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Part 1 Users guide

Quick start

"...the number of UNIX installations has grown to 10, with more expected..."

Dennis Ritchie and Ken Thompson - June 1972

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NAppGUI is an SDK to develop software projects, that work on any desktop platform (Windows, macOS or Linux), using the C programming language (Figure 1.1). C++ is allowed, but not indispensable. We can write a complete program using only ANSI-C.

1.1. Quick start in Windows

Before starting you need to have these tools installed (Figure 1.2):

- Visual Studio¹ to compile under Windows. Microsoft offers the free *Community* version.
- CMake². Cross-platform tool to create compilation projects automatically, from source code. Be careful to select *Add CMake to the system PATH for all users* during installation (Figure 1.3).

https://visualstudio.microsoft.com/vs/

²https://cmake.org/download/

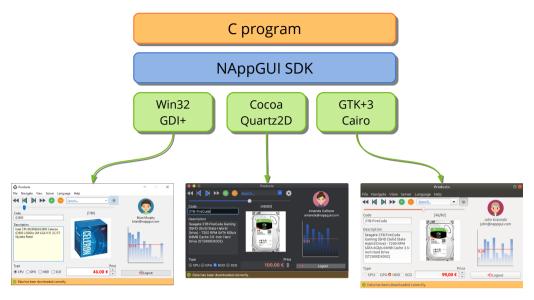


Figure 1.1: NAppGUI allows the easy port of applications written in ANSI C.

• Git³. For download the project from GitHub.







Figure 1.2: Basic tools in Windows.

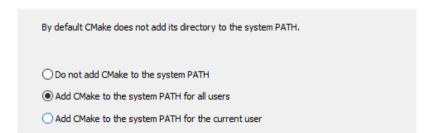


Figure 1.3: Access to CMake from the command line.

From a console on Windows:

```
git clone --depth 1 https://github.com/frang75/nappgui_src.git cd nappgui_src
cmake -S . -B build
cmake --build build --config Debug
```

³https://git-scm.com/

Once compiled, you will be able to run the existing example applications in the demo and howto directories (Figure 1.4).

```
.\build\Debug\bin\Die.exe
.\build\Debug\bin\Bricks.exe
.\build\Debug\bin\Products.exe
.\build\Debug\bin\Col2dHello.exe
.\build\Debug\bin\GuiHello.exe
```

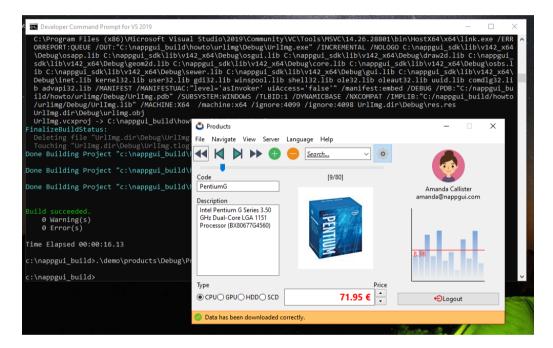


Figure 1.4: Running the **Products** sample program after compilation.

1.2. **Quick start on macOS**

Before starting, make sure you have installed and configured Xcode⁴, an essential environment for development under macOS. You will also need to download and install CMake from www.cmake.org⁵ (Figure 1.5).

By default, CMake does not configure command line access on macOS. You can create symbolic links with sudo "/Applications/CMake.app/Contents/bin/cmake-qui" -install.

⁴https://developer.apple.com/xcode/

⁵https://www.cmake.org



Figure 1.5: Xcode and CMake on macOS.

Open a terminal in macOS:

```
git clone --depth 1 https://github.com/frang75/nappgui_src.git cd nappgui_src cmake -G Xcode -S . -B build cmake --build build --config Debug
```

Once compiled, you can run the existing sample applications in the directories **demo** and **howto** (Figure 1.6).

```
./build/Debug/bin/Die.app/Contents/MacOS/Die
```

- ./build/Debug/bin/Bricks.app/Contents/MacOS/Bricks
- ./build/Debug/bin/Products.app/Contents/MacOS/Products
- ./build/Debug/bin/Col2dHello.app/Contents/MacOS/Col2dHello
- ./build/Debug/bin/GuiHello.app/Contents/MacOS/GuiHello

. . .

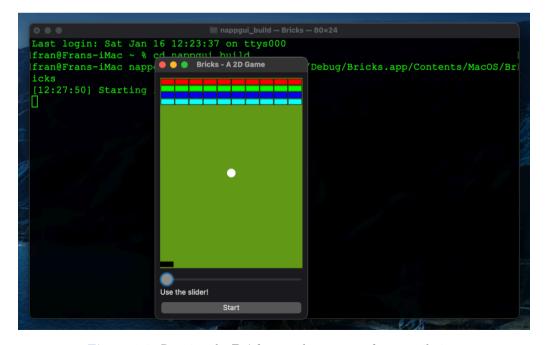


Figure 1.6: Running the Bricks sample program after compilation.

1.3. Quick start on Linux

Before starting, make sure you have the necessary compilers, tools and libraries installed:

```
// Development tools
sudo apt-get install build-essential
sudo apt-get install git
sudo apt-get install cmake
// Development libraries (*)
sudo apt-get install libgtk-3-dev
sudo apt-get install libglu1-mesa-dev freeglut3-dev mesa-common-dev
sudo apt-get install libcurl4-openssl-dev
```

(*) Explicitly installing these libraries is only necessary on machines that are going to compile applications based on NAppGUI. To run the applications it is not necessary to install anything, since the production versions of these libraries are found naturally in most Linux distributions.

Open a terminal:

```
qit clone --depth 1 https://github.com/frang75/nappgui src.git
cd nappqui src
cmake -S . -B build -DCMAKE BUILD TYPE=Debug
cmake --build build -j 4
```

Once compiled, you will be able to launch the existing example applications in the **demo** and howto directories (Figure 1.7).

```
./build/Debug/bin/Die
./build/Debug/bin/Bricks
./build/Debug/bin/Products
./build/Debug/bin/Col2dHello
./build/Debug/bin/GuiHello
```

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⁶https://www.nappqui.com/en/legal/license.html

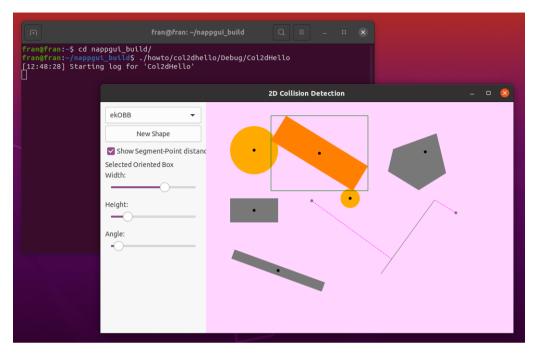


Figure 1.7: Running the Col2dHello sample program after compilation.

1.5. Previous knowledge

This book is not intended for beginners. Although the NAppGUI project is aimed at simplifying the construction of cross-platform applications, it requires certain prior knowledge on the part of the user. You will need, at least, to be fluent in C or C++ since at no time we will stop to explain basic programming concepts. If you come from Java or C#, you should review **pointers**. You will also need some skill with Visual Studio and Xcode development environments, and Unix tools such as gcc, make or the command interpreter.

On the other hand, if you are an advanced user, you will find a simple system to create very fast and small C applications that will compile without changes in all desktop environments. You will also have at your disposal a set of precompiled C libraries to create user interfaces or command line applications, without the need to mess up your projects with the cumbersome class templates that **stl** or **boost** provide.

1.6. And now what?

- In "Welcome to NAppGUI" (page 13) we continue with the tutorial.
- In "Hello World!" (page 23) we see the minimal code of a desktop application.

- In "Build NAppGUI" (page 65) we see how to compile the static or dynamic version.
- In "Generators, compilers and IDEs" (page 115) you will have information about porting.
- In "Create new application" (page 71) you will start creating your own applications.
- In "NAppGUI API" (page 147) you have the documentation of the libraries and functions.
- In "Products" (page 437) you have the source code of a medium-sized application.

Welcome to NAppGUI

While others were content to write programs that just solved problems, early hackers were obsessed with writing programs that solved problems well. A new program that achieved the same result as an existing one but used fewer punch cards was considered better, even if it did the same thing. The fundamental difference was how the program achieved its result. - elegance.

Jon Erickson - Hacking: The Art of Exploitation

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NAppGUI is an SDK for creating cross-platform native applications in C. By **native** software we understand that which is compiled/assembled using the specific instructions of the CPU (it is not interpreted or used bytecode) and by **cross-platform** the ability to build versions for Windows, macOS, and Linux using the same (Figure 2.1) source code base. Since its first functions written in August 2010, the main objective of NAppGUI has been to simplify as much as possible the arduous task of creating applications with a graphical interface in C. Although different solutions already exist, we have opted for simplicity by creating a light abstraction layer that encapsulates native technologies, unifies them under the same API and adds some logic for task management and automation. Being somewhat more specific, the philosophy on which the project is based and some of its characteristics are:

• Rapid prototyping, evolution and maintenance in **real** applications, apart from the simple examples we find in the literature and the Internet.

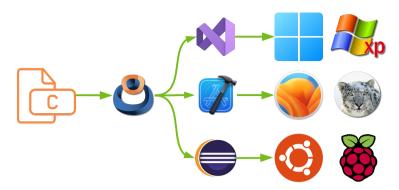


Figure 2.1: Native cross-platform development with NAppGUI.

- The user interface is described using ANSI-C functions, completely eliminating visual design. This fact facilitates the creation of dynamic interfaces, guarantees portability and enables access to the API from any programming language.
- Windows are automatically laid out and sized, without the programmer having to explicitly specify the coordinates and size of the controls.
- It is possible to have a complete application in a single .c file, by removing the usual resource files (*.rc, *.xvid, etc) and their associated controllers. The programmer has complete freedom when defining his own file structure.
- Automatic synchronization of internal data structures with the interface or with I/O channels. "Data binding" (page 227).
- Unified management of resources which facilitates internationalization. "Resources" (page 101).
- Translations between languages at runtime without the need to restart the application. "Runtime translation" (page 106).
- The compiled version of NAppGUI occupies less than 1Mb, and is distributed in several static libraries that generate very small executables. This is a great advantage over other solutions that require the distribution of heavy .DLLs, sometimes larger than the application itself.
- Native Appearance: The applications will be integrated into each system respecting their original aesthetic (Figure 2.2).
- Backends. The NAppGUI core provides structures and objects for creating highly efficient command-line applications on Windows or Linux servers.

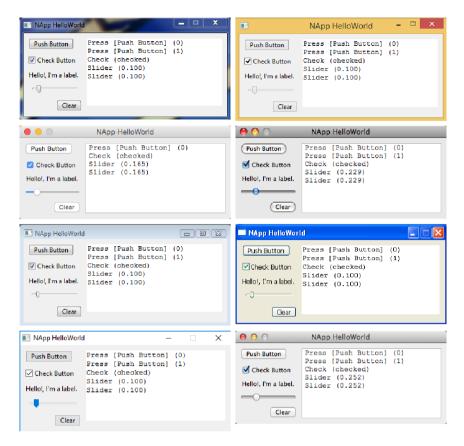


Figure 2.2: Native appearance of the Hello, World! demo.

2.1. Original APIs

Microsoft, Apple and GNU/Linux propose different APIs to interact with their systems. This means that the same application must be rewritten to work correctly on each platform. NAppGUI provides a unified set of functions for creating graphical user interfaces and allowing direct access to machine resources (memory, disk, network, etc.) (Figure 2.3). Each implementation takes into account the particular conditions of the target platform and uses the appropriate native commands to perform the task in the most optimal way possible.

2.2. C-based

Despite the fact that today we have a large number of programming languages, the C language is still the most powerful and portable in the world. The core of Windows, macOS, Linux, Android, iOS, and other major programs are largely written in C. In the world of apps, its use has waned a bit in favor of more *glamour*. Perhaps this is one of the

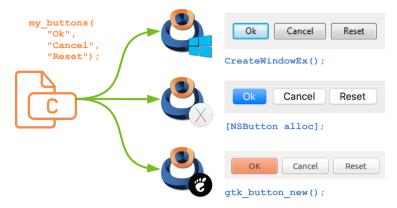


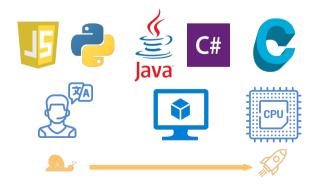
Figure 2.3: Calls to the native APIs, from the source code itself.

reasons why Wirth's law¹ is more and more true every day.

"Software slows down faster than hardware speeds up."

NAppGUI is written, almost entirely, in C language with small parts in C++ and Objective-C. This language is widely supported and cross-platform compatible. In its development we have dispensed with minority, proprietary or brand-linked languages such as: C#, Swift, Java or Objective-C. Also interpreted (such as Python or JavaScript) and those based on virtual machines (Java and C#) due to the performance penalty (Figure 2.4). Finally, we have not used C++, since we do not present NAppGUI as a hierarchy of classes but as a library of functions. Our goals have been to minimize the impact of the SDK, simplify programming, increase readability, and produce high-performance binaries.

Figure 2.4: Interpreter, virtual machine, and binary code. The closer we get to machine language, the more performance we will get from the software.



¹https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wirth%27s law

2.3. No visual editors

The creation of graphical interfaces can become a tedious process, since it is difficult to know in advance the final size of elements that contain text or images, such as buttons. On the other hand, windows are dynamic entities subject to changes at runtime (size, translation, changing subpanels, hidden areas, etc.). When using a visual editor, we have to place elements at the exact (Figure 2.5) position and size. This is a mouse-intensive task, which slows down the connection between GUI objects and event handlers. In the development cycle, if the texts or other elements change (and of course they will), we will have to relocate the components by hand again. This problem grows in multilingual solutions. Keeping developers moving pixels and filling property forms is expensive for companies and very boring for them. This is not to mention that all of these visual designs will not be cross-platform compatible (.rc Windows, .xib macOS, .glade GTK/Gnome, etc.).

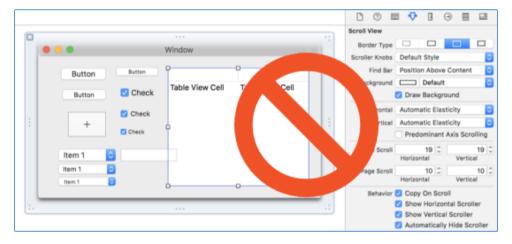


Figure 2.5: Resource editors are not good friends for creating complex dynamic interfaces.

Many programmers prefer not to move their hands from the keyboard, since they consider it much more productive.

NAppGUI uses a declarative strategy, where it is only necessary to indicate the cell where the element will be located within a rectangular grid (Layout). The final size and position will be calculated at runtime, performing a recursive composition of the *layouts* and *sublayouts* based on their (Listing 2.1) content .

Listing 2.1: Creating a window.

```
Panel *panel = panel_create();
Layout *layout = layout_create(1, 3);
Label *label = label_create();
Button *button = button push();
```

```
TextView *view = textview_create();
Window *window = window_create(ekWINDOW_STD);
label_text(label, "Hello!, I'm a label");
button_text(button, "Click Me!");
layout_label(layout, label, 0, 0);
layout_button(layout, button, 0, 1);
layout_textview(layout, view, 0, 2);
layout_hsize(layout, 0, 250);
layout_vsize(layout, 2, 100);
layout_wargin(layout, 5);
layout_vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
layout_vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
panel_layout(panel, layout);
window_panel(window, panel);
window_title(window, "Hello, World!");
```

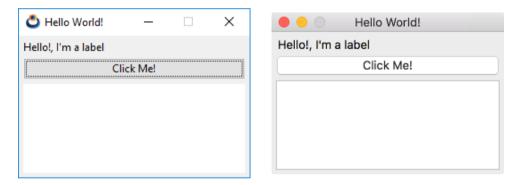


Figure 2.6: Declarative composition is fast, adaptable, and portable.

2.4. Dependencies

NAppGUI does not use third-party libraries, it only connects with the native APIs of each operating system. This fact, together with the use of C and static linking, makes it possible to:

- Applications don't need additional runtimes like Python, Java, or C# do. They go directly to the CPU via the system *scheduler*.
- The entire application can be contained in a single .exe file. As little code as possible is linked and no additional .dll need to be distributed.

As of version 1.3, NAppGUI supports the generation of dynamic libraries.

Applications take up very little disk space, since all their dependencies are naturally
present on the systems where they run.

- The performance is maximum, since they are compiled in native machine code, using the highest level of optimization that each CPU supports.
- They can be edited, compiled and run on obsolete platforms today like a Pentium III with Visual Studio 2005 and WindowsXP.
- With NAppGUI we can move them from Windows to macOS or Linux, without touching a single line of source code. See "Generators, compilers and IDEs" (page 115).



Three packages within the SDK will act as technology *wrappers* (Figure 2.7), hiding platform-specific details under a common interface, without causing overhead to the program.

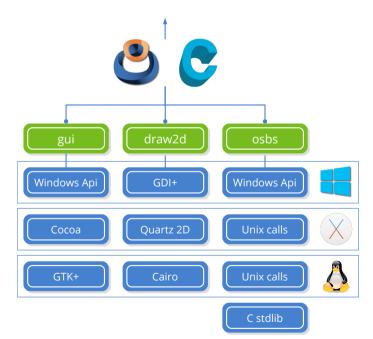


Figure 2.7: Different technologies at the base of NAppGUI. In "NAppGUI API" (page 147) you have the complete schematic.

- "Osbs" (page 168): Operating System Basic Services. API about files and directories, processes, threads, memory, etc.
- "Draw2D" (page 258): API for 2d vector drawing, images and fonts.

- "Gui" (page 299): API about graphical interfaces: Windows, controls and menus.
- Unix system calls: In Unix-like systems (Linux, macOS) it is the way in which a program communicates with the kernel to perform some task related to files, processes, memory, network or hardware usually.
- Windows API: It is the lowest level API provided by Microsoft for programming under Windows. It is very broad and integrates different aspects of development:
 - kernel32.dll: The equivalent of Unix calls (files, processes, memory, etc).
 - ws2_32.dll: Provides TCP/IP network functions (Unix calls include TCP/IP support).
 - user32.dll, comctl32.dll, comdlg32.dll, uxtheme.dll: Implements standard controls for graphical user interfaces (labels, edit boxes, combos, progress bars, common dialogs, etc.).
- Cocoa: Object-oriented programming API for Mac OSX (now macOS) systems. It is written in Objective-C, therefore it is not directly accessible from "pure" C. Cocoa is based on OpenStep, the API of NeXTSTEP, the operating system created by Steve Jobs when he was fired from Apple. In 1996, Apple buys NeXT and gets Jobs back, using Jobs' technology as the basis for the new Macintosh. Many classes in Cocoa still retain the NS prefix as NeXTSTEP inheritance. Although there is a lower level C-based API called Carbon, it has been discontinued since Mac OSX 10.4 Tiger. It does not have access to all system functionality nor is it compatible with 64-bit applications. Thus, Cocoa is the current lowest level API for Apple systems.
- **Gtk+**: Acronym for **G**IMP **T**ool**K**it. It is a high-level library for creating graphical interfaces with a multitude of predefined objects (called *widgets*). It is one of the most widespread in GNU/Linux systems, but it is actually multiplatform with versions for Windows and macOS. Desktop environments like Gnome, Xfce or applications like GIMP are based on GTK.
- GDI+: It is the evolution of GDI (Graphics Device Interface), a 2d vector drawing API developed by Microsoft for the first 16-bit version of Windows. GDI+ was introduced with Windows XP as a set of C++ classes and is encapsulated in the .NET platform via the System.Drawing namespace. It is also accessible directly from C via the GDI+ Flat API, but Microsoft recommends using it via C++ classes. It incorporates substantial improvements over GDI, such as floating point coordinates, affine transformations, anti-aliasing, gradient shading, and support for image formats such as JPG, PNG, or GIF. Drawing with masks and incompatibility with PDF are the two most notable drawbacks compared to Quartz 2D and Cairo, its direct "competitors" on other platforms.
- Quartz 2D: It is the trade name of Core Graphics, the powerful drawing API

of macOS. Like Cocoa, Core Graphics is an evolution of the NeXTSTEP graphics libraries and came to Apple after the NeXT acquisition. Quartz 2D is based on Adobe PostScript and PDF formats, incorporating alpha channel and anti-aliasing. Classic Macs (pre-NeXT) used the QuickDraw library, originally developed by Bill Atkinson for the Apple Lisa. Modern macs still have QuickDraw built in, but Xcode no longer provides headers, so it can't be used in new projects. Core Graphics is a C-based API and all of its functions begin with the **CG** prefix.

- Cairo: Cairo is a C-based 2d vector drawing library. Unlike GDI+ or Quartz 2D, it is cross-platform, can be downloaded independently and incorporated into any project (under LGPL license). Since version 3, GTK+ uses Cairo for all widget drawing tasks. GTK+2 also used Cairo to generate PDF documents for printing. NAppGUI uses Cairo to implement the draw2d API on the GNU/Linux platform, as this library is found naturally in all GTK+ based desktop environments: Gnome, Cinnamon, LXDE, Mate, Pantheon, Sugar or Xfce. Technically, Cairo is quite advanced, matching Quartz 2D in terms of functionality. It supports affine transformations, image masks, begier curves, text processing, and drawing on PDF and PostScript surfaces.
- C stdlib: C is a beautiful little language, but it doesn't provide any additional support functions. During the 1970s, the C language became very popular and users began to share ideas on how to solve common and repetitive tasks. With its standardization in the 1980s, some of these ideas became the C standard library, which provides a basic set of mathematical functions, string manipulation, type conversions, and input/output. NAppGUI integrates in one way or another the functionality of the standard library, so we do not recommend its use in final applications (see "Sewer" (page 151)).

2.5. Low and high level

During its design and implementation, NAppGUI has tried to maintain a balanced balance between low-level and high-level programming. Low-level lovers will find a kind of extended and cross-platform C library to access the system, interface elements and drawing commands. However, they will still retain the power to create optimized code and direct memory access. Remember, we are in C!

On the other hand, NAppGUI integrates some high-level solutions such as resource management, interface composition, automatic translations or data binding, among others. NAppGUI also incorporates CMake scripts for automated project creation in Visual Studio, Xcode, or Eclipse/Make.

Finally, it is the developers who decide which libraries to link with according to the needs of the project and the degree of automation they wish to adopt. Each application based on

NAppGUI performs a static link of all its dependencies, so neither the executable nor its final distribution will have traces of unnecessary binary code. In this way, we will produce small self-contained executables that will not require an installer or include megabytes of dependencies in the form of .DLLs.

Hello World!

Once upon a time, there was a company called Taligent. Taligent was created by IBM and Apple to develop a set of tools and libraries like Cocoa. About the time Taligent reached the peak of its mindshare, Aaron met one of its engineers at a trade show and asked him to create a simple application: A window appears with a button. When the button is clicked, the words "Hello, World!" appear in a text field. The engineer created a project and started subclassing madly, subclassing the window and the button and the event handler. Then he started generating code: dozens of lines to get the button and the text field onto the window. After 45 minutes, he was still trying to get the app to work. A couple of years later, Taligent quietly closed its doors forever.

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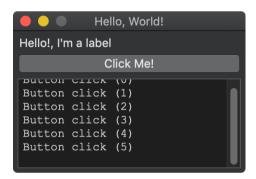
There is little we can say about the meaning of the *Hello World!* program every time we are faced with a new technology or programming methodology. So, let's get down to business.

3.1. The complete program





Figure 3.1: Windows 10 y Windows XP.



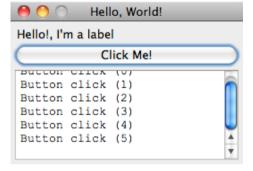


Figure 3.2: macOS 10.14 Mojave and MacOSX 10.6 Snow Leopard.

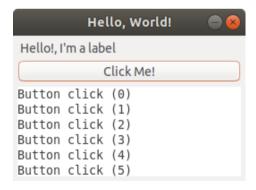




Figure 3.3: GTK+3 Ambiance (Ubuntu) and Adwaita Dark (Raspbian).

Listing 3.1: demo/hello/main.c

```
/* NAppGUI Hello World */
#include <nappgui.h>

typedef struct _app_t App;
```

```
struct app t
   Window *window;
   TextView *text;
   uint32 t clicks;
};
static void i OnButton(App *app, Event *e)
   String *msg = str printf("Button click (%d)\n", app->clicks);
   textview writef(app->text, tc(msg));
   str destroy(&msg);
   app->clicks += 1;
   unref(e);
}
                      -----*/
static Panel *i panel(App *app)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 3);
   Label *label = label create();
   Button *button = button push();
   TextView *text = textview create();
   app->text = text;
   label_text(label, "Hello!, I'm a label");
   button text(button, "Click Me!");
   button OnClick(button, listener(app, i OnButton, App));
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button, 0, 1);
   layout textview(layout, text, 0, 2);
   layout hsize(layout, 0, 250);
   layout vsize(layout, 2, 100);
   layout margin(layout, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   panel layout(panel, layout);
   return panel;
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
   osapp finish();
   unref(app);
 unref(e);
```

```
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   Panel *panel = i panel(app);
   app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STD);
   window panel(app->window, panel);
   window title(app->window, "Hello, World!");
   window origin (app->window, v2df(500, 200));
   window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
   window show(app->window);
   return app;
/*-----/
static void i destroy (App **app)
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
  heap delete(app, App);
}
/*-----/
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i create, i destroy, "", App)
```

3.2. The skeleton

A NAppGUI application starts at osmain, a cross-platform macro that unifies the startup of a desktop program under different systems. It is defined in #include "osmain.h" and will receive four parameters: constructor, destructor, arguments (char_t), and the object type. In this way, any basic skeleton looks like this:

```
#include "nappgui.h"

typedef struct _app_t App;
struct _app_t
{
    Window *window;
};

static App *i_create(void)
{
    App *app = heap_new0(App);
    return app;
```

```
static void i destroy (App **app)
    heap delete(app, App);
}
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i create, i destroy, "", App)
```

The #include "nappgui.h" directive, includes much of NAppGUI with a single statement. If you prefer, you can choose to include the headers separately as needed. In this case, we should replace a single #include with eleven. In the Reference Manual, it is indicated which header to include according to the function module that we are going to use.

```
#include "qui.h"
#include "button.h"
#include "heap.h"
#include "label.h"
#include "layout.h"
#include "listener.h"
#include "panel.h"
#include "strings.h"
#include "v2d.h"
#include "vtext.h"
#include "window.h"
```

3.3. The constructor

The first parameter of osmain is the application constructor. As soon as the program starts, certain internal structures must be initialized, as well as starting the message loop inherent to all desktop applications. When everything is ready, the constructor will be called to create the application object. This object can be of any type and does not need to be derived from any class Application or similar, we are in C;-). Because of the simplicity of this example, the application object contains only one window.

```
static App *i create(void)
    App *app = heap new0(App);
    Panel *panel = i panel(app);
    app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STD);
    window panel(app->window, panel);
    return app;
```

3.4. The main panel

To create the main window, we need the **main panel**, a container that integrates all the interface controls that are displayed in the window. The space inside the panel is arranged in an invisible grid called Layout. Each panel can have multiple layouts and switch between them, but at least one is required. Within its cells we will locate the different interface controls.

```
static Panel *i_panel(App *app)
{
    Panel *panel = panel_create();
    Layout *layout = layout_create(1, 3);
    Label *label = label_create();
    Button *button = button_push();
    TextView *text = textview_create();
    label_text(label, "Hello!, I'm a label");
    button_text(button, "Click Me!");
    layout_label(layout, label, 0, 0);
    layout_button(layout, button, 0, 1);
    layout_textview(layout, text, 0, 2);
    panel_layout(panel, layout);
    return panel;
}
```

3.5. The destructor

When the application terminates, osmain will call the destructor (macro's second parameter) to free the application object and everything that depends on it, in order to perform a clean exit from the program. We'll put a lot of emphasis on this, as failure to properly free all memory will be considered a serious programming error.

```
static void i_destroy(App **app)
{
    window_destroy(&(*app)->window);
    heap_delete(app, App);
}
```

3.6. Launch the window

By default, NAppGUI creates all hidden windows, so you need to show them explicitly. We set a title, an initial position and launch it with window_show. We note that in this first version our window does not look very aesthetic (Figure 3.4). In a moment we will format it.

```
static App *i_create(void)
{
```

```
window title(app->main window, "Hello World!");
window origin (app->main window, v2df(500, 200));
window show(app->main window);
```



Figure 3.4: First version of Hello, World! (without format).

3.7. **Layout format**

To improve the appearance of our window, let's format the layout a bit. Specifically, we are going to set a column width and a height for the third row (text control). Then we will leave a margin on the edge and a separation between rows. (Figure 3.5).

```
layout hsize(layout, 0, 200);
layout vsize(layout, 2, 100);
layout margin (layout, 5);
layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
```

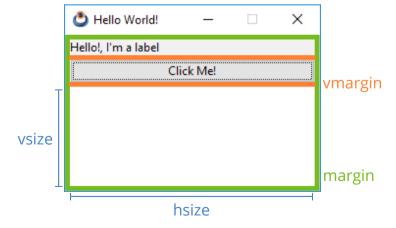


Figure 3.5: Hello World! after Layout formatting.

3.8. Exiting the program

When we press the button to close the main window, the program does not end its execution. This is typical of macOS applications, where they still run in the Dock even though no window is open. NAppGUI follows the same criteria of not closing the program, so we must make an explicit call to the osapp_finish function. To do this, we will capture the **button event**, through the listener macro.

```
static void i_OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
{
    osapp_finish();
}

static App *i_create(void)
{
    window_OnClose(app->main_window, listener(app, i_OnClose, App));
}
```

3.9. Button Events

Finally, we'll catch the *click* event of the button and print a message in the text box each time it's clicked. We are going to implement the i_OnButton handler, responsible for composing and displaying the message, and connect it to the Button control we created earlier.

```
static void i_OnButton(App *app, Event *e)
{
    String *msg = str_printf("Button click (%d)\n", app->clicks);
    text_insert(app->vtext, tc(msg));
    str_destroy(&msg);
    app->clicks += 1;
}
...
button_OnClick(button, listener(app, i_OnButton, App));
```

An event is an action that occurs during the execution of the program. The operating system captures it and sends it to us via its controller (defined in listener()). More at "Events" (page 231).

Use of C

Most programming languages contain good parts and bad parts. I discovered that I could be a better programmer by using only the good parts and avoiding the bad parts. After all, how can you build something good out of bad parts?

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Programming fast, reducing the probability of error, ensuring portability and generating optimized binaries have been the main purposes of NAppGUI since its inception and that includes a revision of the C language itself. A subset> has been used as a base ANSI-C90 with fixed-size integers <stdint.h>, a feature introduced in C99. We recommend that applications based on this SDK follow the same philosophy. Going into more detail, the objectives pursued have been these:

• Maximum portability: Even on already outdated compilers like MSVC 8.0 (Visual Studio 2005) or GCC 4.2 (Xcode 3). The latest language features may not be avail-

able on platforms where you must port your code (think embedded devices). You also ensure that such code will be compatible with future versions of major compilers.

- Focus attention: On the "what" and not on the "how". There are times when we make the simple complicated just to justify the use of that new "cool" feature. It is also possible that you are a "hip" addict, which will force you to "modernize" the code to adapt it to a new version of the standard. Focus on solving the problem at hand and, if you can, spend more time on lowering the asymptotic complexity of your solution. NAppGUI will make sure that your applications work wherever they are needed.
- Avoid irrelevant features: Like C11's multi-threading support (<threads.h>). This is solved with system calls. See "Threads" (page 172).
- Fast compilation: Certain C constructs are nothing more than a kind of "portable assembler", which the compiler can interpret and translate incredibly efficiently.
- Small and fast binaries: Derived from the previous one, the generated code will require few assembly statements and will be very easy for the compiler to optimize.

Evidently, this is not the place to learn C nor is it our intention. The core of the language is small and easy to remember, but programming well requires years of practice. What we will do here is show the minimum expression of the language that we use daily. In short, these are our standards.

4.1. Basic types

- Void: void.
- Boolean: bool_t. 8-bit type with only two possible values TRUE (1) and FALSE (0).
- Integers: uint8_t, uint16_t, uint32_t, uint64_t, int8_t, int16_t, int32_t, int64_t. Fixed-size integers were introduced in C99 by <stdint.h>. We consider it an advantage to know that our variables will have the same size in all systems. The use of int, long, short or unsigned is prohibited, with the sole exception of the comparison functions.

```
static int i_cmp_cir(const Cir2Dd *cir1, const Cir2Dd *cir2)
{
    return (cir1->r < cir2->r) ? 1 : -1;
}
arrst_sort(circles, i_cmp_cir, Cir2Dd);
```

• Floating point: real32_t, real64_t. float and double are not used for consistency with integer types.

• Character: char t (8 bits). The UTF8 representation is used "de facto" throughout the SDK, so random access to elements of a string is prohibited, since it is a variable-length encoding. Functions included in "Unicode" (page 157) or "Strings" (page 194) must be used to manipulate arrays of characters. The types wchar t, char16 t, char32 t are not used (or recommended). However, if you have widechar strings you will need to convert them to UTF8 before using them in any NAppGUI functions.

Using UTF8 strings

```
/* Error! */
const char t *mystr = "Ramón tiene un camión";
while (mystr[i] != '\0')
    if (mystr[i] == 'o')
        /* Do something */
    else
        i += 1;
/* Correct! */
const char t *it = mystr;
uint32 t cp = unicode to u32(it, ekUTF8);
while (cp != '\0')
    if (cp == 'ó')
        /* Do something */
    }
    else
        it = unicode next(it, ekUTF8);
        cp = unicode to u32(it, ekUTF8);
    }
}
/* Avoid using wchar t constants (when possible).
   wchar t uses UTF16 encoding */
const wchar t *mywstr = L"Ramón tiene un camión";
char t mystr[512];
unicode convers((const char t*)mywstr, mystr, ekUTF16, ekUTF8, sizeof(
   → mystr));
/* This is a NAppGUI function (UTF8-Encoding) */
label text(label, mystr);
```

• Enumerated: Their main task is to manage the specialization and they will be evaluated exclusively within a switch. It is forbidden to assign random values to the elements of an enum, except 1 to the first one. Consider 0 as **not initialized** and ENUM MAX(align t) as **invalid**.

Defining enumerated types

```
typedef enum _align_t
{
    ekTOP = 1,
    ekBOTTOM,
    ekLEFT,
    ekRIGHT
} align_t;
```

4.2. Structures and unions

Definition of structures and unions

```
typedef struct layout t Layout;
typedef union _attr t Attr;
struct _layout_t
    Cell *parent;
    Panel *panel;
    bool t is row major tab;
    ArrSt(Cell) *cells;
    ArrPt(Cell) *cells dim[2];
    real32 t dim margin[2];
    color t bgcolor;
    color t skcolor;
};
union attr t
    struct bool
        bool t def;
    } boolt;
    struct int
        int64 t def;
        int64 t min;
        int64 t max;
        int64 t incr;
        String *format;
    } intt;
```

```
struct real32
    {
        real32 t def;
        real32 t min;
        real32 t max;
        real32 t prec;
        real32 t incr;
        uint32 t dec;
        String *format;
    } real32t;
};
```

In general, structure definitions will not be public and will remain hidden in the *.c. This means that automatic variables cannot be declared in the "Stack Segment" (page 164) and will only be accessible by functions that accept opaque dynamic objects.

Use of opaque pointers

```
Layout *layout = layout create(2, 2);
layout edit(layout, edit, 0, 0);
layout label(layout, label, 0, 1);
panel layout (panel, layout);
/* Layout definition is hidden
   We do not know the content of Layout */
Layout layout; /* Compiler error! */
```

Normally, all dynamic objects will have a destroy function. If it does not exist, it is because said object only makes sense as part of another object. For example, there is no layout destroy() or panel destroy(), but there is window destroy which will destroy the entire hierarchy of panels and associated layouts to the window.

4.3. Control

• if/else. They always open a {...} block, unless ALL paths consist of a single statement. Using functions as arguments to if/else is generally avoided with the exception of pure functions.

Use of if/else

```
if (x == 1)
    i do something(j);
else
    i do nothing();
if (x == 1)
```

```
j += 2;
i_do_something(j);
}
else
{
   i_do_nothing();
}
if (bmath_sqrtf(sqlen) < 20.5f)
   i_do_something(j);</pre>
```

- while. Nothing to comment.
- do/while. Not allowed. Use for or while.
- for. For infinite loops, use for (;;) instead of while (TRUE), as it avoids warnings in some compilers. Since there are ANSI-C based compilers, such as MSVC++ 8.0, we do not use variable declarations inside the for (), a feature that was introduced in C99.

Use of for

```
/* Infinite loop */
for(;;)
{
          ...
}

/* Will not work in some compilers (not used) */
for (uint32_t i = 0; i < 1024; ++i)
{
          ...
}

/* Ok */
uint32_t i = 0;
...
for (i = 0; i < 1024; ++i)
{
          ...
}</pre>
```

• switch. It is only used to discriminate between the values of an enum. Any other data type will NEVER be evaluated in a switch nor will an enum be discriminated within an if/else construct. The compiler can drastically optimize the performance of a build with these features.

Use of switch

```
case ekTOP:
    break:
case ekBOTTOM:
    break;
case ekLEFT:
    break;
case ekRIGHT:
   break:
cassert default();
```

4.4. **Functions**

- A function can return nothing (void), a basic type, or a pointer.
- Input parameters are always **const** even if they are simple types passed by value.
- Any input parameter that is not of basic type will be passed by pointer. Never a structure by value.
- For the output parameters, pointers will always be used. In C there are no references.

Parameters in functions.

```
uint32 t myfunc(const uint32 t input1, const Layout *input2, V2Df *output1
   → , real32 t *output2);
```

- The number of public functions should be kept to a minimum, which will be declared in the *.h and defined in the *.c.
- Supporting (or private) functions will be defined static, inside the *.c module and will have no declaration.

Public function.

```
/* layout.h */
void layout hsize(Layout *layout, const uint32 t col, const real32 t wid);
/* lavout.c */
void layout hsize(Layout *layout, const uint32 t col, const real32 t wid)
    i LineDim *dim = NULL;
```

```
cassert_no_null(layout);
cassert_msg(wid >= 0.f, "Column 'width' must be positive.");
dim = arrst_get(layout->lines_dim[0], col, i_LineDim);
cassert_no_null(dim);
dim->forced_size = wid;
}
```

Private function. It can only be called inside layout.c.

```
/* layout.c */
static Cell *i_get_cell(Layout *lay, const uint32_t c, const uint32_t r)
{
    register uint32_t position = UINT32_MAX;
    cassert_no_null(lay);
    cassert(c < arrst_size(lay->lines_dim[0], i_LineDim));
    cassert(r < arrst_size(lay->lines_dim[1], i_LineDim));
    position = r * arrst_size(lay->lines_dim[0], i_LineDim) + c;
    return arrst_get(lay->cells, position, Cell);
}
```

4.5. Scopes

Variables are declared at the beginning of a block and cannot be mixed with statements, unless we open a new scope. Declarations mixed with statements is a C++ feature added to the C99 standard, but not all C compilers support it. Yes, it is allowed to initialize a variable by calling a function.

Variable scopes in C

```
{
    /* Ok! */
    uint32_t var1 = 5;
    uint32_t var2 = i_get_value(stm);
    uint32_t var3 = i_get_value(stm);

    i_add_values(var1, var2, var3);

    /* Error in C90 compilers */
    uint32_t var4 = 6;

    /* Ok! */
    {
        uint32_t var4 = 6;
        ....
    }
}
```

4.6. Pointers

Apart from the advantages of using pointer arithmetic when implementing certain algorithms, in NAppGUI pointers are used essentially in two situations:

• Passing parameters to a function, when said parameter is not a basic type.

Passing of parameters through pointers.

```
V2Df v1 = v2df(10, 43.5f);
V2Df v2 = v2df(-4.8f, val);
V2Df v3 = v2d addf(&v1, &v2);
/* v2d.h */
V2Df v2d addf(const V2Df *v1, const V2Df *v2);
```

 Handling opaque objects. Where the definition of the struct is not available and therefore the only way to communicate with the object is through functions that accept a pointer to it.

Use of opaque objects.

```
const V2Df pt[] = { \{4,1\}, \{2,5\}, \{-3,5\}, \{-4,2\}, \{0,-3\} };
Pol2Df *pol = pol2d createf(pt, 5);
real32 t a = pol2d areaf(pol);
pol2d destroyf(&pol);
/* pol2d.h */
Pol2Df* pol2d createf(const V2Df *points, const uint32 t n);
void pol2d destroyf(Pol2Df **pol);
real32 t pol2d areaf(const Pol2Df *pol);
```

Special mention should be made of the function pointers that are widely used in C, but less so in C++ as the language hides them inside vtables. However, a strategically placed function pointer can make it easier for us to add specialized functionality to existing objects, without having to adopt a more purist object-oriented design.

Listing 4.1: Use of function pointers.

```
typedef struct shape t Shape;
typedef void (*FPtr draw) (const Shape*, DCtx *ctx);
struct shape t
    ArrSt(V2Df) *points;
   Material *material;
```

```
FPtr_draw func_draw;
};

static void i_draw_conceptual(const Shape *shape, DCtx *ctx)
{
    /* Do simple drawing */
}

static void i_draw_realistic(const Shape *shape, DCtx *ctx)
{
    /* Do complex drawing */
}

Shape *shape[N];
Shape *shape[0] = heap_new(Shape);
Shape *shape[1] = heap_new(Shape);
shape[0]->func_draw = i_draw_conceptual;
shape[1]->func_draw = i_draw_realistic;
...

for (i = 0; i < N; ++i)
    shape[i]->func_draw(shape[i], ctx);
```

4.7. Preprocessor

Our standards make heavy use of the preprocessor, especially for type checking at compile time. This helps to detect errors in the code before running the program (static analysis), as opposed to the C++ RTTI that does it once it is running (dynamic analysis).

Using the preprocessor to check types.

```
#define arrst_destroy(array, func_remove, type)\
    ((void)((array) == (ArrSt(type)**)(array)),\
    FUNC_CHECK_REMOVE(func_remove, type),\
    array_destroy_imp((Array**)(array), (FPtr_remove)func_remove, (const char_t \to *) (ARRST#type)))

ArrSt(Product) *products = arrst_create(Product);
...
static void i_remove_product(Product *product)
{

/* 'products' and 'i_remove_product' will be checked at compile time */
arrst_destroy(&products, i_remove_product, Product);
```

Dynamic typing is not necessarily good. You get static errors at runtime, which really should be catchable at compile time. Rob Pike.

4.8. Comments

In general, the use of comments will be reduced as much as possible. A comment will be placed at the beginning of each file as a general description. We also use a comment line as a separator when implementing functions.

```
stream.c
/* Data streams. Manage connection-oriented communication */
#include "stream.h"
#include "stream.inl"
#include "bfile.h"
#include "bmem.h"
/*-----/
static void i func1 (void)
  /* Do something */
/*-----*/
static void i func2 (void)
  /* Do something */
```

C++ comments // Comment... are NOT allowed, as they generate warnings in certain gcc -std=gnu90 compilers.

Another aspect that is **totally prohibited** is the inclusion of documentation blocks within the source code, not even in the headers themselves. NAppGUI uses ndoc for documentation tasks, a utility that allows you to create html/pdf documents enriched with images, cross-references, examples, etc. and that uses its own files totally separated from the code. Another added advantage is the cleanliness of the *.h headers of all the modules, where it is very easy to locate what we are looking for.

Documentation blocks are NOT allowed.

```
/*! Gets the area of the polygon.
   \param pol The polygon.
   \return The area.
*/
real32_t pol2d_areaf(const Pol2Dd *pol);
```

Header example in NAppGUI.

```
/* 2d convex polygon */
#include "geom2d.hxx"

_EXTERN_C

Pol2Df* pol2d_createf(const V2Df *points, const uint32_t n);

Pol2Df* pol2d_copyf(const Pol2Df *pol);

void pol2d_destroyf(Pol2Df **pol);

void pol2d_transformf(Pol2Df *pol, const T2Df *t2d);

const V2Df *pol2d_pointsf(const Pol2Df *pol);

uint32_t pol2d_nf(const Pol2Df *pol);

real32_t pol2d_areaf(const Pol2Df *pol);

bool_t pol2d_ccwf(const Pol2Df *pol);

bool_t pol2d_convexf(const Pol2Df *pol);

_END_C
```

All comments in NAppGUI are made in English language.

4.9. Input/Output

Input/output is not part of the C language as such. As the language spread in the mid-1970s, a number of useful routines were grouped together into what became the **Standard C Library**. NAppGUI encapsulates all its functionality in "Sewer" (page 151), "Osbs" (page 168) or "Core" (page 189) generally implementing it as much more direct and efficient calls to the operating system.

Use of safe I/O functions.

```
/* Do not use cstdlib in applications */
#include <stdio.h>
```

```
FILE *fp = fopen("/tmp/test.txt", "w+");
fprintf(fp, "This is testing for fprintf...\n");
fclose(fp);
/* Use NAppGUI functions */
#include "stream.h"
Stream *stm = stm to file("/tmp/test.txt", NULL);
stm printf(stm, "This is testing for stm printf...\n");
stm close(&stm);
```

Use of the Standard C Library is not recommended. Look for the equivalent function in Sewer. Osbs. or Core.

4.10. **Mathematical algorithms**

NAppGUI uses C++ templates to implement any function or mathematical algorithm. With this it is possible to offer float and double versions in an elegant way and with easy maintenance. The templates are hidden and not exposed in the API, so that their use remains ANSI-C90 compliant. For more information "Math templates" (page 53).

NAppGUI makes internal use of C++98 template<> to implement everything related to mathematical calculation.

Use of C++

Web servers are written in C, and if they're not, they're written in Java or C++, which are C derivatives, or Python or Ruby, which are implemented in C.

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Object-oriented programming (encapsulation, inheritance and polymorphism) is a very powerful tool for modeling certain kinds of problems. However, at NAppGUI we believe that it is wrong to impose a class hierarchy at the SDK level, as this is too low a level. The SDK is closer to the operating system and the machine than to the real-world problems solved by applications, where an object-oriented approach may (or may not) be more successful.

Although NAppGUI has been designed to create applications in "pure" C, it is possible to use C++ or mix both languages. We'll give some advice, porting our "Hello World!" (page 23) application to C++.

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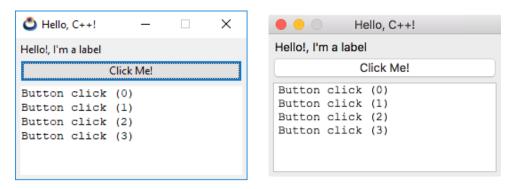


Figure 5.1: Migration from Hello, world! to C++.

5.1. Encapsulation

NAppGUI does not enforce any class hierarchy, leaving the programmer the freedom to encapsulate using their own classes. Of course, since C++ includes C, we can call any SDK C function inside a member function. For example, we can encapsulate the main window like this.

```
class MainWindow
{
public:
    MainWindow();
    ~MainWindow();

private:
    static void i_OnClose(MainWindow *window, Event *e);
    static void i_OnButton(MainWindow *window, Event *e);
    Panel *i_panel(void);

    Window *window;
    TextView *text;
    uint32_t clicks;
};
```

As you can see, relative to the C version, i_panel no longer needs parameters, as it uses the implicit this pointer to access class members.

5.2. Class callbacks

Event handlers are C functions whose first parameter is a pointer to the object that receives the message. This works the same way using static functions within a C++ class:

```
...
static void i_OnClose(MainWindow *window, Event *e);
```

```
window OnClose (this->window, listener (this, i OnClose, MainWindow));
```

However, we may want to use member functions as event handlers, using the **this** pointer as the receiver. To do this, we derive our MainWindow from the IListener interface and use the listen macro instead of listener().

```
class MainWindow : public IListener
    void i OnClose(Event *e);
   void i OnButton(Event *e);
};
void MainWindow::i OnButton(Event *e)
    String *msg = str printf("Button click (%d)\n", this->clicks);
}
button OnClick(button, listen(this, MainWindow, i OnButton));
```

IListener is a C++ interface that allows you to use class member methods as event handlers.

It is also possible to direct the event to a different object (and of a different class) than the control owner. To do this, we indicate the receiver as the first parameter of listen, as we see below. The click of the close button will be processed in the App class and not in MainWindow.

```
class App : public IListener
public:
    App();
    ~App();
    void i OnClose(Event *e);
private:
    MainWindow *main window;
};
class MainWindow : public IListener
public:
 MainWindow(App *app);
```

```
MainWindow::MainWindow(App *app)
{
    ...
    window_OnClose(this->window, listen(app, App, i_OnClose));
    ...
}

void App::i_OnClose(Event *e)
{
    osapp_finish();
}
```

We can establish as event receiver, any object that implements the IListener interface.

5.3. Combine C and C++ modules

A C/C++ project selects the compiler based on the file extension. For *.c the C compiler will be used and for *.cpp the C++ compiler. The same project can combine modules in both languages if we consider the following.

5.3.1. Using C from C++

There is no problem if the C header function declarations are between the macros: EXTERN C and END C.

```
__EXTERN_C

real32_t mymaths_add(const real32_t a, const real32_t b);

real32_t mymaths_sub(const real32_t a, const real32_t b);

__END_C
```

5.3.2. Using C++ from C

C does not understand the class keyword and will give a compile error when including C++ headers. It is necessary to define an interface in C over C++ code.

mywindow.h

```
EXTERN C
typedef struct mywin t MyWindow;
MyWindow *mywindow create();
void mywindow move(MyWindow *window, const real32 t x, const real32 t y);
 END C
```

mywindow.cpp

```
class MainWindow
public:
    MainWindow();
    void move(const real32 t x, const real32 t y);
};
MyWindow *mywindow create()
    return (MyWindow*) new MainWindow();
void mywindow move(MyWindow *window, const real32 t x, const real32 t y)
    ((MainWindow*)window) ->move(x, y);
```

new and delete overload 5.4.

C++ uses the new and delete operators to create dynamic instances of objects. We can make reservations through Heap, the "Heap - Memory manager" (page 190) manager that NAppGUI incorporates, in order to optimize C++ and control Memory Leaks.

```
class MainWindow : public IListener
    void *operator new(size t size)
        return (void*)heap malloc((uint32 t)size, "MainWindow");
    }
    void operator delete(void *ptr, size_t size)
        heap free ((byte t**) &ptr, (uint32 t) size, "MainWindow");
```

} **;**

5.5. Hello C++ complete

Listing 5.1: demo/hellocpp/main.cpp

```
/* NAppGUI C++ Hello World */
#include <nappqui.h>
class App;
class MainWindow : public IListener
public:
   MainWindow(App *app);
   ~MainWindow();
   void *operator new(size t size) { return (void*)heap malloc((uint32 t)size,
      → "MainWindow"); }
   void operator delete(void *ptr, size t size) { heap free((byte t**)&ptr, (
      → uint32 t)size, "MainWindow"); }
private:
   void i OnButton(Event *e);
   Panel *i panel(void);
   Window *window;
   TextView *text;
   uint32 t clicks;
};
/*-----/
class App : public IListener
public:
   App();
   ~App();
   void i OnClose(Event *e);
   void *operator new(size_t size) { return (void*)heap_malloc((uint32 t)size,
      → "App"); }
   void operator delete(void *ptr, size t size) { heap free((byte t**)&ptr, (
      → uint32 t)size, "App"); }
private:
   MainWindow *main window;
};
/*----*/
```

```
void MainWindow::i OnButton(Event *e)
   String *msg = str printf("Button click (%d)\n", this->clicks);
   textview writef(this->text, tc(msg));
   str destroy(&msq);
   this->clicks += 1;
   unref(e);
                       _____*/
Panel *MainWindow::i panel(void)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 3);
   Label *label = label create();
   Button *button = button push();
   TextView *textv = textview create();
   this->text = textv;
   label text(label, "Hello!, I'm a label");
   button text(button, "Click Me!");
   button OnClick(button, IListen(this, MainWindow, i OnButton));
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 0);
   layout button (layout, button, 0, 1);
   layout textview(layout, textv, 0, 2);
   layout hsize(layout, 0, 250);
   layout vsize(layout, 2, 100);
   layout margin(layout, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   panel layout(panel, layout);
   return panel;
              -----
void App::i OnClose(Event *e)
   osapp finish();
   unref(e);
}
MainWindow::MainWindow(App *app)
   Panel *panel = i_panel();
   this->window = window create(ekWINDOW STD);
   this->clicks = 0;
   window panel(this->window, panel);
```

```
window title(this->window, "Hello, C++!");
  window origin (this->window, v2df(500, 200));
  window OnClose (this->window, IListen (app, App, i OnClose));
  window show(this->window);
/*-----*/
MainWindow::~MainWindow()
  window destroy(&this->window);
App::App(void)
  this->main window = new MainWindow(this);
/*-----*/
App::~App()
  delete this->main window;
static App *i create(void)
  return new App();
static void i destroy(App **app)
  delete *app;
  *app = NULL;
/*-----*/
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i create, i destroy, "", App)
```

5.6. Math templates

In NAppGUI there are two versions for all (Listing 5.2) functions and math types: float (real32_t) and double (real64_t). We can use one or the other as appropriate in each case.

Listing 5.2: Cabecera bmath.h (parcial).

```
/* Math funcions */
#include "osbs.hxx"

_EXTERN_C

real32_t bmath_cosf(const real32_t angle);

real64_t bmath_cosd(const real64_t angle);

real32_t bmath_sinf(const real32_t angle);

real64_t bmath_sind(const real64_t angle);

extern const real32_t kBMATH_PIf;
extern const real64_t kBMATH_PId;
extern const real32_t kBMATH_SQRT2f;
extern const real64_t kBMATH_SQRT2d;
_END_C
```

All single-precision functions and types end with the suffix "f" and double-precision types end with "d".

When we implement more complex geometric or algebraic functions, it is not easy to be clear in advance what the correct precision is. When in doubt, we can always choose to use double, but this will have an impact on performance, especially due to the use of memory bandwidth. Consider the case of 3D meshes with thousands of vertices. It would be great to have both versions and be able to use one or the other according to each specific case.

Unfortunately the "pure" C language does not allow programming with generic types, apart from using horrible and endless macros. We will have to implement both versions (float and double), with the associated maintenance cost. C++ solves the problem thanks to templates (template<>). The downside is that, normally, we must "open" the implementation and include it in the .h header, since the compiler does not know how to generate the machine code until the template is instantiated with a specific data type. This is in direct conflict with our "Standards" (page 58), especially in the part related to information encapsulation. Next we will see how to use C++ templates to get the best of both cases: Generic programming, hiding implementations and keeping headers "clean".

Just as there is a *.h header for every math module, there is a counterpart *.hpp usable only from C++ (Listing 5.3) modules.

Listing 5.3: Header bmath.hpp (partial).

```
/* Math funcions */
#include "osbs.hxx"

template<typename real>
struct BMath
{
    static real(*cos)(const real angle);
    static real(*sin)(const real angle);
    static const real kPI;
    static const real kSQRT2;
};
```

These templates contain pointers to functions, whose implementations are hidden in bmath.cpp. In (Listing 5.4) we have an example of use.

Listing 5.4: Implementation of a generic algorithm.

```
#include "bmath.hpp"

template<typename real>
static void i_circle(const real r, const uint32_t n, V2D<real> *v)

{
    real a = 0, s = (2 * BMath<real>::kPI) / (real)n;
    for (uint32_t i = 0; i < n; ++i, a += s)
    {
        v[i].x = r * BMath<real>::cos(a);
        v[i].y = r * BMath<real>::sin(a);
    }
}
```

This algorithm is implemented within a C++ module (Listing 5.5), but we want to be able to call it from other modules, both C and C++. To do this we will define the two types of headers: *.h (Listing 5.6) and *.hpp (Listing 5.7).

Listing 5.5: mymath.cpp. Implementation.

```
#include "mymath.h"
#include "mymath.hpp"
#include "bmath.hpp"

template<typename real>
static void i_circle(const real r, const uint32_t n, V2D<real> *v)
{
```

```
real a = 0, s = (2 * BMath < real > :: kPI) / (real)n;
    for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i, a += s)
        v[i].x = r * BMath<real>::cos(a);
       v[i].y = r * BMath < real > :: sin(a);
    }
}
void mymath circlef(const real32 t r, const uint32 t n, V2Df *v)
    i circle<real32 t>(r, n, (V2D<real32 t>*)v);
void mymath circled(const real64 t r, const uint64 t n, V2Dd *v)
    i circle<real64 t>(r, n, (V2D<real64 t>*)v);
template<>
void(*MyMath<real32 t>::circle)(const real32 t, const uint32 t, V2D<real32 t>*)
   → = i circle<real32 t>;
template<>
void(*MyMath<real64 t>::circle)(const real64 t, const uint32 t, V2D<real64 t>*)
```

Listing 5.6: mymath.h. Cabecera C.

```
#include "geom2d.hxx"
EXTERN C
void mymath circlef(const real32 t r, const uint32 t n, V2Df *v);
void mymath circled(const real64 t r, const uint64 t n, V2Dd *v);
 END C
```

Listing 5.7: mymath.hpp. Cabecera C++.

```
#include "v2d.hpp"
template<typename real>
struct MyMath
   void (*circle) (const real r, const uint32 t n, V2D<real> *v);
};
```

Now we can use our math library in C and C++, both in float and double precision (Listing 5.8).

Listing 5.8: Using mymaths in generic C++ algorithms.

Error management

There is always one more bug to fix.

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Developing software of a certain size and complexity can become a hellish task, if we do not adopt concrete measures to prevent and quickly locate programming bugs. Next we will talk about some strategies that we have used in the development of NAppGUI and that you can apply in your own projects.

6.1. Exhaustive tests

Ensuring that our software is bug free is as "easy" as running a test for each and every case the (Figure 6.1) program will face.

Already from trivial theoretical examples, we see that we are dealing with an exponential problem (Figure 6.2), which will overwhelm the resources of any system with relatively few input variables. Therefore, we can intuit that it will be **impossible** to guarantee that

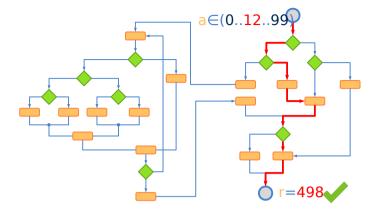


Figure 6.1: Exhaustive tests use all possible combinations of the input data.

our software is free of errors since it will not be feasible to reproduce all its use cases. However, we can define a strategy that helps us minimize the impact that these will have on the final product, detecting and correcting them as soon as possible.

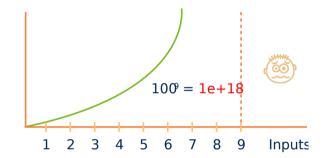


Figure 6.2: With only 9 input variables (in range 0..99) the computational resources will overflow.

6.2. Static analysis

Static analysis is the one that is carried out **before executing the program** and consists of two parts: The use of **standards** where rules and quality controls are applied during the writing of the code itself. And the **compiler warnings** that will help us locate potential compile-time errors.

6.2.1. Standards

The use of standards, understood as rules that we follow when programming, is essential when it comes to maintaining minimum levels of quality in our (Figure 6.3) projects. If they are not applied, a program of a certain size will become anarchic, unreadable, difficult to maintain and difficult to understand. In this scenario it will be easy to add new bugs as we manipulate the source code.

In reality, it is difficult to differentiate between good and bad standards, since they will depend on the type of project, programming languages, company philosophy and objectives

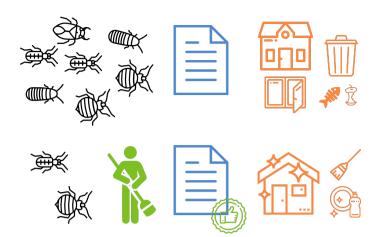


Figure 6.3: Using standards will reduce the probability of bugs.

to prioritize. We can see them as a *Style Guide* that evolves over time hand in hand with experience. What is truly important is to become aware of their usefulness, define and apply them. For example, if we decide to name variables with descriptive identifiers in English and an underscore (product_code), all our code should follow this rule without exception. Let's take a look at some of the standards we apply within NAppGUI. They are not the best nor do they have to adapt to all cases. They are only ours:

- Use a small subset of the language, as we've seen in "Use of C" (page 31). For example, expressions of the type *((int*)block + i++) = i+1, are totally prohibited. They are perfectly valid in C but poorly readable and confusing. Some programmers think that cryptic and compact code is much more maintainable, but we think they are wrong.
- Comments are prohibited, except on rare occasions and very justified. If something needs a comment, rewrite it. A comment that even slightly contradicts the code it is intended to clarify causes more confusion than help. And it is very easy for them to become obsolete.
- Reduced and clean public interfaces. Header files (*.h) represent a high level of abstraction as they reduce the connections between software components (Figure 6.4). They allow condensing, as an index, hundreds or thousands of lines of code in just fifteen or twenty public functions. It is completely forbidden to include type definitions (they will go in the *.hxx), comments (of course) and documentation blocks in .h files.
- Opaque objects. Object definitions (struct _object_t) will be made inside the implementation files (*.c) and never in the *.h. The objects will be manipulated with public functions that accept pointers to them, always hiding the fields that compose them. This point, together with the previous one on interfaces, perfectly defines the barriers between modules, clearly marking when one problem ends and

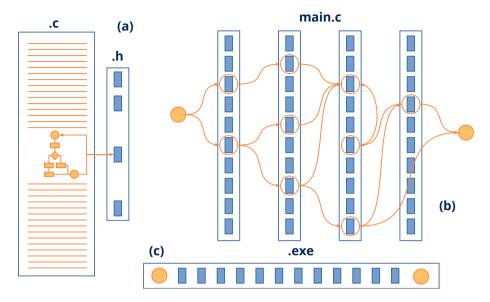


Figure 6.4: The *.h headers provide a high level of abstraction hiding the complexity of the (a) solution. They facilitate horizontal, problem-based development, as opposed to vertical learning based on (b) APIs. They help the linker reduce the size of the (c) executable.

another begins.

The first two rules help reduce the internal complexity of a module by making it as readable and less cryptic as possible. We could enrich them with others about indentation, style, variable naming, etc. We more or less strictly follow the advice of the great book *The Practice of Programming* (Figure 6.5).

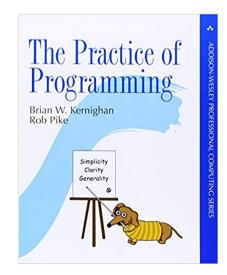


Figure 6.5: The Practice of Programming by Brian W. Kernighan and Rob Pike is a good source of inspiration for defining your own programming style.

6.2.2. Compiler warnings

The compiler is our great ally when it comes to examining the code for possible (Figure 6.6) errors. Enabling the highest possible level of *warnings* is essential to reduce errors caused by type conversions, uninitialized variables, unreachable code, etc. All projects built with NAppGUI will trigger the highest level of warnings possible, equivalent to - Wall -Wpedantic on all (Figure 6.7) platforms.

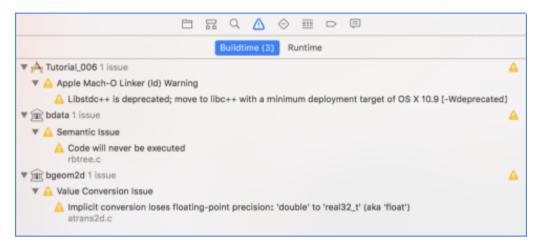


Figure 6.6: Fixing all compiler warnings should be a priority.

6.3. Dynamic analysis

Dynamic analysis is performed once the program is running. Here our main weapon is self-validations, implemented as "Asserts" (page 155) statements. Asserts are checks distributed throughout the source code, which are evaluated at runtime each time the program goes through them. If a statement resolves to FALSE, processing will stop and an (Figure 6.8) informational window will be displayed.

It is also possible to redirect **assert** statements to standard output or to the **Log** file.

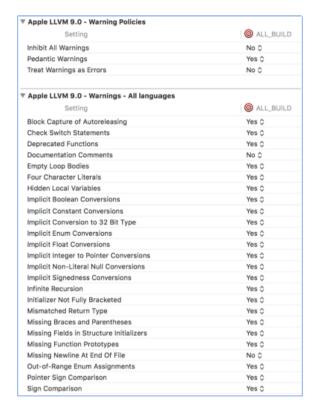


Figure 6.7: NAppGUI enables the highest level of *warnings* possible.

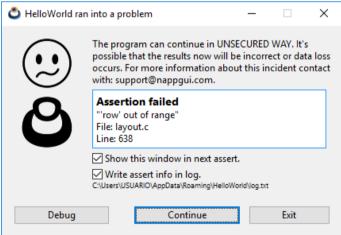


Figure 6.8: Window displayed after activating an assert.

6.3.1. Disabling Asserts

Within the NAppGUI SDK code, more than 5000 assertions have been distributed, located at strategic points, which constantly evaluate the coherence and integrity of the software. Obviously, this number will grow after each revision, as more functionality is integrated. This turns the SDK into a real minefield, where any error in the use of

the API functions will be automatically notified to the programmer. Depending on the configuration we are using, the assertions will be activated or deactivated:

- Debug: Assert statements are enabled.
- Release: The sentences assert are disabled.
- ReleaseWithAssert: As the name suggests, turns on all Release optimizations, but leaves assert statements on.

Debugging the program 6.3.2.

When an assert is activated, the program stops right at the check point, showing the assert confirmation window. If we press the [Debug] button, we will access the call stack (Figure 6.9), which is the current function call stack, from the main () itself to the current breakpoint "Stack Segment" (page 164). By browsing the stack we can check the values of variables and objects at any call level. This will help us identify the source of the error, as the cause may be a few levels below detection.

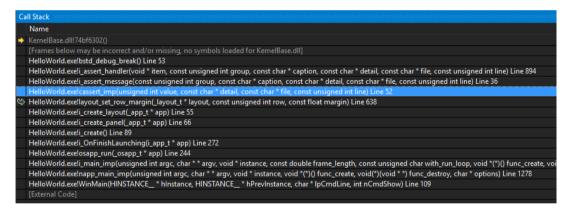


Figure 6.9: Call stack while debugging the assertion from the previous example.

6.3.3. **Error log**

An execution "Log" (page 186) is a file where the program dumps information about its status or anomalies detected. It can be very useful to know the cause of a failure when the software has already been distributed and it is not possible to debug it. NAppGUI automatically creates a log file for each application located in the application data directory APP DATA\APP NAME\log.txt, for example C:\Users\USER\AppData\Roaming\ HelloWorld\log.txt.

```
[15:42:29] Starting log for 'HelloWorld'
[15:42:29] TextView created: [0x6FFC7A30]
[15:42:32] Assertion failed (c:\\nappgui 1 0\\src\\gui\\layout.c:638): "'row'
   → out of range"
```

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As you can see, the assertions are automatically redirected to the *log* file. It is possible to disable this writing by unchecking the 'Write assert info in log' check in the info window. You can also add your own messages using the log printf method.

```
log_printf("TextView created: [0x%X]", view);
```

6.3.4. Memory auditor

NAppGUI's memory manager "Heap - Memory manager" (page 190) has an associated auditor that checks for leaks memory after each execution of each application that uses the SDK. This is a great advantage over using external utilities, as dynamic memory checks are being performed always and not in isolated phases of development.

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In "Quick start" (page 5) we already saw how to compile and run the examples from the source code. Now we will focus on installing the SDK in order to start creating our own applications. Follow these steps to download, compile and install the static link version of the libraries.

```
git clone --depth 1 https://github.com/frang75/nappgui_src.git
cd nappgui_src

// Windows
cmake -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO
cmake --build build --config Release -j 4
cmake --install build --config Release --prefix C:/nappgui

// macOS
cmake -G Xcode -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO
cmake --build build --config Release -j 4
cmake --install build --config Release --prefix /usr/local/nappgui

// Linux
cmake -S . -B build -DCMAKE_BUILD_TYPE=Release
cmake --build build -j 4
cmake --install build --config Release --prefix /usr/local/nappgui
```

If you prefer to generate NAppGUI in dynamic link mode (.dll, .so, .dylib), follow these instructions.

```
git clone --depth 1 https://github.com/frang75/nappgui_src.git
```

```
cd nappgui_src

// Windows
cmake -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO -DNAPPGUI_SHARED=YES
cmake --build build --config Release -j 4
cmake --install build --config Release --prefix C:/nappgui

// macOS
cmake -G Xcode -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO -DNAPPGUI_SHARED=YES
cmake --build build --config Release -j 4
cmake --install build --config Release --prefix /usr/local/nappgui

// Linux
cmake -S . -B build -DCMAKE_BUILD_TYPE=Release -DNAPPGUI_SHARED=YES
cmake --build build -j 4
cmake --install build --config Release --prefix /usr/local/nappgui
```

If you use NAppGUi in DLL mode you must ensure that your future applications find the libraries, updating the PATH variable of each system.

- On Windows, add the installation directory /bin to the PATH environment variable. e.g. C:\nappgui\bin.
- On Linux: export LD_LIBRARY_PATH=LD_LIBRARY_PATH:/usr/local/nappgui/bin.
- On macOS: export DYLD_LIBRARY_PATH=DYLD_LIBRARY_PATH:/usr/local/nappgui/bin.

7.1. Configuration options

Initially, CMake must prepare the build projects. In "Generators, compilers and IDEs" (page 115) you will have more exhaustive information about the particularities of each platform.

```
cmake -G [Generator] -S [SourceDir] -B [BuildDir] [Options]
```

- -G: "CMake Generators" (page 117). If omitted, the value of CMAKE_GENERATOR or a default will be used.
- -S: Directory where the NAppGUI CMakeLists.txt file is located.
- -B: Directory where the compilation projects and binaries will be generated.
- -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO: Does not generate the example applications. Only the essential SDK libraries.

- -DCMAKE_BUILD_TYPE=Release: In mono-configuration generators, eg. Unix Makefiles, configure to compile in release mode. Also supports Debug (by default).
- -DNAPPGUI_SHARED=YES: Generate dynamic link libraries (.dll, .so, .dylib), instead of static link (default).

7.2. Build Options

Once the scripts have been generated in the previous step, we launch the compilation using CMake.

```
cmake --build [BuildDir] --config [Debug|Release] -j [NumProcs]
```

- --build: Directory where the build projects are located (parameter -B in configuration).
- --config: In multi-configuration generators, eg. Visual Studio indicates which configuration to compile (Debug or Release).
- -j: Number of concurrent compilation processes or threads.

After compilation we will have in [BuildDir]/[Debug|Release]/bin the generated executables and dynamic libraries. In /lib the static libraries.

7.3. Packaging and installation

After compilation we package the binaries and headers in order to have them available when creating our own applications.

```
cmake --install [BuildDir] --config [Debug|Release] --prefix [PackagePath]
```

- --install: Directory where build projects are located (parameter -B in configuration).
- --config: Configuration to be packaged (Debug or Release).
- --prefix: Package destination directory. If omitted, CMake will use the default system directories: /usr/local on UNIX or C:/Program Files/{PROJECT_NAME} on Windows.

To install in system directories (without the --prefix), we may have to run **cmake** -**install** in administrator mode.

In the destination path we will have this file and directory structure:

```
nappgui ---
 bin | ---
    nrc -
 inc|
    core||-
       array.h||—
arrpt.h||—
    draw2d||-
       color.h||-
       dctx.h
    geom2d | |---
       box2d.h
       box2d.hpp
    gui||-
       button.h | | ---
       cell.h
    inet|| ---
       base64.h
       httpreq.h | | ---
    nappgui.h | -
    osapp | | ---
       osapp.def | | ---
       osapp.h||--
    osbs | | ---
       bfile.h||---
bmutex.h||--
    osgui||-
       osbutton.h||-
       oscombo.h | -
    sewer||---
       arch.hxx | | ---
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 lib||-
    libcore.a -
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    libdraw2d.a|-
    libgui.a|
    libinet.a |-
    libosapp.a | ---
    libosbs.a
    libosgui.a | -
    libsewer.aL
```

```
prj 🕌
   CMakeTarget.cmake -
   version.txt
```

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Create new application

I consider myself a technical person who chose a great project and an excellent way to carry it out.

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In "Build NAppGUI" (page 65) we have seen how to compile and package the SDK. Also, in "Hello World!" (page 23), we learned the basic structure of a NAppGUI-based application. The time has come to create our own applications, taking advantage of the CMake modules included in the /prj folder of the installation.

This chapter is focused on the use of CMake. If you use another build system in your projects, you will have to adapt the dependency management yourself.

8.1. Use of find_package()

NAppGUI supports the CMake find_package() command, so managing dependencies is extremely simple. To create a new desktop application, start in a new folder with two files: CMakeLists.txt and main.c:

Our first NAppGUI application.

CMakeLists.txt

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.0)
project(NAppHello)
find_package(nappgui REQUIRED)
# Remove WIN32 in Linux and macOS
add_executable(naphello WIN32 main.c)
target_link_libraries(naphello ${NAPPGUI_LIBRARIES})
```

main.c. Hello World

```
/* NAppGUI Hello World */
#include <nappqui.h>
typedef struct app t App;
struct _app_t
   Window *window;
    TextView *text;
   uint32 t clicks;
};
static void i OnButton(App *app, Event *e)
    String *msg = str printf("Button click (%d)\n", app->clicks);
   textview writef(app->text, tc(msg));
    str destroy(&msg);
    app->clicks += 1;
   unref(e);
}
static Panel *i panel(App *app)
    Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 3);
    Label *label = label create();
    Button *button = button push();
    TextView *text = textview_create();
   app->text = text;
```

```
label text(label, "Hello!, I'm a label");
   button text(button, "Click Me!");
   button OnClick(button, listener(app, i OnButton, App));
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button, 0, 1);
   layout textview(layout, text, 0, 2);
   layout hsize(layout, 0, 250);
   layout vsize(layout, 2, 100);
   layout margin(layout, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   panel layout (panel, layout);
   return panel;
/*----*/
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
   osapp finish();
   unref(app);
   unref(e);
}
                   -----*/
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   Panel *panel = i panel(app);
   app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STD);
   window panel(app->window, panel);
   window title(app->window, "Hello, World!");
   window origin(app->window, v2df(500, 200));
   window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
   window show(app->window);
   return app;
static void i destroy(App **app)
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
   heap delete(app, App);
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i create, i destroy, "", App)
```

You can now generate and compile the solution, using CMake in the usual way. If you installed NAppGUI cmake --install in a specific location (parameter --prefix) you must indicate the same path using -DCMAKE INSTALL PREFIX.

```
cmake -S . -B build -DCMAKE_INSTALL_PREFIX=C:/nappgui
cmake --build build
```

The find_package() command knows how to locate a package within the usual system directories, depending on each platform. We will need to specify the prefix only when the package is installed in any alternate directory.

-DCMAKE_INSTALL_PREFIX does not imply priority in the search. find_package
() might first find an installation in the system folders.

In the /build/Debug directory you will have the napphello executable (Figure 8.1).



Figure 8.1: Result of compiling and running napphello.

8.2. NAppProject.cmake

While you can manage your project's CMakeLists.txt yourself, setting up a cross-platform desktop application can be a bit tedious (even for CMake). NAppGUI provides a number of modules within the /prj directory of the installation, which can simplify this task. To test it, create a new folder and add this single file CMakeLists.txt:

CMakeLists.txt

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.0)
project(NAppHello)
find_package(nappgui REQUIRED)
include("${NAPPGUI_ROOT_PATH}/prj/NAppProject.cmake")
nap_project_desktop_app(napphello hello)
```

We execute CMake in the same way as in the previous case:

```
cmake -S . -B build -DCMAKE_INSTALL_PREFIX=C:/nappgui
cmake --build build
```

In this case we have used the function nap_project_desktop_app() of the module NAppProject.cmake, which has created a new folder /hello. We open the Visual Studio solution that has been generated in /build (Figure 8.2).

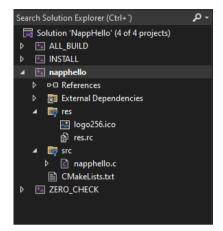


Figure 8.2: Solution created by NAppProject.cmake.

nap_project_desktop_app(appName path)

- appName: The name of the application.
- path: Relative path to CMakeLists.txt where the project will be located (in this case ./hello). Any route depth is supported. For example: games/myapp, demo/games/myapp, etc.

The first time this function is executed, several things are done:

- A new directory hello has been created with a default desktop application napphello
 .c and a CMakeLists.txt.
- A folder hello/res has been created with an image, and it has been used as an icon for the application (Figure 8.3). In "Resources" (page 101) we will continue going deeper.
- The newly created /hello/CMakeLists.txt has automatically linked to the NAppGUI binaries.

Successive calls to CMake will not overwrite the project files, so we can edit them without fear of losing the changes. Once the project is created, nap_project_desktop_app() will simply call add_subdirectory(). The nap_desktop_app() command in /hello/CMakeLists.txt knows how to handle cross-platform quirks. For example, in the case of macOS it will create a bundle instead of an isolated executable.

We don't have to limit ourselves to a single application. Our solution will support numerous targets. For example add this line to CMakeLists.txt and rerun cmake-S.

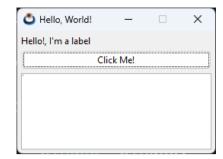


Figure 8.3: NAppHello with app icon.

CMakeLists.txt

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.0)
project(NAppHello)
find_package(nappgui REQUIRED)
include("${NAPPGUI_ROOT_PATH}/prj/NAppProject.cmake")
nap_project_desktop_app(napphello hello)
nap_project_desktop_app(nappbye bye)
```

If the solution was already open, it is possible that the IDE will notify you that there have been changes (Figure 8.4). After pressing [Reload], you will see that the new project (Figure 8.5) has appeared.

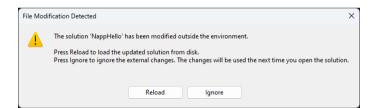


Figure 8.4: Notice of changes in Visual Studio.

8.3. Add files

Going back to the napphello project, we see that by default only one source code file (napphello.c) is created that contains the entire application. You will most likely want to split the code between different files. Create a pair of new files /hello/myfunc.c and /hello/myfunc.h from the IDE or directly from the browser. Open them and add these lines:

```
/hello/myfunc.h

// Example of new header

#include <core/core.hxx>

real32 t myadd func(real32 t a, real32 t b);
```

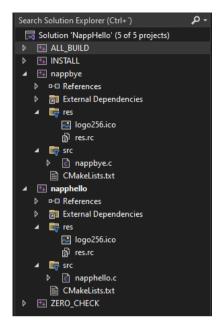


Figure 8.5: Updated solution, with the new nappbye project.

/hello/myfunc.c

```
// Example of new c file
#include "myfunc.h"
real32 t myadd func(real32 t a, real32 t b)
    return a + b;
```

Abre /hello/napphello.c y edita la función i OnButton.

/hello/napphello.c

```
static void i OnButton(App *app, Event *e)
    real32 t res = myadd func(56.4f, 23.3f);
    textview printf(app->text, "Button click (%d-%.2f)\n", app->clicks, res);
    app->clicks += 1;
    unref(e);
}
```

Re-generate the solution with cmake -S . -B build. The IDE, Visual Studio in this case, informs us again that there have been changes in the napphello project. Simply press [Reload All] as we did in the previous case.

Recompile and run napphello to see the changes you just made. You can create as many files and subfolders within the /hello directory as you need to better organize your code. Always remember to run cmake -S . -B build every time you add or remove files from the project. The nap_desktop_app() command will update the solution by "cloning" the directory structure within the project (napphello in this case).

At this point we recommend that you spend some time researching, compiling and testing the examples in the demo folder within the NAppGUI repository.

8.4. Command line applications

Similar to the desktop applications seen above, it is possible to create console applications. Add this new line to the CMakeLists.txt of the solution.

CMakeLists.txt

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.0)
project(NAppHello)
find_package(nappgui REQUIRED)
include("${NAPPGUI_ROOT_PATH}/prj/NAppProject.cmake")
nap_project_desktop_app(napphello hello)
nap_project_desktop_app(nappbye bye)
nap_project_command_app(myutil utils/myutil)
```

When regenerating the solution with cmake -S . -B build, Visual Studio will alert you again that you need to reload the solution. A new project will have been created in ./utils/myutil (Figure 8.6), but this time if you compile and run it no window will appear. You will only see a message in the Visual Studio console:

```
Hello world!
```

If you open myutil.c you will find the code that generated the previous output:

```
/* NAppGUI Console Application */
#include <core/coreall.h>
int main(int argc, char *argv[])
{
    unref(argc);
    unref(argv);
    core_start();
    bstd_printf("Hello world!\n");
    core_finish();
    return 0;
}
```

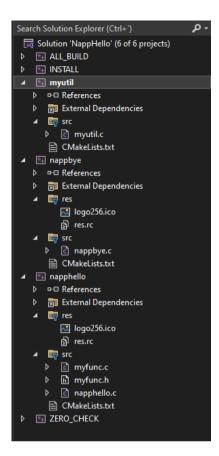


Figure 8.6: Solution with the three executables (targets).

Which is the typical template of a C program, to which the support of the *core* library has been included. From here, we can modify the code and compile. nap_command_app() already set everything up for us.

```
nap_project_command_app(appName path)
```

- appName: The name of the application.
- path: Relative path to . where the project will be located (in this case ./utils/myutil).

It goes without saying that the behavior of nap_project_command_app() is identical to that of nap_project_desktop_app(). It will not overwrite the project files once created and will integrate all new files that we add in the future.

8.5. Use of libraries

Let's imagine that our three applications needed to share certain functionalities. The smartest thing would be to encapsulate these functions in a library and for all three to have access to them. We will achieve this by inserting a new line in our CMakeLists.txt:

CMakeLists.txt

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.0)
project(NAppHello)
find_package(nappgui REQUIRED)
include("${NAPPGUI_ROOT_PATH}/prj/NAppProject.cmake")
nap_project_library(common common)
nap_project_desktop_app(napphello hello)
nap_project_desktop_app(nappbye bye)
nap_project_command_app(myutil utils/myutil)
```

Notice that the command we have inserted nap_project_library() precedes the applications. This is because CMake needs to process dependencies before the projects that use them.

```
nap_project_library(libName path)
```

- libName: The name of the library.
- path: Relative path to CMakeLists.txt where the project will be located (in this case ./common).

As with application projects, the first time nap_project_library() runs, a series of default files are created. Later they can be edited, deleted or added more as we have just seen in the case of applications:

- common.def: File that defines the _common_api macro necessary for the export of symbols. More information in "Symbols and visibility" (page 96).
- common.hxx: Here we will include the definitions of public types, such as enum, struct. At the moment common does not contain public types.
- common.h: Header file. Here we will write the general function declaration of the library. By default, CMake creates two: common_start() and common_finish(), where we would implement global start and end code for the library, if necessary.
- common.c: Implementation of general functions.
- CMakeLists.txt: Where the nap_library() command is used, analogous to nap_desktop_app () which will handle the particularities of each platform.

Open common.h and common.c, adding a new function:

common.h

```
common api uint32 t common add(uint32 t a, uint32 t b);
```

common.c

```
uint32 t common add(uint32 t a, uint32 t b)
    return a + b;
```

Edit the command nap desktop app() in /hello/CMakeLists.txt, and include the dependency with common:

```
/hello/CMakeLists.txt
```

```
nap desktop app(napphello "common" NRC NONE)
```

Run cmake -S -B build again for all changes to take effect. You can now use the new common add function within napphello.c:

napphello.c

```
static void i OnButton(App *app, Event *e)
    uint32 t r = common add(100, 200);
    textview printf(app->text, "Button click (%d-%d)\n", app->clicks, r);
    app->clicks += 1;
    unref(e);
```

You can create as many libraries as your project needs. The only thing you should keep in mind is to include the name of the new dependency in the commands nap desktop app (), nap command app() or nap library() of each target. At "Create new library" (page 83) we will continue to delve deeper into the use of libraries.

8.6. C/C++ Standard

Compilers generally allow you to check that code conforms to certain C/C++ standards, issuing warnings or errors when it does not. For the sake of portability, all projects generated by nap desktop app() and nap command app() set the older standards (C90 and C++98 respectively). You may want to use more modern standards in your projects. Open /hello/CMakeLists.txt and add these two lines:

```
nap_desktop_app(napphello "" NRC NONE)
nap target c standard(napphello 11)
nap target cxx standard(napphello 14)
target link libraries(napphello ${NAPPGUI LIBRARIES})
```

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The command nap_target_c_standard() has set the standard C11 for napphello. Same form, nap target cxx standard() has selected C++14.

- C Standard: 90, 99, 11, 17 y 23.
- C++ Standard: 98, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23 y 26.

If CMake or the compiler does not support the indicated standard, the highest allowed will be established. It is the responsibility of the programmer to use the appropriate compilers for the chosen standard.

8.7. NAppCompilers.cmake

De igual forma que el módulo NAppProject.cmake nos ayuda a crear y configurar nuestros propios proyectos, NAppCompilers.cmake que hace lo propio con los compiladores. Para utilizarlo en tu proyecto, tan solo deberás añadir estas dos líneas a tu CMakeLists. txt principal.

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.0)
project(NAppHello)
find_package(nappgui REQUIRED)
include("${NAPPGUI_ROOT_PATH}/prj/NAppCompilers.cmake")
nap_config_compiler()
include("${NAPPGUI_ROOT_PATH}/prj/NAppProject.cmake")
nap_project_desktop_app(napphello hello)
```

The function nap_config_compiler() detects the compiler among all those supported by NAppGUI: MSVC, GCC, Clang and AppleClang, setting the typical options for each configuration and platform. It also adds support for the different CMake configuration options that NAppGUI uses in its own libraries and example applications. More information at "win_macos_linux" (page ??).

Create new library

The only thing that you absolutely have to know, is the location of the library.

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The use of libraries will allow us to share common code between several projects. An example is the NAppGUI SDK, which has been organized into several static or dynamic link libraries. In "Use of libraries" (page 80) we already saw a first introduction, which we will expand on in this chapter.

9.1. Static libraries

To escape the simplistic introduction of the previous chapter, we are going to use two applications included in the NAppGUI examples: Die (Figure 9.1) and Dice (??). In both you must be able to draw the silhouette of a dice.

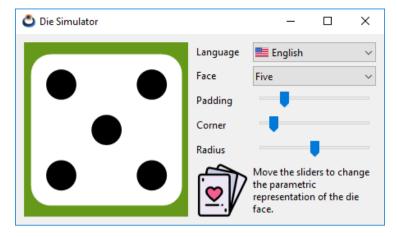


Figure 9.1: Aplicación Die.

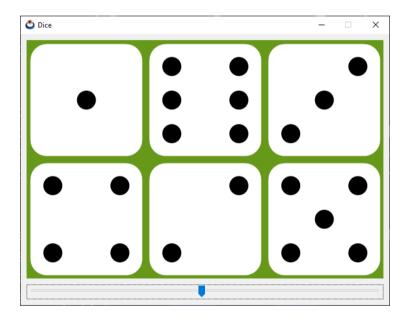


Figure 9.2: Application Dice.

It is not very complicated to intuit that we could reuse the parametric drawing routine in both projects. One way to do this would be to copy said routine from *Die* to *Dice*, but this is not the most advisable since we would have two versions of the same code to maintain. Another option, the most sensible, is to move the drawing function to a library and link it in both applications. This is very easy to do thanks to find_package () and NAppProject.cmake. Download the complete example from this link¹. Unzip it and inspect its files. The structure of the project is very similar to what was seen in the

https://www.nappqui.com/examples/nappdice.zip

previous chapter, starting with the main CMakeLists.txt:

CMakeLists.txt.

```
cmake_minimum_required(VERSION 3.0)
project(NAppDice)
find_package(nappgui REQUIRED)
include("${NAPPGUI_ROOT_PATH}/prj/NAppProject.cmake")
nap_project_library(casino casino)
nap_project_desktop_app(Die die)
nap_project_desktop_app(Dice dice)
```

- Line 1: Set the minimum version of CMake.
- Line 2: Project name.
- Line 3: Locate the NAppGUI-SDK installation.
- Line 4: Includes the NAppProject.cmake module.
- Line 5: Look for a target library in the casino directory.
- Line 6: Look for an application target in the die directory.
- Line 7: Look for a target application in the directory says.

In /die/CMakeLists.txt and /dice/CMakeLists.txt we see the link with casino:

/die/CMakeLists.txt

```
nap_desktop_app(Die "casino" NRC_EMBEDDED)
target_link_libraries(Die ${NAPPGUI_LIBRARIES})
```

/dice/CMakeLists.txt

```
nap_desktop_app(Dice "casino" NRC_NONE)
target_link_libraries(Dice ${NAPPGUI_LIBRARIES})
```

The only thing that, so far, we have not seen are the constants NRC_EMBEDDED and NRC_NONE. In "Resource processing" (page 109) we will see them in detail. Don't worry about them for now. You can build and compile the project in the usual way:

```
cmake -S . -B build -DCMAKE_INSTALL_PREFIX=C:/nappguicmake --build build --config Debug
```

Both *Die* and *Dice* have added a dependency on *casino* (Figure 9.3) via the dependList parameter of the nap_desktop_app() command. This way CMake knows that it must link, in addition to NAppGUI-SDK (NAPPGUI_LIBRARIES), the *casino* library, which is where common code from both projects is found (Figure 9.4).

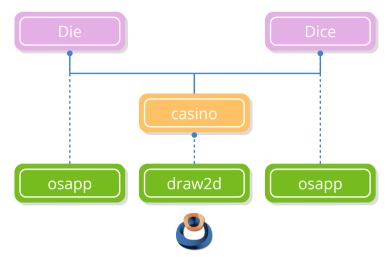


Figure 9.3: Application dependency tree, centered on the *casino* library.

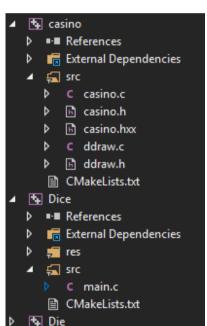


Figure 9.4: NAppDice solution with the three projects.

What does it really mean that *Die* and *Dice* have a dependency on *casino*? That from now on none of them can be compiled if there is an error in the *casino* code, since it is a fundamental module for both. Within the build project (Visual Studio, Xcode, Makefile, Ninja, etc) several things have happened:

- Both applications know where *casino* is located, so they can do #include "casino .h" without worrying about its location.
- The binary code of the *casino* functions will be included in each executable in the

linking process. CMake has already taken care of linking the library with the executables.

• Any changes made to *casino* will force the applications to be recompiled due to the previous point. Again, the build project will know how to do it in the most efficient way possible. We just have to run <code>cmake --build ./build</code> again to update all the binaries.

9.2. Dynamic libraries

Dynamic libraries are essentially the same as static libraries. The only thing that changes is the way they link to the (Figure 9.5) executable. In the static link, the library code is added to the executable itself, so the size of the latter will grow. In dynamic linking the library code is distributed in its own file (.dll, .so, .dylib) and is loaded just before the executable program.

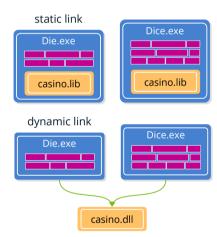


Figure 9.5: Static or dynamic casino link.

To create the dynamic version of casino, open /casino/CMakeLists.txt and change the buildShared parameter of nap_library() from NO to YES. You will also need to link casino with NAppGUI-SDK, something that does not need to be done in the static version.

```
/casino/CMakeLists.txt

nap_library(casino "" YES NRC_NONE)
target_include_directories(casino PUBLIC "${NAPPGUI_INCLUDE_PATH}")
target_link_libraries(casino ${NAPPGUI_LIBRARIES})
```

After re-generating and re-compiling the solution, you will notice that a new casino. dll appears in /build/Debug/bin. This dll will be shared by Die.exe and Dice.exe, something that did not happen when compiling the static version.

			/buil	ld/bin/Debug	
12/18/23	04:38 PM	<dir></dir>			
12/18/23	03:59 PM	<dir></dir>			
12/18/23	04:38 PM		53,248	casino.dll	
12/18/23	04:38 PM		92,672	Dice.exe	
12/18/23	04:38 PM		102,400	Die.exe	

9.2.1. Advantages of DLLs

As we have been able to intuit in the previous example, using DLLs we will reduce the size of the executables, grouping the common binary code (Figure 9.6), (Figure 9.7). This is precisely what operating systems do. For example, Die.exe will ultimately need to access Windows API functions. If all applications were to statically link Windows binaries, their size would grow inordinately and a lot of space within the file system would be wasted.

Name	Date modified	Туре	Size
res	09-Dec-22 19:33	File folder	
💍 Bode.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	467 KB
Bricks.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	394 KB
Col2dHello.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	512 KB
💍 Dice.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	394 KB
💍 Die.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	402 KB
💍 DrawBig.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	425 KB
💍 DrawHello.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	463 KB
💍 Drawlmg.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	748 KB
Fractals.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	397 KB
💍 GuiHello.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	783 KB
HelloCpp.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	401 KB
HelloWorld.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	388 KB
Products.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	494 KB
Urllmq.exe	09-Dec-22 18:58	Application	419 KB

Figure 9.6: The programming examples occupy 6.52 Mb in their static version.

Another great advantage of DLLs is memory savings at runtime. For example, if we load Die.exe, casino.dll will be loaded at the same time. But if we then load Dice. exe, both will share the existing copy of casino.dll in memory. However, with static linking, there would be two copies of casino.lib in RAM: One built into Die.exe and one from Dice.exe.

9.2.2. Disadvantages of DLLs

The main drawback of using DLLs is the incompatibility that can arise between the different versions of a library. Suppose we release a first version of the three products:

casino.dll	102,127 (v
Die.exe	84,100 (v
Dice.exe	73,430 (v

Name	Date modified	Туре	Size
res	09-Dec-22 19:34	File folder	
Bode.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	151 KB
💍 Bricks.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	124 KB
Col2dHello.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	147 KB
💍 Dice.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	122 KB
💍 Die.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	129 KB
💍 DrawBig.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	126 KB
DrawHello.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	184 KB
💍 Drawlmg.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	452 KB
Fractals.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	125 KB
💍 GuiHello.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	473 KB
HelloCpp.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	135 KB
HelloWorld.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	121 KB
Products.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	149 KB
💍 Urllmg.exe	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application	125 KB
asino.dll	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	91 KB
core.dll	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	187 KB
draw2d.dll	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	156 KB
geom2d.dll	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	291 KB
gui.dⅡ	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	194 KB
inet.dll	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	113 KB
osapp.dll	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	96 KB
osbs.dll	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	111 KB
osgui.dll	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	175 KB
sewer.dll	09-Dec-22 19:19	Application exten	215 KB

Figure 9.7: The programming examples occupy 4.08 Mb in their dynamic version.

A few months later, we released a new version of the Dice.exe application that involves changes to casino.dll. In that case, the layout of our *suite* would look like this:

```
casino.dll 106,386 (v2)*
Die.exe 84,100 (v1)?
Dice.exe 78,491 (v2)*
```

If we have not been very careful, it is very likely that Die.exe no longer works because it is not compatible with the new version of the DLL. This problem is causing many developers head and has been dubbed *DLL Hell*². Since in this example we work on a "controlled" environment we could solve it without too much trouble, creating a new version of all the applications running under casino.dll(v2).

```
casino.dll 106,386 (v2)
Die.exe 84,258 (v2)
Dice.exe 78,491 (v2)
```

This will not always be possible. Now suppose that our company develops only casino. dll and third parties work on the final products. Now each product will have its production and distribution cycles (uncontrolled environment) so, to avoid problems, each company will include a copy of the specific version of the DLL with which their product works. This could lead to the following scenario:

²https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/DLL Hell

/Apps/Die		
casino.dll	114,295	(v5)
Die.exe	86.100	(8v)
/Apps/Dice		
casino.dll	106,386	(v2)
Dice.exe	72,105	(v1)

Seeing this, we intuit that the benefits of using DLLs are not so good anymore, especially with regard to space optimization and load times. The fact is that it can get even worse. Typically, libraries are written to be as generic as possible and to serve many applications. On many occasions, a given application uses only a few functions from each library it links to. By using static libraries, the size of the (Figure 9.8) executable can be considerably reduced, since the linker knows exactly what specific functions the application uses and adds the code that is strictly necessary. However, using DLLs, we must distribute the entire library for very few functions that the (Figure 9.9) executable uses. In this case, you are wasting space and unnecessarily increasing application load times.

Figure 9.8: With static libraries the space and load times of this application are optimized.

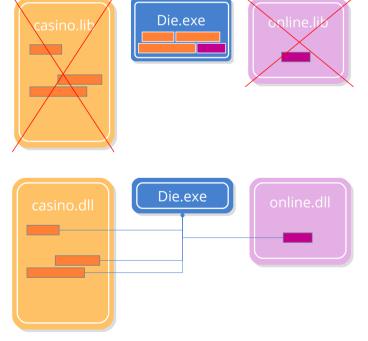


Figure 9.9: With dynamic libraries this application occupies more than it should and its load times increase.

9.2.3. Check links with DLLs

When an executable is launched, for example Die.exe, all dynamic libraries linked to it are loaded into memory (if they don't already exist). If there are any problems while

loading, the executable will fail to start and the operating system will display some kind of error.

Links on Windows

Windows will display a (Figure 9.10) error message when it cannot load a DLL associated with an executable.



If we want to see which DLLs are linked to an executable, we will use the dumpbin command.

```
dumpbin /dependents Die.exe

Dump of file Die.exe

File Type: EXECUTABLE IMAGE

Image has the following dependencies:

    casino.dll
    KERNEL32.dll
    USER32.dll
    GDI32.dll
    SHELL32.dll
    COMDLG32.dll
    gdiplus.dll
    SHLWAPI.dll
    COMCTL32.dll
    UxTheme.dll
    WS2_32.dll
```

We see, at the beginning, the dependency with casino.dll. The rest are Windows libraries related to the kernel and the user interface. In the case that we make a static link of casino:

```
dumpbin /dependents Die.exe

Dump of file Die.exe

File Type: EXECUTABLE IMAGE
```

```
Image has the following dependencies:

KERNEL32.dll
USER32.dll
GDI32.dll
SHELL32.dll
COMDLG32.dll
gdiplus.dll
SHLWAPI.dll
COMCTL32.dll
UxTheme.dll
WS2_32.dll
```

casino.dll no longer appears, having been statically linked inside Die.exe.

Links in Linux

In Linux something similar happens, we will get an error if it is not possible to load a dynamic library (*.so).

To check which libraries are linked to an executable we use the 1dd command.

```
~/$ ldd ./Die
linux-vdso.so.1 (0x00007fff58036000)
libcasino.so => libcasino.so (0x00007f6848bf4000)
libpthread.so.0 => /lib/x86 64-linux-gnu/libpthread.so.0 (0x00007f6848bba000)
libgtk-3.so.0 => /lib/x86 64-linux-gnu/libgtk-3.so.0 (0x00007f6848409000)
libgdk-3.so.0 => /lib/x86 64-linux-gnu/libgdk-3.so.0 (0x00007f6848304000)
libpangocairo-1.0.so.0 => /lib/x86 64-linux-qnu/libpangocairo-1.0.so.0 (0
   \rightarrow x00007f68482f2000)
libpango-1.0.so.0 => /lib/x86 64-linux-gnu/libpango-1.0.so.0 (0
   \rightarrow x00007f68482a3000)
libcairo.so.2 => /lib/x86 64-linux-qnu/libcairo.so.2 (0x00007f684817e000)
libgdk pixbuf-2.0.so.0 => /lib/x86 64-linux-gnu/libgdk pixbuf-2.0.so.0 (0
   \rightarrow x00007f6848156000)
libgio-2.0.so.0 => /lib/x86 64-linux-gnu/libgio-2.0.so.0 (0x00007f6847f75000)
libgobject-2.0.so.0 => /lib/x86 64-linux-gnu/libgobject-2.0.so.0 (0

→ x00007f6847f15000)

libglib-2.0.so.0 => /lib/x86 64-linux-gnu/libglib-2.0.so.0 (0x00007f6847dec000)
libm.so.6 => /lib/x86 64-linux-qnu/libm.so.6 (0x00007f6847c9d000)
libc.so.6 => /lib/x86 64-linux-gnu/libc.so.6 (0x00007f6847aa9000)
```

Where we see that Die depends on libcasino.so. The rest are dependencies of the Linux kernel, the C standard library, and GTK.

Links on macOS: We use the otool command.

9.2.4. Loading DLLs at runtime

Until now, the importation of DLL symbols is resolved at compile time, or rather at link time. This means that:

• Executables can directly access global variables and functions defined in the DLL. Returning to the code of Dice.exe, we have:

```
#include "ddraw.h"
static void i OnRedraw(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvDraw *params = event params(e, EvDraw);
   color t green = color rgb(102, 153, 26);
   real32 t w = params->width / 3;
   real32 t h = params->height / 2;
   real32 t p = kDEF PADDING;
   real32 t c = kDEF CORNER;
   real32 t r = kDEF RADIUS;
   draw clear(params->ctx, green);
   die draw(params->ctx, 0.f, 0.f, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[0]);
   die draw(params->ctx, w, 0.f, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[1]);
   die draw(params->ctx, 2 * w, 0.f, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[2]);
   die draw(params->ctx, 0.f, h, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[3]);
   die draw(params->ctx, w, h, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[4]);
   die draw(params->ctx, 2 * w, h, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[5]);
```

- Made a #include "ddraw.h", public header of casino.
- die_draw(), kDEF_PADDING, kDEF_CORNER, kDEF_RADIUS have been used.
- The dynamic library casino.dll will be loaded automatically just before Dice.exe.

• Using a static or dynamic version of casino does not imply changes to the Dice code. We would only have to change the /casino/CMakeLists.txt and recompile the solution.

/casino/CMakeLists.txt

```
# Static library
nap_library(casino "" NO NRC_NONE)
target_include_directories(casino PUBLIC "${NAPPGUI_INCLUDE_PATH}")

# Dynamic library
nap_library(casino "" YES NRC_NONE)
target_include_directories(casino PUBLIC "${NAPPGUI_INCLUDE_PATH}")
target_link_libraries(casino ${NAPPGUI_LIBRARIES})
```

However, there is the possibility that the programmer is in charge of loading, unloading and accessing the symbols of the DLLs at any time. This is known as run-time binding or symbol-less binding. At demo/dice2³ we have a new version of Dice:

```
typedef void(*FPtr ddraw) (DCtx*, const real32 t, const real32 t, const real32 t

→ , const real32 t, const real32 t, const real32 t, const real32 t, const
   \hookrightarrow uint32_t);
static void i OnRedraw(App *app, Event *e)
    const EvDraw *params = event params(e, EvDraw);
    DLib *casino = dlib open(NULL, "casino d");
    FPtr_ddraw func_draw = dlib_proc(casino, "die draw", FPtr ddraw);
    color t green = color rgb(102, 153, 26);
    real32 t w = params -> width / 3;
    real32 t h = params->height / 2;
    real32 t p = *dlib var(casino, "kDEF PADDING", real32 t);
    real32 t c = *dlib var(casino, "kDEF CORNER", real32 t);
    real32 t r = *dlib var(casino, "kDEF RADIUS", real32 t);
    draw clear(params->ctx, green);
    func draw(params->ctx, 0.f, 0.f, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[0]);
    func draw(params->ctx, w, 0.f, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[1]);
    func draw(params->ctx, 2 * w, 0.f, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[2]);
    func draw(params->ctx, 0.f, h, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[3]);
    func draw(params->ctx, w, h, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[4]);
    func draw(params->ctx, 2 * w, h, w, h, p, c, r, app->face[5]);
    dlib close (&casino);
```

- Line 6 loads the casino_d library.
- Line 7 accesses the die draw function defined in casino d.
- Lines 11-13 access public variables of casino_d.

³https://github.com/frang75/nappgui src/tree/main/demo/dice2

- Lines 15-20 use die draw via the func draw pointer.
- Line 21 unloads the casino d library from memory.

As we can see, this loading at runtime does imply changes to the source code, but it also brings with it certain advantages that we can take advantage of.

• The library is loaded when we need it, not at the start of the program. This is why it is **very important** that casino d does not appear as a dependency of Dice2.

```
nap_desktop_app(Dice2 "" NRC_NONE)
```

• We can have different versions of casino and choose which one to use at runtime. This is the working mechanism of the *plug-ins* used by many applications. For example, the program *Rhinoceros 3D* enriches its functionality thanks to new commands implemented by third parties and added at any time through a system of plugins (.DLLs) (Figure 9.11).

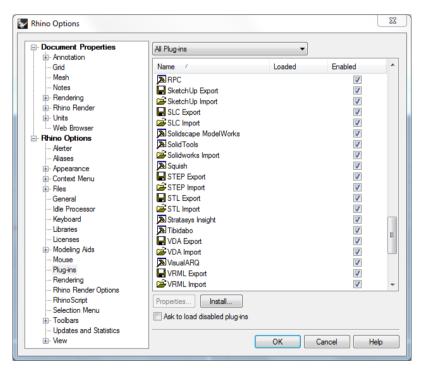


Figure 9.11: Rhinoceros 3D plug-in system, implemented using DLLs.

9.2.5. Location of DLLs

When the operating system must load a dynamic library, it follows a certain search order. On Windows systems it searches in this order:

- The same directory as the executable.
- The current working directory.
- El directorio %SystemRoot%\System32.
- The %SystemRoot% directory.
- The directories specified in the PATH environment variable.

On the other hand, on Linux and macOS:

- The directories specified in the environment variable LD_LIBRARY_PATH (Linux) or DYLD_LIBRARY_PATH (macOS).
- The directories specified in the rpath executable.
- The system directories /lib, /usr/lib, etc.

Here we have a big difference between Windows and Unix, since in the latter it is possible to add dependency search directories inside the executable. This variable is known as **RPATH** and is not available on Windows. To query the value of the RPATH:

Executables generated by NAppGUI's CMakeLists.txt automatically set the RPATH to find dynamic dependencies in the same directory as executables on Linux or bundles on macOS.

9.3. Symbols and visibility

In the linking process after the compilation of the library, those elements that can generate machine code or occupy space in the final binary are called **symbol**. These are methods, functions, and global variables. Symbols are not considered:

• Type definitions such as enum, struct, or union. They help the programmer to organize the code and the compiler to validate it, but they do not generate any binary code. They do not exist from the point of view of the linker.

• Local variables. These are automatically created and destroyed in the "Stack Segment" (page 164) during program execution. They do not exist at link time.

On the other hand, all functions and global variables declared as static inside a *.c module will be considered **private symbols** not visible in link time and where the compiler is free to perform optimizations. With this in mind, the code within NAppGUI is organized as follows:

- *.c: Implementation file. Definition of symbols (functions and global variables).
- *.h: Public header file. Declaration of global functions and variables (extern), available to the user of the library.
- *.hxx: Declaration of public types: struct, union and enum.
- *.inl: Declaration of functions and private variables. Only modules internal to the library will have access to these symbols.
- *.ixx: Declaration of private types. Those shared between the modules of the library, but not with the outside.

If a function is only needed inside a *.c module, it is not included in a *.inl. It will be marked as static within the *.c itself. This way it will not be visible to the linker and will allow the compiler to perform optimizations.

In the same way, types that are only used within a specific module will be declared at the beginning of the *.c and not in the *.ixx.

In favor of code maintainability and scalability, type and function declarations will be kept as private as possible.

9.3.1. Export in DLLs

When we generate a dynamic link library, in addition to including the public symbols in one or more *.h headers, we must explicitly mark them as exportable. The export macro is declared in the *.def file of each library. For example in casino.def, the macro casino api is defined.

Listing 9.1: casino.def

```
/* casino library import/export */
#if defined(NAPPGUI_SHARED)
    #if defined(NAPPGUI_BUILD_CASINO_LIB)
    #define NAPPGUI_CASINO_EXPORT_DLL
#else
```

```
#define NAPPGUI CASINO IMPORT DLL
   #endif
#endif
#if defined( GNUC )
    #if defined(NAPPGUI CASINO EXPORT DLL)
        #define casino api attribute ((visibility("default")))
   #else
        #define casino api
   #endif
#elif defined( MSC VER)
   #if defined(NAPPGUI CASINO IMPORT DLL)
        #define casino api declspec(dllimport)
   #elif defined(NAPPGUI CASINO EXPORT DLL)
        #define casino api declspec(dllexport)
        #define casino api
   #endif
   #error Unknown compiler
#endif
```

This macro must precede all public functions and variables declared in the *.h of the library. Projects based nap_desktop_app() will define the macros NAPPGUI_XXXXX_EXPORT_DLL when the DLL is compiled and NAPPGUI_XXXXX_IMPORT_DLL when the DLL is used in other targets. This way, the export and import of symbols will be done correctly on all platforms.

9.3.2. Checking in DLLs

We can see, from a dynamic library binary, which public symbols it exports. On Windows we will use dumpbin /exports dllname, on Linux nm -D soname and on macOS nm -gU dylibname.

Public symbols from core.dll (Windows).

```
14 D 00001660 array_destroy
15 E 000016F0 array_destroy_ptr
16 F 00001790 array_esize
17 10 000017A0 array_find_ptr
18 11 000017D0 array_get
...
```

Public symbols from libcore.so (Linux).

```
$ nm -D ./libcore.so
0000000000011f85 T array all
000000000001305c T array bsearch
00000000001316d T array bsearch ptr
0000000000011832 T array clear
00000000000118a1 T array clear ptr
0000000000011009 T array copy
00000000001115d T array copy ptr
0000000000010fdd T array create
0000000000012649 T array delete
000000000001276b T array delete ptr
0000000000011668 T array destopt
0000000000011746 T array destopt ptr
00000000000115c3 T array destroy
0000000000116ad T array destroy ptr
0000000000011b87 T array esize
0000000000012dd3 T array find ptr
0000000000011e8c T array get
```

Public symbols from libcore.dylib (macOS).

```
% nm -gU ./libcore.dylib
00000000000029f0 T _array_all
0000000000003c90 T array bsearch
0000000000003d60 T _array_bsearch_ptr
00000000000024c0 T array clear
00000000000025d0 T _array_clear_ptr
0000000000001c20 T array copy
0000000000001dd0 T _array_copy_ptr
0000000000001b50 T array create
00000000000030f0 T array delete
0000000000003350 T array delete ptr
000000000000022f0 T array destopt
0000000000002470 T array destopt ptr
0000000000002120 T array destroy
0000000000002340 T _array_destroy_ptr
00000000000028b0 T array esize
0000000000003980 T _array_find_ptr
00000000000028f0 T array get
```

Resources

If we internationalize everything, we end up with rules that stifle freedom and innovation.

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Resources are data that are required by the application but do not reside in the area of the executable. In other words, they are not directly accessible through program variables, but rather have to be pre-loaded before they can be used. The most common are the texts and images used in the user interface, although any type of file can become a resource (sounds, fonts, 3d models, html pages, etc). To illustrate its use with a real example, we return to the Die application (Figure 10.1), already covered in previous chapters.

10.1. Types of resources

• **Texts**: Although it is very easy to include texts in the code as C variables, in practice this is not advisable for two reasons: The first is that, normally, it is not

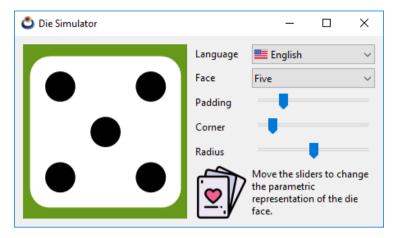


Figure 10.1: Die Application.

the programmers who They compose the messages that the program displays. By separating them into a separate file, other team members can review and edit them without having to directly access the code. The second reason is internationalization. It is an almost essential requirement today to be able to change the language of the program and this can involve several members of the team, as well as the fact that several text strings refer to the same message. Therefore, extracting them from the source code will be almost essential.

• Images: It is not usual for the program icons to change depending on the language, although it may be the case. The tricky thing here is transforming a .jpg or .png file into a C variable (Listing 10.1). You have to serialize the file and paste it into the code, something very tedious and difficult for the programmer to maintain. It is preferable to have the images in a separate folder and access them at runtime.

Listing 10.1: Png image embedded in the source code.

• Files: Apart from text and images, any file can become a resource. In this case, the application will receive a block of bytes with its content, which it must know how to interpret.

10.2. Create resources

If we go to the source directory of the application (/die), we see that there is a folder called /res added by CMake when creating the project. Inside there are several logo.* files with the "Application icon" (page 112).

You can also see a folder called /res/res die which wasn't created by CMake, but added later when writing the program. This subfolder is considered a resource pack and will contain a set of texts, images or files that will be loaded "in bulk" at some point in the execution. We can create as many packages as necessary depending on the size and logic of our program.

In large applications, organize your resources in such a way that it is not necessary to load all of them when starting the application. Certain resources may only be needed when the user performs some action.

You will see that inside /res/res die there is a strings.msg whose content is shown below:

Listing 10.2: Die's message file.

```
/* Die strings */
TEXT FACE
                 Face
TEXT PADDING
                 Padding
TEXT CORNER
                 Corner
TEXT RADIUS
                 Radius
TEXT ONE
                 One
TEXT TWO
                 Two
TEXT THREE
                 Three
TEXT FOUR
                 Four
TEXT FIVE
                 Five
TEXT SIX
                 Six
TEXT TITLE
                 Die Simulator
TEXT INFO
                 Move the sliders to change the parametric representation of the
   \hookrightarrow die face.
TEXT LANG
                 Language
TEXT ENGLISH
                 English
TEXT SPANISH
                 Spanish
```

Also contains the cards.png image and the spain.png and usa.png (Figure 10.2) icons.

Each line within the strings.msg file defines a new message consisting of an identifier (eg TEXT FACE) followed by the text to be displayed in the program (Face in this case). Text is considered from the first non-blank character after the identifier to the end of the line. You don't need to put it in quotes ("Face") like you do in C:

```
BILLY
        Billy "the Kid" was an American Old West outlaw.
```



Figure 10.2: Resource bundle at src/die/res/res die.

```
OTHER Other text.
```

You also don't have to use escape sequences ('\\', '\", ...), with the single exception of '\n' for multi-line messages:

```
TWO_LINES This is the first line\nAnd this is the second.
```

The message identifier follows the rules for C identifiers, except that letters must be uppercase:

```
_ID1 Ok
OID2 Wrong!!
id3 Wrong!!
ID3 Ok
```

Messages accept any Unicode character. We can split the texts into as many *.msg files as needed and they must be stored in **UTF8 format**.

Visual Studio does not save files in UTF8 by default. Be sure to do so on every *.msg that contains non-US-ASCII characters. File->Save As->Save with encoding-> Unicode (UTF8 Without Signature) - Codepage 65001.

10.3. Internationalization (i18n)

We have used English as the main language in the program, but we want it to be translated into Spanish as well. To do this we go back to the <code>/res/res_die</code> folder, where we see the <code>/es_es</code> subdirectory that contains another <code>strings.msg</code> file. The identifiers in that file are the same as in <code>/res_die/strings.msg</code> but the texts are in another language. Depending on the selected language, the program will use one version or another.

Listing 10.3: Die's message file, translated into Spanish.

```
/* Die strings */
TEXT_FACE Cara
TEXT_PADDING Margen
TEXT_CORNER Borde
```

```
TEXT RADIUS
                Radio
TEXT ONE
                Uno
TEXT TWO
                Dos
TEXT THREE
                Tres
TEXT FOUR
                Cuat.ro
TEXT FIVE
                Cinco
TEXT SIX
                Seis
TEXT TITLE
                Simulador de dado
TEXT INFO
                Mueve los sliders para cambiar la representación paramétrica de
   → la cara del dado.
TEXT LANG
               Idioma
TEXT ENGLISH
                Inglés
TEXT SPANISH
                Español
```

We must take into account some simple rules when locating resources:

- If the local version of a resource does not exist, the global version of the resource will be used. CMake will warn if there is **untranslated text** "nrc warnings" (page 111).
- Those resources only present in local folders will be ignored. It is imperative that the global version of each exists.
- Resource "subpackages" are not allowed. Only two levels will be processed: src/res/packname for globals and src/res/packname/local for locals.
- Resource bundles must have a unique name within the solution. One strategy might be to prepend the project name: /appname pack1, libname pack2, etc.
- Existing resources in the root folder (/res) will be ignored. All resources must be contained in a package /res/pack1/, /res/pack2/, etc.
- Localized texts must have the same identifier as their global counterpart. Otherwise they are considered different messages.
- To create a localized version of an image or other file, include it in its corresponding local folder (e.g. /res/res_die/es_es/cards.png) using the same file name than the global version.
- To name the localized folders, use the two-letter language code ISO 639-1¹ (in, is, fr, de, zh, ...) and, optionally, the two-letter country code ISO-3166² (en_us, en_gb, ...).

¹https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List of ISO 639-1 codes

²https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ISO 3166-1

10.4. Runtime translation

For each resource bundle, CMake creates a *.h with the same name as the folder: res_die.h in this case (Listing 10.4). This file contains the resource identifiers, as well as a function that allows us to access them res_die_respack(). In (Listing 10.5) we see the actions to be carried out to use these resources in our program.

Listing 10.4: Header file res die.h.

```
/* Automatic generated by NAppGUI Resource Compiler (nrc-r1490) */
#include "core.hxx"
EXTERN C
/* Messages */
extern ResId TEXT FACE;
extern ResId TEXT PADDING;
extern ResId TEXT CORNER;
extern ResId TEXT RADIUS;
extern ResId TEXT ONE;
extern ResId TEXT TWO;
extern ResId TEXT THREE;
extern ResId TEXT FOUR;
extern ResId TEXT FIVE;
extern Resid TEXT SIX;
extern ResId TEXT TITLE;
extern ResId TEXT INFO;
extern ResId TEXT LANG;
extern ResId TEXT ENGLISH;
extern ResId TEXT SPANISH;
/* Files */
extern ResId CARDS PNG;
extern Resid SPAIN PNG;
extern ResId USA PNG;
ResPack *res die respack(const char t *local);
  END C
```

Listing 10.5: Load and use of resources.

```
#include "res_die.h"

gui_respack(res_die_respack);
gui_language("");
...
label_text(label1, TEXT_FACE);
imageview_image(vimg, CARDS_PNG);
...
```

```
static void i_OnLang(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvButton *params = event_params(e, EvButton);
    const char_t *lang = params->index == 0 ? "en_us" : "es_es";
    gui_language(lang);
    unref(app);
}
```

- Line 1 includes the (Listing 10.4) resource bundle header, which is automatically generated by CMake.
- Line 3 registers the package in "Gui" (page 299), the library in charge of the graphical interface. If the application had more resource packs we would add them in the same way.
- Line 4 sets the default language (English).
- Lines 6 and 7 assign a text and an image to two controls respectively. Identifiers are defined in "res die.h", as we just saw.
- Line 13 translates the entire interface in response to a change in the "PopUp" (page 310) control (Figure 10.3).



Figure 10.3: Translation of the Die application, without destroying the window or rebooting.

Basically, a call to gui language, involves coordinating three actions:

- Load the located resources and replace them with the current ones.
- Assign the new texts and images to all the controls and menus of the program.
- Resize the windows and menus, since changing texts and images will influence the size of the controls.

10.5. Edit resources

To add new resource files or delete any of the existing ones, we just have to go to the res/res_die folder through the file explorer and do it there directly. The *.msg message files can be edited from within Visual Studio, as CMake includes them within the (Figure 10.4) IDE. After making any changes to the resource folder or editing a *.msg file, we must relaunch CMake so that these modifications are integrated back into the project. After each update, the identifiers of the new resources will be created and those whose associated resource has disappeared will be deleted, which will cause compilation errors that will facilitate the correction of the code.

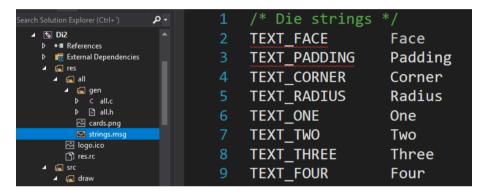


Figure 10.4: Editing resources within Visual Studio.

10.6. Manual management

Although the usual thing will be to delegate the management of resources to the guilibrary, it is possible to access the content of the packages directly, as we see in (Listing 10.6).

Listing 10.6: Direct access to resources.

```
#include "res_die.h"

ResPack *pack = res_die_respack("es_es");
...
label_text(label1, respack_text(pack, TEXT_FACE));
imageview_image(vimg, respack_image(pack, CARDS_PNG));
...
respack_destroy(&pack);
```

- Line 1 includes the resource bundle header.
- Line 3 creates an object with the content of the package in the Spanish language. Each resource pack will provide its own constructor, whose name will start with the

name of its xxxx respack() folder.

- Lines 5 and 6 get a text and an image respectively to assign to interface controls.
- Line 8 destroys the resource bundle, at the end of its use.

There is a big difference between allocating resources using ResId or using respack_(Listing 10.7) functions. In the first case, the label control will be "sensitive" to language changes made by gui_language. However, in cases 2 and 3 a constant text has been assigned to the control, which will not be affected by this function. We will be responsible for changing the text, if necessary.

Listing 10.7: Different ways to access resources.

```
label_text(label1, TEXT_FACE);
label_text(label1, respack_text(pack, TEXT_FACE));
label_text(label1, "Face");
```

The choice of one access mode or another will depend on the requirements of the program. We remind you that in order to carry out automatic translations, resources must be registered with gui_respack.

10.7. Resource processing

Let's see in a little more detail how NAppGUI generates resource modules. By setting NRC_EMBEDDED in the nap_desktop_app() command, we tell CMake to process the Die project's resources. We can also choose the NRC_PACKED option which we will talk about below. When we launch CMake, the subfolders within the res directory of each project are traversed, calling the **nrc** (NAppGUI Resource Compiler) (??). This program is located in the /bin folder of the SDK distribution. For each resource package, nrc creates two source files (a .c and a .h) and links them to the project. The .h contains the identifiers and the constructor that we have seen in (Listing 10.4). For its part, .c implements the package implementation based on the content of each folder and the nrcMode mode.

Files created by nrc are considered generated code and are not stored in the src folder but in the build folder. They will be updated every time CMake is run, regardless of the platform we are working on. In contrast, the original resource files (located in the res folder) are considered part of the source code.

10.8. Resource distribution

In the previous chapter, when creating the Visual Studio solution, we indicated that the NRC_EMBEDDED constant had to be used in the nap_desktop_app() statement within the CMakeLists.txt file. There are two other modes related to resource management that can

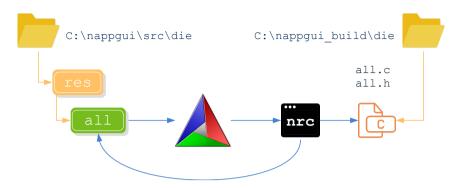


Figure 10.5: Processing resources using CMake and nrc.

be configured separately within each command nap_desktop_app(), nap_command_app () or nap library():

- NRC_NONE: CMake will ignore the contents of the res folder, except for the application icon. No resource packs will be generated even if there is content inside this folder.
- NRC_EMBEDDED: The resources, with all their translations, are embedded as part of the (Figure 10.6) executable. It is a very interesting option for small or medium-sized applications, since we will supply the entire program in a single *.exe file. An installer will not be necessary and we will have the certainty that the software will not fail due to the lack of some external file. The drawback is that, obviously, the size of the executable will grow considerably, so it is not advisable in programs with many resources, very heavy, or with a multitude of translations.
- NRC_PACKED: For each resource package, a *.res file will be created external to the executable that will be loaded and released at runtime as needed (Figure 10.7). The advantages of this method are the disadvantages of the previous one and vice versa: Smaller executables, but with external dependencies (the .res themselves) that must be distributed together. Memory usage will also be optimized by being able to load *.res on demand.

Name	^ Date Modified	Size	Kind
▼ Contents	Today at 18:09		Folder
Info.plist	Today at 18:09	1 KB	Property List
▼ MacOS	Today at 18:09		Folder
Products	Today at 18:09	948 KB	Unix executable
PkgInfo	Today at 18:09	8 bytes	TextEdit
resources	Today at 18:09		Folder
en.lproj	Today at 18:09		Folder
💍 logo.icns	Today at 18:09	302 KB	Apple in image

Figure 10.6: Distributing a macOS application with embedded resources.

Name	^ Date Modified	Size	Kind
▼ i Contents	Today at 18:11		Folder
Info.plist	Today at 18:11	1 KB	Property List
▼ MacOS	Today at 18:11		Folder
Products	Today at 18:11	359 KB	Unix executable
PkgInfo	Today at 18:11	8 bytes	TextEdit
▼ imresources	Today at 18:11		Folder
► en.lproj	Today at 18:11		Folder
💍 logo.icns	Today at 18:11	302 KB	Apple in image
res_db.res	Today at 18:11	526 KB	Document
res_gui.res	Today at 18:11	22 KB	Document
res_user.res	Today at 18:11	36 KB	Document

Figure 10.7: A distribution of the same macOS app with packed resources.

CMake manages the location of the resource packages for us. On Windows and Linux applications it will copy all *.res into the executable directory. On macOS it will place them in the resources folder of the bundle. A very important fact is that we don't have to modify the source code when switching from one modality to another. nrc already takes care of managing the payload based on the package type. It makes sense to start with NRC_EMBEDDED, and if the project grows, change to NRC_PACKED. We just have to launch CMake again and recompile the project for the change to take effect.

On Windows and Linux the *.res files must always be installed in the same directory as the executable. For macOS, CMake generates a distribution-ready bundle and installs the resource bundles in the /resources directory of that bundle.

10.9. nrc warnings

nrc is a silent script whose work is integrated into the CMake build process, mostly unnoticed. But there are times when you detect anomalies in the resource directories and you need to let us know in some way. In these cases a red line will appear in the CMake console indicating the affected project and package(s) (Figure 10.8). The details are dumped into the NRCLog.txt file located in the generated resources folder (CMake displays the full path).

If the bugs are critical, nrc will not be able to generate the *.h and *.c associated with the package, preventing the application from crashing. can compile (in essence it is still a compilation error). Other times they are mere warnings that should be fixed, but they allow you to continue compiling. Specifically, the **critical errors** that affect nrc are the following: (we show them in English as they are written in NRCLog.txt).

• MsgError (%s:%d): Comment not closed (%s).

```
- HelloCpp: Starting
- HelloCpp: Completed
- Products: Starting
- nrc 'res_gui' warnings (See C:/NAPPGUI_1_0_build/demo/products/resgen/NRCLog.txt)
- Products: Completed
- BlockBreak: Starting
- BlockBreak: Completed
- Die: Starting
- Die: Completed
```

Figure 10.8: nrc encountered anomalies while processing resources.

- MsgError (%s:%d): Invalid TEXT_ID (%s).
- MsgError (%s:%d): Unexpected end of file after string ID (%s).
- Duplicate resource id in '%s' (%s).
- Can't load resource file '%s'.
- Error reading '%s' resource directory.
- Error reading '%s' subdirectories.
- Error creating '%s' header file.
- Error creating '%s' source file.
- Error creating '%s' packed file.

On the other hand, non-critical warnings:

- Empty message file '%s'.
- Ignored localized text '%s' in '%s'. Global resource doesn't exists.
- Ignored localized file '%s' in '%s'. Global resource doesn't exists.
- There is no localized version of the text '%s' in '%s'.
- Localized directory '%s' is empty or has invalid resources.

10.10. Application icon

When we create a new project, CMake sets a default icon for the application, which it places in the /res directory, with the name logo*. This image will be "embedded" in the executable and will be used by the operating system to render the application on the desktop (Figure 10.9). Windows and Linux also use it in the window title bar. We have three versions:

- logo256.ico: Version for Windows Vista and later. They must include the resolutions: 256x256, 48x48, 32x32 and 16x16.
- logo48.ico: Version for Linux and VisualStudio 2008 and 2005, which do not support 256x256 resolutions. This version only includes: 48x48, 32x32 and 16x16.
- logo.icns: Version for macOS. Resolutions 512x512, 256x256, 128x128, 32x32 and 16x16 both in normal resolution (@1x) and Retina Display (@2x).



Figure 10.9: Application icons on the Windows taskbar.

CMake already takes care of using the appropriate version of the icon depending on the platform we are compiling on. To change the default icon, open the logo* files with some graphical editor (Figure 10.10), make the changes, and relaunch CMake. Very important: do not change the names of the files, they should always be logo256.ico, logo48.ico and logo.icns.

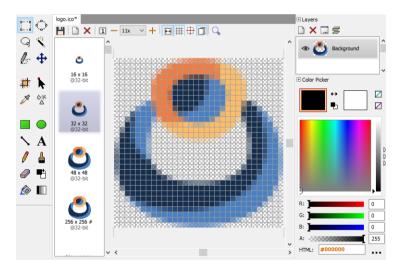


Figure 10.10: Editing logo.ico.

Generators, compilers and IDEs

It's hard to write software that runs correctly and efficiently. So once a program works in one environment, you don't want to repeat much of the effort if you move it to a different compiler or processor or operating system. Ideally, it should need no changes whatsoever.

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11.1. Concepto de portabilidad

We understand by **portability** (Figure 11.1) the ability to compile and debug our programs on platforms other than those on which they were written, without having to touch a single line of code. We understand by **platform** the combination of a compiler and a CPU architecture. For example, v143_x64 refers to Visual Studio 2022 and Intel 64bits. We understand by **configuration** the set of flags and compiler options that have been used to generate the binaries.

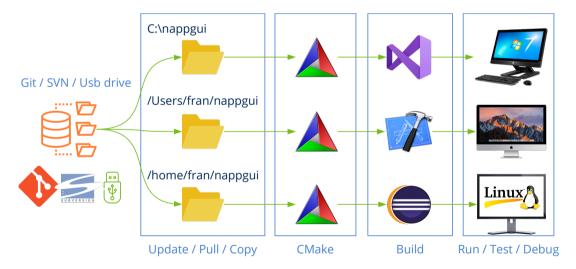


Figure 11.1: Stages in porting code between platforms.

- Working copy: A copy of the project's source code must exist on each machine. Normally this will be done through a version control system (SVN, Git, etc).
- **CMake:** will create or update a build project from source code using /src/CMakeLists .txt and the scripts in the /prj directory. This will be done fully automatically.
- Compile: Using Visual Studio, Xcode or GCC, the solution will be compiled and the libraries and executables included in it will be generated.
- Run/Debug: The binaries can now be run and debugged on the target platform.

11.2. **CMake Generators**

We remember that a compiler acts on a single source file at a time. When we compile a .c or .cpp, an object file (.o, .obj) is generated that contains the binary code of said source. But any project of a certain size contains hundreds of files, organized in libraries that must be linked to create the final executable(s). We know as **build system** the tool that orchestrates the compilation of all the project files, in order to make it as fast and efficient as possible. We can say that CMake is a meta-build system, capable of generating build projects for different tools (Figure 11.2). To do this we will use the -G option.

```
cmake -G "Visual Studio 17 2022"
cmake -G Ninja
cmake -G Xcode
cmake -G "Unix Makefiles"
```

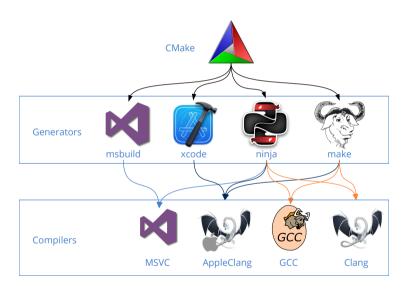


Figure 11.2: Generators and compilers.

Not all generators work on all platforms, and there is usually no strict binding between generator and compiler. For example, the Ninja generator can use the MSVC, GCC and Clang compilers underneath. The most important thing we must remember is that CMake, through the CMakeLists.txt of the project, unifies the entire build process, making it transparent for the developer, regardless of the generator, compiler and platform.

11.3. **Compile on Windows**

Visual Studio is the development environment par excellence for Windows. In the same package it integrates the build system (msbuild), the compiler (MSVC) and the editor (IDE). We can use any version, starting from 2005, to compile NAppGUI on Windows (Table 11.1). As we already saw in "Quick start" (page 5) the first thing we have to do is launch CMake on the source code:

	Compiler	Platform	Minimum O.S.
64	Visual Studio 2022	v143_x64 (x86)	Vista
DC)	Visual Studio 2019	v142_x64 (x86)	Vista
(X	Visual Studio 2017	v141_x64 (x86)	Vista
X	Visual Studio 2015	v140_x64 (x86)	Vista
M	Visual Studio 2013	v120_x64 (x86)	Vista
M	Visual Studio 2012	v110_x64 (x86)	Vista
2	Visual Studio 2010	v100_x64 (x86)	XP
	Visual Studio 2008	v90_x64 (x86)	XP
	Visual Studio 2005	v80_x64 (x86)	XP

Table 11.1: Versions of Visual Studio supported by NAppGUI.

```
cmake -G "Visual Studio 16 2019" -A x64 -T v120 -S . -B build
```

• -G is the version of Visual Studio (generator).

```
-G "Visual Studio 17 2022"
-G "Visual Studio 16 2019"
-G "Visual Studio 15 2017"
-G "Visual Studio 14 2015"
-G "Visual Studio 12 2013"
-G "Visual Studio 11 2012"
-G "Visual Studio 10 2010"
-G "Visual Studio 9 2008"
-G "Visual Studio 8 2005"
```

• -A is Intel 32 or 64 bit architecture:

```
-A x64
-A Win32
```

• -T is the *Platform Toolset*. If you omit this parameter, the last one supported by the compiler will be taken.

```
-T v143
-T v142
-T v141
```

```
-T v140

-T v120

-T v110

// For XP compatibility

-T v141_xp

-T v140_xp

-T v120_xp

-T v110_xp

-T v100

-T v90

-T v80
```

- S: Path where the CMakeLists.txt is located.
- -B: Path where the build projects, binaries and temporary files will be generated.

Support for Visual Studio 8 2005 was removed in CMake 3.12. You must use an older version of CMake if you are still using VS2005. NAppGUI does NOT work with versions prior to VS2005.

NAppGUI does not offer support for non-x86, x64 architectures on Windows: ARM, Itanium, etc.

After running CMake, a VisualStudio solution will appear in the /build folder, NAppGUI.sln or whatever name is configured in project(NAppGUI) of the CMakeLists.txt. Open that solution and from Visual Studio, Build->Build Solution to compile Debug->Start Debugging to debug (Figure 11.3).

To change the version of Visual Studio, select another builder in CMake -G "Visual Studio 15 2017", close and reopen the solution.

To build the example applications, you must ignore the -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO option in CMake.

As we already saw in "Build NAppGUI" (page 65), if your intention is only to compile the SDK, you do not need to open the solution in the editor. You can compile it directly from the command line.

```
cmake -G "Visual Studio 17 2022" -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO cmake --build build --config Release -j 4
```

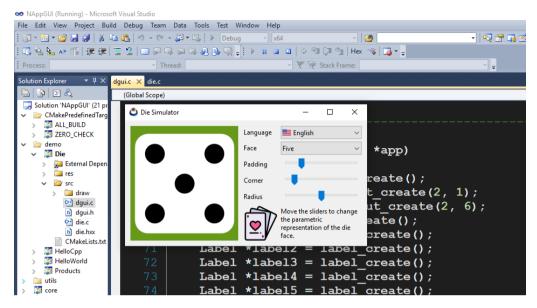


Figure 11.3: Debugging application *Die* in Visual Studio 2010.

11.3.1. Platform toolset

Starting with Visual Studio 2010, there is a decoupling between the editor and the compiler. The term *Plaform Toolset* identifies the compiler itself, which can continue to be used with more modern IDEs. If we do not specify anything, CMake will use the default toolset included in each version of VS, but it can be changed using the -T parameter of CMake (Table 11.2). For example, we can combine Visual Studio 15 2017 with the VS2013 toolset for Windows XP v120 xp:

SB build	-T v120_xp	-A Win32	2017"	Studio 15	"Visual	cmake -G
----------	------------	----------	-------	-----------	---------	----------

Toolset (-T)	VS version
v143	Visual Studio 2022
v142	Visual Studio 2019
v141	Visual Studio 2017
v141_xp	Visual Studio 2017 (con soporte XP)
v140	Visual Studio 2015
v140_xp	Visual Studio 2015 (con soporte XP)
v120	Visual Studio 2013

Toolset (-T)	VS version
v120_xp	Visual Studio 2013 (con soporte XP)
v110	Visual Studio 2012
v110_xp	Visual Studio 2012 (con soporte XP)
v100	Visual Studio 2010
v90	Visual Studio 2008
v80	Visual Studio 2005

Table 11.2: Toolset included in every version of VS.

You need to have each version of Visual Studio installed to use its toolset. There are "light" versions that install the **build tools** without the development environment.

11.3.2. Visual C++ Redistributable

By default, Visual Studio dynamically links the functions of the C standard library, which means that the .exe may not work on machines that do not have the VC++ DLLs (Figure 11.4). This forces applications to include a copy of MSVCRT.dll, VCRUNTIME.dll, ... or to install the famous $Visual\ C++\ Redistributable$ packages. to ensure that the application can run smoothly.

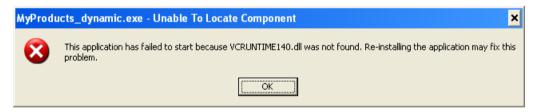


Figure 11.4: Error due to missing VC++ .dll.

NAppGUI uses a reduced set of the C library, since it directly accesses the Windows API whenever possible. For this reason, all applications created with NAppGUI perform a static link (option /MT) of the necessary functions of the stdlib, avoiding dependencies at the cost of slightly increasing (a few Kb) the size of the executable. final. This ensures that applications will run smoothly on all Windows machines without the need for additional DLLs and without having to install the VC++ Redistributable.

NAppGUI applications do not require the Visual C++ Redistributable. They also do not use the MFC "Microsoft Foundation Classes" or the .NET platform.

11.3.3. WindowsXP support

Starting with VS2012, the *Platform Toolset* generates executables that are not compatible with WindowsXP. If we want our applications to run on this system, we must select the alternative toolset ending in _xp: v141_xp, v140_xp, v120_xp, v110_xp. Or v100, v90 or v80 (VS2010, 2008, 2005), which do directly support XP (Figure 11.5).

WindowsXP support has been permanently removed in Visual Studio 2019. There is no Platform Toolset v142_xp.

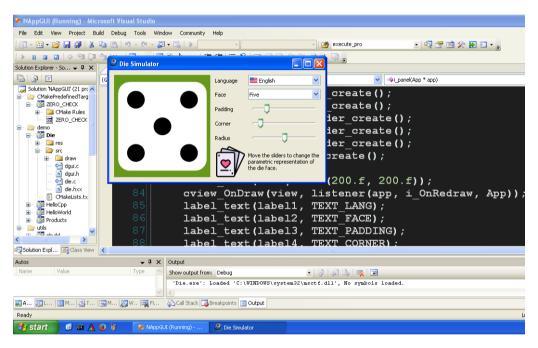


Figure 11.5: Debugging application *Die* on WindowsXP with VS2005 (toolset v80).

Cannot create applications with NAppGUI that work on Windows prior to XP.

11.3.4. SSE support

With the Pentium III, Intel introduced an additional instruction set for floating point operations called SSE *Streaming SIMD Extensions*. This allows you to optimize mathematical calculations at the cost of losing compatibility, since applications that use SSE will not work on Pentium II or earlier models. In NAppGUI the v80_x86 and v90_x86 toolsets have been reserved for building applications compatible with older (Table 11.3) processors. Starting with v100 x86, SSE2 will be used in all toolsets.

Toolset	SSE	Minimum CPU
v80_x86	x87 (no SSE)	Pentium II/AMD K6
v90_x86	SSE	Pentium III/AMD Duron
v100_x86	SSE2	Pentium IV/AMD Sempron
v110_x86	SSE2	Pentium IV/AMD Sempron
	SSE2	

Table 11.3: SSE support

SSE support is only disabled on 32-bit (x86) architectures. All 64-bit (x64) CPUs incorporate SSE2.

11.3.5. Ninja on Windows

The Ninja generator allows for faster compilations than Visual Studio, in exchange for losing the *.sln, *.vcxproj projects that are very useful for debugging from the IDE. It is usually used in continuous integration systems where speed prevails in favor of versatility. The first thing is to download Ninja¹, copy ninja.exe to any system folder and make it accessible through the PATH variable.

```
ninja --version
1.11.1
```

On Windows, Ninja will use the MVSC compiler underneath (just like Visual Studio), with the difference that Ninja does not know, in principle, the location of such a compiler. To make it accessible we have two ways:

- Use the Developer Command Prompt 2022 console (or whatever version you choose). This terminal knows the location of the build tools.
- Set the environment variables using the vcvarsall.bat [Win32|x64] script. A possible location will be "C:\Program Files\Microsoft Visual Studio\2022\ Community\VC\Auxiliary\Build\vcvarsall.bat"x64, but it will change depending on the version we are using.

```
\label{local_cmake} \mbox{\tt cmake -G Ninja -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI\_DEMO=NO -DCMAKE\_BUILD\_TYPE=Release cmake --build build}
```

We can also use the multi-configuration version of Ninja:

```
cmake -G "Ninja Multi-Config" -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO
cmake --build build --config Release
```

¹https://ninja-build.org/

11.4. Compile on macOS

To compile for Apple iMac, macBook and macMini we will need CMake and Xcode² starting with version 3.2.6 (Table 11.4). NAppGUI allows you to build applications that work on MacOSX 10.6 Snow Leopard and later:

	Compiler	Minimum O.S.	Platform
	Xcode 15.0.1	Sonoma	sdk14_0_x64 (arm)
	Xcode 14.3.1	Ventura	sdk13_6_x64 (arm)
	Xcode 13.4.1	Monterey	sdk12_3_x64 (arm)
	Xcode 12.5.1	Big Sur	sdk11_5_x64 (arm)
	Xcode 11.7	Catalina	sdk10_15_x64
	Xcode 10.3	Mojave	sdk10_14_x64
	Xcode 9.4.1	High Sierra	sdk10_13_x64
	Xcode 8.3.3	Sierra	sdk10_12_x64
X	Xcode 7.3.1	El Capitan	sdk10_11_x64
X	Xcode 6.4	Yosemite	sdk10_10_x64
X	Xcode 6.2	Mavericks	sdk10_9_x64
	Xcode 5.1.1	Mountain Lion	sdk10_8_x64
	Xcode 4.6.3	Lion	sdk10_7_x64
TY I	Xcode 3.2.6	Snow Leopard	sdk10_6_x64 (x86)

Table 11.4: Xcode versions supported by NAppGUI.

```
cmake -G Xcode -DCMAKE_DEPLOYMENT_TARGET=11.0 -DCMAKE_ARCHITECTURE=arm64 -S . - \hookrightarrow B build
```

- G always xcode. Use xcode-select to toggle if you have multiple versions installed.
- -DCMAKE_DEPLOYMENT_TARGET. Minimum operating system that will be supported. Omitting it will set the **Base SDK** included in the Xcode version.

```
-DCMAKE_DEPLOYMENT_TARGET=14.0 // Sonoma
-DCMAKE_DEPLOYMENT_TARGET=13.6 // Ventura
-DCMAKE_DEPLOYMENT_TARGET=13.5 // Ventura
```

²https://developer.apple.com/xcode/

```
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=13.4
                                    // Ventura
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=13.3
                                    // Ventura
                                    // Ventura
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=13.2
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=13.1
                                    // Ventura
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=13.0
                                    // Ventura
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=12.4
                                    // Monterey
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=12.3
                                    // Monterey
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=12.2
                                    // Monterey
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=12.0
                                    // Monterey
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=11.5
                                    // Big Sur
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=11.4
                                    // Big Sur
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=11.3
                                    // Big Sur
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=11.2
                                    // Big Sur
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=11.1
                                    // Big Sur
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=11.0
                                    // Big Sur
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.15
                                    // Catalina
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.14
                                    // Mojave
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.13
                                    // High Sierra
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.12
                                    // Sierra
                                    // El Capitan
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.11
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.10
                                    // Yosemite
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.9
                                    // Mavericks
                                    // Mountain Lion
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.8
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.7
                                    // Lion
-DCMAKE DEPLOYMENT TARGET=10.6
                                    // Snow Leopard
```

• -DCMAKE_ARCHITECTURE. arm64, x64, i386. The arm64 architecture is included starting with SDK 11.0 Big Sur. i386 was deprecated in macOS 10.13 High Sierra.

```
-DCMAKE_ARCHITECTURE=arm64
-DCMAKE_ARCHITECTURE=x64
-DCMAKE_ARCHITECTURE=i386
```

NAppGUI does not support the creation of **Apple's Fat binaries**. You must indicate a single value in this field.

- S: Path where the CMakeLists.txt is located.
- -B: Path where the build projects, binaries and temporary files will be generated.

After running CMake, an Xcode solution will appear in the /build folder, NAppGUI. xcodeproj or whatever name is configured in project (NAppGUI) of the CMakeLists. txt. Opening the Xcode solution, we see the different projects that make it up, including Die and Dice. Select Die in the top left dropdown and then click Play or Product->Run (Figure 11.6). This will compile the program and launch it in debug mode, where we can set breakpoints to inspect the stack and the values of the variables.

To build the example applications, you must ignore the -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO option in CMake.

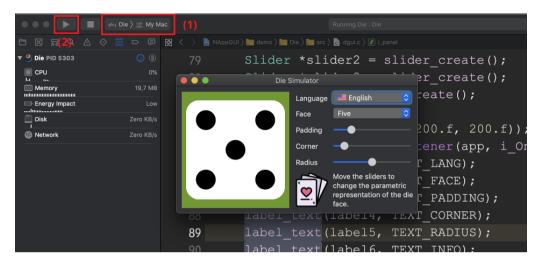


Figure 11.6: Debugging application *Die* in Xcode.

11.4.1. Base SDK and Deployment Target

Every year, Apple releases a new version of macOS, accompanied by a new SDK and an update to Xcode that includes the SDK. This is called the **Base SDK**.

Base SDK is the version included in each new major version of Xcode, which matches the latest version of the macOS system released on the market.

Apple has a much more restrictive policy than Microsoft regarding the compatibility of applications with previous versions of the operating system. By default, a program compiled with SDK 10.14 (macOS Mojave) will not work on the immediately preceding macOS High Sierra (Figure 11.7).

To avoid this problem, and for applications to work on older macOS, there is the **Deployment Target** parameter. Using it will trigger a macro that will override the new features of the Base SDK. This will allow the program to run on older versions at the cost, of course, of not having access to the latest iMac features. You will be able to select the Deployment Target required by your project through the <code>-DCMAKE_DEPLOYMENT_TARGET</code> parameter, as we have already seen in the previous section.

Xcode 14 deprecates Deployment Targets below 10.13 (Figure 11.8). Use Xcode 13 if you want compatibility with Mac OSX 10.12 Sierra and earlier.

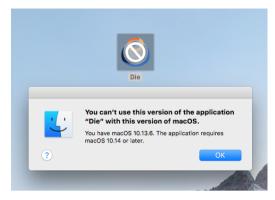
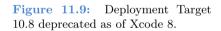


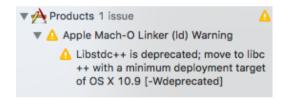
Figure 11.7: Die with Base SDK 10.14 will not work on High Sierra.

Figure 11.8: Deployment Target 10.12 deprecated as of Xcode 14.



Xcode 8 deprecates Deployment Targets below 10.9 (Figure 11.9). Use Xcode 7 if you want compatibility with Mac OSX 10.8 Mountain Lion and earlier.





11.4.2. xcode-select

We have already seen that CMake only offers one generator for Xcode (-G "Xcode"), although it is possible to have multiple versions installed on the same machine, each within its own bundle xcode.app. There will always be a default Xcode on the system (the most recent one) but it can be changed using the xcode-select utility:

Query the current version of Xcode.

xcode-select -p /Applications/Xcode.app/Contents/Developer

Changing the active version of Xcode.

sudo xcode-select -s /Applications/Xcode8.app/Contents/Developer

Set the default version of Xcode.

sudo xcode-select -r

You will need to run **cmake** -G "Xcode"... again each time you use xcode-select for your project to update the compiler change.

11.4.3. macOS ARM

In November 2020 Apple launches its new line of desktop and laptop computers (iMac, macBook and macMini) based on the Apple M1 processor with ARM (Figure 11.10) architecture. Although they are capable of running programs compiled for Intel x64 using the Rosetta 2 (Figure 11.11) program, the ideal would be to compile our applications for the new architecture in order to optimize the executables as much as possible.



Figure 11.10: Procesadores M1 de Apple.

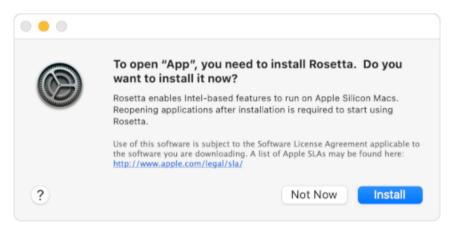


Figure 11.11: Warning Rosetta 2 when trying to run x64 code on an Apple M1.

NAppGUI supports building for the Apple ARM architecture. You just need to include the -DCMAKE ARCHITECTURE=arm64 option in CMake, as we saw in the previous section.

You can compile the M1 architecture from Intel x64 machines, but you won't be able to debug the executables.

M1 architecture is only available for Big Sur system (macOS 11.0) and later.

11.4.4. macOS 32bits

Since the macOS High Sierra release, Apple has declared the 32-bit architecture obsolete³, issuing notices to users in the case of detecting i386 (Figure 11.12) executables. As of Xcode 10, (Figure 11.13) cannot be compiled on this architecture.

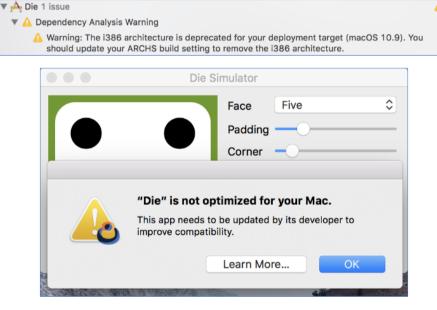


Figure 11.12: macOS warnings in 32bit applications.



Figure 11.13: Xcode 10 error when trying to compile in 32bit.

Support for 32bit applications is gone for good in macOS Catalina, which only allows running 64bit applications.

³https://support.apple.com/en-us/HT208436

in 32bits you must use, at most, Xcode 6 (Figure 11.15).

This makes some sense since all Intel-based iMac models feature 64-bit processors, except for a few 2006 models in white polycarbonate that mounted the 32-bit Intel Core Duo (Figure 11.14). These iMacs supported Mac OSX 10.6 Snow Leopard at most, with a 64-bit CPU being a fundamental requirement as of 10.7 Lion. To compile without problems



Figure 11.14: Only Apple models with Intel 32bit processor.

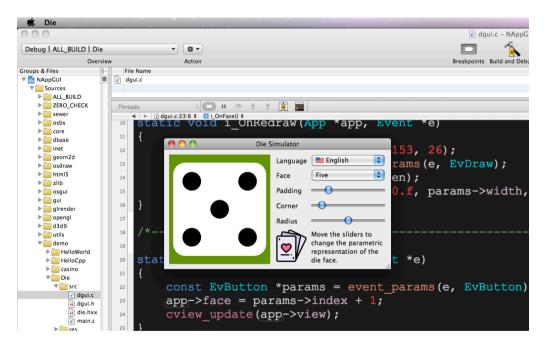


Figure 11.15: Compilación en 32bits con Xcode 3.2.6 (Snow Leopard).

11.4.5. Make on macOS

The Unix Make utility is included as part of the Xcode build tools. Therefore, we can use it as a generator on macOS, if we can do without the Xcode projects. Make is mono-configuration, so we must indicate the configuration type during generation.

```
cmake -G "Unix Makefiles" -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI DEMO=NO -DCMAKE BUILD TYPE=
   → Release
cmake --build build
```

Ninja on macOS 11.4.6.

Just like in Windows and Linux, we can use the Ninja generator in macOS. The first step is to install it:

```
brew install ninja
ninja --version
1.11.1
```

Its use is identical to that of other platforms, and you can use the mono or multiconfiguration version.

```
cmake -G Ninja -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI DEMO=NO -DCMAKE BUILD TYPE=Release
cmake --build build
cmake -G "Ninja Multi-Config" -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI DEMO=NO
cmake --build build --config Release
```

AppleClang is the "official" compiler for macOS. The version included in Xcode will always be used, regardless of the generator.

Compile on Linux 11.5.

For Linux versions, we will use the gcc (Table 11.5) compiler and the make tool to generate the binaries, but there is no development environment "official" as it happens in Windows and macOS. To carry out an elementary configuration of our equipment, type the following commands in a terminal:

```
// Development tools
sudo apt-get install build-essential
sudo apt-get install git
sudo apt-get install cmake
// Development libraries
sudo apt-get install libgtk-3-dev
sudo apt-get install libglu1-mesa-dev freeglut3-dev mesa-common-dev
sudo apt-get install libcurl4-openssl-dev
// GTK Inspector (Ctrl+D when debugging)
gsettings set org.gtk.Settings.Debug enable-inspector-keybinding true
// Check system libraries version
```

```
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```

```
pkg-config --modversion gtk+-3.0
3.24.20

pkg-config --modversion libcurl
7.68.0
```

Minimum O.S.	Compiler	Toolkit	Platform
Ubuntu 22.04 LTS	GCC 11.2.0	GTK 3.24.33	gcc11_gtk3_x64
Ubuntu 20.04 LTS	GCC 9.3	GTK 3.24.20	gcc9_gtk3_x64
Ubuntu 18.04 LTS	GCC 7.5	GTK 3.22.30	gcc7_gtk3_x64
Ubuntu 16.04 LTS	GCC 5.4	GTK 3.18.9	gcc5_gtk3_x64 (x86)
Ubuntu 14.04 LTS	GCC 4.8.4	GTK 3.10.8	gcc4_8_gtk3_x64 (x86)
Ubuntu 12.04 LTS	GCC 4.6.3	GTK 3.4.2	gcc4_6_gtk3_x64 (x86)
Raspbian 11 Bullseye	GCC 10.2.1	GTK 3.24.24	$gcc10_gtk3_arm64$
Raspbian 10 Buster	GCC 8.3.0	GTK 3.24.5	$gcc8_gtk3_arm$
Raspbian 9.1 Strech	GCC 6.3.0	GTK 3.22.11	gcc6_gtk3_arm
Raspbian 8.0 Jessie	GCC 4.9.2	GTK 3.14.5	gcc4_9_gtk3_arm

Table 11.5: GCC versions supported by NAppGUI.

Just like we did on Windows and macOS, we run cmake to generate the build project:

 -G always "Unix Makefiles". Additionally, you can create projects for the main IDEs available in Linux:

```
-G "Unix Makefiles"
-G "CodeBlocks - Unix Makefiles"
-G "CodeLite - Unix Makefiles"
-G "Sublime Text 2 - Unix Makefiles"
-G "Kate - Unix Makefiles"
-G "Eclipse CDT4 - Unix Makefiles"
```

• -DCMAKE_BUILD_TYPE. Unlike Visual Studio and Xcode, Make does not allow the creation of multi-configuration projects. It must be indicated at the time of generation:

```
-DCMAKE BUILD TYPE=Debug
-DCMAKE BUILD TYPE=Release
-DCMAKE BUILD TYPE=ReleaseWithAssert
```

-DCMAKE ARCHITECTURE. x64, i386, arm, arm64. Cross-compiling is not allowed on Linux. We must select the same architecture as the host machine. This parameter can be omitted, it will be set automatically.

```
-DCMAKE ARCHITECTURE=x64
                                // Only in Linux Intel 64bits hosts
-DCMAKE ARCHITECTURE=i386
                               // Only in Linux Intel 32bits hosts
-DCMAKE ARCHITECTURE=arm
                               // Only in Linux ARM 32bits hosts
-DCMAKE ARCHITECTURE=arm64
                               // Only in Linux ARM 64bits hosts
```

 -DCMAKE TOOLKIT. As of today, the only option available is GTK3, since NAppGUI does not support other graphical toolkits. This parameter can be omitted, it will be set automatically.

```
-DCMAKE TOOLKIT=GTK3
```

- -S: Path where the CMakeLists.txt is located.
- -B: Path where the build projects, binaries and temporary files will be generated.

After executing cmake we will have, in the /build folder, a series of Makefiles ready to compile the project.

```
cmake --build build -j 4
[ 93%] Linking CXX executable ../../Debug/bin/DrawBig
[ 93%] Linking CXX executable ../../Debug/bin/GuiHello
[ 93%] Built target DrawBig
[ 94%] Building C object howto/drawhello/CMakeFiles/DrawHello.dir/resgen/
   → res drawhello.c.o
[ 94%] Linking CXX executable ../../Debug/bin/Col2dHello
[ 98%] Built target GuiHello
[ 98%] Building C object howto/drawimg/CMakeFiles/DrawImg.dir/resgen/

→ res drawimq.c.o

[ 98%] Linking CXX executable ../../Debug/bin/UrlImg
[ 98%] Linking CXX executable ../../Debug/bin/DrawHello
[ 98%] Built target Col2dHello
[ 98%] Linking CXX executable ../../Debug/bin/ColorView
[ 98%] Built target UrlImg
[ 98%] Built target DrawHello
[ 99%] Linking CXX executable ../../Debug/bin/DrawImg
[100%] Built target ColorView
[100%] Built target DrawImg
```

Once the compilation is finished, we can launch the executables directly from the terminal:

Launch application Die.

```
./build/demo/die/Debug/Die
```

If you're fairly comfortable with gdb, you can try debugging the code directly from the (Figure 11.16) terminal. Later we will see how to do it using Eclipse and Visual Studio Code.

Debugging Die with qdb

```
gdb ./build/demo/die/Debug/Die (gdb) run ...
```



Figure 11.16: Debugging *Die* with GDB from the terminal.

To build the example applications, you must ignore the -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO option in CMake.

11.5.1. GTK+3

Unlike Windows and macOS, Linux supports a multitude of desktop environments based on different libraries (or *toolkits*), GTK and Qt being the two most famous. NAppGUI uses GTK+3 for the graphical part since it is the base of the Gnome, Xfce, Lxde, etc, (Table 11.6) environments present in many of the most widespread distributions. GTK+3 will be present naturally in all of them, with no other additional dependencies being

necessary. Of course, to compile under GTK+3 we will have to install the developer version, as we saw at the beginning of this section.

	Environment	Distributions
Ö	Gnome	Ubuntu, Debian, Fedora, Red Hat, CentOS, Manjaro, Suse, Arch,
XFCE	Xfce	Xubuntu, Debian, Fedora, Manjaro,
1	Lxde	Lubuntu, Raspbian, Debian, Fedora, Mandriva,
	Cinnamon	Mint, Debian, Ubuntu, Fedora, OpenSuse,
	Mate	Ubuntu Mate, Mint, Debian, Fedora, OpenSuse,
0	Pantheon	Elementary OS
*	Sugar	

Table 11.6: Gtk-based desktop environments.

Multiple versions of GCC 11.5.2.

Although every Linux distribution comes with a "canonical" version of GCC, it is possible to have several installed on the same machine and switch between them much like we did on macOS with xcode-select. To do this we will use the Linux update-alternatives command. We assume that we are on Ubuntu 18.04 LTS:

Version of gcc installed.

```
gcc --version
gcc 7.5.0
```

Install gcc-6

sudo apt-get install gcc-6 g++-6

Register gcc-7 and gcc-6

```
sudo update-alternatives --install /usr/bin/gcc gcc /usr/bin/gcc-7 60 --slave /
    \hookrightarrow usr/bin/g++ g++ /usr/bin/g++-7
sudo update-alternatives --install /usr/bin/gcc gcc /usr/bin/gcc-6 50 --slave /
    \hookrightarrow usr/bin/g++ g++ /usr/bin/g++-6
```

Switch to gcc-6.

```
sudo update-alternatives --set gcc /usr/bin/gcc-6
gcc --version
gcc 6.5.0
```

```
g++ --version
g++ 6.5.0
```

Return to the default version of gcc.

```
sudo update-alternatives --auto gcc
gcc --version
gcc 7.5.0
g++ --version
g++ 7.5.0
```

11.5.3. Linux 32bits

To compile 32bit applications from a 64bit Ubuntu system it is necessary to install the multilib package:

```
sudo apt-get install gcc-multilib
```

But there are currently problems⁴ with cross-compiling that includes the GTK+ library, so it won't be possible to use the same machine development to build on both architectures, just like it does on Windows. Console applications or libraries that do not access GTK can be compiled in 32bit from a 64bit computer.

It is not possible to compile in 32bits from a 64bit Ubuntu system applications that use GTK+3. You must use a 32-bit Linux system for this.

11.5.4. Linux ARM

The ARM ⁵ Advanced RISC Machine architecture is the predominant one in the market for embedded devices such as smartphones and tablets. Currently, NAppGUI does not offer support for the development of iOS/Android mobile applications, but it does support other types of boards that support "desktop" versions of Linux ARM, such as the Raspberry PI. To port our code to the Raspberry Pi we must follow the same steps as in Ubuntu Linux (Figure 11.17). Both distributions are based on Debian, so GCC, CMake and Make are available directly via apt-get.

11.5.5. Clang on Linux

GCC is the default compiler that is installed with the build-essential package. However, we can use Clang if we prefer. The first thing is to install the compiler:

⁴https://ubuntuforums.org/showthread.php?t=2038875

⁵https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ARM architecture

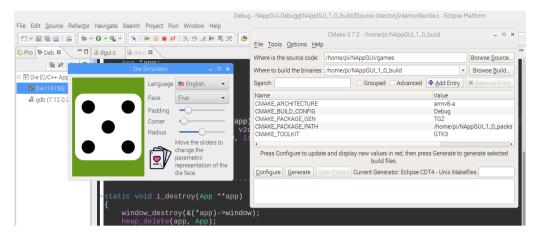


Figure 11.17: Debugging the application *Die* on a Raspberry Pi.

```
sudo apt-get install clang
clang --version
clang version 10.0.0-4ubuntu1
```

Next we must tell CMake the compiler to use, using the variables CC and CXX:

```
export CC=/usr/bin/clang
export CXX=/usr/bin/clang++
cmake -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI DEMO=NO -DCMAKE BUILD TYPE=Release
cmake --build build
```

If we want to return to GCC, we leave CC and CXX blank:

```
export CC=
export CXX=
cmake -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI DEMO=NO -DCMAKE BUILD TYPE=Release
cmake --build build
```

Ninja on Linux 11.5.6.

In the same way as in Windows and macOS, we can use the Ninja generator. The first step is to install it:

```
sudo apt-get install ninja-build
ninja --version
1.10.1
```

And we use it as we saw previously:

```
cmake -G Ninja -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI DEMO=NO -DCMAKE BUILD TYPE=Release
cmake --build build
```

```
cmake -G "Ninja Multi-Config" -S . -B build -DNAPPGUI_DEMO=NO cmake --build build --config Release
```

CMake supports "Ninja Multi-Config" as of version 3.17.

As in "Unix Makefiles", we can use GCC and Clang with Ninja, using the CC and CXX variables.

11.5.7. Eclipse CDT

Working directly with the terminal gives us great flexibility when configuring our own tools. Going back to the console and typing <code>cmake --build ./build -j 4</code> will recompile everything you need. However, using <code>GDB</code> directly will be quite tedious, so the use of an integrated debugger (or IDE) becomes almost essential. For the development of NAppGUI we intensively use Eclipse CDT⁶. This environment will allow us to program with a methodology similar to that of Visual Studio and Xcode: Set breakpoints, inspect the stack and variables, search for files within the code directory, multiple edits, massive searches, etc.

The only difference is that we will have to use the -G "Eclipse CDT4 - Unix Makefiles" generator in CMake which, in addition to the Makefile, will create the . cproject and .project required to import the project into Eclipse.

Open Eclipse and do File->Import->Existing Projects into Workspace. A dialog box will appear where we indicate the *build* directory that we have configured in CMake (/build). Eclipse will open the project, placing a tree with all the files on the left and we will compile with Project->Build All. When debugging (Die in this case) we will create a profile from Run->Debug Configurations->C/C++ Application. Click [Search Project...] and select *Die* from the dropdown list. Finally we press [Debug] to debug the application interactively (Figure 11.18).

Some interesting Eclipse CDT options under Window->Preferences.

Run/Debug->Launching->Terminate and Relaunch while launching.

Using Eclipse is only a recommendation. You have total freedom to use the tools that you consider best.

⁶https://www.eclipse.org/cdt/

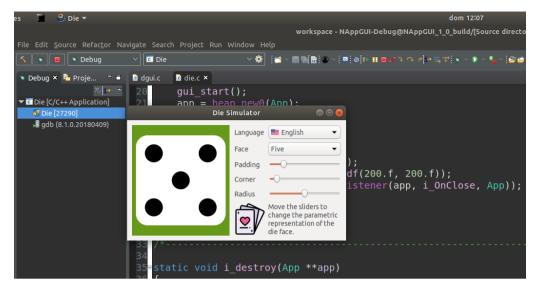


Figure 11.18: Debugging application *Die* with Eclipse.

Visual Studio Code 11.5.8.

Another interesting environment to develop on Linux is Visual Studio Code. With the appropriate extensions, it is possible to work in C/C++ with CMake in a very comfortable and fluid way. To install it:

```
sudo apt-get install code
```

We added, at a minimum, the C/C++ Extension Pack which will also include support for CMake (Figure 11.19).

We open our project with Open Folder. Later, we run CMake from the environment itself: [F1]->CMake:Configure. The first time, VSCode will ask for the location of the CMakeLists.txt main (Figure 11.20) (/src/CMakeLists.txt).

After the configuration we can compile with [F1]->CMake:Build. In the **Output** tab of VSCode we will see the evolution of the process:

```
[build] [ 97%] Building C object demo/die/CMakeFiles/Die.dir/resgen/res die.c.o
[build] [ 98%] Built target Bode
[build] [ 98%] Building C object demo/products/CMakeFiles/Products.dir/products
[build] [ 98%] Built target Fractals
[build] [ 98%] Building C object demo/products/CMakeFiles/Products.dir/prview.c
[build] [ 99%] Linking CXX executable ../../Debug/bin/Die
[build] [100%] Building C object demo/products/CMakeFiles/Products.dir/resgen/

→ res products.c.o

[build] [100%] Built target Die
```

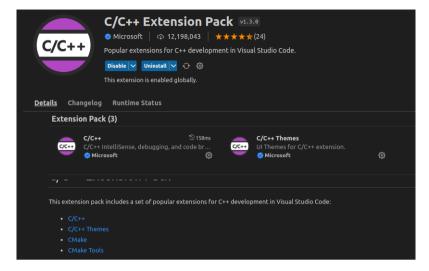


Figure 11.19: C/C++ Extension Pack.

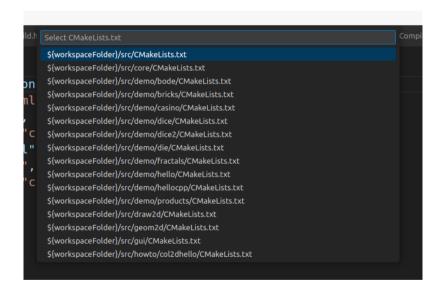


Figure 11.20: Selection of the main CMakeLists.txt of the project.

```
[build] [100%] Linking CXX executable ../../Debug/bin/Products [build] [100%] Built target Products
```

To debug, the first thing is to select the target (or executable) with [F1]->CMake:Set Debug Target (Figure 11.21).

And we launch the debugger with [F1]->CMake: Debug (Figure 11.22).

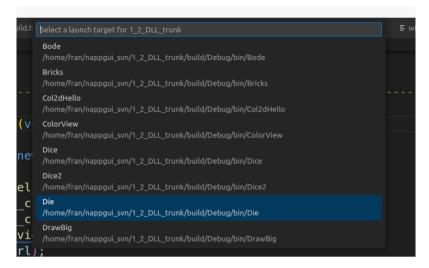


Figure 11.21: Selection of the executable to debug.

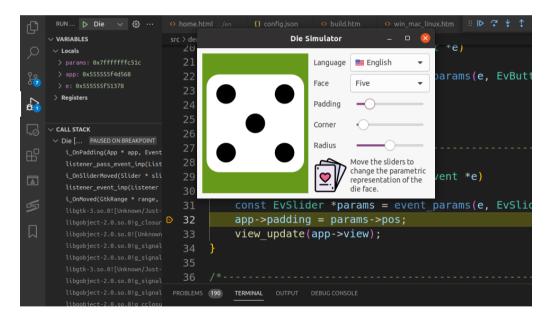


Figure 11.22: Debugging application *Die* from Visual Studio Code.

Configurations 11.6.

A NAppGUI application can be compiled in three different configurations, depending on the level of debugging we need.

• Debuq: Includes debugging information in the binaries and does not perform code optimizations. It is the developer version.

- Release: Remove debug information and perform all possible optimizations. It is the version for the user.
- Release With Assert: It is the Release version, but leaving the "Asserts" (page 155) statements active. It is aimed at the end user, but in cases where it is necessary to obtain detailed information on possible anomalies, at the cost of a decrease in the overall performance of the program.

Both Visual Studio and Xcode are multi-configuration environments, that is, we can switch between one and the other directly from the editor itself. In Visual Studio we have a dropdown at the top of the (Figure 11.23) editor.

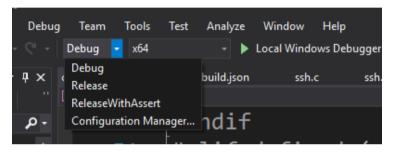


Figure 11.23: Config change in Visual Studio.

In Xcode it is a bit more hidden. We do Product->Scheme->Edit Scheme. A popup window will appear. Select Run->Info->Build Configuration (Figure 11.24).

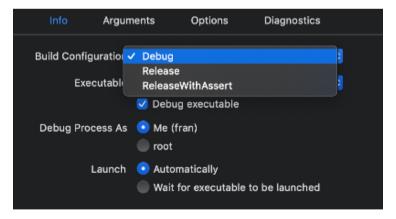


Figure 11.24: Config change in Xcode.

Unfortunately, Unix make does not support multiple configurations. This forces us to pass the CMAKE_BUILD_TYPE (Figure 11.25) property to set the configuration in CMake before building the Makefiles. We must re-run cmake -S ./src -B ./build if we change the configuration, for the new configuration to take effect.

Name	Value
CMAKE_ARCHITECTURE	x64
CMAKE_BUILD_CONFIG	Debug
CMAKE_PACKAGE_GEN	
CMAKE_PACKAGE_PATH	Release
CMAKE_TOOLKIT	ReleaseWithAssert

Figure 11.25: Change configuration in CMake (Unix Makefile).

Part 2 Introduction to the API

NAppGUI SDK

While civilians (i.e., nonprogrammers) often fantasize about winning the lottery, the equivalent for many programmers is the rare opportunity to create a new library from scratch, without the constraints that often frustrate their desires to extend and improve an existing library.

 $Philip\ J.\ Schneider\ -\ Industrial\ Light\ +\ Magic$

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12.1. NAppGUI API

The NAppGUI implementation has been split into several libraries written in ANSI-C (C90) with small parts in C++98 (Figure 12.1). The project compiles without problems in all versions of Visual Studio (since VS2005), Xcode (since 3) and GCC (since 4). It can be used for developing high-performance applications written in C on Windows, macOS, and Linux systems. A clear line has been drawn that separates packages oriented to computation and data access (back-end) from those intended for the presentation or interface layers (front-end). We have also followed certain "Standards" (page 58) whose bases are centralized in the "Sewer" (page 151) library, which, although it does not incorporate much functionality, does define the basic types and configuration macros common to all the project.

- Packages that do not contain platform dependent code.
- Packages that contain platform dependent code under a common interface.

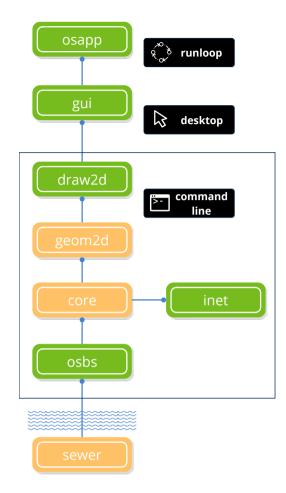


Figure 12.1: NAppGUI architecture.

- "Sewer" (page 151): Basic types, assertions, Unicode, standard C library, math functions.
- "Osbs" (page 168): Operating system services. Portable API on files, directories, processes, threads, memory, etc.
- "Core" (page 189): Commonly used non-graphical utilities. Memory auditor, data structures, I/O channels, lexical analysis, etc.
- "Geom2D" (page 237): 2D geometry. Transformations, vectors, polygons, collisions, etc.
- "Draw2D" (page 258): Vector drawing API, images and fonts.
- "Gui" (page 299): High-level user interface composer.
- "OSApp" (page 373): Desktop applications. Message loops.
- "INet" (page 381): Internet protocols and services, such as HTTP.

Online resources 12.2.

For obvious reasons of space, it is impossible in this book to include a complete reference of each and every one of the functions that make up NAppGUI. On the project's Website¹ you will find a detailed feature-by-feature guide, as well as the source code of several sample applications.

Therefore, please go through this entire section of the book in a leisurely manner, with the sole purpose of getting a general idea of the structure of the software and the different parts that compose it.

12.3. A little history

I started working on this project unconsciously, in the middle of 2008 when I was finishing my studies in Computer Engineering at the University of Alicante. He wanted to develop a physical systems simulator that would work on both PC-Windows computers and Apple iMacs without having to duplicate all the work. The technological alternatives of the time, such as GTK or Qt, did not convince me at all since they were too heavy, complicated to use and slow, so they would end up tarnishing the quality, elegance and effort that I was putting into my mathematical calculation algorithms. After spending several months evaluating different libraries for cross-platform programming, I downloaded some technical manuals from Apple to program directly in Cocoa, the manzanita manufacturer's base technology for developing software on iMac. In the middle of 2010 I started to see the first results and this was encouraging. I had built an application with my simulator prototype in just 500Kb (Figure 12.2), in contrast to the 30+Mb of dependencies required by thirdparty solutions. The code was compact and clean, the application worked at breakneck speed and, above all, it had a professional appearance that was somewhat reminiscent of iMovie, it allowed 3D views to be manipulated like in a video game and provided technical simulation data in real time. This inspired me to continue working on drawing a barrier between the reusable part of the application and the part that depends on a specific technology. This would allow my simulator to be adapted to different computer models and operating systems.

At the same time, in September 2008 I rejoined the labor market after six years at the University, a market in which I am still currently (May 2021), although the last few years I have been working as a freelancer from home, which allows me to organize the agenda and optimize my time to the maximum. In these years I have not abandoned my personal project, I have continued working on it part-time simply for pure hobby. Its development has allowed me to investigate and delve into interesting areas for me and constantly recycle myself. In 2013 I made my first foray into the world of entrepreneurship as a co-founder of iMech Technologies, a software company with which I am still linked and whose main

¹https://www.nappqui.com

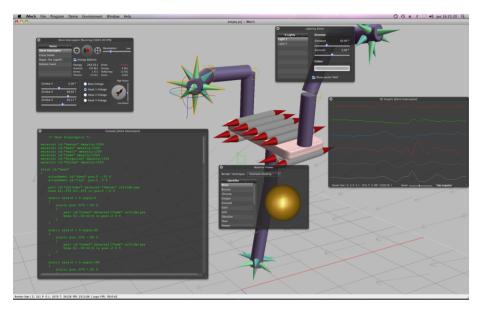


Figure 12.2: iMech simulator, based on a primitive version of NAppGUI.

objective was the sale of the simulation engine that I had previously created. By not coming up with a solid marketing strategy, we didn't achieve our initial goals with iMech, but we were able to turn it around by adding new customers and it's still alive today.

In mid-2015 I began to consider the fact that all the technical effort made during these years has enough entity to become a product by itself. It was then when I created the NAppGUI project and started migrating all the iMech libraries dedicated to cross-platform development. Over the last few years I've completed support for Cocoa and included support for Win32 and Gtk+. I have created this documentation in Spanish and English, with the help of Google translation services.

On December 31, 2019, I upload to GitHub the first public pre-compiled version of NAppGUI.

In May 2020 I start the development of the first commercial application programmed entirely with NAppGUI.

On September 8, 2021, I release the source code of NAppGUI on GitHub, making it an Open Source project under the MIT license.

Sewer library

Even the grandest palaces needed sewers.

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13.1. Sewer

Sewer is the first library within the NAppGUI SDK (Figure 13.1). It declares the basic types, the Unicode support, assertions, pointers safe manipulation, elementary math

functions, Standard I/O and dynamic memory allocation. It is also used as a "sink" to bury the unsightly preprocessor macros necessary to configure the compiler, CPU, platforms, etc. As dependencies only has a few headers of the C standard library:

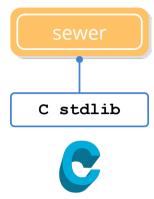


Figure 13.1: Dependencies of *sewer*. See "NAppGUI API" (page 147).

13.1.1. The C standard library

The C standard library (cstdlib) is not part of the C language, but implements functions of great utility for the developer that solve typical programming problems. Any C programmer has used it more or less and its study is usually linked to learning the language itself (Figure 13.2).

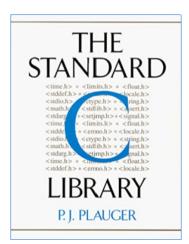


Figure 13.2: A complete reference to the C library is found in the P.J.Plauger book.

This library is located halfway between the application and system calls and provides a portable API for file access, dynamic memory, I/O, time, etc (Figure 13.3). It also implements mathematical functions, conversion, search, string management, etc. In one way or another, NAppGUI integrates its functionality, so it's not necessary (or advisable) to use *cstdlib* directly in the application layer. The reasons that have motivated this design decision can be summarized in:

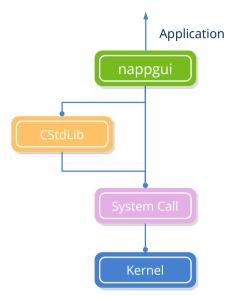


Figure 13.3: The functionality of the C library has been integrated in NAppGUI, avoiding its direct use in applications.

- Small differences: Unix-like systems do not support the secure cstdlib versions implemented by Microsoft (strcpy s() and others). The use of classical functions (without the suffix s) is insecure and will trigger annoying warnings in Visual Studio.
- Security: Related to the previous one, avoids buffer overflow vulnerabilities in the processing of memory blocks and strings.
- **Duplicity:** Much of the functionality of cstdlib is already implemented in osbs library using direct system calls (files, dynamic memory, I/O, time, etc.)
- Completeness: The cstdlib functions related to files (fopen() and others) do not include support for directory management. "Files and directories" (page 179) presents a complete API based on system calls.
- **Performance:** In certain cases, especially in mathematical functions and memory management, it may be interesting to change the implementation of cstdlib to an improved one. All applications will benefit from the change, without having to modify your code.
- Clarity: The behavior of some *cstdlib* functions is not entirely clear and can lead to confusion. For example, strtoul has a very particular functioning that we must remember every time we use it.

```
char *s1 = "-56";
char *s2 = "asCr";
char *s3 = "467Xd";
int v1, v2, v3;
v1 = strtoul(s1, NULL, 10); // v1 = 4294967240, errno = OK
```

```
v2 = strtoul(s2, NULL, 10); // v2 = 0, errno = OK

v3 = strtoul(s3, NULL, 10); // v3 = 467, errno = OK
```

• **Style:** The use of *sewer* functions does not break the aesthetics of an application written with NAppGUI.

```
real32_t a1 = 1.43f;
real64_t a2 = .38;
real32_t c = (real32_t)cosf((float)a1);
real64_t t = (real64_t)tan((double)a2);
...
real32_t c = bmath_cosf(a1);
real64_t t = bmath_tand(a2);
```

- **Independence:** NAppGUI internally uses a very small subset of *cstdlib* functions. It is possible that in the future we will make our own implementations and completely disconnect the support of the standard library.
- Static link: If we statically link the standard library, sewer will contain all dependencies internally. This will avoid possible incompatibilities with the runtimes installed on each machine (the classic Windows VC++ Redistributables). With this we will be certain that our executables will work, regardless of the version of the C runtime that exists in each case. If all calls to cstdlib are inside sewer, we free higher-level libraries from their handling and possible runtime errors related to the C runtime.

Static link of the *cstdlib* in Sewer. Doesn't need the C runtime.

```
RUNTIME_C_LIBRARY "static"

dumpbin /dependents dsewer.dll

Image has the following dependencies:

KERNEL32.dll
```

Dynamic binding of the *cstdlib* in Sewer. Needs to have a specific runtime installed.

```
RUNTIME_C_LIBRARY "dynamic"

dumpbin /dependents dsewer.dll

Image has the following dependencies:

KERNEL32.dll

VCRUNTIME140D.dll

ucrtbased.dll
```

To avoid possible bugs or incompatibilities, do not use C Standard Library functions directly in applications. Always look for an equivalent NAppGUI function.

13.2. **Asserts**

asserts are sentences distributed by the source code that perform an intensive "Dynamic analysis" (page 61), helping to detect errors at runtime. When the assert condition becomes FALSE, the program execution stops and a warning window is displayed (Figure 13.4).

- Use cassert to introduce a dynamic check in your code.
- Use cassert no null once you have to access the content of a pointer.

```
void layout vmargin(Layout *layout, const uint32 t row, const real32 t
   → margin)
    cassert no null(layout);
    cassert msg(row < layout->num rows, "'row' out of range");
```

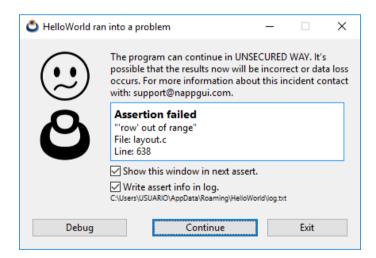


Figure 13.4: assert window displayed after a runtime error.

At this time we have three alternatives:

- **Debug**: Debug the program: Access the call stack, inspect variables, etc. More in "Debugging the program" (page 63).
- Continue: Continue with the execution, ignoring the assert.
- **Exit**: Exit the program.

To avoid showing this window in futher *asserts*, deactivate the check 'Show this window in next assert'. Future incidents will be directed to a *log* file. You can also omit dumps in this log, deactivating 'Write assert info in log'.

asserts sentences provide very valuable information about program anomalies and should never be ignored.

In the previous example we have seen a "continuable" assert, that is, the execution of the program can continue if we press [Continue]. However, as we indicated, they should not be ignored indefinitely. On the other hand we have the **critical asserts** (Figure 13.5). Normally they are related to segment violation problems, where it will not be possible to continue running the program.

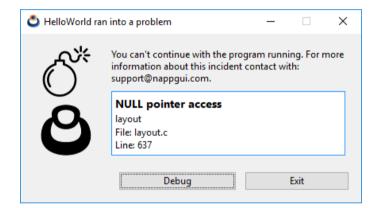


Figure 13.5: Critical assert caused by null pointer access.

13.3. Pointers

The sewer library provides macros and functions for "safe" pointers manipulation. By "safe" we mean the fact that the SDK will detect improper pointer access just before a segment violation occurs. Does it make sense to detect a segment violation if the program is going to crash anyway? Pre-detection plays a very important role when running automated tests. Before the inevitable process closing, it will leave a note in the execution log.txt, indicating the reason for the crash.

• Use ptr_get to get the content of a pointer.

```
// v2 = NULL
// Segmentation fault
V2Df v1 = *v2;

// "v2 is NULL in file::line"
// will be record in log.txt
// and then, Segmentation fault
V2Df v1 = ptr_get(v2, V2Df);
```

13.4. Unicode

Unicode is a standard in the computer industry, essentially a table, which assigns a unique number to each symbol of each language in the world (Figure 13.6). These values are usually called *codepoints* and are represented by typing U+ followed by their number in hexadecimal.

- Use unicode convers to convert a string from one encoding to another.
- Use unicode to u32 to get the first codepoint of a string.

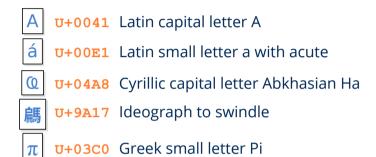


Figure 13.6: Several Unicode code points.

Related to its structure, it has 17 planes of 65536 codepoints each (256 blocks of 256 elements) (Figure 13.7). This gives Unicode a theoretical limit of 1114112 characters, of which 136755 have already been occupied (version 10.0 of June 2017). For real-world applications, the most important one is Plane 0 called Basic Multilingual Plane (BMP), which includes the symbols of all the modern languages of the world. The upper planes contain historical characters and additional unconventional symbols.

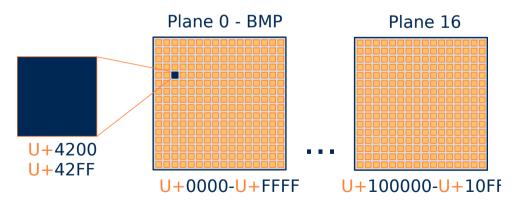


Figure 13.7: Unicode has 17 planes of 256x256 codepoints each.

The first computers used ASCII American Standard Code for Information Interchange, a 7-bit code that defines all the characters of the English language: 26 lowercase letters (without diacritics), 26 uppercase letters, 10 digits, 32 punctuation symbols, 33 codes control and a blank space, for a total of 128 positions. Taking the additional bit within a byte, we will have space for another 128 symbols, but still insufficient for all in the world. This results in numerous pages of extended ASCII codes, which is a big problem to share texts, since the same numeric code can represent different symbols according to the ASCII page used (Figure 13.8).

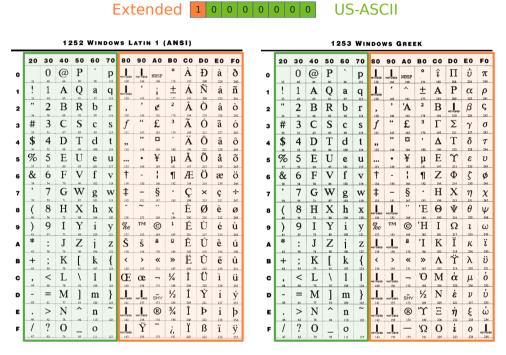


Figure 13.8: On each Extended ASCII page, the top 128 codes represent different characters.

Already in the early 90s, with the advent of the Internet, this problem worsened, as the exchange of information between machines of different nature and country became something everyday. The Unicode Consortium (Figure 13.9) was constituted in California in January of 1991 and, in October of the same year, the first volume of the Unicode standard was published.



Figure 13.9: Full members of the Unicode Consortium.

13.4.1. UTF encodings

Each codepoint needs 21 bits to be represented (5 for the plane and 16 for the displacement). This match very badly with the basic types in computers (8, 16 or 32 bits). For this reason, three Unicode Translation Format - UTF encodings have been defined, depending on the type of data used in the representation (Figure 13.10).

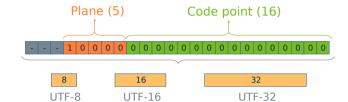


Figure 13.10: Encodings to store 21-bit *codepoints* by elements of 8, 16, or 32.

13.4.2. **UTF-32**

Without any problem, using 32 bits we can store any codepoint. We can also randomly access the elements of an array using an index, in the same way as the classic ASCII C (char) strings. The bad news is the memory requirements. A UTF32 string needs four times more space than an ASCII.

```
const char32 t code1[] = U"Hello";
const char32 t code2[] = U"áéíóú";
uint32 t s1 = sizeof(code1); /* s1 == 24 */
uint32 t s2 = sizeof(code2); /* s2 == 24 */
for (i = 0; i < 5; ++i)
     /* Accessing by index */
     if (code1[i] == 'H')
         return i;
```

13.4.3. **UTF-16**

UTF16 halves the space required by UTF32. It is possible to store a codepoint per element as long as we do not leave the 0 plane (BMP). For higher planes, two UTF16 elements (32bits) will be necessary. This mechanism, which encapsulates the higher planes within the BMP, is known as surrogate pairs.

```
const char16 t code1[] = u"Hello";
const char16 t code2[] = u"áéíóú";
uint32 t s1 = sizeof(code1); /* s1 == 12 */
uint32 t s2 = sizeof(code2); /* s2 == 12 */
for (i = 0; i < 5; ++i)
     /* DANGER! Only BMP */
     if (code1[i] == 'H')
         return i;
```

To iterate over a UTF16 string that contains characters from any plane, it must be used unicode next.

13.4.4. UTF-8

UTF8 is a variable length code where each *codepoint* uses 1, 2, 3 or 4 bytes.

- 1 byte (0-7F): the 128 symbols of the original ASCII. This is a great advantage, since US-ASCII strings are valid UTF8 strings, without the need for conversion.
- 2 bytes (80-7FF): Diacritical and Romance language characters, Greek, Cyrillic, Coptic, Armenian, Hebrew, Arabic, Syriac and Thaana, among others. A total of 1920 codepoints.
- 3 bytes (800-FFFF): Rest of the plane 0 (BMP).
- 4 bytes (10000-10FFFF): Higher planes (1-16).

```
0000-007F 8 US-ASCII
0080-07FF 8 8 8 Latin/European
0800-FFFF 8 8 8 8 Others

10000-10FFFF 8 8 8 8 8 Higher planes (1-16)
```

Figure 13.11: Each character in UTF8 uses 1, 2, 3 or 4 bytes.

More than 90% of websites use UTF8 (august of 2018¹), because it is the most optimal in terms of memory and network transmission speed. As a disadvantage, it has associated a small computational cost to encode/decode, since it is necessary to perform bit-level operations to obtain the *codepoints*. It is also not possible to randomly access a specific character by index, we have to process the entire string.

```
const char_t code1[] = "Hello";
const char_t code2[] = "áéíóú";
const char_t *iter = code1;
uint32_t s1 = sizeof(code1); /* s1 == 6 */
uint32_t s2 = sizeof(code2); /* s2 == 11 */
for (i = 0; i < 5; ++i)
{
    if (unicode_to_u32(iter, ekUTF8) == 'H')
        return i;
    iter = unicode_next(iter, ekUTF8);
}</pre>
```

https://w3techs.com/technologies/overview/character encoding/all

13.4.5. Using UTF-8

UTF8 is the encoding required by all the NAppGUI SDK functions. The reasons why we have chosen UTF-8 over other encodings have been:

- It is the natural evolution of the US-ASCII.
- The applications will be directly compatible with the vast majority of Internet services (JSON/XML).
- In multi-lingual environments the texts will occupy less space. Statistically, the 128 ASCII characters are the most used on average and only need one byte in UTF8.
- As a disadvantage, in applications aimed exclusively at the Asian market (China, Japan, Korea - CJK), UTF8 is less efficient than UTF16.

Within NAppGUI applications they can cohexist different representations (char16 t, char32 t, wchar t). However, we strongly recommend the use of UTF8 in favor of portability and to avoid constant conversions within the API. To convert any string to UTF8 the unicode convers function is used.

```
wchar t text[] = L"My label text.";
char t ctext[128];
unicode convers((const char t*)text, ctext, ekUTF16, ekUTF8, 128);
```

NAppGUI does not offer support for converting pages from Extended ASCII to Unicode.

The Stream object provides automatic UTF conversions when reading or writing to I/O channels using the methods stm set write utf and stm set read utf. It is also possible to work with the String type (dynamic strings), which incorporates a multitude of functions optimized for the UTF8 treatment. We can include constant text strings directly in the source code (Figure 13.12), although the usual thing will be to write them in resource files ("Resources" (page 101)). Obviously, we must save both the source and resource files in UTF8. All current development environments support the option:

- By default, Visual Studio saves the source files in ASCII format (Windows 1252). To change to UTF8, go to File->Save As->Save with encoding->Unicode (UTF8 Without Signature) - Codepage 65001. There is no way to set this configuration for the entire project :-(.
- In Xcode it is possible to establish a global configuration. Preferences->Text editing->Default Text Encoding->Unicode (UTF-8).
- In Eclipse it also allows a global configuration. Window->Preferences->General ->Workspace->Text file encoding.

```
static const char_t text[] = {
    "Hello World!",
    "「こんにちは世界」",
    "你好, 世界!",
    "Привет мир!",
    "Γειά σου Κόσμε!" };

/* API works with UTF8 */
label_text(label, text[2]);
button_text(button, text[3]);
```

Figure 13.12: UTF8 constants in a C source file.

13.5. Maths

BMath offers a compact interface on the elementary mathematical functions of the C standard library. It also defines some of the most used constants, such as the number Pi, conversions between degrees and radians or the root of 2.

- Use bmath cosf to calculate the cosine of an angle (wrapper over cstdlib cosf ()).
- Use bmath sqrtf to calculate the square root (wrapper over cstdlib sqrtf()).

13.5.1. Random numbers

BMath includes a seed-based pseudo-random number generator. From the same seed, the sequence of numbers generated will always be the same. The sequences produced by two different seeds will be radically disparate. Hence they are called pseudo-random.

- Use bmath_rand_seed to set the random number seed.
- Use bmath_randf to get a random floating point number, within an interval.

In the case of multi-threaded applications, this sequence may vary depending on the order of execution of the threads, since these functions **are not re-entrant**. You must use an "environment" of random numbers for each thread in question, in case you need to always ensure the same sequence (deterministic algorithms).

- Use bmath_rand_env to create a random number safe environment.
- Use bmath_rand_mtf to get a random number from an environment.

13.6. Standard functions

BLib includes useful functions from the C standard library that don't fit in other modules like BMath or BMem. As in <stdlib.h> we find text conversion functions, algorithms

or interaction with the environment.

- Use blib strcmp to compare two text strings.
- Use blib gsort to sort a vector of elements.
- Use blib brearch to perform a dichotomous search on an ordered vector.
- Use blib abort to end program execution.

Standard I/O 13.7.

All processes have input and output channels by default, without the need to create them explicitly. By channels we mean *streams* or data flows.

- Use bstd printf to write text to standard output.
- Use bstd read to read bytes from standard input.

Each running process has three standard communication channels:

- stdin: data input. The process will read data that comes from outside.
- **stdout:** data output. The process will write results on this channel.
- stderr: error output. The process will write on this channel information regarding errors.

It's like having three perpetually open files where the program can read and write without limits. When we execute a process from the Console or the Terminal, stdin automatically connects to the keyboard and stdout/stderr to the screen (Figure 13.13). However, these standard channels can be redirected to use files as input sources or output destinations:

```
dir > out.txt
ls > out.txt
sort < out.txt
```

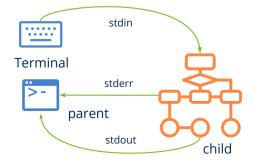


Figure 13.13: Executing a process from the Terminal.

In this code snippet, the result of the command dir (1s in Unix) has been redirected to the file out.txt, so we will not see anything on the screen. On the other hand, the command sort it does not wait for the user to enter through the keyboard. Simply taking the file out.txt, sorting its lines. Therefore, whenever we write applications on the command line, we should conveniently use these standard channels without making presumptions from where the information processed by the application comes from or where it goes.

13.8. Memory

From the programmer perspective, access to memory is done through variables and manipulated through the language operators (+, -, *, =, ...) and always in the same way, regardless of how the variables were created or in what memory zone they are hosted. Within bmem.h we have several functions to make copies, assignments or checks of generic memory blocks. This module also defines functions for dynamic memory manipulation (Heap).

- Use bmem malloc to reserve a dynamic memory block.
- Use bmem free to free a block of dynamic memory.
- Use bmem copy to copy the contents of two memory blocks, previously reserved.

13.8.1. Stack Segment

The memory of a compiled and running C program is divided into several segments. One of them is the *stack*, a space of variable but limited size, where local variables and function calls (*call stack*) are stored. It grows and shrinks as the process enters and leaves areas or functions (Figure 13.14). It is automatically managed by the compiler as a LIFO Last-in First-out structure, so it goes unnoticed most of the time, since it does not require extra attention from the programmer. We are aware of its existence when receiving the Stack Overflow error, usually caused by infinite recursion or the reservation of very large C vectors (Listing 13.1). The debugger allows us to inspect the state of the stack at execution time "Debugging the program" (page 63).

Listing 13.1: Two simple cases that cause the stack overflow.

```
int func(int n) { func(n); } // Stack Overflow
float v[2000000]; // Stack Overflow
```

While the use of the *stack* is ideal due to its high performance, security and ease of use, sometimes falls short. On the one hand, it is necessary to foresee in the design time the amount of memory needed and define it statically (eg. struct Product pr[100];), something very inflexible when it comes to building real applications. On the other hand,

```
void func(int a, int b)
   int i;
   char str[10]:
                                                                   (b)
   i = 5;
                                                               str='A'
\frac{\text{(b)}}{\text{str}[0]} = \text{'A'};
                                                                  i=5
                                                                  b=2
int main()
                                                                  a=1
 \frac{\text{(a)}}{\text{nt}} g = 5:
                                                (a)
                                                                  func
   func(1, 2);
                                               g=5
                                                                  q=5
                                                                                     q = 10
    a = 10:
```

Figure 13.14: Stack state in different points of the program.

variables are destroyed when closing a scope or leaving a function, which prevents sharing data globally.

Heap Segment 13.8.2.

The heap is a memory zone that the process can request on demand, through calls to the system. It is complementary to the *stack* and is characterized by:

- It can be accessed globally, from any point of the program through a pointer.
- The amount of available memory is practically unlimited.
- It is less efficient than the *stack*.
- Requires management. Operating systems provide functions for requesting dynamic memory blocks (HeapAlloc(), sbrk()), being the responsibility of the process, or rather the programmer, to release these blocks when they are no longer needed.

As allocations and de-allocations can be made in any order, internal fragmentation occurs as the program progresses (Figure 13.15). Here would come into play the so-called memory manager, which are algorithms that allow optimizing the use of the heap by compacting it and reusing the released blocks. The standard C library provides the familiar functions malloc()/free(), which implement a generic memory manager through system calls.

NAppGUI implements its own dynamic memory manager/auditor "Heap - Memory manager" (page 190) very optimized to serve numerous requests of small size, which is what applications demand normally. bmem malloc/bmem free connect to the operating system through system calls and should not be used directly.

Figure 13.15: Fragmentation of the *heap* during the execution of the process.

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16	8	24	32	

Osbs library

There is no neat distinction between operating system software and the software that runs on top of it.

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14.1. Osbs

osbs (Operating System Basic Services) is a portable wrapper that allows applications to communicate with the operating system core at the level of processes, memory, files and networks. This communication is carried out through a series of system calls (Figure 14.1) which vary according to the operating system for which we are programming. It is the non-graphic lowest level API to communicate with hardware devices and access the machine resources. Below are the device drivers managed directly by the kernel, to which applications have access denied.

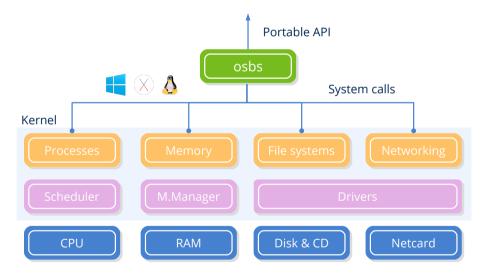


Figure 14.1: System calls are the gateway to the operating system kernel.

Darwin, the macOS kernel, and Linux are Unix-like systems, therefore, they share the same system calls (with subtle differences). But Windows presents a radically different architecture and function set. The NAppGUI osbs library is nothing more than a small wrapper that internally handles these differences and provides a common way to access the same resources on different platforms (Figure 14.2). It only depends on "Sewer" (page 151) and its functionalities have been divided into different modules:

- "Processes" (page 169), "Threads" (page 172), "Mutual exclusion" (page 177).
- "Loading libraries" (page 177).
- "Files and directories" (page 179).

- "Sockets" (page 181).
- "Time" (page 185).

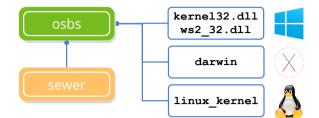


Figure 14.2: osbs dependencies. See "NAppGUI API" (page 147).

14.2. Processes

From the programmer perspective, multi-processing is the possibility of launching and interacting with other processes (children) from the main process (parent). The operating system can execute the child process in another CPU core (true multitasking) or in the same as the parent (context switch). This is a system decision in which the programmer can not influence and will depend on the processor type and its workload. The final effect will be that both processes (parent and child) run in parallel.

- Use bproc_exec to launch a new process from the application itself.
- Use bproc read to read from the standard output of the process.
- Use bproc_write to write to the standard input of the process.

14.2.1. Launching processes

bproc_exec will launch a process from our own C program in a similar way as the Terminal does (Figure 14.3). In this case, the "Standard I/O" (page 163) stdin, stdout and stderr will be redirected to the Proc object through anonymous pipes. From here, we can use bproc_write to write on the son stdin channel and bproc_read to read from his stdout. The rules of reading/writing are those that govern the operating system pipes and that we can summarize in:

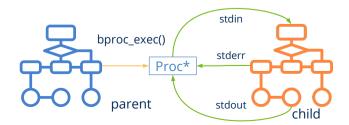


Figure 14.3: Launching a process from our own C code.

- If the parent calls bproc_read and the child has not written anything (empty buffer), the parent will be blocked (wait) until there is information in the child's output channel.
- If the child ends and parent is waiting to read, bproc_read will return FALSE and the parent will continue his execution.
- If the parent calls bproc_write and the writing buffer is full, the parent will block (wait) until the child reads from his stdin and free space in the channel.
- If the child ends and the father is blocked by writing, bproc_write will return FALSE and the parent will continue his execution.
- Some commands or processes (eg sort) will not start until reading the entire stdin contents. In these cases, the parent process must use bproc_write_close to indicate to the child that the writing on his stdin has finished.
- When the parent calls <code>bproc_close</code>, all the I/O channels will be closed and both processes will continue their execution independently. To finish the execution of the child process (kill) use <code>bproc cancel</code>.
- bproc_wait will stop the parent process until the child completes. To avoid overloading the child output buffer stdout, close the channel through bproc read close.
- bproc_finish will check, in a non-blocking way, if the child has finished running.

14.2.2. Multi-processing examples

Let's look at some practical examples of IPC Inter-Process Communication using the standard I/O channels in linked parent-child processes. In (Listing 14.1) we will dump the child process stdout output in a file. In (Listing 14.2) we will redirect both channels, we will write in stdin and we will read from stdout using disk files. Finally, we will implement an asynchronous protocol where the parent and child exchange requests and responses. In (Listing 14.4) we show the code of the child process, in (Listing 14.3) the parent process and in (Listing 14.5) the result of the communication, written by the parent process.

Listing 14.1: Reading from a process stdout and saving it in a file.

```
byte_t buffer[512];
uint32_t rsize;
File *file = bfile_create("out.txt", NULL);
Proc *proc = bproc_exec("dir C:\Windows\System32", NULL);
while(bproc_read(proc, buffer, 512, &rsize, NULL) == TRUE)
    bfile_write(file, buffer, rsize, NULL, NULL);
bproc_close(&proc);
bfile_close(&file);
```

Listing 14.2: Redirecting the stdin and stdout of a process.

```
byte t buffer[512];
uint32 t rsize;
File *fsrc = bfile open("members.txt", ekFILE READ, NULL);
File *fdes = bfile create("sorted members.txt", NULL);
Proc *proc = bproc exec("sort", NULL);
// Writes to stdin
while (bfile read(fsrc, buffer, 512, &rsize, NULL) == TRUE)
    bproc write(proc, buffer, rsize, NULL, NULL);
// Closes child stdin
bproc write close(proc);
// Reads child stdout
while(bproc read(proc, buffer, 512, &rsize, NULL) == TRUE)
    bfile write (fdes, buffer, rsize, NULL, NULL);
bfile close(&fsrc);
bfile close(&fdes);
bproc close (&proc);
```

Listing 14.3: Asynchronous protocol (parent process).

```
Proc *proc;
uint32 t commands[] = { 326, 32, 778, 123, 889, 712, 1, 55, 75, 12 };
uint32 t exit command = 0;
uint32 t i;
proc = bproc exec("child", NULL);
for (i = 0; i < 10; ++i)
   uint32 t response;
   uint32 t time;
    // Send command to child
    bproc write(proc, (byte t*)&commands[i], sizeof(uint32 t), NULL);
    // Waits for child response
    bproc read(proc, (byte t*)&response, sizeof(uint32 t), NULL);
    bproc read(proc, (byte t*)&time, sizeof(uint32 t), NULL);
    bstd printf("Child command %d in %d milliseconds.\n", response, time);
bproc_write(proc, (byte_t*)&exit_command, sizeof(uint32 t), NULL);
bproc close(&proc);
```

Listing 14.4: Asynchronous protocol (child process).

```
for (;;)
    uint32 t command;
    // Reads from standard input a command from parent.
    if (bstd read((byte t*)&command, sizeof(command), NULL) == TRUE)
        if (command != 0)
        {
            // Waits random time (simulates processing).
            uint32 t timer = bmath randi(1000, 2000);
            bthread sleep(timer);
            // Writes to standard output the response to parent.
            bstd write((const byte t*)&command, sizeof(command), NULL);
            bstd write((const byte t*)&timer, sizeof(timer), NULL);
        }
        else
        {
            // Command 0 = Exit
            break;
        }
    }
}
```

Listing 14.5: Parent process execution result.

```
Child command 326 in 1761 milliseconds.
Child command 32 in 1806 milliseconds.
Child command 778 in 1989 milliseconds.
Child command 123 in 1909 milliseconds.
Child command 889 in 1043 milliseconds.
Child command 712 in 1153 milliseconds.
Child command 1 in 1780 milliseconds.
Child command 55 in 1325 milliseconds.
Child command 75 in 1157 milliseconds.
Child command 75 in 1157 milliseconds.
Child command 12 in 1426 milliseconds.
```

14.3. Threads

The **threads** are different execution paths within the same process (Figure 14.4). They are also known as **light processes**, since they are more agile to create and manage than the processes themselves. They share code and memory space with the main program, so it is very easy to exchange information between them through memory variables. A thread starts its execution in a method known as *thread_main* and, at the moment it is launched, it runs in parallel with the main thread. Like the processes, they are objects controlled by the core of the system that will dictate, ultimately, whether the threads will be executed

in another CPU core (true multitasking) or will share it (context switch).

- Use bthread create to create a new thread.
- Use bthread wait to force the main thread to wait for the thread to execute.

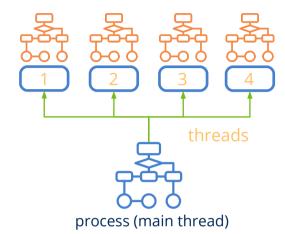


Figure 14.4: A process with multiple execution threads.

14.3.1. Throwing threads

Each call to bthread create will create a new thread in parallel starting at the function passed as a parameter (thread main). The "natural" way to end it is by returning from thread main, although it is possible to abort it from the main thread.

Basic code to launch a parallel execution thread.

```
static uint32 t i thread(ThData *data)
    // Do something
    // Thread execution ends
    return 0:
Thread *thread = bthread create(i thread, data, ThData);
// Main thread will continue here
// Second thread will run 'i thread'
```

Shared variables 14.3.2.

Each new thread has its own "Stack Segment" (page 164) therefore, all automatic variables, function calls and dynamic allocations will be private to said thread. But it can also receive global data from the process through the thread main data parameter. We must be careful when accessing global data through multiple concurrent threads, since modifications made by other threads can alter the logical code execution, producing errors that are very difficult to debug. The program (Listing 14.6) is correct for single-thread programs, but if the variable vector is accessed by two simultaneous threads, can lead to a *Segmentatin Fault* error if thread-1 frees memory while thread-2 is executing the loop.

Listing 14.6: Dangerous access to shared variables.

```
if (shared->vector != NULL)
{
    shared->total = 0;
    for(i = 0; i < shared->n; i++)
        shared->total += shared->vector[i];
    bmem_free(shared->vector);
    shared->vector = NULL;
}
```

To avoid this problem, we will have to protect the access to shared variables through a Mutex (Listing 14.7). This "Mutual exclusion" (page 177) mechanism guarantees that only one thread can access the resource in a moment of time. A thread will be stopped if it intends to execute the code located between bmutex_lock and bmutex_unlock if another thread is within this critical section.

Listing 14.7: Secure access to shared variables.

14.3.3. Multi-thread example

The tricky part of multi-threaded programming is to decompose a solution into parts that can run in parallel and organize the data structures so that this can be carried out in the most balanced way possible. In (Listing 14.8) the program will run four times faster (x4) since a perfect division of the problem has been made (Figure 14.5). This is just a theoretical example and this result will be very difficult to achieve in real situations. We must also minimize the number of shared variables and the time of the critical sections, otherwise the possible inter-blocks will reduce the gain.

Listing 14.8: Multi-threaded processing of a very large vector.

```
typedef struct _app_t App;
typedef struct _thdata_t ThData;
```

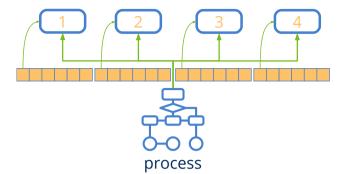


Figure 14.5: Collaboration of four threads in a vector calculation.

```
struct _app_t
   uint32 t total;
   uint32 t n;
    uint32 t *elems;
   Mutex *mutex;
};
struct _thdata_t
   uint32 t thread id;
   uint32 t start;
   uint32 t end;
    uint64 t time;
    App *app;
};
static uint32 t i thead(ThData *data)
    uint32 t i, total = 0;
    uint64 t t1 = btime now();
    for (i = data->start; i < data->end; ++i)
        // Simulates processing
        uint32 t time = bmath randi(0, 100);
        bthread sleep(time);
        total += data->app->elems[i];
    }
    // Mutual exclusion access to shared variable 'total'
    bmutex lock(data->app->mutex);
    data->app->total += total;
    bmutex unlock(data->app->mutex);
    data \rightarrow time = (btime now() - t1) / 1000;
    return data->thread_id;
```

```
// Threads creating function
uint32 t i, m;
uint64 t t;
App app;
ThData thdata[4];
Thread *thread[4];
// App data vector
i init data(&app);
app.mutex = bmutex create();
m = app.n / 4;
// Thread data
for (i = 0; i < 4; ++i)
   thdata[i].thread id = i;
   thdata[i].app = &app;
   thdata[i].start = i * m;
   thdata[i].end = (i + 1) * m;
// Launching threads
t = btime now();
for (i = 0; i < 4; ++i)
    thread[i] = bthread create(i thead, &thdata[i], ThData);
// Wait for threads end
for (i = 0; i < 4; ++i)
   uint32 t thid = bthread wait(thread[i]);
   bstd printf("Thread %d finished in %d ms.\n", thid, thdata[thid].time);
   bthread close(&thread[i]);
// Process total time
t = (btime now() - t) / 1000;
bstd printf("Proccessing result = %d in %d ms.\n", app.total, t);
bmutex close(&app.mutex);
```

Listing 14.9: Resultado.

```
Thread 0 finished in 13339 ms.
Thread 1 finished in 12506 ms.
Thread 2 finished in 12521 ms.
Thread 3 finished in 12999 ms.
Proccessing result = 499500 in 13344 ms.
```

Mutual exclusion 14.4.

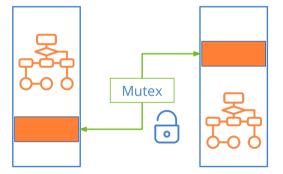
In processes with multiple threads, mutual exclusion guarantees that only one of them can execute a **critical section** at a specific moment of time. The critical section is a block of code that normally protects a shared resource that does not support concurrent access.

- Use bmutex create to create a lock.
- Use bmutex lock to lock a critical section.
- Use bmutex unlock to unlock a critical section.

14.4.1. Locks

Locks or Mutex are synchronization objects managed by the operating system that mark the beginning and end of a critical section (Figure 14.6). When a thread is going to access a certain share, you must call the method bmutex lock to guarantee exclusive access. If another thread is using the resource (it has previously called bmutex lock), the current thread will stop until the resource is released through bmutex unlock. Blocking and unblocking threads is handled by the operating system itself. The programmer should only worry about identifying and protecting the critical sections. "Multi-thread example" (page 174).

Figure 14.6: A mutex protecting the critical sections of two threads. which can not be executed concurrently. The rest of the code can run in parallel.



14.5. **Loading libraries**

The usual, in projects of relative size, is to divide the program code into libraries in order to be able to reuse them in different projects. The link of these libraries within the final executable can be done in three ways:

- Compile time: The library code is copied into the executable, forming an inseparable part of it (static libraries) (Figure 14.7) (a).
- Load time: The library code is distributed separately (dynamic libraries) and is loaded together with the main program, at the same time (Figure 14.7) (b).

• Runtime: Dynamic libraries that the program loads when it needs them (Figure 14.7) (c).

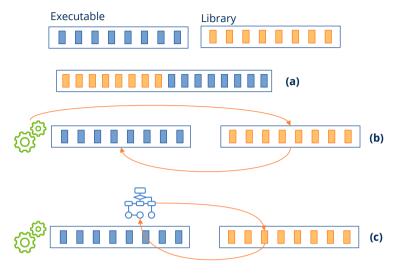


Figure 14.7: Library link and dynamic loading.

The linking process is relatively complicated and is handled automatically by the compiler and operating system's loader. The programmer should only intervene in the third case, since it is necessary to include code to load the libraries and access the appropriate methods or variables at all times.

- Use dlib open to load a library at runtime.
- Use dlib proc to get a pointer to a library function.
- Use dlib var to get a pointer to a library variable.

14.5.1. Library search paths

A dynamic library is in a different file than the executables that can make use of it. Each operating system implements different search strategies that we must know to install and/or configure the programs correctly.

14.5.2. Search order in Windows

- Directory path of dlib open.
- The same directory as the executable.
- The current directory bfile_dir_work.
- Directory %SystemRoot%\System32.

- Directory %SystemRoot%.
- The directories specified in the environment variable PATH.

14.5.3. Search order on Linux/macOS

- The directories specified in the environment variable LD_LIBRARY_PATH (Linux) or DYLD LIBRARY PATH (macOS).
- The directories specified in the executable rpath.
- System directories /lib, /usr/lib, etc.

14.6. Files and directories

14.6.1. File System

The file system (filesystem) is the hierarchical structure composed of directories and files that allows organizing the persistent data of the computer (Figure 14.8). It is something with which computer users are very familiar, especially after the emergence of graphic systems that introduced the analogy of desktop, folder and document. It starts in a directory called root (/ on Unix or C:\ on Windows) and, from here, all sub-directories and files hang down forming a tree that grows deep. At the programming level, the file system is managed through system calls that allow directories to be created, browse their content, open files, delete them, obtain attributes, etc.

- Use bfile create to create a new file.
- Use bfile_dir_create to create a directory.
- Use bfile_dir_open to open a directory to explore its contents.
- Use bfile dir get to get information about a directory entry.

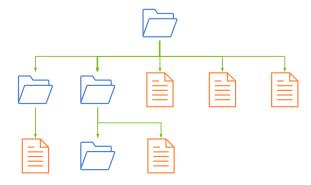


Figure 14.8: Typical structure of a file system.

14.6.2. Files and data streams

A process can read or write data to a file after opening an I/O ("Streams" (page 195)) which provides a stream of binary data to or from the process itself (Figure 14.9). There is a pointer that moves sequentially each time data is read or written. It is initially in byte 0, but we can modify it to access random positions in the file without reading the content (Figure 14.10). This can be very useful when working with large files whose data is indexed in some way.

- Use bfile open to open an existing file.
- Use bfile read to read binary data from a file.
- Use bfile write to write binary data to a file.
- Use bfile seek to modify the file pointer.

Figure 14.9: After opening a file, the process has an I/O channel to read or write data.





Figure 14.10: Sequential read or random access.

14.6.3. Filename and pathname

These two concepts are recurrent and widely used by API functions that manipulate files. When we navigate through the contents of a directory bfile_dir_get, we obtain a sequence of *filenames* that is the "flat" name of the element (file or subdirectory) without including its path within the file system (without characters '/' or '\'). On the other hand the *pathname* is a sequence of one or several *filenames* separated by '/', '\', which indicates the way forward to locate a certain element. This path can be **absolute** when it starts with the root directory (C:\Users\john\docs\images\party.png) or **relative** (docs\images\party.png) when it indicates the partial route from the process current working directory.

- Use bfile_dir_work to get the current working directory.
- Use bfile_dir_set_work to set the working directory.

14.6.4. Home and AppData

These are two typical directories used by applications to store files relative to a particular user. On the one hand, home indicates the personal directory of the user currently registered in the system, typically C:\Users\john (Windows), /home/john (Linux) or /Users/john (macOS). On the other hand appdata is a directory reserved for saving temporary or configuration data of applications. Typical locations can be C:\Users\john\ AppData\Roaming (Windows), /home/john/.config (Linux) or /User/john/Library (macOS). The usual thing will be to create a sub-folder with the name of the application /User/john/Library/TheApp.

- Use bfile dir home to get the user home directory.
- Use bfile dir data to get the application data directory.
- Use bfile dir exec to get the current executable directory.

14.7. Sockets

We can define a **socket** as a communication channel between two processes that are running on different machines. They use as a base the family of TCP/IP protocols that govern Internet communication from the first prototypes of the big network back in 1969. For its part, the IP protocol (Internet Protocol) is responsible for sending small data packets between two remote computers through the network. As there are packets that can be lost or take different paths when crossing the Internet nodes, TCP (Transmission Control Protocol) will be in charge of sorting them sequentially and re-ordering those that have been lost. Another important aspect that TCP adds is the concept of a **port**, which allows the same machine to have multiple connections open at the same time. The conjunction of TCP/IP provides the process of a reliable bidirectional communication channel (fullduplex) with the remote process and is the basis of the client/server model (Figure 14.11).

- Use bsocket connect in the client process to create a communication channel with a remote server.
- Use bsocket server in the server process to listen for client requests.
- Use bsocket accept to accept a client's request and start communication.
- Use bsocket read to read data from a socket.
- Use bsocket write to write data to a socket.

Sockets are the lowest-level communication primitive accessible by applications. They are extremely fast but, in general, their functions are blocking, that is, they will stop the process until the other party responds.

Figure 14.11: TCP/IP sockets allow two processes to be connected through the Internet.



- bsocket_connect will stop the client process until the server responds or the timeout expires.
- bsocket_accept it will stop the server process until a request from a client arrives or the timeout is fulfilled.
- bsocket_read will stop the process until the other interlocutor writes data to the channel or the timeout is fulfilled.
- bsocket_write will stop the process until the other peer reads data from the channel and frees the intermediate buffer or the timeout is fulfilled.

Apart from these indications, working with *sockets* is very similar to working with files on disk. The TCP/IP implementation is complicated and is part of the operating system, so the establishment of the connection has been simplified through the system calls seen above. Since a socket only allows sending and receiving bytes, both partners need to define a **protocol** that indicates the order, sequence and type of data to be shared in such a way that communication is satisfactory and free of deadlocks. Some of the most used protocols on the Internet are: HTTP, SMTP, FTP, SSH, etc.

14.7.1. Client/Server example

As an example we are going to see how two processes exchange information through sockets. The protocol is extremely simple. After connection, the client (Listing 14.11) will send a series of numerical values to the server (Listing 14.10) and it will respond by resending the same value. When the client sends the value UINT32_MAX the communication will end.

Listing 14.10: Simple socket-based server.

```
uint32_t client_id = 0;
Socket *server_sock = bsocket_server(3444, 32, NULL);

if (server_sock == NULL)
    return;

for(;;)
{
    Socket *income_sock = NULL;
    uint32_t ip0, ip1;
    uint16_t p0, p1;
```

```
bstd printf("Waiting for a new client\n");
income sock = bsocket accept(server sock, 0, NULL);
if (income sock == NULL)
    continue:
bstd printf("Client %d arrives\n", client id);
bsocket local ip(income sock, &ip0, &p0);
bsocket remote ip(income sock, &ip1, &p1);
bstd printf("Local IP: %s:%d\n", bsocket ip str(ip0), p0);
bstd printf("Remote IP: %s:%d\n", bsocket ip str(ip1), p1);
for (;;)
{
    byte t data[4];
    uint32 t rsize;
    if (bsocket read(income sock, data, sizeof(data), &rsize, NULL) == TRUE
        \hookrightarrow )
    {
        uint32 t i;
        bsocket ntoh4((byte t*)&i, data);
        if (i != UINT32 MAX)
            bstd printf("Readed %d from client\n", i);
            bsocket hton4(data, (byte t*)&i);
            if (bsocket write(income sock, data, sizeof(data), NULL, NULL)
                \hookrightarrow == TRUE)
                bstd printf("Sending %d to client\n", i);
            else
                bstd printf("Error writting to client\n");
                break:
        }
        else
            bstd printf("Client %d say bye!\n", client id);
            break;
        }
    }
    else
        bstd printf("Error reading from client\n");
        break;
    }
}
bstd printf("\n\n");
```

```
bsocket_close(&income_sock);
  client_id += 1;
}
bsocket_close(&server_sock);
```

Listing 14.11: Client process.

```
Socket *sock = NULL;
serror t error;
uint32 t i = 0;
byte t data[4];
sock = bsocket connect(bsocket str ip("192.168.1.21"), 3444, 5000, &error);
if (sock == NULL)
   bstd printf("Connection error\n");
   return;
}
bsocket read timeout(sock, 2000);
bsocket write timeout(sock, 5000);
while (i < kPING COUNTER)</pre>
    bsocket hton4 (data, (const byte t*)&i);
    if (bsocket_write(sock, data, sizeof(data), NULL, NULL) == TRUE)
        bstd printf("Sending %d to server\n", i);
    else
    {
        bstd printf("Error writting in socket\n");
        break;
    }
    if (bsocket read(sock, data, sizeof(data), NULL, NULL) == TRUE)
        uint32 t j;
        bsocket_ntoh4((byte_t*)&j, data);
        bstd_printf("Readed %d from server\n", j);
        if (j != i)
            bstd printf("Error data corruption\n");
            break;
        }
        i += 1;
    }
    else
```

```
{
    bstd_printf("Error reading in socket\n");
    break;
}

if (i == kPING_COUNTER)
{
    i = UINT32_MAX;
    bsocket_hton4(data, (const byte_t*)&i);
    if (bsocket_write(sock, data, sizeof(data), NULL, NULL) == TRUE)
    {
        bstd_printf("Sending FINISH to server\n");
    }
    else
    {
        bstd_printf("Error writting in socket\n");
    }
}
bsocket_close(&sock);
```

14.8. Time

The operating system measures the passage of time using an internal clock, typically implemented by a counter of the *ticks* that have passed since an initial moment called *epoch*. In Unix-like systems this counter represents the number of seconds elapsed since January 1, 1970 UTC. However, in Windows it represents the number of 100 nanosecond intervals since January 1, 1601 coinciding with the beginning of the Gregorian calendar. In NAppGUI these values have been unified to work with *Unix Epoch* on all platforms.

- Use btime_now to get the number of micro-seconds elapsed since January 1, 1970 UTC.
- Use btime_date to get the system date.
- Use btime_to_micro and btime_to_date to convert dates to Unix Time and vice versa.



Figure 14.12: Unix Epoch Instant 0.

The difference between two instants will give us the time elapsed during the execution of a task.

```
uint64_t ed, st = btime_now();

// Do something...

ed = btime_now();
bstd_printf("Total elapsed micro-seconds: %lu\n", ed - st);
```

14.9. Log

A log or diary is a record of anomalies that occur at runtime and that help to further debug the program or determine the cause of an error (Figure 14.13). This report is aimed more at programmers or software administrators and not at the end user, so it is advisable to include specific technical information on the cause of the problem. The messages addressed to the end user must be written in a more friendly tone, far from technicalities and sent to the standard output (stdout stderr) or to the window system, if we are facing a desktop application.

• Use log printf to write a message to the execution log.

Figure 14.13: Messages related to internal anomalies of the program, can be sent to a *log*.



Core library

 $A\ strong\ core\ will\ improve\ your\ technique,\ strength,\ and\ stamina,\ and\ compliment\ everything\ you\ do.$

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15.1. Core

Just as a building needs a strong foundation, any application or library must be based on robust and efficient pillars. It is useless to invest hours and hours in a nice interface if the internal engine is broken. For this purpose, the *core* library has been developed (Figure 15.1). Provides structures, utilities and algorithms commonly used in programming, which will facilitate the program development guaranteeing maximum efficiency and portability. *Core* is the third level within the NAppGUI SDK and still has no knowledge about the operating system graphics capabilities, so it can be used to implement any kind of project.

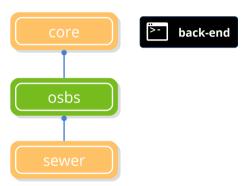


Figure 15.1: core dependencies. See "NAppGUI API" (page 147).

The services provided by *core* have been divided into several modules.

- "Heap Memory manager" (page 190).
- "Buffers" (page 194).
- "Strings" (page 194).
- "Streams" (page 195).
- "Arrays" (page 209).
- "Binary search trees" (page 219).
- "Regular expressions" (page 224).
- "Data binding" (page 227).
- "Events" (page 231).
- "File operations" (page 232).
- "Clocks" (page 235).

15.2. Heap - Memory manager

Heap is a very efficient dynamic memory manager and auditor included in the *core* library and available for all projects based on NAppGUI (libraries and applications). It is common for applications to request a large number of small memory blocks to hold different objects (character strings, interface controls, structure instances, I/O buffer, etc). The strategy behind this manager is just to ask the operating system for memory pages of a certain size (64kb or more) using bmem_malloc and use them to solve several requests very efficiently.

- Use heap new to dynamically create an object.
- Use heap_malloc to reserve a memory block.
- Use heap delete to destroy an object.
- Use heap free to free up a memory block.

```
Product *product = heap_new(Product);
byte_t *memblock = heap_malloc(1024, "MyOwnBlock");

// Do something
...
heap_delete(&product, Product);
heap_free(&memblock, "MyOwnBlock");
```

Using **Heap** instead of system calls will provide us with certain benefits:

- Performance: A call to heap_malloc is solved only by increasing the value of a counter. heap_free it only updates the header of the affected page.
- Locality: Two consecutive calls to heap_malloc() are located in contiguous physical memory positions. This reduces the number of cache failures because, according to the locality principle, there is a high probability that two objects that are created together will be used together.
- Memory leaks: heap points reservations and releases by object type. If necessary, will notify the programmer through "Asserts" (page 155) or "Log" (page 186) that there are objects not released. The great advantage of this auditor over other tools is that it is always being executed as part of the program. This exploits the temporal coherence, because if after a program change leaks are detected where there was not before, it is very likely that we can limit and detect the error, since it will be something we have just worked on.
- Statistics: We can obtain memory usage profiles (time/bytes). This can help us detect bottlenecks (especially at startup) or optimize page size.

15.2.1. Multi-thread memory

By default, heap is configured to work optimally in single-threaded applications. If we want several threads of the same process to reserve or release dynamic memory concurrently and safely, we must use:

- heap start mt to start multi-thread support.
- heap end mt to end multi-thread support.

The moment heap start mt is called, the synchronization mechanisms within the heap are activated to guarantee mutual exclusion to the memory manager until a call to heap end mt is received which will return to single-threaded operation mode. Successive calls to heap start mt will accumulate, so it will remain in multi-threaded mode until all open blocks are closed (Listing 15.1). It is the responsibility of the programmer to use this pair of functions at those points of the program that require it.

Any section that begins with heap start mt must be closed with heap end mt.

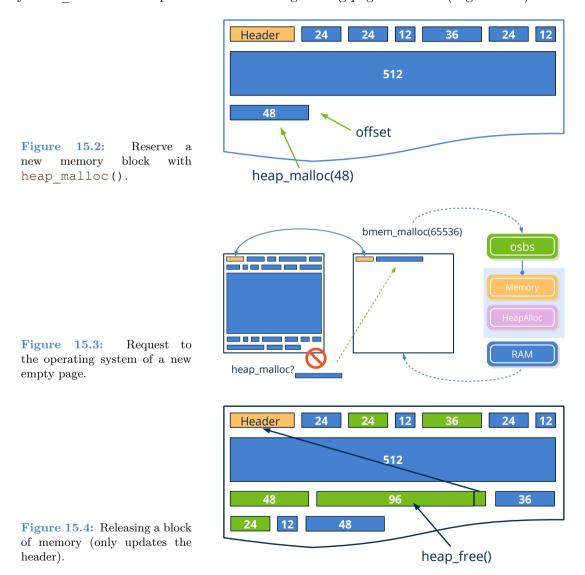
There is no problem in activating multi-threaded support in single-threaded sections, except for a slight performance penalty.

Listing 15.1: Multi-thread sections.

```
// Single-threaded block
heap start mt();
// Multi-threaded block
heap start mt();
heap end mt();
// Continue multi-threaded block
heap end mt();
// Single-threaded block
```

15.2.2. **How Heap Works**

When a program starts, heap creates a default memory page. The first bytes are reserved as a header, a small structure that controls the state of the page. Each request is assigned sequentially within the same page, increasing the value of a pointer (Figure 15.2). When the page runs out of space, a new one is created bmem_malloc, which is linked to the previous one and labeled as the new **default page** (Figure 15.3). Each call to heap_free update the header with the number of blocks/bytes released (Figure 15.4). These blocks **are not reused**, otherwise the logic of heap would be complicated by slowing it down. The address of the header is stored at the end of each block, so do not have to iterate to locate it. When all the blocks on the page have been released, the entire page is destroyed by bmem free and the pointers between neighboring pages restored (Figure 15.5).



Heap also counts the number of alloc/dealloc per object type using the parameter name of heap_malloc. At the end of the execution of the program, if the application lacks memory leaks, it will write in "Loq" (page 186) a message like this:

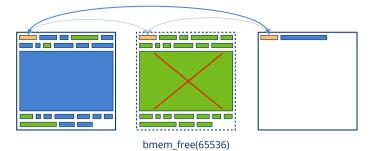


Figure 15.5: Destroying the entire page.

```
[12:58:08] [OK] Heap Memory Staticstics
[12:58:08] ===========
[12:58:08] Total a/dellocations: 1126, 1126
[12:58:08] Total bytes a/dellocated: 74611, 74611
[12:58:08] Max bytes allocated: 54939
[12:58:08] Effective reallocations: (0/34)
[12:58:08] Real allocations: 2 pages of 65536 bytes
[12:58:08] ==========
```

But if after the execution, the application has memory to be released, the message will be different:

```
[13:00:35] [FAIL] Heap Object Leaks!!!
[13:00:35] =============
[13:00:35] 'App' a/deallocations: 1, 0 (1 leaks)
[13:00:35] 'String' a/deallocations: 414, 410 (4 leaks)
[13:00:35] ===========
[13:00:35] [FAIL] Heap Global Memory Leaks!!!
[13:00:35] ===========
[13:00:35] Total a/dellocations: 1161, 1156 (5 leaks)
[13:00:35] Total bytes a/dellocated: 75704, 75596 (108 bytes)
[13:00:35] Max bytes allocated: 54939
```

That warns that we have an object App and four String without releasing. If in the previous execution there were no leaks, it is very likely that we can narrow the error without too much difficulty.

The heap auditor does not intend to replace more advanced memory testing tools, it is only a first filter that constantly alerts us during the development and test phase. Although the overhead that occurs at runtime is minimal, the auditor is completely disabled in the Release configuration.

15.3. Buffers

Buffer objects are simply dynamically stored memory blocks and stored in the "Heap Segment" (page 165). They are useful for sharing generic data between different functions or threads. For the latter case, they must be protected by a Mutex if several threads can access it concurrently (they are not thread-safe). They are of fixed size. Once created, they can not be resized, although they can be rewritten as many times as necessary.

- Use buffer create to create a dynamic memory block.
- Use buffer destroy to free up a block of dynamic memory.
- Use buffer data to get a pointer to the memory block.

15.4. Strings

String objects contain "UTF-8" (page 160) characters strings dynamically allocated. Although it is possible to insert static text strings directly into the source code or access them through the resource packages (respack_text), it is usually necessary to compose texts at runtime or dynamically store strings received by some input channel (keyboard, files, network, etc). The NAppGUI strings.h module offers a multitude of functions to work with UTF8 text strings, both static and dynamic.

- Use str c to create a dynamic copy of a static C string.
- Use str_printf to compose a dynamic string using the same format as C printf.
- Use to get a const char t* pointer to the content of a String.

Do not confuse String objects with C strings const char_t *str or char_t str [128]. The first ones contain a pointer to the dynamic memory area and an integer with the number of reserved bytes.

In the case that it is necessary to create more extensive texts from loops, the most efficient way is to create a Stream and, later, obtain the associated String.

```
String *str = NULL;
Stream *stm = stm_memory(2048);
uint32_t n = arrpt_size(products, Product);
```

```
stm printf(stm, "List of %d products\n", n);
arrpt foreach (product, products, Product);
    stm printf(stm, "Code: %s, Price %8.2f.\n", tc(product->code), product->
arrpt end();
str = stm str(stm);
stm close(&stm);
// Do something with 'str'
str destroy(&str);
```

15.5. **Streams**

A stream is a data flow that runs from a source to a destination. Think of a phone call. We have an origin (the person who speaks), a destination (the person who listens) and a channel (the line itself). In programming, the stream is the equivalent to the telephone line, it is the pipe that joins the application with a data source or destination (Figure 15.6) and through which binary information, bit sequences, run. As with any other communication channel, the information is volatile, available for a very limited time. Once it reaches the receiver, it disappears.

Figure 15.6: Streams connect the process with the machine and the world.



In essence, there are three elementary operations to perform when working with streams: Create the channel, read data and write data.

- Use stm memory to create a read/write memory stream.
- Use stm read r32 to read a float from the stream.
- Use stm write r32 to write a float to the stream.
- Use stm close to close the channel and free up resources (destructor).

15.5.1. **Stream Types**

Actually, it is more correct to talk about types of extremes (origin and destination) than of stream types. From the perspective of the programmer, a stream is an abstract type that presents the same functionality regardless of the ends it connects. Therefore, when talking about *stream types* we are referring to the type of constructor.

15.5.2. File stream

In *File streams* (Figure 15.7), the source is the process memory and the destination is a disk file. The opposite can also happen: that the source is the file and the destination the memory, it will depend on how we create the channel. It will not be possible to perform write operations on an open file for reading or vice versa (Listing 15.2). "Files and directories" (page 179).

Figure 15.7: File streams allow communication with the file system.



- Use stm_from_file to open a file and read from it.
- Use stm to file to create a file and write to it.
- Use stm append file to add content to an existing file.

Listing 15.2: Example of writing to a file.

```
Stream *stm = stm_to_file("C:\Users\user\john\out.txt", NULL);
if (stm != NULL)
{
    stm_writef(stm, "One ");
    stm_writef(stm, "Two ");
    stm_writef(stm, "Three");
    stm_writef(stm, ".");
    stm_close(&stm);
    // 'out.txt' is closed = "One Two Three."
}
```

15.5.3. Socket stream

A *socket* is a communication channel between two processes over the Internet (Figure 15.8). Unlike *file streams*, sockets allow bidirectional *full-duplex*) communication, that is, both ends can send and receive information. The sequence of message exchange between partners is determined by the protocol (Listing 15.3), being HTTP, FTP, SMTP or LDAP some of the most used for Internet transmissions. See "*Sockets*" (page 181).

Figure 15.8: A socket stream opens a communication channel over the Internet.



• Use stm_socket to create a communication channel with a remote process.

```
uint32_t ip = bsocket_url_ip("www.myserver.com", NULL);
Socket *socket = bsocket_connect(ip, 80, 0, NULL);
if (socket != NULL)
{
    Stream *stm = stm_socket(socket);
    stm_writef(stm, "GET /mypage.html HTTP/1.1\r\n");
    stm_writef(stm, "Host: www.myserver.com\r\n");
    stm_writef(stm, "\r\n");
    stm_lines(line, stm)
        bstd_printf(line);
        bstd_printf("\n");
    stm_next(line, stm);

// Socket will be closed too
    stm_close(&stm);
}
```

15.5.4. Block stream

Block streams are used to read formatted data from a generic memory block. (Figure 15.9). This memory area is considered read-only and will not be modified, so write operations will not be allowed in this type of stream. When the end of the block is reached, the ekstend state will be activated.

• Use stm_from_block to read data from a memory block.

Figure 15.9: With *block streams* we will read formatted data from memory areas.



15.5.5. Memory stream

Memory streams are read/write channels that allow implementing the producer/consumer model (Figure 15.10). First, the information reaches the stream through write operations and is stored in an internal memory buffer. Subsequently, said information can be read by another function, thread or process. After each reading the information read will disappear from the channel. The concept is similar to that of IPC-pipes, except that there is no size limit for the buffer, but it will grow on demand. Read and write operations can be done simultaneously depending on the established protocol.

- Use stm memory to create a stream in memory.
- Use stm_buffer to access the internal buffer.



Figure 15.10: Producer/consumer model implemented with *memory* streams.

Although this type of stream supports read and write operations it is not considered full-duplex. The reading is done on previously written data, but cannot "answer" the interlocutor. It is not a "conversation".

15.5.6. Standard stream

The " $Standard\ I/O$ " (page 163) can be managed by streams using three predefined objects (Figure 15.11). These objects are created when the program starts and will be automatically released when finished.

- kstdin: To read from the standard imput.
- kstdout: To write in standard output.
- kSTDERR: To write in the error output.

Figure 15.11: Access to standard I/O through streams.



```
real64_t value;
const char_t *line;
value = stm_read_r64(kSTDIN);
line = stm_read_line(kSTDIN);
stm_printf(kSTDOUT, "Value = %.4f", value);
```

15.5.7. Null stream

Sometimes it can be useful to have a "sink" that ignores all write operations (Figure 15.12). Think of debugging tasks where we want to activate or deactivate the output of information but deleting or commenting on the code is cumbersome. The idea is similar to the Unix /dev/null.

• Use kdevnull to write to a sink that will ignore all received data.



Figure 15.12: With null streams everything that is written will be ignored.

```
#if defined ASSERTS
Stream *stm = kSTDOUT;
#else
Stream *stm = kDEVNULL;
#endif
i large dump func(obj1, stm);
// More debug functions
stm printf(stm, "More debug data...\n");
i other dump func (obj2, stm);
```

Cannot read from kDEVNULL.

15.5.8. **Binary stream**

Generic binary data always travels through a stream as bytes. How these data are interpreted depends on the interlocutors and their communication protocol. But by emphasizing "binary data" we mean that numeric values are written to the channel as they appear in the CPU registers using binary, two's complement, or IEEE754 (Figure 15.13) code. In multi-byte types we must take into account the "Byte order" (page 207). In stream. h several functions are defined to read and write binary types.

- Use stm read u32 to read a 32-bit unsigned integer.
- Use stm write r64 to write a real 64bits (double).
- Use stm write bool to write a boolean.

Figure 15.13: Numbers in binary format.



15.5.9. Text stream

Text streams are a particular case where the binary information is assumed to represent Unicode character codes (codepoints) (Figure 15.14) (Listing 15.4). This means that the content of the stream will be readable directly by a human, but it will require a post-processing (parsing) in destination to interpret these texts and translate them into binary. You do not have to do anything special when creating a stream to indicate that it is of type text, you just have to use the appropriate functions.

- Use stm printf to write text in a stream.
- Use stm read char to read a character from a stream.
- Use stm read line to read a text line from a stream.
- Use stm col to get the column number of the last character read.
- Use stm row to get the row number of the last character read.

Figure 15.14: In text streams the information can be read directly.



Listing 15.4: Reading a text file using streams.

```
Stream *stm = stm_from_file("/home/fran/Desktop/text.txt", NULL);
const char_t *line = stm_read_line(stm);
while(line != NULL)
{
    // Do something with 'line'
    textview_writef(text, line);
    textview_writef(text, "\n");

    // Read next line
    line = stm_read_line(stm);
}
stm_close(&stm);
```

stm_read_line and other reading functions will always return the text in UTF8. But if the data inside the stream were in another format, we must use stm_set_read_utf, in order to carry out the conversion correctly. See "UTF encodings" (page 159).

On the other hand, stm_printf also receives the text in UTF8, but the receiver may need it in another format. We will use stm_set_write_utf to set the output encoding. We will write in UTF8, but the channel will be sent in UTF16 or UTF32.

Streams do not have to be "pure" text or binary. They can combine both types of representations.

15.5.10. **Tokens**

When reading from text streams, an interpretation (parsing) of the content is necessary in order to transfer the data to memory variables (in binary). The first step is to break the text into symbols (or words) called tokens. Internally, the streams incorporate a simple lexical analyzer that recognizes the tokens of the C language, very common in countless grammars and file formats (Figure 15.15). It is implemented as a finite state machine and will greatly facilitate the processing of these text flows. In (Listing 15.5) we see the code necessary to read one by one all the tokens from a .c file. We have the result of processing the file (Listing 15.6) in (Listing 15.7).

- Use stm read token to read a token.
- Use stm token lexeme to obtain the string associated with the last token read.
- Use stm read r64 tok to read a real64 t from text.
- Use stm token col to get the column of the last token.
- Use stm token row to get the row of the last token.

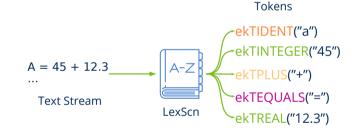


Figure 15.15: Decomposition of a text into tokens.

Listing 15.5: Reading tokens from a file in C.

```
Stream *stm = stm from file("source.c", NULL);
token t token;
while ((token = stm read token(lex)) != ekTEOF)
    switch (token) {
    case ekTIDENT:
        // It's an IDENTIFIER
    case ekTREAL:
        // It's a REAL NUMBER
```

Listing 15.6: File source.c.

```
void func(int a)
{
    int i;
    char *str = "Hello";
    i = 5 + 2.5;
}
```

Listing 15.7: Lexical analysis of source.c.

```
Token
                  Lexeme
____
                  _____
                  "void"
ekTIDENT
                  "func"
ekTIDENT
                  " ("
ekTOPENPAR
                  "int"
ekTIDENT
ekTIDENT
                  "a"
ekTCLOSPAR
                  ")"
ekTOPENCURL
                  " { "
                  "int"
ekTIDENT
                  "i"
ekTIDENT
                  ";"
ekTSCOLON
                  "char"
ekTIDENT
                  11 * 11
ekTASTERK
                  "str"
ekTIDENT
                  "="
ekTEOUALS
                  ""Hello""
ekTSTRING
                  ";"
ekTSCOLON
                  " ; "
ekTIDENT
                  "="
ekTEQUALS
                  "5"
ekTINTEGER
                  "+"
ekTPLUS
                  "2.5"
ekTREAL
                  ";"
ekTSCOLON
```

15.5.11. Identifiers

An identifier is an alphanumeric "word" that must begin with a letter or '_' and contains numbers, letters, or '_'. It is used to name variables, functions, reserved words, etc. They do not allow spaces or symbols. (Listing 15.8) (Figure 15.16).

Listing 15.8: Correct and incorrect identifiers.

```
OK: while cos _reSult a56B _06_t aG h9 _12AcVb
NO: 045 ?er "_5G _tg(
```

Certain identifiers can be reserved to act as language **keywords**. For example for, while or if are C keywords and cannot be used for the naming of variables or functions.

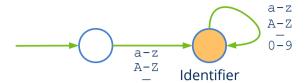


Figure 15.16: Finite automata that recognizes an identifier.

Being general purpose, our scanner does not recognize any type of reserved word, but must be expressly tagged after reading the token (Listing 15.9).

Listing 15.9: Recognizing the while keyword.

```
while ((token = stm read token(stm)) != ekTEOF)
    if (token == ekTIDENT)
        const char t *lex = stm token lexeme(stm, NULL);
        if (str equ c(lex, "while") == TRUE)
            token = ekTRESERVED:
    }
}
```

15.5.12. **Strings**

A text string is a series of Unicode characters enclosed in quotation marks ("") (Figure 15.17). The parser recognizes C escape sequences to represent non-printable codes or unavailable characters on the keyboard (Listing 15.10).

• Use stm token escapes to make escape sequences effective when reading strings.

Listing 15.10: Escape sequences accepted in ekTSTRING.

```
\a
        07
           Alert (Beep, Bell) (added in C89)
\b
        08
           Backspace
\f
        OC Formfeed Page Break
\n
        0A Newline (Line Feed)
\r
        OD Carriage Return
\t
        09 Horizontal Tab
        OB Vertical Tab
\v
11
        5C Backslash
\ '
        27 Single quotation mark
\ "
        22 Double quotation mark
/ ?
        3F Question mark (used to avoid trigraphs)
\nnn
            Octal number
\xhh
            Hexadecimal number
\Uhhhhhhhh Unicode code point
\uhhhh
            Unicode code point
```

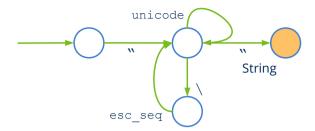


Figure 15.17: Finite automata that recognizes a text string.

15.5.13. Numbers

In the case of numerical *tokens* the thing is complicated a bit due to the different numerical bases and the exponential representation of real numbers (Figure 15.18). We briefly summarize it, although it is common to many programming languages (C included).

- If the number starts with 0 it will be considered octal (base 8), therefore, the following digits are limited to 0-7, eg: 043, 001, 0777.
- If the number starts with 0x will be considered hexadecimal (base 16) with digits 0-9 a-f A-F, eg: 0x4F, 0XAA5, 0x01EAC.
- At the moment a decimal point appears '.' will be considered real number. A point at starting is valid, eg: .56.
- An integer or real number allows exponential notation with the character 'e'('E'), eg: 12.4e2, .56e3, 1e4.

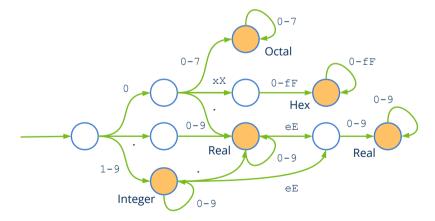


Figure 15.18: Finite automata that recognizes numbers.

15.5.14. Symbols

The symbols are single-character *tokens* that represent almost all US-ASCII punctuation marks and are often used as operators, separators or limiters within grammars. (Listing 15.11) (Figure 15.19).

< > , . ; : () [] { } + - * = \$ % # & ' " ^ ! ? | / \ @

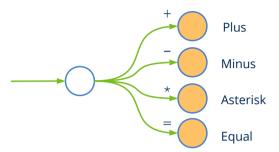


Figure 15.19: Finite automata that recognizes some symbols.

15.5.15. Comentarios

By default, C /* Comment */ or C++ // Comment are ignored by stm read token.

- Use stm token comments so that it returns ektsloom or ektmloom if it finds any.
- Use stm token spaces to return ekTSPACE when it finds blank spaces.

15.5.16. Stream advantages

Although it is possible to read or write directly to the I/O channels ("Memory" (page 164), "Files and directories" (page 179), "Sockets" (page 181), "Standard I/O" (page 163)), do it through Stream objects has certain advantages. Therefore, we recommend using them instead of low-level APIs for the following reasons:

Unify serialization 15.5.17.

Streams offer a uniform interface, regardless of the origin and destination of the data (Figure 15.20). For the object serialization, we just have to write a reader and a writer, without worrying if the object will be saved to disk, transmitted over the Internet or stored temporarily in memory (Listing 15.12).

Listing 15.12: (De)serialization of an object through streams.

```
typedef struct product t
    type_t type;
    String *code;
    String *description;
    Image *image64;
    real32 t price;
} Product;
void product write(Stream *stm, Product *product)
```

```
{
    stm_write_enum(stm, product->type, type_t);
    str_write(stm, product->code);
    str_write(stm, product->description);
    image_write(stm, product->image64);
    stm_write_r32(stm, product->price);
}

void product_read(Stream *stm, Product *product)
{
    product->type = stm_read_enum(stm, type_t);
    product->code = str_read(stm);
    product->description = str_read(stm);
    product->image64 = image_read(stm);
    product->price = stm_read_r32(stm);
}
```



Figure 15.20: Through streams we manage all I/O channels with the same interface.

15.5.18. More elegance

The I/O channels only work with byte blocks. Streams implement high-level functions for texts and binary types. This will make our code much more readable. (Listing 15.13).

Listing 15.13: Writing an object to disk directly or through a stream.

```
void product_write(File *file, Product *product)
{
    uint32_t size = str_len(product->description);
    const char_t *data = tc(product->description);
    bfile_write(file, (byte_t*)&product->id, sizeof(uint32_t), NULL, NULL);
    bfile_write(file, (byte_t*)&product->price, sizeof(real64_t), NULL, NULL);
    bfile_write(file, (byte_t*)&size, sizeof(uint32_t), NULL, NULL);
    bfile_write(file, (byte_t*)data, size, NULL, NULL);
}

void product_write(Stream *stream, Product *product)
{
    stm_write_u32(stream, product->id);
    stm_write_r64(stream, product->price);
    str_write(stream, product->description);
}
```

15.5.19. Higher productivity

Related to the previous one, streams can "parse" text strings directly. You can get characters, words or lines without having to scan the entry character by character (Listing 15.14).

Listing 15.14: Read a line of text directly or through a stream.

```
String *getline(File *file)
    /* Potentially unsafe. */
    /* Risk of buffer overflow. */
    char t buffer[MAXBUFF];
    uint32 t i = 0;
    char t c;
    bfile read(file, (byte t*)&c, 1, NULL, NULL);
    while (c != '\n')
        buffer[i] = c;
        i += 1;
        bfile read(file, (byte t*)&c, 1, NULL, NULL);
    }
    buffer[i] = ' \setminus 0';
    return str c(buffer);
String *getline(Stream *stream)
    /* Totally safe. */
    /* 'line' is managed by dynamic cache. */
    const char t *line = stm read line(stream);
    return str c(line);
}
```

Higher performance 15.5.20.

File streams and socket streams implement an internal cache. This allows less access to the channel with a higher volume of data, which means faster processing speed. (Figure 15.21).

• Use stm flush to clear the cache and dump the data in the channel.

Byte order 15.5.21.

When reading or writing binary data from an I/O channel, special attention must be paid to the order of the bytes in 16, 32 or 64 bit data types, which is known as endianness. On little endian machines, as is the case with the Intel x86/x64 family processors, the



Figure 15.21: Streams implement cache memory, which increases performance.

lowest order byte will be located at the lowest memory address. In the case of the big endian (Motorola 68000, PowerPC) it happens on the contrary, it will go in the highest. For example, if we write a 32-bit integer in a file or socket from a little endian machine and read it from a big endian, the data will be corrupted by altering the internal order of bits (Figure 15.22). The Stream objects automatically adjust the endianness in each read/write operation. Default is set eklitend, except in sockets that will be ekbigend for being the accepted agreement for network communications. However, it can be changed if necessary.

- Use stm_set_write_endian to establish the *endianness* of the output channel. The data will pass from *endian CPU* to *Stream endian* before being written.
- Use stm_set_read_endian to establish the *endianness* of the input channel. The data will pass from *Stream endian* to *CPU endian* at the time of being read.



Figure 15.22: We must take into account *endianness* when sharing data between machines of different architecture.

Endianness does not influence "UTF-8" (page 160) text strings, but it does in the "UTF-16" (page 159) and "UTF-32" (page 159).

15.5.22. Stream state

A stream can be affected by two types of problems. On the one hand the **data corruption** that is evident when we read binary data from the stream. A clear example would be to read a Boolean by stm_read_bool and get a value of 129 when obviously this value should be 0 (TRUE) or 1 (FALSE). Typically, a stream becomes corrupted due to lack of coordination between writer and reader and is usually due to a programming error. This situation should be resolved by debugging and correcting the serialization of objects or reviewing the data protocol. On the other hand, there may be "physical" errors

in the channel (file deleted, loss of Internet connection, permissions, etc.). In both cases, the stream will be blocked and subsequent read or write operations that we carry out on it will be ignored. We can also ask the total number of bytes read and/or written in the channel, in case we need to know if there is information available for reading.

- Use stm state to know the current status of the channel.
- Use stm file err to get extended error information on disk streams.
- Use stm sock err to get extended error information in sockets.
- Use stm corrupt to mark a stream as ekstcorrupt. Sometimes it is the application itself that detects that the data is not correct (eg out of range).
- Use stm bytes written to get the total number of bytes written to the stream.
- Use stm bytes readed to get the total number of bytes read from the stream.

```
uint32 t nw = stm bytes written(stm);
uint32 t nr = stm bytes readed(stm);
if (nw - nr > 0)
    if (stm state(stm) == ekSTOK)
        uint32 t v1 = stm read u32(stm);
        real32 t v2 = stm read r32(stm);
    else
        // Error in stream
else
    // No data in stream
```

15.6. Arrays

Being able to work with data collections is essential when designing our model. In addition to the basic types and the struct, union or class, the C language offers us the array construction, which allows to store several elements under the same variable name (Listing 15.15):

Listing 15.15: C Arrays.

```
typedef struct product_t Product;
struct product t
```

```
{
    type_t type;
    String *code;
    String *description;
    Image *image64;
    real32_t price;
};

DeclSt(Product);
DeclPt(Product);

uint32_t integers[100];
real32_t reals[100];
Product products[100];
```

Or, dynamically (Listing 15.16):

Listing 15.16: Dynamic arrays.

```
uint32_t n = get_n();
uint32_t *integers = heap_new_n(n, uint32_t);
real32_t *reals = heap_new_n(n, real32_t);
Product *products = heap_new_n(n, Product);
```

The C arrays store elements in contiguous positions of memory and, although they are very quick to consult, they lack the functionality to insert, delete, search or sort. In many cases, the data is not available when the container is created, but they are entering or leaving dynamically during the program execution, so we cannot anticipate in advance a maximum number with which to make the memory reservation. The Array type implemented in NAppGUI is, in essence, a dynamic C array and a series of methods to manipulate it. By dynamic we understand that the structure adjusts its size to the actual amount of elements, keeping the main premise that all remain in memory together.

When an Array is created, memory is reserved for a few records (Figure 15.23). Later, we can add new elements at the end (typical) or insert them in any random position in case we already have data in the container. In the latter case, the rest of the elements will be shifted to the right. As soon as the number of reserved records is exceeded, the internal dynamic block will be doubled to accommodate the new positions. In the same way it is possible to eliminate any element of the collection, moving the rest to the left to maintain the spatial coherence of the structure. If the number of items decreases by half, the memory block will be reduced. In this way, during the life of the container, the memory will be adjusted by multiplying or dividing by 2 the number of reserved elements.

15.6.1. Registers or pointers

An object of type Product, our example structure, needs 20 bytes on 32-bit systems (Figure 15.24). The code, description and image64 fields are pointers that point to

Figure 15.23: The Array adapt their internal memory to the number of elements.

other memory areas, where the String and Image type fields reside, dynamically reserved.

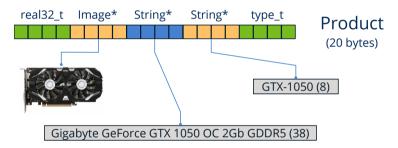


Figure 15.24: Product object.

Depending on what is stored inside the container, we can use two kinds of array (Listing 15.17). The array of records will keep the entire object (20 bytes) inside and the array of pointers only a reference to it (4 bytes), the actual object being located in another memory address (Figure 15.25). Although the internal structure management is the same, access to the elements differs slightly.

- Use arrst create to create an array of records.
- Use arrpt_create to create an array of pointers.

Listing 15.17: Create an array.

```
ArrSt(Product) *arrst = arrst_create(Product);
ArrPt(Product) *arrpt = arrpt_create(Product);
```

Use ArrSt can slightly improve performance, thanks to spatial consistency, which reduces cache failures, and saving calls to the memory manager "Arrays vs Sets comparative" (page 222). But this will not always be possible, and we cannot use them in these cases:

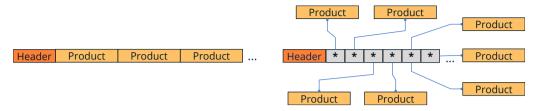


Figure 15.25: Arrays of registers and pointers.

- Opaque objects: If the type definition is not public, the container cannot calculate the space required for each element, so we can only work with pointers to them.
- Shared objects: If other structures of the model keep pointers to the elements of the container, we will have *Segmentation Fault* problems due to the change of memory addresses when relocating the internal container block (Figure 15.26).

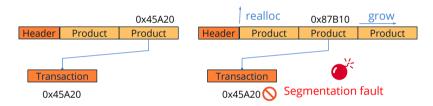


Figure 15.26: Register arrays are dangerous with external references.

15.6.2. Type check

You will have noticed in (Listing 15.15) that two statements appear just after the definition of the struct Product: DeclSt and DeclPt. These are two macros that enable compile-time type checking, defining a custom interface in the containers for this new type (Listing 15.6.2). All things considered, they mimic the C++ template<>. DeclSt enables record containers and DeclPt pointer ones.

```
Product *p1 = arrst_new(Product);
Product *p2 = arrst_get(arrst, 5, Product);
const Product *p3 = arrst_get_const(arrst, 5, Product);
```

Although it is not advisable, you can dispense with the use of these macros and use the "raw" interfaces of the containers, defined in array.h and rbtree.h. In this case your code will be much less readable and you will not have compiler support.

Headers array.h and rbtree.h are not documented.

15.6.3. Constructors

When memory is reserved for an object, either in the "Stack Segment" (page 164) as automatic variables

```
Product product;
```

at "Heap Segment" (page 165) through dynamic memory

```
Product *product = heap_new(Product);
```

or in a container

```
Product *product = arrst_new(array, Product);
```

its initial content is garbage, understood as undetermined bytes. Initializing an object is assigning valid and consistent values to each field of the object (Listing 15.18).

Listing 15.18: Initializing an object Product.

```
static void i_init(Product *product)
{
    product->type = ekCPU;
    product->code = str_c("");
    product->description = str_c("");
    product->image64 = image_copy(gui_image(NOIMAGE_PNG));
    product->price = 0.f;
}
```

For its part, a constructor is an initializer that previously reserves memory dynamically to store the object (Listing 15.19).

Listing 15.19: Constructor of object Product.

```
static Product *i_create(void)
{
    Product *product = heap_new(Product);
    i_init(product);
    return product;
}
```

When we use register arrays, we will only need to initialize the object, since the space to store it has been reserved by the container itself (Listing 15.20). However, in pointer arrays, the memory for the object must be explicitly reserved, since the container will only save a reference.

Listing 15.20: Insert correctly initialized objects.

```
// Add an item using an automatic variable (a copy is required)
Product product;
```

```
i_init(&product);
arrst_append(array, product, Product);

// Add an item directly (avoiding copying)
Product *product = arrst_new(array, Product);
i_init(product);

// Add a pointer to a newly created object on the heap
Product *product = i_create();
arrpt_append(array, product, Product);
```

Use arrst_new, arrst_insert_n or arrst_prepend_n whenever possible to insert into record arrays, as they avoid having to copy the object.

15.6.4. Array loops

To iterate over all the elements of the array, we can choose between two types of syntax to implement the loop.

```
uint32_t i, n = arrst_size(arrst, Product);
for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
{
    const Product *product = arrst_get(arrst, i, Product);

    // Do something
    ...
}
arrst_foreach(product, arrst, Product)
    // Do something
    ...
arrst_end();

// In reverse order
arrst_foreach_rev(product, arrst, Product)
    // Do something
    ...
arrst_end();

arrst_end();</pre>
```

15.6.5. Copy objects

Similar to constructors, there are two methods for copying objects (Listing 15.21). In the first one, we generate dynamic memory for the object's fields, but not for the object itself, either because it is an automatic variable or is stored in an array of records. In the second case, we reserve dynamic memory for both the object and its elements.

```
static void i copy data(Product *dest, const Product *src)
    dest->type = src->type;
    dest->code = str copy(src->code);
    dest->description = str copy(src->description);
    dest->image64 = image copy(src->image64);
    dest->price = src->price;
}
static Product *i copy(const Product *product)
    Product *new product = heap new(Product);
   i copy data(new product, product);
    return new product;
}
ArrSt(Product) *arrst = arrst copy(arrst src, i copy data, Product);
ArrPt(Product) *arrpt = arrpt copy(arrpt src, i copy, Product);
```

15.6.6. Serialization

A special case of the constructor are the **readers** (de-serializers). When we create an array from the content of "Streams" (page 195) (Listing 15.22), we need a method capable of creating or initializing an element from the stream itself. Depending on the type of container it will be necessary to reserve memory for each item or not.

Listing 15.22: Reading an array from a stream.

```
static void i read data(Stream *stm, Product *product)
    product->type = stm read enum(stm, type t);
    product->code = str read(stm);
    product->description = str read(stm);
    product->image64 = image read(stm);
    product->price = stm read r32(stm);
}
static Product *i read(Stream *stream)
   Product *product = heap new(Product);
   i read data(stream, product);
   return product;
}
ArrSt(Product) *arrst = arrst read(i read data, Product);
ArrPt(Product) *arrpt = arrpt read(i read, Product);
```

In the same way we can write (serialize) the contents of an array in a write stream (Listing 15.23). In this case, a single write function is sufficient for both types of containers, since each one knows how to access its elements.

Listing 15.23: Writing an array in a stream.

```
static void i_write(Stream *stm, const Product *product)
{
    stm_write_enum(stm, product->type, type_t);
    str_write(stm, product->code);
    str_write(stm, product->description);
    image_write(stm, product->image64);
    stm_write_r32(stm, product->price);
}
arrst_write(stm, arrst, i_write, Product);
arrpt_write(stm, arrpt, i_write, Product);
```

15.6.7. Destructors

In programming many times we are confused by the verbs: 'delete', 'destroy', 'free', 'erase', 'remove', 'clear' since they essentially mean the same thing but with subtle differences. In NAppGUI we will use one verb or another depending on concrete actions:

• Free: Only free dynamic memory allocated to an object (Listing 15.24). You need a double pointer, since the object will be invalidated (=NULL) after freeing it, avoiding references to free memory areas.

Listing 15.24: Freeing the memory of an object.

```
Product *product = heap_new(Product);
...
heap_free(&product, Product);
// product = NULL
```

• **Remove:** It destroys the fields of an object, but does not free the memory of the object itself. It is the opposite of the *initializer* (Listing 15.25).

Listing 15.25: Freeing memory from object fields.

```
static void i_remove(Product *product)
{
    str_destroy(&product->code);
    str_destroy(&product->description);
    image_destroy(&product->image64);
}
arrst_destroy(&arrst, i_remove, Product);
```

• **Destroy:** The combination of the previous two. Destroy the fields of the object and free its memory (Listing 15.26). It is the opposite of the constructor. Obviously, it requires a double pointer to invalidate the reference.

Listing 15.26: Free the object's memory and all its contents.

```
static void i_destroy(Product **product)
{
    i_remove(*product);
    heap_free(product, Product);
}
arrpt_destroy(&arrpt, i_destroy, Product);
```

• **Delete:** Delete an element from an array or other type of container (Listing 15.27). It may have associated a destructor or remover, although it is not mandatory.

Listing 15.27: Delete an item from a container.

```
// Just delete.
arrst_delete(arrst, 4, NULL, Product);

// Delete and remove (arrst).
arrst_delete(arrst, 4, i_remove, Product);

// Delete and destroy (arrpt).
arrpt_delete(arrpt, 4, i_destroy, Product);
```

• Clear: Delete all the elements of a container, but do not destroy it, just leave it to zero (Listing 15.28). Like arrst_delete, optionally can free objects memory.

Listing 15.28: Clear a container, deleting all its items.

```
// Just delete all.
arrst_clear(arrst, NULL, Product);

// Delete and remove all (arrst).
arrst_clear(arrst, i_remove, Product);

// Delete and destroy all (arrpt).
arrpt_clear(arrpt, i_destroy, Product);
```

15.6.8. Sort and search

The usual way to use arrays will be to add elements at the end by arrst_new or arrpt_append then iterate over all. This "natural" order will be enough in most cases, but we may need to organize the elements following another criterion for:

- Present the information ordered by one or several fields of the structure.
- Optimize searches. To locate a certain element, there is no choice but to travel the entire array, with linear cost O(n). But we can solve the search in logarithmic time O(logn) if the array is sorted, dramatically increasing performance especially in large sets (Figure 15.27).

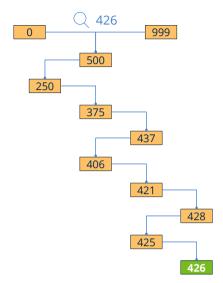


Figure 15.27: In a maximum of 10 steps we will find an element among a thousand (20 steps for a million).

• Use the function arrst_sort, to sort an array. We will have to pass a comparison function, which will determine the order relationship (Listing 15.29).

Listing 15.29: Sort arrays by product code.

```
static int i_compare(const Product *p1, const Product *p2)
{
    return str_scmp(p1->code, p2->code);
}
arrst_sort(arrst, i_compare, Product);
arrpt_sort(arrpt, i_compare, Product);
```

To search for an element within an array, we must also provide a function that compares the object with a key. This key contains the search criteria and is usually smaller than the element itself. Many times it is just a simple number or a text string (Listing 15.30).

- arrst_search Slow method. It will search for elements in a linear way, one by one
 O(n).
- arrst_bsearch Fast method. It will search elements in logarithmic way, O(logn). The array must be sorted according to the same criteria as the search.

Listing 15.30: Search for an item by its code.

```
static int i_compare_key(const Product *p1, const char_t *key)
{
    return str_cmp(p1->code, key);
}
uint32_t pos;
```

```
Product *pr1, *pr2;
// Slow O(n)
pr1 = arrst search(arrst, i compare key, "G3900", &pos, Product, char t);
// Fast O(logn)
pr2 = arrst bsearch(arrst, i compare key, "G3900", &pos, Product, char t);
```

15.6.9. Arrays of basic types

The basic types are a particular case of single-field structure, so we will use it ArrSt. In the specific case of enum we must create an alias by typedef, as ArrSt (type) does not support the keyword enum, just as does not support struct keyword. In C++ this alias is not necessary. When destroying the array we will pass NULL to the destructor parameter, since the basic types do not generate dynamic memory.

```
typedef enum type t type t;
ArrSt(uint32 t) *integers = arrst create(uint32 t);
ArrSt(type t) *types = arrst create(type t);
arrst destroy(&integers, NULL, uint32 t);
arrst destroy(&types, NULL, type t);
```

15.7. Arrays (pointers)

15.8. Binary search trees

Like arrays binary search trees (BST), also known as sets or maps, are containers that allow us to work with a collection of objects. The main difference with the first ones is that the elements are not stored linearly in contiguous positions of memory, but use a tree-shaped structure where each node has two descendants (Listing 15.31) (Figure 15.28).

Listing 15.31: Creation of arrays and sets.

```
typedef struct product t Product;
struct product t
    type t type;
    String *code;
    String *description;
    Image *image64;
    real32 t price;
};
static int i compare (const Product *p1, const Product *p2)
    return str scmp(p1->code, p2->code);
```

```
ArrSt(Product) *arrst = arrst_create(Product);
ArrPt(Product) *arrpt = arrpt_create(Product);
SetSt(Product) *setst = setst_create(i_compare, Product);
SetPt(Product) *setpt = setpt_create(i_compare, Product);
```

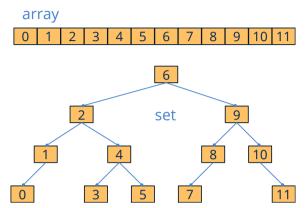


Figure 15.28: Array and set representation.

BSTs are structures optimized for cases where insertions, deletions and searches are very frequent. They are permanently sorted, hence it is possible to insert, delete or locate any element in logarithmic time O(logn), no need to use sort functions like arrst_sort (Figure 15.29). For maintenance to be carried out efficiently, the tree that supports the structure must meet a number of characteristics:

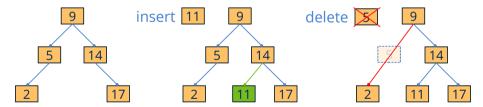
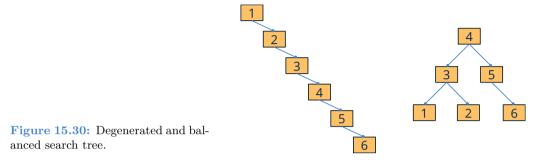


Figure 15.29: In search trees the insertion or deletion does not break the order of the set.

- Binary: Each node can only have 0, 1 or 2 children.
- Sorted: All descendants to the left of a node are of lesser value and those to the right of greater value. The order and search criteria are set in the constructor by a comparison function (i_compare in the previous example) and cannot be changed during the lifetime of the container. The new elements will be inserted in their correct position according to this order. It does not support duplicate elements or in arbitrary positions.
- **Balanced**: A tree can fulfill the two previous properties, but have degenerated to a list where searches can no longer be resolved in logarithmic time (Figure 15.30).

Internally, the NAppGUI Set containers are implemented with the so called $red-black\ trees$, where a maximum height of 2log(n+1) is guaranteed. This is achieved by restructuring the tree after each insertion or deletion, so adding a new element (or removing it) is resolved in a maximum of O(logn). This is much faster than in arrays, where have to move all the elements to insert a record in a specific position, with an associated cost of O(n).



As we saw in "Registers or pointers" (page 210), we have two modalities when creating sets (Figure 15.31). The register-based version is more efficient than the pointer-based version, although less flexible.

- Use setst create to create a set of registers.
- Use setpt_create to create a set of pointers.

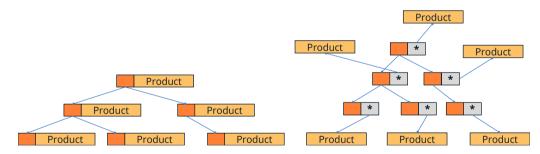


Figure 15.31: Sets of registers and pointers.

15.8.1. Iterators

We cannot access the elements of a set using a random index, as was the case with arrays. The nodes are dispersed in different memory areas, which prevents calculating the position of a particular element from a base address. An iterator is nothing more than a pointer within the set that acts as a marker for the currently selected element (Figure 15.32). From a specific position, we can move to the previous or subsequent element, but never make arbitrary jumps. We can control the position of the iterator with different functions (Listing 15.32):

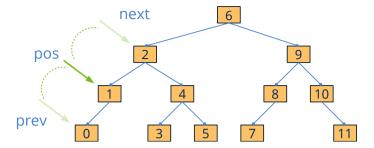


Figure 15.32: The iterators allow us to move through the structure.

- Use setst get to search for an item. The iterator will be fixed on it.
- Use setst next to move the iterator to the next item.
- Use setst prev to move the iterator to the previous item.
- Use setst first to move the iterator to the first element of the set.
- Use setst last to move the iterator to the last element of the set.

Listing 15.32: Iterating over the elements of a set.

```
const Product *product = setst_first(setst, Product);
while (product != NULL)
{
    // Do something
    ...
    product = setst_next(setst, Product);
}
setst_foreach(product, setst, Product)
    // Do something
    ...
setst_fornext(product, setst, Product)
// In reverse order
setst_forback(product, setst, Product)
// Do something
    ...
setst_forprev(product, setst, Product)
```

15.8.2. Arrays vs Sets comparative

We have performed a test to see the behavior of these two types of structures in real situations, apart from mere theory (Table 15.1). The structure used has been Product described in (Listing 15.31). We will compare six types of containers ArrSt (Product) and ArrPt (Product) (unsorted), ArrSt (Product) and ArrPt (Product) (sorted), SetSt (Product) and SetPt (Product).

- The items will be sorted by code field using the method i compare described in (Listing 15.31).
- The elements have been created previously and reside in memory. Times only reflect the management performed by the containers.
- Field code take values from "0" until "n-1", where n=100,000 is the number of elements. The elements have been previously messed up using the function bmem shuffle n.
- The tests have been performed on a Raspberry Pi 3 Model B with NAppGUI compiled in Release version ("Configurations" (page 141)). We have chosen this platform because of its clear technical inferiority with respect to others. In this way the asymptotic difference is more evident.

Operation	ArrSt	ArrPt	ArrSt-Sort	ArrPt-Sort	SetSt	SetPt
Add(100k)	0k) 0.006 0.004 27.600 2.896		2.896	0.159	0.274	
Loop(100k)	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.022	0.025
Search(100k)	84.139	588.080	0.101	0.218	0.121	0.232
Sort(100k)	0.085	085 0.205		-	-	-
Delete(100k)	0.004	0.003	31.198	3.064	0.171	0.253

Table 15.1: Results of the comparison (in seconds).

In view of these data, we can reach the following conclusions:

- Linear searches O(n) are tremendously slow.
- Keeping an array sorted after each insertion or deletion is expensive. It is more efficient to add all the elements and then order, although this will not always be possible. If the elements enter or leave arbitrarily but the set must always be ordered, it is better to use Sets.
- Register-based containers are more efficient in queries, but less when inserting or deleting. However, this test does not include the time to create or release dynamic memory, something inherent in pointer containers.
- Iterating in arrays is almost free, but iterating in sets has a small cost due to the logic of jumping between nodes.
- We cannot say that one container is better than another in general. It will depend on each specific case.
- For small groups (less than 1000 elements) the differences are practically imperceptible.

• For extremely small groups (up to 100 items) always use arrays. The asymptotic Sets improvement is marred by the much more efficient implementation of the Arrays.

15.9. Binary search trees (pointers)

15.10. Regular expressions

Regular expressions define a text pattern that can be used to find or compare strings.

- Use regex create to create a regular expression.
- Use regex match to check if a string matches the pattern.

Listing 15.33: Using regular expressions.

```
RegEx *regex = regex_create(".*.txt");

const char_t *str[] = {
    "file01.txt",
    "image01.png",
    "sun01.jpg",
    "films.txt",
    "document.pdf"};

uint32_t i, n = sizeof(str) / sizeof(char_t*);

for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
{
    if (regex_match(regex, str[i]) == TRUE)
        bstd_printf("YES: %s\n", str[i]);
    else
        bstd_printf("NO: %s\n", str[i]);
}

regex_destroy(&regex);</pre>
```

Result of (Listing 15.33).

```
YES: file01.txt
NO: image01.png
NO: sun01.jpg
YES: films.txt
NO: document.pdf
```

15.10.1. Define patterns

We can build a regular expression from a text string, following these simple rules:

• A string pattern corresponds only to that same string.

```
"hello" --> {"hello"}
```

• A period '.' is equivalent to "any character".

```
"h.llo" --> {"hello", "htllo", "hällo", "h5llo", ...}
```

• A dash 'A-Z' sets a range of characters, using the ASCII/Unicode code from both ends.

```
"A-Zello" --> {"Aello", "Bello", "Cello", ..., "Zello"}
'A-Z': (65-90) (ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPORSTUVWXYZ)
'0-9': (48-57) (0123456789)
'á-ú': (225-250) (áâãäåæcèéêëìíîïðñòóôōö÷øùú)
```

Like String objects, patterns are expressed in "UTF-8" (page 160), therefore the entire Unicode set can be used to create regular expressions.

• The brackets '[áéíóú]' allow you to switch between several characters.

```
"h[áéióú]llo" --> {"hállo", "héllo", "híllo", "hóllo", "húllo"}
```

• The asterisk '*' allows the last character to appear zero or more times.

```
"he*llo" --> {"hllo", "hello", "heeello", "heeello", "heeeello", ...}
"h.*llo" --> {"hllo", "hello", "hallo", "hillo", "hasello", ...}
"hA-Z*110" --> {"hllo", "hAllo", "hABllo", "hVFFRREAS110" }
           --> {"hAQWEDllo", hAAABBRSllo", ...}
"FILE 0-9*.PNG" --> {"FILE .PNG", "FILE 0.PNG", "FILE 01.PNG" }
                --> {"FILE 456.PNG", "FILE 112230.PNG",...}
```

• The parentheses '(he*110)' allow grouping a regular expression, so that it behaves as a single character.

```
"[(hello)(bye)]" --> {"hello", "bye" }
"[(red)(blue)(1*)]" --> {"red", "blue", "", "1", "11", "11", ... }
"(hello)*" --> {"", "hello", "hellohello", "hellohellohello", ... }
"(he*11o)ZZ" --> {"hlloZZ", "helloZZ", "heelloZZ", "heeelloZZ", ... }
```

• For '.', '-', '[]', '*', '()' to be interpreted as characters, use the backslash '\'.

```
"\(he\*\-llo\)" --> {"(he*-llo)"}
```

Remember that for expressions inserted as constants in C code, the backslash character is represented by a double slash "\\(he\\(*\\(-110\\()\".

15.10.2. Regular languages and automata

Regular languages are those that are defined recursively using three basic operations on the set of characters (or symbols) available. They can be described using the regular expressions discussed above.

- Each character 'a' is a regular language 'A'.
- The union of two regular languages, is a regular language A B.
- The concatenation of two regular languages, is a regular language $\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{B}$.
- The closure of a regular language is a regular language \mathbf{A}^* . This is where recursion comes in.

In this context the symbols are all Unicode characters. But you can define languages based on other alphabets, including the binary $\{0, 1\}$.

To recognize whether or not a string belongs to a certain regular language, it is necessary to build a **Finite Automata** based on the rules reflected in (Figure 15.33).

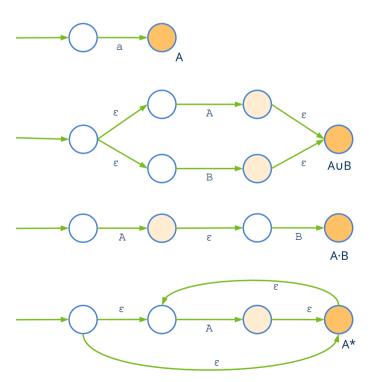


Figure 15.33: Construction of finite automata to filter regular expressions.

15.11. **Data binding**

We understand by Data Binding the possibility of automatically synchronizing the structures of the program with different input/output sources. We start from the simple model (Listing 15.34) that we present in "Arrays" (page 209) composed of a struct and an enum.

Listing 15.34: Simple data model based on struct.

```
typedef struct product_t Product;
typedef enum type t
    ekCPU,
    ekGPU,
    ekHDD,
    ekSCD
} type t;
struct product t
    type t type;
    String *code;
    String *description;
    Image *image64;
    real32 t price;
};
```

The first thing we have to do is register this model in **dbind**, a kind of general "database" within our application (Listing 15.35). It is only necessary to carry out this process once when starting the program. In this way, internal tables will be created with the description of each structure of the data model (Figure 15.34), leaving the program ready to automate certain tasks when working with objects of said classes.

- Use dbind to register the fields of a structure.
- Use dbind enum to register the different values of enum types.

Listing 15.35: Registering the data model of (Listing 15.34).

```
dbind enum(type t, ekCPU,
dbind enum(type t, ekGPU, "");
dbind_enum(type t, ekHDD, "");
dbind enum(type t, ekSCD, "");
dbind(Product, type t, type);
dbind(Product, String*, code);
dbind(Product, String*, description);
dbind(Product, Image*, image64);
dbind(Product, real32 t, price);
```

```
type_t
enum type_t
                             name
                                            val
  ekCPU,
                            ekCPU
                                             0
  ekGPU,
                            ekGPU
                                              1
  ekHDD.
                                             2
                            ekHDD
  ekSCD
                             ekSCD
};
                            Product
struct Product
                            offset
                                      name
                                                     type
                                0
                                      type
                                                     type t
  type_t type;
                                4
                                                     String*
  String *code;
                                     code
  String *description;
                                8
                                      description
                                                     String*
  Image *image64;
                               12
                                      image64
                                                     Image*
  real32_t price;
                                     price
                                                     real32
};
```

Figure 15.34: Internal tables created by *dbind* when registering the data model.

15.11.1. Synchronization with graphical interfaces

One of the most widespread uses of data binding is the possibility of synchronizing the graphical interface with the objects that make up the data model. This paradigm is known as MVVM (Model-View-ViewModel) (Figure 15.35) and we will delve deeper into it "GUI Data binding" (page 357).

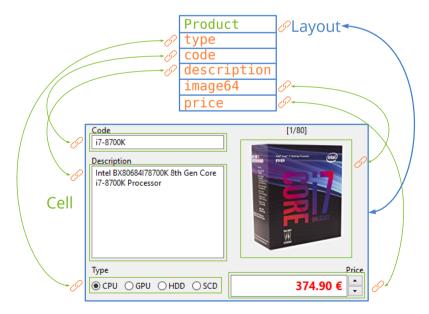


Figure 15.35: Automatic synchronization of data and interface.

15.11.2. Read and write ISON

The parsing of JSON scripts can also be automated thanks to dbind (Figure 15.36). In "JSON" (page 383) you will have detailed information on how to do it.

```
"code":0,
"size":80,
"data":[
{"id":0,
"code":"i7-8700K",
"description": "Intel BX80684I78700K 8th Gen Core i7-8700K Processor",
type":0,
"price": 374.8899999999999863575794734060764312744140625,
"image": "cpu 00.jpg",
"image64":"\/9j\/4AAQSkZJRgABAQ....
},
. . .
```

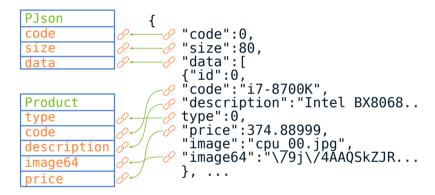


Figure 15.36: Data Binding in the analysis of JSON scripts.

Serialization with DBind 15.11.3.

As we saw in "Serialization" (page 215) and "Unify serialization" (page 205) we need to define object reading and writing functions to send or receive them through streams. Fortunately, dbind knows the detailed composition of each registered object, so it's possible access the I/O without having to explicitly program these functions (Listing 15.36) (Figure 15.37).

Listing 15.36: Objects serialization with *dbind*.

```
ArrPt(Product) *products = dbind read(stream, ArrPt(Product));
dbind write(stream, products, ArrPt(Product));
```



Figure 15.37: Object reading/writing via dbind.

15.11.4. Default constructor

Thanks to *dbind* we can also create objects initialized with default values without creating specific constructors (Listing 15.37). They can also be destroyed guaranteeing the correct recursive release of the memory of all their fields.

- Use dbind create to create an object "Constructors" (page 213).
- Use dbind init to initialize an object.
- Use dbind destroy to destroy an object "Destructors" (page 216).

Listing 15.37: Construction and destruction without additional methods.

```
ArrSt(Product) *array = dbind_create(ArrSt(Product));
Product *pr1 = dbind_create(Product);
Product *pr2 = arrst_new(array, Product);
dbind_init(pr2, Product);

// Use objects
...
dbind_destroy(&pr1, Product);
dbind_destroy(&array, ArrSt(Product));
```

The default values when initializing object fields are 0 for numbers, FALSE for booleans, "" for Strings and empty containers in the case of arrays or sets. If the object contains nested sub-objects, they will also be created/initialized recursively. These default values can be changed if necessary (Listing 15.38).

• Use dbind_default to set the default value.

Listing 15.38: Changing the default values.

```
dbind_default(Product, type_t, type, ekHDD);
dbind_default(Product, String*, code, "Empty-code");
dbind_default(Product, real32_t, price, 5.f);
dbind_default(Product, Image*, image64, gui_image(NOIMAGE_PNG));
```

15.11.5. Numerical ranges

It is possible to configure the numeric fields uint32_t, int8_t, real64_t, etc to limit the accepted values (Listing 15.39). dbind will be responsible for validating the data every time it reads values from any data source (GUI, JSON, Streams, etc).

- Use dbind range to set a maximum and minimum numerical values.
- Use dbind_precision to set numerical precision. For example 0.01 in monetary values.
- Use dbind increment to set the value of discrete increments.
- Use dbind_suffix to set a suffix that will be added when converting numbers to text.

Listing 15.39: Value range and accuracy of price value.

```
dbind_default(Product, real32_t, price, 10f);
dbind_range(Product, real32_t, price, .50f, 10000f);
dbind_precision(Product, real32_t, price, .01f);
dbind_increment(Product, real32_t, price, 5.f);
dbind_suffix(Product, real32_t, price, "E");
```

15.12. Events

An event is an action that occurs during the program execution, usually asynchronously or unpredictably and on which a given object must be notified. In applications with a graphical interface, many events are constantly occurring when the user interacts with the different controls. However, they can also occur in console applications, for example, when finish the writing of a file to disk or when downloading a page from Internet. In a system of events two actors intervene: The sender, which has evidence when the action occurs and the receiver who is notified that such action has occurred. To connect both ends we must perform these simple steps (Listing 15.40) (Figure 15.38):

- Create a listener indicating the receiving object and the *callback* function to which the sender should call.
- Said *listener* is assigned to the sender by the appropriate method. For example, the Button type provide the method button OnClick to notify of a click.
- When the event occurs, the sender calls the *callback* function, indicating the receiving object (parameter of listener) and detailed information about the event collected in the object Event.

Listing 15.40: Callback function and button click event.

```
static void OnClick(AppCtrl *ctrl, Event *event)
```

```
{
    // TODO: Response to click
}

...

void CreateButton(AppCtrl *ctrl)
{
    Button *button = button_push();
    button_text(button, "Ok");
    button_OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, OnClick, AppCtrl));
}
```

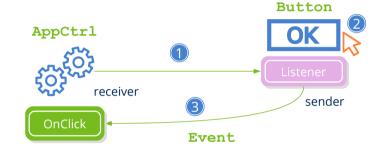


Figure 15.38: OnClick event.

Events are used in bulk in GUI applications, but can also be useful in command line applications. See for example hfile_dir_loop in "File operations" (page 232).

15.13. Keyboard buffer

The operating system generates events related to the pressing or releasing keys view_OnDown view_OnUp. Sometimes we need to know the state of a key without having to be aware of the events they generate. KeyBuf offers a very simple query mechanism using only the value of the vkey t key.

- Use keybuf_create to create the buffer.
- Use view_keybuf to assign the buffer to any generic view, which will be in charge of capturing events and updating it. The status may be consulted from any program function at any time.

15.14. File operations

Although in "Files and directories" (page 179) we already saw how to access the file system at a low level, sometimes certain high-level operations are necessary on the data on disk. The mere act of completely deleting a directory has many individual low-level

operations associated with it. The Core library, through <hfile.h> provides certain utilities that can simplify our lives at certain times.

- Use hfile dir create to create a directory, also creating its predecessors if they don't exist.
- Use hfile dir destroy to recursively delete a directory and all its contents.
- Use hfile dir sync to synchronize the contents of two directories. Something similar to Unix rsvnc.
- Use hfile dir loop to go deep through a directory (Listing 15.41).
- Use hfile buffer to load the contents of a file into memory.

Listing 15.41: Using hfile_dir_loop to loop through a three-level directory.

```
typedef struct query t Query;
static void i OnEntry(Query *query, Event *e)
    const EvFileDir *p = event params(e, EvFileDir);
    // First level (year)
    if (p->depth == 0)
        // The entry is a directory
        if (event type(e) == ekEENTRY)
            bool t *enter = event result(e, bool t);
            int16 t year = str to i16(p->filename, 10, NULL);
            // The loop enter in this subdir (depth 1)
            if (i process year(query, year) == TRUE)
                *enter = TRUE;
            else
                *enter = FALSE;
        }
    // Second level (month)
    else if (p->depth == 1)
        // The entry is a directory
        if (event type(e) == ekEENTRY)
            bool t *enter = event result(e, bool t);
            uint8 t month = str to u8(p->filename, 10, NULL);
            // The loop enter in this subdir (depth 2)
            if (i process month(query, month) == TRUE)
                *enter = TRUE;
            else
```

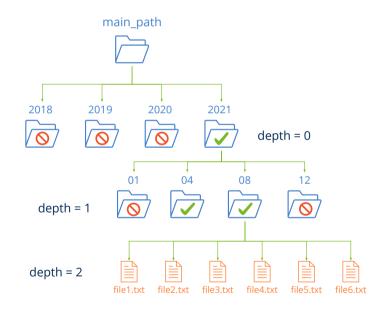


Figure 15.39: Representation of directory of (Listing 15.41).

15.15. Resource packs

15.16. Dates

A series of functions are included within *core* to work with dates.

- Use date system to get the system date.
- Use date_add_seconds to increment a given date.

• Use date cmp to compare two dates.

15.17. Clocks

Simple objects that allow us, in a comfortable way, to measure the time span between two instants. They are also useful for launching events at regular time intervals (Listing 15.42).

Listing 15.42: 25fps animation.

```
Clock *clock = clock create(.04);
for (;;)
    if (clock frame(clock) == TRUE)
        listener event(transition, ekGUI EVENT ANIMATION, NULL, params, NULL,
           → void, EvTransition, void);
}
clock destroy(&clock);
```

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Geom2D library

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16.1. Geom2D

We are facing a geometric calculation library in two dimensions. Geom2D allows working with primitives in the real plane: Points, vectors, transformations, curves and surfaces.

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It offers only mathematical functionality, that is, it does not define any type of representation or drawing operation. It only depends on "Core" (page 189) library (Figure 16.1), so it can be used in both desktop applications and command line utilities. All types and functions are defined in simple (float) and double precision, in addition to being able to make use of C++ "Math templates" (page 53).

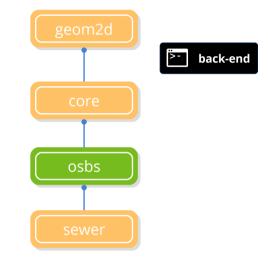


Figure 16.1: Dependencies of geom2d. See "NAppGUI API" (page 147).

All geometric elements are based on (x, y) coordinates in the plane. Geom2D does not assume how these coordinates will be interpreted. That will depend on the reference system defined by the application. The most used are the Cartesian and the screen (Figure 16.2), although others systems could be used where appropriate (Figure 16.3).

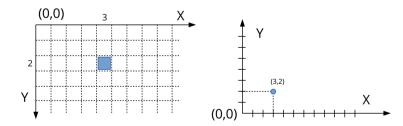


Figure 16.2: Interpretation of the coordinate (3,2) on monitors (left) and on the Cartesian plane (right).

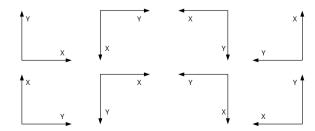


Figure 16.3: Different 2D coordinate systems.

16.2. **2D Vectors**

Vector (V2Df, V2Dd) is the most elementary geometric element. It represents a point, a direction or displacement by its two components **x** and **y** (Figure 16.4).

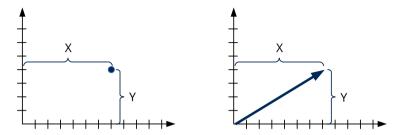


Figure 16.4: A 2D vector represents a position or a displacement in the plane.

The Vectorial Albegra defines a series of basic operations: Addition, negation, multiplication by a scalar, module and normalization (Formula 16.1). The visual representation of these operations is in (Figure 16.5).

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \vec{v} & = & \vec{a} + \vec{b} \\ & = & (a.x + b.x, a.y + b.y) \\ \vec{v} & = & p2 - p1 \\ & = & (p2.x - p1.x, p2.y - p1.y) \\ -\vec{a} & = & (-a.x, -a.y) \\ \vec{v} & = & s \cdot \vec{a} \\ & = & (s \cdot a.x, s \cdot a.y) \\ |\vec{a}| & = & \sqrt{a.x^2 + a.y^2} \\ \hat{a} & = & \left(\frac{a.x}{|\vec{a}|}, \frac{a.y}{|\vec{a}|}\right) \end{array}$$

Formula 16.1: Elementary vector albegra.

- Use v2d addf to add two vectors.
- Use v2d subf to subtract two vectors.
- Use v2d mulf to multiply by a scalar.
- Use v2d lengthf to calculate the modulus of a vector.
- Use v2d normf to normalize a vector.

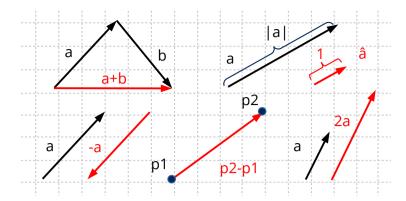


Figure 16.5: Geometric interpretation of basic operations with vectors.

16.2.1. CW and CCW angles

The angle of rotation of a vector will always be expressed in **radians** and the **positive** direction corresponds to the rotation from the **X** axis to the **Y** axis. Normally the counterclockwise direction is associated as positive and the clockwise direction negative. This is true in Cartesian coordinates but not in other types of reference systems, such as images or monitors (Figure 16.6). We must bear this in mind to avoid confusion, something that happens relatively frequently. The same criterion is applied when calculating the perpendicular vector, differentiating between positive and negative.

- Use v2d anglef to get the angle between two vectors.
- Use v2d_rotatef to apply a rotation to a vector.
- Use v2d perp posf to calculate the positive perpendicular vector.

To avoid confusion, remember that the positive direction is the one that rotates from the X axis to the Y axis. It will be **counterclockwise direction** in Cartesian coordinates and **clockwise direction** in screen coordinates.

16.2.2. Vector projection

Another operation used quite frequently in geometry is the projection of points onto a vector. Intuitively, we can see it as the point on the vector closest to the original point and that it will always be on the perpendicular line. We will calculate it with the dot product (Formula 16.2) and its value (scalar) will be the distance from the origin to the projection in the direction of the vector (Figure 16.7).

• Use v2d_dotf to calculate the dot product of two vectors.

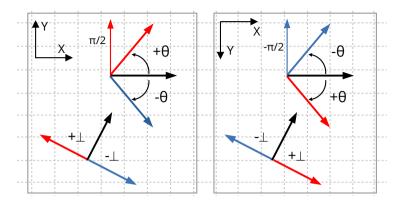


Figure 16.6: Rotation of a vector in Cartesian and screen systems.

$$\begin{array}{rcl} proj_{\vec{v}}(p) & = & \frac{v.x \cdot p.x + v.y \cdot p.y}{|\vec{v}|} \\ proj_{\vec{4},\vec{3}}(1,2) & = & \frac{4 \cdot 1 + 3 \cdot 2}{5} = 2 \\ proj_{\vec{4},\vec{3}}(2,-2) & = & 0.4 \\ proj_{\vec{4},\vec{3}}(5,1) & = & 4.6 \\ proj_{\vec{4},\vec{3}}(-3,1) & = & -1.8 \end{array}$$

Formula 16.2: Projection of several points in a vector.

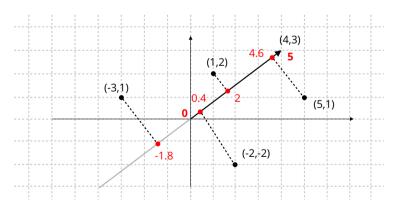


Figure 16.7: Geometric interpretation of projections.

If we are interested in the relative position between different projections, we can avoid dividing by the vector's modulus, which is more computationally efficient by not calculating square roots.

16.3. 2D Size

The S2Df, S2Dd structure stores information about a measure or size in two dimensions using its fields width and height.

• Use s2df to compose a measure through its elementary fields.

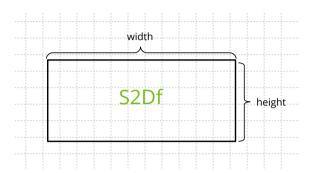


Figure 16.8: Size2D.

16.4. 2D Rectangles

A rectangle (or *frame*) (R2Df, R2Dd) (Figure 16.9) is used to locate elements in user interfaces or other 2D systems through a point of origin V2Df and a size S2Df. They can also be used in clipping operations, when optimizing drawing tasks.

- Use r2d_collidef to determine if two rectangles collide.
- Use r2d clipf to determine if a rectangle is visible within an area.
- Use r2d joinf to join the two rectangles.

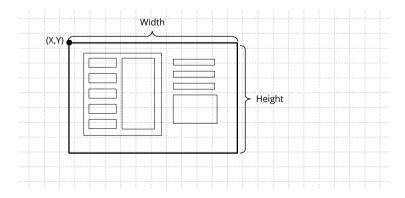


Figure 16.9: Positioning GUI elements using rectangles.

16.5. 2D Transformations

Affine transformations are a type of mathematical operation that allows coordinate changes between different reference systems. For example in (Figure 16.10) (a) we construct a polygon expressing the coordinates of its vertices in a Cartesian system: [(4,1), (2,5), (-3,5), (-4,2), (0,-3)]. Now let's imagine that we want to draw several instances of our model on a plane, each with a different position, orientation and size (Figure 16.10) (b). We would need to calculate the coordinates of the points of the polygon in the new locations, in order to correctly draw the lines that delimit them.

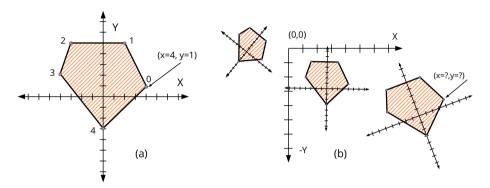


Figure 16.10: Geometric model (a) Expressed in a Cartesian system. (b) After applying transformations.

Vector Algebra gives us a powerful tool with which the relationship between two systems can be expressed using six real numbers (Figure 16.11). The first four values correspond to a 2x2 matrix with the coordinates of the vectors X=[1,0] and Y=[0,1] in the new reference system. This matrix integrates a possible rotation and scaling of the axes. The last two values indicate a displacement in the origin of coordinates. In (Formula 16.3) we have the mathematical development to transform the point [4.1] to a new base rotated 25° with respect to the origin and displaced 11 units on the X axis and -5 on the Y axis. Applying the same operation to all points, we would transform the object.

16.5.1. Elementary transformations

In principle, any combination of values [i.x, i.y, j.x, j.y, p.x, p.y] would provide a valid transformation, although if we do not choose them with certain criteria we will obtain aberrations that are not very useful in practice. The most used transformations in graphic and engineering applications are (Figure 16.12) (Figure 16.13) (Formula 16.4):

- Translation (a): Moves the origin of the object to another point.
- Rotation (b): Rotates the object on the origin of its local system.
- Scaling (c): Change the size. If sx < 1, reduce. sx > 1, increase. sx = 1, does not

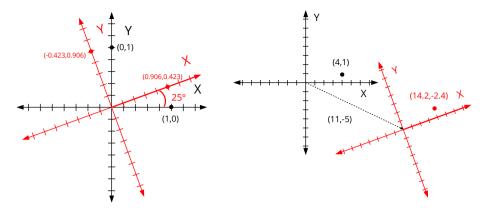


Figure 16.11: Change of base. Relationship of a point in two different reference systems.

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} i.x & j.x \\ i.y & j.y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} p.x \\ p.y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0.906 & -0.423 \\ 0.423 & 0.906 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 11 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 3.2 \\ 2.6 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 11 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 14.2 \\ -2.4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Formula 16.3: Point [4,1] transformation.

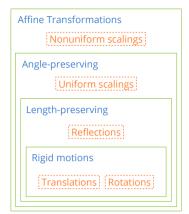
vary. In non-uniform scales, sx and sy have different values, which will produce a distortion in the aspect ratio.

• Identity (d): It is the null transformation. When applied, the vectors remain unchanged.

16.5.2. Composition of transformations

It is possible to compose or accumulate transformations by matrix multiplication (Formula 16.5). The usual thing in 2d models will be to obtain the final location of an object from the elementary transformations translation, rotation and scaling. The accumulation is also useful for positioning elements in hierarchical structures, where the location of each object depends directly on that of its upper node (parent).

• Use t2d movef to add a displacement to an existing transformation.



Classification of Figure 16.12: affine transformations.

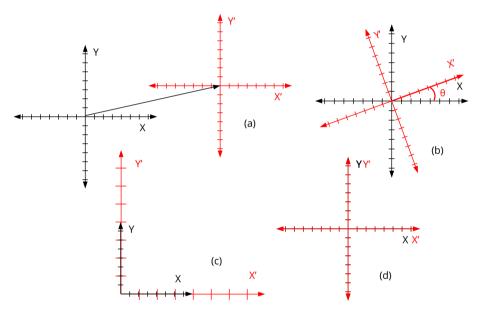


Figure 16.13: Geometric representation of elementary transformations. (a) Translation, (b) Rotation, (c) Scaling, (d) Identity.

- Use t2d rotatef to add a rotation.
- Use t2d scalef to add a scaling.
- Use t2d multf to add a transformation.
- Use t2d vmultf to apply a transformation to a vector.
- Use t2d vmultnf to apply a transformation to several vectors.
- Use kt2d identify to reference the identity transformation.

Matrix multiplication is not commutative, but the order in which the operations are

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} p.x \\ p.y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} sx & 0 \\ 0 & sy \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Formula 16.4: Translation, Rotation, Scaling and Identity.

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} i_{d}.x & j_{d}.x \\ i_{d}.y & i_{d}.y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} p_{d}.x \\ p_{d}.y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$i_{d}.x = i_{1}.x \cdot i_{2}.x + j_{1}.x \cdot i_{2}.y$$

$$i_{d}.y = i_{1}.y \cdot i_{2}.x + j_{1}.y \cdot i_{2}.y$$

$$j_{d}.x = i_{1}.x \cdot j_{2}.x + j_{1}.x \cdot j_{2}.y$$

$$j_{d}.y = i_{1}.y \cdot j_{2}.x + j_{1}.y \cdot j_{2}.y$$

$$p_{d}.x = i_{1}.x \cdot p_{2}.x + j_{1}.x \cdot p_{2}.y + p_{1}.x$$

$$p_{d}.y = i_{1}.y \cdot p_{2}.x + j_{1}.y \cdot p_{2}.y + p_{1}.y$$

Formula 16.5: Composition of two arbitrary transformations.

applied will affect the final result. For example in (Figure 16.14) (a), the origin has been moved and then applied a rotation. In (Figure 16.14) (b) it has been done on the contrary, first rotate and then move.

Listing 16.1: Acumulación de transformaciones.

```
// (a) First move, then rotate
T2Df t2d;
t2d_movef(&t2d, kT2D_IDENTf, 11, 0);
t2d_rotatef(&t2d, &t2d, kBMATH_PIf / 4);

// (b) First rotate, then move
T2Df t2d;
t2d_rotatef(&t2d, kT2D_IDENTf, kBMATH_PIf / 4);
t2d_movef(&t2d, &t2d, 11, 0);
```

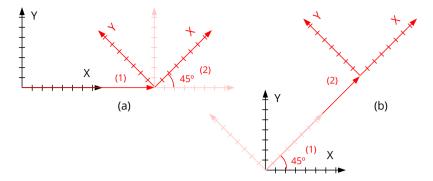


Figure 16.14: Effect of the order of application of transformations.

16.5.3. Decomposition and inverse

Any chain of translations, rotations, and scales defines an affine reference frame that can be expressed in terms of a single traslation, rotation, and scale (Figure 16.15). We can "undo" this transformation and return to the origin through the inverse transformation (Listing 16.2).

- Use t2d decomposef to get the components of a transformation.
- Use t2d inversef to get the inverse transformation.

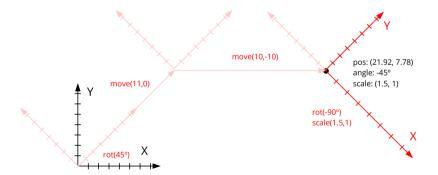


Figure 16.15: Transformation chain and final system.

Listing 16.2: Components of a reference and inverse system.

```
T2Df t2d, inv, inv2;

V2Df pos, sc;

real32_t a;

// Transform sequence

t2d_rotatef(&t2d, kT2D_IDENTf, kBMATH_PIf / 4);

t2d_movef(&t2d, &t2d, 11, 0);

t2d_movef(&t2d, &t2d, 10, - 10);

t2d_rotatef(&t2d, &t2d, - kBMATH_PIf / 2);
```

```
t2d_scalef(&t2d, &t2d, 1.5f, 1);

// Transform components
t2d_decomposef(&t2d, &pos, &a, &sc);

// Transform inverse
t2d_inversef(&inv, &t2d);

// Inverse from components
t2d_scalef(&inv2, kT2D_IDENTf, 1/sc.x, 1/sc.y);
t2d_rotatef(&inv2, &inv2, -a);
t2d_movef(&inv2, &inv2, -pos.x, -pos.y);

// inv == inv2 ('inv' more numerical accurate)
```

16.6. 2D Segments

Segments are fragments of a line between two points p0 and p1 (Figure 16.16). They are the simplest geometric primitives, after vectors. We define the t parameter as the normalized position within the segment. Values between 0 and 1 will correspond to internal points of the segment, with the limits t=0 (p0) and t=1 (p1). Out of this range we will have the points outside the segment, but within the line that contains it. For example t=2 would be the point after p1 located at a distance equal to the length of the segment.

- Use seg2d lengthf to get the length of the segment.
- Use seg2d_close_paramf to get the value of the parameter closest to a certain point.
- Use seg2d evalf to get the point from the parameter.
- Use seg2d sqdistf to get the distance (squared) between two segments.

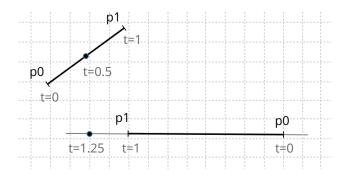


Figure 16.16: Segments in the plane.

16.7. 2D Circles

Circles allow us to group a set of points within the same container volume. Collision detection will be performed optimally since it is the geometric test that requires the fewest operations. Given a set of points, we can calculate the container circle in various ways (Figure 16.17) depending on the precision and speed needed.

- Use cir2d from boxf to get the circle from a 2D box.
- Use cir2d minimum to obtain the circle of minimum radius from a set of points.
- Use cir2d_from_pointsf to obtain the circle from the set average. More balanced option in terms of precision/performance.

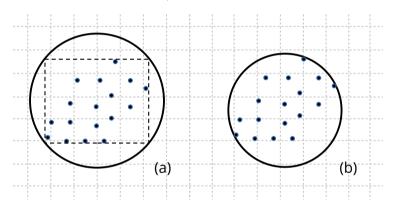


Figure 16.17: Container circle: From BBox (a). Minimum radius (b).

16.8. 2D Boxes

2D containers or (Bounding boxes) delimit the area of the plane occupied by different geometric elements (Figure 16.18). They are useful in the collision detection or *clipping operations*, which prevent non-visible figures from being drawn, improving overall performance.

- Use box2d_from_pointsf to create a 2D box from a set of points.
- Use box2d_addnf to change dimensions based on new points.
- Use box2d_segmentsf to get the four segments that delimit the box.

16.9. 2D Oriented Boxes

Oriented Bounding Boxes are 2D boxes that can rotate about their center (Figure 16.19), so they will no longer be aligned with axes. Here the collision detection is somewhat

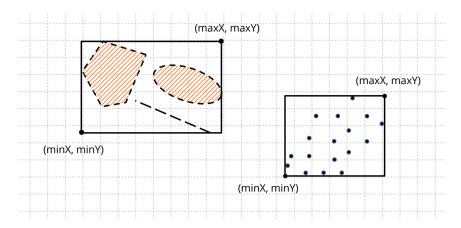


Figure 16.18: 2D boxes as a container for other objects.

complicated compared to 2D Axis-Aligned boxes, in exchange for providing a better fit against elongated objects that can rotate in the plane.

- Use obb2d from pointsf to create an oriented box from a set of points.
- Use obb2d from linef to create an oriented box from a segment.
- Use obb2d transformf to apply a 2D transformation to the box.
- Use obb2d boxf to get the aligned box containing the oriented box.

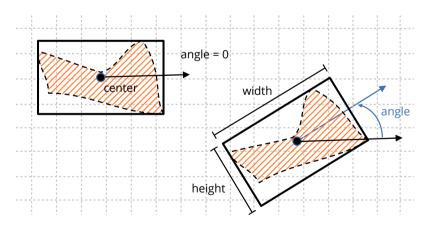


Figure 16.19: 2D oriented boxes.

We can obtain relevant parameters of an arbitrary set of points from the covariance matrix (Formula 16.6), which is geometrically represented by an ellipse rotated in the plane and centered on the mean of the distribution (Figure 16.20). This analysis allows obb2d_from_pointsf to calculate the 2D box associated with the distribution in a quite acceptable way, without becoming the optimal solution that is much more expensive in

computational terms.

$$\Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_{xx} & \sigma_{xy} \\ \sigma_{yx} & \sigma_{yy} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sigma_{xx} = \frac{1}{N} \left[\sum_{i=1}^{N} x_i^2 \right] - \mu_x^2$$

$$\sigma_{yy} = \frac{1}{N} \left[\sum_{i=1}^{N} y_i^2 \right] - \mu_y^2$$

$$\sigma_{xy} = \frac{1}{N} \left[\sum_{i=1}^{N} x_i y_i \right] - \mu_x \mu_y$$

$$\sigma_{yx} = \sigma_{xy}$$

$$\mu_x = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} x_i$$

$$\mu_y = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} y_i$$

Formula 16.6: Calculation of the covariance matrix.

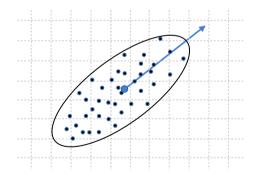


Figure 16.20: The covariance matrix represents an ellipse rotated in the plane.

Use oriented boxes (OBB2Df) for "elongated" point distributions. In rounded or square cases the aligned box (Box2Df) can provide a volume with a smaller area.

16.10. 2D Triangles

Triangles are widely used in computational geometry, especially when performing certain calculations on polygons or surfaces. They are also the basis of most graphical APIs, so on many occasions we will need to approximate objects using triangles. The **centroid**

is the equilibrium point found at the intersection of the medians (Figure 16.21).

- Use tri2df to compose a triangle.
- Use tri2d transformf to apply a transformation.
- Use tri2d centroidf to get the center of mass.
- Use tri2d areaf to calculate the area.

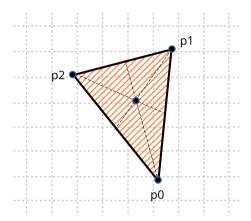


Figure 16.21: 2D triangles.

16.11. 2D Polygons

Polygons are widely versatile figures, since they allow us to define arbitrary regions delimited by rectilinear segments. Geom2D supports so-called **simple polygons**, which are those whose sides cannot intersect each other.

- Use pol2d createf to create a polygon from the path formed by its vertices.
- Use pol2d_ccwf to get the direction of path rotation. See "CW and CCW angles" (page 240).
- Use pol2d_transformf to apply a transformation to the polygon.
- Use pol2d_areaf to get the area.
- Use pol2d_boxf to get the polygon boundaries.

We can classify the polygons into three large groups (Figure 16.22):

- Convex: The most "desired" from the point of view of calculation simplicity. They are those where any segment that joins two interior points, is totally within the polygon.
- Concave: Or not convex. The opposite of the above. It is one that has an interior angle of more than 180 degrees.

• Weakly: It is one that presents holes through "cut" segments where two vertices are duplicated to allow access and return of each hole. It is an easy way to empty the interior of regions without requiring multiple cycles. The calculation of areas and collisions will take into account these cavities.

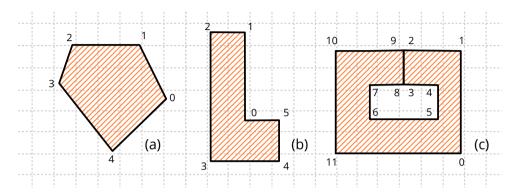


Figure 16.22: 2D polygons. (a) Convex, (b) Concave, (c) Weak. All of them defined counter-clockwise.

16.11.1. Polygon center

It is difficult to define a central point in a figure as irregular as a polygon can be. Normally we will interpret as such the centroid or **center of mass** but, in non-convex cases, this point can be located outside the polygon. In labeling tasks, it is necessary to have a representative point that is within the figure. We consider the **visual center** to be that point within the polygon located at a maximum distance from any edge (Figure 16.23). In convex polygons it will coincide with the centroid.

- Use pol2d centroidf to get the centroid of the polygon.
- Use pol2d_visual_centerf to get the visual center of the polygon. It implements an adaptation of the **polylabel** algorithm of the MapBox¹ project.

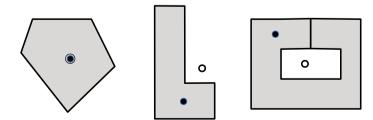


Figure 16.23: "Central" point of a polygon. Line: Centroid, Fill: Visual or Label Center.

¹https://github.com/mapbox/polylabel

16.11.2. Polygon decomposition

Certain calculations or rendering tasks can be considerably optimized if we reduce the complexity of the geometry to be treated. Decomposing a polygon is nothing more than obtaining a list of simpler polygons whose union is equivalent to the original figure (Figure 16.24). As an inverse operation, we would have the calculation of the **convex hull**, which is obtaining the convex polygon that encloses a set of arbitrary points (Figure 16.25).

- Use pol2d trianglesf to get a list of the triangles that make up the polygon.
- Use pol2d_convex_partitionf to get a list of convex polygons equivalent to the polygon.
- Use pol2d convex hullf to create a convex polygon that "wraps" a set of points.

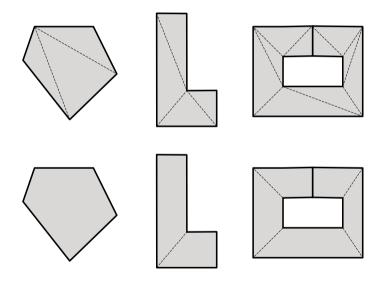


Figure 16.24: Decomposition of a polygon by triangulation or convex components.

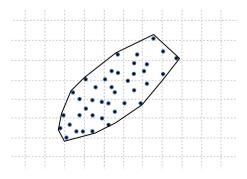


Figure 16.25: Convex hull of a set of points.

16.12. 2D Collisions

Collision detection is responsible for studying and developing algorithms that check if two geometric objects intersect at some point. As the general case would be quite complex to implement and inefficient to evaluate, a series of **collision volumes** (Figure 16.26) are defined that will enclose the original sets and where the tests can be significantly simplified. The use of these most elementary forms is usually known as *broad phase collision detection* (Figure 16.27), since it seeks to detect "non-collision" as quickly as possible. In "Hello 2D Collisions!" (page 575) you have an example application.

- Use colled poly obbf to detect the collision between an oriented box and a polygon.
- Use col2d tri trif to detect the collision between two triangles.
- Use col2d circle segmentf to detect the collision between a circle and a segment.

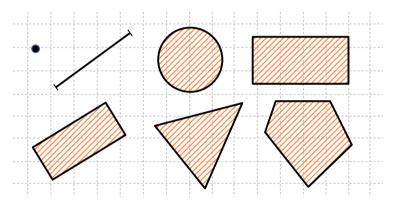


Figure 16.26: 2D Collision Volumes: Point, Segment, Circle, Box, Oriented Box, Triangle, and Polygon.

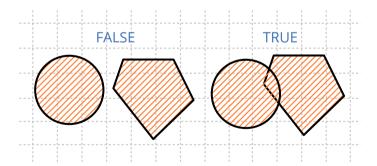


Figure 16.27: Broad phase collision detection.

Col2D provides functions to check each pair of previously presented collision volumes. Most of these methods use the **Separation Axis Theorem** (Figure 16.28). This theorem indicates, in essence, that if it is possible to find a line where the projections of the vertices do not intersect, then the figures do not intersect. In the specific case of convex polygons, it is only necessary to evaluate **n lines**, where n is the number of sides of the polygon.

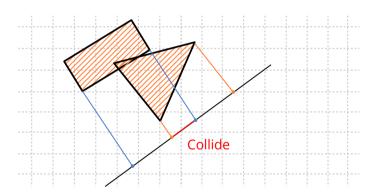


Figure 16.28: Separation axis theorem detecting a collision.

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17.1. Draw2D

The *Draw2D* library integrates all the functionality necessary to create two dimensions vector graphics. It depends directly on *Geom2D* (Figure 17.1) and, as we will see later, drawing does not imply having a graphical user interface in the program. It is possible to generate images using an internal memory buffer, without displaying the result in a window.

- "2D Contexts" (page 259).
- "Drawing primitives" (page 267).
- "Colors" (page 279) and "Palettes" (page 281).
- "Pixel Buffer" (page 282) and "Images" (page 286).
- "Typography fonts" (page 291).

This library connects directly to the native technologies of each operating system: **GDI+** on Windows systems, **Quartz2D** on macOS and **Cairo** on Linux. In essence, draw2d offers a common and light interface so that the code is portable, delegating the final work in each of them. With this we guarantee three things:

- Efficiency: These APIs have been tested for years and are maintained by system manufacturers.
- Presence: They are integrated as stardard in all computers, so it is not necessary to install additional software.
- Performance: The programs are smaller since they do not require linking with special routines for handling graphics, typography or images.

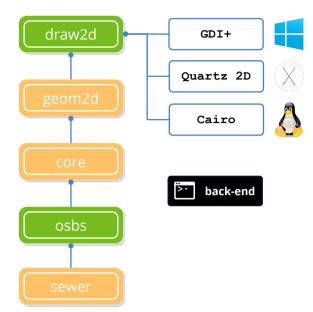


Figure 17.1: Dependencies of draw2d."NAppGUI API" See (page 147).

17.2. 2D Contexts

Vector graphics are composed of basic primitives such as lines, circles, text, etc, using the painter's algorithm (Figure 17.2): Incoming operations overlap existing ones. The result is stored in an intermediate buffer known as canvas or surface. This drawing surface is part of an object called **context** that also maintains certain parameters related to the appearance of primitives: Colors, line attributes, reference system, gradients, etc...

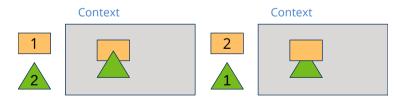
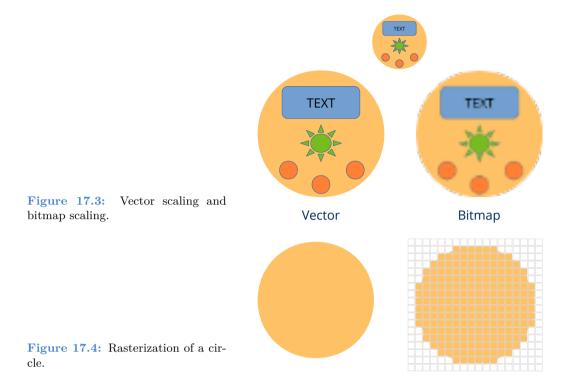


Figure 17.2: Painter's algorithm. New objects will overlap existing ones.

One of the advantages of working with parametric shapes is that image scaling can be done without loss of quality (Figure 17.3). This is because the conversion to pixels, a process called rasterization (Figure 17.4), is done in real time and constantly adjusts to the change of vectors. In bitmap images, an increase in size has associated a loss of quality.

Draw2D allows working with two types of 2D contexts (Figure 17.5).

 Window context. The destination will be an area within a user interface window managed by a View control. This control maintains its own drawing context and



sends it "ready to use" through the EvDraw event (Listing 17.1).

Listing 17.1: Drawing in a window.

```
static void i_OnDraw(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvDraw *p = event_params(e, EvDraw);

    draw_clear(p->ctx, color_rgb(200, 200, 200));
    draw_fill_color(p->ctx, color_rgb(0, 128, 0));
    draw_rect(p->ctx, ekFILL, 100, 100, 200, 100);
    draw_fill_color(p->ctx, color_rgb(0, 0, 255));
    draw_circle(p->ctx, ekFILL, 450, 150, 75);
}

View *view = view_create();
view_size(view, s2df(600, 400));
view_OnDraw(view, listener(app, i_OnDraw, App));
```

• Image context. Here the drawing commands will be directly dumped into memory to subsequently obtain an image with the final result (Listing 17.2).

Listing 17.2: Draw on an image.

```
static i_draw(void)
{
```

```
Image *image = NULL;
DCtx *ctx = dctx bitmap(600, 400, ekRGBA32);
draw clear(ctx, color rgb(200, 200, 200));
draw fill color(ctx, color rgb(0, 128, 0));
draw rect(ctx, ekFILL, 100, 100, 200, 100);
draw fill color(ctx, color rgb(0, 0, 255));
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 450, 150, 75);
image = dctx image(&ctx);
image to file (image, "drawing.png", NULL);
image destroy(&image);
```

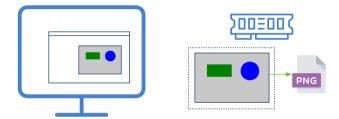


Figure 17.5: Window and image contexts.

As we can see, the drawing itself is done in the same way, the only thing that changes is how we obtained the context (DCtx). This allows us to write generic graphic routines without worrying about the destination of the final result. In the example DrawImq¹ you have a practical step-by-step development of the use of contexts. The images that accompany the rest of the chapter have been obtained from this application.

Because it is not necessary to have a window to draw, Draw2d can be used in console applications to compose or edit images in an automated way.

17.2.1. Reference systems

The drawing origin of coordinates is located in the upper left corner (Figure 17.6). The positive X move to the left and the positive Y down. Units are measured in pixels (or points in "Retina displays" (page 265)). For example, the command:

```
draw circle(ctx, ekSKFILL, 300, 200, 100);
```

will draw a circle of 100 pixel radius whose center is 300 pixels to the left and 200 pixels down from the origin. This initial system is called **identity** since it has not yet been manipulated, as we will see below.

https://nappgui.com/en/howto/drawimg.html

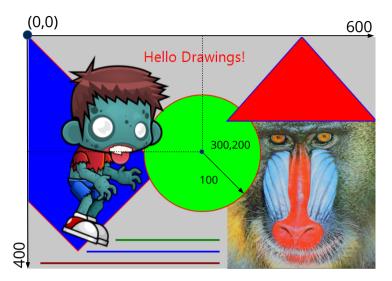


Figure 17.6: Identity reference system in 2D contexts.

Although the initial scale is in pixels, we must banish the idea that we are directly manipulating pixels when drawing. Drawing contexts use floating point coordinates. For example, drawing a line between the points (0.23, 1.432) and (-45.29, 12.6756) is perfectly valid. Transformations and antialiasing may slightly alter the position or thickness of certain lines. Nor should we expect "identical" pixel-level results when migrating applications to different platforms, since each system uses its own rasterization algorithms. We must think that we are drawing on the real plane. To directly manipulate the pixels of an image, see image_pixels and image_from_pixels.

This initial reference system can be manipulated by "2D Transformations" (page 243). The most common transformations in graphics are: Translations (Figure 17.7), Rotations (Figure 17.8) and Scaling (Figure 17.9).

• draw_matrixf will change the context reference system.

Listing 17.3: Coordinate origin translation 100 units in both directions.

```
T2Df t2d;
t2d_movef(&t2d, kT2D_IDENTf, 100, 100);
draw_matrixf(ctx, &t2d);
i_draw(...);
```

Listing 17.4: Coordinate origin rotation 15 degrees.

```
T2Df t2d;
t2d_rotatef(&t2d, kT2D_IDENTf, 15 * kBMATH_DEG2RADf);
draw_matrixf(ctx, &t2d);
```

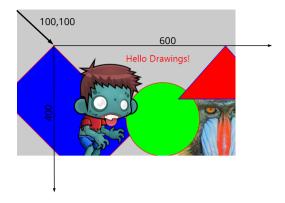


Figure 17.7: Translation (Listing 17.3).

```
i_draw(...);
```

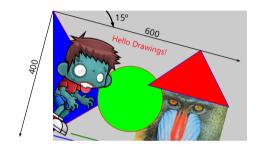


Figure 17.8: Rotation (Listing 17.4).

Listing 17.5: Scaling, size halving.

```
T2Df t2d;
t2d_scalef(&t2d, kT2D_IDENTf, .5f, .5f);
draw_matrixf(ctx, &t2d);
i_draw(...);
```

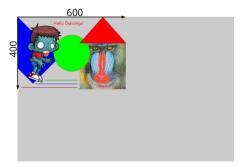


Figure 17.9: Scaling (Listing 17.5).

The transformations can be accumulated, but we must bear in mind that they are not commutative operations, but that the order in which they are applied will influence the final result. For example in (Figure 17.10) we observe that the drawing has moved (100, 50) pixels, instead of (200, 100), because the translation is affected by previous scaling. More details at "Composition of transformations" (page 244).

Listing 17.6: Composition of transformations.

```
T2Df t2d;

t2d_scalef(&t2d, kT2D_IDENTf, .5f, .5f);

t2d_movef(&t2d, &t2d, 200, 100);

t2d_rotatef(&t2d, &t2d, 15 * kBMATH_DEG2RADf);

draw_matrixf(ctx, &t2d);

i_draw(...);
```

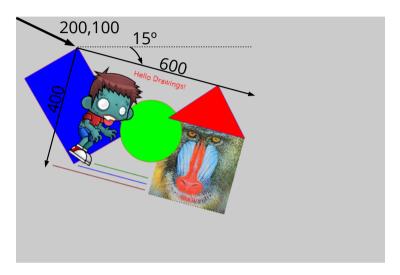
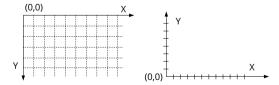


Figure 17.10: Composition of transformations (Listing 17.6).

17.2.2. Cartesian systems

There is a dichotomy when drawing in 2D: On the one hand, traditionally desktop systems and digital images place the origin of coordinates in the upper left corner with the Y axis growing down (Figure 17.11). On the other hand, the Cartesian systems used in geometry place it in the lower left corner, with Y growing up. This creates a dilemma about whether one system is better than another.

Figure 17.11: 2D system on monitors (left) and Cartesian (right).



The answer is clearly no. Even in the same drawing, we may need to combine both depending on the element we are treating. For texts and images, the screen system is more intuitive since it reproduces the paper or canvas of the physical world. For mathematical functions, bar graphs, plans and other aspects related to the technical world, the Cartesian is much more comfortable and natural.

 draw matrix cartesianf set the context reference system in Cartesian coordinates. In (Figure 17.12) we have used a 6x4 unit Cartesian system mapped onto a 600x400 pixel window.

Listing 17.7: Drawing in Cartesian coordinates.

```
T2Df t2d;
draw line color(ctx, color rgb(255, 0, 0));
draw line width(ctx, .03);
draw fill color(ctx, color rgb(0, 0, 255));
t2d scalef(&t2d, kT2D IDENTf, 100, 100);
draw matrix cartesianf(ctx, &t2d);
draw rect(ctx, ekSKFILL, 1.5f, .1f, 1, 2);
draw line color(ctx, color rgb(0, 128, 0));
draw line(ctx, 0, 0, 1.5f, 2.1f);
```

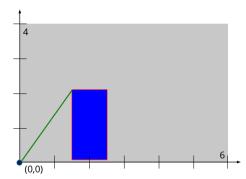


Figure 17.12: Cartesian coordinates (Listing 17.7).

17.2.3. **Antialiasing**

Given the discrete nature of monitors and digital images, a staggered effect (sawtooth) is produced by transforming vector primitives to pixels (Figure 17.13). This effect becomes less noticeable as the resolution of the image increases, but still the "pixelated" remains patent. The antialiasing, is a technique that reduces this step effect by slightly varying the colors of the pixels in the environment near the lines and contours (Figure 17.14). With this, the human eye can be deceived by blurring the edges and generating images of greater visual quality. In return we have the cost in the performance of applying it, although for years that the calculations related to antialiasing are made directly in hardware (Figure 17.15), so the impact will be minimal.

draw antialias allows to activate or deactivate the antialiasing calculations.

Retina displays 17.2.4.

At the end of 2014 Apple introduced its news iMac with high resolution Retina Display (5120x2880). Normally, these monitors work in **scaled** mode (2560x1440) allowing double density pixels (Figure 17.16). Apple differentiates between **points** on the screen, which

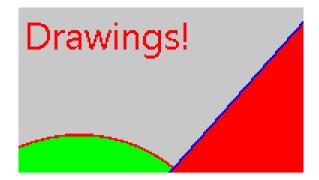


Figure 17.13: Antialiasing off.

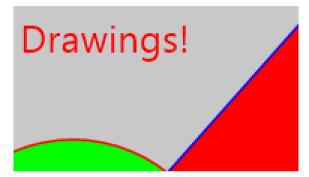


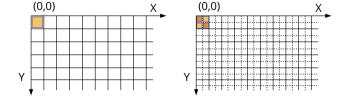
Figure 17.14: Antialiasing on.



Figure 17.15: Orchid Fahrenheit 1280 (1992). One of the first cards that incorporated 2d graphic acceleration.

are what really manipulates the application and physical pixels. Therefore, our 600x400 window will really have 1200x800 pixels on Retina computers, although the application will still "see" only 600x400 points. The operating system converts transparently. In fact, we don't have to do anything to adapt our code, since it will work in the same way on both normal iMac and those equipped with Retina monitors.

Figure 17.16: Double density pixels on *Retina Display* (right).



This double density will be used by the rasterizer to generate higher quality images by having more pixels in the same screen area. In (Figure 17.17) and (Figure 17.18) we see

the extra quality that these models provide.



Figure 17.17: Normal screen (with antialiasing).

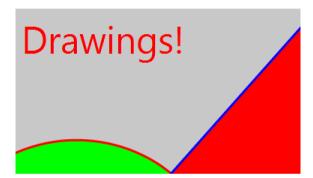


Figure 17.18: Retina Display (with antialiasing).

17.3. Drawing primitives

When drawing in 2D contexts we have a series of elementary shapes such as lines, figures, text and images. In $DrawHello^2$ you have the source code of the application that will accompany us throughout this section.

17.3.1. Line drawing

The most elementary operation is to draw a line between two points. In 2d contexts the lines are solid objects and not a mere row of pixels. Let's think we are using thick tip pens, where the theoretical line will always remain in the center of the stroke (Figure 17.19). We can change the shape of the endings (linecap), the joints (linejoin) and establish a pattern for dashed lines.

- draw_line will draw a line.
- draw_polyline will draw several connected lines.
- draw_arc will draw an arc.

²https://nappgui.com/en/howto/drawhello.html

- draw bezier will draw a Bézier curve of degree 3 (cubic).
- draw line color will set the line color.
- draw line width set the line width.
- draw line cap set the style of the ends.
- draw line join set the style of the unions.
- draw line dash set a dot pattern for dashed lines.

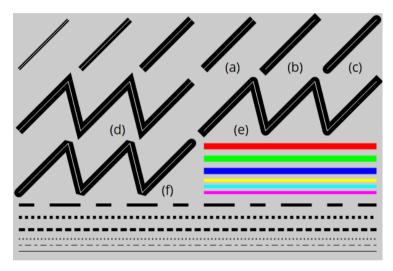


Figure 17.19: Different line styles. (a) eklCFLAT. (b) eklCSQUARE. (c) eklCROUND. (d) eklJMITER. (e) eklJROUND. (f) eklJBEVEL. The pattern: [5, 5, 10, 5], [1, 1], [2, 1], [1, 2], [5, 5, 10, 5], NULL.

17.3.2. Figures and borders

To draw figures or closed areas we have several commands. As we see in (Figure 17.20) we can draw the outline of the figure, its interior or both. For the contour, the established line style will be taken into account as we have seen in the previous section.

- draw rect for rectangles.
- draw_rndrect for rectangles with rounded edges.
- draw_circle for circles.
- draw_ellipse for ellipses.
- draw polygon for polygons.
- draw_fill_color set the area fill color.

Listing 17.8: Drawing of figures (outlines and/or fills).

```
draw_fill_color(ctx, kCOLOR_BLUE);
draw_line_color(ctx, kCOLOR_BLACK);
draw_rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 10, 10, 110, 75);
draw_rndrect(ctx, ekFILL, 140, 10, 110, 75, 20);
draw_circle(ctx, ekSKFILL, 312, 50, 40);
draw_ellipse(ctx, ekFILLSK, 430, 50, 55, 37);
```

As we saw in "2D Contexts" (page 259), the order in which the operations are performed matters. It is not the same to fill and then draw the outline as vice versa. The center of the stroke will coincide with the theoretical contour of the figure.

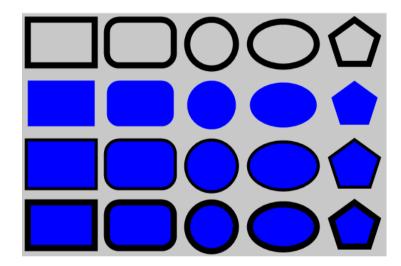


Figure 17.20: Stroke only ekSTROKE. Fill only ekFILL. First stroke, then fill ekSKFILL. First fill, then stroke ekFILLSK.

17.3.3. Gradients

Gradients allow regions to be filled using a gradient instead of a solid color (Figure 17.21). Several base colors and their relative position along a vector are defined (Listing 17.9). The positions [0, 1] correspond to the extremes and the values within this range to the possible intermediate stops. Each line perpendicular to the vector defines a uniform color that will extend indefinitely until reaching the limits of the figure to be filled.

- Use draw fill linear to activate the fill with gradients.
- Use draw_fill_color to return to solid color fill.

Listing 17.9: Definition of (Figure 17.21) gradients.

```
// (a) Gradient

color_t color[4];

real32_t stop[4] = {0, .35f, .7f, 1};

color[0] = color_rgb(255, 0, 0);
```

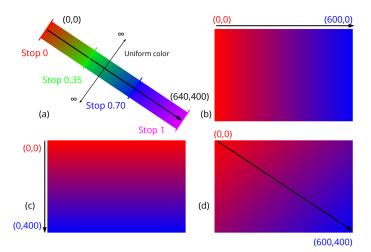


Figure 17.21: Linear gradients. The color is interpolated along a vector.

```
color[1] = color rgb(0, 255, 0);
color[2] = color rgb(0, 0, 255);
color[3] = color rgb(255, 0, 255);
draw fill linear(ctx, color, stop, 4, 0, 0, 600, 400);
// (b) Gradient
color t color[2];
real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
color[0] = color rgb(255, 0, 0);
color[1] = color rgb(0, 0, 255);
draw fill linear(ctx, color, stop, 2, 0, 0, 600, 0);
// (c) Gradient
color t color[2];
real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
color[0] = color rgb(255, 0, 0);
color[1] = color rgb(0, 0, 255);
draw fill linear(ctx, color, stop, 2, 0, 0, 0, 400);
// (d) Gradient
color t color[2];
real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
color[0] = color rgb(255, 0, 0);
color[1] = color rgb(0, 0, 255);
draw fill linear(ctx, color, stop, 2, 0, 0, 600, 400);
```

17.3.4. Gradient transformation

Since the gradient is defined by a vector, it is possible to set a transformation that changes the way it is applied. This matrix is totally independent from the one applied to drawing primitives draw matrixf, as we saw in "Reference systems" (page 261).

- Use draw_fill_matrix to set the gradient transformation. With this we can get several effects:
- Global gradient: The gradient will be applied globally to the background, and the figures will be cutouts of the same pattern (Figure 17.22). To do this we will set the identity matrix as a gradient transformation (Listing 17.10). It is defined by default.

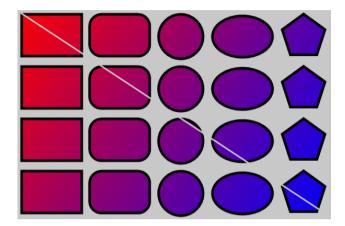


Figure 17.22: Global gradient. The continuity between figures is not lost.

Listing 17.10: Gradient matrix for the whole drawing.

```
draw_fill_linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 0, 0, 600, 400);
draw_fill_matrix(ctx, kT2D_IDENTf);
i_draw_shapes(ctx);
```

• Local gradient: The vector is transferred to the origin of the figure or to a point in its near surroundings (Figure 17.23). With this, we will be able to apply the gradient locally and that only affects a specific figure. In (Listing 17.11) we have slightly varied the transformation to fix the origin in a corner and not in the center of the ellipse. This may vary depending on the desired effect.

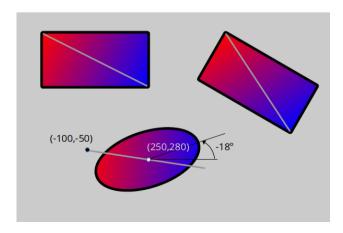


Figure 17.23: Local gradient. The origin is placed in the figure.

Listing 17.11: Gradient matrix for a figure.

```
T2Df t2d;
t2d_movef(&t2d, kT2D_IDENTf, 250, 280);
t2d_rotatef(&t2d, &t2d, - kBMATH_PIf / 10);
draw_matrixf(ctx, &t2d); // Geometry matrix
draw_fill_linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 0, 0, 200, 100);
t2d_movef(&t2d, &t2d, -100, -50);
draw_fill_matrix(ctx, &t2d); // Gradient matrix
draw_ellipse(ctx, ekSKFILL, 0, 0, 100, 50);
```

17.3.5. Gradients in lines

In addition to region fill, gradients can also be applied to lines and contours (Figure 17.24) (Listing 17.12).

- Use draw line fill to draw the lines with the current fill pattern.
- Use draw line color to return to solid color.

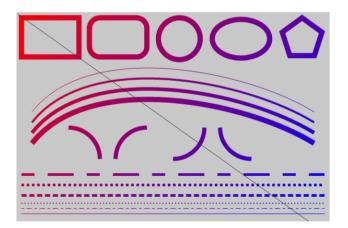


Figure 17.24: Drawing lines using gradients.

Listing 17.12: Gradients in lines.

```
draw_fill_linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 0, 0, 600, 400);
draw_fill_matrix(ctx, kT2D_IDENTf);
draw_line_fill(ctx);
draw_bezier(ctx, 30, 200, 140, 60, 440, 120, 570, 200);
```

17.3.6. Gradient Limits

As we have said, the color fill will spread evenly and indefinitely along all the lines perpendicular to the vector, but... What happens outside its limits? In (Listing 17.13) (Figure 17.25) the gradient has been defined in $x=[200,\ 400]$, this measure being lower than the figure to be filled:

- Use draw fill wrap to define the behavior of the gradient out of bounds.
- ekeclamp the end value is used as a constant in the outer area.
- ekftile the color pattern is repeated.
- ekfflip the pattern is repeated, but reversing the order which prevents the loss of continuity in color.

Listing 17.13: Uniform color outside the limits of the gradient (Figure 17.25) (a).

```
draw_fill_linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 200, 0, 400, 0);
draw_fill_wrap(ctx, ekFCLAMP);
draw_rect(ctx, ekFILLSK, 50, 25, 500, 100);
```

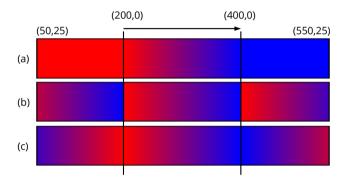


Figure 17.25: Limit Behavior: (a) ekfCLAMP, (b) ekfTILE, (c) ekfFLIP.

17.3.7. Drawing text

Text rendering is the most important part of the user interface. In the old days, small bitmaps were used with the image of each character, but in the early 90's vector fonts based on Bezier curves came into play. The large number of fonts, the immense set of "Unicode" (page 157) characters and the possibility of scaling, rotating, or layout the text in paragraphs was a great technical challenge in those years. Fortunately, all this casuistry is largely solved by the native APIs of each operating system, which allows us to provide a simplified interface to add text to our drawings..

- Use draw text to draw texts in 2D contexts.
- Use draw_text_color to set the color of the text.
- Use draw_font to set the font.
- Use draw_text_width to set the maximum width of a block of text.
- Use draw_text_trim to indicate how the text will be cut.
- Use draw_text_align to set the alignment of a text block.
- Use draw_text_halign to set the internal alignment of the text.

• Use draw text extents to get the size of a block of text.

To draw single-line texts, we just have to call the function, passing a UTF8 string (Listing 17.14) (Figure 17.26). Previously, we can assign the font, color and alignment.

Listing 17.14: Dibujo de una línea de texto.

```
Font *font = font_system(20, 0);
draw_font(ctx, font);
draw_text_color(ctx, kCOLOR_BLUE);
draw_text_align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekTOP);
draw_text(ctx, "Text □□Κείμενο ", 25, 25);
```

```
      Τεχτ χα Κείμενο
      Τεχτ χα Κείμενο
      Τεχτ χα Κείμενο

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      Τεχτ χα Κείμενο
      Τεχτ χα Κείμενο
```

Figure 17.26: Single-line texts, with alignment and transformations.

If the string to be displayed has new lines (character '\n') they will be taken into account and the text will be shown in several lines (Listing 17.15) (Figure 17.27). We can also obtain the measure in pixels of a block, useful to integrate the text with other primitives.

Listing 17.15: Dibujo de textos con saltos de línea.

```
const char_t *text = "Text new line\□□□□n\Γραμμήn κειμένου";
real32_t w, h;
draw_text(ctx, text, 25, 25);
draw_text_extents(ctx, text, -1, &w, &h);
```

If the text does not contain new lines, it will be drawn continuously expanding horizontally. This may not be the most appropriate in long paragraphs, so we can set a maximum width, forcing its drawing in several lines (Listing 17.16) (Figure 17.28).

Listing 17.16: Maximum width and internal alignment in text blocks.

```
const char_t *text = "Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet...consequat";
draw_text_width(ctx, 200);
draw_text_halign(ctx, ekLEFT);
draw_text(ctx, text, 25, 25);
```



Figure 17.27: Texts with a '\n' character.

```
draw text extents(ctx, text, 200, &w, &h);
```

```
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consectetur adipiscing elit,
                                  adipiscing elit, sed do eiusmod tempor
sed do eiusmod tempor
                                  incididunt ut labore et dolore magna aliqua
incididunt ut labore et dolore
                                 Ut enim ad minim veniam, quis nostrud
magna aliqua. Ut enim ad
                                 exercitation ullamco laboris nisi ut aliquip
minim veniam, quis nostrud
                                 ex ea commodo consequat.
 exercitation ullamco laboris
nisi ut aliquip ex ea
commodo consequat.
Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit,
sed do eiusmod tempor incididunt ut labore et dolore
magna aliqua. Ut enim ad minim veniam, quis nostrud
exercitation ullamco laboris nisi ut aliquip ex ea commodo
consequat.
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commodo consequat.
```

17.28: Figure Text width paragraphs with limit. The maximum and $_{
m width}$ obtained with draw text extents shown.

Finally, we can use draw text path to treat the text like any other geometric region, highlighting the border or filling with gradients. In this case draw text color will have no effect and the values of draw fill color, draw fill linear and draw line color will be used (Listing 17.17) (Figure 17.29).

Listing 17.17: Text with dotted stroke and gradient fill.

```
color t c[2];
real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
real32 t dash[2] = \{1, 1\};
c[0] = kCOLOR BLUE;
c[1] = kCOLOR RED;
draw line dash(ctx, dash, 2);
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR GREEN);
draw text extents (ctx, "Gradient dashed text", -1, &w, &h);
draw fill linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 25, 0, 25 + w, 0);
```

```
draw text path(ctx, ekFILLSK, "Gradient dashed text", 25, 250);
```

Fill and Stoke text

Gradient fill text

Dashed stroke text

Gradient dashed text

Thin stroke text

Figure 17.29: Combining fill and stroke.

draw_text is much faster than draw_text_path, so we must limit the use of the latter to what is strictly necessary.

17.3.8. Drawing images

Images generated procedurally or read from disk can be used as a drawing primitive more (Listing 17.18) (Figure 17.30). As with text or other figures, the transformation of the context will affect the geometry of the image.

- Use draw image to draw an image.
- Use draw image frame to draw a sequence of an animation.
- Use draw_image_align to set the alignment of the image with respect to the insertion point.

Listing 17.18: Translated and rotated image drawing.

```
const Image *image = image_from_resource(pack, IMAGE_JPG);
T2Df t2d;
t2d_movef(&t2d, kT2D_IDENTf, 300, 200);
t2d_rotatef(&t2d, &t2d, kBMATH_PIf / 8);
draw_image_align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekCENTER);
draw_matrixf(ctx, &t2d);
draw_image(ctx, image, 0, 0);
```

17.3.9. Default parameters

Each context maintains certain state parameters. At the beginning of the drawing, either by the method OnDraw or after creating the context with dctx bitmap the default

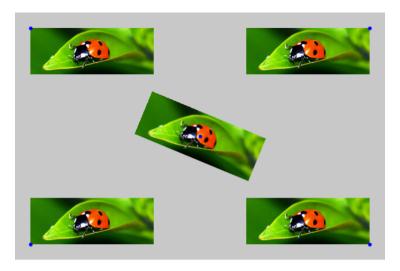


Figure 17.30: Drawing images with alignment.

values are those shown in (Table 17.1):

Parameter	Value	Change with
Matrix	Identity (0,0) Sup-Left corner, pixels.	draw_matrixf
Antialiasing	TRUE	draw_antialias
LineColor	kCOLOR_BLACK	draw_line_color
LineWidth	1	draw_line_width
Linecap	ekLCFLAT	draw_line_cap
Linejoin	ekLJMITER	draw_line_join
LineDash	Sólido	draw_line_dash
TextColor	kCOLOR_BLACK	draw_text_color
FillColor	kCOLOR_BLACK	draw_fill_color
FillMatrix	Identity (0,0) Sup-Left corner, pixels.	draw_fill_matrix
Font	System default, regular size.	draw_font
Text max width	-1	draw_text_width
Text vertical align	ekLEFT	draw_text_align
Text horizontal align	ekTOP	draw_text_align
Text internal align	ekLEFT	draw_text_halign

Parameter	Value	Change with	
Image vertical align	ekLEFT	draw_image_align	
Image horizontal align	ekTOP	draw_image_align	

Table 17.1: Default values in 2D contexts.

17.4. Geom2D Entities Drawing

In the previous section we have seen the basic primitives for drawing in 2D. However, Draw2D has specialized functions for "Geom2D" (page 237) objects. These new functions would be totally dispensable, since you could get the same result using draw_rect, draw_polygon, etc. They are included as a mere shortcut, in addition to offering a version of them based on " $Math\ templates$ " (page 53), very useful when developing generic algorithms in C++. The line and fill properties will be those that are in effect at any given time within the context, due to: draw_line_color, draw_line_width, draw_fill_color, etc..

- Use draw v2df to draw a point.
- Use draw seg2df to draw a segment.
- Use draw_cir2df to draw a circle.
- Use draw_box2df to draw an aligned box.
- Use draw_obb2df to draw an oriented box.
- Use draw tri2df to draw a triangle.
- Use draw pol2df to draw a polygon.

You can find a complete example of the use of 2D entities in $Col2DHello^3$ (Figure 17.31). In addition to drawing, this application shows other concepts related to graphics and geometric calculation such as:

- Create 2D objects on demand.
- Click+Drag interactivity.
- Collision detection.
- Calculation of areas.
- Triangulation of polygons and decomposition into convex components.
- Calculation of the optimal circle that surrounds a set of points.

³https://nappqui.com/en/howto/col2dhello.html

- Calculation of the oriented box (OBB2Df) that best represents a set of points.
- Calculation of the Convex Hull.

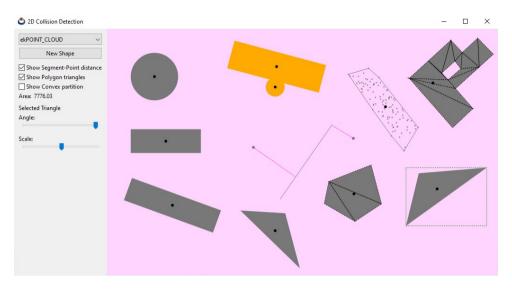


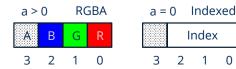
Figure 17.31: Col2dHello application, which illustrates how to work with 2D geometry.

17.5. **Colors**

The colors in Draw2D are encoded using a 32-bit integer with the four RGBA channels in Little-Endian: Red in byte 0, green in 1, blue in 2 and alpha (or transparency) in 3 (Figure 17.32). The alias color t is used as an equivalent to uint32 t. In the particular case that byte 3 is equal to 0 (fully transparent), the first three bytes will not contain RGB information, but an index with a special color.

- Use color rgba to create a color using its RGBA components.
- Use color get rgba to get the RGBA components.
- Use color html to translate an string into HTML format ("#RRGGBB").
- Use kcolor black and others to access predefined basic colors.

Figure 17.32: 32-bit RGBA value representation.



17.5.1. HSV space

RGB representation is based on the addition of the three primary light colors. It is the most widespread within the generation of computer images, especially when calculating shading and reflections. It is also used in TV, monitors or projectors where each pixel is obtained by combining the light of three emitters. However, it is very unintuitive for human color editing. For example, given a color in RGB, it is very difficult to increase the brightness or vary the tone (between red and orange, for example) by manipulating the triplet (r, g, b). The HSV space (Hue, Saturation, Value) also called HSB (Brightness) solves this problem, since the effect of altering this group of values will be highly predictable (Figure 17.33).

- Use color hsbf to create an RGB color from its components H, S, B.
- Use color to habf to get the H, S, B components.

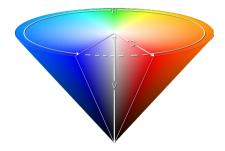


Figure 17.33: HSV space represented by an inverted cone. As V decreases, so will the number of colors available.

- **Hue:** Continuous cyclical value between 0 and 1. Where 0=Red, 1/3=Green, 2/3 =Blue, 1=Red (Table 17.2).
- Saturation: It is equivalent to adding white paint to the base tone. When S=1 no white is added (maximum saturation, pure color). But if S=0 we will have a pure white, regardless of the tone.
- **Brightness:** It is equivalent to adding black paint to the HS combination. If B=1 no black is added (maximum brightness). If B=0 we will have a pure black, regardless of the hue and saturation.

RGB		HSV
(0,0,0)	kCOLOR_BLACK	(?,?,0)
(1,1,1)	kCOLOR_WHITE	(?,0,1)
(1,0,0)	kCOLOR_RED	(0,1,1)
(1,1,0)	kCOLOR_YELLOW	(1/6,1,1)
(0,1,0)	kCOLOR_GREEN	(1/3,1,1)

RGB		HSV
(0,1,1)	kCOLOR_CYAN	(1/2,1,1)
(0,0,1)	kCOLOR_BLUE	(2/3,1,1)
(1,0,1)	kCOLOR_MAGENTA	(5/6,1,1)

Table 17.2: Equivalence RGB/HSV.

Unlike RGB, HSVs are not totally independent. As we reduce the brightness, the number of colors of the same tone will decrease until we reach B=0 where we will have pure black regardless of H and S. On the other hand, if S=0 H will be overridden and we will have the different shades of gray as B changes from 0 (black) to 1 (white).

17.6. **Palettes**

A palette is nothing more than an indexed list of colors (Figure 17.34), usually related to "Pixel Buffer" (page 282). Its main utility is to save space in the images representation, since each pixel is encoded by an index of 1, 2, 4 or 8 bits instead of the real color where 24 or 32 bits are necessary. For this reason, it is usual to have palettes of 2, 4, 16 or 256 colors.

- Use palette create to create a palette.
- Use palette colors to access the elements.

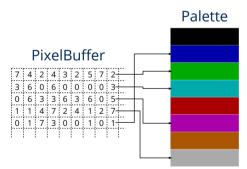


Figure 17.34: Palette associated with an indexed pixel buffer.

17.6.1. **Predefined palette**

We have several predefined palettes both in color (Figure 17.35) and in grays (Figure 17.36). The RGB8 palette has been created by combining 8 tones of red (3bits), 8 tones of green (3bits) and 4 tones of blue (2bits). This is so because the human eye distinguishes much less the variation of blue than the other two colors.

• Use palette ega4 to create a predefined palette of 16 colors.

- Use palette rgb8 to create a 256 color palette.
- Use palette gray4 and similars to create a palette in grays.
- Use palette binary for a two-color palette.

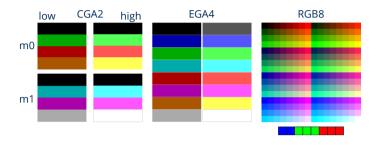


Figure 17.35: Predefined color palettes.

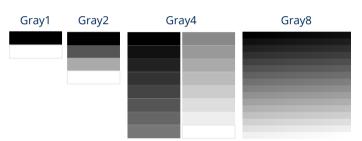


Figure 17.36: Predefined gray palettes.

17.7. Pixel Buffer

A pixel buffer (Pixbuf) is a memory area that represents a grid of color dots or pixels. They allow direct access to information but are not optimized for drawing on the screen, so we must create an Image object to view them. They are very efficient for procedural generation or the application of filters, since reading or writing a value does not require more than accessing its position within the buffer.

- Use pixbuf_create to create a new pixel buffer.
- Use image_pixels to get the pixels of an image.
- Use pixbuf_width to get the width of the grid.
- Use pixbuf height to get the height of the grid.

All operations on pixel buffers are performed on the CPU. They are efficient to the extent that we directly access memory, but they cannot be compared with alternatives that use the GPU for digital image processing.

17.7.1. **Pixel formats**

The format refers to how the value of each pixel is encoded within the buffer (Table 17.3) (Figure 17.37).

- Use pixbuf format to get the pixel format.
- Use pixbuf format bpp to get the number of bits wanted for each pixel.

Value	Description
ekRGB24	$True\ color\ +16$ million simultaneous, 24 bits per pixel.
ekRGBA32	True color with alpha channel (transparencies), 32 bits per pixel.
ekGRAY8	256 shades of gray, 8 bits per pixel.
ekINDEX1	Indexed, 1 bit per pixel.
ekINDEX2	Indexed, 2 bits per pixel.
ekINDEX4	Indexed, 4 bits per pixel.
ekINDEX8	Indexed, 8 bits per pixel.

Table 17.3: Pixel formats.

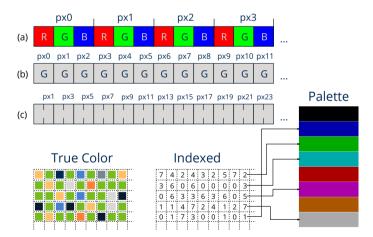


Figure 17.37: (a) True color, (b) shades of gray, (c) indexed.

Procedural images 17.7.2.

One way to "fill" buffers is through algorithms that calculate the value of each pixel. A clear example is found in the representation of fractal sets (Figure 17.38), an area of mathematics dedicated to the study of certain dynamic systems. In "Fractals" (page 419) you have the complete application.

Use pixbuf data to get a pointer to the contents of the buffer.

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 - Use pixbuf set to write the value of a pixel.
 - Use pixbuf get to read the value of a pixel.

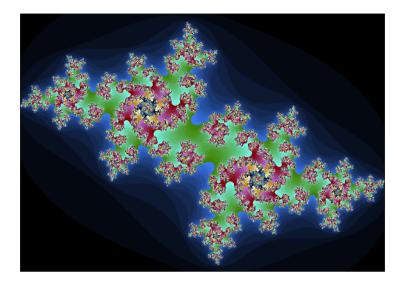


Figure 17.38: Julia set. Pixel-pixel generated image using fractal algorithms.

While pixbuf_set and pixbuf_get allow safe pixel manipulation, it may sometimes be necessary to get a little extra in terms of performance. In (Listing 17.19) we have some macros for direct access to the memory area returned by pixbuf_data. Use them with great care and knowing what you are doing, since they do not have error control methods, so segmentation failures are likely if they are not used correctly.

Listing 17.19: Quick macros for manipulating a buffer type ekINDEX1 (1 bit per pixel).

```
#define pixbuf_get1(data, x, y, w)\
    (uint32_t)((data[((y)*(w)+(x))/8] >> (byte_t)(((y)*(w)+(x))%8)) & 1)

#define pixbuf_set1(data, x, y, w, v)\
{\
    register byte_t *__ob = data + (((y)*(w))+(x))/8;\
    register byte_t __op = (byte_t)((((y)*(w))+(x))%8);\
    *__ob &= ~(1 << __op);\
    *__ob |= ((v) << __op);\
}</pre>
```

17.7.3. Copy and conversion

During the digital processing of an image, we may have to chain several operations, so it will be useful to be able to make copies of the buffers or format conversions.

- Use pixbuf copy to make a copy.
- Use pixbuf_convert to convert to another format (Table 17.4).

Source	Destiny	Observations
RGB24	RGB32	Alpha channel is added with the value 255
RGB32	RGB24	Alpha channel is removed with possible loss of information.
RGB(A)	Gray	RGB channels are weighted at a ratio of $77/255$, $148/255$, $30/255$. Alpha channel is lost.
Gray	RGB(A)	RGB channels (gray, gray, gray) are duplicated. Alpha channel to 255.
RGB(A)	Indexed	The smallest distance between each pixel and the palette is calculated. Possible loss of information.
Indexed	RGB(A)	The palette will be used to obtain each RGBA value.
Indexed	Indexed	If the destination has a lower number of bits, $out = in \% bpp$ will be applied with possible loss of information.
Gray	Indexed	The Gray8 format will be considered indexed for all purposes.
Indexed	Gray	The Gray8 format will be considered indexed for all purposes.

Table 17.4: Conversion between formats.

17.8. Images

There is a close relationship between pixel buffers and images. Although the firsts contain "raw" color information, the latter are objects directly linked to the graphical API of each system, which allows them to be drawn in 2d contexts or viewed in a window (Figure 17.39).

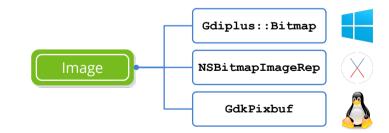


Figure 17.39: Image objects have a direct link to graphics APIs, while Pixbuf do not.

The structure of a digital image, also called *bitmap* or *raster graphics*, is the same as that of a buffer pixel. We have a discrete grid of color dots characterized by its resolution (width, height) and depth, which is the amount of bits needed to encode each pixel (Figure 17.40). *bitmap* images work best for taking snapshots of the real world, where it is practically impossible to describe the scene using geometric primitives, as we saw in "Drawing primitives" (page 267). On the other hand, as it is composed of discrete points,

it does not behave well in the face of changes in size where it will suffer a loss of quality.



Figure 17.40: On the left an image of 64x64 pixels and 16 colors. Right 256x256 pixels and 16 million colors.

17.8.1. Load and view images

In most cases, the only thing we will need to know about images will be how to read them from disk or other data source and then display them on the screen as part of the user interface (Listing 17.20) (Figure 17.41). We consider that the images are stored in one of the standard formats: JPG, PNG, BMP or GIF.

Listing 17.20: Loading and viewing images.

```
Image *img = image from file("lenna.jpg", NULL);
Image *icon = image from resource(pack, ekCANCEL);
imageview image(view, img);
button image (button, icon);
```

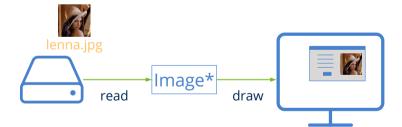


Figure 17.41: Integration of images in the user interface.

- Use image from file to load an image from disk.
- Use image from data to create an image from a memory buffer.
- Use image from resource to get a picture of a resource package.
- Use image read to create an image from "Streams" (page 195).
- In the demo UrlImq⁴ you have an example of how to download them from a Web

⁴https://nappgui.com/en/howto/urlimg.html

server.

Once the image object is loaded in memory, we have several ways to view it:

- Use draw image to draw an image in a 2d context.
- Use imageview image to assign an image to a view.
- Use button image to assign an image to a button.
- Use popup add elem to assign a text and icon to a drop-down list.

17.8.2. Generate images

As we saw in "2D Contexts" (page 259), if necessary we can create our own images from drawing commands to later display them in the interface (Figure 17.42) or save them to disk.

• Use dctx image to create an image from a 2d context.

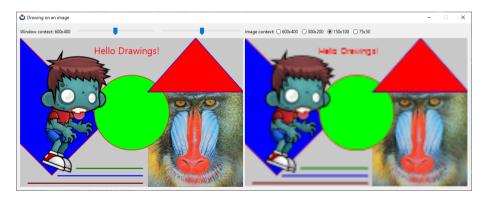


Figure 17.42: Image generated by drawing commands.

17.8.3. Pixel access

Images are **immutable objects** optimized for recurring on-screen drawing, so certain licenses are allowed, both in the internal organization of color information and in the management of possible copies. For this reason it is not possible to directly manipulate the pixels, but we must access them using a "Pixel Buffer" (page 282).

- Use image_from_pixels to create an image from the color information.
- Use image_from_pixbuf to create an image from a pixel buffer.
- Use image_pixels to get a buffer with the pixels of the image.
- Use image width to get the width.

- Use image height to get the height.
- Use image format to get the pixel format.

Apple technical documentation: "Treat NSImage and its image representations as immutable objects. The goal of NSImage is to provide an efficient way to display images on the target canvas. Avoid manipulating the data of an image representation directly, especially if there are alternatives to manipulating the data, such as compositing the image and some other content into a new image object."

The **pixel buffers** allow us to optimally manipulate the content of the image. To view the result or store it in any of the supported formats, we must create a new image (Figure 17.43).

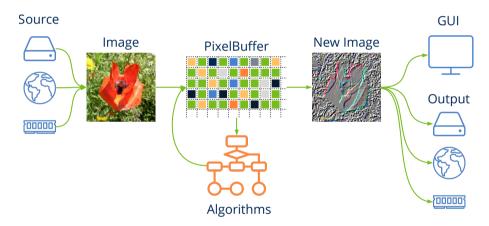


Figure 17.43: Image editing process.

Save images: Codecs 17.8.4.

One of the biggest problems of digital images is the large amount of memory they need. An image of only 1024x768 pixels and 32 bits of color needs 3 megabytes of memory. It may not seem like much, but at the end of the 80s this was a great handicap since memory was very expensive and transmissions were very slow. This is why several coding (compression) systems were devised that reduced the amount of memory needed and that were consolidated with the rise of the Internet (Figure 17.44).

- Use image get codec to get the *codec* associated with the image.
- Use image codec to change the *codec* associated with the image.
- Use image to file to save it to disk.
- Use image write to write it in a Stream.

Figure 17.44: Image formats supported by NAppGUI.



Draw2D does not natively support other formats than those mentioned. If necessary, you will have to find a way to create a Pixbuf from the specific data of your format, in order to integrate these images into the user interface.

- **JPEG:** Joint Photographic Experts Group is a format with a very good compression rate based on the Fourier Transform. Ideal for capturing real-world snapshots, although it will detract some quality from the original capture (lossy compression).
- **PNG:** Portable Network Graphics emerged in response to legal problems with the GIF format. Supports lossless LZ77/Deflate compression and indexed pixel formats. Ideal for computer generated diagrams, graphics or images.
- GIF: Graphics Interchange Format uses the proprietary compression algorithm LZW, although the patent expired in 2003. It has survived PNG because it can include animations in a single file, something that neither of the two previous formats supports.
- **BMP:** BitMaP. Windows native format widely surpassed by the other three. Although it supports a special type of compression called Run-Length encoding, the truth is that most files are saved uncompressed. BMP files take up much more space, for this reason very little is used on the Internet and almost nothing on non-Windows machines. It is supported by almost all programs and systems because it is very simple an fast to interpret.

To be able to display on the screen, the image must be decompressed (de-encoded), a process that is performed automatically when reading the image. When saving it to disk or sending it over the network, the opposite process is performed, compressed or encoded using the algorithm associated with it (Table 17.5), but it can be changed.

Constructor	Codec
<pre>image_from_file</pre>	The original codec.
image_from_data	The original codec.
image_from_resource	The original codec.
image_from_pixels	Transparencies? Yes:ekpng No:ekjpg.
dctx_image	ekPNG.

Constructor Codec

Table 17.5: Default image codecs.

Generally, GDI+, NSImage or GdkPixbuf support for codec settings is quite limited. For example, it is not possible to generate indexed PNG files, which is very useful when reducing the size of images for the web. If the application requires more control over the export, we will have no choice but to use libping, libjpeg or any other third-party solution.

17.9. **Typography fonts**

Typography fonts are graphic objects (files) that contain the characters and symbols we see on a monitor. We remember that a "Unicode" (page 157) string only stores the character codes (codepoints) without any information on how they should be drawn. The graph associated with a character is known as glyph and, in a font file, there are as many glyphs as *codepoints* can represent the typography. The matching between *codepoints* and their corresponding glyphs is carried out by the operating system graphic sub-system (Listing 17.21) (Figure 17.45).

Listing 17.21: Drawing a text string.

```
Font *font = font create("Comic Sans MS" 28, 0);
draw font(ctx, font);
draw text(ctx, "Hello World", 200, 250);
font destroy(&font);
```

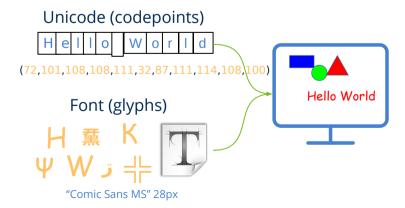


Figure 17.45: Text representation: codepoints + glyphs.

17.9.1. Create fonts

When displaying texts on graphic interfaces it is necessary to establish a typography, otherwise the system would not know how to render it. There will always be some fount defined by default, but we can change it when customizing the appearance of our texts.

- Use font create to create a new font.
- Use font family to get the typeface.
- Use draw_font to set the font in 2d contexts.
- Use label font to change the font associated with a Label control.

The most representative feature of a typeface design is the family to which it belongs (font family) (Figure 17.46). Each computer has a series of families installed that do not have to coincide with those incorporated in another machine. This is an important fact to keep in mind since, for portability, we should not assume that a certain typeface family will be present on all machines that run the program. Sentences like:

```
Font *font = font_create("Comic Sans MS", 28, 0);
```

they will not be completely portable, since we are not sure that the *Comic Sans MS* typeface is installed in all computers. We have two alternatives to guarantee the existence of a certain font:

Hello World! Hello World! Hello World! Hello World!

Figure 17.46: Different typographic families.

- Use font_system to get the default font of the operating system. It will always be available but its appearance will be different according to operating system.
- Use font regular size to get the default size for buttons and other controls.
- Use font_installed_families to obtain the list of families installed in the machine and choose the one that best suits our purposes.

17.9.2. System font

As we just mentioned, there is always a default font associated with the window environment and that, in a way, gives part of its personality. Using this font guarantees us the correct integration of our program in all the systems where it runs, making our code totally portable (Figure 17.47). Interface controls like Button or Label have the system font of regular size associated by default. The correspondence of *font_system* in the different systems is:

• Segoe UI: Windows Vista, 7, 8, 10.

• Tahoma: Windows XP.

• San Francisco: macOS Mojave, High Sierra, Sierra, Mac OSX El Capitan.

• Helvetica Neue: Mac OSX Yosemite.

Lucida Grande: Mac OSX Mavericks, Mountain Lion, Lion, Snow Leopard.

• Ubuntu: Linux Ubuntu.

• Piboto: Linux Raspbian.

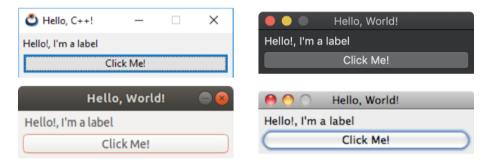
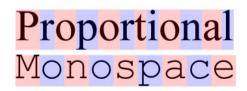


Figure 17.47: Use of the system font.

In addition to the system font we have another default **monospace** font available (Figure 17.48). These typefaces mimic old typewriters, where all characters occupy the same space. Usually used for technical documents or source code files.

• Use font monospace to create a generic monospace typography.

Figure 17.48: Proportional font (variable width) and monospace (fixed width).



17.9.3. Font characteristics

In addition to the family, we can adjust the size and style of the font. The size refers to the average height (in pixels) of the characters that make up the typeface, where margins and displacements in relation to the *baseline* are not taken into account (Figure 17.49). The **total height of a line of text** is known as *cell height* and, as a general rule, it will be somewhat larger than the *char height* font size.



Figure 17.49: Character height ($char\ height = font\ size$).

We can also change the style of the text, setting its attributes through the parameter style combining the values of fstyle t (Figure 17.50).

- ekfbold. Bold.
- ekFITALIC. Italic.
- ekfunderline. Underlined.
- ekfstrikeout. Strikethrough.

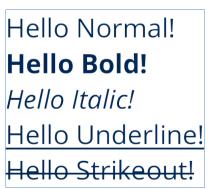


Figure 17.50: Text style.

17.9.4. Size in points

By default, the font size is expressed in pixels, but can be changed by adding ekfPOINTS to the style parameter. This unit is related to paper fonts. Here is the DPI (dots per inch) concept that indicates the amount of isolated ink drops that a printing device can

emit per metric inch. In typography the criterion of 72 DPI's is established, therefore, the size of a point is approximately 0.35mm. In this way it is easy to calculate the font size from the points: 12pt=4.2mm, 36pt=12.7mm or 72pt=25.4mm (1 inch). This is the unit used in word processors, which already work based on a print page size. The problem comes when we want to represent sources expressed in points on a screen, since there is no exact correspondence between pixels and millimeters. The final pixel size depends on the resolution and physical size of the monitor. A conversion agreement between pixels and inches is required, which results in the term PPI (pixels per inch). Traditionally, in Windows systems 96 PPI is established while in Apple iMac it is 72 PPI. This causes the fonts expressed in points to be 33% larger in Windows (Figure 17.51). Also in the Microsoft system it is possible to configure the PPI by the user, which adds more uncertainty about the final size of the texts on the screen.

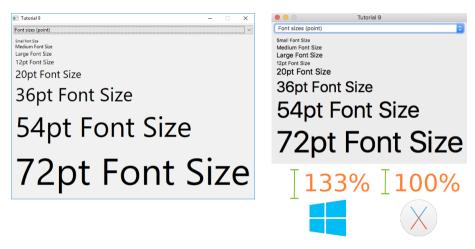


Figure 17.51: Unit ekfPOINTS is not advisable for screens.

17.9.5. Bitmap and Outline fonts

In the first computers typographies were created as raster graphics *Bitmap Fonts* (Figure 17.52). Each character fitted a fixed-sized cell where those pixels that made it were marked. The biggest problem is that they don't scale well. As the text on the screen grows larger, the jagged effect of the pixels becomes apparent.

In 1982 Adobe launched the PostScript format that included those known as *Outline Fonts* (Figure 17.53). This format contains a geometric description of each symbol based on Bezier lines and curves. In this way the pixelated effect of the bitmap is avoided, since when the character is scaled, the pixels that compose it are re-computed in a process known as **rasterization**. In the late 80's Apple launches the *TrueType* format and sells a license to Microsoft that incorporates it in Windows 3.1, opening the door of the mass market to vector sources. Today all systems work with scalable fonts, having the clearest representatives in *TrueType* and *OpenType*.

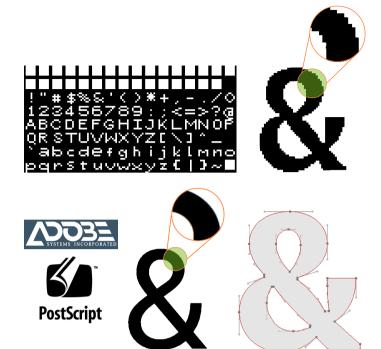


Figure 17.52: Bitmap fonts.

Figure 17.53: Outline fonts, on which *TrueType* and *OpenType* formats are based.

17.9.6. Unicode and glyphs

Unicode is a very large table. In version 11 (June 2018) there are 137,374 codepoints registered and this number grows with each new revision of the standard. If the application needs special symbols (above the BMP-Basic Multilingual Plane) we must make sure that the selected fonts contain glyphs for them. To see the relationship between codepoints and glyphs we can use the BabelMap application (Figure 17.54), and within it the Font Analysis option. From a Unicode block, it will show those installed sources that include glyphs for that range. In macOS we have a similar application called Character Viewer and in Ubuntu another one called Character Map.

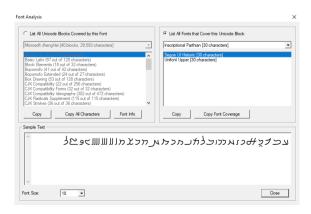


Figure 17.54: BabelMap Font Analysis gives us information about the glyphs included in each typeface.

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18.1. Gui

The *Gui* library allows you to create graphical user interfaces in a simple and intuitive way. Only available for desktop applications for obvious reasons (Figure 18.1), unlike the rest of libraries that can also be used in command line applications.

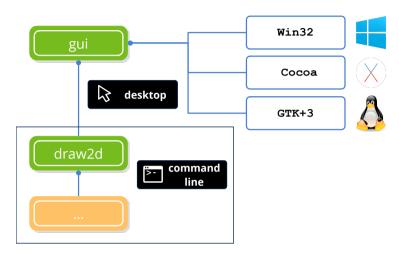


Figure 18.1: Dependencies of Gui. See "NAppGUI API" (page 147).

Like "Draw2D" (page 258) and "Osbs" (page 168) Gui relies on the APIs of each operating system. In addition to the advantages already mentioned in these two cases, native access to interface elements will cause our programs to be fully integrated in the desktop and according to the visual theme present in each machine (Figure 18.2).

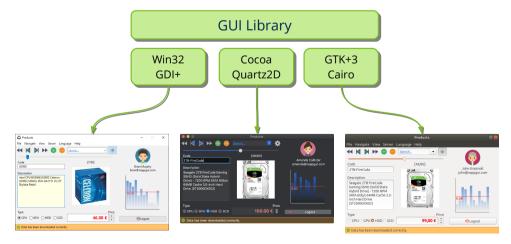


Figure 18.2: The interfaces created with *Gui* will adapt to the style of each window environment.

18.1.1. Declarative composition

The *Gui* library moves away from the concept of treating windows (or dialog boxes) as an external resource of the program. On the contrary, these are created directly from the source code avoiding layout by visual editors (Figure 18.3). We must bear in mind that window managers use different fonts and templates, so specifying specific positions and sizes for the elements will not be portable between platforms (Figure 18.4). On the contrary, in *Gui* the controls are located in a virtual grid called Layout, which will calculate its location and final size at runtime and depending on the platform (Figure 18.5).

Figure 18.3: Resource editors are not good allies to create complex dynamic interfaces. Even less if we want to carry them between platforms.

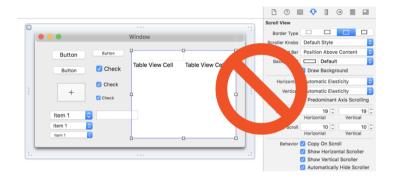


Figure 18.4: Using fixed dimensions for controls will not adapt well when migrating the program.

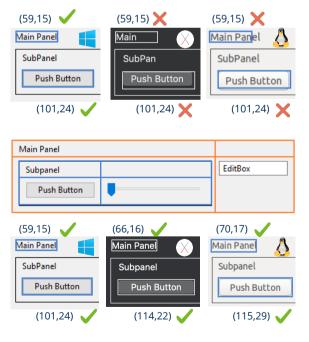


Figure 18.5: The Layout calculates the position and size of the components at runtime.

In addition, another relevant fact is that interfaces are living objects subject to constant changes. A clear example is the translations, which alter the location of the elements due to the new dimension of the text (Figure 18.6). *Gui* will adapt to these events automatically, recalculating positions to maintain a consistent layout.

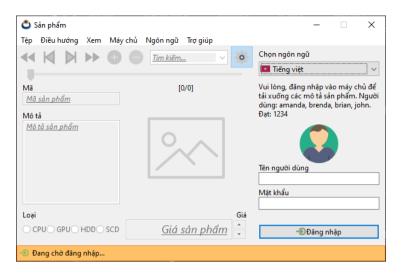


Figure 18.6: The windows automatically adapt to runtime changes.

18.1.2. Anatomy of a window.

In (Figure 18.7) we have the main parts of a window. **Controls** are the final elements with which the user interacts to enter data or launch actions. The **views** are rectangular regions of relatively large size where information is represented by text and graphics, being able to respond to keyboard or mouse events. Finally, all these elements will be grouped into **panels** and will be layout by **layouts**.

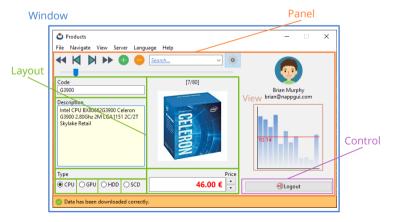


Figure 18.7: Notable parts in an interface window.

- "GuiControl" (page 305). Different types of controls and views.
- "Layout" (page 335). Virtual and invisible grid where the controls will be located.
- "Window" (page 350). Main window with title bar and frame.

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 - "Menu" (page 367). Drop-down list with options.
 - "MenuItem" (page 367). Each of the menu items.

18.1.3. **GUI Events**

Desktop applications are event driven, which means that they are continually waiting for the user to perform some action on the interface: Press a button, drag a *slider*, write a text, etc. When this occurs, the window manager detects the event and notifies the application (Figure 18.8), which must provide an **event handler** with the code to execute. For example in (Listing 18.1) we define a handler to respond to the press of a button. Obviously, if there is no associated handler, the application will ignore the event.

- Use event_params to obtain the parameters associated with the event. Each type of event has its own parameters. See (Table 18.1).
- Use event_result to write the response to the event. Very few events require sending a response.

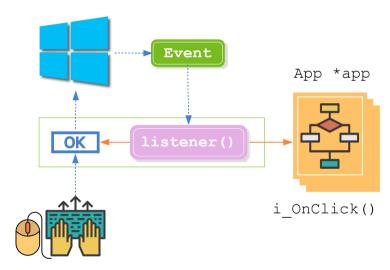


Figure 18.8: Notification of an event through the handler.

Listing 18.1: Assign a handler for the push of a button.

```
static void i_OnClick(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvButton *p = event_params(e, EvButton);
    if (p->state == ekGUI_ON)
        create_new_file(app);
}
Button *button = button_check();
button_OnClick(button, listener(app, i_OnClick, App));
```

Event	Handler	Parameters	Response
Click in label	label_OnClick	EvText	-
Click on button	button_OnClick	EvButton	-
Selection in PopUp	popup_OnSelect	EvButton	-
Selection in ListBox	listbox_OnSelect	EvButton	-
Press key on Edit	edit_OnFilter	EvText	EvTextFilter
End of edit in Edit	edit_OnChange	EvText	bool_t
Edit has received or lost keyboard focus	edit_OnFocus	bool_t	-
Key press on Combo	combo_OnFilter	EvText	EvTextFilter
End of editing in Combo	combo_OnChange	EvText	bool_t
Slider movement	slider_OnMoved	EvSlider	-
Click on UpDown	updown_OnClick	EvButton	-
Draw the contents of a view	view_OnDraw	EvDraw	-
The size of a view has changed	view_OnSize	EvSize	-
The mouse enters the area of a view	view_OnEnter	EvMouse	-
The mouse leaves the area of a view	view_OnExit	-	-
The mouse moves over a view	view_OnMove	EvMouse	-
A mouse button was pressed	view_OnDown	EvMouse	-
A mouse button has been released	view_OnUp	EvMouse	-
Click on a view	view_OnClick	EvMouse	-
Dragging on a view	view_OnDrag	EvMouse	-
Mouse wheel on a view	view_OnWheel	EvWheel	-
Press key on a view	view_OnKeyDown	EvKey	-
Release key on a view	view_OnKeyUp	EvKey	-
View has received or lost keyboard focus	view_OnFocus	bool_t	-
View resing keyboard focus	view_OnResignFocus	GuiControl	bool_t
View accepts keyboard focus	view_OnAcceptFocus	-	bool_t

Event	Handler	Parameters	Response
The scroll bars are being manipulated.	view_OnScroll	EvScroll	real32_t
Keystroke in TextView	textview_OnFilter	EvText	EvTextFilter
TextView has received or lost keyboard focus	textview_OnFocus	bool_t	-
Close a window	window_OnClose	EvWinClose	bool_t
Window moving around the desk	window_OnMoved	EvPos	-
Window is re-dimensioning	window_OnResize	EvSize	-
Click on an item menu	menuitem_OnClick	EvMenu	-
Color change	comwin_color	color_t	-

Table 18.1: List of all interface events.

18.2. GuiControl

GuiControl is the virtual base class where common functionality is defined for all the controls and views that we use to create the user interfaces (Figure 18.9).

- Use guicontrol button and others to do dynamic casting between types.
- Use guicontrol to convert derived types.
- Use guicontrol_enabled to enable or disable a control.
- Use guicontrol visible to show or hide a control.
- "Label" (page 306). Small blocks of descriptive text.
- "Button" (page 307). Push buttons, check boxes or radio.
- "PopUp" (page 310). Button with drop-down list.
- "Edit" (page 310). Text edit box.
- "Combo" (page 313). Edit box with drop-down list.
- "ListBox" (page 314). List box.
- "UpDown" (page 314). Increment and decrement buttons.
- "Slider" (page 316). Sliding bar.
- "Progress" (page 316). Progress bar.

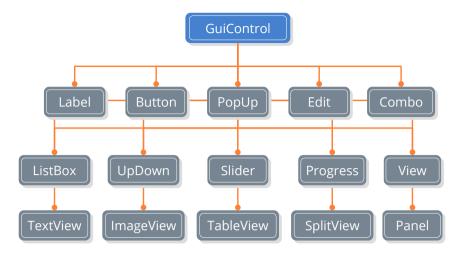


Figure 18.9: Controls and views.

- "View" (page 317). Generic view where you can freely draw.
- "TextView" (page 322). View to show and edit texts in multiple formats.
- "ImageView" (page 324). View to display images.
- "Table View" (page 324). Table view to display information in rows and columns.
- "SplitView" (page 332). View divided into two resizable parts.
- "Panel" (page 344). Sub-window within the main one with its own controls.

18.3. Label

Label controls are used to insert small blocks of text into windows and forms. They are of uniform format, that is, the font and color attributes will be applied to the entire text. In most cases the content will be limited to a single line, although it is possible to show blocks that extend in several lines. The control size will be adjusted to the text it contains (Figure 18.10). In "Hello Label!" (page 497) you have an example of use.

- Use label create to create a text control.
- Use label multiline to create a multi-line control.
- Use label_align to set the internal alignment of the text.
- Use label_font to set the font.

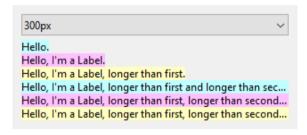
In the case that the column of Layout has a width smaller than the text, some dots (ellipse) will be displayed at the clipping point (Figure 18.11), except in multi-line labels,

```
Natural
Hello.
Hello, I'm a Label.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first and longer than second.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first, longer than second and longer than third.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first, longer than second, longer than third and longer than fourth.
```

Figure 18.10: Label controls.

which will expand vertically to accommodate all text (Figure 18.12).

Figure 18.11: Text adjustment by reducing the width of the control.



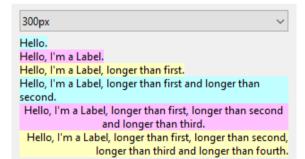


Figure 18.12: Multi-line labels will expand vertically to accommodate all text.

In (Figure 18.13) we have an example of the use of *Label* in forms. If necessary, we can make the texts sensitive to the mouse by varying their style and colors (Figure 18.14).

- Use label style over to change the font style.
- Use label color over to change text color.
- Use label bgcolor over to change background color.
- Use label OnClick to respond to a click on the text.

18.4. **Button**

The buttons are another classic element in graphic interfaces, where we distinguish four types: the push button, checkbox, radiobutton and flat button typical of toolbars

User Name:	Amanda Callister	
Password:		
Address:	35, Tuam Road	
City:	Galway - Ireland	
Phone:	+35 654 333 000	
Age:	25 Height (cm): 175 💂	
Please fill in all the information on the form. We will use this data to send commercial mail at all hours, not caring much if it bothers you or not.		

Figure 18.13: Using simple and multiline *Label* in forms.

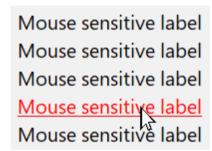


Figure 18.14: Label controls sensitive to the mouse.

(Figure 18.15) . In "Hello Button!" (page 502) you have an example of use.

- Use button pushto create a push button.
- Use button_checkto create a check box.
- Use button_check3 to create a box with three states.
- Use button_radio to create a radio button.
- Use button flatto create a flat button.
- Use button_flatgleto create a flat button with status.
- Use button_text to assign text.
- Use button_OnClick to respond to keystrokes.

In addition to capturing the event and notifying the application, the *checkbox* and *flatgle* maintain a state (pressed/check or released/uncheck).

- Use button stateto set the button status.
- Use button_get_state to get the status of the button.

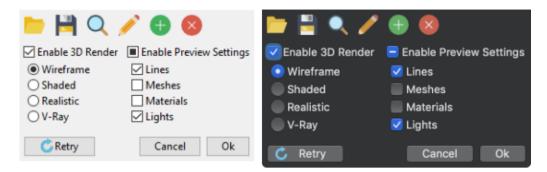


Figure 18.15: Buttons on different platforms.

18.4.1. RadioGroup

Special mention is required of the radio buttons, which only make sense when they appear in a group, since they are used to select a single option within a set. Groups are formed at the Layout level, that is, all *radiobuttons* of the same layout will be considered from the same group, where only one of them can be selected. If we need several subgroups, we must create several sub-layout, as shown (Figure 18.16) (Listing 18.2). When capturing the event, the field indexfrom EvButton will indicate the index of the button that has been pressed.



Figure 18.16: Radio groups linked to different layouts.

Listing 18.2: Radio button groups.

```
Button *button1 = button_radio();
Button *button2 = button_radio();
Button *button3 = button_radio();
Button *button4 = button_radio();
Button *button5 = button_radio();
Button *button6 = button_radio();
Button *button7 = button_radio();
Button *button8 = button_radio();
button_text(button1, "One");
button_text(button2, "Two");
button_text(button3, "Three");
button_text(button4, "Four");
```

```
button text(button5, "Five");
button text(button6, "Six");
button text(button7, "Seven");
button text(button8, "Eight");
// One group - One layout
Layout *layout = layout create(2, 4);
layout button(layout, button1, 0, 0);
layout button(layout, button2, 0, 1);
layout button(layout, button3, 0, 2);
layout button(layout, button4, 0, 3);
layout button(layout, button5, 1, 0);
layout button(layout, button6, 1, 1);
layout button(layout, button7, 1, 2);
layout button(layout, button8, 1, 3);
// Two groups - Two sub-layouts
Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 1);
Layout *layout2 = layout create(1, 4);
Layout *layout3 = layout create(1, 4);
layout button(layout2, button1, 0, 0);
layout button(layout2, button2, 0, 1);
layout button(layout2, button3, 0, 2);
layout button(layout2, button4, 0, 3);
layout button(layout3, button5, 0, 0);
layout button(layout3, button6, 0, 1);
layout button (layout3, button7, 0, 2);
layout button (layout3, button8, 0, 3);
layout layout(layout, layout1, 0, 0);
layout layout(layout, layout2, 1, 0);
```

18.5. **PopUp**

PopUps are buttons that have a drop-down menu associated with them (Figure 18.17). Apparently they look like *pushbuttons* that when pressed show a list of options. In "Hello PopUp and Combo!" (page 505) you have an example of use.

- Use popup_create to create a popup.
- Use popup_add_elem to add an item to the list.
- Use popup_OnSelect to respond to the selection.

18.6. Edit

EditBox are small text boxes with editing capabilities. Like the Label they are of uniform format: The typeface and colors will affect the entire text (Figure 18.18). They



Figure 18.17: PopUps on Windows, macOS and Linux.

are usually used to edit fields in forms, normally restricted to a single line, although they can also be extended to several of them. To edit texts with multiple attributes use TextView. In Hello Edit and UpDown! you have an example of use.

- Use edit createto create an edit box.
- Use edit multiline to create a multi-line editing box.
- Use edit passmode to hide the text of the control.
- Use edit phtext to set a placeholder.
- Use edit autoselect to automatically select all text.



Figure 18.18: Edition boxes on different platforms.

18.6.1. Filter texts

- Use edit OnChange to validate the final text.
- Use edit_OnFilter to detect and correct each user keystroke.

Depending on the value we are editing, it may be necessary to validate the entered text. We can do this when finishing editing or while we are writing. For the first case we will use

¹HelloEditandUpDown!

the edit_OnChange (Listing 18.6.1) event that will call the handler just before the control loses keyboard focus (Figure 18.19). If the text is invalid, the handler must return FALSE, thus preventing the focus from changing to the next control, remaining in the editbox and forcing the user to correct it.

```
static void i_OnChange(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvText *p = event_params(e, EvText);
    if (is_valid_text(data, p->text) == FALSE)
    {
        // Force the focus remain in editbox
        bool_t *r = event_result(e, bool_t);
        *r = FALSE;
    }
}
...
edit_OnChange(edit, listener(NULL, i_OnChange, void));
```

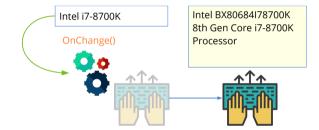


Figure 18.19: The *OnChange* event is called just before the control loses focus.

It will not be possible to move keyboard focus to another control while the text is invalid.

In case we want to implement more elaborate filters that correct the text while it is being written, we will use the edit_OnFilter event. We will receive, through the EvText structure, a copy of the current text, the position of the cursor (caret) and the number of characters added or deleted. From here, the filter will be able to validate the text, setting the apply field of EvTextFilter to FALSE. If the new characters are not appropriate, we will return the new text and cursor position in the text and cpos fields of EvTextFilter, putting apply to TRUE. For example, in (Listing 18.3) we have a simple filter that only allows numeric characters (Figure 18.20).

Listing 18.3: Filter that only allows numeric characters.

```
static void OnFilter(void *noused, Event *e)
{
    const EvText *params = event_params(e, EvText);
    EvTextFilter *result = event_result(e, EvTextFilter);
    uint32_t i = 0, j = 0;
    while (params->text[i] != '\0')
    {
        if (params->text[i] >= '0' && params->text[i] <= '9')</pre>
```

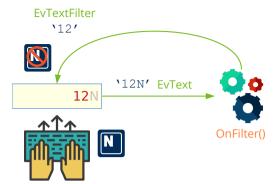


Figure 18.20: The OnFilter event is called after each key press.

```
result->text[i] = params->text[i];
            i += 1;
        }
        i += 1;
    }
    result->text[j] = '\0';
    result->apply = TRUE;
edit OnFilter(edit, listener(NULL, i OnFilter, void));
```

Clipboard operations 18.6.2.

Being native components, the Edit controls support typical clipboard operations: Copy, Paste, Cut, etc, as well as their keyboard shortcuts. However, it can be useful to access these operations from the program code, allowing, for example, the text selected in the control to be copied to the clipboard.

- Use edit copy to copy the selected text to the clipboard.
- Use edit cut to cut the selected text, copying it to the clipboard.
- Use edit paste to paste the clipboard text at the caret position.

18.7. Combo

ComboBox are text editing boxes with drop-down list (Figure 18.21). Therefore, they will work in the same way as Edit controls on which methods for the management of the list are added. In "Hello PopUp and Combo!" (page 505) you have an example of use.

Use combo create to create a combo.

- Use combo text to set edit text.
- Use combo color to set the text color.
- Use combo bgcolor to set the background color.
- Use combo add elem to add an item to the list.

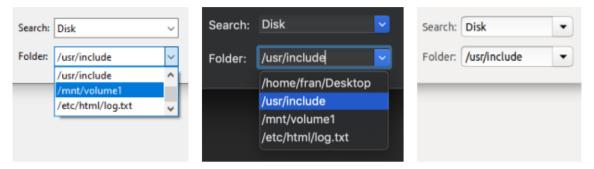


Figure 18.21: Combos on Windows, macOS and Linux.

18.8. ListBox

The **ListBox** are controls that display a series of elements as a list (Figure 18.22), (Figure 18.23), (Figure 18.24). Depending on how it is configured, we can select one or more elements or view *checkboxes* to check them. The control enables scroll bars when necessary and allows keyboard navigation. In "*Hello ListBox!*" (page 511) you have an example of use.

- Use listbox create to create a list control.
- Use listbox_add_elem to add an element.
- Use listbox_multisel to enable the multiple selection.
- Use listbox_checkbox to enable the checkboxes.
- Use listbox OnSelect to respond to the selection.

18.9. UpDown

UpDown are two-part horizontally divided button controls (Figure 18.25). Each part has a small arrow printed and is normally used to make discrete increases in numerical values associated with controls Edit.

- Use updown_create to create an updown button.
- Use updown_OnClick to respond to keystrokes.

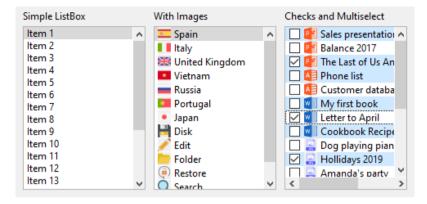


Figure 18.22: ListBox controls in Windows.

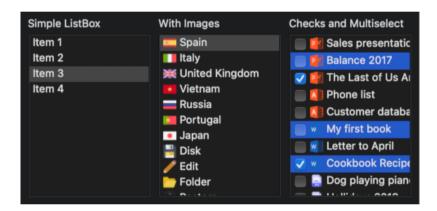


Figure 18.23: ListBox controls in macOS.



Figure 18.24: ListBox controls in Linux.



Figure 18.25: UpDown on Windows, macOS and Linux.

18.10. Slider

Sliders are normally used to edit continuous and bounded numerical values (Figure 18.26). As the control moves, *OnMoved* events occur that return a value between 0 and 1. In "*Hello Slider and Progress!*" (page 513) you have an example of use.

- Use slider create to create a horizontal slider.
- Use slider vertical to create a vertical slider.
- Use slider OnMoved to respond to scrolling.

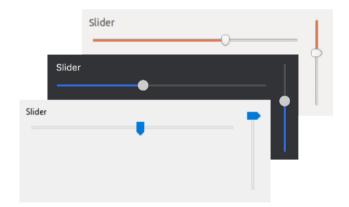


Figure 18.26: Sliders on Windows, macOS and Linux.

18.11. Progress

Progress bars are passive controls that show the remaining time to complete a certain task (Figure 18.27). As time passes we must update the control. The undefined state will show an animation without indicating status, which will be useful when we cannot determine the required time.

- Use progress create to create a progress bar.
- Use progress undefined to set the bar as undefined.
- Use progress_value to update the progress of the task.



Figure 18.27: ProgressBar on Windows, macOS and Linux.

18.12. View

The **View** controls or custom views (Figure 18.28) are blank areas within the window that allow us to implement our own components. We will have total freedom to draw and capture the mouse or keyboard events that allow us to interact with it.

- Use view_create to create a view.
- Use view_data to set a data object.
- Use view get data to get this object.
- Use view_size to set the default size. See "Natural sizing" (page 337).

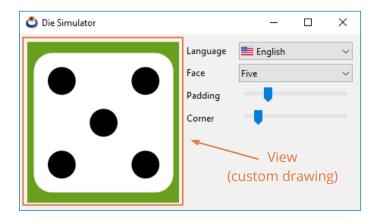


Figure 18.28: Custom view control.

18.12.1. Draw in views

The contents of the drawing area will need to be refreshed on certain occasions. Either because the operating system must update a previously overlapping part, or because the drawing itself has changed (animations, user actions, etc.). When the time comes, the window manager will launch an OnDraw event that the application must capture to implement the drawing commands that allow the content to be recreated.

- Use view OnDraw to set the drawing handler.
- Use view update to force an area update.

The OnDraw event handler will receive a drawing context, on which the different "Drawing primitives" (page 267) (Listing 18.4) can be applied.

Listing 18.4: Basic drawing in custom views.

```
static void i_OnDraw(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvDraw *p = event_params(e, EvDraw);
    draw_clear(p->ctx, kCOLOR_RED);
    draw_line_width(p->ctx, 10.f);,
    draw_line_color(p->ctx, kCOLOR_GREEN);
    draw_rect(p->ctx, ekSTROKE, 0, 0, p->width, p->height);
}
...
view_OnDraw(view, listener(app, i_OnDraw, App));
```

In "Die" (page 395) you have a simple example application that implements drawing custom views. It represents the figure of a die, allowing us to edit certain parameters of the drawing. This interaction will launch a series of events that will require the redrawing of our figure. The entire cycle can be summarized in these steps (Figure 18.29):

- Some event occurs that requires updating the content of the view.
- The application calls the view_update method to notify that the view must be updated.
- At the appropriate moment, the system will send an OnDraw event with a DCtx context ready to draw.

The operating system can launch OnDraw events at any time without previously calling view update.

18.12.2. Scrolling views

It is possible that the "scene" to be rendered is much larger than the control itself, so it will show only a small fragment of it (Figure 18.30). In these cases we will say that the

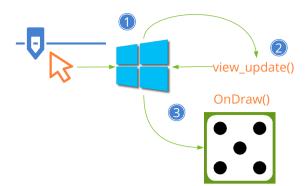


Figure 18.29: Refresh cycle of a custom view.

view is a *viewport* of the scene. We can manage it in two ways:

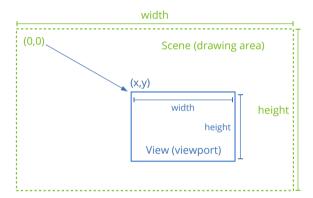


Figure 18.30: Scene and view (viewport).

- Use draw_matrixf at the beginning of OnDraw to indicate the transformation that integrates the displacement, zoom and possible rotation of the viewport with respect to the scene. All of this must be managed by the application and we do not have to do anything special, except call view_update every time it is necessary to refresh.
- Use scroll bars that allow the user to move freely through the content. In this case, managing the view is a bit more complicated. This is what we must take into account:
 - Use view scroll or o view custom to create the view.
 - Use view_content_size to indicate the measurements of the scene, so that the bars are sized correctly.
 - Use view_scroll_x, view_scroll_y if we want to move the scroll bars from the code.
 - Use view viewport to get the position and dimensions of the visible area.
 - Use view_OnScroll to detect when the user manipulates the scroll bars.

Something important to keep in mind is to avoid drawing non-visible elements, especially in very large scenes or with a multitude of objects. The operating system will send

successive OnDraw() events as the user manipulates the scrollbars, indicating the *viewport* parameters in the EvDraw structure. In "Scroll drawings" (page 629) you have an example application that shows how to correctly manage this type of cases.

It is possible that the dimensions of the viewport received in OnDraw are somewhat larger than the size of the control. This is because certain window managers force you to draw in certain non-visible areas close to the edges, in order to avoid flickering when scrolling very quickly.

18.12.3. Using the mouse

In order to interact with the control, it is necessary to define handlers for the different mouse events (Listing 18.5), (Figure 18.31). The operating system will notify the user's actions so that the application can launch the relevant actions. It is not necessary to use all of them, only the essential ones in each case.

Listing 18.5: Response to mouse events.

```
static void i_OnMove(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvMouse *p = event_params(e, Event);
    do_something_onmouse_moved(app, p->x, p->y);
}
...
view_OnMove(view, listener(app, i_OnMove, App));
```



Figure 18.31: View position events.

- Use view OnEnter to know when the cursor enters the view.
- Use view_OnExit to know when the cursor leaves the view.
- Use view_OnMove to know when the cursor is moving through the view.
- Use view_OnDown to know when a button is pressed within the view.
- Use view OnUp to know when a button is released inside the view.
- Use view OnClick to identify a click (Fast Up + Down).
- Use view_OnDrag to move the cursor with a pressed button.
- Use view_OnWheel to use the mouse wheel.

If the view uses scroll bars, the cursor (x,y) position passed to EvMouse in each event, refers to the global coordinates of the scene, taking into account the displacement. In views without scroll bars, they are the control local coordinates. The local coordinates of the viewport are in (lx,ly).

18.12.4. Using the keyboard

When a view receives "Keyboard focus" (page 354), all keystrokes will be directed to it, so we must implement the appropriate handlers.

- Use view OnKeyDown to detect when a key is pressed.
- Uses view OnKeyUp to detect when a key is released.
- Use view_OnFocus to notify the application whenever the view receives (or loses) keyboard focus. In (Figure 18.32), the view changes the color of the active cell when it has focus.
- Use view OnResignFocus to prevent the view from losing keyboard focus.
- Use view OnAcceptFocus to prevent the view from getting keyboard focus.

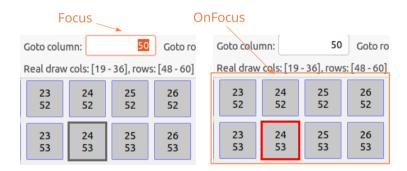


Figure 18.32: View without keyboard focus (left) and with it (right).

If a view does not need to use the keyboard, make sure it cannot receive focus when you press [TAB] "Tabstops" (page 341). It also implements view_OnAcceptFocus to prevent it from getting focus when you click on it.

In the KeyDown and KeyUp events a vkey_t will be received with the value of the pressed key. In (Figure 18.33) and (Figure 18.34) the correspondence of these codes is shown. In "Synchronous applications" (page 377) we may need to know if a key is pressed or not during the update cycle (synchronous) where we do not have access to the OnKeyDown and OnKeyUp events (asynchronous). This can be done by assigning the view a keyboard buffer

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using view_keybuf, which will capture the events associated with each key and allow us to consult its status at any time in a comfortable way.

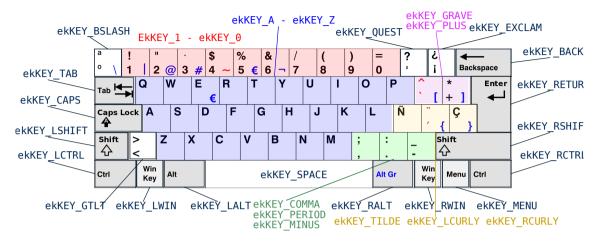


Figure 18.33: Keyboard codes.

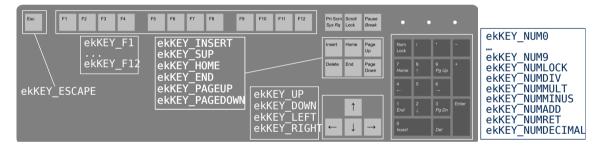


Figure 18.34: Keyboard Extended Codes.

18.13. TextView

TextView are views designed to work with rich text blocks (Figure 18.35), where fonts, sizes and colors can be combined. We can consider them as the basis of a text editor. In "Hello TextView!" (page 515) you have an example of use.

- Use textview create to create a text view.
- Use textview writef to add text to the view.
- Use textview printf to add text in the format of printf.
- Use textview_rtf to add content in Microsoft RTF format.
- Use textview_clear to erase all text.

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Figure 18.35: Plain text and rich text.

Character format 18.13.1.

One of the advantages of rich text over plain text is the ability to combine different character formats within the same paragraph (Figure 18.36). Changes will be applied to new text added to the control.

Use textview family to change the font.

Use textview fsize to change the character size.

Use textview fstyle to change the style.

Use textview color to change the color of the text.

Use textview bgcolor to change the background color of the text.



Figure 18.36: Typical Character Format Controls.

18.13.2. Paragraph format

You can also set attributes per paragraph (Figure 18.37). The new line character '\n' is considered the closing or end of the paragraph.

Use textview halign to set to paragraph alignment.

Use textview lspacing to set line spacing (line spacing).

Use textview bfspace to indicate the vertical space before the paragraph.

Use textview afspace to indicate the vertical space after the paragraph.



Figure 18.37: Typical controls for paragraph formatting.

18.13.3. Document format

Finally we have several attributes that affect the entire document or control.

Use textview_units to set the text units.

Use textview_pgcolor to set the background color of the control (page).

18.14. ImageView

ImageView are specialized views in visualizing images and GIF animations.

- Use imageview create to create an image control.
- Use imageview_image to set the image that the control will display.
- Use imageview scale to set the image adjustment mode.

18.15. TableView

TableViews are data views that display tabulated information arranged in rows and columns (Figure 18.39), (Figure 18.40), (Figure 18.41). The control enables scroll bars and allows keyboard navigation. In "Hello TableView!" (page 518) you have an example of use.

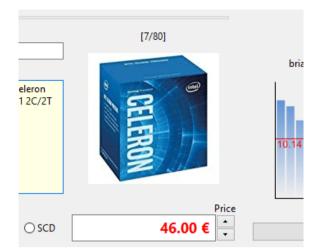


Figure 18.38: ImageView in a panel.

- Use tableview create to create a table view.
- Use tableview new column text to add a column.
- Use tableview size to set the default size.

Name	Address	City	Age	Value	>
Name 0	Adress 0	City 0	0	10.50	
Name 1	Adress 1	City 1	1	11.50	
Name 2	Adress 2	City 2	2	12.50	
Name 3	Adress 3	City 3	3	13.50	
Name 4	Adress 4	City 4	4	14.50	
Name 5	Adress 5	City 5	5	15.50	
Name 6	Adress 6	City 6	6	16.50	
Name 7	Adress 7	City 7	7	17.50	
Name 8	Adress 8	City 8	8	18.50	
Name 9	Adress 9	City 9	9	19.50	
Name 10	Adress 10	City 10	10	20.50	
Name 11	Adress 11	City 11	11	21.50	
Name 12	Adress 12	City 12	12	22.50	~
<				>	

Figure 18.39: TableView control in Windows.

Data connection 18.15.1.

Let's think that a table can contain thousands of records and these can change at any time from different data sources (disk, network, DBMS, etc). For this reason, the TableView will not maintain any internal cache. It has been designed with the aim

Name 0	Adress 0	City 0	Age 0	Position 0
Name 1	Adress 1	City 1	Age 1	Position 1
Name 2	Adress 2	City 2	Age 2	Position 2
Name 3	Adress 3	City 3	Age 3	Position 3
Name 4	Adress 4	City 4	Age 4	Position 4
Name 5	Adress 5	City 5	Age 5	Position 5
Name 6	Adress 6	City 6	Age 6	Position 6
Name 7	Adress 7	City 7	Age 7	Position 7
Name 8	Adress 8	City 8	Age 8	Position 8
Name 9	Adress 9	City 9	Age 9	Position 9
Name 10	Adress 10	City 10	Age 10	Position 10
Name 11	Adress 11	City 11	Age 11	Position 11
Name 12	Adress 12	City 12	Age 12	Position 12
Name 13	Adress 13	City 13	Age 13	Position 13
Name 14	Adress 14	City 14	Age 14	Position 14

Figure 18.40: TableView control in macOS.

Name	Address	City	Age	Value
Name 0	Adress 0	City 0	0	10.50
Name 1	Adress 1	City 1	1	11.50
Name 2	Adress 2	City 2	2	12.50
Name 3	Adress 3	City 3	3	13.50
Name 4	Adress 4	City 4	4	14.50
Name 5	Adress 5	City 5	5	15.50
Name 6	Adress 6	City 6	6	16.50
Name 7	Adress 7	City 7	7	17.50
Name 8	Adress 8	City 8	8	18.50
Name 9	Adress 9	City 9	9	19.50
Name 10	Adress 10	Cit	10	20.50
Name 11	Adress 11	Cit	11	21.50

Figure 18.41: TableView control in Linux.

of making a quick visualization of the data, but without going into their management. Ultimately, it is the application that must provide this information in a fluid manner.

- \bullet Use tableview_OnData to bind the table to the data source.
- Use tableview_update to force an update of the table data.

When a table needs to draw its contents, in response to an OnDraw event, it will first ask the application for the total number of records via a ekgui event tbl nrows notification. With this it can calculate the size of the document and configure the scroll bars (Figure 18.42). Subsequently, it will launch successive ekgui event tbl cell events, where it will ask the application for the content of each cell (Figure 18.43). All these requests will be made through the callback function set in tableview OnData (Listing 18.6).

TableView will only ask for the content of the visible part at any time.

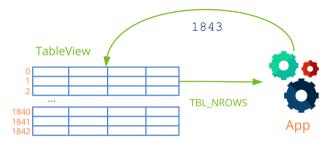


Figure 18.42: Ask for the number of rows in the data set.

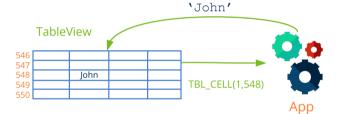


Figure 18.43: Request for the data of a cell.

Listing 18.6: Data connection example.

```
static void i OnTableData(App *app, Event *e)
    uint32 t etype = event type(e);
    unref(app);
    switch (etype) {
    case ekGUI EVENT TBL NROWS:
    {
        uint32 t *n = event result(e, uint32 t);
        *n = app num rows(app);
        break:
    case ekGUI EVENT TBL CELL:
        const EvTbPos *pos = event params(e, EvTbPos);
        EvTbCell *cell = event result(e, EvTbCell);
        switch(pos->col) {
```

```
case 0:
            cell->text = app text column0(app, pos->row);
            break:
        case 1:
            cell->text = app text column1(app, pos->row);
            break;
        case 2:
            cell->text = app text column2(app, pos->row);
            break;
        }
        break;
    }
    }
TableView *table = tableview create();
tableview OnData(table, listener(app, i OnTableData, App));
tableview update(table);
```

18.15.2. Data cache

As we have already commented, at each instant the table will only show a small portion of the data set. In order to supply this data in the fastest possible way, the application can keep a cache with those that will be displayed next. To do this, before starting to draw the view, the table will send an ekgui_event_tbl_begin type event where it will indicate the range of rows and columns that need updating (Figure 18.44). This event will precede any ekgui_event_tbl_cell seen in the previous section. In the same way, once all the visible cells have been updated, the ekgui_event_tbl_end event will be sent, where the application will be able to free the resources in the cache (Listing 18.7).



Figure 18.44: Use of data cache.

Listing 18.7: Example of using data cache.

```
uint32 t etype = event type(e);
    unref(app);
    switch(etype) {
    case ekGUI EVENT TBL NROWS:
        uint32 t *n = event result(e, uint32 t);
        *n = app num rows(app);
        break;
    }
    case ekGUI EVENT TBL BEGIN:
        const EvTbRect *rect = event params(e, EvTbRect);
        app->cache = app fill cache(app, rect->strow, rect->edrow, rect->stcol,
           → rect->edcol);
        break:
    }
    case ekGUI EVENT TBL CELL:
        const EvTbPos *pos = event params(e, EvTbPos);
        EvTbCell *cell = event result(e, EvTbCell);
        cell->text = app get cache(app->cache, pos->row, pos->col);
        break;
    }
    case ekGUI EVENT TBL END:
        app delete cache (app->cache);
        break:
}
TableView *table = tableview create();
tableview OnData(table, listener(app, i OnTableData, App));
tableview update(table);
```

Multiple selection 18.15.3.

When we navigate through a TableView we can activate the multiple selection, which will allow us to mark more than one row of the table (Figure 18.45).

- Use tableview multisel to turn multiselect on or off.
- Use tableview selected to get the selected rows.
- Use tableview select to select a set of rows.
- Use tableview deselect to deselect.
- Use tableview deselect all to uncheck all rows.

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• Use tableview_OnSelect to receive an event when the selection changes.

Name	Address	City	Age	Value	^
Name 0	Adress 0	City 0	0	10.50	
Name 1	Adress 1	City 1	1	11.50	
Name 2	Adress 2	City 2	2	12.50	
Name 3	Adress 3	City 3	3	13.50	
Name 4	Adress 4	City 4	4	14.50	
Name 5	Adress 5	City 5	5	15.50	
Name 6	Adress 6	City 6	6	16.50	
Name 7	Adress 7	City 7	7	17.50	
Name 8	Adress 8	City 8	8	18.50	
Name 9	Adress 9	City 9	9	19.50	
Name 10	Adress 10	City 10	10	20.50	
Name 11	Adress 11	City 11	11	21.50	
Name 12	Adress 12	City 12	12	22.50	~
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Figure 18.45: TableView with multiple selection.

18.15.4. Table navigation

Navigating a TableView works the same as other similar controls, such as the file explorer. We can use the keyboard when the table has focus. It will also respond to mouse events to select rows and move scroll bars.

- Use tableview_focus_row to move keyboard focus to a row.
- Use tableview_get_focus_row to get the row that has keyboard focus.
- Use tableview_hkey_scroll to set horizontal scrolling.
- [UP]/[DOWN] to move row by row.
- [LEFT]/[RIGHT] to scroll horizontally.
- [PAGEUP]/[PAGEDOWN] advance or reverse a page.
- [HOME] goes to the beginning of the table.
- [END] goes to the end of the table.
- [CTRL]+click multiple selection with the mouse.
- [SHIFT]+[UP]/[DOWN] multiple selection with the keyboard.

In multiple selection, an **automatic de-selection of the rows** will occur whenever we click releasing [CTRL] or press any navigation key releasing [SHIFT]. If we want to

navigate without losing the previous selection, we must activate the preserve flag in tableview multisel.

18.15.5. Configure columns

We have different options to configure the interaction with the different columns of the table:

- Use tableview header title to set the title of a column. Multiple lines are accepted including '\n' characters (Figure 18.47).
- Use tableview header align to set the alignment of a column header.
- Use tableview header resizable to allow or disallow column resizing.
- Use tableview column width to set the width of a column.
- Use tableview column limits to set limits on the width.
- · Use tableview column resizable to allow the column to be stretched or collapsed.
- Use tableview column freeze to set one or more columns (Figure 18.46).

Name	Address	a 1	Extra Data 2	^
Name 0	Adress 0	10	Extra Data 2 0	
Name 1	Adress 1	11	Extra Data 2 1	
Name 2	Adress 2	12	Extra Data 2 2	
Name 3	Adress 3	13	Extra Data 2 3	
Name 4	Adress 4	14	Extra Data 2 4	
Name 5	Adress 5	15	Extra Data 2 5	
Name 6	Adress 6	16	Extra Data 2 6	
Name 7	Adress 7	17	Extra Data 2 7	
Name 8	Adress 8	18	Extra Data 2 8	
Name 9	Adress 9	19	Extra Data 2 9	
Name 10	Adress 10	1 10	Extra Data 2 10	
Name 11	Adress 11	1 11	Extra Data 2 11	
Name 12	Adress 12	1 12	Extra Data 2 12	~
<				>

Figure 18.46: Columns 0 and 1 frozen. Animation in https://nappqui.com/imq/qui/tableview freeze.qif.

Name	Address	Extra Data 2	Extra Data 3
Name 0	Adress 0	Extra Data 2 0	Extra Data
Name 1	Adress 1	Extra Data 2 1	Extra Data
Name 2	Adress 2	Extra Data 2 2	Extra Data
Name 3	Adress 3	Extra Data 23	Extra Data
Name 4	Adress 4	Evtra Data 2.4	Evtra Data

Figure 18.47: Header with multiple lines.

18.15.6. Notifications in tables

We have different events to capture actions that the user could perform on the (Listing 18.8) table.

- Use tableview header clickable to allow clicking on the header.
- Use tableview OnRowClick to notify the click on a row.
- Use tableview OnHeaderClick to notify the click on the header.

Listing 18.8: Notifications

```
static void i_OnRowClick(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvTbRow *p = event_params(e, EvRow);
    on_row_click(app, p->row, p->sel);
}
static void i_OnHeaderClick(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvButton *p = event_params(e, EvButton);
    on_header_click(app, p->index);
}
tableview_OnRowClick(table, listener(app, i_OnRowClick, App));
tableview_OnHeaderClick(table, listener(app, i_OnRowClick, App));
```

18.15.7. Table appearance

There are different options to change the appearance of the table.

- Use tableview_font to change the font.
- Use tableview header visible to show or hide the header.
- Use tableview scroll visible to show or hide the scroll bars.
- Use tableview grid to show or hide the inner lines (Figure 18.48), (Figure 18.49).
- Use tableview_header_height to force the header height.
- Use tableview_row_height to force the row height.

18.16. SplitView

The **SplitView** are views divided into two parts, where in each of them we place another view or a panel. The dividing line is scrollable, which allows resizing both halves, dividing the total size of the control between the children (Figure 18.50), (Figure 18.51), (Figure 18.52). In "Hello SplitView!" (page 525) you have an example of use.

Name	Address	City	Age	Value	۸
Name 0	Adress 0	City 0	0	10.50	
Name 1	Adress 1	City 1	1	11.50	
Name 2	Adress 2	City 2	2	12.50	
Name 3	Adress 3	City 3	3	13.50	
Name 4	Adress 4	City 4	4	14.50	
Name 5	Adress 5	City 5	5	15.50	
Name 6	Adress 6	City 6	6	16.50	
Name 7	Adress 7	City 7	7	17.50	
Name 8	Adress 8	City 8	8	18.50	
Name 9	Adress 9	City 9	9	19.50	
Name 10	Adress 10	City 10	10	20.50	
Name 11	Adress 11	City 11	11	21.50	
Name 12	Adress 12	City 12	12	22.50	
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Figure 18.48: TableView with no interior lines.

Name	Address	City	Age	Value	۸
Name 0	Adress 0	City 0	0	10.50	
Name 1	Adress 1	City 1	1	11.50	
Name 2	Adress 2	City 2	2	12.50	
Name 3	Adress 3	City 3	3	13.50	
Name 4	Adress 4	City 4	4	14.50	
Name 5	Adress 5	City 5	5	15.50	
Name 6	Adress 6	City 6	6	16.50	
Name 7	Adress 7	City 7	7	17.50	
Name 8	Adress 8	City 8	8	18.50	
Name 9	Adress 9	City 9	9	19.50	
Name 10	Adress 10	City 10	10	20.50	
Name 11	Adress 11	City 11	11	21.50	
Name 12	Adress 12	City 12	12	22.50	٧
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Figure 18.49: TableView with interior lines.

- Use splitview horizontal to create a split view.
- Use splitview size to set the initial size.

Add controls 18.16.1.

There are several functions for adding "child" controls to the splitview. The first call to any of them will place the view or panel on the left or top side. The second call will be on the right or lower side. Successive calls will generate an error.

- Use splitview view to add a custom view.
- Use splitview panel to add a panel.

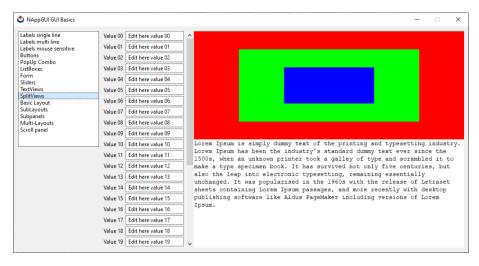


Figure 18.50: SplitView in Windows.

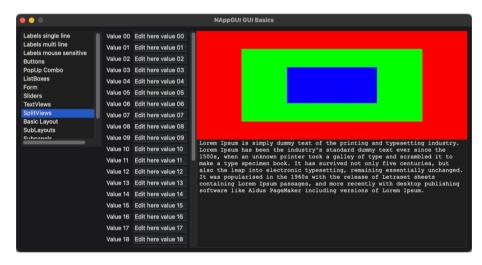


Figure 18.51: SplitView in macOS.

18.16.2. Split modes

We have two modes of behavior of the dividing bar and both are activated from this function:

- Use splitview_pos to set the mode of the splitter.
- Proportional mode: The position of the divider will always remain constant with respect to the size of the splitview. That is, a value of 0.3 means that the left view will always occupy 1/3 of the total size and the right view 2/3. To do this, indicate a value between 0 and 1 in the pos parameter.

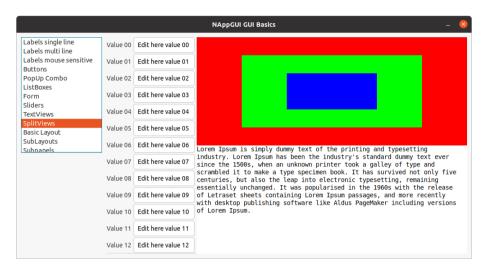


Figure 18.52: SplitView in Linux.

• Fixed mode: Resizing the splitview will always leave one of the parts with a constant size. If pos > 1 the left/top child will keep the indicated number of pixels. On the contrary, if pos < 0 the same will happen with the right/bottom view.

The ratio or value will change if the user drags the dividing line, but the operating mode will not.

18.17. Lavout

A Layout is a virtual and transparent grid always linked with a Panel which serves to locate the different interface elements (Figure 18.53). Its inner cells have the ability to be automatically sized according to their content, which results in great portability because it is not necessary to indicate specific coordinates or sizes for the controls. To illustrate the concept, we will slightly simplify the code of "Hello Edit and UpDown!" (page 507) (Listing 18.9), whose result we can see in (Figure 18.54).

- Use layout create to create a new layout.
- Use layout label and similars to place controls in the different cells.

Listing 18.9: Layout with two columns and five rows.

```
Layout *layout = layout create(2, 5);
Label *label1 = label create();
Label *label2 = label create();
Label *label3 = label create();
Label *label4 = label create();
Label *label5 = label create();
```

Layout (2, 4)

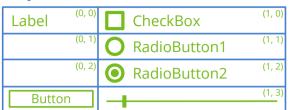


Figure 18.53: A layout is used to locate controls in the panel area.

```
Edit *edit1 = edit create();
Edit *edit2 = edit create();
Edit *edit3 = edit create();
Edit *edit4 = edit create();
Edit *edit5 = edit create();
label text(label1, "User Name:");
label text(label2, "Password:");
label text(label3, "Address:");
label text(label4, "City:");
label text(label5, "Phone:");
edit text(edit1, "Amanda Callister");
edit text(edit2, "aQwe56nhjJk");
edit text(edit3, "35, Tuam Road");
edit text(edit4, "Galway - Ireland");
edit text(edit5, "+35 654 333 000");
edit_passmode(edit2, TRUE);
layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
layout label(layout, label3, 0, 2);
layout label(layout, label4, 0, 3);
layout label(layout, label5, 0, 4);
layout edit(layout, edit1, 1, 0);
layout edit(layout, edit2, 1, 1);
layout edit(layout, edit3, 1, 2);
layout edit(layout, edit4, 1, 3);
layout edit(layout, edit5, 1, 4);
```

Figure 18.54: Result of (Listing 18.9).

User Name:	Amanda Callister
Password:	•••••
Address:	35, Tuam Road
City:	Galway - Ireland
Phone:	+35 654 333 000

18.17.1. Natural sizing

The result of (Figure 18.54), although it is not very aesthetic, it is what we call **natural sizing** which is the default layout applied depending on the content of the cells. In (Table 18.2) we have the default measurements of each control. The column width is fixed to that of the widest element and the height of the rows is calculated in the same way. The final size of the layout will be the sum of the measures of both columns and rows.

Control	Width	Height
Label	Adjusted to the text.	Adjusted to the text considering '\n'
Button (push)	Adjusted to text $+$ margin.	According to the theme of the OS.
Button (check/radio)	Adjusted to text $+$ icon.	Adjusted to the icon.
Button (flat)	Adjusted to the icon $+$ margin.	Adjusted to the icon + margin.
PopUp	Adjusted to the longest text.	According to the theme of the OS.
Edit	100 Units (px).	Adjusted to text + margin.
Combo	100 Units (px).	According to the theme of the OS.
ListBox	128 px or listbox_size.	128 px or listbox_size.
UpDown	According to the theme of the OS.	According to the theme of the OS.
Slider (horizontal)	100 Units (px).	According to the theme of the OS.
Slider (vertical)	According to the theme of the OS.	100 Units (px).
Progress	100 Units (px).	According to the theme of the OS.
View	128 px or view_size.	128 px or view_size.
TextView	256 px or textview_size.	144 px or textview_size.
ImageView	64 px or imageview_size.	64 px or imageview_size.
TableView	256 px or tableview_size.	128 px or tableview_size.
SplitView	128 px or splitview_size.	128 px or splitview_size.
Panel	Natural size.	Natural size.
Panel (with scroll)	256 px or panel_size.	256 px or panel_size.

Table 18.2: Natural dimensioning of controls.

The margins and constants applied to the controls are those necessary to comply with the **human guidelines** of each window manager. This means that a *PushButton* with the

text "Hello" will not have the same dimensions in WindowsXP as in macOS Mavericks or Ubuntu 16.

Empty cells will be 0-sized and will not affect the composition.

18.17.2. Margins and format

The natural sizing we have just seen adjusts the panel to the minimum size necessary to correctly house all the controls, but it is not always aesthetic. We can shape it by adding margins or forcing a given size for rows and columns (Listing 18.10) (Figure 18.55).

- Use layout hsize to force the width of a column.
- Use layout_vsize to force the height of a row.
- Use layout hmargin to establish an inter-column margin.
- Use layout vmargin to establish an inter-row margin.
- Use layout margin to set a margin at the edge of the layout.

Listing 18.10: Applying format to (Listing 18.9).

```
layout_hsize(layout, 1, 235);
layout_hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
layout_vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
layout_vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
layout_vmargin(layout, 2, 5);
layout_vmargin(layout, 3, 5);
layout_margin(layout, 10);
```

Figure 18.55: Result of (Listing 18.10).

18.17.3. Alignment

It is usual for the width of a control to be less than the width of the column that contains it, either because a fixed width has been forced or because there are wider elements in the same column. In these cases, we can indicate the horizontal or vertical alignment of the control with respect to the cell (Figure 18.56). In (Table 18.3) you have the default alignments.

- Use layout halign to change the horizontal alignment of a cell.
- Use layout valign to change the vertical alignment of a cell.

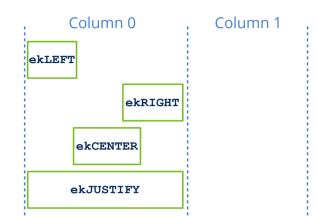


Figure 18.56: Horizontal alignment.

Control	Horizontal	Vertical
Label	ekLEFT	ekCENTER
Button (push)	ekJUSTIFY	ekCENTER
Button (others)	ekLEFT	ekCENTER
PopUp	ekJUSTIFY	ekCENTER
Edit	ekJUSTIFY	ekTOP
Edit (multiline)	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY
Combo	ekJUSTIFY	ekCENTER
ListBox	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY
UpDown	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY
Slider (horizontal)	ekJUSTIFY	ekCENTER
Slider (vertical)	ekCENTER	ekJUSTIFY
Progress	ekJUSTIFY	ekCENTER
View	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY
TextView	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY
ImageView	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY
TableView	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY

Control	Horizontal	Vertical
SplitView	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY
Layout (sublayout)	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY
Panel	ekJUSTIFY	ekJUSTIFY

Table 18.3: Default alignment of controls.

18.17.4. Sub-layouts

Consider now the panel of (Figure 18.57). It is not difficult to realize that this arrangement does not fit in any way in a rectangular grid, so it is time to use **sublayouts**. In addition to individual controls, a cell also supports another layout, so we can divide the original panel into as many parts as necessary until the desired layout is achieved. The main layout will size each sublayout recursively and integrate it into the final composition. In "Hello Sublayout!" (page 543) you have the code that generates this example.

Use layout layout to assign a complete layout to a cell in another layout.

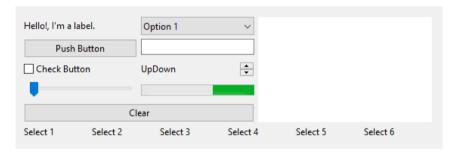


Figure 18.57: Complex panel composition.

In this case we have applied the philosophy of divide and conquer, to ensure that each part fits into an individual grid (Figure 18.58). Each sublayout has been coded in an independent function to give greater consistency to the code, applying margins and format individually within each of them (Listing 18.11).

Listing 18.11: Sublayout integration (partial).

```
static Layout *i_main_layout(void)
{
    Layout *layout1 = layout_create(1, 2);
    Layout *layout2 = i_top_layout();
    Layout *layout3 = i_bottom_layout();
    layout_layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
    layout_layout(layout1, layout3, 0, 1);
    layout_margin(layout1, 5);
    layout_vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
```

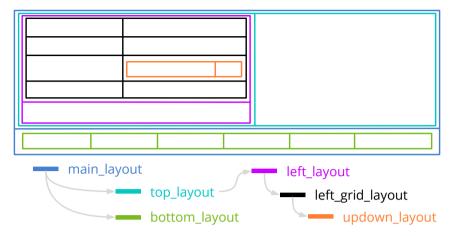


Figure 18.58: Sublayouts needed to compose the (Figure 18.57) panel.

```
return layout1;
```

Cell expansion 18.17.5.

On certain occasions, the size of a layout is forced by external conditions. This happens when we have a sublayout in a cell with ekJUSTIFY alignment (internal expansion) or when the user changes the size of a resizable window (external expansion). This will produce an "pixel excess" between the natural sizing and the actual cell size (Figure 18.59). This situation is resolved by distributing the pixel surplus equally among all the sublayout columns, which in turn, will be recursively expanding until they reach an empty cell or an individual control. We can change this equitable distribution through these functions:

- Use layout hexpand to expand a single cell and leave the rest with its default size.
- Use layout hexpand2 to expand two cells indicating the growth rate of each.
- Use layout hexpand3 to expand three cells.

The vertical expansion works exactly the same, distributing the excess space between the rows of the layout.

18.17.6. **Tabstops**

Normally we will use the [TAB] key and the [SHIFT]+[TAB] combination to navigate through the different controls of a window or form. Terms like taborder or tabstop refer to both the navigation order and the membership (or not) of an element in said list. While it is possible to arrange the elements of a tab-list randomly, layouts provide a

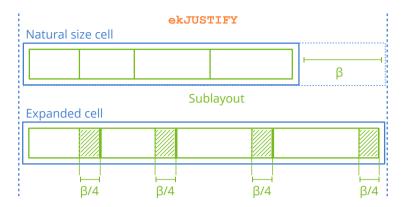


Figure 18.59: When the size of the sublayout is given by external conditions, the excess of pixels is equally distributed between the columns (horizontal expansion) and rows (vertical expansion).

coherent natural order based on the placement of controls. By default, each layout creates a *tab-list* going through all its cells by rows, but we can change it:

- Use layout taborder to arrange the *tab-list* by rows or columns.
- Use layout tabstop to add or remove controls from the tab-list.

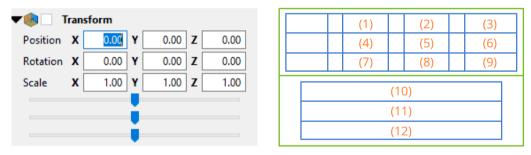


Figure 18.60: Taborder by rows in layouts and sublayouts. Animation in https://nappgui.com/img/gui/tabstops.gif.

Not every cell in a layout has to be a *tabstop*, since it doesn't make sense for static controls like Label to receive keyboard focus. In (Table 18.4) you have which controls are included by default in that list. With layout_tabstop you can add or remove controls from the *tab-list*.

Control	Included
Label	NO
Button	YES

Control	Included
PopUp	YES
Edit	YES
Combo	YES
ListBox	YES
UpDown	NO
Slider	YES
Progress	NO
View	NO
TextView	NO
ImageView	NO
TableView	YES
SplitView	YES (children)
Layout (sublayout)	YES
Panel	YES (children)

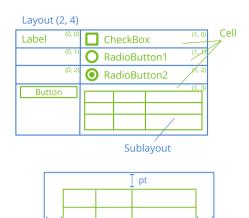
Table 18.4: Controls included in the tab-list.

When the taborder enters a sublayout, it will follow the local order of the latter. When exiting the sublayout it will continue with the main order.

18.18. Cell

Cells are the inner elements of a "Layout" (page 335) and will house a control or a sublayout (Figure 18.61).

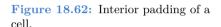
- Use layout_cell to get the cell.
- Use cell_control to get the control inside.
- Use cell layout to get the inner sublayout.
- Use cell_enabled to enable or disable the controls.
- Use cell_visible to show and hide the content.
- Use cell_padding to set the (Figure 18.62) padding.



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Figure 18.61: Cells inside a Layout



18.19. Panel

A Panel is a control within a window that groups other controls. It defines its own reference system, that is, if we move a panel all its descendants will move in unison since their locations will be relative to its origin. It will support other (sub)-panels as descendants, which allows to form a Window Hierarchy (Figure 18.63). For portability, this Gui library does not support specific coordinates and sizes for elements linked to a panel, but the association is carried out by a Layout object which is responsible for calculating at runtime the final locations of controls based on the platform and window manager. In "Hello Subpanel!" (page 547) you have an elementary example of using panels.

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- Use panel create to create a new panel.
- Use panel_scroll to create a panel with scroll bars.
- Use panel_custom to create a new fully configurable panel.
- Use panel layout to add child controls to the panel.
- Use panel_size to set the default size of the visible area.

Each panel supports several layouts and allows you to switch between them at runtime (Figure 18.64). This allows to create dynamic responsive interfaces with very little effort, since the panel itself is responsible for linking and sizing the controls according to the active layout in each case. In "Hello Multi-layout!" (page 548) you have an example.

Use panel_visible_layout to change the layout.

Because the layouts are logical structures outside the window hierarchy, they can share controls as they are linked to the same panel (Figure 18.65). What is not allowed is to use

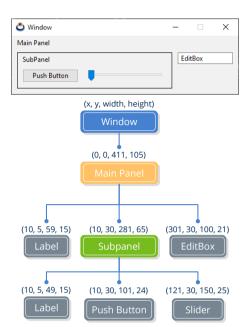


Figure 18.63: Window hierarchy.

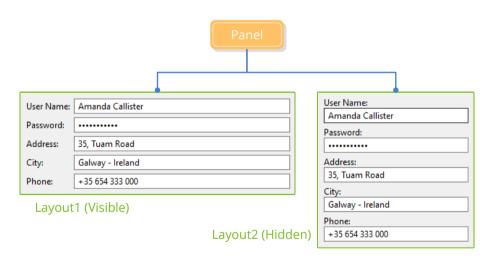


Figure 18.64: Panel with two different organizations for the same controls.

the same objects in different panels, due to the hierarchy concept.

 $Unlike\ panels,\ layouts\ do\ not\ create\ any\ native\ control\ (GtkWidget,\ HWND,\ NSView,\ etc.).$



Figure 18.65: It is possible to reuse the same components between layouts of the same panel.

18.19.1. Understanding panel sizing

We are going to show, by means of an example, the logic behind the composition and dimensioning of panels. We start with (Listing 18.12) where we create a relatively large panel in height.

Listing 18.12: Composition of a panel with multiple edit rows.

```
static Window *i window(void)
   uint32 t i, n = 20;
   Window *window create(ekWINDOW STDRES);
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, n);
   for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
        char t text[64];
        Label *label = label create();
        Edit *edit = edit create();
        bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Value %02d", i);
        label text(label, text);
        bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Edit here value %02d", i);
        edit text(edit, text);
        layout label(layout, label, 0, i);
        layout edit(layout, edit, 1, i);
    }
   for (i = 0; i < n - 1; ++i)
        layout vmargin(layout, i, 3);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout margin4(layout, 10, 10, 10, 10);
   panel layout (panel, layout);
   window panel (window, panel);
   return window;
}
```

- Lines 3-6 create the window, panel, and layout.
- Loop 8-19 adds various labels and edit boxes to the layout.

- Loop 21-22 establishes a small gap between rows.
- Lines 24-25 establish a column spacing and border margin.
- Lines 26-27 link the layout to the panel and the layout to the window.

The result of this code is the "Natural sizing" (page 337) of the panel (Figure 18.66), which defaults to a width of 100 pixels for the editing controls. Labels fit to the text they contain. Separations and margins have also been applied.



Figure 18.66: Natural sizing of the panel defined in (Listing 18.12).

In this case it is possible to resize the window, since we have used the ekWINDOW_STDRES flag when creating it (Figure 18.67).



Figure 18.67: Behavior of the panel when the window grows.

This behavior may not be the most appropriate for the case at hand. By default, the layout performs the "Cell expansion" (page 341) proportionally. But what we really want is to "stretch" the editing controls so that the rows keep their default height (Listing 18.13).

Listing 18.13: Change in horizontal and vertical expansion.

```
Layout *layout = layout_create(2, n + 1);
...
```

```
layout_hexpand(layout, 1);
layout_vexpand(layout, n);
```

The previous lines cause the horizontal expansion to fall exclusively on column 1 (that of the EditBoxes). On the other hand, an extra empty row has been created, pouring all the vertical expansion into it (Figure 18.68).

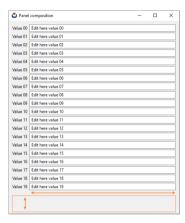


Figure 18.68: Desired behavior, when the window expands.

Although the panel now behaves correctly when the window grows, we have difficulties when we want to "shrink" it below a certain limit (Figure 18.69). This is because natural dimensioning imposes a minimum size, since there comes a time when it is impossible to reduce the controls associated with the layout.



Figure 18.69: Minimum panel size.

This can be a problem as we may have panels large enough that they even exceed the size of the monitor and cannot be fully displayed. To solve this, we can set a default size for the entire panel (Listing 18.14), which will be the one displayed when the window starts (Figure 18.70).

Listing 18.14: Panel default size.

```
...
panel_size(panel, s2df(400, 300));
...
```

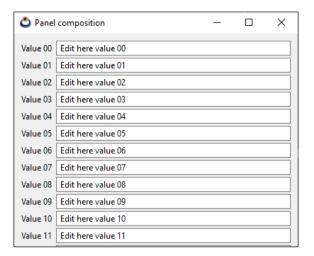
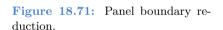
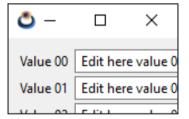


Figure 18.70: Natural sizing, forced to 400x300.

This command decouples, in a way, the size of the panel from the size of its content. In this way, the Layout is free to reduce the size of the view, regardless of whether or not it can display the entire content (Figure 18.71).





And finally, if we want, we can create the panel with scroll bars (Listing 18.15) and scroll through the non-visible content (Figure 18.72).

Listing 18.15: Panel with scroll bars.

```
Panel *panel = panel_scroll(TRUE, TRUE);
```

And, of course, everything said will work the same on any platform .

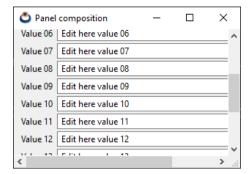
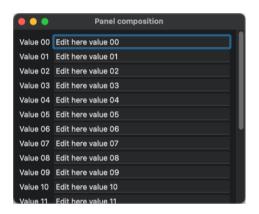


Figure 18.72: Panel with scroll bars.



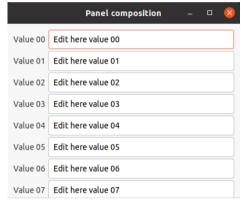


Figure 18.73: Our panel running on macOS and Linux.

18.20. Window

Window objects are the top-level containers within the user interface (Figure 18.74). They are made up of the title bar, where the close, maximize and minimize buttons are located, the interior zone and the frame. If the window supports resizing, said frame can be dragged with the mouse to change its size. The interior zone or client area of the window is configured by means of a main panel. In "Hello World!" (page 23) you have a simple example of composing and displaying a window.

- Use window_create to create a window.
- Use window panel to assign the main panel.
- Use window_show to show a window.
- Use the ekwindow Title flag to include the title bar.
- Use window_title to assign a title.

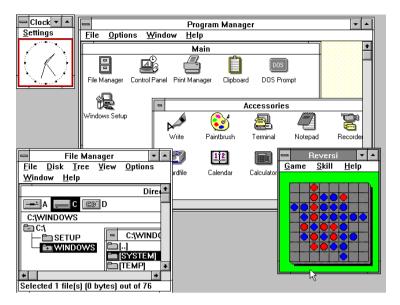


Figure 18.74: The concept of a window appears from the first desktop systems.

NAppGUI does not distinguish between window, dialog box, message box, etc. The role of each window will depend on the controls it contains, its location and its behavior.

18.20.1. Window size

In principle, the size of the window is calculated automatically based on the "Natural sizing" (page 337) of its main panel, but it can be altered at any time.

- Use window size to resize the main panel.
- Use the ekwindow_Max flag to include the maximize button in the title bar.
- Use the ekwindow_min flag to include the minimize button in the title bar.
- Use the ekwindow_resize flag to create a window with resizable borders.

The change in the dimensions of the client area implies a relocation and re-sizing of the interior controls. This is handled automatically through the layout objects, depending on how your "Cell expansion" (page 341) has been configured and will recursively propagate through all sublayouts. In "Die" (page 395) you have an example of resizing a window (Figure 18.75).

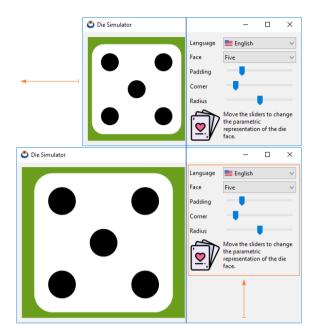


Figure 18.75: Resizing the window in the demo Die.

18.20.2. Closing the window

Normally a window is closed by pressing the [X] button located to the right of the title bar. But sometimes it can be useful to also close it with the [ENTER] or [ESC] keys. Closing a window implies hiding it, but not destroying it. That is, we can show an already closed window again using window_show. In the case that the closing is conditioned to a state of the application, such as saving a file for example, we must assign a handler through window OnClose and decide there whether to close it or not.

- Use window_hide to hide a window.
- Use window destroy to permanently destroy a window.
- Use the ekwindow_close flag to include the close button in the title bar.
- Use the ekwindow_return flag to enable [enter] closing.
- Use the ekwindow ESC flag to enable [ESC] closing.
- Use the window OnClose flag to prevent the closing of a (Listing 18.16) window.

Listing 18.16: Prevents closing the window.

```
static void i_OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvWinClose *params = event_params(e, EvWinClose);
    if (can_close(app, params->origin) == FALSE)
    {
        bool_t *result = event_result(e, bool_t);
}
```

```
*result = FALSE;
}
...
window_OnClose(window, listener(app, i_OnClose, App));
```

Destroying a window implicitly destroys all of its internal elements and controls.

18.20.3. Modal windows

They are those that, when launched, block the previous window (or parent) until it is closed (Figure 18.76). Being "modal" or not is not a characteristic of the window itself, but of the way it is launched. In "Hello Modal Window!" (page 527) you have an example of use.

- Use window modal to display a window in modal mode.
- Use window stop modal to hide it and stop the modal loop.

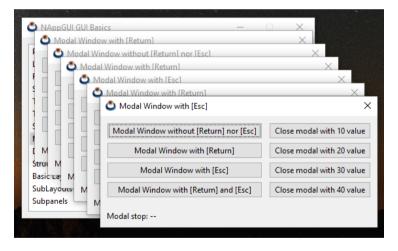


Figure 18.76: Multiple modal windows.

After calling window_modal, the program stops at this point, waiting for the window to close, which can be done using [X], [ENTER], [ESC] or by calling window_stop_modal (Listing 18.17). The value returned by this function will be:

- ekgui_close_esc (1). If the modal window was closed by pressing [esc].
- ekgui close intro (2). If the modal window was closed by pressing [ENTER].
- ekgui close button (3). If the modal window was closed by pressing [X].
- The value indicated in window stop modal.

Listing 18.17: Using modal windows.

```
static void i_OnAcceptClick(Window *window, Event *e)
{
    window_stop_modal(window, 300);
}

Window *window = i_create_window_with_accept_button();
// The program will stop HERE until window is closed
uint32_t ret = window_modal(window);

if (ret == 1)
{
    // Closed by ESC
}
else if (ret == 2)
{
    // Closed by INTRO
}
else if (ret == 3)
{
    // Closed by [X]
}
else if (ret == 300)
{
    // Closed by window_stop_modal
}
window_destroy(&window);
```

By default, the modal window will be hidden after receiving the call to window_stop_modal, but it will not be destroyed as we indicated above. On certain occasions (although not very common), we may want to relaunch the window after finishing the modal cycle without producing an unsightly "flicker" due to a new (and fast) display after closing the window.

• Use the ekwindow_modal_nohide flag when creating the window to prevent it from being hidden after the modal loop.

18.20.4. Keyboard focus

Certain windows, such as dialog boxes, make extensive use of the keyboard. It is even possible that the user will have to manage data entry without using the mouse. This is why we have to be very clear about how the different elements behave when pressed. The **only control** that receives key events within a given window is called **keyboard focus**. Normally this control appears with the border highlighted.

• Use window_get_focus to get the current keyboard focus.

The keyboard focus is automatically assigned to the first control in the *tab-list* when the window is activated and can be changed in different ways:

- Using [TAB] or [SHIFT]+[TAB] we will move through the controls included in the *tab-list*, as we already saw in "Tabstops" (page 341).
- Clicking on the control to which we want to connect the keyboard.
- Using window focus, which will set it to the desired control via code.
- Using window_next_tabstop which is equivalent to pressing [TAB]. In "Hello IP-Input!" (page 552) you have several Edit that move to the next control when exactly three numbers are entered.
- Using window previous tabstop which is equivalent to pressing [SHIFT]+[TAB].

Changing the focus between controls is not direct, but rather follows a protocol (Figure 18.77). Generally we don't have to worry about this, since each control has a default behavior when resigning or accepting focus. The points to keep in mind are the following:

- Edit controls can retain focus in response to an OnChange event, as we saw in "Filter texts" (page 311).
- Custom views allow a decision to be made at runtime using the OnResignFocus and OnAcceptFocus events, as we also saw in "Using the keyboard" (page 321). By default, they will accept both cases.

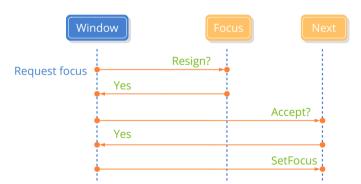


Figure 18.77: Protocol for changing focus.

Returning to navigation using the [TAB] key, the usual thing will be for the tabstops to work **cyclically** (by default). That is, if the last control in the *tab-list* has focus and we press [TAB], the focus will go back to the first control in the *tab-list*. It is possible to disable this behavior, leaving the focus fixed on the last control even if we repeatedly press the [TAB] key. Likewise, the focus will remain fixed on the first control even if we press [SHIFT]+[TAB].

• Use window_cycle_tabstop to enable/disable cycling tabstops.

18.20.5. Default button

The default button is the one that appears highlighted within the window and that will receive an OnClick event every time the [RETURN] key is pressed, regardless of which control have keyboard focus. In principle, there is no button by default, it must be indicated explicitly in the window.

• Use window defbutton to set the default button.

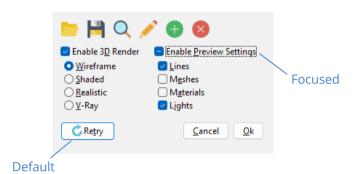


Figure 18.78: Default button.

18.20.6. Keyboard shortcuts

As we have already indicated, the keyboard focus will be fixed on some control inside the window, be it a Edit, Button, View, etc. But it is possible that we want to define global actions associated with a specific key.

• Use window hotkey to assign an action to a key.

The *hotkeys* will have **priority over the keyboard focus** (Figure 18.79). That is, if we have an action linked to the [F9] key, the window will capture the <code>ekgui_Event_Keydown</code> event (F9) and this will not reach the control that currently has the keyboard focus.

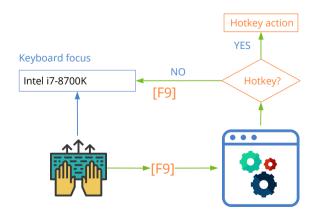


Figure 18.79: Processing a keyboard shortcut.

To conclude, we summarize all the points to take into account when carrying out correct

keyboard management.

- Close the window with [RETURN] or [ESC.
- Correctly manage the tab-list and keyboard focus.
- Define a default button, which is activated when pressing [RETURN].
- Define the appropriate keyboard shortcuts.

18.21. **GUI Data binding**

By GUI Data Binding we mean automatic mapping between program variables and user interface controls (Figure 18.80). In this way both will be synchronized without the programmer having to do any extra work such as capturing events, assigning values, checking ranges, etc. In "Hello Gui Binding!" (page 532) you have the complete source code of the example that we will show below.

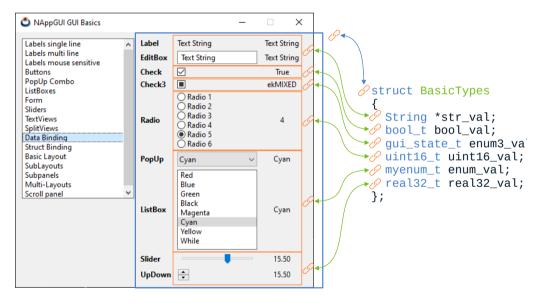


Figure 18.80: Automatic data synchronization with the user interface.

18.21.1. Basic type binding

We start from a data structure composed of several basic types fields (Listing 18.18), where no other structures or objects are nested.

```
Listing 18.18: Simple data model.
```

```
typedef struct basictypes t BasicTypes;
```

```
typedef enum myenum t
    ekRED.
    ekBLUE,
    ekGREEN,
    ekBLACK,
    ekMAGENTA,
    ekCYAN,
    ekYELLOW,
    ekWHITE
} myenum t;
struct basictypes t
    bool t bool val;
   uint16 t uint16 val;
    real32 t real32 val;
    myenum t enum val;
    qui state t enum3 val;
    String *str val;
};
```

The first thing we must do is register the fields of the structure with dbind (Listing 18.19):

Listing 18.19: Register in dbind de los campos de la estructura.

```
dbind enum(gui state t, ekGUI OFF, "");
dbind enum(gui state t, ekGUI ON, "");
dbind enum(qui state t, ekGUI MIXED, "");
dbind enum (myenum t, ekRED, "Red");
dbind enum (myenum t, ekBLUE, "Blue");
dbind_enum(myenum t, ekGREEN, "Green");
dbind enum (myenum t, ekBLACK, "Black");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekMAGENTA, "Magenta");
dbind enum (myenum t, ekCYAN, "Cyan");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekYELLOW, "Yellow");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekWHITE, "While");
dbind(BasicTypes, bool t, bool val);
dbind(BasicTypes, uint16 t, uint16 val);
dbind(BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val);
dbind(BasicTypes, gui state t, enum3 val);
dbind(BasicTypes, myenum t, enum val);
dbind(BasicTypes, String*, str val);
dbind range (BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val, -50, 50);
dbind increment(BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val, 5);
```

DBind is a registry, within the application, that allows automating certain operations on the data, as well as establishing ranges, precisions or aliases. Its use goes beyond graphical user interfaces. More information in "Data binding" (page 227).

On the other hand, we build a "Layout" (page 335) that hosts the different controls of the user interface (Listing 18.20):

Listing 18.20: Interface controls organized in a layout (Figure 18.80).

```
static Layout *i layout (void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(3, 9);
   Label *label = label create();
   Edit *edit = edit create();
   Button *check = button check();
   Button *check3 = button check3();
   Layout *radios = i radio layout();
   PopUp *popup = popup create();
   ListBox *listbox = listbox create();
   Slider *slider = slider create();
   UpDown *updown = updown create();
   layout label(layout, label, 1, 0);
   layout edit(layout, edit, 1, 1);
   layout button(layout, check, 1, 2);
   layout button(layout, check3, 1, 3);
   layout layout (layout, radios, 1, 4);
   layout popup(layout, popup, 1, 5);
   layout listbox(layout, listbox, 1, 6);
   layout slider(layout, slider, 1, 7);
   layout updown(layout, updown, 1, 8);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 0, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 8, ekLEFT);
    return layout;
```

Now we will link the cells of our layout with the fields of the structure (Listing 18.21). Pay attention that we have **not yet created any object** of type BasicTypes. Therefore, it is a semantic link where memory positions do not intervene, but the displacements (offset) of the fields within the data structure.

- Use cell dbind to bind a field to an individual cell.
- Use layout dbind to link a structure with a layout.
- Use layout cell to get a cell from a Layout.

Listing 18.21: Binding variables with cells in the layout.

```
cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 0), BasicTypes, String*, str val);
cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 1), BasicTypes, String*, str val);
```

```
cell_dbind(layout_cell(layout, 1, 2), BasicTypes, bool_t, bool_val);
cell_dbind(layout_cell(layout, 1, 3), BasicTypes, gui_state_t, enum3_val);
cell_dbind(layout_cell(layout, 1, 4), BasicTypes, uint16_t, uint16_val);
cell_dbind(layout_cell(layout, 1, 5), BasicTypes, myenum_t, enum_val);
cell_dbind(layout_cell(layout, 1, 6), BasicTypes, myenum_t, enum_val);
cell_dbind(layout_cell(layout, 1, 7), BasicTypes, real32_t, real32_val);
cell_dbind(layout_cell(layout, 1, 8), BasicTypes, real32_t, real32_val);
layout_dbind(layout, NULL, BasicTypes);
```

When linking a data structure with layout_dbind we must bear in mind that the cells of said layout can only be associated with fields of the same structure. Otherwise, we will get a run-time error, due to the data inconsistency that would occur. In other words, we cannot mix structures within the same layout.

Isolated variables cannot be used in Data Binding. They must all belong to a struct since, internally, the relations (Layout -> Struct) and (Cell -> Field or Variable) are established.

Finally, we will associate an object of type BasicTypes with the layout created previously (Listing 18.22).

• Use layout dbind obj to bind an object to the user interface.

Listing 18.22: Binding an object to the interface.

```
BasicTypes *data = heap_new(BasicTypes);
data->bool_val = TRUE;
data->uint16_val = 4;
data->real32_val = 15.5f;
data->enum3_val = ekGUI_MIXED;
data->enum_val = ekCYAN;
data->str_val = str_c("Text String");
layout_dbind_obj(layout, data, BasicTypes);
```

- You can change the object being "edited" at any time, with a new call to layout_dbind_obj
- If we pass NULL to layout_dbind_obj the cells linked to fields of the structure will be disabled.

18.21.2. Limits and ranges

Keep in mind that the expressiveness of controls will, generally, be well below the range of values supported by data types (Listing 18.23). For example, if we link a uint16_t with a RadioGroup the latter will only support values between 0 and n-1, where n is the total number of radios. The controls are set up to handle out-of-range values as consistently as

possible, but this does not exempt the programmer from getting it right. In (Table 18.5) you have a summary of the data types and ranges supported by the standard controls.

Listing 18.23: Value not representable in the RadioGroup of (Figure 18.80).

```
data->uint16 val = 1678;
cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 4), BasicTypes, uint16 t, uint16 val);
```

Control	Data Type	
"Label" (page 306)	String, Number, Enum	
"Edit" (page 310)	String, Number	
"Button" (page 307) (CheckBox)	Boolean	
"Button" (page 307) (CheckBox3)	Enum (3 values), Integer (0,1,2)	
"RadioGroup" (page 309)	Enum, Integer (0,1,2n-1)	
"PopUp" (page 310)	Enum, Integer (0,1,2n-1)	
"ListBox" (page 314)	Enum, Integer (0,1,2n-1)	
"Slider" (page 316)	Number (minmax)	
"UpDown" (page 314)	Enum, Number	

Table 18.5: Data types and ranges of GUI controls.

18.21.3. **Nested structures**

Let's now look at a somewhat more complicated data model, which includes nested structures in addition to the basic types (Figure 18.81). In this case we have a structure called StructTypes that contains instances of another structure called Vector (Listing 18.24). You can find the complete source code for this second example at "Hello Struct Binding!" (page 536).

Listing 18.24: Data model with nested structures and registry in dbind.

```
typedef struct vector t Vector;
typedef struct structtypes t StructTypes;
struct vector t
   real32 t x;
   real32 t y;
   real32 t z;
};
struct structtypes t
```

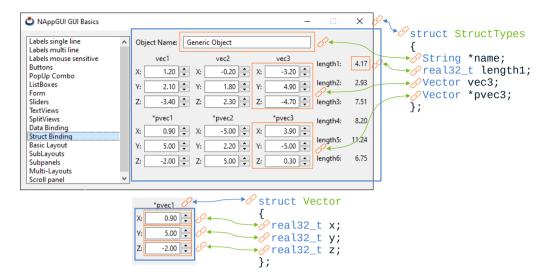


Figure 18.81: Data binding with substructures.

```
String *name;
    Vector vec1;
    Vector vec2;
    Vector vec3;
    Vector *pvec1;
    Vector *pvec2;
    Vector *pvec3;
    real32 t length1;
    real32 t length2;
    real32 t length3;
    real32 t length4;
    real32 t length5;
    real32 t length6;
};
dbind(Vector, real32 t, x);
dbind(Vector, real32 t, y);
dbind(Vector, real32 t, z);
dbind(StructTypes, String*, name);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector, vec1);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector, vec2);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector, vec3);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector*, pvec1);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector*, pvec2);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector*, pvec3);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length1);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length2);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length3);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length4);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length5);
```

```
dbind(StructTypes, real32_t, length6);
dbind_range(Vector, real32_t, x, -5, 5);
dbind_range(Vector, real32_t, y, -5, 5);
dbind_range(Vector, real32_t, z, -5, 5);
dbind_increment(Vector, real32_t, x, .1f);
dbind_increment(Vector, real32_t, y, .1f);
dbind_increment(Vector, real32_t, z, .1f);
```

We started with the same methodology that we used with the first example. We create a layout and link it with the Vector structure (Listing 18.25). This does not present problems, as it is composed exclusively of basic types real 32 t.

Listing 18.25: Layout for editing objects of type Vector.

```
static Layout *i vector_layout(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(3, 3);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Edit *edit1 = edit create();
   Edit *edit2 = edit create();
   Edit *edit3 = edit create();
   UpDown *updown1 = updown create();
   UpDown *updown2 = updown create();
   UpDown *updown3 = updown create();
   label text(label1, "X:");
   label_text(label2, "Y:");
   label text(label3, "Z:");
   edit align(edit1, ekRIGHT);
   edit align(edit2, ekRIGHT);
   edit align(edit3, ekRIGHT);
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label3, 0, 2);
   layout edit(layout, edit1, 1, 0);
   layout edit(layout, edit2, 1, 1);
   layout edit(layout, edit3, 1, 2);
   layout updown(layout, updown1, 2, 0);
   layout updown(layout, updown2, 2, 1);
   layout updown(layout, updown3, 2, 2);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 0), Vector, real32 t, x);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 1), Vector, real32 t, y);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 2), Vector, real32 t, z);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 0), Vector, real32 t, x);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 1), Vector, real32 t, y);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 2), Vector, real32 t, z);
   layout dbind(layout, NULL, Vector);
   return layout;
```

The idea now is to use this function to create "Sub-layouts" (page 340) and associate them to cells of a higher level layout, which can support objects of type StructTypes (Listing 18.26). Sub-layouts of type Vector are linked to the fields {Vector vec1, Vector * pvec1, ...} using cell_dbind, so similar to how we did it with the basic types.

Listing 18.26: Layout that supports objects of type StructTypes.

```
static Layout *i struct types layout(void)
   Layout *layout1 = i create layout();
   Layout *layout2 = i vector layout();
   Layout *layout3 = i vector layout();
   Layout *layout4 = i vector layout();
   Layout *layout5 = i vector layout();
   Layout *layout6 = i vector layout();
   Layout *layout7 = i vector layout();
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout layout(layout1, layout3, 1, 0);
   layout layout(layout1, layout4, 2, 0);
   layout layout(layout1, layout5, 0, 1);
   layout layout(layout1, layout6, 1, 1);
   layout layout(layout1, layout7, 2, 1);
   layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 2);
   layout label(layout1, label2, 1, 2);
   layout label(layout1, label3, 2, 2);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 0), StructTypes, Vector, vec1);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 1, 0), StructTypes, Vector, vec2);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 2, 0), StructTypes, Vector, vec3);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 1), StructTypes, Vector*, pvec1);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 1, 1), StructTypes, Vector*, pvec2);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 2, 1), StructTypes, Vector*, pvec3);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 2), StructTypes, real32 t, length1);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 1, 2), StructTypes, real32 t, length2);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 2, 2), StructTypes, real32 t, length3);
   layout dbind(layout1, NULL, StructTypes);
   return lavout1;
```

And finally, we only have to link objects of type StructTypes with the main layout (Listing 18.27). DBind will detect sub-layouts of type Vector and will automatically associate the corresponding sub-objects (by value or by pointer). Therefore, only one call to layout dbind obj will be necessary (the one of the main object).

Listing 18.27: Associate object and sub-objects to a layout.

```
Layout *layout = i struct types layout();
data->name = str c("Generic Object");
data->pvec1 = heap new(Vector);
data->pvec2 = heap new(Vector);
data->pvec3 = heap new(Vector);
data - vec1 = i vec init(1.2f, 2.1f, -3.4f);
data - vec2 = i vec init(-0.2f, 1.8f, 2.3f);
data - vec3 = i vec init(-3.2f, 4.9f, -4.7f);
*data->pvec1 = i vec init(0.9f, 7.9f, -2.0f);
*data->pvec2 = i vec init(-6.9f, 2.2f, 8.6f);
*data->pvec3 = i vec init(3.9f, -5.5f, 0.3f);
data->length1 = i vec length(&data->vec1);
data->length2 = i vec length(&data->vec2);
data->length3 = i vec length(&data->vec3);
data->length4 = i vec length(data->pvec1);
data->length5 = i vec length(data->pvec2);
data->length6 = i vec length(data->pvec3);
layout dbind obj(layout, data, StructTypes);
```

In summary:

- For each sub-structure we create a sub-layout, linking the fields locally.
- The cells that contain these sub-layouts will be linked to the main structure.
- We assign the object to edit to the main layout.

18.21.4. Notifications and calculated fields

If we apply what was seen in the previous sections, the synchronization between data and interface is carried out in these two situations:

- When the program calls layout_dbind_obj. At that time the interface will reflect the state of the object.
- When the user manipulates any control, then the object's value will be updated.

However, it is possible that the program must be notified when the user modifies the object, in order to carry out certain actions (update drawings, save data in files, launch calculus algorithms, etc.). This will be resolved by events, as reflected in (Figure 18.82). On the other hand, the program can alter the values of certain fields of the object and must notify the changes to the interface (layout) so that it remains updated.

- Use layout dbind to include a listener that notifies changes to the application.
- Use evbind_object to obtain, within the callback, the object that is being edited.
- Use event_sender to obtain, within the callback, the layout that sent the notification.

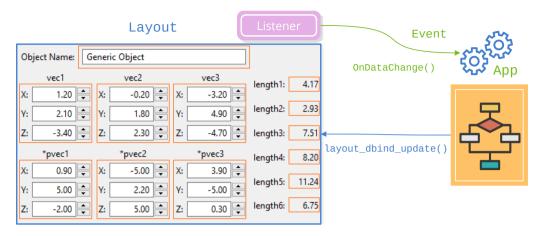


Figure 18.82: Notification of value change to main program.

- Use evbind_modify to know, inside the callback, if a field of the object has changed or not.
- Use layout_dbind_update to notify the layout that a field of the object has been modified by the application.

All of this can be seen in (Listing 18.28). Every time the user changes any StructTypes value, a notification of type ekGUI_EVENT_OBJCHANGE will be launched that will check if the vec1 field has changed. If so, its length will be recalculated and the GUI controls associated with that variable will be updated.

Listing 18.28: Notification of object values modification.

```
static void i_OnDataChange(App *app, Event *e)
{
    StructTypes *data = evbind_object(e, StructTypes);
    Layout *layout = event_sender(e, Layout);
    cassert(event_type(e) == ekgUI_EVENT_OBJCHANGE);

    if (evbind_modify(e, StructTypes, Vector, vec1) == TRUE)
    {
        app_update_drawing(app);
        data->length1 = i_vec_length(&data->vec1);
        layout_dbind_update(layout, StructTypes, real32_t, length1);
    }
}
layout_dbind(layout, listener(app, i_OnDataChange, App), StructTypes);
```

If, for some reason, the modified value is not allowed by the application, it can be reverted by returning FALSE as a result of the event (Listing 18.29).

Listing 18.29: Canceling changes made by the user.

```
static void i OnDataChange (App *app, Event *e)
    StructTypes *data = evbind object(e, StructTypes);
    Layout *layout = event sender(e, Layout);
    if (evbind modify(e, StructTypes, Vector, vec1) == TRUE)
        real32 t length = i vec length(&data->vec1);
        if (length < 5.f)
        {
            app update drawing(app);
            data->length1 = length;
            layout dbind update(layout, StructTypes, real32 t, length1);
        }
        else
        {
            // This will REVERT the changes in 'vec1' variable
            bool t *res = event result(e, bool t);
            *res = FALSE;
        }
    }
}
```

18.22. Menu

A Menu is nothing more than a container (or window) that integrates a series of options, also called items or **MenuItems** (Figure 18.83). Each one of them have a short text, optionally an icon and optionally also a keyboard shortcut, such as the classic Ctrl +C/Ctrl+V to copy and paste. Additionally, an item can house a submenu forming a hierarchy with different levels of depth. In "Products" (page 437) you have a sample application that uses menus.

The concept of the menu, like that of the window, exists from the origin of the graphic interfaces. The first computer to incorporate them was the Xerox Alto that appeared in 1973 and its commercial successor the Xerox Star. Concepts still very alive today such as: Menu, Window, Icon, Desk, or Mouse were already present on these computers that served as inspiration to Steve Jobs in the creation of Apple Lisa (Figure 18.84), predecessor of Machintosh and inspirer of Microsoft Windows.

18.23. Menultem

Represents an option within a "Menu" (page 367). They will always have an associated action that will be executed when activated.

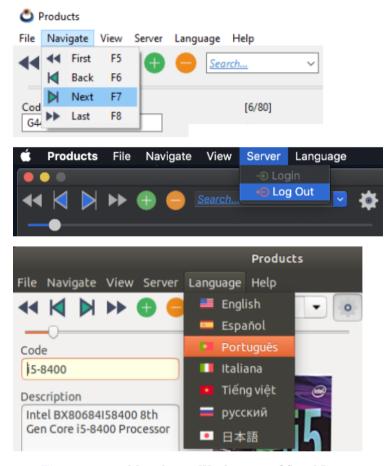


Figure 18.83: Menu bar in Windows, macOS and Linux.

- Use menuitem create to create an item.
- Use menuitem text to assign a text.
- Use menuitem image to assign an icon.

18.24. Common dialogs

Common dialogs are default windows provided by the operating system to perform daily tasks such as: Open files (Figure 18.85), select colors, fonts, etc. Its use is doubly beneficial. On the one hand we avoid programming them as part of the application and, on the other, we take advantage of the user's previous knowledge since they will surely have been used in other programs.

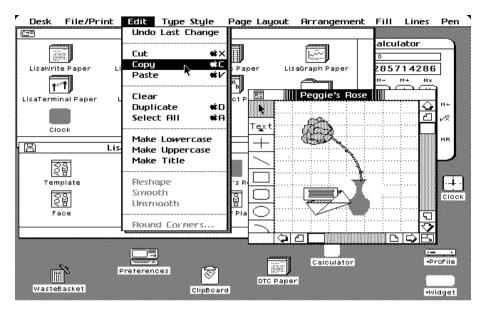


Figure 18.84: The Apple Lisa was one of the first systems to incorporate menus as part of the graphical interface.

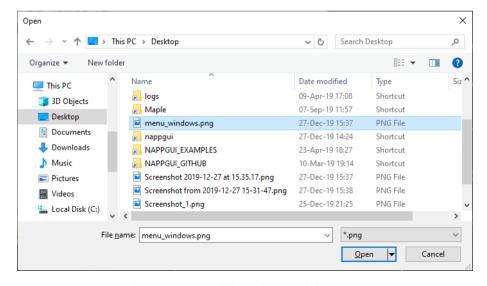


Figure 18.85: File explorer in Windows.

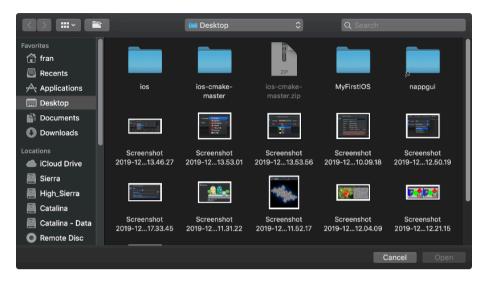


Figure 18.86: File explorer in macOS.

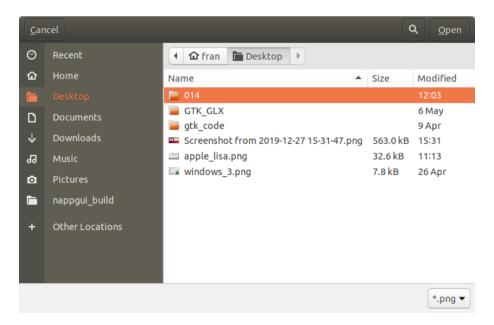


Figure 18.87: File explorer in Linux.

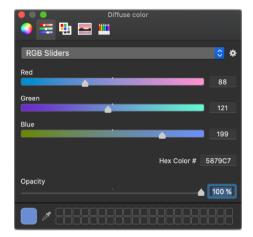


Figure 18.88: Color selection in macOS.

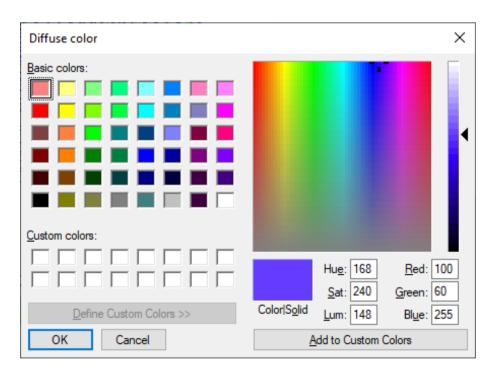


Figure 18.89: Color selection in Windows.

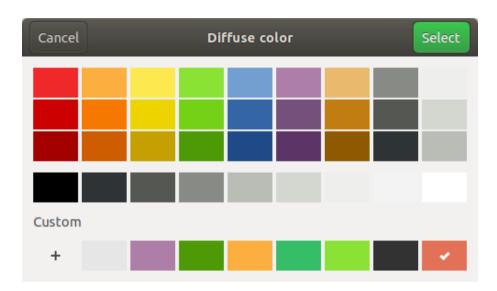


Figure 18.90: Color selection in Linux.

OSApp library

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19.1. **OSApp**

The *OSApp* library starts and manages the **message cycle** of a desktop application (Figure 19.1). Although the **Gui** library could be integrated into existing applications through a *plugin*, if we want to create an application from scratch, we will need to manage the events that the operating system sends to the program.

- Use osmain to start a desktop application.
- Use osapp_finish to end a desktop application.

19.2. main() and osmain()

The classic main function is the starting point of any C/C++ command line program (Figure 19.2). Its operation does not involve any difficulty and can be summarized in:

- 1 The operating system loads the program into memory and calls the function main() to start its execution.
- 2 The sentences are executed sequentially and in the order in which they are written. This order can be altered by means of control sentences (for, if, switch, etc.) or function calls.

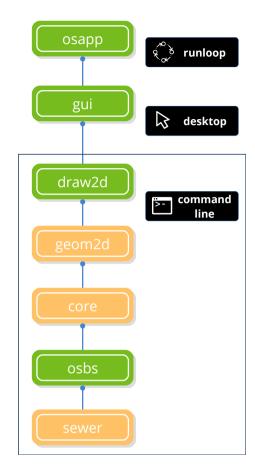


Figure 19.1: OSApp dependencies. See "NAppGUI API" (page 147).

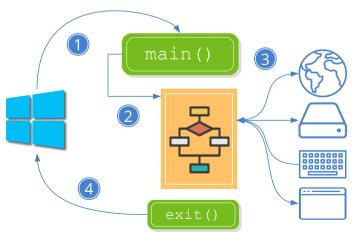


Figure 19.2: Running a console C application.

• 3 If input/output is necessary, the program will wait for the communication to end and continue with the execution.

• 4 When the end of the function is reached main () or an exit() sentence is executed, the program will end and the operating system will download it from memory.

However, in desktop applications (event driven), the execution cycle is a bit more complicated. In essence, the program is continuously executing a loop waiting for the user to perform some action (Figure 19.3) (Listing 19.1). In "Hello World!" (page 23) you have a simple example:

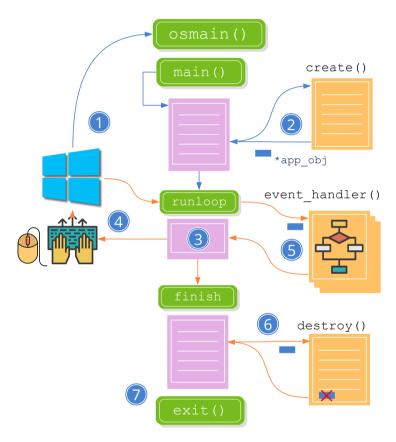


Figure 19.3: Running a desktop C application.

- 1 The operating system loads the program into memory and calls the main () function. Now it is encapsulated inside the osmain macro which initiates certain structures necessary for event capture and management.
- ② At some point in this initial process, the application constructor will be called (the first parameter of osmain()) that the main object should create. Since the program is continuously returning control to the operating system, the state of the data and windows will be maintained in this object.

• 3 Once initialized, the application will enter a loop known as a **message cycle** (Figure 19.4), while waiting for the user to perform some action on the program interface.

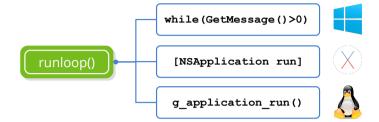


Figure 19.4: Message cycle implementation.

- 4 When this occurs, the operating system will capture the event and send it to the application.
- ⑤ If the application has defined a handle for that event, it will be invoked and the response code will be executed. An application can receive hundreds of messages but will only respond to those it deems necessary, ignoring the rest.
- 6 There is a special **exit** event that is generated by calling <code>osapp_finish</code>. When this happens, <code>osmain()</code> start freeing up resources and preparing a clean exit. At some point the destructor of the application will be called (second parameter of <code>osmain()</code>) to do its part of the job, closing possible open files and destroying the main object.
- 7 The operating system unload the application from memory.
- The pink blocks are platform dependent and are implemented within NAppGUI.
- The orange blocks are multiplatform (fully portable) and are implemented within the application.

Listing 19.1: Elementary skeleton of a desktop application.

```
typedef struct _app_t App;
struct _app_t
{
    // Program data
    Window *window;
};

static App* i_create(void)
{
    App *app = heap_new(App);
    // Init program data, GUI and Event handlers
    app->window = ...
    return app;
}
```

```
static void i destroy(App *app)
    // Destroy program data
    window destroy(&(*app)->window);
    heap delete(app, App);
osmain(i create, i destroy, "", App);
```

19.3. **Synchronous applications**

Certain types of applications including video games, media players or simulators, need to be updated at regular intervals, whether or not the user intervenes (Figure 19.5) (Listing 19.2). For these cases we will need a variant of osmain, which accepts an update function and a time interval. In "Bricks" (page 411) you have an example.

• Use osmain sync to start a synchronous application.

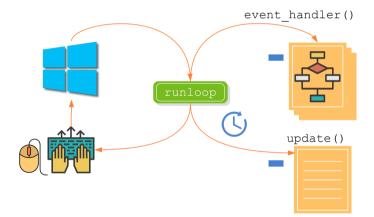


Figure 19.5: Events in synchronous applications.

Listing 19.2: Elemental skeleton of a synchronous application.

```
typedef struct app t App;
struct app t
    // Program data
   Window *window;
};
static App* i create(void)
   App *app = heap new(App);
    // Init program data, GUI and Event handlers
   app->window = ...
    return app;
}
```

19.4. Multi-threaded tasks

Both synchronous and asynchronous applications execute the message cycle on a single CPU thread. This means that if, in response to an event, a relatively slow task must be executed, the application will be "frozen" until it is finished (Figure 19.6)(a). This will produce an unwanted effect since the program will not respond for a few seconds, giving the impression that it has been blocked. The solution is to launch a task in parallel (Figure 19.6)(b) (Listing 19.3), quickly release the thread that manages the GUI. In "Multi-threaded login" (page 452) you have an example of the use of tasks.

• Use osapp task to launch a new task in a parallel thread.

Listing 19.3: New task in a parallel thread.

```
// Runs in new thread
static uint32_t i_task_main(TaskData *data)
{
    // Do the task work here!
}

// Runs in GUI thread
static void i_task_update(TaskData *data)
{
    // Update the GUI here!
}

// Runs in GUI thread
static void i_task_end(TaskData *data, const uint32_t rvalue)
{
    // Finish task code here!
}

osapp task(tdata, .04, i task main, i task update, i task end, TaskData);
```

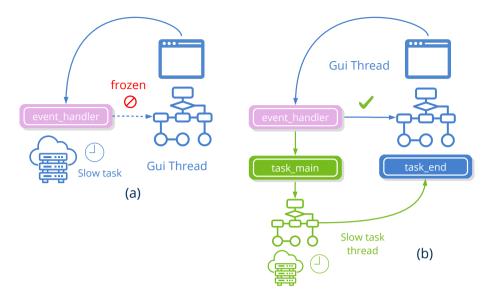


Figure 19.6: (a) Interface lock due to a slow function. (b) Slow function in a parallel thread.

The new thread will begin its execution in task_main. This function **should not** access the interface elements, just perform calculations or input/output tasks. If it is necessary to update the GUI for the duration of the task (increasing a progress bar or similar), it must be done in task_update, indicating in updtime the update interval. The new thread will end when it returns from task_main, moment to be called task_end in the main thread. Obviously, if both threads access shared variables, they must be protected by a Mutex.

INet library

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20.1. INet

The **INet** library implements general Internet protocols. Although "Sockets" (page 181) allow us to open a communication channel between two remote machines, it is necessary to define a format for the messages that both interlocutors will exchange, in order for communication to be carried out satisfactorily. Any modern operating system provides APIs to use the most popular Internet services, like HTTP. INet accesses this functionality under a common unified and simplified interface (Figure 20.1).

20.2. HTTP

It is common for an application to need information beyond that stored on the computer itself. The simplest and most common way to share information is to store it on a Web Server and publish a URL that provides the desired content (Figure 20.2). This client/server scheme uses the HTTP/HTTPS protocol, which was originally designed to transmit HTML documents between web servers and browsers. Due to the great impact

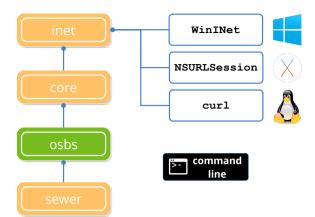


Figure 20.1: *INet* dependencies. See "*NAppGUI API*" (page 147) .

it has had over the years, its use has been expanding for the exchange of structured information between any application that "understands" HTTP. The response from the server will usually be a block of text formatted in JSON or XML.



Figure 20.2: Requesting a remote resource using HTTP.

- Use http_dget to download a resource from its "URL" (page 391) (Listing 20.1).
- Use http create to create an HTTP session.
- Use http secure to create an HTTPS session (encrypted).

Listing 20.1: Direct download of content from a URL.

On the other hand, if we are going to make successive calls to the same server or if we need more control over the HTTP headers, we must create a session (Listing 20.2).

```
Stream *webpage = NULL;
Http *http = http secure("nappqui.com", UINT16 MAX);
if (http get(http, "/en/start/win mac linux.html", NULL, 0, NULL) == TRUE)
    if (http response status(http) == 200)
        webpage = stm memory(1024);
        if (http response body(http, webpage, NULL) == FALSE)
            stm close(&webpage);
    }
http destroy(&http);
if (webpage != NULL)
{
    stm close(&webpage);
```

20.3. **JSON**

JSON JavaScript Object Notation, is a data format in text mode that allows to easily represent basic types, objects and arrays. Although its use has become popular in the Web environment, it can also be used for other purposes, such as configuration files or local exchange. Its syntax is easy to understand for humans and simple to process for machines. In (Listing 20.3) we reproduce a small fragment of the JSON response of a Web service:

Listing 20.3: JSON fragment returned by a Web Service.

```
"code":0,
"size":80,
"data":[
    "id":0,
    "code":"i7-8700K",
    "description": "Intel BX80684I78700K 8th Gen Core i7-8700K Processor",
    type":0,
    "price":374.89,
    "image": "cpu 00.jpg",
    "image64":"\/9j\/4AAQSkZJRgABAQ...."
},
    "id":1,
    "code": "G3930",
```

```
"description":"Intel BX80677G3930 7th Gen Celeron Desktop Processors",
    "type":0,
    "price":51.95,
    "image":"cpu_01.jpg",
    "image64":"\/9j\/4AAQSkZJRgABAQAAAQABAAD..."
},
...
]
```

In its structure we can find these data types:

- Booleans: Represented by constants true or false.
- Numbers: Use the exponential notation of C for floating-point values: 2.3, .76, .0.54 or 5.6e12 they are valid examples of numerical values. JSON does not distinguish between integers, negatives or reals.
- Strings: Any text in quotes is considered a string. Supports any Unicode character in "UTF-8" (page 160) or through the escape sequence $< c > \uXXXX < / c > to$ indicate the codepoint.
- Arrays: Lists of items delimited by brackets [...] and separated by commas. The values do not have to be the same type as usually happens in some programming languages (Listing 20.4).

```
Listing 20.4: JSON array
```

```
[ "Red", "Green", "Blue", "Yellow" ]
```

• **Objects:** They are delimited by keys and composed of several fields separated by commas. Each field is formed by an identifier (string) followed by a colon and a value that can be any simple type, object or array (Listing 20.5).

Listing 20.5: JSON object

```
"field1" : true,
   "field2" : 24.67,
   "field3" : "Hello Pibe",
   "field4" : [1, 2, 4, 8.4],
   "field5" : { "x" : 34.32, "y" : -6.19 }
}
```

- **null:** Indicates the absence of value.
- Binaries: JSON does not support binary data so opaque objects (images, for example) must be encoded in text and transmitted as a string type value. The most

widespread and globally supported format is the "Base64" (page 392) where each character represents 6 bits of information.

NAppGUI's JSON parser automatically transforms Image objects to Base64 and viceversa, allowing images to be embedded as data fields.

20.3.1. JSON parsing and conversion to data in C

NAppGUI allows automatic parsing of Json information.

- Use json_read to translate a Json to C.
- Use json destroy to destroy a previously read object.

Next we will show different examples with basic types, arrays and objects. In "Read-/Write Json" (page 655) you have the complete code. The first step is to create a Stream with the content of the Json (Listing 20.6):

Listing 20.6: Create a Stream with Json data.

```
/* Json data from web service */
Stream *stm = http_dget("http://serv.nappgui.com/dproducts.php", NULL, NULL);
/* Json data from disk file */
Stream *stm = hfile_stream("/home/fran/appdata/products.json", NULL);
/* Json data from memory block */
const char_t *data = "[12, 34, 67, 45]";
Stream *stm = stm_from_block((const byte_t*)data, str_len_c(data));
```

The Stream should be destroyed with stm_close at the end of the analysis.

Later we will use json_read indicating the expected data type of the Json.

Listing 20.7: Json boolean.

```
json: true

bool_t *json = json_read(stm, NULL, bool_t);
bstd_printf("Json boolean: %d\n", *json);
json_destroy(&json, bool_t);
```

Listing 20.8: Json number.

```
json: 6654

uint16_t *json = json_read(stm, NULL, uint16_t);
bstd_printf("Json unsigned int: %d\n", *json);
json_destroy(&json, uint16_t);
```

Listing 20.9: Json string.

```
json: "Hello World"

String *json = json_read(stm, NULL, String);
bstd_printf("Json string: %s\n", tc(json));
json_destroy(&json, String);
```

Listing 20.10: Json string/b64 image (jpg, png, bmp).

```
json: "/9j/4QB4RXhpZgAASUkqAAgAAA..."

Image *json = json_read(stm, NULL, Image);
uint32_t width = image_width(json);
uint32_t height = image_height(json);
bstd_printf("Json image: width: %d height: %d\n", width, height);
json_destroy(&json, Image);
```

Listing 20.11: Json integer array

Listing 20.12: Json string array

```
json: [ "Red", "Green", "Blue", "Yellow", "Orange" ]

ArrPt(String) *json = json_read(stm, NULL, ArrPt(String));
bstd_printf("Json array: ");
arrpt_foreach(str, json, String)
    bstd_printf("%s ", tc(str));
arrpt_end()
bstd_printf("\n");
json_destroy(&json, ArrPt(String));
```

For the analysis of objects it is necessary that we register with "Data binding" (page 227) their structure, in such a way that the types and names of the fields of the Json object coincide with the struct from C. Given this Json:

Listing 20.13: Json object

```
"size" : 3,
"data" : [
```

```
{
    "description" : "Intel i7-7700K",
    "price" : 329.99
},
{
    "description" : "Ryzen-5-1600",
    "price" : 194.99
},
{
    "description" : "GTX-1060",
    "price" : 449.99
}
```

We define these structs and register them:

Listing 20.14: Structures that will hold the data of the Json object.

```
typedef struct _product_t Product;
typedef struct _products_t Products;

struct _product_t
{
    String *description;
    real32_t price;
};

struct _products_t
{
    uint32_t size;
    ArrSt(Product) *data;
};

DeclSt(Product);

dbind(Product, String*, description);
dbind(Product, real32_t, price);
dbind(Products, uint32_t, size);
dbind(Products, ArrSt(Product)*, data);
```

This way we can now call json read:

Listing 20.15: Reading the Json object.

```
bstd_printf("\n");
json_destroy(&json, Products);
```

json_read() ignores (skips) those fields of Json objects that are not registered with dbind. In no case will they generate caches or dynamic memory.

20.3.2. Mapping between Json and C

json_read recognizes the basic NAppGUI types, as well as String, Image, ArrSt, and ArrPt. Will not work with other data types such as int or float. It will also not recognize the STL structures vector, map, etc. In (Table 20.1) we show the equivalence between the fields of a Json and the C types that we need to map it correctly.

Json	C	
boolean	bool_t	true, false
number	int8_t, int16_t, int32_t, int64_t	-6785, 45, 0
number	uint8_t, uint16_t, uint32_t, uint64_t	1, 36734, 255, 0, 14
number	real32_t, real64_t	67.554, -3.456, 1.5e7
string	String	"Intel Celeron", "Red"
string	Image	"/9j/4QB4RXhpZgAASUkqAAg
array	ArrSt(uint16_t)	[12, 111, 865]
array	ArrSt(real32_t)	[-34.89, 0.0001, 567.45, 1e6
array	ArrPt(String)	["red", "green", "blue"]
array	ArrPt(Image)	["/9j/4QB4RXh", "/9j/4QB4RX
object	struct Product ("Data binding" (page 227))	{ "description" : "i7-8700K", " "price
array	ArrSt(Product)	[{ "description" : "i7-8700K", " "price"
array	ArrPt(Product)	[{ "description" : "i7-8700K", " "price"

Table 20.1: Equivalence between Json and NAppGUI types.

20.3.3. Convert from C to JSON

• Use json_write to write data/objects from C to Json.

Based again on (Table 20.1), let's do the reverse process and generate Json data from C types and objects. First, create a write stream to hold the result (Listing 20.16):

Listing 20.16: Create a write Stream.

```
/* Write stream in memory */
Stream *stm = stm_memory(2048);

/* Write stream in disk */
Stream *stm = stm_to_file("/home/fran/appdata/products.json", NULL);
```

The Stream should be destroyed with stm close when it is no longer needed.

Later we will use json write indicating the expected data type of the Json.

Listing 20.17: Write boolean to Json.

```
bool_t data_bool = TRUE;
stm_writef(stm, "Json from bool_t: ");
json_write(stm, &data_bool, NULL, bool_t);

// Json from bool_t: true
```

Listing 20.18: Write integer to Json.

```
uint16_t data_uint = 6654;
stm_writef(stm, "Json from uint16_t: ");
json_write(stm, &data_uint, NULL, uint16_t);

// Json from uint16_t: 6654
```

Listing 20.19: Write String to Json.

```
String *data_str = str_c("Hello World");
stm_writef(stm, "Json from String: ");
json_write(stm, data_str, NULL, String);
str_destroy(&data_str);
// Json from String: "Hello World"
```

Listing 20.20: Write Image to Json.

```
Image *data_image = load_image();
stm_writef(stm, "Json from Image: ");
json_write(stm, data_image, NULL, Image);
image_destroy(&data_image);

// Json from Image: "iVBORwOKGgoAAAANSUhEUgAAAAIA..."
```

Listing 20.21: Write ArrSt(int16_t) to Json.

```
ArrSt(int16_t) *array = arrst_create(int16_t);
arrst_append(array, -321, int16_t);
```

```
arrst_append(array, 12, int16_t);
arrst_append(array, -8943, int16_t);
arrst_append(array, 228, int16_t);
arrst_append(array, -220, int16_t);
arrst_append(array, 347, int16_t);
stm_writef(stm, "Json from int array: ");
json_write(stm, array, NULL, Arrst(int16_t));
arrst_destroy(&array, NULL, int16_t);
// Json from int array: [ -321, 12, -8943, 228, -220, 347 ]
```

Listing 20.22: Write ArrPt(String) to Json.

```
ArrPt(String) *array = arrpt_create(String);
arrpt_append(array, str_c("Red"), String);
arrpt_append(array, str_c("Green"), String);
arrpt_append(array, str_c("Blue"), String);
arrpt_append(array, str_c("Yellow"), String);
arrpt_append(array, str_c("Orange"), String);
stm_writef(stm, "Json from string array: ");
json_write(stm, array, NULL, ArrPt(String));
arrpt_destroy(&array, str_destroy, String);

// Json from string array: [ "Red", "Green", "Blue", "Yellow", "Orange" ]
```

Listing 20.23: Write Products object to Json.

```
Products *products = heap new(Products);
products->size = 3;
products->data = arrst create(Product);
{
    Product *product = arrst new(products->data, Product);
    product->description = str c("Intel i7-7700K");
    product->price = 329.99f;
{
    Product *product = arrst new(products->data, Product);
    product->description = str c("Ryzen-5-1600");
   product->price = 194.99f;
    Product *product = arrst new(products->data, Product);
    product->description = str c("GTX-1060");
    product->price = 449.99f;
stm writef(stm, "Json from object: ");
json write(stm, products, NULL, Products);
```

20.4. URL

URL is the acronym for *Uniform Resource Locator* that identifies a unique resource on the Internet. The most common use is found when making requests to a Web server. For example https://www.google.com is a widely recognized and used URL. Being somewhat more specific, we can say that it is a string of characters with a specific format composed of a series of fields that allow unambiguously locating a unique global resource (Listing 20.24) (Figure 20.3).

Listing 20.24: Parsing a URL string.

- Scheme: Communication protocol used. http, https, ftp, smtp, mailto, etc.
- Authority: Access string to the server composed of several fields, where only the host name is required. The rest are optional.
 - **Host:** Server name or IP address.
 - User: User name. Optional, only if the service requires it.
 - Password: Password. Optional, only if the service requires it.
 - **Port:** Access port. Each protocol has a default port, which will be the one used if none is specified. 80 = http, 413 = https.
- **Resource:** Path within the server where the resource we are looking for is located. The *pathname* is the only one required.
 - Pathname: Directory and name of the file or resource.
 - Parameters: List of name = value arguments that the service may need. Not normally used. If there are multiple values, they are separated by the character '&'.

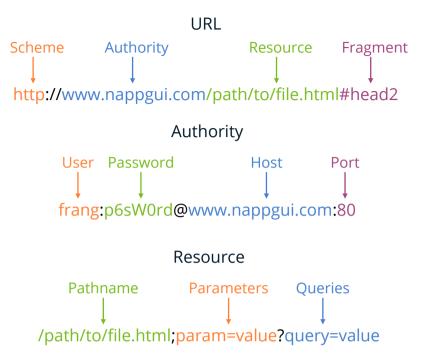


Figure 20.3: The different fields that make up a URL.

- Queries: List of name = value arguments that the service may need. These are the ones normally used by Web services. That is, in the URL you must use the '?' separator instead of ';' after the *pathname*. If there are multiple values, they are separated by the character '&'.
- **Fragment:** It is an anchor to a specific part of the document that we request from the server. Normally used to access a specific point in an HTML page.

20.5. Base64

Part 3 Sample Applications

Die

Beautiful code is likely to be simple – clear and easy to understand. Beautiful code is likely to be compact – just enough code to do the job and no more – but not cryptic, to the point where it cannot be understood. Beautiful code may well be general, solving a broad class of problems in a uniform way. One might even describe it as elegant, showing good taste and refinement.

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As the road is made by walking, we will devote a few chapters to deepen the use of NAppGUI hand in hand with real applications. Our goal is to present programs of a certain level, halfway between the simple "book examples" and the commercial applications. In this first demo we have a program that allows us to draw the silhouette of a die (Figure 21.1) and that will serve as an excuse to introduce concepts of parametric drawing, composition of layouts and use of resources. The source code is in folder /src/demo/die of the SDK distribution. In "Create new application" (page 71) and "Resources" (page 101) we saw how to create the project from scratch.

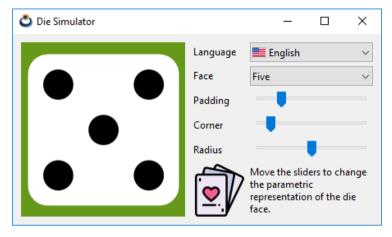


Figure 21.1: Die Simulator application, Windows version. Inspired by DieView (Cocoa Programming for OSX, Hillegass et al.)

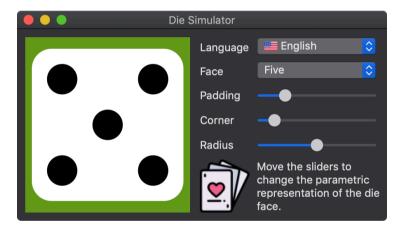


Figure 21.2: MacOS version.

21.1. Use of sublayouts

We started working on the user interface, which we have divided into two areas: a customized view (View) where we will draw the representation of the die in 2D, and a zone of controls where we can interact with this drawing. As we already saw in "Hello World!" (page 23) we will use Layout objects to locate the controls inside the main window. However, we observe that this arrangement of elements does not fit well in a single table, therefore, we will use two horizontal cells as the main container and a grid of two columns and six rows for the controls (Listing 21.1) (Listing 21.1). This second layout will be located in the right cell of the first container and we will say that it is a sublayout of the main layout.



Figure 21.3: Linux/GTK+ version.

Listing 21.1: Composition through sublayouts.

```
Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 6);
layout view(layout, view, 0, 0);
layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 0);
layout label(layout1, label2, 0, 1);
layout label(layout1, label3, 0, 2);
layout label(layout1, label4, 0, 3);
layout label(layout1, label5, 0, 4);
layout view(layout1, vimg, 0, 5);
layout popup(layout1, popup1, 1, 0);
layout popup(layout1, popup2, 1, 1);
layout slider(layout1, slider1, 1, 2);
layout slider(layout1, slider2, 1, 3);
layout slider(layout1, slider3, 1, 4);
layout label(layout1, label6, 1, 5);
layout layout(layout, layout1, 1, 0);
```

In the same way that we did in "Layout format" (page 29) we have established certain margins and a fixed width for the controls column.

Listing 21.2: Layout format

```
view_size(view, s2df(200.f, 200.f));
layout_margin(layout, 10.f);
layout_hsize(layout1, 1, 150.f);
layout_hmargin(layout, 0, 10.f);
layout_hmargin(layout1, 0, 5.f);
layout_vmargin(layout1, 0, 5.f);
layout_vmargin(layout1, 1, 5.f);
layout_vmargin(layout1, 2, 5.f);
```

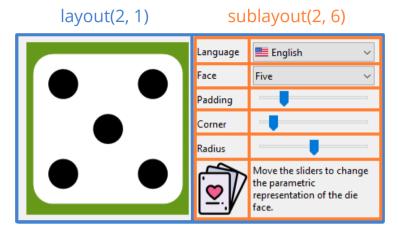


Figure 21.4: The use of sublayouts adds flexibility when designing the qui.

```
layout_vmargin(layout1, 3, 5.f);
layout_vmargin(layout1, 4, 5.f);
```

21.2. Use of Custom Views

View are controls that will allow us to design our own widgets. On the contrary that happens with another type of components, like "Slider" (page 316) or "Button" (page 307), here we will have total freedom to draw anything. We can interact with the control by capturing its events (mouse, keyboard, etc) and implementing the appropriate handlers. These views are integrated into the layout like any other component (Listing 21.3).

Listing 21.3: Creating a custom view.

```
View *view = view_create();
view_size(view, s2df(200.f, 200.f));
layout_view(layout, view, 0, 0);
```

We can not draw inside a View whenever we want. We will have to make a request to the operating system through the method view_update (Listing 21.4), since the drawing area can affect overlapping windows and this must be managed centrally. When the control is ready to refresh, the system will send an event EvDraw that we must capture through view OnDraw.

Listing 21.4: Code basic of View refresh.

```
static void i_OnPadding(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvSlider *params = event_params(e, EvSlider);
```

```
app->padding = params->pos;
    view_update(app->view);
}

static void i_OnDraw(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvDraw *params = event_params(e, EvDraw);
    die_draw(params->context, params->width, params->height, app);
}

slider_OnMoved(slider1, listener(app, i_OnPadding, App));
view_OnDraw(view, listener(app, i_OnDraw, App));
```

Each time the user moves a slider (padding parameter, for example) the operating system captures the action and informs the application through the method i_OnPadding (Figure 21.5). Because the action involves a change in the drawing, this method calls view_update to inform the system again that the view must be updated. When it considers it appropriate, send the event EvDraw, which is captured by i_OnDraw where the drawing is regenerated with the new parameters.

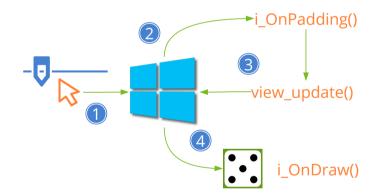


Figure 21.5: Understanding the event flow in interactive drawings.

21.3. Parametric drawing

Under this concept we describe the ability to generate vector images from a few numerical values known as parameters (Figure 21.6). It is used a lot in the computer-aided design (CAD), it allows you to make adjustments easily in planes or models without having to edit, one by one, a lot of primitives.

In our application, the representation of the die can change at runtime as the user manipulates the sliders or sizes the window, so we calculate the position and size of their primitives using parametric formulas. Once resolved, we created the drawing with three simple API commands "Drawing primitives" (page 267).

• draw_clear. Clear the entire drawing area using a solid color.

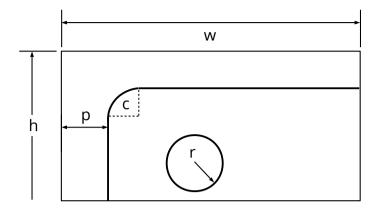


Figure 21.6: Principles of parametric drawing, applied in Die.

- draw rndrect. Draw a rectangle with rounded corners.
- draw circle. Draw a circle.

Listing 21.5: demo/casino/ddraw.c

```
/* Die drawing */
#include "ddraw.h"
#include <draw2d/draw2dall.h>
   → */
static const real32 t i MAX PADDING = 0.2f;
const real32 t kDEF PADDING = .15f;
const real32 t kDEF CORNER = .15f;
const real32 t kDEF RADIUS = .35f;
   → */
void die draw(DCtx *ctx, const real32 t x, const real32 t y, const

→ real32 t width, const real32 t height, const real32 t padding,

→ const real32 t corner, const real32 t radius, const uint32 t face)

    color t white = color rgb(255, 255, 255);
    color t black = color rgb(0, 0, 0);
    real32 t dsize, dx, dy;
    real32 t rc, rr;
    real32 t p1, p2, p3;
    dsize = width < height ? width : height;
    dsize -= bmath_floorf(2.f * dsize * padding * i_MAX_PADDING);
    dx = x + .5f * (width - dsize);
```

```
dy = y + .5f * (height - dsize);
rc = dsize * (.1f + .3f * corner);
rr = dsize * (.05f + .1f * radius);
p1 = 0.5f * dsize;
p2 = 0.2f * dsize;
p3 = 0.8f * dsize;
draw fill color(ctx, white);
draw rndrect(ctx, ekFILL, dx, dy, dsize, dsize, rc);
draw fill color(ctx, black);
if (face == 1 || face == 3 || face == 5)
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, dx + p1, dy + p1, rr);
if (face != 1)
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, dx + p3, dy + p2, rr);
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, dx + p2, dy + p3, rr);
if (face == 4 || face == 5 || face == 6)
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, dx + p2, dy + p2, rr);
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, dx + p3, dy + p3, rr);
if (face == 6)
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, dx + p2, dy + p1, rr);
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, dx + p3, dy + p1, rr);
```

The drawing commands are reflected on a canvas, also known as context DCtx. This object reaches to i OnDraw as parameter of the event EvDraw. In this case, the canvas is provided by the View control itself, but it is also possible to create contexts to draw directly in memory.

21.4. Resizing

In this application, the window can be resized by stretching the cursor over its edges, which is common in desktop programs. Let's see some basic aspects about this feature not present in "Hello World!" (page 23), which had a static window. The first thing is to enable the option inside the window's constructor.

```
window create (ekWINDOW STDRES, &panel);
```

When a window changes in size, the inner controls should do so proportionally as well

as change its location within the panel. This management is carried out within each Layout object. When the window starts, the default size of each layout is calculated by applying the **natural sizing**, which is the result of the initial size of the controls plus the margins, as we saw in "Layout format" (page 29). When we stretch or contract the window, the pixel difference between natural and real dimensioning is distributed between the columns of the layout (Figure 21.7). The same happens with the vertical difference, which is distributed among its rows. If a cell contains a sublayout, this increment will be recursively distributed by its own columns and rows.

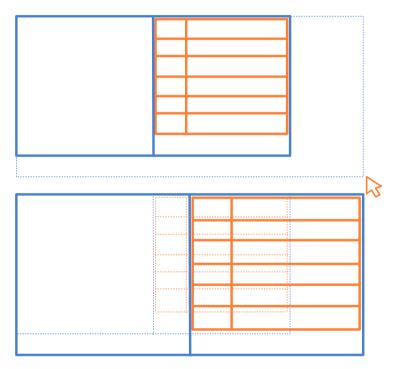


Figure 21.7: When resizing, the excess of pixels is distributed proportionally by the rows and columns of the Layout.

But in this particular case, we want the whole increment to go to the drawing area (column 0). In other words, we want the column of the controls to remain fixed and not grow (Figure 21.8). For this we must change the proportion of the resized:

layout_hexpand(layout, 0);

With this function 100% of the horizontal surplus will go to column 0. By default, they had a proportion of (50%, 50%) since they are two columns (33% for three, 25% for four, etc). With this we would have resolved the resizing for the X dimension of the window, but what happens with the vertical? In the main layout, we only have one row that, when expanded, will change the height of the custom view. But this expansion will also affect the

cell on the right, where the controls will also grow vertically due to the recursive increase of pixels in the sublayout rows. To solve it, we force the vertical alignment <code>ekTOP</code> in the right cell of the layout.

```
layout_valign(layout, 1, 0, ekTOP);
```

instead of ekJUSTIFY, which is the default alignment for sublayouts. In this way, the content of the cell (the entire sublayout) will not expand vertically, but it will adjust to the upper edge leaving all the free space in the lower part of the cell. Obviously, if we use ekcenter or ekbottom, the sublayout will center or adjust to the bottom edge.

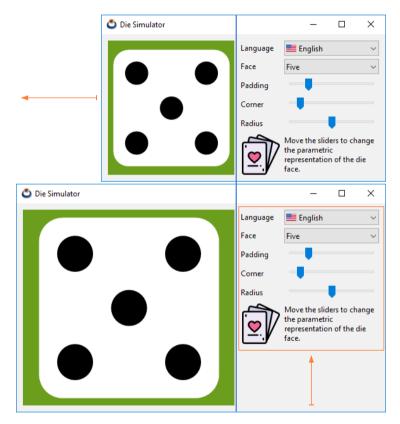


Figure 21.8: Playing with the horizontal ratio and vertical alignment, only the drawing area will be affected by the size changes.

21.5. Use of resources

Both the text and the icons that we have used in *Die* have been outsourced in the resource package all. Thanks to this, we can perform an automatic translation of the interface between the English and Spanish languages. You can check "Resources" (page 101)

to get detailed information on how text and images have been assigned in the program interface.

Listing 21.6: demo/die/res/res_die/strings.msg

```
/* Die strings */
TEXT FACE
              Face
TEXT PADDING
               Padding
TEXT CORNER
               Corner
TEXT RADIUS
               Radius
TEXT ONE
                One
TEXT TWO
                Two
TEXT THREE
               Three
TEXT FOUR
               Four
TEXT FIVE
               Five
TEXT SIX
               Six
TEXT TITLE
               Die Simulator
TEXT INFO Move the sliders to change the parametric representation of the
   \hookrightarrow die face.
TEXT LANG
              Language
TEXT ENGLISH
               English
TEXT SPANISH
                Spanish
```

Listing 21.7: demo/die/res/res_die/es_es/strings.msg

```
/* Die strings */
TEXT FACE
               Cara
TEXT PADDING
               Margen
TEXT CORNER
               Borde
TEXT RADIUS
               Radio
TEXT ONE
               Uno
TEXT TWO
               Dos
TEXT THREE
               Tres
TEXT FOUR
               Cuatro
TEXT FIVE
               Cinco
TEXT SIX
               Seis
TEXT TITLE
               Simulador de dado
TEXT INFO
             Mueve los sliders para cambiar la representación paramétrica de
   → la cara del dado.
TEXT LANG
               Idioma
TEXT ENGLISH
               Inglés
TEXT SPANISH
               Español
```

21.6. Die and Dice

This application has been used as a guiding thread of the "Create new application" (page 71) chapter and following from the NAppGUI tutorial. The complete example consists of two applications (**Die** and **Dice**), as well as the **casino** library that groups the

common routines for both programs (Figure 21.9). You have the three complete projects ready to compile and test in the folder src/demo of SDK distribution.

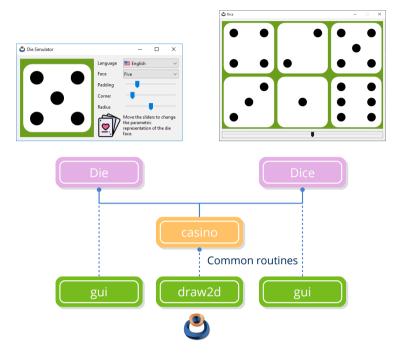


Figure 21.9: Common routines for both applications are shared through the **casino** library.

21.7. The complete Die program

Listing 21.8: demo/die/die.hxx

```
/* Die Types */
#ifndef __DIE_HXX__
#define __DIE_HXX__

#include <gui/gui.hxx>

typedef struct _app_t App;

struct _app_t
{
    real32_t padding;
    real32_t corner;
    real32_t radius;
    uint32_t face;
    View *view;
```

```
Window *window;
};
#endif
```

Listing 21.9: demo/die/main.c

```
/* Die application */
#include "dqui.h"
#include <nappqui.h>
/*-----/
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
  osapp finish();
  unref(app);
  unref(e);
}
/*-----/
static App *i create(void)
  App *app = heap new0(App);
  app->padding = 0.2f;
  app->corner = 0.1f;
  app->radius = 0.5f;
  app->face = 5;
  app->window = dgui window(app);
  window_origin(app->window, v2df(200.f, 200.f));
  window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
  window show(app->window);
  return app;
/*-----/
static void i destroy(App **app)
  window destroy(&(*app)->window);
  heap delete(app, App);
/*-----/
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i_create, i_destroy, "", App)
```

```
/* Die Gui */
#include "dgui.h"
#include "ddraw.h"
#include "res die.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
static void i OnDraw(App *app, Event *e)
   color t green = color rgb(102, 153, 26);
   const EvDraw *params = event params(e, EvDraw);
   draw clear(params->ctx, green);
   die draw(params->ctx, 0, 0, params->width, params->height, app->padding,
      → app->corner, app->radius, app->face);
}
static void i OnAcceptFocus(App *app, Event *e)
   bool t *r = event result(e, bool t);
  unref(app);
   *r = FALSE;
/*-----*/
static void i OnFace(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvButton *params = event params(e, EvButton);
   app->face = params->index + 1;
   view update(app->view);
}
static void i OnPadding(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvSlider *params = event params(e, EvSlider);
   app->padding = params->pos;
   view update(app->view);
}
/*-----*/
static void i OnCorner(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvSlider *params = event params(e, EvSlider);
app->corner = params->pos;
```

```
view update(app->view);
}
static void i OnRadius(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvSlider *params = event params(e, EvSlider);
   app->radius = params->pos;
   view update(app->view);
}
                      _____*/
static void i OnLang(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvButton *params = event params(e, EvButton);
   const char t *lang = params->index == 0 ? "en us" : "es es";
   qui language (lang);
   unref(app);
}
                      _____
static Panel *i panel (App *app)
 {
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 6);
   View *view = view create();
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Label *label4 = label create();
   Label *label5 = label create();
   Label *label6 = label multiline();
   PopUp *popup1 = popup create();
   PopUp *popup2 = popup_create();
   Slider *slider1 = slider create();
   Slider *slider2 = slider create();
   Slider *slider3 = slider create();
   ImageView *img = imageview create();
   app->view = view;
   view size(view, s2df(200, 200));
   view OnDraw(view, listener(app, i OnDraw, App));
   view OnAcceptFocus(view, listener(app, i OnAcceptFocus, App));
   label text(label1, TEXT LANG);
   label text(label2, TEXT FACE);
   label text(label3, TEXT PADDING);
   label_text(label4, TEXT CORNER);
   label text(label5, TEXT RADIUS);
```

```
label text(label6, TEXT INFO);
    popup add elem (popup1, TEXT ENGLISH, qui image (USA PNG));
    popup add elem(popup1, TEXT SPANISH, qui image(SPAIN PNG));
    popup OnSelect(popup1, listener(app, i OnLang, App));
    popup add elem(popup2, TEXT ONE, NULL);
    popup add elem(popup2, TEXT TWO, NULL);
    popup add elem (popup2, TEXT THREE, NULL);
    popup_add_elem(popup2, TEXT FOUR, NULL);
    popup add elem(popup2, TEXT FIVE, NULL);
    popup add elem(popup2, TEXT SIX, NULL);
    popup OnSelect (popup2, listener (app, i OnFace, App));
    popup selected(popup2, app->face - 1);
    slider value(slider1, app->padding);
    slider value(slider2, app->corner);
    slider value(slider3, app->radius);
    slider OnMoved(slider1, listener(app, i OnPadding, App));
    slider OnMoved(slider2, listener(app, i OnCorner, App));
    slider OnMoved(slider3, listener(app, i OnRadius, App));
    imageview image(img, (const Image*)CARDS PNG);
    layout view(layout, view, 0, 0);
    layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 0);
    layout label(layout1, label2, 0, 1);
    layout label(layout1, label3, 0, 2);
    layout label(layout1, label4, 0, 3);
    layout label(layout1, label5, 0, 4);
    layout imageview(layout1, img, 0, 5);
    layout popup(layout1, popup1, 1, 0);
    layout popup(layout1, popup2, 1, 1);
    layout slider(layout1, slider1, 1, 2);
    layout slider(layout1, slider2, 1, 3);
    layout slider(layout1, slider3, 1, 4);
    layout label(layout1, label6, 1, 5);
    layout layout(layout, layout1, 1, 0);
    layout margin(layout, 10);
    layout hsize(layout1, 1, 150);
    layout hmargin(layout, 0, 10);
    layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
    layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
    layout vmargin(layout1, 1, 5);
    layout vmargin(layout1, 2, 5);
    layout vmargin(layout1, 3, 5);
    layout vmargin(layout1, 4, 5);
    layout hexpand(layout, 0);
    layout valign(layout, 1, 0, ekTOP);
    panel layout(panel, layout);
    return panel;
}
Window *dgui window(App *app)
```

```
{
    gui_respack(res_die_respack);
    gui_language("");

{
        Panel *panel = i_panel(app);
        Window *window = window_create(ekWINDOW_STDRES);
        window_panel(window, panel);
        window_title(window, TEXT_TITLE);
        return window;
}
```

Listing 21.11: demo/die/dgui.h

```
/* Die Gui */
#include "die.hxx"

_EXTERN_C

Window *dgui_window(App *app);
_END_C
```

Bricks

Briks is a very simplistic imitation of the Atari Breakout video game, which will allow us to make an introduction to the world of "Synchronous applications" (page 377). Any real-time application must be constantly updating whether or not the user intervenes. The source code is in folder /src/demo/bricks of the SDK distribution.

• Use osmain_sync to start a synchronous application, indicating an interval and update *callback* function. NAppGUI will periodically launch time events that will update the program.



Figure 22.1: Bricks video game on Windows, macOS and Linux.

This application is managed by two events (Figure 22.2). On the one hand the slider

movement, which can occur at any time (asynchronous event), and will update the player position. On the other a synchronous event produced by osmain_sync every 40 milliseconds and will be notified through i_update() to update the game state and graphic view.

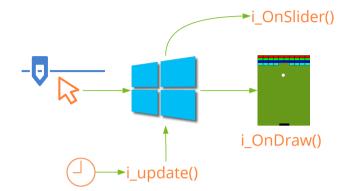


Figure 22.2: Synchronous and asynchronous events.

Listing 22.1: demo/bricks/bricks.c

```
/* Simplistic Breakout-like game */
#include <nappqui.h>
#define NUM BRICKS 40
typedef struct brick t Brick;
typedef struct _app_t App;
struct brick t
    real32 t x;
    real32 t y;
    uint8 t color;
    bool t is visible;
};
struct app t
    bool t is running;
    Brick bricks[NUM BRICKS];
    color t color[4];
    real32 t brick width;
    real32 t player pos;
    real32 t ball x;
    real32 t ball y;
    V2Df ball dir;
    real32 t ball speed;
    Cell *button;
    Slider *slider;
    View *view;
```

```
Window *window;
};
static const real32 t i BALL RADIUS = .03f;
static const real32 t i BRICK HEIGHT = .03f;
static const real32 t i BRICK SEPARATION = .005f;
static const uint32 t i BRICKS PER ROW = 10;
static const uint32 t i NUM ROWS = 4;
static void i OnDraw(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvDraw *params = event params(e, EvDraw);
   uint32 t i = 0;
   draw clear (params->ctx, color rgb (102, 153, 26));
   draw line color(params->ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
    for (i = 0; i < NUM BRICKS; ++i)</pre>
        if (app->bricks[i].is visible == TRUE)
           real32 t x = app->bricks[i].x * params->width;
            real32 t y = app->bricks[i].y * params->height;
            real32 t width = app->brick width * params->width;
            real32 t height = i BRICK HEIGHT * params->height;
            draw fill color(params->ctx, app->color[app->bricks[i].color]);
            draw rect(params->ctx, ekFILLSK, x, y, width, height);
       }
    }
        real32 t x = (app->player pos - app->brick width) * params->width;
        real32 t y = (1 - i_BRICK_HEIGHT - i_BRICK_SEPARATION) * params->height
        real32 t width = 2 * app->brick width * params->width;
        real32 t height = i BRICK HEIGHT * params->height;
        draw fill color(params->ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
       draw rect(params->ctx, ekFILL, x, y, width, height);
    }
    {
        real32 t x = app->ball x * params->width;
        real32 t y = app->ball y * params->height;
        real32_t rad = i_BALL_RADIUS * params->width;
        draw fill color(params->ctx, kCOLOR WHITE);
        draw circle(params->ctx, ekFILL, x, y, rad);
```

```
static void i OnSlider(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvSlider *params = event params(e, EvSlider);
   app->player pos = params->pos;
/*-----*/
static void i OnStart(App *app, Event *e)
   unref(e);
   app->is running = TRUE;
   cell enabled(app->button, FALSE);
/*-----*/
static Panel *i panel(App *app)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 4);
   View *view = view create();
   Slider *slider = slider create();
   Label *label = label create();
   Button *button = button push();
   view size(view, s2df(258, 344));
   view OnDraw(view, listener(app, i OnDraw, App));
   slider OnMoved(slider, listener(app, i OnSlider, App));
   label text(label, "Use the slider!");
   button text(button, "Start");
   button OnClick(button, listener(app, i OnStart, App));
   layout view(layout, view, 0, 0);
   layout slider(layout, slider, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 2);
   layout button (layout, button, 0, 3);
   layout vexpand(layout, 0);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 10);
   layout margin(layout, 10);
   panel layout (panel, layout);
   app->view = view;
   app->slider = slider;
   app->button = layout cell(layout, 0, 3);
   return panel;
}
/*-----/
```

```
static void i init game (App *app)
    real32 t hoffset;
    Brick *brick = NULL;
    uint32 t j, i;
    app->color[0] = color rgb(255, 0, 0);
    app - color[1] = color rgb(0, 255, 0);
    app - color[2] = color rgb(0, 0, 255);
    app \rightarrow color[3] = color rgb(0, 255, 255);
    hoffset = i BRICK SEPARATION;
    brick = app->bricks;
    app->is running = FALSE;
    app->brick width = (1 - ((real32 t)i BRICKS PER ROW + 1) *

→ i BRICK SEPARATION) / (real32 t)i BRICKS PER ROW;
    for (j = 0; j < i NUM ROWS; ++j)
        real32 t woffset = i BRICK SEPARATION;
        for (i = 0; i < i BRICKS PER ROW; ++i)</pre>
           brick->x = woffset;
            brick->y = hoffset;
            brick->is visible = TRUE;
            brick->color = (uint8 t)j;
            woffset += app->brick width + i BRICK SEPARATION;
            brick++;
        }
        hoffset += i BRICK HEIGHT + i BRICK SEPARATION;
    app->player pos = slider get value(app->slider);
    app->ball x = .5f;
    app->ball y = .5f;
    app->ball dir.x = .3f;
    app->ball dir.y = -.1f;
    app->ball_speed = .6f;
   v2d normf(&app->ball dir);
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
   osapp_finish();
 unref(app);
```

```
unref(e);
}
                   _____*/
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   Panel *panel = i panel(app);
   app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STDRES);
   window panel(app->window, panel);
   window origin(app->window, v2df(200, 200));
   window title(app->window, "Bricks - A 2D Game");
   window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
   window show(app->window);
   i init game(app);
   return app;
/*-----/
static void i destroy(App **app)
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
   heap delete(app, App);
}
static bool t i collision(Brick *brick, real32 t brick width, real32 t ball x,
   \hookrightarrow real32 t ball y)
   if (ball x + i BALL RADIUS < brick->x)
      return FALSE;
   if (ball_x - i_BALL_RADIUS > brick->x + brick width)
      return FALSE;
   if (ball y + i BALL RADIUS < brick->y)
      return FALSE;
   if (ball y - i BALL RADIUS > brick->y + i BRICK HEIGHT)
      return FALSE;
   return TRUE;
}
/*-----*/
static void i update (App *app, const real64 t prtime, const real64 t ctime)
   if (app->is running == TRUE)
      real32 t step = (real32 t)(ctime - prtime);
      bool t collide;
```

```
uint32 t i;
/* Update ball position */
app->ball x += step * app->ball speed * app->ball dir.x;
app->ball y += step * app->ball speed * app->ball dir.v;
/* Collision with limits */
if (app->ball x + i BALL RADIUS >= 1.f && app->ball dir.x >= 0.f)
    app->ball dir.x = - app->ball dir.x;
if (app->ball x - i BALL RADIUS <= 0.f && app->ball dir.x <= 0.f)</pre>
    app->ball dir.x = - app->ball dir.x;
if (app->ball y - i BALL RADIUS <= 0.f && app->ball dir.y <= 0.f)</pre>
    app->ball dir.y = - app->ball dir.y;
/* Collision with bricks */
collide = FALSE;
for (i = 0; i < NUM BRICKS; ++i)
    if (app->bricks[i].is visible == TRUE)
        if (i collision(&app->bricks[i], app->brick width, app->ball x,
            \hookrightarrow app->ball y) == TRUE)
            app->bricks[i].is visible = FALSE;
            if (collide == FALSE)
            {
                real32 t brick x = app->bricks[i].x + .5f * app->
                    → brick width;
                app->ball dir.x = 5.f * (app->ball x - brick x);
                app->ball dir.y = - app->ball dir.y;
                v2d normf(&app->ball dir);
                collide = TRUE;
            }
        }
    }
}
/* Collision with player */
    Brick player;
    player.x = app->player pos - app->brick width;
    player.y = 1.f - i BRICK HEIGHT - i BRICK SEPARATION;
    if (i collision(&player, 2.f * app->brick width, app->ball x, app->
        \hookrightarrow ball y) == TRUE)
    {
        app->ball_dir.x = 5.f * (app->ball_x - app->player_pos);
        app->ball dir.y = - app->ball dir.y;
        v2d normf(&app->ball dir);
```

Fractals

In this application we create an procedural image by calculating the color of each pixel using fractal algorithms . Some of the most fascinating results produced by a dynamic system occur when we iterate a complex variable function instead of a real one. This is the case of **Julia's sets**. The **source code** is in folder /src/demo/fractals of the SDK distribution.

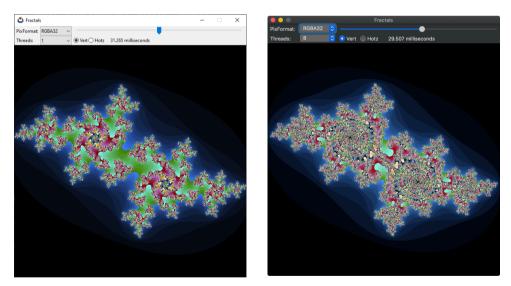


Figure 23.1: Fractals application Windows and macOS version.

Due to the large computational load of this algorithm we have divided the calculation into several threads (Figure 23.3). This problem is easily parallelizable simply by fractioning the image, because each pixel is obtained independently.

Listing 23.1: demo/fractals/fractals.c

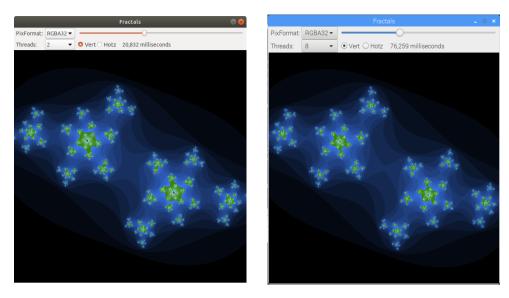


Figure 23.2: Ubuntu and Raspbian version.

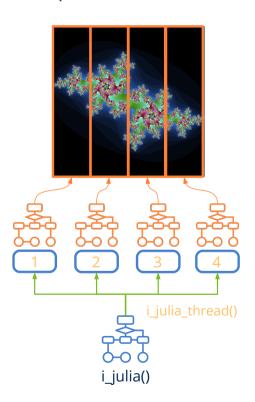


Figure 23.3: Collaboration of several threads.

```
typedef struct app t App;
typedef struct thdata t ThData;
struct app t
   Window *window;
   ImageView *view;
   Label *time label;
   Clock *clock;
   uint32 t threads;
   bool t vertical;
   real64 t fct;
};
struct thdata t
   real64 t fct;
   real64 t kreal;
   real64 t kimag;
   Pixbuf *pixbuf;
   uint32 t i;
   uint32 t j;
   uint32 t width;
   uint32 t height;
};
static const real64 t i FCT = 2.85;
static const uint32 t i ITERATIONS = 512;
static const uint32 t i WIDTH = 601;
static const uint32 t i HEIGHT = 601;
                            -----*/
static uint32 t i inset(real64 t zreal, real64 t zimag, real64 t creal,
   → real64 t cimag)
   uint32 t i;
   for(i = 0; i < i ITERATIONS; ++i)</pre>
       real64 t ztmp, zdist;
       ztmp = zreal * zreal - zimag * zimag;
       zimag = zreal * zimag + zreal * zimag;
       zreal = ztmp;
       zreal = zreal + creal;
       zimag = zimag + cimag;
       zdist = zimag * zimag + zreal * zreal;
       if (zdist > 3)
           return i;
    }
   return 0;
```

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```
static uint32 t i julia thread(ThData *data)
    real64 t fct = data->fct;
    uint32 t imgwidth = pixbuf width(data->pixbuf);
    real64 t freal = fct / imgwidth;
    real64 t fimag = fct / pixbuf height(data->pixbuf);
    real64 t kreal = data->kreal;
    real64 t kimag = data->kimag;
    uint32 t val;
    real64 t creal, cimag;
    register uint32 t stj = data->j;
    register uint32 t edj = data->j + data->height;
    register uint32 t sti = data->i;
    register uint32 t edi = data->i + data->width;
    register uint32 t i, j;
    for(j = stj; j < edj; ++j)</pre>
        cimag = fimag * j - (fct / 2);
        for(i = sti; i < edi; ++i)</pre>
        {
            creal = freal * i - (fct / 2);
            val = i inset(creal, cimag, kreal, kimag);
            if (val > 0)
                uint8 t n val = (uint8 t) (val % 255);
                 if ( val < ( i ITERATIONS >> 1 ) )
                     val = color_rgb((uint8_t)(n_val << 2), (uint8 t)(n val <</pre>
                        \hookrightarrow 3), (uint8 t) (n val << 4));
                     val = color rgb((uint8 t) (n val << 4), (uint8 t) (n val <<</pre>
                         \hookrightarrow 2), (uint8 t) (n val << 5));
            }
            else
                val = kCOLOR BLACK;
            }
            pixbuf set(data->pixbuf, i, j, val);
        }
    }
    return 5;
```

```
static void i julia (const uint32 t nthreads, const bool t vertical, const
   → real64 t fct, const real64 t kreal, const real64 t kimag, Pixbuf *pixbuf
   \hookrightarrow )
    ThData data[8];
   uint32 t width = pixbuf width(pixbuf);
    uint32 t height = pixbuf height(pixbuf);
    data[0].fct = fct;
    data[0].kreal = kreal;
    data[0].kimag = kimag;
    data[0].pixbuf = pixbuf;
    if (nthreads == 1)
    {
        data[0].i = 0;
        data[0].j = 0;
        data[0].width = width;
        data[0].height = height;
        i julia thread(&data[0]);
    }
    else
    {
        Thread *thread[8];
        register uint32 t i;
        if (vertical == TRUE)
            uint32 t twidth = width / nthreads;
            for (i = 0; i < nthreads; ++i)</pre>
                data[i] = data[0];
                data[i].i = i * twidth;
                data[i].j = 0;
                data[i].width = twidth;
                data[i].height = height;
            }
            data[nthreads-1].width += (width - (twidth * nthreads));
        }
        else
            uint32 t theight = height / nthreads;
            for (i = 0; i < nthreads; ++i)
            {
                data[i] = data[0];
                data[i].i = 0;
                data[i].j = i * theight;
                data[i].width = width;
                data[i].height = theight;
```

```
data[nthreads-1].height += (height - (theight * nthreads));
       }
       for (i = 0; i < nthreads; ++i)</pre>
           thread[i] = bthread create(i julia thread, &data[i], ThData);
       for (i = 0; i < nthreads; ++i)
           uint32 t thid = bthread wait(thread[i]);
           cassert unref(thid == 5, thid);
           bthread close(&thread[i]);
       }
   }
}
/*-----/
static void i image(App *app)
   Pixbuf *pixbuf = pixbuf create(i WIDTH, i HEIGHT, ekRGBA32);
   real64_t rfactor = app->fct / i WIDTH;
   real64 t ifactor = app->fct / i HEIGHT;
   real64 t kreal = rfactor * 307 - 2;
   real64 t kimag = ifactor * 184 - 1.4;
   Image *image = NULL;
   real64 t timems;
   String *str;
   clock reset(app->clock);
   i julia(app->threads, app->vertical, app->fct, kreal, kimag, pixbuf);
   timems = 1000. * clock elapsed(app->clock);
   str = str printf("%.3f milliseconds", timems);
   label text(app->time label, tc(str));
   str destroy(&str);
   image = image from pixbuf(pixbuf, NULL);
   imageview image(app->view, image);
   image destroy(&image);
   pixbuf destroy(&pixbuf);
}
static void i OnSlider(App *app, Event *e)
{
   const EvSlider *p = event params(e, EvSlider);
   real64 t st = i FCT - 1;
   real64 t ed = i FCT + 1;
   app \rightarrow fct = ((ed - st) * p \rightarrow pos) + st;
   i image(app);
}
```

```
static void i OnThreads(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   switch(p->index) {
   case 0: app->threads = 1; break;
   case 1: app->threads = 2; break;
   case 2: app->threads = 3; break;
   case 3: app->threads = 4; break;
   case 4: app->threads = 8; break; }
   i image(app);
}
static void i OnVertical(App *app, Event *e)
{
   const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   app->vertical = p->index == 0 ? TRUE : FALSE;
   i image(app);
static Panel *i panel(App *app)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(1, 3);
   Layout *layout2 = layout create(5, 1);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   PopUp *popup = popup create();
   Slider *slider = slider create();
   Button *button1 = button radio();
   Button *button2 = button radio();
   ImageView *view = imageview create();
   label text(label1, "Threads:");
   popup add elem (popup, "1", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "2", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "3", NULL);
   popup_add_elem(popup, "4", NULL);
   popup add elem (popup, "8", NULL);
   popup selected (popup, 0);
   popup OnSelect(popup, listener(app, i OnThreads, App));
   slider value(slider, .5f);
   slider OnMoved(slider, listener(app, i OnSlider, App));
   button_text(button1, "Vert");
   button text(button2, "Hotz");
   button state(button1, ekGUI ON);
   button OnClick(button1, listener(app, i OnVertical, App));
```

```
imageview size(view, s2di(i WIDTH, i HEIGHT));
   layout slider(layout1, slider, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout2, label1, 0, 0);
    layout popup(layout2, popup, 1, 0);
    layout button(layout2, button1, 2, 0);
   layout button(layout2, button2, 3, 0);
   layout label(layout2, label2, 4, 0);
   layout halign(layout2, 4, 0, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout hexpand(layout2, 4);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 1);
   layout_imageview(layout1, view, 0, 2);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 1, 5);
   layout margin2(layout2, 0, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout2, 0, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout2, 1, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout2, 2, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout2, 3, 15);
   panel layout(panel, layout1);
   app->fct = i FCT;
   app->threads = 1;
   app->vertical = TRUE;
   app->view = view;
   app->time label = label2;
   return panel;
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
   osapp finish();
   unref(app);
   unref(e);
}
                      _____
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   Panel *panel = i panel(app);
   app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STD);
   app->clock = clock create(0);
   i image(app);
   window panel(app->window, panel);
   window title(app->window, "Fractals");
   window origin(app->window, v2df(500, 200));
   window_OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i_OnClose, App));
   window show(app->window);
   return app;
```

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Bode

In this project we approach the construction of an interactive user interface for **Bode Plots**, a tool widely used in Control Engineering (Figure 24.1). The calculus module has been written in C language by Javier Gil Chica¹, Phd of Physics Department of the University of Alicante. The complete source code is available in folder /src/demo/bode of the SDK distribution.

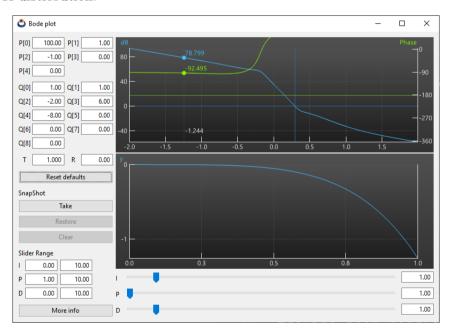


Figure 24.1: Windows version.

The main window has been divided vertically into two parts, using a layout (2,1) (Figure 24.4). On the left side we have the parameters P, Q, T, R and some buttons.

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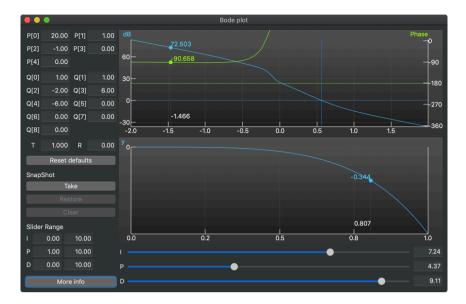


Figure 24.2: macOS version.

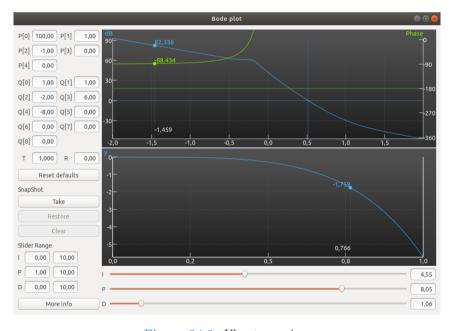


Figure 24.3: Ubuntu version.

Sublayouts have been used i_coeffs(4,9) and i_ranges(3,3) to group controls. In the right area are two View drawing controls for graphics and other sublayout i_sliders(3,3) with the parameters I, P, D.

The horizontal resizing is done entirely on the right cell (graphs and sliders), keeping

the parameter area a constant horizontal size. During the vertical resizing the graphs will grow with a proportion of 50% each. For the left part, an empty cell has been reserved, which will expand horizontally, aligning the button [More Info] to the bottom edge of the window.

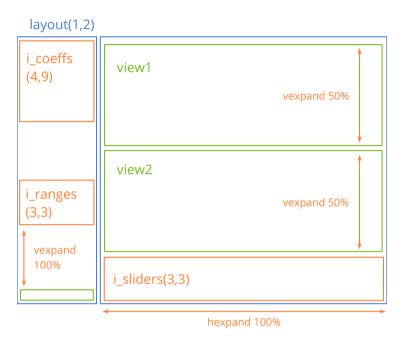


Figure 24.4: Bode user interface distribution.

Listing 24.1: demo/bode/bdview.c

```
return layout cell(layout, col * 2 + 1, row);
}
static Layout *i coeffs(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(4, 9);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "P[0]", 0, 0), Params, real32 t, P[0]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "P[1]", 1, 0), Params, real32 t, P[1]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "P[2]", 0, 1), Params, real32 t, P[2]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "P[3]", 1, 1), Params, real32 t, P[3]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "P[4]", 0, 2), Params, real32 t, P[4]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "Q[0]", 0, 3), Params, real32 t, Q[0]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "Q[1]", 1, 3), Params, real32 t, Q[1]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "Q[2]", 0, 4), Params, real32 t, Q[2]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "Q[3]", 1, 4), Params, real32 t, Q[3]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "Q[4]", 0, 5), Params, real32 t, Q[4]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "Q[5]", 1, 5), Params, real32_t, Q[5]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "Q[6]", 0, 6), Params, real32_t, Q[6]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "Q[7]", 1, 6), Params, real32 t, Q[7]);
   cell_dbind(i_coeff(layout, "Q[8]", 0, 7), Params, real32_t, Q[8]);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "T", 0, 8), Params, real32_t, T);
   cell dbind(i coeff(layout, "R", 1, 8), Params, real32 t, R);
   layout hsize(layout, 1, kEDIT WIDTH);
   layout hsize(layout, 3, kEDIT WIDTH);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout, 3, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 4, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 5, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 6, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 7, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 3);
   layout_hmargin(layout, 2, 3);
   return layout;
}
                 _____
static void i range (Layout *layout, const char t *text, const uint32 t i)
{
   Label *label = label create();
   Edit *edit1 = edit create();
   Edit *edit2 = edit create();
   label text(label, text);
   edit align(edit1, ekRIGHT);
   edit align(edit2, ekRIGHT);
   layout label(layout, label, 0, i);
```

```
layout edit(layout, edit1, 1, i);
   layout edit(layout, edit2, 2, i);
                             _____*/
static Layout *i ranges(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(3, 3);
   i range(layout, "I", 0);
   i range(layout, "P", 1);
   i range(layout, "D", 2);
   layout hsize(layout, 1, kEDIT WIDTH);
   layout hsize(layout, 2, kEDIT WIDTH);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 0), Params, real32 t, KRq[0]);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 0), Params, real32 t, KRg[1]);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 1), Params, real32 t, KRg[2]);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 1), Params, real32 t, KRg[3]);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 2), Params, real32 t, KRq[4]);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 2), Params, real32 t, KRg[5]);
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i left(Ctrl *ctrl)
{
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 10);
   Layout *layout1 = i coeffs();
   Button *button = button push();
   Label *label = label create();
   Button *button2 = button push();
   Button *button3 = button push();
   Button *button4 = button push();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Layout *layout2 = i ranges();
   Button *button5 = button push();
   button text(button, "Reset defaults");
   button text(button2, "Take");
   button text(button3, "Restore");
   button text(button4, "Clear");
   button text(button5, "More info");
   label text(label, "SnapShot");
   label text(label2, "Slider Range");
   layout layout(layout, layout1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 2);
```

```
layout button(layout, button2, 0, 3);
   layout button(layout, button3, 0, 4);
   layout button(layout, button4, 0, 5);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 6);
   layout layout(layout, layout2, 0, 7);
   layout button(layout, button5, 0, 9);
   layout halign(layout, 0, 7, ekLEFT);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 5);
   layout_vmargin(layout, 3, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 4, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 5, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout, 6, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 7, 10);
   layout vexpand(layout, 8);
   ctrl reset(ctrl, button);
   ctrl take(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 3));
   ctrl restore(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 4));
   ctrl clear(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 5));
   ctrl info(ctrl, button5);
   return layout;
}
static void i slider K(Layout *layout, const char t *title, const uint32 t row)
   Label *label = label create();
   Slider* slider = slider create();
   Edit* edit = edit create();
   label text(label, title);
   edit align(edit, ekRIGHT);
   layout label(layout, label, 0, row);
   layout slider(layout, slider, 1, row);
   layout edit(layout, edit, 2, row);
}
                      _____*/
static Layout *i sliders(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Layout *layout = layout create(3, 3);
   i slider K(layout, "I", 0);
   i_slider_K(layout, "P", 1);
   i slider K(layout, "D", 2);
   layout hsize(layout, 2, kEDIT WIDTH);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout, 1, 5);
```

```
layout hexpand(layout, 1);
    cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 0), Params, real32 t, K[0]);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 0), Params, real32 t, K[0]);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 1), Params, real32 t, K[1]);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 1), Params, real32 t, K[1]);
    cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 2), Params, real32 t, K[2]);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 2), Params, real32 t, K[2]);
   ctrl slider1(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 1, 0));
   return layout;
static Layout* i right(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 3);
   Layout* layout1 = i sliders(ctrl);
   View* view1 = view create();
   View* view2 = view create();
   layout view(layout, view1, 0, 0);
   layout view(layout, view2, 0, 1);
   layout layout (layout, layout1, 0, 2);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 2);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   layout vexpand2(layout, 0, 1, .5f);
   ctrl view1(ctrl, view1);
   ctrl view2(ctrl, view2);
   return layout;
}
static Panel *i panel(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
   Layout *layout1 = i left(ctrl);
   Layout* layout2 = i right(ctrl);
   layout layout(layout, layout1, 0, 0);
   layout layout(layout, layout2, 1, 0);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout hexpand(layout, 1);
   layout margin(layout, 10);
   panel layout (panel, layout);
   layout dbind(layout1, NULL, Params);
   layout dbind(layout2, NULL, Params);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 0), Model, Params, cparams);
   cell dbind(layout_cell(layout, 1, 0), Model, Params, cparams);
   layout dbind(layout, listener(ctrl, ctrl OnModelChange, Ctrl), Model);
   ctrl layout(ctrl, layout);
   return panel;
```

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In this project we will face the construction of an application that allows browsing through a database of products obtained from a Web server (Figure 25.1). This client-server pattern is widely used today, so we will have a stable base to create any application based on this model. The **source code** is in folder /src/demo/products of the SDK distribution.



Figure 25.1: Application *Products*, Windows version.



Figure 25.2: macOS version.

25.1. Specifications

• The database is remote and we will access it through Web services that will encapsulate the data in JSON. To obtain the products we will use this service¹ and to

¹http://serv.nappgui.com/dproducts.php



Figure 25.3: Linux/GTK+ version.

register a user this other². We have four **users** registered in our database: amanda, brenda, brian and john all with **password** 1234.

- The remote database is read-only. We do not have web services to edit it.
- The moment a user registers, all articles will automatically be downloaded.
- A small graph with the sales statistics of each product will be displayed.
- You can edit the database locally, as well as add or delete records.
- You can export the local database to disk, as well as import it.
- We will have the typical navigation controls: First, last, next, previous.
- We can establish a filter by description. Only those products whose description matches partially with the filter will be displayed.
- The interface will be in seven languages: English, Spanish, Portuguese, Italian, Vietnamese, Russian and Japanese. We can change the language without closing the application.
- The application must run on Windows, macOS and Linux.

²http://serv.nappqui.com/duser.php?user=amanda&pass=1234

25.2. Model-View-Controller

Since this program has a medium level of complexity, we will fragment it into three parts using the well-known pattern model-view-controller MVC (Figure 25.4).

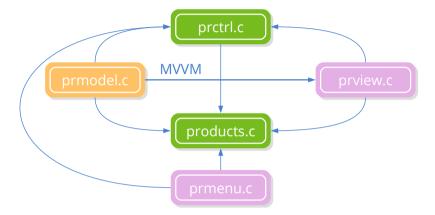


Figure 25.4: MVC modules that make up the application.

- Model: It will deal with the data itself, the connection with the server and the reading/writing on disk. It will be implemented in prmodel.c.
- View: Here we will implement the data presentation layer, composed of the main window (in prview.c) and the menu bar (in prmenu.c).
- Controller: Will take care of the logic of the program prctrl.c. It will respond to user events and maintain consistency between the model and the view. Due to the amount of extra work involved in synchronizing each field of the structure with the interface controls, we will use the pattern *Model-View-ViewModel MVVM* where the model data will be automatically synchronized with the interface and the I/O channels.
- Main: module products.c. It contains the function osmain and load the three previous actors.

25.3. Model

The data model of this application is quite simple (Listing 25.1), since it only requires manipulating an array of structures of type Product.

Listing 25.1: Structures that make up the data model.

```
typedef struct _model_t Model;
typedef struct _product_t Product;

typedef enum _type_t
```

```
ekCPU,
    ekGPU,
    ekHDD,
    ekSCD
} type t;
struct product t
    type t type;
    String *code;
    String *description;
    Image *image64;
    real32 t price;
};
struct model t
{
    ArrSt(uint32 t) *filter;
    ArrPt (Product) *products;
};
```

As a previous step, we will register the model structures which will allow us to automate I/O tasks without having to explicitly coding them thanks to "Data binding" (page 227) (Listing 25.2).

Listing 25.2: Registration of data model struct fields.

```
dbind enum(type t, ekCPU);
dbind enum(type t, ekGPU);
dbind enum(type t, ekHDD);
dbind enum(type t, ekSCD);
dbind(Product, type t, type);
dbind(Product, String*, code);
dbind(Product, String*, description);
dbind(Product, Image*, image64);
dbind(Product, real32 t, price);
```

25.3.1. JSON WebServices

We will get the articles data from the Web server in two steps. On the one hand we will download a Stream with the JSON using HTTP and, later, we will parse it to a C object (Listing 25.3).

Listing 25.3: JSON data download and processing.

```
wserv t model webserv (Model *model)
    Stream *stm = http dget("serv.nappgui.com",80,"/dproducts.php",NULL);
    if (stm != NULL)
```

```
{
    PJson *json = json_read(stm, NULL, PJson);
    stm_close(&stm);
    ...
```

The JSON of this web service³ consists of a header and a list of products (Listing 25.4), so we must register a new structure in order to <code>json_read</code> can create the object correctly (Listing 25.5). Note that JSON-C pairing is carried out by the field name, so these must be identical (Figure 25.5).

Listing 25.4: Web service format.

```
"code":0,
    "size":80,
    "data":[
    {"id":0,
     "code":"i7-8700K",
     "description":"Intel BX80684I78700K 8th Gen Core i7-8700K Processor",
     type":0,
     "price":374.889999999999863575794734060764312744140625,
     "image":"cpu_00.jpg",
     "image64":"\/9j\/4AAQSkZJRgABAQ....
},
...
}
```

Listing 25.5: JSON header registration.

```
typedef struct _pjson_t PJson;
struct _pjson_t
{
   int32_t code;
   uint32_t size;
   ArrPt(Product) *data;
};
dbind(PJson, int32_t, code);
dbind(PJson, uint32_t, size);
dbind(PJson, ArrPt(Product)*, data);
```

25.3.2. Write/Read on disk

Serialization (Listing 25.6) and de-serialization (Listing 25.7) of objects using binary streams can also be performed automatically simply by registering the data types (Figure 25.6). We do not need to explicitly program reading and writing class methods.

³http://serv.nappgui.com/dproducts.php

```
dbind
                                                      ISON
struct PJSon
                              PJson
                                               {
  int32_t code; ← uint32_t size ✓
                              code
                                                    "code":0
                                                    "size":80,
                              size
 ArrPt(Product) *data;
                                                     data":[
                              data
                                                     "id":0,
                                                     code":"i7-8700K"
struct Product
                              Product
                                                    "description": "Intel BX8068...
                                                    type":0
                              type
  type t type
                                                     price":374.88999.
  String *code :
                              code
                                                    image":"cpu_00.jpg"
  String *description ?-
                              description
                                                    "image64":"\79j\/4ĂAQSkZJR...
  Image * image64;
                              image64
  real32 t price
};
```

Figure 25.5: json read access dbind registry to create a C object from a JSON stream.

Listing 25.6: Export of the database to disk.

```
bool_t model_export(Model *model, const char_t *pathname, ferror_t *err)
{
    Stream *stm = stm_to_file(pathname, err);
    if (stm != NULL)
    {
        dbind_write(stm, model->products, ArrPt(Product));
        stm_close(&stm);
        return TRUE;
    }
    return FALSE;
}
```

Listing 25.7: Importing the database from disk.

```
bool_t model_import(Model *model, const char_t *pathname, ferror_t *err)
{
    Stream *stm = stm_from_file(pathname, err);
    if (stm != NULL)
    {
        ArrPt(Product) *products = dbind_read(stm, ArrPt(Product));
        stm_close(&stm);

        if (products != NULL)
        {
            dbind_destroy(&model->products, ArrPt(Product));
            model->products = products;
            return TRUE;
        }
    }
}

return FALSE;
}
```

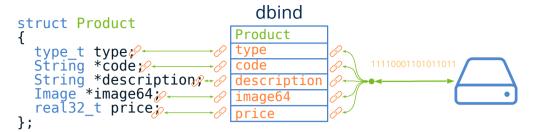


Figure 25.6: (De)serialization of binary objects by dbind.

25.3.3. Add/Delete records

And finally we will see how to add or delete records to the database using the constructors and destructors provided dbind by default. In (Listing 25.8) we create a new article and in (Listing 25.9) we destroy another existing one from its index.

Listing 25.8: Default constructor.

```
void model_add(Model *model)
{
    Product *product = dbind_create(Product);
    arrpt_append(model->products, product, Product);
}
```

Listing 25.9: Destructor.

```
static void i_destroy(Product **product)
{
    dbind_destroy(product, Product);
}

void model_delete(Model *model, const uint32_t index)
{
    arrpt_delete(model->products, index, i_destroy, Product);
}
```

25.4. View

We have fragmented the design of the main window into several blocks, each one implemented in its own *sublayout*. In "Use of sublayouts" (page 396) and "Sub-layouts" (page 340) you have examples about it. We start with a layout of a column and two rows (Listing 25.10) (Figure 25.7). In the upper cell we will place a sublayout with two other cells horizontally: one for the form and one for the login panel. The lower cell will be used for the status bar.

```
static Layout *i_layout(Ctrl *ctrl)
{
    Layout *layout = layout_create(1, 2);
    Layout *layout0 = layout_create(2, 1);
    Layout *layout1 = i_form(ctrl);
    Layout *layout2 = i_status_bar(ctrl);
    Panel *panel1 = i_login_panel(ctrl);
    layout_layout(layout0, layout1, 0, 0);
    layout_panel(layout0, panel1, 1, 0);
    layout_layout(layout, layout0, 0, 0);
    layout_layout(layout, layout2, 0, 1);
    return layout;
}
```

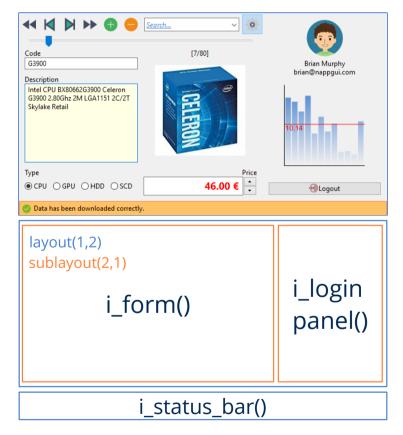


Figure 25.7: Main window layout.

In turn, the layout that integrates the form, implemented in i_form(), is composed of three cells in vertical (Figure 25.8): One for the toolbar i_toolbar(), another for the selection slider and another for the article data i_product(). This last cell is a sublayout of two columns and three rows. In the central row we locate the labels Type and Price and,

in the other two, four sublayout created by the functions i_code_desc() , i_n_img(), i type() and i price().

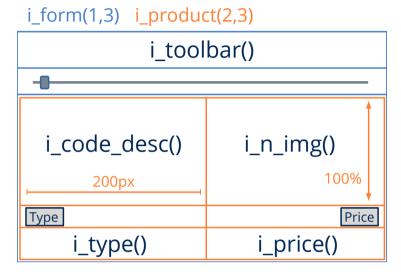


Figure 25.8: Layout que implementa el formulario.

If we look at the code of i_product(), reproduced partially in (Listing 25.11), we have made a "Layout format" (page 29), assigning a minimum width and height for the upper cells. We also indicate that the vertical expansion is performed on row 0, avoiding the expansion of rows 1 and 2, corresponding to the label, the radiobutton and the price.

Listing 25.11: Format of layout i product()).

```
static Layout *i_product()
{
    Layout *layout = layout_create(2, 3);
    ...
    layout_hsize(layout, 0, 200.f);
    layout_hsize(layout, 1, 200.f);
    layout_vsize(layout, 0, 200.f);
    layout_vexpand(layout, 0);
    ...
}
```

25.4.1. Multi-layout panel

For user *login* we have used a panel with two different layouts: One for registration and another to show user data once registered (Listing 25.12) (Figure 25.9). This way, the controller can easily switch between them by calling panel_visible_layout. This function will be responsible for displaying/hiding controls and recalculating the size of the window, since it may have suffered variations due to the change in layout.

Listing 25.12: Creation of a multi-layout panel.

```
static Panel *i_login_panel(Ctrl *ctrl)
{
    Panel *panel = panel_create();
    Layout *layout0 = i_login(ctrl);
    Layout *layout1 = i_logout(ctrl);
    panel_layout(panel, layout0);
    panel_layout(panel, layout1);
    return panel;
}
```

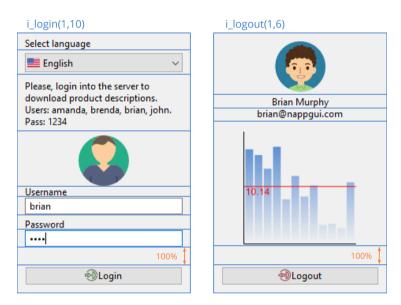


Figure 25.9: Login panel with two layouts.

25.4.2. Hide columns

It is also possible to hide the login panel through the menu or the corresponding button (Figure 25.10). This is simple to do inside the controller, acting on the column that contains said panel.

```
layout_show_col(ctrl->layout, 1, state == ekGUI_ON ? TRUE : FALSE);
```

25.4.3. Bar graphs

One of the requirements is that the interface includes a small bar chart that shows the sales statistics of each product (Figure 25.11). The code generated by this graphic is in (Listing 25.13). In "Use of Custom Views" (page 398), "Parametric drawing" (page 399) and "2D Contexts" (page 259) you have more information about interactive graphics.

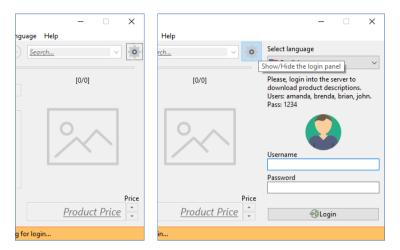


Figure 25.10: Show/Hide the login panel.

Listing 25.13: Parametric drawing of a bar graph.

```
static void i OnStats(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
    const EvDraw *params = event params(e, EvDraw);
    uint32 t i, n = sizeof(ctrl->stats) / sizeof(real32 t);
    real32 t p = 10.f, x = p, y0 = params -> height - p;
    real32 t w = (params -> width - p * 2) / n;
    real32 t h = params->height - p * 2;
    real32 t avg = 0, pavg;
    char t tavg[16];
    color t c[2];
    real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
    c[0] = kHOLDER;
    c[1] = kCOLOR VIEW;
    draw fill linear(params->ctx, c,stop, 2, 0, p, 0, params->height - p + 1);
    for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
        real32 t hr = h * (ctrl->stats[i] / i MAX STATS);
        real32 t y = p + h - hr;
        draw rect(params->ctx, ekFILL, x, y, w - 2, hr);
        avg += ctrl->stats[i];
        x += w;
    }
    avg /= n;
    pavg = h * (avg / i MAX STATS);
    pavq = p + h - pavq;
    bstd sprintf(tavg, sizeof(tavg), "%.2f", avg);
    draw fill color(params->ctx, kTXTRED);
    draw line color(params->ctx, kTXTRED);
    draw line(params->ctx, p - 2, pavg, params->width - p, pavg);
```

```
draw_line_color(params->ctx, kCOLOR_LABEL);
draw_line(params->ctx, p - 2, y0 + 2, params->width - p, y0 + 2);
draw_line(params->ctx, p - 2, y0 + 2, p - 2, p);
draw_text(params->ctx, ekFILL, tavg, p, pavg);
}
```

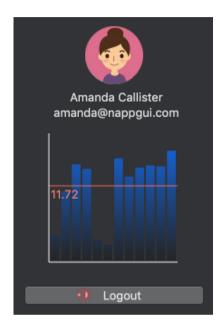


Figure 25.11: Dynamic graphs in the login panel.

25.4.4. Translations

The interface has been translated into seven languages, with English as default (Figure 25.12). To change the language, we call to gui_language within the PopUp event handler (Listing 25.14). In "Resources" (page 101) you have a step-by-step guide to locating and translating applications.

Listing 25.14: Code that changes the language of the program.

25.4.5. Dark Mode themes

NAppGUI uses native interface controls, which causes windows to integrate seamlessly with the active desktop theme on each machine. However, if we use custom icons or colors,

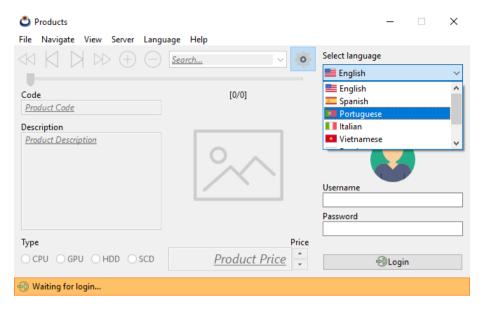


Figure 25.12: Automatic translations.

these may not always be consistent when porting to other systems.

- In "Gui" (page 299) a series of "system" colors are defined, for example gui_label_color, whose RGB value will be resolved at runtime depending on the target platform. Using these functions, we will be certain that our applications will always look good and present a consistent color scheme. In "Color table" (page 649) you have a demothat shows these colors.
- Use gui_alt_color to define colors with two versions: One for light themes and one for dark ones. NAppGUI will be responsible for resolving the RGB whenever necessary (Listing 25.15).

Listing 25.15: Custom colors used in Products.

```
kHOLDER = gui_alt_color(color_bgr(0x4681Cf), color_bgr(0x1569E6));
kEDITBG = gui_alt_color(color_bgr(0xFFFFe4), color_bgr(0x101010));
kSTATBG = gui_alt_color(color_bgr(0xFFC165), color_bgr(0x523d1d));
kSTATSK = gui_alt_color(color_bgr(0xFF8034), color_bgr(0xFF8034));
kTXTRED = gui_alt_color(color_bgr(0xFF0000), color_bgr(0xEB665A));
```

• For the images, we must include two versions in the program resources and select one or the other depending on the gui_dark_mode value (Listing 25.16).

Listing 25.16: Icon selection for *Light* or *Dark Themes*.

```
void ctrl_theme_images(Ctrl *ctrl)
{
   bool t dark = color dark mode();
```

```
button image(cell button(ctrl->first cell), dark ? FIRSTD PNG :
   \hookrightarrow FIRST PNG);
button image (cell button (ctrl->back cell), dark ? BACKD PNG : BACK PNG
button image(cell button(ctrl->next cell), dark ? NEXTD PNG : NEXT PNG
button image(cell button(ctrl->last cell), dark ? LASTD PNG : LAST PNG
   \hookrightarrow );
button image (cell button (ctrl->add cell), ADD PNG);
button image(cell button(ctrl->minus cell), MINUS PNG);
button image(cell button(ctrl->setting cell), SETTINGS PNG);
button image(cell button(ctrl->login cell), LOGIN16 PNG);
button image(cell button(ctrl->logout cell), dark ? LOGOUT16D PNG:
    → LOGOUT16 PNG);
menuitem image(ctrl->import item, OPEN PNG);
menuitem image(ctrl->export item, dark ? SAVED PNG : SAVE PNG);
menuitem image(ctrl->first item, dark ? FIRST16D PNG : FIRST16 PNG);
menuitem image(ctrl->back item, dark ? BACK16D PNG : BACK16 PNG);
menuitem image(ctrl->next item, dark ? NEXT16D PNG : NEXT16 PNG);
menuitem image(ctrl->last item, dark ? LAST16D PNG : LAST16 PNG);
menuitem image(ctrl->login item, LOGIN16 PNG);
menuitem image(ctrl->logout item, dark ? LOGOUT16D PNG : LOGOUT16 PNG)
   \hookrightarrow :
```

• Use qui OnThemeChanged to update custom icons at runtime (Listing 25.17) (Figure 25.13).

Listing 25.17: Runtime icon update.

```
static void i OnThemeChanged(App *app, Event *e)
    ctrl theme images(app->ctrl);
    unref(e);
gui OnThemeChanged(listener(app, i OnThemeChanged, App));
```

25.5. Controller

The controller is responsible for maintaining consistency between the Model and the View, as well as for implementing the **business logic**. Specifically, this program does virtually nothing with the data, regardless of downloading and displaying, which presents a good opportunity to practice.

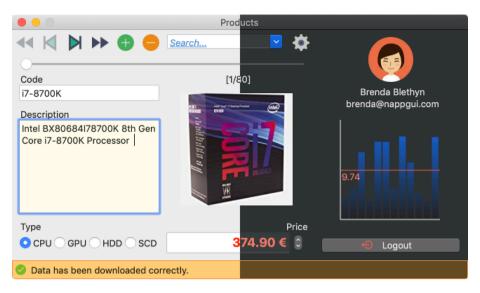


Figure 25.13: Desktop theme change.

25.5.1. Multi-threaded login

When the user presses the button [Login] the program calls two Web services. One to register the user and another to download the data. This process lasts about a second, which is an eternity from the point of view of a process. During this time you will come to appreciate that the program remains "frozen" waiting for the calls to the server to be resolved. This occurs because a "slow" task is running on the same thread that manages the program message loop (Figure 25.14)(a).

To avoid this unpleasant effect, which can be aggravated if the request lasts longer, we will use "Multi-threaded tasks" (page 378) by osapp_task (Listing 25.18) (Figure 25.14)(b). This creates a new execution thread that begins in i_login_begin. At the time the data has been downloaded, the NAppGUI task manager will call i_login_end (already in the main thread) and the program will continue with its (mono-thread) execution.

Listing 25.18: Multi-thread login process.

```
static void i_OnLogin(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
{
   ctrl->status = ekIN_LOGIN;
   i_status(ctrl);
   osapp_task(ctrl, 0., i_login_begin, NULL, i_login_end, Ctrl);
   unref(e);
}
```

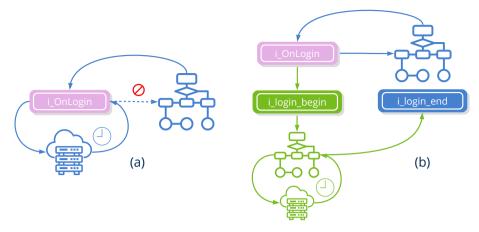


Figure 25.14: Execution of a "slow" task. Single-thread (a), Multi-thread (b). With a single thread the interface will be "frozen".

Synchronize Model and View 25.5.2.

Keeping the Data Model and the View synchronized is also the controller's task. As the user interacts with the interface, it must capture the events, filter data and update the model objects. Similarly, every time the model changes it has to refresh the interface. This bidirectional synchronization can be done using **dbind**, saving a lot of extra programming code (Figure 25.15).

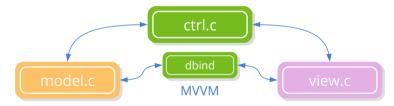


Figure 25.15: DBind helps the controller in the recurring task of synchronizing objects with the interface.

The implementation of this MVVM pattern Model-View-ViewModel is quite simple and we have it summarized in (Listing 25.19) (Figure 25.16).

- Use cell dbind to link a layout cell with a model field.
- · Use layout dbind to link the layout containing the previous cells with the struct which contains the fields.
- Use layout dbind obj to assign an object to the layout. From here the Model-View updates will be made automatically.

```
// In View
Cell *cell0 = layout_cell(layout, 0, 1);
...
cell_dbind(cell0, Product, String*, code);
cell_dbind(cell1, Product, String*, description);
cell_dbind(cell2, Product, type_t, type);
cell_dbind(cell3, Product, Image*, image64);
cell_dbind(cell4, Product, real32_t, price);
layout_dbind(layout, Product);

// In Controller
Product *product = model_product(model, index);
layout_dbind_obj(layout, product, Product);
```

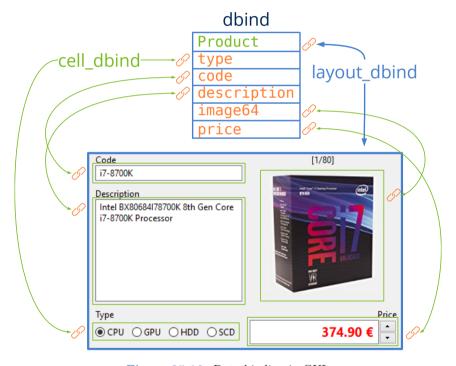


Figure 25.16: Data binding in GUI.

It is common for data to be reviewed (filtered) after editing to verify that the values are consistent with the model. **dbind** supports different formats for registered fields. In (Listing 25.20) we have applied formatting to the field pricefrom Product.

Listing 25.20: Field format price from Product.

```
dbind_default(Product, real32_t, price, 1);
dbind_range(Product, real32_t, price, .50f, 1e6f);
dbind_precision(Product, real32_t, price, .05f);
dbind_increment(Product, real32_t, price, 5.f);
```

```
dbind suffix (Product, real32 t, price, "€");
```

25.5.3. Change the image

To change the image associated with the product, the controller has slightly modified the operation of the ImageView, which will show an edit icon each time the mouse is placed on top of the image (Listing 25.21), (Figure 25.17).

Listing 25.21: Drawing an *overlay* when the mouse is over the image.

```
static void i OnImgDraw(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
    const EvDraw *params = event params(e, EvDraw);
    const Image *image = gui respack image(EDIT PNG);
    uint32 t w, h;
    image size(image, &w, &h);
    draw image(params->context, image, params->width - w - 10, params->height -
        \hookrightarrow h - 10);
    unref(ctrl);
imageview OnOverDraw(view, listener(ctrl, i OnImgDraw, Ctrl));
```



Figure 25.17: Superimposed icon on image control.

Clicking on the image will open the file opening dialog that will allow us to select a new one. If the dialog is accepted, the image will be loaded and assigned to control (Listing 25.22). The object will update automatically.

Listing 25.22: Drawing an *overlay* when the mouse is over the image.

```
static void i OnImgClick(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   const char_t *type[] = { "png", "jpg" };
   const char t *file = comwin open file(type, 2, NULL);
   if (file != NULL)
```

```
{
    Image *image = image_from_file(file, NULL);
    if (image != NULL)
    {
        View *view = cell_view(ctrl->image_cell);
        imageview_image(view, image);
        image_destroy(&image);
    }
    unref(e);
}
...
imageview_OnClick(view, listener(ctrl, i_OnImgClick, Ctrl));
```

25.5.4. Memory management

After closing the program, a report will be printed with the use of memory, alerting us to possible *memory leaks* (Listing 25.23). It does not hurt to check it periodically in order to detect anomalies as soon as possible.

Listing 25.23: Memory usage statistics, generated at the close of any NAppGUI application.

If we want more detailed information about the use of memory, we can pass the parameter "-hv" in the options field of osmain (Listing 25.24).

```
osmain(i_create, i_destroy, "-hv", App)
```

Listing 25.24: Detailed output of memory usage.

```
[12:01:41] 'App' a/deallocations: 1, 1 (32) bytes
[12:01:41] 'ArrPt::Cell' a/deallocations: 24, 24 (576) bytes
[12:01:41] 'ArrPt::GuiComponent' a/deallocations: 8, 8 (192) bytes
...
[12:01:41] 'Button' a/deallocations: 13, 13 (1664) bytes
[12:01:41] 'View' a/deallocations: 5, 5 (840) bytes
[12:01:41] 'Clock' a/deallocations: 1, 1 (48) bytes
[12:01:41] 'Combo' a/deallocations: 1, 1 (176) bytes
...
[12:01:41] 'UpDown' a/deallocations: 1, 1 (64) bytes
[12:01:41] 'VimgData' a/deallocations: 4, 4 (160) bytes
```

```
[12:01:41] 'Window' a/deallocations: 1, 1 (80) bytes
[12:01:41] 'bool t::arr' a/deallocations: 6, 6 (27) bytes
[12:01:41] 'i App' a/deallocations: 1, 1 (184) bytes
[12:01:41] 'i Task' a/deallocations: 1, 1 (64) bytes
```

25.6. The complete program

Listing 25.25: demo/products/products.hxx

```
/* Products Types */
#ifndef TYPES HXX
#define TYPES HXX
#include <qui/qui.hxx>
typedef enum wserv t
    ekWS CONNECT = 1,
   ekWS JSON,
   ekWS ACCESS,
    ekWS OK
} wserv t;
typedef struct model t Model;
typedef struct _product_t Product;
typedef struct ctrl t Ctrl;
EXTERN C
extern color t kHOLDER;
extern color t kEDITBG;
extern color_t kSTATBG;
extern color t kSTATSK;
extern color t kTXTRED;
END C
#endif
```

Listing 25.26: demo/products/products.c

```
/* NAppGUI Products Demo */
#include "nappgui.h"
#include "prmodel.h"
#include "prmenu.h"
#include "prctrl.h"
#include "prview.h"
#include "res products.h"
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```
#include <inet/inet.h>
typedef struct _app_t App;
struct app t
   Model *model;
   Ctrl *ctrl;
   Window *window;
   Menu *menu;
};
color t kHOLDER;
color t kEDITBG;
color t kSTATBG;
color t kSTATSK;
color t kTXTRED;
static void i OnThemeChanged(App *app, Event *e)
   ctrl theme images (app->ctrl);
   unref(e);
}
/*-----*/
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new(App);
   kHOLDER = gui alt color(color bgr(0x4681Cf), color bgr(0x1569E6));
   kEDITBG = gui alt color(color bgr(0xFFFFe4), color bgr(0x101010));
   kSTATBG = gui_alt_color(color_bgr(0xFFC165), color_bgr(0x523d1d));
   kSTATSK = gui alt_color(color_bgr(0xFF8034), color_bgr(0xFF8034));
   kTXTRED = gui alt color(color bgr(0xFF0000), color bgr(0xEB665A));
   inet start();
   gui respack(res products respack);
   gui language("");
   gui OnThemeChanged(listener(app, i OnThemeChanged, App));
   model bind();
   app->model = model create();
   app->ctrl = ctrl create(app->model);
   app->menu = prmenu create(app->ctrl);
   app->window = prview create(app->ctrl);
   osapp menubar(app->menu, app->window);
   window_origin(app->window, v2df(100.f, 100.f));
   window_show(app->window);
   ctrl run(app->ctrl);
   return app;
```

```
static void i destroy(App **app)
   cassert no null(app);
   cassert no null(*app);
   ctrl destroy(&(*app)->ctrl);
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
    menu destroy(&(*app)->menu);
    model destroy(&(*app)->model);
    inet finish();
    heap delete(app, App);
}
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i create, i_destroy, "", App)
```

Listing 25.27: demo/products/prmodel.c

```
/* Products Model */
#include "prmodel.h"
#include "res products.h"
#include <gui/guiall.h>
#include <inet/httpreq.h>
#include <inet/json.h>
typedef struct pjson t PJson;
typedef enum type t
    ekCPU,
    ekGPU,
    ekHDD,
    ekSCD
} type t;
struct _product_t
    type_t type;
    String *code;
    String *description;
    Image *image64;
    real32 t price;
};
struct pjson t
int32 t code;
```

```
uint32 t size;
   ArrPt (Product) *data;
};
struct model t
   ArrSt(uint32 t) *filter;
   ArrPt(Product) *products;
};
DeclPt (Product);
                    _____*/
Model *model create(void)
   Model *model = heap new(Model);
   model->filter = arrst create(uint32 t);
   model->products = arrpt create(Product);
   return model;
}
                    _____*/
void model destroy(Model **model)
{
   arrst destroy(&(*model)->filter, NULL, uint32 t);
   dbind destroy(&(*model)->products, ArrPt(Product));
   heap delete(model, Model);
}
/*----*/
static Stream *i http get(void)
   Http *http = http create("serv.nappqui.com", 80);
   Stream *stm = NULL;
   if (http get(http, "/dproducts.php", NULL, 0, NULL) == TRUE)
      uint32 t status = http response status(http);
      if (status >= 200 && status <= 299)</pre>
          stm = stm memory(4096);
          if (http response body(http, stm, NULL) == FALSE)
             stm close(&stm);
       }
   }
   http destroy(&http);
   return stm;
```

```
wserv t model webserv(Model *model)
    Stream *stm = i http get();
    if (stm != NULL)
        PJson *json = json read(stm, NULL, PJson);
        stm close(&stm);
        if (json != NULL)
            cassert(json->size == arrpt size(json->data, Product));
            dbind destroy(&model->products, ArrPt(Product));
            model->products = json->data;
            json->data = NULL;
            json destroy(&json, PJson);
            return ekWS OK;
        }
        return ekWS JSON;
    }
    return ekWS CONNECT;
bool t model import (Model *model, const char t *pathname, ferror t *err)
    Stream *stm = stm from file(pathname, err);
    if (stm != NULL)
        ArrPt(Product) *products = dbind read(stm, ArrPt(Product));
        stm close(&stm);
        if (products != NULL)
            dbind destroy(&model->products, ArrPt(Product));
            model->products = products;
            return TRUE;
        }
    }
    return FALSE;
```

```
bool t model export(Model *model, const char t *pathname, ferror t *err)
   Stream *stm = stm to file(pathname, err);
   if (stm != NULL)
      dbind write(stm, model->products, ArrPt(Product));
      stm close(&stm);
      return TRUE;
   }
   return FALSE;
uint32 t model count(const Model *model)
   uint32 t total = arrst size(model->filter, uint32 t);
   if (total == 0)
      total = arrpt size(model->products, Product);
   return total;
/*----*/
void model clear(Model *model)
   dbind destroy(&model->products, ArrPt(Product));
   arrst clear(model->filter, NULL, uint32 t);
   model->products = dbind create(ArrPt(Product));
/*-----*/
void model add(Model *model)
   Product *product = dbind create(Product);
   arrpt append(model->products, product, Product);
   arrst clear(model->filter, NULL, uint32 t);
}
/*----*/
static uint32 t i index(ArrSt(uint32 t) *filter, const uint32 t index)
   if (arrst size(filter, uint32 t) > 0)
      return *arrst get(filter, index, uint32 t);
   else
      return index;
```

```
/*-----*/
dbind destroy(product, Product);
}
/*-----*/
void model delete(Model *model, const uint32 t index)
   uint32 t lindex = i index(model->filter, index);
   arrpt delete(model->products, lindex, i destroy, Product);
   arrst clear(model->filter, NULL, uint32 t);
}
/*-----*/
bool t model filter (Model *model, const char t *filter)
   ArrSt(uint32 t) *new filter = arrst create(uint32 t);
   arrpt foreach(product, model->products, Product)
      if (str str(tc(product->description), filter) != NULL)
        arrst append(new filter, product i, uint32 t);
   arrpt end();
   arrst destroy(&model->filter, NULL, uint32 t);
   model->filter = new filter;
  return (bool t) (arrst size(new filter, uint32 t) > 0);
}
/*-----*/
Product *model product(Model *model, const uint32 t product id)
   uint32 t lindex = i index(model->filter, product id);
   return arrpt get(model->products, lindex, Product);
}
/*----*/
void model bind(void)
   dbind enum(type t, ekCPU, "");
   dbind enum(type t, ekGPU, "");
   dbind_enum(type_t, ekHDD, "");
   dbind enum(type t, ekSCD, "");
   dbind(Product, type t, type);
   dbind(Product, String*, code);
```

```
dbind(Product, String*, description);
  dbind(Product, Image*, image64);
  dbind(Product, real32 t, price);
  dbind(PJson, int32 t, code);
  dbind(PJson, uint32 t, size);
  dbind(PJson, ArrPt(Product)*, data);
  dbind default(Product, real32 t, price, 1);
  dbind range (Product, real32 t, price, .50f, 1e6f);
  dbind precision (Product, real32 t, price, .05f);
  dbind increment(Product, real32 t, price, 5.f);
  dbind suffix(Product, real32 t, price, "€");
  dbind default(Product, Image*, image64, gui image(NOIMAGE PNG));
}
/*-----*/
void model layout(Layout *layout)
  layout dbind(layout, NULL, Product);
/*-----*/
void model type(Cell *cell)
  cell dbind(cell, Product, type t, type);
/*-----*/
void model code(Cell *cell)
  cell dbind(cell, Product, String*, code);
/*-----/
void model desc(Cell *cell)
  cell dbind(cell, Product, String*, description);
/*-----*/
void model image(Cell *cell)
  cell dbind(cell, Product, Image*, image64);
```

```
void model price(Cell *cell)
    cell dbind(cell, Product, real32 t, price);
```

Listing 25.28: demo/products/prview.c

```
/* Products View */
#include "prview.h"
#include "prctrl.h"
#include "res products.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
static Layout *i toolbar(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Layout *layout = layout create(8, 1);
   Button *button0 = button flat();
   Button *button1 = button flat();
   Button *button2 = button flat();
   Button *button3 = button flat();
   Button *button4 = button flat();
   Button *button5 = button flat();
   Button *button6 = button flatgle();
   Combo *combo = combo create();
   button text(button0, TWIN FIRST);
   button text(button1, TWIN BACK);
   button text(button2, TWIN NEXT);
   button text(button3, TWIN LAST);
   button text(button4, TWIN ADD);
   button text(button5, TWIN DEL);
   button text(button6, TWIN SETTINGS PANEL);
   combo tooltip(combo, TWIN FILTER DESC);
   combo bgcolor focus(combo, kEDITBG);
   combo phtext(combo, TWIN FILTER);
   combo phcolor(combo, kHOLDER);
   combo phstyle(combo, ekFITALIC | ekFUNDERLINE);
   layout button(layout, button0, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button1, 1, 0);
   layout button(layout, button2, 2, 0);
   layout button(layout, button3, 3, 0);
   layout button(layout, button4, 4, 0);
   layout button(layout, button5, 5, 0);
   layout combo (layout, combo, 6, 0);
   layout button (layout, button6, 7, 0);
   layout hmargin(layout, 5, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout, 6, 5);
   layout hexpand(layout, 6);
   ctrl first cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 0));
```

```
ctrl back cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 1, 0));
   ctrl next cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 2, 0));
   ctrl last cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 3, 0));
   ctrl add cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 4, 0));
   ctrl minus cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 5, 0));
   ctrl filter cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 6, 0));
   ctrl setting cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 7, 0));
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i code desc(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 4);
   Label *label0 = label create();
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Edit *edit0 = edit create();
   Edit *edit1 = edit multiline();
   label text(label0, TWIN CODE);
   label_text(label1, TWIN DESC);
   edit phtext(edit0, TWIN TYPE CODE);
   edit phtext(edit1, TWIN TYPE DESC);
   edit bgcolor focus (edit0, kEDITBG);
   edit bgcolor focus (edit1, kEDITBG);
   edit phcolor(edit0, kHOLDER);
   edit phcolor(edit1, kHOLDER);
   edit phstyle(edit0, ekFITALIC | ekFUNDERLINE);
   edit phstyle(edit1, ekFITALIC | ekFUNDERLINE);
   layout label(layout, label0, 0, 0);
   layout edit(layout, edit0, 0, 1);
   layout_label(layout, label1, 0, 2);
   layout edit(layout, edit1, 0, 3);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 10);
   layout vexpand(layout, 3);
   ctrl code cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 1));
   ctrl desc cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 3));
   return layout;
}
                       _____*/
static Layout *i type(void)
{
   Layout *layout = layout create(4, 1);
   Button *button0 = button radio();
   Button *button1 = button radio();
   Button *button2 = button radio();
   Button *button3 = button radio();
   button text(button0, TWIN CPU);
   button text(button1, TWIN GPU);
```

```
button text(button2, TWIN HDD);
   button text(button3, TWIN SCD);
   layout button(layout, button0, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button1, 1, 0);
   layout button(layout, button2, 2, 0);
   layout button(layout, button3, 3, 0);
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i n img(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 2);
   Label *label = label create();
   ImageView *view = imageview create();
   label align(label, ekCENTER);
   layout halign(layout, 0, 0, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 0);
   layout imageview(layout, view, 0, 1);
   layout vexpand(layout, 1);
   ctrl counter cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 0));
   ctrl image cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 1));
   return layout;
static Layout *i price(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
   Edit *edit = edit create();
   Font *font = font system(18, ekFBOLD);
   UpDown *updown = updown create();
   edit phtext(edit, TWIN_TYPE_PRICE);
   edit font(edit, font);
   edit align(edit, ekRIGHT);
   edit color(edit, kTXTRED);
   edit bgcolor focus(edit, kEDITBG);
   edit phcolor(edit, kHOLDER);
   edit phstyle(edit, ekFITALIC | ekFUNDERLINE);
   layout edit(layout, edit, 0, 0);
   layout updown(layout, updown, 1, 0);
   layout hsize(layout, 1, 24);
   layout hexpand(layout, 0);
   font destroy(&font);
   return layout;
```

```
static Layout *i product(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 3);
   Layout *layout0 = i code desc(ctrl);
   Layout *layout1 = i type();
   Layout *layout2 = i n img(ctrl);
   Layout *layout3 = i price();
   Label *label0 = label create();
   Label *label1 = label create();
   label text(label0, TWIN TYPE);
   label text(label1, TWIN PRICE);
   layout layout(layout, layout0, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label0, 0, 1);
   layout layout(layout, layout1, 0, 2);
   layout layout(layout, layout2, 1, 0);
   layout label(layout, label1, 1, 1);
   layout layout (layout, layout3, 1, 2);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 1, ekRIGHT);
   layout hsize(layout, 1, 200);
   layout vsize(layout, 0, 200);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 10);
   layout margin4(layout, 0, 10, 10, 10);
   layout vexpand(layout, 0);
   ctrl type cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 2));
   ctrl price cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 1, 2));
   return layout;
}
                         _____*/
static Layout *i form(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 3);
   Layout *layout0 = i toolbar(ctrl);
   Layout *layout1 = i product(ctrl);
   Slider *slider = slider create();
   Cell *cell = NULL;
   layout layout(layout, layout0, 0, 0);
   layout slider(layout, slider, 0, 1);
   layout layout(layout, layout1, 0, 2);
   layout vexpand(layout, 2);
   cell = layout cell(layout, 0, 1);
   cell padding4(cell, 0, 10, 0, 10);
   ctrl slider cell(ctrl, cell);
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i login(Ctrl *ctrl)
```

```
Layout *layout = layout create(1, 10);
Label *label0 = label create();
Label *label1 = label multiline();
Label *label2 = label create();
Label *label3 = label create();
PopUp *popup0 = popup create();
ImageView *view0 = imageview create();
Edit *edit0 = edit create();
Edit *edit1 = edit create();
Button *button = button push();
label text(label0, TWIN SETLANG);
label text(label1, TWIN LOGIN MSG);
label text(label2, TWIN USER);
label text(label3, TWIN PASS);
popup add elem(popup0, ENGLISH, (const Image*)USA PNG);
popup add elem(popup0, SPANISH, (const Image*)SPAIN PNG);
popup add elem(popup0, PORTUGUESE, (const Image*) PORTUGAL PNG);
popup add elem (popup0, ITALIAN, (const Image*) ITALY PNG);
popup add elem(popup0, VIETNAMESE, (const Image*) VIETNAM PNG);
popup add elem(popup0, RUSSIAN, (const Image*)RUSSIA PNG);
popup add elem(popup0, JAPANESE, (const Image*) JAPAN PNG);
popup tooltip (popup0, TWIN SETLANG);
imageview image(view0, (const Image*)USER PNG);
edit passmode(edit1, TRUE);
button text(button, TWIN LOGIN);
layout label(layout, label0, 0, 0);
layout popup(layout, popup0, 0, 1);
layout_label(layout, label1, 0, 2);
layout imageview(layout, view0, 0, 3);
layout label(layout, label2, 0, 4);
layout edit(layout, edit0, 0, 5);
layout label(layout, label3, 0, 6);
layout edit(layout, edit1, 0, 7);
layout button(layout, button, 0, 9);
layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
layout vmargin(layout, 1, 10);
layout vmargin(layout, 2, 10);
layout vmargin(layout, 5, 5);
layout vmargin(layout, 8, 5);
layout margin4(layout, 5, 10, 10, 10);
layout hsize(layout, 0, 200);
layout vexpand(layout, 8);
ctrl lang cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 1));
ctrl user cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 5));
ctrl pass cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 7));
ctrl login cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 9));
return layout;
```

```
static Layout *i logout(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 6);
   ImageView *view = imageview create();
   Label *label0 = label create();
   Label *label1 = label create();
   View *cview = view create();
   Button *button = button push();
   label align(label0, ekCENTER);
   label_align(label1, ekCENTER);
   button text(button, TWIN LOGOUT);
   view size(cview, s2df(160, 160));
   layout imageview(layout, view, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label0, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 2);
   layout view(layout, cview, 0, 3);
   layout button (layout, button, 0, 5);
   layout halign(layout, 0, 1, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout halign(layout, 0, 2, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout halign(layout, 0, 3, ekCENTER);
   layout_vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 5);
   layout vexpand(layout, 4);
   layout hsize(layout, 0, 200);
   layout margin(layout, 10);
   ctrl stats cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 3));
   ctrl logout cell(ctrl, layout cell(layout, 0, 5));
   return layout;
                         _____
static Panel *i login panel(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout0 = i login(ctrl);
   Layout *layout1 = i logout(ctrl);
   panel layout(panel, layout0);
   panel layout(panel, layout1);
   ctrl login panel(ctrl, panel);
   return panel;
static Layout *i status bar(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
   ImageView *view = imageview create();
  Label *label = label create();
```

```
imageview size(view, s2df(16, 16));
    layout imageview(layout, view, 0, 0);
    layout label(layout, label, 1, 0);
    layout halign(layout, 1, 0, ekJUSTIFY);
    layout hexpand(layout, 1);
    layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
    layout margin(layout, 5);
    layout bgcolor(layout, kSTATBG);
    layout skcolor(layout, kSTATSK);
    ctrl status layout(ctrl, layout);
    return layout;
static Layout *i layout(Ctrl *ctrl)
    Layout *layout = layout create(1, 2);
    Layout *layout0 = layout create(2, 1);
    Layout *layout1 = i form(ctrl);
    Layout *layout2 = i status bar(ctrl);
    Panel *panel1 = i login panel(ctrl);
    layout layout(layout0, layout1, 0, 0);
    layout panel(layout0, panel1, 1, 0);
    layout layout(layout, layout0, 0, 0);
    layout layout(layout, layout2, 0, 1);
    ctrl main layout(ctrl, layout0);
    return layout;
Window *prview create(Ctrl *ctrl)
    Panel *panel = panel create();
    Layout *layout = i layout(ctrl);
    Window *window = NULL;
    ctrl theme images (ctrl);
    panel layout (panel, layout);
    window = window create(ekWINDOW STD);
    window panel(window, panel);
    window title (window, TWIN TITLE);
    ctrl window(ctrl, window);
    return window;
```

Listing 25.29: demo/products/prmenu.c

```
/* Products Menu */
#include "prmenu.h"
```

```
#include "prctrl.h"
#include "res products.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
#if defined ( APPLE )
static Menu *i app(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Menu *menu = menu create();
   MenuItem *item0 = menuitem_create();
   MenuItem *item1 = menuitem separator();
   MenuItem *item2 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item3 = menuitem separator();
   MenuItem *item4 = menuitem create();
   menuitem text(item0, TMEN ABOUT);
   menuitem text(item2, TMEN PREFERS);
   menuitem text(item4, TMEN QUIT);
   menu item (menu, item0);
   menu item (menu, item1);
   menu item(menu, item2);
   menu item(menu, item3);
   menu item (menu, item4);
   ctrl about item(ctrl, item0);
   ctrl exit item(ctrl, item4);
   return menu;
#endif
static Menu *i file(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Menu *menu = menu create();
   MenuItem *item0 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item1 = menuitem create();
   menuitem text(item0, TMEN IMPORT);
   menuitem text(item1, TMEN EXPORT);
   menu item (menu, item0);
   menu item(menu, item1);
#if !defined( APPLE )
       MenuItem *item2 = menuitem separator();
       MenuItem *item3 = menuitem create();
        menuitem text(item3, TMEN EXIT);
        menuitem image(item3, (const Image*)EXIT PNG);
        menu item(menu, item2);
       menu item(menu, item3);
        ctrl exit item(ctrl, item3);
```

```
#endif
   ctrl_import item(ctrl, item0);
   ctrl export item(ctrl, item1);
   return menu;
}
static Menu *i navigate(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Menu *menu = menu create();
   MenuItem *item0 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item1 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item2 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item3 = menuitem create();
   menuitem text(item0, TMEN FIRST);
   menuitem text(item1, TMEN BACK);
   menuitem text(item2, TMEN NEXT);
   menuitem text(item3, TMEN LAST);
   menuitem key(item0, ekKEY F5, 0);
   menuitem key(item1, ekKEY F6, 0);
   menuitem key(item2, ekKEY F7, 0);
   menuitem key(item3, ekKEY F8, 0);
   menu item(menu, item0);
   menu item(menu, item1);
   menu item (menu, item2);
   menu item(menu, item3);
   ctrl first item(ctrl, item0);
   ctrl back item(ctrl, item1);
   ctrl next item(ctrl, item2);
   ctrl last item(ctrl, item3);
   return menu;
                -----*/
static Menu *i view(Ctrl *ctrl)
{
   Menu *menu = menu create();
   MenuItem *item0 = menuitem create();
   unref(ctrl);
   menuitem text(item0, TMEN LOGIN PANEL);
   menuitem image(item0, (const Image*)SETTINGS16 PNG);
   menu item(menu, item0);
   ctrl setting item(ctrl, item0);
   return menu;
```

```
static Menu *i server(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Menu *menu = menu create();
   MenuItem *item0 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item1 = menuitem create();
   menuitem text(item0, TMEN LOGIN);
   menuitem text(item1, TMEN LOGOUT);
   menu item(menu, item0);
   menu item(menu, item1);
   ctrl login item(ctrl, item0);
   ctrl logout item(ctrl, item1);
   return menu;
}
static Menu *i language(Ctrl *ctrl)
{
   Menu *menu = menu create();
   MenuItem *item0 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item1 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item2 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item3 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item4 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item5 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item6 = menuitem create();
   menuitem text(item0, ENGLISH);
   menuitem text(item1, SPANISH);
   menuitem text(item2, PORTUGUESE);
   menuitem text(item3, ITALIAN);
   menuitem text(item4, VIETNAMESE);
   menuitem text(item5, RUSSIAN);
   menuitem text(item6, JAPANESE);
   menuitem image(item0, (const Image*)USA PNG);
   menuitem image(item1, (const Image*)SPAIN PNG);
   menuitem image (item2, (const Image*) PORTUGAL PNG);
   menuitem image(item3, (const Image*)ITALY PNG);
   menuitem image(item4, (const Image*) VIETNAM PNG);
   menuitem image(item5, (const Image*)RUSSIA PNG);
   menuitem image(item6, (const Image*) JAPAN PNG);
   menu item(menu, item0);
   menu item(menu, item1);
   menu item(menu, item2);
   menu item (menu, item3);
   menu item(menu, item4);
   menu item (menu, item5);
   menu_item(menu, item6);
   ctrl lang menu(ctrl, menu);
   return menu;
```

```
#if !defined ( APPLE )
static Menu *i help(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Menu *menu = menu create();
   MenuItem *item0 = menuitem create();
   menuitem text(item0, TMEN ABOUT);
   menuitem image(item0, (const Image*)ABOUT PNG);
   menu item (menu, item0);
   ctrl about item(ctrl, item0);
   return menu;
#endif
/*-----*/
Menu *prmenu create(Ctrl *ctrl)
   Menu *menu = menu create();
   MenuItem *item1 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item2 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item3 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item4 = menuitem create();
   MenuItem *item5 = menuitem create();
   Menu *submenu1 = i file(ctrl);
   Menu *submenu2 = i navigate(ctrl);
   Menu *submenu3 = i view(ctrl);
   Menu *submenu4 = i server(ctrl);
   Menu *submenu5 = i language(ctrl);
 #if defined ( APPLE )
       MenuItem *item0 = menuitem create();
       Menu *submenu0 = i app(ctrl);
       menuitem text(item1, "");
       menuitem submenu (item0, &submenu0);
       menu item(menu, item0);
#endif
   menuitem text(item1, TMEN FILE);
   menuitem text(item2, TMEN NAVIGATE);
   menuitem text(item3, TMEN VIEW);
   menuitem_text(item4, TMEN_SERVER);
   menuitem text(item5, LANGUAGE);
   menuitem submenu (item1, &submenu1);
   menuitem submenu (item2, &submenu2);
   menuitem submenu (item3, &submenu3);
   menuitem_submenu(item4, &submenu4);
   menuitem submenu(item5, &submenu5);
```

Listing 25.30: demo/products/prctrl.c

```
/* Products Controller */
#include "prctrl.h"
#include "prmodel.h"
#include "res products.h"
#include <nappgui.h>
#include <inet/httpreq.h>
#include <inet/json.h>
typedef enum status t
   ekWAIT LOGIN,
    ekIN LOGIN,
    ekERR LOGIN,
    ekOK LOGIN
} status t;
typedef struct user t User;
typedef struct _ujson_t UJson;
struct _user_t
    String *name;
    String *mail;
   Image *image64;
};
struct _ujson_t
   int32 t code;
  User data;
```

```
};
struct ctrl t
   Model *model;
   status t status;
   wserv t err;
   uint32 t selected;
   real32 t stats[12];
   UJson *ujson;
   Window *window;
   Layout *main layout;
   Layout *status layout;
   Cell *image cell;
   Cell *first cell;
   Cell *back cell;
   Cell *next cell;
   Cell *last cell;
   Cell *add cell;
   Cell *minus cell;
   Cell *filter cell;
   Cell *slider cell;
   Cell *counter cell;
   Cell *code cell;
   Cell *desc cell;
   Cell *price cell;
   Cell *lang cell;
   Cell *setting cell;
   Cell *user cell;
   Cell *pass cell;
   Cell *login cell;
   Cell *logout cell;
   Cell *stats cell;
   Panel *login panel;
   Menu *lang menu;
   MenuItem *import item;
   MenuItem *export item;
   MenuItem *first item;
   MenuItem *back item;
   MenuItem *next item;
   MenuItem *last item;
   MenuItem *setting item;
   MenuItem *login item;
   MenuItem *logout item;
};
/*-----*/
static real32 t i MAX STATS = 20.f;
/*-----*/
```

```
Ctrl *ctrl create(Model *model)
   Ctrl *ctrl = heap new0(Ctrl);
   ctrl->model = model;
   ctrl->status = ekWAIT LOGIN;
   ctrl->selected = 0;
   dbind(User, String*, name);
   dbind(User, String*, mail);
   dbind(User, Image*, image64);
   dbind(UJson, int32 t, code);
   dbind(UJson, User, data);
   return ctrl;
}
/*-----*/
void ctrl destroy(Ctrl **ctrl)
   heap delete(ctrl, Ctrl);
void ctrl main layout(Ctrl *ctrl, Layout *layout)
   model layout(layout);
   ctrl->main layout = layout;
}
void ctrl status layout(Ctrl *ctrl, Layout *layout)
   ctrl->status layout = layout;
}
static void i update product(Ctrl *ctrl)
   uint32 t total = model count(ctrl->model);
   bool t enabled = FALSE;
   bool t is first = (total == 0 || ctrl->selected == 0) ? TRUE : FALSE;
   bool t is last = (total == 0 || ctrl->selected == (total - 1)) ? TRUE :
       \hookrightarrow FALSE;
   Slider *slider = cell slider(ctrl->slider cell);
   Label *counter = cell label(ctrl->counter cell);
   Product *product = NULL;
   if (total > 0)
```

```
char t msq[64];
        uint32 t i, n = sizeof(ctrl->stats) / sizeof(real32 t);
        View *vstats = cell view(ctrl->stats cell);
        product = model product(ctrl->model, ctrl->selected);
        bstd sprintf(msg, 64, "[%d/%d]", ctrl->selected + 1, total);
        label text(counter, msg);
        slider value(slider, (real32 t)ctrl->selected / (real32 t)(total > 1 ?
           \hookrightarrow total - 1 : 1));
        enabled = TRUE;
        for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
            ctrl->stats[i] = bmath randf(2.f, i MAX STATS - 2.f);
       view update(vstats);
    }
   else
        label text(counter, "[0/0]");
        slider value(slider, 0.f);
        enabled = FALSE;
    }
   layout dbind obj(ctrl->main layout, product, Product);
   cell enabled(ctrl->add cell, enabled);
   cell enabled(ctrl->minus cell, enabled);
   cell enabled(ctrl->slider cell, enabled);
   cell enabled(ctrl->filter cell, enabled);
   cell enabled(ctrl->first cell, !is first);
   cell enabled(ctrl->back cell, !is first);
   cell_enabled(ctrl->next_cell, !is last);
   cell enabled(ctrl->last cell, !is last);
   menuitem enabled(ctrl->first item, !is first);
   menuitem enabled(ctrl->back item, !is first);
   menuitem_enabled(ctrl->next_item, !is_last);
   menuitem enabled(ctrl->last item, !is last);
static void i status(Ctrl *ctrl)
   ImageView *view = layout get imageview(ctrl->status layout, 0, 0);
   Label *label = layout get label(ctrl->status layout, 1, 0);
   switch (ctrl->status) {
   case ekWAIT LOGIN:
        imageview image(view, (const Image*)LOGIN16 PNG);
        label text(label, WAIT LOGIN);
       break:
   case ekIN LOGIN:
        imageview image(view, (const Image*)SPIN GIF);
```

```
label text(label, IN LOGIN);
        break;
    case ekERR LOGIN:
        imageview image(view, (const Image*)ERROR PNG);
        switch (ctrl->err) {
        case ekWS CONNECT:
            label text(label, ERR CONNECT);
            break;
        case ekWS JSON:
            label text(label, ERR JSON);
            break;
        case ekWS ACCESS:
            label text(label, ERR ACCESS);
            break;
        case ekWS OK:
        cassert default();
        }
        break;
    case ekOK LOGIN:
        imageview image(view, (const Image*)OK PNG);
        label text(label, OK LOGIN);
        break;
    cassert default();
}
void ctrl run(Ctrl *ctrl)
    Button *setting button;
    PopUp *lang popup;
    MenuItem *lang item;
    uint32 t lang index;
    ctrl->status = ekWAIT LOGIN;
    setting button = cell button(ctrl->setting cell);
    layout show col(ctrl->main layout, 1, TRUE);
    button state(setting button, ekGUI ON);
    menuitem state(ctrl->setting item, ekGUI ON);
    lang_popup = cell_popup(ctrl->lang cell);
    lang index = popup get selected(lang popup);
    lang item = menu get item(ctrl->lang menu, lang index);
    menuitem state(lang item, ekGUI ON);
    menuitem_enabled(ctrl->login_item, TRUE);
    menuitem enabled(ctrl->logout item, FALSE);
    menuitem enabled(ctrl->import item, FALSE);
    menuitem enabled(ctrl->export item, FALSE);
    i status(ctrl);
```

```
window focus(ctrl->window, cell control(ctrl->user cell));
   i update product(ctrl);
   window defbutton(ctrl->window, cell button(ctrl->login cell));
static void i OnFirst(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   ctrl->selected = 0;
   i update product(ctrl);
   unref(e);
}
static void i OnImport(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
{
   const char t *type[] = { "dbp" };
   const char t *file = comwin open file(ctrl->window, type, 1, NULL);
   if (file != NULL)
       ferror t err;
       if (model import(ctrl->model, file, &err) == TRUE)
          i update product(ctrl);
   }
   unref(e);
}
/*-----/
void ctrl import item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
   ctrl->import item = item;
   menuitem_OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnImport, Ctrl));
}
static void i OnExport(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   const char t *type[] = { "dbp" };
   const char t *file = comwin save file(ctrl->window, type, 1, NULL);
   if (file != NULL)
   {
       ferror t err;
       model export(ctrl->model, file, &err);
   unref(e);
}
```

```
void ctrl export item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
   ctrl->export item = item;
   menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnExport, Ctrl));
static void i OnImgDraw(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   const EvDraw *params = event params(e, EvDraw);
   const Image *image = gui image(EDIT PNG);
   uint32 t w = image width(image);
   uint32 t h = image height(image);
   draw image(params->ctx, image, params->width - w - 10, params->height - h -
       \hookrightarrow 10);
   unref(ctrl);
            _____*/
static void i OnImgClick(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   const char t *type[] = { "png", "jpg" };
   const char t *file = comwin open file(ctrl->window, type, 2, NULL);
   if (file != NULL)
       Image *image = image from file(file, NULL);
       if (image != NULL)
       {
           ImageView *view = cell_imageview(ctrl->image_cell);
           imageview image(view, image);
           image destroy(&image);
       }
   unref(e);
void ctrl image cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   ImageView *view = cell imageview(cell);
   model image(cell);
   imageview OnOverDraw(view, listener(ctrl, i OnImgDraw, Ctrl));
   imageview_OnClick(view, listener(ctrl, i_OnImgClick, Ctrl));
   ctrl->image cell = cell;
}
```

```
/*-----*/
void ctrl first cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
  Button *button = cell button(cell);
  button OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, i OnFirst, Ctrl));
  ctrl->first cell = cell;
}
void ctrl first item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
  menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnFirst, Ctrl));
  ctrl->first item = item;
/*-----/
static void i OnBack(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
  if (ctrl->selected > 0)
     ctrl->selected -= 1;
     i update product(ctrl);
  unref(e);
}
/*-----*/
void ctrl back cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
  Button *button = cell button(cell);
  button OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, i OnBack, Ctrl));
  ctrl->back cell = cell;
          -----*/
void ctrl back item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
  menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnBack, Ctrl));
  ctrl->back item = item;
}
/*-----*/
static void i OnNext(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
uint32 t total = model count(ctrl->model);
```

```
if (ctrl->selected < total - 1)</pre>
      ctrl->selected += 1;
       i update product(ctrl);
   unref(e);
void ctrl next cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   Button *button = cell button(cell);
   button OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, i OnNext, Ctrl));
   ctrl->next cell = cell;
/*-----*/
void ctrl next item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
   menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnNext, Ctrl));
   ctrl->next item = item;
}
/*-----/
static void i OnLast(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   uint32 t total = model count(ctrl->model);
   if (ctrl->selected < total - 1)</pre>
      ctrl->selected = total - 1;
       i update product(ctrl);
   unref(e);
void ctrl last cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   Button *button = cell button(cell);
   button OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, i OnLast, Ctrl));
   ctrl->last cell = cell;
void ctrl last_item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
```

```
menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnLast, Ctrl));
   ctrl->last item = item;
}
/*-----*/
static void i OnAdd(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   model add(ctrl->model);
   ctrl->selected = model count(ctrl->model) - 1;
   i update product(ctrl);
   window focus(ctrl->window, cell control(ctrl->code cell));
   unref(e);
}
void ctrl add cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   Button *button = cell button(cell);
   button OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, i OnAdd, Ctrl));
   ctrl->add cell = cell;
}
static void i OnDelete(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   model delete(ctrl->model, ctrl->selected);
   if (ctrl->selected == model count(ctrl->model) && ctrl->selected > 0)
      ctrl->selected -= 1;
   i update product(ctrl);
   unref(e);
/*-----/
void ctrl minus cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   Button *button = cell button(cell);
   button OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, i OnDelete, Ctrl));
   ctrl->minus cell = cell;
}
static void i OnFilter(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   const EvText *params = event params(e, EvText);
   EvTextFilter *result = event result(e, EvTextFilter);
   Combo *combo = event sender(e, Combo);
```

```
uint32 t color = color rgb(255, 0, 0);
    if (unicode nchars(params->text, ekUTF8) >= 3)
        if (model filter(ctrl->model, params->text) == TRUE)
            color = UINT32 MAX;
            ctrl->selected = 0;
            i update product(ctrl);
        }
    }
    combo color(combo, color);
    result->apply = FALSE;
}
static void i OnFilterEnd(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
    const EvText *params = event params(e, EvText);
    Combo *combo = event sender(e, Combo);
    if (model filter(ctrl->model, params->text) == TRUE)
        combo ins elem(combo, 0, params->text, NULL);
    else
        combo text(combo, "");
    ctrl->selected = 0;
    i_update_product(ctrl);
    combo color(combo, UINT32 MAX);
void ctrl filter cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
    Combo *combo = cell combo(cell);
    combo OnFilter(combo, listener(ctrl, i OnFilter, Ctrl));
    combo OnChange(combo, listener(ctrl, i OnFilterEnd, Ctrl));
   ctrl->filter cell = cell;
static void i OnSlider(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
    const EvSlider *params = event params(e, EvSlider);
   uint32 t total = model count(ctrl->model);
uint32 t selected = 0;
```

```
if (total > 0)
      selected = (uint32 t)((real32 t)(total - 1) * params->pos);
   if (selected != ctrl->selected)
      ctrl->selected = selected;
      i update product(ctrl);
   }
}
void ctrl slider cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   Slider *slider = cell slider(cell);
   slider OnMoved(slider, listener(ctrl, i OnSlider, Ctrl));
   ctrl->slider cell = cell;
void ctrl counter cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
  ctrl->counter cell = cell;
void ctrl type cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   model type(cell);
  unref(ctrl);
/*-----*/
void ctrl code cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
  model code(cell);
   ctrl->code cell = cell;
/*-----*/
void ctrl desc cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
  model desc(cell);
   ctrl->desc cell = cell;
```

```
void ctrl price cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   model price(cell);
   ctrl->price cell = cell;
}
/*-----/
void ctrl user cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
  ctrl->user cell = cell;
}
void ctrl pass cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
  ctrl->pass cell = cell;
/*----*/
void ctrl login panel(Ctrl *ctrl, Panel *panel)
  ctrl->login panel = panel;
/*-----*/
static UJson *i user webserv(const char t *user, const char t *pass, wserv t *
  → ret)
{
   Http *http = NULL;
   String *path = NULL;
   UJson *ujson = NULL;
   *ret = ekWS OK;
   if (str empty c(user) || str empty c(pass))
      *ret = ekWS ACCESS;
      return NULL;
   }
   http = http create("serv.nappgui.com", 80);
   path = str printf("/duser.php?user=%s&pass=%s", user, pass);
   if (http get(http, tc(path), NULL, 0, NULL) == TRUE)
      uint32 t status = http response status(http);
      if (status >= 200 && status <= 299)
```

```
Stream *stm = stm memory (4096);
            http response body(http, stm, NULL);
            ujson = json read(stm, NULL, UJson);
            if (!ujson)
                *ret = ekWS JSON;
            }
            else if (ujson->code != 0)
            {
                json destroy(&ujson, UJson);
                *ret = ekWS ACCESS;
            }
           stm close(&stm);
        }
        else
            *ret = ekWS ACCESS;
    }
    str destroy(&path);
   http destroy(&http);
   return ujson;
}
static uint32 t i login begin(Ctrl *ctrl)
{
    Edit *user = cell edit(ctrl->user cell);
   Edit *pass = cell edit(ctrl->pass cell);
    wserv t ret = ekWS OK;
    ctrl->ujson = i user webserv(edit get text(user), edit get text(pass), &ret
    if (ctrl->ujson != NULL)
        ret = model webserv(ctrl->model);
        if (ret != ekWS OK)
           json destroy(&ctrl->ujson, UJson);
    }
   return (uint32 t)ret;
}
static void i login end(Ctrl *ctrl, const uint32 t rvalue)
wserv_t ret = (wserv_t)rvalue;
```

```
if (ret == ekWS OK)
    {
        Layout *layout = panel get layout(ctrl->login panel, 1);
        ImageView *view = layout get imageview(layout, 0, 0);
        Label *label0 = layout get label(layout, 0, 1);
        Label *label1 = layout get label(layout, 0, 2);
        window defbutton(ctrl->window, NULL);
        imageview image(view, ctrl->ujson->data.image64);
        label text(label0, tc(ctrl->ujson->data.name));
        label text(label1, tc(ctrl->ujson->data.mail));
        menuitem enabled(ctrl->login item, FALSE);
        menuitem enabled(ctrl->logout item, TRUE);
        menuitem enabled(ctrl->import item, TRUE);
        menuitem enabled(ctrl->export item, TRUE);
        panel visible layout(ctrl->login panel, 1);
        ctrl->status = ekOK_LOGIN;
        ctrl->selected = 0;
        i update product(ctrl);
        json destroy(&ctrl->ujson, UJson);
        window focus(ctrl->window, cell control(ctrl->code cell));
        panel update(ctrl->login panel);
    else
    {
        cassert(ctrl->ujson == NULL);
        ctrl->status = ekERR LOGIN;
        ctrl->err = ret;
    }
    i status(ctrl);
static void i OnLogin(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
    if (ctrl->status != ekIN LOGIN)
        ctrl->status = ekIN LOGIN;
        i status(ctrl);
        osapp task(ctrl, 0, i login begin, NULL, i login end, Ctrl);
    }
   unref(e);
}
void ctrl login cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
Button *button = cell button(cell);
```

```
button OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, i OnLogin, Ctrl));
   ctrl->login cell = cell;
}
            -----*/
void ctrl login item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
   menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnLogin, Ctrl));
   ctrl->login item = item;
}
/*-----/
static void i OnLogout(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   Edit *edit0 = cell edit(ctrl->user cell);
   Edit *edit1 = cell edit(ctrl->pass cell);
   model clear(ctrl->model);
   edit text(edit0, "");
   edit text(edit1, "");
   menuitem enabled(ctrl->login item, TRUE);
   menuitem enabled(ctrl->logout item, FALSE);
   menuitem enabled(ctrl->import item, FALSE);
   menuitem enabled(ctrl->export item, FALSE);
   ctrl->status = ekWAIT LOGIN;
   panel visible layout(ctrl->login panel, 0);
   i update product(ctrl);
   i status(ctrl);
   panel update(ctrl->login panel);
   window focus(ctrl->window, cell control(ctrl->user cell));
   window defbutton(ctrl->window, cell button(ctrl->login cell));
   unref(e);
/*-----/
void ctrl logout cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   Button *button = cell button(cell);
   button OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, i OnLogout, Ctrl));
   ctrl->logout cell = cell;
}
void ctrl logout item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
   menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnLogout, Ctrl));
   ctrl->logout item = item;
```

```
static void i OnSetting(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   qui state t state = ekGUI ON;
   if (event type(e) == ekGUI EVENT BUTTON)
       const EvButton *params = event params(e, EvButton);
       state = params->state;
    }
   else
    {
       Button *button = cell button(ctrl->setting cell);
       cassert(event type(e) == ekGUI EVENT MENU);
       state = button get state(button);
       state = state == ekGUI ON ? ekGUI OFF : ekGUI ON;
       button state(button, state);
    }
   menuitem state(ctrl->setting item, state);
   layout show col(ctrl->main layout, 1, state == ekGUI ON ? TRUE : FALSE);
   layout update(ctrl->main layout);
void ctrl setting cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   Button *button = cell button(cell);
   button OnClick(button, listener(ctrl, i OnSetting, Ctrl));
   ctrl->setting cell = cell;
void ctrl setting item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
   menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnSetting, Ctrl));
   ctrl->setting item = item;
}
/*-----*/
static void i OnStats(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   const EvDraw *params = event params(e, EvDraw);
   uint32 t i, n = sizeof(ctrl->stats) / sizeof(real32 t);
   real32 t p = 10.f, x = p, y0 = params -> height - p;
   real32_t w = (params->width - p * 2) / n;
  real32 t h = params->height - p * 2;
```

```
real32 t avg = 0, pavg;
   char t tavg[16];
   color t c[2];
   real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
   c[0] = kHOLDER;
   c[1] = gui view color();
   draw fill linear(params->ctx, c,stop, 2, 0, p, 0, params->height - p + 1);
   for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
       real32 t hr = h * (ctrl->stats[i] / i MAX STATS);
       real32 t y = p + h - hr;
       draw rect(params->ctx, ekFILL, x, y, w - 2, hr);
       avg += ctrl->stats[i];
       x += w;
    }
   avq /= n;
   pavg = h * (avg / i MAX STATS);
   pavq = p + h - pavq;
   bstd sprintf(tavg, sizeof(tavg), "%.2f", avg);
   draw text color(params->ctx, kTXTRED);
   draw line color(params->ctx, kTXTRED);
   draw line(params->ctx, p - 2, pavg, params->width - p, pavg);
   draw line color(params->ctx, gui label color());
   draw line(params->ctx, p - 2, y0 + 2, params->width - p, y0 + 2);
   draw line (params->ctx, p - 2, y0 + 2, p - 2, p);
   draw text(params->ctx, tavg, p, pavg);
/*----*/
void ctrl stats cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   View *view = cell view(cell);
   view OnDraw(view, listener(ctrl, i OnStats, Ctrl));
   ctrl->stats cell = cell;
}
static void i OnLang(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   MenuItem *item = NULL;
   uint32 t lang id = 0;
   static const char t *LANGS[] = { "en US", "es ES", "pt PT", "it IT", "vi VN
       → ", "ru RU", "ja JP" };
   if (event type(e) == ekGUI EVENT POPUP)
       const EvButton *params = event params(e, EvButton);
```

```
item = menu get item(ctrl->lang menu, params->index);
       lang id = params->index;
   }
   else
    {
       const EvMenu *params = event params(e, EvMenu);
       PopUp *popup = cell popup(ctrl->lang cell);
       cassert(event type(e) == ekGUI EVENT MENU);
       popup selected(popup, params->index);
       item = event sender(e, MenuItem);
       lang id = params->index;
   }
   menu off items(ctrl->lang menu);
   menuitem state(item, ekGUI ON);
   gui language(LANGS[lang id]);
/*-----*/
void ctrl lang cell(Ctrl *ctrl, Cell *cell)
   PopUp *popup = cell popup(cell);
   popup OnSelect(popup, listener(ctrl, i OnLang, Ctrl));
   ctrl->lang cell = cell;
}
void ctrl lang menu(Ctrl *ctrl, Menu *menu)
   uint32 t i, n = menu size(menu);
   for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
       MenuItem *item = menu get item(menu, i);
       menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnLang, Ctrl));
   ctrl->lang menu = menu;
}
static void i OnExit(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   osapp finish();
   unref(ctrl);
   unref(e);
```

```
void ctrl exit item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
   menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnExit, Ctrl));
/*----*/
static void i OnAbout(Ctrl *ctrl, Event *e)
   unref(ctrl);
   unref(e);
   osapp open url("https://nappqui.com/en/demo/products.html");
}
void ctrl about item(Ctrl *ctrl, MenuItem *item)
   menuitem OnClick(item, listener(ctrl, i OnAbout, Ctrl));
void ctrl window(Ctrl *ctrl, Window *window)
   window OnClose(window, listener(ctrl, i OnExit, Ctrl));
   ctrl->window = window;
}
/*-----*/
void ctrl theme images(Ctrl *ctrl)
   bool t dark = gui dark mode();
   button image(cell button(ctrl->first cell), (const Image*) (dark ?
       → FIRSTD PNG : FIRST PNG));
   button image(cell button(ctrl->back cell), (const Image*)(dark ? BACKD PNG
       \hookrightarrow : BACK PNG));
   button image(cell button(ctrl->next cell), (const Image*) (dark ? NEXTD PNG
       \hookrightarrow : NEXT PNG));
   button image(cell button(ctrl->last cell), (const Image*)(dark ? LASTD PNG
       \hookrightarrow : LAST PNG));
   button image(cell button(ctrl->add cell), (const Image*)ADD PNG);
   button image(cell button(ctrl->minus cell), (const Image*)MINUS PNG);
   button image(cell button(ctrl->setting cell), (const Image*)SETTINGS PNG);
   button image(cell button(ctrl->login cell), (const Image*)LOGIN16 PNG);
   button image(cell button(ctrl->logout cell), (const Image*)(dark ?
       → LOGOUT16D PNG : LOGOUT16 PNG));
   menuitem image(ctrl->import item, (const Image*)OPEN PNG);
   menuitem image(ctrl->export item, (const Image*)(dark ? SAVED PNG:

→ SAVE PNG));
```

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GuiHello is an application, which by examples, shows "Gui" (page 299) library features for the creation of user interfaces. The **source code** is in folder /src/howto/guihello of the SDK distribution.

26.1. Hello Label!

```
Hello, I'm a Label.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first and longer than second.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first, longer than second and longer than third.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first, longer than second, longer than third and longer than fourth.

Hello.
Hello, I'm a Label.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first and longer than second.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first and longer than second.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first, longer than second and longer than third.
Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first, longer than second, longer than third and longer than fourth.
```

Figure 26.1: Label controls.

Listing 26.1: demo/guihello/labels.c

```
/* Labels basics */
#include "labels.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
static const char t *i LABEL 01 = "Hello.";
static const char t *i LABEL 02 = "Hello, I'm a Label.";
static const char t *i LABEL 03 = "Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first.";
static const char t *i LABEL 04 = "Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first and
   → longer than second.";
static const char t *i LABEL 05 = "Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first,
   → longer than second and longer than third.";
static const char t *i LABEL 06 = "Hello, I'm a Label, longer than first,
   → longer than second, longer than third and longer than fourth.";
static const char t *i LABEL 07 = "Mouse sensitive label";
static void i OnLayoutWidth(Layout *layout, Event *event)
   const EvButton *p = event params(event, EvButton);
   real32 t width = 0;
   switch (p->index) {
   case 0:
        width = 0;
       break;
   case 1:
       width = 100;
       break:
   case 2:
       width = 200;
       break:
```

```
case 3:
        width = 300;
        break:
    case 4:
        width = 400;
       break:
    cassert default();
    layout hsize(layout, 0, width);
    layout update(layout);
static PopUp *i width popup(Layout *layout)
    PopUp *popup = popup create();
   popup add elem(popup, "Natural", NULL);
    popup add elem(popup, "100px", NULL);
   popup_add_elem(popup, "200px", NULL);
    popup add elem(popup, "300px", NULL);
    popup add elem(popup, "400px", NULL);
   popup OnSelect(popup, listener(layout, i OnLayoutWidth, Layout));
   return popup;
}
Panel *labels single line(void)
    Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 7);
    PopUp *popup = i width popup(layout);
    Label *label1 = label create();
    Label *label2 = label create();
    Label *label3 = label create();
    Label *label4 = label create();
    Label *label5 = label create();
   Label *label6 = label create();
    color t c1 = gui alt color(color rgb(192, 255, 255), color rgb(48, 112,
       \hookrightarrow 112));
    color t c2 = qui alt color(color rgb(255, 192, 255), color rgb(128, 48,
       \hookrightarrow 112));
    color t c3 = gui alt color(color rgb(255, 255, 192), color rgb(112, 112,

→ 48));
    label text(label1, i LABEL 01);
    label text(label2, i LABEL 02);
    label text(label3, i LABEL 03);
    label text(label4, i LABEL 04);
   label text(label5, i LABEL 05);
```

```
label text(label6, i LABEL 06);
   label bgcolor(label1, c1);
   label bgcolor(label2, c2);
   label bgcolor(label3, c3);
   label bgcolor(label4, c1);
   label bgcolor(label5, c2);
   label bgcolor(label6, c3);
   layout popup(layout, popup, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 2);
   layout label(layout, label3, 0, 3);
   layout label(layout, label4, 0, 4);
   layout label(layout, label5, 0, 5);
   layout label(layout, label6, 0, 6);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   panel layout(panel, layout);
   return panel;
Panel *labels multi line(void)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 7);
   PopUp *popup = i width popup(layout);
   Label *label1 = label multiline();
   Label *label2 = label multiline();
   Label *label3 = label multiline();
   Label *label4 = label multiline();
   Label *label5 = label multiline();
   Label *label6 = label multiline();
   color t c1 = gui alt color(color rgb(192, 255, 255), color rgb(48, 112, 120)
       \hookrightarrow 112));
   color t c2 = qui alt color(color rgb(255, 192, 255), color rgb(128, 48,
       \hookrightarrow 112));
    color t c3 = qui alt color(color rgb(255, 255, 192), color rgb(112, 112,
       \hookrightarrow 48));
   label text(label1, i LABEL 01);
   label text(label2, i LABEL 02);
   label text(label3, i LABEL 03);
   label text(label4, i LABEL 04);
   label text(label5, i LABEL 05);
   label text(label6, i LABEL 06);
   label bgcolor(label1, c1);
   label bgcolor(label2, c2);
   label bgcolor(label3, c3);
   label bgcolor(label4, c1);
   label bgcolor(label5, c2);
   label bgcolor(label6, c3);
   label align(label4, ekLEFT);
```

```
label align(label5, ekCENTER);
    label align(label6, ekRIGHT);
    layout popup(layout, popup, 0, 0);
    layout label(layout, label1, 0, 1);
    layout label(layout, label2, 0, 2);
    layout label(layout, label3, 0, 3);
    layout label(layout, label4, 0, 4);
    layout label(layout, label5, 0, 5);
    layout label(layout, label6, 0, 6);
    layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
    panel layout(panel, layout);
    return panel;
}
Panel *labels mouse over (void)
{
    Panel *panel = panel create();
    Layout *layout = layout create(1, 5);
    Font *font = font system(20, ekFNORMAL | ekFPIXELS);
    Label *label1 = label create();
    Label *label2 = label create();
    Label *label3 = label create();
    Label *label4 = label create();
    Label *label5 = label create();
    label text(label1, i LABEL 07);
    label text(label2, i LABEL 07);
    label text(label3, i LABEL 07);
    label text(label4, i LABEL 07);
    label text(label5, i LABEL 07);
    label font(label1, font);
    label font(label2, font);
    label font(label3, font);
    label font(label4, font);
    label font(label5, font);
    label color over(label1, kCOLOR RED);
    label color over (label2, kCOLOR RED);
    label color over(label3, kCOLOR RED);
    label color over(label4, kCOLOR RED);
    label color over(label5, kCOLOR RED);
    label style over(label1, ekFBOLD);
    label style over(label2, ekFITALIC);
    label style over(label3, ekFSTRIKEOUT);
    label style over(label4, ekFUNDERLINE);
    label bgcolor over (label5, kCOLOR CYAN);
    layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
    layout_label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
    layout label(layout, label3, 0, 2);
    layout label(layout, label4, 0, 3);
    layout label(layout, label5, 0, 4);
```

```
panel_layout(panel, layout);
font_destroy(&font);
return panel;
}
```

26.2. Hello Button!

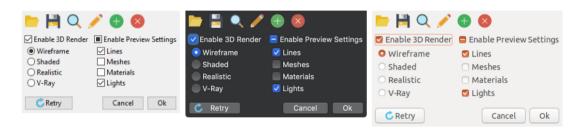


Figure 26.2: Button controls.

Listing 26.2: demo/guihello/buttons.c

```
/* Buttons demo */
#include "buttons.h"
#include "res guihello.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
static Layout *i flatbuttons(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(6, 1);
   Button *button1 = button flat();
   Button *button2 = button flat();
   Button *button3 = button flat();
   Button *button4 = button flat();
   Button *button5 = button flat();
   Button *button6 = button flat();
   button_text(button1, "Open File");
   button text(button2, "Save File");
   button text(button3, "Search File");
   button_text(button4, "Edit File");
   button text(button5, "Add File");
   button text(button6, "Delete File");
   button image (button1, gui image (FOLDER24 PNG));
   button image(button2, gui image(DISK24 PNG));
   button image (button3, qui image (SEARCH24 PNG));
   button image (button4, qui image (EDIT24 PNG));
   button image(button5, gui image(PLUS24 PNG));
   button image (button6, gui image (ERROR24 PNG));
   layout button(layout, button1, 0, 0);
```

```
layout button(layout, button2, 1, 0);
   layout button(layout, button3, 2, 0);
   layout button(layout, button4, 3, 0);
   layout button(layout, button5, 4, 0);
   layout button(layout, button6, 5, 0);
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i radios(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 4);
   Button *radio1 = button radio();
   Button *radio2 = button radio();
   Button *radio3 = button radio();
   Button *radio4 = button radio();
   button text(radio1, "&Wireframe");
   button text(radio2, "&Shaded");
   button text(radio3, "&Realistic");
   button text(radio4, "&V-Ray");
   button state (radio1, ekGUI ON);
   layout button(layout, radio1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, radio2, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout, radio3, 0, 2);
   layout button(layout, radio4, 0, 3);
   layout margin(layout, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 3);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 3);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 3);
   return layout;
}
                    _____
static Layout *i checks(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 4);
   Button *check1 = button check();
   Button *check2 = button check();
   Button *check3 = button check();
   Button *check4 = button check();
   button text(check1, "&Lines");
   button text(check2, "M&eshes");
   button_text(check3, "M&aterials");
   button text(check4, "L&ights");
   button state (check1, ekGUI ON);
   button state(check2, ekGUI OFF);
   button state(check3, ekGUI OFF);
   button state (check4, ekGUI ON);
   layout button(layout, check1, 0, 0);
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```
layout button(layout, check2, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout, check3, 0, 2);
   layout button(layout, check4, 0, 3);
   layout margin(layout, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 3);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 3);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 3);
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i pushes(Button **defbutton)
   Layout *layout = layout create(4, 1);
   Button *button1 = button push();
   Button *button2 = button push();
   Button *button3 = button push();
   button text(button1, "Re&try");
   button text(button2, "&Cancel");
   button text(button3, "&Ok");
   button image (button1, gui image (RETRY PNG));
   layout button(layout, button1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button2, 2, 0);
   layout button(layout, button3, 3, 0);
   layout hmargin(layout, 2, 5);
   layout hexpand(layout, 1);
   *defbutton = button1;
   return layout;
/*----*/
static Layout *i buttons(Button **defbutton)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 3);
   Layout *layout1 = i flatbuttons();
   Layout *layout2 = layout create(2, 2);
   Layout *layout3 = i radios();
   Layout *layout4 = i checks();
   Layout *layout5 = i pushes(defbutton);
   Button *check1 = button check();
   Button *check2 = button check3();
   button text(check1, "Enable 3&D Render");
   button text(check2, "Enable &Preview Settings");
   button state(check1, ekGUI ON);
   button state(check2, ekGUI MIXED);
   layout layout(layout, layout1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout2, check1, 0, 0);
```

layout_layout(layout2, layout3, 0, 1);
layout button(layout2, check2, 1, 0);

```
layout layout(layout2, layout4, 1, 1);
    layout layout(layout, layout2, 0, 1);
    layout layout (layout, layout5, 0, 2);
    layout halign(layout, 0, 0, ekLEFT);
    layout margin(layout2, 5);
    layout hmargin(layout2, 0, 10);
    layout margin(layout5, 5);
    return layout;
Panel *buttons basics(Button **defbutton)
    Layout *layout = i buttons(defbutton);
    Panel *panel = panel create();
    panel layout(panel, layout);
   return panel;
```

Hello PopUp and Combo! 26.3.



Figure 26.3: PopUp controls.

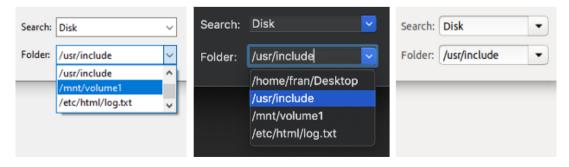


Figure 26.4: Combo controls.

Listing 26.3: demo/guihello/popcom.c

```
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```

```
/* PopUp and Combo */
#include "popcom.h"
#include "res quihello.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
static void i popups (Layout *layout)
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   PopUp *popup1 = popup create();
   PopUp *popup2 = popup create();
   label text(label1, "Language:");
   label text(label2, "Color:");
   popup add elem(popup1, "English", (const Image*)UKING PNG);
   popup add elem(popup1, "Español", (const Image*)SPAIN PNG);
   popup add elem(popup1, "Portugues", (const Image*)PORTUGAL PNG);
   popup add elem(popup1, "Italiana", (const Image*)ITALY PNG);
   popup add elem (popup1, "éTing êVit", (const Image*) VIETNAM PNG);
   popup add elem (popup1, "России", (const Image*) RUSSIA PNG);
   popup add elem(popup1, "DDD", (const Image*) JAPAN PNG);
   popup add elem(popup2, "Red", (const Image*)RED PNG);
   popup add elem(popup2, "Blue", (const Image*)BLUE PNG);
   popup add elem(popup2, "Green", (const Image*)GREEN PNG);
   popup add elem(popup2, "Yellow", (const Image*) YELLOW_PNG);
   popup add elem(popup2, "Black", (const Image*)BLACK PNG);
   popup add elem(popup2, "White", (const Image*)WHITE PNG);
   popup list height (popup1, 10);
   popup list height (popup2, 10);
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout popup(layout, popup1, 1, 0);
   layout popup(layout, popup2, 1, 1);
}
/*-----*/
static void i combos (Layout *layout)
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Combo *combo1 = combo create();
   Combo *combo2 = combo create();
   label text(label1, "Search:");
   label text(label2, "Folder:");
   combo_add_elem(combo1, "Search", NULL);
   combo add elem(combo1, "Disk", NULL);
   combo add elem(combo1, "Edit", NULL);
   combo add elem(combo2, "/home/fran/Desktop", NULL);
```

```
combo add elem(combo2, "/usr/include", NULL);
    combo add elem(combo2, "/mnt/volume1", NULL);
    combo add elem(combo2, "/etc/html/log.txt", NULL);
    layout label(layout, label1, 2, 0);
    layout label(layout, label2, 2, 1);
    layout combo(layout, combo1, 3, 0);
    layout combo(layout, combo2, 3, 1);
Panel *popup combo (void)
    Panel *panel = panel create();
    Layout *layout = layout create(4, 2);
    i popups(layout);
    i combos (layout);
    layout margin(layout, 10.f);
    layout vmargin(layout, 0, 10.f);
    layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5.f);
    layout hmargin(layout, 1, 10.f);
    layout hmargin(layout, 2, 5.f);
    layout hsize(layout, 1, 150.f);
    layout hsize(layout, 3, 150.f);
    panel layout (panel, layout);
    return panel;
```

Hello Edit and UpDown! 26.4.



Figure 26.5: Edit and UpDown controls.

Listing 26.4: demo/guihello/form.c

```
/* Form demo */
#include "form.h"
#include <gui/guiall.h>
```

```
static void i OnFilter(void *noused, Event *e)
   const EvText *params = event params(e, EvText);
   EvTextFilter *result = event result(e, EvTextFilter);
   uint32 t i = 0, j = 0;
   while (params->text[i] != '\0')
       if (params->text[i] >= '0' && params->text[i] <= '9')</pre>
          result->text[j] = params->text[i];
           j += 1;
       }
       i += 1;
    }
   result->text[i] = '\0';
   result->apply = TRUE;
   unref (noused);
}
static void i OnUpDown(Edit *edit, Event *e)
   const EvButton *params = event params(e, EvButton);
   int32 t n = str to i32(edit get text(edit), 10, NULL);
   char t text[64];
   n += (params -> index == 0) ? 1 : -1;
   bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "%d", n);
   edit text(edit, text);
/*-----/
static Layout *i numbers(color t colorbg)
   Layout *layout = layout create(5, 1);
   Label *label = label_create();
   Edit *edit1 = edit create();
   Edit *edit2 = edit_create();
   UpDown *updown1 = updown create();
   UpDown *updown2 = updown create();
   label_text(label, "Height (cm):");
   edit_text(edit1, "25");
   edit text(edit2, "175");
   edit align(edit1, ekRIGHT);
   edit align(edit2, ekRIGHT);
```

```
edit OnFilter(edit1, listener(NULL, i OnFilter, void));
   edit OnFilter(edit2, listener(NULL, i OnFilter, void));
   edit bgcolor focus (edit1, colorbg);
   edit bgcolor focus (edit2, colorbg);
   updown OnClick(updown1, listener(edit1, i OnUpDown, Edit));
   updown OnClick(updown2, listener(edit2, i OnUpDown, Edit));
   updown tooltip(updown1, "Increase/Decrease age");
   updown tooltip(updown2, "Increase/Decrease height");
   layout label(layout, label, 2, 0);
   layout edit(layout, edit1, 0, 0);
   layout edit(layout, edit2, 3, 0);
   layout updown(layout, updown1, 1, 0);
   layout updown(layout, updown2, 4, 0);
   layout hmargin(layout, 1, 10.f);
   layout hmargin(layout, 2, 10.f);
   layout hexpand2 (layout, 0, 3, .5f);
   return layout;
static Layout *i edits(void)
   color t colorbg = gui alt color(color bgr(0xFFFFe4), color bgr(0x101010));
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 6);
   Layout *layout2 = i numbers(colorbg);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Label *label4 = label create();
   Label *label5 = label create();
   Label *label6 = label create();
   Edit *edit1 = edit create();
   Edit *edit2 = edit create();
   Edit *edit3 = edit create();
   Edit *edit4 = edit create();
   Edit *edit5 = edit create();
   label text(label1, "User Name:");
   label text(label2, "Password:");
   label text(label3, "Address:");
   label text(label4, "City:");
   label text(label5, "Phone:");
   label text(label6, "Age:");
   label color over(label1, color rgb(255, 128, 52));
   label color over(label2, color rgb(70, 129, 207));
   label color over(label3, color rgb(119, 188, 31));
   label style over(label4, ekFITALIC | ekFUNDERLINE);
   edit_text(edit1, "Amanda Callister");
   edit text(edit2, "aQwe56nhjJk");
   edit text(edit3, "35, Tuam Road");
   edit text(edit4, "Galway - Ireland");
```

```
edit text(edit5, "+35 654 333 000");
   edit passmode (edit2, TRUE);
   edit bgcolor focus (edit1, colorbg);
   edit bgcolor focus (edit2, colorbg);
   edit bgcolor focus(edit3, colorbg);
   edit bgcolor focus (edit4, colorbg);
   edit bgcolor focus (edit5, colorbg);
   layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout1, label2, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout1, label3, 0, 2);
   layout label(layout1, label4, 0, 3);
   layout label(layout1, label5, 0, 4);
   layout label(layout1, label6, 0, 5);
   layout edit(layout1, edit1, 1, 0);
   layout edit(layout1, edit2, 1, 1);
   layout edit(layout1, edit3, 1, 2);
   layout edit(layout1, edit4, 1, 3);
   layout edit(layout1, edit5, 1, 4);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 1, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   layout hexpand(layout1, 1);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 1, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 2, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 3, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 4, 5);
   return layout1;
}
                           _____*/
static Layout *i form(void)
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(1, 2);
   Layout *layout2 = i edits();
   Label *label = label multiline();
   label text(label, "Please fill in all the information on the form. We will
       → use this data to send commercial mail at all hours, not caring much
       → if it bothers you or not.");
   label color(label, gui alt color(color rgb(255, 0, 0), color rgb(180, 180,
       \hookrightarrow 180)));
   label bgcolor(label, gui alt color(color rgb(216, 191, 216), color rgb(80,
       \hookrightarrow 40, 40)));
   label bgcolor over(label, qui alt color(color rgb(255, 250, 205), color rgb
       label style over(label, ekFUNDERLINE);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout_label(layout1, label, 0, 1);
   layout hsize(layout1, 0, 300);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
   layout margin(layout1, 10);
```

```
return layout1;
Panel *form basic(void)
   Layout *layout = i form();
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   panel layout(panel, layout);
   return panel;
```

Hello ListBox! 26.5.

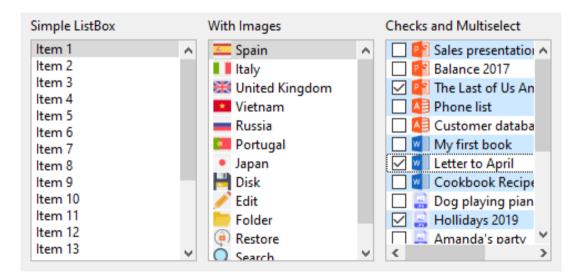


Figure 26.6: ListBox controls.

Listing 26.5: demo/guihello/listboxes.c

```
/* Listboxes */
#include "listboxes.h"
#include "res guihello.h"
#include <gui/guiall.h>
                    _____
static ListBox *i full listbox(void)
   ListBox *listbox = listbox create();
listbox size(listbox, s2df(150, 200));
```

```
listbox multisel(listbox, TRUE);
   listbox checkbox(listbox, TRUE);
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Sales presentation", qui image(POWERPOINT PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Balance 2017", qui image(POWERPOINT PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "The Last of Us Analysis", qui image(
       → POWERPOINT PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Phone list", qui image(ACCESS PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Customer database", gui image(ACCESS PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "My first book", qui image(WORD PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Letter to April", qui image(WORD PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Cookbook Recipes", qui image(WORD PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Dog playing piano", gui image(JPG PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Hollidays 2019", gui image(JPG PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Amanda's party", gui image(JPG PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Flying", gui image(JPG PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "The C Programing Language", gui image(PDF PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Graphics Programing with GDI+", qui image(
       \hookrightarrow PDF PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Personal finances", qui image(EXCEL PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Stocks 2017", qui image(EXCEL PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Website Dashboard", qui image(EXCEL PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Open Issues", gui image(DOCUMENT PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "TODO List", qui image(DOCUMENT PNG));
   listbox select(listbox, 0, TRUE);
   return listbox;
}
static ListBox *i image listbox(void)
{
   ListBox *listbox = listbox create();
   listbox size(listbox, s2df(150, 200));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Spain", gui image(SPAIN PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Italy", gui_image(ITALY_PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "United Kingdom", qui image(UKING PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Vietnam", gui image(VIETNAM PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Russia", qui image(RUSSIA PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Portugal", qui image(PORTUGAL PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Japan", gui image(JAPAN PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Disk", gui image(DISK16 PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Edit", gui image(EDIT16 PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Folder", gui image(FOLDER16 PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Restore", qui image(RESTORE16 PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Search", gui image(SEARCH16 PNG));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Error", gui image(ERROR16 PNG));
   listbox select(listbox, 0, TRUE);
   return listbox;
}
/*-----/
```

```
static ListBox *i simple listbox(void)
   ListBox *listbox = listbox create();
   listbox size(listbox, s2df(150, 200));
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Item 1", NULL);
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Item 2", NULL);
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Item 3", NULL);
   listbox add elem(listbox, "Item 4", NULL);
   listbox select(listbox, 0, TRUE);
   return listbox;
Panel *listboxes(void)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(3, 2);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   ListBox *listbox1 = i simple listbox();
   ListBox *listbox2 = i image listbox();
   ListBox *listbox3 = i full listbox();
   label text(label1, "Simple ListBox");
   label text(label2, "With Images");
   label text(label3, "Checks and Multiselect");
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 1, 0);
   layout label(layout, label3, 2, 0);
   layout listbox(layout, listbox1, 0, 1);
   layout listbox(layout, listbox2, 1, 1);
   layout listbox(layout, listbox3, 2, 1);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout, 1, 10);
   layout vmarqin(layout, 0, 5);
   panel layout (panel, layout);
   return panel;
```

26.6. Hello Slider and Progress!

Listing 26.6: demo/guihello/sliders.c

```
/* Sliders */
#include "sliders.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
```

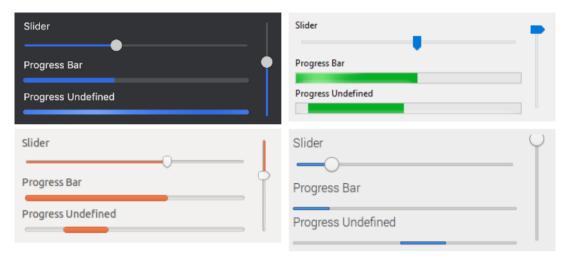


Figure 26.7: Slider and Progress controls.

```
static void i OnSlider(Progress *prog, Event *event)
   const EvSlider *params = event params(event, EvSlider);
   progress value(prog, params->pos);
Panel *sliders(void)
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 1);
   Layout *layout2 = layout create(1, 8);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Label *label4 = label create();
   Slider *slider1 = slider create();
   Slider *slider2 = slider create();
   Slider *slider3 = slider vertical();
   Progress *prog1 = progress_create();
   Progress *prog2 = progress create();
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   label text(label1, "Slider");
   label text(label2, "Slider (discrete 6 steps)");
   label text(label3, "Progress Bar");
   label text(label4, "Progress Undefined");
   slider steps(slider2, 6);
   slider tooltip(slider1, "Horizontal Slider");
   slider tooltip(slider2, "Horizontal Discrete Slider");
```

```
slider tooltip(slider3, "Vertical Slider");
    slider OnMoved(slider1, listener(prog1, i OnSlider, Progress));
   progress undefined (prog2, TRUE);
   layout label(layout2, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout2, label2, 0, 2);
   layout label(layout2, label3, 0, 4);
   layout label(layout2, label4, 0, 6);
   layout slider(layout2, slider1, 0, 1);
   layout slider(layout2, slider2, 0, 3);
   layout slider(layout1, slider3, 1, 0);
   layout progress (layout2, prog1, 0, 5);
   layout progress (layout2, prog2, 0, 7);
   layout hsize(layout2, 0, 300);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 1, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 2, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 3, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 4, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 5, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 6, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
   panel layout(panel, layout1);
   return panel;
}
```

26.7. Hello TextView!

Listing 26.7: demo/guihello/textviews.c

```
/* Use of textviews */
#include "textviews.h"
#include "res guihello.h"
#include <gui/guiall.h>
static void i set rtf(TextView *text)
   ResPack *pack = res guihello respack("");
   uint32 t size = 0;
   const byte_t *data = respack file(pack, TEXTVIEW RTF, &size);
   Stream *stm = stm from block(data, size);
   textview rtf(text, stm);
   stm close(&stm);
   respack destroy(&pack);
}
                 -----*/
```

From RTF data

What is Lorem Ipsum?

Lorem Ipsum is simply dummy text of the *printing and typesetting* industry. Lorem Ipsum has been the [industry's standard] dummy text ever since the 1500s, when an unknown printer took a galley of type and scrambled it to make a type specimen book. It has survived not only five centuries, but also the leap into electronic typesetting, remaining essentially unchanged.

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Figure 26.8: Rich text control.

```
static void i_set_hard_coding(TextView *text)
{
    textview_units(text, ekFPOINTS);
    textview_lspacing(text, 1.15f);
    textview_afspace(text, 10);
    textview_family(text, "Arial");
    textview_fsize(text, 16);
    textview_writef(text, "What is Lorem Ipsum?\n");
    textview_fsize(text, 11);
    textview_writef(text, "Lorem Ipsum ");
    textview_writef(text, ekFBOLD);
    textview_writef(text, "is simply");
    textview_fstyle(text, ekFNORMAL);
    textview_writef(text, " dummy text of the ");
```

```
textview fstyle(text, ekFITALIC);
   textview writef(text, "printing and typesetting");
   textview fstyle(text, ekFNORMAL);
   textview writef(text, "industry. ");
   textview fsize(text, 16);
   textview color(text, color rgb(255, 0, 0));
   textview writef(text, "Lorem Ipsum");
   textview color(text, kCOLOR DEFAULT);
   textview fsize(text, 11);
   textview writef(text, "has been the ");
   textview family(text, "Courier New");
   textview fsize(text, 14);
   textview writef(text, "[industry's standard] ");
   textview family(text, "Arial");
   textview fsize(text, 11);
   textview fstyle(text, ekFUNDERLINE);
   textview writef(text, "dummy text");
   textview fstyle(text, ekFNORMAL);
   textview writef(text, " ever ");
   textview fstyle(text, ekFSTRIKEOUT);
   textview writef(text, "since the 1500s");
   textview fstyle(text, ekFNORMAL);
   textview writef(text, ", when an ");
   textview color(text, color rgb(0, 176, 80));
   textview writef(text, "unknown printer ");
   textview color(text, kCOLOR DEFAULT);
   textview writef(text, "took a galley of type and scrambled it to make a
       → type specimen book");
   textview fstyle(text, ekFITALIC);
   textview color(text, color rgb(0, 77, 187));
   textview bgcolor(text, color rgb(192, 192, 192));
   textview writef(text, ". It has survived not only five centuries");
   textview fstyle(text, ekFNORMAL);
   textview color(text, kCOLOR DEFAULT);
   textview bgcolor(text, kCOLOR DEFAULT);
   textview writef(text, ", but also the leap into electronic typesetting,
       → remaining essentially unchanged.");
Panel *textviews(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 4);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   TextView *text1 = textview create();
   TextView *text2 = textview create();
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   label text(label1, "From RTF data");
   label text(label2, "Hard coding");
```

```
textview_size(text1, s2df(450, 250));
textview_size(text2, s2df(450, 250));
i_set_rtf(text1);
i_set_hard_coding(text2);
layout_label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
layout_label(layout, label2, 0, 2);
layout_textview(layout, text1, 0, 1);
layout_textview(layout, text2, 0, 3);
layout_vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
layout_vmargin(layout, 1, 10);
layout_vmargin(layout, 2, 5);
panel_layout(panel, layout);
return panel;
}
```

26.8. Hello TableView!

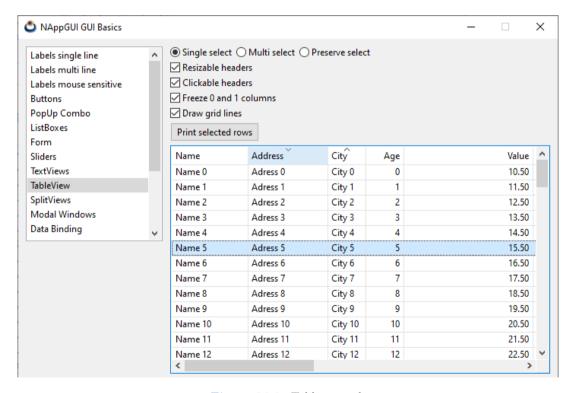


Figure 26.9: Table control.

Listing 26.8: demo/guihello/table.c

```
/* Use of tables */
#include "table.h"
```

```
#include <qui/quiall.h>
typedef struct appdata t AppData;
struct appdata t
   TableView *table;
   TextView *text;
   char t temp string[256];
};
static void i destroy appdata(AppData** data)
   heap delete (data, AppData);
/*-----*/
/* AppData must contain the real data access(array, stream, etc) */
static void i OnTableData(AppData *data, Event *e)
   uint32 t etype = event type(e);
   switch (etype) {
   case ekGUI EVENT TBL NROWS:
       uint32 t *n = event result(e, uint32 t);
       *n = 100;
       break:
   }
   case ekGUI EVENT TBL CELL:
       const EvTbPos *pos = event params(e, EvTbPos);
       EvTbCell *cell = event result(e, EvTbCell);
       switch (pos->col) {
       case 0:
           cell->align = ekLEFT;
           bstd sprintf(data->temp string, sizeof(data->temp string), "Name %d
              \hookrightarrow ", pos->row);
           break;
       case 1:
           cell->align = ekLEFT;
           bstd sprintf(data->temp string, sizeof(data->temp string), "Adress
               \hookrightarrow %d", pos->row);
           break;
```

```
case 2:
        cell->align = ekLEFT;
        bstd sprintf(data->temp string, sizeof(data->temp string), "City %d
            \hookrightarrow ", pos->row);
        break:
    case 3:
        cell->align = ekRIGHT;
        bstd sprintf(data->temp string, sizeof(data->temp string), "%d",
            → pos->row);
        break:
    case 4:
        cell->align = ekRIGHT;
        bstd sprintf(data->temp string, sizeof(data->temp string), "%.2f",
            \hookrightarrow 10.5f + pos->row);
        break;
    case 5:
        cell->align = ekCENTER;
        bstd sprintf(data->temp string, sizeof(data->temp string), "Extra
            → Data 1 %d", pos->row);
        break;
    case 6:
        cell->align = ekCENTER;
        bstd sprintf(data->temp string, sizeof(data->temp string), "Extra
            → Data 2 %d", pos->row);
        break:
    case 7:
        cell->align = ekCENTER;
        bstd sprintf(data->temp string, sizeof(data->temp string), "Extra
            → Data 3 %d", pos->row);
        break;
    case 8:
        cell->align = ekCENTER;
        bstd sprintf(data->temp string, sizeof(data->temp string), "Extra
            → Data 4 %d", pos->row);
        break;
    cassert default();
    }
    cell->text = data->temp string;
    break;
}
}
```

```
static void i OnHeaderClick(AppData *data, Event *e)
   const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   textview printf(data->text, "Click on Header: %d\n", p->index);
static void i OnMultisel(AppData *data, Event *e)
   const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   if (p->index == 0)
      tableview multisel(data->table, FALSE, FALSE);
   else if (p->index == 1)
       tableview multisel (data->table, TRUE, FALSE);
   else if (p->index == 2)
       tableview multisel (data->table, TRUE, TRUE);
static void i OnResizeCheck(AppData *data, Event *e)
   const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   bool t resizable = p->state == ekGUI ON ? TRUE : FALSE;
   tableview header resizable (data->table, resizable);
static void i OnHeaderCheck(AppData *data, Event *e)
   const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   bool t clickable = p->state == ekGUI ON ? TRUE : FALSE;
   tableview header clickable(data->table, clickable);
}
/*----*/
static void i OnFreezeCheck(AppData *data, Event *e)
   const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   uint32 t col freeze = p->state == ekGUI ON ? 1 : UINT32 MAX;
   tableview column freeze (data->table, col freeze);
/*-----*/
static void i OnGridCheck(AppData *data, Event *e)
```

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```
const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   bool t grid = p->state == ekGUI ON ? TRUE : FALSE;
   tableview grid(data->table, grid, grid);
static void i OnPrintsel(AppData *data, Event *e)
{
   const ArrSt(uint32 t) *sel = tableview selected(data->table);
   uint32 t n = arrst size(sel, uint32 t);
   textview writef(data->text, "Selected rows: ");
   arrst foreach const(row, sel, uint32 t)
        textview printf(data->text, "%d", *row);
        if (row i < n - 1)
            textview writef(data->text, ", ");
   arrst end();
   textview writef(data->text, "\n");
   unref(e);
}
static Layout* i table control layout(AppData *data)
{
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(3, 1);
   Layout *layout2 = layout create(1, 6);
   Button *button1 = button radio();
   Button *button2 = button radio();
   Button *button3 = button radio();
   Button *button4 = button check();
   Button *button5 = button check();
   Button *button6 = button check();
   Button *button7 = button check();
   Button *button8 = button push();
   button_text(button1, "Single select");
   button text(button2, "Multi select");
   button text(button3, "Preserve select");
   button text(button4, "Resizable headers");
   button text(button5, "Clickable headers");
   button text(button6, "Freeze 0 and 1 columns");
   button text(button7, "Draw grid lines");
   button text(button8, "Print selected rows");
   button state(button1, ekGUI ON);
   button_state(button4, ekGUI ON);
   button state(button5, ekGUI ON);
   button state(button6, ekGUI ON);
   button state(button7, ekGUI ON);
   layout button(layout1, button1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout1, button2, 1, 0);
```

```
layout button(layout1, button3, 2, 0);
   layout layout(layout2, layout1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout2, button4, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout2, button5, 0, 2);
    layout button(layout2, button6, 0, 3);
   layout button(layout2, button7, 0, 4);
   layout button(layout2, button8, 0, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 5.f);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 1, 5.f);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 0, 5.f);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 1, 5.f);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 2, 5.f);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 3, 5.f);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 4, 5.f);
   layout halign(layout2, 0, 0, ekLEFT);
   layout halign(layout2, 0, 5, ekLEFT);
   button OnClick(button1, listener(data, i OnMultisel, AppData));
   button OnClick(button2, listener(data, i OnMultisel, AppData));
   button OnClick(button3, listener(data, i OnMultisel, AppData));
   button OnClick(button4, listener(data, i OnResizeCheck, AppData));
   button OnClick (button5, listener (data, i OnHeaderCheck, AppData));
   button OnClick(button6, listener(data, i OnFreezeCheck, AppData));
   button OnClick(button7, listener(data, i OnGridCheck, AppData));
   button OnClick(button8, listener(data, i OnPrintsel, AppData));
   return layout2;
}
Panel *table view(void)
{
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   AppData *data = heap new0 (AppData);
   TableView *table = tableview create();
   TextView *text = textview create();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(1, 3);
   Layout *layout2 = i table control layout(data);
   data->table = table;
   data->text = text;
   tableview size(table, s2df(500, 300));
   tableview OnData(table, listener(data, i OnTableData, AppData));
   tableview OnHeaderClick(table, listener(data, i OnHeaderClick, AppData));
   tableview new column text(table);
   tableview new column text(table);
```

```
tableview header clickable (table, TRUE);
tableview header resizable (table, TRUE);
tableview header indicator(table, 1, ekINDDOWN ARROW);
tableview header indicator(table, 2, ekINDUP ARROW);
tableview header title(table, 0, "Name");
tableview header title(table, 1, "Address");
tableview header title(table, 2, "City");
tableview header title(table, 3, "Age");
tableview header title(table, 4, "Value");
tableview header title(table, 5, "Extra\nData 1");
tableview header title(table, 6, "Extra\nData 2");
tableview header title(table, 7, "Extra\nData 3");
tableview header title(table, 8, "Extra\nData 4");
tableview column width (table, 0, 100);
tableview column width (table, 1, 105);
tableview column width(table, 2, 50);
tableview column width (table, 3, 50);
tableview column width (table, 4, 170);
tableview column width (table, 5, 200);
tableview column width (table, 6, 200);
tableview column width (table, 7, 200);
tableview column width (table, 8, 200);
tableview column limits (table, 2, 50, 100);
tableview column freeze(table, 1);
tableview header align(table, 0, ekLEFT);
tableview header align(table, 1, ekLEFT);
tableview header align(table, 2, ekLEFT);
tableview header align(table, 3, ekRIGHT);
tableview header align(table, 4, ekRIGHT);
tableview header align(table, 5, ekCENTER);
tableview header align(table, 6, ekCENTER);
tableview header align(table, 7, ekCENTER);
tableview header align(table, 8, ekCENTER);
tableview multisel(table, FALSE, FALSE);
tableview header visible (table, TRUE);
tableview grid(table, TRUE, TRUE);
tableview update(table);
{
    uint32 t row = 20;
    tableview select(table, &row, 1);
    tableview focus row(table, row, ekBOTTOM);
}
layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
layout tableview(layout1, table, 0, 1);
layout textview(layout1, text, 0, 2);
layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5.f);
layout vmargin(layout1, 1, 5.f);
panel data(panel, &data, i destroy appdata, AppData);
panel layout(panel, layout1);
```

```
return panel;
```

26.9. Hello SplitView!

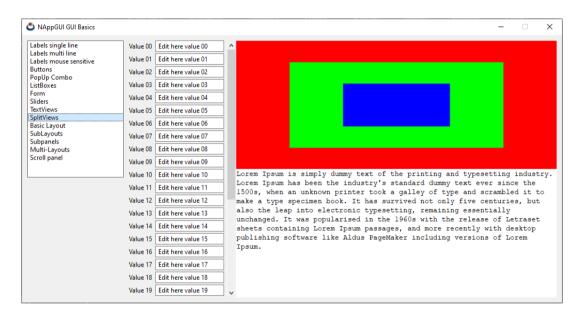


Figure 26.10: SplitView.

Listing 26.9: demo/guihello/splits.c

```
/* Use of splitviews */
#include "splits.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
static const char t *i LOREM = "Lorem Ipsum is simply dummy text of the
   → printing and typesetting industry. Lorem Ipsum has been the industry's
   \hookrightarrow standard dummy text ever since the 1500s, when an unknown printer took a
   → galley of type and scrambled it to make a type specimen book. It has
   → survived not only five centuries, but also the leap into electronic
   \hookrightarrow typesetting, remaining essentially unchanged. It was popularised in the
   → 1960s with the release of Letraset sheets containing Lorem Ipsum
   \hookrightarrow passages, and more recently with desktop publishing software like Aldus
   → PageMaker including versions of Lorem Ipsum.";
static void i OnDraw(View *view, Event *e)
    const EvDraw *p = event params(e, EvDraw);
```

```
real32 t p0 = p->width / 6;
   real32 t p1 = p->height / 6;
   real32 t p2 = p->width / 3;
   real32 t p3 = p->height / 3;
   unref(view);
   draw fill color(p->ctx, kCOLOR RED);
   draw rect(p->ctx, ekFILL, 0, 0, p->width, p->height);
   draw fill color(p->ctx, kCOLOR GREEN);
   draw rect(p->ctx, ekFILL, p0, p1, p->width - 2 * p0, p->height - 2 * p1);
   draw fill color(p->ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
   draw_rect(p->ctx, ekFILL, p2, p3, p->width - 2 * p2, p->height - 2 * p3);
static Panel *i left panel(void)
   uint32 t i, n = 32;
   Panel *panel = panel scroll(FALSE, TRUE);
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, n);
   real32 t rmargin = panel scroll width (panel);
   for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
        char t text[64];
        Label *label = label create();
        Edit *edit = edit create();
       bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Value %02d", i);
        label text(label, text);
       bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Edit here value %02d", i);
        edit text(edit, text);
        layout label(layout, label, 0, i);
        layout edit(layout, edit, 1, i);
    }
   for (i = 0; i < n - 1; ++i)
        layout vmarqin(layout, i, 3);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout margin4(layout, 0, rmargin + 5, 0, 0);
   layout hexpand(layout, 1);
   panel layout(panel, layout);
   return panel;
}
Panel *split panel(void)
   Panel *panel1 = panel create();
  Panel *panel2 = i left panel();
```

```
Layout *layout = layout create(1, 1);
SplitView *split1 = splitview vertical();
SplitView *split2 = splitview horizontal();
TextView *text = textview create();
View *view = view create();
textview writef(text, i LOREM);
view OnDraw(view, listener(view, i OnDraw, View));
splitview pos(split1, .25f);
splitview size(split1, s2df(800, 480));
splitview size(split2, s2df(640, 480));
splitview view(split2, view, FALSE);
splitview text(split2, text, FALSE);
splitview panel(split1, panel2);
splitview split(split1, split2);
layout splitview(layout, split1, 0, 0);
panel layout(panel1, layout);
return panel1;
```

26.10. Hello Modal Window!

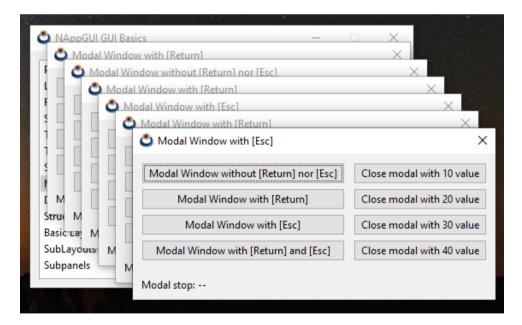


Figure 26.11: Modal windows.

Listing 26.10: demo/guihello/modalwin.c

```
/* Listboxes */
#include "modalwin.h"
```

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#include <qui/quiall.h>
typedef struct modal data t ModalData;
struct modal data t
  uint32 t type;
  Label *label;
  Window *parent;
};
/*-----/
static const char t *i MODAL0 = "Modal Window without [Return] nor [Esc]";
static const char t *i MODAL1 = "Modal Window with [Return]";
static const char_t *i_MODAL2 = "Modal Window with [Esc]";
static const char t *i MODAL3 = "Modal Window with [Return] and [Esc]";
/*----*/
static Layout *i modal layout (ModalData *data);
/*-----/
static ModalData* i modal data(Window* parent)
  ModalData *data = heap new0 (ModalData);
  data->parent = parent;
  data->type = UINT32 MAX;
  return data;
/*-----*/
static void i destroy modal data(ModalData** data)
  heap delete(data, ModalData);
/*-----*/
static void i OnCloseModal(Window* window, Event* e)
  Button *button = event sender(e, Button);
  window stop modal(window, button get tag(button));
```

/*-----*/

static Layout* i close layout(Window *window)

```
Layout *layout = layout create(1, 4);
   Button *button1 = button push();
   Button *button2 = button push();
   Button *button3 = button push();
   Button *button4 = button push();
   button text(button1, "Close modal with 10 value");
   button text(button2, "Close modal with 20 value");
   button text(button3, "Close modal with 30 value");
   button text(button4, "Close modal with 40 value");
   button tag(button1, 10);
   button tag(button2, 20);
   button tag(button3, 30);
   button tag(button4, 40);
   button OnClick(button1, listener(window, i OnCloseModal, Window));
   button OnClick(button2, listener(window, i OnCloseModal, Window));
   button OnClick(button3, listener(window, i_OnCloseModal, Window));
   button OnClick(button4, listener(window, i OnCloseModal, Window));
   layout button(layout, button1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button2, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout, button3, 0, 2);
   layout button (layout, button4, 0, 3);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 5);
   return layout;
}
static uint32 t i window flags(const uint32 t type)
{
   uint32 t flags = ekWINDOW TITLE | ekWINDOW CLOSE;
   switch(type) {
   case 0:
       return flags;
       return flags | ekWINDOW RETURN;
   case 2:
       return flags | ekWINDOW ESC;
       return flags | ekWINDOW RETURN | ekWINDOW ESC;
   cassert default();
   }
   return 0;
/*-----*/
static const char t *i window title(const uint32 t type)
```

```
switch(type) {
   case 0:
       return i MODALO;
       return i MODAL1;
   case 2:
       return i MODAL2;
   case 3:
       return i MODAL3;
   cassert default();
   return 0:
static void i modal window(ModalData *data)
   uint32 t flags = i window flags(data->type);
   Window *window = window create(flags);
   ModalData *ndata = i modal data(window);
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 1);
   Layout *layout2 = i modal layout(ndata);
   Layout *layout3 = i close layout(window);
   uint32 t retval = UINT32 MAX;
   V2Df pos = window get origin(data->parent);
   char t text[128];
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout layout(layout1, layout3, 1, 0);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
   layout valign(layout1, 1, 0, ekTOP);
   layout margin(layout1, 10);
   panel data(panel, &ndata, i destroy modal data, ModalData);
   panel layout(panel, layout1);
   window panel (window, panel);
   window title (window, i window title (data->type));
   window origin (window, v2df(pos.x + 20, pos.y + 20));
   retval = window modal(window, data->parent);
   if (retval == (uint32 t)ekGUI CLOSE ESC)
       bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Modal stop: [Esc] (%d)", retval);
   else if (retval == (uint32 t)ekGUI CLOSE INTRO)
       bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Modal stop: [Return] (%d)", retval);
   else if (retval == (uint32 t)ekGUI CLOSE BUTTON)
       bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Modal stop: [X] (%d)", retval);
       bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Modal stop: %d", retval);
   label text(data->label, text);
```

```
window destroy(&window);
}
static void i OnClickModal(ModalData* data, Event* e)
   Button *button = event sender(e, Button);
   data->type = button get tag(button);
   i modal window(data);
}
/*-----/
static Layout *i modal layout(ModalData *data)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 5);
   Button *button1 = button push();
   Button *button2 = button push();
   Button *button3 = button push();
   Button *button4 = button push();
   Label *label = label create();
   cassert(data->label == NULL);
   data->label = label;
   button text(button1, i MODAL0);
   button text(button2, i MODAL1);
   button text(button3, i MODAL2);
   button text(button4, i MODAL3);
   label text(label, "Modal stop: --");
   button tag(button1, 0);
   button tag(button2, 1);
   button tag(button3, 2);
   button tag(button4, 3);
   button OnClick(button1, listener(data, i OnClickModal, ModalData));
   button OnClick(button2, listener(data, i OnClickModal, ModalData));
   button OnClick(button3, listener(data, i OnClickModal, ModalData));
   button OnClick(button4, listener(data, i OnClickModal, ModalData));
   layout button(layout, button1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button2, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout, button3, 0, 2);
   layout button(layout, button4, 0, 3);
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 4);
   layout halign(layout, 0, 4, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 3, 20);
   return layout;
}
/*-----/
```

```
Panel *modal_windows(Window *parent)
{
    Panel *panel = panel_create();
    ModalData *data = i_modal_data(parent);
    Layout *layout = i_modal_layout(data);
    panel_layout(panel, layout);
    panel_data(panel, &data, i_destroy_modal_data, ModalData);
    return panel;
}
```

26.11. Hello Gui Binding!

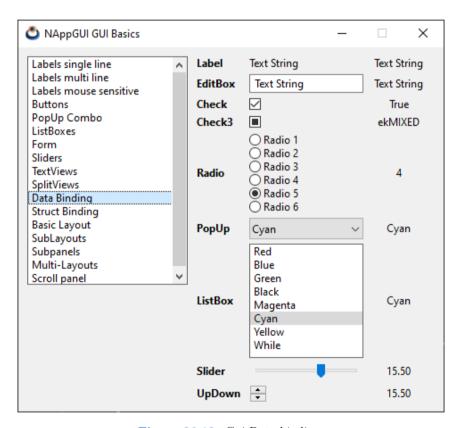


Figure 26.12: Gui Data binding.

Listing 26.11: demo/guihello/guibind.c

```
/* GUI data binding */
#include "guibind.h"
#include <gui/guiall.h>
```

```
typedef struct basictypes t BasicTypes;
typedef enum myenum t
   ekRED,
   ekBLUE,
   ekGREEN,
   ekBLACK,
   ekMAGENTA,
   ekCYAN,
   ekYELLOW,
   ekWHITE
} myenum t;
struct basictypes t
   bool t bool val;
   uint16 t uint16 val;
   real32 t real32 val;
   myenum t enum val;
   gui state t enum3 val;
   String* str val;
};
#define i NUM CONTROLS 9
static void i destroy data(BasicTypes **data)
   str destroy(&(*data)->str val);
   heap delete(data, BasicTypes);
                        -----*/
static Layout *i radio layout(void)
   uint32 t i = 0, n = 6;
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, n);
   for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)</pre>
       Button *radio = button radio();
       char t str[64];
       bstd sprintf(str, sizeof(str), "Radio %d", i + 1);
       button text(radio, str);
       layout button(layout, radio, 0, i);
    }
   return layout;
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```
static void i title labels(Layout* layout)
   Font* font = font system(font regular size(), ekFBOLD);
   const char t* strs[] = { "Label", "EditBox", "Check", "Check3", "Radio", "
       → PopUp", "ListBox", "Slider", "UpDown" };
   uint32 t i = 0;
    for (i = 0; i < i NUM CONTROLS; ++i)</pre>
        Label* label = label create();
        label text(label, strs[i]);
        label font(label, font);
       layout label(layout, label, 0, i);
    }
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 10);
   font destroy(&font);
static void i value labels(Layout* layout)
   uint32 t i = 0;
   for (i = 0; i < i NUM CONTROLS; ++i)</pre>
       Label* label = label create();
        label align(label, ekCENTER);
        layout label(layout, label, 2, i);
        layout halign(layout, 2, i, ekJUSTIFY);
    }
   layout hsize(layout, 2, 80);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 10);
   for (i = 0; i < i \text{ NUM CONTROLS} - 1; ++i)
        layout vmargin(layout, i, 5);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 0), BasicTypes, String*, str val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 1), BasicTypes, String*, str val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 2), BasicTypes, bool t, bool val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 3), BasicTypes, qui state t, enum3 val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 4), BasicTypes, uint16 t, uint16 val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 5), BasicTypes, myenum t, enum val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 6), BasicTypes, myenum t, enum val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 7), BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 8), BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val);
```

```
static Layout *i layout (void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(3, 9);
   Label *label = label create();
   Edit *edit = edit create();
   Button *check = button check();
   Button *check3 = button check3();
   Layout *radios = i radio layout();
   PopUp *popup = popup create();
   ListBox *listbox = listbox create();
   Slider *slider = slider create();
   UpDown *updown = updown create();
   layout label(layout, label, 1, 0);
   layout edit(layout, edit, 1, 1);
   layout button(layout, check, 1, 2);
   layout button(layout, check3, 1, 3);
   layout layout (layout, radios, 1, 4);
   layout popup(layout, popup, 1, 5);
   layout listbox(layout, listbox, 1, 6);
   layout slider(layout, slider, 1, 7);
   layout updown(layout, updown, 1, 8);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 0, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 8, ekLEFT);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 0), BasicTypes, String*, str val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 1), BasicTypes, String*, str val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 2), BasicTypes, bool t, bool val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 3), BasicTypes, qui state t, enum3 val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 4), BasicTypes, uint16 t, uint16 val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 5), BasicTypes, myenum t, enum val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 6), BasicTypes, myenum t, enum val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 7), BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 8), BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val);
   i title labels(layout);
   i value labels(layout);
   return layout;
                         _____
Panel* quibind (void)
   Layout *layout = NULL;
   Panel *panel = NULL;
   BasicTypes *data = heap new(BasicTypes);
   data->bool val = TRUE;
   data->uint16 val = 4;
   data->real32 val = 15.5f;
   data->enum3 val = ekGUI MIXED;
   data->enum val = ekCYAN;
   data->str val = str c("Text String");
```

```
dbind enum (qui state t, ekGUI OFF, "");
dbind_enum(gui state t, ekGUI ON, "");
dbind enum(gui state t, ekGUI MIXED, "");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekRED, "Red");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekBLUE, "Blue");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekGREEN, "Green");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekBLACK, "Black");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekMAGENTA, "Magenta");
dbind enum (myenum t, ekCYAN, "Cyan");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekYELLOW, "Yellow");
dbind enum(myenum t, ekWHITE, "While");
dbind(BasicTypes, bool t, bool val);
dbind(BasicTypes, uint16 t, uint16 val);
dbind(BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val);
dbind(BasicTypes, gui state t, enum3 val);
dbind(BasicTypes, myenum t, enum val);
dbind(BasicTypes, String*, str val);
dbind range (BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val, -50, 50);
dbind increment(BasicTypes, real32 t, real32 val, 5);
layout = i layout();
panel = panel create();
layout dbind(layout, NULL, BasicTypes);
layout dbind obj(layout, data, BasicTypes);
panel data(panel, &data, i destroy data, BasicTypes);
panel layout(panel, layout);
return panel;
```

26.12. Hello Struct Binding!

Listing 26.12: demo/guihello/layoutbind.c

```
/* GUI data binding */
#include "layoutbind.h"
#include <gui/guiall.h>

typedef struct _vector_t Vector;
typedef struct _structtypes_t StructTypes;

struct _vector_t
{
    real32_t x;
    real32_t y;
    real32_t z;
};

struct _structtypes_t
```

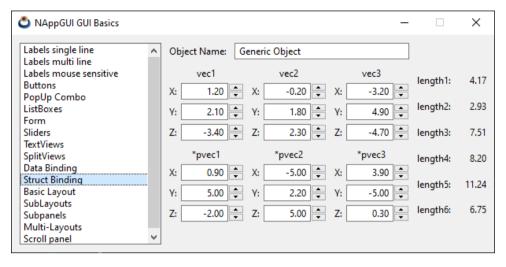


Figure 26.13: Gui Struct binding.

```
String *name;
    Vector vec1;
    Vector vec2;
   Vector vec3;
    Vector *pvec1;
    Vector *pvec2;
   Vector *pvec3;
    real32 t length1;
    real32 t length2;
    real32 t length3;
    real32 t length4;
    real32 t length5;
    real32 t length6;
};
static void i destroy data(StructTypes **data)
{
    str_destroy(&(*data)->name);
    heap_delete(&(*data)->pvec1, Vector);
    heap delete(&(*data)->pvec2, Vector);
    heap delete(&(*data)->pvec3, Vector);
    heap delete(data, StructTypes);
}
static Vector i vec init(const real32 t x, const real32 t y, const real32 t z)
```

```
Vector v;
   v.x = x;
   v.y = y;
   v.z = z;
   return v;
}
static real32 t i vec length(const Vector *vec)
   real32 t n = vec->x * vec->x + vec->y * vec->y + vec->z * vec->z;
   return bmath sqrtf(n);
static void i OnDataChange(void *non used, Event *e)
   StructTypes *data = evbind object(e, StructTypes);
   Layout *layout = event sender(e, Layout);
   unref(non used);
   if (evbind modify(e, StructTypes, Vector, vec1) == TRUE)
        data->length1 = i vec length(&data->vec1);
       layout dbind update(layout, StructTypes, real32 t, length1);
   else if (evbind modify(e, StructTypes, Vector, vec2) == TRUE)
        data->length2 = i vec length(&data->vec2);
       layout dbind update(layout, StructTypes, real32 t, length2);
    else if (evbind modify(e, StructTypes, Vector, vec3) == TRUE)
        data->length3 = i vec length(&data->vec3);
        layout_dbind_update(layout, StructTypes, real32 t, length3);
    else if (evbind modify(e, StructTypes, Vector*, pvec1) == TRUE)
        data->length4 = i vec length(data->pvec1);
       layout dbind update(layout, StructTypes, real32 t, length4);
   else if (evbind modify(e, StructTypes, Vector*, pvec2) == TRUE)
        data->length5 = i vec length(data->pvec2);
        layout dbind update(layout, StructTypes, real32 t, length5);
    else if (evbind modify(e, StructTypes, Vector*, pvec3) == TRUE)
       data->length6 = i vec length(data->pvec3);
```

```
layout dbind update(layout, StructTypes, real32 t, length6);
   }
}
static Layout *i vector layout(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(3, 3);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Edit *edit1 = edit create();
   Edit *edit2 = edit create();
   Edit *edit3 = edit create();
   UpDown *updown1 = updown create();
   UpDown *updown2 = updown create();
   UpDown *updown3 = updown create();
   label text(label1, "X:");
   label text(label2, "Y:");
   label text(label3, "Z:");
   edit align(edit1, ekRIGHT);
   edit align(edit2, ekRIGHT);
   edit align(edit3, ekRIGHT);
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label3, 0, 2);
   layout edit(layout, edit1, 1, 0);
   layout edit(layout, edit2, 1, 1);
   layout edit(layout, edit3, 1, 2);
   layout updown(layout, updown1, 2, 0);
   layout updown(layout, updown2, 2, 1);
   layout updown(layout, updown3, 2, 2);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmarqin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   layout hsize(layout, 1, 60);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 0), Vector, real32 t, x);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 1), Vector, real32 t, y);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 2), Vector, real32 t, z);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 0), Vector, real32 t, x);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 1), Vector, real32 t, y);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 2, 2), Vector, real32 t, z);
   layout dbind(layout, NULL, Vector);
   return layout;
static Layout *i name layout (void)
```

```
Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
   Label *label = label create();
   Edit *edit = edit create();
   label text(label, "Object Name:");
   layout hexpand(layout, 1);
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 0);
   layout edit(layout, edit, 1, 0);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 10);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 0), StructTypes, String*, name);
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i vectors layout(void)
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(3, 4);
   Layout *layout2 = i vector layout();
   Layout *layout3 = i vector layout();
   Layout *layout4 = i_vector_layout();
   Layout *layout5 = i vector layout();
   Layout *layout6 = i vector layout();
   Layout *layout7 = i vector layout();
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Label *label4 = label create();
   Label *label5 = label create();
   Label *label6 = label create();
   label_text(label1, "vec1");
   label_text(label2, "vec2");
   label text(label3, "vec3");
   label text(label4, "*pvec1");
   label text(label5, "*pvec2");
   label text(label6, "*pvec3");
   layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 0);
   layout_label(layout1, label2, 1, 0);
   layout label(layout1, label3, 2, 0);
   layout label(layout1, label4, 0, 2);
   layout label(layout1, label5, 1, 2);
   layout label(layout1, label6, 2, 2);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 1);
   layout_layout(layout1, layout3, 1, 1);
   layout layout(layout1, layout4, 2, 1);
   layout layout(layout1, layout5, 0, 3);
   layout layout(layout1, layout6, 1, 3);
   layout_layout(layout1, layout7, 2, 3);
   layout halign(layout1, 0, 0, ekCENTER);
   layout halign(layout1, 1, 0, ekCENTER);
   layout halign(layout1, 2, 0, ekCENTER);
   layout halign(layout1, 0, 2, ekCENTER);
```

```
layout halign(layout1, 1, 2, ekCENTER);
   layout halign(layout1, 2, 2, ekCENTER);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 1, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 1, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 2, 5);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 1), StructTypes, Vector, vec1);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 1, 1), StructTypes, Vector, vec2);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 2, 1), StructTypes, Vector, vec3);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 3), StructTypes, Vector*, pvec1);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 1, 3), StructTypes, Vector*, pvec2);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 2, 3), StructTypes, Vector*, pvec3);
   return layout1;
}
static Layout *i lengths layout (void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 6);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Label *label4 = label create();
   Label *label5 = label create();
   Label *label6 = label create();
   Label *label7 = label create();
   Label *label8 = label create();
   Label *label9 = label create();
   Label *label10 = label create();
   Label *label11 = label create();
   Label *label12 = label create();
   label text(label1, "length1:");
   label_text(label2, "length2:");
   label text(label3, "length3:");
   label text(label4, "length4:");
   label text(label5, "length5:");
   label text(label6, "length6:");
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label3, 0, 2);
   layout label(layout, label4, 0, 3);
   layout label(layout, label5, 0, 4);
   layout label(layout, label6, 0, 5);
   layout label(layout, label7, 1, 0);
   layout label(layout, label8, 1, 1);
   layout label(layout, label9, 1, 2);
   layout label(layout, label10, 1, 3);
   layout_label(layout, label11, 1, 4);
   layout label(layout, label12, 1, 5);
```

```
label align(label7, ekRIGHT);
   label align(label8, ekRIGHT);
   label align(label9, ekRIGHT);
   label align(label10, ekRIGHT);
   label align(label11, ekRIGHT);
   label align(label12, ekRIGHT);
   layout hsize(layout, 1, 40);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 0, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 1, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 2, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 3, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 4, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 5, ekJUSTIFY);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 0), StructTypes, real32 t, length1);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 1), StructTypes, real32 t, length2);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 2), StructTypes, real32 t, length3);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 3), StructTypes, real32 t, length4);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 4), StructTypes, real32 t, length5);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 5), StructTypes, real32 t, length6);
   return layout;
static Layout *i layout (void)
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 2);
   Layout *layout2 = i name layout();
   Layout *layout3 = i vectors layout();
   Layout *layout4 = i lengths layout();
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout layout(layout1, layout3, 0, 1);
   layout layout(layout1, layout4, 1, 1);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
   return layout1;
}
Panel* layoutbind(void)
   Layout *layout = NULL;
   Panel *panel = NULL;
   StructTypes *data = heap new(StructTypes);
   data->name = str_c("Generic Object");
   data->pvec1 = heap_new(Vector);
   data->pvec2 = heap new(Vector);
   data->pvec3 = heap new(Vector);
   data - vec1 = i vec init(1.2f, 2.1f, -3.4f);
```

```
data - vec2 = i vec init(-0.2f, 1.8f, 2.3f);
data \rightarrow vec3 = i vec init(-3.2f, 4.9f, -4.7f);
*data->pvec1 = i vec init(0.9f, 7.9f, -2.0f);
*data->pvec2 = i vec init(-6.9f, 2.2f, 8.6f);
*data->pvec3 = i vec init(3.9f, -5.5f, 0.3f);
data->length1 = i vec length(&data->vec1);
data->length2 = i vec length(&data->vec2);
data->length3 = i vec length(&data->vec3);
data->length4 = i vec length(data->pvec1);
data->length5 = i vec length(data->pvec2);
data->length6 = i vec length(data->pvec3);
dbind(Vector, real32 t, x);
dbind(Vector, real32 t, y);
dbind(Vector, real32 t, z);
dbind(StructTypes, String*, name);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector, vec1);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector, vec2);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector, vec3);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector*, pvec1);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector*, pvec2);
dbind(StructTypes, Vector*, pvec3);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length1);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length2);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length3);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length4);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length5);
dbind(StructTypes, real32 t, length6);
dbind range (Vector, real32 t, x, -5, 5);
dbind range (Vector, real32 t, y, -5, 5);
dbind range(Vector, real32 t, z, -5, 5);
dbind increment (Vector, real32 t, x, .1f);
dbind increment(Vector, real32 t, y, .1f);
dbind increment (Vector, real32 t, z, .1f);
layout = i layout();
panel = panel create();
layout dbind(layout, listener(NULL, i OnDataChange, void), StructTypes);
layout dbind obj(layout, data, StructTypes);
panel data(panel, &data, i destroy data, StructTypes);
panel layout(panel, layout);
return panel;
```

26.13. Hello Sublayout!

Listing 26.13: demo/guihello/sublayout.c

```
/* Sublayouts */
```

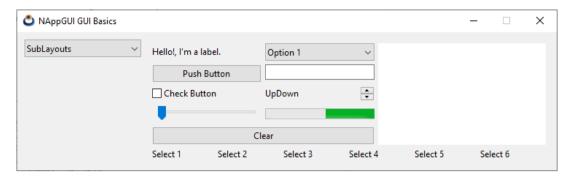


Figure 26.14: Sublayout composition.

```
#include "sublayout.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
static Layout *i updown layout (void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
   Label *label = label create();
   UpDown *updown = updown create();
   label text(label, "UpDown");
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 0);
   layout updown(layout, updown, 1, 0);
   layout hexpand(layout, 0);
   return layout;
static Layout *i left grid layout(void)
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 4);
   Layout *layout2 = i updown layout();
   Label *label = label create();
   Button *button1 = button push();
   Button *button2 = button check();
   Slider *slider = slider create();
   PopUp *popup = popup create();
   Edit *edit = edit create();
   Progress *progress = progress create();
   label_text(label, "Hello!, I'm a label.");
   button text(button1, "Push Button");
   button text(button2, "Check Button");
   popup add elem(popup, "Option 1", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Option 2", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Option 3", NULL);
```

```
popup add elem(popup, "Option 4", NULL);
   progress undefined (progress, TRUE);
   layout label(layout1, label, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout1, button1, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout1, button2, 0, 2);
   layout slider(layout1, slider, 0, 3);
   layout popup(layout1, popup, 1, 0);
   layout edit(layout1, edit, 1, 1);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 1, 2);
   layout progress(layout1, progress, 1, 3);
   layout hsize(layout1, 0, 150);
   layout hsize(layout1, 1, 150);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 1, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 2, 5);
   return layout1;
static Layout *i left layout (void)
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(1, 2);
   Layout *layout2 = i left grid layout();
   Button *button = button push();
   button text(button, "Clear");
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout1, button, 0, 1);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   return layout1;
}
/*-----
static Layout *i top layout(void)
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 1);
   Layout *layout2 = i left layout();
   TextView *view = textview create();
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout textview(layout1, view, 1, 0);
   layout hsize(layout1, 1, 230);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   return layout1;
/*-----*/
static Layout *i bottom layout(void)
```

```
Layout *layout = layout create(6, 1);
    Label *label1 = label create();
    Label *label2 = label create();
    Label *label3 = label create();
    Label *label4 = label create();
    Label *label5 = label create();
    Label *label6 = label create();
    label text(label1, "Select 1");
    label text(label2, "Select 2");
    label text(label3, "Select 3");
    label text(label4, "Select 4");
    label text(label5, "Select 5");
    label text(label6, "Select 6");
    label style over(label1, ekFUNDERLINE);
    label style over(label2, ekFUNDERLINE);
    label style over(label3, ekFUNDERLINE);
    label style over(label4, ekFUNDERLINE);
    label style over(label5, ekFUNDERLINE);
    label style over(label6, ekFUNDERLINE);
    layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
    layout label(layout, label2, 1, 0);
    layout label(layout, label3, 2, 0);
    layout label(layout, label4, 3, 0);
    layout label(layout, label5, 4, 0);
   layout label(layout, label6, 5, 0);
   return layout;
static Layout *i main layout(void)
    Layout *layout1 = layout create(1, 2);
    Layout *layout2 = i top layout();
    Layout *layout3 = i_bottom_layout();
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
    layout layout(layout1, layout3, 0, 1);
    layout margin(layout1, 5);
    layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   return layout1;
}
Panel *sublayouts(void)
    Panel *panel = panel create();
    Layout *layout = i main layout();
   panel layout(panel, layout);
   return panel;
}
```

26.14. Hello Subpanel!

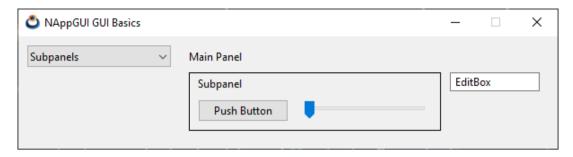


Figure 26.15: Subpanels.

Listing 26.14: demo/guihello/subpanel.c

```
/* Use of subpanels */
#include "subpanel.h"
#include <qui/quiall.h>
Panel *subpanels(void)
    Panel *panel1 = panel create();
    Panel *panel2 = panel create();
    Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 2);
    Layout *layout2 = layout create(2, 2);
    Label *label1 = label create();
    Label *label2 = label create();
    Button *button = button push();
    Slider *slider = slider create();
    Edit *edit = edit create();
    label text(label1, "Main Panel");
    label_text(label2, "Subpanel");
    button text(button, "Push Button");
    edit text(edit, "EditBox");
    layout label(layout2, label2, 0, 0);
    layout button(layout2, button, 0, 1);
    layout_slider(layout2, slider, 1, 1);
    layout hsize(layout2, 1, 150);
    layout hmargin(layout2, 0, 10);
    layout vmargin(layout2, 0, 10);
    layout margin4(layout2, 5, 10, 10, 10);
    layout skcolor(layout2, qui line color());
    panel layout(panel2, layout2);
    layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 0);
    layout edit(layout1, edit, 1, 1);
```

```
layout_panel(layout1, panel2, 0, 1);
layout_hsize(layout1, 1, 100);
layout_hmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
layout_vmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
layout_margin4(layout1, 5, 10, 10, 10);
panel_layout(panel1, layout1);
return panel1;
}
```

26.15. Hello Multi-layout!

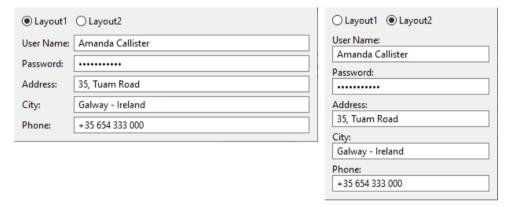


Figure 26.16: Panel with two layouts.

Listing 26.15: demo/guihello/multilayout.c

```
Edit *edit4 = edit create();
Edit *edit5 = edit create();
label text(label1, "User Name:");
label text(label2, "Password:");
label text(label3, "Address:");
label text(label4, "City:");
label text(label5, "Phone:");
edit text(edit1, "Amanda Callister");
edit text(edit2, "aQwe56nhjJk");
edit text(edit3, "35, Tuam Road");
edit text(edit4, "Galway - Ireland");
edit text(edit5, "+35 654 333 000");
edit passmode (edit2, TRUE);
layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 0);
layout label(layout1, label2, 0, 1);
layout label(layout1, label3, 0, 2);
layout label(layout1, label4, 0, 3);
layout label(layout1, label5, 0, 4);
layout edit(layout1, edit1, 1, 0);
layout edit(layout1, edit2, 1, 1);
layout edit(layout1, edit3, 1, 2);
layout edit(layout1, edit4, 1, 3);
layout_edit(layout1, edit5, 1, 4);
layout hsize(layout1, 1, 300);
layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
layout vmargin(layout1, 1, 5);
layout vmargin(layout1, 2, 5);
layout vmargin(layout1, 3, 5);
layout label(layout2, label1, 0, 0);
layout label(layout2, label2, 0, 2);
layout label(layout2, label3, 0, 4);
layout label(layout2, label4, 0, 6);
layout label(layout2, label5, 0, 8);
layout edit(layout2, edit1, 0, 1);
layout edit(layout2, edit2, 0, 3);
layout edit(layout2, edit3, 0, 5);
layout edit(layout2, edit4, 0, 7);
layout edit(layout2, edit5, 0, 9);
layout hsize(layout2, 0, 200);
layout vmargin(layout2, 1, 5);
layout vmargin(layout2, 3, 5);
layout vmargin(layout2, 5, 5);
layout vmargin(layout2, 7, 5);
panel layout(panel, layout1);
panel layout(panel, layout2);
return panel;
```

```
static void i OnLayout(Panel *panel, Event *e)
   const EvButton *params = event params(e, EvButton);
   panel visible layout(panel, params->index);
   panel update(panel);
}
/*-----*/
Panel *multilayouts(void)
   Panel *panel1 = panel create();
   Panel *panel2 = i multilayout panel();
   Button *button1 = button radio();
   Button *button2 = button radio();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(1, 2);
   Layout *layout2 = layout create(2, 1);
   button_text(button1, "Layout1");
   button_text(button2, "Layout2");
   button state(button1, ekGUI ON);
   button_OnClick(button1, listener(panel2, i OnLayout, Panel));
   layout button(layout2, button1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout2, button2, 1, 0);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout panel(layout1, panel2, 0, 1);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout2, 0, 10);
   layout halign(layout1, 0, 0, ekLEFT);
   panel layout(panel1, layout1);
   return panel1;
```

26.16. Hello Scroll-Panel!

Listing 26.16: demo/guihello/scrollpanel.c

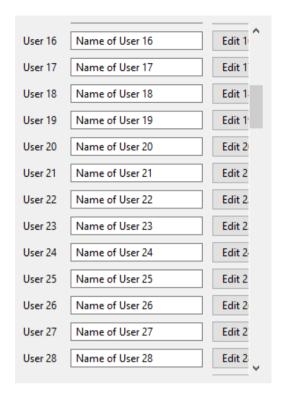


Figure 26.17: Panel with scroll bars.

```
Panel *panel = panel scroll(FALSE, TRUE);
Layout *layout = layout create(3, i ROWS);
real32 t margin = panel scroll width(panel);
uint32 t i = 0;
panel size(panel, s2df(-1, 400));
for (i = 0; i < i ROWS; ++i)</pre>
    char t text[128];
    Label *label = label create();
    Edit *edit = edit create();
    Button *button = button push();
    bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "User %d", i + 1);
    label text(label, text);
    bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Name of User %d", i + 1);
    edit text(edit, text);
    bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Edit %d", i + 1);
    button text(button, text);
    layout label(layout, label, 0, i);
    layout edit(layout, edit, 1, i);
    layout button(layout, button, 2, i);
}
for (i = 0; i < i ROWS - 1; ++i)</pre>
    layout vmargin(layout, i, 5);
```

```
layout_hmargin(layout, 0, 10);
layout_hmargin(layout, 1, 10);
layout_hsize(layout, 1, 150);
layout_margin4(layout, 0, margin, 0, 0);
panel_layout(panel, layout);
return panel;
}
```

26.17. Hello IP-Input!

Figure 26.18: The Edit commands automatically change the keyboard focus after inserting the third character.



Listing 26.17: demo/guihello/ipinput.c

```
/* IP input */
#include "ipinput.h"
#include <gui/guiall.h>
static void i OnEditFilter(Window *window, Event* e)
{
    const EvText *p = event params(e, EvText);
    EvTextFilter *filter = event result(e, EvTextFilter);
   uint32 t i, j = 0, n = str len c(p->text);
    /* We only accept numbers in IP controls */
    for(i = 0; i < n; ++i)
        if (p->text[i] >= '0' && p->text[i] <= '9')</pre>
            filter->text[j++] = p->text[i];
    }
    if (j > 3)
        j = 3;
    filter->text[j] = '\0';
    filter->apply = TRUE;
```

```
/* We wrote the third character --> Jump to next control */
   if (i == 3)
       window next tabstop(window);
                             _____*/
Panel *ip input(Window *window)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(7, 1);
   Layout *layout2 = layout create(1, 3);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Edit *edit1 = edit create();
   Edit *edit2 = edit create();
   Edit *edit3 = edit create();
   Edit *edit4 = edit create();
   Button *button1 = button push();
   Button *button2 = button push();
   label text(label1, ".");
   label text(label2, ".");
   label_text(label3, ".");
   button text(button1, "Connect");
   button text(button2, "Exit");
   edit OnFilter(edit1, listener(window, i OnEditFilter, Window));
   edit OnFilter(edit2, listener(window, i OnEditFilter, Window));
   edit OnFilter(edit3, listener(window, i OnEditFilter, Window));
   edit OnFilter(edit4, listener(window, i OnEditFilter, Window));
   layout label(layout1, label1, 1, 0);
   layout label(layout1, label2, 3, 0);
   layout label(layout1, label3, 5, 0);
   layout edit(layout1, edit1, 0, 0);
   layout edit(layout1, edit2, 2, 0);
   layout edit(layout1, edit3, 4, 0);
   layout edit(layout1, edit4, 6, 0);
   layout layout(layout2, layout1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout2, button1, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout2, button2, 0, 2);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 0, 5.f);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 1, 5.f);
   layout hsize(layout2, 0, 200.f);
   panel layout(panel, layout2);
   return panel;
```

Hello Draw2d!

DrawHello is an application, which by example, shows the "Draw2D" (page 258) library features for 2D vector drawing. Implements line drawing, region fill, texts and images. The **source code** is in folder /src/howto/drawhello of the SDK distribution.

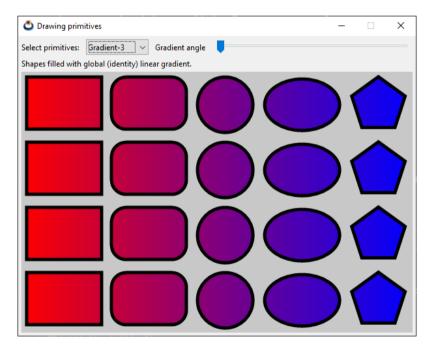


Figure 27.1: Windows version.

Listing 27.1: demo/drawhello/drawhello.c

```
/* Drawing primitives */
#include "res_drawhello.h"
#include <nappgui.h>
```

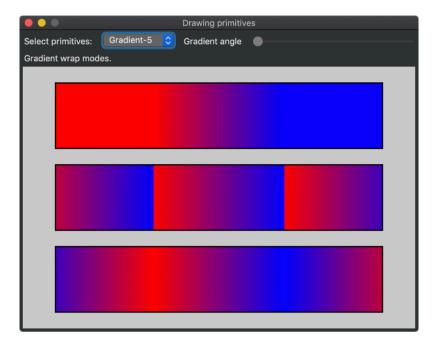


Figure 27.2: macOS version.

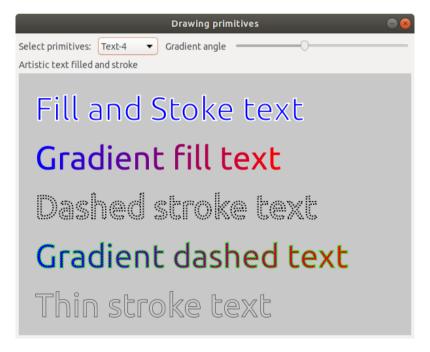


Figure 27.3: Linux version.

```
typedef struct app t App;
struct app t
    Window *window;
    View *view;
   Label *label;
    Cell *slider;
    uint32 t option;
   real32 t gradient;
};
static void i draw lines(DCtx *ctx)
    const V2Df poly1[] = { { 10, 190}, { 90, 110}, {110, 190}, {190, 110},
        \hookrightarrow {210, 190}, {290, 110} };
    const V2Df poly2[] = \{ \{310, 190\}, \{390, 110\}, \{410, 190\}, \{490, 110\}, 
        \hookrightarrow {510, 190}, {590, 110} };
    const V2Df poly3[] = \{ \{ 10, 290 \}, \{ 90, 210 \}, \{ 110, 290 \}, \{ 190, 210 \}, 
        \hookrightarrow {210, 290}, {290, 210} };
    const real32 t pattern1[] = { 5, 5, 10, 5 };
    const real32 t pattern2[] = { 1, 1 };
    const real32 t pattern3[] = { 2, 1 };
    const real32 t pattern4[] = { 1, 2 };
    /* Line widths */
    draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
    draw line width(ctx, 5);
    draw line(ctx, 10, 90, 90, 10);
    draw line width (ctx, 10);
    draw line(ctx, 110, 90, 190, 10);
    draw line width (ctx, 15);
    draw line(ctx, 210, 90, 290, 10);
    /* Line caps */
    draw line cap(ctx, ekLCFLAT);
    draw line(ctx, 310, 90, 390, 10);
    draw line cap(ctx, ekLCSQUARE);
    draw line(ctx, 410, 90, 490, 10);
    draw line cap(ctx, ekLCROUND);
    draw line(ctx, 510, 90, 590, 10);
    /* Line joins */
    draw line width (ctx, 15);
    draw line cap(ctx, ekLCFLAT);
    draw line join(ctx, ekLJMITER);
    draw polyline(ctx, FALSE, poly1, 6);
    draw line cap(ctx, ekLCSQUARE);
```

```
draw line join(ctx, ekLJROUND);
draw polyline(ctx, FALSE, poly2, 6);
draw line cap(ctx, ekLCROUND);
draw line join(ctx, ekLJBEVEL);
draw polyline(ctx, FALSE, poly3, 6);
/* Line colors */
draw line width(ctx, 10);
draw line cap(ctx, ekLCFLAT);
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR RED);
draw line(ctx, 310, 215, 590, 215);
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR GREEN);
draw line(ctx, 310, 235, 590, 235);
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
draw line(ctx, 310, 255, 590, 255);
draw line width(ctx, 5);
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR YELLOW);
draw line(ctx, 310, 270, 590, 270);
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR CYAN);
draw line(ctx, 310, 280, 590, 280);
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR MAGENTA);
draw line(ctx, 310, 290, 590, 290);
/* Line patterns */
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
draw line width (ctx, 5);
draw line cap(ctx, ekLCFLAT);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern1, 4);
draw line(ctx, 10, 310, 590, 310);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern2, 2);
draw line(ctx, 10, 330, 590, 330);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern3, 2);
draw line(ctx, 10, 350, 590, 350);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern4, 2);
draw line width (ctx, 2);
draw line(ctx, 10, 365, 590, 365);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern1, 4);
draw line width (ctx, 1);
draw line(ctx, 10, 375, 590, 375);
draw_line_dash(ctx, NULL, 0);
draw line(ctx, 10, 385, 590, 385);
/* Thin lines in centers */
draw line dash(ctx, NULL, 0);
draw line color(ctx, color rgb(255, 255, 255));
draw line width (ctx, 1);
draw line(ctx, 10, 90, 90, 10);
draw line(ctx, 110, 90, 190, 10);
draw line(ctx, 210, 90, 290, 10);
draw line(ctx, 310, 90, 390, 10);
draw line(ctx, 410, 90, 490, 10);
```

```
draw line(ctx, 510, 90, 590, 10);
   draw polyline(ctx, FALSE, poly1, 6);
   draw polyline(ctx, FALSE, poly2, 6);
   draw polyline(ctx, FALSE, poly3, 6);
static void i draw shapes row(DCtx *ctx, const drawop t op, const T2Df *origin)
   const V2Df poly[] = \{ \{40, 0\}, \{12.36f, 38.04f\}, \{-32.36f, 23.52f\}, \}
                        \{-32.36f, -23.52f\}, \{12.36f, -38.04f\}\};
   T2Df matrix:
   draw rect(ctx, op, 10, 10, 110, 75);
   draw rndrect(ctx, op, 140, 10, 110, 75, 20);
   draw circle(ctx, op, 312, 50, 40);
   draw ellipse(ctx, op, 430, 50, 55, 37);
   t2d movef(&matrix, origin, 547, 50);
   t2d rotatef(&matrix, &matrix, - kBMATH PIf / 10);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   draw polygon(ctx, op, poly, 5);
/*-----*/
static void i draw shapes(DCtx *ctx, const bool t grad)
   T2Df origin = *kT2D IDENTf;
   draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw line width(ctx, 10);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &origin);
   i_draw_shapes_row(ctx, grad ? ekSKFILL : ekSTROKE, &origin);
   t2d movef(&origin, &origin, 0, 100);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &origin);
   i draw shapes row(ctx, grad ? ekSKFILL : ekFILL, &origin);
   t2d movef(&origin, &origin, 0, 100);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &origin);
   i draw shapes row(ctx, grad ? ekSKFILL : ekSKFILL, &origin);
   t2d movef(&origin, &origin, 0, 100);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &origin);
   i draw shapes row(ctx, grad ? ekSKFILL : ekFILLSK, &origin);
static void i draw gradient (DCtx *ctx, const real32 t gradient, const bool t
   → back, const bool t shapes)
   color t c[2];
   real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
  real32 t gpos;
```

```
real32 t gx, gy;
    c[0] = kCOLOR RED;
    c[1] = kCOLOR BLUE;
    gpos = gradient * (600 + 400);
   if (gpos < 400)
       qx = 600;
       gy = gpos;
    }
    else
    {
       gx = 600 - (gpos - 400);
       qy = 400;
    }
    draw fill linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 0, 0, gx, gy);
    if (back == TRUE)
        draw rect(ctx, ekFILL, 0, 0, 600, 400);
    if (shapes == TRUE)
        i draw shapes(ctx, TRUE);
    draw matrixf(ctx, kT2D IDENTf);
    draw line width(ctx, 3);
    draw line color(ctx, color rgb(200, 200, 200));
    draw line(ctx, 3, 3, gx + 3, gy + 3);
static void i draw lines gradient (DCtx *ctx, const real32 t gradient)
    color t c[2];
   real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
   real32 t gpos;
   real32 t gx, gy;
    const real32 t pattern1[] = { 5, 5, 10, 5 };
    const real32 t pattern2[] = { 1, 1 };
    const real32 t pattern3[] = { 2, 1 };
    const real32 t pattern4[] = { 1, 2 };
    c[0] = kCOLOR RED;
    c[1] = kCOLOR BLUE;
    gpos = gradient * (600 + 400);
    if (gpos < 400)
```

```
qx = 600;
    qy = qpos;
}
else
{
    qx = 600 - (qpos - 400);
    qy = 400;
}
draw line width (ctx, 10);
draw line fill(ctx);
draw fill linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 0, 0, gx, gy);
i draw shapes row(ctx, ekSTROKE, kT2D IDENTf);
draw matrixf(ctx, kT2D IDENTf);
draw line width (ctx, 1);
draw bezier(ctx, 30, 190, 140, 50, 440, 110, 570, 190);
draw line width (ctx, 4);
draw bezier(ctx, 30, 210, 140, 70, 440, 130, 570, 210);
draw line width(ctx, 7);
draw bezier(ctx, 30, 230, 140, 90, 440, 150, 570, 230);
draw line width (ctx, 10);
draw bezier(ctx, 30, 250, 140, 110, 440, 170, 570, 250);
draw line width (ctx, 8);
draw arc(ctx, 100, 280, 60, 0, - kBMATH PIf / 2);
draw arc(ctx, 250, 280, 60, kBMATH PIf, kBMATH PIf / 2);
draw arc(ctx, 300, 220, 60, kBMATH PIf / 2, - kBMATH PIf / 2);
draw arc(ctx, 450, 220, 60, kBMATH PIf / 2, kBMATH PIf / 2);
draw line width(ctx, 5);
draw line cap(ctx, ekLCFLAT);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern1, 4);
draw line(ctx, 10, 310, 590, 310);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern2, 2);
draw line(ctx, 10, 330, 590, 330);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern3, 2);
draw line(ctx, 10, 350, 590, 350);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern4, 2);
draw line width (ctx, 2);
draw line(ctx, 10, 365, 590, 365);
draw line dash(ctx, pattern1, 4);
draw line width (ctx, 1);
draw line(ctx, 10, 375, 590, 375);
draw line dash(ctx, NULL, 0);
draw line(ctx, 10, 385, 590, 385);
draw line width(ctx, 1);
draw line color(ctx, color rgb(50, 50, 50));
draw_line(ctx, 3, 3, gx + 3, gy + 3);
```

```
static void i draw local gradient (DCtx *ctx, const real32 t gradient)
{
   color t c[2];
   real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
   real32 t gpos;
   real32 t qx, qy;
   T2Df matrix;
   c[0] = kCOLOR RED;
   c[1] = kCOLOR BLUE;
   gpos = gradient * (200 + 100);
   if (gpos < 100)
    {
       qx = 200;
       qy = qpos;
    }
   else
    {
       gx = 200 - (gpos - 100);
       qy = 100;
    }
   draw line join(ctx, ekLJROUND);
   draw fill linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 0, 0, gx, gy);
   t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 50, 40);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   draw fill matrix(ctx, &matrix);
   draw line width(ctx, 10);
   draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSKFILL, 0, 0, 200, 100);
   draw line width (ctx, 3);
   draw line color(ctx, color rgb(200, 200, 200));
   draw line(ctx, 0, 0, gx, gy);
   t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 400, 40);
   t2d rotatef(&matrix, &matrix, kBMATH PIf / 6);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   draw fill matrix(ctx, &matrix);
   draw line width (ctx, 10);
   draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw_rect(ctx, ekSKFILL, 0, 0, 200, 100);
   draw_line_width(ctx, 3);
   draw line color(ctx, color rgb(200, 200, 200));
   draw line(ctx, 0, 0, gx, gy);
```

```
t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 250, 280);
   t2d rotatef(&matrix, &matrix, - kBMATH PIf / 10);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   t2d movef(&matrix, &matrix, -100, -50);
   draw fill matrix(ctx, &matrix);
   draw line width (ctx, 10);
   draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw ellipse(ctx, ekSKFILL, 0, 0, 100, 50);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   draw line width (ctx, 3);
   draw line color(ctx, color rgb(200, 200, 200));
   draw line(ctx, 0, 0, gx, gy);
}
static void i draw wrap gradient(DCtx *ctx)
{
   color t c[2];
   real32 t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
   c[0] = kCOLOR RED;
   c[1] = kCOLOR BLUE;
   draw line width (ctx, 2);
   draw fill linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 200, 0, 400, 0);
   draw fill wrap(ctx, ekFCLAMP);
   draw rect(ctx, ekFILLSK, 50, 25, 500, 100);
   draw fill wrap(ctx, ekFTILE);
   draw rect(ctx, ekFILLSK, 50, 150, 500, 100);
   draw fill wrap(ctx, ekFFLIP);
   draw rect(ctx, ekFILLSK, 50, 275, 500, 100);
static void i text single(DCtx *ctx)
   Font *font = font system(20, 0);
   const char t *text = "Text □□Κείμενο ";
   real32 t width, height;
   T2Df matrix;
   draw font(ctx, font);
   draw text extents(ctx, text, -1, &width, &height);
   draw text color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
   draw text align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekTOP);
   draw text(ctx, text, 25, 25);
   draw text align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekTOP);
   draw_text(ctx, text, 300, 25);
   draw text align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekTOP);
   draw_text(ctx, text, 575, 25);
   draw text align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekCENTER);
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```
draw text(ctx, text, 25, 100);
draw text align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekCENTER);
draw text(ctx, text, 300, 100);
draw text align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekCENTER);
draw text(ctx, text, 575, 100);
draw text align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekBOTTOM);
draw text(ctx, text, 25, 175);
draw text align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekBOTTOM);
draw text(ctx, text, 300, 175);
draw text align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekBOTTOM);
draw text(ctx, text, 575, 175);
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR RED);
draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR RED);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 25, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 300, 25, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 25, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 100, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 300, 100, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 100, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 175, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 300, 175, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 175, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 200, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 300, 250, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 325, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 200, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 230, 3);
draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 260, 3);
draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 25, width, height);
draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 300 - (width / 2), 25, width, height);
draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 575 - width, 25, width, height);
draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 100 - (height / 2), width, height);
draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 300 - (width / 2), 100 - (height / 2), width,
   \hookrightarrow height);
draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 575 - width, 100 - (height / 2), width, height);
draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 175 - height, width, height);
draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 300 - (width / 2), 175 - height, width, height);
draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 575 - width, 175 - height, width, height);
draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 25, 200);
t2d rotatef(&matrix, &matrix, kBMATH PIf / 8);
draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
draw text align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekTOP);
draw text(ctx, text, 0, 0);
t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 300, 250);
t2d rotatef(&matrix, &matrix, - kBMATH PIf / 8);
draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
draw text align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekCENTER);
```

```
draw text(ctx, text, 0, 0);
   t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 25, 325);
   t2d scalef(&matrix, &matrix, 3, 1);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   draw text align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekTOP);
   draw text(ctx, text, 0, 0);
   t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 575, 200);
   t2d scalef(&matrix, &matrix, .5f, 1);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   draw text align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekTOP);
   draw text(ctx, text, 0, 0);
   t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 575, 230);
   t2d scalef(&matrix, &matrix, .75f, 1);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   draw text align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekTOP);
   draw text(ctx, text, 0, 0);
   t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 575, 260);
   t2d scalef(&matrix, &matrix, 1.25f, 1);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   draw text align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekTOP);
   draw text(ctx, text, 0, 0);
   font destroy(&font);
}
                               _____*/
static void i text newline(DCtx *ctx)
   Font *font = font system(20, 0);
   real32 t width, height;
   draw font (ctx, font);
   draw text extents(ctx, text, -1, &width, &height);
   draw text color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
   draw text align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekTOP);
   draw text halign(ctx, ekLEFT);
   draw text(ctx, text, 25, 25);
   draw text align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekTOP);
   draw text halign(ctx, ekCENTER);
   draw text(ctx, text, 300, 25);
   draw text align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekTOP);
   draw text halign(ctx, ekRIGHT);
   draw text(ctx, text, 575, 25);
   draw text align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekCENTER);
```

```
draw text halign(ctx, ekLEFT);
   draw text(ctx, text, 25, 175);
   draw text align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekCENTER);
   draw text halign(ctx, ekCENTER);
   draw text(ctx, text, 300, 175);
   draw text align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekCENTER);
   draw text halign(ctx, ekRIGHT);
   draw text(ctx, text, 575, 175);
   draw text align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekBOTTOM);
   draw text halign(ctx, ekLEFT);
   draw text(ctx, text, 25, 325);
   draw text align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekBOTTOM);
   draw text halign(ctx, ekCENTER);
   draw text(ctx, text, 300, 325);
   draw text align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekBOTTOM);
   draw text halign(ctx, ekRIGHT);
   draw text(ctx, text, 575, 325);
   draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR RED);
   draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR RED);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 25, 3);
   draw_circle(ctx, ekFILL, 300, 25, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 25, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 175, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 300, 175, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 175, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 325, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 300, 325, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 325, 3);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 25, width, height);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 300 - (width / 2), 25, width, height);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 575 - width, 25, width, height);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 175 - (height / 2), width, height);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 300 - (width / 2), 175 - (height / 2), width,
       \hookrightarrow height);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 575 - width, 175 - (height / 2), width, height);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 325 - height, width, height);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 300 - (width / 2), 325 - height, width, height);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 575 - width, 325 - height, width, height);
   font destroy(&font);
static void i text block(DCtx *ctx)
   const char t *text = "Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing
       → elit, sed do eiusmod tempor incididunt ut labore et dolore magna
       → aliqua. Ut enim ad minim veniam, quis nostrud exercitation ullamco
       → laboris nisi ut aliquip ex ea commodo consequat.";
   real32 t dash[2] = \{1, 1\};
```

```
real32 t width1, height1;
    real32 t width2, height2;
    real32 t width3, height3;
    real32 t width4, height4;
    draw text color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
    draw text align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekTOP);
    draw text halign(ctx, ekLEFT);
    draw text width(ctx, 200);
    draw text extents(ctx, text, 200, &width1, &height1);
    draw text(ctx, text, 25, 25);
    draw text width (ctx, 300);
    draw text extents(ctx, text, 300, &width2, &height2);
    draw text(ctx, text, 250, 25);
    draw text width (ctx, 400);
    draw text extents(ctx, text, 400, &width3, &height3);
    draw text(ctx, text, 25, 200);
    draw text width(ctx, 500);
    draw text extents(ctx, text, 500, &width4, &height4);
    draw text(ctx, text, 25, 315);
    draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR RED);
    draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR RED);
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 25, 3);
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 250, 25, 3);
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 200, 3);
    draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 315, 3);
    draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 25, 200, height1);
    draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 250, 25, 300, height2);
    draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 200, 400, height3);
    draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 315, 500, height4);
    draw line dash(ctx, dash, 2);
    draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 25, width1, height1);
    draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 250, 25, width2, height2);
    draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 200, width3, height3);
    draw rect(ctx, ekSTROKE, 25, 315, width4, height4);
static void i text art(DCtx *ctx)
    Font *font = font system(50, 0);
    color t c[2];
   real32_t stop[2] = \{0, 1\};
    real32 t dash[2] = \{1, 1\};
    real32 t width, height;
    c[0] = kCOLOR BLUE;
   c[1] = kCOLOR RED;
    draw font(ctx, font);
   draw line width(ctx, 2);
```

```
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR WHITE);
   draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
   draw text path(ctx, ekFILLSK, "Fill and Stoke text", 25, 25);
   draw text extents(ctx, "Gradient fill text", -1, &width, &height);
   draw fill linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 25, 0, 25 + width, 0);
   draw fill matrix(ctx, kT2D IDENTf);
   draw text path(ctx, ekFILL, "Gradient fill text", 25, 100);
   draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw line dash(ctx, dash, 2);
   draw text path(ctx, ekSTROKE, "Dashed stroke text", 25, 175);
   draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR GREEN);
   draw text extents(ctx, "Gradient dashed text", -1, &width, &height);
   draw fill linear(ctx, c, stop, 2, 25, 0, 25 + width, 0);
   draw text path(ctx, ekFILLSK, "Gradient dashed text", 25, 250);
   draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw line width(ctx, .5f);
   draw line dash(ctx, NULL, 0);
   draw text path(ctx, ekSTROKE, "Thin stroke text", 25, 325);
   font destroy(&font);
static void i image(DCtx *ctx)
   ResPack *pack = res drawhello respack("");
   const Image *image = image from resource(pack, IMAGE PNG);
   T2Df matrix;
   draw image align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekTOP);
   draw image(ctx, image, 25, 25);
   t2d movef(&matrix, kT2D IDENTf, 300, 200);
   t2d rotatef(&matrix, &matrix, kBMATH PIf / 8);
   draw image align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekCENTER);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &matrix);
   draw image(ctx, image, 0, 0);
   draw matrixf(ctx, kT2D IDENTf);
   draw image align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekTOP);
   draw image (ctx, image, 575, 25);
   draw image align(ctx, ekLEFT, ekBOTTOM);
   draw image(ctx, image, 25, 375);
   draw image align(ctx, ekRIGHT, ekBOTTOM);
   draw image(ctx, image, 575, 375);
   draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 25, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 300, 200, 3);
   draw_circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 25, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 25, 375, 3);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, 575, 375, 3);
   respack destroy(&pack);
```

```
static void i OnDraw (App *app, Event *e)
   const EvDraw *p = event params(e, EvDraw);
   draw clear(p->ctx, color rgb(200, 200, 200));
   switch (app->option) {
   case 0:
       cell enabled(app->slider, FALSE);
       label text(app->label, "Different line styles: width, join, cap, dash

→ ...");
       i draw lines(p->ctx);
       break:
   case 1:
       cell enabled(app->slider, FALSE);
       label text(app->label, "Basic shapes filled and stroke.");
       draw fill color(p->ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
       i draw shapes (p->ctx, FALSE);
       break:
   case 2:
       cell enabled(app->slider, TRUE);
       label text(app->label, "Global linear gradient.");
        i draw gradient(p->ctx, app->gradient, TRUE, FALSE);
       break:
   case 3:
       cell enabled(app->slider, TRUE);
       label text(app->label, "Shapes filled with global (identity) linear
           → gradient.");
       i draw gradient(p->ctx, app->gradient, TRUE, TRUE);
       break:
   case 4:
       cell enabled(app->slider, TRUE);
       label text(app->label, "Shapes filled with global (identity) linear
           → gradient.");
        i draw gradient (p->ctx, app->gradient, FALSE, TRUE);
       break;
   case 5:
       cell enabled(app->slider, TRUE);
       label text(app->label, "Lines with global (identity) linear gradient.")
       i draw lines gradient(p->ctx, app->gradient);
       break;
   case 6:
       cell enabled(app->slider, TRUE);
       label text(app->label, "Shapes filled with local (transformed) gradient
       i draw local gradient(p->ctx, app->gradient);
       break:
   case 7:
```

```
cell enabled(app->slider, FALSE);
        label text(app->label, "Gradient wrap modes.");
        i draw wrap gradient(p->ctx);
        break;
    case 8:
        cell enabled(app->slider, FALSE);
        label text(app->label, "Single line text with alignment and transforms"
           \hookrightarrow );
        i text single(p->ctx);
        break;
    case 9:
        cell enabled(app->slider, FALSE);
        label text(app->label, "Text with newline '\\n' character and internal
           → alignment");
        i text newline(p->ctx);
        break:
    case 10:
        cell enabled(app->slider, FALSE);
        label text(app->label, "Text block in a constrained width area");
        i text block(p->ctx);
        break:
    case 11:
        cell enabled(app->slider, FALSE);
        label text(app->label, "Artistic text filled and stroke");
        i text art(p->ctx);
        break;
    case 12:
        cell enabled(app->slider, FALSE);
        label text(app->label, "Drawing images with alignment");
        i image(p->ctx);
       break;
    }
static void i OnAcceptFocus(App *app, Event *e)
   bool t *r = event result(e, bool t);
   unref(app);
   *r = FALSE;
}
static void i OnSelect(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   app->option = p->index;
   view update(app->view);
```

```
static void i OnSlider (App *app, Event *e)
   const EvSlider *p = event params(e, EvSlider);
   app->gradient = p->pos;
   view update(app->view);
}
static Panel *i panel(App *app)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(1, 3);
   Layout *layout2 = layout create(4, 1);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label multiline();
   PopUp *popup = popup create();
   Slider *slider = slider create();
   View *view = view create();
   label text(label1, "Select primitives:");
   label text(label2, "Gradient angle");
   popup add elem(popup, "Lines", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Shapes", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Gradient-1", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Gradient-2", NULL);
   popup_add_elem(popup, "Gradient-3", NULL);
   popup add elem (popup, "Gradient-4", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Gradient-5", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Gradient-6", NULL);
   popup_add_elem(popup, "Text-1", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Text-2", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Text-3", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Text-4", NULL);
   popup add elem(popup, "Image", NULL);
   popup list height (popup, 6);
   popup OnSelect(popup, listener(app, i OnSelect, App));
   slider OnMoved(slider, listener(app, i OnSlider, App));
   view size(view, s2df(600, 400));
   view OnDraw(view, listener(app, i OnDraw, App));
   view OnAcceptFocus(view, listener(app, i OnAcceptFocus, App));
   layout label(layout2, label1, 0, 0);
   layout popup(layout2, popup, 1, 0);
   layout label(layout2, label2, 2, 0);
   layout slider(layout2, slider, 3, 0);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout1, label3, 0, 1);
   layout view(layout1, view, 0, 2);
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```
layout margin(layout1, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout2, 0, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout2, 1, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout2, 2, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 1, 5);
   layout halign(layout1, 0, 1, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout hexpand(layout2, 3);
   panel layout(panel, layout1);
   app->slider = layout cell(layout2, 3, 0);
   app->view = view;
   app->label = label3;
   return panel;
}
/*-----*/
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
   osapp finish();
  unref(app);
   unref(e);
}
/*-----/
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   Panel *panel = i panel(app);
   app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STD);
   app->gradient = 0;
   app->option = 0;
   window panel(app->window, panel);
   window title(app->window, "Drawing primitives");
   window origin(app->window, v2df(500, 200));
   window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
   window show(app->window);
   return app;
}
/*-----*/
static void i destroy(App **app)
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
   heap delete(app, App);
```

```
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i_create, i_destroy, "", App)
```

Hello 2D Collisions!

Col2dHello is a small environment for experimentation with 2D collision detection algorithms. It allows you to create different types of volumes, move them with the mouse and edit them through the side panel. The details of the functions can be found in "2D Collisions" (page 255).

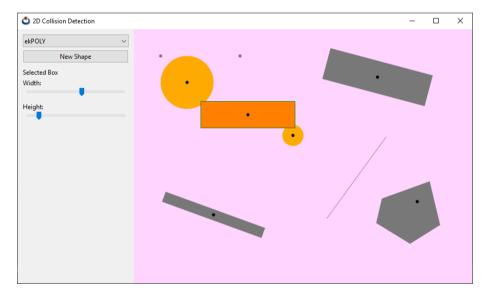


Figure 28.1: Windows version.

Listing 28.1: demo/col2dhello/col2dhello.c

```
/* 2D collision detection demo */
#include "col2dgui.h"
#include <nappgui.h>
/*-----*/
```

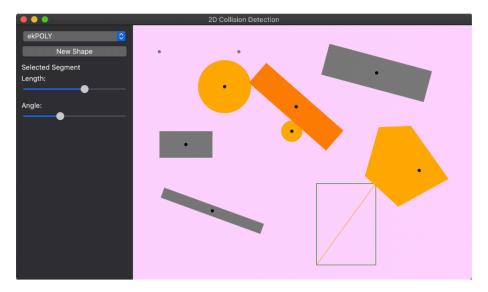


Figure 28.2: MacOS version.

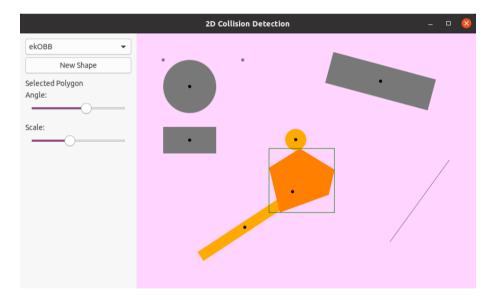


Figure 28.3: Linux version.

```
static void i_OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
{
   osapp_finish();
   unref(app);
   unref(e);
}
```

```
static Tri2Df i triangle(void)
           Tri2Df tri = tri2df(-3, 4, -1, -2, 7, -2);
           cassert(tri2d ccwf(&tri) == TRUE);
           return tri;
}
static Pol2Df *i convex pol(void)
           V2Df pt[] = { \{4,1\}, \{2,5\}, \{-3,5\}, \{-4,2\}, \{0,-3\} };
           Pol2Df *pol = NULL;
           bmem rev elems(pt, sizeof(pt) / sizeof(V2Df), V2Df);
           pol = pol2d createf(pt, sizeof(pt) / sizeof(V2Df));
           cassert(pol2d convexf(pol) == TRUE);
           cassert(pol2d ccwf(pol) == FALSE);
           return pol;
}
                                                                   -----*/
static Pol2Df *i simple pol(void)
           V2Df pt[] = \{ \{9.78f, 12.17f\}, \{-10.00f, 11.01f\}, \{-9.68f, 3.20f\}, \{-9.30f\}, \{-9.30f
                      \rightarrow -5.98f}, {-4.27f, -5.84f}, {-4.03f, -12.17f}, {2.72f, -12.12f},
                       \hookrightarrow {2.47f, -6.36f}, {2.04f, 3.26f}, {-1.45f, 3.05f}, {-1.08f, -2.08f},
                       \hookrightarrow {-3.98f, -2.38f}, {-4.23f, 2.88f}, {-1.45f, 3.05f}, {2.04f, 3.26f},
                       \hookrightarrow {10.00f, 3.75f} };
           Pol2Df *pol = NULL;
           bmem rev elems(pt, sizeof(pt) / sizeof(V2Df), V2Df);
           pol = pol2d createf(pt, sizeof(pt) / sizeof(V2Df));
           cassert(pol2d convexf(pol) == FALSE);
           cassert(pol2d ccwf(pol) == FALSE);
           return pol;
static Shape *i new shape(ArrSt(Shape) *shapes, const shtype t type)
           Shape *shape = arrst new(shapes, Shape);
           shape->type = type;
           shape->mouse = FALSE;
           shape->collisions = 0;
           return shape;
}
```

```
static void i new pnt(ArrSt(Shape) *shapes, const real32 t x, const real32 t y)
   Shape *shape = i new shape(shapes, ekPOINT);
   shape->body.pnt.x = x;
   shape->body.pnt.y = y;
static void i new cloud(ArrSt(Shape) *shapes, const real32 t x, const real32 t

→ y, const real32 t w, const real32 t h, const real32 t a)

   Shape *shape = i new shape(shapes, ekPOINT CLOUD);
   shape->body.cloud.pnts = arrst create(V2Df);
   shape->body.cloud.center.x = x;
   shape->body.cloud.center.y = y;
   shape->body.cloud.width = w;
   shape->body.cloud.height = h;
   shape->body.cloud.angle = a;
   shape->body.cloud.ctype = 0;
   shape->body.cloud.type = 0;
   (void) arrst new n(shape->body.cloud.pnts, POINT CLOUD N, V2Df);
   col2dhello update cloud(&shape->body.cloud);
/*-----*/
static void i new seg(ArrSt(Shape) *shapes, const real32 t x, const real32 t y,

→ const real32 t 1, const real32 t a)
   Shape *shape = i new shape(shapes, ekSEGMENT);
   shape->body.seg.center.x = x;
   shape->body.seg.center.y = y;
   shape->body.seq.length = 1;
   shape->body.seq.angle = a;
   col2dhello update seg(&shape->body.seg);
}
/*----*/
static void i new cir(ArrSt(Shape) *shapes, const real32 t x, const real32 t y,
   Shape *shape = i new shape(shapes, ekCIRCLE);
   shape->body.cir.r = r;
   shape->body.cir.c.x = x;
   shape->body.cir.c.y = y;
}
```

```
static void i new box(ArrSt(Shape) *shapes, const real32 t x, const real32 t y,
   Shape *shape = i new shape(shapes, ekBOX);
   shape->body.box.center.x = x;
   shape->body.box.center.y = y;
   shape->body.box.width = w;
   shape->body.box.height = h;
   col2dhello update box(&shape->body.box);
}
static void i new obb(ArrSt(Shape) *shapes, const real32 t x, const real32 t y,

→ const real32 t w, const real32 t h, const real32 t a)
{
   Shape *shape = i new shape(shapes, ekOBB);
   shape->body.obb.center.x = x;
   shape->body.obb.center.y = y;
   shape->body.obb.angle = a;
   shape->body.obb.width = w;
   shape->body.obb.height = h;
   shape->body.obb.obb = NULL;
   col2dhello update obb(&shape->body.obb);
static void i new tri(ArrSt(Shape) *shapes, const real32 t x, const real32 t y,

→ const real32 t a, const real32 t s)
   Shape *shape = i new shape(shapes, ekTRIANGLE);
   shape->body.tri.center.x = x;
   shape->body.tri.center.y = y;
   shape->body.tri.angle = a;
   shape->body.tri.scale = s;
   shape->body.tri.t2d = *kT2D IDENTf;
   shape->body.tri.tri = i triangle();
   col2dhello update tri(&shape->body.tri);
static void i new pol(ArrSt(Shape) *shapes, const shtype t type, const real32 t

→ x, const real32 t y, const real32 t a, const real32 t s)

   Shape *shape = i new shape(shapes, type);
   shape->body.pol.center.x = x;
   shape->body.pol.center.y = y;
   shape->body.pol.angle = a;
```

```
shape->body.pol.scale = s;
   shape->body.pol.t2d = *kT2D IDENTf;
   shape->body.pol.pol = type == ekCONVEX POLY ? i convex pol() : i simple pol
   col2dhello update pol(&shape->body.pol);
}
                     _____*/
static ArrSt(Shape) *i shapes(void)
   ArrSt(Shape) *shapes = arrst create(Shape);
   i new pnt(shapes, 520, 230);
   i new pnt(shapes, 220, 205);
   i new seg(shapes, 420, 280, 190, 125 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
   i new cir(shapes, 100, 100, 50);
   i new cir(shapes, 300, 200, 20);
   i new box(shapes, 100, 225, 100, 50);
   i new obb(shapes, 150, 350, 200, 20, 200 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
   i new obb(shapes, 460, 90, 200, 60, 15 * kBMATH_DEG2RADf);
   i new tri(shapes, 550, 475, 75 * kBMATH DEG2RADf, 15);
   i new tri(shapes, 90, 480, 355 * kBMATH DEG2RADf, 18);
   i new pol(shapes, ekCONVEX POLY, 535, 325, 30 * kBMATH DEG2RADf, 15);
   i new pol(shapes, ekSIMPLE POLY, 370, 450, 45 * kBMATH DEG2RADf, 7);
   return shapes;
}
                      _____*/
static App *i create(void)
{
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   col2dhello dbind();
   app->shapes = i shapes();
   app->dists = arrst create(Dist);
   app->seltype = ekOBB;
   app->selshape = UINT32 MAX;
   app->show seg pt = TRUE;
   app->show triangles = FALSE;
   app->show convex parts = FALSE;
   app->sel area = 0;
   app->window = col2dhello window(app);
   window title(app->window, "2D Collision Detection");
   window origin(app->window, v2df(500, 200));
   window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
   window show(app->window);
   col2dhello dbind shape(app);
   col2dhello collisions(app);
   return app;
```

```
static void i remove bounds(Cloud *cloud)
   cassert no null(cloud);
   switch(cloud->ctype) {
   case 0:
    case 1:
    case 2:
       break;
    case 3:
        obb2d destroyf(&cloud->bound.obb);
       break:
    case 4:
        pol2d destroyf(&cloud->bound.poly);
       break:
    cassert default();
}
static void i remove shape(Shape *shape)
   cassert no null(shape);
   switch (shape->type) {
   case ekPOINT CLOUD:
        arrst destroy(&shape->body.cloud.pnts, NULL, V2Df);
        i remove bounds(&shape->body.cloud);
        break:
    case ekOBB:
        obb2d destroyf(&shape->body.obb.obb);
        break;
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        pol2d destroyf(&shape->body.pol.pol);
       break;
    case ekPOINT:
    case eksegment:
    case ekCIRCLE:
    case ekBOX:
   case ekTRIANGLE:
       break;
    cassert default();
```

```
-----*/
static void i destroy(App **app)
   arrst destroy(&(*app)->shapes, i remove shape, Shape);
   arrst destroy(&(*app)->dists, NULL, Dist);
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
   heap delete(app, App);
}
void col2dhello new shape(App *app, const V2Df pos)
   switch(app->seltype) {
   case ekPOINT:
       i new pnt(app->shapes, pos.x, pos.y);
       break:
   case ekPOINT CLOUD:
       i new cloud(app->shapes, pos.x, pos.y, 100, 50, 15 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
       break:
   case eksegment:
       i new seg(app->shapes, pos.x, pos.y, 100, 15 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
       break:
   case ekCIRCLE:
       i new cir(app->shapes, pos.x, pos.y, 30);
       break:
   case ekBOX:
       i new box(app->shapes, pos.x, pos.y, 100, 50);
       break:
   case ekOBB:
       i new obb(app->shapes, pos.x, pos.y, 100, 50, 15 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
       break;
   case ekTRIANGLE:
       i new tri(app->shapes, pos.x, pos.y, 15 * kBMATH DEG2RADf, 15);
       break:
   case ekCONVEX POLY:
       i new pol(app->shapes, ekCONVEX POLY, pos.x, pos.y, 0, 10);
       break;
   case ekSIMPLE POLY:
       i new pol(app->shapes, ekSIMPLE POLY, pos.x, pos.y, 0, 10);
       break;
```

```
cassert default();
    }
    app->selshape = arrst size(app->shapes, Shape) - 1;
void col2dhello update qui(App *app)
{
    cassert no null(app);
    if (app->selshape != UINT32 MAX)
        Shape *shape = arrst get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
        switch(shape->type) {
        case ekPOINT:
        case ekPOINT CLOUD:
        case eksegment:
            app->sel area = 0;
            break;
        case ekCIRCLE:
            app->sel area = cir2d areaf(&shape->body.cir);
            break;
        case ekBOX:
            app->sel area = box2d areaf(&shape->body.box.box);
            break;
        case ekOBB:
            app->sel area = obb2d areaf(shape->body.obb.obb);
            break:
        case ekTRIANGLE:
            app->sel area = tri2d areaf(&shape->body.tri.tri);
            break;
        case ekCONVEX POLY:
        case ekSIMPLE POLY:
            app->sel area = pol2d areaf(shape->body.pol.pol);
            break;
        cassert default();
    }
    else
    {
        app->sel area = 0;
    }
    layout dbind obj(app->main layout, app, App);
```

```
panel update(app->obj panel);
   view update(app->view);
                       _____*/
void col2dhello update seg(Seg *seg)
   V2Df hvec;
   cassert no null(seg);
   hvec.x = seq->length / 2;
   hvec.y = 0;
   v2d rotatef(&hvec, seg->angle);
   seg->seg.p0.x = seg->center.x - hvec.x;
   seg->seg.p0.y = seg->center.y - hvec.y;
   seg->seg.pl.x = seg->center.x + hvec.x;
   seg->seg.pl.y = seg->center.y + hvec.y;
Box2Df col2dhello cloud box(const Cloud *cloud)
   Box2Df box = cloud->box;
   box.min = v2d addf(&cloud->box.min, &cloud->center);
   box.max = v2d addf(&cloud->box.max, &cloud->center);
   return box;
}
/*----*/
void col2dhello update cloud(Cloud *cloud)
   V2Df *pt = NULL;
   uint32 t i, n;
   real32 t hw, hh;
   cassert no null(cloud);
   pt = arrst all(cloud->pnts, V2Df);
   n = arrst size(cloud->pnts, V2Df);
   hw = cloud->width / 2;
   hh = cloud->height / 2;
   for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
   {
       real32 t ox = bmath randf(-.3f * hw, .3f * hw);
       real32 t oy = bmath randf(-.3f * hh, .3f * hh);
       pt[i].x = bmath randf(-hw, hw) + ox;
       pt[i].y = bmath randf(-hh, hh) + oy;
   }
   if (cloud->angle != 0)
```

```
T2Df t2d;
       t2d rotatef(&t2d, kT2D IDENTf, cloud->angle);
       t2d vmultnf(pt, &t2d, pt, n);
    }
   cloud->box = box2d from pointsf(pt, n);
   col2dhello update cloud bounds (cloud);
void col2dhello update cloud bounds(Cloud *cloud)
   const V2Df *p = arrst all(cloud->pnts, V2Df);
   uint32 t n = arrst size(cloud->pnts, V2Df);
   i remove bounds (cloud);
   switch(cloud->type) {
   case 0:
       cloud->bound.cir = cir2d from boxf(&cloud->box);
       break:
   case 1:
       cloud->bound.cir = cir2d from pointsf(p, n);
       break;
   case 2:
       cloud->bound.cir = cir2d minimumf(p, n);
       break:
       cloud->bound.obb = obb2d from pointsf(p, n);
       break;
   case 4:
       cloud->bound.poly = pol2d convex hullf(p, n);
       break;
   cassert default();
   cloud->ctype = cloud->type;
                    _____*/
void col2dhello update box(Box *box)
   cassert no null(box);
   box->box.min.x = box->center.x - box->width / 2;
   box->box.min.y = box->center.y - box->height / 2;
```

```
box->box.max.x = box->center.x + box->width / 2;
   box->box.max.v = box->center.v + box->height / 2;
/*-----/
void col2dhello update obb(OBB *obb)
   cassert no null(obb);
   if (obb->obb == NULL)
      obb->obb = obb2d createf(&obb->center, obb->width, obb->height, obb->
         \hookrightarrow angle);
   else
      obb2d updatef(obb->obb, &obb->center, obb->width, obb->height, obb->
         \hookrightarrow angle);
}
/*-----/
void col2dhello update tri(Tri *tri)
   T2Df t2d, nt2d;
   cassert no null(tri);
   t2d inversef(&t2d, &tri->t2d);
   t2d movef(&nt2d, kT2D IDENTf, tri->center.x, tri->center.y);
   t2d rotatef(&nt2d, &nt2d, tri->angle);
   t2d scalef(&nt2d, &nt2d, tri->scale, tri->scale);
   t2d multf(&t2d, &nt2d, &t2d);
   tri2d transformf(&tri->tri, &t2d);
   tri->t2d = nt2d;
}
/*-----*/
void col2dhello update pol(Pol *pol)
   T2Df t2d, nt2d;
   cassert no null(pol);
   cassert no null(pol->pol);
   t2d inversef(&t2d, &pol->t2d);
   t2d movef(&nt2d, kT2D IDENTf, pol->center.x, pol->center.y);
   t2d rotatef(&nt2d, &nt2d, pol->angle);
   t2d scalef(&nt2d, &nt2d, pol->scale, pol->scale);
   t2d multf(&t2d, &nt2d, &t2d);
   pol2d transformf(pol->pol, &t2d);
   pol->t2d = nt2d;
}
/*-----*/
static bool t i mouse inside (const Shape *shape, const real32 t mouse x, const
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\hookrightarrow real32 t mouse y)
   V2Df m = v2df (mouse x, mouse y);
    switch(shape->type) {
    case ekPOINT:
        return col2d point pointf(&shape->body.pnt, &m, CENTER RADIUS, NULL);
    case ekPOINT CLOUD:
    {
       Box2Df box = col2dhello cloud box(&shape->body.cloud);
       return col2d box pointf(&box, &m, NULL);
    }
    case ekSEGMENT:
       return col2d segment pointf(&shape->body.seg.seg, &m, CENTER RADIUS,
           \hookrightarrow NULL);
    case ekCIRCLE:
        return col2d circle pointf(&shape->body.cir, &m, NULL);
    case ekBOX:
        return col2d box pointf(&shape->body.box.box, &m, NULL);
    case ekOBB:
        return col2d obb pointf(shape->body.obb.obb, &m, NULL);
    case ekTRIANGLE:
        return col2d tri pointf(&shape->body.tri.tri, &m, NULL);
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
       return col2d poly pointf(shape->body.pol.pol, &m, NULL);
    cassert default();
    }
   return FALSE;
}
void col2dhello mouse collisions(App *app, const real32 t mouse x, const
   \hookrightarrow real32 t mouse y)
{
    arrst foreach(shape, app->shapes, Shape)
        shape->mouse = i mouse inside(shape, mouse x, mouse y);
    arrst_end();
}
/*-----*/
```

```
static void i point segment dist(const Seg2Df *seg, const V2Df *pnt, ArrSt(Dist
   → ) *dists)
   Dist *dist = arrst new(dists, Dist);
   real32 t t = seg2d close paramf(seg, pnt);
   dist->p0 = *pnt;
   dist->p1 = seg2d evalf(seg, t);
}
/*-----*/
void col2dhello collisions(App *app)
    Shape *shape = arrst all(app->shapes, Shape);
    uint32 t n = arrst size(app->shapes, Shape);
    uint32 t i, j;
    arrst clear (app->dists, NULL, Dist);
    for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
        shape[i].collisions = 0;
    for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
    for (j = i + 1; j < n; ++j)
    {
        const Shape *shape1 = shape[i].type < shape[j].type ? &shape[i] : &</pre>
          \hookrightarrow shape[j];
        const Shape *shape2 = shape[i].type < shape[j].type ? &shape[j] : &</pre>
          → shape[i];
       bool t col = FALSE;
        switch(shape1->type) {
        case ekPOINT:
           switch(shape2->type) {
           case ekPOINT:
                col = col2d point pointf(&shape1->body.pnt, &shape2->body.pnt,

    ← CENTER RADIUS, NULL);
               break;
            case ekPOINT CLOUD:
               col = FALSE;
               break;
            case eksegment:
                col = col2d segment pointf(&shape2->body.seg.seg, &shape1->body
                   → .pnt, CENTER RADIUS, NULL);
               i point segment dist(&shape2->body.seg.seg, &shape1->body.pnt,
                   \hookrightarrow app->dists);
               break;
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```
case ekCIRCLE:
        col = col2d circle pointf(&shape2->body.cir, &shape1->body.pnt,
            \hookrightarrow NULL);
        break;
    case ekBOX:
        col = col2d box pointf(&shape2->body.box.box, &shape1->body.pnt
            \hookrightarrow , NULL);
        break;
    case ekOBB:
        col = col2d obb pointf(shape2->body.obb.obb, &shape1->body.pnt,
            \hookrightarrow NULL):
        break:
    case ekTRIANGLE:
        col = col2d tri pointf(&shape2->body.tri.tri, &shape1->body.pnt
            \hookrightarrow , NULL);
        break;
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        col = col2d poly pointf(shape2->body.pol.pol, &shape1->body.pnt
            \hookrightarrow , NULL);
        break;
    cassert default();
    }
    break:
case ekPOINT CLOUD:
    col = FALSE;
    break:
case eksegment:
    switch (shape2->type) {
    case ekSEGMENT:
        col = col2d segment segmentf(&shape1->body.seg.seg, &shape2->
            → body.seg.seg, NULL);
        break;
    case ekCIRCLE:
        col = col2d circle segmentf(&shape2->body.cir, &shape1->body.
            → seg.seg, NULL);
        break:
    case ekBOX:
        col = col2d box segmentf(&shape2->body.box.box, &shape1->body.

    seg.seg, NULL);
        break;
```

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case ekOBB:
        col = col2d obb segmentf(shape2->body.obb.obb, &shape1->body.

    seq.seq, NULL);
        break;
    case ekTRIANGLE:
        col = col2d tri segmentf(&shape2->body.tri.tri, &shape1->body.

→ seq.seq, NULL);
        break;
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        col = col2d poly segmentf(shape2->body.pol.pol, &shape1->body.
           → seq.seq, NULL);
        break:
    case ekPOINT:
    case ekPOINT CLOUD:
    cassert default();
    break:
case ekCIRCLE:
    switch(shape2->type) {
    case ekCIRCLE:
        col = col2d circle circlef(&shape1->body.cir, &shape2->body.cir
           \hookrightarrow , NULL);
        break;
    case ekBOX:
        col = col2d box circlef(&shape2->body.box.box, &shape1->body.
           break:
    case ekOBB:
        col = col2d obb circlef(shape2->body.obb.obb, &shape1->body.cir
           \hookrightarrow , NULL);
       break:
    case ekTRIANGLE:
        col = col2d tri circlef(&shape2->body.tri.tri, &shape1->body.
           break:
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        col = col2d poly circlef(shape2->body.pol.pol, &shape1->body.

    cir, NULL);
        break;
    case ekPOINT:
```

```
case ekPOINT CLOUD:
    case ekSEGMENT:
    cassert default();
    break;
case ekBOX:
    switch(shape2->type) {
    case ekBOX:
        col = col2d box boxf(&shape1->body.box.box, &shape2->body.box.
            \hookrightarrow box, NULL);
        break;
    case ekOBB:
        col = col2d obb boxf(shape2->body.obb.obb, &shape1->body.box.
            \hookrightarrow box, NULL);
        break;
    case ekTRIANGLE:
        col = col2d tri boxf(&shape2->body.tri.tri, &shape1->body.box.
            \hookrightarrow box, NULL);
        break;
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        col = col2d poly boxf(shape2->body.pol.pol, &shape1->body.box.
            \hookrightarrow box, NULL);
        break;
    case ekPOINT:
    case ekPOINT CLOUD:
    case ekSEGMENT:
    case ekCIRCLE:
    cassert default();
    break;
case ekOBB:
    switch(shape2->type) {
    case ekOBB:
        col = col2d obb obbf(shape1->body.obb.obb, shape2->body.obb.obb
            \hookrightarrow , NULL);
        break;
    case ekTRIANGLE:
        col = col2d tri obbf(&shape2->body.tri.tri, shape1->body.obb.
            \hookrightarrow obb, NULL);
        break:
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
```

```
col = col2d poly obbf(shape2->body.pol.pol, shape1->body.obb.
           \hookrightarrow obb, NULL);
        break:
    case ekPOINT:
    case ekPOINT CLOUD:
    case ekSEGMENT:
    case ekCIRCLE:
    case ekBOX:
    cassert default();
    }
   break;
case ekTRIANGLE:
    switch(shape2->type) {
    case ekTRIANGLE:
        col = col2d tri trif(&shape1->body.tri.tri, &shape2->body.tri.
            → tri, NULL);
        break;
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        col = col2d poly trif(shape2->body.pol.pol, &shape1->body.tri.
           → tri, NULL);
        break;
    case ekPOINT:
    case ekPOINT CLOUD:
    case eksegment:
   case ekCIRCLE:
    case ekBOX:
    case ekOBB:
    cassert default();
   break;
case ekCONVEX POLY:
case ekSIMPLE POLY:
    switch (shape2->type) {
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        col = col2d poly polyf(shape1->body.pol, shape2->body.pol.
            \hookrightarrow pol, NULL);
        break;
    case ekPOINT:
    case ekPOINT CLOUD:
    case ekSEGMENT:
    case ekCIRCLE:
    case ekBOX:
    case ekOBB:
```

Listing 28.2: demo/col2dhello/col2dhello.hxx

```
/* 2D collision detection demo */
#ifndef COL2DHELLO HXX
#define COL2DHELLO HXX
#include <qui/qui.hxx>
#define CENTER RADIUS
#define POINT CLOUD N
                           100
typedef struct cloud t Cloud;
typedef struct seg t Seg;
typedef struct box t Box;
typedef struct obb t OBB;
typedef struct _tri_t Tri;
typedef struct _pol_t Pol;
typedef struct _shape_t Shape;
typedef struct dist t Dist;
typedef struct _app_t App;
typedef enum _shtype_t
   ekPOINT,
   ekPOINT CLOUD,
   ekSEGMENT,
   ekCIRCLE,
   ekBOX,
   ekOBB,
```

```
ekTRIANGLE,
    ekCONVEX POLY,
    ekSIMPLE POLY
} shtype t;
struct cloud t
   ArrSt(V2Df) *pnts;
   Box2Df box;
   V2Df center;
   real32 t width;
   real32 t height;
   real32 t angle;
   uint32 t ctype, type;
    union
       Cir2Df cir;
       OBB2Df *obb;
       Pol2Df *poly;
    } bound;
};
struct _seg_t
   V2Df center;
   real32 t length;
   real32 t angle;
   Seg2Df seg;
};
struct _box_t
   V2Df center;
   real32 t width;
   real32 t height;
   Box2Df box;
};
struct _obb_t
   V2Df center;
   real32 t width;
   real32 t height;
   real32 t angle;
   OBB2Df *obb;
};
struct _tri_t
V2Df center;
```

```
real32 t angle;
    real32 t scale;
    T2Df t2d;
    Tri2Df tri;
};
struct pol t
   V2Df center;
   real32 t angle;
   real32 t scale;
    T2Df t2d;
    Pol2Df *pol;
};
struct shape t
    shtype t type;
    bool t mouse;
    uint32 t collisions;
    union {
       V2Df pnt;
        Cloud cloud;
        Seg seg;
        Cir2Df cir;
        Box box;
        OBB obb;
        Tri tri;
        Pol pol;
    } body;
};
struct _dist_t
    V2Df p0;
   V2Df p1;
};
struct _app_t
    Window *window;
    View *view;
    Layout *main layout;
    Layout *pnt_layout;
    Layout *cld layout;
    Layout *seg_layout;
    Layout *cir_layout;
    Layout *box layout;
    Layout *obb_layout;
    Layout *tri layout;
```

```
Layout *pol layout;
    Panel *obj panel;
    ArrSt(Shape) *shapes;
    ArrSt(Dist) *dists;
    shtype t seltype;
    uint32 t selshape;
    bool t show seg pt;
    bool t show triangles;
    bool t show convex parts;
    real32 t sel area;
    V2Df mouse pos;
    V2Df obj pos;
};
DeclSt(Shape);
DeclSt (Dist);
#endif
```

Listing 28.3: demo/col2dhello/col2dgui.c

```
/* Col2D Hello GUI */
#include "col2dqui.h"
#include <nappqui.h>
                     -----*/
void col2dhello dbind(void)
   dbind enum(shtype t, ekPOINT, "");
   dbind enum(shtype t, ekPOINT CLOUD, "");
   dbind_enum(shtype t, ekSEGMENT, "");
   dbind enum(shtype t, ekCIRCLE, "");
   dbind enum(shtype t, ekBOX, "");
   dbind_enum(shtype_t, ekOBB, "");
   dbind enum(shtype t, ekTRIANGLE, "");
   dbind enum(shtype t, ekCONVEX POLY, "");
   dbind enum(shtype t, ekSIMPLE POLY, "");
   dbind(App, shtype t, seltype);
   dbind(App, bool_t, show_seg pt);
   dbind(App, bool_t, show_triangles);
   dbind(App, bool t, show convex parts);
   dbind(App, real32 t, sel area);
   dbind(Cloud, real32 t, width);
   dbind(Cloud, real32 t, height);
   dbind(Cloud, real32 t, angle);
   dbind(Cloud, uint32 t, type);
   dbind(Seg, real32 t, length);
   dbind(Seg, real32 t, angle);
   dbind(Cir2Df, real32 t, r);
```

```
dbind(Box, real32 t, width);
    dbind (Box, real32 t, height);
    dbind(OBB, real32 t, width);
    dbind(OBB, real32 t, height);
    dbind(OBB, real32 t, angle);
    dbind(Tri, real32 t, angle);
    dbind(Tri, real32 t, scale);
    dbind(Pol, real32 t, angle);
    dbind(Pol, real32 t, scale);
    dbind range (Cloud, real32 t, width, 50, 200);
    dbind range (Cloud, real32 t, height, 50, 200);
    dbind range(Cloud, real32 t, angle, 0, 360 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
    dbind range (Seg, real32 t, length, 20, 300);
    dbind range(Seg, real32 t, angle, 0, 360 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
    dbind range(Cir2Df, real32 t, r, 5, 100);
    dbind range (Box, real32 t, width, 20, 300);
    dbind range (Box, real32 t, height, 20, 300);
    dbind range (OBB, real32 t, width, 20, 300);
    dbind range (OBB, real32 t, height, .2f, 300);
    dbind range(OBB, real32 t, angle, 0, 360 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
    dbind range (Tri, real32 t, angle, 0, 360 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
    dbind range (Tri, real32 t, scale, 5, 30);
    dbind range(Pol, real32 t, angle, 0, 360 * kBMATH DEG2RADf);
    dbind range (Pol, real32 t, scale, 5, 30);
static void i OnCloud(App *app, Event *e)
    Shape *shape = arrst get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
    cassert(shape->type == ekPOINT CLOUD);
    if (evbind modify(e, Cloud, uint32 t, type) == TRUE)
        col2dhello update cloud bounds (&shape->body.cloud);
    else
        col2dhello update cloud(&shape->body.cloud);
    col2dhello collisions(app);
    col2dhello update gui(app);
}
static void i OnSeg(App *app, Event *e)
    Shape *shape = arrst get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
    cassert(shape->type == ekSEGMENT);
    col2dhello update seg(&shape->body.seg);
    col2dhello collisions(app);
   col2dhello update gui(app);
```

```
unref(e);
}
static void i OnCircle(App *app, Event *e)
   col2dhello collisions(app);
   col2dhello update qui(app);
   unref(e);
}
/*-----/
static void i OnBox(App *app, Event *e)
   Shape *shape = arrst get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
   cassert(shape->type == ekBOX);
   col2dhello_update_box(&shape->body.box);
   col2dhello collisions(app);
   col2dhello update gui(app);
   unref(e);
}
static void i OnOBB(App *app, Event *e)
   Shape *shape = arrst get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
   cassert(shape->type == ekOBB);
   col2dhello update obb(&shape->body.obb);
   col2dhello collisions(app);
   col2dhello update gui(app);
   unref(e);
/*-----*/
static void i OnTri(App *app, Event *e)
   Shape *shape = arrst get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
   cassert(shape->type == ekTRIANGLE);
   col2dhello update tri(&shape->body.tri);
   col2dhello collisions(app);
   col2dhello_update_gui(app);
   unref(e);
}
/*-----*/
static void i OnPoly(App *app, Event *e)
```

```
Shape *shape = arrst get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
   cassert(shape->type == ekCONVEX POLY || shape->type == ekSIMPLE POLY);
   col2dhello update pol(&shape->body.pol);
   col2dhello collisions(app);
   col2dhello update gui(app);
   unref(e);
}
static void i OnOpt(App *app, Event *e)
   col2dhello update gui(app);
   unref(e);
static Layout *i empty layout(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 1);
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i point layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 1);
   Label *label = label_create();
   label text(label, "Selected Point");
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 0);
   app->pnt layout = layout;
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i bounding layout(void)
   Layout *layout = layout_create(1, 5);
   Button *button1 = button radio();
   Button *button2 = button radio();
   Button *button3 = button radio();
   Button *button4 = button radio();
   Button *button5 = button radio();
   button_text(button1, "BBox Circle");
   button text(button2, "Points Circle");
   button_text(button3, "Minimum Circle");
   button text(button4, "Gaussian OBB");
```

```
button text(button5, "Convex Hull");
   layout button(layout, button1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button2, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout, button3, 0, 2);
   layout button(layout, button4, 0, 3);
   layout button(layout, button5, 0, 4);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 1, 5);
   layout_vmargin(layout, 2, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 3, 5);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 0), Cloud, uint32 t, type);
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i cloud layout (App *app)
{
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(1, 9);
   Layout *layout2 = i bounding layout();
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Label *label4 = label create();
   Label *label5 = label create();
   Slider *slider1 = slider create();
   Slider *slider2 = slider create();
   Slider *slider3 = slider create();
   label text(label1, "Selected Point Cloud");
   label_text(label2, "Width:");
   label text(label3, "Height:");
   label text(label4, "Angle:");
   label text(label5, "Bounding Volume");
   layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout1, label2, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout1, label3, 0, 3);
   layout_label(layout1, label4, 0, 5);
   layout label(layout1, label5, 0, 7);
   layout slider(layout1, slider1, 0, 2);
   layout slider(layout1, slider2, 0, 4);
   layout slider(layout1, slider3, 0, 6);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 8);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 2, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 4, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 6, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 7, 8);
   cell_dbind(layout_cell(layout1, 0, 2), Cloud, real32_t, width);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 4), Cloud, real32 t, height);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 6), Cloud, real32 t, angle);
   layout dbind(layout1, listener(app, i OnCloud, App), Cloud);
```

```
app->cld layout = layout1;
   return lavout1;
static Layout *i segment layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 5);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Slider *slider1 = slider create();
   Slider *slider2 = slider create();
   label text(label1, "Selected Segment");
   label text(label2, "Length:");
   label text(label3, "Angle:");
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label3, 0, 3);
   layout slider(layout, slider1, 0, 2);
   layout slider(layout, slider2, 0, 4);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 10);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 2), Seq, real32 t, length);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 4), Seq, real32 t, angle);
   layout dbind(layout, listener(app, i OnSeg, App), Seg);
   app->seg layout = layout;
   return layout;
static Layout *i circle layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 3);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Slider *slider = slider create();
   label text(label1, "Selected Circle");
   label text(label2, "Radix:");
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout slider(layout, slider, 0, 2);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 2), Cir2Df, real32 t, r);
   layout dbind(layout, listener(app, i OnCircle, App), Cir2Df);
   app->cir layout = layout;
   return layout;
```

```
static Layout *i box layout (App *app)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 5);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Slider *slider1 = slider create();
   Slider *slider2 = slider create();
   label text(label1, "Selected Box");
   label text(label2, "Width:");
   label text(label3, "Height:");
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label3, 0, 3);
   layout slider(layout, slider1, 0, 2);
   layout slider(layout, slider2, 0, 4);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 10);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 2), Box, real32 t, width);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 4), Box, real32 t, height);
   layout dbind(layout, listener(app, i OnBox, App), Box);
   app->box layout = layout;
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i obb layout(App *app)
{
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 7);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Label *label4 = label create();
   Slider *slider1 = slider create();
   Slider *slider2 = slider create();
   Slider *slider3 = slider create();
   label text(label1, "Selected Oriented Box");
   label_text(label2, "Width:");
   label text(label3, "Height:");
   label text(label4, "Angle:");
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout_label(layout, label3, 0, 3);
   layout_label(layout, label4, 0, 5);
   layout slider(layout, slider1, 0, 2);
   layout slider(layout, slider2, 0, 4);
   layout slider(layout, slider3, 0, 6);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
```

```
layout vmargin(layout, 2, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout, 4, 10);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 2), OBB, real32 t, width);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 4), OBB, real32 t, height);
    cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 6), OBB, real32 t, angle);
   layout dbind(layout, listener(app, i OnOBB, App), OBB);
   app->obb layout = layout;
   return layout;
static Layout *i tri layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 5);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Slider *slider1 = slider create();
   Slider *slider2 = slider create();
   label text(label1, "Selected Triangle");
   label text(label2, "Angle:");
   label text(label3, "Scale:");
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label3, 0, 3);
   layout slider(layout, slider1, 0, 2);
   layout slider(layout, slider2, 0, 4);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 10);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 2), Tri, real32 t, angle);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 4), Tri, real32 t, scale);
   layout dbind(layout, listener(app, i OnTri, App), Tri);
   app->tri layout = layout;
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i pol layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 5);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Slider *slider1 = slider create();
   Slider *slider2 = slider create();
   label text(label1, "Selected Polygon");
   label text(label2, "Angle:");
   label text(label3, "Scale:");
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
```

```
layout label(layout, label2, 0, 1);
   layout label(layout, label3, 0, 3);
   layout slider(layout, slider1, 0, 2);
   layout slider(layout, slider2, 0, 4);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout, 2, 10);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 2), Pol, real32 t, angle);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 4), Pol, real32 t, scale);
   layout dbind(layout, listener(app, i OnPoly, App), Pol);
   app->pol layout = layout;
   return layout;
static void i OnNewShape(App *app, Event *e)
   S2Df size;
   view get size(app->view, &size);
   col2dhello new shape(app, v2df(size.width / 2, size.height / 2));
   col2dhello dbind shape(app);
   col2dhello collisions(app);
   view update(app->view);
   unref(e);
}
static Layout *i new layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 2);
   PopUp *popup = popup create();
   Button *button = button push();
   button text(button, "New Shape");
   button OnClick(button, listener(app, i_OnNewShape, App));
   layout popup(layout, popup, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button, 0, 1);
   layout vmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 0, 0), App, shtype t, seltype);
   return layout;
}
                         _____*/
static Layout *i area layout(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   label text(label1, "Area:");
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
```

```
layout label(layout, label2, 1, 0);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 0, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout hexpand(layout, 1);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout, 1, 0), App, real32 t, sel area);
   return layout;
}
static Layout *i left layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(1, 6);
   Layout *layout2 = i new layout(app);
   Layout *layout3 = i area layout();
   Layout *layout4 = i empty layout();
   Layout *layout5 = i point layout(app);
   Layout *layout6 = i cloud layout(app);
   Layout *layout7 = i segment layout(app);
   Layout *layout8 = i circle layout(app);
   Layout *layout9 = i box layout(app);
   Layout *layout10 = i obb layout(app);
   Layout *layout11 = i tri layout(app);
   Layout *layout12 = i pol layout(app);
   Button *button1 = button check();
   Button *button2 = button check();
   Button *button3 = button check();
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   button text(button1, "Show Segment-Point distance");
   button text(button2, "Show Polygon triangles");
   button text(button3, "Show Convex partition");
   panel layout(panel, layout4);
   panel layout(panel, layout5);
   panel layout(panel, layout6);
   panel layout(panel, layout7);
   panel layout(panel, layout8);
   panel layout(panel, layout9);
   panel layout(panel, layout10);
   panel layout (panel, layout11);
   panel layout(panel, layout12);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout1, button1, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout1, button2, 0, 2);
   layout button(layout1, button3, 0, 3);
   layout layout(layout1, layout3, 0, 4);
   layout panel(layout1, panel, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 10);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 1, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 2, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 3, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 4, 10);
```

```
layout margin(layout1, 10);
    app->obj panel = panel;
    app->main layout = layout1;
    cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 1), App, bool t, show seg pt);
    cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 2), App, bool t, show triangles);
    cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 0, 3), App, bool t, show convex parts);
    layout dbind(layout1, listener(app, i OnOpt, App), App);
    layout dbind obj(layout1, app, App);
    return layout1;
}
static color t i color(const uint32 t collision, const bool t mouse)
    if (collision > 0)
        if (collision == 1)
            return color rgb(255, 170, 0);
        if (collision == 2)
            return color rgb(255, 127, 0);
        return color rgb(255, 42, 0);
    }
    else
    {
        if (mouse == TRUE)
            return color rgb(127, 85, 255);
       return color gray(120);
    }
static void i draw point(DCtx *ctx, const V2Df *pt)
    draw v2df (ctx, ekFILL, pt, CENTER RADIUS);
}
static void i draw cloud(DCtx *ctx, const Cloud *cloud)
{
    arrst foreach(pt, cloud->pnts, V2Df)
        draw circle(ctx, ekSTROKE, pt->x + cloud->center.x, pt->y + cloud->
            \hookrightarrow center.y, 1);
    arrst_end();
   switch(cloud->type) {
```

```
case 0:
    case 1:
    case 2:
        real32 t cx = cloud->bound.cir.c.x + cloud->center.x;
        real32 t cy = cloud->bound.cir.c.y + cloud->center.y;
        draw circle(ctx, ekSTROKE, cx, cy, cloud->bound.cir.r);
        draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
        draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, cx, cy, CENTER RADIUS);
        break;
    }
    case 3:
        T2Df t2d;
        V2Df center = obb2d centerf(cloud->bound.obb);
        t2d movef(&t2d, kT2D IDENTf, cloud->center.x, cloud->center.y);
        draw matrixf(ctx, &t2d);
        draw obb2df(ctx, ekSTROKE, cloud->bound.obb);
        draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
        draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, center.x, center.y, CENTER RADIUS);
        draw matrixf(ctx, kT2D IDENTf);
        break;
    }
    case 4:
        T2Df t2d;
        V2Df center = pol2d centroidf(cloud->bound.poly);
        t2d movef(&t2d, kT2D IDENTf, cloud->center.x, cloud->center.y);
        draw matrixf(ctx, &t2d);
        draw pol2df(ctx, ekSTROKE, cloud->bound.poly);
        draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
        draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, center.x, center.y, CENTER RADIUS);
        draw matrixf(ctx, kT2D IDENTf);
        break;
    }
    cassert default();
    }
}
static void i draw segment(DCtx *ctx, const Seg *seg)
    draw seg2df(ctx, &seg->seg);
```

```
static void i draw circle(DCtx *ctx, const Cir2Df *circle)
   draw cir2df(ctx, ekFILL, circle);
   draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, circle->c.x, circle->c.y, CENTER RADIUS);
}
/*-----/
static void i draw box (DCtx *ctx, const Box *box)
   draw box2df(ctx, ekFILL, &box->box);
   draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, box->center.x, box->center.y, CENTER RADIUS);
}
/*----*/
static void i draw obb (DCtx *ctx, const OBB *obb)
   draw obb2df(ctx, ekFILL, obb->obb);
   draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, obb->center.x, obb->center.y, CENTER RADIUS);
}
/*-----*/
static void i draw tri(DCtx *ctx, const Tri *tri)
   V2Df center = tri2d centroidf(&tri->tri);
   draw tri2df(ctx, ekFILL, &tri->tri);
   draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw circle(ctx, ekFILL, center.x, center.y, CENTER RADIUS);
/*-----*/
static void i draw poly(DCtx *ctx, const Pol *pol)
   V2Df center = pol2d visual centerf(pol->pol, .05f);
   draw pol2df(ctx, ekFILL, pol->pol);
   draw fill color(ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
   draw_circle(ctx, ekFILL, center.x, center.y, CENTER RADIUS);
}
static void i draw poly triangles (DCtx *ctx, const Pol2Df *poly)
   ArrSt(Tri2Df) *triangles = pol2d trianglesf(poly);
bool t ccw = pol2d ccwf(poly);
```

```
arrst foreach(tri, triangles, Tri2Df)
        cassert unref(tri2d ccwf(tri) == ccw, ccw);
        draw tri2df(ctx, ekSTROKE, tri);
    arrst end();
    arrst destroy(&triangles, NULL, Tri2Df);
static void i draw poly convex parts (DCtx *ctx, const Pol2Df *poly)
    ArrPt(Pol2Df) *convex polys = pol2d convex partitionf(poly);
   bool t ccw = pol2d ccwf(poly);
    arrpt foreach(convex, convex polys, Pol2Df)
        cassert(pol2d convexf(convex) == TRUE);
        cassert unref(pol2d ccwf(convex) == ccw, ccw);
        draw pol2df(ctx, ekSTROKE, convex);
    arrpt end();
    arrpt destroy(&convex polys, pol2d destroyf, Pol2Df);
static void i draw bbox(DCtx *ctx, const Shape *shape)
    Box2Df bbox = kBOX2D NULLf;
   real32 t p[2] = \{2, 2\};
    switch(shape->type) {
    case ekPOINT:
        Cir2Df c = cir2df(shape->body.pnt.x, shape->body.pnt.y, CENTER RADIUS);
        box2d add circlef(&bbox, &c);
        break;
    }
    case ekPOINT CLOUD:
        bbox = col2dhello cloud box(&shape->body.cloud);
        break;
    case eksegment:
        box2d addf(&bbox, &shape->body.seg.seg.p0);
        box2d addf(&bbox, &shape->body.seg.seg.pl);
        break;
    case ekCIRCLE:
        box2d add circlef(&bbox, &shape->body.cir);
        break;
```

```
case ekBOX:
       box2d mergef(&bbox, &shape->body.box.box);
    case ekOBB:
        const V2Df *corners = obb2d cornersf(shape->body.obb.obb);
       box2d addnf(&bbox, corners, 4);
       break;
    }
   case ekTRIANGLE:
    {
        const V2Df *points = (const V2Df*)&shape->body.tri.tri;
       box2d addnf(&bbox, points, 3);
       break:
    }
   case ekCONVEX POLY:
   case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        const V2Df *points = pol2d pointsf(shape->body.pol.pol);
        uint32 t n = pol2d nf(shape->body.pol.pol);
       box2d addnf(&bbox, points, n);
       break;
    }
   cassert default();
   draw line color(ctx, color rgb(0, 128, 0));
   draw line dash(ctx, p, 2);
   draw box2df(ctx, ekSTROKE, &bbox);
   draw line dash(ctx, NULL, 0);
static void i OnDraw(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvDraw *p = event params(e, EvDraw);
   real32 t dash[2] = \{2,2\};
   draw clear(p->ctx, color rgb(255, 212, 255));
   arrst foreach(shape, app->shapes, Shape)
        draw fill color(p->ctx, i color(shape->collisions, shape->mouse));
        draw line color(p->ctx, i color(shape->collisions, shape->mouse));
        switch(shape->type) {
        case ekPOINT:
            i draw point(p->ctx, &shape->body.pnt);
```

```
break:
    case ekPOINT CLOUD:
        i draw cloud(p->ctx, &shape->body.cloud);
        break:
    case eksegment:
        i draw segment(p->ctx, &shape->body.seg);
        break;
    case ekCIRCLE:
        i draw circle(p->ctx, &shape->body.cir);
        break:
    case ekBOX:
        i draw box(p->ctx, &shape->body.box);
        break;
    case ekOBB:
        i draw obb(p->ctx, &shape->body.obb);
        break:
    case ekTRIANGLE:
        i draw tri(p->ctx, &shape->body.tri);
        break;
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        i draw poly(p->ctx, &shape->body.pol);
        break:
    cassert default();
    if (app->selshape == shape i)
        i draw bbox(p->ctx, shape);
arrst end()
if (app->show seg pt == TRUE)
    real32 t pattern[2] = \{2, 2\};
    draw line dash(p->ctx, pattern, 2);
    draw line color(p->ctx, kCOLOR MAGENTA);
    arrst foreach(dist, app->dists, Dist)
        draw line(p->ctx, dist->p0.x, dist->p0.y, dist->p1.x, dist->p1.y);
    arrst end();
}
draw line width(p->ctx, 1);
draw line color(p->ctx, kCOLOR BLACK);
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```
draw line dash(p->ctx, dash, 2);
   if (app->show triangles == TRUE)
       arrst foreach(shape, app->shapes, Shape)
           if (shape->type == ekCONVEX POLY || shape->type == ekSIMPLE POLY)
               i draw poly triangles (p->ctx, shape->body.pol.pol);
       arrst end();
    }
   if (app->show triangles == FALSE && app->show convex parts == TRUE)
       arrst foreach(shape, app->shapes, Shape)
           if (shape->type == ekSIMPLE POLY)
               i draw poly convex parts(p->ctx, shape->body.pol.pol);
       arrst end();
   }
   draw line dash(p->ctx, NULL, 2);
                                 _____*/
static void i OnMove(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvMouse *p = event params(e, EvMouse);
   View *view = event sender(e, View);
   col2dhello mouse collisions(app, p->x, p->y);
   view update(view);
}
static void i get shape pos(const Shape *shape, V2Df *pos)
   switch(shape->type) {
   case ekPOINT:
       *pos = shape->body.pnt;
       break:
   case ekPOINT CLOUD:
       *pos = shape->body.cloud.center;
       break:
   case ekSEGMENT:
       *pos = shape->body.seg.center;
       break;
   case ekCIRCLE:
       *pos = shape->body.cir.c;
       break;
```

```
case ekBOX:
        *pos = shape->body.box.center;
        break;
    case ekOBB:
        *pos = shape->body.obb.center;
        break;
    case ekTRIANGLE:
        *pos = shape->body.tri.center;
        *pos = shape->body.tri.center;
        break:
    case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        *pos = shape->body.pol.center;
        break:
   cassert default();
static void i set shape pos(Shape *shape, const V2Df pos)
    switch(shape->type) {
    case ekPOINT:
        shape->body.pnt = pos;
        break:
    case ekPOINT CLOUD:
        shape->body.cloud.center = pos;
        break;
    case eksegment:
        shape->body.seq.center = pos;
        col2dhello update seg(&shape->body.seg);
        break;
    case ekCIRCLE:
        shape->body.cir.c = pos;
        break;
    case ekBOX:
        shape->body.box.center = pos;
        col2dhello_update_box(&shape->body.box);
        break:
    case ekOBB:
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shape->body.obb.center = pos;
        col2dhello update obb(&shape->body.obb);
       break:
   case ekTRIANGLE:
        shape->body.tri.center = pos;
        col2dhello update tri(&shape->body.tri);
       break:
   case ekCONVEX POLY:
   case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        shape->body.pol.center = pos;
        col2dhello update pol(&shape->body.pol);
       break:
   cassert default();
static void i OnDown (App *app, Event *e)
   uint32 t selshape = UINT32 MAX;
   arrst foreach (shape, app->shapes, Shape)
        if (shape->mouse == TRUE)
            selshape = shape i;
           break;
   arrst end();
   if (selshape != app->selshape)
       View *view = event sender(e, View);
        app->selshape = selshape;
        col2dhello dbind shape(app);
       view update(view);
    }
   if (app->selshape != UINT32 MAX)
       const EvMouse *p = event params(e, EvMouse);
        const Shape *shape = arrst_get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
        app->mouse pos.x = p->x;
        app->mouse pos.y = p->y;
        i get shape pos(shape, &app->obj pos);
    }
```

```
static void i OnDrag(App *app, Event *e)
   if (app->selshape != UINT32 MAX)
        const EvMouse *p = event params(e, EvMouse);
        Shape *shape = arrst get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
        V2Df move = v2df(app->obj_pos.x + (p->x - app->mouse_pos.x), app->
           → obj_pos.y + (p->y - app->mouse_pos.y));
        i set shape pos(shape, move);
        col2dhello collisions(app);
        view update(app->view);
   }
static void i OnAcceptFocus(App *app, Event *e)
   bool t *r = event result(e, bool t);
   unref(app);
   *r = FALSE;
}
static Layout *i layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 1);
   Layout *layout2 = i left layout(app);
   View *view = view create();
   view size(view, s2df(640, 580));
   view OnDraw(view, listener(app, i OnDraw, App));
   view_OnMove(view, listener(app, i_OnMove, App));
   view_OnDown(view, listener(app, i_OnDown, App));
   view_OnDrag(view, listener(app, i_OnDrag, App));
   view_OnAcceptFocus(view, listener(app, i_OnAcceptFocus, App));
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout view(layout1, view, 1, 0);
   layout valign(layout1, 0, 0, ekTOP);
   layout_hexpand(layout1, 1);
   app->view = view;
   return layout1;
Window *col2dhello window(App *app)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
Layout *layout = i layout(app);
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Window *window = window create(ekWINDOW STDRES);
   panel layout (panel, layout);
   window panel(window, panel);
   return window;
                      _____*/
void col2dhello dbind shape(App *app)
   if (app->selshape != UINT32 MAX)
       Shape *shape = arrst get(app->shapes, app->selshape, Shape);
       switch(shape->type) {
       case ekPOINT:
           panel visible layout (app->obj panel, 1);
           app->sel area = 0;
           break;
       case ekPOINT CLOUD:
           layout dbind obj(app->cld layout, &shape->body.cloud, Cloud);
           panel visible layout (app->obj panel, 2);
           app->sel area = 0;
           break;
       case ekSEGMENT:
           layout dbind obj(app->seg layout, &shape->body.seg, Seg);
           panel visible layout (app->obj panel, 3);
           app->sel area = 0;
           break:
       case ekCIRCLE:
           layout_dbind_obj(app->cir_layout, &shape->body.cir, Cir2Df);
           panel visible layout (app->obj panel, 4);
           app->sel area = cir2d areaf(&shape->body.cir);
           break:
       case ekBOX:
           layout dbind obj(app->box layout, &shape->body.box, Box);
           panel visible layout (app->obj panel, 5);
           break;
       case ekOBB:
           layout dbind obj(app->obb layout, &shape->body.obb, OBB);
           panel visible layout (app->obj panel, 6);
           break;
       case ekTRIANGLE:
           layout dbind obj(app->tri layout, &shape->body.tri, Tri);
           panel visible layout (app->obj panel, 7);
           break;
```

```
case ekCONVEX POLY:
    case ekSIMPLE POLY:
        layout dbind obj(app->pol layout, &shape->body.pol, Pol);
        panel visible layout(app->obj panel, 8);
        break;
   cassert default();
}
else
   layout dbind obj(app->cld layout, NULL, Cloud);
    layout dbind obj(app->seg layout, NULL, Seg);
    layout dbind obj(app->cir layout, NULL, Cir2Df);
    layout_dbind_obj(app->box_layout, NULL, Box);
    layout dbind obj(app->obb layout, NULL, OBB);
    layout dbind obj(app->tri layout, NULL, Tri);
    layout_dbind_obj(app->pol_layout, NULL, Pol);
   panel visible layout(app->obj panel, 0);
}
col2dhello update gui(app);
```

Drawing on an image

In this example we see how to generate vector graphics in two different contexts using the same drawing code (Figure 29.1). On the left side we render directly into the window through a View control. On the right side generate an image using different resolutions. To show it we use a ImageView control configured to stretch the image in case it is smaller than the control itself, which makes clear the loss of quality. The **source code** is in folder /src/howto/drawimg of the SDK distribution.

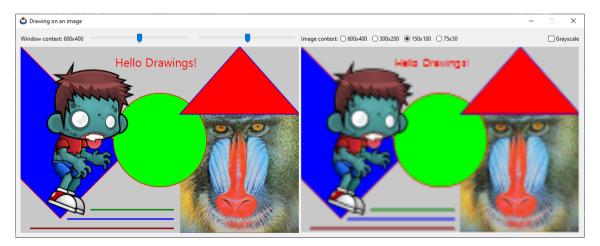


Figure 29.1: 2D Contexts: Window (left), Image (right).

Listing 29.1: demo/drawing/drawing.c

```
/* Drawing on an image */
#include "res_drawimg.h"
#include <nappgui.h>

typedef struct _app_t App;
```

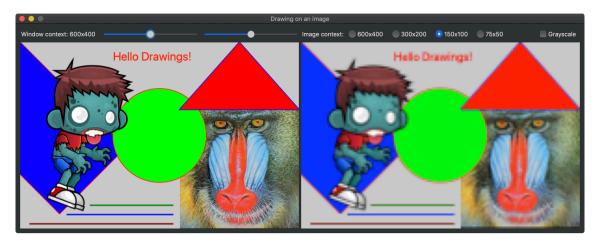


Figure 29.2: macOS version.

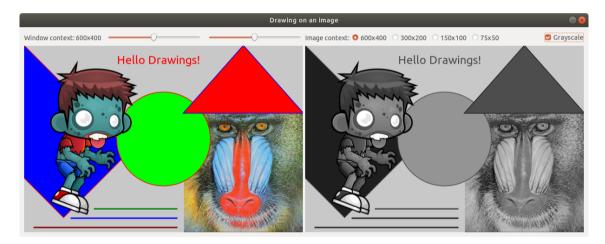


Figure 29.3: Linux version.

```
struct _app_t
{
    Window *window;
    Window *expwin;
    Font *font;
    View *view;
    ImageView *iview;
    uint32_t res;
    real32_t angle;
    real32_t scale;
    String *exp_path;
    codec_t exp_codec;
    uint32_t exp_bpp;
    bool t exp alpha;
```

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};
static uint32 t i WIDTH[4] = {600, 300, 150, 75};
static uint32 t i HEIGHT[4] = {400, 200, 100, 50};
static real32 t i SCALE[4] = {1, .5f, .25f, .125f};
static void i draw(DCtx *ctx, const T2Df *t2d global, const Font *font)
   T2Df t2d object;
   V2Df triangle[] = { (472,0), (600,144), (344,144) };
   const Image *image1 = gui image(MONKEY GIF);
   const Image *image2 = gui image(ZOMBIE PNG);
   t2d scalef(&t2d object, t2d global, .5f, .5f);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &t2d object);
   draw image(ctx, image1, 688, 288);
   draw line color(ctx, color rgb(255, 0, 0));
   draw line width (ctx, 3);
   draw fill color(ctx, color rgb(0, 0, 255));
   t2d rotatef(&t2d object, t2d global, kBMATH PIf / 4);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &t2d object);
   draw rect(ctx, ekSKFILL, 0, 0, 320, 200);
   draw fill color(ctx, color rgb(0, 255, 0));
   draw matrixf(ctx, t2d global);
   draw_circle(ctx, ekSKFILL, 300, 200, 100);
   draw line color(ctx, color rgb(0, 0, 255));
   draw fill color(ctx, color rgb(255, 0, 0));
   draw polygon(ctx, ekSKFILL, triangle, 3);
   t2d scalef(&t2d object, t2d global, .7f, .7f);
   draw matrixf(ctx, &t2d object);
   draw image(ctx, image2, 0, 0);
   draw font(ctx, font);
   draw matrixf(ctx, t2d global);
   draw text color(ctx, color rgb(255, 0, 0));
   draw text(ctx, "Hello Drawings!", 200, 15);
   draw_line_color(ctx, color rgb(0, 128, 0));
   draw line(ctx, 150, 350, 330, 350);
   draw line color(ctx, color rgb(0, 0, 255));
   draw line(ctx, 100, 370, 330, 370);
   draw line color(ctx, color rgb(128, 0, 0));
   draw line(ctx, 20, 390, 330, 390);
static void i OnDraw (App *app, Event *e)
{
   T2Df t2d;
   const EvDraw *p = event params(e, EvDraw);
  t2d rotatef(&t2d, kT2D IDENTf, app->angle);
```

```
t2d scalef(&t2d, &t2d, app->scale, 1);
   draw clear(p->ctx, color rgb(200, 200, 200));
   i draw(p->ctx, &t2d, app->font);
/*----*/
static void i draw img(App *app)
   T2Df t2d;
   DCtx *ctx = dctx bitmap(i WIDTH[app->res], i HEIGHT[app->res], ekRGB24);
   Image *image;
   t2d scalef(&t2d, kT2D IDENTf, i SCALE[app->res], i SCALE[app->res]);
   draw clear(ctx, color rgb(200, 200, 200));
   i draw(ctx, &t2d, app->font);
   image = dctx image(&ctx);
   imageview image(app->iview, image);
   image destroy(&image);
}
static void i OnResolution(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   app->res = p->index;
   i draw img(app);
}
              -----*/
static Layout *i filename layout(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
   Edit *edit = edit create();
   Button *button = button push();
   button text(button, "Open");
   layout edit(layout, edit, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button, 1, 0);
   return layout;
}
/*-----*/
static Layout *i bpp layout(void)
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 5);
   Button *button1 = button radio();
   Button *button2 = button radio();
   Button *button3 = button radio();
 Button *button4 = button radio();
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Button *button5 = button radio();
   button text(button1, "1 bpp (2 colors)");
   button_text(button2, "2 bpp (4 colors)");
   button text(button3, "4 bpp (16 colors)");
   button text(button4, "8 bpp (32 colors)");
   button text(button5, "RGB (True color)");
   layout button(layout, button1, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button2, 0, 1);
   layout button(layout, button3, 0, 2);
   layout button(layout, button4, 0, 3);
   layout button(layout, button5, 0, 4);
   return layout;
}
static void i OnOk(App *app, Event *e)
{
   window stop modal(app->expwin, 1);
   unref(e);
}
static void i OnCancel(App *app, Event *e)
{
   window stop modal(app->expwin, 0);
   unref(e);
}
static Window *i export window(App *app)
   Window *window = window create(ekWINDOW_TITLE | ekWINDOW_CLOSE);
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(3, 4);
   Layout *layout2 = i filename layout();
   Layout *layout3 = i bpp layout();
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Label *label4 = label create();
   PopUp *popup = popup create();
   Button *button1 = button check();
   Button *button2 = button push();
   Button *button3 = button push();
   label text(label1, "File name:");
   label text(label2, "Format:");
   label text(label3, "Pixel Depth (bpp):");
   label text(label4, "Transparent background:");
```

```
button text(button2, "Ok");
    button text(button3, "Cancel");
    button OnClick(button2, listener(app, i OnOk, App));
    button OnClick(button3, listener(app, i OnCancel, App));
    layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 0);
    layout label(layout1, label2, 0, 1);
    layout label(layout1, label3, 0, 2);
    layout label(layout1, label4, 0, 3);
    layout layout(layout1, layout2, 1, 0);
    layout popup(layout1, popup, 1, 1);
    layout layout(layout1, layout3, 1, 2);
    layout button(layout1, button1, 1, 3);
    layout button(layout1, button2, 2, 0);
   layout button(layout1, button3, 2, 1);
    panel layout(panel, layout1);
    window panel(window, panel);
    window title(window, "Image export");
    return window;
}
static void i export png(void)
    const uint32 t w = 640, h = 400;
   uint32 t i, j, wi = w / 4;
    Palette *palette = palette create(4);
    Pixbuf *pixbuf = pixbuf create(w, h, ekINDEX2);
    color t *c = palette colors(palette);
    Image *image = NULL;
    c[0] = color rgba(255, 0, 0, 255);
    c[1] = color rgba(0, 255, 0, 170);
    c[2] = color rgba(0, 0, 255, 85);
    c[3] = color rgba(255, 255, 255, 1);
    for (i = 0; i < w; ++i)
    {
        uint32 t idx = 3;
        if (i < wi)
            idx = 0;
        else if (i < 2 * wi)
            idx = 1;
        else if (i < 3 * wi)
            idx = 2;
        for (j = 0; j < h; ++j)
            pixbuf set(pixbuf, i, j, idx);
    }
    image = image from pixbuf(pixbuf, palette);
    image codec(image, ekGIF);
    image to file(image, "/home/fran/Desktop/export.gif", NULL);
```

```
pixbuf destroy(&pixbuf);
    palette destroy(&palette);
    image destroy(&image);
        Image *img = image from file("/home/fran/Desktop/country.jpg", NULL);
        image codec(img, ekGIF);
        image to file(img, "/home/fran/Desktop/country.gif", NULL);
        image destroy(&img);
   }
}
static void i OnExport(App *app, Event *e)
   V2Df p0, p1;
    S2Df s0, s1;
    uint32 t res = 0;
       unref(e);
    app->expwin = i export window(app);
    p0 = window_get_origin(app->window);
    s0 = window get size(app->window);
    s1 = window get size(app->expwin);
    p1 = v2df(p0.x + (s0.width - s1.width) / 2, p0.y + (s0.height - s1.height)
       \hookrightarrow / 2);
    window origin(app->expwin, p1);
    res = window modal(app->expwin, app->window);
    if (res == 1)
    {
        i export png();
    window destroy(&app->expwin);
}
static Layout *i img layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout = layout create(7, 1);
    Label *label = label create();
   Button *button1 = button radio();
    Button *button2 = button radio();
    Button *button3 = button radio();
    Button *button4 = button_radio();
    Button *button5 = button_push();
    label text(label, "Image context:");
    button_text(button1, "600x400");
    button text(button2, "300x200");
```

```
button text(button3, "150x100");
   button text(button4, "75x50");
   button text(button5, "Export...");
   button state(button1, ekGUI ON);
   button OnClick(button1, listener(app, i OnResolution, App));
   button OnClick(button5, listener(app, i OnExport, App));
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 0);
   layout button(layout, button1, 1, 0);
   layout button(layout, button2, 2, 0);
   layout button(layout, button3, 3, 0);
   layout button(layout, button4, 4, 0);
   layout button(layout, button5, 6, 0);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout, 1, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout, 2, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout, 3, 10);
   layout hexpand(layout, 5);
   return layout;
}
static void i OnAngle(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvSlider *p = event params(e, EvSlider);
   app->angle = (p->pos - .5f) * kBMATH PIf;
   view update(app->view);
}
                  -----*/
static void i OnScale(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvSlider *p = event params(e, EvSlider);
   app->scale = p->pos + .5f;
   view update(app->view);
}
                      _____*/
static Layout *i win layout(App *app)
   Layout *layout = layout create(5, 1);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Slider *slider1 = slider create();
   Slider *slider2 = slider_create();
   label text(label1, "Window context: 600x400");
   label_text(label2, "Angle:");
   label text(label3, "Scale:");
```

```
slider value(slider1, .5f);
   slider value(slider2, .5f);
   slider OnMoved(slider1, listener(app, i OnAngle, App));
   slider OnMoved(slider2, listener(app, i OnScale, App));
   layout label(layout, label1, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, label2, 1, 0);
   layout label(layout, label3, 3, 0);
   layout slider(layout, slider1, 2, 0);
   layout slider(layout, slider2, 4, 0);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout, 2, 10);
   layout hexpand2 (layout, 2, 4, .5f);
   return layout;
static Panel *i panel(App *app)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 2);
   Layout *layout2 = i win layout(app);
   Layout *layout3 = i img layout(app);
   View *view = view create();
   ImageView *iview = imageview create();
   view size(view, s2df(600, 400));
   imageview size(iview, s2df(600, 400));
   view OnDraw(view, listener(app, i OnDraw, App));
   imageview scale(iview, ekGUI SCALE ASPECT);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout view(layout1, view, 0, 1);
   layout imageview(layout1, iview, 1, 1);
   layout layout(layout1, layout3, 1, 0);
   layout margin(layout1, 10);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   panel layout(panel, layout1);
   app->view = view;
   app->iview = iview;
   return panel;
}
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
   osapp finish();
   unref(app);
   unref(e);
```

```
----*/
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   Panel *panel = i panel(app);
   gui respack(res drawimg respack);
   gui language("");
   app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STD);
   app->font = font system(25.f, 0);
   app->res = 0;
   app->angle = 0;
   app->scale = 1;
   i draw img(app);
   window panel(app->window, panel);
   window title(app->window, "Drawing on an image");
   window origin(app->window, v2df(500, 200));
   window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
   window show(app->window);
   return app;
}
/*-----/
static void i destroy(App **app)
{
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
  font destroy(&(*app)->font);
  heap delete(app, App);
}
/*----*/
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i create, i destroy, "", App)
```

Scroll drawings

The next application shows how to manage a very large drawing area, of which only a small portion is visible. We will represent a grid of 2000x2000 cells, using a View control with scroll bars. The objectives we are pursuing with this example are:

- Optimize the OnDraw event to draw only the visible area, avoiding launching unnecessary commands.
- Size scroll bars with view_content_size.
- Move the visible area using view_scroll_x, view_scroll_y.
- Get the visible area with view viewport.
- Use of the mouse: To be able to click on a cell or highlight it when the cursor is hover it.
- Using the keyboard: Allow the view to capture the focus and move the active cell with the [Left], [Right], [Up] and [Down] keys. Keyboard navigation requires this cell to always be visible.

Listing 30.1: demo/drawbig/drawbig.c

```
/* Drawing a big area with scrollbars */
#include <nappgui.h>

typedef struct _app_t App;

struct _app_t {
    Window *window;
    View *view;
    Label *label;
    uint32_t col_id;
    uint32_t row id;
```

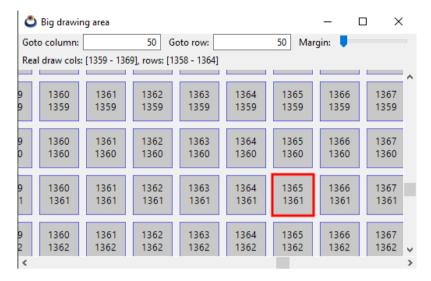


Figure 30.1: Windows version.

● ● ■ Big drawing area													
Goto colu	Goto column:		Goto row:		50 Margin:		•						
Real draw cols: [45 - 65], rows: [45 - 61]													
50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58					
50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50	50					
50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58					
51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51	51					
50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58					
52	52	52	52	52	52	52	52	52					
50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58					
53	53	53	53	53	53	53	53	53					

Figure 30.2: macOS version.

```
uint32_t margin;
uint32_t mouse_cell_x;
uint32_t mouse_cell_y;
uint32_t sel_cell_x;
uint32_t sel_cell_y;
bool_t focus;
};
static const uint32_t i_NUM_COLS = 2000;
static const uint32_t i_NUM_ROWS = 2000;
```

Big drawing area													
lumn:	5	Goto	O Goto row: 50 Margin: 0										
Real draw cols: [633 - 650], rows: [1714 - 1726]													
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1719	1719	1719	1719	1719	1719	1719	1719						
638	639	640	641	642	643	644	645						
1720	1720	1720	1720	1720	1720	1720	1720						
638	639	640	641	642	643	644	645						
1721	1721	1721	1721	1721	1721	1721	1721						
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Figure 30.3: Linux version.

```
static const real32 t i CELL SIZE = 50;
/*
   → */
static void i dbind(void)
    dbind(App, uint32 t, col id);
    dbind(App, uint32_t, row_id);
    dbind(App, uint32 t, margin);
    dbind range(App, uint32 t, col id, 0, i NUM COLS - 1);
    dbind range(App, uint32 t, row id, 0, i NUM ROWS - 1);
    dbind range(App, uint32 t, margin, 10, 50);
   → */
static void i content size(App *app)
    real32 t width = i NUM COLS * i CELL SIZE + (i NUM COLS + 1) * app->
       → margin;
    real32 t height = i NUM ROWS * i CELL SIZE + (i NUM ROWS + 1) * app->
       → margin;
    view content size(app->view, s2df((real32 t)width, (real32 t)height),
       \hookrightarrow s2df(10, 10));
```

```
→ */
static void i scroll to cell(App *app)
   real32 t xpos = app->col id * i CELL SIZE + (app->col id + 1) * app->
       → margin;
   real32 t ypos = app->row id * i CELL SIZE + (app->row id + 1) * app->
       → margin;
   xpos -= 5;
   ypos -= 5;
   view scroll x(app->view, xpos);
   view scroll y(app->view, ypos);
}
/*
   → */
static void i draw clipped (App *app, DCtx *ctx, const real32 t x, const

→ real32 t y, const real32 t width, const real32 t height)

{
   register uint32 t sti, edi;
   register uint32 t stj, edj;
   real32 t cellsize = i CELL SIZE + (real32 t)app->margin;
   real32 t hcell = i CELL SIZE / 2;
   register real32 t posx = 0;
   register real32 t posy = 0;
   register uint32 t i, j;
   /* Calculate the visible cols */
   sti = (uint32 t)bmath floorf(x / cellsize);
   edi = sti + (uint32 t)bmath ceilf(width / cellsize) + 1;
   if (edi > i NUM COLS)
        edi = i NUM COLS;
   /* Calculate the visible rows */
   stj = (uint32 t)bmath floorf(y / cellsize);
   edj = stj + (uint32 t)bmath ceilf(height / cellsize) + 1;
   if (edj > i NUM ROWS)
       edj = i NUM ROWS;
   posy = (real32 t)app->margin + stj * cellsize;
       char t text[256];
       bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "Real draw cols: [%d - %d], rows:
           → [%d - %d]", sti, edi, stj, edj);
        label text(app->label, text);
```

```
draw fill color(ctx, color gray(240));
draw rect(ctx, ekFILL, x, y, width, height);
draw fill color(ctx, color gray(200));
draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
draw line width(ctx, 1);
draw text align(ctx, ekCENTER, ekCENTER);
draw text halign(ctx, ekCENTER);
for (j = stj; j < edj; ++j)</pre>
    posx = (real32 t)app->margin + sti * cellsize;
    for (i = sti; i < edi; ++i)</pre>
        char t text[128];
        bool t special cell = FALSE;
        bstd sprintf(text, sizeof(text), "%d\n%d", i, j);
        if (app->sel cell x == i && app->sel cell y == j)
            draw line width (ctx, 6);
            if (app->focus == TRUE)
                draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR RED);
            else
                draw line color(ctx, color gray(100));
            special cell = TRUE;
        else if (app->mouse cell x == i && app->mouse cell y == j)
        {
            draw line width(ctx, 3);
            draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
            special cell = TRUE;
        draw rect(ctx, ekSKFILL, posx, posy, i CELL SIZE, i CELL SIZE)
        draw text(ctx, text, posx + hcell, posy + hcell);
        if (special cell == TRUE)
            draw line width(ctx, 1);
            draw line color(ctx, kCOLOR BLUE);
        }
        posx += cellsize;
    posy += cellsize;
```

```
→ */
static void i OnDraw(App *app, Event *e)
    const EvDraw *p = event params(e, EvDraw);
    i draw clipped(app, p->ctx, p->x, p->y, p->width, p->height);
}
   → */
static void i mouse cell(App *app, const real32 t x, const real32 t y,

→ const uint32_t action)

    real32 t cellsize = i CELL SIZE + (real32 t)app->margin;
    uint32 t mx = (uint32 t)bmath floorf(x / cellsize);
    uint32 t my = (uint32 t)bmath floorf(y / cellsize);
    real32 t xmin = mx * cellsize + (real32 t)app->margin;
    real32 t xmax = xmin + i CELL SIZE;
    real32 t ymin = my * cellsize + (real32 t)app->margin;
    real32 t ymax = ymin + i CELL SIZE;
    if (x \ge xmin \&\& x \le xmax \&\& y \ge ymin \&\& y \le ymax)
        if (action == 0)
            app->mouse cell_x = mx;
            app->mouse cell y = my;
        else
            app->sel cell x = mx;
            app->sel cell y = my;
    else
        app->mouse cell x = UINT32 MAX;
        app->mouse cell y = UINT32 MAX;
    view update(app->view);
```

```
static void i OnMove(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvMouse *p = event_params(e, EvMouse);
   i mouse cell(app, p->x, p->y, 0);
   → */
static void i OnUp(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvMouse *p = event_params(e, EvMouse);
   i mouse cell(app, p->x, p->y, 0);
/*
   → */
static void i OnDown(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvMouse *p = event params(e, EvMouse);
   i mouse cell(app, p->x, p->y, 1);
   → */
static void i OnFocus(App *app, Event *e)
   const bool_t *p = event_params(e, bool_t);
   app -> focus = *p;
   view_update(app->view);
}
   → */
static void i OnKeyDown(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvKey *p = event params(e, EvKey);
   View *view = event_sender(e, View);
   real32_t margin = (real32_t)app->margin;
   real32 t cellsize = i CELL SIZE + margin;
   V2Df scroll;
   S2Df size;
```

```
view viewport (view, &scroll, &size);
if (p->key == ekKEY DOWN && app->sel cell y < i NUM ROWS - 1)
    real32 t ymin = (app->sel cell y + 1) * cellsize + margin;
    ymin += i CELL SIZE;
    if (scroll.y + size.height <= ymin)</pre>
        view scroll y(view, ymin - size.height + margin);
        app->mouse cell x = UINT32 MAX;
        app->mouse cell y = UINT32 MAX;
    app->sel cell y += 1;
    view update(app->view);
if (p->key == ekKEY UP && app->sel cell y > 0)
    real32 t ymin = (app->sel cell y - 1) * cellsize + (real32 t)app->
       → margin;
    if (scroll.y >= ymin)
        view scroll y(view, ymin - margin);
        app->mouse cell x = UINT32 MAX;
        app->mouse cell y = UINT32 MAX;
    app->sel cell y -= 1;
    view update(app->view);
if (p->key == ekKEY RIGHT && app->sel cell x < i NUM COLS - 1)
    real32 t xmin = (app-sel cell x + 1) * cellsize + margin;
    xmin += i CELL SIZE;
    if (scroll.x + size.width <= xmin)</pre>
        view scroll x(view, xmin - size.width + margin);
        app->mouse cell x = UINT32 MAX;
        app->mouse cell y = UINT32 MAX;
    app->sel_cell_x += 1;
    view update(app->view);
```

```
if (p->key == ekKEY LEFT && app->sel cell x > 0)
        real32 t xmin = (app->sel cell x - 1) * cellsize + (real32 t)app->
           → margin;
       if (scroll.x >= xmin)
           view scroll x(view, xmin - margin);
            app->mouse cell x = UINT32 MAX;
            app->mouse cell y = UINT32 MAX;
        app->sel cell x -= 1;
       view update(app->view);
   → */
static void i OnDataChange(App *app, Event *e)
   unref(e);
   i scroll to cell(app);
   view update(app->view);
}
   → */
static Panel *i panel(App *app)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(6, 1);
   Layout *layout2 = layout create(1, 3);
   Label *label1 = label create();
   Label *label2 = label create();
   Label *label3 = label create();
   Label *label4 = label create();
   Edit *edit1 = edit create();
   Edit *edit2 = edit create();
   Slider *slider = slider create();
   View *view = view scroll();
   label text(label1, "Goto column:");
   label_text(label2, "Goto row:");
   label text(label3, "Margin:");
   edit align(edit1, ekRIGHT);
   edit align(edit2, ekRIGHT);
   view size(view, s2df(256, 256));
```

```
view OnDraw(view, listener(app, i_OnDraw, App));
   view OnMove (view, listener (app, i OnMove, App));
   view OnUp(view, listener(app, i OnUp, App));
   view OnDown (view, listener (app, i OnDown, App));
    view OnFocus (view, listener (app, i OnFocus, App));
    view OnKeyDown (view, listener (app, i OnKeyDown, App));
    layout label(layout1, label1, 0, 0);
    layout label(layout1, label2, 2, 0);
    layout label(layout1, label3, 4, 0);
    layout edit(layout1, edit1, 1, 0);
    layout edit(layout1, edit2, 3, 0);
    layout slider(layout1, slider, 5, 0);
    layout layout(layout2, layout1, 0, 0);
    layout label(layout2, label4, 0, 1);
    layout view(layout2, view, 0, 2);
    layout tabstop(layout2, 0, 2, TRUE);
    layout margin2(layout1, 0, 5);
    layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
    layout hmargin(layout1, 1, 10);
    layout hmargin(layout1, 2, 5);
    layout hmargin(layout1, 3, 10);
    layout hmargin(layout1, 4, 5);
    layout vmargin(layout2, 0, 5);
    layout vmargin(layout2, 1, 5);
    layout halign(layout2, 0, 0, ekLEFT);
    layout halign(layout2, 0, 1, ekJUSTIFY);
    layout vexpand(layout2, 2);
   cell padding2(layout cell(layout2, 0, 1), 0, 5);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 1, 0), App, uint32 t, col id);
   cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 3, 0), App, uint32 t, row id);
    cell dbind(layout cell(layout1, 5, 0), App, uint32 t, margin);
    layout dbind(layout2, listener(app, i OnDataChange, App), App);
    layout dbind obj(layout2, app, App);
    panel layout(panel, layout2);
   app->view = view;
    app->label = label4;
   return panel;
}
   → */
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
   osapp finish();
   unref(app);
   unref(e);
}
```

```
→ */
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   Panel *panel = NULL;
    i dbind();
    app->col id = 50;
    app->row id = 50;
    app->margin = 10;
    app->mouse cell x = UINT32 MAX;
    app->mouse cell y = UINT32 MAX;
   app->sel cell x = app->col id;
    app->sel cell y = app->row id;
    app->focus = FALSE;
   panel = i panel(app);
   app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STDRES);
    i content size(app);
   window panel(app->window, panel);
   window title(app->window, "Big drawing area");
    window origin(app->window, v2df(500, 200));
   window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
   window show(app->window);
    i scroll to cell(app);
   return app;
   → */
static void i destroy(App **app)
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
   heap delete(app, App);
   → */
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i create, i destroy, "", App)
```

Images from URLs

In this demo we build a simple web image viewer. The program allows you to download and view them through a list. The **source code** is in folder /src/howto/urlimg of the SDK distribution.

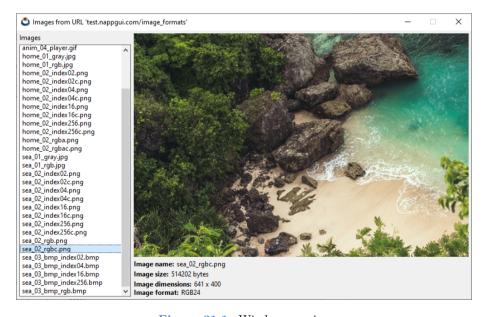


Figure 31.1: Windows version

Listing 31.1: demo/urlimg/urlimg.c

```
/* Images from URL */
#include <inet/inet.h>
#include <inet/httpreq.h>
#include <nappgui.h>
```



Figure 31.2: macOS version



Figure 31.3: Linux version

```
typedef struct _app_t App;
struct _app_t
{
    Window *window;
```

```
ImageView *view;
    uint32 t selected;
    Label *imgname;
    Label *imgsize;
    Label *imgres;
    Label *imgformat;
};
static const char t *i FILES[] = {
                             "anim 04 bat.gif",
                             "anim 04 cube.gif",
                             "anim 04 dragon.gif",
                             "anim 04 game.gif",
                             "anim 04 item.gif",
                             "anim 04 player.gif",
                             "static 05 cube.gif",
                             "home 01 gray.jpg",
                             "home 01 rgb.jpg",
                             "home 02 index02.png",
                             "home 02 index02c.png",
                             "home 02 index04.png",
                             "home 02 index04c.png",
                             "home 02 index16.png",
                             "home 02 index16c.png",
                             "home 02 index256.png",
                             "home 02 index256c.png",
                             "home 02 rgba.png",
                             "home 02 rgbac.png",
                             "sea 01 gray.jpg",
                             "sea 01 rgb.jpg",
                             "sea 02 index02.png",
                             "sea 02 index02c.png",
                             "sea_02_index04.png",
                             "sea 02 index04c.png",
                             "sea 02 index16.png",
                             "sea 02 index16c.png",
                             "sea 02 index256.png",
                             "sea 02 index256c.png",
                             "sea 02 rgb.png",
                             "sea 02 rgbc.png",
                             "sea 03 bmp index02.bmp",
                             "sea 03 bmp index04.bmp",
                             "sea 03 bmp index16.bmp",
                             "sea 03 bmp index256.bmp",
                             "sea 03 bmp rgb.bmp" };
static INLINE String *i pixformat(const pixformat t format, const uint32 t
   → ncolors)
```

```
switch (format) {
   case ekINDEX1:
       return str printf("Indexed 1bbp (%d colors)", ncolors);
       return str printf("Indexed 2bbp (%d colors)", ncolors);
   case ekINDEX4:
       return str printf("Indexed 4bbp (%d colors)", ncolors);
   case ekINDEX8:
       return str printf("Indexed 8bbp (%d colors)", ncolors);
   case ekGRAY8:
       return str c("Gray8");
   case ekRGB24:
       return str c("RGB24");
   case ekRGBA32:
       return str c("RGBA32");
   case ekFIMAGE:
              break;
   }
   return str c("Unknown");
static void i download(App *app)
   String *url = str printf("http://test.nappqui.com/image formats/%s",
       Stream *stm = http dget(tc(url), NULL, NULL);
   if (stm != NULL)
       uint32 t ncolors = 0;
       uint64 t start = stm bytes readed(stm);
       Image *image = image read(stm);
       uint64 t end = stm bytes readed(stm);
       uint32 t width = image width(image);
       uint32 t height = image width(image);
       pixformat t format = image format(image);
       String *ssize = str printf("%d bytes", (uint32 t)(end - start));
       String *sres = NULL;
       String *sformat = NULL;
       /* Full check of read/write pixels
       We create again the same image, based on pixel info */
       if (image get codec(image) != ekGIF)
       {
           Pixbuf *pixels = image pixels(image, ekFIMAGE);
           Image *nimage = image_from_pixbuf(pixels, NULL);
           cassert(format == pixbuf_format(pixels));
           pixbuf destroy(&pixels);
           image destroy(&image);
           image = nimage;
```

```
imageview image(app->view, image);
        sres = str printf("%d x %d", width, height);
        sformat = i pixformat(format, ncolors);
        label text(app->imgname, i FILES[app->selected]);
        label text(app->imgsize, tc(ssize));
        label text(app->imgres, tc(sres));
        label text(app->imgformat, tc(sformat));
        stm close(&stm);
        image destroy(&image);
        str destroy(&ssize);
        str destroy(&sres);
        str destroy(&sformat);
    }
   str destroy(&url);
static Layout* i label(const char t *title, Label **info)
   Layout *layout = layout create(2, 1);
   Label *label = label create();
   Font *font = font system(font regular size(), ekFBOLD);
   *info = label create();
   label text(label, title);
   label font(label, font);
   layout label(layout, label, 0, 0);
   layout label(layout, *info, 1, 0);
   layout halign(layout, 1, 0, ekJUSTIFY);
   layout hmargin(layout, 0, 5);
   layout hexpand(layout, 1);
   font destroy(&font);
   return layout;
static void i add files(ListBox *listbox)
   register uint32 t i, n = sizeof(i FILES) / sizeof(char t*);
   for (i = 0; i < n; ++i)
       listbox add elem(listbox, i FILES[i], NULL);
   listbox select(listbox, 0, TRUE);
}
static void i OnSelect(App *app, Event *e)
```

```
const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   app->selected = p->index;
   i download(app);
                   _____*/
static Panel *i panel(App *app)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout1 = layout create(2, 1);
   Layout *layout2 = layout create(1, 2);
   Layout *layout3 = layout create(1, 5);
   Label *label = label create();
   ListBox *listbox = listbox create();
   ImageView *view = imageview create();
   app->view = view;
   label text(label, "Images");
   i add files(listbox);
   listbox OnSelect(listbox, listener(app, i OnSelect, App));
   imageview size(view, s2df(600, 400));
   layout label(layout2, label, 0, 0);
   layout listbox(layout2, listbox, 0, 1);
   layout imageview(layout3, view, 0, 0);
   layout layout(layout3, i label("Image name:", &app->imgname), 0, 1);
   layout layout(layout3, i label("Image size:", &app->imgsize), 0, 2);
   layout layout(layout3, i label("Image dimensions:", &app->imgres), 0, 3);
   layout layout(layout3, i label("Pixel format:", &app->imgformat), 0, 4);
   layout layout(layout1, layout2, 0, 0);
   layout layout(layout1, layout3, 1, 0);
   layout margin(layout1, 5);
   layout hmargin(layout1, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout2, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout3, 0, 5);
   layout vmargin(layout3, 1, 3);
   layout_vmargin(layout3, 2, 3);
   layout hsize(layout1, 0, 200);
   layout vexpand(layout2, 1);
   panel layout(panel, layout1);
   return panel;
}
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
{
   osapp finish();
   unref(app);
   unref(e);
```

```
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   Panel *panel = i panel(app);
    app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STD);
    app->selected = 0;
    inet start();
    i download(app);
   window panel(app->window, panel);
    window title(app->window, "Images from URL 'http://test.nappgui.com/
       → image formats'");
    window origin(app->window, v2df(500, 200));
    window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
    window show(app->window);
    return app;
static void i destroy(App **app)
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
   inet finish();
   heap delete(app, App);
}
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i create, i destroy, "", App)
```

Color table

The choice of arbitrary RGB colors for use in graphic interfaces will not always be consistent with the desktop theme of the target platform. In "Colors" (page 279) a series of "system" colors are defined and the possibility of creating alternative versions for light or dark themes. This demo shows this repertoire depending on the platform where the program runs. The **source code** is in folder /src/howto/colorview of the SDK distribution.



Figure 32.1: Color table.

Listing 32.1: demo/colorview/colorview.c

```
/* Color View */
#include <nappgui.h>

typedef struct _viewitem_t ViewItem;
typedef struct _app_t App;
```

```
struct viewitem t
{
    const char t *name;
    color t color;
};
struct app t
    Window *window;
   View *view;
   ArrSt(ViewItem) *items;
   uint32 t num cols;
   Font *font;
};
DeclSt(ViewItem);
static const real32 t i ITEM WIDTH = 64;
static const real32 t i VER MARGIN = 10;
static const real32 t i HOR MARGIN = 15;
static void i add(ArrSt(ViewItem) *items, const char t *name, const color t
   → color)
   ViewItem *item = arrst new(items, ViewItem);
   item->name = name;
   item->color = color;
}
static ArrSt(ViewItem) * i colors(void)
    ArrSt(ViewItem) *items = arrst create(ViewItem);
    i add(items, "Label", gui label color());
    i_add(items, "View", gui_view_color());
    i add(items, "Line", gui line color());
    i add(items, "Border", gui border color());
    i add(items, "Link", gui link color());
    i add(items, "Alt1", gui alt color(color rgb(192, 255, 255), color rgb(48,

→ 112, 112)));
    i add(items, "Alt2", gui alt color(color rgb(255, 192, 255), color rgb(128,

→ 48, 112)));
    i add(items, "Alt3", gui alt color(color rgb(255, 255, 192), color rgb(112,
       \hookrightarrow 112, 48)));
    i add(items, "Black", kCOLOR BLACK);
    i_add(items, "White", kCOLOR_WHITE);
    i add(items, "Red", kCOLOR RED);
    i_add(items, "Green", kCOLOR_GREEN);
    i_add(items, "Blue", kCOLOR BLUE);
```

```
i add(items, "Yellow", kCOLOR YELLOW);
   i add(items, "Cyan", kCOLOR CYAN);
   i_add(items, "Magenta", kCOLOR_MAGENTA);
    i add(items, "Silver", color rgb(192, 192, 192));
   i add(items, "Gray", color rgb(128, 128, 128));
    i add(items, "Maroon", color rgb(128, 0, 0));
   i_add(items, "Olive", color_rgb(128, 128, 0));
   i add(items, "DGreen", color rgb(0, 128, 0));
   i add(items, "Teal", color rgb(0, 128, 128));
   i add(items, "Navy", color rgb(0, 0, 128));
   i add(items, "Purple", color rgb(128, 0, 128));
   return items;
static void i draw(DCtx *ctx, real32 t x, real32 t y, real32 t width, real32 t
   → height, const ViewItem *item)
   real32 t cx1 = x + width / 2;
   real32 t cx2 = x + (width - i ITEM WIDTH) / 2;
   real32 t cy = y + height - i ITEM WIDTH;
   draw fill color(ctx, item->color);
   draw rect(ctx, ekFILL, cx2, cy, i ITEM WIDTH, i ITEM WIDTH);
   draw text color(ctx, gui label color());
   draw text(ctx, item->name, cx1, cy);
static void i OnDraw(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvDraw *p = event params(e, EvDraw);
   real32 t cwidth = (p->width - 2 * i HOR MARGIN) / app->num cols;
   real32 t cheight = i ITEM WIDTH + font height(app->font);
   draw font(p->ctx, app->font);
   draw text align (p->ctx, ekCENTER, ekBOTTOM);
   arrst foreach(item, app->items, ViewItem)
        uint32 t row = item i / app->num cols;
        uint32 t col = item i % app->num_cols;
        real32 t x = i HOR MARGIN + col * cwidth;
        real32 t y = row * cheight + (row + 1) * i VER MARGIN;
        i draw(p->ctx, x, y, cwidth, cheight, item);
   arrst end();
static void i OnSize(App *app, Event *e)
```

```
const EvSize *p = event params(e, EvSize);
   View *view = event sender(e, View);
   real32 t minwidth = i ITEM WIDTH + 2 * i HOR MARGIN;
   real32 t cwidth = 0, cheight = 0;
   cwidth = p->width;
   if (cwidth < minwidth)</pre>
    {
       cwidth = minwidth;
       app->num cols = 1;
    }
   else
    {
       uint32 t n, num rows;
       app->num cols = (uint32 t)((cwidth - i HOR MARGIN) / (i ITEM WIDTH +

→ i HOR MARGIN));
       n = arrst size(app->items, ViewItem);
       num rows = (n / app->num cols);
       if ((n % app->num cols) > 0)
           num rows += 1;
       cheight = num rows * (i ITEM WIDTH + font height(app->font) +
          → i VER MARGIN) + i VER MARGIN;
       if (cheight < p->height)
           cheight = p->height;
   }
   view content size(view, s2df(cwidth, cheight), s2df(1, 1));
   view update(view);
/*_____*/
static Panel *i panel(App *app)
   Panel *panel = panel create();
   Layout *layout = layout create(1, 1);
   View *view = view scroll();
   view size(view, s2df(300, 200));
   view OnDraw(view, listener(app, i OnDraw, App));
   view OnSize(view, listener(app, i OnSize, App));
   layout view(layout, view, 0, 0);
   panel layout(panel, layout);
   return panel;
}
static void i OnClose(App *app, Event *e)
```

```
osapp finish();
   unref(app);
   unref(e);
                     ----*/
static App *i create(void)
   App *app = heap new0(App);
   Panel *panel = i panel(app);
   app->items = i colors();
   app->font = font system(font regular size(), 0);
   app->window = window create(ekWINDOW STDRES);
   window panel(app->window, panel);
   window title(app->window, "Color View");
   window origin(app->window, v2df(500, 200));
   window size(app->window, s2df(500, 300));
   window OnClose(app->window, listener(app, i OnClose, App));
   window show(app->window);
   return app;
}
static void i destroy(App **app)
   arrst destroy(&(*app)->items, NULL, ViewItem);
   window destroy(&(*app)->window);
   font destroy((&(*app)->font));
   heap delete(app, App);
#include "osmain.h"
osmain(i create, i destroy, "", App)
```

Read/Write Json

Listing 33.1: demo/htjson/htjson.c

```
/* JSON parsing examples */
#include "res htjson.h"
#include <draw2d/draw2dall.h>
#include <inet/json.h>
/* C structs that map a Json object */
typedef struct _product_t Product;
typedef struct _products_t Products;
struct _product_t
   String *description;
   real32 t price;
};
struct _products_t
   uint32 t size;
   ArrSt(Product) *data;
};
DeclSt (Product);
/*-----*/
static Stream* i stm from json(const char t* json data)
  return stm from block((const byte t*)json data, str len c(json data));
```

```
int main(int argc, char *argv[])
    unref(argc);
   unref(arqv);
    draw2d start();
    /* Parsing a Json boolean */
        Stream *stm = i stm from json("true");
        bool_t *json = json_read(stm, NULL, bool t);
        bstd printf("bool t from Json: %d\n", *json);
        json destroy(&json, bool t);
        stm close(&stm);
    }
    /* Parsing a Json unsigned int */
        Stream *stm = i stm from json("6654");
        uint16 t *json = json read(stm, NULL, uint16 t);
        bstd printf("uint16 t from Json: %d\n", *json);
        json destroy(&json, uint16 t);
        stm close(&stm);
    }
    /* Parsing a Json signed int */
        Stream *stm = i stm from json("-567");
        int16 t *json = json read(stm, NULL, int16 t);
        bstd printf("int16 t from Json: %d\n", *json);
        json destroy(&json, int16 t);
        stm close(&stm);
    }
    /* Parsing a Json real */
        Stream *stm = i stm from json("456.45");
        real32 t *json = json read(stm, NULL, real32 t);
        bstd_printf("real32_t from Json: %.3f\n", *json);
        json destroy(&json, real32 t);
        stm close(&stm);
    }
    /* Parsing a Json string */
        Stream *stm = i stm from json("\"Hello World\"");
        String *json = json read(stm, NULL, String);
        bstd printf("String from Json: %s\n", tc(json));
        json destroy(&json, String);
        stm close(&stm);
```

```
/* Parsing a Json b64 encoded image */
   uint32 t size;
    ResPack *pack = res htjson respack("");
    const byte t *data = respack file(pack, JSON B64 IMAGE TXT, &size);
    Stream *stm = stm from block(data, size);
    Image *json = json read(stm, NULL, Image);
    uint32 t width = image width(json);
    uint32 t height = image height(json);
    bstd printf("Image from Json: width: %d height: %d\n", width, height);
    json destroy(&json, Image);
    stm close(&stm);
   respack destroy(&pack);
}
/* Parsing a Json int array */
    Stream *stm = i stm from json("[-321, 12, -8943, 228, -220, 347]");
    ArrSt(int16 t) *json = json read(stm, NULL, ArrSt(int16 t));
    bstd printf("ArrSt(int16 t) from Json: ");
    arrst foreach(id, json, int16 t)
        bstd printf("%d ", *id);
    arrst end()
    bstd printf("\n");
    json destroy(&json, ArrSt(int16 t));
    stm close(&stm);
}
/* Parsing a Json String array */
    Stream *stm = i stm from json("[ \"Red\", \"Green\", \"Blue\", \"Yellow
       → \", \"Orange\" ]");
    ArrPt(String) *json = json read(stm, NULL, ArrPt(String));
    bstd printf("ArrPt(String) from Json: ");
    arrpt foreach(str, json, String)
        bstd printf("%s ", tc(str));
    arrpt end()
    bstd printf("\n");
    json destroy(&json, ArrPt(String));
    stm close(&stm);
}
/* Data binding (only once time in application) */
/* This allows the Json parser to know the structure of the objects */
dbind(Product, String*, description);
dbind(Product, real32 t, price);
dbind(Products, uint32 t, size);
dbind(Products, ArrSt(Product)*, data);
```

```
/* Parsing a Json object */
    static const char t *JSON OBJECT = "\
        \"size\" : 3,\
        \"data\" : [\
            { \
               \"description\" : \"Intel i7-7700K\",\
               \"price\" : 329.99\
            },\
            { \
                \"price\" : 194.99\
            },\
            { \
                \"description\" : \"GTX-1060\",\
               \"price\" : 449.99\
            } \
       ]\
    }";
    Stream *stm = i_stm_from_json(JSON_OBJECT);
    Products *json = json read(stm, NULL, Products);
    bstd printf("Products object from Json: size %d\n", json->size);
    arrst foreach(elem, json->data, Product)
                       Product: %s Price %.2f\n", tc(elem->description),
        bstd printf("
           → elem->price);
    arrst end()
    bstd printf("\n");
    json destroy(&json, Products);
    stm close(&stm);
}
/* Writting data/objects to JSon */
    Stream *stm = stm memory (1024);
    /* Write boolean as Json */
    {
       bool t data bool = TRUE;
       stm writef(stm, "Json from bool t: ");
       json write(stm, &data bool, NULL, bool t);
       stm writef(stm, "\n");
    }
    /* Write unsigned integer as Json */
    {
       uint16_t data_uint = 6654;
       stm writef(stm, "Json from uint16 t: ");
        json write(stm, &data uint, NULL, uint16 t);
        stm writef(stm, "\n");
```

```
/* Write integer as Json */
    int16 t data int = -567;
    stm writef(stm, "Json from int16 t: ");
    json write(stm, &data int, NULL, int16 t);
    stm_writef(stm, "\n");
}
/* Write real32 t as Json */
   real32 t data real = 456.45f;
   stm writef(stm, "Json from real32 t: ");
   json write(stm, &data real, NULL, real32 t);
   stm writef(stm, "\n");
}
/* Write String as Json */
   String *data str = str c("Hello World");
    stm writef(stm, "Json from String: ");
   json write(stm, data str, NULL, String);
    stm_writef(stm, "\n");
    str destroy(&data str);
}
/* Write Image as Json (string b64) */
    Pixbuf *pixbuf = pixbuf create(2, 2, ekGRAY8);
   Image *data image = NULL;
   bmem set1(pixbuf data(pixbuf), 2 * 2, 128);
    data image = image from pixbuf(pixbuf, NULL);
    stm writef(stm, "Json from Image: ");
    json_write(stm, data_image, NULL, Image);
    stm writef(stm, "\n");
    pixbuf destroy(&pixbuf);
    image destroy(&data image);
}
/* Write int array as Json */
   ArrSt(int16 t) *array = arrst_create(int16_t);
   arrst append(array, -321, int16 t);
   arrst append(array, 12, int16 t);
   arrst append(array, -8943, int16 t);
   arrst_append(array, 228, int16 t);
    arrst_append(array, -220, int16_t);
    arrst append(array, 347, int16 t);
    stm writef(stm, "Json from int array: ");
    json write(stm, array, NULL, ArrSt(int16 t));
```

```
stm writef(stm, "\n");
    arrst destroy(&array, NULL, int16 t);
}
/* Write string array as Json */
   ArrPt(String) *array = arrpt create(String);
   arrpt append(array, str c("Red"), String);
   arrpt append(array, str c("Green"), String);
   arrpt append(array, str c("Blue"), String);
   arrpt append(array, str c("Yellow"), String);
   arrpt append(array, str c("Orange"), String);
   stm writef(stm, "Json from string array: ");
   json write(stm, array, NULL, ArrPt(String));
   stm writef(stm, "\n");
   arrpt destroy(&array, str destroy, String);
}
/* Write object as Json */
    Products *products = heap new(Products);
    products->size = 3;
    products->data = arrst create(Product);
        Product *product = arrst new(products->data, Product);
        product->description = str c("Intel i7-7700K");
        product->price = 329.99f;
    }
    {
        Product *product = arrst new(products->data, Product);
        product->description = str c("Ryzen-5-1600");
        product->price = 194.99f;
    }
    {
        Product *product = arrst new(products->data, Product);
        product->description = str c("GTX-1060");
        product->price = 449.99f;
    }
    stm writef(stm, "Json from object: ");
    json write(stm, products, NULL, Products);
    stm writef(stm, "\n");
   dbind destroy(&products, Products);
}
{
    String *str = stm str(stm);
    bstd printf("%s\n", tc(str));
```

```
str_destroy(&str);
}

stm_close(&stm);
}

draw2d_finish();
return 0;
}
```

Program output.

```
bool t from Json: 1
uint16 t from Json: 6654
int16 t from Json: -567
real32 t from Json: 456.450
String from Json: Hello World
Image from Json: width: 269 height: 400
ArrSt(int16 t) from Json: -321 12 -8943 228 -220 347
ArrPt(String) from Json: Red Green Blue Yellow Orange
Products object from Json: size 3
    Product: Intel i7-7700K Price 329.99
    Product: Ryzen-5-1600 Price 194.99
    Product: GTX-1060 Price 449.99
Json from bool t: true
Json from uint16 t: 6654
Json from int16 t: -567
Json from real32 t: 456.450012
Json from String: "Hello World"
Json from Image: "iVBORwOKGgoAAAANSUhEUgAAAAI..."
Json from int array: [ -321, 12, -8943, 228, -220, 347 ]
Json from string array: [ "Red", "Green", "Blue", "Yellow", "Orange" ]
Json from object: {"size" : 3, "data" : [ {"description" : "Intel i7-7700K", "
   → price" : 329.989990 }, {"description" : "Ryzen-5-1600", "price" :
   → 194.990005 }, {"description": "GTX-1060", "price": 449.989990 } ] }
```

Alternative to STL

The C++ Standard Template Library provides generic containers and algorithms as part of the language. The problem is that they cannot be used from "pure" C code, so NAppGUI provides an implementation of Arrays and Set at least as efficient as those of STL.

Result in i7-4970k Win10 x64

```
NAppGUI Containers vs STL.

- Created 2000000 elements of 328 bytes

- Starting...

- Add to ArrSt(Product) and sort: 2.160294

- Add to vector<Product> and sort: 2.499203

- Add to ArrPt(Product) and sort: 0.697777

- Add to vector<Product*> and sort: 0.541828

- Add to SetSt(Product): 2.386245

- Add to set<Product>: 2.533197

- Add to SetPt(Product): 2.861091

- Add to set<Product*>: 2.919082
```

Listing 34.1: demo/stlcmp/stlcmp.cpp

```
/* NAppGUI containers VS STL */
#include <core/coreall.h>
#include <core/arrst.hpp>
#include <core/arrpt.hpp>
#include <core/setst.hpp>
#include <core/setpt.hpp>
#include <sewer/nowarn.hxx>
#include <vector>
#include <set>
#include <algorithm>
#include <algorithm>
#include <sewer/warn.hxx>
using namespace std;
```

```
664
```

```
struct Product
  uint32 t id;
   char t code[64];
   char t description[256];
   real32 t price;
};
DeclSt (Product);
DeclPt (Product);
/*-----/
static void i init(Product *product, uint32 t id, real32 t price)
   cassert no null (product);
   product->id = id;
   bstd sprintf(product->code, 64, "Code-[%d]", id);
   bstd sprintf(product->description, 256, "Description-[%d]", id);
   product->price = price;
/*-----/
static Product *i create(uint32 t id, real32 t price)
   Product *product = heap new(Product);
  i init(product, id, price);
  return product;
}
/*-----*/
static int i compare(const Product *p1, const Product *p2)
  return (int)p1->id - (int)p2->id;
/*-----*/
struct i stl compare
   inline bool operator() (const Product &lhs, const Product &rhs) const
   { return lhs.id < rhs.id; }
   inline bool operator()(const Product* lhs, const Product* rhs) const
   { return lhs->id < rhs->id; }
};
```

```
// All stl destructors should be called before 'core finish',
// because this function makes a Debug memory dump.
static void i core finish(void)
   core finish();
}
                    _____*/
int main(int argc, char *argv[])
   bool t err;
   uint32 t n;
   uint32 t *ids;
   Product *products;
   Product **pproducts;
   ArrSt(Product) *arrst;
   ArrPt(Product) *arrpt;
   SetSt(Product) *setst;
   SetPt(Product) *setpt;
   vector<Product> stl arrst;
   vector<Product*> stl arrpt;
   set<Product,i stl compare> stl setst;
   set<Product*,i stl compare> stl setpt;
   Clock *clock;
   real64 t t;
   core start();
   atexit(i core finish);
   if (argc == 2)
       n = str to u32(argv[1], 10, &err);
       if (err == TRUE)
           log printf("Use: stlcmp [size].");
           return 0;
       }
   }
   else
      n = 2000000;
    }
   bstd printf("NAppGUI Containers vs STL.\n");
   // Create the elements. This time is out of the test
    // The elements will be shuffled randomly
   ids = heap new n(n, uint32 t);
```

```
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
   ids[i] = i;
bmath rand seed (526);
bmem shuffle n(ids, n, uint32 t);
products = heap new n(n, Product);
pproducts = heap new n(n, Product*);
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
    i init(&products[i], ids[i], 100.f + i);
   pproducts[i] = i create(ids[i], 100.f + i);
}
arrst = arrst create(Product);
arrpt = arrpt create(Product);
setst = setst create(i compare, Product);
setpt = setpt create(i compare, Product);
clock = clock create(0.);
bstd printf("- Created %d elements of %lu bytes\n", n, sizeof(Product));
bstd printf("- Starting...\n");
// NAppGUI struct array
clock reset(clock);
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
{
    Product *p = arrst new(arrst, Product);
   *p = products[i];
}
arrst sort(arrst, i compare, Product);
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Add to ArrSt(Product) and sort: %.6f\n", t);
// STL struct array
clock reset(clock);
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
    stl arrst.push back(products[i]);
sort(stl arrst.begin(), stl arrst.end(), i stl compare());
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Add to vector<Product> and sort: %.6f\n", t);
// NAppGUI pointer array
clock reset(clock);
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
   arrpt append(arrpt, pproducts[i], Product);
arrpt sort(arrpt, i compare, Product);
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Add to ArrPt(Product) and sort: %.6f\n", t);
// STL pointer array
clock reset(clock);
```

```
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
    stl arrpt.push back(pproducts[i]);
sort(stl arrpt.begin(), stl arrpt.end(), i stl compare());
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Add to vector<Product*> and sort: %.6f\n", t);
// NAppGUI struct set
clock reset(clock);
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
{
    // TODO: review 'setst insert'. The copy makes the insertion slower
    Product *product = setst insert(setst, &products[i], Product);
    *product = products[i];
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Add to SetSt(Product): %.6f\n", t);
// STL struct set
clock reset(clock);
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
    stl setst.insert(products[i]);
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Add to set<Product>: %.6f\n", t);
// NAppGUI pointer set
clock reset(clock);
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
    setpt insert(setpt, pproducts[i], Product);
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Add to SetPt(Product): %.6f\n", t);
// STL pointer set
clock reset(clock);
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
    stl setpt.insert(pproducts[i]);
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd_printf("- Add to set<Product*>: %.6f\n", t);
// Verify the sorting correctness
clock reset(clock);
arrst foreach(product, arrst, Product)
    if (product->id != product i)
        bstd printf("- Sorting error!!!!!\n");
arrst end();
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Loop ArrSt(Product): %.6f\n", t);
clock reset(clock);
for (size t i = 0; i < stl arrst.size(); ++i)</pre>
{
    if (i != stl arrst[i].id)
```

```
bstd printf("- Sorting error!!!!!\n");
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Loop vector<Product>: %.6f\n", t);
clock reset(clock);
arrpt foreach(product, arrpt, Product)
    if (product->id != product i)
        bstd printf("- Sorting error!!!!!\n");
arrpt end();
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Loop ArrPt(Product): %.6f\n", t);
clock reset(clock);
for (size t i = 0; i < stl arrpt.size(); ++i)</pre>
    if (i != stl arrpt[i]->id)
        bstd printf("- Sorting error!!!!!\n");
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Loop vector<Product*>: %.6f\n", t);
clock reset(clock);
setst foreach(product, setst, Product)
    if (product->id != product i)
        bstd printf("- Sorting error!!!!!\n");
setst fornext(product, setst, Product);
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Loop SetSt<Product>: %.6f\n", t);
uint32 t ic = 0;
clock reset(clock);
for (set<Product,i stl compare>::iterator i = stl setst.begin(); i !=
   \hookrightarrow stl setst.end(); ++i)
    if (i->id != ic++)
       bstd_printf("- Sorting error!!!!!\n");
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Loop set<Product>: %.6f\n", t);
clock reset(clock);
setpt_foreach(product, setpt, Product)
    if (product->id != product i)
        bstd printf("- Sorting error!!!!!\n");
setpt fornext(product, setpt, Product);
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Loop SetPt<Product>: %.6f\n", t);
ic = 0;
clock reset(clock);
```

```
for (set<Product*,i stl compare>::iterator i = stl setpt.begin(); i !=
   → stl setpt.end(); ++i)
    if ((*i)->id != ic++)
        bstd printf("- Sorting error!!!!!\n");
t = clock elapsed(clock);
bstd printf("- Loop set<Product*>: %.6f\n", t);
clock destroy(&clock);
arrst destroy(&arrst, NULL, Product);
arrpt destroy(&arrpt, NULL, Product);
setst destroy(&setst, NULL, Product);
setpt destroy(&setpt, NULL, Product);
for (uint32 t i = 0; i < n; ++i)
    heap delete(&pproducts[i], Product);
heap delete n(&products, n, Product);
heap delete n(&pproducts, n, Product*);
heap delete n(&ids, n, uint32 t);
return 0;
```

Part 4 Library reference

Sewer library

35.1. Types and Constants

int8_t

8-bit signed integer. It can represent a value between INT8 MIN and INT8 MAX.

int16_t

16-bit signed integer. It can represent a value between INT16 MIN and INT16 MAX.

int32_t

32-bit signed integer. It can represent a value between INT32 MIN and INT32 MAX.

int64_t

64-bit signed integer. It can represent a value between ${\tt INT64_MIN}$ and ${\tt INT64_MAX}.$

uint8_t

8-bit unsigned integer. It can represent a value between 0 and ${\tt UINT8_MAX}.$

uint16_t

16-bit unsigned integer. It can represent a value between 0 and ${\tt UINT16_MAX}$.

uint32_t

32-bit unsigned integer. It can represent a value between 0 and ${\tt UINT32_MAX}$.

uint64 t

64-bit unsigned integer. It can represent a value between 0 and UINT64 MAX.

char_t

8-bit character type (Unicode). A single character may need 1, 2, 3 or 4 elements (bytes), depending on "UTF encodings" (page 159).

byte_t

8-bit type to store generic memory blocks.

bool t

8-bit boolean. Only two values are allowed TRUE (1) and FALSE (0).

real

32 or 64-bit floating point number.

real32_t

32-bit floating point number. The C float type.

real64_t

64-bit floating point number. The C double type.

TRUE

True.

```
const bool_t TRUE = 1;
```

FALSE

False.

```
const bool_t FALSE = 0;
```

NULL

Null pointer.

```
const void* NULL = 0;
```

INT8 MIN

-128.

```
const int8 t INT8 MIN = 0x80;
```

INT8_MAX

127.

```
const int8 t INT8 MAX = 0x7F;
```

INT16_MIN

-32.768.

```
const int16_t INT16_MIN = 0x8000;
```

INT16 MAX

32.767.

```
const int16 t INT16 MAX = 0x7FFF;
```

INT32_{MIN}

-2.147.483.648.

```
const int32_t INT32_MIN = 0x80000000;
```

INT32 MAX

2.147.483.647.

```
const int32 t INT32 MAX = 0x7FFFFFFF;
```

INT64_MIN

-9.223.372.036.854.775.808.

```
const int64_t INT64_MIN = 0x800000000000000;
```

INT64_MAX

9.223.372.036.854.775.807.

```
const int64_t INT64_MAX = 0x7FFFFFFFFFF;
```

UINT8_MAX

255.

```
const uint8_t UINT8_MAX = 0xff;
```

UINT16_MAX

65.535.

```
const uint16_t UINT16_MAX = 0xFFFF;
```

UINT32 MAX

4.294.967.295.

```
const uint32_t UINT32_MAX = 0xffffffff;
```

UINT64_MAX

18.446.744.073.709.551.615.

```
const uint64_t UINT64_MAX = 0xFFFFFFFFFFF;
```

kΕ

Euler's number.

```
const real32_t kBMATH_Ef = 2.718281828459045f;
const real64_t kBMATH_Ed = 2.718281828459045;
const real BMath::kE;
```

kLN₂

The natural logarithm of 2.

```
const real32_t kBMATH_LN2f = 0.6931471805599453f;
const real64_t kBMATH_LN2d = 0.6931471805599453;
const real BMath::kLN2;
```

kLN10

The natural logarithm of 10.

```
const real32 t kBMATH LN10f = 2.302585092994046f;
const real64 t kBMATH LN10d = 2.302585092994046;
const real BMath::kLN10;
```

kPI

The number Pi

```
const real32 t kBMATH PIf = 3.141592653589793f;
const real64 t kBMATH PId = 3.141592653589793;
const real BMath::kPI;
```

kSQRT2

Square root of 2.

```
const real32 t kBMATH SQRT2f = 1.414213562373095f;
const real64 t kBMATH SQRT2d = 1.414213562373095;
const real BMath::kSQRT2;
```

kSQRT3

Square root of 3.

```
const real32 t kBMATH SQRT3f = 1.732050807568878f;
const real64 t kBMATH SQRT3d = 1.732050807568878;
const real BMath::kSQRT3;
```

kDFG2RAD

Conversion from one degree to radians.

```
const real32 t kBMATH DEG2RADf = 0.017453292519943f;
const real64 t kBMATH DEG2RADd = 0.017453292519943;
const real BMath::kDEG2RAD;
```

kRAD2DEG

Conversion of a radian to degrees.

```
const real32 t kBMATH RAD2DEGf = 57.2957795130823f;
const real64 t kBMATH RAD2DEGd = 57.2957795130823;
const real BMath::kRAD2DEG;
```

kINFINITY

Infinite, represented by a very large value.

```
const real32_t kBMATH_INFINITYf = ∞f;
const real64_t kBMATH_INFINITYd = ∞;
const real BMath::kINFINITY;
```

enum unicode_t

Represents the "UTF encodings" (page 159).

```
ekUTF8 UTF8 encoding.
ekUTF16 UTF16 encoding.
ekUTF32 UTF32 encoding.
```

struct REnv

"Random numbers" (page 162) environment.

```
struct REnv;
```

35.2. Functions

FPtr_destroy

Destructor function prototype.

```
void
(*FPtr_destroy) (type **item);
```

item Double pointer to the object to destroy. It must be assigned to NULL after the destruction to invalidate its use.

FPtr_copy

Copy constructor function prototype.

```
type*
(*FPtr_copy) (const type *item);
```

item Pointer to the object to be copied.

Return:

The new object that is an exact copy of the input.

FPtr scopy

Unallocated memory copy constructor prototype.

```
void
(*FPtr scopy) (type *dest,
              const type *src);
```

Destination object (copy). dest

Pointer to the object to be copied (source).

Remarks:

In this copy operation, the memory required by the object has already been allocated. We must create dynamic memory for the fields of the object that require it, but not for the object itself. Usually used to copy arrays of objects (not pointers to objects).

FPtr_compare

Comparison function prototype.

```
int
(*FPtr compare) (const type *item1,
                const type *item2);
```

item1 First item to compare.

item2 Second item to compare.

Return:

Comparison result.

FPtr compare ex

Similar to FPtr compare, but receive an additional parameter that may influence the comparison.

```
int
(*FPtr compare ex) (const type *item1,
                   const type *item2,
                    const dtype *data);
```

item1First item to compare.

item2 Second item to compare.

data Additional parameter.

Return:

Comparison result.

FPtr assert

Callback function prototype called when an assert occurs.

```
item User data passed as the first parameter.
```

```
group 0 = \text{Fatal error}, 1 = \text{Execution can continue}.
```

caption Title.

detail Detailed message.

file Source file where the assert occurred.

line Line inside the source file.

unref

Mark the parameter as non-referenced, disabling the compiler's warnings.

```
void
unref(param);
```

```
static void i_OnClick(App *app, Event *e)
{
   unref(e);
   app_click_action(app);
}
```

param Parameter.

cassert

Basic assert sentence. If the condition is evaluated at <code>FALSE</code> , a "continuable" assert will be launched. The message shown will be the literal of the condition itself.

```
void
cassert(bool_t cond);
```

cond Boolean expression.

cassert_msg

Same as the cassert() sentence, but using a custom message, instead of the literal condition.

```
// "'row' out of range"
// will be shown in the assert window
cassert_msg(layout < layout->num_rows, "'row' out of range");
```

cond Boolean expression.

msg Message related to the assert.

cassert fatal

Same as the cassert () sentence, but throwing a critical assert (not "continuable").

```
void
cassert_fatal(bool_t cond);
```

```
// "gravity > 0."
// will be shown in the assert window
cassert_fatal(gravity > 0.);
```

cond Boolean expression.

cassert_fatal_msg

Same as the cassert_msg() sentence, but throwing a critical assert (not "continuable").

```
// "'gravity' can't be negative."
// will be shown in the assert window
cassert_fatal_msg(gravity > 0., "'gravity' can't be negative");
```

```
cond Boolean expression.
```

msg Message related to the assert.

cassert no null

Triggers a critical assert if a pointer has NULL value.

```
void
cassert_no_null(void *ptr);
```

ptr Pointer to evaluate.

cassert_no_nullf

Triggers a critical assert if a function pointer has NULL value.

```
void
cassert_no_nullf(void *fptr);
```

fptr Pointer to evaluate.

cassert default

Triggers a "continuable" assert if the **switch** statement reaches the default: state. Useful to ensure that, for example, all the values of an enum have been considered.

```
void
cassert_default(void);
```

```
switch(align) {
case LEFT:
    // Do something
    break;
case RIGHT:
    // Do something
    break;
// Others are not allowed.
cassert_default();
}
```

cassert_set_func

Set a custom function to execute an alternative code when an assert occurs. By default, in desktop applications, an informative window is displayed (Figure 13.4) and the message is saved in a "Log" (page 186) file.

```
void
cassert set func (void *data,
                  FPtr assert func assert);
```

User data or application context.

func assert Callback function called after the activation of an assert.

Remarks:

When using this function, the previous asserts management will be deactivated.

ptr_get

Access to the content of the pointer (dereference), verifying previously that it is not NULL.

```
void
ptr get(type *ptr,
        type);
```

```
void compute(const V2Df *v1, const V2Df *v2)
    /* Safer than t = *v1; */
    V2Df t = ptr get(v1, V2Df);
}
```

Pointer. ptr

type Pointer type.

ptr_dget

Access the content of a double pointer, invalidating it later.

```
void
ptr dget(type **ptr,
         type);
```

```
Ctrl *create(Model **model, View **view)
    Ctrl *ctrl = heap new(Ctrl);
    ctrl->model = ptr dget(model, Model);
    ctrl->view = ptr dget(view, View);
    // *model = NULL
    // *view = NULL
    return ctrl;
}
```

```
ptr Double pointer.type Pointer type.
```

ptr_dget_no_null

Like ptr dget, but the content of the double pointer (*dptr) can not be NULL.

```
Ctrl *create(Model **model, View **view)
{
    // *model and *view can't be NULL
    Ctrl *ctrl = heap_new(Ctrl);
    ctrl->model = ptr_dget_no_null(model, Model);
    ctrl->view = ptr_dget_no_null(view, View);
    return ctrl;
}
```

ptr Double pointer.

type Pointer type.

ptr_assign

Assign content from one pointer to another, if the destination is not NULL.

dest Destination pointer.

src Source pointer.

ptr_destopt

Destroy an object if not NULL.

```
cassert_no_null(dptr);
if (*dptr != NULL)
{
```

```
func destroy(*dptr);
*dptr = NULL;
```

func_destroy Destructor.

Double pointer to the object to destroy.

type Object type.

ptr_copyopt

Copy the object if not NULL.

```
void
ptr_copyopt(FPtr_copy func_copy,
            type ptr,
            type);
```

```
if (ptr != NULL)
    return func copy(ptr);
else
    return NULL;
```

```
func_copy
           Copy constructor.
```

Object to copy (source).

type Object type.

unicode_convers

Converts a Unicode string from one encoding to another.

```
uint32 t
unicode convers(const char_t *from_str,
                char t *to str,
                const unicode t from,
                const unicode t to,
                const uint32 t osize);
```

```
const char32 t str[] = U"Hello World";
char t utf8 str[256];
unicode_convers((const char_t*)str, utf8_str, ekUTF32, ekUTF8, 256);
```

```
from_str Source string (terminated in null character '\0').

to_str Destination buffer.

from Source string encoding.

to Coding required in to_str.

osize Size of the output buffer. Maximum number of bytes that will be written in to_str, including the null character ('\0'). If the original string can not be copied entirety, it will be cutted and the null character added.
```

Return:

Number of bytes written in to str (including the null character).

unicode convers n

Like unicode convers, but indicating a maximum size for the input string.

```
from_str Source string.

to_str Destination buffer.

from Source string encoding.

to Coding required in to_str.

isize Size of the input string (in bytes).

osize Size of the output buffer.
```

Return:

Number of bytes written in to_str (including the null character).

unicode_convers_nbytes

Gets the number of bytes needed to convert a Unicode string from one encoding to another. It will be useful to calculate the space needed in dynamic memory allocation.

```
const char32 t str[] = U"Hello World";
uint32 t size = unicode convers nbytes((char t*)str, ekUTF32, ekUTF8);
/ * size == 12 * /
```

Origin string (null-terminated). str

from Encoding of str.

Required encoding. to

Return:

Number of bytes required (including the null character).

unicode_nbytes

Gets the size (in bytes) of a Unicode string.

```
uint32 t
unicode nbytes (const char t *str,
               const unicode t format);
```

Unicode string (null-terminated $'\0'$). str

format Encoding of str.

Return:

The size in bytes (including the null character).

unicode nchars

Gets the length (in characters) of a Unicode string.

```
uint32 t
unicode nchars (const char t *str,
               const unicode t format);
```

strUnicode string (null-terminated $'\0'$).

format Encoding of str.

Return:

The number of characters ($' \setminus 0'$ not included).

Remarks:

In ASCII strings, the number of bytes is equal to the number of characters. In Unicode it depends on the coding and the string.

unicode to u32

Gets the value of the first *codepoint* of the Unicode string.

```
char_t str[] = "áéíóúÄÑ£";
uint32_t cp = unicode_to_u32(str, ekUTF8);
/* cp == 'á' == 225 == U+E1 */
```

str Unicode string (null-terminated 1 0).

format Encoding of str.

Return:

The code of the first str character.

unicode to u32b

Like unicode_to_u32 but with an additional field to store the number of bytes occupied by the codepoint.

str Unicode string (null-terminated '\0').

format Encoding of str.

bytes Saves the number of bytes needed to represent the codepoint by format.

Return:

The code of the first str character.

unicode_to_char

Write the codepoint at the beginning of str, using the format encoding.

codepoint Character code.

str Destination string.

format Encoding for codepoint.

Return:

The number of bytes written (1, 2, 3 or 4).

Remarks:

To write several codepoints, combine unicode to char with unicode next.

unicode_valid_str

Check if a string is a valid Unicode.

str String to be checked (ending in $'\0'$).

format Expected Unicode encoding.

Return:

TRUE if it is valid.

unicode valid str n

Like unicode valid str, but indicating a maximum size for the input string.

str String to be checked (ending in $\$ '\0').

size Maximum size of the string (in bytes).

format Expected Unicode encoding.

Return:

TRUE if it is valid.

unicode valid

Check if a *codepoint* is valid.

```
bool_t
unicode_valid(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode code of the character.

Return:

TRUE if the parameter is a valid codepoint. False otherwise.

unicode_next

Advance to the next character in a Unicode string. In general, random access is not possible as we do in ANSI-C (str[i ++]). We must iterate a string from the beginning. More in "UTF encodings" (page 159).

str Unicode string.

format str encoding.

Return:

Pointer to the next character in the string.

Remarks:

It does not verify the end of the string. We must stop the iteration when codepoint == 0.

unicode_back

Go back to the previous character of a Unicode string.

```
str Unicode string.
```

format str encoding.

Return:

Pointer to the previous character of the string.

Remarks:

It does not verify the beginning of the string.

unicode_isascii

Check if codepoint is a US-ASCII 7 character.

```
bool_t
unicode_isascii(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

unicode_isalnum

Check if codepoint is an alphanumeric character.

```
bool_t
unicode_isalnum(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_isalpha

Check if codepoint is an alphabetic character.

```
bool_t
unicode_isalpha(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode iscntrl

Check if codepoint is a control character.

```
bool_t
unicode_iscntrl(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_isdigit

Check if codepoint is digit (0-9).

```
bool_t
unicode_isdigit(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_isgraph

Check if codepoint is a printable character (except white space '').

```
bool_t
unicode_isgraph(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_isprint

Check if codepoint is a printable character (including white space '').

```
bool_t
unicode_isprint(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_ispunct

Check if codepoint is a printable character (expect white space ',' and alphanumeric).

```
bool_t
unicode_ispunct(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_isspace

Check if codepoint is a spacing character, new line, carriage return, horizontal or vertical tab.

```
bool_t
unicode_isspace(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_isxdigit

Check if codepoint is a hexadecimal digit 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 a b c d e f A B C D E F.

```
bool_t
unicode_isxdigit(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_islower

Check if codepoint is a lowercase letter.

```
bool_t
unicode_islower(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_isupper

Check if codepoint is a capital letter.

```
bool_t
unicode_isupper(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

Test result.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_tolower

Convert a letter to lowercase.

```
uint32_t
unicode_tolower(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

The conversion to lowercase if the entry is a capital letter. Otherwise, the same codepoint.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

unicode_toupper

Convert a letter to uppercase.

```
uint32_t
unicode_toupper(const uint32_t codepoint);
```

codepoint The Unicode character code.

Return:

The conversion to upper case if the entry is a lowercase letter. Otherwise, the same codepoint.

Remarks:

Only consider US-ASCII characters.

bmath_cos

Get the cosine of an angle.

```
real32_t
bmath_cosf(const real32_t angle);
real64_t
bmath_cosd(const real64_t angle);
real
BMath::cos(const real angle);
```

angle Angle in radians.

Return:

The cosine of the angle.

bmath sin

Get the sine of an angle.

```
real32_t
bmath_sinf(const real32_t angle);

real64_t
bmath_sind(const real64_t angle);

real
BMath::sin(const real angle);
```

angle Angle in radians.

Return:

The sine of the angle.

bmath_tan

Get the tangent of an angle.

angle Angle in radians.

Return:

The angle tangent.

bmath acos

Get the cosine arc, or inverse cosine, which is the angle whose cosine is the value.

```
real32_t
bmath_acosf(const real32_t cos);

real64_t
bmath_acosd(const real64_t cos);

real
BMath::acos(const real cos);
```

 \cos Cosine (-1, 1).

Return:

The angle (0, Pi).

bmath_asin

Get the sine arc, or inverse sine, which is the angle whose sine is the value.

```
real32_t
bmath_asinf(const real32_t sin);
real64_t
bmath_asind(const real64_t sin);
real
BMath::asin(const real sin);
```

```
\sin Sine (-1, 1).
```

Return:

The angle (0, Pi).

bmath_atan2

Get the tangent arc, or inverse tangent. Es is the angle measured from the X axis to the line containing the origin (0, 0) and the point with the coordinates (x, y).

- y Y coordinate.
- x Coordinate X.

Return:

The angle (-Pi, Pi).

bmath_norm_angle

Normalizes an angle, that is, it returns the same angle expressed in the range (-Pi, Pi).

```
real32_t
bmath_norm_anglef(const real32_t a);
real64_t
bmath_norm_angled(const real64_t a);
real
BMath::norm_angle(const real a);
```

a The angle in radians.

Return:

The angle (-Pi, Pi).

bmath sqrt

Get the square root of a number.

```
real32 t
bmath sqrtf(const real32 t value);
real64 t
bmath sqrtd(const real64 t value);
BMath::sqrt(const real value);
```

value The number.

Return:

The square root.

bmath_isqrt

Get the inverse square root of a number (1/sqrt).

```
real32 t
bmath isqrtf(const real32 t value);
real64 t
bmath isqrtd(const real64 t value);
BMath::isqrt(const real value);
```

value The number.

Return:

The inverse square root.

bmath_log

Get the natural logarithm (base e) of a number.

```
real32 t
bmath logf(const real32 t value);
real64 t
bmath logd(const real64 t value);
real
BMath::log(const real value);
```

value The number.

Return:

The logarithm.

bmath_log10

Get the logarithm in base 10 of a number.

```
real32_t
bmath_log10f(const real32_t value);

real64_t
bmath_log10d(const real64_t value);

real
BMath::log10(const real value);
```

value The number.

Return:

The logarithm.

bmath_exp

Get the number of Euler e (2.7182818) raised to a power.

```
real32_t
bmath_expf(const real32_t value);

real64_t
bmath_expd(const real64_t value);

real
BMath::exp(const real value);
```

value The exponent.

Return:

The exponential.

bmath_pow

Calculate a power, base raised to exponent.

```
real32_t
bmath_powf(const real32_t base,
```

```
const real32 t exponent);
real64 t
bmath_powd(const real64 t base,
           const real64 t exponent);
real
BMath::pow(const real base,
           const real exponent);
```

Base. base

exponent Exponent.

Return:

The result of the power.

bmath_abs

Get the absolute value of a number.

```
real32 t
bmath absf(const real32 t value);
real64 t
bmath absd(const real64 t value);
real
BMath::abs(const real value);
```

The number. value

Return:

The absolute value.

bmath max

Get the maximum of two values.

```
real32 t
bmath_maxf(const real32_t value1,
           const real32_t value2);
real64 t
bmath maxd(const real64 t value1,
           const real64 t value2);
real
BMath::max(const real value1,
```

```
const real value2);
```

value1 First number.

value2 Second number.

Return:

The maximum value.

bmath_min

Get the minimum of two values.

value1 First number.

value2 Second number.

Return:

The minimum value.

bmath_clamp

Restrict a value to a certain range.

```
const real max);
```

value The number.

Minimum value of the range. min

Maximum value of the range. max

Return:

The limited value.

bmath mod

Get the module of divide num/den.

```
real32 t
bmath modf(const real32 t num,
           const real32 t den);
real64 t
bmath modd(const real64 t num,
           const real64 t den);
real
BMath::mod(const real num,
           const real den);
```

num Numerator.

den Denominator.

Return:

The module.

bmath modf

Get the integer and fraction part of a real number.

```
real32 t
bmath modff(const real32_t value,
            real32 t *intpart);
real64 t
bmath modfd(const real64 t value,
            real64 t *intpart);
real
BMath::modf(const real value,
            real *intpart);
```

```
value The number.<br/>intpart Get the integer part.
```

Return:

The fractional part [0,1).

bmath_prec

Get the number of decimals (precision) of a real number.

```
uint32_t
bmath_precf(const real32_t value);
uint32_t
bmath_precd(const real64_t value);
uint32_t
BMath::prec(const real value);
```

value The number.

Return:

The number of decimal places.

bmath_round

Rounds a number to the nearest integer (above or below).

```
real32_t
bmath_roundf(const real32_t value);
real64_t
bmath_roundd(const real64_t value);
real
BMath::round(const real value);
```

value The number.

Return:

The nearest whole.

bmath_round_step

Round a number to the nearest fraction.

```
real32 t
bmath round stepf(const real32 t value,
                 const real32 t step);
real64 t
bmath round stepd(const real64 t value,
                  const real64 t step);
real
BMath::round step(const real value,
                 const real step);
```

The number. value

Return:

The nearest number.

bmath_floor

step

Rounds a number to the integer below.

The fraction.

```
real32 t
bmath floorf(const real32 t value);
real64 t
bmath floord(const real64 t value);
BMath::floor(const real value);
```

value The number.

Return:

The largest integer number, less than or equal to the number.

bmath_ceil

Round a number to the integer above.

```
real32 t
bmath ceilf(const real32 t value);
real64 t
bmath ceild(const real64 t value);
real
```

```
BMath::ceil(const real value);
```

value The number.

Return:

The smallest integer number, greater than or equal to the number.

bmath rand seed

Establish a new seed of random numbers.

```
void
bmath_rand_seed(const uint32_t seed);
```

seed The new seed.

Remarks:

Each time the seed changes, a new sequence of random numbers begins. For the same seed, we will get the same sequence, so they are pseudo-random numbers. Similar seeds (eg. 4, 5) produce radically different sequences. Use bmath_rand_env in multi-threaded applications.

bmath_rand

Gets a random real number, within an interval.

from The lower limit of the interval.

to The upper limit of the interval.

Return:

The random number.

bmath randi

Gets a random number, within an interval.

```
uint32 t
bmath randi(const uint32 t from,
            const uint32 t to);
```

The lower limit of the interval. from

The upper limit of the interval.

Return:

The random number.

bmath_rand_env

Create thread-safe environment for random numbers.

```
REnv*
bmath rand env(const uint32 t seed);
```

The seed. seed

Return:

The environment.

bmath_rand_destroy

Destroy an environment of random numbers.

```
void
bmath rand destroy(REnv **env);
```

The environment. Will be set to NULL after destruction. env

bmath rand mt

Gets a random real number, within an interval.

```
real32 t
bmath rand mtf(REnv *env,
               const real32 t from,
               const real32 t to);
real64 t
bmath rand mtd(REnv *env,
               const real64 t from,
```

env The random number environment.

from The lower limit of the interval.

to The upper limit of the interval.

Return:

The random number.

bmath rand mti

Gets a random number, within an interval.

eny The random number environment.

from The lower limit of the interval.

to The upper limit of the interval.

Return:

The random number.

blib strlen

Returns the length in bytes of a text string.

```
uint32_t
blib_strlen(const char_t *str);
```

str String terminated with null character '\0'.

Return:

String length not including the null character.

Remarks:

See "Unicode" (page 157), the number of bytes is not equivalent to the number of characters.

blib strstr

Find a substring within a longer string.

```
const char t*
blib strstr(const char t *str,
            const char t *substr);
```

String terminated with null character '\0'.

substr Substring to search ending in null character '\0'.

Return:

Pointer to the start of the first substring found or NULL if none exists.

blib strcpy

Copy the content of one string to another.

```
void
blib strcpy(char t *dest,
            const uint32 t size,
            const char t *src);
```

dest Destiny buffer.

size Destination buffer size in bytes.

String to copy ending in null character $'\0'$. src

Remarks:

Only the first size-1 bytes will be copied, in case src is longer than the capacity of dest.

blib_strncpy

Copy the first n bytes of one string to another.

```
void
blib strncpy(const char t *dest,
             const uint32 t size,
             const char t *src,
             const uint32 t n);
```

```
dest Destiny buffer.
```

size Destination buffer size in bytes.

src String to copy ending in null character '\0'.

n Number of bytes to copy.

Remarks:

Only the first size-1 bytes will be copied, in case n is greater than size.

blib strcat

Concatenation of strings.

dest Source and destination buffer.

size Destination buffer size in bytes.

src String to add to dest, terminated with null character '\0'.

Remarks:

The size-1 bytes in dest will not be exceeded, so the concatenation will be truncated if necessary.

blib_strcmp

Compare two strings.

str1 First string to compare, terminated with null character '\0'.

str2 Second string to compare, terminated with null character '\0'.

Return:

Comparison Result.

blib_strncmp

Compare the first n bytes of two strings.

```
int
blib strncmp(const char t *str1,
             const char t *str2,
             const uint32 t n);
```

- str1First string to compare, terminated with null character '\0'.
- str2Second string to compare, terminated with null character '\0'.
 - Maximum number of bytes to compare.

Return:

Comparison Result.

blib strtol

Convert a text string to an integer.

```
int64 t
blib strtol(const char t *str,
            char t **endptr,
            uint32 t base,
            bool t *err);
```

- String starting with an integer. str
- Pointer whose value will be the first character after the number. Can endptr be NULL.
 - base Number base: 2, 8, 10, 16.
 - Value TRUE is assigned if there is an error in the parsing of the string. err Can be NULL.

Return:

String parsing result number.

blib_strtoul

Convert a text string to an unsigned integer.

```
uint64 t
blib_strtoul(const char_t *str,
             char t **endptr,
             uint32 t base,
             bool t *err);
```

str String starting with an integer.

endptr Pointer whose value will be the first character after the number. Can be NULL.

base Number base: 2, 8, 10, 16.

err Value TRUE is assigned if there is an error in the parsing of the string. Can be NULL.

Return:

String parsing result number.

blib strtof

Convert a text string to a 32-bit real number.

str String starting with an real number.

endptr Pointer whose value will be the first character after the number. Can be NULL.

Value TRUE is assigned if there is an error in the parsing of the string. Can be NULL.

Return:

String parsing result number.

blib_strtod

Convert a text string to a 32-bit real number.

str String starting with an real number.

endptr Pointer whose value will be the first character after the number. Can be ${\tt NULL}.$

err Value TRUE is assigned if there is an error in the parsing of the string. Can be NULL.

Return:

String parsing result number.

blib_qsort

Sorts a vector of elements using the *QuickSort* algorithm.

```
void
blib qsort(byte t *array,
           const uint32 t nelems,
           const uint32 t size,
           FPtr compare func compare);
```

```
array
         Vector of elements.
nelems
         Number of elements.
         Size of each element.
   size
```

func compare Comparison function.

blib gsort ex

Sorts a vector of elements using the *QuickSort* algorithm.

```
void
blib qsort ex(byte t *array,
              const uint32 t nelems,
              const uint32 t size,
              FPtr compare ex func compare,
              const byte t *data);
```

```
Vector of elements.
        arrav
       nelems
                Number of elements.
          size
                Size of each element.
func compare
                Compare function that accepts extra data.
                Extra data that will be passed in each comparison.
```

blib bsearch

Search for an element in an ordered vector.

```
bool t
blib bsearch (const byte t *array,
             const byte t *key,
```

```
const uint32_t nelems,
const uint32_t size,
FPtr_compare func_compare,
uint32_t *pos);
```

```
array Vector of elements.
```

key Search key.

nelems Number of elements.

size Size of each element.

func_compare Comparison function.

pos Position of the found element. It can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the element was found.

blib_bsearch_ex

Search for an element in an ordered vector.

array Vector of elements.

key Search key.

nelems Number of elements.

size Size of each element.

func_compare Compare function that accepts extra data.

data Extra data that will be passed in each comparison.

pos Position of the found element. It can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the element was found.

blib atexit

Add a function that will be called when the program ends.

```
void
blib atexit(void()(void) *func);
```

func Function

blib abort

The execution of the program ends abruptly.

```
void
blib abort (void);
```

Remarks:

No resources are released or a controlled shutdown is performed. The only case where its use is justified is to exit the program after detecting an unrecoverable error (eg NULL pointer).

blib_debug break

Stops program execution at the point where the function is located and returns debugger control so we can inspect the stack, variables, etc.

```
void
blib debug break(void);
```

bstd_sprintf

Write a string with the printf format in a memory buffer.

```
uint32 t
bstd sprintf(char t *str,
             const uint32 t size,
             const char t *format,
              ...);
```

Pointer to the buffer where the result will be written. It will end in a str null character '\0'.

size Size of str in bytes.

format String with the printf-like format with a variable number of parameters.

Arguments or variables of printf.

Return:

The number of bytes written, not including the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

It is a safe function and will not write more than size bytes. To obtain the necessary size of str, call this function with str=NULL and size=0.

bstd_vsprintf

Like bstd sprintf but with the list of arguments already resolved.

str Pointer to the buffer where the result will be written. It will end in a null character '\0'.

size Size of str in bytes.

format String with the printf-like format with a variable number of parameters.

args Arguments.

Return:

The number of bytes written, not including the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

It is a safe function and will not write more than size bytes.

bstd_printf

Writes a formatted string in the standard output (stdout). It is equivalent to the function printf from the standard library.

format String with the printf-like format with a variable number of parameters.

... Arguments or variables of printf.

Return:

The number of bytes written in stdout.

bstd_eprintf

Writes a formatted string in the error output (stderr).

```
uint32 t
bstd eprintf(const char t *format,
             ...);
```

String with the printf-like format with a variable number of parameters.

Arguments or variables of printf.

Return:

The number of bytes written in stderr.

bstd_writef

Write a string C UTF8 in the standard output (stdout).

```
uint32 t
bstd writef(const char t *str);
```

String C UTF8 ending in null character '\0'. str

Return:

The number of bytes written in stdout.

bstd_ewritef

Write a string C UTF8 on the error output (stderr).

```
uint32 t
bstd ewritef(const char t *str);
```

String C UTF8 ending in null character '\0'. str

Return:

The number of bytes written in stderr.

bstd read

Read data from standard input stdin.

data Buffer where the read data will be written.

size The number of maximum bytes to read (buffer size).

rsize Receive the number of bytes actually read. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if data has been read. FALSE if any error has occurred.

Remarks:

"Standard stream" (page 198) implements high-level functions for reading/writing on standard channels.

bstd write

Write data in the standard output stdout.

data Buffer that contains the data to write.

size The number of bytes to write.

wsize It receives the number of bytes actually written. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if data has been written. FALSE if any error has occurred.

Remarks:

"Standard stream" (page 198) implements high-level functions for reading/writing on standard channels.

bstd_ewrite

Write data in the error output stderr.

```
bool t
bstd ewrite (const byte t *data,
            const uint32 t size,
            uint32 t *wsize);
```

Buffer that contains the data to write.

size The number of bytes to write.

wsize It receives the number of bytes actually written. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if data has been written. FALSE if any error has occurred.

Remarks:

"Standard stream" (page 198) implements high-level functions for reading/writing on standard channels.

bmem malloc

Reserve a memory block with the default alignment sizeof (void*).

```
byte t*
bmem malloc(const uint32 t size);
```

size Size in bytes of the block.

Return:

Pointer to the new block. Must be released with bmem free when it is no longer necessary.

Remarks:

Use "Heap - Memory manager" (page 190) for more efficient and secure allocations.

bmem realloc

Reallocs an existing memory block due to the expansion or reduction of it. Guarantees that the previous content of the block is preserved min(size, new size). Try to do it without moving memory (in situ), but if it is not possible look for a new zone. It also guarantees the default alignment sizeof (void*) if has to reserve a new block.

```
byte t*
bmem realloc(byte t *mem,
             const uint32 t size,
             const uint32 t new_size);
```

```
mem Pointer to the original block to relocate.
```

size Size in bytes of the original block mem.

new size New required size, in bytes.

Return:

Pointer to the relocated block. It will be the same as the original pointer mem if the relocation "in-situ" has been successful. Must be released with bmem_free when it is no longer necessary.

Remarks:

Use "Heap - Memory manager" (page 190) for more efficient and secure allocations.

bmem_aligned_malloc

Reserve a memory block with alignment.

size Size in bytes of the block.

align Alignment. It must be power of 2.

Return:

Pointer to the new block. Must be released with bmem_free when it is no longer necessary.

Remarks:

Use "Heap - Memory manager" (page 190) for more efficient and secure allocations.

bmem_aligned_realloc

Like bmem_realloc, but it guarantees a specific alignment.

```
Pointer to the original block to relocate.
mem
```

size Size in bytes of the original block mem.

new size New required size, in bytes.

> Alignment. It must be power of 2. align

Return:

Pointer to the relocated block.

Remarks:

Use "Heap - Memory manager" (page 190) for more efficient and secure allocations.

bmem_free

Free memory pointed by mem, previously reserved by bmem malloc, bmem realloc or its equivalents with alignment.

```
void
bmem free(byte t *mem);
```

Pointer to the memory block to be released. mem

Remarks:

Use "Heap - Memory manager" (page 190) for more efficient and secure allocations.

bmem set1

Fill a block of memory with the same 1-byte mask.

```
void
bmem set1 (byte t *dest,
          const uint32 t size,
          const byte t mask);
```

dest Pointer to the memory block.

size Size in bytes of the block dest.

mask Mask.

bmem_set4

Fill a block of memory with the same 4-byte mask.

```
byte_t mblock[10];
byte_t mask[4] = "abcd";
bmem_set4(mblock, 10, mask);
/* mblock = "abcdabcdab" */
```

dest Pointer to the memory block.

size Size in bytes of the block dest. It is not necessary to be a multiple of 4.

mask 4-byte mask.

bmem_set8

Fill a block of memory with the same 8-byte mask.

dest Pointer to the memory block.

size Size in bytes of the block dest. It is not necessary to be a multiple of 8.

mask 8-byte mask.

bmem_set16

Fill a block of memory with the same 16-byte mask.

dest Pointer to the memory block.

size Size in bytes of the block dest. It is not necessary to be a multiple of 16.

mask 16-byte mask.

bmem set u32

Fill an array of type uint32 t with the same value.

```
void
bmem set u32 (uint32 t *dest,
             const uint32 t n,
             const uint32 t value);
```

dest Pointer to the array.

Array size (number of elements).

value Filling value.

bmem set r32

Fills an array of type real32_t with the same value.

```
void
bmem set r32(real32_t *dest,
             const uint32 t n,
             const real32 t value);
```

dest Pointer to the array.

Array size (number of elements).

value Filling value.

bmem_cmp

Compare two generic memory blocks.

```
bmem cmp (const byte t *mem1,
         const byte t *mem2,
         const uint32 t size);
```

Pointer to the first block of memory. mem1

mem2 Pointer to the second block of memory.

size Number of bytes to compare.

Return:

Comparison result.

bmem is zero

Check if a memory block is completely filled with 0s.

mem Pointer to the memory block.

size Size in bytes of the block mem.

Return:

TRUE if all positions are 0, otherwise FALSE.

bmem_set_zero

Fill a memory block with 0s.

dest Pointer to the memory block that must be filled.

size Size in bytes of the block dest.

bmem zero

Initialize an object with 0s.

```
typedef struct
{
    uint32_t f1;
    real32_t f2;
    String *f3;
    ...
} MyType;

MyType t1;
bmem_zero(&t1, MyType);
/* t1 = {0} */
```

dest Pointer to the object.

type Object type.

bmem zero n

Initialize an array of objects with 0s.

```
void
bmem zero_n(type *dest,
            const uint32 t n,
            type);
```

dest Object array.

Array size.

type Object type.

bmem_copy

Copy the contents of one block in another. The blocks must not be overlapping.

```
void
bmem copy(byte t *dest,
          const byte t *src,
          const uint32 t size);
```

dest Pointer to the destination block.

 src Pointer to the source block.

size Number of bytes to copy.

bmem_copy_n

Copy an array of objects to another location.

```
bmem copy n(type *dest,
            const type *src,
            const uint32 t n,
            type);
```

```
real32 t v1[64];
real32 t v2[64]; = {1.f, 45.f, 12.4f, ...};
bmem_copy_n(v1, v2, 64, real32 t);
```

dest Pointer to the destination array.

Pointer to the source array. src

Array size (number of elements, not bytes).

Object type. type

bmem move

Like bmem copy, but the blocks can overlap.

dest Pointer to the destination block.

src Pointer to the source block.

size Number of bytes to copy.

Remarks:

If we have the certainty that both blocks do not overlap, bmem_copy is much more efficient.

bmem_overlaps

Check if two memory blocks overlap.

mem1 Pointer to the first block.

mem2 Pointer to the second block.

size1 Size of the first block (in bytes).

size Size of the second block (in bytes).

Return:

TRUE if there is overlap.

bmem_rev

Reverts a memory block m[i] = m[ni-1].

Pointer to the memory block.

size Block size in bytes.

bmem rev2

Reverts a 2-byte memory block.

```
void
bmem rev2(byte t *mem);
```

Pointer to the memory block.

bmem_rev4

Reverts a 4-byte memory block.

```
void
bmem rev4(byte t *mem);
```

Pointer to the memory block.

bmem_rev8

Reverts an 8-byte memory block.

```
void
bmem rev8(byte t *mem);
```

Pointer to the memory block.

bmem_revcopy

Make a reverse copy of a memory block.

```
void
bmem revcopy(byte t *dest,
             const byte t *src,
             const uint32 t size);
```

dest Pointer to the destination block.

Pointer to the source block. src

size Number of bytes to copy.

bmem rev elems

Reverts the elements inside an array.

type* Pointer to the beginning of the array.

num_elems Number of elements of the array.

type Object type.

bmem_swap

Exchanges the contents of two memory blocks (not overlapping). At end, mem1[i] = mem2[i] and mem2[i] = mem1[i].

mem1 Pointer to the first block.

mem2 Pointer to the second block.

size Number of bytes to be exchanged.

bmem_swap_type

Exchange the contents of two objects.

obj1 First object.

obj2 Second object.

type Object type.

bmem_shuffle

Randomly shuffles a memory block.

```
void
bmem shuffle(byte t *mem,
             const uint32 t size,
             const uint32 t esize);
```

mem Pointer to the memory block.

size Block size (number of elements).

esize Size of each element.

Remarks:

This function is based on a pseudo-random number generator. Use bmath rand seed to change the sequence.

bmem shuffle n

Randomly shuffle an object array.

```
void
bmem shuffle n(type *array,
               const uint32 t size,
               type);
```

Elements array. array

size Number of elements.

type Object type.

Remarks:

This function is based on a pseudo-random number generator. Use bmath_rand_seed to change the sequence.

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36.1. Types and Constants

enum platform_t

Operating systems supported by NAppGUI.

```
ekWINDOWS Microsoft Windows.
```

ekMACOS Apple macOS.

ekLINUX GNU/Linux.

ekIOS Apple iOS.

enum device_t

Device type.

```
ekDESKTOP Desktop or laptop computer.
```

ekPHONE Phone.

ekTABLET Tablet.

enum win_t

Microsoft Windows versions.

```
ekWIN 9x Windows 95, 98 or ME.
```

ekWIN NT4 Windows NT4.

ekWIN_2K Windows 2000.

 $ekWIN_XP$ Windows XP.

```
Windows XP Service Pack 1.
ekWIN XP1
ekWIN XP2
            Windows XP Service Pack 2.
ekWIN XP3 Windows XP Service Pack 3.
 ekWIN VI Windows Vista.
ekwin vii Windows Vista Service Pack 1.
            Windows Vista Service Pack 2.
ekWIN VI2
            Windows 7.
  ekWIN 7
 ekWIN 71
            Windows 7 Service Pack 1.
  ekWIN 8
            Windows 8.
            Windows 8 Service Pack 1.
 ekWIN 81
 ekWIN 10
            Windows 10.
            The system is not Windows.
 ekWIN NO
```

enum endian_t

Represents the "Byte order" (page 207), or how multi-byte data is stored in memory.

```
ekbigend Little endian. The lowest byte first.

ekbigend Biq endian. The highest byte first.
```

enum week_day_t

Weekday.

```
ekSUNDAY Sunday.

ekMONDAY Monday.

ekTUESDAY Tuesday.

ekWEDNESDAY Wednesday.

ekTHURSDAY Thursday.

ekFRIDAY Friday.

ekSATURDAY Saturday.
```

enum month_t

Month.

```
ekJANUARY
              January.
 ekFEBRUARY
              February.
              March.
    ekMARCH
    ekAPRIL
              April.
              May.
      ekMAY
     ekJUNE
              June.
     ekJULY
              July.
   ekAUGUST
              August.
              September.
ekSEPTEMBER
  ekOCTOBER
              October.
              November.
 ekNOVEMBER
 ekDECEMBER
              December.
```

enum file_type_t

File type.

```
ekarchive Ordinary file.

ekdirectory Directory.

ekotherfile Another type of file reserved for the operating system (devices, pipes, etc.)
```

enum file_mode_t

Different ways to open a file.

```
ekread Read only.ekwrite Read and write.ekappend Writing at the end of the file.
```

enum file_seek_t

Initial position of the pointer in bfile_seek.

```
ekseekset Start of file.
ekseekcur Current pointer position.
```

ekseekend End of file.

enum ferror_t

Error codes manipulating files.

```
ekFEXISTS
                The file already exists.
                The directory does not exist.
  ekFNOPATH
  ekFNOFILE
                The file does not exists.
 ekFBIGNAME
                The name of the file exceeds the capacity of the buffer to
                store it.
 ekFNOFILES
                There are no more files when we travel through a directory.
                bfile dir get.
                You are trying to delete a non-empty
 ekFNOEMPTY
                                                                directory.
                hfile dir destroy.
ekFNOACCESS
                The file can not be accessed (possibly due to lack of permis-
                sions).
    ekFLOCK
                The file is being used by another process.
                The file is so big. It may appear in functions that can not
      ekFBIG
                handle files larger than 4Gb.
 ekFSEEKNEG
                Negative position within a file. See bfile seek.
                There is no more information about the error.
   ekFUNDEF
                There is no error.
       ekFOK
```

enum perror_t

Error codes working with processes.

```
ekppipe Error in the standard I/O channel.

ekpexec Error when launching the process. Surely the command is invalid.

ekpox There is no error.
```

enum serror_t

Error code in network communications.

```
eksnonet There is no Internet connection on the device.
eksnohost Unable to connect to the remote server.
ekstimeout The maximum wait time for the connection has been exceeded.
eksstream Error in the I/O channel when reading or writing.
eksunder There is no more information about the error.
eksok There is no error.
```

struct Date

Public structure that contains the fields of a time stamp (date + time) for direct access.

```
struct Date
{
   int16_t year;
   uint8_t month;
   uint8_t wday;
   uint8_t mday;
   uint8_t hour;
   uint8_t minute;
   uint8_t second;
};
```

```
year Year.

month The month (1-12). month_t.

wday The day of the week (0-6). week_day_t.

mday The day of the month (1-31).

hour The hour (0-23).

minute The minute (0-59).

second The second (0-59).
```

struct Dir

Represents an open directory, by which you can browse. bfile dir open.

```
struct Dir;
```

struct File

File handler on disk. bfile_open.

```
struct File;
```

struct Mutex

Mutual exclusion mechanism (**mutex**) used to control concurrent access to a resource. "Locks" (page 177).

```
struct Mutex;
```

struct Proc

Represents a running process, with which the main program can communicate using the standard I/O channels. bproc exec.

```
struct Proc;
```

struct DLib

Represents a dynamically loaded library in the process. dlib open.

```
struct DLib;
```

struct Thread

Represents a thread of execution, launched from the main process. bthread create.

```
struct Thread;
```

struct Socket

Handler of network connection. bsocket connect.

```
struct Socket;
```

36.2. Functions

FPtr_thread_main

Prototype of a thread start function (thread main). bthread_create.

```
uint32_t
(*FPtr_thread_main)(type *data);
```

Data passed to the thread main function.

Return:

The thread return value.

osbs start

Start osbs library, reserving space for global internal structures.

```
osbs start (void);
```

osbs_finish

Ends osbs library, freeing space from global internal structures.

```
void
osbs finish(void);
```

osbs_platform

Get the operating system in which the application is running.

```
platform t
osbs platform(void);
```

Return:

The platform.

osbs_windows

Get the Windows version.

```
win t
osbs windows (void);
```

Return:

The Microsoft Windows version.

osbs_endian

Get the "Byte order" (page 207) of the running platform.

```
endian t
osbs endian(void);
```

Return:

The byte order of multi-byte data types.

bproc_exec

Launch a new process.

```
command The command to execute (path and arguments). Eg. "ls -lh" or "C:\Programs\impresize background.png -w640 -h480".
```

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

Child process handler that we can use to communicate with him. If the function fails, return NULL.

Remarks:

"Multi-processing examples" (page 170).

bproc_close

Close communication with the child process and free resources.

```
void
bproc_close(Proc **proc);
```

proc Process handler. It will be set to NULL after closing.

Remarks:

If the process is still running, this function does not finish it. It only closes the communication channel between the parent and child that will continue to run independently. Like any other object, a process must always be closed, even if it has already finished its execution. "Multi-processing examples" (page 170).

bproc_cancel

Force the finalization of the process.

```
bool_t
bproc_cancel(Proc *proc);
```

proc Process handler.

Return:

TRUE if the process is finish. FALSE otherwise.

bproc_wait

Wait until the child process finishes.

```
uint32_t
bproc_wait(Proc *proc);
```

proc Process handler.

Return:

The return value of the child process or UINT32 MAX if there is any error.

bproc_finish

Check if the child process is still running.

proc Process handler.

code The output value of the process (if it has finished). Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the child process has finish, FALSE if not.

Remarks:

This function returns immediately. It does not block the process that calls it.

bproc_read

Read data from the process standard output (stdout).

```
Process handler.
proc
data
       Buffer where the read data will be written.
size
       The maximum bytes to read (buffer size).
rsize
      Receive the number of bytes actually read. Can be NULL.
       Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.
```

Return:

error

TRUE if data has been read. FALSE if any error has occurred.

Remarks:

This function will block the parent process until the child writes in its stdout. If there is no data in the channel and the child ends, will return FALSE with rsize = 0 and error = ekproc success. "Multi-processing examples" (page 170).

bproc_eread

Read data from the process error output (stderr).

```
bool t
bproc eread (Proc *proc,
            byte t *data,
            const uint32 t size,
            uint32 t *rsize,
            perror t *error);
```

```
Process handler.
proc
```

Buffer where the read data will be written. data

size The maximum bytes to read (buffer size).

rsize Receive the number of bytes actually read. Can be NULL.

Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL. error

Return:

TRUE if data has been read. FALSE if any error has occurred.

Remarks:

This function will block the parent process until the child writes in its stdout. If there is no data in the channel and the child ends, will return FALSE with rsize = 0 and error = ekproc success. "Multi-processing examples" (page 170).

bproc write

Write data in the process input channel (stdin).

```
bool t
bproc write (Proc *proc,
            const byte t *data,
            const uint32 t size,
            uint32 t *wsize,
            perror t *error);
```

Process handler. proc

data Buffer that contains the data to write.

The number of bytes to write. size

wsize It receives the number of bytes actually written. Can be NULL.

Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL. error

Return:

TRUE if data has been written. FALSE if any error has occurred.

Remarks:

This function will block the parent process if there is no space in the buffer to complete the write. When the child process reads stdin and free space, the writing will be completed and the parent process will continue its execution. "Multi-processing examples" (page 170).

bproc read close

Close the stdout channel of child process.

```
bool t
bproc read close(Proc *proc);
```

Process handler.

Return:

TRUE if the channel has been closed. FALSE if it was already closed.

Remarks:

This function allows ignoring the output of the child process, preventing blockages due to channel saturation. "Launching processes" (page 169).

bproc eread close

Close the stderr channel of child process.

```
bool_t
bproc_eread_close(Proc *proc);
```

proc Process handler.

Return:

TRUE if the channel has been closed. FALSE if it was already closed.

Remarks:

This function allows ignoring the error output of the child process, preventing blockages due to channel saturation. "Launching processes" (page 169).

bproc_write_close

Close the stdin channel of child process.

```
bool_t
bproc_write_close(Proc *proc);
```

proc Process handler.

Return:

TRUE if the channel has been closed. FALSE if it was already closed.

Remarks:

Some processes need to read all the stdin content before starting work. When closing the channel, the child process receives the signal EOF *End-Of-File* in stdin. "Launching processes" (page 169).

bproc_exit

End the current process (the caller) and all its execution children.

```
void
bproc_exit(const uint32_t code);
```

code The exit code of the process.

bthread create

Create a new execution thread, which starts in thmain.

thmain The thread start function $thread_main$. Shared data can be passed through the data pointer.

data Data passed as a parameter to thmain.

type Type of data.

Return:

Thread handle. If the function fails, return NULL.

Remarks:

The thread will run in parallel until thmain return or call bthread_cancel. "Throwing threads" (page 173).

bthread current id

Returns the identifier of the current thread, that is, the one that is running when this function is called.

```
int
bthread_current_id(void);
```

Return:

Thread identifier.

bthread_close

Close the thread handler and free resources.

```
void
bthread_close(Thread **thread);
```

thread Thread handle. It will be put to NULL after closing.

Remarks:

If the thread is still running, this function does not finish it. Like any other object, a thread must always be closed, even if it has already finished its execution. "Throwing threads" (page 173).

bthread cancel

Force a thread termination.

```
void
bthread_cancel(Thread *thread);
```

thread Thread handler

Remarks:

It is not recommended to call this function. There will be no "clean" exit of the thread. If it is within a critical section, it will not be released. Neither will it release the dynamic memory reserved privately by the thread. The correct way to end a thread of execution is to return thmain. Shared variables can be used ("Mutual exclusion" (page 177)) to indicate to a thread that it should end cleanly.

bthread wait

Stops the thread that calls this function until thread finishes its execution.

```
uint32_t
bthread_wait(Thread *thread);
```

thread Thread handle to which we must wait.

Return:

The thread return value. If an error occurs, return UINT32 MAX.

bthread finish

Check if the thread is still running.

thread Thread handler.

code The return value of the thmain function (if it has ended). Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the thread has finished, FALSE otherwise.

Remarks:

This function returns immediately.

bthread sleep

Suspends the execution of the current thread (the one that calls this function) for a certain number of milliseconds

```
void
bthread sleep (const uint32 t milliseconds);
```

Time interval (in milliseconds) that the suspension will last. milliseconds

Remarks:

Performs a "passive" suspension, where no "empty loop" will be executed. The thread is dropped by the *scheduler* and reactivated later.

bmutex create

Creates a mutual exclusion object that allows multiple threads to share the same resource, such as a memory or file area on disk, preventing them from accessing at the same time.

```
Mutex*
bmutex create (void);
```

Return:

The mutual exclusion handler.

Remarks:

```
"Threads" (page 172), "Multi-thread example" (page 174).
```

bmutex close

Close the mutual exclusion object and free memory.

```
void
bmutex close(Mutex **mutex);
```

The mutual exclusion handler. It will be set to NULL after closing.

Remarks:

```
"Threads" (page 172), "Multi-thread example" (page 174).
```

bmutex_lock

Marks the start of a critical section, blocking access to a shared resource. If another thread tries to block, it will be stopped until the current thread calls bmutex unlock.

```
void
bmutex_lock(Mutex *mutex);
```

mutex The mutual exclusion handler.

Remarks:

```
"Threads" (page 172), "Multi-thread example" (page 174).
```

bmutex_unlock

Mark the end of a critical section, unlocking access to a shared resource. If another thread is waiting, access will be allowed to its critical section and, therefore, to the shared resource.

```
void
bmutex_unlock(Mutex *mutex);
```

mutex The mutual exclusion handler.

Remarks:

To avoid unnecessary delays, the time between bmutex_lock and bmutex_unlock should be as short as possible. Any calculation that the thread can make in its private memory space must precede the call to bmutex_lock. "Threads" (page 172), "Multi-thread example" (page 174).

dlib_open

Load a dynamic library at runtime.

path Directory where the library is located. Can be NULL.

libname Library name. It must be the "plain" name without prefixes, suffixes or extensions specific to each operating system.

Return:

Pointer to library or NULL if failed to load.

Remarks:

If path is NULL, the library search strategy of each operating system will be followed. See "Library search paths" (page 178).

dlib close

Close a previously opened library with dlib open.

```
void
dlib close(DLib **dlib);
```

Pointer to the library. Will be set to NULL upon destruction.

dlib proc

Get a pointer to a library method.

```
type
dlib proc(DLib *lib,
          const char t *procname,
          type);
```

```
typedef uint32 t(*FPtr add) (const uint32 t, const uint32 t);
FPtr add func add = dlib proc(lib, "plugin add", FPtr add);
uint32 t ret = func add(67, 44);
```

Library. lib

procname Method name.

Method type. Needed to convert from a generic pointer.

Return:

Pointer to method.

dlib var

Get a pointer to a library variable.

```
type*
dlib var(DLib *lib,
         const char t *varname,
         type);
```

```
const V2Df *vzero = dlib var(lib, "kV2D ZEROf", V2Df);
```

```
lib Library.
```

varname Variable name.

type Variable type.

Return:

Pointer to variable.

bfile_dir_work

Gets the current working directory of the process. It is the directory from which the relative *pathnames* will be interpreted.

pathname Buffer where the directory will be written.

size Size in bytes of the buffer pathname.

Return:

The number of bytes written in pathname, including the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

"Filename and pathname" (page 180)

bfile_dir_set_work

Change the current working directory of the application. The relative *pathnames* will be interpreted from here.

pathname The name of the directory.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the working directory has changed, FALSE if there have been any errors.

Remarks:

"Filename and pathname" (page 180)

bfile dir home

Get the home directory of the current user.

```
uint32 t
bfile dir home (char t *pathname,
               const uint32 t size);
```

pathname Buffer where the directory will be written.

> size Size in bytes of the buffer pathname.

Return:

The number of bytes written in pathname, including the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

"Filename and pathname" (page 180)

bfile dir data

Gets the AppData directory where application configuration data can be saved.

```
uint32 t
bfile dir data(char t *pathname,
               const uint32 t size);
```

pathname Buffer where the directory will be written.

Size in bytes of the buffer pathname.

Return:

The number of bytes written in pathname, including the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

```
"Home and AppData" (page 181)
```

bfile dir exec

Gets the absolute *pathname* of the current executable.

```
uint32 t
bfile dir exec (char t *pathname,
               const uint32 t size);
```

```
char t path[512];
bfile dir exec(path, 512);
path = "C:\Program Files\TheApp\theapp.exe"
```

pathname Buffer where the directory will be written.

size Size in bytes of the buffer pathname.

Return:

The number of bytes written in pathname, including the null character '\0'.

bfile_dir_create

Create a new directory. It will fail if any intermediate directory of pathname does not exist.

pathname Name of the directory to be created, ending in a null character '\0'.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the directory has been created, FALSE if there have been any errors.

Remarks:

hfile dir create create all intermediate directories at once.

bfile_dir_open

Open a directory to browse its contents. Then you have to use bfile_dir_get to iterate. The *filename* is not ordered under any criteria. At the end, you should call bfile_dir_close.

pathname $\,$ Name of the directory, ending in a null character $\,\mbox{'\sc o}$ ' $\,\mbox{'}$

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

The directory handler or NULL if there has been an error.

bfile dir close

Close a previously open directory with bfile dir open.

```
void
bfile dir close(Dir **dir);
```

The directory handler. It will be set to NULL after the closing.

bfile_dir_get

Gets the attributes of the current file when we go through a directory. Previously we have to open the directory with bfile dir open.

```
bool t
bfile dir get(Dir *dir,
              char t *filename,
              const uint32 t size,
               file type t *type,
               uint64 t *fsize,
               Date *updated,
               ferror t *error);
```

Open directory handler.

filename Here will write the name of the file or sub-directory, ending in a null character '\0' and without including any path. Can be NULL.

size Size in bytes of the name buffer.

type Get the file type. Can be NULL.

fsize Gets the file size in bytes. Can be NULL.

updated Gets the date of the last update of the file. Can be NULL.

Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL. error

Return:

TRUE if the file attributes have been read correctly. When there are no more files to go, it returns FALSE with error=ekFNOFILES.

Remarks:

This function will advance to the next file within the open directory after obtaining the current item's data. If there is not enough space in name, will return FALSE with error =ekfBIGNAME and will not advance to the next file. Use hfile_dir_loop to browse the contents of a directory more comfortably.

bfile dir delete

Delete a directory. It will fail if the directory is not completely empty. Use hfile_dir_destroy to completely and recursively erase a directory that may have content.

pathname Name of the directory, ending in a null character '\0'.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the directory has been deleted, FALSE otherwise.

bfile create

Create a new file. If previously it already exists its content will be erased. The new file will be opened for writing.

pathname File name including its absolute or relative path.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

The file handler or NULL if there has been an error.

bfile_open

Open an existing file. Do not create it, if file does not exist this function will fail.

pathname File name including its absolute or relative path.

mode Opening mode.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

The file handler or NULL if there has been an error.

bfile close

Close a file previously opened with bfile create or bfile open.

```
void
bfile close(File **file);
```

File handler. It will be set to NULL after closing. file

bfile Istat

Get the attributes of a file through its pathname.

```
bool t
bfile lstat(const char t *pathname,
            file type t *type,
            uint64 t *fsize,
            Date *updated,
            ferror t *error);
```

pathname File name including its absolute or relative path.

Get the file type. Can be NULL. type

fsize Gets the file size in bytes. Can be NULL.

updated Gets the date of the last update of the file. Can be NULL.

Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL. error

Return:

TRUE if it worked correctly, or FALSE otherwise.

bfile_fstat

Get the attributes of a file through its handler.

```
bool t
bfile fstat(File *file,
            file_type_t *type,
            uint64 t *fsize,
            Date *updated,
            ferror t *error);
```

```
file File manager.

type Get the file type. Can be NULL.

fsize Gets the file size in bytes. Can be NULL.

updated Gets the date of the last update of the file. Can be NULL.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.
```

Return:

TRUE if it worked correctly, or FALSE otherwise.

bfile_read

Read data from an open file.

file File handler

data Buffer where the read data will be written.

size The number of maximum bytes to read.

rsize Receive the number of bytes actually read. Can be NULL.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the data has been read correctly. If there is no more data (end of the file) it returns FALSE with rsize = 0 and error=ekFOK.

Remarks:

"File stream" (page 196) implements high-level functions for reading/writing files.

bfile_write

Write data in an open file.

```
uint32_t *wsize,
ferror_t *error);
```

file File handler.

data Buffer that contains the data to write.

size The number of bytes to write.

wsize It receives the number of bytes actually written. Can be NULL.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the data has been written, or FALSE if there have been any errors.

Remarks:

"File stream" (page 196) implements high-level functions for reading/writing files.

bfile_seek

Move a file pointer to a new location.

file File handler.

offset Number of bytes to move the pointer. Can be negative.

whence Pointer position from which offset will be added.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if it worked correctly, FALSE if not.

Remarks:

It will return FALSE and error ekfSEEKNEG if the final pointer position is negative. It is not an error to set a pointer to a position beyond the end of the file. The file size does not increase until it is written to. A write operation increases the size of the file to the pointer position plus the size of the write buffer. Intermediate bytes would be left undetermined.

bfile_pos

Return the current position of the file pointer.

```
uint64_t
bfile_pos(const File *file);
```

file File handler.

Return:

Position from start of file.

bfile delete

Delete a file from the file system.

pathname File name including its absolute or relative path.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the file has been deleted, or FALSE if any error has occurred.

bsocket_connect

Create a client socket and try to establish a connection to a remote server.

ip The 32-bit IPv4 address of the remote host. bsocket str ip.

port The connection port.

timeout_ms Maximum number of milliseconds to wait to establish connection. If it is 0 it will wait indefinitely.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

Socket handle, or NULL if the function fails.

Remarks:

The process will be blocked until a response is obtained from the server or the timeout is fulfilled. See "Client/Server example" (page 182).

bsocket server

Create a server socket.

```
Socket.*
bsocket server (const uint16 t port,
                const uint32 t max connect,
                serror t *error);
```

```
The port where the server will "listen".
port
```

max connect The maximum number of connections can queue.

> error Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

Socket handle, or NULL if the function fails.

Remarks:

Client requests will be stored in a queue until a call to bsocket_accept is received. See "Client/Server example" (page 182).

bsocket_accept

Accepts a connection to the server created with bsocket server and starts the conversation with the client.

```
Socket*
bsocket accept (Socket *socket,
               const uint32 t timeout ms,
               serror t *error);
```

socket Handler returned by bsocket server.

Maximum number of milliseconds to wait to receive the request. If it is timeout ms 0 it will wait indefinitely.

Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

Socket handle, or NULL if the function fails.

Remarks:

The process will be blocked until a request is obtained from a client or the timeout is fulfilled. See "Client/Server example" (page 182).

bsocket close

 $Close\ a\ previously\ created\ socket\ with\ \verb|bsocket_connect|,\ \verb|bsocket_server|\ or\ \verb|bsocket_accept|$

```
void
bsocket_close(Socket **socket);
```

socket The socket handler. It will be set to NULL after closing.

bsocket_local_ip

Get the local ip address and port associated with the socket.

socket Socket handle.

ip Local IP address.

port Local IP port.

bsocket_remote_ip

Get the IP address and the remote port associated with the other interlocutor of the connection.

socket Socket handle.

ip Remote IP address.

port Remote IP port.

bsocket read timeout

Sets the maximum time to wait for the function bsocket read.

```
void
bsocket read timeout (Socket *socket,
                      const uint32 t timeout ms);
```

socket Socket handle.

Maximum number of milliseconds to wait for the caller to write data to timeout ms the channel. If it is 0 it will wait indefinitely.

bsocket write timeout

Sets the maximum time to wait for the function bsocket write.

```
bsocket write timeout (Socket *socket,
                       const uint32 t timeout ms);
```

socket Socket handle.

Maximum number of milliseconds that will wait until the caller reads timeout ms the data and unblocked on the channel. If it is 0 it will wait indefinitely.

bsocket read

Read data from the socket.

```
bool t
bsocket read (Socket *socket,
             byte t *data,
              const uint32 t size,
             uint32 t *rsize,
              serror t *error);
```

Socket handle. socket

data Buffer where the read data will be written.

size The number of maximum bytes to read (buffer size).

rsize Receive the number of bytes actually read. Can be NULL.

Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL. error

Return:

TRUE if data has been read. FALSE if any error has occurred.

Remarks:

The process will be blocked until the interlocutor writes data to the channel or the timeout expires. See bsocket read timeout.

bsocket write

Write data in the socket.

```
socket Socket handle.
```

data Buffer that contains the data to write.

size The number of bytes to write.

wsize It receives the number of bytes actually written. Can be NULL.

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if data has been written. FALSE if any error has occurred.

Remarks:

The process will be blocked if the channel is full until the interlocutor reads the data and unblocks or expires the timeout. See bsocket write timeout.

bsocket_url_ip

Get the IPv4 address of a host from its url.

```
uint32_t ip = bsocket_url_ip("www.google.com", NULL);
if (ip != 0)
{
    Socket *sock = bsocket_connect(ip, 80, NULL);
    ...
}
```

```
The host url, eg. www.google.com.
error
       Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.
```

Return:

Value of the host's IPv4 address or 0 if there has been an error.

bsocket_str_ip

Get the IPv4 address from a string of type "192.168.1.1".

```
uint32 t
bsocket str ip(const char t *ip);
```

```
uint32 t ip = bsocket str ip("192.168.1.1");
Socket *sock = bsocket connect(ip, 80, NULL);
```

The string with the IP.

Return:

Value of the IPv4 address in 32-bit binary format.

bsocket_host_name

Gets the name of the host.

```
const char t*
bsocket host name (char t *buffer,
                   const uint32 t size);
```

buffer Buffer to store the name.

Size of buffer. size

Return:

Pointer to the string buffer.

bsocket_host_name_ip

Gets the host name from its IP.

```
const char t*
bsocket host name ip(uint32 t ip,
                      char t *buffer,
                     const uint32 t size);
```

ip Value of the IPv4 address in 32-bit binary format.

buffer Buffer to store the name.

size Size of buffer.

Return:

Pointer to the string buffer.

bsocket_ip_str

Gets the IP address in text string format.

- ip Value of the IPv4 address in 32-bit binary format.
- ip The string with the IP.

Return:

String of type "192.168.1.1".

Remarks:

The string is returned in an internal buffer that will be overwritten on the next call. Make a copy of the string if we need it to be persistent.

bsocket_hton2

Change the "endianness" of a 16bit value prior to being sent through the socket *Host-to-Network*.

```
uint16_t value = 45321;
byte_t dest[2];
bsocket_hton2(dest, (const byte_t*)&value);
bsocket_write(sock, dest, 2, NULL, NULL);
```

dest Destination buffer (at least 2 bytes).

src Buffer (variable).

bsocket hton4

Same as bsocket hton2, for 4-byte values.

```
void
bsocket hton4(byte_t *dest,
              const byte t *src);
```

```
dest
        Destination buffer (at least 4 bytes).
 \operatorname{src}
        Buffer (variable).
```

bsocket hton8

Same as bsocket hton2, for 8-byte values.

```
void
bsocket hton8 (byte t *dest,
              const byte t *src);
```

```
Destination buffer (at least 8 bytes).
dest
        Buffer (variable).
 \operatorname{src}
```

bsocket_ntoh2

Change the "endianness" of a 16bit value after being received by the socket Network-to-Host.

```
void
bsocket ntoh2 (byte t *dest,
               const byte t *src);
```

```
byte t src[2];
uint16 t value;
bsocket read(sock, src, 2, NULL, NULL);
bsocket ntoh2((byte t*)&value, src);
// value = 45321
```

```
dest
      16-bit destination buffer (variable).
 src
      Buffer received by socket.
```

bsocket ntoh4

Same as bsocket ntoh2, for 4-byte values.

```
void
bsocket ntoh4 (byte t *dest,
              const byte t *src);
```

```
dest Buffer (variable) destination 32bits.
```

src Buffer received by socket.

bsocket ntoh8

Same as bsocket_ntoh2, for 8-byte values.

dest Buffer (variable) destination 64bits.

src Buffer received by socket.

btime_now

Gets the number of micro-seconds elapsed since January 1, 1970 until this precise moment. Use the difference between instants to know the time consumed by a process.

```
uint64_t
btime_now(void);
```

Return:

The number of micro-seconds elapsed, that is, the number of intervals of 1/1000000 seconds.

Remarks:

The initial instant is January 1, 1970 in Unix/Linux systems and January 1, 1601 in Windows since it is the first year of the Gregorian cycle in which Windows NT was activated. This function equates both starts, always returning the Unix time.

btime_date

Gets the current system date.

```
void
btime_date(Date *date);
```

date Current date.

btime to micro

Convert a date to Unix Time.

```
uint64 t
btime to micro(const Date *date);
```

date The date to convert.

Return:

The number of micro-seconds since January 1, 1970 UTC.

btime_to_date

Transform Unix Time into a date.

```
void
btime to date (const uint64 t micro,
              Date *date);
```

Number of micro-seconds since January 1, 1970 UTC.

date Result date.

log printf

Write a message in the log, with the printf format.

```
uint32 t
log printf(const char t *format,
           ...);
```

```
log printf("Leaks of object '%s' (%d bytes)", object->name, object->size);
[12:34:23] Leaks of object 'String' (96 bytes)
```

format String with the printf-like format with a variable number of parameters.

Arguments or variables of printf.

Return:

The number of bytes written.

log_output

It establishes whether the content of the log will be redirected or not to the standard output.

- std If TRUE the lines will be sent to the standard output stdout. Default,
- err If TRUE the lines will be sent to the error output stderr. Default, FALSE.

log_file

Set a destination file, where the *log* lines will be written.

```
void
log_file(const char_t *pathname);
```

pathname File name including its absolute or relative path. If the file does not exist it will be created and if it already exists, future lines will be added at the end of it. If NULL writing to *log* file will be disabled.

log_get_file

Gets the current file associated with the log.

```
const char_t*
log_get_file(void);
```

Return:

The absolute *pathname* of the file.

Core library

37.1. Types and Constants

DecISt

Given a struct, enable macros for compile-time type checking in "Arrays" (page 209) and "Binary search trees" (page 219). Usage: DeclSt(Product) immediately after the struct definition. See "Registers or pointers" (page 210).

DeclPt

Same as DeclSt for pointer containers.

kSTDIN

Stream connected to the standard input stdin.

Stream* kSTDIN;

kSTDOUT

Stream connected to standard output stdout.

Stream* kSTDOUT;

kSTDERR

Stream connected to error output stderr.

Stream* kSTDERR;

kDEVNULL

Null write stream. All content sent through this channel will be ignored.

```
Stream* kDEVNULL;
```

kDATE_NULL

Represents an invalid date.

```
Date kDATE NULL;
```

enum core_event_t

Event types in *core* library.

```
ekeassert Redirection of "Asserts" (page 155).

ekefile A file detected while browsing a directory. hfile_dir_loop

ekeentry Entry in a sub-directory while we go through a directory. hfile_dir_loop.

ekeexit Exit of a sub-directory.
```

enum sstate_t

```
"Streams" (page 195) state.

ekstok All ok, no errors.

ekstend No more data on the channel.

ekstcorrupt The data in the channel is invalid or has not been read correctly.

ekstbroken Error in the communication channel.
```

enum vkey_t

```
Keyboard codes. See "Using\ the\ keyboard" (page 321).
```

```
ekKEY_UNDEF
ekKEY_A
ekKEY S
```

- ekKEY D
- ekKEY F
- ekKEY H
- ekKEY G
- ekKEY Z
- ekKEY X
- ekKEY C
- ekKEY_V
- ekKEY BSLASH
 - ekKEY_B
 - ekKEY Q
 - ekKEY W
 - $ekKEY_E$
 - ekKEY R
 - ekKEY_Y
 - ekKEY T
 - ekKEY 1
 - ekKEY 2
 - ekKEY_3
 - ekKEY 4
 - ekKEY_6
 - ekKEY_5
 - ekKEY 9
 - ekKEY 7
 - ekKEY 8
 - ekKEY_0
- ekKEY RCURLY
 - ekKEY_O

ekKEY_U

ekKEY LCURLY

ekKEY I

ekKEY P

ekKEY RETURN

ekKEY L

ekKEY J

ekKEY SEMICOLON

 $ekKEY_K$

ekKEY QUEST

ekKEY COMMA

ekKEY MINUS

 $ekKEY_N$

ekKEY M

ekKEY PERIOD

ekKEY TAB

ekKEY SPACE

ekKEY GTLT

ekKEY BACK

ekKEY_ESCAPE

ekKEY_F17

ekKEY_NUMDECIMAL

ekKEY NUMMULT

ekKEY NUMADD

ekKEY NUMLOCK

ekKEY NUMDIV

ekKEY NUMRET

ekKEY NUMMINUS

- ekKEY F18
- ekKEY F19

ekKEY NUMEQUAL

- ekKEY NUM0
- ekKEY NUM1
- ekKEY NUM2
- ekKEY NUM3
- ekKEY NUM4
- ekKEY NUM5
- ekKEY NUM6
- ekKEY NUM7
- ekKEY NUM8
- ekKEY_NUM9
 - ekKEY F5
 - ekKEY F6
 - ekKEY F7
 - ekKEY F3
 - ekKEY F8
 - ekKEY F9
 - ekKEY F11
 - ekKEY F13
 - ekKEY_F16
 - ekKEY_F14
 - ekKEY F10
 - ekKEY F12
 - ekKEY F15
- ekKEY PAGEUP
 - ekKEY HOME

```
ekKEY SUPR
     ekKEY F4
ekKEY PAGEDOWN
     ekKEY F2
    ekKEY END
     ekKEY F1
    ekKEY LEFT
  ekKEY RIGHT
   ekKEY DOWN
      ekKEY UP
 ekKEY LSHIFT
 ekKEY RSHIFT
  ekKEY LCTRL
  ekKEY RCTRL
   ekKEY LALT
   ekKEY RALT
 ekKEY INSERT
 ekKEY EXCLAM
   ekKEY MENU
   ekKEY_LWIN
   ekKEY RWIN
   ekKEY CAPS
  ekKEY TILDE
  ekKEY GRAVE
   ekKEY PLUS
```

enum mkey_t

Modifier keys.

ekMKEY_NONE

```
ekMKEY_SHIFT
ekMKEY_CONTROL
ekMKEY_ALT
ekMKEY_COMMAND
```

enum token_t

```
Token types on stm read token.
```

```
ektslcom One-line comment, which begins with //.
   ekTMLCOM
               Multi-line commentary, enclosed between /* and */.
               Represents a series of blanks ('', '\t', '\v', '\f', '\r').
   ekTSPACE
      ekTEOL
               Represents the new line character ('\n').
    ekTLESS
               Less than sign '<'.
   ekTGREAT
               Greater than sign '>'.
               Comma sign ','.
   ekTCOMMA
  ekTPERIOD
               Point sign '.'.
  ekTSCOLON
               Semicolon sign ';'.
               Colon sign ':'.
   ekTCOLON
 ekTOPENPAR
               Opening parenthesis '('.
 ekTCLOSPAR
               Closing parenthesis ')'.
ekTOPENBRAC
               Opening bracket '['.
ekTCLOSBRAC
               Closing bracket 'l'.
ekTOPENCURL
               Opening curly bracket '{'.
ekTCLOSCURL
               Closing curly bracket '}'.
               Plus sign '+'.
    ekTPLUS
               Minus sign '-'.
   ekTMINUS
  ekTASTERK
               Asterisk sign '*'.
               Equal sign '='.
  ekTEQUALS
               Dollar sign.
  ekTDOLLAR
  ekTPERCEN
               Percentage sign '%'.
```

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```
ekTPOUND
               Pound sign '#'.
   ekTAMPER
               Ampersand sign '&'.
               Apostrophe sign '''.
   ekTAPOST
               Quotation sign '"'.
   ekTQUOTE
  ekTCIRCUM
               Circumflex accent sign '^'.
   ekTTILDE
               Tilde sign '~'.
               Exclamation sign '!'.
   ekTEXCLA
               Question mark '?'.
   ekTQUEST
   ekTVLINE
               Vertical bar sign '|'.
   ekTSLASH
               Slash bar sign '/'.
  ekTBSLASH
               Backslash sign '\'.
               At sign '@'.
       ekTAT
 ekTINTEGER
               Integer number. "Numbers" (page 204).
   ekTOCTAL
               Octal number. "Numbers" (page 204).
               Hexadecimal number. "Numbers" (page 204).
      ekTHEX
               Real number. "Numbers" (page 204).
    ekTREAL
                Unicode character string, enclosed in quotation marks.
  ekTSTRING
                "Strings" (page 203).
   ekTIDENT
               Identifier. "Identifiers" (page 202).
               Unknown token.
   ekTUNDEF
               Error in the input "Streams" (page 195) or data.
  ekTCORRUP
               End of the "Streams" (page 195) or data. No more tokens.
      ekTEOF
ekTRESERVED
               Keywords. Being of general purpose, the analyzer does not
               label any identifier as a reserved word. It must be done in
```

struct Buffer

Block of memory of general purpose, reserved dynamically. Once created, you can no longer resize. "Buffers" (page 194).

phases after the analysis.

```
struct Buffer;
```

struct String

UTF8 character string reserved dynamically. They are "partially mutable" objects. The reserved memory can not grow, but characters can be substituted as long as the buffer's initial capacity does not overflow. "Strings" (page 194).

struct String;

struct Stream

Generic input/output channel, where it is possible to read and write formatted data. "Streams" (page 195).

struct Stream;

struct ArrSt

Array of records. The type of object is indicated in parentheses. "Arrays" (page 209).

struct ArrSt;

struct ArrPt

Pointers array. The type of object is indicated in parentheses. "Arrays (pointers)" (page 219).

struct ArrPt;

struct SetSt

Set of records. The type of object is indicated in parentheses. "Binary search trees" (page 219).

struct SetSt;

struct SetPt

Pointers set. The type of object is indicated in parentheses. "Binary search trees (pointers)" (page 224).

struct SetPt;

struct RegEx

Regular expression. "Regular expressions" (page 224).

```
struct RegEx;
```

struct Event

Contains information regarding an event. "Events" (page 231).

```
struct Event;
```

struct KeyBuf

Keyboard buffer with the state of each key (pressed/released). "Keyboard buffer" (page 232).

```
struct KeyBuf;
```

struct Listener

Link to the generator and receiver of an event through a *callback* function "*Events*" (page 231).

```
struct Listener;
```

struct IListener

C++ interface for use class members as event handlers. "Use of C++" (page 45).

```
struct IListener;
```

struct DirEntry

Directory element, obtained by hfile_dir_list.

```
struct DirEntry
{
    String* name;
    file_type_t type;
    uint64_t size;
    Date date;
};
```

name File or subdirectory name, without path.

```
Item type.
type
size
       Size in bytes.
date Date of last modification.
```

struct EvFileDir

Parameters of the event ekefile and ekeentry during automatic directory browsing. hfile dir loop.

```
struct EvFileDir
    const char t* pathname;
    uint32 t level;
};
```

```
The partial path from the parameter pathname of
pathname
          hfile dir loop.
```

The depth of the directory from pathname. level

struct ResPack

Package of resources that will be loaded together. Use ResId to access a specific resource. "Resources" (page 101).

```
struct ResPack;
```

struct Resid

Identifier of a resource. They are generated automatically by nrc NAppGUI Resource Compiler. "Resources" (page 101).

```
struct ResId;
```

struct Clock

It measures the time elapsed between two instants within the application, with microseconds precision. It is also useful for launching events at regular intervals of time.

```
struct Clock;
```

37.2. Functions

FPtr_remove

Releases the memory of an object's fields, but not the object itself. "Registers or pointers" (page 210).

```
void
(*FPtr_remove) (type *obj);
```

obj Pointer to the object whose fields must be released.

FPtr event handler

Event handler. They are *callback* functions that will be called by the generator of an event when it happens. "Events" (page 231).

obj General data passed as the first parameter of the function.

event The event.

FPtr read

Create an object from data read from a "Streams" (page 195). "Serialization" (page 215).

```
type*
(*FPtr_read) (Stream *stream);
```

stream The I/O channel where the object is serialized.

Return:

The created object, descrializing the stream data.

FPtr_read_init

Similar to FPtr_read where the memory of the object has already been reserved, but not initialized. "Serialization" (page 215).

stream The I/O channel where the object is serialized.

obj The object whose fields must be deserialized.

FPtr write

Write an object in a "Streams" (page 195). "Serialization" (page 215).

```
(*FPtr write) (Stream *stream,
              const type *obj);
```

The I/O channel where serialize the object. stream

obi The object to write.

core_start

Start the core library, reserving space for the global internal structures. Internally calls osbs start.

```
void
core start (void);
```

core finish

Ends the *core* library, freeing the space of the global internal structures. Internally calls osbs finish.

```
void
core finish (void);
```

heap_start_mt

Start a multi-threaded section.

```
void
heap start mt (void);
```

Remarks:

See "Multi-thread memory" (page 191).

heap_end_mt

End a multi-thread section.

```
void
heap end mt (void);
```

Remarks:

See "Multi-thread memory" (page 191).

heap_verbose

Enable/disable memory auditor 'verbose' mode.

```
void
heap_verbose(bool_t verbose);
```

verbose TRUE to activate.

Remarks:

By default FALSE.

heap_stats

Enable/disable memory auditor statistics.

```
void
heap_stats(bool_t stats);
```

stats TRUE to activate.

Remarks:

By default TRUE.

heap_leaks

Returns TRUE if there are memory leaks at the end of execution.

```
bool_t
heap_leaks(void);
```

Return:

TRUE if leaks exist.

heap_malloc

Reserve a memory block with the default alignment sizeof(void*).

```
byte_t *mem = heap_malloc(1024 * 768, "PixelBuffer");
...
heap_free(&mem, 1024 * 768, "PixelBuffer");
```

Size in bytes of the block.

name Reference text for the auditor.

Return:

Pointer to the new block. Must be released with heap free when it is no longer necessary.

Remarks:

Use this function for generic blocks. For types use heap new.

heap_calloc

Like heap malloc, but initializing the block with 0s.

```
byte t*
heap calloc(const uint32 t size,
            const char t *name);
```

```
byte t *mem = heap calloc(256 * 256, "DrawCanvas");
/* mem = \{0, 0, 0, 0, ..., 0\}; */
heap free(&mem, 256 * 256, "DrawCanvas");
```

Size in bytes of the block. size

Reference text for the auditor. name

Return:

Pointer to the new block. Must be released with heap free when it is no longer necessary.

Remarks:

Use this function for generic blocks. For types use heap new.

heap realloc

Reallocs an existing memory block due to the expansion or reduction of it. Guarantees that the previous content of the block is preserved min(size, new size). Try to do it without moving memory (in situ), but if it is not possible look for a new zone. It also guarantees the default alignment sizeof (void*) if you have to reserve a new block.

```
byte t*
heap realloc (byte t *mem,
             const uint32 t size,
```

```
const uint32_t new_size,
const char_t *name);
```

```
byte_t *mem = heap_malloc(64, "ArrayData");
...
mem = heap_realloc(mem, 64, 128, ArrayData);
...
heap_free(&mem, 128, "ArrayData");
```

mem Pointer to the original block to relocate.

size Size in bytes of the original block mem.

new size New required size, in bytes.

name Reference text for the auditor. It must be the same as the one used in heap malloc.

Return:

Pointer to the relocated block. It will be the same as the original pointer mem if the relocation "in-situ" has been successful. Must be released with heap_free when it is no longer necessary.

Remarks:

Use this function for generic blocks. For types use heap realloc n.

heap_aligned_malloc

Reserve a memory block with alignment.

```
byte_t *sse_data = heap_aligned_malloc(256 * 16, 16, "Vectors");
...
heap_free(&mem, 256 * 16, "Vectors");
```

size Size in bytes of the block.

align Alignment. It must be power of 2.

name Reference text for the auditor.

Return:

Pointer to the new block. Must be released with heap_free when it is no longer necessary.

heap aligned calloc

Like heap aligned malloc, but initializing the block with 0s.

```
bvte t*
heap aligned calloc(const uint32 t size,
                    const uint32 t align,
                    const char t *name);
```

```
byte t *sse data = heap aligned calloc(256 * 16, 16, "Vectors");
/* see data = {0, 0, 0, 0, ..., 0}; */
heap free(&mem, 256 * 16, "Vectors");
```

size Size in bytes of the block.

align Alignment. It must be power of 2.

Reference text for the auditor. name

Return:

Pointer to the new block. Must be released with heap free when it is no longer necessary.

heap aligned realloc

Like heap realloc, but guaranteeing memory alignment.

```
byte t*
heap aligned realloc (byte t *mem,
                      const uint32 t size,
                      const uint32 t new size,
                      const uint32 t align,
                      const char t *name);
```

```
byte t *sse data = heap aligned malloc(256 * 16, 16, "Vectors");
sse data = heap aligned realloc(sse data, 256 * 16, 512 * 16, 16, "Vectors");
heap free(&mem, 512 * 16, "Vectors");
```

Pointer to the original block to relocate. mem

size Size in bytes of the original block mem.

new_size New required size, in bytes.

> Alignment. It must be power of 2. align

Texto reference for the auditor. It must be the same as the one used in name heap aligned malloc.

Return:

Pointer to the relocated block. Must be released with heap_free when it is no longer necessary.

heap_free

Free memory pointed by mem, previously reserved by heap_malloc, heap_realloc or its equivalents with alignment.

mem Double pointer to the block to be released. It will be set to NULL after the release.

size Memory block size.

name Reference text for the auditor, must be the same as that used in heap malloc.

Remarks:

Use this function for generic memory blocks. For types it uses heap delete.

heap_new

Reserve memory for an object. The return pointer is converted to type.

```
type*
heap_new(type);
```

```
MyAppCtrl *ctrl = heap_new(MyAppCtrl);
...
heap_delete(&ctrl, MyAppCtrl);
```

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the created object. It must be destroyed by heap_delete when it is no longer necessary.

heap_new0

Like heap_new, but initializing the object with 0s.

```
type*
heap new0(type);
```

```
MyAppModel *model = heap new0(MyAppModel);
/* model = {0} */
heap delete(&model, MyAppModel);
```

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the created object. It must be destroyed by heap delete when it is no longer necessary.

heap_new_n

Reserve memory for n objects. The return pointer is converted to type.

```
tvpe*
heap new n(const uint32 t n,
           type);
```

```
Car * cars = heap new n(10, Car);
heap delete n(&cars, 10, Car);
```

Number of objects to create.

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the newly created array. It must be destroyed by heap delete n when it is no longer necessary.

heap_new_n0

Like heap new n, but initializing the array with 0s.

```
type*
heap new n0 (const uint32 t n,
            type);
```

```
Car *cars = heap new n0(10, Car);
/* cars = \{0, 0, 0, ..., 0\}; */
heap delete n(&cars, 10, Car);
```

```
n Number of objects to create.
```

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the newly created array. It must be destroyed by heap_delete_n when it is no longer necessary.

heap_realloc_n

Reallocs an array of objects created dynamically with heap_new_n or heap_new_n0. Guarantees that the previous objects remain unchanged min(size, new size).

```
Car *cars = heap_new_n(10, Car);
...
cars = heap_realloc_n(cars, 10, 20, Car);
/* cars[0]-[9] remains untouched. */
...
heap_delete_n(&cars, 20, Car);
```

mem Pointer to the array to relocate.

size Number of elements of the original array mem.

new_size New required size (in elements).

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the relocated array. It must be destroyed by heap_delete_n when it is no longer necessary.

heap_delete

Releases the object targeted by obj, previously reserved by heap new or heap new0.

obj Double pointer to the object to be released. It will be set to NULL after the release.

Object type. type

heap_delete_n

Free n objects targeted by obj, previously booked by heap new n, heap new n0.

```
heap delete n(type **obj,
              const uint32 t n,
              type);
```

- Double pointer to the array to be released. It will be set to NULL after obj the release.
 - Number of objects to be released, the same as in the reservation.

type Object type.

heap_auditor_add

Add an opaque object to the memory auditor.

```
void
heap auditor add(const char t *name);
```

Name of the object to add.

heap auditor delete

Releases an opaque object from the memory auditor.

```
void
heap auditor delete (const char t *name);
```

Name of the object to release.

buffer create

Create a new buffer.

```
Buffer*
buffer create (const uint32 t size);
```

Buffer size in bytes. size

Return:

The new buffer.

buffer_with_data

Create a new buffer and initialize it.

```
Buffer*
buffer_with_data(const byte_t *data,
const uint32_t size);
```

data Data to initialize the buffer.

size Buffer size in bytes.

Return:

The new buffer.

buffer_destroy

Destroy the buffer.

```
void
buffer_destroy(Buffer **buffer);
```

buffer The buffer. It will be set to NULL after the destruction.

buffer size

Gets the size of the buffer.

```
uint32_t
buffer_size(const Buffer *buffer);
```

buffer Buffer.

Return:

The size of the buffer in bytes.

buffer_data

Gets a pointer to the contents of the buffer.

```
byte_t*
buffer_data(Buffer *buffer);
```

buffer Buffer.

Return:

Pointer to the contents of the buffer that can be used to read or write.

buffer_const

Get a *const* pointer to the contents of the buffer.

```
const byte t*
buffer const(const Buffer *buffer);
```

buffer Buffer.

Return:

Pointer to the content of the buffer that can be used for reading only.

tc

Returns the inner C string in format "UTF-8" (page 160) contained in the String.

```
const char t*
tc(const String *str);
```

String object. str

Return:

Pointer to the C-string.

tcc

Returns the inner C (non-const) string in "UTF-8" (page 160) format contained in String.

```
char t*
tcc(String *str);
```

String object. str

Return:

Pointer to the C-string.

str c

Create a String from a "UTF-8" (page 160)-encoded C string.

```
String*
str_c(const char_t *str);
```

str C UTF8 string ending in null character '\0'.

Return:

The String object.

str_cn

Create a String by copying the first n bytes of a C string.

```
String*
str_cn(const char_t *str,
const uint32_t n);
```

str UTF8 C String.

n The number of bytes to copy.

Return:

The String object.

Remarks:

In "UTF-8" (page 160) strings, the number of bytes does not correspond to the number of characters.

str_trim

Create a String from a C string by cutting the blanks, both at the beginning and at the end.

```
String*
str_trim(const char_t *str);
```

str C UTF8 string ending in null character '\0'.

Return:

The String object.

str trim n

Create a String from the first n bytes of a C string cutting the blanks, both at the beginning and at the end.

```
String*
str trim n(const char t *str,
           const uint32 t n);
```

UTF8 C string. str

The number of bytes to consider from the original string. The copy can contain 'n' or fewer bytes, depending on the number of blanks.

Return:

The String object.

str copy

Create an exact copy of the String.

```
Strina*
str copy(const String *str);
```

The original String object. str

Return:

The copy of String object.

Remarks:

Strings are a special type of mutable object. Copy involves creating a new object and not increasing a reference counter.

str printf

Compose a String from several fields, using the the printf format.

```
Strina*
str printf(const char t *format,
           ...);
```

String with the printf-like format with a variable number of parameters. format

Arguments or variables of the printf.

Return:

The String object.

Remarks:

The use of this function prevents **buffer overflow** vulnerabilities, associated with the classic C functions such as strcpy.

str_path

Like str_printf, but consider the string to be a *pathname* and therefore use the convenient separator according platform.

platform Platform for which the *pathname* is created.

format String with the printf-like format with a variable number of parameters.

... Arguments or variables of the printf.

Return:

The String object.

str_cpath

Like str_path, but considering the platform where the program is running.

```
String *path = str_cpath("/%s/img/%s.png", tc(product->category), tc(product->

ightarrow name));

path = "\\camera\\img\\sony_a5000.png" // In Windows

path = "/camera/img/sony_a5000.png" // In Unix-like
```

format String with the printf-like format with a variable number of parameters.

... Arguments or variables of the printf.

Return:

The String object.

str relpath

Calculate the relative path to path1 to get to path2.

```
String*
str relpath (const platform t platform,
            const char t *path1,
            const char t *path2);
```

platform Platform for which the path is calculated (directory separator).

path1 The origin path.

path2 The destination path.

Return:

The string object that contains the relative path.

str_crelpath

Calculate the relative path to path1 to get to path2.

```
Strina*
str crelpath (const char t *path1,
             const char t *path2);
```

path1 The origin path.

path2 The destination path.

Return:

The string object that contains the relative path.

Remarks:

Same as str relpath, but using the directory separator of the platform where the program is running.

str repl

Create a String by replacing an undetermined number of sub-strings. The first parameter is the original string. The following pairs indicate the sub-string to be searched and the sub-string that should replace it. The last parameter must be 0.

```
String*
str repl(const char t *str,
         ...);
```

- str Original C UTF8 string terminated in null character '\0'.
- ... Variable number of parameters, in pairs. The first element of the pair indicates the sub-string to look for in str. The second element replaces it.

Return:

The String object.

str reserve

Create a String with n+1 bytes, but without assigning any content.

```
String*
str_reserve(const uint32_t n);
```

n Number of bytes. Reserve space for one more (the '\n').

Return:

The String object. Its content will be indeterminate (garbage). It must be written later.

str_fill

Create a String by repeating n times the same character.

- n Number of characters.
- c Pattern character.

Return:

The String object.

str_read

Create a String by reading its contents from a Stream (de-serialization). String must have been previously written by str_write.

```
String*
str read(Stream *stream);
```

stream A read *stream*.

Return:

The String object.

Remarks:

It is a **binary** operation. String size is deserialized first.

str write

Write a string in a "Streams" (page 195) (serialization).

```
str write (Stream *stream,
          String *str);
```

stream A write stream.

> The String object. str

Remarks:

It is a binary operation. The string size is serialized first. Use str writef to write only the text.

str writef

Write in a "Streams" (page 195) the C string contained in the string.

```
void
str writef(Stream *stream,
           String *str);
```

A write stream. stream

> The String object. str

Remarks:

Write only the *string* text, without the null final character '0'. It is equivalent to stm writef(stream, tc(str)); but more efficient, since you don't have to calculate the size of str.

str_copy_c

Copy the C string src in the buffer pointed by dest, including the null character '\0'.

dest Destination Buffer.

size Size in bytes of dest.

str UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.

Remarks:

It is a safe operation. They will not be written in dest more of size bytes and a character will never be truncated. dest it will always end the null character '\0'.

str_copy_cn

Copy in dest a maximum of n bytes of the C UTF8 string pointed by src, including the null character '\0'.

dest Destination Buffer.

size Size in bytes of dest.

str UTF8 C string.

n Maximum number of bytes to copy in dest.

Remarks:

It is a safe operation. They will not be written in dest more of n bytes and a character will never be truncated. dest it will always end the null character '\0'.

str_cat

Dynamically concatenates the content of src in dest.

```
**dest
        String object of origin and destination.
```

src UTF8 C string to concatenate.

Remarks:

This operation involves reallocating dynamic memory. To compose long texts it is more efficient to use Stream.

str cat c

Concatenate the content of src in dest. The null character in dest will be overwritten by the first character of src.

```
void
str cat c(char t *dest,
          const uint32 t size,
          const char t *src);
```

UTF8 C string origin and destination. dest

size Size in bytes of dest.

src UTF8 C string to concatenate.

Remarks:

It is a safe operation. They will not be written in dest more of size bytes and a character will never be truncated. dest it will always end the null character '\0'.

str_upd

Change the content of a *string* to another.

```
void
str upd(String **str,
        const char t *new str);
```

```
// Equivalent code
String *str = ..original content..
String *temp = str c(new str);
str destroy(&str);
str = temp;
temp = NULL;
```

Destination *string* object. The original content will be deleted. str

UTF8 C string that will replace the original. new str

str_destroy

Destroy a string object.

```
void
str_destroy(String **str);
```

str The string object. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

str_destopt

Destroy a string object if its content is not NULL (optional destroyer).

```
void
str_destopt(String **str);
```

str The string object. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

str_len

Returns the size in bytes of a string.

```
uint32_t
str_len(const String *str);
```

str The String object.

Return:

The number of bytes, not including the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

In "UTF-8" (page 160) strings the number of bytes is not the same as the characters. str nchars.

str_len_c

Returns the size in bytes of a UTF8 C string.

```
uint32_t
str_len_c(const char_t *str);
```

str UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.

Return:

The number of bytes, not including the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

In "UTF-8" (page 160) strings the number of bytes is not the same as the characters. str nchars.

str nchars

Returns the number of characters of a string object.

```
uint32 t
str nchars(const String *str);
```

The String object. str

Return:

The number of characters, not including the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

In "UTF-8" (page 160) strings the number of bytes is not the same as the characters.

str prefix

Locate the common begin of two strings.

```
uint32 t
str prefix(const char t *str1,
           const char t *str2);
```

First UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'. str1

Second UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'. str2

Return:

The number of bytes that are identical at the beginning of both strings.

str_is_prefix

Check if one string is prefix of another.

```
bool t
str is prefix(const char t *str,
              const char t *prefix);
```

UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'. str

prefix Prefix of str terminated in null character '\0'.

Return:

TRUE if prefix is prefix of str.

str_is_sufix

Check if one string is a suffix of another.

```
str Null-terminated UTF8 C string '\0'.
```

suffix of str terminated in null character '\0'.

Return:

TRUE si sufix is sufix of str.

str_scmp

Compare two strings alphabetically.

str1 First string.

str2 Second string.

Return:

Comparison result.

str_cmp

Compare alphabetically a string with a UTF8 C string.

str1 String object.

str2 C UTF8 string terminated in null character '\0'.

Return:

Comparison result.

str cmp c

Compare alphabetically two UTF8 C strings terminated in a null character '\0'.

```
str cmp c(const char t *str1,
          const char t *str2);
```

First UTF8 C string. str1

Second UTF8 C string. str2

Return:

Comparison result.

str_cmp_cn

Compare alphabetically the first n bytes of two UTF8 C strings terminated in a null character '\0'.

```
int
str cmp cn(const char t *str1,
           const char t *str2,
           const uint32 t n);
```

First UTF8 C string. str1

str2Second UTF8 C string.

Maximum number of bytes to compare.

Return:

Comparison result.

Remarks:

It is a safe operation. If either of the two chains reaches the end before reaching n bytes, the comparison ends.

str_empty

Check if a string is empty $(str->data[0] == '\0')$.

```
str empty(const String *str);
```

The String object. str

Return:

TRUE if it is empty or is NULL.

str_empty_c

Check if a UTF8 C string is empty (str[0] == '\0').

```
bool_t
str_empty_c(const char_t *str);
```

str UTF8 C string.

Return:

TRUE if it is empty or is NULL.

str_equ

Check if the content of a string is equal to a C string.

str1 String object.

str2 UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.

Return:

TRUE if they are equals.

str_equ_c

Check if two UTF8 C strings are equal.

str1 First UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.

str2 Second UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.

Return:

TRUE if they are equals.

Check if the first bytes of two UTF8 C strings are equal.

- str1 First UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.
- str2 Second UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.
 - n First 'n' bytes to compare.

Return:

TRUE if they are equals.

Remarks:

If '\0' is reached in either of the two strings, TRUE will be returned.

str_equ_nocase

Check if two UTF8 C strings are equal, ignoring upper or lower case.

- str1 First UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.
- str2 Second UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.

Return:

TRUE if they are equals.

Remarks:

Only US-ASCII characters are considered (0-127).

str_equ_end

Check the termination of a string.

```
str UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'. end UTF8 C string with termination.
```

Return:

TRUE if str ends in end.

str_upper

Change lowercase letters to uppercase.

```
void
str_upper(String *str);
```

str The String object.

Remarks:

Only US-ASCII characters (0-127) are considered. The original string will change, but not the memory requirements.

str_lower

Change uppercase letters to lowercase letters.

```
void
str_lower(String *str);
```

str The String object.

Remarks:

Only US-ASCII characters (0-127) are considered. The original string will change, but not the memory requirements.

str_upper_c

Convert a string to uppercase.

dest Destination buffer.

size Size in bytes of the destination buffer.

str String C UTF8 terminated in null character '\0'.

Remarks:

Only US-ASCII characters are considered (0-127).

str lower c

Convert a string to lowercase.

```
void
str lower_c(char_t *dest,
            const uint32 t size,
            const char t *str);
```

dest Destination buffer.

size Size in bytes of the destination buffer.

String C UTF8 terminated in null character '\0'.

Remarks:

Only US-ASCII characters are considered (0-127).

str subs

Change all instances of one character to another.

```
void
str subs (String *str,
         const char t replace,
         const char t with);
```

```
String *str = str c("customer.service.company.com");
str_subs(str, '.', '_');
str uppercase(str);
str="CUSTOMER SERVICE COMPANY COM"
```

 str The String object.

replace Character to replace.

with Replacement character.

Remarks:

Only US-ASCII characters (0-127) are considered. The original string will change, but not the memory requirements.

str_repl_c

Change all instances of one substring to another.

str The String object.

replace Substring to replace.

with Replacement substring.

Remarks:

The substrings replace and with they must be the same size, otherwise a "Asserts" (page 155) will be triggered. Use str repl for the general case.

str str

Search for a substring within a larger one.

str UTF8 C strings terminated in null character '\0'.

substr Substring to search terminated in null character '\0'.

Return:

Pointer to the first occurrence of substr in str or NULL if there is none.

str_split

Divide a string into two, using the first occurrence of a substring.

```
const char_t *str = "one::two";
String *str1, *str2, *str3;
bool_t ok1, ok2;
ok1 = str_split(str, "::", &str1, &str2);
ok2 = str split(tc(str1), "::", NULL, &str3);
```

str UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.

substr Substring to search.

left Left substring. It will be equal to str if substr does not exist. The parameter can be NULL if not necessary.

right Right substring. It will be equal to "" if substr does not exist. The parameter can be NULL if not necessary.

Return:

TRUE if substr exists in str.

str_split_trim

Like str split but removing all the blanks at the beginning and end of left and right.

str UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.

substr Substring to search.

left Left substring.

right Right substring.

Return:

TRUE if substr exists in str.

str_splits

Splits a string into several, using a substring as a separator.

```
str UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.
```

substr Substring to search (separator).

trim If TRUE, substrings will remove leading and trailing whitespace.

Return:

Array with the substrings found. It must be destroyed with arrpt_destroy(&array, str destroy, String).

Remarks:

Same as str split or str split trim, but considering more than one substring.

str_split_pathname

Divide a pathname into path and file "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

```
String *path, *name, *name2;
str_split_pathname("C:\\Users\\john\\Desktop\\image.png", &path, &name);
str_split_pathname(tc(path), NULL, name2);
path = "C:\\Users\\john\\Desktop"
name = "image.png"
name2 = "Desktop"
```

pathname Input pathname.

path Directory path. The parameter can be NULL if not necessary.

file File name or final directory. The parameter can be NULL if not necessary.

str_split_pathext

Like str_split_pathname but also extracting the file extension.

```
String *path, *name, *ext;
str_split_pathext("C:\\Users\\john\\Desktop\\image.png", &path, &name, &ext);
path = "C:\\Users\\john\\Desktop"
```

```
name = "image"
ext = "png"
  pathname
              Input pathname.
        path
              Path part.
         file
              File part.
              File extension.
         ext
```

str filename

Returns the final part of a pathname. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

```
const char t*
str filename(const char_t *pathname);
```

```
const char t *name = str filename("C:\\Users\\john\\Desktop\\image.png");
name = "image.png"
```

pathname Input pathname.

Return:

The last part of a directory path.

str_filext

Returns the file extension, from a pathname. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

```
const char t*
str filext(const char t *pathname);
```

```
const char t *ext = str fileext("C:\\Users\\john\\Desktop\\image.png");
ext = "png"
```

pathname Input pathname.

Return:

The file extension.

str find

Search for a string in an array.

```
uint32 t
str find(const ArrPt(String) *array,
         const char t *str);
```

```
array Array.
str The string to find.
```

Return:

The position of the string or UINT32 MAX if it does not exist.

str to i8

Converts a text string into an integer.

```
str Text string, ending in null character '\0'.
```

base Numeric base: 8 (octal), 10 (decimal), 16 (hexadecimal).

error Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL.

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0 with error=TRUE.

str_to_i16

Converts a text string into an integer.

```
str Text string, ending in null character '\0'.
```

base Numeric base: 8 (octal), 10 (decimal), 16 (hexadecimal).

error Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL.

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0 with error=TRUE.

str to i32

Converts a text string into an integer.

```
int32 t
str to i32(const char t *str,
           const uint32 t base,
           bool t *error);
```

str Text string, ending in null character '\0'.

Numeric base: 8 (octal), 10 (decimal), 16 (hexadecimal). base

error Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL.

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0 with error=TRUE.

str to i64

Converts a text string into an integer.

```
int64 t
str to i64(const char t *str,
           const uint32 t base,
           bool t *error);
```

Text string, ending in null character '\0'. str

base Numeric base: 8 (octal), 10 (decimal), 16 (hexadecimal).

Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL. error

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0 with error=TRUE.

str_to_u8

Converts a text string into an integer.

str Text string, ending in null character '\0'.

base Numeric base: 8 (octal), 10 (decimal), 16 (hexadecimal).

error Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL.

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0 with error=TRUE.

str_to_u16

Converts a text string into an integer.

str Text string, ending in null character '\0'.

base Numeric base: 8 (octal), 10 (decimal), 16 (hexadecimal).

error Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL.

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0 with error=TRUE.

str_to_u32

Converts a text string into an integer.

```
uint32 t
str to u32(const char t *str,
           const uint32 t base,
           bool t *error);
```

Text string, ending in null character '\0'. str

Numeric base: 8 (octal), 10 (decimal), 16 (hexadecimal). base

Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL. error

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0 with error=TRUE.

str to u64

Converts a text string into an integer.

```
uint64 t
str to u64(const char t *str,
           const uint32 t base,
           bool t *error);
```

Text string, ending in null character '\0'. str

Numeric base: 8 (octal), 10 (decimal), 16 (hexadecimal). base

Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL.

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0 with error=TRUE.

str_to_r32

Convert a string of text into a real.

```
real32 t
str to r32(const char t *str,
           bool t *error);
```

```
str Text string, ending in null character '\0'.

error Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL.
```

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0.0 with error=TRUE.

str_to_r64

Convert a string of text into a real.

str Text string, ending in null character '\0'.

error Gets TRUE if there is an error in the conversion. Can be NULL.

Return:

The numerical value.

Remarks:

If the string is wrong or the value is out of range, return 0.0 with error=TRUE.

stm_from_block

Create a read stream from an existing memory block.

```
Stream*
stm_from_block(const byte_t *data,
const uint32_t size);
```

data Pointer to the memory block.

size Size in bytes of the memory block.

Return:

The stream.

Remarks:

stm_memory

Create a read/write memory stream.

```
Stream*
stm_memory(const uint32_t size);
```

size Initial buffer size (in bytes). It will grow if necessary.

Return:

The stream.

Remarks:

It can be used as an internal pipeline for the information exchange between functions or threads. It behaves like a FIFO (First In Fist Out) buffer. For multi-threaded access you must be protected with a Mutex. "Memory stream" (page 197).

stm from file

Create a stream to read from a file on disk.

pathname File pathname. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

The stream or NULL if the file opening fails.

Remarks:

```
"File stream" (page 196).
```

stm_to file

Create a stream to write data to a file on disk.

```
pathname File pathname. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.
```

Return:

The stream or NULL if file creation fails.

Remarks:

If the file already exists it will be overwritten. "File stream" (page 196).

stm_append_file

Create a stream to write data to the end of an existing file.

```
pathname File pathname. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.
```

Return:

The stream or NULL if the file opening fails.

Remarks:

It will fail if the file does not exist (do not create it). "File stream" (page 196).

stm_socket

Create a stream from a socket.

```
Stream*
stm_socket(Socket *socket);
```

socket Client or server socket.

Return:

The stream.

Remarks:

It allows to use the streams functionality to read or write in a remote process. The socket must have been previously created with bsocket_connect (client) or bsocket_accept (server). See "Socket stream" (page 196).

stm_close

Close the stream. All resources such as file descriptors or *sockets* will be released. Before to closing, the data will be written to the channel stm flush.

```
void
stm close(Stream **stm);
```

The stream. Will be set to NULL after closing. stm

stm_get_write_endian

Get the current byte order when writing to the stream.

```
endian t
stm get write endian (const Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

The "Byte order" (page 207).

stm get read endian

Get the current byte order when reading from the stream.

```
endian t
stm get read endian(const Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

The "Byte order" (page 207).

stm set write endian

Set the order of bytes when writing to the stream, from now on.

```
void
stm set write endian(Stream *stm,
                     const endian t endian);
```

```
The stream.
stm
```

endian The "Byte order" (page 207).

Remarks:

Default is eklitend, except in sockets that will be ekbigend.

stm set read endian

Set the order of bytes when reading from the stream, from now on.

```
stm set read endian(Stream *stm,
                    const endian t endian);
```

```
The stream.
stm
     The "Byte order" (page 207).
```

Remarks:

endian

Default is eklitend, except in sockets that will be ekbigend.

stm_get_write_utf

Gets the UTF encoding with which the texts are being written in the stream.

```
unicode t
stm get write utf(const Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

```
"UTF encodings" (page 159).
```

Remarks:

```
See "Text stream" (page 200).
```

stm get read utf

Get the UTF encoding with which the texts are being read in the stream.

```
unicode t
stm get read utf(const Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

```
"UTF encodings" (page 159).
```

Remarks:

```
See "Text stream" (page 200).
```

stm set write utf

Set the UTF encoding when writing texts in the stream, from now on.

```
void
stm set write utf(Stream *stm,
                  const unicode t format);
```

```
stm
     The stream.
```

```
"UTF encodings" (page 159).
format
```

Remarks:

```
See "Text stream" (page 200).
```

stm set read utf

Set the UTF encoding when reading texts in the stream, from now on.

```
void
stm set read utf(Stream *stm,
                 const unicode t format);
```

```
stm
     The stream.
```

```
"UTF encodings" (page 159).
format
```

Remarks:

```
See "Text stream" (page 200).
```

stm is memory

Gets if it is a memory-resident stream.

```
bool t
stm is memory(const Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

```
TRUE if it was created by stm from block or stm memory.
```

stm_bytes_written

Gets the total bytes written in the stream since its creation.

```
uint64 t
stm_bytes_written(const Stream *stm);
```

Return:

The total number of bytes written.

stm_bytes_readed

Get the total bytes read from the stream since its creation.

```
uint64_t
stm_bytes_readed(const Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

The total number of bytes readed.

stm_col

Get the column in text streams.

```
uint32_t
stm_col(const Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Column number.

Remarks:

When we read characters in text streams with stm_read_char or derivatives, the columns and rows are counted in a similar way as text editors do. This information can be useful when displaying warnings or error messages. In mixed streams (binary + text), the count stops when reading binary data and continues when reading the text is resumed. View "Text stream" (page 200).

stm row

Get row in text streams.

```
uint32_t
stm_row(const Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Row number.

Remarks:

```
See stm col.
```

stm_token_col

Gets the column of the last token read.

```
uint32 t
stm token col(const Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

Column number.

Remarks:

It only takes effect after calling stm read token or derivatives. See stm col and "Tokens" (page 201).

stm_token_row

Gets the row of the last token read.

```
uint32 t
stm token row(const Stream *stm);
```

stmThe stream.

Return:

Row number.

Remarks:

It only takes effect after calling stm read token or derivatives. See stm col and "Tokens" (page 201).

stm_token_lexeme

Gets the lexeme of the last token read.

```
const char_t*
stm_token_lexeme(const Stream *stm);
```

Return:

The lexeme. It is stored in a temporary buffer and will be lost when reading the next token. If you need it, make a copy with str c.

Remarks:

It only takes effect after calling stm_read_token or derivatives. See stm_col and "Tokens" (page 201).

stm_token_escapes

Escape sequences option when reading tokens.

stm The stream.

active escapes

TRUE the escape sequences will be processed when reading ektstring tokens. For example, the sequence "\n" will become the character 0x0A (10). FALSE will ignore escape sequences, reading strings literally. By default FALSE.

Remarks:

It will take effect on the next call to stm_read_token. See "Tokens" (page 201).

stm_token_spaces

Blanks option when reading tokens.

stm The stream.

active_spaces TRUE ektspace tokens will be returned when finding sequences of whitespace. False will ignore whitespace. By default false.

Remarks:

It will take effect on the next call to stm read token. See "Tokens" (page 201).

stm_token_comments

Comments option when reading tokens.

stm The stream.

 $active_comments$

TRUE an ektmlcom token will be returned every time it encounters C comments / * Comment */ and ektslcom for comments C++ // Comment. False comments will be ignored. By default False.

Remarks:

It will take effect on the next call to stm read token. See "Tokens" (page 201).

stm state

Get the current state of the stream.

```
sstate_t
stm_state(const Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

The "Stream state" (page 208).

stm_file_err

Get additional information about the error, in disk streams.

```
ferror_t
stm_file_err(const Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

File error.

Remarks:

It is only relevant in "File stream" (page 196) with the state ekstbroken.

stm sock err

Get additional information about the error, in network streams.

```
serror_t
stm_sock_err(const Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Socket error.

Remarks:

It is only relevant in "Socket stream" (page 196) with the state ekstbroken.

stm_corrupt

Set the stream status to ekstcorrupt.

```
void
stm_corrupt(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Remarks:

Sometimes, it is the application that detects that the data is corrupted since the data semantics wasn't expected.

stm_str

Create a string with the current content of the internal buffer. It is only valid for stream in memory. stm memory.

```
String*
stm_str(const Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

The string with the buffer content.

stm buffer

Gets a pointer to the current content of the internal buffer. Only valid for stream in memory. stm memory.

```
const byte t*
stm buffer(const Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

Internal buffer pointer.

Remarks:

This pointer is read only. Writing here will have unexpected consequences.

stm buffer size

Get the current size of the internal buffer. Only valid for stream in memory. stm memory.

```
uint32 t
stm buffer size (const Stream *stm);
```

stmThe stream.

Return:

The size of the internal buffer (in bytes).

stm_write

Write bytes in the stream.

```
void
stm write (Stream *stm,
          const byte t *data,
          const uint32 t size);
```

The stream. stm

Pointer to the data block to write. data

Number of bytes to write. size

Remarks:

The block is written as is, regardless of the "Byte order" (page 207) neither the "UTF encodings" (page 159).

stm write char

Write a Unicode character in the stream.

stm The stream.

codepoint The "Unicode" (page 157) value of character.

Remarks:

The encoding can be changed with stm set write utf.

stm_printf

Write text in the stream, using the printf format.

```
stm_printf(stream, Code: %-10s Price %5.2f\n", code, price);
```

stm The stream.

format String with the printf-like format with a variable number of parameters.

... Arguments or variables of the printf.

Return:

The number of bytes written.

Remarks:

The final null character (' $\0$ ') will not be written. The encoding can be changed with stm_set_write_utf.

stm_writef

Writes a UTF8 C string in the stream.

```
The stream.
stm
```

 str C UTF8 string terminated in null character '\0'.

Return:

The number of bytes written.

Remarks:

The final null character ('\0') will not be written. This function is faster than stm printf when the string is constant and does not need formatting. For String objects use str writef. The encoding can be changed with stm set write utf.

stm_write_bool

Write a bool t variable in the stream.

```
void
stm write bool (Stream *stm,
               const bool t value);
```

The stream. stm

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams.

stm_write_i8

Write a int8 t variable in the stream.

```
void
stm write i8(Stream *stm,
             const int8 t value);
```

stm The stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams.

stm_write_i16

Write a int16 t variable in the stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_write_i32

Write a int32 t variable in the stream.

stm The stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_write_i64

Write a int64 t variable in the stream.

stm The stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_write_u8

Write a uint8_t variable in the stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams.

stm_write_u16

Write a uint16 t variable in the stream.

stm The stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_write_u32

Write a uint32 t variable in the stream.

stm The stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_write_u64

Write a uint64_t variable in the stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_write_r32

Write a real32 t variable in the stream.

stm The stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_write_r64

Write a real64 t variable in the stream.

stm The stream.

value Value to write.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_write_enum

Write a enum variable in the stream.

```
void
stm write enum (Stream *stm,
                const type value,
                type);
```

value Value to write.

type The enum type.

Remarks:

It is a binary write. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_read

Read bytes from the stream.

```
uint32 t
stm read(Stream *stm,
         byte t *data,
         const uint32 t size);
```

The stream. stm

data Pointer to the buffer where the read data will be written.

size The number of bytes to read (buffer size).

Return:

The number of bytes actually read.

stm_read_char

Read a text character from the stream.

```
uint32 t
stm read char (Stream *stm);
```

stmThe stream.

Return:

The Unicode character code.

Remarks:

The encoding of the input text can be changed with stm set read utf.

stm read chars

Read several characters from the stream.

stm The stream.

n The number of characters to read.

Return:

Pointer to the UTF8 C string read. It will end with the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

The returned pointer is temporary and will be overwritten in the next reading. If necessary, make a copy with str_c. The encoding of the input text can be changed with stm_set_read_utf.

stm_read_line

Read stream characters until an end of line is reached '\n'.

```
const char_t*
stm_read_line(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Pointer to the UTF8 C string, terminated with the null character '\0'. The characters '\n' or '\r\n' will not be included in the result. NULL will be returned when the end of the stream is reached.

Remarks:

The returned pointer is temporary and will be overwritten in the next reading. If necessary, make a copy with str_c. The encoding of the input text can be changed with stm set read utf.

stm_read_trim

Read the following sequence of characters removing the blank spaces.

```
const char_t*
stm_read_trim(Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

Pointer to the C UTF8 string read. It will end with the null character '\0'.

Remarks:

Useful for reading strings from text streams. It will ignore all leading blanks and read characters until the first blank is found ('', '\\t', '\\n', '\\r', '\\r'). If you need more control over tokens use stm read token. The pointer returned is temporary and will be overwritten on the next read. If necessary, make a copy with str c. The input text encoding can be adjusted with stm set read utf. It will update the row and column counter. See stm col.

stm read token

Get the following token in "Text stream" (page 200).

```
token t
stm read token (Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

The type of token obtained.

Remarks:

To get the text string associated with the token, use stm token lexeme. See "Tokens" (page 201).

stm read i8 tok

Read the following token with stm read token and, if it is an integer, convert it to int8 t.

```
int8 t
stm read i8 tok(Stream *stm);
```

stmThe stream.

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

In case a token of type ektinteger cannot be read (with or without ektminus) or the numeric value is out of range, 0 will be returned and the stream will be marked as corrupt with stm corrupt.

stm read i16 tok

Read the next token and convert it to int16 t.

```
int16_t
stm_read_i16_tok(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

```
See stm read i8 tok.
```

stm_read_i32_tok

Read the next token and convert it to int32_t.

```
int32_t
stm_read_i32_tok(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

```
See stm read i8 tok.
```

stm_read_i64_tok

Read the next token and convert it to int64_t.

```
int64_t
stm_read_i64_tok(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

```
See stm read i8 tok.
```

stm_read_u8_tok

Read the following token with stm read token and, if it is an integer, convert it to uint8 t.

```
uint8 t
stm read u8 tok(Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

In case a token of type ektinteger cannot be read or the numeric value is out of range, 0 will be returned and the stream will be marked as corrupt with stm corrupt.

stm_read_u16_tok

Read the next token and convert it to uint16 t.

```
uint16 t
stm_read_u16_tok(Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

```
See stm read u8 tok.
```

stm read u32 tok

Read the next token and convert it to uint32 t.

```
uint32_t
stm_read_u32_tok(Stream *stm);
```

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

```
See stm read u8 tok.
```

stm read u64 tok

Read the next token and convert it to uint64 t.

```
uint64_t
stm_read_u64_tok(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

```
See stm read u8 tok.
```

stm_read_r32_tok

Read the following token with stm_read_token and, if it is a real number, convert it to real32 t.

```
real32_t
stm_read_r32_tok(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

In case a token of type ektinteger or ektreal cannot be read (with or without ektminus), 0 will be returned and the stream will be marked as corrupt with stm_corrupt

stm read r64 tok

Read the next token and convert it to real64 t.

```
real64 t
stm_read_r64_tok(Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

The numeric value of the token.

Remarks:

```
See stm read r32 tok.
```

stm_read_bool

Read a bool t value from the stream.

```
bool t
stm read bool(Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams.

stm_read_i8

Read a int8 t value from the stream.

```
int8 t
stm_read_i8(Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams.

stm_read_i16

Read a int16 t value from the stream.

```
int16_t
stm_read_i16(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_read_i32

Read a int32 t value from the stream.

```
int32_t
stm_read_i32(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_read_i64

Read a int64 t value from the stream.

```
int64_t
stm_read_i64(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm read u8

Read a uint8 t value from the stream.

```
uint8 t
stm read u8(Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams.

stm read u16

Read a uint16 t value from the stream.

```
uint16 t
stm read u16(Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm read u32

Read a uint32 t value from the stream.

```
uint32 t
stm_read_u32(Stream *stm);
```

The stream. stm

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm read u64

Read a uint64 t value from the stream.

```
uint64_t
stm_read_u64(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_read_r32

Read a real32_t value from the stream.

```
real32_t
stm_read_r32(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_read_r64

Read a real64 t value from the stream.

```
real64_t
stm_read_r64(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm read enum

Read a enum value from the stream.

```
stm The stream.
```

type The enum type.

Return:

Value read.

Remarks:

It is a binary reading. Do not use in "pure" text streams. "Byte order" (page 207).

stm_skip

Skip and ignore the next bytes of the stream.

```
stm The stream.
```

size The number of bytes to skip.

stm_skip_bom

Skip the possible $Byte\ Order\ Mark$ sequence "i»?`" found at the beginning of some text streams.

```
void
stm_skip_bom(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Remarks:

This function will have no effect if there is no such sequence at the beginning of the stream. The BOM is common in streams coming from some web servers.

stm_skip_token

Skip the next token in the stream. If the token does not correspond to the one indicated, the stream will be marked as corrupt.

```
void stm_skip_token(Stream *stm, const token_t token)
{
   token_t tok = stm_read_token(stm);
   if (tok != token)
        stm_corrupt(stm);
}
```

stm The stream.

token Expected token.

stm_flush

Write in the channel the existing information in the cache.

```
void
stm_flush(Stream *stm);
```

stm The stream.

Remarks:

To improve performance, write operations on disk streams or standard I/O are stored in an internal cache. This function forces writing on the channel and cleans the buffer. It will be useful with full-duplex protocols where the receiver awaits reply to continue.

stm_pipe

Connect two streams, reading data from one and writing it to another.

from The input stream (to read).

- to The output stream (to write).
- n The number of bytes to be transferred.

Remarks:

The transfer will be made on raw data, regardless of "Byte order" (page 207) or "UTF encodings" (page 159). If you are clear that this does not affect, it is much faster than using atomic read/write operations.

stm lines

Iterate over all lines in a "Text stream" (page 200). You should use stm next to close the loop.

```
void
stm lines(const char t *line,
         Stream *stm);
```

```
uint32 t i = 1;
Stream *stm = stm from file("/home/john/friends.txt", NULL);
stm lines(line, stm)
    bstd printf("Friend %d, name %s\n", i++, line);
stm next(line, stm);
stm close(&stm);
```

Name of the variable that will temporarily host the line. Use an internal stream cache, so you should make a copy with str c if you need to keep it.

The stream. stm

stm next

Close a loop open by stm lines.

```
void
stm next(const char t *line,
         Stream *stm);
```

line Name of the line variable.

The stream. stm

arrst_create

Create an empty array.

```
ArrSt(type) *
arrst create(type);
```

Object type. type

Return:

The new array.

arrst_copy

Create a copy of an array.

array The original array.

func copy Function that must copy the fields of each object.

type Object type.

Return:

The copy of the original array.

Remarks:

The copy function must allocate memory to the fields that require it, but NOT to the object itself. If we pass NULL, a byte-by-byte copy of the original object will be made, which may pose an integrity risk if the array elements contain String or other objects that need dynamic memory.

arrst_read

Create an array by reading its contents from a "Streams" (page 195) (de-serialization).

stream A read *stream*.

func_read Function to initialize an object from the data obtained from a stream. This function should not reserve memory for the object itself (the container already does). "Serialization" (page 215).

type Object type.

Return:

The array readed.

arrst destroy

Destroy an array and all its elements.

```
void
arrst destroy (ArrSt(type) **array,
              FPtr remove func remove,
               type);
```

The array. It will be set to NULL after destruction. array

func remove Function that must free the memory associated with the object's fields, but not the object itself "Destructors" (page 216). If NULL only the array will be destroyed and not the internal content of the elements.

Object type. type

arrst_destopt

Destroy an array and all its elements, as long as the array object is not NULL.

```
void
arrst destopt (ArrSt(type) **array,
              FPtr remove func remove,
              type);
```

```
The array.
       array
func remove
              See arrst destroy.
              Object type.
        type
```

arrst_clear

Delete the contents of the array, without destroying the container that will be left with zero elements.

```
void
arrst clear (ArrSt(type) *array,
            FPtr remove func remove,
            type);
```

```
The array.
       array
func _remove
              Remove function. See arrst destroy.
              Object type.
        type
```

arrst_write

Write an array in a "Streams" (page 195) (serialization).

```
stream A write stream.
```

array The array.

func_write Function that writes the content of an element in a stream "Serialization" (page 215).

type Object type.

arrst size

Get the number of elements in an array.

array The array.

type Object type.

Return:

Number of elements.

arrst_get

Get a pointer to the item in pos position.

array The array.

pos Item position or index.

type Object type.

Return:

Item Pointer.

arrst_get_const

Get a **const** pointer to the item in pos position.

```
const type*
arrst get const(const ArrSt(type) *array,
                const uint32 t pos,
                type);
```

```
array
       The array.
 pos
       Item position or index.
       Object type.
type
```

Return:

Item Pointer.

arrst_first

Gets a pointer to the first element of the array.

```
type*
arrst first (ArrSt (type) *array,
             type);
```

```
array
      The array.
type
       Object type.
```

Return:

Item pointer.

arrst first const

Gets a **const** pointer to the first element of the array.

```
const type*
arrst first const(const ArrSt(type) *array,
                  type);
```

```
The array.
array
type
       Object type.
```

Return:

Item pointer.

arrst_last

Get a pointer to the last element of the array.

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Item Pointer.

arrst last const

Get a **const** pointer to the last element of the array.

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Item Pointer.

arrst all

Get a pointer to the internal memory of the array, which gives direct access to all the elements.

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Base pointer. Increasing it one by one we will iterate over the elements.

Remarks:

Use arrst_foreach to iterate over all elements in a more secure and elegant way.

arrst all const

Get a const pointer to the internal memory of the array, which gives direct access to all the elements.

```
const type*
arrst all const(const ArrSt(type) *array,
                type);
```

```
arrav
       The array.
type
       Object type.
```

Return:

Base pointer. Increasing it one by one we will iterate over the elements.

Remarks:

Use arrst foreach const to iterate over all elements in a more secure and elegant way.

arrst_grow

Add n elements, not initialized, at the end of the array.

```
void
arrst grow (ArrSt (type) *array,
           const uint32 t n,
            type);
```

The array. array

Number of items to add.

type Object type.

arrst new

Reserve space for an element at the end of the array.

```
type*
arrst new(ArrSt(type) *array,
          type);
```

```
// arrst append copies 'product'
Product product;
i init product(&product, ...);
arrst append (array, product, Product);
```

```
// arrst_new avoids the copy
Product *product = arrst_new(array, Product);
i_init_product(product, ...);
```

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Pointer to added element.

Remarks:

It is slightly faster than arrst_append, especially in large structures, since it avoids copying the contents of the object. Initial memory content is indeterminate.

arrst new0

Reserve space for an element at the end of the array and initialize it to 0.

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Pointer to added element.

Remarks:

Same as arrst new but initializing all memory to 0.

arrst_new_n

Reserve space for multiple elements at the end of the array.

```
array The array.
```

n Number of elements to add.

type Object type.

Pointer to the first element added.

Remarks:

Same as arrst new but reserving multiple elements in the same call. Initial memory content is indeterminate.

arrst new n0

Reserve space for several elements at the end of the array and initialize them to 0.

```
tvpe*
arrst new n0 (ArrSt(type) *array,
             const uint32 t n,
             type);
```

The array. arrav

Number of elements to add.

Object type. type

Return:

Pointer to the first element added.

Remarks:

Same as arrst new n but initializing all memory to 0.

arrst_prepend_n

Reserve space for several elements at the beginning of the array. The rest of the elements will be shifted to the right.

```
tvpe*
arrst prepend n(ArrSt(type) *array,
                const uint32 t n,
                type);
```

The array. array

Number of elements to insert.

Object type. type

Return:

Pointer to the first inserted element.

Remarks:

Initial memory content is indeterminate.

arrst_insert_n

Reserve space for several elements in an arbitrary position of the array.

```
array The array.
```

pos Position where it will be inserted. The current element in pos and following will be shifted to the right.

n Number of elements to insert.

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the first inserted element.

Remarks:

Initial memory content is indeterminate.

arrst_append

Append an element to the end of the array.

```
array The array.value Item to add.type Object type.
```

arrst_prepend

Insert an element at the beginning of the array. The rest of the elements will be shifted to the right.

```
void
arrst prepend (ArrSt(type) *array,
               type value,
               type);
```

```
array
       The array.
value
      Item to insert.
      Object type.
type
```

arrst insert

Insert an element in an arbitrary array position.

```
void
arrst insert (ArrSt (type) *array,
              const uint32 t pos,
              type value,
              type);
```

```
The array.
arrav
```

Position where it will be inserted. The current item in pos and following pos will be shifted to the right.

value Item to insert.

type Object type.

arrst_join

Join two vectors. Add all the elements of src to the end of dest.

```
void
arrst join(ArrSt(type) *dest,
           const ArrSt(type) *src,
           FPtr scopy func copy,
           type);
```

```
ArrSt(Product) *products = create_products(...);
ArrSt(Product) *new products = new products(...);
// Join without 'copy' func. Dynamic 'Product' fields will be reused.
arrst join(products, new products, NULL, Product);
arrst_destroy(&new products, NULL, Product);
arrst destroy(&products, i remove, Product);
// Join with 'copy' func. Dynamic 'Product' fields will be duplicate.
```

```
arrst_join(products, new_products, i_copy_data, Product);
arrst_destroy(&new_products, i_remove, Product);
...
arrst_destroy(&products, i_remove, Product);

dest The destination array.
```

src The array whose elements will be added to dest.

func_copy Object copy function.

type Object type.

Remarks:

The copy function must create dynamic memory for the fields that require it, but NOT for the object itself. See arrst_copy. If it is NULL, a byte-by-byte copy of the element will be made.

arrst_delete

Remove an element from the array.

array The array.

pos Position of the item to be deleted. The current item in pos+1 and following will be shifted to the left.

func_remove 'Remove' function. See arrst_destroy.

type Object type.

arrst_pop

Remove the last element from the array.

```
array The array.
```

func_remove 'Remove' function. See arrst_destroy.

type Object type.

arrst sort

Sort array elements using Quicksort.

```
void
arrst sort(ArrSt(type) *array,
           FPtr compare func compare,
           type);
```

```
The array.
        array
func compare
                Function to compare two elements. "Sort and search" (page 217).
                Object type.
         type
```

arrst sort ex

Sort array elements using Quicksort and additional data.

```
void
arrst sort ex(ArrSt(type) *array,
              FPtr compare ex func compare,
              type,
              dtype);
```

```
The array.
array
```

Function to compare two elements using an additional data. func compare

> Object type. type

Type of data in the comparison function. dtype

arrst search

Search for an element in the array linearly O(n).

```
type*
arrst search (ArrSt(type) *array,
             FPtr compare func compare,
             const ktype *key,
             uint32 t *pos,
             type,
             ktype);
```

```
uint32 t pos;
uint32 t key = 345;
Product *product = arrst search(arrst, i compare key, &key, &pos, Product,
    \hookrightarrow uint32 t);
```

```
func_compare Comparison function. The first parameter is the element, the second the search key. "Sort and search" (page 217).

key Search key. Pointer to a data type that may be different from the type of array element.

pos Position of the element in the array (if it exists), or UINT32_MAX if it does not exist. Can be NULL.

type Object type.

ktype Key type.
```

Pointer to the first element that matches the search criteria or NULL if none exists.

arrst search const

Const version of arrst search.

```
array The array.

func_compare Comparison function.

key Search key.

pos Position of the element in the array.

type Object type.

ktype Key type.
```

Return:

Pointer to element.

arrst_bsearch

Search for an element in the array logarithmically O(logn).

```
type*
arrst bsearch (ArrSt (type) *array,
              FPtr compare func compare,
              const ktype *key,
              uint32 t *pos,
              type,
              ktype);
```

```
The array.
        array
func compare
                Comparison function. The first parameter is the element, the second
                the search key. "Sort and search" (page 217).
                Search key. Pointer to a data type that may be different from the type
                of array element.
                Position of the element in the array (if it exists), or UINT32 MAX if it
          pos
                does not exist. Can be NULL.
         type Object type.
        ktype Key type.
```

Pointer to the first element that matches the search criteria or NULL if none exists.

Remarks:

The array must be sorted according to the same criteria as the search. If not, the result is unpredictable.

arrst bsearch const

Const version of arrst bsearch.

```
const type*
arrst bsearch const (const ArrSt (type) *array,
                     FPtr compare func compare,
                     const ktype *key,
                     uint32 t *pos,
                     type,
                     ktype);
```

```
array The array.

func_compare Comparison function.

key Seach key.

pos Element position in array.

type Object type.

ktype Key type.
```

Pointer to element.

arrst_foreach

Iterate on all array elements. Uses arrst end to close the loop.

```
arrst_foreach(product, array, Product)
    bstd_printf("Index:%d, Id:%d\n", product_i, product->id);
arrst_end()
```

```
elem Name of the 'element' variable within the loop. Adding the suffix '_i' we get the index.

array The array.
```

array The array.

type Object type.

arrst foreach const

 $\mathbf{Const} \ \mathrm{version} \ \mathrm{of} \ \mathtt{arrst_foreach}.$

```
elem Element.
array The array.
type Object type.
```

arrst forback

Iterate on all array elements backward, from the last to the first. Uses arrst end to close the loop.

```
void
arrst forback(type *elem,
              ArrSt(type) *array,
              type);
```

```
// Now in reverse order
arrst forback(product, array, Product)
    bstd printf("Index:%d, Id:%d\n", product i, product->id);
arrst end()
```

Name of the 'element' variable within the loop. Adding the suffix ' i' we get the index.

The array. array

Object type. type

arrst forback const

Const version of arrst forback.

```
void
arrst forback const(const type *elem,
                    const ArrSt(type) *array,
                    type);
```

elem Element.

array The array.

Object type. type

arrst end

Close the loop opened by arrst foreach, arrst foreach_const, arrst_forback or arrst forback const.

```
void
arrst end(void);
```

arrpt_create

Create an empty array of pointers.

```
ArrPt(type)*
arrpt_create(type);
```

type Object type.

Return:

The new array.

arrpt_copy

Create a copy of an array of pointers.

array The original array.

func_copy Object copy function.

type Object type.

Return:

The copy of the original array.

Remarks:

The copy function must create a dynamic object and allocate memory for internal fields that require it. If we pass NULL, a copy of the original pointers will be made, which can pose an integrity risk since the same object can be destroyed twice if we are not careful. See "Copy objects" (page 214).

arrpt_read

Create an array by reading its contents from a "Streams" (page 195) (de-serialization).

stream A read stream.

func_read Constructor to create an object from the data obtained from a stream. "Serialization" (page 215).

type Object type.

The array readed.

arrpt_destroy

Destroy an array and all its elements.

```
void
arrpt destroy(ArrPt(type) **array,
              FPtr destroy func destroy,
              type);
```

```
The array. It will be set to NULL after destruction.
        arrav
               Function to destroy an element "Destructors" (page 216). If NULL only
func destroy
               the array will be destroyed, but not its elements.
        type
              Object type.
```

arrpt destopt

Destroy an array and all its elements, as long as the array object is not NULL.

```
void
arrpt destopt(ArrSt(type) **array,
              FPtr destroy func destroy,
              type);
```

```
array
              The array.
func destroy
              See arrpt destroy.
        type
             Object type.
```

arrpt_clear

Delete the contents of the array, without destroying the container that will be left with zero elements.

```
void
arrpt clear (ArrPt (type) *array,
            FPtr destroy func destroy,
            type);
```

```
array The array.

func_destroy Destructor function. See arrpt_destroy.

type Object type.
```

arrpt_write

Write an array in a "Streams" (page 195) (serialization).

```
stream A write stream.

array The array.

func_write Function that writes the content of an element in a stream "Serialization" (page 215).

type Object type.
```

arrpt_size

Get the number of elements in an array.

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Number of elements.

arrpt_get

Get a pointer to the item in pos position.

Item Pointer.

arrpt_get_const

Get a **const** pointer to the item in pos position.

array The array.

pos Item position or index.

type Object type.

Return:

Item Pointer.

arrpt_first

Get a pointer to the first element of the array.

array The array.

type Object type.

Return:

Item Pointer.

arrpt_first_const

Get a **const** pointer to the first element of the array.

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Item Pointer.

arrpt_last

Get a pointer to the last element of the array.

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Item Pointer.

arrpt_last_const

Get a **const** pointer to the last element of the array.

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Item Pointer.

arrpt_all

Get a pointer to the internal memory of the array, which gives access to all the elements.

```
array The array.

type Object type.
```

Base pointer. Increasing it one by one we will iterate over the elements.

Remarks:

Use arrpt foreach to iterate over all elements in a more secure and elegant way.

arrpt all const

Get a const pointer to the internal memory of the array, which gives access to all the elements.

```
const type **
arrpt all const(const ArrPt(type) *array,
                 type);
```

```
array
       The array.
type
      Object type.
```

Return:

Base pointer. Increasing it one by one we will iterate over the elements.

Remarks:

Use arrpt foreach const to iterate over all elements in a more secure and elegant way.

arrpt_grow

Append n elements, not initialized, at the end of the array.

```
tvpe**
arrpt grow(ArrPt(type) *array,
           const uint32 t n,
           type);
```

```
The array.
array
       Number of items to add.
type
       Object type.
```

Return:

Pointer to the first item added.

arrpt_append

Adds a pointer to the end of the array.

array The array.

value Pointer to the item to append.

type Object type.

arrpt_prepend

Insert a pointer at the beginning of the array. The rest of the elements will be shifted to the right.

array The array.

value Pointer to the element to insert.

type Object type.

arrpt_insert

Insert a pointer in an arbitrary array position.

array The array.

pos Position where it will be inserted. The current item in pos and following will be shifted to the right.

value Pointer to the element to insert.

type Object type.

arrpt join

Join two vectors. Add all the elements of src to the end of dest.

```
void
arrpt join (ArrPt (type) *dest,
           const ArrPt(type) *src,
           FPtr copy func copy,
           type);
```

```
ArrPt(Product) *products = create products(...);
ArrPt(Product) *new products = new products(...);
// Join without 'copy' func. Dynamic 'Product' objects will be reused.
arrpt join(products, new products, NULL, Product);
arrpt destroy(&new products, NULL, Product);
arrpt destroy (&products, i destroy, Product);
// Join with 'copy' func. Dynamic 'Product' objects will be duplicate.
arrpt join(products, new products, i copy, Product);
arrpt destroy(&new products, i destroy, Product);
arrpt destroy(&products, i destroy, Product);
```

dest The destination array.

The array whose elements will be added to dest. src

func copy Object copy function.

> Object type. type

Remarks:

The copy function must create dynamic memory for both the object and the fields that require it. If it is NULL it will only add a copy of the original pointer to dest.

arrpt delete

Remove a pointer from the array.

```
void
arrpt delete (ArrPt (type) *array,
             const uint32 t pos,
             FPtr destroy func destroy,
             type);
```

```
array The array.

pos Position of the item to be deleted. The current item in pos+1 and following will be shifted to the left.

func_destroy Element destructor. See arrpt_destroy.

type Object type.
```

arrpt_pop

Remove the last pointer from the array.

```
array The array.

func_destroy Element destructor. See arrpt_destroy.

type Object type.
```

arrpt_sort

Sort the array elements using Quicksort.

```
array The array.

func_compare Function to compare two elements. "Sort and search" (page 217).

type Object type.
```

arrpt_sort_ex

Sort array elements using Quicksort and additional data.

```
The array.
        array
                Function to compare two elements using an additional data.
func_compare
                Object type.
         type
                Type of data in the comparison function.
        dtype
```

arrpt_find

Search for a specific pointer in the array.

```
uint32 t
arrpt find(const ArrPt(type) *array,
           type *elem,
           type);
```

```
array
       The array.
elem
       Pointer to find.
type
       Object type.
```

Return:

The position of the pointer if it exists, or UINT32 MAX if not.

arrpt_search

Search for an element in the array linearly O(n).

```
type*
arrpt search(ArrPt(type) *array,
             FPtr compare func compare,
             ktype key,
             uint32 t *pos,
              type,
             ktype);
```

```
func_compare Comparison function. The first parameter is the element, the second the search key. "Sort and search" (page 217).

key Search key. Pointer to a data type that may be different from the type of array element.

pos Position of the element in the array (if it exists), or UINT32_MAX if it does not exist. Can be NULL.

type Object type.
```

Pointer to the first element that matches the search criteria or NULL if none exists.

arrpt search const

Const version of arrpt_search.

ktype Key type.

```
array The array.

func_compare Comparison function.

key Search key.

pos Position of the element in the array.

type Object type.

ktype Key type.
```

Return:

Element.

arrpt_bsearch

Search for an element in the array logarithmically O(logn).

```
type*
arrpt bsearch (ArrPt (type) *array,
              FPtr compare func compare,
              ktype key,
              uint32 t *pos,
              type,
              ktype);
```

```
The array.
        array
func compare
                Comparison function. The first parameter is the element, the second
                the search key. "Sort and search" (page 217).
                Key to search. Pointer to a data type that can be different from the
                element type of the array.
                Position of the element in the array (if it exists), or UINT32 MAX if it
          pos
                does not exist. Can be NULL.
         type Object type.
        ktype Key type.
```

Pointer to the first element that matches the search criteria or NULL if none exists.

Remarks:

The array must be sorted according to the same criteria as the search. If not, the result is unpredictable.

arrpt bsearch const

Const version of arrpt bsearch.

```
const type*
arrpt bsearch const (const ArrPt (type) *array,
                     FPtr compare func compare,
                     const ktype *key,
                     uint32 t *pos,
                     type,
                     ktype);
```

```
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```

```
array The array.

func_compare Comparison function.

key Search key.

pos Position of the element in the array.

type Object type.

ktype Key type.
```

Element.

arrpt_foreach

Iterate on all array elements. Uses arrpt end to close the loop.

```
arrpt_foreach(product, array, Product)
    bstd_printf("Index:%d, Id:%d\n", product_i, product->id);
arrpt_end()
```

```
elem Name of the 'element' variable within the loop. Adding the suffix '_i' we get the index.

array The array.

type Object type.
```

arrpt_foreach_const

Const version of arrpt_foreach.

```
elem Element.
array The array.
type Object type.
```

arrpt forback

Iterate on all array elements backward, from the last to the first. Uses arrpt end to close the loop.

```
void
arrpt forback(type *elem,
              ArrPt(type) *array,
              type);
```

```
// Now in reverse order
arrpt forback(product, array, Product)
    bstd printf("Index:%d, Id:%d\n", product i, product->id);
arrpt end()
```

Name of the 'element' variable within the loop. Adding the suffix ' i' we get the index.

The array. array

Object type. type

arrpt forback const

Const version of arrpt forback.

```
void
arrpt forback const (const type *elem,
                     const ArrPt(type) *array,
                     type);
```

elem Element.

array The array.

Object type. type

arrpt_end

Close the loop opened by arrpt foreach, arrpt foreach_const, arrpt_forback or arrpt forback const.

```
void
arrpt end(void);
```

setst_create

Create an empty set of registers.

func_compare $\,$ Function to compare two elements. "Sort and search" (page 217). type $\,$ Object type.

Return:

The new set.

setst_destroy

Destroy a set and all its elements.

set The set. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

func_remove Function that must free the memory associated with the object's fields, but not the object itself "Destructors" (page 216). If it is NULL only the set will be released and not the internal content of the elements.

type Object type.

setst size

Get the number of set elements.

set The set.

type Object type.

Return:

Number of items.

setst_get

Search for an item in O(logn). It is equivalent to arrst_bsearch. If exists, the internal structure iterator will be fixed in it.

```
type*
setst get(SetSt(type) *set,
          const type *key,
          type);
```

```
Product key;
Product *pr;
key.id = 453;
pr = setst get(setst, &key, Product);
           The set.
      set
      kev
            Search key. It is a pointer to an object where only the relevant search
```

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the item if it exists, or NULL if not.

fields must be initialized.

Remarks:

```
"Iterators" (page 221).
```

setst_get_const

Const version of setst get.

```
const type*
setst get const(const SetSt(type) *set,
                const type *key,
                type);
```

The set. set

key Search key.

type Object type.

Return:

Element.

setst insert

Insert a new item in the set.

```
type*
setst insert(SetSt(type) *set,
```

```
type *key,
type);
```

```
Product *pr;
Product key;
key.id = 345;
pr = setst_insert(setst, &key, Product);
if (pr != NULL)
    i_init(pr, 345, 100.45f);
else
    error("Already exists");
```

set The set.

key Key to insert. It is a pointer to an object where only the relevant search fields must be initialized.

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the inserted element, which should be used to initialize the object. If an item with the same key already exists, it returns NULL.

Remarks:

Inserting or deleting elements invalidates the internal set iterator "Iterators" (page 221). You must re-initialize it with setst first.

setst delete

Remove an item from the set.

```
Product key;
key.id = 345;
if (setst_delete(setst, &key, product_remove, Product) == FALSE)
    error("Doesn't exists");
```

```
The set.
          set
         kev
               Key to delete. It is a pointer to an object where only the relevant search
               fields must be initialized.
func remove
               Remove function. See setst destroy.
```

type Object type.

Return:

TRUE if the item has been deleted, or FALSE if there is no item with that key.

Remarks:

Inserting or deleting elements invalidates the internal set iterator "Iterators" (page 221). You must re-initialize it with setst first.

setst_first

Get the first set element and initialize the internal iterator.

```
type*
setst first(SetSt(type) *set,
            type);
```

```
The set.
 set
type
       Object type.
```

Return:

Pointer to the first element or NULL if the set is empty.

Remarks:

```
"Iterators" (page 221).
```

setst_first_const

Const version of setst first.

```
const type*
setst first const(const SetSt(type) *set,
                  type);
```

```
The set.
 set
      Object type.
type
```

Element.

setst_last

Get the last element of the set and initialize the internal iterator.

```
set The set.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Pointer to the last item or NULL if the set is empty.

Remarks:

```
"Iterators" (page 221).
```

setst_last_const

Const version of setst_last.

```
set The set.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Element.

setst_next

Get the next set item, after increasing the internal iterator.

```
set The set.

type Object type.
```

Pointer to the next item or NULL if the iterator has reached the last.

Remarks:

Use setst first to initialize the internal iterator "Iterators" (page 221).

setst next const

Const version of setst next.

```
const type*
setst next const(const SetSt(type) *set,
                 type);
```

set The set.

type Object type.

Return:

Element.

setst_prev

Gets the previous element of the set, after decrementing the internal iterator.

```
tvpe*
setst prev(SetSt(type) *set,
           type);
```

The set. set

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the previous item or NULL if the iterator has reached the first.

Remarks:

Use setst last to initialize the internal iterator on reversed loops "Iterators" (page 221).

setst_prev_const

Const version of setst prev.

```
const type*
setst prev const(const SetSt(type) *set,
                 type);
```

```
set The set.

type Object type.
```

Element.

setst foreach

Go through all the elements of the set. Use setst fornext to close the loop.

```
elem Name of the variable 'element' within the loop. Adding the suffix '_i' we get the index.
```

set The set.

type Object type.

setst fornext (product, set, Product)

setst_foreach_const

Const version of setst foreach.

elem Element.

set The set.

type Object type.

setst_fornext

Close the loop opened by setst_foreach, increasing the internal iterator.

```
Name of the variable 'element'. It must be the same as setst foreach.
elem
 set
      The set.
      Object type.
type
```

setst fornext const

Const version of setst fornext.

```
void
setst fornext const(const type *elem,
                    const SetSt(type) *set,
                    type);
```

```
Element.
elem
       The set.
 set
```

Object type. type

setst forback

Go through all the elements of the set in reverse order. Use setst forprev to close the loop.

```
void
setst forback(type *elem,
              SetSt(type) *set,
              type);
```

```
// Now in reverse order
setst forback (product, set, Product)
    bstd printf("Position:%d, Id:%d\n", product i, product->id);
setst forprev(product, set, Product)
```

Name of the variable 'element' within the loop. Adding the suffix ' i' we get the index.

set The set. Object type. type

setst forback const

Const version of setst forback.

```
void
setst forback_const(const type *elem,
                    const SetSt(type) *set,
```

```
elem Element.
set The set.
type Object type.
```

setst_forprev

Close the loop opened by setst forback, decreasing the internal iterator.

```
elem Name of the variable 'element'. It must be the same as setst_foreach_rev.

set The set.
type Object type.
```

setst_forprev_const

Const version of setst forprev.

```
elem Element.set The set.type Object type.
```

setpt_create

Create an empty pointer set.

```
func_compare Function to compare two elements. "Sort and search" (page 217). type Object type.
```

The new set.

setpt_destroy

Destroy a set and all its elements.

```
void
setpt destroy(SetPt(type) **set,
              FPtr destroy func destroy,
              type);
```

The set. Will be set to NULL after destruction. set

Function to destroy an element of the set "Destructors" (page 216). If func destroy it is NULL only the set will be destroyed, but not its elements.

> Object type. type

setpt_size

Get the number of set elements.

```
uint32 t
setpt size(const SetPt(type) *set,
           type);
```

set The set.

Object type. type

Return:

Number of items.

setpt_get

Search for an item in O(logn). It is equivalent to arrpt bsearch. The internal set iterator will be fixed in it.

```
type*
setpt get(SetPt(type) *set,
          type *key,
          type);
```

```
Product key;
Product *pr;
key.id = 453;
pr = setpt get(setpt, &key, Product);
```

```
set The set.
```

key Search key. It is a pointer to an object where only the relevant fields of the search must be initialized.

type Object type.

Return:

Pointer to the searched item if it exists, or NULL if not.

Remarks:

```
"Iterators" (page 221).
```

setpt_get_const

Const version of setpt get.

```
set The set.
```

key Search key.

type Object type.

Return:

Element.

setpt_insert

Insert a new item in the set.

```
Product *pr = product_create(...);
if (setpt_insert(setpt, pr, Product) == FALSE)
{
    error("Already exists");
    product_destroy(&pr);
}
```

```
set The set.
value Pointer to the element to insert.
type Object type.
```

TRUE if the item has been inserted. FALSE if another element with the same key already exists.

Remarks:

Inserting or deleting elements invalidates the internal set iterator "Iterators" (page 221). You must initialize it with setpt first.

setpt_delete

Remove an item from the set.

```
Product key;
key.id = 345;
if (setpt_delete(setpt, &key, product_destroy, Product) == FALSE)
    error("Doesn't exists");
```

set The set.

key Key to delete. It is a pointer to an object where only the relevant fields of the search must be initialized.

Return:

TRUE if the item has been deleted, or FALSE if there is no item with that key.

Remarks:

Inserting or deleting elements invalidates the internal set iterator "Iterators" (page 221). You must initialize it with setpt first.

Object type.

setpt_first

Get the first element of the set and initialize the internal iterator.

Return:

type

Pointer to the first element or NULL if the set is empty.

Remarks:

```
"Iterators" (page 221).
```

setpt_first_const

Const version of setpt first.

```
set The set.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Element.

setpt_last

Get the last element of the set and initialize the internal iterator.

Return:

type

Object type.

Pointer to the last item or NULL if the set is empty.

Remarks:

```
"Iterators" (page 221).
```

setpt last const

Const version of setpt last.

```
const type*
setpt last const(const SetPt(type) *set,
                 type);
```

```
set
      The set.
      Object type.
type
```

Return:

Element.

setpt_next

Get the next set item, after increasing the internal iterator.

```
tvpe*
setpt_next(SetPt(type) *set,
           type);
```

```
The set.
 set
      Object type.
type
```

Return:

Pointer to the next item or NULL if the iterator has reached the last.

Remarks:

Use setpt_first to initialize the internal iterator "Iterators" (page 221).

setpt_next_const

Const version of setpt next.

```
const type*
setpt next const(const SetPt(type) *set,
                 type);
```

```
set
      The set.
      Object type.
type
```

Object type.

Return:

Element.

setpt_prev

Gets the previous element of the set, after decrementing the internal iterator.

Return:

type

Pointer to the previous item or NULL if the iterator has reached the first.

Remarks:

Use setpt last to initialize the internal iterator on reversed loops "Iterators" (page 221).

setpt_prev_const

Const version of setpt prev.

```
set The set.

type Object type.
```

Return:

Element.

setpt_foreach

Loop over all the elements of the set. Use setpt_fornext to close the loop.

```
setpt foreach(product, set, Product)
    bstd printf("Position:%d, Id:%d\n", product i, product->id);
setpt fornext(product, set, Product)
```

Name of the variable 'element' within the loop. Adding the suffix ' i' elem we get the index.

The set. set

type Object type.

setpt_foreach_const

Const version of setpt foreach.

```
void
setpt foreach const(const type *elem,
                    const SetPt(type) *set,
                    type);
```

elem Element.

The set. set

type Object type.

setpt_fornext

Close the loop opened by setpt foreach, increasing the internal iterator.

```
void
setpt fornext(type *elem,
              SetPt(type) *set,
              type);
```

elem Name of the variable 'element'. It must be the same as setpt foreach.

set The set.

Object type. type

setpt fornext const

Const version of setpt fornext.

```
void
setpt fornext const(const type *elem,
                    const SetPt(type) *set,
                    type);
```

```
elem Element.
set The set.
type Object type.
```

setpt_forback

Loop over all the elements of the set in reverse order. Use setpt_forprev to close the loop.

```
// Now in reverse order
setpt_forback(product, set, Product)
    bstd_printf("Position:%d, Id:%d\n", product_i, product->id);
setpt_forprev(product, set, Product)
```

```
elem Name of the variable 'element' within the loop. Adding the suffix '_i' we get the index.

set The set.
```

type Object type.

setpt_forback_const

 ${\bf Const} \ {\bf version} \ {\bf of} \ {\bf setpt_forback}.$

```
elem Element.
set The set.
type Object type.
```

setpt_forprev

Close the loop opened by setpt_forback, decreasing the internal iterator.

```
type);
     Name of the variable
                             'element'
                                          It must be the same as
elem
      setpt foreach rev.
      The set.
 set
type
      Object type.
```

setpt_forprev_const

Const version of setpt forprev.

```
void
setpt forprev const(const type *elem,
                    const SetPt(type) *set,
                    type);
```

elem Element.

The set. set

type Object type.

regex create

Create a regular expression from a pattern.

```
RegEx*
regex create (const char t *pattern);
```

pattern Search pattern.

Return:

Regular expression (automata).

Remarks:

See "Define patterns" (page 224).

regex_destroy

Destroy a regular expression.

```
void
regex destroy(RegEx **regex);
```

Regular expression. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

regex_match

Check if a string matches the search pattern.

regex Regular expresion.

str String to evaluate.

Return:

TRUE if the string is accepted by the regular expression.

dbind

Adds a structure/class field to its internal table within dbind.

type Type of structure or class.

mtype Type of field to register.

name Name of the field within the structure.

Remarks:

Errors will be generated at compile time if the indicated field does not belong to the structure. The method also works for classes in C++.

dbind_enum

Register an enum type value.

type Enum type.

value Value.

alias Alias para el valor.

Remarks:

dbind enum (mode t, ekIMAGE ANALISYS, "Image Analisys"); it will use the string "Image Analisys" instead of "ekIMAGE" ANALISYS" for those I/O or interface operations that require displaying the literals of the enumeration. For example, to populate the fields of a Popup linked with a data field.

dbind create

Create an object of registered type, initializing its fields with the default values.

```
type*
dbind create(type);
```

Object type. type

Return:

Newly created object or NULL if dbind does not recognize the data type.

dbind init

Initializes the fields of an object of a registered type with the default values.

```
void
dbind init(type *obj,
           type);
```

obj Object whose memory has been reserved, but not initialized.

type Object type.

dbind remove

Destroys the memory reserved by the fields of an object of registered type, but does not destroy the object itself.

```
void
dbind remove(type *obj,
             type);
```

Object. obj

type Object type.

dbind_destroy

Destroy an object of registered type. The memory allocated to the fields and sub-objects will also be released recursively.

obj Object. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

type Object type.

dbind_destopt

Destructor optional. Like dbind destroy, but accepting NULL values for the object.

obj Object to destroy.

type Object type.

dbind read

Creates an object of a registered type from the data read from a stream.

stm Reading stream.

type Object type to read.

Return:

Newly created object or NULL if there has been an error.

dbind_write

Write the content of an object of registered type in a write stream.

```
Writing stream.
stm
data
      Object to write.
      Type of object to write.
type
```

dbind default

Set the default value of a field.

```
void
dbind default(type,
               mtype,
               name,
               mtype value);
```

```
type
       Type of structure or class.
mtype
       Field type.
```

name Name of the field within the structure.

value Default value as of now.

dbind_range

Set the maximum and minimum value in numeric fields.

```
void
dbind range(type,
            mtype,
            name,
             mtype min,
            mtype max);
```

```
Type of structure or class.
type
```

Field type. mtype

Name of the field within the structure. name

Minimum value. min

Maximum value. max

Remarks:

It will fail if used in non-numeric fields.

dbind_precision

Set the jump between two consecutive numerical values.

```
type Type of structure or class.

mtype Field type.
```

name Name of the field within the structure.

prec Accuracy (eg .05f in real32 t values).

Remarks:

It will fail if used in non-numeric fields.

dbind increment

Sets the increment of a numerical value when clicking on a "UpDown" (page 314) control.

```
type Type of structure or class.
```

mtype Field type.

name Name of the field within the structure.

incr Increase.

Remarks:

It will fail if used in non-numeric fields.

dbind_suffix

Set a suffix that will be added to the numerical value when converted to text.

```
type Type of structure or class.
```

mtype Field type.

name Name of the field within the structure.

suffix Suffix.

Remarks:

It will fail if used in non-numeric fields.

listener

Create a listener. This function will link an event sender with the receiver, usually the application controller. The sender object is responsible for destroying the listener.

obj Receiver object that will be passed as the first parameter to func event handler.

func_event_handler Callback function that will be called when the event occurs. Also known as event handler.

type The type of receiver object.

Return:

Listener object.

listen

Like listener, but used in C++ to define class callbacks. "Use of C++" (page 45).

```
void
listen(void);
```

listener_destroy

Destroy a listener.

```
void
listener_destroy(Listener **listener);
```

listener Listener. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

Remarks:

The sender is responsible for destroying the listener.

listener_update

Update the receiver and event handler. It is equivalent to destroying it, and creating it again.

listener The current listener.

new listener The new listener.

Remarks:

This method must be used within the sender.

listener_event

Launches an event from the sender to the receiver.

```
listener List through which the event will be sent.
```

type Event code.

sender Event sender.

params Event parameters, or NULL if it doesn't have.

result Event result, or NULL if not expected.

sender_type Type of sender object.

params_type Type of params object, or **void** if it does not have.

result_type Type of result object, or **void** if it does not have.

Remarks:

This method must be invoked within the event sender.

listener_pass_event

Pass the received event to another object, changing only the sender. Useful for not generating a new Event object.

list List through which the event will be resent.

event Incoming event.

sender The new event sender.

sender_type Sender object type.

Remarks:

This method must be invoked within the event sender.

event_type

Get the event type.

```
uint32_t
event_type(const Event *event);
```

event Event.

Return:

The event type. Normally associated with a enum. Examples in core_event_t, gui event t.

event_sender

Get the event sender.

```
event Event.

type Sender type.
```

Return:

Sender.

event_params

Get the event parameters, encapsulated in a structure, which will be different depending on the event type.

event Event.

type Parameters type.

Return:

Event parameters.

event_result

Gets an object to write the results of the event. Some events require the return of data by the receiver. The type of result object will depend on the type of event.

event Event.

type Result type.

Return:

Event results.

keybuf_create

Create a buffer with keyboard status.

```
KeyBuf*
keybuf_create(void);
```

Return:

The buffer.

keybuf_destroy

Destroy the buffer.

```
void
keybuf destroy(KeyBuf **bufer);
```

bufer The buffer. It will be set to NULL after the destruction.

keybuf_OnUp

Set the state of a key as released.

```
void
keybuf OnUp(KeyBuf *bufer,
            const vkey t key);
```

bufer The buffer.

key The key code.

Remarks:

Normally it will not be necessary to call this function. It will be done by View or the module that captures keyboard events.

keybuf_OnDown

Sets the state of a key as pressed.

```
keybuf OnDown (KeyBuf *bufer,
              const vkey_t key);
```

The buffer. bufer

The key code. key

Remarks:

Normally it will not be necessary to call this function. It will be done by View or the module that captures keyboard events.

keybuf_clear

Clear the buffer. Set all keys as released.

```
void
keybuf_clear(KeyBuf *bufer);
```

bufer The buffer.

Remarks:

Normally it will not be necessary to call this function. It will be done by View or the module that captures keyboard events.

keybuf_pressed

Returns the state of a key.

bufer The buffer.

key The key code.

Return:

Pulsed (TRUE) or released (FALSE).

keybuf_str

Returns a text string associated with a key.

```
void
keybuf_str(const vkey_t key);
```

key The key code.

keybuf_dump

Dump the buffer status into the "Log" (page 186).

```
void
keybuf_dump(const KeyBuf *bufer);
```

bufer The buffer.

hfile dir

Check if the path is a directory.

```
bool t
hfile dir(const char t *pathname);
```

Name of the path to check. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

Return:

TRUE if pathname is a directory. If it does not exist or is a file FALSE.

hfile dir create

Create all intermediate subdirectories of a path.

```
bool t
hfile dir create (const char t *pathname,
                 ferror t *error);
```

```
// C:\dirl doesn't exist.
bool t ok = hfile dir create("C:\dir1\dir2\dir3\dir4\dir5");
ok = TRUE
```

```
pathname
           Name of the path to create. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).
    error
           Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.
```

Return:

TRUE if the entire path has been created, otherwise FALSE.

hfile dir destroy

Recursive destroy a directory and all its contents.

```
bool t
hfile dir destroy(const char t *pathname,
                  ferror_t *error);
```

```
Directory path to destroy. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).
pathname
            Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.
    error
```

Return:

TRUE if the directory has been destroyed, or FALSE if there has been an error.

hfile dir list

Get a list of the contents of a directory.

pathname Directory path to list. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

Array of DirEntry with the content. It must be destroyed with arrst_destroy(& array, hfile dir entry remove, DirEntry) when it is no longer necessary.

hfile_dir_entry_remove

Free the memory of an item in the directory listing.

```
void
hfile_dir_entry_remove(DirEntry *entry);
```

entry Element.

Remarks:

```
See hfile dir list.
```

hfile_date

Gets the most recent modification date of a file or directory.

pathname Path to file or directory. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

recursive If pathname is a directory, it indicates whether to do a deep scan through subdirectories.

Return:

The modification date. If pathname does not exist kDATE_NULL.

Remarks:

If pathname is a directory, the modification dates of the files will be considered as well, not just the directory itself.

hfile dir sync

Synchronize the contents of two directories.

```
bool t
hfile dir sync (const char t *src,
               const char t *dest,
               const bool t recursive,
               const bool t remove in dest,
               const char t **except,
               const uint32 t except size,
               ferror t *error);
```

src Source directory.

dest Destination directory.

recursive If True recursive process the subdirectories.

remove in dest If TRUE removes in dest those files/directories that are not in src.

> List of file/directory names that will remain intact in dest. except

except size Array except size.

> Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL. error

Return:

TRUE if everything went well, FALSE if there has been an error.

Remarks:

If a file is in src and not in dest, is copied to dest. If a file is newer in src it is also copied in dest. If a file exists in dest but not in src and remove in dest is TRUE, will be removed from dest. If the file exists in except array it will not be taken into account to copy or delete. If recursive is TRUE subdirectories will be processed in this way: If both subdirs exist in src and dest the same logic described here will be executed in both subdirs. If the subdir exists in src but not in dest, will be copied in its entirety to dest. If it exists in dest and not in src and remove in dest is TRUE will be completely removed from dest.

hfile exists

Check if pathname exists in the file system.

```
bool t
hfile exists (const char t *pathname,
             file type t *file type);
```

```
pathname Path of the directory or file to check. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).
```

file_type Type of file. It can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if pathname exists, FALSE if not.

hfile_is_uptodate

Check if a file is up to date. Consider that dest is a copy or depends on src.

src Source file pathname.

dest Destiny file pathname.

Return:

TRUE if dest exists and is more recent than src, otherwise FALSE.

hfile_copy

Copy a file from one location to another.

```
hfile_copy("/home/john/image.png", "/home/john/images", NULL); // image.png
hfile_copy("/home/john/image.png", "/home/john/images/party.png", NULL); //

party.png
```

src Pathname of the file to copy. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

dest Copy destination. If it is a directory it will have the same *filename* as the source. Otherwise, the copy will be made with another file name.

error Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the copy was successful. Otherwise FALSE.

hfile buffer

Create a buffer with the contents of a file on disk.

```
hfile buffer(const char t *pathname,
             ferror t *error);
```

pathname File path to load.

Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

The buffer with the file data or NULL if the function fails.

Remarks:

It does not work with files larger than 4Gb (32-bit).

hfile_string

Create a string with the contents of a file on disk.

```
String*
hfile string (const char t *pathname,
              ferror t *error);
```

pathname File path to load.

Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

The string object with the text file data or NULL if the function fails.

Remarks:

It does not work with files larger than 4Gb (32-bit).

hfile stream

Create a "Memory stream" (page 197) and initializes it with the contents of a file.

```
Stream*
hfile stream (const char t *pathname,
             ferror t *error);
```

pathname File path to load.

Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

The stream initialized with the file data or NULL if the function fails.

Remarks:

It does not work with files larger than 4Gb (32-bit).

hfile_from_string

Create a file on disk with the contents of a "Strings" (page 194).

```
pathname File path to save.
```

str String to save to file.

error Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the file has been created successfully. Otherwise FALSE.

hfile from data

Create a file on disk with the contents of a generic block of memory.

pathname File path to save.

data Block to save in the file.

size Block size in bytes.

error Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the file has been created successfully. Otherwise FALSE.

hfile dir loop

Browse all the files in a directory.

```
bool t
hfile dir loop(const char t *pathname,
               Listener *listener,
               const bool t subdirs,
               const bool t hiddens,
               ferror t *error);
```

```
static void i OnEntry(App *app, Event *event)
    uint32 t type = event type(event);
    const EvFileDir *p = event params(event, EvFileDir);
    if (type == ekEFILE)
        bstd printf("File: %s\n", p->pathname);
        // Abort the directory loop
        if (app->more == FALSE)
            bool t *more = event result(event, bool t);
            *more = FALSE;
    else if (type == ekEENTRY)
        if (app->direntry == TRUE)
            bstd printf("Entering: %s\n", params->pathname);
        }
        else
        {
            bool t *entry = event result(event, bool t);
            *entry = FALSE;
    }
    else if (type == ekEEXIT)
        bstd printf("Exiting: %s\n", params->pathname);
hfile dir loop("/home/john/personal", listener(app, i OnEntry, App), TRUE,
   \hookrightarrow FALSE, NULL);
```

```
pathname Directory Path. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

listener Callback function to be called for each directory file.

subdirs If TRUE the loop will process the subdirectories.

hiddens If TRUE hidden files will be processed.

error Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.
```

Return:

TRUE tf the loop has been successfully completed. FALSE if an error has occurred.

Remarks:

For each file, an event will be sent to listener. Will be of type ekefile for regular files, ekeentry when enters a subdirectory and ekeexit when leaves it. The file attributes are sent in the event parameter as a EvfileDir object. The tour will continue until all files/subdirectories have been processed or returned FALSE in event_result. This controlled output will not be considered an error and this function will return TRUE.

hfile_appdata

Get the full path of a data file or application settings.

```
String*
hfile_appdata(const char_t *pathname);
```

```
String *fname = hfile_appdata("gui/preferences.cfg");
fname = "C:\Users\USER\AppData\Roaming\MyApp\gui\preferences.cfg"
(in Windows operating system)
...
Stream *out = stm_to_file(tc(fname), NULL);
```

pathname Relative file path.

Return:

The full path to the configuration file.

Remarks:

In many cases, applications need to create configuration files to remember user preferences or other data between sessions "Home and AppData" (page 181). This function adds a relative path and file name and ensures that all intermediate directories will exist.

hfile home dir

Get the full path to a file in the user's (home) directory.

```
Strina*
hfile home dir (const char t *path);
```

path Relative path from the **home** directory.

Return:

Absolute file path.

respack_destroy

Destroy a resource package.

```
void
respack destroy (ResPack **pack);
```

pack Resource Package. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

respack text

Get a text from a resource package.

```
const char t*
respack text(const ResPack *pack,
             const ResId id);
```

Resource package. pack

> id Resource identifier.

Return:

UTF8 C string terminated in null character '\0'.

respack_file

Get a pointer to the contents of a file, included in a resource package.

```
const byte t*
respack file (const ResPack *pack,
             const ResId id,
             uint32 t *size);
```

pack Resource package.

> id Resource identifier.

size Get the file size in bytes.

Return:

Pointer to file content (raw bytes).

date_system

Get the system date.

```
date system(void);
```

Return:

The current date.

date add seconds

Calculate the date resulting from adding an amount of seconds to another date.

```
Date
date add seconds (const Date *date,
                  int32 t seconds);
```

The base date. date

seconds The number of seconds. If it is positive we will obtain a future date. If negative, a past date.

Return:

The result date.

date_add_minutes

Calculate the date resulting from adding an amount of minutes to another date.

```
Date
date add minutes (const Date *date,
                  int32 t minutes);
```

date The base date.

minutes The number of minutes. If it is positive we will obtain a future date. If negative, a past date.

Return:

The result date.

date_add_hours

Calculate the date resulting from adding an amount of hours to another date.

```
date add hours (const Date *date,
               int32 t hours);
```

The base date. date

hours The number of hours. If it is positive we will obtain a future date. If negative, a past date.

Return:

The result date.

date add days

Calculate the date resulting from adding an amount of days to another date.

```
Date
date add days (const Date *date,
              int32_t days);
```

date The base date.

The number of days. If it is positive we will obtain a future date. If negative, a past date.

Return:

The result date.

date_year

Obtiene el año actual.

```
int16 t
date year (void);
```

Return:

El año actual.

date_cmp

Compare two dates. The most recent date is considered greater.

date1 First date to compare.

date2 Second date to compare.

Return:

Comparison result.

date_between

Check if a date is within a range.

date Date to check.

from Start date.

to Final date.

Return:

TRUE if date is between from and to.

date_is_null

Checks if a date is null.

```
bool_t
date_is_null(const Date *date);
```

date Date to check.

Return:

TRUE if date is null.

date_DD_MM_YYYY_HH_MM_SS

Convert a date to string, with the format DD/MM/YYYY-HH:MM:SS.

```
String*
date_DD_MM_YYYY_HH_MM_SS(const Date *date);
```

date Date.

Return:

String object with conversion.

date YYYY MM DD HH MM SS

Convert a date to string, with the format YYYY/MM/DD-HH:MM:SS.

```
String*
date_YYYY_MM_DD_HH_MM_SS(const Date *date);
```

date Date.

Return:

String object with conversion.

date_month_en

Get the name of the month, in English.

```
const char t*
date month en (const month t month);
```

month The month, usually obtained with btime date.

Return:

UTF8 string with the name (January, February, ...).

date month es

Get the name of the month, in Spanish.

```
const char t*
date month es (const month t month);
```

month The month, usually obtained with btime date.

Return:

UTF8 string with the name (Enero, Febrero, ...).

clock create

Create a clock.

```
Clock*
clock_create(const real64_t interval);
```

interval Time interval for animation control (in seconds).

Return:

The new clock.

clock_destroy

Destroy the clock.

```
void
clock_destroy(Clock **clk);
```

clk Clock. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

clock frame

Detect if a new sequence in an animation has expired.

clk Clock.

prev_frame Time mark of the previous instant. Only relevant if returns TRUE.

curr_frame Time mark of the current instant. Only relevant if returns TRUE.

Return:

TRUE if the time has come to launch a new sequence. FALSE if we have to wait.

$clock_reset$

Set the clock to 0.0.

```
void
clock_reset(Clock *clk);
```

clk Clock.

clock_elapsed

Gets the time elapsed since the object was created or since the last call to clock reset.

```
real64 t
clock_elapsed(Clock *clk);
```

Clock. clk

Return:

The number of seconds (with precision of micro-seconds 0.000001).

Geom2D library

38.1. Types and Constants

kZERO

The (0,0) vector.

```
const V2Df kV2D_ZEROf;
const V2Dd kV2D_ZEROd;
const V2D V2D::kZERO;
```

kX

The (1,0) vector.

```
const V2Df kV2D_Xf;
const V2Dd kV2D_Xd;
const V2D V2D::kX;
```

kY

The (,1) vector.

```
const V2Df kV2D_Yf;
const V2Dd kV2D_Yd;
const V2D V2D::kY;
```

kZERO

[0,0] value.

```
const S2Df kS2D_ZEROf;
const S2Dd kS2D_ZEROd;
const S2D S2D::kZERO;
```

kZERO

```
Value [0,0,0,0].
```

```
const R2Df kR2D_ZEROf;
const R2Dd kR2D_ZEROd;
const R2D R2D::kZERO;
```

kIDENT

Represents the identity transformation.

```
const T2Df kT2D_IDENTf;
const T2Dd kT2D_IDENTd;
const T2D T2D::kIDENT;
```

kNULL

Represents a null circle (no geometry).

```
const Cir2Df kCIR2D_NULLf;
const Cir2Dd kCIR2D_NULLd;
const Cir2D Cir2D::kNULL;
```

kNULL

Represents a null box (without geometry).

```
const Box2Df kBOX2D_NULLf;
const Box2Dd kBOX2D_NULLd;
const Box2D Box2D::kNULL;
```

struct V2D

Represents a 2d vector or point. "2D Vectors" (page 239).

```
struct V2Df
{
    real32_t x;
    real32_t y;
};

struct V2Dd
{
    real64_t x;
    real64_t y;
};
```

```
struct V2D
    real x;
    real y;
};
```

- Coordinate x.
- Coordinate y.

struct S2D

Represents a 2d size. "2D Size" (page 242).

```
struct S2Df
    real32 t width;
    real32_t height;
};
struct S2Dd
    real64 t width;
    real64 t height;
};
struct S2D
    real width;
   real height;
};
```

width Width. height Height.

struct R2D

2d rectangle. "2D Rectangles" (page 242).

```
struct R2Df
   V2Df pos;
    S2Df size;
};
struct R2Dd
   V2Dd pos;
S2Dd size;
```

pos Origin. size Size.

struct T2D

2d affine transformation. "2D Transformations" (page 243).

- $\dot{\text{\sc i}}$ Component i of the linear transformation.
- j Component j of the linear transformation.
- p Position.

struct Seg2D

2d line segment. "2D Segments" (page 248).

```
struct Seg2Df
{
    V2Df p0;
    V2Df p1;
```

```
};
struct Seg2Dd
    V2Dd p0;
    V2Dd p1;
};
struct Seg2D
    V2D p0;
    V2D p1;
};
```

- Coordinate of the first point of the segment. 0g
- Coordinate of the second point of the segment. р1

struct Cir2D

2d circle. "2D Circles" (page 249).

```
struct Cir2Df
    V2Df c;
    real32_t r;
};
struct Cir2Dd
    V2Dd c;
    real64 t r;
};
struct Cir2D
    V2D c;
    real r;
};
```

- Center.
- Radix.

struct Box2D

2d bounding box. "2D Boxes" (page 249).

```
struct Box2Df
```

min Minimum bounding coordinate.

max Maximum bounding coordinate.

struct OBB2D

2d Oriented Bounding Box. "2D Oriented Boxes" (page 249).

```
struct OBB2Df;
struct OBB2Dd;
struct OBB2D;
```

struct Tri2D

2d triangle. "2D Triangles" (page 251).

```
struct Tri2Df
{
    V2Df p0;
    V2Df p1;
    V2Df p2;
};

struct Tri2Dd
{
    V2Dd p0;
    V2Dd p1;
    V2Dd p2;
};

struct Tri2D
```

```
V2D p0;
    V2D p1;
    V2D p2;
};
```

- 0g Coordinate of the first point of the triangle.
- Coordinate of the second point of the triangle. р1
- р2 Coordinate of the third point of the triangle.

struct Pol2D

2d convex polygon. "2D Polygons" (page 252).

```
struct Pol2Df;
struct Pol2Dd;
struct Pol2D;
```

struct Col2D

Collision data in 2d. "2D Collisions" (page 255).

```
struct Col2Df;
struct Col2Dd;
struct Col2D;
```

38.2. Functions

v2d

Create a 2d vector from its components.

```
V2Df
v2df(const real32 t x,
     const real32 t y);
V2Dd
v2dd(const real64 t x,
     const real64 t y);
V2D
V2D(const real x,
    const real y);
```

- x X coordinate.
- v Y coordinate.

2d vector.

v2d_tof

Convert a vector from double to float.

```
V2Df
v2d_tof(const V2Dd *v);
```

v Vector.

Return:

The 2d vector in simple precision.

v2d tod

Convert a vector from float to double.

```
V2Dd
v2d_tod(const V2Df *v);
```

v Vector.

Return:

The 2d vector in double precision.

v2d_tofn

Converts a vector array from double to float.

- vf The destination array.
- vd The source array.
- n Number of elements.

v2d todn

Converts a vector array from float to double.

```
void
v2d todn(V2Dd *vd,
         const V2Df *vf,
         const uint32 t n);
```

- vd The destination array.
- vf The source array.
- n Number of elements.

v2d_add

Add two vectors.

```
V2Df
v2d addf(const V2Df *v1,
         const V2Df *v2);
V2Dd
v2d addd(const V2Dd *v1,
        const V2Dd *v2);
V2D
V2D::add(const V2D *v1,
         const V2D *v2);
```

- v1 Vector 1.
- v2 Vector 2.

Return:

The result vector.

v2d_sub

Subtract two vectors.

```
V2Df
v2d subf(const V2Df *v1,
        const V2Df *v2);
V2Dd
v2d subd(const V2Dd *v1,
         const V2Dd *v2);
```

```
V2D
V2D::sub(const V2D *v1,
const V2D *v2);
```

- v1 Vector 1.
- v2 Vector 2.

The result vector.

v2d_mul

Multiply a vector by a scalar.

- v Vector.
- s Scalar.

Return:

The result vector.

v2d_from

Create a vector from a point and a direction.

```
V2D::from(const V2D *v,
          const V2D *dir,
          const real length);
```

Initial vector.

dir Direction.

length Length.

Return:

The result vector.

Remarks:

It will perform the operation r = v + length * dir. dir does not need to be unitary, in which case length will behave as a scale factor.

v2d_mid

Returns the midpoint of two points.

```
V2Df
v2d midf(const V2Df *v1,
        const V2Df *v2);
V2Dd
v2d midd(const V2Dd *v1,
         const V2Dd *v2);
V2D
V2D::mid(const V2D *v1,
         const V2D *v2);
```

- v1 First point.
- v2Second point.

Return:

The middle point.

v2d_unit

Unit vector (direction) from 1 to 2.

```
V2Df
v2d unitf(const V2Df *v1,
          const V2Df *v2,
          real32 t *dist);
```

```
v1 Point 1 (origin).
```

- v2 Point 2 (destination).
- dist Distance between points. Can be NULL.

The unit vector.

v2d_unit_xy

Unit vector (direction) from 1 to 2.

```
V2Df
v2d unit_xyf(const real32_t x1,
             const real32 t y1,
             const real32 t x2,
             const real32 t y2,
             real32 t *dist);
V2Dd
v2d unit xyd(const real64 t x1,
             const real64 t y1,
             const real64 t x2,
             const real64 t y2,
             real64 t *dist);
V2D
V2D::unit_xy(const real x1,
             const real y1,
             const real x2,
             const real y2,
             real *dist);
```

- x1X coordinate of point 1 (origin).
- y1Y coordinate of point 1 (origin).
- X coordinate of point 2 (destination). x2
- v^2 Y coordinate of point 2 (destination).
- dist Distance between points. Can be NULL.

The unit vector.

v2d_perp_pos

Gets the positive perpendicular vector.

```
V2Df
v2d perp posf(const V2Df *v);
V2Dd
v2d perp posd(const V2Dd *v);
V2D
V2D::perp pos(const V2D *v);
```

Initial vector.

Return:

The perpendicular vector.

Remarks:

It is the perpendicular obtained by positive angle (+/2).

v2d_perp_neg

Gets the negative perpendicular vector.

```
V2Df
v2d perp negf(const V2Df *v);
V2Dd
v2d perp negd(const V2Dd *v);
V2D
V2D::perp neg(const V2D *v);
```

Initial vector.

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The perpendicular vector.

Remarks:

It is the perpendicular obtained by negative angle (-/2).

v2d_from_angle

Gets the vector resulting from applying a rotation to the vector [1,0].

```
V2Df
v2d_from_anglef(const real32_t a);

V2Dd
v2d_from_angled(const real64_t a);

V2D
V2D::from_angle(const real a);
```

a Angle.

Return:

The vector.

Remarks:

```
For a=0 we get [1,0]. For a\pi=/2 [0,1].
```

v2d_norm

Normalize a vector, that is, make it a vector of length = 1.

```
bool_t
v2d_normf(V2Df *v);

bool_t
v2d_normd(V2Dd *v);

bool_t
V2D::norm(V2D *v);
```

v Vector that will be normalized.

Return:

FALSE if the vector cannot be normalized (vector 0).

v2d_length

Calculate the length of a vector.

```
real32 t
v2d lengthf(const V2Df *v);
real64 t
v2d lengthd(const V2Dd *v);
real
V2D::length(const V2D *v);
```

Vector.

Return:

The vector module.

v2d_sqlength

Calculate the square of the length of a vector.

```
real32 t
v2d sqlengthf(const V2Df *v);
real64 t
v2d sqlengthd(const V2Dd *v);
V2D::sqlength(const V2D *v);
```

Vector.

Return:

The square of the vector modulus.

Remarks:

Avoid using the square root, so it is more efficient than v2d lengthf. Often used to compare distances.

v2d dot

Product of two vectors.

```
real32 t
v2d dotf(const V2Df *v1,
       const V2Df *v2);
```

- v1 Vector 1.
- v2 Vector 2.

Scalar product.

v2d dist

Calculate the distance between two points.

- v1 The first point.
- v2 The second point.

Return:

Distance.

v2d_sqdist

Calculate the square of the distance between two points.

- v1 The first point.
- v2 The second point.

The distance squared.

Remarks:

It avoids using the square root, so it is more efficient than v2d_distf. Often used to compare distances.

v2d_angle

Calculate the angle formed by two vectors.

- v1 Vector 1.
- v2 Vector 2.

Return:

The angle in radians (-Pi, Pi)

Remarks:

Positive angles go from v1 to v2 counterclockwise. For angles greater than Pi radians (180°) it will return negative (clockwise).

v2d rotate

Apply a rotation to a vector.

- v Vector to be rotated (origin/destination.
- a Angle in radians.

Remarks:

This function involves calculating the sine and cosine. Use t2d_vmultnf if you have to apply the same rotation to multiple vectors.

s2d

Create a 2d size from two values.

width Width.

height Height.

Return:

The size.

r2d

Create a rectangle from its components.

```
R2Df
r2df(const real32 t x,
   const real32 t y,
     const real32 t width,
     const real32 t height);
R2Dd
r2dd(const real64 t x,
     const real64 t y,
     const real64 t width,
     const real64 t height);
R2D
R2D(const real x,
    const real y,
    const real width,
    const real height);
```

x Origin x coordinate.

y Coordinate and origin.

width Width.

height Height.

Return:

The rectangle.

r2d_center

Gets the center point of the rectangle.

```
V2Df
r2d centerf(const R2Df *r2d);
V2Dd
r2d centerd(const R2Dd *r2d);
R2D::center(const R2D *r2d);
```

r2dRectangle.

Return:

The center.

r2d collide

Check if two rectangles collide.

r2d1 Rectangle 1.

r2d2 Rectangle 2.

Return:

TRUE if there is collision, FALSE if they are separated.

r2d_contains

Check if a point is inside the rectangle.

- r2d Rectangle.
 - x X coordinate of the point.
 - y Coordinate and point.

Return:

TRUE if the point is inside.

r2d clip

Check if a rectangle, or part of it, is contained in another rectangle.

```
bool t
r2d clipf(const R2Df *viewport,
         const R2Df *r2d);
bool t
r2d clipd(const R2Dd *viewport,
          const R2Dd *r2d);
bool t
R2D::clip(const R2D *viewport,
         const R2D *r2d);
```

viewport Container rectangle.

Rectangle to check.

Return:

TRUE if the r2d rectangle is completely outside of viewport.

Remarks:

Useful to avoid processing or drawing objects that are totally outside the viewing area.

r2d_join

Join two rectangles into one.

```
void
r2d joinf(R2Df *r2d,
          const R2Df *src);
void
r2d joind(R2Dd *r2d,
          const R2Dd *src);
void
R2D::join(R2D *r2d,
          const R2D *src);
```

- r2dDestination rectangle. Its position and size will be modified to contain src.
- Rectangle to be added to r2d. src

t2d tof

Converts a transformation from double to float.

```
void
t2d tof(T2Df *dest,
        const T2Dd *src);
```

dest Destination transformation.

src Origin transformation.

t2d_tod

Converts a transform from float to double.

```
void
t2d tod(T2Dd *dest,
        const T2Df *src);
```

dest Destination transformation.

src Origin transformation.

t2d move

Multiply a transformation by a translation t2d = src * move(x, y).

```
void
t2d movef(T2Df *dest,
          const T2Df *src,
          const real32 t x,
          const real32_t y);
void
t2d moved(T2Dd *dest,
          const T2Dd *src,
          const real64 t x,
          const real64 t y);
void
T2D::move(T2D *dest,
          const T2D *src,
          const real x,
          const real y);
```

- Result transformation. dest
- Initial transformation. src
 - x X coordinate of displacement.
 - Y coordinate of displacement.

Remarks:

dest and src can point to the same matrix.

t2d_rotate

Multiply a transformation by a rotation dest = src * rotate(a).

```
void
t2d rotatef(T2Df *dest,
            const T2Df *src,
            const real32 t a);
void
t2d rotated(T2Dd *dest,
            const T2Dd *src,
            const real64 t a);
void
T2D::rotate(T2D *dest,
            const T2D *src,
            const real a);
```

dest Result transformation.

Initial transformation. src

Rotation angle in radians. Positive angles are those that rotate from the X axis to the Y axis.

Remarks:

dest and src can point to the same matrix.

t2d_scale

Multiply a transformation by an scale dest = src * scale(sx,sy).

```
void
t2d scalef(T2Df *dest,
           const T2Df *src,
           const real32 t sx,
           const real32 t sy);
```

dest Result transformation.

src Initial transformation.

sx Scaling on the x axis.

sy Scaling on the y axis.

Remarks:

dest and src can point to the same matrix.

t2d invfast

Calculate the inverse transformation, assuming the input is orthogonal.

dest Inverse transformation.

src Initial transformation.

Remarks:

The transformation will be orthogonal only if it contains rotations and translations, otherwise the result of applying it will be unpredictable. dest and src can point to the same matrix.

t2d inverse

Calculate the inverse transformation.

```
void
t2d inversef(T2Df *dest,
             const T2Df *src);
void
t2d inversed (T2Dd *dest,
             const T2Dd *src);
void
T2D::inverse(T2D *dest,
             const T2D *src);
```

dest Inverse transformation.

Initial transformation. src

Remarks:

dest and src can point to the same matrix.

t2d mult

Multiply two transformations dest = src1 * src2.

```
void
t2d multf(T2Df *dest,
          const T2Df *src1,
          const T2Df *src2);
void
t2d multd(T2Dd *dest,
          const T2Dd *src1,
          const T2Dd *src2);
void
T2D::mult(T2D *dest,
          const T2D *src1,
          const T2D *src2);
```

dest Result transformation.

 $\operatorname{src}1$ First operating.

src2Second operating.

Remarks:

dest, src1 and src2 can point to the same matrix.

t2d vmult

Transform a vector dest = t2d * src.

```
void
t2d vmultf(V2Df *dest,
           const T2Df *t2d,
           const V2Df *src);
void
t2d vmultd(V2Dd *dest,
           const T2Dd *t2d,
           const V2Dd *src);
void
T2D::vmult(V2D *dest,
           const T2D *t2d,
           const V2D *src);
```

dest Transformed vector.

t2d Transformation.

src Original vector.

Remarks:

dest and src can point to the same vector.

t2d vmultn

Transform a vector list dest[i] = t2d * src[i].

```
void
t2d vmultnf(V2Df *dest,
            const T2Df *t2d,
            const V2Df *src,
            const uint32 t n);
void
t2d vmultnd(V2Dd *dest,
            const T2Dd *t2d,
            const V2Dd *src,
            const uint32 t n);
void
T2D::vmultn(V2D *dest,
            const T2D *t2d,
            const V2D *src,
            const uint32 t n);
```

- dest Transformed vector array.
- t2d Transformation.
- Original vector array. src
 - Number of vectors in src. n

Remarks:

dest and src can point to the same array.

t2d_decompose

Gets the position, rotation, and scaling of a transformation.

```
void
t2d decomposef(const T2Df *t2d,
               V2Df *pos,
               real32 t *a,
               V2Df *sc);
void
t2d decomposed (const T2Dd *t2d,
               V2Dd *pos,
               real64 t *a,
               V2Dd *sc);
void
T2D::decompose(const T2D *t2d,
               V2D *pos,
               real *a,
               V2D *sc);
```

- Transformation. t2d
- Position. Can be NULL. pos
 - a Angle in radians (-/2, /2). Can be NULL.
 - Scaled. Can be NULL. sc

Remarks:

If the transformation is not made up of a sequence of translations, rotations, and scales, the result will not be valid.

seg2d

Create a 2d segment from its components.

```
Seg2Df
```

- x0 X coordinate of the first point.
- y0 Y coordinate of the first point.
- x1 X coordinate of the second point.
- y1 Y coordinate of the second point.

The 2d segment.

seg2d_v

Create a 2d segment from two points.

- p0 First point.
- p1 Second point.

Return:

The 2d segment.

seg2d_length

Gets the length of the segment.

```
real32 t
seg2d lengthf(const Seg2Df *seg);
real64 t
seg2d lengthd(const Seg2Dd *seg);
real
Seg2D::length(const Seg2D *seg);
```

seg Segment.

Return:

Length.

seg2d_sqlength

Gets the square of the segment length.

```
real32 t
seq2d sqlengthf(const Seq2Df *seq);
real64 t
seg2d sqlengthd(const Seg2Dd *seg);
Seg2D::sqlength(const Seg2D *seg);
```

Segment. seg

Return:

Length square.

Remarks:

Avoid calculating square roots if we are only interested in comparing measurements.

seg2d_eval

Gets the point in the segment based on the parameter.

```
V2Df
seg2d evalf(const Seg2Df *seg,
            const real32 t t);
V2Dd
```

seg Segment.

t Parameter.

Return:

Point on the segment (or on the line that contains it).

Remarks:

If t=0 it returns p0. If t=1 it returns p1. Values between (0,1) points within the segment. Other values, points on the line that contains the segment.

seg2d_close_param

Gets the parameter of the segment closest to a given point.

seg Segment.
pnt Point.

Return:

Parameter. See seg2d evalf.

seg2d point sqdist

Gets the squared distance from a point to the segment.

```
real32_t
seg2d_point_sqdistf(const Seg2Df *seg,
```

```
const V2Df *pnt,
                    real32 t *t);
real64 t
seg2d point sqdistd(const Seg2Dd *seg,
                    const V2Dd *pnt,
                    real64 t *t);
real
Seg2D::point sqdist(const Seg2D *seg,
                    const V2D *pnt,
                    real *t);
```

```
Segment.
seg
pnt
    Point.
```

t Parameter on the line that contains the segment. See seg2d close paramf. It can be NULL if we don't need this value.

Return:

Distance square.

seg2d_sqdist

Gets the squared distance between two segments.

```
real32 t
seg2d sqdistf(const Seg2Df *seg1,
              const Seg2Df *seg2,
              real32 t *t1,
              real32 t *t2);
real64 t
seg2d sqdistd(const Seg2Dd *seg1,
              const Seg2Dd *seg2,
              real64 t *t1,
              real64 t *t2);
real
Seg2D::sqdist(const Seg2D *seg1,
              const Seg2D *seg2,
              real *t1,
              real *t2);
```

- seg1First segment.
- seg2Second segment.
 - Nearest parameter in seq1. It can be NULL if we don't need this value. t1
 - t2Nearest parameter in seg2. It can be NULL if we don't need this value.

Distance square.

cir2d

Create a 2d circle from its components.

```
Cir2Df
cir2df(const real32 t x,
       const real32 t y,
       const real32 t r);
Cir2Dd
cir2dd(const real64 t x,
       const real64 t y,
       const real64 t r);
Cir2D
Cir2D(const real x,
      const real y,
      const real r);
```

- x Center x coordinate.
- y Center y coordinate.
- Radius.

Return:

The 2d circle.

cir2d from box

Create a circle containing a 2D box.

```
Cir2Df
cir2d from boxf(const B2D *box);
Cir2Dd
cir2d from boxd(const B2D *box);
Cir2D
```

```
Cir2D::from box(const B2D *box);
```

box The box.

Return:

The circle.

cir2d from points

Create a circle containing a set of points.

```
Cir2Df
cir2d from pointsf(const V2Df *p,
                   const uint32 t n);
Cir2Dd
cir2d from pointsd(const V2Dd *p,
                   const uint32 t n);
Cir2D
Cir2D::from points(const V2D *p,
                   const uint32 t n);
```

- р The points vector.
- The number of points.

Return:

The circle.

Remarks:

The center will be the midpoint of the set. The radius will be the distance to the farthest point from that center. Provides a good fit with linear cost.

cir2d_minimum

Calculate the circle of minimum radius that contains a set of points.

```
Cir2Df
cir2d minimumf(const V2Df *p,
               const uint32 t n);
Cir2Dd
cir2d minimumd (const V2Dd *p,
               const uint32 t n);
Cir2D
```

- p The points vector.
- n The number of points.

The circle.

Remarks:

 $Provides\ optimal\ adjustment\ in\ linear\ time.\ However,\ it\ is\ slower\ than\ \verb"cir2d_from_pointsf" and\ adjustment\ in\ linear\ time.$

cir2d area

Gets the area of the circle.

```
real32_t
cir2d_areaf(const Cir2Df *cir);
real64_t
cir2d_aread(const Cir2Dd *cir);
real
Cir2D::area(const Cir2D *cir);
```

cir The circle.

Return:

The area $\pi(r^2)$.

cir2d_is_null

Check if a circle is null (dimensionless).

```
bool_t
cir2d_is_nullf(const Cir2Df *cir);

bool_t
cir2d_is_nulld(const Cir2Dd *cir);

bool_t
Cir2D::is_null(const Cir2D *cir);
```

cir The circle.

TRUE if it is null, FALSE if it contains any point.

Remarks:

A single point is a valid circle with radius = 0.

box2d

Create a new box with the indicated limits.

```
Box2Df
box2df(const real32 t minX,
       const real32 t minY,
       const real32 t maxX,
       const real32 t maxY);
Box2Dd
box2dd(const real64 t minX,
       const real64 t minY,
       const real64 t maxX,
       const real64 t maxY);
Box2D
Box2D(const real minX,
      const real minY,
      const real maxX,
      const real maxY);
```

```
minX The lower limit on X.
minY
      The lower limit on Y.
maxX
      The upper limit on X.
maxY
       The upper limit on Y.
```

Return:

The newly created box.

box2d_from_points

Create a new box containing a set of points.

```
Box2Df
box2d from pointsf(const V2Df *p,
                   const uint32 t n);
Box2Dd
```

- p 2d point vector.
- n Number of points in vector.

The newly created box.

box2d_center

Returns the center point.

```
V2Df
box2d_centerf(const Box2Df *box);

V2Dd
box2d_centerd(const Box2Dd *box);

V2D
Box2D::center(const Box2D *box);
```

box The container.

Return:

Center coordinates.

box2d_add

Expand the dimensions of the box to contain the entry point. If the point is already within its area, the box is not modified.

box The container.

The point to include.

box2d_addn

Expand the dimensions of the box to contain several points. It is equivalent to calling the method box2d addf successively.

```
void
box2d addnf(Box2Df *box,
            const V2Df *p,
            const uint32 t n);
void
box2d addnd (Box2Dd *box,
            const V2Dd *p,
            const uint32 t n);
void
Box2D::addn(Box2D *box,
            const V2D *p,
            const uint32 t n);
```

The container. box

- Vector points to include.
- Number of points.

box2d add circle

Expand the dimensions of the container to accommodate a circle.

```
box2d add circlef(Box2Df *box,
                  const Cir2Df *cir);
void
box2d add circled(Box2Dd *box,
                  const Cir2Dd *cir);
void
Box2D::add circle(Box2D *box,
                  const Cir2D *cir);
```

The container. box

Circle. cir

box2d merge

Expand the dimensions of dest to contain src.

dest The container that will be expanded.

src The container that must be added.

box2d_segments

Gets the four segments that make up the box.

box The container.

segs Array of at least four segments.

box2d_area

Gets the area of the box.

```
real32_t
box2d_areaf(const Box2Df *box);
real64_t
box2d_aread(const Box2Dd *box);
real
```

```
Box2D::area(const Box2D *box);
```

The container. box

Return:

```
The area (width * height).
```

box2d is null

Check if a container is null (without any geometry inside).

```
bool t
box2d is nullf(const Box2Df *box);
bool t
box2d is nulld(const Box2Dd *box);
bool t
Box2D::is null(const Box2D *box);
```

The container. box

Return:

TRUE if is null, FALSE if contains any geometry.

obb2d create

Create a new oriented box.

```
OBB2Df*
obb2d createf(const V2Df *center,
              const real32 t width,
              const real32 t height,
              const real32 t angle);
OBB2Dd*
obb2d created(const V2Dd *center,
              const real64 t width,
              const real64 t height,
              const real64 t angle);
OBB2D*
OBB2D::create(const V2D *center,
              const real width,
              const real height,
              const real angle);
```

```
center The central point.

width The width of the box.

height The height of the box.
```

angle

The newly created box.

Remarks:

Positive angles are those that rotate from the X axis to the Y axis.

The angle with respect to the X axis, in radians.

obb2d_from_line

Create a box from a segment.

- p0 The first point of the segment.
- p1 The second point of the segment.

thickness The "thickness" of the segment.

Return:

The newly created box.

Remarks:

The width of the box will correspond to the length of the segment. The height will be thickness and the center will be the midpoint of the segment.

obb2d from points

Create an oriented box from a set of points.

```
OBB2Df*
obb2d from pointsf(const V2Df *p,
                  const uint32 t n);
OBB2Dd*
obb2d from pointsd(const V2Dd *p,
                   const uint32 t n);
OBB2D*
OBB2D::from points(const V2D *p,
                   const uint32 t n);
```

- p Points array.
- Number of points.

Return:

The newly created box.

Remarks:

A good fit will be produced in "elongated" point distributions by calculating the covariance matrix and projecting points onto the director vector of that distribution. However, it does not provide the minimum volume box.

obb2d copy

Create a copy of the box.

```
OBB2Df*
obb2d copyf(const OBB2Df obb);
OBB2Dd*
obb2d copyd(const OBB2Dd obb);
OBB2D*
OBB2D::copy(const OBB2D obb);
```

obb Original box.

Return:

The copy.

obb2d_destroy

Destroy the box.

```
void
obb2d_destroyf(OBB2Df **obb);

void
obb2d_destroyd(OBB2Dd **obb);

void
OBB2D::destroy(OBB2D **obb);
```

obb The box. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

obb2d_update

Update the box parameters.

```
void
obb2d updatef(OBB2Df *obb,
              const V2Df *center,
              const real32 t width,
              const real32 t height,
              const real32 t angle);
void
obb2d updated(OBB2Dd *obb,
              const V2Dd *center,
              const real64 t width,
              const real64 t height,
              const real64 t angle);
void
OBB2D::update(OBB2D *obb,
              const V2D *center,
              const real width,
              const real height,
              const real angle);
```

obb The box to update. center The central point.

width The width.

height The height.

angle The angle.

Remarks:

See obb2d createf.

obb2d_move

Move the box on the plane.

```
void
obb2d movef(OBB2Df *obb,
            const real32 t offset x,
            const real32 t offset y);
void
obb2d moved(OBB2Dd *obb,
            const real64 t offset x,
            const real64 t offset y);
void
OBB2D::move(OBB2D *obb,
            const real offset x,
            const real offset y);
```

obb The box.

offset_x X displacement.

offset y Y displacement.

obb2d transform

Apply a transformation to the box.

```
void
obb2d transformf(OBB2Df *obb,
                 const T2Df *t2d);
obb2d transformd(OBB2Dd *obb,
                const T2Dd *t2d);
void
OBB2D::transform(OBB2D *obb,
                const T2D *t2d);
```

obb The box.

t2d Affine transformation.

obb2d corners

Gets the vertices bounding the box.

```
const V2Df*
obb2d_cornersf(const OBB2Df *obb);

const V2Dd*
obb2d_cornersd(const OBB2Dd *obb);

const V2D*
OBB2D::corners(const OBB2D *obb);
```

obb The box.

Return:

Pointer to an array of 4 vertices.

Remarks:

Do not modify the returned array. Copy if necessary.

obb2d center

Gets the center point of the box.

```
V2Df
obb2d_centerf(const OBB2Df *obb);

V2Dd
obb2d_centerd(const OBB2Dd *obb);

V2D
OBB2D::center(const OBB2D *obb);
```

obb The box.

Return:

Center.

obb2d width

Get the width of the box.

```
real32_t
obb2d_widthf(const OBB2Df *obb);

real64_t
obb2d_widthd(const OBB2Dd *obb);

real
OBB2D::width(const OBB2D *obb);
```

obb The box.

Return:

The width.

obb2d_height

Get the height of the box.

```
real32 t
obb2d heightf(const OBB2Df *obb);
real64 t
obb2d heightd(const OBB2Dd *obb);
OBB2D::height(const OBB2D *obb);
```

obb The box.

Return:

The height.

obb2d_angle

Get the angle of the box.

```
real32 t
obb2d anglef(const OBB2Df *obb);
real64 t
obb2d angled(const OBB2Dd *obb);
OBB2D::angle(const OBB2D *obb);
```

The box. obb

Return:

The angle in radians with respect to the X axis.

obb2d area

Gets the box area.

```
real32 t
obb2d areaf(const OBB2Df *obb);
```

```
real64_t
obb2d_aread(const OBB2Dd *obb);
real
OBB2D::area(const OBB2D *obb);
```

obb The box.

Return:

The area (width * height).

obb2d_box

Get the box limits.

```
Box2Df
obb2d_boxf(const OBB2Df *obb);

Box2Dd
obb2d_boxd(const OBB2Dd *obb);

Box2D
OBB2D::box(const OBB2D *obb);
```

obb The box.

Return:

Box aligned with the axes, defined by the minimum and maximum vectors.

tri2d

Triangle from its coordinates.

- x0 X coordinate of the first point.
- y0 Y coordinate of the first point.
- x1 X coordinate of the second point.
- y1 Y coordinate of the second point.
- x2 X coordinate of the third point.
- y2 Y coordinate of the third point.

The triangle.

tri2d v

Triangle from three points.

- p0 First point.
- p1 Second point.
- p2 Third point.

Return:

The triangle.

tri2d_transform

Apply a transformation to the triangle.

- tri The triangle.
- t2d Affine transformation.

tri2d_area

Gets the area of the triangle.

```
real32_t
tri2d_areaf(const Tri2Df *tri);

real64_t
tri2d_aread(const Tri2Dd *tri);

real
Tri2D::area(const Tri2D *tri);
```

tri The triangle.

Return:

The area.

tri2d_ccw

Obtains the order of the travel of the points of the triangle.

```
bool_t
tri2d_ccwf(const Tri2Df *tri);

bool_t
tri2d_ccwd(const Tri2Dd *tri);
```

```
bool t
Tri2D::ccw(const Tri2D *tri);
```

The triangle. tri

Return:

TRUE counter-clockwise sense. FALSE clockwise.

Remarks:

See "CW and CCW angles" (page 240).

tri2d_centroid

Gets the centroid (center of mass) of the triangle.

```
tri2d centroidf(const Tri2Df *tri);
tri2d centroidd(const Tri2Dd *tri);
V2D
Tri2D::centroid(const Tri2D *tri);
```

 tri The triangle.

Return:

Center of mass.

pol2d_create

Create a new polygon.

```
Pol2Df*
pol2d createf(const V2Df *points,
              const uint32 t n);
Pol2Dd*
pol2d created(const V2Dd *points,
             const uint32 t n);
Pol2D*
Pol2D::create(const V2D *points,
              const uint32 t n);
```

points List of points that make up the polygon.

n Number of points.

Return:

The polygon created.

pol2d_convex_hull

Creates the minimum convex polygon that surrounds a set of points (Convex Hull).

points Points list.

n Number of points.

Return:

The polygon.

pol2d_copy

Create a copy of the polygon.

```
Pol2Df*
pol2d_copyf(const Pol2Df *pol);

Pol2Dd*
pol2d_copyd(const Pol2Dd *pol);

Pol2D*
Pol2D::copy(const Pol2D *pol);
```

pol The original polygon.

Return:

The copy.

pol2d destroy

Destroy the polygon.

```
pol2d destroyf(Pol2Df **pol);
void
pol2d destroyd(Pol2Dd **pol);
void
Pol2D::destroy(Pol2D **pol);
```

The polygon. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

pol2d_transform

Apply a 2D transformation.

```
void
pol2d transformf(Pol2Df *pol,
                 const T2Df *t2d);
void
pol2d transformd(Pol2Dd *pol,
                 const T2Dd *t2d);
void
Pol2D::transform(Pol2D *pol,
                 const T2D *t2d);
```

pol The polygon.

2D transformation. t2d

Remarks:

The polygon does not save the original coordinates. Successive transformations will accumulate.

pol2d_points

Gets the vertices that make up the polygon.

```
const V2Df*
pol2d pointsf(const Pol2Df *pol);
const V2Dd*
pol2d pointsd(const Pol2Dd *pol);
const V2D*
```

```
Pol2D::points(const Pol2D *pol);
```

pol The polygon.

Return:

Pointer to an array of vertices.

Remarks:

Do not modify the returned array. Copy if necessary.

pol2d_n

Gets the number of vertices that make up the polygon.

```
uint32_t
pol2d_nf(const Pol2Df *pol);

uint32_t
pol2d_nd(const Pol2Dd *pol);

uint32_t
Pol2D::n(const Pol2D *pol);
```

pol The polygon.

Return:

The number of vertices.

Remarks:

It is the same value as the one used in the constructor pol2d createf.

pol2d_area

Gets the area of the polygon.

```
real32_t
pol2d_areaf(const Pol2Df *pol);

real64_t
pol2d_aread(const Pol2Dd *pol);

real
Pol2D::area(const Pol2D *pol);
```

pol The polygon.

The area.

pol2d_box

Gets the geometric limits of the polygon.

```
Box2Df
pol2d boxf(const Pol2Df *pol);
Box2Dd
pol2d boxd(const Pol2Dd *pol);
Box2D
Pol2D::box(const Pol2D *pol);
```

pol The polygon.

Return:

Box aligned with the axes, defined by the minimum and maximum vectors.

pol2d_ccw

Gets the winding order of the polygon points.

```
bool t
pol2d ccwf(const Pol2Df *pol);
pol2d ccwd(const Pol2Dd *pol);
bool t
Pol2D::ccw(const Pol2D *pol);
```

The polygon. pol

Return:

TRUE counter-clockwise. FALSE clockwise.

pol2d_convex

Gets whether or not the polygon is convex.

```
bool t
pol2d convexf(const Pol2Df *pol);
bool t
```

```
pol2d_convexd(const Pol2Dd *pol);
bool_t
Pol2D::convex(const Pol2D *pol);
```

pol The polygon.

Return:

TRUE if is convex. FALSE if no.

pol2d_centroid

Gets the centroid (center of mass) of the polygon.

```
V2Df
pol2d_centroidf(const Pol2Df *pol);

V2Dd
pol2d_centroidd(const Pol2Dd *pol);

V2D
Pol2D::centroid(const Pol2D *pol);
```

pol The polygon.

Return:

Center of mass.

pol2d_visual_center

Gets the visual center or label point.

```
V2Df
pol2d_visual_centerf(const Pol2Df *pol);

V2Dd
pol2d_visual_centerd(const Pol2Dd *pol);

V2D
Pol2D::visual_center(const Pol2D *pol);
```

pol The polygon.

Return:

The labeling center.

Remarks:

It corresponds to a point within the polygon located at a maximum distance from any edge. In convex polygons it will coincide with the centroid. It implements an adaptation of the **polylabel** algorithm of the project MapBox¹.

pol2d triangles

Gets a list of triangles that make up the polygon.

```
ArrSt(Tri2Df) *
pol2d trianglesf(const Pol2Df *pol);
ArrSt(Tri2Df) *
pol2d trianglesd(const Pol2Dd *pol);
ArrSt(Tri2Df) *
Pol2D::triangles(const Pol2D *pol);
```

The polygon. pol

Return:

Triangle array. Must be destroyed with arrst destroy (&triangles, NULL, Tri2Df) .

Remarks:

The union of all the triangles corresponds to the original polygon.

pol2d convex partition

Gets a list of the convex polygons that make up the polygon.

```
ArrSt (Pol2Df) *
pol2d convex partitionf(const Pol2Df *pol);
ArrSt (Pol2Df) *
pol2d convex partitiond(const Pol2Dd *pol);
ArrSt (Pol2Df) *
Pol2D::convex partition(const Pol2D *pol);
```

The polygon. pol

Return:

Array of convex polygons. It must be destroyed with arrst destroy (&polys, pol2d destroyf, Pol2Df).

https://github.com/mapbox/polylabel

Remarks:

The union of all polygons corresponds to the original polygon.

col2d_point_point

Point-point collision.

- pnt1 First point.
- pnt2 Second point.
 - tol Tolerance. Minimum distance to be considered a collision.
 - col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_segment_point

Segment-point collision.

```
const V2Dd *pnt,
                      const real64 t tol,
                      Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::segment point(const Seg2D *seg,
                      const V2D *pnt,
                      const real tol,
                      Col2D *col);
```

```
Segment.
seg
```

- pnt Point.
- Tolerance. Minimum distance to be considered a collision. tol
- Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional col information.

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d segment segment

Segment-segment collision.

```
bool t
col2d segment segmentf(const Seg2Df *seg1,
                       const Seg2Df *seg2,
                       Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d segment segmentd(const Seg2Dd *seg1,
                       const Seg2Dd *seg2,
                       Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::segment segment(const Seg2D *seg1,
                       const Seg2D *seg2,
                       Col2D *col);
```

- First segment. seg1
- seg2Second segment.
 - Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional col information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_circle_point

Circle-point collision.

```
bool t
col2d circle_pointf(const Cir2Df *cir,
                    const V2Df *pnt,
                    Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d circle pointd(const Cir2Dd *cir,
                    const V2Dd *pnt,
                    Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::circle point(const Cir2D *cir,
                    const V2D *pnt,
                    Col2D *col);
```

cir Circle.

pnt Point.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_circle_segment

Circle-segment collision.

```
bool t
col2d circle segmentf(const Cir2Df *cir,
                      const Seg2Df *seg,
                       Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d circle segmentd(const Cir2Dd *cir,
                      const Seg2Dd *seg,
                      Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::circle segment(const Cir2D *cir,
                      const Seg2D *seg,
                      Col2D *col);
```

- cir Circle.
- seg Segment.
- col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d circle circle

Circle-circle collision

```
bool t
col2d circle circlef(const Cir2Df *cir1,
                     const Cir2Df *cir2,
                     Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d circle circled(const Cir2Dd *cir1,
                     const Cir2Dd *cir2,
                     Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::circle circle(const Cir2D *cir1,
                     const Cir2D *cir2,
                     Col2D *col);
```

- First circle. cir1
- cir2 Second circle.
- Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional col information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_box_point

Box-point collision.

```
bool t
col2d box pointf(const Box2Df *box,
                 const V2Df *pnt,
                 Col2Df *col);
bool t
```

box Box.

pnt Point.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_box_segment

Box-segment collision.

box Box.

seg Segment.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d box circle

Box-circle collision.

```
bool t
col2d box circlef(const Box2Df *box,
                  const Cir2Df *cir,
                  Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d box circled(const Box2Dd *box,
                  const Cir2Dd *cir,
                  Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::box circle(const Box2D *box,
                  const Cir2D *cir,
                  Col2D *col);
```

box Box.

cir Circle.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_box_box

Box-box collision.

```
bool t
col2d box boxf(const Box2Df *box1,
               const Box2Df *box2,
               Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d box boxd(const Box2Dd *box1,
               const Box2Dd *box2,
               Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::box box(const Box2D *box1,
               const Box2D *box2,
               Col2D *col);
```

```
box1 First box.
```

box2 Second box.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_obb_point

Point-oriented box collision.

obb Oriented box.

pnt Point.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_obb_segment

Segment-oriented box collision.

obb Oriented box.

seg Segment.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_obb_circle

Collision-oriented box-circle.

obb Oriented box.

cir Circle.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d obb box

Box-oriented box collision.

obb Oriented box.

box Aligned box.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_obb_obb

Oriented Box-Oriented Box collision.

- obb1 First oriented box.
- Second oriented box. obb2
 - Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional col information.

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_tri_point

Triangle-point collision.

```
bool t
col2d tri pointf(const Tri2Df *tri,
                 const V2Df *pnt,
                 Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d tri pointd(const Tri2Dd *tri,
                 const V2Dd *pnt,
                 Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::tri point(const Tri2D *tri,
                 const V2D *pnt,
                 Col2D *col);
```

Triangle. tri

pnt Point.

Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional col information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_tri_segment

Triangle-segment collision.

```
bool t
col2d tri segmentf(const Tri2Df *tri,
                   const Seg2Df *seg,
                   Col2Df *col);
bool t
```

```
tri Triangle.
```

- seg Segment.
- col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_tri_circle

Triangle-circle collision.

- tri Triangle.
- cir Circle.
- col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d tri box

Triangle-box collision.

```
bool t
col2d tri boxf(const Tri2Df *tri,
               const Box2Df *box,
               Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d tri boxd(const Tri2Dd *tri,
               const Box2Dd *box,
               Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::tri box(const Tri2D *tri,
               const Box2D *box,
               Col2D *col);
```

Triangle. tri

box Aligned box.

Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_tri_obb

Triangle-oriented box collision.

```
bool t
col2d tri obbf(const Tri2Df *tri,
               const OBB2Df *obb,
               Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d tri obbd(const Tri2Dd *tri,
               const OBB2Dd *obb,
               Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::tri obb(const Tri2D *tri,
               const OBB2D *obb,
               Col2D *col);
```

- tri Triangle.
- obb Oriented box.
- col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d tri tri

Triangle-triangle collision.

- tri1 First triangle.
- tri2 Second triangle.
- col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_poly_point

Polygon-point collision.

```
pol Polygon.
```

pnt Point.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_poly_segment

Polygon-segment collision.

```
pol Polygon.
```

seg Segment.

col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_poly_circle

Polygon-circle collision.

```
bool t
col2d poly_circlef(const Pol2Df *pol,
                   const Cir2Df *cir,
                   Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d poly circled(const Pol2Dd *pol,
                   const Cir2Dd *cir,
                   Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::poly circle(const Pol2D *pol,
                   const Cir2D *cir,
                   Col2D *col);
```

```
pol Polygon.
```

cir Circle.

Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_poly_box

Polygon-box collision.

```
bool t
col2d poly boxf(const Pol2Df *pol,
                const Box2Df *cir,
                Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d poly boxd(const Pol2Dd *pol,
                const Box2Dd *cir,
                Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::poly box(const Pol2D *pol,
                const Box2D *cir,
                Col2D *col);
```

- pol Polygon.
- cirBox.
- Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional col information.

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_poly_obb

Polygon-box collision.

```
bool t
col2d poly obbf(const Pol2Df *pol,
                const OBB2Df *cir,
                Col2Df *col);
bool t
col2d poly obbd(const Pol2Dd *pol,
                const OBB2Dd *cir,
                Col2Dd *col);
bool t
Col2D::poly obb(const Pol2D *pol,
                const OBB2D *cir,
                Col2D *col);
```

- pol Polygon.
- Oriented box. cir
- Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional col information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_poly_tri

Polygon-triangle collision.

```
bool t
col2d poly_trif(const Pol2Df *pol,
                const Tri2Df *tri,
                Col2Df *col);
bool t
```

- pol Polygon.
- tri Triangle.
- col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

col2d_poly_poly

Polygon-polygon collision.

- pol1 First polygon.
- pol2 Second polygon.
 - col Detailed data of the collision. It can be NULL if we don't need additional information.

Return:

TRUE if the objects intersect, FALSE otherwise.

Draw2D library

39.1. Types and Constants

kCOLOR_TRANSPARENT

Totally transparent color, absence of color or null color.

const color t kCOLOR TRANSPARENT;

kCOLOR DEFAULT

Default color.

const color_t kCOLOR_DEFAULT;

kCOLOR_BLACK

BLACK color rgb(0,0,0).

const color t kCOLOR BLACK;

kCOLOR_WHITE

WHITE color rgb(255,255,255).

const color t kCOLOR WHITE;

kCOLOR_RED

RED color rgb(255,0,0).

const color_t kCOLOR_RED;

kCOLOR GREEN

GREEN color rgb(0,255,0).

```
const color t kCOLOR GREEN;
```

kCOLOR BLUE

BLUE color rgb(0,0,255).

```
const color t kCOLOR BLUE;
```

kCOLOR YELLOW

YELLOW color rgb(255,255,0).

```
const color t kCOLOR YELLOW;
```

kCOLOR_CYAN

CYAN color rgb(0,255,255).

```
const color t kCOLOR CYAN;
```

kCOLOR MAGENTA

MAGENTA color rgb(255,0,255).

```
const color t kCOLOR MAGENTA;
```

enum pixformat t

Pixel format in an image. Number of bits per pixel and color model.

```
ekINDEX1
            1 bit per pixel. 2 colors, indexed.
ekINDEX2
             2 bits per pixel. 4 colors, indexed.
            4 bits per pixel. 16 colors, indexed.
ekINDEX4
ekINDEX8
            8 bits per pixel. 256 colors, indexed.
            8 bits per pixel in grayscale. 256 shades of gray.
 ekGRAY8
 ekRGB24
             24 bits per RGB pixel. 8 bits per channel (red, green, blue).
```

The lowest order byte corresponds to the red one and the highest one to the blue one.

```
ekRGBA32
            32 bits per pixel RGBA. 8 bits per channel (red, green, blue,
             alpha). The lowest order byte corresponds to the red one
             and the highest one to alpha (transparency).
            Represents the original format of the image. Only valid at
ekFIMAGE
             image pixels.
```

enum codec t

Image encoding and compression format.

```
ekJPG
        Joint Photographic Experts Group.
        Portable Network Graphics.
ekPNG
ekBMP
        BitMaP.
ekGIF
        Graphics Interchange Format.
```

enum fstyle_t

Style in typographic fonts. Multiple values can be combined with the OR operator ('|').

```
ekFNORMAL
                 Normal font, no style. Also called Regular.
                 Bold font.
      ekFBOLD
                 Italic font.
   ekFITALIC
                 Crossed out font.
ekFSTRIKEOUT
                 Underlined font.
ekFUNDERLINE
ekFSUBSCRIPT
                 Subscript. See textview fstyle.
ekFSUPSCRIPT
                 Superscript. See textview fstyle
   ekFPIXELS
                 Font sizes will be indicated in pixels.
   ekFPOINTS
                 Font sizes will be indicated in points. "Size in points"
                 (page 294).
```

enum linecap_t

ekLCFLAT

Line end style.

```
Flat termination at the last point of the line.
                Termination in a box, whose center is the last point of the
ekLCSOUARE
                line.
```

eklcround Termination in a circle, whose center is the last point of the line.

enum linejoin_t

Line junction style.

```
eklJMITER Union at an angle. In very closed angles it is trimmed.
```

ekljround Rounded union.

ekljbevel Beveled union.

enum fillwrap_t

Behavior of the fill pattern in the limits.

```
ekfclamp The last limit value is used to fill the outside area.
```

ekftile Pattern is repeated.

ekfflip The pattern is repeated, reversing the order.

enum drawop_t

Operation to be performed on graphic primitives.

```
ekstroke Draw the outline of the figure with the default line style.
```

ekFILL Fill the figure area with the default color or pattern.

ekskfill First draw the outline and then fill in.

ekFILLSK First fill in and then draw the outline.

enum align_t

Alignment values.

```
ekleft Alignment to the left margin.
```

ektop Alignment to the upper margin.

ekcenter Centered alignment.

ekRIGHT Alignment to the right margin.

ekbottom Alignment to the lower margin.

ekJUSTIFY Justification or expansion of content.

enum ellipsis_t

Position of the ellipsis (...) when clipping a text.

```
ekelliphone Without ellipsis.

ekelliphegin Ellipsis at the beginning of the text.

ekelliphiddle Ellipsis in the center of the text.

ekellipend Ellipsis at the end of the text.

ekelliphide Multi-line text (without ellipsis).
```

struct color t

32-bit integer representing an RGBA color. The lowest order byte corresponds to the red channel (Red) and the highest order to the Alpha channel (transparency). "Colors" (page 279).

```
struct color_t;
```

struct DCtx

2D drawing context, recipient for drawing commands. It is also known as canvas or surface. "2D Contexts" (page 259).

```
struct DCtx;
```

struct Draw

Drawing geometric entities.

```
struct Drawf;
struct Drawd;
struct Draw;
```

struct Palette

Color palette, usually related to indexed Pixbuf. "Palettes" (page 281).

```
struct Palette;
```

struct Pixbuf

In-memory buffer with pixel information. "Pixel Buffer" (page 282).

```
struct Pixbuf;
```

struct Image

Represents a bitmap image, composed of pixels. "Images" (page 286).

```
struct Image;
```

struct Font

Represents a typographic family, size and style with which the texts will be drawn. "Typography fonts" (page 291).

```
struct Font;
```

39.2. Functions

draw2d_start

Start the *draw2d* library, reserving space for global internal structures. Internally call core_start. In desktop applications, osmain call this function when starting the program.

```
void
draw2d_start(void);
```

draw2d_finish

Ends the draw2d library, freeing up the space of the global internal structures. Internally call core_finish. In desktop applications, osmain call this function when exiting the program.

```
void
draw2d_finish(void);
```

resid_image

Makes a casting ResId-Image.

```
const Image*
resid_image(const ResId id);
```

id The resource Id.

Return:

The Image Id.

dctx bitmap

Create a memory context, in order to generate an image.

```
DCt.x*
dctx bitmap(const uint32 t width,
            const uint32 t height,
            const pixformat t format);
```

width Image width in pixels.

height Image height in pixels.

format Pixel format of the generated image.

Return:

Drawing context.

Remarks:

When we finish drawing, we must call dctx image to get the picture.

dctx_image

Get the result image after drawing in the context created with dctx bitmap.

```
Image*
dctx image(DCtx **ctx);
```

The context, which will be destroyed after generating the image.

Return:

The image.

draw_clear

Clears the entire context area, using a solid color.

```
void
draw clear (DCtx *ctx,
           const color t color);
```

```
ctx Drawing context.

color Background color.
```

draw_matrix

Set the context reference system (affine transformation).

ctx Drawing context.

t2d Transformation.

Remarks:

The origin of coordinates is in the upper left corner. The Y axis increases down.

draw_matrix_cartesian

Set the reference system in Cartesian coordinates.

ctx Drawing context.

t2d Transformation.

Remarks:

The origin of coordinates is in the lower left corner. The Y axis increases upwards. See "Cartesian systems" (page 264).

draw_antialias

Enable or disable antialiasing.

ctx Drawing context.

on TRUE active, FALSE inactive.

Remarks:

The antialias can change in each primitive. It is not necessary to establish a policy for the whole drawing. See "Antialiasing" (page 265).

draw_line

Draw a line.

- ctx Drawing context.
- x0 X coordinate of the first point.
- y0 Y coordinate of the first point.
- x1 X coordinate of the second point.
- y1 Y coordinate of the second point.

draw_polyline

Draw several joined lines.

Number of points.

```
ctx Drawing context.

closed TRUE to join the last point with the first.

points Array of points that compose the polyline.
```

draw arc

n

Draw an arc (circle segment).

ctx Drawing context.

x X coordinate of the arc center.

v Y coordinate of the arc center.

radius Arc radius.

start Initial angle with respect to the vector X = [1, 0] in radians.

sweep Sweep angle or arc size in radians.

Remarks:

Positive angles are those that rotate from vector X to vector Y. See "2D Vectors" (page 239).

draw bezier

Draw a cubic Bézier curve (degree 3) using two endpoints (x0,y0)-(x3,y3) and two intermediate control points (x1,y1)-(x2,y2).

- ctx Drawing context.
- x0 X coordinate of the starting point.
- y0 Y coordinate of the starting point.
- x1 X coordinate of the first intermediate point.
- y1 Y coordinate of the first intermediate point.
- x2 X coordinate of the second intermediate point.
- y2 Y coordinate of the second intermediate point.
- x3 X coordinate of end point.
- y3 Y coordinate of the end point.

draw_line_color

Set the color of drawing lines and contours.

ctx Drawing context.

color Line color.

draw_line_fill

Sets the current fill pattern for line drawing.

```
void
draw_line_fill(DCtx *ctx);
```

ctx Drawing context.

Remarks:

The fill pattern must have been previously set by draw_fill_linear. See "Gradients in lines" (page 272).

draw_line_width

Set the line thickness.

```
ctx Drawing context.
width Line width.
```

draw_line_cap

Set the style of the line ends.

ctx Drawing context.

cap Style.

draw_line_join

Set the style of line junctions.

ctx Drawing context.

join Union style.

draw_line_dash

Set a pattern for line drawing.

ctx Drawing context.

pattern Array of values that define the pattern.

n Number of values.

Remarks:

The first element of pattern defines the length of the first stroke and the second of the first hole, so on. Lengths are scaled by line width <code>draw_line_width</code>, that is, a stroke of length 1 will draw a square of side <code>line_width</code>. Lengths of value 2 equal to twice the line thickness, etc. The pattern will scale proportionally when changing the thickness or zooming through transformations.

draw_rect

Draw a rectangle.

- ctx Drawing context.
- op Drawing operation.
 - x X coordinate of the upper left corner of the rectangle.
- y Y coordinate of the upper left corner of the rectangle.
- width Rectangle width.
- height Rectangle height.

Remarks:

In "Cartesian systems" (page 264) (x,y) indicate the origin of the lower left corner.

draw rndrect

Draw a rectangle with rounded edges.

- ctx Drawing context.
- op Drawing operation.
 - x X coordinate of the upper left corner of the rectangle.
- y Y coordinate of the upper left corner of the rectangle.
- width Rectangle width.
- height Rectangle height.
- radius Corner curvature radius.

Remarks:

In "Cartesian systems" (page 264) (x,y) indicate the origin of the lower left corner.

draw_circle

Draw a circle.

- ctx Drawing context.
- op Drawing operation.
 - x X coordinate of the center.
- v Y coordinate of the center.

radius Radius.

draw_ellipse

Draw an ellipse.

- ctx Drawing context.
- op Drawing operation.
- x X coordinate of the center.
- y Y coordinate of the center.
- radx X axis radius.
- rady Y axis radius.

draw_polygon

Draw a polygon.

```
void
draw polygon (DCtx *ctx,
             const drawop t op,
             const V2Df *points,
             const uint32 t n);
```

ctxDrawing context.

Drawing operation. op

points Array of points that form the polygon.

Number of points. \mathbf{n}

draw_fill_color

Set a solid color for area filling.

```
void
draw fill color(DCtx *ctx,
                const color t color);
```

ctxDrawing context.

Fill color. color

draw_fill_linear

Set a gradient for filling areas.

```
void
draw fill linear (DCtx *ctx,
                 const color t *color,
                 const real32 t *stop,
                  const uint32 t n,
                  const real32 t x0,
                  const real32 t y0,
                  const real32 t x1,
                  const real32 t y1);
```

- ctx Drawing context.
- color Color array.
- stop Color positions.
 - n Number of positions/colors.
 - x0 X coordinate of the starting point.
 - y0 Y coordinate of the starting point.
 - x1 X coordinate of the end point.
 - y1 Y coordinate of the end point.

Remarks:

The positions must go from the value 0 to 1. See "Gradients" (page 269).

draw_fill_matrix

Sets the transformation matrix of the fill pattern.

- ctx Drawing context.
- t2d Transformation.

Remarks:

It will only be effective in non-solid fills. See "Gradients" (page 269).

draw_fill_wrap

Set the behavior of the gradient or fill pattern to the limits.

- ctx Drawing context.
- wrap Behavior at the edge.

Remarks:

It will only be effective in non-solid fills. See "Gradients" (page 269).

draw_font

Set the font for text drawing.

ctx Drawing context.

font Fuente tipográfica.

Remarks:

Tendrá efecto a partir del siguiente texto dibujado. Ver "Typography fonts" (page 291).

draw text color

Sets the text color.

ctx Drawing context.

color Color.

draw_text

Draw a block of text.

ctx Drawing context.

text UTF8 string, terminated in a null character '\0'.

x X coordinate on the canvas of the text origin.

y Y coordinate on the canvas of the text origin.

Remarks:

The text will be drawn with the font and preset style and will be sensitive to the context transformation. See "Drawing text" (page 273).

draw_text_path

Draw a block of text as a geometric area. Similar to draw_text, but allows you to use gradients or draw only the border of the text.

- ctx Drawing context.
- op Drawing operation.
- text UTF8 string, null-terminated '\0'.
 - x X coordinate on the canvas of the text origin.
 - y Y coordinate on canvas of text origin.

Remarks:

The text will be drawn with the preset font and style (fill and line) and will be context sensitive. See "Drawing text" (page 273).

draw text width

Set the maximum width of the text blocks.

ctx Drawing context.

width Maximum width.

Remarks:

If the text to draw with draw_text is wider than width, it will fragment into several lines. Pass -1 to draw the entire block on a single line. Context scaling is not taken into account. The measurement is made based on the size of the preset font. See "Drawing text" (page 273).

draw text trim

Sets how the text will be trimmed when it is wider than the value of draw_text_width.

```
void
draw text trim(DCtx *ctx,
               const ellipsis t ellipsis);
```

ctxDrawing context.

ellipsis Trim style.

draw_text_align

Sets the alignment of the text with respect to the insertion point.

```
void
draw text align (DCtx *ctx,
                const align t halign,
                const align t valign);
```

ctxDrawing context.

halign Horizontal alignment.

valign Vertical alignment.

Remarks:

The insertion point is the coordinate (x,y) from draw text. See "Drawing text" (page 273).

draw_text_halign

Set the internal horizontal alignment of the text, within a multi-line block.

```
void
draw text halign (DCtx *ctx,
                  const align t halign);
```

ctxDrawing context.

halign Horizontal alignment.

Remarks:

In single-line texts, it has no effect. See "Drawing text" (page 273).

draw_text_extents

Calculate the size of a block of text.

```
ctx Drawing context.

text Text.

refwidth Reference width.

width Block width.

height Block height.
```

Remarks:

If refwidth is greater than 0, width will be bounded by this value and height will expand to accommodate all the text. Take into account possible new lines '\n' from text.

draw_image

Draw a image.

ctx Drawing context.

image The image to draw.

x X coordinate on the canvas of the image origin.

y Y coordinate on the canvas of the image origin.

Remarks:

The image will be drawn at its natural size and in the indicated position. Use draw_matrixf to perform scaling and rotation. See "Drawing images" (page 276).

draw_image_frame

Like draw image, but indicating the sequence number of an animation.

ctx Drawing context.

frame Sequence index (frame) of the animation.

- x X coordinate on the canvas of the image origin.
- y Y coordinate on the canvas of the image origin.

Remarks:

Only images created from a **GIF** file support multiple frames (animations). See image_num_frames

draw_image_align

Sets the alignment of the image with respect to the insertion point.

ctx Drawing context.

halign Horizontal alignment.

valign Vertical alignment.

Remarks:

The insertion point is the coordinate (x,y) from draw_image. See "Drawing images" (page 276).

draw_v2d

Draw a 2D point.

ctx Drawing context.

op Drawing operation.

v2d Point.

radius Radius.

draw_seg2d

Draw a 2D segment.

ctx Drawing context.

seg Segment.

draw_cir2d

Draw a 2D circle.

ctx Drawing context.

op Drawing operation.

cir Circle.

draw_box2d

Draw a 2D box.

ctx Drawing context.

op Drawing operation.

box Aligned box.

draw_obb2d

Draw an oriented 2D box.

- ctx Drawing context.
- op Drawing operation.
- obb Oriented box.

draw_tri2d

Draw a 2D triangle.

- ctx Drawing context.
- op Drawing operation.
- tri Triangle.

draw_pol2d

Draw a 2D polygon.

- ctx Drawing context.
- op Drawing operation.
- pol Polygon.

color_rgb

Create a color from the channels R (red), G (green) y B (blue).

- r Red channel.
- g Green channel.
- b Blue channel.

Return:

Color.

Remarks:

The alpha channel is set to 255 (totally opaque).

color_rgba

Create a color from the channels R (red), G (green), B (blue) and A (alpha).

- r Red channel.
- g Green channel.
- b Blue channel.
- a Alpha channel (transparency).

Return:

Color.

Remarks:

a=0 not supported. Use kCOLOR TRANSPARENT in those cases.

color_rgbaf

Create a color from the normalized RGBA channels from 0 to 1.

- r Red channel.
- g Green channel.
- b Blue channel.
- a Alpha channel (transparency).

Return:

Color.

Remarks:

```
a=0 not supported. Use kCOLOR TRANSPARENT in those cases.
```

color_hsbf

Creates a color (rgb) from its components Hue-Saturation-Brightness.

hue Hue component.

sat Saturation component.

bright Brightness component.

Return:

Color.

color_red

Create an RGB color using only the red channel.

```
color_t
color_red(const uint8_t r);
```

r Red Channel.

Return:

Color.

Remarks:

```
Equivalent to color rgb (r, 0, 0).
```

color_green

Create an RGB color using only the green channel.

```
color_t
color_green(const uint8_t g);
```

g Green channel.

Return:

Color.

Remarks:

```
Equivalent to color rgb(0, g, 0).
```

color_blue

Create an RGB color using only the blue channel.

```
color_t
color_blue(const uint8_t b);
```

b Blue channel.

Return:

Color.

Remarks:

```
Equivalent to color rgb(0, 0, b).
```

color_gray

Creates a gray RGB color from intensity value.

```
color_t
color_gray(const uint8_t 1);
```

l Intensity (luminance).

Return:

Color.

Remarks:

```
Equivalent to color rgb(1, 1, 1).
```

color_bgr

Create a color from a 32-bit BGR value. Byte 0 corresponds to channel $\bf B$, 1 to $\bf G$ and 2 to $\bf R$. The highest order byte is ignored (set to 255).

```
color_t
color_bgr(const uint32_t bgr);
```

bgr The bgr 32bits value.

Return:

Color.

Remarks:

This byte order is typical in Web colors.

color_html

Create a color from a string in HTML or CSS format.

```
color_t
color_html(const char_t *html);
```

```
color_t c1 = color_html("#FF0000"); // Red
color_t c2 = color_html("#000080"); // Navy
```

html The text string with the HTML color.

Return:

The color transformed to RGB.

color_to_hsbf

Convert a color (rgb) to HSB space (hue, saturation, brightness).

color Color.

hue Hue component.

sat Saturation component.

sat Brightness component.

color_to_html

Convert a color to the HTML or CSS format (#RRGGBB).

color The color to convert.

html Buffer where to write the result.

size Result buffer size.

color get rgb

Returns RGB color values.

color Color.

- r Red channel.
- g Green channel.
- b Blue channel.

Remarks:

In system or indexed colors, it makes effective the RGB value.

color_get_rgbf

Returns RGB color values, normalized from 0 to 1.

color Color.

- r Red channel.
- g Green channel.
- b Blue channel.

Remarks:

In system or indexed colors, it makes effective the RGB value.

color_get_rgba

Returns the RGBA values of the color.

color Color.

- r Red channel.
- g Green channel.
- b Blue channel.
- a Alpha channel (transparency).

Remarks:

In system or indexed colors, it makes effective the RGBA value.

color_get_rgbaf

Returns the RGBA values of the color, normalized from 0 to 1.

color Color.

- r Red channel.
- g Green channel.
- b Blue channel.
- a Alpha channel (transparency).

Remarks:

In system or indexed colors, it makes effective the RGBA value.

color_get_alpha

Get the alpha (transparency) color component.

```
uint8_t
color_get_alpha(const color_t color);
```

color Color.

Return:

The alpha component. If it is equal 0 it means that the color is indexed (does not contain RGB values).

color_set_alpha

Changes the alpha (transparency) value of a color.

color Color.

alpha Alpha component.

Return:

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The new color, with the altered alpha component.

palette_create

Create a palette.

```
Palette*
palette_create(const uint32_t size);
```

size The number of colors.

Return:

The palette. The initial content is undetermined. Edit with palette colors.

palette_cga2

Create the 4-color (2-bit) palette of CGA cards.

mode TRUE for CGA mode 1, FALSE mode 0.

intense TRUE for bright colors.

Return:

The palette.

Remarks:

"Predefined palette" (page 281)

palette_ega4

Create the default palette for EGA cards (16 colors, 4 bits).

```
Palette*
palette_ega4 (void);
```

Return:

The palette.

Remarks:

"Predefined palette" (page 281)

palette_rgb8

Create the default 8-bit RGB palette. Colors combine 8 tones of red, 8 green and 4 blue.

```
Palette*
palette_rgb8(void);
```

Return:

The palette.

Remarks:

"Predefined palette" (page 281)

palette_gray1

Create a palette of 2 tones of gray (1 bit). Black (0) and white (1).

```
Palette*
palette_gray1(void);
```

Return:

The palette.

Remarks:

"Predefined palette" (page 281)

palette_gray2

Create a palette of 4 tones of gray (2 bit). Black (0), White (3).

```
Palette*
palette_gray2(void);
```

Return:

The palette.

Remarks:

"Predefined palette" (page 281)

palette_gray4

Create a palette of 16 tones of gray (4 bit). Black (0), White (15).

```
Palette*
palette_gray4(void);
```

Return:

The palette.

Remarks:

"Predefined palette" (page 281)

palette_gray8

Create a palette of 256 shades of gray (8 bit). Black (0), White (255).

```
Palette*
palette_gray8(void);
```

Return:

The palette.

Remarks:

"Predefined palette" (page 281)

palette_binary

Create a two-color palette.

zero Color associated with the 0 value.

one Color associated with the 1 value.

Return:

The palette.

palette_destroy

Destroy the palette.

```
void
palette_destroy(Palette **palette);
```

palette The palette. It will be set to NULL after the destruction.

palette_size

Returns the number of colors in the palette.

```
uint32_t
palette_size(const Palette *palette);
```

palette The palette.

Return:

The number of colors.

palette_colors

Get the color list.

```
color_t*
palette_colors(Palette *palette);
```

palette The palette.

Return:

Colors. The size of the array is given by palette_size.

Remarks:

The buffer is read/write.

palette_colors_const

Get the color list.

```
const color_t*
palette_colors_const(const Palette *palette);
```

palette The palette.

Return:

Colors. The size of the array is given by palette size.

pixbuf_create

Create a new pixel buffer.

```
width Width.
```

height Height.

format Pixel format.

Return:

The buffer pixel.

Remarks:

Initial content will be undefined.

pixbuf_copy

Create a copy of the pixel buffer.

```
Pixbuf*
pixbuf_copy(const Pixbuf *pixbuf);
```

pixbuf The original buffer.

Return:

The copy.

pixbuf_trim

Crop a buffer pixel.

```
pixbuf The original buffer.
```

- x X coordinate of the upper-left pixel.
- y Y coordinate of the upper-left pixel.

width Number of pixels wide.

height Number of pixels high.

Return:

A new buffer pixel with clipping.

Remarks:

The function does not check that the limits are valid. You will get a segmentation error in such cases.

pixbuf_convert

Change the format of a buffer pixel.

pixbuf The original buffer.

palette Color palette required for certain conversions.

oformat Result buffer format.

Return:

The converted buffer.

Remarks:

See "Copy and conversion" (page 284).

pixbuf_destroy

Destroy the buffer.

```
void
pixbuf_destroy(Pixbuf **pixbuf);
```

pixbuf The buffer. It will be set to NULL after the destruction.

pixbuf_format

Get the pixel format.

```
pixformat_t
pixbuf_format(const Pixbuf *pixbuf);
```

pixbuf The buffer.

Return:

The format.

Remarks:

```
See "Pixel formats" (page 283).
```

pixbuf_width

Get the width of the buffer.

```
uint32_t
pixbuf_width(const Pixbuf *pixbuf);
```

pixbuf The buffer.

Return:

Width.

pixbuf_height

Get the height of the buffer.

```
uint32_t
pixbuf_height(const Pixbuf *pixbuf);
```

pixbuf The buffer.

Return:

Height.

pixbuf_size

Get the buffer size (in pixels).

```
uint32_t
pixbuf_size(const Pixbuf *pixbuf);
```

pixbuf The buffer.

Return:

Width x height.

pixbuf dsize

Gets the buffer size (in bytes).

```
uint32 t
pixbuf dsize(const Pixbuf *pixbuf);
```

The buffer. pixbuf

Return:

Number of total bytes in the buffer.

pixbuf_cdata

Gets a read-only pointer to the contents of the buffer.

```
const byte t*
pixbuf cdata(const Pixbuf *pixbuf);
```

The buffer. pixbuf

Return:

Pointer to the first element.

Remarks:

Correctly manipulating the buffer requires knowing the "Pixel formats" (page 283) and sometimes using the operators at the bit level. Use pixbuf get to correctly read a pixel.

pixbuf_data

Gets a read/write pointer to the contents of the buffer.

```
byte t*
pixbuf data(Pixbuf *pixbuf);
```

pixbuf The buffer.

Return:

Pointer to the first element.

Remarks:

Correctly manipulating the buffer requires knowing the "Pixel formats" (page 283) and sometimes using the operators at the bit level. Use pixbuf get to correctly read a pixel.

pixbuf_format_bpp

Gets bits per pixel based on format.

```
uint32_t
pixbuf_format_bpp(const pixformat_t format);
```

format The format.

Return:

Bits per pixel.

Remarks:

```
See "Pixel formats" (page 283).
```

pixbuf_get

Get the value of a pixel.

pixbuf The buffer.

x Pixel x-coordinate.

y Pixel y coordinate.

Return:

The color value.

Remarks:

See "Pixel formats" (page 283) to correctly interpret the value.

pixbuf_set

Sets the value of a pixel.

pixbuf The buffer.

x Pixel x-coordinate.

y Pixel y coordinate.

value The color value.

Remarks:

See "Pixel formats" (page 283) to correctly interpret the value.

image_from_pixels

Create an image from an array of pixels.

width The image width (in pixels).

height The image height (in pixels).

format Pixel format.

data Buffer that contains the color value of each pixel. It will depend on the resolution and format.

palette Color palette required to render indexed images. If it is NULL a "Predefined palette" (page 281) will be used if necessary.

palsize Number of colors in the palette.

Return:

The image.

Remarks:

See "Pixel access" (page 288).

image_from_pixbuf

Create an image from a buffer pixel.

```
pixbuf The buffer.

palette The palette.
```

Return:

The image.

Remarks:

Equal to image from pixels avoiding indicating parameters separately.

image_from_file

Create an image from a file on disk.

```
pathname The file path. "Filename and pathname" (page 180). error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.
```

Return:

The image.

Remarks:

Only formats jpg, png, bmp and gif are accepted.

image_from_data

Create an image from a buffer containing the encoded data.

data The buffer with the image data.

size The buffer size in bytes.

Return:

The image.

Remarks:

The buffer represents data encoded in jpg, png, bmp or gif. To create the image directly from pixels use image from pixels.

image_from_resource

Get an image of a resource package.

pack The resource package.

id The resource identifier.

Return:

The image.

Remarks:

The image should not be destroyed with image_destroy as it is part of the package itself (it is constant). Make a copy with image_copy in case it needs to be kept after destroying the resources. See "Resources" (page 101).

image_copy

Create a copy of the image.

```
Image*
image_copy(const Image *image);
```

image The source image.

Return:

The image copy.

Remarks:

Images are immutable objects. Copying really means increasing an internal counter without cloning the object. However, the application must destroy the copy with image destroy

just like those created with any other constructor. When all copies are destroyed, it will actually be removed from memory.

image_trim

Create an image by cropping another image.

- x X coordinate of the origin of the sub-image.
- y Y coordinate of the origin of the sub-image.
- width Width in pixels of the sub-image.
- height Height in pixels of the sub-image.

Return:

The new image.

image_rotate

Create a new image by rotating an existing one.

image The original image.

angle Angle in radians.

nsize TRUE the resulting image will be resized to fit the entire original. FALSE the resulting image will have the same dimensions as the original, cutting part of the content (clipping).

background Background color. The new image will have "blank" areas due to rotation.

t2d Saves the transformation applied to the image. They can be NULL if we don't need this value.

Return:

The newly created image.

image_scale

Create a copy of the image, with a new size.

image The source image.

nwidth The width of the new image. Pass UINT32_MAX so that the aspect ratio with respect to nheight.

nheight The height of the new image. Pass UINT32_MAX so that the aspect ratio with respect to nwidth.

Return:

The image.

Remarks:

If both values nwidth, nheight are UINT32_MAX or the new dimensions are identical to the current ones, the internal reference counter will increase, as is the case in image copy.

image_read

Create an image from the data read from a "Streams" (page 195).

```
Image*
image_read(Stream *stm);
```

stm Input stream. Data encoded in *jpg*, *png*, *bmp* or *gif* are expected. The function detects the format automatically.

Return:

The image.

image_to_file

Save an image to disk, using the codec associated with it.

The image.

image

pathname The path of the destination file. "Filename and pathname" (page 180).

error Error code if the function fails. Can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if it was saved correctly or FALSE and an error has occurred.

Remarks:

Use image codec to change the default codec.

image_write

Write an image in an output stream, using the codec associated with it.

stm Writing stream. Data encoded in jpg, png, bmp or gif will be written.

image The image.

Remarks:

Use image_codec to change the default codec.

image_destroy

Destroy the image.

```
void
image_destroy(Image **image);
```

image The image. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

image_format

Get the pixel format of the image.

```
pixformat_t
image_format(const Image *image);
```

image The image.

Return:

Pixel format.

image_width

Get the width of the image in pixels.

```
uint32_t
image_width(const Image *image);
```

image The image.

Return:

Number of pixels wide.

image_height

Get the height of the image in pixels.

```
uint32_t
image_height(const Image *image);
```

image The image.

Return:

Number of pixels in height.

image_pixels

Get a buffer with the pixels that make up the decoded image.

image The image.

format The required pixel format.

Return:

Pixel buffer with image content.

Remarks:

If in pixformat we indicate ekFIMAGE it will return the buffer with the original format of the image. We can indicate ekRGB24, ekRGBA32 or ekGRAY8 if we need a specific format. Cannot use indexed formats.

image_codec

Change the default codec associated with the image.

```
Image *img = image_from_file("lenna.jpg", NULL);
Stream *stm = stm_socket(ip, port, NULL, NULL);
image_codec(img, ekPNG);
image_write(socket, img);
```

image The image.

codec The new codec.

Return:

TRUE if the graphical API supports the selected codec. FALSE otherwise.

Remarks:

The change will take effect the next time we save or write the image. By default, the image retains the codec with which it was read. When we create it with <code>image_from_pixels</code> <code>ekJPG</code> codec is assigned as default. For images from 2d contexts <code>dctx_image</code>, the default codec is <code>ekPNG</code>. All codecs are supported by all graphical APIs, except <code>ekGIF</code> in some versions of Linux. Check the return value if it is imperative that your application export images in GIF.

image_get_codec

Get the codec associated with the image.

```
codec_t
image_get_codec(const Image *image);
```

image The image.

Return:

El codec.

Remarks:

See image codec.

image num frames

Get the number of sequences in animated images.

```
uint32 t
image num frames(const Image *image);
```

image The image.

Return:

The number of sequences or *frames*.

Remarks:

Only the qif format supports animations. For the rest 1 will always be returned.

image frame length

Get the time of an animation sequence.

```
real32 t
image frame length (const Image *image,
                   const uint32 t findex);
```

image The image.

findex The frame index.

Return:

Sequence time in seconds.

Remarks:

Only gif format supports animations.

image_data

Link user data with the image.

```
void
image data(Image *image,
           type *data,
           FPtr destroy func destroy data,
           type );
```

```
image The image.

data The user data.

func_destroy_data Destructor of user data.
```

User data type.

image_get_data

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Gets the user data of the image.

image The image.

User data type.

Return:

The user data.

image_native

Gets the image in the native format of each platform.

```
void*
image_native(const Image *image);
```

image The image.

Return:

The native image. Gdiplus::Bitmap in Windows, GdkPixbuf in Linux and NSImage in macOS.

font_create

Create a font.

- family Typographic family. Eg: "Arial", "Times New Roman", etc.
 - size Font size. Default in pixels. Use ekfpoints in style to change the unit.
 - style Operation OR | over the fields of the fstyle_t structure. Eg: ekfBOLD | ekfITALIC.

Return:

The font.

font_system

Create a font, with the system default family.

- size Font size. Default in pixels. Use ekfpoints in style to change the unit.
- style Operation OR | over the fields of the fstyle_t structure. Eg: ekfBOLD | ekfITALIC.

Return:

The font.

font_monospace

Create a font, with the default system mono-space family.

- size Font size. Default in pixels. Use ekfpoints in style to change the unit.
- style Operation OR | over the fields of the fstyle_t structure. Eg: ekfBOLD | ekfITALIC.

Return:

The font.

font_with_style

Create a copy of an existing font, changing the style.

```
font Original font.
```

```
style Operation OR | over the fields of the fstyle_t structure. Eg: ekfBOLD | ekfITALIC.
```

Return:

A copy of font with another style.

font_copy

Create an exact copy of a font.

```
Font*
font_copy(const Font *font);
```

font Source font.

Return:

The copy of font.

Remarks:

Fonts are immutable objects. Copying really means increasing an internal counter without cloning the object. However, the application must destroy the copy with font_destroy just like those created with any other constructor.

font_destroy

Destroy the font.

```
void
font_destroy(Font **font);
```

font The font. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

font_equals

Compare two fonts. They are considered equal if they have the same family, size and style.

```
bool t
font equals (const Font *font1,
            const Font *font2);
```

font1 First font to compare.

font2 Second font to compare.

Return:

TRUE if they are the same, FALSE if not.

font_regular_size

Get the default font size for interface controls.

```
real32 t
font regular size(void);
```

Return:

The default size in pixels.

font small size

Get the *small* font size by default for interface controls.

```
real32 t
font small size (void);
```

Return:

The size in pixels.

Remarks:

This size is slightly smaller than that obtained by font regular size.

font_mini_size

Get the default *mini* font size for interface controls.

```
real32 t
font mini size (void);
```

Return:

The size in pixels.

Remarks:

This size is slightly smaller than that obtained by font small size.

font_family

Get the font type family.

```
const char t*
font family(const Font *font);
```

font The font.

Return:

The typographic family in UTF8.

font_size

Get the font size.

```
real32 t
font size(const Font *font);
```

The font. font

Return:

The size. The units depend on the parameter style.

font_height

Get the height of the cell or line of text with this font.

```
real32 t
font height(const Font *font);
```

The font. font

Return:

Cell height.

font_style

Get the font style.

```
uint32 t
font style(const Font *font);
```

font The font.

Return:

The style. Combination of fstyle t structure values. Eg: ekfBOLD | ekfITALIC.

font extents

Gets the size in pixels of a text string, based on the font.

```
void
font extents (const Font *font,
             const char t *text,
             const real32 t refwidth,
             real32 t *width,
             real32 t *height);
```

```
font
      The font.
```

text The text string to size.

refwidth Maximum width of the text box.

width Text box width.

height Text box height.

font exists family

Check if a typeface family is installed in the operating system.

```
bool t
font exists family (const char t *family);
```

UTF8 string with family name, terminated in a null character '\0'.

Return:

TRUE if the family exists, FALSE if not.

font_installed_families

Get a list with the names of all the typographic families installed in the operating system.

```
ArrPt (String) *
font installed families (void);
```

```
ArrPt(String) *families = font installed families();
arrpt destroy(&families, str destroy, String);
```

Return:

Array of String with the names of the families, arranged alphabetically. It must be destroyed with arrpt_destroy.

font_native

Gets the font in the native format of each platform.

```
void*
font_native(const Font *font);
```

font The font.

Return:

The native font. HFONT in Windows, PangoFontDescription in Linux and NSFont in $\max OS$.

Gui library

40.1. Types and Constants

enum gui_orient_t

Orientation.

```
ekGUI_HORIZONTAL Horizontal.

ekGUI VERTICAL Vertical.
```

enum gui_state_t

State values.

```
ekGUI_OFF Off.
ekGUI_ON On.
ekGUI MIXED Medium/undetermined.
```

enum gui_mouse_t

Mouse buttons.

```
ekGUI_MOUSE_LEFT Left.
ekGUI_MOUSE_RIGHT Right.
ekGUI MOUSE MIDDLE Center.
```

enum gui_cursor_t

Cursors. See ${\tt window_cursor}.$

```
ekGUI_CURSOR_ARROW Arrow (default).

ekGUI_CURSOR_HAND Hand.

ekGUI_CURSOR_IBEAM Vertical bar (text editing).

ekGUI_CURSOR_CROSS Cross.

ekGUI_CURSOR_SIZEWE Horizontal resize (left-right).

ekGUI_CURSOR_SIZENS Vertical resize (top-bottom).

ekGUI_CURSOR_USER Created from an image.
```

enum gui_close_t

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Reason for closing a window.

```
ekGUI_CLOSE_ESC The [ESC] key has been pressed (cancel).

ekGUI_CLOSE_INTRO The [ENTER] key has been pressed (accept).

ekGUI_CLOSE_BUTTON The close button [X] has been pressed in the title bar.

ekGUI_CLOSE_DEACT The parent window has been hidden.
```

enum gui_scale_t

Scaling modes.

```
ekgui_scale_none No scaling.

ekgui_scale_none No scaling.

ekgui_scale_aspect Automatic scaling, but maintaining the proportion (aspect ratio).

ekgui_scale_aspectdw Same as above, but does not increase the original size, only reduce it if appropriate.
```

enum gui_scroll_t

Types of scroll.

```
ekgui_scroll_begin Jump to start.

ekgui_scroll_end Skip to the end.

ekgui_scroll_step_left Jump one step (or line) to the left or up.
```

```
ekgui_scroll_step_right Jump one step (or line) to the right or down.

ekgui_scroll_page_left Jump a page to the left or up.

ekgui_scroll_page_right Jump a page to the right or down.

ekgui_scroll_thumb Jump to the thumb position.
```

enum gui_focus_t

Result when changing the keyboard focus.

```
ekgui_focus_changed The focus has changed to the specified control.

ekgui_focus_keep The focus has not moved, it remains on the same control.

ekgui_focus_no_next Target control not found, hidden, or disabled.

ekgui_focus_no_resign The current control does not allow changing focus.

ekgui_focus_no_accept The new control does not accept focus.
```

enum gui_event_t

Event type. See "GUI Events" (page 302).

```
Click on a Label control.
        ekGUI EVENT LABEL
       ekGUI EVENT BUTTON
                               Click on a Button control.
        ekGUI EVENT POPUP
                               The selection of a Popup control has been changed.
      ekGUI EVENT LISTBOX
                               The selection of a control has been changed ListBox.
                               You are moving an Slidercontrol.
       ekGUI EVENT SLIDER
       ekGUI EVENT UPDOWN
                               Click on a UpDown control.
   ekGUI EVENT TXTFILTER
                               The text of a Edit or Combo control is being edited.
                                You have finished editing the text of a Edit or Combo con-
   ekGUI EVENT TXTCHANGE
                                trol.
ekGUI EVENT FOCUS RESIGN
                               Ask a control if it wants to give up keyboard focus.
ekGUI EVENT FOCUS ACCEPT
                               Ask a control if it wants to accept keyboard focus.
        ekGUI EVENT FOCUS
                               A control has received or lost keyboard focus.
         ekGUI EVENT MENU
                               Click on a menu.
         ekGUI EVENT DRAW
                               The view content must be redrawn.
```

```
The size of a view has changed.
        ekGUI EVENT RESIZE
         ekGUI EVENT ENTER
                                The mouse has entered the view area.
                                The mouse has left the view area.
          ekGUI EVENT EXIT
         ekGUI EVENT MOVED
                                The mouse is moving on the view surface.
          ekGUI EVENT DOWN
                                A mouse button was pressed.
                                A mouse button has been released.
             ekGUI EVENT UP
         ekGUI EVENT CLICK
                                Click on a view.
                                Dragging is being done over.
          ekGUI EVENT DRAG
         ekGUI EVENT WHEEL
                                Mouse wheel has moved.
       ekGUI EVENT KEYDOWN
                                A key has been pressed.
                                A key has been released.
         ekGUI EVENT KEYUP
                                The scroll bars are being manipulated.
        ekGUI EVENT SCROLL
                                The window is moving across the desktop.
    ekGUI EVENT WND MOVED
   ekGUI EVENT WND SIZING
                                The window is being resized.
      ekGUI EVENT WND SIZE
                                The window has been resized.
                                The window has been closed.
    ekGUI EVENT WND CLOSE
         ekGUI EVENT COLOR
                                An update color of comwin color.
                                Desktop theme has changed.
         ekGUI EVENT THEME
                                An object linked to a layout has been edited. "Notifications
    ekGUI EVENT OBJCHANGE
                                and calculated fields" (page 365).
    ekGUI EVENT TBL NROWS
                                A table needs to know the number of rows.
                                A table will begin to draw the visible part of the data.
    ekGUI EVENT TBL BEGIN
                                A table has finished drawing.
       ekGUI EVENT TBL END
                                A table needs the data of a cell.
      ekGUI EVENT TBL CELL
       ekGUI EVENT TBL SEL
                                The selected rows in a table have changed.
ekGUI EVENT TBL HEADCLICK
                                Click on a table header.
                                Click on a table row.
 ekGUI_EVENT_TBL_ROWCLICK
```

enum window_flag_t

Window creation attributes.

```
Default attributes.
         ekWINDOW FLAG
         ekWINDOW EDGE
                            The window draws an outer border.
                            The window has a title bar.
        ekWINDOW TITLE
                            The window shows the maximize button.
           ekWINDOW MAX
                            The window shows the minimize button.
           ekWINDOW MIN
                            The window shows the close button.
        ekWINDOW CLOSE
                            The window has resizable borders.
       ekWINDOW RESIZE
                            The window will process the pressing of the [RETURN] key
       ekWINDOW RETURN
                            as a possible closing event, sending the message OnClose.
                            The window will process the pressing of the [ESC] key as a
           ekWINDOW ESC
                            possible closing event, sending the message OnClose.
ekWINDOW MODAL NOHIDE
                            Avoids hiding a modal window when the modal cycle has
                            finished. See "Modal windows" (page 353).
           ekWINDOW STD
                            Combination
                                             ekWINDOW TITLE | ekWINDOW MIN |
                            ekWINDOW CLOSE.
       ekWINDOW STDRES
                           Combination
                                               ekWINDOW STD | ekWINDOW MAX |
                            ekWINDOW RESIZE.
```

enum gui_notif_t

Notifications sent by the gui library.

```
ekgui_Notif_Language has been changed.

ekgui_Notif_Win_destroy A window has been destroyed.

ekgui_Notif_Menu_destroy A menu has been destroyed.
```

struct GuiControl

Interface Control (abstract).

```
struct GuiControl;
```

struct Label

Interface control that contains static text, usually limited to a single line. "Label" (page 306).

```
struct Label;
```

struct Button

Interface control representing a button. "Button" (page 307).

```
struct Button;
```

struct PopUp

Control button with drop-down list. "PopUp" (page 310).

```
struct PopUp;
```

struct Edit

Text editing control "Edit" (page 310).

```
struct Edit;
```

struct Combo

Control that combines an edit box with a drop-down list. "Combo" (page 313).

```
struct Combo;
```

struct ListBox

List control. "ListBox" (page 314).

```
struct ListBox;
```

struct UpDown

Control that shows two small increase and decrease buttons. "UpDown" (page 314).

```
struct UpDown;
```

struct Slider

Control that shows a bar with a slider. "Slider" (page 316).

```
struct Slider;
```

struct Progress

Progress bar. "Progress" (page 316).

struct Progress;

struct View

Custom View that allows to create our own controls, drawing what we want. "View" (page 317)

struct View;

struct TextView

Text view with several paragraphs and different attributes. "Text View" (page 322).

struct TextView;

struct ImageView

Image viewer control. "ImageView" (page 324).

struct ImageView;

struct TableView

Table view with multiple rows and columns. "Table View" (page 324).

struct TableView;

struct SplitView

Resizable horizontal or vertical split view. "Split View" (page 332).

struct SplitView;

struct Layout

Invisible grid where the controls of a Panel are organized. "Layout" (page 335).

struct Layout;

struct Cell

Each of the cells that form a Layout. "Cell" (page 343).

```
struct Cell;
```

struct Panel

Internal area of a window, which allows you to group different controls. "Panel" (page 344).

```
struct Panel;
```

struct Window

Interface window. "Window" (page 350).

```
struct Window;
```

struct Menu

Menu or submenu. "Menu" (page 367).

```
struct Menu;
```

struct Menultem

Item within a menu. "MenuItem" (page 367).

```
struct MenuItem;
```

struct EvButton

Parameters of the *OnClick* event of a button or *OnSelect* of a popup.

```
struct EvButton
    uint32 t index;
   gui state t state;
   const char t* text;
};
```

Button or item index. index

state State.

text Text.

struct EvSlider

Parameters of the *OnMoved* event of a slider.

```
struct EvSlider
{
    real32_t pos;
    real32_t incr;
    uint32_t step;
};
```

```
pos Normalized slider position (0, 1).
```

incr Increase with respect to the previous position.

step Interval index (only for discrete ranges).

struct EvText

Parameters of the *OnChange* event of the text boxes.

```
struct EvText
{
    const char_t* text;
    uint32_t cpos;
    int32_t len;
    GuiControl* next;
};
```

```
text Text.
```

cpos Cursor position (caret).

len Number of characters inserted or deleted.

next Next control to which keyboard focus will be moved.

struct EvTextFilter

Result of the *OnFilter* event of the text boxes.

```
struct EvTextFilter
{
   bool_t apply;
   char_t* text;
   uint32_t cpos;
};
```

```
apply TRUE if the original control text should be changed.

text New control text, which is a revision (filter) of the original text.
```

struct EvDraw

OnDraw event parameters.

cpos

```
struct EvDraw
{
    DCtx* ctx;
    real32_t x;
    real32_t y;
    real32_t width;
    real32_t height;
};
```

ctx 2D drawing context.

Cursor position (caret).

x X coordinate of the drawing area (viewport).

y Y coordinate of the drawing area.

width Width of the drawing area.

height Height of the drawing area.

struct EvMouse

Mouse event parameters.

```
struct EvMouse
{
    real32_t x;
    real32_t y;
    real32_t lx;
    real32_t ly;
    gui_mouse_t button;
    uint32_t count;
};
```

- x X coordinate of the pointer in the drawing area.
- y Y coordinate of the pointer in the drawing area.
- 1x X coordinate of the pointer on the control. Same as x if there are no scroll bars.

ly Y coordinate of the pointer on the control. Same as y if there are no scroll bars.

button Active button.

count. Number of clicks.

struct EvWheel

On Wheel event parameters.

```
struct EvWheel
{
    real32_t x;
    real32_t y;
    real32_t dx;
    real32_t dz;
};
```

- x Pointer x coordinate.
- y Pointer y coordinate.
- dx Increase in x of the wheel or trackpad.
- dy Increase in x of the wheel or trackpad.
- dz Increase in x of the wheel or trackpad.

struct EvKey

Keyboard event parameters.

```
struct EvKey
{
    vkey_t key;
};
```

key Pulsed key or released.

struct EvPos

Parameters of change of position events.

```
struct EvPos
{
    real32_t x;
    real32_t y;
};
```

- x X coordinate.
- y Y coordinate.

struct EvSize

Resize event parameters.

```
struct EvSize
{
   real32_t width;
   real32_t height;
};
```

```
width Width (size in x).
height Height (size in y).
```

struct EvWinClose

Window closing Event Parameters.

```
struct EvWinClose
{
    gui_close_t origin;
};
```

origin Origin of the close.

struct EvMenu

Menu event parameters.

```
struct EvMenu
{
    uint32_t index;
    gui_state_t state;
    const char_t* str;
};
```

index Pressed item index.

state Pressed item status.

str Pressed item text.

struct EvScroll

Scroll event parameters.

```
struct EvScroll
    qui orient t orient;
    gui orient t scroll;
    real32 t cpos;
};
```

Scroll bar orientation. orient

scroll Scroll type.

cpos Scroll position.

struct EvTbPos

Location of a cell in a table.

```
struct EvTbPos
    uint32 t col;
    uint32 t row;
};
```

Column index. col

row Row index.

struct EvTbRow

Location of a row in a table.

```
struct EvTbRow
    bool t sel;
    uint32 t row;
};
```

Selected or not. sel

Row index. row

struct EvTbRect

Group of cells in a table.

```
struct EvTbRect
    uint32 t stcol;
   uint32 t edcol;
```

```
uint32_t strow;
uint32_t edrow;
};
```

stcol Initial column index.

edcol End column index.

strow Initial row index.

edrow End row index.

struct EvTbSel

Selection in a table.

```
struct EvTbSel
{
    ArrSt(uint32_t) * sel;
};
```

sel Row indices.

struct EvTbCell

Data from a cell in a table.

```
struct EvTbCell
{
    const char_t* text;
    align_t align;
};
```

text Cell text.

align Text alignment.

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gui_start

Start the Gui library, reserving space for global internal structures. Internally call draw2d_start . It is called automatically by osmain.

```
void
gui_start(void);
```

gui finish

Finish the Gui library, freeing up the space of global internal structures. Internally call draw2d finish. It is called automatically by osmain.

```
void
qui finish (void);
```

gui_respack

Register a resource package.

```
void
gui respack(FPtr_respack func_respack);
```

func respack Resource constructor.

Remarks:

```
See "Resources" (page 101).
```

gui language

Set the language of the registered resources with gui respack.

```
void
gui language(const char t *lang);
```

lang Language.

Remarks:

```
See "Resources" (page 101).
```

gui_text

Get a text string through its resource identifier.

```
const char t*
gui text(const ResId id);
```

Resource Identifier. id

Return:

The text string or NULL if it is not found.

Remarks:

The resource must belong to a package registered with gui respack.

gui_image

Get an image through its resource identifier.

```
const Image*
gui_image(const ResId id);
```

id Resource Identifier.

Return:

The image or NULL if it is not found.

Remarks:

The resource must belong to a package registered with gui_respack. Do not destroy the image as it is managed by Gui.

gui_file

Get the contents of a file through its resource identifier.

id Resource Identifier.

size Buffer size in bytes.

Return:

File data or NULL if it is not found.

Remarks:

The resource must belong to a package registered with gui_respack. The data is managed by Gui, so there is no need to free memory.

gui_dark_mode

Determines if the window environment has a light or dark theme.

```
bool_t
gui_dark_mode(void);
```

Return:

TRUE for Dark mode, false for light mode.

gui_alt_color

Create a color with two alternative versions.

light_color Color for LIGHT desktop themes.

dark_color Color for DARK desktop themes.

Return:

The color.

Remarks:

The system will set the final color based on the "lightness" of the window manager colors (Light/Dark). Nested alternate colors ARE NOT ALLOWED. The light and dark values must be RGB or system colors.

gui_label_color

Returns the default color of text labels Label.

```
color_t
gui_label_color(void);
```

Return:

The color.

gui_view_color

Returns the background color in controls View.

```
color_t
gui_view_color(void);
```

Return:

The color.

gui_line_color

Returns the color of lines in tables or window separator elements.

```
color_t
gui_line_color(void);
```

Return:

The color.

gui_link_color

Returns the color of the text in hyperlinks.

```
color_t
gui_link_color(void);
```

Return:

The color.

gui_border_color

Returns the border color in button controls, popups, etc..

```
color_t
gui_border_color(void);
```

Return:

The color.

gui_resolution

Returns screen resolution.

```
S2Df
gui_resolution(void);
```

Return:

Resolution.

gui_mouse_pos

Returns the position of the mouse cursor.

```
V2Df
gui_mouse_pos(void);
```

Return:

Position.

gui_update

Refreshes all application windows, after a theme change.

```
void
gui_update(void);
```

Remarks:

Normally it is not necessary to call this method. It is called automatically from osapp.

gui_OnThemeChanged

Set a handler to detect the change of the visual theme of the windows environment.

```
void
gui_OnThemeChanged(Listener *listener);
```

listener The event handler.

gui_update_transitions

Update the automatic animations of the interface.

prtime Time of the previous instant.

crtime Time of the current instant.

Remarks:

Normally it is not necessary to call this method. It is called automatically from osapp.

gui_OnNotification

Sets up a handler to receive notifications from gui.

```
void
gui_OnNotification(Listener *listener);
```

listener The event handler.

Remarks:

```
See gui_notif_t.
```

evbind_object

Gets the object linked to a layout within a callback function.

e The event.

type The object type.

Return:

The object.

Remarks:

See "Notifications and calculated fields" (page 365).

evbind_modify

Checks, inside a callback function, if the object's field has been modified.

e The event.

type The object type.

mtype The type of the field to check.

mname The name of the field to check.

Return:

TRUE if the field has been modified.

Remarks:

See "Notifications and calculated fields" (page 365).

guicontrol

Gets the base object from a derived control.

```
GuiControl*
guicontrol(type *control);
```

control The derived control. Label, Button, etc.

Return:

Object.

guicontrol_label

Convert a control to a label.

```
Label*
guicontrol_label(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_button

Convert a control to a button.

```
Button*
guicontrol_button(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_popup

Convert a control to a popup.

```
PopUp*
guicontrol_popup(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

guicontrol edit

Convert a control to a edit.

```
Edit*
guicontrol_edit(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_combo

Convert a control to a combo.

```
Combo*
guicontrol_combo(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_listbox

Convert a control to a listbox.

```
ListBox*
guicontrol_listbox(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_updown

Convert a control to a updown.

```
UpDown*
guicontrol_updown(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

guicontrol_slider

Convert a control to a slider.

```
Slider*
guicontrol_slider(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_progress

Convert a control to a progress.

```
Progress*
guicontrol_progress(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_view

Convert a control to a view.

```
View*
guicontrol_view(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_textview

Convert a control to a textview.

```
TextView*
guicontrol_textview(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

guicontrol imageview

Convert a control to a imageview.

```
ImageView*
guicontrol imageview(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_tableview

Convert a control to a tableview.

```
TableView*
quicontrol tableview(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_splitview

Convert a control to a splitview.

```
SplitView*
guicontrol splitview(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

Object or NULL if control cannot be converted.

guicontrol_panel

Convert a control to a panel.

```
Panel*
guicontrol panel(GuiControl *control);
```

control Control.

Return:

guicontrol_enabled

Activate or deactivate a control.

control Control.

enabled Enabled or not.

guicontrol_visible

Show or hide a control.

control Control.

visible Visible or not.

label_create

Create a text control.

```
Label*
label_create(void);
```

Return:

The new label.

label_multiline

Create a multi-line text control.

```
Label* label_multiline(void);
```

Return:

The new label.

label OnClick

Set the OnClick event handler.

```
void
label OnClick(Label *label,
              Listener *listener);
```

```
static void i OnClick(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvText *p = event params(e, EvText);
   do something onclick(app, p->text);
label OnClick(label, listener(app, i OnClick, App));
```

label The label.

Event handler. listener

Remarks:

See "GUI Events" (page 302).

label_text

Set the text that the label will display.

```
void
label text(Label *label,
           const char t *text);
```

label The label.

UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

label font

Set the text font.

```
void
label font (Label *label,
           const Font *font);
```

The label. label

font Font.

label_style_over

Set the font modifiers, when the mouse is over the control.

label The label.

style Combination of values fstyle t.

label_align

Sets the horizontal alignment of the text with respect to the size of the control.

label The label.

align Alignment.

label_color

Set the text color.

label The label.

color The color.

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

label_color_over

Set the color of the text, when the mouse is over the control.

label The label.

color The color.

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

label_bgcolor

Set the background color of the text.

label The label.

color The color.

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

label_bgcolor_over

Set the background color of the text, when the mouse is over the control.

label The label.

color El color.

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

button_push

Create a push button, the typical [Accept], [Cancel], etc.

```
Button*
button_push(void);
```

Return:

The button.

button_check

Create a checkbox.

```
Button*
button_check(void);
```

Return:

The button.

button_check3

Create a checkbox with three states.

```
Button*
button_check3(void);
```

Return:

The button.

button_radio

Create a radio button.

```
Button*
button_radio(void);
```

Return:

The button.

button_flat

Create a flat button, to which an image can be assigned. It is the typical toolbar button.

```
Button*
button_flat(void);
```

Return:

The button.

button_flatgle

Create a flat button with status. The button will alternate between pressed/released each time you click on it.

```
Button*
button_flatgle(void);
```

Return:

The button.

button_OnClick

Set a function for pressing the button.

```
static void i_OnClick(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvButton *p = event_params(e, EvButton);
    do_something_onclick(app, p->state);
}
...
button_OnClick(button, listener(app, i_OnClick, App));
```

button The button.

listener Callback function to be called after clicking.

Remarks:

```
See "GUI Events" (page 302).
```

button_text

Set the text that the button will display.

button The button.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

Remarks:

In flat buttons, the text will be displayed as *tooltip*.

button text alt

Set an alternative text.

button The button.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

Remarks:

Only applicable on flat buttons with status button_flatgle. It will be displayed when the button is in ekgui on status.

button_tooltip

Set a tooltip for the button. It is a small explanatory text that will appear when the mouse is over the control.

button The button.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

button font

Set the button font.

button The button.

font. Font.

button_image

Set the icon that will show the button.

```
button The button. image Image.
```

Remarks:

Not applicable in checkbox or radiobutton. In flat buttons, the size of the control will be adjusted to the image.

button_image_alt

Set an alternative image for the button.

```
button The button. image Image.
```

Remarks:

Only applicable on flat buttons with status button_flatgle. It will be displayed when the button is in ekgui on status.

button_state

Set the button status.

```
button The button. state State.
```

Remarks:

Not applicable on push buttons button_push.

button_tag

Sets a numeric tag for the button.

```
button The button.

tag The tag.
```

button_vpadding

Sets the inner vertical margin.

button The botón.

padding If 0 there will be no margin between the text and the border of the control. If <0 the default margin will be set.

button_get_state

Get button status.

```
gui_state_t
button_get_state(Button *button);
```

button The button.

Return:

The state.

Remarks:

Not applicable on push buttons button push.

button_get_tag

Gets the button's tag.

```
uint32_t
button_get_tag(const Button *button);
```

button The button.

Return:

The tag value.

button_get_height

Gets the current height of the control.

```
real32_t
button_get_height(const Button *button);
```

button The button.

Return:

The height of the control, which will change depending on the font size and vpadding.

popup_create

Create a new popup control (PopUp button).

```
PopUp*
popup_create(void);
```

Return:

The newly popup.

popup_OnSelect

Set an event handler for the selection of a new item.

```
static void i_OnSelect(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvButton *p = event_params(e, EvButton);
    do_something_onselect(app, p->index);
}
...
popup_OnSelect(popup, listener(app, i_OnSelect, App));
```

popup The popup.

listener Callback function to be called after selecting a new item from the list.

Remarks:

```
See "GUI Events" (page 302).
```

popup_tooltip

Assign a tooltip to the popup control.

popup The popup.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

popup_add_elem

Add a new item to the popup list.

popup The popup.

text The text of the element in UTF-8 or the resource identifier. "Resources" (page 101).

image Icon associated with the resource element or identifier. For space, it will scale to a maximum maximum of 16 pixels.

popup_set_elem

Edit an item from the drop-down list.

popup The popup.

index The index of the item to replace.

text The text of the element in UTF-8 or the resource identifier. "Resources" (page 101).

image Icon associated with the resource element or identifier. For space, it will scale to a maximum maximum of 16 pixels.

popup_clear

Remove all items from the dropdown list.

```
void
popup_clear(PopUp *popup);
```

popup The popup.

popup_count

Gets the number of items in the list.

```
uint32_t
popup_count(const PopUp *popup);
```

popup The popup.

Return:

The number of elements.

popup_list_height

Set the size of the drop-down list.

popup The popup.

elems Number of visible elements. If the control has more, a scroll bar will appear.

popup_selected

Set the selected popup element.

popup The popup.

index The item to select. If we pass UINT32_MAX the selection is removed.

popup_get_selected

Get the selected popup item.

```
uint32_t
popup_get_selected(PopUp *popup);
```

popup The popup.

Return:

The selected item.

edit create

Create a text edit control.

```
Edit*
edit_create(void);
```

Return:

The edit.

edit_multiline

Create a text editing control that allows multiple lines.

```
Edit*
edit_multiline(void);
```

Return:

The edit.

edit_OnFilter

Set a function to filter the text while editing.

edit The edit.

listener Callback function to be called after each key press. In EvTextFilter from event result filtered text will be returned.

Remarks:

See "Filter texts" (page 311) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

edit_OnChange

Set a function to detect when the text has changed.

edit The edit.

listener Callback function to be called when the control loses focus on the keyboard, indicating the end of the edition.

Remarks:

```
See "Filter texts" (page 311) and "GUI Events" (page 302).
```

edit_OnFocus

Sets a handler for keyboard focus.

edit. The edit.

listener Callback function that will be called when keyboard focus is received or lost.

Remarks:

```
See "GUI Events" (page 302).
```

edit_text

Set the edit control text.

edit The edit.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

edit_font

Set the font of the edit control.

edit The edit.

font Font.

edit_align

Set text alignment.

edit The edit.

align Alignment.

edit_passmode

Activate the password mode, which will hide the typed characters.

edit The edit.

passmode Enable or disable password mode.

edit_editable

Enable or disable editing in the control.

edit The edit.

is_editable TRUEwill allow to edit the text (by default).

edit_autoselect

Activate or deactivate auto-selection of text.

edit The edit.

autoselect TRUE the control text will be fully selected when it receives focus.

Remarks:

Default False.

edit_select

Select text.

edit. The edit.

start Position of the initial character. If <0, all text is deselected.

end Position of the final character. If <0, all text starting from start is selected.

edit_tooltip

Assigns a tooltip to the edit control.

edit The edit.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

edit_color

Set the text color.

```
edit The edit.
```

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

edit_color_focus

Sets the color of the text, when the control has the keyboard focus.

edit The edit.

color Text color.

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

edit_bgcolor

Set the background color.

edit The edit.

color Background color.

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

edit bgcolor focus

Sets the background color, when the control has keyboard focus.

edit The edit.

color Background color.

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

edit_phtext

Set an explanatory text for when the control is blank (placeholder).

edit The edit.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

edit_phcolor

Set the color of the placeholder text.

edit The edit.

color Text color.

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

edit_phstyle

Set the font style for the placeholder.

edit The edit.

fstyle Combination of values of fstyle_t.

edit_vpadding

Sets the inner vertical margin.

edit The edit.

padding If 0 there will be no margin between the text and the border of the control. If <0 the default margin will be set.

edit_get_text

Get control text.

```
const char_t*
edit_get_text(const Edit *edit);
```

edit The edit.

Return:

UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

edit_get_height

Gets the current height of the control.

```
real32_t
edit_get_height(const Edit *edit);
```

edit The edit.

Return:

The height of the control, which will change depending on the font size and vpadding.

edit_copy

Copies the selected text to the clipboard.

```
void
edit_copy(const Edit *edit);
```

edit The edit.

Remarks:

See "Clipboard operations" (page 313).

edit cut

Cuts the selected text, copying it to the clipboard.

```
void
edit_cut(Edit *edit);
```

edit The edit.

Remarks:

See "Clipboard operations" (page 313).

edit_paste

Pastes the text from the clipboard into the caret position.

```
void
edit_paste(Edit *edit);
```

edit The edit.

Remarks:

See "Clipboard operations" (page 313).

combo_create

Create a combo control.

```
Combo*
combo_create(void);
```

Return:

The combo.

combo OnFilter

Set a function to filter the text while editing.

combo The combo.

listener Callback function to be called after each key press. In EvTextFilter from event result filtered text will be returned.

Remarks:

```
See "Filter texts" (page 311) and "GUI Events" (page 302).
```

combo_OnChange

Set a function to be called when the text has changed.

combo The combo.

listener Callback function to be called when the control loses focus on the keyboard, indicating the end of the edition.

Remarks:

This event will also be launched when you select an item from the list, a sign that the text has changed in the edit box. See "Filter texts" (page 311) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

combo_text

Set the combo edit text.

combo The combo.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

combo_align

Set text alignment.

combo The combo.

align Alignment.

combo tooltip

Assign a tooltip to the control combo.

```
void
combo tooltip (Combo *combo,
              const char t *text);
```

The combo. combo

> text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

combo color

Set the color of the combo text.

```
void
combo color (Combo *combo,
            const color_t color);
```

combo The combo.

color Text color.

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

combo color focus

Sets the color of the text, when the control has the keyboard focus.

```
void
combo color focus (Combo *combo,
                   const color t color);
```

combo The combo.

Text color. color

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

combo_bgcolor

Set the background color.

```
combo bgcolor (Combo *combo,
              const color t color);
```

```
combo The combo.

color Background color.
```

Remarks:

RGB values may not be fully portable. See "Colors" (page 279).

combo_bgcolor_focus

Sets the background color when the control has keyboard focus.

```
combo The combo.

color Background color.
```

combo_phtext

Set an explanatory text for when the control is blank.

combo The combo.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

combo_phcolor

Set the color of the placeholder text.

combo The combo.

color Text color.

combo_phstyle

Set the font style for the placeholder.

combo The combo.

fstyle Combination of values of fstyle t.

combo_get_text

Get control text.

combo The combo.

index The index of the text. If it is UINT32_MAX it indicates the text of the edit box itself. If >= 0, indicates a text in the list.

Return:

UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

combo_count

Gets the number of items in the dropdown list.

```
uint32_t
combo_count(const Combo *combo);
```

combo The combo.

Return:

The number of elements.

combo add elem

Add a new item to the drop-down list.

```
combo The combo.
```

text The text of the element in UTF-8 or the resource identifier. "Resources" (page 101).

image Icon associated with the resource element or identifier. For space, it will scale to a maximum maximum of 16 pixels.

combo set elem

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Edit an item from the drop-down list.

combo The combo.

index The index of the item to replace.

text The text of the element in UTF-8 or the resource identifier. "Resources" (page 101).

image Icon associated with the resource element or identifier. For space, it will scale to a maximum maximum of 16 pixels.

combo_ins_elem

Insert an item in the drop-down list.

combo The combo.

index Insertion position.

text The text of the element in UTF-8 or the resource identifier. "Resources" (page 101).

image Icon associated with the resource element or identifier. For space, it will scale to a maximum maximum of 16 pixels.

combo del elem

Remove an item from the drop-down list.

```
combo del elem (Combo *combo,
               const uint32 t index);
```

combo The combo

index The index of the item to delete.

combo duplicates

Prevents duplicate texts from the drop-down list.

```
void
combo duplicates (Combo *combo,
                  const bool t duplicates);
```

The combo. combo

TRUE to allow duplicate texts. duplicates

listbox create

Create a new list control.

```
ListBox*
listbox create (void);
```

Return:

The newly created listbox.

listbox OnSelect

Set an event handler for the selection of a new item.

```
void
listbox OnSelect(ListBox *listbox,
                 Listener *listener);
```

```
static void i OnSelect(App *app, Event *e)
   const EvButton *p = event params(e, EvButton);
   do something onselect(app, p->index);
}
listbox_OnSelect(list, listener(app, i_OnSelect, App));
```

listbox The ListBox.

listener Callback function to be called after selecting a new item from the list.

Remarks:

```
See "GUI Events" (page 302).
```

listbox size

Set the default size of the list.

listbox The ListBox.

size The size.

Remarks:

It corresponds to "Natural sizing" (page 337) of control Default 128x128.

listbox checkbox

Show or hide checkboxes to the left of items.

listbox ListBox.

show TRUE for show them.

listbox_multisel

Enable multiple selection.

listbox ListBox.

multisel TRUE to allow multiple selected items at the same time.

listbox add elem

Adds a new element.

```
void
listbox add elem(ListBox *listbox,
                 const char t *text,
                 const Image *image);
```

listbox ListBox.

> The text of the element in UTF-8 or the identifier of the resource. "Retext sources" (page 101).

Icon associated with the element or resource identifier.

listbox set elem

Edit a list item.

```
void
listbox set elem(ListBox *listbox,
                 const uint32 t index,
                 const char t *text,
                 const Image *image);
```

listbox ListBox.

index The index of the element to replace.

The text of the element in UTF-8 or the identifier of the resource. "Retext sources" (page 101).

Icon associated with the element or resource identifier.

listbox clear

Remove all items from the list.

```
listbox clear(ListBox *listbox);
```

listbox ListBox.

listbox color

Sets the text color of an element.

```
void
listbox color (ListBox *listbox,
              const color t color);
```

```
listbox ListBox.

color The. By default kcolor default.
```

listbox select

Select an item from the program code.

listbox ListBox.

index The index of the item to select.

select Select or deselect.

Remarks:

If multiple selection is not enabled, selecting one item implies de-selecting all the others.

listbox_check

Check or uncheck the checkbox of the element from the program code.

listbox ListBox.

index The item index.

check Check or uncheck.

Remarks:

Checking an item is independent of selecting it. Items can be marked even if checkboxes are not visible. See listbox checkbox.

listbox_count

Returns the number of elements in the list.

```
uint32_t
listbox_count(const ListBox *listbox);
```

listbox ListBox.

Return:

The number of elements.

listbox_text

Returns the text of an element.

```
const char_t*
listbox_text(const ListBox *listbox);
```

listbox ListBox.

Return:

The UTF-8 text terminated in null character '\0'.

listbox_selected

Returns whether or not an element is selected.

```
bool_t
listbox_selected(const ListBox *listbox);
```

listbox ListBox.

Return:

The selection state.

listbox checked

Returns whether an element is checked or not.

```
bool_t
listbox_checked(const ListBox *listbox);
```

listbox ListBox.

Return:

The checkbox state.

Remarks:

Checking an item is independent of selecting it. Items can be marked even if checkboxes are not visible. See listbox_checkbox.

updown_create

Create an updown control.

```
UpDown*
updown_create(void);
```

Return:

The updown.

updown_OnClick

Set an event handler for pressing the button.

```
static void i_OnClick(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvButton *p = event_params(e, EvButton);
    if (p->index == 0)
        do_something_onup(app);
    else
        do_something_ondown(app);
}
...
updown_OnClick(updown, listener(app, i_OnClick, App));
```

updown The updown.

listener Callback function to be called after clicking.

Remarks:

See "GUI Events" (page 302).

updown_tooltip

Set a tooltip for the button. It is a small explanatory text that will appear when the mouse is over the control.

updown The updown.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

slider_create

Create a new slider control.

```
Slider*
slider_create(void);
```

Return:

Slider.

slider_vertical

Create a new vertical slider.

```
Slider*
slider_vertical(void);
```

Return:

Slider.

slider_OnMoved

Set an event handler for slider movement.

```
static void i_OnMoved(App *app, Event *e)
{
    const EvSlider *p = event_params(e, EvSlider);
    do_something_onmoved(app, p->pos);
}
...
slider_OnMoved(slider, listener(app, i_OnMoved, App));
```

slider Slider.

listener Callback function that will be called continuously while the user moves a slider.

Remarks:

EvSlider contains the event parameters, see "GUI Events" (page 302).

slider_tooltip

Set a tooltip for the slider. It is a small explanatory text that will appear when the mouse is over the control.

slider Slider.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

slider_steps

Changes the slider from continuous range to discrete intervals.

slider Slider.

steps Number of intervals. Use UINT32 MAX to return to continuous range.

slider_value

Set the slider position.

slider Slider.

value The position between 0.0 and 1.0.

slider_get_value

Get the slider position.

```
real32_t
slider_get_value(const Slider *slider);
```

slider Slider.

Return:

The normalized position between 0.0 and 1.0.

progress_create

Create a progress bar.

```
Progress*
progress_create(void);
```

Return:

The progress.

progress_undefined

Set the progress bar as undefined.

```
progress The progress.
```

running TRUE to activate the animation.

progress_value

Set the progress position.

```
progress The progress.
```

value The position between 0.0 and 1.0.

view_create

Create a new custom view.

```
View*
view_create(void);
```

Return:

The view.

view scroll

Create a new custom view with scrollbars.

```
View*
view_scroll(void);
```

Return:

The view.

view custom

Create a new view with all the options.

scroll Use of scroll bars.

border Draw a border.

Return:

The view.

Remarks:

Many window managers highlight the border when the view has keyboard focus.

view_data

Associate user data with the view.

view The view.

data User data.

func_destroy_data Destructor of user data. It will be called upon destroying the view.

type Type of user data.

view_get_data

Obtiene los datos de usuario asociados con la vista.

view The view.

type Type of user data.

Return:

Los datos de usuario.

view_size

Set the default view size.

view The view.

size The size.

Remarks:

It corresponds to "Natural sizing" (page 337) of control Default 128x128.

view_OnDraw

Set an event handler to draw in the view.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called every time the drawing needs to be refreshed.

Remarks:

See "Draw in views" (page 318) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view OnSize

Set an event handler for resizing.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called every time the view changes size.

Remarks:

See "GUI Events" (page 302).

view OnEnter

Set an event handler for mouse enter.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called when the mouse cursor enters the view area.

Remarks:

See "Using the mouse" (page 320) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnExit

Set an event handle for mouse exit.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called when the mouse cursor exits the view area.

Remarks:

See "Using the mouse" (page 320) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnMove

Set an event handler for mouse movement.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called as the mouse cursor moves over the view.

Remarks:

See "Using the mouse" (page 320) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnDown

Sets an event handler for a mouse button down.

view The view.

listener Callback function that will be called every time the button is down.

Remarks:

See "Using the mouse" (page 320) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view OnUp

Sets an event handler for a mouse button up.

view The view.

listener Callback function that will be called every time the button is up.

Remarks:

See "Using the mouse" (page 320) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view OnClick

Set an event handler for mouse click.

view The view.

listener Callback function that will be called every time the view is clicked.

Remarks:

See "Using the mouse" (page 320) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnDrag

Set an event handler for mouse drag.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called while dragging the mouse cursor over the view.

Remarks:

"Drag" is to move the mouse with one of the buttons pressed. See "Using the mouse" (page 320) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnWheel

Set an event handler for mouse wheel.

view The view.

listener Callback function that will be called when the mouse wheel moves over the view.

Remarks:

See "Using the mouse" (page 320) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnKeyDown

Set an event handler for a keystroke.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called when a key is pressed and the view has the keyboard focus.

Remarks:

See "Using the keyboard" (page 321) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnKeyUp

Set an event handler for releasing a key.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called when a key is released and the view has the keyboard focus.

Remarks:

See "Using the keyboard" (page 321) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnFocus

Sets an event handler for keyboard focus.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called when keyboard focus is received or lost.

Remarks:

See "Using the keyboard" (page 321) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnResignFocus

Set a handler to avoid losing keyboard focus.

view The view.

listener Callback function that is called when the view is about to lose focus. If we return FALSE, the focus will not go to another control, it will remain in the view.

Remarks:

See "Using the keyboard" (page 321) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnAcceptFocus

Set a handler to prevent getting keyboard focus.

view The view.

listener Callback function that is called when the view is about to get focus. If we return FALSE, the focus will remain on the current control and will not move to the view.

Remarks:

See "Using the keyboard" (page 321) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_OnScroll

Set an event handler for the scroll bars.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called when the user manipulates the scroll bars.

Remarks:

It is not common to have to respond to these events, since the view generates OnDraw events automatically when the scroll bars are manipulated. See "Scrolling views" (page 318) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

view_keybuf

Sets a keyboard buffer for synchronous or asynchronous query of key state.

view The view.

buffer Keyboard buffer that will be maintained by the view, capturing the OnKeyDown and OnKeyUpevents.

Remarks:

It just keeps a reference to the buffer, which will need to be destroyed by the object that created it. See "Keyboard buffer" (page 232). The application will still be able to receive keyboard events through view OnKeyDown and view OnKeyUp.

view get size

Gets the current size of the view.

view The view.

size The size.

view_content_size

Set the size of the drawing area when scroll bars exist.

view The view.

size The internal size of the drawing area.

Remarks:

When creating a scroll view, this method indicates the entire drawing area. The control will use it to size and position the scroll bars.

view scroll x

Move the horizontal scroll bar to the indicated position.

view The view.

pos New horizontal bar position.

view_scroll_y

Move the vertical scroll bar to the indicated position.

view The view.

pos New vertical bar position.

view_scroll_size

Gets the measurements of the scroll bars.

view The view.

width The width of the vertical bar.

height The height of the horizontal bar.

Remarks:

Useful to consider what the scroll bars occupy when drawing. If the bars overlap, 0 will be returned.

view scroll visible

Show or hide the scroll bars.

```
void
view scroll visible (View *view,
                     const bool t horizontal,
                     const bool t vertical);
```

The view. view

Horizontal bar. horizontal

vertical Vertical bar.

view viewport

Gets the dimensions of the visible area of the view.

```
void
view viewport (const View *view,
               V2Df *pos,
               S2Df *size);
```

The view view

pos The position of the viewport. It can be NULL.

size The size of the viewport. It can be NULL.

Remarks:

If the view does not have scroll bars, pos will be (0,0).

view point scale

Gets the scaling of the point.

```
void
view point scale (const View *view,
                  real32 t *scale);
```

The view. view

scale The scaling.

Remarks:

The view size and drawing coordinates are expressed in points, which typically correspond to pixels (1pt = 1px). In "Retina displays" (page 265) it can happen that (1pt = 2px). Although "2D Contexts" (page 259) handles this automatically, we may need to know the number of pixels to create another type of *framebuffers* (OpenGL, DirectX, etc). Pixels = view get size * view point scale.

view_update

Send an order to the operating system that the view should be refreshed.

```
void
view_update(View *view);
```

view The view.

view_native

Gets a pointer to the native control.

```
void*
view_native(View *view);
```

view The view.

Return:

HWND in Windows, GtkWidget in Linux and NSView in macOS.

Remarks:

Do not use this function if you do not know very well what you are doing.

textview_create

Create a text view.

```
TextView*
textview_create(void);
```

Return:

The text view.

textview_OnFilter

Set a handler to filter text while editing.

view The view.

listener *Callback* function that will be called after each key press. In EvTextFilter of event result the filtered text will be returned.

Remarks:

See "Filter texts" (page 311) and "GUI Events" (page 302).

textview_OnFocus

Sets a handler for keyboard focus.

view The view.

listener callback function that will be called when keyboard focus is received or lost.

Remarks:

See "GUI Events" (page 302).

textview_size

Sets the default size of the view.

view The view.

size The size.

Remarks:

It corresponds to the "Natural sizing" (page 337) of the control. Default 245x144.

textview_clear

Clears all content from view.

```
void
textview_clear(TextView *view);
```

view The view.

textview_printf

Writes text to the view, using the format of the printf.

```
textview_printf(view, Code: %-10s Price %5.2f\n", code, price);
```

view The view.

format String in type-printf format with a variable number of parameters.

... Printf arguments or variables.

Return:

The number of bytes written.

textview_writef

Write a C UTF8 string to the view.

view The view.

str String C UTF8 terminated in null character '\0'.

textview_rtf

Insert text in Microsoft **RTF** format.

view The view.

rtf_in Reading stream with RTF content.

textview_units

Sets the text units.

view The view.
units Units ekfpixels or ekfpoints.

Remarks:

ekfpoints is the default value and the one normally used by word processors. See "Size in points" (page 294).

textview_family

Sets the font family of the text ("Arial", "Times New Roman", "Helvetica", etc).

view The view.

family The font family.

Remarks:

Not all families will be present on all platforms. Use font_exists_family or font_installed_families to check.

textview fsize

Set the text size.

view The view.

size The size.

Remarks:

The value is conditional on the units established in textview_units.

textview_fstyle

Sets the text style.

view The view.

fstyle Combination of ekfbold, ekfitalic, ekfstrikeout, ekfunderline ekfsubscript, ekfsupscript. To override any previous style use ekfnormal.

textview_color

Sets the text color.

view The view.

color The color. Use kCOLOR DEFAULT to restore the default color.

textview_bgcolor

Sets the background color of the text.

view The view.

color The color. Use kCOLOR DEFAULT to restore the default color.

textview_pgcolor

Sets the background color of the control.

view The view.

color The color. Use ${\tt kCOLOR_DEFAULT}$ to restore the default color.

textview halign

Sets the alignment of text in a paragraph.

```
void
textview halign(TextView *view,
                const align t align);
```

The view. view

align The alignment. By default ekleft.

textview_Ispacing

Sets the line spacing of the paragraph.

```
void
textview lspacing (TextView *view,
                  const real32 t scale);
```

view The view.

scale Scale factor in font height. 1 is the default value, 2 twice this height, 3 triple, etc. Intermediate values are also valid (eg 1.25).

textview_bfspace

Sets a vertical space before the paragraph.

```
textview bfspace (TextView *view,
                 const real32 t space);
```

The view. view

The space in the preset units. space

textview_afspace

Sets a vertical space after the paragraph.

```
void
textview afspace (TextView *view,
                 const real32 t space);
```

view The view.

The space in the preset units. space

textview scroll visible

Show or hide scroll bars.

view The view.

horizontal Horizontal bar.

vertical Vertical bar.

textview_move_caret

Position the cursor on the indicated character.

view The view.

pos Position.

textview_editable

Sets whether or not the control text is editable.

view The view.

is_editable TRUE will allow you to edit the text. By default FALSE.

textview_get_text

Gets the text of the control.

```
const char_t*
textview_get_text(const TextView *view);
```

view The view.

Return:

Null-terminated UTF8 C string '\0'.

textview_copy

Copies the selected text to the clipboard.

```
void
textview copy(const TextView *view);
```

The view. view

Remarks:

See "Clipboard operations" (page 313).

textview_cut

Cuts the selected text, copying it to the clipboard.

```
void
textview cut (TextView *view);
```

view The view.

Remarks:

See "Clipboard operations" (page 313).

textview_paste

Pastes the text from the clipboard into the caret position.

```
void
textview_paste(TextView *view);
```

view The view.

Remarks:

See "Clipboard operations" (page 313).

imageview_create

Create an image view control.

```
ImageView*
imageview create(void);
```

Return:

The image view.

Set the default control size.

view The view.

size The size.

imageview_scale

Set the scaling to apply to the image.

view The view.

scale Scaling.

imageview_image

Set the image to be displayed in the control.

view The view.

image The image to show.

imageview_OnClick

Set a handle for the event click on the image.

view The view.

listener Callback function to be called after clicking.

imageview OnOverDraw

Allows you to draw an *overlay* on the image when the mouse is over it.

```
void
imageview OnOverDraw(ImageView *view,
                     Listener *listener);
```

The view. view

listener Callback function that will be called when the mouse is over the image. Here we will include the additional drawing code.

tableview_create

Creates a new table view.

```
TableView*
tableview create (void);
```

Return:

The table.

tableview OnData

Sets up a handler to read data from the application.

```
void
tableview OnData (TableView *view,
                 Listener *listener);
```

The table. view

A callback function that will be called each time the table needs to listener update its content.

Remarks:

```
See "Data connection" (page 325).
```

tableview OnSelect

Notifies that the selection has changed.

```
void
tableview OnSelect (TableView *view,
                    Listener *listener);
```

view The table.

listener A *callback* function that will be called whenever the selection in the table changes.

Remarks:

See "Multiple selection" (page 329).

tableview_OnRowClick

Notify each time a row is clicked.

view The table.

listener Callback function that will be called every time a row is clicked.

Remarks:

See "Notifications in tables" (page 332).

tableview OnHeaderClick

Notifies each time a header is clicked.

view The table.

listener Callback function that will be called every time a table header is clicked.

Remarks:

See "Notifications in tables" (page 332).

tableview_font

Sets the general font for the entire table.

```
view The table. font Font.
```

Remarks:

```
See "Table appearance" (page 332).
```

tableview_size

Sets the default size of the table control.

view The table.

size The size.

Remarks:

Corresponds to the "Natural sizing" (page 337) of the control. By default 256x128.

tableview_new_column_text

Adds a new column to the table.

```
uint32_t
tableview_new_column_text(TableView *view);
```

view The table.

Return:

The column identifier (index).

Remarks:

```
See "Configure columns" (page 331).
```

tableview_column_width

Sets the width of a column.

```
view The table.
```

column id The column id.

width The column width.

Remarks:

```
See "Configure columns" (page 331).
```

tableview column limits

Sets the size limits of a column.

```
view The table.
```

column id The column id.

min The minimum width.

max The maximum width.

Remarks:

```
See "Configure columns" (page 331).
```

tableview_column_resizable

Sets whether a column is resizable or not.

```
view The table.
```

column id The column id.

resizable TRUE if resizable.

Remarks:

```
See "Configure columns" (page 331).
```

Allows freeze the first columns of the table.

view The table.

last column id The identifier of the last column set.

Remarks:

See "Configure columns" (page 331).

tableview_header_title

Sets the text of a column header.

view The table.

column id The column id.

text The text in UTF-8 or the identifier of the resource. "Resources" (page 101).

Remarks:

```
See "Configure columns" (page 331).
```

tableview_header_align

Sets the alignment of the header text.

view The table.

column id The column id.

align The alignment.

Remarks:

```
See "Configure columns" (page 331).
```

tableview_header_visible

Sets whether the table header is visible or not.

```
view The table.

visible TRUE to display the header.
```

Remarks:

```
See "Table appearance" (page 332).
```

tableview_header_clickable

Sets whether the table header can be clicked as a button.

```
view The table.

clickable TRUE to allow clicks.
```

Remarks:

```
See "Notifications in tables" (page 332).
```

tableview_header_resizable

Sets whether the header allows column resizing.

```
 \begin{array}{ccc} \text{view} & \text{The table.} \\ \\ \text{resizable} & \text{TRUE if resizable.} \end{array}
```

Remarks:

```
See "Configure columns" (page 331).
```

tableview header height

Force the height of the header.

```
void
tableview header height (TableView *view,
                         const real32 t height);
```

The table. view

The height of the header. height

Remarks:

The height of the header is automatically calculated from the content. Forcing this value may cause the table to not display correctly. Its use is not recommended. See "Table appearance" (page 332).

tableview row height

Force the height of the row.

```
void
tableview row height (TableView *view,
                      const real32 t height);
```

The table. view

height The height of the row.

Remarks:

The row height is automatically calculated from the content. Forcing this value may cause the table to not display correctly. its use is not recommended. See "Table appearance" (page 332).

tableview hkey scroll

Sets the horizontal scrolling when pressing the [LEFT] and [RIGHT] keys.

```
void
tableview hkey scroll (TableView *view,
                       const bool t force column,
                       const real32 t scroll);
```

```
view The table.
```

force_column If TRUE the horizontal content will scroll column by column.

scroll If force_column=FALSE indicates the amount in pixels that the table will be moved horizontally when pressing the cursor keys.

Remarks:

```
See "Table navigation" (page 330).
```

tableview_multisel

Sets the row selection mode.

view The table.

multisel TRUE to allow multiple selection.

preserve TRUE to preserve the selection while browsing.

Remarks:

```
See "Multiple selection" (page 329).
```

tableview_grid

Sets the drawing of the interior lines.

view The table.

hlines TRUE to draw horizontal lines.

vlines TRUE to draw vertical lines.

Remarks:

```
See "Table appearance" (page 332).
```

tableview_update

Synchronizes the table with the data source.

```
void
tableview_update(TableView *view);
```

view The table.

Remarks:

See "Data connection" (page 325). We must call this function from the application whenever the data linked to the table changes, in order to update the view.

tableview select

Selects rows in the table.

view The table.

rows Vector of line indices.

n Number of elements in the vector.

Remarks:

```
See "Multiple selection" (page 329).
```

tableview_deselect

Deselects rows in the table.

view The table.

rows Vector of line indices.

n Number of elements in the vector.

Remarks:

```
See "Multiple selection" (page 329).
```

tableview_deselect_all

Deselects all rows in the table.

```
void
tableview_deselect_all(TableView *view);
```

view The table.

Remarks:

```
See "Multiple selection" (page 329).
```

tableview_selected

Returns the currently selected rows.

```
const ArrSt(uint32_t)*
tableview_selected(const TableView *view);
```

view The table.

Return:

Array with the indices of the selected rows.

Remarks:

```
See "Multiple selection" (page 329).
```

tableview_focus_row

Set keyboard focus to a specific row.

view The table.

row The row that will receive focus.

align Vertical adjustment.

Remarks:

Setting keyboard focus to a row only has effects on navigation, but does not involve selecting the row. The table is automatically scrolled so that the row is visible. In this case, align indicates where the vertical scroll is adjusted (up, down or centered). See "Table navigation" (page 330).

tableview_get_focus_row

Gets the row that has keyboard focus.

```
uint32 t
tableview get focus row(const TableView *view);
```

The table. view

Return:

The row that has the focus.

Remarks:

See "Table navigation" (page 330).

tableview_scroll_visible

Show or hide scroll bars.

```
void
tableview scroll visible (TableView *view,
                          const bool t horizontal,
                          const bool t vertical);
```

view The table.

horizontal Horizontal bar.

vertical Vertical bar.

Remarks:

See "Table appearance" (page 332).

splitview_horizontal

Create a splitview with horizontal split.

```
SplitView*
splitview horizontal (void);
```

Return:

The newly created split view.

splitview_vertical

Create a splitview with vertical split.

```
SplitView*
splitview_vertical(void);
```

Return:

The newly created split view.

splitview_size

Sets the default size of the view.

split The view.

size The size.

Remarks:

It corresponds to the "Natural sizing" (page 337) of the control. Default 128x128.

splitview_view

Add a custom view to the splitview.

split The splitview.

view The custom view.

tabstop TRUE if we want the view to be part of the tablist. See "Tabstops" (page 341).

Remarks:

See "Add controls" (page 333).

splitview_text

Add a text view to the splitview.

```
split The splitview.

view The text view.

tabstop TRUE if we want the view to be part of the tablist. See "Tabstops" (page 341).
```

Remarks:

See "Add controls" (page 333).

splitview_split

Add a splitview (child) to the splitview.

split The splitview.

child The splitview to add.

Remarks:

See "Add controls" (page 333).

splitview_panel

Add a panel to the splitview.

split The splitview.
panel The panel.

Remarks:

See "Add controls" (page 333).

splitview_pos

Sets the position of the view separator.

split The splitview.

pos The new position of the separator.

Remarks:

```
See "Split modes" (page 334).
```

layout_create

Create a new layout specifying the number of columns and rows.

ncols The number of columns.

nrows The number of rows.

Return:

The layout.

layout_cell

Get a layout cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The cell.

layout_control

Gets the control assigned to a cell in the layout.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_label

Insert a Label control in a layout.

layout The layout.

label The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_button

Insert a Button control in a layout.

```
layout The layout.

button The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.
```

layout_popup

Insert a Popup control in a layout.

```
layout The layout.

popup The control to insert.
```

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_edit

Insert an Edit control in a layout.

layout The layout.

edit The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_combo

Insert a Combo control in a layout.

```
const uint32_t row);
```

layout The layout.

combo The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_listbox

Insert a ListBox control in a layout.

layout The layout.

list The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_updown

Insert an UpDown control in a layout.

layout The layout.

updown The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_slider

Insert an Slider control in a layout.

layout The layout.

slider The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_progress

Insert a Progress control in a layout.

layout The layout.

progress The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_view

Insert View in a layout.

layout The layout.

view The view to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

layout_textview

Insert a TextView control in a layout.

layout The layout.

view The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_imageview

Insert an ImageView control in a layout.

layout The layout.

view The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_tableview

Insert an TableView control in a layout.

layout The layout.

view The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

layout_splitview

Insert an SplitView control in a layout.

layout The layout.

view The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_panel

Insert a Panel control in a layout.

layout The layout.

panel The control to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

layout_layout

Insert a layout into a cell in another layout.

layout The main layout.

sublayout The layout to insert.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

layout_get_label

Gets the Label of a cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_button

Gets the Button of a cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_popup

Gets the Popup of a cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_edit

Gets the Edit of a cell.

```
layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.
```

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_combo

Gets the Combo of a cell.

```
layout The layout.
```

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_listbox

Gets the ListBox of a cell.

```
layout The layout.
```

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_updown

Gets the UpDown of a cell.

```
layout The layout.
```

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_slider

Gets the Slider of a cell.

```
layout The layout.
```

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_progress

Gets the Progress of a cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_view

Gets the View of a cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The view.

layout_get_textview

Gets the TextView of a cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

layout_get_imageview

Gets the ImageView of a cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_tableview

Gets the TableView of a cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_splitview

Gets the SplitView of a cell.

layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

Return:

The control.

layout_get_panel

Gets the Panel of a cell.

```
layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.
```

Return:

The panel.

layout_get_layout

Gets the Layout of a cell.

```
layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.
```

Return:

The sublayout.

layout_taborder

Set how the keyboard focus will move when you press [TAB].

```
layout The layout.

order Loop through rows or columns.
```

Remarks:

```
See "Tabstops" (page 341).
```

layout_tabstop

Sets whether or not a cell in the layout will receive keyboard focus when navigating with [TAB]-[SHIFT] [TAB].

```
layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

tabstop Enable or disable cell tabstop.
```

Remarks:

```
See "Tabstops" (page 341).
```

layout_hsize

Set a fixed width for a layout column.

```
layout The layout.

col Column index.

width Width.
```

layout_vsize

Force a fixed height for the layout row.

row Row index.
height Height.

layout_hmargin

Establish an inter-column margin within the layout. It is the separation between two consecutive columns.

layout The layout.

col Index of the column. The index 0 refers to the separation between column 0 and column 1. ncols-2 is the maximum accepted value.

margin Margin.

layout_vmargin

Set an inter-row margin within the layout. It is the separation between two consecutive rows.

layout The layout.

row Row index Index 0 refers to the separation between row 0 and row 1. nrows-2 is the maximum accepted value.

margin Margin.

layout_hexpand

Set the column to expand horizontally.

```
layout The layout.
```

Remarks:

```
See "Cell expansion" (page 341).
```

layout_hexpand2

Set the two columns that will expand horizontally.

```
layout The layout.

col1 Index of column 1.

col2 Index of column 2.

exp Expansion of col1 between 0 and 1.
```

Remarks:

```
The expansion of col2 = 1 - exp. See "Cell expansion" (page 341).
```

layout_hexpand3

Set the three columns that will expand horizontally.

```
layout The layout.

col1 Index of column 1.

col2 Index of column 2.

col3 Index of column 3.

exp1 Expansion of col1 between 0 and 1.

exp2 Expansion of col2 between 0 and 1.
```

Remarks:

```
exp1 + exp2 < = 1. The expansion of col3 = 1 - exp1 - exp2. See "Cell expansion" (page 341).
```

layout_vexpand

Set the row that will expand vertically.

```
layout The layout.

row Row index.
```

Remarks:

```
See "Cell expansion" (page 341).
```

layout_vexpand2

Set the two rows that will expand vertically.

```
layout The layout.

row1 Index of row 1.

row2 Index of row 2.

exp Expansion of row1 between 0 and 1.
```

Remarks:

The expansion of row2 = 1 - exp. See "Cell expansion" (page 341).

layout_vexpand3

Set the three rows that will expand horizontally.

```
layout The layout.

row1 Index of row 1.

row2 Index of row 2.

row3 Index of row 3.

exp1 Expansion of row1 between 0 and 1.

exp2 Expansion of row2 between 0 and 1.
```

Remarks:

```
\exp 1 + \exp 2 < = 1. The expansion of row3 = 1 - \exp 1 - \exp 2. See "Cell expansion" (page 341).
```

layout_halign

Sets the horizontal alignment of a cell. It will take effect when the column is wider than the cell.

```
layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

align Horizontal alignment.
```

layout_valign

Sets the vertical alignment of a cell. It will take effect when the row is taller than the cell.

```
layout The layout.

col Column, cell x coordinate.

row Row, cell y coordinate.

align Vertical alignment.
```

layout_show_col

Show or hide a layout column.

```
layout The layout.

col Column index.

visible Visible or hidden.
```

layout_show_row

Show or hide a layout row.

```
layout The layout.

row Row index.

visible Visible or hidden.
```

layout_margin

Set a uniform margin for the layout border.

layout The layout.

mall Margin for all four sides (left, right, up and down).

layout_margin2

Set a horizontal and vertical margin for the layout edge.

layout The layout.

mtb Upper and lower margin.

mlr Left and right margin.

layout_margin4

Set margins for the layout border.

layout The layout.

mt Top edge margin.

mr Right edge margin.

mb Bottom edge margin.

ml Left edge margin.

layout_bgcolor

Assign a background color to the layout.

```
void
layout_bgcolor(Layout *layout,
```

```
const color_t color);
```

layout The layout.

color The color. With ekcolor transparent default color is restored.

layout_skcolor

Assign a color to the edge of the layout.

layout The layout.

color The color. With ekcolor transparent default color is restored.

layout_update

Update the window associated with the layout.

```
void
layout_update(Layout *layout);
```

layout The layout.

Remarks:

It is equivalent to calling window update.

layout_dbind

Associate a type struct with a layout.

layout The layout.

listener Will notify through this listener every time the object changes. Can be NULL.

type The struct type.

Remarks:

See "GUI Data binding" (page 357).

layout_dbind_obj

Associate an object with a layout to view and edit it.

```
layout The layout.

obj The object to edit.

type Object type.
```

Remarks:

```
See "GUI Data binding" (page 357).
```

layout_dbind_update

Updates the interface of the object associated with the layout.

```
layout The layout.
```

type The object type.

mtype The type of the field to update.

mname The name of the field to update.

Remarks:

```
See "GUI Data binding" (page 357).
```

cell_control

Get control of the inside of the cell.

```
GuiControl*
cell_control(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

cell_label

Get the label inside the cell.

```
Label* cell_label(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_button

Get the button inside the cell.

```
Button*
cell_button(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_popup

Get the popup inside the cell.

```
PopUp*
cell_popup(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_edit

Get the edit inside the cell.

```
Edit*
cell_edit(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

cell combo

Get the combo inside the cell.

```
Combo*
cell_combo(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell listbox

Get the listbox inside the cell.

```
ListBox*
cell_listbox(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_updown

Get the updown inside the cell.

```
UpDown*
cell_updown(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_slider

Get the slider inside the cell.

```
Slider*
cell_slider(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

cell_progress

Get the progress inside the cell.

```
Progress*
cell_progress(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_view

Get the view inside the cell.

```
View*
cell_view(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The view.

cell_textview

Get the textview inside the cell.

```
TextView*
cell_textview(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_imageview

Get the imageview inside the cell.

```
ImageView*
cell_imageview(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

cell_tableview

Get the tableview inside the cell.

```
TableView*
cell_tableview(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_splitview

Get the splitview inside the cell.

```
SplitView*
cell_splitview(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_panel

Get the panel inside the cell.

```
Panel*
cell_panel(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

The control.

cell_layout

Get the layout inside the cell.

```
Layout*
cell_layout(Cell *cell);
```

cell The cell.

Return:

El layout.

cell_enabled

Activate or deactivate a cell.

cell The cell.

enabled Enabled or not.

Remarks:

If the cell contains a sublayout, the command will affect all controls recursively.

cell_visible

Show or hide a cell.

cell The cell.

visible Visible or not.

Remarks:

If the cell contains a sublayout, the command will affect all controls recursively.

cell_padding

Set an inner margin.

cell The cell.

pall Inner margin.

cell_padding2

Set an inner margin.

```
const real32_t plr);

cell The cell.

ptb Upper and lower margin.

plr Left and right margin.
```

cell_padding4

Set an inner margin.

```
cell The cell.

pt Top margin.

pr Right margin.

pb Bottom margin.

pl Left margin.
```

cell_dbind

Associates a cell with the field of a struct.

```
cell_dbind(cell, Product, String*, description);

cell The cell.

type The struct type.

mtype The struct field type.

mname Field name.
```

Remarks:

```
See "GUI Data binding" (page 357).
```

panel_create

Create a panel.

```
Panel*
panel_create(void);
```

Return:

The new panel.

panel_scroll

Create a panel with scroll bars.

hscroll TRUE if we want horizontal scroll bar.

vscroll TRUE if we want vertical scroll bar.

Return:

The new panel.

Remarks:

See "Understanding panel sizing" (page 346).

panel_custom

Create a fully configurable panel.

hscroll TRUE if we want horizontal scroll bar.

vscroll TRUE if we want vertical scroll bar.

border TRUE if we want to highlight the border.

Return:

The new panel.

Remarks:

See "Understanding panel sizing" (page 346).

panel_data

Associate user data with the panel.

panel The panel.

data User data.

func_destroy_data Destructor of user data. It will be called when the panel is destroyed.

type Type of user data.

panel_get_data

Get the user data associated with the panel.

panel The panel.

type Type of user data.

Return:

User data.

panel_size

Sets the default size of the visible area of a panel.

panel The panel.

size The default size.

Remarks:

See "Understanding panel sizing" (page 346).

panel_layout

Add a layout to a panel.

```
panel The panel. layout Layout.
```

Return:

The newly added layout index.

panel_get_layout

Get a layout of a panel.

```
panel The panel.<br/>index The layout index.
```

Return:

Layout.

panel_visible_layout

Set the active layout inside the panel.

```
panel The panel.index The layout index.
```

Remarks:

To make the change effective, you have to call panel update.

panel_update

Update the window that contains the panel.

```
void
panel_update(Panel *panel);
```

panel The panel.

Remarks:

It is equivalent to calling window update.

panel_scroll_width

Gets the width of the scroll bar of the associated panel.

```
real32_t
panel_scroll_width(const Panel *panel);
```

panel The panel.

Return:

The width of the bar.

Remarks:

Only valid if the panel has been created with panel_scroll. Useful if we want to take into account the size of the scroll bars when setting the margins of the Layout.

panel_scroll_height

Gets the height of the scroll bar.

```
real32_t
panel_scroll_height(const Panel *panel);
```

panel The panel.

Return:

The height of the bar.

Remarks:

```
See \ {\tt panel\_scroll\_width}.
```

window create

Create a new window.

```
Window*
window_create(const uint32_t flags);
```

flags Combination of window flag t values.

Return:

The window.

window_destroy

Destroy the window and all its contents.

```
void
window_destroy(Window **window);
```

window. The window. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

Remarks:

Panels, layouts and components will be recursively destroyed.

window_panel

Associate the main panel with a window.

window The window.

panel Main panel, which integrates all the content of the window (views, controls, etc).

Remarks:

The size of the window will be adjusted based on the "Natural sizing" (page 337) of the main panel.

window_OnClose

Set an event handler for the window closing.

window The window.

listener Callback function to be called before closing a window.

Remarks:

See "Closing the window" (page 352).

window OnMoved

Set an event handler for moving the window on the desktop.

window The window.

listener Callback function to be called as the title bar is dragged and the window

moves across the desktop.

Remarks:

See "GUI Events" (page 302).

window_OnResize

Set an event handler for window resizing.

window The window.

listener Callback function to be called as the outer edges of the window are dragged to resize.

Remarks:

The resizing and relocation of elements is done automatically based on the main Layout, so it is not usually necessary for the application to respond to this event. See "GUI Events" (page 302).

window title

Set the text that will display the window in the title bar.

```
void
window_title(Window *window,
```

```
const char_t *text);
```

window The window.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

window show

Show the window. By default windows are created hidden. You have to show them explicitly.

```
void
window_show(Window *window);
```

window. The window.

window_hide

Hide the window.

```
void
window_hide(Window *window);
```

window The window.

window_modal

Launch a window in **modal** mode.

window The window.

parent The parent window.

Return:

Value returned by window_stop_modal.

Remarks:

parent stop receiving events until you call window stop modal.

window_stop_modal

Ends the **modal** cycle of a window.

window The window previously launched with window_modal.

return value Value to be returned window modal.

window_hotkey

Sets an action associated with pressing a key.

window The window.

key The key.

modifiers Modifiers. O or combination of mkey_t.

Remarks:

See "Keyboard shortcuts" (page 356).

window_cycle_tabstop

Activate or deactivate the cyclic behavior of tabstops.

window The window.

cycle TRUE to activate cycles in tabstops (default).

Remarks:

```
See "Tabstops" (page 341).
```

window_next_tabstop

Moves keyboard focus to the next control in the tab-list. It has the same effect as pressing [TAB].

```
gui_focus_t
window_next_tabstop(Window *window);
```

window. The window.

Return:

Result.

window_previous_tabstop

Moves the keyboard focus to the previous control in the tab-list. This has the same effect as pressing [SHIFT]+[TAB].

```
gui_focus_t
window_previous_tabstop(Window *window);
```

window The window.

Return:

Result.

window_focus

Set keyboard focus to a specific control.

window The window.

control The control that the focus will receive.

Return:

Result.

window get focus

Gets the control that keyboard focus has.

```
GuiControl
window_get_focus(Window *window);
```

window The window.

The control.

window_update

Recalculate the position and size of the controls after modifying any Layout.

```
void
window_update(Window *window);
```

window The window.

window_origin

Move the window to specific desktop coordinates.

window The window.

origin Position (x, y) of the upper-left corner of the window.

window_size

Set the size of the client area of the window.

window. The window.

size Main panel size.

Remarks:

The final size will depend on the window frame and desktop theme settings. This measure only refers to the interior area.

window_get_origin

Get the window position.

```
V2Df
window_get_origin(const Window *window);
```

window The window.

Return:

Position (x, y) from the upper-left corner of the window.

window_get_size

Get the total dimensions of the window.

```
S2Df
window_get_size(const Window *window);
```

window The window.

Return:

Window size.

Remarks:

The frame and title bar are taken into account.

window_get_client_size

Get the dimensions of the client area of the window.

```
S2Df
window_get_client_size(const Window *window);
```

window The window.

Return:

Main panel size.

window_defbutton

Set the default window button. It will be activated when pressed [Intro].

window The window.

button The button.

Remarks:

See "Default button" (page 356).

window cursor

Change the mouse cursor.

window The window.

cursor Identifier of the new cursor.

image Custom image. Only valid in ekgui cursor user.

hot_x The x coordinate of the click point. Only valid in ekgui cursor user.

hot_y The y coordinate of the click point. Only valid in ekgui cursor user.

Remarks:

hot_x, hot_y indicate the "sensitive" point within the image, which will indicate the exact position of the mouse.

menu_create

Create a new menu.

```
Menu*
menu_create(void);
```

Return:

The new menu.

menu_destroy

Destroy a menu and its entire hierarchy.

```
void
menu_destroy(Menu **menu);
```

menu The menu. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

menu_launch

Launch a menu as secondary or Pop Up.

```
void
menu launch (Menu *menu,
            const V2Df position);
```

The menu. menu

Coordinates of the upper left corner. position

menu hide

Hides a secondary Pop Up menu.

```
void
menu hide(Menu *menu);
```

The menu. menu

menu_item

Add an item to the menu.

```
void
menu item (Menu *menu,
          MenuItem *item);
```

The menu. menu

The item to add. item

menu_off_items

Set status ekgui off for all menu items.

```
void
menu off items(Menu *menu);
```

menu The menu.

menu_get_item

Get an item from the menu.

```
MenuItem*
menu get item (Menu *menu,
              const uint32_t index);
```

menu The menu.

index The index of the item.

Return:

The item.

menu_size

Gets the number of items.

```
uint32_t
menu_size(const Menu *menu);
```

menu The menu.

Return:

Number of items.

menuitem_create

Create a new item for a menu.

```
MenuItem*
menuitem_create(void);
```

Return:

The newly item.

menuitem_separator

Create a new separator for a menu.

```
MenuItem*
menuitem_separator(void);
```

Return:

The newly item.

menuitem OnClick

Set an event handle for item click.

item The item.

listener Callback function to be called after clicking.

Remarks:

```
See "GUI Events" (page 302).
```

menuitem_enabled

Enables or disables a menu item.

item The item.

enabled Enabled or not.

menuitem_visible

Show or hide a menu item.

item The item.

enabled Enabled or not.

menuitem_text

Set the item text.

item The item.

text UTF8 C-string terminated in null character '\0'.

menuitem_image

Set the icon that will display the item.

item The item. image Image.

menuitem_key

Set a keyboard shortcut to select the menu item.

item The item.

key Key code.

modifiers Modifiers.

menuitem_submenu

Assign a drop-down submenu when selecting the item.

item The item.

submenu. The submenu.

menuitem_state

Set the status of the item, which will be reflected with a mark next to the text.

item The item.

state State.

comwin_open_file

Launch the open file dialog.

```
parent Parent window.

ftypes File types for the filter.

size Number of file types.
```

Return:

start dir

The name of the selected file or NULL if the user has aborted the dialog.

Start directory of the dialog. It can be NULL.

Remarks:

It will be launched in modal. parent will remain locked until the dialog is accepted.

comwin_save_file

Launch the save file dialog.

```
parent Parent window.

ftypes File types for the filter.

size Number of file types.

start_dir Start directory of the dialog. It can be NULL.
```

Return:

The name of the selected file or NULL if the user has aborted the dialog.

Remarks:

It will be launched **modal**. parent will remain locked until the dialog is accepted.

comwin_color

Launch the color selection dialog.

parent Parent window.

x Initial x position.

y Initial y position.

halign Horizontal alignment with respect to x.

valign Vertical alignment with respect to y.

current Current color the panel will display.

colors Custom colors that the panel will show and that can also be edited. It can be NULL only if n = 0.

n Number of custom colors.

On Change Callback function to be called after each color change.

Remarks:

On Windows and Linux systems the dialog will be launched modally and must be accepted for a color change notification to occur via OnChange. On macOS, notifications will be launched continuously as the dialog is manipulated.

OSApp library

41.1. Functions

FPtr_app_create

An application constructor prototype.

```
type*
(*FPtr_app_create) (void);
```

Return:

Application object.

FPtr_app_update

Function prototype for update a synchronous application.

app Application object.

prtime Previous update time.

ctime Current time.

FPtr_task_main

Function prototype for start a task.

```
uint32_t
(*FPtr_task_main)(type *data);
```

data Initial task data.

Return:

Task return value.

FPtr_task_update

Function prototype of a task update.

```
void
(*FPtr_task_update)(type *data);
```

data Task data.

FPtr task end

Function prototype of a task completion.

data Task Data.

rvalue Task return value.

osmain

Start a desktop application.

func_create Application object constructor.

func_destroy Application object destructor.

options Options string.

type Type of application object.

Remarks:

In "Hello World!" (page 23) you have a simple example of desktop application.

osmain_sync

Start a synchronous desktop application.

```
lframe Time in seconds of the update interval (0.04 = 25 fps).

func_create Application object constructor.

func_destroy Application object destructor.

func_update Function to be called in each update interval.

options Options string.

type Type of application object.
```

Remarks:

See "Synchronous applications" (page 377).

osapp_finish

End a desktop application, destroying the message cycle and the application object.

```
void
osapp_finish(void);
```

osapp_task

Launch a task in parallel, avoiding the thread lock that controls the user interface.

```
data Initial task data.
```

updtime Update interval time, if required.

func main Task start function.

func_update Task update function.

func_end Function to be called when finishing the task.

type Type of initial task data.

Remarks:

```
See "Multi-threaded tasks" (page 378).
```

osapp_menubar

Set the general menu bar of the application.

menu The menu.

window The window that will host the menu.

Remarks:

In macOS the application menu is not linked to any window.

osapp_open_url

Open an Internet address using the default operating system browser.

```
void
osapp_open_url(const char_t *url);
```

url URL address.

INet library

42.1. Types and Constants

enum ierror_t

Error codes of network connections.

```
ekinohost Unable to connect to the remote server.

ekitimeout Maximum timeout for connection has been exceeded.

ekistream Error in the I/O channel when reading or writing.

ekiserver Error in server response format.

ekinoimpl Functionality not implemented.

ekiunder Undetermined error.

ekiok No error.
```

struct Http

Manage an HTTP connection initiated from the client process.

```
struct Http;
```

struct Url

Allows access to individual fields of a URL (web address) "URL" (page 391).

```
struct Url;
```

struct JsonOpts

Options when processing a JSON script.

```
struct JsonOpts;
```

42.2. Functions

http_create

Create an HTTP session.

host Server name.

port Connection port. If we pass UINT16_MAX it will use 80 (by default for HTTP).

Return:

HTTP session.

http_secure

Create an HTTPS session.

host Server name.

port Connection port. If we pass UINT16_MAX it will use 413 (by default for HTTPS).

Return:

HTTP session.

http_destroy

Destroy an HTTP object.

```
void
http_destroy(Http **http);
```

http The HTTP object. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

http_clear_headers

Remove previously assigned HTTP headers.

```
void
http_clear_headers(Http *http);
```

http HTTP session.

http_add_header

Add a header to the HTTP request.

http HTTP session.

name The name of the header.

value The header value.

http_get

Make a GET request.

http HTTP session.

path Resource.

data Data to add in the body of the request. It can be NULL.

size Data block size in bytes.

error Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the request has been processed correctly. If FALSE, in error we will have the cause.

Remarks:

The request is synchronous, that is, the program will be stopped until the server responds. If we want an asynchronous model we will have to create a parallel thread that manages the request. HTTP redirections are resolved automatically.

http_post

Make a POST request.

```
http HTTP session.
```

path Resource.

data Data to add in the body of the request. It can be NULL.

size Data block size in bytes.

error Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if the request has been processed correctly. If FALSE, in error we will have the cause.

Remarks:

```
See http get.
```

http_response_status

Returns the response code of an HTTP request.

```
uint32_t
http_response_status(const Http *http);
```

```
http HTTP session.
```

Return:

The response code from the server.

http_response_protocol

Returns the protocol used by the HTTP server.

http HTTP session.

Return:

The server protocol.

http_response_message

Returns the response message from the HTTP server.

```
const char_t*
http_response_message(const Http *http);
```

http HTTP session.

Return:

The response message from the server.

http_response_size

Returns the number of response headers from an HTTP request.

```
uint32_t
http_response_size(const Http *http);
```

http HTTP session.

Return:

The number of headers.

http_response_name

Returns the name of the response header of an HTTP request.

http HTTP session.

index The index of the header (0, size-1).

Return:

The name of the header.

http_response_value

Returns the value of the response header of an HTTP request.

http HTTP session.

index The index of the header (0, size-1).

Return:

The value of the header.

http_response_header

Returns the value of a response header from an HTTP request.

http HTTP session.

name The name of the desired header.

Return:

The value of the header. If the header does not exist, it will return an empty string "".

http_response_body

Returns the response body of an HTTP request.

http HTTP session.

body Write stream where the response content will be stored.

error Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

TRUE if it was read successfully. If FALSE, in error we will have the cause.

http_dget

Make a direct request for a web resource.

url Resource URL.

result Server response code. It can be NULL.

error Error code if the function fails. It can be NULL.

Return:

Stream with the result of the request.

Remarks:

Use this function for direct access to an isolated resource. If you need to make several requests or configure the headers, use http_create or http_secure.

http_exists

Check if a web resource is available / accessible.

```
bool_t
http_exists(const char_t *url);
```

url Resource URL.

Return:

TRUE if the resource (web page, file, etc) is accessible.

Remarks:

HTTP redirections are not resolved. It will return FALSE if the URL as is is not valid.

json_read

Parse a JSON script. It will transform JSON text into a type or object in C.

stm Data entry in JSON format.

opts Options.

type Type of data.

Return:

Result object.

Remarks:

See "JSON parsing and conversion to data in C" (page 385).

json_write

Write data in C to JSON format.

stm Data output in JSON format.

data Object.

opts Options.

type Type of data.

Remarks:

See "Convert from C to JSON" (page 388).

json_destroy

Destroys a JSON object, previously created with $\verb"json_read"$.

```
data Object.type Type of data.
```

json_destopt

Destroys a JSON object, previously created with json read, if it is not NULL.

data Object.

type Type of data.

url_parse

Create a URL object from a text string.

```
Url*
url_parse(const char_t *url);
```

url Null-terminated UTF8 C text string '\0'.

Return:

Result URL object after parsing the string.

url_destroy

Destroy the URL object.

```
void
url_destroy(Url **url);
```

url URL object. Will be set to NULL after destruction.

url_scheme

Gets the scheme (protocol) of the URL.

```
const char_t*
url_scheme(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

Protocol (http, https, ftp, etc).

url user

Gets the user.

```
const char_t*
url_user(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

User or "" if not specified.

url_pass

Get the password.

```
const char_t*
url_pass(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

Password or "" if not specified.

url host

Gets the name of the server.

```
const char_t*
url_host(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

Host (Pe. www.google.com).

url_path

Gets the path (directories + name) of the requested file or resource.

```
const char_t*
url_path(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

Pathname (Pe. /dir1/dir2/file.html).

url_params

Gets the parameters (from ';') of the URL.

```
const char_t*
url_params(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

Parameters or "" if not specified.

url_query

Gets the parameters (from '?') of the URL.

```
const char_t*
url_query(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

Parameters or "" if not specified.

url_fragment

Gets the fragment (position or anchor of the document) of the URL.

```
const char_t*
url_fragment(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

Fragment or "" if not specified.

url_resource

Get the full address of a resource within the server.

```
String*
url_resource(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

Resource. path + ";"+ params + "?"+ query + "#"+ fragment.

url_port

Gets the access port to the server.

```
uint16_t
url_port(const Url *url);
```

url URL object.

Return:

Port. UINT16 MAX if not specified.

b64 encoded size

Get the number of bytes needed to encode a memory block in format base64.

```
uint32_t
b64_encoded_size(const uint32_t data_size);
```

data size The original block size.

Return:

Base64 size.

b64 decoded size

Get the number of bytes needed to decode a block of memory in base64 format.

```
uint32_t
b64_decoded_size(const uint32_t data_size);
```

data size The block size encoded in base64.

Return:

The size in bytes.

b64_encode

Encode a block of memory in **base64**.

```
data The data block.
```

size Block size.

base64 The buffer where to store the result.

Return:

The size in bytes.

Remarks:

The buffer base64 must be at least the size returned by b64 encoded size.

b64 decode

De-encode a block base64.

base64 The base64 block.

size Block size.

data The buffer where to store the result.

Return:

The size in bytes.

Remarks:

The buffer data must be at least the size returned by b64_decoded_size.

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