

# Date/Time Picker Control Attributes Window

## Accessible Using

1. Double-click on the date/time picker control; or
  2. if selected: "Control > Attributes" or by selecting 'Attributes...' from the control's context menu or
  3. if selected: ENTER.
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## Entries

### Note:

For context-sensitive help on attribute entries, select the entry so it has the focus, and press F1.

Entry in Attributes Window	Represents
<b>Name</b>	Handle name of the date/time picker control (may be overwritten with another name).
<b>Font</b>	Output field where the font currently selected is displayed.
...	Dialog box for selecting fonts.
<b>DIL text</b>	DIL-TEXT attribute value.
...	Dialog box for determining sources of DIL-TEXT attribute values.
<b>Context Menu</b>	CONTEXT-MENU attribute value. Specifies the context menu (if any) associated with the control.
<b>Format string</b>	EDIT-MASK attribute value. Specifies custom format definition (if any).  <b>Note:</b> The format string used by this control does not use the normal Natural edit mask format specifiers. For a complete list of format specifiers, please refer to the article <i>Working with Date and Time Picker (DTP) Controls</i> .
<b>Background:</b>	
<b>Selection box</b>	BACKGROUND-COLOUR-NAME attribute value.
...	Invokes dialog box for editing BACKGROUND-COLOUR-VALUE attribute value.
<b>Help ID</b>	HELP-ID attribute value. You must use the help topic's .h file to map the numerical ID that you enter here to the corresponding help topic ID (created by a markup in the .hlp file).
<b>Format:</b>	

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<b>Short date</b>	STYLE attribute value. System-defined short date format is used.  <b>Note:</b> The control does not have a sunken appearance if Windows XP styles are active.
<b>Century date</b>	STYLE attribute value. System-defined long date format is used, extended with century information (if not already present).  <b>Note:</b> Depending on the active regional settings, this format may be identical to the short date format.
<b>Long date</b>	STYLE attribute value. System-defined long date format is used.
<b>Time</b>	STYLE attribute value. Control displays (and stores) only times, not date information.
<b>Style:</b>	
<b>Up-down</b>	STYLE attribute value. Control uses Up and Down buttons to scroll through the values, rather than a drop-down month calendar.  <b>Note:</b> This option is implicitly set if the control's "time" style is set.
<b>Calendar on right</b>	STYLE attribute value. Drop down calendar is right-aligned with the control, rather than left-aligned.
<b>Allow "no value"</b>	STYLE attribute value. Control displays a check box indicating the presence or absence of a value.
<b>Calendar styles:</b>	These styles relate to the drop-down month calendar (if any).
<b>Week numbers</b>	STYLE attribute value. Week numbers are displayed.
<b>No today</b>	STYLE attribute value. Today's date (click-sensitive) is not displayed at the bottom of the calendar.
<b>No today circle</b>	STYLE attribute value. Today's date is not highlighted (e.g., circled).
<b>State:</b>	
<b>Visible</b>	VISIBLE attribute value. Control will be shown.
<b>Enabled</b>	ENABLED attribute value. Control can accept user input.
<b>Rectangle:</b>	The following four attributes decide the date/time picker control's x and y axis position, its height and its width on the screen.  <b>X</b> - RECTANGLE-X attribute value. <b>Y</b> - RECTANGLE-Y attribute value. <b>W</b> - RECTANGLE-W attribute value. <b>H</b> - RECTANGLE-H attribute value.
<b>OK</b>	Save settings and exit the window.

<b>Entry in Attributes Window</b>	<b>Represents</b>
<b>Cancel</b>	Exit the window without saving the settings.
<b>Help</b>	Provides online help on the attributes window.