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1 Abs

1.1 Definition

FLOAT abs (<FLOAT value>)

Returns the absolute value of *value*.

1.2 Parameters

FLOAT value - The value.

1.3 Returns

FLOAT : The absolute value of *value*.

1.4 Example

```
Global
  float value1;
  int value2;
End

Process Main()
Begin

  write_float(0,0, 0,0,&value1);
  write_int(0,0,10,0,&value2);

  value1 = abs(3);
  value2 = abs(-4);

  Repeat
    frame;
  Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: [write_float\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [abs\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

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2 Acos

2.1 Syntax

`FLOAT acos (<FLOAT value>)`

2.2 Description

Returns the arccosine of a certain *value*.

This *function* performs an arccosine calculation on a certain value and returns an *angle* between and including 0 and 180000 (0-180°).

2.3 Parameters

`FLOAT value` - The value to be performed an arccosine calculation on.

2.4 Returns

`FLOAT` : The arccosine result of the specified value, an angle between and including 0 and 180000 (0-180°).

2.5 Notes

The *angle* value returned by this function is in thousandths of degrees, as most angles within *Bennu* are.

To read about all aspects of trigonometry, you can visit Wikipedia's [Trigonometric function](#) page.

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3 Advance

3.1 Definition

INT advance (<INT distance>)

Moves the **calling process** forward by *distance* units in the direction of the process' **angle**.

This function is influenced by the **local variables angle** and **resolution**.

3.2 Parameters

INT distance - Distance to advance in units.

3.3 Returns

INT : Returns **true** if successful and **false** if failed.

3.4 Example

```
import "mod_grproc"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_wm" // for exit_status
import "mod_key" // for key()
import "mod_proc"

Process Main()
Private
    int my_proc;
Begin

    proc(); //create a new process
    proc2(); //create a new process

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC) || exit_status)

OnExit

    signal(my_proc,S_KILL);

End

Process proc()
Begin

    // Create a cyan square and assign it to 'graph'
    graph = map_new(100,100,8);
    map_clear(0,graph,rgb(0,255,255));

    // Set starting position
    x = 50;
    y = 50;

    // This loop makes this process advance 3 pixels every frame
    Loop
        advance(3); // advance 3 pixels
        frame;
    End

End

Process proc2()
Begin

    // Set resolution to 100
    resolution = 100;

    // Create a cyan square and assign it to 'graph'
    graph = map_new(100,100,8);
    map_clear(0,graph,rgb(0,255,255));

    // Set starting position
    x = 50*resolution;
    y = 150*resolution;
```

```
// This loop makes this process advance 3/100 pixels every frame
Loop
  advance(3); // advance 3/100 pixels
  frame;
End

OnExit
  map_unload(0, graph);
End
```

Used in example: [key\(\)](#), [signal\(\)](#), [map_new\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [rgb\(\)](#), [advance\(\)](#), [map_unload\(\)](#), [exit_status](#), [graph](#), [x](#), [y](#), [resolution](#)

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4 Alloc

4.1 Syntax

VOID POINTER alloc (<INT size>)

4.2 Description

Allocates a **block of memory** of a certain size. Returns a pointer to the newly allocating memory block, or **NULL** on failure.

4.3 Parameters

INT size - The size of the to be allocated memory in **bytes**.

4.4 Returns

VOID POINTER : Pointer to the first element of the allocated memory block.

NULL - There was are an error allocating the memory, like insufficient memory available.

!NULL - Pointer to the first element of the allocated memory block.

4.5 Example

```
import "mod_mem"
import "mod_say"

Process Main()
Private
    byte* pbyte;
    word* pword;
    int* pint;
    int elements = 10;
    int i;
Begin

    // Allocate memory
    pbyte = alloc(elements);
    pword = alloc(elements*sizeof(*pword)); // note the sizeof() here, this is possible!
    pint = alloc(elements*sizeof(int));

    // Reset memory to 0's
    memset (pbyte,0,elements);
    memsetw(pword,0,elements); // same as memset(pword,0,elements*sizeof(word));
                                // because value-parameter is 0.
    memseti(pint ,0,elements); // same as memset(pint,0,elements*sizeof(int));
                                // because value-parameter is 0.

    // Write numbers to bytes and ints
    for(i=0; i<elements; i++)
        pbyte[i] = 133; // pbyte[i] is the same as *(pbyte+i)
        *(pint+i) = 4555; // pint[i] is the same as *(pint+i)
    end

    // Write numbers to words
    memsetw(pword,345,elements);

    // Show numbers
    for(i=0; i<elements; i++)
        say("byte["+i+"] = " + *(pbyte+i));
        say("word["+i+"] = " + pword[i]);
        say("int ["+i+"] = " + pint[i]);
    end

OnExit

    // Free the used memory
    free(pbyte);
    free(pword);
    free(pint);

End
```

Used in example: **alloc()**, **memset()**, **memsetw()**, **memseti()**, **sizeof()**, **say()**, **free()**, **OnExit**, **pointer**, **sizeof**

5 Asc

5.1 Definition

BYTE asc (<**STRING** character >)

Returns the **ASCII** value of the first character of the string *character*.

5.2 Parameters

STRING character - The string of which the ASCII value of the first character will be returned.

5.3 Returns

BYTE : The ASCII value of the first character of the string *character*.

5.4 Example

```
Program asciis;
Begin
    write(0,0, 0,0,asc("A"));
    write(0,0,10,0,asc("CAT"));

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_esc))

End
```

Used in example: [write\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

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6 Asin

6.1 Syntax

FLOAT asin (<**FLOAT** value>)

6.2 Description

Returns the arcsine of a certain *value*.

This *function* performs an arcsine calculation on a certain value and returns an *angle* between and including -90000 and 90000 (-90-90°).

6.3 Parameters

FLOAT value - The value to be performed an arcsine calculation on.

6.4 Returns

FLOAT : The arcsine result of the specified value, an angle between and including -90000 and 90000 (-90-90°).

6.5 Notes

The *angle* value returned by this function is in thousandths of degrees, as most angles within *Bennu* are.

To read about all aspects of trigonometry, you can visit Wikipedia's *Trigonometric function* page.

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7 Atan

7.1 Syntax

FLOAT atan (<**FLOAT** value>)

7.2 Description

Returns the arctangent of a certain *value*.

This [function](#) performs an arctangent calculation on a certain value and returns an [angle](#) between but not including -90000 and 90000 (-90-90°).

7.3 Parameters

FLOAT value - The value to be performed an arctangent calculation on.

7.4 Returns

FLOAT : The arctangent result of the specified value, an angle between but not including -90000 and 90000 (-90-90°).

7.5 Notes

The [angle](#) value returned by this function is in thousandths of degrees, as most angles within [Bennu](#) are.

To read about all aspects of trigonometry, you can visit Wikipedia's [Trigonometric function](#) page.

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8 Atof

8.1 Definition

FLOAT atof (<**STRING** str)

Returns the **float** value of the number specified in a certain **string**.

8.2 Parameters

STRING str - The string specifying a number of which the float value will be returned.

8.3 Returns

FLOAT : The float value of the number specified by the specified string.

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9 Atoi

9.1 Definition

INT atoi (<**STRING** str>)

Returns the **int** value of the number specified in a certain **string**.

9.2 Parameters

STRING str - The string specifying a number of which the int value will be returned.

9.3 Returns

INT : The **int** value of the number specified by the specified string.

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10 Blendop apply

10.1 Definition

INT blendop_apply (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID> , <**INT** blendTable>)

Applies a **blend operation** to the pixels of a **graphic**, as if it was rendered into a black (color 0) background.

This function actually changes the pixeldata of the graphic.

10.2 Parameters

- INT** fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** holding the **graphic**.
- INT** graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to apply the **blend operation** to.
- INT** blendTable - The **blend table** to apply.

10.3 Returns

INT : true

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11 Blendop assign

11.1 Definition

INT blendop_assign (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID> , <**INT** blendTable>)

Assigns a **blend operation** to a **graphic**. The graphic will be drawn using this blend operation hereafter. Only one blend operation can be assigned to one graphic at a given time; when another is assigned, the previous one is unassigned.

To deassigning a blend table, using **NULL** as the *blendopID*.

11.2 Parameters

- INT** fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** holding the **graphic**.
- INT** graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to assign the **blendop** to.
- INT** blendTable - The **blend table** to assign (**NULL** for none).

11.3 Returns

INT : true

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12 Blendop free

12.1 Definition

INT blendop_free (<INT blendTable>)

Frees the given **blend table**. Before doing this, make sure it is not **assigned** to a **graphic**.

12.2 Parameters

INT blendTable - The **blend table** to free.

12.3 Returns

INT : true

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13 Blendop grayscale

13.1 Definition

`INT blendop_grayscale (<INT blendTable> , <INT mode>)`

Modify the `blend table` by modifying the colours, so the components of one colour is the same (this makes them appear gray). This means that the `graphic` the blend operation is assigned to will appear gray.

The source section of the `blend table` will be modified; this will clear the destination section of the blend table.

13.2 Parameters

`INT blendTable` - The `blend table` to modify.

`INT mode` - The mode to perform the grayscaling (see `notes`).

13.3 Returns

`INT` : `true`

13.4 Notes

- Method 1

```
component = 0.3*r+0.59*g+0.11*b colour = rgb ( component , component , component )
```

- Method 2

```
max = r > g ? r > b ? r : g : g > b ? g : b ; min = r < g ? r < b ? r : g : g < b ? g : b ; component = ( max + min ) / 2 colour = rgb ( component , component , component )
```

- Method 3

```
max = r > g ? r > b ? r : g : g > b ? g : b ; colour = rgb ( max , max , max )
```

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14 Blendop identity

14.1 Definition

INT blendop_identity (<**INT** blendopTable >)

Reinitializes the **blend table** to default.

The source section of the **blend table** will be the normal object and the destination section will be cleared, removing translucency.

14.2 Parameters

INT blendTable - The **blend table** to reinitialize.

14.3 Returns

INT : true

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15 Blendop intensity

15.1 Definition

INT blendop_intensity (<**INT** blendTable> , <**FLOAT** amount>)

Modify the **blend table** by intensifying the colours. This means that the **graphic** the blend operation is assigned to will appear darker or lighter than normal.

This will modify the source section of the **blend table**, but leave the destination section as it was.

15.2 Parameters

INT blendTable - The **blend table** to intensify.

FLOAT amount - The amount to multiply the R,G,B values of the colours by.

15.3 Returns

INT : true

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16 Blendop new

16.1 Definition

INT blendop_new ()

Creates a new **blend table**. This table will contain a blending effect, which you'll have to set afterwards, using the various functions. When that is done you can finally **apply** or **assign** the blend table to a **graphic**.

The source section of the **blend table** will be the normal object and the destination section will be cleared, removing translucency.

16.2 Returns

0 - Error: insufficient memory or the screen was not yet initialized.

!0 - Success (pointer to the **blend table**).

16.3 Notes

The right order of doing blending stuff: First create a new table with **blendop_new()**, then put a blending effect in it with for example **blendop_tint()**, and then assign it to a **graphic** with **blendop_assign()**.

Blendops are not supported in 32bit mode.

16.4 Errors

Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often.

16.5 Example

```
Program test;
Private
    int blendTable;
Begin

    set_mode(320,240,16);

    x = 160;
    y = 120;

    graph = new_map(100,100,16);
    map_clear(0,graph,RGB(255,255,255));

    blendTable = blendop_new();
    blendop_tint(blendTable,1,255,0,0);

Repeat
    if (key(_space))
        blendop_assign(0,graph,blendTable);
    else
        blendop_assign(0,graph,NULL);
    end
    frame;
Until (key(_ESC))

OnExit

    unload_map(0,graph);

End
```

Used in example: **set_mode()**, **new_map()**, **map_clear()**, **blendop_new()**, **blendop_tint()**, **key()**, **blendop_assign()**, **unload_map()**

This will result in something like:

File:Blendop.jpg

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17 Blendop swap

17.1 Definition

INT blendop_swap (<**INT** blendTable >)

Modify the **blend table** by swapping the source and destination sections. This means that the **graphic** the blend operation is assigned to will appear like what is behind the object and the background will look like the object.

This will swap the source and destination section of the **blend table**.

17.2 Parameters

INT blendTable - The **blend table** to swap the sections of.

17.3 Returns

INT : true

17.4 Notes

To understand what swapping actually does, consider the following:

- When done a blendop_swap() on a just initialized **blend table**, the **graphic** it is assigned to will 'disappear'.

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18 Blendop tint

18.1 Definition

INT blendop_tint (<**INT** blendTable> , <**FLOAT** amount> , <**BYTE** r> , <**BYTE** g> , <**BYTE** b>)

Modify the **blend table** by tinting the colours with the specified colour. This means that the **graphic** the blend operation is assigned to will appear more like the specified colour, depending on the amount.

This will modify the source section of the **blend table**, but leave the destination section as it was.

18.2 Parameters

- INT** blendTable - The **blend table** to tint.
- FLOAT** amount - The amount to use the specified colour (0-1).
- BYTE** r - The red component of the colour to be used for the tinting.
- BYTE** g - The green component of the colour to be used for the tinting.
- BYTE** b - The blue component of the colour to be used for the tinting.

18.3 Returns

INT : true

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18.4 Notes

To further clarify what is done to the assigned graphic, there is this formula: $\text{VisibleColour} = \text{graphicColour} * (1 - \text{amount}) + \text{specifiedColour} * \text{amount}$ So it is clear that the result will be a mix of the specified colour and the original graph.

19 Blendop translucency

19.1 Definition

INT blendop_translucency (<**INT** blendTable> , <**FLOAT** amount>)

Modify the **blend table** by setting how much the object is visible and how much what is behind the source. This means that the **graphic** the blend operation is assigned to will appear translucent or transparent.

This will modify both the source and destination section of the **blend table**. The source is multiplied by *amount* and the destination is multiplied by $1 - amount$.

19.2 Parameters

INT blendTable - The **blend table** to modify.

FLOAT amount - Opacity factor (1 (opaque) - 0 (transparent)).

19.3 Returns

INT : **true**

19.4 Notes

To set an amount of 0.5 is the same as doing using a **blit flag** of **B_TRANSLUCENT**.

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20 Blur

20.1 Definition

INT blur (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID> , <BYTE mode>)

This will make the specified **graphic** blurry by using a specified mode. It manipulates the graphic directly.

Only 16bit graphics are supported on 16bit video mode.

20.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the graphics.

INT graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to convert.

BYTE mode - The blur mode that is applied to the **graphic** (see **below**).

20.3 Returns

INT

0 - Invalid graphic or non 16bit graphic used.

1 - Success.

20.4 Blur modes

<i>Constant</i>	<i>- Value</i>	<i>- Description</i>
BLUR_NORMAL	- 0	- single pixel: considers pixels located to the left and above of each pixel.
BLUR_3X3	- 1	- 3x3: considers all 8 adjacent pixels.
BLUR_5X5	- 2	- 5x5: considers the 24 pixels that surrounds each pixel.
BLUR_5X5_MAP	- 3	- 5x5 with additional map: Just as the previous one but using a temporary map.

20.5 Examples

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21 Cd

21.1 Definition

STRING cd ([<**STRING** folder->])

Sets the current path of execution if *folder* was specified and returns it.

Note that it is **highly recommended** to use `chdir()` for changing the current path of execution, as `cd()` will make **Bennu** crash when a folder is specified and the returned path of execution is used in the **Bennu** program. Just using `cd()` without a folder is not a problem.

21.2 Parameters

STRING folder - The folder to be entered from the current path of execution or a new path of execution.

21.3 Returns

STRING : The current path of execution.

21.4 Example

```
import "mod_dir"
import "mod_say"
import "mod_key"

Process Main()
Begin

    say(cd());
    say(chdir("../"));
    say(cd());

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: `cd()`, `chdir()`, `say()`, `key()`

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22 Cd drives

22.1 Definition

INT cd_drives ()

Returns the number of CD/DVD drives in the system.

22.2 Returns

INT : The number of CD/DVD drives in the system.

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23 Cd eject

23.1 Definition

INT cd_eject (<INT cdID>)

Ejects the CD/DVD (tray) from the drive.

23.2 Parameters

INT cdID - The cdID of the CD/DVD drive of which the CD/DVD (tray) is to be ejected.

23.3 Returns

INT

0 - Invalid CD/DVD drive.

1 - The CD/DVD (tray) is ejected.

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24 Cd getinfo

24.1 Definition

INT cd_getinfo (<INT cdID>)

Fills the [global structure cdinfo](#) with information about the specified CD/DVD drive.

Returns 1 if there is a valid CD in the drive and 0 otherwise.

24.2 Parameters

INT cdID - The cdID of the CD/DVD drive of which the info is wanted.

24.3 Returns

INT

0 - Invalid CD/DVD or no CD/DVD in drive.

1 - Valid CD (structure [cdinfo](#) is filled successfully with information about the CD).

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25 Cd name

25.1 Definition

STRING cd_name (<INT cdID>)

Returns the current name of the specified CD/DVD drive.

25.2 Parameters

INT cdID - The cdID of the CD/DVD drive of which the name is wanted.

25.3 Returns

STRING : The current name of the specified CD/DVD drive.

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26 Cd pause

26.1 Definition

INT cd_pause (<INT cdID>)

Pauses playback of the specified CD/DVD drive.

26.2 Parameters

INT cdID - The cdID of the CD/DVD drive to pause playback on.

26.3 Returns

INT

0 - Invalid CD/DVD drive.

1 - Playback of the CD/DVD drive is paused.

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27 Cd play

27.1 Definition

INT cd_play (<**INT** cdID> , <**INT** trackNumber> , [<**INT** tracks>])

Starts playing at the specified track on the specified CD/DVD drive and will keep on playing for the specified number of tracks or one if no number is specified.

27.2 Parameters

INT cdID - The cdID of the CD/DVD drive with the CD to play.

INT trackNumber - The track number to play.

INT tracks - The number of tracks to play. Default is 1.

27.3 Returns

INT

0 - Invalid CD/DVD drive or CD/DVD.

1 - The CD started playing.

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28 Cd resume

28.1 Definition

INT cd_resume (<**INT** cdID >)

Resumes playback of the specified CD/DVD drive.

28.2 Parameters

INT cdID - The cdID of the CD/DVD drive to resume playback on.

28.3 Returns

INT

0 - Invalid CD/DVD drive.

1 - Playback of the CD/DVD drive is resumed.

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29 Cd status

29.1 Definition

INT cd_status (<INT cdID>)

Returns the current status of the specified CD/DVD drive.

See [CD statuscodes](#).

29.2 Parameters

INT cdID - The cdID of the CD/DVD drive of which the status is wanted.

29.3 Returns

INT : The current status of the specified CD/DVD drive.

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30 Cd stop

30.1 Definition

INT cd_stop (<**INT** cdID>)

Stops playback of the specified CD/DVD drive.

30.2 Parameters

INT cdID - The cdID of the CD/DVD drive to stop playback on.

30.3 Returns

INT

0 - Invalid CD/DVD drive.

1 - Playback of the CD/DVD drive is stopped.

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31 Center set

31.1 Definition

INT center_set (<INT FileID> , <INT GraphID> , <INT x> , <INT y>)

Allows you to change the center of a [graphic](#).

This function changes a graphic's center pixel, which is the pixel that is located on screen at the [graph](#)'s x and y coordinates. So changing this will influence the position on the screen.

Also called [set_center\(\)](#).

31.2 Parameters

- INT** FileID - The [FileID](#) of the [file](#) containing the [graphic](#)
- INT** GraphID - The [GraphID](#) of the [graphic](#) to change the center of.
- INT** x - The new horizontal center [coordinate](#) of the [graphic](#).
- INT** y - The new vertical center [coordinate](#) of the [graphic](#).

31.3 Returns

INT : Successrate

- 1 - Specified [graphic](#) is invalid.
- 1 - The center was set successfully.

31.4 Notes

You set the position of [control point 0](#) in the [graphic](#). This control point acts as the [graphic](#)'s [coordinate](#) on screen. For example, if a [graphic](#)'s center is set to 0,0 , then the upper left pixel of the [graphic](#) will be placed on screen at the [graphic](#)'s coordinates. If no center is set, by default control point 0 is set to the [graphics](#) true geometric center.

Another key feature is that the [graphic](#) will rotate around its center, as set by this function, and any horizontal or vertical mirrors (set with [flags](#)) will flip at this point.

When a [graphic](#) is used as a [mouse](#) pointer, its center point is used for the mouse tip. Most mouse cursors in [Operating Systems](#) have a mouse with the tip in the upper left of the image. Therefore, for a standard mouse pointer in [Bennu](#), you will have to set the center at 0,0 to enable mouse accuracy.

31.5 Example

```
import "mod_map"
import "mod_text"
import "mod_key"

Process Main()
Begin
  graph=png_load("set_center.png"); //Loads a 128x128 image as the graphic
  x=160;
  y=100; //Places the graphic in the centre of the screen
  write(0,0,0,0,"Press [1] to set center to 0,0");
  write(0,0,0,10,"Press [2] to set center to 64,64");
  Loop
    if(key(_1))
      center_set(0,graph,0,0);
    end
    if(key(_2))
      center_set(0,graph,64,64);
    end
    angle+=100; //Rotates the graphic constantly
    frame;
  End
End
```

Used in example: [graph](#), [png_load\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [center_set\(\)](#)

File(s) used in example: [set_center.png](#)

32 Chdir

32.1 Definition

INT chdir (<**STRING** directoryname >)

Sets the current path of execution.

32.2 Parameters

STRING directoryname - The name of the directory to be entered from the current path of execution or a new path of execution.

32.3 Returns

INT : Success

0 - Setting of current path of execution succeeded.

!0 - Setting of current path of execution failed.

32.4 Example

```
import "mod_dir"
import "mod_say"
import "mod_key"

Process Main()
Begin

    say(CD());
    ChDir("../");
    say(CD());

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: [cd\(\)](#), [chdir\(\)](#), [say\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

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33 Chr

33.1 Definition

STRING chr (<BYTE ASCIIvalue>)

Returns the character associated with *ASCIIvalue*.

33.2 Parameters

BYTE ASCIIvalue - The *ASCII* value of which the character is wanted.

33.3 Returns

STRING : The character associated with *ASCIIvalue*.

33.4 Example

```
Program chars;
Begin
    write(0,0, 0,0,chr(65));
    write(0,0,10,0,chr(67));

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_esc))

End
```

Used in example: *write()*, *key()*

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34 Collision

34.1 Definition

INT collision (<INT processID|processTypeID>)

Checks if a **process** collided with the process calling Collision().

When a **processTypeID** is specified, there could be multiple fitting collisions. In this case, collision() returns a **processID** on each subsequent call, until it returns 0. This can be reset by use of the **frame**; statement, and in such case, frame(0); can be handy.

34.2 Parameters

INT processID|processTypeID - The ProcessID of the process or the ProcessTypeID of the type of processes to be checked.

34.3 Returns

INT : The ID of the collided process.

0 - No collision

>0 - The processID of the process colliding with the current process

34.4 Example

```
Process SpaceShip( int file , int graph , int x , int y , int angle , int maxspeed , int maxturnspeed )
Private
    int speed;
    int collisionID;
    string text;
Begin
    write_string(0,0,0,0,&text);
    Loop
        // Handle movement
        speed+=key(_up)*(speed<maxspeed)-key(_down)*(speed>maxspeed);
        angle+=(key(_left)-key(_right))*maxturnspeed;
        advance(speed);
        // Handle collision
        if( (collisionID = collision(type main)))
            text = "collision with: " + collisionID;
        else
            text = "no collision";
        end
        frame;
    End
End

Process Main()
Private
    int map;
Begin

    // Create the graph for the ship
    map = new_map(20,20,8);
    map_clear(0,map,rgb(0,255,255));

    // Create the graph for the Main process
    graph = new_map(50,50,8);
    map_clear(0,graph,rgb(255,255,0));

    // Position the main process and create the ship
    x = y = z = 100;
    SpaceShip(0,map,100,100,0,20,5000);

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

    let_me_alone();

End
```

Used in example: [write_string\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [collision\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [advance\(\)](#), [let_me_alone\(\)](#), [graph](#), [type](#)

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35 Cos

35.1 Syntax

FLOAT cos (<FLOAT angle>)

35.2 Description

Returns the cosine of the specified angle.

This [function](#) performs a cosine calculation on a certain angle and returns a value between -1 and 1.

35.3 Parameters

FLOAT angle - [Angle](#), in thousandths of degrees. i.e. 75000 = 75°

35.4 Returns

FLOAT : The cosine result of the specified [angle](#).

35.5 Notes

The [angle](#) value used in this function should be in thousandths of degrees, as most angles within [Bennu](#) are.

To read about all aspects of trigonometry, you can visit Wikipedia's [Trigonometric function](#) page.

35.6 Example

```
Const
  screen_width = 320;
  screen_height = 200;
  screen_border = 15;
End

Global
  float value;
End

Process Main()
Begin

  // Modes
  set_title("Cosine Graph");
  set_mode(screen_width,screen_height);

  // X axis
  for(x=1;x<=8;x++)
    write( 0,
           screen_border+x*(screen_width-screen_border)/8+3,
           screen_height-1,
           8,
           itoa(x*360/8)+"^" );
  end
  draw_line(1,screen_height-screen_border,screen_width,screen_height-screen_border);

  // Y axis
  write(0,screen_border-1,20,5,"1");
  write(0,screen_border-1,screen_height/2,5,"0");
  write(0,screen_border-1,screen_height-20,5,"-1");
  draw_line(screen_border,1,screen_border,screen_height-1);

  // Draw tangent
  for(angle=0;angle<360;angle++)
    value=cos(angle*1000)*(screen_height/2-20);
    put_pixel( screen_border+angle*(screen_width-screen_border)/360,
              screen_height/2-value,
              rgb(255,255,255) );
    // screen_height/2-value because the screen's origin (0,0) is topleft instead of downleft.
  end

Repeat
```

```
    frame;  
    Until (key(_ESC))
```

End

Used in example: [set_title\(\)](#), [set_mode\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [draw_line\(\)](#), [cos\(\)](#), [put_pixel\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

This will result in something like:

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36 Crypt decrypt

36.1 Definition

INT crypt_decrypt (<**INT POINTER** handle>, <**CHAR POINTER** in>, <**CHAR POINTER** out>, <**INT** blocks>,)

OR

INT crypt_decrypt (< **INT** method>, <**CHAR POINTER** key>, <**CHAR POINTER** in>, <**CHAR POINTER** out>, <**INT** blocks>,)

36.2 Description

Decrypt a selected data using a handle or creating a handle with the given method and key.

36.3 Parameters

- INT** method - Method to decrypt. may be CRYPT_DES or CRYPT_3DES
- INT POINTER** key - key used to the decryption.
- INT POINTER** handle - handle to use to decrypt.
- CHAR POINTER** in - data to encrypt.
- CHAR POINTER** out - pointer for where to write decrypted data.
- INT** blocks - length of the data to encrypt.

36.4 Returns

INT : Successrate

-1 - Error.

0 - Ok.

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37 Crypt del

37.1 Syntax

`INT crypt_del (<INT POINTER handle>)`

37.2 Description

Destroy a crypt handle.

37.3 Parameters

`INT POINTER handle` - handle to destroy.

37.4 Returns

`INT` : true

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38 Crypt encrypt

38.1 Syntax

INT crypt_encrypt (<**INT POINTER** handle>, <**CHAR POINTER** in>, <**CHAR POINTER** out>, <**INT** blocks>,)

OR

INT crypt_encrypt (< **INT** method>, <**CHAR POINTER** key>, <**CHAR POINTER** in>, <**CHAR POINTER** out>, <**INT** blocks>,)

38.2 Description

Encrypt a selected data using a handle or creating a handle with the given method and key.

38.3 Parameters

- INT** method - Method to encrypt. may be CRYPT_DES or CRYPT_3DES
- INT POINTER** key - key used to the encryption.
- INT POINTER** handle - handle to use to encrypt.
- CHAR POINTER** in - data to encrypt.
- CHAR POINTER** out - pointer for where to write encrypted data.
- INT** blocks - length of the data to encrypt.

38.4 Returns

INT : Successrate

-1 - Error.

0 - Ok.

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39 Crypt new

39.1 Syntax

INT POINTER crypt_new (<INT method> , <CHAR POINTER key>)

39.2 Description

Create a handle to start to encrypt information.

39.3 Parameters

INT method - Method to encrypt. may be CRYPT_DES or CRYPT_3DES

CHAR POINTER key - key used to the encryption.

39.4 Returns

INT POINTER : crypt handle identifier. It is 0 then the handle can not be created.

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40 Delete draw

40.1 Definition

INT delete_draw (<INT DrawID>)

Deletes a certain **drawing** from the screen.

40.2 Parameters

INT DrawID - **DrawID** of the **drawing** to be deleted.

40.3 Returns

INT : **true**

40.4 Notes

Delete_draw(0) deletes all drawings from the screen.

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41 Delete text

41.1 Definition

INT delete_text (<INT TextID>)

Deletes a certain **text** from the screen.

41.2 Parameters

INT TextID - **TextID** of the **text** to be deleted.

41.3 Returns

INT : **true**

41.4 Notes

Delete_text(ALL_TEXT) deletes all text from the screen.

41.5 Example

```
Program test;
Global
  my_text;
Begin
  my_text = write(0,320/2,200/2,4,"Press space to delete this.");
  Repeat
    if (key(_space))
      if(my_text>0)
        delete_text(my_text);
        my_text = 0;
      end
    end
  end
  Frame;
  Until(key(_esc))
End
```

Used in example: **write()**, **key()**, **textID**

This will result in something like:

[File>Delete text.jpg](#)

42 Draw box

42.1 Definition

INT draw_box (<INT x0> , <INT y0> , <INT x1> , <INT y1>)

Draws a filled rectangle with corners (x_0,y_0) , (x_0,y_1) , (x_1,y_0) and (x_1,y_1) .

42.2 Parameters

INT x0 - The x coordinate of one corner of the filled rectangle.

INT y0 - The y coordinate of one corner of the filled rectangle.

INT x1 - The x coordinate of the diagonally opposite corner of the filled rectangle.

INT y1 - The y coordinate of the diagonally opposite corner of the filled rectangle.

42.3 Returns

INT : DrawID

-1 - Error.

1 - If drawn after `drawing_map()`.

!-1&&!1 - The DrawID of the drawing created.

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43 Draw circle

43.1 Definition

INT draw_circle (<**INT** x> , <**INT** y> , <**INT** radius>)

Draws a non-filled circle with center $(x0,y0)$ and radius *radius*.

43.2 Parameters

INT x - The x coordinate of one center of the non-filled circle.

INT y - The y coordinate of one center of the non-filled circle.

INT radius - The radius of the non-filled circle.

43.3 Returns

INT : DrawID

-1 - Error.

1 - If drawn after `drawing_map()`.

!-1&&!1 - The DrawID of the drawing created.

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44 Draw curve

44.1 Definition

INT draw_curve (<**INT** x0> , <**INT** y0> , <**INT** x1> , <**INT** y1> , <**INT** x2> , <**INT** y2> , <**INT** x3> , <**INT** y3> , <**INT** smoothness>)

Draws a curve starting at the point (x_0, y_0) , ending at the point (x_1, y_1) and influenced by the points (x_2, y_2) and (x_3, y_3) with a certain level of smoothness.

44.2 Parameters

- INT** x0 - The x coordinate of the starting point of the curve.
- INT** y0 - The y coordinate of the starting point of the curve.
- INT** x1 - The x coordinate of the first influence point of the curve.
- INT** y1 - The y coordinate of the first influence point of the curve.
- INT** x2 - The x coordinate of the second influence point of the curve.
- INT** y2 - The y coordinate of the second influence point of the curve.
- INT** x3 - The x coordinate of the end point of the curve.
- INT** y3 - The y coordinate of the end point of the curve.

44.3 Returns

INT : DrawID

- 1 - Error.
- 1 - If drawn after `drawing_map()`.
- !-1&&!1 - The DrawID of the drawing created.

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45 Draw fcircle

45.1 Definition

INT draw_fcircle (<**INT** x> , <**INT** y> , <**INT** radius>)

Draws a filled circle with center $(x0,y0)$ and radius *radius*.

45.2 Parameters

INT x - The x coordinate of one center of the filled circle.

INT y - The y coordinate of one center of the filled circle.

INT radius - The radius of the filled circle.

45.3 Returns

INT : DrawID

-1 - Error.

1 - If drawn after `drawing_map()`.

!-1&&!1 - The DrawID of the drawing created.

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46 Draw line

46.1 Definition

INT draw_line(<INT x0> , <INT y0> , <INT x1> , <INT y1>)

Draws a line from point $(x0,y0)$ to point $(x1,y1)$.

46.2 Parameters

INT x0 - The x coordinate of one point of the line.

INT y0 - The y coordinate of one point of the line.

INT x1 - The x coordinate of the other point of the line.

INT y1 - The y coordinate of the other point of the line.

46.3 Returns

INT : DrawID

-1 - Error.

1 - If drawn after `drawing_map()`.

!-1&&!1 - The DrawID of the drawing created.

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47 Draw rect

47.1 Definition

INT draw_rect (<INT x0> , <INT y0> , <INT x1> , <INT y1>)

Draws a non-filled rectangle with corners $(x0,y0)$, $(x0,y1)$, $(x1,y0)$ and $(x1,y1)$.

47.2 Parameters

INT x0 - The x coordinate of one corner of the non-filled rectangle.

INT y0 - The y coordinate of one corner of the non-filled rectangle.

INT x1 - The x coordinate of the diagonally opposite corner of the non-filled rectangle.

INT y1 - The y coordinate of the diagonally opposite corner of the non-filled rectangle.

47.3 Returns

INT : DrawID

-1 - Error.

1 - If drawn after `drawing_map()`.

!-1&&!1 - The DrawID of the drawing created.

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48 Drawing alpha

48.1 Definition

INT drawing_alpha (<**INT** alpha >)

Tells **Bennu** to draw the coming **drawings** with a certain **alpha** value

Note: there currently is a 'bug' that makes drawing objects (draw commands with no map as target) have their alpha value altered too. This is to be changed.

48.2 Parameters

INT alpha - The alpha value to be drawn with.

48.3 Returns

INT : true

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49 Drawing color

49.1 Definition

INT drawing_color (<INT color>)

Tells **Bennu** to draw the coming **drawings** in a certain color.

49.2 Parameters

INT color - The color to be drawn in (see **rgb()**).

49.3 Returns

INT : true

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50 Drawing map

50.1 Definition

INT drawing_map (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID>)

Tells **Bennu** to draw the coming **drawings** on a certain **graphic**.

In order to draw with a certain z value again, **drawing_z()** can be used.

50.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the **graphic**.

INT graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to draw on.

50.3 Returns

INT : **true**

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51 Drawing stipple

51.1 Definition

INT drawing_stipple (<INT stipples>)

Tells **Bennu** which pixels to draw of the coming drawings.

This is done by passing a 32bit value, each bit representing a pixel. Bit 0 represents the first pixels drawn, bit 1 represents the second, etc. When a 33rd pixel is to be drawn or not, bit 0 is checked and the cycle starts over. This means a value of `0xFFFFFFFF` ($=2^{32}-1$) means normal operation, meaning all the pixels will be drawn.

Note that this works only for non-filled drawings. For `draw_curve()`, the pattern is not always visible for the higher smoothness levels.

51.2 Parameters

INT stipples - Which pixels to draw, repetitive 32bits.

51.3 Returns

INT : true

51.4 Example

```
Program example;
Private
// int draw_id;
Begin

    // Draw in background
    drawing_map(0,background);

    // Set stipplemode to display every other pixel.
    // binary code 0101 0101 0101 0101 0101 0101 0101
    // hex code 55555555h
    drawing_stipple(55555555h);

    // Draw two lines
    draw_line(10,10,190,10);
    draw_line(11,12,190,12);

    // Draw this funky pattern
    // binary code 0011 1100 0111 1100 1010 0001 1101 0011
    // hex code 3C7CA1D3h
    drawing_stipple(3C7CA1D3h);

    // Draw two lines
    draw_line(10,20,190,20);
    draw_line(11,22,190,22);

    // Draw a circle
    draw_circle(100,100,50);

    // Draw a rectangle
    draw_rect(50,50,150,150);

    // Draw some lines
    draw_line( 50, 50,100,150);
    draw_line(100,150,150, 50);
    draw_line( 50,150,100, 50);
    draw_line(100, 50,150,150);

    // Draw two curves: one with high smoothness (bit pattern not visible) and one with low smoothness
    draw_curve( 200,200,
                100,200,
                100,150,
                300,100,15);
    draw_curve( 200,200,
                100,200,
                100,150,
                300,100,1);

    // Draw a filled circle
    draw_fcircle(20,180,15);
```



```
// Draw a filled rectangle
draw_box(50,180,80,195);

// Wait for key ESC
Repeat
  frame;
Until(key(_ESC))
```

End

Used in example: [drawing_map\(\)](#), [draw_line\(\)](#), [draw_circle\(\)](#), [draw_rect\(\)](#), [draw_curve\(\)](#), [draw_fcircle\(\)](#), [draw_box\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

This will result in something like:

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52 Drawing z

52.1 Definition

INT drawing_z (<INT z>)

Tells **Bennu** to draw the coming **drawings** on a certain z value.

In order to draw on a certain **graphic** again, **drawing_map()** can be used.

52.2 Parameters

INT z - The z value to be drawn on.

52.3 Returns

INT : true

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53 Exec

53.1 Definition

INT exec (<**INT** mode> , <**STRING** executable>, <**INT** number_of_arguments> , <**STRING POINTER** arguments>)

Executes the specified executable with the specified arguments in the specified mode.

53.2 Parameters

- INT** mode - The mode to call the executable (`_P_WAIT/_P_NOWAIT`).
- STRING** executable - The executable to start.
- INT** number_of_arguments - The number of arguments given with *arguments*
- STRING POINTER** arguments - Pointer to an array of strings to be passed; *number_of_arguments* strings will be passed as arguments.

53.3 Returns

INT

- 1 - Error.
- mode==_P_WAIT: - The exit status of the executable.
- mode==_P_NOWAIT: - The process ID of the executable. This is **not** a `ProcessID`, it is a process ID of the operating system.

53.4 Notes

The mode parameter can be two things:

- `_P_WAIT` - Wait for the executable to exit.
- `_P_NOWAIT` - Do not wait for the executable to exit.

53.5 Example

Open file.txt in notepad:

```
import "mod_sys"

Process Main()
Private
    string arg;
Begin
    arg = "file.txt";
    exec(_P_NOWAIT, "notepad.exe", 1, &arg);
End
```

Used in example: `exec()`, `pointer`

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54 Exists

54.1 Definition

INT Exists (<INT processID|processTypeID>)

Checks if a **process** is alive, using its **processID** or checks if there is a process alive of a certain **processType**, using its **processTypeID**.

54.2 Parameters

INT processID|processTypeID - The ProcessID of the process or the ProcessTypeID of the type of processes to be checked.

54.3 Returns

INT : The result of the check

0 (false) - The process with given processID is not alive or there are no processes alive of the given processTypeID.

1 (true) - The process with given processID is alive or there is at least one process alive of the given processTypeID.

54.4 Example

```
import "mod_proc"
import "mod_say"

Process Main()
Begin

    Proc();

    if(exists(id))
        say("I exist! (id)");
    end

    if(exists(0))
        say("0 exists!");
    else
        say("0 doesn't exist!");
    end

    if(exists(type proc))
        say("1- Proc exists!");
    else
        say("1- Proc doesn't exist!");
    end

    let_me_alone();

    if(exists(type proc))
        say("2- Proc exists!");
    else
        say("2- Proc doesn't exist!");
    end

End

Process Proc()
Begin
    Loop
        frame;
    End
End
```

Used in example: **exists()**, **say()**, **let_me_alone()**

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55 Exit

55.1 Definition

INT exit ([<**STRING** message>] , [<**INT** code>])

Exits the program. It can optionally pass a message or an error code thing.

55.2 Parameters

[**STRING** message] - A message to pass outside the program as it exits.

[**INT** code] - A code to pass outside the program as it exits.

55.3 Returns

INT : true

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56 Fade

56.1 Definition

INT fade (<INT red> , <INT green> , <INT blue> , <INT speed>)

Fades the screen from the current setting to the specified setting (*red,green,blue*) at the specified speed.

56.2 Parameters

- INT** red - Amount of red shown from 0 to 200. 100 is normal.
- INT** green - Amount of red shown from 0 to 200. 100 is normal.
- INT** blue - Amount of red shown from 0 to 200. 100 is normal.
- INT** speed - The speed of the fade from 1 to 64.

56.3 Returns

INT : true

56.4 Notes

Standard RGB combinations:

- (*R,G,B*) - *Description*
- (0,0,0) - Black out.
- (100,100,100) - Normal.
- (200,200,200) - White out.

The number of frames the fading will take can be calculated like this:

```
frames = roundup( 64 / speed )
speed = roundup( 64 / frames )
```

So:

- Speed* - *Description*
- <0 - Takes 1 frame.
- 0 - Pointless.
- 1 - Takes 64 frames.
- 2 - Takes 32 frames.
- 3 - Takes 22 frames.
- >=64 - Takes 1 frame.

See also [fade_on\(\)](#) and [fade_off\(\)](#).

57 Fade off

57.1 Definition

INT `fade_off ()`

Fades the screen from the current setting to black out.

This call is equivalent to `fade(0, 0, 0, 16)`.

57.2 Returns

INT : `true`

58 Fade on

58.1 Definition

INT `fade_on ()`

Fades the screen from the current setting to normal.

This call is equivalent to `fade (100, 100, 100, 16)`.

58.2 Returns

INT : `true`

59 Fclose

59.1 Definition

INT fclose (<INT filehandle>)

Unloads a file previously loaded with `fopen()`.

59.2 Parameters

INT filehandle - The `FileHandle` of the file returned by `fopen()`.

59.3 Returns

INT: true

59.4 Example

```
Process loadthing (STRING loadpath);
Private
    int handle; // handle for the loaded file
    int druppels; // here's where the loaded data go
Begin
    handle=fopen(loadpath,O_READ); // opens the file in reading mode
    fread(handle,druppels); // reads from the file and puts the data in druppels
    fclose(handle); // zipping up after business is done
    write(0,0,0,0,druppels); // shows the value of druppels
End
```

Used in example: `fopen()`, `fread()`, `write()`

60 Feof

60.1 Definition

INT feof (<INT filehandle>)

Checks if the end of a certain file is reached.

60.2 Parameters

INT filehandle - The [FileHandle](#) of the file returned by [fopen\(\)](#).

60.3 Returns

INT: [true/false](#): Whether the end of the specified file is reached.

61 Fexists

61.1 Syntax

INT fexists (<**STRING** filename >)

61.2 Description

Checks if a certain file exists.

Also called `file_exists()`.

61.3 Parameters

STRING filename - The file to be checked for existence, including a possible path.

61.4 Returns

INT : `true/false`: the existence of the file.

`true` - The specified file exists.

`false` - The specified file doesn't exist.

61.5 Example

```
import "mod_file"
import "mod_say"

Process Main()
Begin

    say("> C:\Windows\notepad.exe > " + fexists("C:\Windows\notepad.exe")); // A filename with
                                        // absolute path
    say("> SDL.dll > " + fexists("SDL.dll")); // A filename without a path
    say("> SomeNonExistingFile > " + fexists("SomeNonExistingFile")); // A nonexisting file

End
```

Used in example: `say()`, `fexists()`

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62 Fget angle

62.1 Definition

INT fget_angle (<INT pointA-X> , <INT pointA-Y> , <INT pointB-X> , <INT pointB-Y>)

Returns the **angle** between two certain points. The returned angle will be ranging from 0 to 360000 (0-360°).

62.2 Parameters

INT pointA-X - The X-coordinate of point A.

INT pointA-Y - The Y-coordinate of point A.

INT pointB-X - The X-coordinate of point B.

INT pointB-Y - The Y-coordinate of point B.

62.3 Returns

INT : The angle between point A and point B.

62.4 Notes

The **angle** value returned by this function is in thousandths of degrees, as most angles within **Bennu** are.

62.5 Example

```
Const
    screen_width      = 320;
    screen_height     = 200;
    screen_depth      = 8;
    screen_fps        = 60;
    screen_frameskip  = 0;
End

Global
    int distance;
    int tempID;
End

Process Main()
Begin

    // Set the screen mode
    set_mode(screen_width,screen_height,screen_depth);
    set_fps(screen_fps,screen_frameskip);

    // Change this to see what happens
    resolution = 100;

    // Create mouse graph, assign to mouse.graph
    mouse.graph = new_map(20,20,screen_depth);
    map_clear(0,mouse.graph,rgb(255,0,0));

    // Create arrow, assign to graph
    graph = new_map(30,30,screen_depth);
    drawing_map(0,graph);
    drawing_color(rgb(0,255,0));
    draw_line( 0,29,29,30/2);
    draw_line( 0, 0,30,30/2);

    // Set position
    x = screen_width /2 * resolution;
    y = screen_height/2 * resolution;

    // Display distance
    write(0,0,0,0,"Distance:");
    write_int(0,60,0,0,&distance);

    // Always point to the mouse
    Repeat
        // Get the angle and distance between this process' coordinates and those of the mouse.
        angle = fget_angle(x,y,mouse.x*resolution,mouse.y*resolution);
        distance = fget_dist (x,y,mouse.x*resolution,mouse.y*resolution);
```

```
    frame;  
    Until(key(_esc))
```

End

Used in example: `set_mode()`, `new_map()`, `map_clear()`, `drawing_map()`, `drawing_color()`, `draw_line()`, `write()`, `write_int()`, **`fget_angle()`**, `fget_dist()`, `resolution`, `mouse`, `graph`, `x`, `y`, `angle`

This example could also be done with `get_angle()`, but that would be more work.

It could look something like:

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63 Fget dist

63.1 Definition

INT fget_dist (<**INT** pointA-X> , <**INT** pointA-Y> , <**INT** pointB-X> , <**INT** pointB-Y>)

Returns the distance between two certain points.

63.2 Parameters

INT pointA-X - The X-coordinate of point A.

INT pointA-Y - The Y-coordinate of point A.

INT pointB-X - The X-coordinate of point B.

INT pointB-Y - The Y-coordinate of point B.

63.3 Returns

INT : The distance between point A and point B.

63.4 Example

```
Program angling;
Const
    screen_width    = 320;
    screen_height   = 200;
    screen_depth    = 8;
    screen_fps      = 60;
    screen_frameskip = 0;
Global
    int distance;
    int tempID;
Begin

    // Set the screen mode
    set_mode(screen_width,screen_height,screen_depth);
    set_fps(screen_fps,screen_frameskip);

    // Change this to see what happens
    resolution = 100;

    // Create mouse graph, assign to mouse.graph
    mouse.graph = new_map(20,20,screen_depth);
    map_clear(0,mouse.graph,rgb(255,0,0));

    // Create arrow, assign to graph
    graph = new_map(30,30,screen_depth);
    drawing_map(0,graph);
    drawing_color(rgb(0,255,0));
    draw_line( 0,29,29,30/2);
    draw_line( 0, 0,30,30/2);

    // Set position
    x = screen_width /2 * resolution;
    y = screen_height/2 * resolution;

    // Display distance
    write(0,0,0,0,"Distance:");
    write_int(0,60,0,0,&distance);

    // Always point to the mouse
    Repeat
        // Get the angle and distance between this process' coordinates and those of the mouse.
        angle = fget_angle(x,y,mouse.x*resolution,mouse.y*resolution);
        distance = fget_dist (x,y,mouse.x*resolution,mouse.y*resolution);
        frame;
    Until(key(_esc))

End
```

Used in example: `set_mode()`, `new_map()`, `map_clear()`, `drawing_map()`, `drawing_color()`, `draw_line()`, `write()`, `write_int()`, `fget_angle()`, `fget_dist()`, `resolution`, `mouse`, `graph`, `x`, `y`, `angle`

This example could also be done with `get_dist()`, but that would be more work. It also gives a much less accurate distance when the `resolution` is >1.

Resolution is 100:

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64 Fgets

64.1 Definition

STRING fgets (<INT filehandle>)

Reads a line from a certain file and returns it. Subsequent calls will return the next line, until the end of the file is reached.

64.2 Parameters

INT filehandle - The [FileHandle](#) of the file returned by [fopen\(\)](#).

64.3 Returns

STRING: The line read.

64.4 Notes

The returned string normally does not contain the '\n' or '\r','\n' charactersets.

When a line ends with the character '\', the next line will be joined with the current one, changing the '\' character to a '\n' character.

65 Find

65.1 Definition

INT find (<**STRING** str> , <**STRING** searchstring> , [**INT** startposition])

Returns the position of the firstly found appearance of a *searchstring* in *str* or -1 if not found. The starting position can be specified optionally.

65.2 Parameters

- STRING** str - The string in which to search.
- STRING** searchstring - The string to search for.
- INT** startposition - The position at which to start searching. Default is 0.

65.3 Returns

INT : The position of the firstly found appearance of *searchstring* in *str* or -1 if not found.

65.4 Notes

A first character of a string is at position 0.

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66 Flength

66.1 Definition

INT flength (<**INT** filehandle >)

Gives back the size of a certain file.

66.2 Parameters

INT filehandle - The [FileHandle](#) of the file returned by [fopen\(\)](#).

66.3 Returns

INT: The size of the file in bytes.

67 Fnt load

67.1 Definition

INT fnt_load (<**STRING** filename>)

Loads a **FNT** file into memory as a **font**. A font is usually with the extension *.fnt*.

Also called `load_fnt()`.

67.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The filename of the **FNT** file that you wish to load (including extension and possible path).

67.3 Returns

INT : **FontID**

-1 - Error: file does not exist.

0 - Filename could not be obtained from the specified string (doesn't happen usually).

>0 - The **FontID**.

67.4 Errors

Format not recognized - The format of the specified file could not be recognized.

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68 Fnt new

68.1 Definition

INT fnt_new (<**INT** depth>)

Creates a new **font** with a certain color depth.

Also called **new_fnt()**.

68.2 Parameters

STRING depth - The color depth of the **glyphs** of the font.

68.3 Returns

INT : **FontID**

-1 - Error: could not create **font**.

>=0 - The **FontID**.

68.4 Errors

Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often.

Too many fonts - There are too many fonts loaded (255).

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69 Fnt save

69.1 Definition

INT fnt_save (<**INT** fontID> , <**STRING** filename>)

Saves a **font** as a file. A font is usually with the extension ".fnt".

If the specified filename contains no extension, ".fnt" is added to it.

Also called **save_fnt()**.

69.2 Parameters

INT fontID - The **fontID** of the **font** to be saved.

STRING filename - The name of the font file to be saved, including a possible path.

69.3 Returns

INT : Successrate

false - Filename could not be obtained from the specified string (doesn't happen usually) or one of the **errors**.

true - Font successfully saved.

69.4 Errors

Invalid fontID - The specified **fontID** was invalid.

Unable to create file - The file could not be created.

Font corrupt - The font trying to be saved is corrupt.

Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often.

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70 Fnt unload

70.1 Definition

INT fnt_unload (<INT fontID>)

Unloads the specified font from memory.

Also called `unload_fnt()`.

70.2 Parameters

INT fontID - The fontID of the file to unload.

70.3 Returns

INT : false

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71 Fopen

71.1 Definition

INT fopen (<STRING filename> , <INT mode>)

Opens a file on the hard drive for reading or writing.

71.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The filename of the file you wish to open (including extension and possible path).

INT mode - The mode with which to access the file (see [Readwrite_modes](#)).

71.3 Returns

INT : [FileHandle](#)

0 - Could not load.

!0 - The identifier of the file now opened for reading/writing.

71.4 Example

```
Process loadthing (STRING loadpath);
Private
    int handle; // handle for the loaded file
    int druppels; // here's where the loaded data go
Begin

    handle=fopen(loadpath,O_READ); // opens the file in reading mode
    fread(handle,druppels); // reads from the file and puts the data in druppels
    fclose(handle); // zipping up after business is done
    write(0,0,0,0,druppels); // shows the value of druppels

End
```

Used in example: [fread\(\)](#), [fclose\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#)

72 Fpg add

72.1 Definition

INT fpg_add (<**INT** destFileID> , <**INT** destGraphID> , <**INT** origFileID> , <**INT** origGraphID>)

Copies a certain **graphic** in a certain **file** to a certain file with a certain **graphID**.

72.2 Parameters

- INT** destFileID - The **fileID** of the destination **file**.
- INT** destGraphID - The **graphID** in the destination file where to add the **graphic**.
- INT** origFileID - The **fileID** of the original file where the graphic is located.
- INT** origGraphID - The **graphID** of the graphic to add.

72.3 Returns

INT : **graphID**

- 1 - Invalid destination file or graphID.
- 0 - Invalid original file or graphID.
- >0 - The GraphID of the destination graphic.

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73 Fpg exists

73.1 Definition

INT fpg_exists (<INT FileID>)

Checks if an FPG exists with the specified FileID.

73.2 Parameters

INT FileID - The FileID of the File to check for existence.

73.3 Returns

INT : Whether the File exists

false - The specified File does not exist.

true - The specified File exists.

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74 Fpg load

74.1 Definition

INT fpg_load (<**STRING** filename >)

Loads a graphics library into your program.

This function loads the whole contents of an **FPG** graphics library into your project, enabling the contained **graphics** to be used in your program as **process**' graphs, screen backgrounds (**put_screen()**) or other graphics.

Also called **load_fpg()**.

74.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The filename of the FPG that you wish to load (including extension and possible path).

74.3 Returns

INT : **FileID**

-1 - The specified archive could not be loaded.

>=0 - The **FileID** assigned to the archive.

74.4 Errors

Archive not found - The specified archive could not be found.

74.5 Notes

Using an FPG file to contain all or some of the graphics used in a Benu program is convenient, but isn't always the best way to load graphics. Other methods of loading graphics into your program include **load_map()** and **load_png()** which load individual graphic files. Graphics loaded individually will be given **FileID** 0 and a **GraphID** starting at 1000. This is because **mod_map** reserves room for the first FPG loaded (FPG files can contain 999 different graphics max.), sometimes referred to as the **system file** or **environment file**.

The first FPG file loaded using **mod_map** returns and uses the **FileID** 0, which is reserved by **mod_map** for use as the **system file**. All extra FPG files loaded will have a different **FileID**, progressing from 1 upwards.

An FPG file holds all its contained graphs in memory simultaneously. Having a lot of large graphs being read from a single FPG file at once has been known to cause a slowdown.

Once an FPG file is no longer necessary to be held in the memory, its memory space can be released by using the function **unload_fpg()**. It is not necessary to unload files at the termination of a program, as Benu always releases all used memory at the end of program execution.

74.6 Example

```
Program example;
Global
  int my_fpg;
Begin
  my_fpg=load_fpg("test.fpg"); //Loads the FPG file into memory
  put_screen(my_fpg,1); //Puts graphic with code 1 onto screen
  Repeat
    frame;
  Until(key(_esc))
  unload_fpg(my_fpg);
End
```

Used in example: **put_screen()**, **unload_fpg()**

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75 Fpg new

75.1 Definition

INT fpg_new ()

Creates and initializes a new file.

To add graphics to the created file, use the returned fileID in the function fpg_add(). The file can be saved with fpg_save(). To free a file, use fpg_unload().

Also called new_fpg().

75.2 Returns

INT : fileID

-1 - Too many files or insufficient memory.

>=0 - The fileID of the new file.

75.3 Errors

Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often.

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76 Fpg save

76.1 Definition

INT fpg_save(<**INT** fileID> , <**STRING** filename>)

Saves a certain **file** to disk.

Also called **save_fpg()**.

76.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** to save.

STRING filename - The name of the **file** to be saved, including a possible **path**.

76.3 Returns

INT : Success

false - Invalid **fileID** or filename; The errors under **Errors**.

true - Success.

76.4 Errors

Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often.

Empty library - The specified **file** contains no **graphics**.

Unsupported color depth - A **graphic** in the specified **file** has an unsupported color depth.

Differing color depths - An **FPG** can't hold **graphics** of different color depths.

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77 Fpg unload

77.1 Definition

INT fpg_unload (<**INT** fileID >)

Unloads a certain **file** from memory.

Also called **unload_fpg()**.

77.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** to unload.

77.3 Returns

INT : **true**

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78 Fputs

78.1 Definition

INT fputs (<**INT** filehandle> , <**STRING** line>)

Writes a line to a certain file.

78.2 Parameters

INT filehandle - The [FileHandle](#) of the file returned by [fopen\(\)](#).

78.3 Returns

INT: Number of bytes written.

0 - There was an error.

>0 - Number of bytes written.

78.4 Notes

The character '\ ' will be put in front of every newline character, so that [fgets\(\)](#) reads the lines like they were written.

79 Fread

79.1 Definition

INT fread (<**INT** filehandle> , <**VARSPACE** data>)

INT fread (<**VOID POINTER** data> , <**INT** length> , <**INT** filehandle>)

Reads the information from a file loaded with `fopen()` to a variable.

79.2 Parameters

INT filehandle - The `FileHandle` of the file returned by `fopen()`.

VARSPACE data - The data to read from the file (any type of variable). It will be loaded into this variable.

79.3 Returns

INT : The number of bytes read from the file.

79.4 Example

```
Process loadthing (STRING loadpath);
Private
    int handle; // handle for the loaded file
    int druppels; // here's where the loaded data go
Begin
    handle=fopen(loadpath,O_READ); // opens the file in reading mode
    fread(handle,druppels); // reads from the file and puts the data in druppels
    fclose(handle); // zipping up after business is done
    write(0,0,0,0,druppels); // shows the value of druppels
End
```

Used in example: `fopen()`, `fclose()`, `write()`

80 Free

80.1 Definition

INT free (<VOID POINTER data>)

Frees a block of memory.

The pointer used must be a pointer to a previously allocated block of memory, else the behavior of free() is undefined.

80.2 Parameters

VOID POINTER data - Pointer to the block of memory to be freed.

80.3 Returns

INT : true

80.4 Example

```
Program example;
Private
  byte pointer pbyte;
  word pointer pword;
  int pointer pint;
  int elements = 10;
  int i;
Begin

  // Allocate memory
  pbyte = alloc(elements);
  pword = alloc(elements*sizeof(word));
  pint = alloc(elements*sizeof(int));

  // Reset memory to 0's
  memset (pbyte,0,elements);
  memsetw(pword,0,elements); // same as memset(pword,0,elements*sizeof(word));
  // because value-parameter is 0.
  memset (pint ,0,elements*sizeof(int)); // There isn't a "memseti()", so we need to
  // set the individual bytes to 0. To change
  // ints to nonzero values, memset() can't be
  // used easily

  // Write numbers to bytes and ints
  for(i=0; i<elements; i++)
    pbyte[i] = 133; // pbyte[i] is the same as *(pbyte+i)
    *(pint+i) = 4555; // pint[i] is the same as *(pint+i)
  end

  // Write numbers to words
  memsetw(pword,345,elements);

  // Show numbers
  for(i=0; i<elements; i++)
    say("byte["+i+"] = " + *(pbyte+i));
    say("word["+i+"] = " + pword[i]);
    say("int ["+i+"] = " + pint[i]);
  end

Repeat
  frame;
Until(key(_esc))

  // Free the used memory
  free(pbyte);
  free(pword);
  free(pint);

End
```

Used in example: [alloc\(\)](#), [memset\(\)](#), [memsetw\(\)](#), [sizeof\(\)](#), [say\(\)](#), [free\(\)](#), [pointer](#)

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81 Fseek

81.1 Definition

INT fseek (<INT filehandle> , <INT position> , <INT seek_mode>)

Sets the byte offset (reading position) of a certain file. This means where a function will start reading in that file.

81.2 Parameters

- INT** filehandle - The [FileHandle](#) of the file returned by [fopen\(\)](#).
- INT** position - Number of bytes from the point indicated by *seek_mode*.
- INT** seek_mode - Set the offset relative to a certain point (see [seek modes](#)).

81.3 Returns

INT: The new reading position.

82 Ftell

82.1 Definition

INT ftell (<INT filehandle>)

Returns the current reading position of a certain file.

The reading position can be altered by [fseek\(\)](#).

82.2 Parameters

INT filehandle - The [FileHandle](#) of the file returned by [fopen\(\)](#).

82.3 Returns

INT: The current reading position of the specified file.

83 Ftime

83.1 Syntax

STRING ftime (<**STRING** format> , <**INT** time>)

83.2 Description

Puts a certain time in a certain format.

It returns the specified **string**, with certain keywords replaced with their corresponding values, according to the specified time (see **Notes**). The current time is fetched by use of the **function** `time()`.

83.3 Parameters

STRING format - The format wanted.

INT time - The time to be put in the formatted string.

83.4 Returns

STRING : The formatted string.

83.5 Notes

A list of keywords:

Keyword - Replaced by

- %a - the locale's abbreviated weekday name.
- %A - the locale's full weekday name.
- %b - the locale's abbreviated month name.
- %B - the locale's full month name.
- %c - the locale's appropriate date and time representation.
- %C - the century number (the year divided by 100 and truncated to an integer) as a decimal number [00,99].
- %d - the day of the month as a decimal number [01,31].
- %D - the same as %m/%d/%y.
- %e - the day of the month as a decimal number [1,31]; a single digit is preceded by a space.
- %h - the same as %b.
- %H - the hour (24-hour clock) as a decimal number [00,23].
- %I - the hour (12-hour clock) as a decimal number [01,12].
- %j - the day of the year as a decimal number [001,366].
- %m - the month as a decimal number [01,12].
- %M - the minute as a decimal number [00,59].
- %n - a newline character.
- %p - the locale's equivalent of either a.m. or p.m.
- %r - the time in a.m. and p.m. notation; in the POSIX locale this is equivalent to %l:%M:%S %p.
- %R - the time in 24 hour notation (%H:%M).
- %S - the second as a decimal number [00,61].
- %t - a tab character.
- %T - the time (%H:%M:%S).
- %u - the weekday as a decimal number [1,7], with 1 representing Monday.
- %U - the week number of the year (Sunday as the first day of the week) as a decimal number [00,53].
- %V - the week number of the year (Monday as the first day of the week) as a decimal number [01,53]. If the week containing 1 January has four or more days in the new year, then it is considered week 1. Otherwise, it is the last week of the previous year, and the next week is week 1.
- %w - the weekday as a decimal number [0,6], with 0 representing Sunday.
- %W - the week number of the year (Monday as the first day of the week) as a decimal number [00,53]. All days in a new year preceding the first Monday are considered to be in week 0.

%x - the locale's appropriate date representation.
%X - the locale's appropriate time representation.
%y - the year without century as a decimal number [00,99].
%Y - the year with century as a decimal number.
%Z - the timezone name or abbreviation, or by no bytes if no timezone information exists.
%% - %.

83.6 Example

```
import "mod_timer"  
import "mod_time"  
import "mod_text"  
import "mod_key"  
  
Process Main()  
Private  
    String timestring; // The string holding the formatted time  
Begin  
  
    write_string(0,0,0,0,&timestring); // Display the timestring  
    timer = 100; // Make it so it updates the timestring immediately  
  
    Repeat  
        if(timer>100) // Update the timestring every 1 second  
            timer = 0;  
            timestring = ftime("%d-%m-%Y %H:%M:%S",time());  
        end  
        frame;  
    Until(key(_esc))  
  
End
```

Used in example: [write_string\(\)](#), [time\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [timer](#)

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84 Ftoa

84.1 Definition

STRING ftoa (<FLOAT value>)

Returns a [string](#) containing a certain [float](#) value.

84.2 Parameters

FLOAT value - The value the returned string will contain.

84.3 Returns

STRING : The string containing the specified value, including sign and decimal point.

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85 Function:File

Up to Files Functions

85.1 Syntax

STRING file (<**STRING** filename>)

85.2 Description

Returns the whole contents of a certain file.

85.3 Parameters

STRING filename - The filename of the file you wish to read from (including extension and possible path).

85.4 Returns

STRING: The contents of the file.

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86 Fwrite

86.1 Definition

INT fwrite (<INT filehandle> , <VARSPACE data>)

Writes data to a file loaded with `fopen`.

86.2 Parameters

INT filehandle - Identifier of the file loaded with `fopen`.

VARSPACE data - The data to write to the file (any type of variable).

86.3 Returns

INT : The number of bytes written to the file.

86.4 Example

```
Process writething(String loadpath);
Private
    handle; // handle for the loaded file
    druppels; // the data to write to the file
Begin
    druppels=rand(1,10);

    handle=fopen(loadpath,O_WRITE); // opens the file in writing mode
    fwrite(handle,druppels); // writes the druppels variable to the file
    fclose(handle); // zipping up after business is done
End
```

Used in example: `fopen()`, `fclose()`, `rand()`

87 Get angle

87.1 Definition

INT get_angle (<INT processID>)

Returns the **angle** between the coordinates of a certain **process** and the process calling **get_angle()**.

87.2 Parameters

INT processID - The other **process**.

87.3 Returns

INT : The wanted **angle**.

-1 - An error *may* have occurred: invalid **process**.

!-1 - The wanted **angle**.

87.4 Example

```
Program angling;
Const
  screen_width    = 320;
  screen_height   = 200;
  screen_depth    = 8;
  screen_fps      = 60;
  screen_frameskip = 0;
Global
  int distance;
  int tempID;
Begin

  // Set the screen mode
  set_mode(screen_width,screen_height,screen_depth);
  set_fps(screen_fps,screen_frameskip);

  // Change this to see what happens
  resolution = 100;

  // Create mouse graph and start mousepointer
  x = new_map(20,20,screen_depth);
  map_clear(0,x,rgb(255,0,0));
  mousepointer(0,x);

  // Create arrow, assign to graph
  graph = new_map(30,30,screen_depth);
  drawing_map(0,graph);
  drawing_color(rgb(0,255,0));
  draw_line( 0,29,29,30/2);
  draw_line( 0, 0,30,30/2);

  // Set position
  x = screen_width /2 * resolution;
  y = screen_height/2 * resolution;

  // Display distance
  write(0,0,0,0,"Distance:");
  write_int(0,60,0,0,&distance);

  // Always point to the mouse
  Repeat
    // Get the angle and distance between this process' coordinates and those of mousegraph.
    // We can use TYPE and get_id() here, because usually there would only be one
    // mousepointer and one always.
    tempID = get_id(type mousepointer);
    angle = get_angle(tempID);
    distance = get_dist(tempID);
    frame;
  Until(key(_esc))

End

/**
 * Follows the mouse coordinates. x is always mouse.x and y is always mouse.y
 * for processes with priority <1. The graphic of this process will be a certain graphic.
```



```

* int file      - The fileID of the file where the graphic is located
* int graph     - The graphID of the graphic to be used for this process
*/
Process mousepointer(int file,int graph)
Begin
    // Set the priority to 1, because we first want to have the correct coordinates of
    // the mouse set in this process. Then after that other process can use those coordinates.
    priority = 1;
    // Obtain father's resolution
    resolution = father.resolution;
    // Loop
    Loop
        // Obtain X and Y coordinates of the mouse and adjust for resolution
        // (mouse.x and mouse.y have an unchangeable resolution of 1)
        x = mouse.x * resolution;
        y = mouse.y * resolution;
        frame;
    End
End

```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [drawing_map\(\)](#), [drawing_color\(\)](#), [draw_line\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [get_id\(\)](#), [get_angle\(\)](#), [get_dist\(\)](#), [resolution](#), [mouse](#), [graph](#), [x](#), [y](#), [angle](#), [priority](#)

This example could also be done with [fget_angle\(\)](#), which is easier and doesn't require an extra process.

It could look something like:

http://wwwhome.cs.utwente.nl/~bergfi/fenix/wiki/get_angle.PNG

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88 Get desktop size

88.1 Syntax

`INT get_desktop_size (<INT POINTER width>, <INT POINTER height>)`

88.2 Description

Get the desktop size.

88.3 Parameters

`INT POINTER width` - Pointer to where the desktop width will be written.

`INT POINTER height` - Pointer to where the desktop height will be written.

88.4 Returns

`INT` : Successrate

`false` - Error.

`true` - Ok.

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89 Get dist

89.1 Definition

INT get_dist (<INT processID>)

Returns the distance between the coordinates of a certain **process** and the process calling **get_dist()**. The distance returned is converted to the **resolution** of the process calling **get_dist()**.

89.2 Parameters

INT processID - The other **process**.

89.3 Returns

INT : The wanted distance.

-1 - An error occurred: invalid **process**.

!-1 - The wanted distance.

89.4 Example

```
Program angling;
Const
  screen_width    = 320;
  screen_height   = 200;
  screen_depth    = 8;
  screen_fps      = 60;
  screen_frameskip = 0;
Global
  int distance;
  int tempID;
Begin

  // Set the screen mode
  set_mode(screen_width,screen_height,screen_depth);
  set_fps(screen_fps,screen_frameskip);

  // Change this to see what happens
  resolution = 100;

  // Create mouse graph and start mousepointer
  x = new_map(20,20,screen_depth);
  map_clear(0,x,rgb(255,0,0));
  mousepointer(0,x);

  // Create arrow, assign to graph
  graph = new_map(30,30,screen_depth);
  drawing_map(0,graph);
  drawing_color(rgb(0,255,0));
  draw_line( 0,29,29,30/2);
  draw_line( 0, 0,30,30/2);

  // Set position
  x = screen_width /2 * resolution;
  y = screen_height/2 * resolution;

  // Display distance
  write(0,0,0,0,"Distance:");
  write_int(0,60,0,0,&distance);

  // Always point to the mouse
  Repeat
    // Get the angle and distance between this process' coordinates and those of mousegraph.
    // We can use TYPE and get_id() here, because usually there would only be one
    // mousepointer and one always.
    tempID = get_id(type mousepointer);
    angle = get_angle(tempID);
    distance = get_dist(tempID);
    frame;
  Until(key(_esc))

End

/**
 * Follows the mouse coordinates. x is always mouse.x and y is always mouse.y
```

```

* for processes with priority <1. The graphic of this process will be a certain graphic.
* int file      - The fileID of the file where the graphic is located
* int graph     - The graphID of the graphic to be used for this process
*/
Process mousepointer(int file,int graph)
Begin
  // Set the priority to 1, because we first want to have the correct coordinates of
  // the mouse set in this process. Then after that other process can use those coordinates.
  priority = 1;
  // Obtain father's resolution
  resolution = father.resolution;
  // Loop
  Loop
    // Obtain X and Y coordinates of the mouse and adjust for resolution
    // (mouse.x and mouse.y have an unchangeable resolution of 1)
    x = mouse.x * resolution;
    y = mouse.y * resolution;
    frame;
  End
End
End

```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [drawing_map\(\)](#), [drawing_color\(\)](#), [draw_line\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [get_id\(\)](#), [get_angle\(\)](#), [get_dist\(\)](#), [resolution](#), [mouse](#), [graph](#), [x](#), [y](#), [angle](#), [priority](#)

This example could also be done with [fget_dist\(\)](#), which is easier and doesn't require an extra [process](#). It also give a much more accurate distance when the [resolution](#) is >1.

Resolution is 100:

http://wwwhome.cs.utwente.nl/~bergfi/phenix/wiki/get_angle.PNG VS http://wwwhome.cs.utwente.nl/~bergfi/phenix/wiki/fget_angle.PNG
[get_angle\(\)](#) and [get_dist\(\)](#) with a process [fget_angle\(\)](#) and [fget_dist\(\)](#)
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90 Get distx

90.1 Definition

`INT get_distx (<INT angle> , <INT distance>)`

Returns the horizontal distance in pixels of a specified displacement.

This is the same as `cos (angle) * distance`.

90.2 Parameters

`INT angle` - Angle, in thousandths of degrees (90° = 90000).

`INT distance` - Length (in pixels) to measure.

90.3 Returns

`INT` : The horizontal distance, in pixels, of a specified displacement.

90.4 Notes

This function returns the width of an imaginary rectangle who's opposite corners are the specified distance apart, at the specified `angle` from each other.

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90.5 Example

```
Global
  xdist;
  ydist;
  dist;
  ang;
  mydraw;
End

Process Main()
Begin

  set_mode(640,480,16);
  set_fps(50,0);
  graph = new_map(3,3,16);
  map_clear(0,graph,rgb(0,255,0));
  x = 320;
  y = 240;

  set_text_color(rgb(0,0,0));
  write(0,60,0,2,"X Diff: ");
  write_int(0,60,0,0,&xdist);
  write(0,60,10,2,"Y Diff: ");
  write_int(0,60,10,0,&ydist);
  write(0,60,20,2,"Angle: ");
  write_int(0,60,20,0,&ang);
  write(0,60,30,2,"Distance: ");
  write_int(0,60,30,0,&dist);

  write(0,10,40,0,"Left/right rotates your angle, up/down changes your distance");

  put(0,graph,x,y);
  drawing_background();

  repeat
    if(key(_up))
      dist++;
    end

    if(key(_down))
      dist--;
    end

    if(key(_left))
      ang-=1000;
    end
  end
End
```

```

    if(key(_right))
        ang+=1000;
    end

    xdist = get_distx(ang,dist);
    ydist = get_disty(ang,dist);

    x = 320 + xdist;
    y = 240 + ydist;

    frame;

until(key(_esc))

let_me_alone();
exit();

End

Process drawing_background()
Begin
graph = new_map(640,480,16);
set_ceter (0,graph,0,0);
map_clear (0,graph,rgb(64,0,0));
drawing_map (0,graph);
drawing_color(rgb(0,0,0));
loop
map_clear(0,graph,rgb(255,255,255));
mydraw = draw_line(320,240,father.x,father.y);
frame;
delete_draw(mydraw);
end
OnExit
unload_map(0,graph);
End

```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [set_fps\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [set_text_color\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [put\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [get_distx\(\)](#), [get_disty\(\)](#), [let_me_alone\(\)](#), [exit\(\)](#), [set_center\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [rgb\(\)](#), [drawing_map\(\)](#), [drawing_color\(\)](#), [draw_line\(\)](#), [delete_draw\(\)](#), [unload_map\(\)](#)

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91 Get disty

91.1 Definition

INT get_disty (<INT angle> , <INT distance>)

Returns the vertical distance in pixels of a specified displacement.

This is the same as $-\sin(\text{angle}) * \text{distance}$.

91.2 Parameters

INT angle - Angle, in thousandths of degrees (90° = 90000).

INT distance - Length (in pixels) to measure.

91.3 Returns

INT : The vertical distance, in pixels, of a specified displacement.

91.4 Notes

This function returns the height of an imaginary rectangle who's opposite corners are the specified distance apart, at the specified angle from each other.

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91.5 Example

```
Global
  xdist;
  ydist;
  dist;
  ang;
  mydraw;
End

Process Main()
Begin

  set_mode(640,480,16);
  set_fps(50,0);
  graph = new_map(3,3,16);
  map_clear(0,graph,rgb(0,255,0));
  x = 320;
  y = 240;

  set_text_color(rgb(0,0,0));
  write(0,60,0,2,"X Diff: ");
  write_int(0,60,0,0,&xdist);
  write(0,60,10,2,"Y Diff: ");
  write_int(0,60,10,0,&ydist);
  write(0,60,20,2,"Angle: ");
  write_int(0,60,20,0,&ang);
  write(0,60,30,2,"Distance: ");
  write_int(0,60,30,0,&dist);

  write(0,10,40,0,"Left/right rotates your angle, up/down changes your distance");

  put(0,graph,x,y);
  drawing_background();

  repeat
    if(key(_up))
      dist++;
    end

    if(key(_down))
      dist--;
    end

    if(key(_left))
      ang-=1000;
    end
  end
end
```

```

    if(key(_right))
        ang+=1000;
    end

    xdist = get_distx(ang,dist);
    ydist = get_disty(ang,dist);

    x = 320 + xdist;
    y = 240 + ydist;

    frame;

until(key(_esc))

let_me_alone();
exit();

End

Process drawing_background()
Begin
    graph = new_map(640,480,16);
    set_ceter    (0,graph,0,0);
    map_clear    (0,graph,rgb(64,0,0));
    drawing_map  (0,graph);
    drawing_color(rgb(0,0,0));
    loop
        map_clear(0,graph,rgb(255,255,255));
        mydraw = draw_line(320,240,father.x,father.y);
        frame;
        delete_draw(mydraw);
    end
OnExit
    unload_map(0,graph);
End

```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [set_fps\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [set_text_color\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [put\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [get_distx\(\)](#), [get_disty\(\)](#), [let_me_alone\(\)](#), [exit\(\)](#), [set_center\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [rgb\(\)](#), [drawing_map\(\)](#), [drawing_color\(\)](#), [draw_line\(\)](#), [delete_draw\(\)](#), [unload_map\(\)](#)

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92 Get id

92.1 Definition

INT get_id (<INT processTypeID>)

Returns a **ProcessID** of a **process** of the specified **ProcessType**. On the next call of get_id() in the same process and in the same frame, the next process will be returned of the given type. After a **frame** statement, get_id() is reset and will return the first process of the given processType. When there are no more processes of a given type, which have not been returned, it will return 0.

get_id(0) returns processes of any type.

92.2 Parameters

INT processTypeID - The **processTypeID** of the **processType** to get the processes' processIDs of.

92.3 Returns

INT : The **processID** of a process of the given processType.

0 - There are no more processes of the given processType, which have not been returned.

>0 - The **processID** of a process of the given processType.

92.4 Example

```
Program example;
Begin
  signaltype(type Monkey,s_kill);
End

/**
 * Empty process
 */
Process Monkey()
Begin
End

/**
 * Signals every process of type 't' the signal 'signal'.
 */
Function int signaltype(int t, int signal)
Begin
  while( (x=get_id(t)) ) // while there is an unprocessed process left and store that in 'x'
    signal(x,signal); // signal the process with processID 'x'.
  end
End

// Of course, the very observant of you already noticed that signaltype(my_type,my_signal)
// does the same thing as the function signal(my_type,my_signal), but this is just to
// illustrate the workings.

/**
 * Signals every process the signal 'signal'.
 */
Function int signalall(int signal)
Begin
  while( (x=get_id(0)) ) // while there is an unprocessed process left and store that in 'x'
    signal(x,signal); // signal the process with processID 'x'.
  end
End

// get_id(0) returns a process of any type. This is a possible implementation of a
// function which signals all existing processes. Note that this can be dangerous to use,
// as in some cases you might want one or two processes to stay alive.
```

Used in example: [signal\(\)](#)

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93 Get joy position

1. REDIRECT `joy_getposition`

94 Get modes

94.1 Syntax

POINTER get_modes (<INT depth>, <INT flags>)

94.2 Description

Returns a pointer to an array of available screen dimensions for the given **depth** and **render flags**, sorted largest to smallest.

Returns NULL if there are no dimensions available for a particular format, or -1 if any dimension is okay for the given format.

94.3 Parameters

INT depth - Color depth of the screen. See **color_depths**.

INT flags - Mode of rendering. See **render flags**.

94.4 Returns

POINTER : A pointer to an array of available screen dimensions

94.5 Example

Used in example:

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95 Get real point

95.1 Definition

INT get_real_point(<**INT** controlpoint> , <**INT POINTER** x> , <**INT POINTER** y> ,)

Finds the actual position on the screen of the calling **process**, given its **graphic** and the specified **controlpoint** on this graphic. All process-related variables are taken into account, like **x**, **y**, **angle**, even **ctype**. These coordinates are then assigned to the variables pointed to by **x** and **y**.

95.2 Parameters

INT controlpoint - The **controlpoint** on the process' graphic of which the actual position is wanted.

INT POINTER x - A pointer to an integer to which the X-coordinate will be assigned.

INT POINTER y - A pointer to an integer to which the Y-coordinate will be assigned.

95.3 Returns

INT : Successrate

false - Error: no graphic; invalid controlpoint;

true - Success.

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96 Get text color

96.1 Definition

INT `get_text_color()`

Gets the current text `color` (the `color` where texts will be written in).

96.2 Parameters

None.

96.3 Returns

INT: `color` the text will be written in.

96.4 Notes

None.

96.5 Errors

</if someone knows, please edit!>

96.6 Example

```
Program test;
Global
  my_text;
  text_color;
Begin

  set_text_color( rgb(192,112,0) );
  text_color = get_text_color();

  write (0,320/2, 200/2,4,"The color of this text is:");
  write_int(0,320/2+100,200/2,4,&text_color);

  Repeat
    frame;
  Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: `set_text_color()`, `write()`, `write_int()`, `key()`

This will result in something like:

`File:Get text color.png`

97 Get timer

97.1 Syntax

INT get_timer ()

97.2 Description

Returns the time the program has been running in milliseconds.

97.3 Returns

INT : The time the program has been running in milliseconds.

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98 Get window pos

98.1 Syntax

INT get_window_pos (<**INT POINTER** x>, <**INT POINTER** y>)

98.2 Description

Get the X and Y position of the window.

98.3 Parameters

INT POINTER x - Pointer to where the X-coordinate of the window will be written.

INT POINTER y - Pointer to where the Y-coordinate of the window will be written.

98.4 Returns

INT : Successrate

false - The system is in fullscreen.

true - Success ok.

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99 Get window size

99.1 Syntax

INT get_window_size (<INT POINTER window_width> , <INT POINTER window_height> , <INT POINTER client_width> , <INT POINTER client_height>)

99.2 Description

Get the window and client size.

99.3 Parameters

- INT POINTER** window_width - Pointer to where the window width will be written.
- INT POINTER** window_height - Pointer to where the window height will be written.
- INT POINTER** client_width - Pointer to where the client width of window will be written.
- INT POINTER** client_height - Pointer to where the client height of window will be written.

99.4 Returns

INT : Successrate

false - Error.

true - Ok.

99.5 Example

```
import "mod_key"
import "mod_video"
import "mod_text"
import "mod_wm"
Global
    desktop_width = 640;
    desktop_height = 480;
    window_width = 0;
    window_height = 0;
    client_width = 0;
    client_height = 0;
End

Process Main()
Begin

    get_desktop_size(& desktop_width,& desktop_height);
    get_window_size ( & window_width, &window_height , & client_width , & client_height );
    set_mode (desktop_width-window_width+client_width,desktop_height-window_height+client_height,32);
    set_window_pos(0,0);

    write(0,desktop_width/2,desktop_height/2+30,0,"ESC to exit");
    while (!key(_ESC) )
        frame;
    end
End
```

Used in example: [get_desktop_size\(\)](#), [get_window_size\(\)](#), [set_mode\(\)](#), [set_window_pos\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

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100 Getenv

100.1 Definition

STRING getenv (<**STRING** variablename >)

Returns the value of an environment variable (like PATH).

100.2 Parameters

STRING variablename - The name of the variable to get the value of.

100.3 Returns

STRING : The value of the variable.

"" - The variable is invalid or empty.

!"" - The value of the variable.

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101 Glob

101.1 Definition

STRING glob (<**STRING** criteria>)

Gets a single filename or directoryname matching the criteria. If the same criteria is specified, it keeps returning new items on subsequent calls until it can't find any more, in which case it returns "". When different criteria are specified, the search is 'reset'. To reset the search without returning an item, use "" as criteria.

After a call to glob(), the global struct `fileinfo` is filled with information about the last file/directory entry returned.

101.2 Parameters

STRING criteria - The search criteria to which the returned filenames apply. "" to reset search.

101.3 Returns

STRING : Filename or directoryname

"" - No (new) file/directory entries.

!"" - The name of a file/directory entry matching the search criteria.

101.4 Notes

The search criteria can hold many criteria: the folder in which you want to look, simple requirements for filenames, such as extensions, and directory names. A few examples:

- * - Returns the filename of any file/directory in the current directory.
- *.dat - Returns the filename of any file/directory with extension .dat in the current directory.
- MyDir/* - Returns the filename of any file/directory in MyDir\ relative to the current directory.
- C:/Program Files/* - Returns the filename of any file/directory in C:\Program Files*.

101.5 Example

```
import "mod_dir"

Process Main()
Private
    String filename;
Begin
    // method one:
    Loop
        filename = Glob("levels/*.tul"); // Looks for a file in the relative folder
                                         // "levels" that has the file extension "tul".
        if(filename!="")
            load_level(filename); // load_level() would load the level file
        else
            break;
        end
    End

    //Reset search
    glob("");

    // method two:
    While( (filename = Glob("levels/*.tul")) != "" )
        load_level(filename);
    End
End
```

Both methods result in the same, but the second one is less code.

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102 Glyph get

102.1 Definition

INT get_glyph (<INT fontID> , <INT glyphID>)

Creates a new [graphic](#) containing the specified [glyph](#) of the specified [font](#).

102.2 Parameters

INT fontID - The [fontID](#) of the font the glyph is wanted.

INT glyphID - The [glyphID](#) of the glyph in the specified font.

102.3 Returns

INT : [GraphID](#)

0 - Invalid font; Invalid glyph; could not create graphic;

>0 - The graphID of the graphic containing the glyph.

102.4 See also

- [set_glyph\(\)](#)

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103 Glyph set

103.1 Definition

INT glyph_set (<**INT** fontID> , <**INT** glyphID> , <**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID>)

Sets the specified **glyph** of the specified **font**. The new glyph will be a copy of the specified **graphic** and thus it may be freed after the call.

Also called **set_glyph()**.

103.2 Parameters

INT fontID - The **fontID** of the font the glyph is to be set.

INT glyphID - The **glyphID** of the glyph in the specified font.

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the graphic.

INT graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to be copied.

103.3 Returns

INT : **false**

103.4 See also

- **glyph_get()**

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104 Graphic info

104.1 Definition

INT graphic_info (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID> , <INT infotype>)

Gets some information about the [graph](#) specified.

104.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The [file](#) that holds the graph.

INT graphID - The [graph](#) to get information from.

INT infotype - What [type of information](#) you want.

104.3 Returns

INT : Returns the information you want.

If the specified graph was invalid it returns 0.

If the specified infotype was not recognized it returns 1.

104.4 Example

```
Program keuken;
Local
  gxc;
  gyc;
Begin
  set_mode(640,480,16);

  graph=new_map(rand(50,150),rand(50,150),16); //makes a randomly proportioned red rectangle
  map_clear(0,graph,rgb(255,0,0));
  x=320;
  y=240;

  gxc=graphic_info(0,graph,G_X_CENTER);
  gyc=graphic_info(0,graph,G_Y_CENTER); //finds the graphic's center coordinates

  map_put_pixel(0,graph,gxc,gyc,rgb(255,255,255)); //puts a white pixel in the center of the graphic

Loop
  frame;
End
End
```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [map_put_pixel\(\)](#)

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105 Grayscale

105.1 Definition

INT grayscale (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID> , <BYTE method>)

This will convert the specified **graphic** by using the specified method; see **notes** for the details.

105.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the graphics.

INT graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to convert.

BYTE method - The method used (see **notes**).

105.3 Returns

INT

-1 - Invalid graphic.

1 - Success.

105.4 Notes

The exact formula is:

$$c = 0.3 * \text{oldpixel}_r + 0.59 * \text{oldpixel}_g + 0.11 * \text{oldpixel}_b$$

Method 0:

```
for every pixel:  
    newpixel_rgb = (c,c,c)
```

Method 1:

```
for every pixel:  
    newpixel_rgb = (c,0,0)
```

Method 2:

```
for every pixel:  
    newpixel_rgb = (0,c,0)
```

Method 3:

```
for every pixel:  
    newpixel_rgb = (0,0,c)
```

Method 4:

```
for every pixel:  
    newpixel_rgb = (c,c,0)
```

Method 5:

```
for every pixel:  
    newpixel_rgb = (c,0,c)
```

Method 6:

```
for every pixel:  
    newpixel_rgb = (0,c,c)
```

Other methodnumbers:

```
for every pixel:  
    newpixel_rgb = oldpixel_rgb
```

Note that **rgbscale**(0, map, 1, 1, 1) = **grayscale**(0, map, 0) for a valid graphic (0, map).

106 Is playing song

106.1 Definition

INT is_playing_song ()

Checks to see if Bennu is playing a song file, started with `play_song()`.

106.2 Returns

INT : Whether Bennu is playing a song at the moment of calling.

true - Bennu is playing a song.

false - Bennu is not playing a song.

106.3 Example

```
program music_example;
global
  my_song;
  playing;
  paused;
  faded_in;
  v;
begin
  set_mode(640,480,16);

  my_song=load_song("beat.ogg");

  write(0,320,30,4,"Use the keyboard to control the music playback.");
  write(0,320,50,4,"Key [ENTER] starts / stops the song.");
  write(0,320,60,4,"Key [SPACE] pauses / resumes the song.");
  write(0,320,70,4,"Key [0] through key [9] changes the song volume.");
  write(0,320,80,4,"Key [F] fades the song in or out.");

  write(0,320,120,5,"Playing: ");
  write_int(0,320,120,3,&playing);

  write(0,320,140,5,"Paused: ");
  write_int(0,320,140,3,&paused);

  write(0,320,160,5,"Faded in: ");
  write_int(0,320,160,3,&faded_in);

  write(0,320,180,5,"Volume: ");
  write_int(0,320,180,3,&v);

  v=128;
  faded_in=true;

  repeat
    if(key(_enter))
      if(is_playing_song())
        stop_song();
        playing=false;
      else
        play_song(my_song,1);
        playing=true;
      end
    end
    while(key(_enter)) frame;end
  end

  if(key(_space))
    if(paused)
      paused=false;
      resume_song();
    else
      paused=true;
      pause_song();
    end
    while(key(_space)) frame;end
  end

  if(key(_f))
    if(faded_in)
      faded_in=false;
      fade_music_off(100);
    end
  end
end
```



```

        else
            faded_in=true;
            fade_music_in(my_song,1,100);
        end
        while(key(_f)) frame;end
    end

    if(key(_0)) v=0;end
    if(key(_1)) v=14;end
    if(key(_2)) v=28;end
    if(key(_3)) v=43;end
    if(key(_4)) v=57;end
    if(key(_5)) v=71;end
    if(key(_6)) v=85;end
    if(key(_7)) v=100;end
    if(key(_8)) v=114;end
    if(key(_9)) v=128;end

    set_song_volume(v);

    frame;
    until(key(_esc))

    exit();
end

```

Used in example: [key\(\)](#), [set_mode\(\)](#), [load_song\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [pause_song\(\)](#), [play_song\(\)](#), [stop_song\(\)](#), [resume_song\(\)](#), [fade_music_in\(\)](#), [fade_music_off\(\)](#), [set_song_volume\(\)](#).

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107 Itoa

107.1 Definition

STRING itoa (<INT value>)

Returns a [string](#) containing a certain [int](#) value.

107.2 Parameters

INT value - The value the returned string will contain.

107.3 Returns

STRING : The string containing the specified value, including sign.

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108 Joy axes

1. REDIRECT `joy_numaxes`

109 Joy buttons

1. REDIRECT `joy_numbuttons`

110 Joy getaxis

110.1 Syntax

INT joy_getaxis ([<**INT** joy>, <**INT** axis>)

110.2 Description

Returns the selected joystick state for the given axis.

The JoyID is optional, if it is not present, the function uses the selected joystick. You can change the selected joystick with joy_select().

110.3 Parameters

[**INT** JoyID] - The JoyID of the joystick.

INT axis - The axis of the joystick.

110.4 Returns

INT : state for the given axis.

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111 Joy getball

111.1 Syntax

INT joy_getball ([<**INT** JoyID>] , <**POINTER** dx> , <**POINTER** dy>)

111.2 Description

Returns the state of the specified ball on the current selected joystick.

The JoyID is optional, if it is not present, the function uses the selected joystick. You can change the selected joystick with [joy_select\(\)](#).

111.3 Parameters

[**INT** JoyID] - The **JoyID** of the [joystick](#).

POINTER dx - A pointer to the variable X of the ball.

POINTER dy - A pointer to the variable Y of the ball.

111.4 Returns

INT : The state of the specified ball on the current selected joystick.

111.5 Example

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112 Joy getbutton

112.1 Syntax

INT joy_getbutton ([<**INT** joy>], <**INT** button>)

112.2 Description

Returns the selected joystick state for the given button.

The JoyID is optional, if it is not present, the function uses the selected joystick. You can change the selected joystick with joy_select().

112.3 Parameters

[**INT** JoyID] - The JoyID of the joystick.

INT button - The button on the joystick.

112.4 Returns

INT : state for the given button.

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113 Joy gethat

113.1 Syntax

`INT joy_gethat ([<INT JoyID>], <INT hat>)`

113.2 Description

Returns the current position of the digital POV hat of the controller pad selected.

The return values are:

<i>Constant</i>	<i>- Value</i>	<i>- Description</i>
JOY_HAT_CENTERED	- 0	- The hat is centered.
JOY_HAT_UP	- 1	- The hat is moved up.
JOY_HAT_RIGHT	- 2	- The hat is moved right.
JOY_HAT_DOWN	- 4	- The hat is moved down.
JOY_HAT_LEFT	- 8	- The hat is moved left.
JOY_HAT_RIGHTUP	- 3	- The hat is moved right and up.
JOY_HAT_RIGHTDOWN	- 6	- The hat is moved right and down.
JOY_HAT_LEFTUP	- 9	- The hat is moved left and up.
JOY_HAT_LEFTDOWN	- 12	- The hat is moved left and down.

You may notice that some are combinations of others. For example `JOY_HAT_RIGHTUP == (JOY_HAT_RIGHT | JOY_HAT_UP)`. This is because the returned value has **bit flags** indicating four directions: up, down, left, right. These can be combined to make diagonal directions.

A value of -1 is returned when there is no hat or **joystick** detected.

The JoyID is optional, if it is not present, the function uses the selected joystick. You can change the selected joystick with `joy_select()`.

113.3 Parameters

`[INT JoyID]` - The **JoyID** of the **joystick**.

`INT hat` - The number of the hat, starting at 0

113.4 Returns

`INT` : The position of the POV hat.

113.5 Example

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114 Joy name

114.1 Syntax

STRING joy_name (<INT JoyID>)

114.2 Description

Returns the name of the specified joystick. This is a string describing the specified joystick, mostly used for the brand and model of the joystick.

114.3 Parameters

INT JoyID - The JoyID of the joystick.

114.4 Returns

STRING : The name of the joystick.

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115 Joy numaxes

115.1 Syntax

INT joy_numaxes ([<**INT** JoyID>])

115.2 Description

Returns the number of **axes** on the specified **joystick**. If no joystick is specified, the number of axes on the currently **selected joystick** will be returned.

The JoyID is optional, if it is not present, the function uses the selected joystick. You can change the selected joystick with **joy_select()**.

Also called **joy_axes()**.

115.3 Parameters

[**INT** JoyID] - The **JoyID** of the **joystick**.

115.4 Returns

INT : The number of **axes**.

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116 Joy numballs

116.1 Syntax

`INT joy_numballs ([<INT JoyID>])`

116.2 Description

Returns the number of **balls** on the specified **joystick**. If no joystick is specified, the number of balls on the currently **selected joystick** will be returned.

The JoyID is optional, if it is not present, the function uses the selected joystick. You can change the selected joystick with `joy_select()`.

116.3 Parameters

`[INT JoyID]` - The **JoyID** of the **joystick**.

116.4 Returns

INT : The number of **balls**.

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117 Joy number

117.1 Syntax

INT joy_number ()

117.2 Description

Returns the number of joysticks present in the system.

Also called [joy_numjoysticks\(\)](#).

117.3 Returns

INT : The number of joysticks present in the system.

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118 Joy numbuttons

118.1 Syntax

INT joy_numbuttons ([<**INT** JoyID>])

118.2 Description

Returns the number of **buttons** on the specified **joystick**. If no joystick is specified, the number of buttons on the currently **selected joystick** will be returned.

The JoyID is optional, if it is not present, the function uses the selected joystick. You can change the selected joystick with joy_select().

Also called **joy_buttons()**.

118.3 Parameters

[**INT** JoyID] - The **JoyID** of the **joystick**.

118.4 Returns

INT : The number of **buttons**.

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119 Joy numhats

119.1 Syntax

`INT joy_numhats ([<INT JoyID>])`

119.2 Description

Returns the number of hats on the specified joystick. If no joystick is specified, the number of hats on the currently selected joystick will be returned.

The JoyID is optional, if it is not present, the function uses the selected joystick. You can change the selected joystick with `joy_select()`.

119.3 Parameters

`[INT JoyID]` - The JoyID of the joystick.

119.4 Returns

`INT` : The number of hats.

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120 Joy numjoysticks

1. REDIRECT `joy_number`

121 Joy select

121.1 Syntax

`INT joy_select (<INT JoyID>)`

121.2 Description

Select the joystick with id equals to JoyID.

121.3 Parameters

`INT JoyID` - The JoyID of the joystick.

121.4 Returns

`INT` : The ID of the selected joystick number.

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122 Key

122.1 Definition

INT key(<INT scancode>)

Checks if a certain key is being pressed.

122.2 Parameters

INT scancode - The [scancode](#) of the key to be checked.

122.3 Returns

INT : [true/false](#): Whether the key is being pressed.

122.4 Notes

Take a look at the [scancodes](#) for a complete list.

122.5 Example

```
Program input_test;
Begin
    While( !key(_esc) )
        delete_text (ALL_TEXT);

        if( key(_left) && !key(_right) )
            write(0,160,120,4, "LEFT");
        end;

        if( key(_right) && !key(_left) )
            write(0,160,120,4, "RIGHT");
        end;

        frame;
    End;
    exit();
End
```

Used in example: [delete_text\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [exit\(\)](#), [ALL_TEXT](#)

This will output the words LEFT or RIGHT according to the keys you press, or it will quit the program once ESCAPE is pressed.

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123 Ksort

123.1 Definition

INT ksort (<**VARSPACE** array> , <**VARSPACE** sort-variable> , [<**INT** datacount>])

Sorts a certain **array** according to a sort-variable within the elements and by sorting a certain number of elements. By default the whole array is sorted.

If the array elements contain only one variable each or the first one is the sort-variable, **sort()** can be used. For more advanced sorting, look at **quicksort()**.

123.2 Parameters

VARSPACE array - The **array** to be sorted.

VARSPACE sort-variable - The variable within each element to be used for the sorting.

[**INT** datacount] - Number of elements to sort.

123.3 Returns

INT: Successrate

true - Sorting succeeded.

false - Sorting failed, probably the type of sort-variable isn't supported.

123.4 Example

```
Program sorting;

Type _player
  String name;
  int score;
End

Const
  maxplayers = 5;
Global
  _player player[maxplayers-1];
Begin

  // Insert some values
  player[0].name = "That one bad looking dude";
  player[1].name = "Ah pretty lame guy";
  player[2].name = "Some cool dude";
  player[3].name = "OMG ZOMG guy";
  player[4].name = "This person is ok";

  player[0].score = 70;
  player[1].score = 30;
  player[2].score = 80;
  player[3].score = 90;
  player[4].score = 50;

  // Show array
  say("----- unsorted");
  for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
  end

/* Sort by name ( quicksort() can't be used to sort Strings,
as a String in Fenix is a pointer to the actual String,
so it would sort the pointer addresses */

  // sort()
  sort(player); // sorts by name because name is the first variable in each element

  // Show array
  say("----- name - sort()");
  for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
  end

  // ksort()
  ksort(player,player[0].name,maxplayers);
```

```

// Show array
say("----- name - ksort()");
for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
end

/* Sort by score (sort() cannot be used here, because score is not the first variable) */

// ksort()
ksort(player,player[0].score,maxplayers);

// Show array
say("----- score - ksort()");
for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
end

// quicksort()
quicksort(&player[0],sizeof(_player),maxplayers,sizeof(String),sizeof(int),0);

// Show array
say("----- score - quicksort()");
for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
end

// Wait until ESC is pressed
Repeat
    frame;
Until(key(_esc))

End

```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [sort\(\)](#), [ksort\(\)](#), [quicksort\(\)](#), [type](#), [array](#), [pointer](#)

124 LCD About

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

124.1 Definition

INT LCD_About ()

Tells the user about LCD.DLL, using the Fenix console.

124.2 Returns

INT : The current LCD.DLL version (integer).

124.3 Example

```
Program example;  
  include "LCD.fh";  
Begin  
  
  LCD_About ( ) ;  
  
  Loop  
  frame;  
  End  
  
End
```

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125 LCD Close

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

125.1 Definition

INT LCD_Close (<**INT** device>)

Closes a connection to an LCDscreen.

125.2 Parameters

INT device - Number of the device.

125.3 Returns

INT : LCD.DLL Errorcodes

LCD_ERROR_NONE	- 0	- No error.
LCD_ERROR_SERVICEINACTIVE	- -14	- The service is inactive.
LCD_ERROR_INVALIDPARAMETER	- -22	- Invalid parameter.

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126 LCD Devices

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

126.1 Definition

INT LCD_Devices ()

Returns the number of devices available.

126.2 Returns

INT : The number of LCD devices available.

0 - No devices or error.

!0 - The number of LCD devices available.

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127 LCD GetDepth

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

127.1 Definition

INT LCD_GetDepth (<INT device>)

Returns the colour depth in pixels of the LCDscreen of the specified device.

127.2 Parameters

INT device - Number of the device.

127.3 Returns

INT : The colour depth of the LCDscreen in pixels.

LCD_ERROR_INVALIDDEVICE - -20 - Invalid device.

>=0 - The colour depth of the LCDscreen in pixels.

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128 LCD GetHeight

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

128.1 Definition

INT LCD_GetHeight (<INT device>)

Returns the height in pixels of the LCDscreen of the specified device.

128.2 Parameters

INT device - Number of the device.

128.3 Returns

INT : The height of the LCDscreen in pixels.

LCD_ERROR_INVALIDDEVICE - -20 - Invalid device.

>=0 - The height of the LCDscreen in pixels.

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129 LCD GetNumButtons

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

129.1 Definition

INT LCD_GetNumButtons (<**INT** device>)

Returns the number of soft buttons of the LCDscreen of the specified device.

129.2 Parameters

INT device - Number of the device.

129.3 Returns

INT : The number of soft buttons of the LCDscreen.

LCD_ERROR_INVALIDDEVICE - -20 - Invalid device.

>=0 - The number of soft buttons of the LCDscreen.

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130 LCD GetWidth

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

130.1 Definition

INT LCD_GetWidth (<**INT** device>)

Returns the width in pixels of the LCDscreen of the specified device.

130.2 Parameters

INT device - Number of the device.

130.3 Returns

INT : The width of the LCDscreen in pixels.

LCD_ERROR_INVALIDDEVICE - -20 - Invalid device.

>=0 - The width of the LCDscreen in pixels.

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131 LCD Init

Up to [LCD.DLL Functions](#)

131.1 Definition

INT LCD_Init(<**STRING** connectionname >)

Initializes [LCD.DLL](#).

131.2 Parameters

STRING connectionname - The name of the connection. This will be displayed when browsing LCD connections on the LCD.

131.3 Returns

INT : [LCD.DLL Errorcodes](#)

LCD_ERROR_NONE	- 0	- No error.
LCD_ERROR_RPCSSERVERUNAVAILABLE	- -10	- The RPC Server is unavailable.
LCD_ERROR_RPCXWRONGPIPEVERSION	- -11	- RPC X: wrong pipe version
LCD_ERROR_OLDWINVERSION	- -12	- Old Windows Version (must be 2000 or higher)
LCD_ERROR_NOSYSTEMRESOURCES	- -13	- No system resources available.
LCD_ERROR_SERVICEINACTIVE	- -14	- The service is inactive.
LCD_ERROR_ALREADYINITIALIZED	- -16	- LCD.DLL was already initialized.
LCD_ERROR_INVALIDPARAMETER	- -22	- Invalid parameter.
LCD_ERROR_FILENOTFOUND	- -23	- File not found.
LCD_ERROR_ALREADYEXISTS	- -24	- File or connection already exists.

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132 LCD IntVersion

Up to [LCD.DLL Functions](#)

132.1 Definition

INT LCD_IntVersion ()

Returns the current [LCD.DLL](#) version.

132.2 Returns

INT : The current [LCD.DLL](#) version (int).

132.3 Example

```
Program example;
  include "LCD.fh";
Private
  int lcdver;
Begin
  lcdver = LCD_IntVersion();

  Loop
    frame;
  End

End
```

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133 LCD Open

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

133.1 Definition

INT LCD_Open (<INT device> , <INT POINTER buttons>)

Opens a connection to an LCDscreen.

133.2 Parameters

INT device - Number of the device.

INT POINTER buttons - Pointer to the buttonstatus holding integer.

133.3 Returns

INT : LCD.DLL Errorcodes

LCD_ERROR_NONE - 0 - No error.

LCD_ERROR_SERVICEINACTIVE - -14 - The service is inactive.

LCD_ERROR_INVALIDPARAMETER - -22 - Invalid parameter.

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134 LCD Quit

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

134.1 Definition

INT LCD_Quit ()

Deinitializes LCD.DLL.

134.2 Returns

INT : LCD.DLL Errorcode

LCD_ERROR_NONE - No error.

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135 LCD ReadButton

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

135.1 Definition

INT LCD_ReadButton (<INT device> , <INT button>)

Returns whether a button is being pressed on a device.

This also updates the button integer specified at [LCD_Open\(\)](#).

135.2 Parameters

INT device - Number of the device.

INT button - Number of the button.

135.3 Returns

INT : [LCD.DLL Errorcodes](#)

TRUE	- 1	- The button is being pressed.
FALSE	- 0	- The button is not being pressed.
LCD_ERROR_SERVICEINACTIVE	- -14	- The service is inactive.
LCD_ERROR_INVALIDPARAMETER	- -22	- Invalid parameter.

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136 LCD ReadButtons

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

136.1 Definition

INT LCD_ReadButtons (<INT device>)

Updates the integer holding the buttonstatus.

136.2 Parameters

INT device - Number of the device.

136.3 Returns

INT : LCD.DLL Errorcodes

LCD_ERROR_NONE	- 0	- No error.
LCD_ERROR_SERVICEINACTIVE	- -14	- The service is inactive.
LCD_ERROR_DEVICENOTCONNECTED	- -21	- Device not connected.
LCD_ERROR_INVALIDPARAMETER	- -22	- Invalid parameter.

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137 LCD SetBitmap

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

137.1 Definition

INT LCD_SetBitmap (<INT device> , <INT priority> , <BYTE POINTER map>)

Sets the bitmap of the device to a certain map with a certain priority.

137.2 Parameters

INT device - Number of the device.
INT priority - The priority of the bitmap (see [notes](#)).
BYTE POINTER map - Pointer to a 160x43 byte array.

137.3 Returns

INT : [LCD.DLL Errorcodes](#)

LCD_ERROR_NONE	- 0	- No error.
LCD_ERROR_SERVICEINACTIVE	- -14	- The service is inactive.
LCD_ERROR_DEVICENOTCONNECTED	- -21	- Device not connected.
LCD_ERROR_INVALIDPARAMETER	- -22	- Invalid parameter.

137.4 Notes

- Multiple priorities can be used:

LCD_PRIORITY_IDLE_NO_SHOW	- Lowest priority, disable displaying. Use this priority when you don't have anything to show.
LCD_PRIORITY_BACKGROUND	- Priority used for low priority items.
LCD_PRIORITY_NORMAL	- Normal priority, to be used by most applications most of the time.
LCD_PRIORITY_ALERT	- Highest priority. To be used only for critical screens, such as "your CPU temperature is too high"

- One can use [map_buffer\(\)](#) to obtain a byte pointer to a map. Make sure this map is of size 160x43 and it has a color depth of 8.

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138 LCD Version

Up to LCD.DLL Functions

138.1 Definition

STRING LCD_Version ()

Returns the current [LCD.DLL](#) version.

138.2 Returns

STRING : The current [LCD.DLL](#) version (string).

138.3 Example

```
Program example;
  include "LCD.fh";
Private
  string lcdver;
Begin
  lcdver = LCD_Version();

  Loop
    frame;
  End

End
```

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139 Lcase

139.1 Definition

STRING lcase (<**STRING** str >)

Returns a [string](#) identical to a certain string, with the exception that all uppercase characters are replaced by their lowercase counterparts.

139.2 Parameters

STRING str - The string in "normal"-form.

139.3 Returns

STRING : The string in "lowercase"-form.

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140 Len

140.1 Definition

INT len (<**STRING** str>)

Returns the length, the number of characters, of a certain [string](#).

140.2 Parameters

STRING str - The string of which the length will be returned.

140.3 Returns

INT : The length of the specified string.

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141 Let me alone

141.1 Definition

INT let_me_alone ()

Kills all **processes** except the calling one.

To kill only one process, use **signal()**.

141.2 Returns

INT : true

141.3 Example

```
Const
    screen_width = 320;
    screen_height = 200;
    screen_depth = 8;
End

/**
 * Description
 * Generates an error. Puts the error in the console and stdout.txt and shows it onscreen
 * for certain time. Immediately kills all other processes and quits the program after a
 * certain time.
 *
 * Parameters
 * String message - The error message.
 * int delay - The time to display the error onscreen and after which the program will quit.
 *             In 1/100seconds.
 *
 * Returns
 * 0 - Success.
 */
Process error(String message,int delay)
Begin

    // Put the error message in the console and in stdout.txt
    say("[ERROR] " + message);

    // Show the error message onscreen, the size adjust for the screen width
    set_text_color(rgb(255,0,0));
    graph = write_in_map(0,message,4);
    size = 100*(screen_width-10)/graphic_info(0,graph,G_WIDTH);
    x = screen_width/2;
    y = screen_height/2;

    // Kill all other processes
    let_me_alone();

    // Wait the specified time
    timer[0] = 0;
    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(timer[0]>delay)

    // Unload the used graph
    unload_map(0,graph);

    return 0;
End

Process Main();
Begin

    // Set the screen mode
    set_mode(screen_width,screen_height,screen_depth);

    // Generate an error
    error("ERROR, QUITTING IN 2 SECONDS",200);

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_esc))
End
```

End

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142.1 Definition

LOAT ln (<FLOAT n>)

Returns the [natural logarithm](#) of number *n* ([logarithm](#) with base *e* (Euler)).

142.2 Parameters

LOAT *n* - The number that will be used for the logarithm.

142.3 Returns

LOAT : The natural logarithm of *n*.

142.4 Example

```
Import "log.dll";

Global
    float logarithm=0.0;
End

Process main()
Begin
    write_float(0,160,100,4,&logarithm);

    While(not(key(_ESC)))
        If (key(_1)) logarithm=ln(13.37); End
    End
    Frame;
End
End
```

Used in example: [import](#), [write_float\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [ln\(\)](#)

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143 Load

143.1 Definition

INT load (<**STRING** filename> , <**VARSPACE** data>)

Loads the data read from the specified file into the specified variable.

143.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The name of the file to be loaded.

VARSPACE data - The variable (of any **datatype**) in which the data read from the file will be loaded.

143.3 Returns

INT : The number of bytes read from the file.

143.4 Notes

To check whether a file exists before it is loaded, [file_exists\(\)](#) can be used.

143.5 Example

```
Program test;
Global
  struct My_struct
    Level_number;
    string Map_name;
  End
Begin
  If (file_exists("myfile.sav"))
    Load("myfile.sav",My_struct); // Content from myfile.sav is loaded into My_struct
    Write(0,10,10,0,My_struct.level_number); // A variable from the loaded struct is shown on screen
    Write(0,10,20,0,My_struct.map_name); // Another variable loaded is shown on screen
  Else
    Write(0,10,10,0,"File couldn't be loaded, it doesn't exist.");
  End

  While (!key(_esc))
    Frame;
  End
End
```

Used in example: [file_exists\(\)](#), [load\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

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144 Load song

144.1 Definition

INT load_song (<STRING filename>)

Loads a song for later use with `play_song()`.

There are multiple `filetypes` you can load using this `function`. Included are:

- OGG Vorbis (.ogg). Good quality for `songs` and doesn't take too much space (it's similar to *.mp3).
- MIDI (.mid). Takes very low space, but it's limited to samples of the soundcard.
- Modules (.xm, .it, .s3m, .mod). Like MIDI, but Modules also contain the samples themselves.

144.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The music file to be loaded, including a possible path.

144.3 Returns

INT : SongID

-1 - Could not load music file (errormessage in console).

>=0 - The SongID.

144.4 Example

```
Program example;
Private
  int song;
Begin
  song = load_song("my_song.ogg");
  play_song(song,0);
  Repeat
    frame;
  Until(key(_ESC))
OnExit
  unload_song(song);
End
```

Used in example: `play_song()`, `key()`, `unload_song()`

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145 Load wav

145.1 Definition

INT load_wav (<**STRING** filename >)

Loads a **sound effect** in the WAV format for later use with **play_wav()**.

145.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The WAV file to be loaded, including a possible path.

145.3 Returns

INT : **WaveID**

- 1 - Error: sound inactive; opening file
- 0 - Could not load wave file.
- >0 - The **WaveID**.

145.4 Example

```
Program
Private
    int wave;
Begin
    wave = load_wav("my_wav.wav");
    play_wav(wave,0);
    Loop
        frame;
    End
End
```

Used in example: **play_wav()**

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146 Log

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146.1 Definition

FLOAT log (<FLOAT n> , [<FLOAT b>])

Returns a *logarithm* of number *n* with base *b*. If *b* is not specified, the number 10 will be used as base.

146.2 Parameters

FLOAT n - The number that will be used for the logarithm.

FLOAT base - The base that will be used for the logarithm.

146.3 Returns

FLOAT : The logarithm of *n*.

146.4 Example

```
Import "log.dll";

Global
    float logarithm=0.0;
End

Process main()
Begin
    write_float(0,160,100,4,&logarithm);

    While(not(key(_esc)))
        If (key(_1)) logarithm=log(1000,9); End
        If (key(_2)) logarithm=log(1000); End
    Frame;
End
End
```

Used in example: [import](#), [write_float\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [log\(\)](#)

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147 Log2

Up to Log.dll functions

147.1 Definition

FLOAT log2 (<FLOAT n>)

Returns a **logarithm** of number *n* with base 2.

147.2 Parameters

FLOAT *n* - The number that will be used for the logarithm.

147.3 Returns

FLOAT : The logarithm of *n* with base 2.

147.4 Example

```
Import "log.dll";

Global
    float logarithm=0.0;
End

Process main()
Begin
    write_float(0,160,100,4,&logarithm);

    While(not(key(_esc)))
        If (key(_1)) logarithm=log2(1024); End
    Frame;
End
End
```

Used in example: [import](#), [write_float\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [log2\(\)](#)

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148 Lpad

148.1 Definition

STRING lpad(<**STRING** str> , <**INT** length>)

Returns the string *str*, padding (adding spaces to) the front of the string if needed to make *str* of length *length*. The original string will remain unchanged.

If *length* is smaller or equal to the length of *str*, the returned string is *str*.

148.2 Parameters

STRING str - The string to pad (add spaces to).

INT length - The minimal length of the returned string.

148.3 Returns

STRING: padded string

148.4 Example

```
import "mod_string"
import "mod_say"

Process Main()
Private
    string ABC = "ABC";
    string _ABC;
    string ABC__;
Begin

    ABC = lpad(ABC,2);
    _ABC = lpad(ABC,4);
    ABC__ = rpad(ABC,5);

    say('ABC = "' + ABC + '"');
    say('_ABC = "' + _ABC + '"');
    say('ABC__ = "' + ABC__ + '"');

End
```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [lpad\(\)](#), [rpad\(\)](#)

Result:

```
ABC = "ABC"
_ABC = " _ABC"
ABC__ = "ABC  "
```

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149 Map block copy

149.1 Definition

INT map_block_copy (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** destinationGraphID> , <**INT** destinationX> , <**INT** destinationY> , <**INT** originGraphID> , <**INT** x> , <**INT** y> , <**INT** width> , <**INT** height> , <**INT** blitflags>)

Draws (blits) a rectangular block from one **graphic** onto another **graphic**.

If the entire **graphic** is to be blitted, `map_put()` or `map_xput()` can be used.

149.2 Parameters

- INT** fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the destination and origin **graphics**.
- INT** destinationGraphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to draw on.
- INT** destinationX - Where on the destination **graph**'s x-axis to put the block.
- INT** destinationY - Where on the destination **graph**'s y-axis to put the block.
- INT** originGraphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to draw with.
- INT** x - The x-coordinate of the upperleft corner of the origin block.
- INT** y - The y-coordinate of the upperleft corner of the origin block.
- INT** width - The width of the block in pixels.
- INT** height - The height of the block in pixels.
- INT** blitflags - What **blit flags** to draw the **graphic** with.

149.3 Returns

INT : true

149.4 Notes

Blit flags can be used to give the drawing (blitting) a special effect.

149.5 Errors

- Invalid origin **graph** - The origin **graph** is invalid.
 - Invalid destination **graph** - The destination **graph** is invalid.
 - Unsupported color depth - The origin **graphic**'s color depth is greater than the destination **graph**'s.
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150 Map clear

150.1 Definition

INT map_clear (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID> , <WORD color>)

Clears a certain graph to a certain color.

150.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The **file** that holds the graphic.

INT graphID - The **graphic** to clear.

WORD color - The **color** used to clear.

150.3 Returns

INT : true

150.4 Notes

Instead of using **map_clear()** to clear the screen **background**, **clear_screen()** is recommended as it is a little bit faster.

150.5 Errors

Unsupported color depth - The specified graph has a not supported color depth.

150.6 Example

```
Program a_map_is_born;
Private
  int map;
Begin
  // Create a new graph of size 100x100 and color depth of 8bit
  map = new_map(100,100,8);

  // Clear the map red
  map_clear(0,map,rgb(255,0,0));

  // Put it in the center of the screen
  put(0,map,160,100);

  Loop
    frame;
  End
End
```

Used in example: **new_map()**, **put()**

This will result in something like:

http://wwwhome.cs.utwente.nl/~bergfi/fenix/wiki/new_map.PNG

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151 Map clone

151.1 Definition

INT map_clone (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID>)

Clones a certain **graphic** and puts it in the **system file**.

151.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** holding the **graphic**.

INT graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to be cloned.

151.3 Returns

INT : **GraphID**

0 - Invalid **graphic** specified;

>0 - The **graphID** of the clone **graphic**.

151.4 Errors

Unsupported color depth - The specified **graph** has a not supported color depth. (*Console*)

Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often. (*Console*)

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152 Map exists

152.1 Syntax

INT map_exists (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID>)

152.2 Description

Checks if a **graphic** exists in the specified **File** with the specified **graphID**.

152.3 Parameters

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the **graphic** (or not).

INT graphID - The **graphID**.

152.4 Returns

INT : Whether the **graphic** exists

false - The specified **graphic** does not exist.

true - The specified **graphic** exists.

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153 Map get pixel

153.1 Definition

INT map_get_pixel (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID> , <**INT** x> , <**INT** y>)

Returns the **color** on the specified **graphic** of the specified **pixel**.

153.2 Parameters

- INT** fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the graphic.
- INT** graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to get the pixel from.
- INT** x - The X-coordinate of the **pixel** the color is wanted.
- INT** y - The Y-coordinate of the **pixel** the color is wanted.

153.3 Returns

INT : The color

-1 - Error: invalid map; invalid; invalid pixel; invalid color depth of map. Note: in 32bit graphs this can be a color too.

!-1 - The color.

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154 Map load

154.1 Definition

INT map_load (<**STRING** filename>)

Creates a new **graphic**, using the specified **MAP** file as contents and puts it in the **system file**. Returns the **graphID** of the created graphic. The **color depth** of the created graphic will be the same as the loaded **MAP** file.

Also called **load_map()**.

154.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The name of the **MAP** file to be loaded, including a possible **path**.

154.3 Returns

INT : **graphID**

0 - There was an error loading the file.

>0 - The **graphID** of the newly created graphic.

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155 Map name

155.1 Definition

STRING map_name (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID>)

Retrieves the name of an in-game [graphic](#).

155.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The [fileID](#) of the [file](#) that holds the graphic.

INT graphID - The [graphID](#) of the graphic.

155.3 Returns

STRING : Name of the graphic

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156 Map new

156.1 Definition

INT map_new (<INT width> , <INT height> , <INT depth>)

Creates a new [graphic](#), sets the color of all pixels to 0 (transparent) and puts it in the [system file](#).

Also called [new_map\(\)](#).

156.2 Parameters

INT width - The width of the to be created graph in [pixels](#).

INT height - The height of the to be created graph in pixels.

INT depth - The [color depth](#) of the to be created graph in [bits](#)

156.3 Returns

INT : [GraphID](#)

0 - There was an error.

>0 - The graphID of the newly created graphic.

156.4 Errors

Unsupported color depth - The specified color depth is not supported. (*Console*)

Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often. (*Console*)

156.5 Example

```
import "mod_map"
import "mod_screen"
import "mod_key"

Process Main()
Private
    int map;
Begin

    // Create a new graph of size 100x100 and color depth of 8bit
    map = map_new(100,100,8);

    // Clear the map red
    map_clear(0,map,rgb(255,0,0));

    // Put it in the center of the screen
    put(0,map,160,100);

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: [map_new\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [put\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

This will result in something like:

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157 Map put

157.1 Syntax

`INT map_put (<INT fileID> , <INT destinationGraphID> , <INT originGraphID> , <INT x> , <INT y>)`

157.2 Description

Draws (blits) a `graph` onto another graph.

If more advanced parameters are needed, `map_xput()` can be used. If a graph from one `file` needs to be drawn onto another graph in a different file, or a separate width and height scaling is needed, `map_xputnp()` can be used.

157.3 Parameters

- `INT fileID` - The `fileID` of the `file` that holds the graphics.
- `INT destinationGraphID` - The `graphID` of the `graphic` to draw on.
- `INT originGraphID` - The `graphID` of the `graphic` to draw with.
- `INT x` - Where on the destination graphic's x-axis to put the graph.
- `INT y` - Where on the destination graphic's y-axis to put the graph.

157.4 Returns

`INT` : `true`

157.5 Notes

The x and y parameters denote where to draw the graph, that is, where the center of the to be drawn graph will be.

157.6 Errors

- Invalid origin graph - The origin graph is invalid.
- Invalid destination graph - The destination graph is invalid.
- Unsupported color depth - The origin graph's color depth is greater than the destination graph's.

157.7 Example

```
import "mod_video"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_wm"

Process Main()
Private
    int destgraph;
    int origgraph1;
    int origgraph2;
Begin

    // Set the mode to 16bit and some resolution
    set_mode(320,200,16);

    // Makes the destination graphic a red square
    destgraph=new_map(100,100,16);
    map_clear(0,destgraph,rgb(255,0,0));

    // Makes the first origin graphic a green square
    origgraph1=new_map(100,100,16);
    map_clear(0,origgraph1,rgb(0,255,0));

    // Makes the second origin graphic a blue square
    origgraph2=new_map(100,100,16);
    map_clear(0,origgraph2,rgb(0,0,255));

    // Draws the blue and green squares at a random position on the red square
    map_put(0,destgraph,origgraph1,rand(0,100),rand(0,100));
    map_put(0,destgraph,origgraph2,rand(0,100),rand(0,100));
```

```
// Shows the final graph
put (0, destgraph, 160, 100);

Repeat
  frame;
Until (exit_status)
```

End

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [map_put\(\)](#), [put\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [exit_status](#)

This will result in something like:

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158 Map put pixel

158.1 Definition

INT map_put_pixel (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID> , <**INT** x> , <**INT** y> , <**INT** color>)

Draws a single colored **pixel** on a **graph**.

158.2 Parameters

- INT** fileID - The **file** that holds the graph.
- INT** graphID - The **graph** to draw on.
- INT** x - Where on the graph's x-axis to put the pixel.
- INT** y - Where on the graph's y-axis to put the pixel.
- INT** color - What **color** to draw.

158.3 Returns

INT : true

158.4 Errors

- Invalid map - Map doesn't exist.
- Unsupported color depth - Destination graph is of an unsupported colordepth.

158.5 Example

```
import "mod_video"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_screen"
import "mod_wm"
import "mod_draw"

Process Main()
Private
    int map;
    int i;
Begin

    // Set the mode to 16bit and some res
    set_mode(320,200,16);

    // Create a blue-ish square map
    map = new_map(100,100,16);
    map_clear(0,map,rgb(50,100,150));

    // Puts 100 yellow-ish pixels in random places in the graphic
    for(i=0; i<100; i++)
        map_put_pixel(0,map,rand(0,100),rand(0,100),rgb(255,255,55));
    end

    // Puts the map in the center of the screen
    put(0,map,160,100);

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(exit_status)

End
```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [map_put_pixel\(\)](#), [rand\(\)](#), [put\(\)](#)

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159 Map save

159.1 Definition

INT map_save (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID> , <**STRING** filename>)

Saves the specified **graphic** as *filename* with the format **MAP**.

Also called **save_map()**.

159.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the **graphic**.

INT graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to unload.

STRING filename - The name of the **MAP** file to be saved, including a possible path.

159.3 Returns

INT : Successrate

false - An error: Invalid **graphic**; could not open file.

true - **Graphic** saved.

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160 Map unload

160.1 Definition

INT map_unload (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID>)

Frees the memory used by the specified **graphic**. The associated (**fileID**,**graphID**) combination is no longer valid afterwards.

Also called **unload_map()**.

160.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the **graphic**.

INT graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to unload.

160.3 Returns

INT : Successrate

false - Invalid **graphic**.

true - **Graphic** unloaded.

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161 Map xput

161.1 Definition

INT map_xput (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** destinationGraphID> , <**INT** originGraphID> , <**INT** x> , <**INT** y> , <**INT** angle> , <**INT** size> , <**INT** blitflags>)

Draws (blits) a **graphic** onto another **graphic**.

If the advanced parameters aren't needed, **map_put()** can be used. If a **graphic** from one **file** needs to be drawn onto another **graphic** in a different **file**, or a separate width and height scaling is needed, **map_xputnp()** can be used.

161.2 Parameters

INT fileID	- The fileID of the file that holds the graphics .
INT destinationGraphID	- The graphID of the graphic to draw on.
INT originGraphID	- The graphID of the graphic to draw with.
INT x	- Where on the destination graphic 's x-axis to put the graphic .
INT y	- Where on the destination graphic 's y-axis to put the graphic .
INT angle	- What angle to draw the graphic at.
INT size	- What size to draw the graphic at.
INT blitflags	- What blit flags to draw the graphic with.

161.3 Returns

INT : true

161.4 Notes

The x and y parameters denote where to draw the **graphic**, that is, where the center of the to be drawn **graphic** will be. Blit flags can be used to give the drawing (blitting) a special effect.

When angle is 0 and size is 100, the speed is greater, because the graph doesn't need rotating or scaling.

161.5 Errors

Unsupported color depth - The origin **graphic**'s color depth is greater than the destination **graphic**'s.

161.6 Example

```
import "mod_video"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_wm"

Process Main()
Private
    int destgraph;
    int origgraph;
Begin

    // Set the mode to 16bit and some resolution
    set_mode(320,200,16);

    // Makes the destination graphic a red square
    destgraph=new_map(100,100,16);
    map_clear(0,destgraph,rgb(255,0,0));

    // Makes the origin graphic a blue square
    origgraph=new_map(100,100,16);
    map_clear(0,origgraph,rgb(0,0,255));

    // Draws the blue square on the center of the red square transparently,
    // at a random angle and a random size
    map_xput(0,destgraph,origgraph,50,50,rand(-180000,180000),rand(50,150),4);
    map_xput(0,destgraph,origgraph,50,50,rand(-180000,180000),rand(50,150),4);

    // Shows the final graph
    put(0,destgraph,160,100);
```

```
Repeat
  frame;
Until(exit_status)
```

End

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [map_xput\(\)](#), [put\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [exit_status](#)

This will result in something like: [Template:Image](#)

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162 Map xputnp

162.1 Definition

INT map_xputnp (<**INT** destinationFileID> , <**INT** destinationGraphID> , <**INT** originFileID> , <**INT** originGraphID> , <**INT** x> , <**INT** y> , <**INT** angle> , <**INT** scale_x> , <**INT** scale_y> , <**INT** blitflags>)

Draws (blits) a **graphic** onto another **graphic**.

If the advanced parameters aren't needed, **map_put()** or **map_xput()** can be used.

162.2 Parameters

- INT** destinationFileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the destination **graphic**.
- INT** destinationGraphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to draw on.
- INT** originFileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the origin **graphic**.
- INT** originGraphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to draw with.
- INT** x - Where on the destination **graph**'s x-axis to put the **graphic**.
- INT** y - Where on the destination **graph**'s y-axis to put the **graphic**.
- INT** angle - What **angle** to draw the **graphic** at.
- INT** scale_x - What **size** to draw the origin **graphic**'s x-axis at (also see **size_x**)
- INT** scale_y - What **size** to draw the origin **graphic**'s y-axis at (also see **size_y**).
- INT** blitflags - What **blit flags** to draw the **graphic** with.

162.3 Returns

INT : true

162.4 Notes

The x and y parameters denote where to draw the **graphic**, that is, where the center of the to be drawn **graphic** will be. **Blit flags** can be used to give the drawing (blitting) a special effect.

When angle is 0 and size is 100, the speed is greater, because the **graphic** doesn't need rotating or scaling.

162.5 Errors

Unsupported color depth - The origin **graphic**'s color depth is greater than the destination **graph**'s.

162.6 Example

```
import "mod_video"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_wm"

Process Main()
Global
    int destgraph;
    int origgraph;
Begin

    // Set the mode to 16bit and some resolution
    set_mode(320,200,16);

    // Makes the destination graphic a red square
    destgraph=new_map(100,100,16);
    map_clear(0,destgraph,rgb(255,0,0));

    // Makes the origin graphic a blue square
    origgraph=new_map(100,100,16);
    map_clear(0,origgraph,rgb(0,0,255));

    // Draws the blue square on the center of the red square transparently,
    // at a random angle and a random size
    map_xputnp(0,destgraph,0,origgraph,50,50,rand(-180000,180000),rand(50,150),rand(50,150),4);
    map_xputnp(0,destgraph,0,origgraph,50,50,rand(-180000,180000),rand(50,150),rand(50,150),4);
```

```
// Shows the final graph
put(0, destgraph, 160, 100);

Repeat
  frame;
Until(exit_status)
```

End

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [map_xputnp\(\)](#), [put\(\)](#), [exit_status](#), [blit flags](#)

This will result in something like: [Template:Image](#)

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163 Memcmp

163.1 Definition

INT memcmp (<VOID POINTER ptr1> , <VOID POINTER ptr2> , <INT number>)

Compares the first *number* bytes of the block of memory pointed by *ptr1* to the first *number* bytes pointed by *ptr2*, returning zero if they all match or a value different from zero representing which is greater if they do not.

163.2 Parameters

VOID POINTER ptr1 - Pointer to a block of memory
VOID POINTER ptr2 - Pointer to a block of memory.
INT number - The number of bytes to be checked.

163.3 Returns

INT : Difference

0 - The blocks of memory are identical.
>0 - The first differing byte in both memory blocks has a greater value in *ptr1*.
<0 - The first differing byte in both memory blocks has a greater value in *ptr2*.
A byte ranges from 0 to 255, meaning 189 is a greater value than 105.

163.4 Example

```
Program example;
Const
    elements = 10;
End
Private
    byte pointer pbyte1;
    byte pointer pbyte2;
    int result;
End
Begin

    // Allocate memory
    pbyte1 = alloc(elements);
    pbyte2 = alloc(elements);

    // Make the blocks the same and compare
    memset(pbyte1,3,elements);
    memset(pbyte2,3,elements);
    result = memcmp(pbyte1,pbyte2,elements); // You can also compare the first 5 bytes,
                                              // or the first elements/2 bytes, it
                                              // depends on what you want.

    say("Memcmp 1: " + result);

    // Make the first block have a greater value and compare
    pbyte1[0] = 4;
    result = memcmp(pbyte1,pbyte2,elements);
    say("Memcmp 2: " + result);

    // Make the blocks the same and compare
    pbyte2[0] = 4;
    result = memcmp(pbyte1,pbyte2,elements);
    say("Memcmp 3: " + result);

    // Make the first block have a greater value and compare
    pbyte2[1] = 5;
    result = memcmp(pbyte1,pbyte2,elements);
    say("Memcmp 4: " + result);

Repeat
    frame;
Until(key_esc)

// Free the used memory
free(pbyte1);
free(pbyte2);

End
```

Used in example: `alloc()`, `memset()`, **`memcmp()`**, `say()`, `free()`, `pointer`

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164 Memcopy

164.1 Syntax

INT memcopy (<**VOID POINTER** destination> , <**VOID POINTER** origin> , <**INT** size>)

164.2 Description

Copies a certain number of **bytes** from one point in **memory** to another.

Difference between **memmove()** and **memcpy()** is that the first one can be used if the destination section and origin section overlap. With **memcpy()**, this can go wrong, though some systems make **memcpy()** safe too.

164.3 Parameters

VOID POINTER destination - Pointer to the first byte of the destination.
VOID POINTER origin - Pointer to the first byte of the origin.
INT size - The size of the to be copied memory in bytes.

164.4 Returns

INT : **true**

164.5 Example

```
import "mod_mem"
import "mod_say"

Const
    elements = 5;
End

Process Main()
Private
    byte bytearray[elements-1];
    byte* pbyte;
    int i;
End
Begin

    // Allocate memory
    pbyte = alloc(elements);

    // Set numbers
    for(i=0; i<elements; i++)
        bytearray[i] = i;
    end

    // Copy bytes to bytearray
    memcpy(pbyte, &bytearray[0], elements);

    // Show numbers
    for(i=0; i<elements; i++)
        say("byte["+i+"] = " + pbyte[i]);
    end

OnExit

    // Free the used memory
    free(pbyte);

End
```

Used in example: **alloc()**, **memcpy()**, **say()**, **free()**, **array**, **pointer**

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165 Memmove

165.1 Definition

INT memmove (<**VOID POINTER** destination> , <**VOID POINTER** origin> , <**INT** size>)

Copies a certain number of **bytes** from one point in **memory** to another.

Difference between **memmove()** and **memcpy()** is that the first one can be used if the destination section and origin section overlap. With **memcpy()**, this can go wrong, though some systems make **memcpy()** safe too.

165.2 Parameters

- VOID POINTER** destination - Pointer to the first byte of the destination.
- VOID POINTER** origin - Pointer to the first byte of the origin.
- INT** size - The size of the to be copied memory in bytes.

165.3 Returns

INT : true

165.4 Example

```
import "mod_mem"
import "mod_say"

Const
    elements = 5;
End

Process Main()
Private
    byte bytearray[elements-1];
    byte* pbyte;
    int i;
End
Begin

    // Allocate memory
    pbyte = alloc(elements);

    // Set numbers
    for(i=0; i<elements; i++)
        bytearray[i] = i;
    end

    // Copy bytes to bytearray
    memmove(pbyte, &bytearray[0], elements);

    // Show numbers
    for(i=0; i<elements; i++)
        say("byte["+i+"] = " + pbyte[i]);
    end

OnExit

    // Free the used memory
    free(pbyte);

End
```

Used in example: **alloc()**, **memmove()**, **say()**, **free()**, **array**, **pointer**

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166 Memory free

166.1 Syntax

INT memory_free ()

166.2 Description

Returns the free memory total in bytes.

166.3 Returns

INT : Free memory total in bytes.

166.4 Example

```
import "mod_mem"
import "mod_say"

Process Main()
Begin

    say("Total memory: " + memory_total());
    say("Free memory: " + memory_free() );

End
```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [memory_total\(\)](#), [memory_free\(\)](#)

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167 Memory total

167.1 Definition

INT memory_total ()

Returns the memory total in bytes.

167.2 Returns

INT : Memory total in bytes.

167.3 Example

```
import "mod_mem"
import "mod_say"

Process Main()
Begin

    say("Total memory: " + memory_total());
    say("Free memory: " + memory_free() );

End
```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [memory_total\(\)](#), [memory_free\(\)](#)

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168 Memset

168.1 Syntax

INT memset (<**VOID POINTER** data> , <**BYTE** value> , <**INT** bytes>)

168.2 Description

Sets all bytes in the specified memory block to the specified value.

168.3 Parameters

VOID POINTER data - Pointer to the block of bytes in memory
BYTE value - Value to set all bytes to.
INT bytes - Number of bytes to change the value of.

168.4 Returns

INT : true

168.5 Example

See [alloc\(\)](#).

Also useful in conjunction with [map_buffer\(\)](#) with 8bit [maps](#). (*Example needed.*)

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169 Memseti

169.1 Syntax

INT memseti (<**VOID POINTER** data> , <**INT** value> , <**INT** ints>)

169.2 Description

Sets all **ints** in the specified memory block to the specified value.

169.3 Parameters

VOID POINTER data - Pointer to the block of ints in memory.
INT value - Value to set all ints to.
INT ints - Number of ints to change the value of.

169.4 Returns

INT : true

169.5 Example

See `alloc()`.

Also useful in conjunction with `map_buffer()` with 32bit **maps**. (*Example needed.*)

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170 Memsetw

170.1 Syntax

INT memsetw (<**VOID POINTER** data> , <**WORD** value> , <**INT** words>)

170.2 Description

Sets all words in the specified memory block to the specified value.

170.3 Parameters

VOID POINTER data - Pointer to the block of words in memory.
WORD value - Value to set all words to.
INT words - Number of words to change the value of.

170.4 Returns

INT : true

170.5 Example

See [alloc\(\)](#).

Also useful in conjunction with [map_buffer\(\)](#) with 16bit [maps](#). (*Example needed.*)

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171 Minimize

171.1 Definition

INT minimize ()

Iconifies/minimizes the window.

171.2 Returns

INT : success

0 - If minimizing/iconification is not support or was refused by the window manager.

!0 - Success.

171.3 Example

```
import "mod_key"
import "mod_wm"

Process Main()
Begin
    Repeat
        if(key(_M))
            while(key(_M)) frame; end
            minimize();
        end
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC) || exit_status)

End
```

Used in example: [key\(\)](#), [minimize\(\)](#), [exit_status](#)

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172 Mkdir

172.1 Definition

INT mkdir (<**STRING** directoryname >)

Creates a new directory in the current path of execution with a certain name.

172.2 Parameters

STRING directoryname - The name of the directory to be created.

172.3 Returns

INT : Success

0 (**false**) - Creating a new directory with the specified name failed.

!0 (**true**) - Creating a new directory with the specified name succeeded.

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173 Mode is ok

173.1 Definition

INT mode_is_ok (<INT width> , <INT height> , <INT depth>, <INT flags>)

Returns 0 if the requested mode is not supported under any bit depth, or returns the bits-per-pixel of the closest available mode with the given width, height and requested flags.

173.2 Parameters

- INT** width - Width of the screen in [pixels](#).
- INT** height - Height of the screen in [pixels](#).
- INT** depth - [Color depth](#) of the screen. See [color_depths](#).
- INT** flags - Mode of rendering. See [render flags](#).

173.3 Returns

INT : Whether the specified mode can be used.

- 0 - The specified mode cannot be used.
- >0 - The bits-per-pixel of the closest available mode for the given width, height and flags.

173.4 Example

```
import "mod_video"
import "mod_key"
import "mod_wm"

Process Main()
Begin
  if (is_mode_ok(640,400,16,0))
    set_mode(640,400,16);
  else
    set_mode(640,480,16);
  end
  Repeat
    frame;
  Until(key(_ESC) || exit_status)
End
```

Used in example: [is_mode_ok\(\)](#), [set_mode\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [exit_status](#)

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174 Move draw

174.1 Definition

INT move_draw (<INT DrawID> , <INT x> , <INT y>)

Moves a certain **drawing** on the screen. Only drawings drawn with a certain z value can be moved like this, as other ones are drawn on a **graphic** and thus cannot be moved.

174.2 Parameters

- INT** DrawID - DrawID of the **drawing** to be moved.
- INT** x - The new x coordinate of the drawing.
- INT** y - The new y coordinate of the drawing.

174.3 Returns

INT : true

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175 Move text

175.1 Definition

INT move_text (<INT TextID> , <INT x> , <INT y>)

Moves an existing [text](#) to another place on the screen.

175.2 Parameters

INT TextID - [Identifier of the text](#) you want to move. This identifier should have been appointed to a text earlier on.

INT x - The new horizontal coordinate (of the control point) of your text.

INT y - The new vertical coordinate (of the control point) of your text.

175.3 Returns

<If someone knows, please edit!>

175.4 Notes

None.

175.5 Errors

<If someone knows, please edit!>

175.6 Example

```
Program test;
Global
  My_text;
Begin
  My_text=write(0,320/2,200/2,4,"Press space to move this.");
  Loop
    If (key(_space))
      Move_text(My_text,rand(0,319),rand(0,199));
    End
  Frame;
End
End
```

Used in example: [write\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [rand\(\)](#)

This will result in something like:

[File:Move text.png](#)

176 Move window

176.1 Definition

INT move_window (<**INT** x> , <**INT** y>)

Moves the **Bennu** window so that the top left of the window is on the specified (x,y).

Also called **Set window pos.**

176.2 Parameters

INT x - The new X coordinate of the top left of the window.

INT y - The new Y coordinate of the top left of the window.

176.3 Returns

INT : true

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177 NET About

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177.1 Definition

INT NET_About ()

Tells the user about [Network.DLL](#), using the console.

177.2 Returns

INT : The current Network.DLL version (integer).

177.3 Example

```
include "libnetwork.bh"
```

```
Process Main()
```

```
Begin
```

```
    NET_About ();
```

```
End
```

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178 NET Accept

Up to Network.DLL Functions

178.1 Definition

INT NET_Accept (<**WORD** listen_connection >)

Waits for a new incoming connection on the specified listening connection. The connection identifier of the new incoming connection is returned. Waiting means that this function DOES NOT return until an incoming connection is made.

178.2 Parameters

WORD listen_connection - The connection identifier of the listening connection on which a new incoming connection is expected.

178.3 Returns

INT : [Network.DLL Errorcode](#)

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.

NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE - The connection is inactive.

0 - n - Connection identifier of the incoming connection on the specified listening connection. (Where n is the number of maximum allowed connections)

178.4 Example

As an example, here is the code for **NET_Accept()**:

```
Function int NET_Accept(word listen_conn);
Begin
/* Checks */
    if(listen_conn>=NET.maxlistenports)
        if(NET.consolereports)
            NET_ConsoleMessage(listen_conn,"Error: Connection " + listen_conn + " invalid");
        end
        return NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN;
    end
    if(NET.Status[listen_conn]<=NET_STATUS_INACTIVE)
        if(NET.consolereports)
            NET_ConsoleMessage(listen_conn,"Error: Connection " + listen_conn + " not active");
        end
        return NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE;
    end
/* Wait for new connection */
    While(NET.Incoming[listen_conn]!=NET_STATUS_ESTABLISHED)
        frame;
    End
    listen_conn = net_incoming_accept(listen_conn);
    return listen_conn;
End
```

Used in example: [NET.Incoming](#), [NET_Incoming_Accept\(\)](#)

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179 NET Connect

Up to Network.DLL Functions

179.1 Definition

INT NET_Connect (<**STRING** address> , <**WORD** port> , [<**BYTE** consolereports>])

Opens a connection to the specified address on the specified port. The opened connection can be disconnected with [NET_Disconnect\(\)](#).

Also called [NET_Open\(\)](#).

179.2 Parameters

STRING address - The address to which will be connected.

WORD port - The port on which will be connected.

[**BYTE** consolereports] - *true/false*: specifies whether there will be console reports for this connection (like messages).

179.3 Returns

INT : Connection identifier.

NET_ERROR_INVALIDSOCKETSET - The socketset is invalid.

NET_ERROR_SOCKETSETINACTIVE - The socketset is inactive.

NET_ERROR_INVALIDPORTNUMBER - The portnumber is invalid (<0 or >65535).

NET_ERROR_INVALIDTYPE - The type specified is invalid.

NET_ERROR_TOOMANYCONNS - There are too many connections

NET_ERROR_RESOLVINGHOST - Could not resolve host.

NET_ERROR_CONNECTING - Could not connect.

NET_ERROR_ADDINGSOCKET - Could not add socket to socketset.

0 - n - Connection identifier. (Where n is the number of maximum allowed connections)

179.4 Example

```
Program example;
  include "Network.fh";
Begin
  NET_Init(0,10,1);
  NET_Connect("www.google.com",80,true);

  Loop
    frame;
  End

End
```

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180 NET Disconnect

Up to [Network.DLL Functions](#)

180.1 Definition

INT NET_Disconnect (<**WORD** connection>)

Closes a the specified connection. This can be a listening connection and a normal connection.

Also called [NET_Close\(\)](#).

180.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier of the connection to be closed.

180.3 Returns

INT : [Network.DLL Errorcode](#)

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN	- The connection is invalid.
NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE	- The connection is inactive.
NET_ERROR_DELETINGSOCKET	- Could not delete the socket.
NET_ERROR_NONE	- No error.

180.4 Example

```
Program example;
    include "Network.fh";
Private
    int netid;
Begin
    NET_Init(0,10,1);
    netid = NET_Listen(4555,true);
    NET_Disconnect(netid);

    Loop
        frame;
    End

End
```

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181 NET DisconnectAll

Up to [Network.DLL Functions](#)

181.1 Definition

INT NET_DisconnectAll ()

Closes all connections.

Also called [NET_CloseAll\(\)](#).

181.2 Returns

INT : [Network.DLL Errorcode](#)

NET_ERROR_NONE - No error.

181.3 Example

```
Program example;
  include "Network.fh";
Begin
  NET_Init(0,10,1);
  NET_Connect("www.google.com",80,true);
  NET_DisconnectAll();

  Loop
  frame;
End

End
```

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182 NET GetError

Up to [Network.DLL Functions](#)

182.1 Definition

STRING NET_GetError (<INT error_id>)

Returns a short description of the specified error.

182.2 Parameters

INT error_id - The errorcode.

182.3 Returns

STRING : The error.

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183 NET GetSeparator

Up to Network.DLL Functions

183.1 Definition

STRING NET_GetSeparator (<**WORD** connection>)

Returns the current separation string for the specified connection.

NET_Separator(<**WORD** connection>) equals NET_GetSeparator(<**WORD** connection>).

183.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier.

183.3 Returns

STRING : The separation string.

"" - There was an error or no separation string.

!"" - The separation string.

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184 NET GetSeparatorLength

Up to Network.DLL Functions

184.1 Definition

INT NET_GetSeparatorLength (<**WORD** connection >)

Returns the length of the current separation string for the specified connection.

184.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier.

184.3 Returns

INT : The length of the separation string.

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.

>=0 - The length of the separation string.

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185 NET Hostname

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185.1 Definition

STRING NET_Hostname (<**WORD** connection >)

Gets the hostname of the other peer on a certain connection.

185.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier of the connection of which the hostname of the other peer is wanted.

185.3 Returns

STRING : The hostname.

"" There was an error.

!"" The hostname (string).

185.4 Example

```
Program example;
  include "Network.fh";
Private
  int netid;
Begin

  NET_Init(0,10,1);
  netid = NET_Connect("www.google.com",80,true);
  say("Hostname: " + NET_Hostname(netid));

  Loop
    frame;
  End

End
```

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186 NET IPAddress

[Up to Network.DLL Functions](#)

186.1 Definition

STRING NET_IPAddress (<**WORD** connection >)

Gets the IP address of the other peer on a certain connection.

186.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier of the connection of which the IP address of the other peer is wanted.

186.3 Returns

STRING : The IP address.

"" There was an error.

!"" The IP address (string).

186.4 Example

```
Program example;
  include "Network.fh";
Private
  int netid;
Begin

  NET_Init(0,10,1);
  netid = NET_Connect("www.google.com",80,true);
  say("IPAddress: " + NET_IPAddress(netid));

  Loop
    frame;
  End

End
```

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187 NET IPToInt

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187.1 Definition

STRING NET_IPToInt (<**STRING** IPAddress >)

Returns the int form of the IPAddress. If the string IPAddress is not of the form xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx, there is no guaranteed outcome.

187.2 Parameters

STRING IPAddress - The IPAddress.

187.3 Returns

INT : The int form of the IPAddress.

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188 NET Incoming Accept

Up to Network.DLL Functions

188.1 Definition

INT NET_Incoming_Accept (<**WORD** listen_connection >)

On the specified listening connection, accepts the last incoming connection. When the **NET.Incoming**[*listen_connection*] value becomes **NET_STATUS_ESTABLISHED**, this function can be used to accept the connection and retrieve the connectionID of the new incoming connection.

For a function that *waits* for a new connection, see **NET_Accept()**.

188.2 Parameters

WORD listen_connection - The connection identifier of the listening connection on which a new incoming connection is made.

188.3 Returns

INT : **Network.DLL** Errorcode

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.

NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE - The connection is inactive.

NET_ERROR_TOOFEWCONNS - There are no new incoming connections on the specified listening connection.

0 - n - Connection identifier of the incoming connection on the specified listening connection. (Where n is the number of maximum allowed connections)

188.4 Example

As an example, here is the code for **NET_Accept()**:

```
Function int NET_Accept(word listen_conn);
Begin
/* Checks */
    if(listen_conn>=NET.maxlistenports)
        if(NET.consolereports)
            NET_ConsoleMessage(listen_conn,"Error: Connection " + listen_conn + " invalid");
        end
        return NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN;
    end
    if(NET.Status[listen_conn]<=NET_STATUS_INACTIVE)
        if(NET.consolereports)
            NET_ConsoleMessage(listen_conn,"Error: Connection " + listen_conn + " not active");
        end
        return NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE;
    end
/* Wait for new connection */
    While(NET.Incoming[listen_conn]!=NET_STATUS_ESTABLISHED)
        frame;
    End
    listen_conn = net_incoming_accept(listen_conn);
    return listen_conn;
End
```

Used in example: **NET.Incoming**, **NET_Incoming_Accept()**

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189 NET Init

Up to [Network.DLL Functions](#)

189.1 Definition

INT NET_Init (<**INT** timeout> , <**WORD** maxconnections> , <**WORD** maxlistenports>)

Initializes [Network.DLL](#).

189.2 Parameters

- INT** timeout - Milliseconds to wait for messages each frame. (0 is the best thing, really)
WORD maxconnections - Maximum number of connections.
WORD maxlistenports - Maximum number of ports on which can be listened for connections.

189.3 Returns

INT : [Network.DLL Errorcode](#)

- NET_ERROR_ALREADYINIT - Network.DLL already initialized.
NET_ERROR_INITIALIZATION - Error during initialization.
NET_ERROR_TOOFEWCONNS - Too small number of maximum connections
NET_ERROR_TOOMANYLISTENERS - Too many listenports specified.
>=0 - No error ([ProcessID](#) of the NET process)

189.4 Notes

Also consider (initializing) the following [Global variables](#) (before calling NET_Init()):

- word NET.MaxConnections
- word NET.MaxListenPorts
- word NET.ActiveConnections
- word NET.ActiveListenPorts
- byte NET.ConsoleReports

189.5 Example

```
include "libnetwork.bh"

Process Main()
Begin

    NET_Init(0,10,1);
    NET_Quit();

End
```

Used in example: [NET_Init\(\)](#), [NET_Quit\(\)](#)

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190 NET IntToIP

Up to [Network.DLL Functions](#)

190.1 Definition

STRING NET_IntToIP (<INT IP>)

Returns the normal xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx form of the IP.

190.2 Parameters

INT IP - The IP as an integer.

190.3 Returns

STRING : The xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx form of the IP.

"" - There was an error.

!"" - The xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx form of the IP.

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191 NET IntVersion

Up to Network.DLL Functions

191.1 Definition

INT NET_IntVersion ()

Returns the current [Network.DLL](#) version.

191.2 Returns

INT : The current [Network.DLL](#) version (int).

191.3 Example

```
Program example;
  include "Network.fh";
Private
  int netver;
Begin
  netver = NET_IntVersion();

  Loop
    frame;
  End

End
```

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192 NET Listen

Up to Network.DLL Functions

192.1 Definition

INT NET_Listen (<**WORD** port> , [<**BYTE** consolereports>])

Opens a listenconnection on the specified port. The connections accepted will inherit certain variables from the listenport they were connected on. These variables are consolereports and separator. You only need to call this function once in order to accept multiple clients. The listening connection can be closed with [NET_Disconnect\(\)](#).

192.2 Parameters

WORD port - The port on which to listen.
[BYTE consolereports] - *true/false*: specifies whether there will be console reports for this connection (like messages).

192.3 Returns

INT : Connection identifier.

NET_ERROR_INVALIDSOCKETSET	- The socketset is invalid.
NET_ERROR_SOCKETSETINACTIVE	- The socketset is inactive.
NET_ERROR_INVALIDPORTNUMBER	- The portnumber is invalid (<0 or >65535).
NET_ERROR_INVALIDTYPE	- The type specified is invalid.
NET_ERROR_TOOMANYCONNS	- There are too many connections
NET_ERROR_RESOLVINGHOST	- Could not resolve host.
NET_ERROR_LISTENINGONCONN	- Could not listen on connection.
NET_ERROR_ADDINGSOCKET	- Could not add socket to socketset.
0 - n	- Connection identifier. (Where n is the number of maximum allowed connections)

192.4 Example

```
Program example;
    include "Network.fh";
Begin
    NET_Init(0,10,1);
    NET_Listen(4555,true);

    Loop
        frame;
    End

End
```

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193 NET Port

Up to Network.DLL Functions

193.1 Definition

INT NET_Port (<**WORD** connection >)

Gets the port in use on a certain connection.

Both ListenConnections and normal connections can be specified.

193.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier of the connection of which the port in use is wanted.

193.3 Returns

INT : The port in use on the specified connection.

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.

0 - 65536 - The port in use on the specified connection.

193.4 Example

```
Program example;
  include "Network.fh";
Private
  int netid;
Begin
  NET_Init(0,10,1);
  netid = NET_Connect("www.google.com",80,true);
  say("Port: " + NET_Port(netid));

  Loop
    frame;
  End
End
```

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194 NET Quit

Up to [Network.DLL Functions](#)

194.1 Definition

INT NET_Quit ()

Deinitializes [Network.DLL](#).

194.2 Returns

INT : [Network.DLL Errorcode](#)

NET_ERROR_NONE - No error.

194.3 Example

```
include "libnetwork.bh"
```

```
Process Main()
```

```
Begin
```

```
    NET_Init(0,10,1);  
    NET_Quit();
```

```
End
```

Used in example: [NET_Init\(\)](#), [NET_Quit\(\)](#)

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195 NET Recv

Up to Network.DLL Functions

195.1 Definition

INT NET_Recv (<**WORD** connection> , [<**BYTE** includeseparator>])

Gets the waiting message on a certain connection.

The function will keep returning messages until it returns "", which indicates no more new messages.

195.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier.

[**BYTE** includeseparator] - When true, the separator will be added to the message at the end. When false, it won't. Default is true.

Also called NET_GetMessage().

195.3 Returns

INT : [Network.DLL Errorcode](#)

"" - There was an error or no message.

!"" - The message (string). It appears this can also be a byte, word or integer. Just make sure the other peer sent it like it was received.

195.4 Notes

It is best to put this function in a frameless loop, like so:

```
msg = NET_Recv(conn_c);
Repeat
  say("Incoming(" + conn_c + "): " + msg);
  msg = NET_Recv(conn_c);
Until(len(msg)<=0)
```

This way it will still return "" if "" was indeed sent. If you don't need this or you have some other reason, you can change the loop to suit your needs, like:

```
while(len(msg = NET_Recv(conn_c))>0)
  say("Incoming(" + conn_c + "): " + msg);
End
```

195.5 Example

```
Program example;
  include "Network.fh";
Private
  int netid;
  string message;
Begin
  NET_Init(0,10,1);
  netid = NET_Connect("www.google.com",80,true);

  Loop
    If(NET.Incoming[netid])
      While( (message = NET_Recv(netid)) !=" " )
        say("Incoming(" + netid + "): " + message);
      End
    End
  End
  frame;
End

End
```

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196 NET RecvFile

Up to Network.DLL Functions

196.1 Definition

INT NET_RecvFile (<**WORD** connection> , <**STRING** filename>)

Receives a file on the specified connection. The contents of the received file will be written to the file with specified filename.

196.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier.

STRING filename - The filename of the file to write to, including a possible path.

196.3 Returns

INT : The size of the successfully received file. Without the separatorlength.

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN	- The connection is invalid.
NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE	- The connection is inactive.
NET_ERROR_OPENINGFILE	- Could not open file.
NET_ERROR_NONEWMESSAGE	- The incomingbuffer is empty.
NET_ERROR_UNFINISHEDMESSAGE	- The data in the incomingbuffer is incomplete.
NET_ERROR_SIZEMISMATCH	- Sizes do not match: tried to receive a non-existing file.
>=0	- The size of the successfully received file. Without the separatorlength.

196.4 Notes

This function is to receive files sent with [NET_SendFile\(\)](#).

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197 NET RecvGraph

Up to Network.DLL Functions

197.1 Definition

INT NET_RecvGraph (<**WORD** connection>)

Receives a **graphic** on the specified connection. With the data received on the connection, a new **graphic** will be created in the **system file** and its **graphID** returned.

197.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier.

197.3 Returns

INT : The size of the successfully sent graph. With the **separatorlength**, if the separator was added.

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN	- The connection is invalid.
NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE	- The connection is inactive.
NET_ERROR_CREATINGGRAPH	- Could not create graphic .
NET_ERROR_NONEWMESSAGE	- The incomingbuffer is empty.
NET_ERROR_UNFINISHEDMESSAGE	- The message in the incomingbuffer is incomplete.
NET_ERROR_SIZEMISMATCH	- Sizes do not match: tried to receive a non-existing graph.
>=0	- The graphID of the graphic created using the received data.

197.4 Notes

This function is to receive **graphics** sent with **NET_SendGraph()**.

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198 NET RecvVar

Up to Network.DLL Functions

198.1 Definition

INT NET_RecvVar (<**WORD** connection> , <**BYTE POINTER** data> , <**INT** length> , [<**BYTE** includeseparator>])

The receiving equivalent of [NET_SendVar\(\)](#): stores the data at the specified pointer, unlike [NET_GetMessage\(\)](#), which returns the message as a string, not allowing some variables.

198.2 Parameters

- WORD** connection - The connection identifier.
BYTE pointer message - The pointer the data/variable will be written to.
INT length - The length/size of the data/variable.
[BYTE includeseparator] - *true/false*: whether the connection's separator will be added to the received data at the end. Default is false.

198.3 Returns

INT : The size of the successfully received message. Without the separatorlength.

- NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.
NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE - The connection is inactive.
NET_ERROR_NONEWMESSAGE - The incomingbuffer is empty.
NET_ERROR_UNFINISHEDMESSAGE - The data in the incomingbuffer is incomplete.
NET_ERROR_SIZEMISMATCH - Sizes do not match (*length* and the length of the received data).
>=0 - The size of the successfully received data. Without the separatorlength.

198.4 Notes

This function is mainly to receive data sent with [NET_SendVar\(\)](#).

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199 NET Resolve

Up to Network.DLL Functions

199.1 Definition

STRING NET_Resolve (<**STRING** IPAddress >)

Returns the hostname of the IPAddress specified. A hostname can also be specified.

199.2 Parameters

STRING IPAddress - The IPAddress (like "127.0.0.1") or hostname.

199.3 Returns

STRING : The hostname.

"" - There was an error. !"" - The hostname.

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200 NET Send

Up to Network.DLL Functions

200.1 Definition

INT NET_Send (<**WORD** connection> , <**STRING** message> , [<**BYTE** includeseparator>])

Sends a certain message to the other peer on a certain connection.

It appears the message can also be a byte, word or integer. Just make sure the other peer receives it like it was sent. For those variables `NET_SendVar()` is recommended though.

Also called `NET_Message()`.

200.2 Parameters

- WORD** connection - The connection identifier of the connection on which the other peer is to receive the message.
- STRING** message - The message.
- [**BYTE** includeseparator] - *true/false*: whether the connection's separator will be added to the message at the end. Default is true.

200.3 Returns

INT : The size of the successfully sent message. With the separatorlength, if the separator was added.

- NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.
- NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE - The connection is inactive.
- NET_ERROR_MESSAGE_TOO_LONG - The message is too long.
- NET_ERROR_MESSAGE_TOO_SHORT - The message is too short.
- NET_ERROR_SENDING - Could not send.
- >=0 - The size of the successfully sent message. With the separatorlength, if the separator was added.

200.4 Example

```
Program example;
    include "Network.fh";
Private
    int netid;
Begin
    NET_Init(0,10,1);
    netid = NET_Connect("www.google.com",80,true);
    NET_Send(netid,"HELLO!" + chr(13) + chr(10)); // This is not a valid HTTP protocol message

    Loop
        frame;
    End

End
```

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201 NET SendFile

Up to Network.DLL Functions

201.1 Definition

INT NET_SendFile (<**WORD** connection> , <**STRING** filename>)

Sends a file.

201.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier.

STRING filename - The filename of the file to be sent, including a possible path.

201.3 Returns

INT : The size of the successfully sent file. With the separatorlength, if the separator was added.

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.

NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE - The connection is inactive.

NET_ERROR_NONEXISTINGFILE - The file does not exist.

NET_ERROR_OPENINGFILE - Could not open file.

NET_ERROR_SENDING - Could not send.

>=0 - The size of the successfully sent file. With the separatorlength, if the separator was added.

201.4 Notes

Make sure the file is received properly. [NET_RecvFile\(\)](#) is helpful for this.

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202 NET SendGraph

Up to Network.DLL Functions

202.1 Definition

INT NET_SendGraph (<**WORD** connection> , <**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID>)

Sends a **graphic** on a connection.

202.2 Parameters

- WORD** connection - The connection identifier.
- INT** fileID - The **FileID** of the **file** the to be sent **graphic** is located in.
- INT** graphID - The **GraphID** of the **graphic** to be sent.

202.3 Returns

INT : The size of the successfully sent graph. With the separatorlength, if the separator was added.

- NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.
- NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE - The connection is inactive.
- NET_ERROR_NONEXISTINGGRAPH - The **graphic** does not exist.
- NET_ERROR_SENDING - Could not send.
- >=0 - The size of the successfully sent graph. With the separatorlength, if the separator was added.

202.4 Notes

Make sure the **graphic** is received properly. **NET_RecvGraph()** is helpful for this.

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203 NET SendRN

Up to Network.DLL Functions

203.1 Definition

INT NET_SendRN (<**WORD** connection> , <**STRING** message>)

Same as [NET_Send\(\)](#) except there is added `\r\n` at the end of the message. The connection's separator is not added to the end.

Also called [NET_MessageRN\(\)](#).

203.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier of the connection on which on which the other peer is to receive the message.

STRING message - The message.

203.3 Returns

INT : The size of the successfully sent message. With the added `\r\n`.

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN	- The connection is invalid.
NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE	- The connection is inactive.
NET_ERROR_MESSAGE_TOO_LONG	- The message is too long.
NET_ERROR_MESSAGE_TOO_SHORT	- The message is too short.
NET_ERROR_SENDING	- Could not send.
>=0	- The size of the successfully sent message. With the added <code>\r\n</code> .

203.4 Example

```
Program example;
    include "Network.fh";
Private
    int netid;
Begin
    NET_Init(0,10,1);
    netid = NET_Connect("www.google.com",80,true);
    NET_SendRN(netid,"HELLO!"); // This is not a valid HTTP protocol message

    Loop
        frame;
    End
End
```

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204 NET SendVar

Up to Network.DLL Functions

204.1 Definition

INT NET_SendVar (<**WORD** connection> , <**BYTE POINTER** data> , <**INT** length> , [<**BYTE** includeseparator>])

Sends data in array form or a byte, word or int or whatever other variable.

A null character on the end is not needed:

```
NET_SendVar( netid , &data , sizeof(data_element)*elements );
```

Or send an integer:

```
NET_SendVar( netid , &my_int , sizeof(int) );
```

Or send a struct:

```
NET_SendVar( netid , mystruct , sizeof(mystruct) );
```

204.2 Parameters

- WORD** connection - The connection identifier.
- BYTE POINTER** data - The pointer to the data/variable.
- INT** length - The length/size of the data/variable.
- [**BYTE** includeseparator] - **true/false**: whether the connection's separator will be added to the data at the end. Default is true.

204.3 Returns

INT : The size of the successfully sent data. With the separatorlength, if the separator was added.

- NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.
- NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE - The connection is inactive.
- NET_ERROR_MESSAGETOOLONG - The data is too big.
- NET_ERROR_SENDING - Could not send.
- >=0 - The size of the successfully sent data. With the separatorlength, if the separator was added.

204.4 Notes

Make sure the data is received properly. If you send a struct, be sure the receiver knows he should be receiving a struct and then receive the struct like it should. [NET_RecvVar\(\)](#) is helpful for this.

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205 NET Separator

Up to [Network.DLL Functions](#)

205.1 Definition

INT NET_Separator (<**WORD** connection> , <**STRING** separator> , <**BYTE** length>)

Specifies a separation string. Messages will be separated where this string is found. This is useful for various reasons. Like making an IRC client, you can do:

```
NET_Separator( netid , chr(13)+chr(10) , 2 );
```

IRC uses the ending string `\r\n` (carriagereturn and newline), so now the incoming messages will be automatically separated.

Maximum length is 255 characters.

NET_Separator(<**WORD** connection>) equals [NET_GetSeparator](#)(<**WORD** connection>).

205.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier.

STRING separator - The separation string. Specify 0 to disable message separation.

BYTE length - The length of the separation string. Specify 0 to disable message separation.

205.3 Returns

INT : [Network.DLL Errorcode](#)

NET_ERROR_INVALIDCONN - The connection is invalid.

NET_ERROR_CONNINACTIVE - The connection is inactive.

NET_ERROR_NONE - No error.

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206 NET Stat Buffer

Up to Network.DLL Functions

206.1 Definition

INT NET_Stat_Buffer (<**WORD** connection >)

Gets the incoming messages buffer. This does not affect the buffer. This function is only useful in some debug cases.

206.2 Parameters

WORD connection - The connection identifier.

206.3 Returns

STRING : The incoming messages buffer.

"" - There was an error or the buffer is empty.

!"" - The incoming messages buffer.

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207 NET Version

Up to [Network.DLL Functions](#)

207.1 Definition

STRING NET_Version ()

Returns the current [Network.DLL](#) version.

207.2 Returns

STRING : The current [Network.DLL](#) version (string).

207.3 Example

```
Program example;
  include "Network.fh";
Private
  string netver;
Begin
  netver = NET_Version();

  Loop
    frame;
  End

End
```

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208 Pal load

208.1 Syntax

INT pal_load (<**STRING** filename>)

208.2 Description

Loads a color palette from a file.

The current **palette** is switched to the loaded one. Note that one can load a palette from an 8bit **FPG** or **MAP** file (the remaining graphic data will not be loaded) or a **PAL** file.

Also called `load_pal()`.

208.3 Parameters

STRING filename - The filename of the file that you wish to load the **palette** from (including extension and possible path).

208.4 Returns

INT : Error.

- 1 - Error: could not open file; corrupt or truncated file; file doesn't contain palette information.
- 0 - Error: could not obtain filename; some **FPL** error.
- 1 - No error: **palette** was loaded with success.

208.5 Example

```
Program example;  
Begin  
  
    load_pal("example.pal");  
  
    Loop  
        frame;  
    End  
  
End
```

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209 Pango render

This function is part of the [Pango library](#).

209.1 Syntax

`INT pango_render (<STRING markup>)`

209.2 Description

Returns a [graphic](#) with the specified markup rendered on it. The markup is expected to be a UTF-8 encoded string; markup accepted by the Pango BennuGD binding is the same as upstream Pango's and can be consulted [here](#).

In case of failure, a 0x0 sized graphic will be returned.

After usage, unload the graphic with [map_unload\(\)](#).

209.3 Parameters

STRING markup - The markup to render to a graphic.

209.4 Returns

INT : [GraphID](#)

0 - There was some error. Pango tends to drop error on stdout, so check your terminal for them.

>0 - The graphID of a new graphic with the specified markup rendered on it.

209.5 Example

```
import "mod_say";
import "mod_key";
import "mod_video";
import "mod_map";
import "mod_mouse";
import "mod_text";

import "pango";

Process main()
Private
    int retval=0;
    string markup = '<span foreground="blue" background="black">e=mc<sup>2</sup></span>';
Begin

    set_mode(640, 480, 32, MODE_WINDOW);

    // If given and argument, render that instead of the default text
    if(argc == 2)
        markup = '<span font_family="Serif" size="xx-large" foreground="blue" background="black"><u>'+argv[1]+'</u></span>';
    end;

    say("Going to render:");
    say(markup);

    // Render the markup and move it with the mouse
    graph = pango_render(markup);
    write_var(0, 0, 0, 0, x);
    write_var(0, 0, 10, 0, y);

    // Wait for escape key
    while(! key(_ESC))
        x = mouse.x;
        y = mouse.y;
        FRAME;
    End;

OnExit

    unload_map(0, graph);

End
```

Used in example: [import\(\)](#), [set_mode\(\)](#), [say\(\)](#), [pango_render\(\)](#), [write_var\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [unload_map\(\)](#), [mouse](#)

210 Pause song

210.1 Definition

INT pause_song ()

Pauses the currently playing song.

210.2 Notes

The song pauses immediately, but can be resumed later by calling `resume_song()`. For a nicer effect, you may want to fade the music out before pausing. See `fade_music_off()`.

210.3 Returns

INT : Error.

-1 - Error: sound inactive.

0 - No error.

210.4 Example

```
program music_example;
global
  my_song;
  playing;
  paused;
  faded_in;
  v;
begin
  set_mode(640,480,16);

  my_song=load_song("beat.ogg");

  write(0,320,30,4,"Use the keyboard to control the music playback.");
  write(0,320,50,4,"Key [ENTER] starts / stops the song.");
  write(0,320,60,4,"Key [SPACE] pauses / resumes the song.");
  write(0,320,70,4,"Key [0] through key [9] changes the song volume.");
  write(0,320,80,4,"Key [F] fades the song in or out.");

  write(0,320,120,5,"Playing: ");
  write_int(0,320,120,3,&playing);

  write(0,320,140,5,"Paused: ");
  write_int(0,320,140,3,&paused);

  write(0,320,160,5,"Faded in: ");
  write_int(0,320,160,3,&faded_in);

  write(0,320,180,5,"Volume: ");
  write_int(0,320,180,3,&v);

  v=128;
  faded_in=true;

  repeat
    if(key(_enter))
      if(is_playing_song())
        stop_song();
        playing=false;
      else
        play_song(my_song,1);
        playing=true;
      end
    while(key(_enter)) frame;end
  end

  if(key(_space))
    if(paused)
      paused=false;
      resume_song();
    else
      paused=true;
    end
  end
end
```

```

        pause_song();
    end
    while(key(_space)) frame;end
end

if(key(_f))
    if(faded_in)
        faded_in=false;
        fade_music_off(100);
    else
        faded_in=true;
        fade_music_in(my_song,1,100);
    end
    while(key(_f)) frame;end
end

if(key(_0))v=0;end
if(key(_1))v=14;end
if(key(_2))v=28;end
if(key(_3))v=43;end
if(key(_4))v=57;end
if(key(_5))v=71;end
if(key(_6))v=85;end
if(key(_7))v=100;end
if(key(_8))v=114;end
if(key(_9))v=128;end

set_song_volume(v);

frame;
until(key(_esc))

exit();
end

```

Used in example: [key\(\)](#), [set_mode\(\)](#), [load_song\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [pause_song\(\)](#), [play_song\(\)](#), [stop_song\(\)](#), [resume_song\(\)](#), [fade_music_in\(\)](#), [fade_music_off\(\)](#), [set_song_volume\(\)](#).

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211 Play song

211.1 Definition

INT play_song (<INT songID> , <INT repeats>)

Plays a song.

211.2 Parameters

INT songID - SongID of the song loaded previously with `load_song()`.

INT repeats - Number of times to repeat the song. Use -1 for an infinite loop.

211.3 Returns

INT : Error.

-1 - Error: sound inactive; mixer error; invalid `songID`.

0 - No error.

211.4 Errors

Sound inactive - The sound is inactive.

Invalid songID - The `songID` was invalid.

Other - Some Mixer error.

211.5 Example

```
Program example;
Private
    int song;
Begin
    song = load_song("my_song.ogg");
    play_song(song,0);
Loop
    frame;
End
End
```

Used in example: `load_song()`

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212 Play wav

212.1 Definition

INT play_wav (<INT waveID> , <INT repeats> , [<INT channel>])

Plays a **sound effect** previously loaded with `load_wav()`.

212.2 Parameters

INT waveID - The **WaveID** of the sound effect to be played.

INT repeats - Number of times to *repeat* the sound effect. Use -1 for an infinite loop.

[**INT** channel] - The **sound channel** the **sound effect** is to be played on (-1 for any, default).

212.3 Returns

INT : The **sound channel** the **sound effect** is now playing on.

-1 - Error: sound inactive; invalid **waveID**

>=0 - The **sound channel** the **sound effect** is now playing on.

212.4 Example

```
Program
Private
    int wave;
Begin
    wave = load_wav("my_wav.wav");
    play_wav(wave, 0);
    Loop
        frame;
    End
End
```

Used in example: `load_wav()`

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213 Png load

213.1 Definition

INT png_load (<**STRING** filename >)

Creates a new **graphic**, using the specified **PNG** file as contents and puts it in the **system file**. Returns the **graphID** of the created graphic. The **color depth** of the created graphic will be the same as the loaded PNG file.

Also called **load_png()**.

213.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The name of the **PNG** file to be loaded, including a possible **path**.

213.3 Returns

INT : **graphID**

0 - There was an error loading the file.

>0 - The **graphID** of the newly created graphic.

213.4 Example

Checkout the **PNG_LoadDirectory** tutorial.

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214 Png save

214.1 Definition

INT png_save (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID> , <STRING filename>)

Saves the specified **graphic** as *filename* with the format **PNG**.

Also called **save_png()**.

214.2 Parameters

- INT** fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** that holds the **graphic**.
- INT** graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** to save.
- STRING** filename - The name of the **PNG** file to be saved, including a possible **path**.

214.3 Returns

INT : Successrate

- false** - Error.
- true** - Success.

214.4 Example

```
//here's a cool thing to save a screenshot
import "mod_map"
import "mod_screen"
import "mod_key"

Global
    int takingscreenshot;
End

Process Main()
Begin
    Loop
        If (key(_F12))
            If (takingscreenshot==0)
                takingscreenshot=1;
                graph=screen_get(); // grabs the screen and sets it as the program graphic
                png_save(0,graph,"shot"+rand(0,9999)+".png"); // saves the graphic as a png with a
                                                                // random number in the filename to
                                                                // prevent overwriting
                map_unload(0,graph); //frees the graphic
            Else
                takingscreenshot=0;
            End
            While(key(_F12)) Frame; End
        End
    End
    frame;
End
End
```

Used in example: **key()**, **screen_get()**, **png_save()**, **map_unload()**

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215 Point get

215.1 Definition

INT get_point (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID> , <INT controlpointID> , <INT POINTER x> , <INT POINTER y>)

Allows you to obtain a control point of a particular [graph](#).

Any graph can contain up to 1000 control points (from 0 to 999). Control point 0 is the center of the graphic. This [function](#) allows you to know the location of any control point belonging to any graph.

To set a control point, use [set_point\(\)](#) or, for only the center of a graph, [set_center\(\)](#).

215.2 Parameters

- INT** fileID - Number of the FPG library.
- INT** graphID - Number of the graph inside the library which you want to use.
- INT** controlpointID - Number of the control point.
- INT POINTER** x - Pointer to where the X-coordinate of the control point will be written.
- INT POINTER** y - Pointer to where the Y-coordinate of the control point will be written.

215.3 Returns

INT : Successrate

- false** - One of the following: specified graph is invalid, specified control point is invalid, specified control point is undefined.
- true** - The control point was defined or the center was used.

215.4 Example

```
Program cpoint;
Private
    int map;
    int cx,cy;
Begin

    // Create a red graph
    map = new_map(100,100,8);
    map_clear(0,map,rgb(255,0,0));

    // Set the center to a random point
    set_center(0,map,rand(-10,110),rand(-10,110));

    // Get the center
    get_point(0,map,0,&cx,&cy);

    // Show the center
    say("Center-X: " + cx);
    say("Center-Y: " + cy);

    // Assign the map to the graph variable
    graph = map;

    // Set the location of this process to the center of the screen
    x = 160;
    y = 100;

    Loop
        frame;
    End
End
```

Used in example: [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [set_center\(\)](#), [say\(\)](#), [pointer](#), [graph](#)

Notice that setting the center influences the position of the graph: [Template:Image](#)

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216 Point set

216.1 Definition

INT point_set (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID> , <INT controlpointID> , <INT x> , <INT y>)

Allows you to set a control point of a particular [graphic](#).

Any graph can contain up to 1000 control points (from 0 to 999). Control point 0 is the center of the graphic. This [function](#) allows you to set the location of any control point belonging to any graph. The coordinates are relative to the upper left corner of the graphic.

To obtain the coordinates of a control point, use [point_get\(\)](#).

Also called [set_point\(\)](#).

216.2 Parameters

- INT** fileID - FileID of the [file](#) containing the graphic.
- INT** graphID - [GraphID](#) of the [graphic](#) of which to set a control point.
- INT** controlpointID - Number of the control point.
- INT** x - The new X-coordinate of the control point.
- INT** y - The new Y-coordinate of the control point.

216.3 Returns

INT : Successrate

- 1 - One of the following: specified graph is invalid, specified control point is invalid.
- 1 - The control point was set successfully.

216.4 Example

```
import "mod_map"
import "mod_say"
import "mod_wm"
import "mod_key"
import "mod_grproc"

Process Main()
Private
    int map;
    int cx,cy;
Begin

    // Create a red graph
    map = new_map(100,100,8);
    map_clear(0,map,rgb(255,0,0));

    // Set the center to a random point
    point_set(0,map,0,rand(-10,110),rand(-10,110));

    // Get the center
    point_get(0,map,0,&cx,&cy);

    // Show the center
    say("Center-X: " + cx);
    say("Center-Y: " + cy);

    // Assign the map to the graph variable
    graph = map;

    // Set the location of this process to the center of the screen
    x = 160;
    y = 100;

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(exit_status||key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: [new_map\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [point_set\(\)](#), [point_get\(\)](#), [say\(\)](#), [pointer](#), [graph](#)

Notice that setting the center influences the position of the graph: [Template:Image](#)

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217 Pow

217.1 Definition

FLOAT pow (<**FLOAT** base> , <**FLOAT** power>)

Returns *base* to the power of *power* ($base^power$).

217.2 Parameters

FLOAT base - The base.

FLOAT power - The power.

217.3 Returns

FLOAT : *base* to the power of *power* ($base^power$).

217.4 Example

```
Program powerful;
Global
    float value1;
    int value2;
Begin

    write_float(0,0, 0,0,&value1);
    write_int (0,0,10,0,&value2);

    value1 = pow(2.3,4.6);
    value2 = pow(2 ,3 );

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: [write_float\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [pow\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

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218 Put

218.1 Definition

INT put (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID> , <INT x> , <INT y>)

Draws (blits) a [graph](#) onto the [background](#).

For more advanced blitting, see:

- [xput\(\)](#)
- [map_put\(\)](#)
- [map_xput\(\)](#)
- [map_xputnp\(\)](#)

218.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The [file](#) that holds the graph.

INT graphID - The [graph](#) to draw with.

INT x - Where on the background's x-axis to put the graph.

INT y - Where on the background's y-axis to put the graph.

218.3 Returns

INT : [true](#)

218.4 Notes

The x and y parameters denote where to draw the graph, that is, where the center of the to be drawn graph will be.

218.5 Errors

Unsupported color depth - The origin graph's color depth is greater than the destination graph's.

218.6 Example

```
import "mod_map"
import "mod_screen"
import "mod_key"

Process Main()
Private
    int map;
Begin

    // Create a new graph of size 100x100 and color depth of 8bit
    map = map_new(100,100,8);

    // Clear the map red
    map_clear(0,map,rgb(255,0,0));

    // Put it in the center of the screen
    put(0,map,160,100);

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: [map_new\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [put\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

This will result in something like:

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219 Quicksort

219.1 Definition

INT quicksort (<**VOID POINTER** array> , <**INT** elementsize> , <**INT** elements> , <**INT** dataoffset> , <**BYTE** datasize> , <**BYTE** datatype>)

Sorts an **array** by the Quicksort ordering algorithm.

This function is very handy for user defined **types** for elements in which a **sort-variable** is present. For simple arrays or arrays in which the first variable is the **sort-variable**, **sort()** can be used. For arrays in which the **sort-variable** is a String, **ksort()** can be used.

219.2 Parameters

- VOID POINTER** array - **Pointer** to the first element of the **array** to be sorted.
- INT** elementsize - The size of an element in the array in bytes.
- INT** elements - The number of elements in the array.
- INT** dataoffset - The number of **bytes** the **sort-variable** in each element is relative to the start of that element.
- BYTE** datasize - The size of the **sort-variable** in bytes.
- BYTE** datatype - The datatype of the **sort-variable**. (0:**integer**, 1:**float**)

219.3 Returns

INT: **true**

219.4 Example

```
Program sorting;

Type _player
  String name;
  int score;
End

Const
  maxplayers = 5;
Global
  _player player[maxplayers-1];
Begin

  // Insert some values
  player[0].name = "That one bad looking dude";
  player[1].name = "Ah pretty lame guy";
  player[2].name = "Some cool dude";
  player[3].name = "OMG ZOMG guy";
  player[4].name = "This person is ok";

  player[0].score = 70;
  player[1].score = 30;
  player[2].score = 80;
  player[3].score = 90;
  player[4].score = 50;

  // Show array
  say("----- unsorted");
  for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
  end

/* Sort by name ( quicksort() can't be used to sort Strings,
as a String in Fenix is a pointer to the actual String,
so it would sort the pointer addresses */

  // sort()
  sort(player); // sorts by name because name is the first variable in each element

  // Show array
  say("----- name - sort()");
  for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
  end

  // ksort()
```

```

ksort(player,player[0].name,maxplayers);

// Show array
say("----- name - ksort()");
for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
end

/* Sort by score (sort() cannot be used here, because score is not the first variable) */

// ksort()
ksort(player,player[0].score,maxplayers);

// Show array
say("----- score - ksort()");
for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
end

// quicksort()
quicksort(&player[0],sizeof(_player),maxplayers,sizeof(String),sizeof(int),0);

// Show array
say("----- score - quicksort()");
for(x=0; x<maxplayers; x++)
    say(player[x].name + " - " + player[x].score);
end

// Wait until ESC is pressed
Repeat
    frame;
Until(key(_esc))

End

```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [sort\(\)](#), [ksort\(\)](#), [quicksort\(\)](#), [type](#), [array](#), [pointer](#)

220 Rand

220.1 Definition

INT rand (<INT lowerlimit> , <INT upperlimit>)

Returns a random number, ranging from a certain lower limit to a certain upper limit. The limits are within the range.

Make sure the difference between *lowerlimit* and *upperlimit* does not exceed 32767 ($2^{15}-1$). If that is needed, the function *rand2()* below can be used.

220.2 Parameters

INT lowerlimit - The lower limit for the random value.

INT upperlimit - The upper limit for the random value.

220.3 Returns

INT : A random value: lowerlimit <= result <= upperlimit

220.4 Notes

To synchronize rand() on different computers, the function *rand_seed()* can be used.

Rand() is not a very good function on itself. To counter this, the following *rand2()* can be used:

```
#define RAND_MAX 32767
#define DRAND_RANGE (1.0/((RAND_MAX + 1)*(RAND_MAX + 1)))
#define irand(x) ((unsigned int) ((x) * drand ()))
Function float drand ()
Private
    float f;
Begin
    Repeat
        f = (rand (0,RAND_MAX) * (RAND_MAX + 1.0)
            + rand (0,RAND_MAX)) * DRAND_RANGE;
    Until (f < 1); /* Round off */
    return f;
End
Function int rand2(int lowerlimit, int upperlimit)
Begin
    return (lowerlimit+irand(upperlimit-lowerlimit+1));
End
```

To understand this code, one can read [its source](#).

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221 Rand seed

221.1 Definition

INT `rand_seed (<INT seed>)`

Seeds the random generator, used in `rand()`.

This is useful for synchronizing the random generator on multiple machines, as when the same *seed* is used, calls to `rand()` with the same limits will return values in the same order on all the machines.

To reset the seeding to its original state, meaning the state before any call to `rand()` or `rand_seed()`, set *seed* to 1.

221.2 Parameters

INT `seed` - The seed for the random generator used in `rand()`; 1 to reset.

221.3 Returns

INT : `true`

221.4 Example

```
import "mod_rand"
import "mod_say"
import "mod_time"

Process Main()
Begin
    say("First number: " + (rand(0,1000)%100));
    rand_seed(time());
    say("Random number: " + (rand(0,1000)%100));
    rand_seed(1);
    say("Again the first number: " + (rand(0,1000)%100));
End
```

Used in example: `say()`, `rand()`, `rand_seed()`

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222 Realloc

222.1 Syntax

VOID POINTER realloc (<**VOID POINTER** data> , <**INT** size>)

222.2 Description

Resizes the given block of memory.

It allocates a new block of memory, copying the old data. If the new size is smaller than the old size, the last part of the data is lost. If the new size of the block of memory requires movement of the block, the old memory block is freed.

222.3 Parameters

VOID POINTER data - Pointer to the block of memory to be resized.

INT size - The new size of the block of memory in bytes.

222.4 Returns

VOID POINTER : Pointer to (the first element of) the newly allocated memory block.

NULL - There was an error allocating the memory, like insufficient memory available.

!NULL - Pointer to (the first element of) the newly allocated memory block.

222.5 Example

```
import "mod_mem"
import "mod_say"

Process Main()
Private
    byte pointer pbyte;
    byte pointer pbyte2;
    int elements = 10;
    int newelements = 15;
    int i;
Begin

    // Allocate memory
    pbyte = alloc(elements);

    // Set them to 13
    memset(pbyte,13,elements);

    // Relocate it to a larger, newly made memory block
    pbyte2 = realloc(pbyte,newelements);

    // Set the added part's elements to 16 (newelements > elements)
    memset(pbyte+elements,16,newelements-elements);

    // Show numbers
    for(i=0; i<newelements; i++)
        say("byte2["+i+"] = " + pbyte2[i]);
    end

OnExit

    // Free the used memory
    free(pbyte2);

End
```

Used in example: [alloc\(\)](#), [memset\(\)](#), [realloc\(\)](#), [say\(\)](#), [free\(\)](#), [pointer](#)

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223 Region define

223.1 Definition

INT region_define (<INT regionID> , <INT x> , <INT y> , <INT width> , <INT height>)

Defines the boundaries of a [region](#).

There are 32 regions, range 0 . . 31. Region 0 is always the whole screen and cannot be changed. Defining regions can be useful for the function [out_region\(\)](#), the [local variable region](#) and using them with [scrolls](#).

Also called [define_region\(\)](#).

223.2 Parameters

- INT** regionID - The [regionID](#) of the region to define.
- INT** x - The x coordinate of the top left corner of the region.
- INT** y - The y coordinate of the top left corner of the region.
- INT** width - The width of the region.
- INT** height - The height of the region.

223.3 Returns

INT : The [regionID](#) specified.

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224 Region out

224.1 Definition

INT out_region (<INT processID> , <INT regionID>)

Checks if the specified **process** is completely outside of the specified **region**.

The check is not pixel perfect, but uses the **bounding box** of the process.

Also called **out_region()**.

224.2 Parameters

INT processID - The **processID** of the process to check.

INT regionID - The **regionID** of the region to check with.

224.3 Returns

INT : **true/false**: whether the process is completely outside the region.

true - The process is completely outside the region.

false - The process is (partly) inside the region or invalid region or process specified.

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225 Resume song

225.1 Definition

INT resume_song ()

Resumes a song, after it has been paused with the function [pause_song\(\)](#).

225.2 Returns

INT : Error.

-1 - Error: sound inactive.

0 - No error.

225.3 Notes

The song will instantly start playing again with this function. For a nicer effect, you may want to fade the music in as you resume it. See [fade_music_in\(\)](#).

225.4 Example

```
program music_example;
global
  my_song;
  playing;
  paused;
  faded_in;
  v;
begin
  set_mode(640,480,16);

  my_song=load_song("beat.ogg");

  write(0,320,30,4,"Use the keyboard to control the music playback.");
  write(0,320,50,4,"Key [ENTER] starts / stops the song.");
  write(0,320,60,4,"Key [SPACE] pauses / resumes the song.");
  write(0,320,70,4,"Key [0] through key [9] changes the song volume.");
  write(0,320,80,4,"Key [F] fades the song in or out.");

  write(0,320,120,5,"Playing: ");
  write_int(0,320,120,3,&playing);

  write(0,320,140,5,"Paused: ");
  write_int(0,320,140,3,&paused);

  write(0,320,160,5,"Faded in: ");
  write_int(0,320,160,3,&faded_in);

  write(0,320,180,5,"Volume: ");
  write_int(0,320,180,3,&v);

  v=128;
  faded_in=true;

  repeat
    if(key(_enter))
      if(is_playing_song())
        stop_song();
        playing=false;
      else
        play_song(my_song,1);
        playing=true;
      end
    end
  while(key(_enter)) frame;end
end

if(key(_space))
  if(paused)
    paused=false;
    resume_song();
  else
    paused=true;
    pause_song();
  end
end
```

```

        while(key(_space)) frame;end
    end

    if(key(_f))
        if(faded_in)
            faded_in=false;
            fade_music_off(100);
        else
            faded_in=true;
            fade_music_in(my_song,1,100);
        end
        while(key(_f)) frame;end
    end

    if(key(_0)) v=0;end
    if(key(_1)) v=14;end
    if(key(_2)) v=28;end
    if(key(_3)) v=43;end
    if(key(_4)) v=57;end
    if(key(_5)) v=71;end
    if(key(_6)) v=85;end
    if(key(_7)) v=100;end
    if(key(_8)) v=114;end
    if(key(_9)) v=128;end

    set_song_volume(v);

    frame;
    until(key(_esc))

    exit();
end

```

Used in example: [key\(\)](#), [set_mode\(\)](#), [load_song\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [pause_song\(\)](#), [play_song\(\)](#), [stop_song\(\)](#), [resume_song\(\)](#), [fade_music_in\(\)](#), [fade_music_off\(\)](#), [set_song_volume\(\)](#).

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226 Rgb

226.1 Syntax

DWORD `rgb (<BYTE red> , <BYTE green> , <BYTE blue>)`

226.2 Description

Finds the single **color** in the current color mode closest to the combined red, green, and blue values specified. In 32bit mode, the alpha is set to 255.

Equal to `rgba (red, green, blue, 255)`

226.3 Parameters

- BYTE red** - Level of red in the desired color from 0 to 255.
- BYTE green** - Level of green in the desired color from 0 to 255.
- BYTE blue** - Level of blue in the desired color from 0 to 255.

226.4 Returns

DWORD : Returns the best matched color code.

226.5 Notes

Different color depths have different color codes, this is why `rgb()` is useful: it returns the appropriate code, based on the current color depth. When in 8bit mode, this code is 0..255 and when in 16bit mode 0..65535. In 32bit mode the code is 0xRRGGBBAA, two letters meaning one byte.

Using this function in different color depths can be tricky. This is because `rgb()` will return a different color code under different color depths. For example, when at 8bit, we do:

```
my_color = rgb(100,100,100);
```

`my_color` will most likely have the value 6 at this time. Suppose we change the color depth to 16bit now, using `set_mode()`. Now, `my_color` holds a totally different color than before, as 6 is nowhere near `rgb(100,100,100)` in 16bit mode. To counter this effect, `my_color` needs to be reinitialized:

```
my_color = rgb(100,100,100);
```

The same code, but `rgb()` now returns the proper code, as it always returns the code belonging to the current color depth. `my_color` will now be about 25388.

226.6 Example

```
import "mod_map"
import "mod_text"
import "mod_key"
import "mod_wm"

Process Main()
Private
    byte red=0;
    byte green=255;
    byte blue=0;
Begin

    set_text_color(rgb(red,green,blue)); // rgb finds the color closest to pure green and
                                        // passes it to set_text_color

    write(0,1,1,0,"Green text for everybody!"); //this text will be green

Repeat
    frame;
Until(key(_ESC) || exit_status)

End
```

Used in example: `set_text_color()`, `rgb()`, `write()`, `key()`, `exit_status`

227 Rgba

227.1 Syntax

DWORD rgba (<BYTE red> , <BYTE green> , <BYTE blue>, <BYTE alpha>)

227.2 Description

Finds the single **color** in the current color mode closest to the combined red, green, blue and alpha values specified. This function is useful in 32 bpp modes.

227.3 Parameters

BYTE red - Level of red in the desired color from 0 to 255.

BYTE green - Level of green in the desired color from 0 to 255.

BYTE blue - Level of blue in the desired color from 0 to 255.

BYTE alpha - Level of alpha in the desired color from 0 to 255, 0 being completely transparent and 255 completely opaque.

227.4 Returns

DWORD : Returns the best matched color code.

227.5 Notes

Different color depths have different color codes, this is why rgba() is useful: it returns the appropriate code, based on the current color depth. When in 8bit mode, this code is 0..255 and when in 16bit mode 0..65535. In 32bit mode the code is 0xRRGGBBAA, two letters meaning one byte.

Using this function in different color depths can be tricky. This is because rgba() will return a different color code under different color depths. For example, when at 8bit, we do:

```
my_color = rgba(100,100,100,255);
```

my_color will most likely have the value 6 at this time. Suppose we change the color depth to 16bit now, using set_mode(). Now, my_color holds a totally different color value than before, as 6 is nowhere near rgba(100,100,100,255) in 16bit mode. To counter this effect, my_color needs to be reinitialized:

```
my_color = rgba(100,100,100,255);
```

The same code, but rgba() now returns the proper code, as it always returns the code belonging to the current color depth. my_color will now be about 25388.

227.6 Example

```
import "mod_text"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_key"
import "mod_video"
import "mod_wm"

Const
    SCREEN_WIDTH  = 320;
    SCREEN_HEIGHT = 200;
    SCREEN_DEPTH  = 16;
End

Process Main()
Private
    int r=0;
    int g=255;
    int b=0;
    int a=0;
    int da=10;
Begin

    set_mode(SCREEN_WIDTH, SCREEN_HEIGHT, SCREEN_DEPTH);

    graph = map_new(100,100,SCREEN_DEPTH);
```

```
map_clear(0, graph, rgba(r, g, b, a));

x = y = 100;

Repeat
  a += da;
  if(a < 0)
    da = -da;
    a = 0;
  elseif(a > 255)
    da = -da;
    a = 255;
  end
  map_clear(0, graph, rgba(r, g, b, a));
  frame;
Until(key(_ESC) || exit_status)

End
```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [map_new\(\)](#), [map_clear\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [rgba\(\)](#), [graph](#), [exit_status](#)

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228 Rgbscale

228.1 Definition

INT `rgbscale` (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID> , <FLOAT r> , <FLOAT g> , <FLOAT b>)

This will convert the specified `graphic` by using the specified color as a reference. The converted graphic will have only the specified color and lighter/darker colors; see `notes` for the details.

228.2 Parameters

INT `fileID` - The `fileID` of the `file` that holds the graphics.

INT `graphID` - The `graphID` of the `graphic` to convert.

FLOAT `r` - The red component of the color to be used for reference.

FLOAT `g` - The green component of the color to be used for reference.

FLOAT `b` - The blue component of the color to be used for reference.

228.3 Returns

INT

-1 - Invalid graphic.

1 - Success.

228.4 Notes

The exact formula is:

```
for every pixel:
  c = 0.3 * oldpixel_r + 0.59 * oldpixel_g + 0.11 * oldpixel_b
  newpixel_r = r * c;
  newpixel_g = g * c;
  newpixel_b = b * c;
```

where `r,g,b` are the specified `r,g,b`.

Note that `rgbscale(0, map, 1, 1, 1) = grayscale(0, map, 0)`, for a valid graphic `(0, map)`.

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229 Rm

229.1 Definition

INT rm (<**STRING** filename >)

Removes (deletes) the file specified with *filename*.

229.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The name of the file to be removed (deleted).

229.3 Returns

INT : Success

0 (**false**) - Removing the file with the specified name failed.

!0 (**true**) - Removing the file with the specified name succeeded.

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230 Rmdir

230.1 Definition

INT rmdir (<**STRING** directoryname >)

Removes (deletes) the directory in the current path of execution with a certain name.

230.2 Parameters

STRING directoryname - The name of the directory to be removed (deleted).

230.3 Returns

INT : Success

0 (**false**) - Removing the directory with the specified name failed.

!0 (**true**) - Removing the directory with the specified name succeeded.

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231 Rpad

231.1 Definition

STRING rpad(<STRING str> , <INT length>)

Returns the string *str*, padding (adding spaces to) the back of the string if needed to make *str* of length *length*. The original string will remain unchanged.

If *length* is smaller or equal to the length of *str*, the returned string is *str*.

231.2 Parameters

STRING str - The string to pad (add spaces to).

INT length - The minimal length of the returned string.

231.3 Returns

STRING: padded string

231.4 Example

```
import "mod_string"
import "mod_say"

Process Main()
Private
    string ABC = "ABC";
    string _ABC;
    string ABC__;
Begin

    ABC = lpad(ABC,2);
    _ABC = lpad(ABC,4);
    ABC__ = rpad(ABC,5);

    say('ABC = "' + ABC + '"');
    say('_ABC = "' + _ABC + '"');
    say('ABC__ = "' + ABC__ + '"');

End
```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [lpad\(\)](#), [rpad\(\)](#)

Result:

```
ABC = "ABC"
_ABC = " _ABC"
ABC__ = "ABC  "
```

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232 Save

232.1 Definition

INT save (<**STRING** filename> , <**VARSPACE** data>)

Saves the data from the specified variable to the specified file.

232.2 Parameters

STRING filename - The name of the file that will be saved.

VARSPACE data - The variable (of any **datatype**) that will be saved in a file.

232.3 Returns

INT : The number of bytes written to the file.

232.4 Notes

Attempting to use "?" , "*" , "<" , ">" or "|" in a filename will result in no file at all on Windows, while using ":" in a filename results in everything from the ":" and beyond being cut off from the file name and the resulting file will be of size 0.

Using the characters "/" or "\" in the filename (without directories that can be accessed that way) results in everything from this character and before being cut off from the filename. The file will be saved successfully nonetheless.

232.5 Example

```
Program test;
Global
  struct My_struct
    Level_number="99";
    string Map_name="Amazing map";
  End
Begin
  Save("myfile.sav",My_struct); // The content of My_struct is saved in myfile.sav
  Write(0,10,10,0,"Data saved!");

  While (!key(_ESC))
    Frame;
  End
End
```

Used in example: **save()**, **write()**, **key()**

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233 Say

233.1 Definition

INT say (<**STRING** message >)

Prints *message* to stdout (console).

- Similar to `System.out.println(message)` in Java.
- Similar to `printf("%s\n", message)` in C

233.2 Parameters

STRING message - The message to print to stdout

233.3 Returns

INT - `true`

233.4 Example

```
import "mod_say"

Process Main()
Begin
    Say("Hello World!");
End
```

This will result in the output on console:

```
Hello World!
```

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234 Screen clear

234.1 Definition

INT `screen_clear ()`

Clears the `background` of the screen, making it completely black.

Also called `clear_screen()`.

234.2 Returns

INT : `true`

234.3 Notes

This is the same as `map_clear (0, BACKGROUND)`. When the background is cleared in either way, `Bennu` knows the background is empty and will take advantage of this knowledge.

234.4 Errors

Unsupported color depth - The specified graph has a not supported color depth.

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235 Screen get

235.1 Definition

INT screen_get ()

Creates a new **graphic** containing a copy of the lastly rendered frame.

The map will contain everything, including background, **processes**, **drawings** and **text**. Just like **map_new()**, the newly created graphic will be located in the **System file** (fileID of 0); the **graphID** will be returned. After the use of this graphic, it should be freed using **map_unload()**.

Also called **get_screen()**.

235.2 Returns

INT : **GraphID**

0 - Some error.

>0 - The **GraphID** of the **graphic** created.

235.3 Example

```
import "mod_key"
import "mod_screen"
import "mod_map"

Global
  int my_map;
End

Process Main()
Begin
  Repeat
    if(key(_F5))
      my_map = screen_get();
      png_save(0,my_map,"snapshot.PNG");
      map_unload(0,my_map);
      while(key(_F5)) frame; end
    end
    frame;
  Until(key(_ESC))
End
```

Used in example: **key()**, **screen_get()**, **png_save()**, **map_unload()**

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236 Screen put

236.1 Definition

INT screen_put (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID>)

Clears and draws (blits) a [graph](#) onto the [background](#) in the center.

For more advanced blitting, see:

- [put\(\)](#)
- [xput\(\)](#)

Also called [put_screen\(\)](#).

236.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The [file](#) that holds the graph.

INT graphID - The [graph](#) to draw with.

236.3 Returns

INT

0 - Invalid map.

1 - Success.

236.4 Notes

The center of the specified graph influences its placement.

The following codes are equivalent:

```
screen_put (f, g);
```

```
screen_clear ();
```

```
put (f, g, graphic_info (0, BACKGROUND, G_WIDTH) / 2, graphic_info (0, BACKGROUND, G_HEIGHT) / 2);
```

See [screen_clear\(\)](#), [put\(\)](#) and [map_info\(\)](#).

236.5 Errors

Invalid map - The specified map is invalid.

Unsupported color depth - The origin graph's color depth is greater than the destination graph's.

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237 Set Wav Volume

237.1 Syntax

`INT set_wav_volume (<INT wavID> , <INT volume>)`

237.2 Description

Change the reproduction volume of the wav track.

With this function, it is possible to set the volume of the sound effects, etc.

237.3 Parameters

INT wavID - `wavID` as returned by `load_wav()`.

INT volume - New volume. (0..128)

237.4 Returns

(assumed) **INT** : Error.

-1 - Error: sound inactive.

0 - No error.

237.5 Notes

This function changes the reproduction volume of the wav track. The volume level can be set between 0 (silence) and 128 (original 100% volume of the track). The default volume is 128.

237.6 Example

```
global
  int my_wav;
  int v;
end

process main()
begin

  set_mode(640,480,16);

  my_wav = load_wav("beat.wav");

  write(0,320,30,4,"Use the keyboard to control the music playback.");
  write(0,320,50,4,"Key [ENTER] starts the wav.");
  write(0,320,60,4,"Key [0] through key [9] changes the song volume.");

  write(0,320,180,5,"Volume: ");
  write_int(0,320,180,3,&v);

  v = 128;

  repeat
    if(key(_ENTER))
      play_wav(my_wav,50);
      while(key(_ENTER))
        frame;
      end
    end
  end

  if(key(_0)) v = 0; end
  if(key(_1)) v = 14; end
  if(key(_2)) v = 28; end
  if(key(_3)) v = 43; end
  if(key(_4)) v = 57; end
  if(key(_5)) v = 71; end
  if(key(_6)) v = 85; end
  if(key(_7)) v = 100; end
  if(key(_8)) v = 114; end
  if(key(_9)) v = 128; end
```



```
    set_wav_volume(v);  
    frame;  
until(key(_ESC))  
end
```

Used in example: [key\(\)](#), [set_mode\(\)](#), [load_wav\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [play_wav\(\)](#).

This example uses media: [beat.wav](#)

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238 Set fps

238.1 Definition

`INT set_fps (<INT fps> , <INT skip>)`

Sets the frames per second ([framerate](#)) your program aims to display. The more frames per second, the faster your program runs. Some computers might not be able to display the amount of frames you specified, and will show a lower fps. Therefore, it is important you choose a fps that is reasonable and can also be displayed by the somewhat slower computers. If you don't use this function then the default fps will be used (25 fps).

238.2 Parameters

`INT fps` - Frames per second to use. The default is 25.

`INT skip` - Frames the program is allowed to skip to keep up with the specified framerate if it's running low on processor time. The default is 0.

238.3 Returns

`INT` : The FPS entered.

238.4 Notes

If you use `Set_fps(0,0)`, then your program will run at the maximum speed your computer can possibly handle.

The current FPS can be read from the [global variable](#) `fps`.

238.5 Errors

None.

238.6 Example

```
Program test;  
Begin  
  Set_fps(60,0);  
  Loop  
    Frame;  
  End  
End
```

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239 Set icon

239.1 Definition

INT set_icon (<INT fileID> , <INT graphID>)

Set the window icon to a certain graph.

The icon will only be updated after `set_mode()` is called, so call `set_icon()` before `set_mode()`. The map used for the icon must be 32x32 large, but it can have different depths. After `set_icon()` and `set_mode()` have been called, the map used for the icon can be freed from memory using `unload_map()`.

239.2 Parameters

INT fileID - The fileID of the file containing the graph.

INT graphID - The graphID of the graph to be used as an icon.

239.3 Returns

INT : true

239.4 Example

```
import "mod_key"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_wm"
import "mod_video"

Const
  screen_width = 320;
  screen_height = 200;
  screen_depth = 16;
End

Process Main()
Private
  int map;
  int iconsize = 32;
Begin

  set_mode(screen_width, screen_height, screen_depth);

  map = new_map(iconsize, iconsize, screen_depth);
  map_clear(0, map, rgb(0, 255, 255));

  set_title("<-- Look at the cyan block!");
  set_icon(0, map);

  unload_map(0, map);

Repeat
  frame;
Until(key(_ESC) || exit_status)

End
```

Used in example: `set_mode()`, `new_map()`, `map_clear()`, `rgb()`, `set_title()`, `set_icon()`, `unload_map()`, `key()`, `exit_status`

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240 Set mode

240.1 Syntax

`INT set_mode (<INT width> , <INT height> , [<INT depth>] , [<INT flags>])`

240.2 Description

Sets the screen resolution of your program, and optionally the colordepth of the screen and any [render flags](#) for extra options. If this command is not used, the default settings will take effect (320x240 at 32 bpp).

Some much used resolutions are: 320x240, 640x480, 800x600, 1024x768 and 1280x1024.

240.3 Parameters

- `INT width` - Width of the screen in [pixels](#).
- `INT height` - Height of the screen in [pixels](#).
- `INT [depth]` - [Color depth](#) of the screen. See [color_depths](#).
- `INT [flags]` - Mode of rendering. See [render flags](#).

240.4 Returns

`INT` : [true](#)

240.5 Notes

Any fpg files you load must have the same or a lower colordepth as you set for the screen.

Uncommon resolutions can also be used, for example 399x10, which will be the actual size of the window if you run in windowed mode. At full screen black edges might appear.

There is another method of calling `set_mode()`: with one parameter. In this parameter you must use the 4 right digits for the height and the rest for the width. For example to set a 320x200 mode you can use `set_mode(3200200)`. The maximum height that allow this method is 9999 pixels. This method is **deprecated** and its use is disadvised.

240.6 Example

```
import "mod_video"
import "mod_key"
import "mod_wm"

Process Main()
Begin
    set_mode(640,480,16);
    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC) || exit_status)

End
```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [exit_status](#)

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241 Set song volume

241.1 Definition

INT set_song_volume (<INT volume>)

Change the reproduction volume of the music track.

With this function, it is possible to set the background music to a different volume than the sound effects, etc.

241.2 Parameters

INT volume - New volume. (0..128).

241.3 Returns

INT : Error.

-1 - Error: sound inactive.

0 - No error.

241.4 Notes

This function changes the reproduction volume of the music track. The volume level can be set between 0 (silence) and 128 (original 100% volume of the track). The default volume is 128.

241.5 Example

```
program music_example;
global
  my_song;
  playing;
  paused;
  faded_in;
  v;
begin
  set_mode(640,480,16);

  my_song=load_song("beat.ogg");

  write(0,320,30,4,"Use the keyboard to control the music playback.");
  write(0,320,50,4,"Key [ENTER] starts / stops the song.");
  write(0,320,60,4,"Key [SPACE] pauses / resumes the song.");
  write(0,320,70,4,"Key [0] through key [9] changes the song volume.");
  write(0,320,80,4,"Key [F] fades the song in or out.");

  write(0,320,120,5,"Playing: ");
  write_int(0,320,120,3,&playing);

  write(0,320,140,5,"Paused: ");
  write_int(0,320,140,3,&paused);

  write(0,320,160,5,"Faded in: ");
  write_int(0,320,160,3,&faded_in);

  write(0,320,180,5,"Volume: ");
  write_int(0,320,180,3,&v);

  v=128;
  faded_in=true;

  repeat
    if(key(_enter))
      if(is_playing_song())
        stop_song();
        playing=false;
      else
        play_song(my_song,1);
        playing=true;
      end
    end
  while(key(_enter)) frame;end
```

```

end

if(key(_space))
    if(paused)
        paused=false;
        resume_song();
    else
        paused=true;
        pause_song();
    end
end
while(key(_space)) frame;end
end

if(key(_f))
    if(faded_in)
        faded_in=false;
        fade_music_off(100);
    else
        faded_in=true;
        fade_music_in(my_song,1,100);
    end
end
while(key(_f)) frame;end
end

if(key(_0)) v=0;end
if(key(_1)) v=14;end
if(key(_2)) v=28;end
if(key(_3)) v=43;end
if(key(_4)) v=57;end
if(key(_5)) v=71;end
if(key(_6)) v=85;end
if(key(_7)) v=100;end
if(key(_8)) v=114;end
if(key(_9)) v=128;end

set_song_volume(v);

frame;
until(key(_esc))

exit();
end

```

Used in example: [key\(\)](#), [set_mode\(\)](#), [load_song\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [write_int\(\)](#), [pause_song\(\)](#), [play_song\(\)](#), [stop_song\(\)](#), [resume_song\(\)](#), [fade_music_in\(\)](#), [fade_music_off\(\)](#), [set_song_volume\(\)](#).

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242 Set text color

242.1 Definition

INT set_text_color (<WORD color>)

Sets the current text color (the color where texts will be written in). This only affects 1 bit (2 color) fonts, which can be loaded with `load_font()` or `load_bdf()`. 8 bit and 16 bit fonts already contain color information themselves and thus aren't affected.

242.2 Parameters

WORD color - The color to use for text.

242.3 Returns

INT : `true` if successful and `false` if failed. (Needs confirmation.)

242.4 Notes

Be warned that values returned by the `Rgb()` function differ with the video card. So, directly filling out color numbers as color parameter in 16 bit color mode without using `Rgb()` is a bad idea, as RGB returns the correct color code for every video card

242.5 Errors

<If someone knows, please edit!>

242.6 Example

```
Program awesome;
Global
    byte red=0;
    byte green=255;
    byte blue=0;

Begin

    set_text_color(rgb(red,green,blue));
    write(0,1,1,0,"Mijn potlood is bruin"); //this text will be green as an Irishman's ejecta

    set_text_color(rgb(255,0,0));
    write(0,1,11,0,"Je moeder"); //this text will be red

Loop

    frame;
End
End
```

Used in example: `write()`, `rgb()`

This results in something like this:

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243 Set title

243.1 Definition

INT set_title (<STRING title>)

Sets the title of the program's window.

The title will only be updated after `set_mode()` is called, so call `set_title()` before `set_mode()`.

243.2 Parameters

STRING title - The new title for the program's window.

243.3 Returns

INT : true

243.4 Example

```
Program icon;
Private
  int map;
  int screen_width = 320;
  int screen_height = 200;
  int screen_depth = 8;
  int iconsize = 32;
Begin

  map = new_map(iconsize, iconsize, screen_depth);
  map_clear(0, map, rgb(0, 255, 255));

  set_icon(0, map);
  set_title("<-- Look at the cyan block!");
  set_mode(screen_width, screen_height, screen_depth);

  unload_map(0, map);

Repeat
  frame;
Until(key(_esc))

End
```

Used in example: `new_map()`, `map_clear()`, `set_icon()`, `set_mode`, `unload_map()`, `key()`

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244 Signal

244.1 Definition

`INT signal (<INT processID|processTypeID> , <INT signal>)`

Allows a [process/function](#) or a range of processes/functions of certain [processType](#) to be controlled in a limited number of ways, by sending [signals](#).

244.2 Parameters

- `INT processID|processTypeID` - The [ProcessID](#) of the process or the [ProcessTypeID](#) of the type of processes to send the signal to.
- `INT signal` - The [signal](#) that is to be sent to the target process(es).

244.3 Returns

`INT` :

- `false` - The specified `processID|processTypeID` was `ALL_PROCESS` or a [processTypeID](#).
- `true` - The specified `processID|processTypeID` was a [processID](#).

244.4 Errors

- `Invalid signal` - The specified [signal](#) is invalid.

244.5 Notes

To obtain the [processType](#) of a function, the operator [Type](#) can be used. For a process to send a signal to itself, the [local variable id](#) can be used. The parameter [signal](#) is passed by way of a set of [signals](#) which denote the signal to be sent. The parameter [signal](#) is one of the listed [signals](#). To kill all processes at once, except the calling one, use [let_me_alone\(\)](#).

To send a signal to all processes at once, except the calling one, use `signal(ALL_PROCESS,signal)`.

To specify how a process reacts on an incoming signal, use [signal_action\(\)](#).

A signal is carried out immediately, but this does not mean execution of processes is switched to the process, if you just woke it up. This can be achieved by using `frame(0)`; after the signal. A frame will cause Bennu to continue execution with the process having the lowest frame-percentage done *and* it will only continue execution with the current process after all other processes have had their turn. Moreover, using a frame-percentage of 0 will make sure there is nothing added to the done frame-percentage of the process, meaning it doesn't affect the framerate of the process.

244.6 Example

```
signal( get_id(type enemy) , s_kill ); // Kills a process of type enemy.
                                        // Becareful! If there is no enemy process alive,
                                        // get_id() will return 0, which means signal()
                                        // will signal all processes.

signal( id , s_kill_tree );             // Kills the process that calls it, and all of its descendants

signal( Type player , s_freeze );      // Freezes all processes of type player so that they are
                                        // still displayed, but do not execute any code.

signal(ALL_PROCESS,s_freeze);          // Freezes all processes except the one that called it.
                                        // Can be used to pause a game.

signal( someID , S_WAKEUP ); frame(0); // Wake up the process someID and let it execute once
                                        // (if not done this frame) before continuing.
```

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245 Signal action

245.1 Definition

`INT signal_action ([<INT processID|processTypeID> ,] INT signal , INT action)`

Sets the reaction of one or more [processes](#) when they receive a certain nonforceful-signal. Only *existing* processes are affected, processes created afterwards are not.

245.2 Parameters

- `INT processID|processTypeID` - A [ProcessID](#), [ProcessTypeID](#) or `ALL_PROCESS`.
- `INT signal` - The code of a nonforceful-signal for which a reaction is to be specified.
- `INT action` - The [reaction](#) of the process when it receives a signal. ([S_DFL/S_IGN](#))

245.3 Returns

`INT` : `true`

245.4 Notes

The reaction to an incoming forced signal (`S_KILL_FORCE`, `S_SLEEP_FORCE`, etc) cannot be changed and is `S_DFL` by default.

245.5 Example

```
// The current process ignores the kill signal from now on
signal_action(S_KILL,S_IGN);

// All currently existing processes ignore the kill signal from now on
signal_action(ALL_PROCESS,S_KILL,S_IGN);

// All currently existing processes of type 'Player' ignore the freeze signal from now on
signal_action(type Player,S_FREEZE,S_IGN);
```

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246 Sin

246.1 Definition

FLOAT sin (<FLOAT angle>)

Returns the sine of the specified [angle](#).

This [function](#) performs a sine calculation on a certain angle and returns a value between -1 and 1.

246.2 Parameters

FLOAT angle - [Angle](#), in thousandths of degrees. i.e. 75000 = 75°

246.3 Returns

FLOAT : The sine result of the specified [angle](#).

246.4 Notes

The [angle](#) value used in this function should be in thousandths of degrees, as most angles within [Bennu](#) are.

To read about all aspects of trigonometry, you can click on Wikipedia's [Trigonometric function](#) page.

246.5 Example

```
Const
    screen_width = 320;
    screen_height = 200;
    screen_border = 15;
End

Global
    float value;
End

Process Main()
Begin

    // Modes
    set_title("Sine Graph");
    set_mode(screen_width,screen_height);

    // X axis
    for(x=1;x<=8;x++)
        write( 0,
            screen_border+x*(screen_width-screen_border)/8+3,
            screen_height-1,
            8,
            itoa(x*360/8 )+"^" );
    end
    draw_line(1,screen_height-screen_border,screen_width,screen_height-screen_border);

    // Y axis
    write(0,screen_border-1,20,5,"1");
    write(0,screen_border-1,screen_height/2,5,"0");
    write(0,screen_border-1,screen_height-20,5,"-1");
    draw_line(screen_border,1,screen_border,screen_height-1);

    // Draw tangent
    for(angle=0;angle<360;angle++)
        value=sin(angle*1000)*(screen_height/2-20);
        put_pixel( screen_border+angle*(screen_width-screen_border)/360,
            screen_height/2-value,
            rgb(255,255,255) );
        // screen_height/2-value because the screen's origin (0,0) is topleft instead of downleft.
    end

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: `set_title()`, `set_mode()`, `write()`, `draw_line()`, `sin()`, `put_pixel()`, `key()`

This will result in something like:

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247 Sort

247.1 Syntax

`INT sort (<VARSPACE array> , [<INT datacount>])`

247.2 Description

Sorts an `array` by sorting a certain number of elements, by using the first variable in each element. By default the whole array is sorted.

If the elements contain multiple variables, `ksort()` can be used to select the variable to be used for sorting. For more advanced sorting, look at `quicksort()`.

247.3 Parameters

`VARSPACE array` - The `array` to be sorted.

`[INT datacount]` - Number of elements to sort.

247.4 Returns

`INT`: Successrate

`true` - Sorting succeeded.

`false` - Sorting failed. Look in the output for the error.

247.5 Example

```
import "mod_sort";
import "mod_key";
import "mod_say";

Type _player
    String name;
    int score;
End

Const
    maxplayers = 5;
End;

Process main()
Private
    _player player[maxplayers-1];
    int i=0;
Begin
    // Insert some values
    player[0].name = "That one bad looking dude";
    player[1].name = "Ah pretty lame guy";
    player[2].name = "Some cool dude";
    player[3].name = "OMG ZOMG guy";
    player[4].name = "This person is ok";

    player[0].score = 70;
    player[1].score = 30;
    player[2].score = 80;
    player[3].score = 90;
    player[4].score = 50;

    // Show array
    say("----- unsorted");
    for(i=0; i<maxplayers; i++)
        say(player[i].name + " - " + player[i].score);
    end

/* Sort by name ( quicksort() can't be used to sort Strings,
as a String in Bennu is a pointer to the actual String,
so it would sort the pointer addresses */

    // sort()
    sort(player); // sorts by name because name is the first variable in each element
```

```

// Show array
say("----- name - sort()");
for(i=0; i<maxplayers; i++)
    say(player[i].name + " - " + player[i].score);
end

// ksort()
ksort(player,player[0].name,maxplayers);

// Show array
say("----- name - ksort()");
for(i=0; i<maxplayers; i++)
    say(player[i].name + " - " + player[i].score);
end

/* Sort by score (sort() cannot be used here, because score is not the first variable) */

// ksort()
ksort(player,player[0].score,maxplayers);

// Show array
say("----- score - ksort()");
for(i=0; i<maxplayers; i++)
    say(player[i].name + " - " + player[i].score);
end

// quicksort()
quicksort(&player[0],sizeof(_player),maxplayers,sizeof(String),sizeof(int),0);

// Show array
say("----- score - quicksort()");
for(i=0; i<maxplayers; i++)
    say(player[i].name + " - " + player[i].score);
end
End

```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [sort\(\)](#), [ksort\(\)](#), [quicksort\(\)](#), [type](#), [array](#), [pointer](#)

248 Split

248.1 Syntax

INT split (<**STRING** delimiter> , <**STRING** str> , <**STRING POINTER** array> , <**INT** max_number>)

248.2 Description

Splits a **string** in several strings using a **regular expression** as delimiter.

The first piece will go to *array[0]*, the second to *array[1]*, and so forth, until either there are no more pieces left or *max_number* pieces are returned into the array. The number of pieces returned this way is returned by the function.

248.3 Parameters

- STRING** delimiter - The regular expression used as delimiter to split.
- STRING** str - The input string to split into multiple string.
- STRING POINTER** array - Pointer to the string array where the pieces will be returned to.
- INT** max_number - The maximum number of strings to return.

248.4 Returns

INT : The number of pieces returned into the array.

248.5 Example

```
import "mod_say"
import "mod_regex"

Process Main()
Private
    string str = "A,B,C,D,E";
    string a[9];
    int n;
    int i;
Begin

    // Split
    n = split(",",str,&a,10);

    // Display result
    say("Number of pieces: " + n);
    for(i=0; i<n; i++)
        say("[ " + i + " ] = " + a[i]);
    end

End
```

Used in example: **split()**, **say()**

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249 Sqrt

249.1 Definition

FLOAT sqrt (<**FLOAT** value>)

Returns the square root of a certain value.

249.2 Parameters

FLOAT value - The value of which the square root will be returned.

249.3 Returns

FLOAT : The square root of *value*.

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250 Start scroll

250.1 Definition

INT Start_scroll (<**INT** scrollnumber> , <**INT** fileID> , <**INT** graphID> , <**INT** backgroundgraphID> , <**INT** regionnumber> , <**INT** lockindicator>)

This creates a **scroll window** in which it will perform a view against a background **graphic**. That is, by using a graphic bigger than the display window, a part of this graphic can be shown and shifted in any direction. After this function, the use of the struct **scroll** makes sense.

250.2 Parameters

- INT** scrollnumber - The ID for the new scroll window, so it can be referenced to later
- INT** fileID - The **fileID** of the **file** containing the scroll graphics
- INT** graphID - The **graphID** of the **graphic** of the main graphic to be scrolled
- INT** backgroundgraphID - The graphID of the graphic for the background of the scroll window
- INT** regionnumber - The **region** in which to put the scroll window
- INT** lockindicator - A **bit flag** defining whether each of the two scroll planes is horizontally/vertically cyclical

250.3 Returns

INT : true

250.4 Notes

The locking indicator can be combinations of the following flags:

- 1 - The foreground will be displayed horizontally cyclical
- 2 - The foreground will be displayed vertically cyclical
- 4 - The background will be displayed horizontally cyclical
- 8 - The background will be displayed vertically cyclical

Combine them using the **bitwise OR** operator.

250.5 Using Scrolling

For each **process** that you want to be part of a **scroll window**, you must set the **local variable ctype** to value **C_SCROLL**. It should also be noted that the local variable **c_number** is used for selecting in which scroll a process should be displayed. Additionally, you must set the camera property of the **scroll structure** to the **processID** of the process you wish to be followed.

251 Strcasecmp

251.1 Definition

INT strcmp(<**STRING** str1> , <**STRING** str2>)

Compares two strings case-insensitive and returns the result.

251.2 Parameters

STRING str1 - The first string.

STRING str2 - The second string, to compare with the first string.

251.3 Returns

INT: difference

0 - The strings are equal.

>0 - The ASCII value of the first differing characters is higher for *str1*.

<0 - The ASCII value of the first differing characters is higher for *str2*.

251.4 Notes

If the strings differ, the ASCII difference between the first differing characters of the strings is actually returned. Let *i* be the index of the differing characters, then what is returned: $str1[i]-str2[i]$.

251.5 Example

```
import "mod_string"
import "mod_say"

Const
  AB = "AB";
  ABC = "ABC";
  CD = "CD";
  CD2 = "CD";
End

Process Main()
Begin

  say("strcmp(AB,ABC) = " + strcmp(AB,ABC));
  say("strcmp(AB,CD) = " + strcmp(AB,CD));
  say("strcmp(CD,AB) = " + strcmp(CD,AB));
  say("strcmp(CD,CD2) = " + strcmp(CD,CD2));

End
```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [strcmp\(\)](#)

Result:

```
strcmp(AB,ABC) = -67
strcmp(AB,CD) = -2
strcmp(CD,AB) = 2
strcmp(CD,CD2) = 0
```

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252 Strrev

252.1 Definition

STRING strrev (<**STRING** str >)

Returns a reversed version of a certain [string](#), meaning the characters are in reversed order.

252.2 Parameters

STRING str - The non reversed string.

252.3 Returns

STRING : The reversed string.

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253 Substr

253.1 Syntax

INT substr (<**STRING** str> , <**INT** startposition> , [<**INT** characters>])

253.2 Description

Returns a subsection of a certain string.

253.3 Parameters

STRING str - The string of which a subsection will be returned.

INT startposition - The position of the first character to be in the subsection.

[**INT** characters] - The number of characters the subsection will hold. Negative values are special; see [Notes](#).

253.4 Returns

STRING : The subsection.

253.5 Notes

If the number of characters is a negative value, the following applies: the start of the subsection will be *startposition*; the end of the subsection will be the length of the string minus the absolute value of *characters*.

253.6 Example

```
Private
  String str = "This is my string.";
Begin
  // No specified number of characters
  say( substr(str,2) + "<" ); // "is is my string."
  say( substr(str,-7) + "<" ); // "string."

  // Specified number of characters
  say( substr(str,5,2) + "<" ); // "is"

  // Number of characters greater than length of string
  say( substr(str,2,50) + "<" ); // "is my string."
  say( substr(str,-7,50) + "<" ); // "string."

  // Negative number of characters
  say( substr(str,5,-5) + "<" ); // "is my st"

  // Special case
  say( substr(str,0,0) + "<" ); // "", but pre 0.92: "This is my string."

Repeat
  frame;
Until(key(_ESC))
End
```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

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254.1 Definition

FLOAT tan (<FLOAT angle>)

Returns the tangent of a certain [angle](#).

This [function](#) performs a tangent calculation on a certain angle and returns a value.

254.2 Parameters

FLOAT angle - [Angle](#), in thousandths of degrees. i.e. 75000 = 75°

254.3 Returns

FLOAT : The tangent result of the specified [angle](#).

254.4 Notes

The [angle](#) value used in this function should be in thousandths of degrees, as most angles within [Bennu](#) are.

To read about all aspects of trigonometry, you can visit Wikipedia's [Trigonometric function](#) page.

254.5 Example

```

Const
    screen_width = 320;
    screen_height = 200;
    screen_border = 15;
End

Global
    float value;
End

Process Main()
Begin

    // Modes
    set_title("Tangent Graph");
    set_mode(screen_width,screen_height);

    // X axis
    for(x=1;x<=8;x++)
        write( 0,
            screen_border+x*(screen_width-screen_border)/8+3,
            screen_height-1,
            8,
            itoa(x*360/8 )+"^" );
    end
    draw_line(1,screen_height-screen_border,screen_width,screen_height-screen_border);

    // Y axis
    write(0,screen_border-1,20,5,"1");
    write(0,screen_border-1,screen_height/2,5,"0");
    write(0,screen_border-1,screen_height-20,5,"-1");
    draw_line(screen_border,1,screen_border,screen_height-1);

    // Draw tangent
    for(angle=0;angle<360;angle++)
        value=tan(angle*1000)*(screen_height/2-20);
        put_pixel( screen_border+angle*(screen_width-screen_border)/360,
            screen_height/2-value,
            rgb(255,255,255) );
        // screen_height/2-value because the screen's origin (0,0) is topleft instead of downleft.
    end

Repeat
    frame;
Until(key(_ESC))

End

```

Used in example: `set_title()`, `set_mode()`, `write()`, `draw_line()`, `tan()`, `put_pixel()`, `key()`

This will result in something like:

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255 Text height

255.1 Definition

INT text_height (<**INT** fontID> , <**STRING** text>)

Calculates the height in pixels of the specified text in the specified font.

255.2 Parameters

INT FontID - FontID of the font for which the height of the text will be the calculated.

STRING text - The text of which the height will be calculated.

255.3 Returns

INT : The height in pixels of the text in the font.

0 - Invalid or no text; invalid font.

>0 - The height in pixels of the text in the font.

255.4 See also

- [text_width\(\)](#)

256 Text width

256.1 Definition

INT text_width (<**INT** fontID> , <**STRING** text>)

Calculates the width in pixels of the specified text in the specified font.

256.2 Parameters

INT FontID - FontID of the font for which the width of the text will be the calculated.

STRING text - The text of which the width will be calculated.

256.3 Returns

INT : The width in pixels of the text in the font.

0 - Invalid or no text; invalid font.

>0 - The width in pixels of the text in the font.

256.4 See also

- [text_height\(\)](#)

257 Time

257.1 Syntax

INT time ()

257.2 Description

Returns the current time, in seconds from January 1st, 1970.

This function is mostly useful for the [function ftime\(\)](#), to display time and date in a particular format. It is also useful in [rand_seed\(\)](#), to have 'more randomness'.

257.3 Returns

INT : The current time, in seconds from January 1st, 1970.

257.4 Example

```
import "mod_time"
import "mod_timer"
import "mod_text"
import "mod_key"

Process Main();
Private
    String timestring; // The string holding the formatted time
Begin

    write_string(0,0,0,0,&timestring); // Display the timestring
    timer = 100; // Make it so it updates the timestring immediately

    Repeat
        if(timer>100) // Update the timestring every 1 second
            timer = 0;
            timestring = ftime("%d-%m-%Y %H:%M:%S",time());
        end
        frame;
    Until(key(_esc))

End
```

Used in example: [write_string\(\)](#), [ftime\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [timer](#)

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258 Trim

258.1 Definition

STRING trim (<**STRING** str>)

Returns a copy of *str* without leading or ending whitespace (spaces, tabs, linefeeds, carriage returns).

258.2 Parameters

STRING str - The string to trim.

258.3 Returns

STRING: trimmed string

258.4 Example

```
import "mod_string"
import "mod_say"

Const
  _ABC_ = " ABC ";
End

Process Main()
Private
  string ABC;
Begin

  ABC = trim(_ABC_);
  say('_ABC_ = "' + _ABC_ + '"');
  say('ABC = "' + ABC + '"');

End
```

Used in example: [say\(\)](#), [trim\(\)](#)

Result:

```
_ABC_ = " ABC "
ABC = "ABC"
```

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259 Ttf load

259.1 Syntax

INT ttf_load (<STRING filename> , <INT height>)

259.2 Description

Loads a **TTF** file as a **font** into memory.

Also called `load_ttf()`.

259.3 Parameters

STRING filename - The filename of the **TTF** file that you wish to load (including extension and possible path).

INT height - The height in pixels of the to be created font, a size indication.

259.4 Returns

INT : **FontID**

-1 - Error: file does not exist; insufficient memory; failed to init freetype.dll; error while loading file; error creating new font.

0 - Invalid filename.

>0 - The FontID.

259.5 Errors

Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often.

Failed to init freetype.dll - There was an error initializing freetype.dll

Error loading file - There occurred an error while trying to load the file.

Error creating new font - There occurred an error while trying to create a new font.

259.6 Notes

This function gets a **TrueType** font and creates a new **font** with generated **glyphs** based on the recovered font in the standard characters set (ISO-8859-1). These glyphs are generated with two colours, being colour 0 (transparent) and the color last set by `set_text_color()`. The first one is the background colour and the last one is the colour of the characters self.

It's possible to save the loaded font as **FNT** with `save_fnt()`. This way the font can be reused on platforms not having `mod_ttf`. Note that a FNT file only has information about the font for one size, while a TTF file has information for any size.

The specified size is only an indication; some characters may be a little higher in fact.

259.7 Example

```
import "mod_key"
import "mod_proc"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_video"
import "mod_ttf"
import "mod_text"
global
int id_ttfs[2];
Begin
    set_mode(320,240,16);
    id_ttfs[0] = load_ttf("resources/presdntn.ttf",48);
    id_ttfs[1] = load_ttf("resources/presdntn.ttf",48,16,RGB(255,0,0),RGB(0,255,0));
    write(id_ttfs[0],20,10,0,"Hello");
    set_text_color(RGB(255,0,255));
    write(id_ttfs[0],150,10,0,"World");
    write(id_ttfs[1],20,100,0,"Bye");
Repeat
    frame;
Until(key(_ESC))
```

```
unload_fnt(id_ttfs[0]);  
unload_fnt(id_ttfs[1]);  
  
exit();  
End
```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [set_text_color\(\)](#), [rgb\(\)](#), [load_ttf\(\)](#), [load_ttfaa\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [unload_fnt\(\)](#)

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260 Ttf loadaa

260.1 Syntax

INT ttf_loadaa (<**STRING** filename> , <**INT** height> , <**INT** colordepth> , <**INT** backgroundcolor> , <**INT** textcolor>)

260.2 Description

Loads a **TTF** file as a **font** into memory.

Also called **load_ttf()**.

260.3 Parameters

- STRING** filename - The filename of the **TTF** file that you wish to load (including extension and possible path).
- INT** height - The height in pixels of the to be created font, a size indication.
- INT** colordepth - The **colordepth** of the to be created font (1,8 or 16).
- INT** backgroundcolor - The background color of the to be created font.
- INT** textcolor - The text color of the to be created font.

260.4 Returns

INT : **FontID**

- 1 - Error: file does not exist; insufficient memory; failed to init freetype.dll; error while loading file; error creating new font.
- 0 - Invalid filename.
- >0 - The **FontID**.

260.5 Errors

- Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often.
- Failed to init freetype.dll - There was an error initializing freetype.dll
- Error loading file - There occurred an error while trying to load the file.
- Error creating new font - There occurred an error while trying to create a new font.

260.6 Notes

This function gets a **TrueType** font and creates a new **font** with generated **glyphs** based on the recovered font in the standard characters set (ISO-8859-1). These glyphs are generated with two colours, being the specified colours.

It's possible to save the loaded font as **FNT** with **save_fnt()**. This way the font can be reused on platforms not supporting **mod_ttf**. Note that a **FNT** file only has information about the font for one size, while a **TTF** file has information for any size.

The specified size is only an indication; some characters may be a little higher in fact.

The parameters *backgroundcolor* and *textcolor* only matter for 8 and 16 bit colordepths. If you specify a colordepth of 1, then the returned font will be black (background) and white (textcolour). The advantage of this, is that you can use change the colour any time, even after loading, with **set_text_color()**.

260.7 Example

```
import "mod_key"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_video"
import "mod_ttf"
import "mod_text"
global
int id_ttf;
Begin
    set_mode(320,240,16);
    id_ttf = load_ttf("resources/presdntn.ttf",48,16,RGB(255,0,0),RGB(0,255,0));
    write(id_ttf,20,10,0,"Hello World");
    Repeat
```

```
    frame;  
    Until(key(_ESC))  
        unload_fnt(id_ttf);  
End
```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [tff_loadaa\(\)](#), [rgb\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [unload_fnt\(\)](#)

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261 Ttf loadx

261.1 Syntax

`INT ttf_loadx (<STRING filename> , <INT height> , <INT colordepth> , <INT backgroundcolor> , <INT textcolor> , <INT gradient_start>)`

261.2 Description

Loads a **TTF** file as a **font** into memory.

261.3 Parameters

- STRING** filename - The filename of the **TTF** file that you wish to load (including extension and possible path).
- INT** height - The height in pixels of the to be created font, a size indication.
- INT** colordepth - The **colordepth** of the to be created font (1,8 or 16).
- INT** backgroundcolor - The background color of the to be created font.
- INT** textcolor - The text color of the to be created font.
- INT** gradient_start - At which gradient the drawing starts. Higher *gradient_start* means 'thinner' font and less anti-aliased. Range 0 . . 255.

261.4 Returns

INT : **FontID**

- 1 - Error: file does not exist; insufficient memory; failed to init freetype.dll; error while loading file; error creating new font.
- 0 - Invalid filename.
- >0 - The **FontID**.

261.5 Errors

- Insufficient memory - There is insufficient memory available. This error doesn't occur often.
- Failed to init freetype.dll - There was an error initializing freetype.dll
- Error loading file - There occurred an error while trying to load the file.
- Error creating new font - There occurred an error while trying to create a new font.

261.6 Notes

This function gets a **TrueType** font and creates a new **font** with generated **glyphs** based on the recovered font in the standard characters set (ISO-8859-1). These glyphs are generated with two colours, being the specified colours.

It's possible to save the loaded font as **FNT** with **save_fnt()**. This way the font can be reused on platforms not supporting **mod_ttf**. Note that a **FNT** file only has information about the font for one size, while a **TTF** file has information for any size.

The specified size is only an indication; some characters may be a little higher in fact.

The parameters *backgroundcolor* and *textcolor* only matter for 8 and 16 bit colordepths. If you specify a colordepth of 1, then the returned font will be black (background) and white (textcolour). The advantage of this, is that you can use change the colour any time, even after loading, with **set_text_color()**.

261.7 Example

```
import "mod_key"
import "mod_map"
import "mod_video"
import "mod_ttf"
import "mod_text"
global
int id_ttf;
Begin
set_mode(320,240,16);
id_ttf = load_ttfx("resources/presdntn.ttf", 48,16,RGB(255,0,0),RGB(0,255,0),1);
write(id_ttf,20,10,0,"Hello World");
Repeat
frame;
```

```
Until(key(_ESC))
  unload_fnt(id_ttf);
End
```

Used in example: [set_mode\(\)](#), [ttx_loadx\(\)](#), [rgb\(\)](#), [write\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#), [unload_fnt\(\)](#)

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262 Ucase

262.1 Definition

STRING ucase (<**STRING** str >)

Returns a [string](#) identical to a certain string, with the exception that all lowercase characters are replaced by their uppercase counterparts.

262.2 Parameters

STRING str - The string in "normal"-form.

262.3 Returns

STRING : The string in "uppercase"-form.

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263 Unload song

263.1 Definition

INT unload_song (<INT SongID>)

Frees the memory occupied by the song file, previously loaded with `load_song()`.

263.2 Parameters

INT SongID - The `SongID` of the song to unload.

263.3 Returns

INT : Error.

-1 - Error: sound inactive; invalid `songID`.

0 - No error.

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264 Write

264.1 Definition

INT write (<**INT** fontID> , <**INT** x> , <**INT** y> , <**INT** alignment> , <**STRING** text>)

Puts a dynamic text with a certain font on certain coordinates on the screen with a certain [alignment](#).

264.2 Parameters

- INT** fontID - The [FontID](#) of the font to be used for the text.
- INT** x - The X coordinate of the text.
- INT** y - The Y coordinate of the text.
- INT** alignment - The type of [alignment](#).
- STRING** text - The text to be used.

264.3 Returns

INT : [TextID](#)

- 1 - Error. The text could not be obtained or was empty.
- >=0 - The [TextID](#) of the text.

264.4 Notes

There is a limit of 511 texts to simultaneously exist on the screen. The program will crash with an error when this number is reached.

The text depth can be changed by adjusting the global variable [text_z](#).

To write variables to the screen, rather use [write_int\(\)](#), [write_string\(\)](#), [write_float\(\)](#) or [write_var\(\)](#) than this command.

To write text on a map you can use the command [write_in_map\(\)](#).

If you write texts with a font and you change any symbol of this font after, all written texts will be updated using the new changed symbols.

264.5 Example

```
Program texts;
Const
    maxtexts = 10;
Private
    int textid[maxtexts-1];
    string str;
    float flt;
Begin

    // Set FPS
    set_fps(60,0);

    // Write some texts
    textid[0] = write(0,0,0,0,"FPS:");
    textid[1] = write_int(0,30,0,0,&fps);
    textid[2] = write_string(0,160,95,1,&str);
    textid[3] = write_float(0,160,105,0,&flt);

    // Update the texts until ESC is pressed
    Repeat
        // Notice the texts get updated as the values of str and flt changes.
        // The same goes for the value of fps.
        str = "This program is running for " + timer/100 + " seconds.";
        flt = (float)timer/100;
        frame;
    Until(key(_esc));

    // Delete the texts
    for(x=0; x<maxtexts; x++)
        if(textid[x]!=0)
            delete_text(textid[x]);
    end
end
```

End

Used in example: `set_fps()`, `write_int()`, `write_string()`, `write_float()`, `key()`, `delete_text()`, `array`, `fps`, `TextID`

This will result in something like:

Template:Image

265 Write float

265.1 Definition

`INT write_float (<INT fontID> , <INT x> , <INT y> , <INT alignment> , <FLOAT POINTER var>)`

Writes a [floating point variable](#) to the screen, which will be automatically updated when the value of the variable changes. The floating point variable will remain on the screen until deleted with `delete_text()`.

265.2 Parameters

INT fontID - The [FontID](#) of the font to be used for the text.
INT x - The X coordinate of the text.
INT y - The Y coordinate of the text.
INT alignment - The type of [alignment](#).
FLOAT POINTER var - A [pointer](#) to a [floating point variable](#).

265.3 Returns

INT : [TextID](#)

-1 - Error.
>=0 - The [TextID](#) of the text.

265.4 Notes

There is a limit of 511 texts to simultaneously exist on the screen. The program will crash with an error when this number is reached.

The text depth can be changed by adjusting the global variable `text_z`.

Instead of `write_float()`, `write_var()` can be used for the same purpose, which is a more general function that allows you to write variables of any type to the screen.

265.5 Errors

Too many texts onscreen - There are too many texts on the screen.

265.6 Example

```
Program test;
Private
    float my_float=3.14159265;
Begin
    write_float(0,320/2,200/2,4,&my_float);

    Repeat
        Frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

This will result in something like:

[File:Write float.png](#)

266 Write in map

266.1 Definition

INT write_in_map (<**INT** fontID> , <**STRING** text> , <**INT** alignment>)

Creates a new **graphic** in memory with the given text on it (without borders around the text) and puts it in the **system file**.

266.2 Parameters

INT fontID - The **FontID** of the font to be used for the text.

STRING text - The text to be used.

INT alignment - The type of **alignment**.

266.3 Returns

INT : **GraphID**

0 - Error. The text could not be obtained or was empty.

!0 - The **GraphID** of the **graphic** of the generated **graphic** in the **system file**.

266.4 Notes

This function creates a **graphic** containing the specified **font**, with a **width** and **height** determined by the physical size of the text; the graphic's size will fit the text exactly to the pixel. The graphic will be stored in memory with **FileID** 0 (using the **system file**), and can be obtained at any time by calling its **GraphID**. The graphic can also be unloaded from memory by using **unload_map()**.

The centre of the graph (**control point** 0) is given according to the given **alignment**. This gives added functionality of being able to place the graph like texts, yet also using **flags**, **alpha**, rotation, **collision()**, etc.

Processes can adopt the graphic containing the text, or it can be displayed with some **maps functions**, creating a very handy function.

266.5 Errors

Invalid font - The specified font does not exist or is invalid.

266.6 Example

```
Program example;
Begin
  Set_text_color(rgb(222,195,140));
  graph=write_in_map(0,"Game programming is awesome!",4);
  repeat
    x=mouse.x;
    y=mouse.y;
  frame;
  until(key(_esc))
End
```

Used in example: **set_text_color()**, **rgb()**, **key()**, **x**, **y**, **mouse**

This will result in something like:

File:Write in map.png

267 Write int

267.1 Definition

INT write_int (<INT fontID> , <INT x> , <INT y> , <INT alignment> , <INT POINTER var>)

Writes an **integer** to the screen, which will be automatically updated when the value of the integer changes. The integer will remain on the screen until deleted with **delete_text()**.

267.2 Parameters

- INT** fontID - The **FontID** of the font to be used for the text.
- INT** x - The X coordinate of the text.
- INT** y - The Y coordinate of the text.
- INT** alignment - The type of **alignment**.
- INT POINTER** var - A **pointer** to an **integer**.

267.3 Returns

INT : **TextID**

- 1 - Error.
- >=0 - The **TextID** of the text.

267.4 Notes

There is a limit of 511 texts to simultaneously exist on the screen. The program will crash with an error when this number is reached.

The text depth can be changed by adjusting the global variable **text_z**.

Instead of **write_int()**, **write_var()** can be used for the same purpose, which is a more general function that allows you to write variables of any type to the screen.

267.5 Errors

- Too many texts onscreen - There are too many texts on the screen.

267.6 Example

```
Program test;
Private
  my_integer=0;
Begin
  write_int (0,320/2,200/2,4,my_integer);

  Repeat
    my_integer=rand(1,1000);
    frame;
  Until (key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: **rand()**, **key()**

This will result in something like:

File:Write int.png

268 Write string

268.1 Syntax

`INT write_string (<INT fontID> , <INT x> , <INT y> , <INT alignment> , <STRING POINTER var>)`

268.2 Description

Writes a [string](#) to the screen, which will be automatically updated when the value of the string changes. The string will remain on the screen until deleted with [delete_text\(\)](#).

268.3 Parameters

INT fontID - The [FontID](#) of the font to be used for the text.
INT x - The X coordinate of the text.
INT y - The Y coordinate of the text.
INT alignment - The type of [alignment](#).
STRING POINTER var - A [pointer](#) to a [string](#).

268.4 Returns

INT : [TextID](#)

-1 - Error. The text could not be obtained or was empty.
>=0 - The [TextID](#) of the text.

268.5 Notes

There is a limit of 511 texts to simultaneously exist on the screen. The program will crash with an error when this number is reached.

The text depth can be changed by adjusting the global variable [text_z](#).

Instead of [write_string\(\)](#), [write_var\(\)](#) can be used for the same purpose, which is a more general function that allows you to write variables of any type to the screen.

268.6 Errors

Too many texts onscreen - There are too many texts on the screen.

268.7 Example

```
import "mod_text"
import "mod_key"

Global
    string my_string="Bennu Game Development";
End
Process Main()
Begin

    write_string(0,320/2,200/2,4,&my_string);

    Repeat
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: [write_string\(\)](#), [key\(\)](#)

This will result in something like:

[File:Write string.png](#)

269 Write var

269.1 Syntax

INT write_var (<INT fontID> , <INT x> , <INT y> , <INT alignment> , <VARSPACE var>)

269.2 Description

Writes a variable of any kind to the screen, which will be automatically updated when the value of the variable changes. The variable will remain on the screen until deleted with `delete_text()`.

269.3 Parameters

INT fontID - The `FontID` of the font to be used for the text.
INT x - The X coordinate of the text.
INT y - The Y coordinate of the text.
INT alignment - The type of `alignment`.
VARSPACE var - The name of `any variable`.

269.4 Returns

INT : `TextID`

-1 - Error.
>=0 - The `TextID` of the text.

269.5 Notes

Please note that for the `varspace var` parameter *no* pointer should be filled out, while `write_int()/write_string()/write_float()` *do* require a pointer.

There is a limit of 511 texts to simultaneously exist on the screen. The program will crash with an error when this number is reached.

The text depth can be changed by adjusting the global variable `text_z`.

Instead of `write_var()`, `write_int()` could be used to write an `int` to the screen, `write_string()` for a `string`, `write_float()` for a `float`.

269.6 Errors

Too many texts onscreen - There are too many texts on the screen.

269.7 Example

```
import "mod_text"
import "mod_key"

Global
    my_integer=0;
    string my_string="Bennu Game Development";
End

Process Main()
Begin

    write_var(0,0,0,0,my_string);
    write_var(0,320/2,200/2,4,my_integer);

    Repeat
        my_integer=rand(1,1000);
        frame;
    Until(key(_ESC))

End
```

Used in example: `write_var()`, `rand()`, `key()`

This will result in something like:
File:Write var.png

270 Xadvance

270.1 Definition

INT xadvance (<**INT** angle> , <**INT** distance>)

Moves a process a certain distance in a certain direction.

270.2 Parameters

INT angle - The **angle** in which to move the process, in thousandths of a degree.

INT distance - The distance to move the process, in pixels.

270.3 Returns

INT : Successrate

true - Success.

false - Error.

270.4 Example

```
Program example;
Global
  myproc;

Begin
  myproc=proc();

  Loop
    frame;
  End
End

Process proc();
Begin
  x=100;
  y=100;

  Loop
    xadvance(90000,10); //moves the process vertically (90 degrees) 10 pixels
    frame;
  End
End
```

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271 Xput

271.1 Definition

INT xput (<**INT** fileID> , <**INT** GraphID> , <**INT** x> , <**INT** y> , <**INT** angle> , <**INT** size> , <**INT** blitflags> , <**INT** region>)

Draws (blits) a [graphic](#) onto the [background](#).

If the advanced parameters aren't needed, [put\(\)](#) can be used.

271.2 Parameters

- INT** fileID - The [fileID](#) of the [file](#) that holds the graphics.
- INT** graphID - The [graphID](#) of the [graphic](#) to draw with.
- INT** x - Where on the background graphic's x-axis to put the graphic.
- INT** y - Where on the background graphic's y-axis to put the graphic.
- INT** angle - What [angle](#) to draw the graphic at.
- INT** size - What [size](#) to draw the graphic at.
- INT** blitflags - What [blit flags](#) to draw the graphic with.
- INT** regionID - The [regionID](#) of the [region](#) in which the graphic is only allowed to be drawn.

271.3 Returns

INT : [true](#)

271.4 Notes

The x and y parameters denote where to draw the graphic, that is, where the center of the to be drawn graphic will be. Blit flags can be used to give the drawing (blitting) a special effect.

When angle is 0 and size is 100, the speed is greater, because the graph doesn't need rotating or scaling.

271.5 Errors

Unsupported color depth - The graphic's color depth is greater than the background graphic's.

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