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Chapter 1

rxsocketeng

1.1 main

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rxasl.library 4.1

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1.2 warning

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1.3 distribution

rxasl.library is freeware

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1.4 guide

This guide contains links with inline ARexx macros which use rmh.library/OpenURL. They will work if and only if you have both openurl.library and rmh.library installed.

rmh.library is by me, and can be found on Aminet at util/rexx/rmh.lha.

openURL.library is by Troels Walsted Hansen

"This library was created to make it easier for application programmers to include clickable URLs in their applications, about windows, etc. ..."

You can find it on aminet at comm/www/OpenURL20.lha

1.5 author

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1.6 introduction

This library offers asl.library function to ARexx macro.

The way used to handle arguments and results is:

- you pass function an ARexx var name where you set same fields to pass to the function and where the function will write back results.
any function works with no fields set as well.

1.7 requirements

The library needs AmigaOS version 3.

1.8 installation

Use the install script.

1.9 terms

- field: a string rappresenting a tag to set in a stem;
- stem or stemName: a valid ARexx variable name e.g. var, var.0, var.name, var ← ;
- types of arguments: the types used are:

D	any data	--
N	numeric	/N
S	symbol	/S ARexx valid symbol
V	stemName	/V ARexx valid symbol as S but with length<20

1.10 bugs

If some patch to asl.library is running not all works, e.g. DOPATTERNS and so on. This is not my fault.

1.11 functions

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GetRxAslString  
help  
ReqFile  
ReqFont  
ReqScreen  
Any function can be called as "RXASL_FunctionName".  
So if you have another library with a function with  
the same name and you want to use it, add rxasl.library  
with a smaller priority and use the "RXASL_FunctionName"  
form to call "FunctionName" .
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1.12 getrxaslstring

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GetRxAslString  
Usage: string = GetRxAslString(code)  
<code/N>  
  
Return the string associated with a rxasl.library error code.  
Valid code are:  
- 51 MSG_NO_MEM_STR      "too few memory"  
- 53 MSG_BAD_NUMBER_STR  "bad number"  
- 54 MSG_BAD_VALUE_STR   "bad value"  
- 55 MSG_BAD_PATTERN_STR "bad pattern"
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- 56 MSG_NO_WINDOW_STR      "window not found"  
- 57 MSG_NO_SCREEN_STR     "public screen not found"  
Any other code returns an empty string.
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1.13 help

help

Usage: helpString = help(funName)
<funName>

Returns the arguments mask string of rxasl.library function "funName".

1.14 reqfile

ReqFile

Usage: res = ReqFile(stem)
<stem/V>

Open an asl.library file requester.

Any field that can be set by the user and that is set by the function follows:

Box

LEFTEDGE	initial left edge
TOPEDGE	initial top edge
WIDTH	initial width
HEIGHT	initial height

AMigaDOS Pattern

ACCEPTPATTERN	Accept iff matche pattern - default #?
REJECTPATTERN	if matches then reject file - default ~(#?)
PATTERN	pattern for the pattern gadget

Filters

Filter Macro

An ARexx macro that is called for each FILE entry the requester is going to ↵
show.

The macro is called with 3 args:

- entry name	
- drawer name	
- AnchorPat pointer (DON'T WRITE IN IT)	
FILTERFUNC	ARexx macro as file name or string
FILTERSTRING	FILTERFUNC is a string - default 0

Screen & Window

WINDOW	open requester on this window screen only valid if you have a rxwiz.library window opened. Must be a string "SURFACENAME/WINDOWNAME" lock WINDOW - default TRUE
SLEEPWINDOW	
PUBSCREEN	pubscreen name to open on
FALLBACK	open on default pubscreen is PUBSCREEN not found

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NTSCREENTOFONT          not move screen where to opened to front

Text
TITLETEXT                requester title
POSITIVETEXT              ok
NEGATIVETEXT              exit

Files and Drawers
FILE                      initial file
DRAWER                     initial drawer
DOMULTISELECT             multi selection
DOSAVEMODE                SAVE MODE - default 0
DRAWERSONLY               only drawer - default 0
REJECTICONS                 no icons - default 0
DOPATTERNS                  shod pattern gadget - default 0
FILTERDRAWERS               ACCEPTPATTERN & REJECTPATTERN filters drawers too - ←
                           default 0
NOEMPTY                    if set and the user enters an empty file name the ←
                           result of
                           ReqFile() will be -1, like the user pressed "Cancel" ←
                           button
                           if not set and the user enters an empty file name, an ←
                           empty
                           file name is returned; it is only valid for file ←
                           requester not
                           drawer requester, because empty drawer name means ←
                           currentdir;
                           note that "empty" means a string made of blank(s);
                           default 1

RESULTS
=-1           no requester or exist from requester, nothing selected
= 0           ok
> 0           error code use
                           GetRxAslString
                           to get the string
                           ARexx var RXASLERROR is also set to the field name that caused the ←
                           error.

FIELDS SET
LEFTEDGE                 last left edge
TOPEDGE                   last top edge
WIDTH                     last width
HEIGHT                     last height
FILE                       selected file - first selected if DOMULTISELECT
DRAWER                     drawer - "" if current dir
PATTERN                   last pattern
NUMARGS                   number selected if DOMULTISELECT
                           selected files are in .0 ... .i i=NUMARGS-1

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1.15 reqfont

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ReqFont
Usage: res=ReqFont (stem)
<setm/V>

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Open an asl.library font requester.

Any field that can be set by the user and that is set by the function follows:

Box

LEFTEDGE	initial left edge
TOPEDGE	initial top edge
WIDTH	initial width
HEIGHT	initial height

Filter Macro

An ARexx macro that is called for each entry the requester is going to show.

The macro is called with 3 args:

- entry name	
- YSize	
- struct TextAttr pointer	
FILTERSTRING	macro to filter entry
FILTERFUNC	FILTERSTRING is a string macro rather than a file name

Screen & Window

WINDOW	open requester on this window screen only valid if you have a rxwiz.library window opened. Must be a string "SURFACENAME/WINDOWNAME" lock WINDOW - default TRUE
SLEEPWINDOW	
PUBSCREEN	pubscreen name to open on
FALLBACK	open on default pubscreen is PUBSCREEN not found
NTSCREENTOFONT	not move screen where to opened to front

Text

TITLETEXT	requester title
POSITIVETEXT	ok
NEGATIVETEXT	exit

Font

NAME	initial font name
SIZE	initial font size
STYLE	initial font style: numeric or a combination of - "NORMAL" - "UNDERLINE" - "BOLD" - "ITALIC" - "COLORFONT"

FLAGS

FRONTPEN	initial fonts flags
BACKPEN	initial front pen
DRAWMODE	initial back pen
	initial drawmode - numeric or one of - "JAM1" - "JAM2" - "COMPLEMENT" - "INVERSVID"

DOFRONTPEN

DOBACKPEN

DODRAWMODE

DOSTYLE

FIXEDWIDTHONLY

MINHEIGHT

MAXHEIGHT

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MAXFRONTPEN           max front pen
MAXBACKPEN            max backpen

RESULTS
=-1      no requester or exist from requester, nothing selected
= 0      ok
> 0      error code use
          GetRxAslString
          to get the string
ARexx var RXASLERROR is also set to the field name that caused the ←
error.

FIELDS SET
LEFTEDGE              last left edge
TOPEDGE               last top edge
WIDTH                 last width
HEIGHT                last height
NAME                  selected name
SIZE                  selected size
STYLES                selected style
FLAGS                 selected flags
DRAWMODE              selected drawmode
FRONTPEN              selected front pen
BACKPEN               selected back pen

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1.16 reqscreen

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ReqScreen
Usage: res=ReqScreen(stem)
<stem/V>

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Open an asl.library font requester.

Any field that can be set by the user and that is set by the function follows:

Box	
LEFTEDGE	initial left edge
TOPEDGE	initial top edge
WIDTH	initial width
HEIGHT	initial height

Filter Macro

An ARexx macro that is called for each entry the requester is going to show.

The macro is called with 2 args:

- screen mode
- struct ScreenModeRequester pointer

FILTERSTRING	macro to filter entry
FILTERFUNC	FILTERSTRING is a string macro rather than a file name

Screen & Window

WINDOW	open requester on this window screen only valid if you have a rxwiz.library window opened. Must be a string "SURFACENAME/WINDOWNAME"
SLEEPWINDOW	lock WINDOW - default TRUE
PUBSCREEN	pubscreen name to open on
FALLBACK	open on default pubscreen is PUBSCREEN not found

NTSCREENTOFONT not move screen where to opened to front

Text

TITLETEXT	requester title
POSITIVETEXT	ok
NEGATIVETEXT	exit
LEFTEDGE	initial left edge
TOPEDGE	initial top edge
WIDTH	initial width
HEIGHT	initial height

Screen

DISPLAYID	initial display id
DISPLAYWIDTH	initial display width
DISPLAYHEIGHT	initial display height
DISPLAYDEPTH	initial display depth
OVERSCAN	initial overscan - one of: - "TEXT" - "STANDARD" - "MAX" - "VIDEO"
AUTOSCROLL	initial autoscroll
INFOOPENED	info window opened?
INFOLEFTEDGE	initial info window left edge
INFOTOPEDGE	initial info window top edge
BITMAPWIDTH	initial bitmap width
BITMAPHEIGHT	initial bitmap height
DOWIDTH	show width gadget
DOHEIGHT	show height gadget
DODEPTH	show depth gadget
DOOVERSCAN	show overscan gadget
DOAUTOSCROLL	show autoscroll gadget
PROPERTYFLAGS	property flags
PROPERTYMASK	property mask
MINWIDTH	min screen width
MAXWIDTH	max screen width
MINHEIGHT	min screen height
MAXHEIGHT	max screen height
MINDEPTH	min screen depth
MAXDEPTH	max screen depth

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=-1	no requester or exist from requester, nothing selected
= 0	ok
> 0	error code use GetRxAslString to get tet string ARexx var RXASLERROR is also set to the field name that caused the ← error.

FIELDS SET

LEFTEDGE	last left edge
TOPEDGE	last top edge
WIDTH	last witdh
HEIGHT	last height
DISPLAYID	id
DISPLAYWIDTH	width

DISPLAYHEIGHT	height
DISPLAYDEPTH	depth
OVERSCAN	overscan
AUTOSCROLL	autoscroll
INFOOPENED	was info window opened on exit?
INFOLEFTEDGE	last info window left edge
INFOTOPEDGE	last info window top edge
BITMAPWIDTH	bitmap width
BITMAPHEIGHT	bitmap height