
Subject: how to GetCurrentDirectory? [SOLVED]+how to search example

Posted by [mirek](#) on Tue, 02 May 2006 18:19:47 GMT

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P.S.:

```
String GetDataFile(const char *name);
```

Similar to GetExeDirFile, however, when app is started from TheIDE, file from package directory.

The idea is to store project related resources (e.g. textures for 3D app) into package during the development, then for release copy them with app.

Mirek

P.S. - Edit by fudadmin: this topic was split by me to better serve "future u++ users"...

Subject: Re: how to move the focus from one tab page to another one

Posted by [fudadmin](#) on Tue, 02 May 2006 20:16:57 GMT

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forlano wrote on Tue, 02 May 2006 18:15Luigi

PS: if nobody will answer to my old post regarding how to get the current directory of the application, I'll use a dirty... very dirty way to get it.

I didn't answer that on purpose!.. To use dirty very dirty way to make you to remember it better. Where my "spying" lessons have gone?

1. As you already should definitely know, one choice for finding global things is Ctrl_Shift_F. It's similar like searching with google. Then you can search the entire "ide" or apply some intelligence and search "targeted" packages included with CtrlLib. Which? In your case, most likely CtrlLib, CtrlCore, Core. If to apply a bit more intelligence then your search should narrow to Core. So try your search with "GetCurrentDirectory" or even "GetCur"...

2. Would you like even more faster way? Haven't you studied all theIDE menu functions? Never questioned why "navigation" feature exists?

With Ctrl_G - for your package and Ctrl_Shift_G - for "global"?

So, press Ctrl_Shift_G and enter only "Get" and study what you see... or enter "GetCur" ... and then click on the line.

3. Ok. I could forgive you those 2 above... But to not to use Assistant?! Just enter "GetCur" in your code and press Ctrl_Space ... What you see?

And look what happens if you choose the one you need and use from Assistant menu "Go to symbol definition"... or its key combination

Learn those features and you will be able to answer all the questions on forums instead of me!

Subject: Re: how to move the focus from one tab page to another one
Posted by [forlano](#) on Tue, 02 May 2006 20:57:40 GMT

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forlano wrote on Tue, 02 May 2006 18:15

I didn't answer that on purpose!.. To use dirty very dirty way to make you to remember it better. Where my "spying" lessons have gone?

To say the truth I didn't know about the Navigate feature of Assist. I tried just now and I remained amazed. The surprise never finish with TheIDE. So far I used only "Find in files"... yes I know, it is not the laziest way!

My application is ready at 60%. I translated in U++ the most critical part, i.e. the interface. Now remains to clean all the C code. It seems faster than the old version. You'll see that your lesson have had some effect

Luigi

Subject: Re: how to move the focus from one tab page to another one
Posted by [nixnixnix](#) on Thu, 17 Jan 2008 13:22:39 GMT

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Ctrl+Shift+G does not work for me.

However, I'm writing as an addendum to the information on `GetCurrentDirectory()`. If you want to use that function in your app to keep track of the current directory then you will also need to make use of `SetCurrentDirectory()`. I use them like this

FileSel dlg;

```
dlg.ActiveDir(GetCurrentDirectory());  
dlg.Type("ESRI Shape files", "*.shp");  
dlg.Type("Google Earth files", "*.kml");
```

```
if(!dlg.ExecuteSaveAs("Export Lines"))
```

```
return;
```

```
SetCurrentDirectory(dlg.GetActiveDir());
```

```
...
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Nick
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