

# INatAutoImages

This chapter covers the following topics:

- Purpose
  - Properties
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## Purpose

Used to define images that represent commands in menus and toolbars.

## Properties

The following properties are available:

- Parent
- Studio

## Parent

Used to navigate to the parent interface of this interface.

Natural Data Format	Variant Type	Remark
HANDLE OF OBJECT	VT_DISPATCH (INatAutoControlBars)	Get only

## Studio

Used to navigate to the root interface.

Natural Data Format	Variant Type	Remark
HANDLE OF OBJECT	VT_DISPATCH (INatAutoStudio)	Get only

## Methods

The following method is available:

- LoadImage

## LoadImage

Loads an image from a file. The resulting IPictureDisp interface can, for example, be used to assign the image to a command when adding a command to the INatAutoCommands collection.

IPictureDisp is an Automation interface predefined in Windows.

### Parameters

Name	Natural Data Format	Variant Type	Remark
Return value	HANDLE OF OBJECT	VT_DISPATCH (IPictureDisp)	
ImageFileName	A	VT_BSTR	

### Return value

The loaded image.

### ImageFileName

Name of a bitmap file (.bmp) with full path name that contains the image to be loaded.