Hello,
I am what is called a newbei in U++.
Before i used Vc++ - Microsoft.
Most time I am spending in seeking documentation for u++...
So here my idiot-question:
How do I acces the common dialogs like Fileopen etc.

Thanks for Your answers

Subject: Re: Common Dialog
Posted by Oblivion on Mon, 17 Nov 2014 16:27:38 GMT
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Hello elch, and welcome to U++ Forums.

If you are using TheIDE, you can access all the available documentation using Help & Topic icons (rightmost red icon on the toolbar, with the question sign on it). Here is the web page version: http://www.ultimatepp.org/www$uppweb$documentation$en-us.htm l

Since you are new to U++, I suggest you examining the provided documentation and reference examples before using U++. Most of them have the answers to your questions.

Anyhow, if you need a file selector dialog, for example, What you need is a FileSel Ctrl (http://www.ultimatepp.org/src$CtrlLib$FileSel$en-us.html) and/or FileSel utilities (http://www.ultimatepp.org/src$CtrlLib$FileSelUtil$en-us.html).

For example, below code snippet simply opens a file dialog for opening AND loading a jpeg file (for files with .jpg extension):

```
String jpeg_image = SelectLoadFile("*.jpg");
if(jpeg_image.IsVoid())
	Exclamation("Couldn't open file");

// Do something with the loaded jpeg image.
```

By the way, a "ctrl" is basically a widget (e.g. button, scrollbar, checkbox, window) in U++ terminology.
Here is a list of them. Follow the links to access the api docs:
http://www.ultimatepp.org/src$CtrlLib$index$en-us.html

Regards,
Oblivion.

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Thanks a lot for the answer. I'll keep on studiing.