

Subject – Desktop Application Development (VB.NET)

Unit-3

Basic Tools for Desktop Application Development

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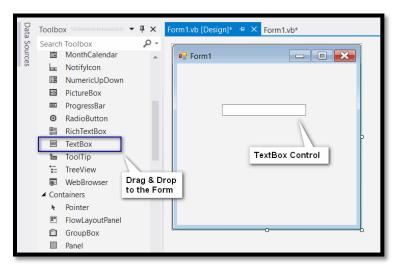


Data Entry Tools

 The tools using which data can be written into the computer software are called data entry tools.

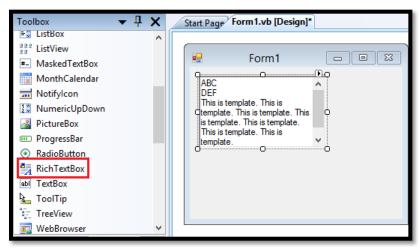
> Textbox

Text box controls allow entering text on a form at runtime



Rich Textbox

 The Rich Textbox control allows the user to display, enter, and edit text while also providing more advanced formatting features than the conventional Textbox control

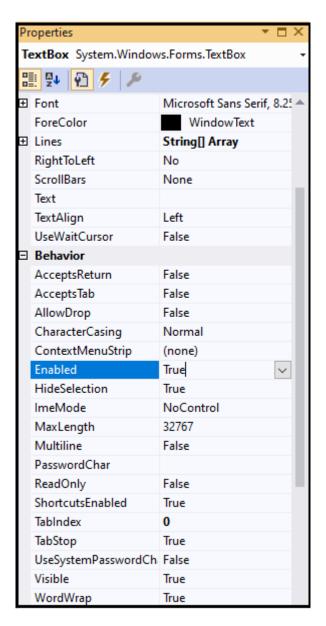




⇒ Textbox Control in VB.net

A Textbox control is used to display, accept the text from the user as an input, or a single line of text on a VB.NET Windows form at runtime. Furthermore, we can add multiple text and scroll bars in textbox control.

VB.NET Textbox Properties





Textbox Control Properties in VB.net

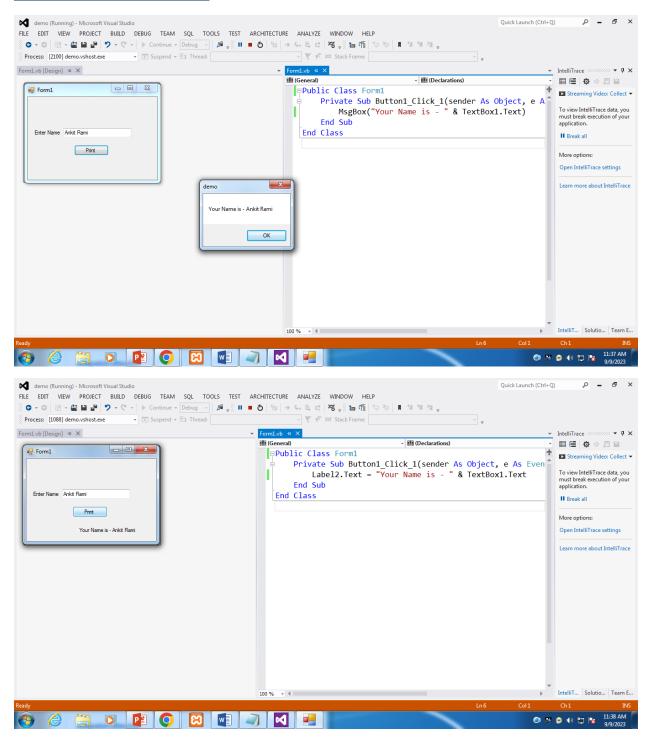
Properties	Description
AutoCompleteMode	It is used to get or set a value that indicates how the automatic completion works for the textbox control.
Font	It is used to set the font style of the text displayed on a Windows form.
Lines	It is used to set the number of lines in a TextBox control.
CharacterCasing	It is used to get or set a value representing whether the TextBox control can modify the character's case as they typed.
Multiline	It is used to enter more than one line in a TextBox control, by changing the Multiline property value from False to True.
AcceptsReturn	It is used to get or set a value that indicates whether pressing the enter button in a multiline textbox; it creates a new line of text in control.
PasswordChar	It is used to set the password character that can be a mask in a single line of a TextBox control.
PreferredHeight	It is used to set the preferred height of the textbox control in the window form.
ScrollBars	It is used to display a scrollbar on a multiline textbox by setting a value for a Textbox control.
Text	It is used to get or set the text associated with the textbox control.
Visible	The Visible property sets a value that indicates whether the textbox should be displayed on a Windows Form.
WordWrap	The WordWrap properties validate whether the multiline Textbox control automatically wraps words to the beginning of the next line when necessary.

Textbox Control Events in VB.net

Events	Description
Click	When a textbox is clicked, a click event is called in the textbox control.
Causes Validation Changed	It occurs in the TextBox Control when the value of CauseValidation property is changed.
AcceptTabsChanged	It is found in the TextBox control when the property value of the AcceptTab is changed.
BackColorChanged	It is found in the TextBox Control when the property value of the BackColor is changed.
BorderStyleChanged	It is found in the TextBox Control when the value of the BorderStyle is changed.
ControlAdded	It is found when the new control is added to the Control.ControlCollection.
CursorChanged	It is found in TextBox, when the textbox control is removed from the Control.ControlCollection.
FontChanged	It occurs when the property of the Font is changed.
GetFocus	It is found in TextBox control to get the focus.
MouseClick	A MouseClick event occurs when the mouse clicks the control.
MultilineChanged	It is found in a textbox control when the value of multiline changes.



Ex- Textbox Control

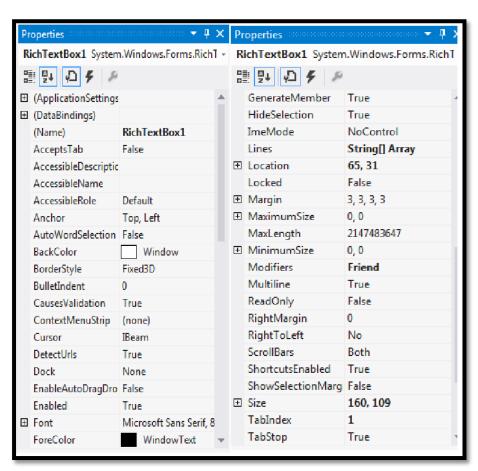




⇒ RichTextbox Control in VB.net

- The RichTextbox control allows the user to display, enter, and edit text while also providing more advanced formatting features.
- The RichTextBox control opens and saves files in both the RTF format and regular ASCII text format. You can use methods of the control (LoadFile and SaveFile) to directly read and write files, or use properties of the control such as SeIRTF and TextRTF in conjunction with Visual Basic's file input/output statements.
- The RichTextBox control supports almost all of the properties, events and methods used with the standard TextBox control, such as MaxLength, MultiLine, ScrollBars, SelLength, SelStart, and SelText. Applications that already use TextBox controls can easily be adapted to make use of RichTextBox controls. However, the RichTextBox control doesn't have the same 64K character capacity limit of the conventional TextBox control.

RichTextbox Control Properties in VB.net





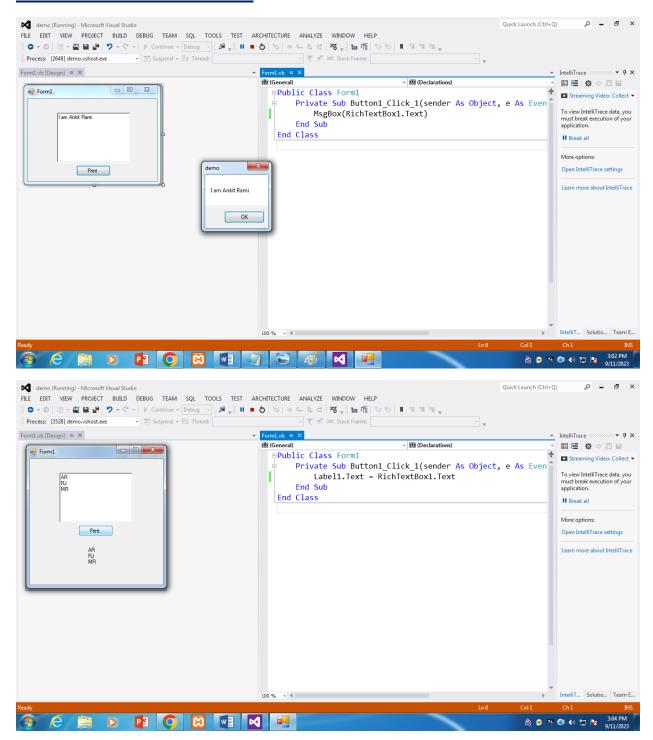
Methods of the RichTextBox Control:

Method	Description Description				
LoadFile	Loads an .rtf file or text file into a RichTextBox control.				
	Syntax:				
	RichTextBox1.LoadFil	le pathname, fi	letype		
	Where pathname is a string defining the path and filename of the file to load into the control and filetype is an integer or constant that specifies the type of file loaded. Valid values for filetype are 0 (or the constant rtfRTF; default, specifies a valid .rtf file), or 1 (constant rtfText, specifies any text file).				
	When loading a file with the LoadFile method, the contents of the loaded file replaces the entire contents of the RichTextBox control. This will cause the values of the Text and RTFText properties to change.				
SaveFile	Saves the contents of	a RichTextBox	control to a file.		
	Syntax:				
	RichTextBox1.SaveFil	le pathname, fil	letype		
	Where pathname is a string defining the path and filename of the file to receive the contents of the control and filetype is an integer or constant that specifies the type of file to be saved. Valid values for filetype are 0 (or the constant rtfRTF; default, saves contents as a .rtf file), or 1 (constant rtfText, saves contents as a text file).				
Find	Searches the text in a	RichTextBox	control for a given string.		
	Syntax				
	object.Find(string, sta	rt, end, options)		
	The Find method synt	ax has these p	arts:		
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			g expression you want to find in the control.		
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	options Op	ptional. One or	more constants used to specify optional features, as		
	described in Settings.				
	Settings				
	The setting for options can include:				
	Constant Value Description				
	rtfWholeWord	2	Determines if a match is based on a whole word or a		
	rtfMatchCase	4	fragment of a word. Determines if a match is based on the case of the		
	rtfNoHighlight	8	specified string as well as the text of the string. Determines if a match appears highlighted in the		
			RichTextBox control.		
	You can combine multiple options by using the Or operator.				
	Remarks				
	If the text searched for is found, the Find method highlights the specified text and returns the index of the first character highlighted. If the specified text is not found, the Find method returns -1.				
	If you use the Find method without the rtfNoHighlight option while the HideSelection property is True and the RichTextBox control does not have the focus, the control still highlights the found text. Subsequent uses of the Find method will search only for the highlighted text until the insertion point moves.				
			hod varies based on the combination of values specified for ble describes the possible behaviors:		
	Start Ei	nd	Search Behavior		
	Specified Sp	pecified	Searches from the specified start location to the specified end location.		
	Specified O	mitted	Searches from the specified start location to the end of the text in the control.		
	Omitted Sp	pecified	Searches from the current insertion point to the specified end location.		
	Omitted O	mitted	Searches the current selection if text is selected or the entire contents of the control if no text is selected.		

	Returns the number control.	er of the line containing a specified character position in a RichTextBox			
	Usage:				
	linenbr = R	RichTextBox1.GetLineFromChar(charpos)			
	Where charpos is identify. The index	a long integer that specifies the index of the character whose line you want to of the first character in the RichTextBox control is 0.			
	You use the GetLi	ineFromChar method to find out which line in the text of a RichTextBox certain character position in the text. You might need to do this because the			
	number of charact the text contains a	ters in each line of text can vary, making it very difficult to find out which line in a particular character, identified by its position in the text.			
Span	Selects text in a R Syntax	ichTextBox control based on a set of specified characters.			
		acterset, forward, negate			
	The Span method	syntax has these parts:			
	Part object	Description The RTB control			
	characterset	Required. A string expression that specifies the set of characters to look for when extending the selection, based on the value of negate.			
	forward	Optional. A Boolean expression that determines which direction the insertion point moves, as described in Settings.			
	negate	Optional. A Boolean expression that determines whether the characters in <i>characterset</i> define the set of target characters or are excluded from the set of target characters, as described in Settings.			
	Settings The settings for for	nward are:			
	Setting	Description			
	True	(Default) Selects text from the current insertion point or the beginning of the current selection forward, toward the end of the text.			
	False	Selects text from the current insertion point or the beginning of the current selection backward, toward the start of the text.			
	The settings for negate are:				
	Setting	Description			
	True	The characters included in the selection are those which do not appear in the characterset argument. The selection stops at the first character			
	False	found that appears in the characterset argument. (Default) The characters included in the selection are those which appear in the characterset argument. The selection stops at the first			
		character found that does not appear in the <i>characterset</i> argument.			
	Remarks				
		is primarily used to easily select a word or sentence in the RichTextBox			
		d cannot find the specified characters based on the values of the arguments,			
	then the current in	sertion point or selection remains unchanged.			
	The Span method Example:	does not return any data.			
		nes a pair of keyboard shortcuts that selects text in a RichTextBox control to			
	This example defines a pair of keyboard shortcuts that selects text in a RichTextBox control to the end of a sentence (CTRL+8) or the end of a word (CTRL+W). To try this example, put a RichTextBox control on a form. Paste this code into the KeyUp event of the RichTextBox				
	control. Then run the example.				
	Private Sub RichTextBox1 KeyUp (KeyCode As Integer, Shift As Integer) If Shift - vbCtrlMask Then Select Case KeyCode Or (Coles.)				
	Case vbKevS				
	Ri	Select to the end of the sentence. ichTextBoxl.Span ".?!:", True, True Extend selection to include punctuation.			
	K	ichiextboxi.Sellength = kichiextboxi.Sellength + 1			
	Case	Ctrl+W: whkeyW white to the end of the word. ichTextBox1.Span ",:.?!", True, True gct			
	End Sele End If	ichTextBox1.Span " ,;:.?!", True, True ect			
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Ex- RichTextbox Control





Data Selection Tools

 These are tools that can be used to select data from a specific list called data selection tools.

> Combo Box

It is used to display a drop-down list of various items.

> List Box

 ListBox control is used to display a list of items in Windows form. It allows the user to select one or more items from the ListBox Control

> Radio Button

- RadioButton is used to select one option from the number of choices.
- RadioButton control is used to provide a set of mutually exclusive options.

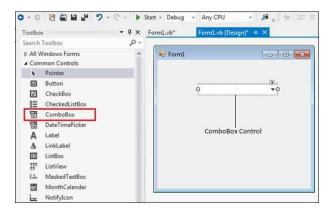
≻ Check Box

- CheckBox control is a control that allows the user to select or deselect options from the available options.
- CheckBox control allows the user to set true/false or yes/no type options.



⇒ Combobox Control in VB.net

- ComboBox control is used to display a drop-down list of various items.
- It is a combination of a text box in which the user enters an item and a dropdown list from which the user selects an item.



ComboBox Control Properties in VB.net

Sr.No.	Property & Description
1	AllowSelection Gets a value indicating whether the list enables selection of list items.
2	AutoCompleteCustomSource Gets or sets a custom System.Collections .Specialized.StringCollection to use when the AutoCompleteSourceproperty is set to CustomSource.
3	AutoCompleteMode Gets or sets an option that controls how automatic completion works for the ComboBox.
4	AutoCompleteSource Gets or sets a value specifying the source of complete strings used for automatic completion.
5	DataBindings Gets the data bindings for the control.
6	DataManager Gets the CurrencyManager associated with this control.
7	DataSource Gets or sets the data source for this ComboBox.
8	DropDownHeight Gets or sets the height in pixels of the drop-down portion of the ComboBox.
9	DropDownStyle Gets or sets a value specifying the style of the combo box.
10	DropDownWidth Gets or sets the width of the of the drop-down portion of a combo box.
11	DroppedDown Gets or sets a value indicating whether the combo box is displaying its drop-down portion.
12	FlatStyle Gets or sets the appearance of the ComboBox.

13	ItemHeight Gets or sets the height of an item in the combo box.
14	Items Gets an object representing the collection of the items contained in this ComboBox.
15	MaxDropDownItems Gets or sets the maximum number of items to be displayed in the drop-down part of the combo box.
16	MaxLength Gets or sets the maximum number of characters a user can enter in the editable area of the combo box.
17	SelectedIndex Gets or sets the index specifying the currently selected item.
18	Selecteditem Gets or sets currently selected item in the ComboBox.
19	SelectedText Gets or sets the text that is selected in the editable portion of a ComboBox.
20	SelectedValue Gets or sets the value of the member property specified by the ValueMember property.
21	SelectionLength Gets or sets the number of characters selected in the editable portion of the combo box.
22	SelectionStart Gets or sets the starting index of text selected in the combo box.
23	Sorted Gets or sets a value indicating whether the items in the combo box are sorted.
24	Text Gets or sets the text associated with this control.



Combobox Control Methods in VB.net

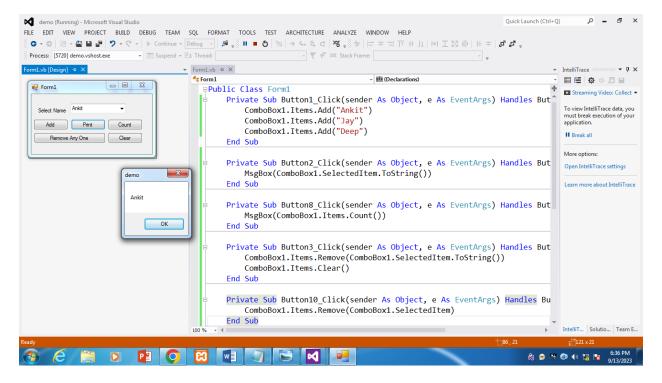
Sr.No.	Method Name & Description
1	BeginUpdate Prevents the control from drawing until the EndUpdate method is called, while items are added to the combo box one at a time.
2	EndUpdate Resumes drawing of a combo box, after it was turned off by the BeginUpdate method.
3	FindString Finds the first item in the combo box that starts with the string specified as an argument.
4	FindStringExact Finds the first item in the combo box that exactly matches the specified string.
5	SelectAll Selects all the text in the editable area of the combo box.

Combobox Control Events in VB.net

Sr.No.	Event & Description
1	DropDown Occurs when the drop-down portion of a combo box is displayed.
2	DropDownClosed Occurs when the drop-down portion of a combo box is no longer visible.
3	DropDownStyleChanged Occurs when the DropDownStyle property of the ComboBox has changed.
4	SelectedIndexChanged Occurs when the SelectedIndex property of a ComboBox control has changed.
5	SelectionChangeCommitted Occurs when the selected item has changed and the change appears in the combo box.

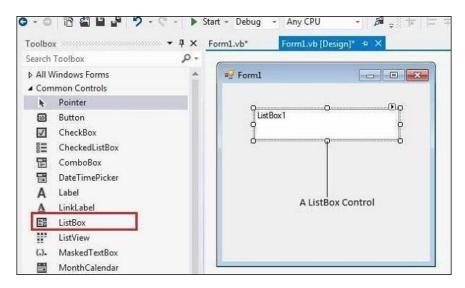


Ex- ComboBox Control



⇒ List Box Control in VB.net

- ListBox represents a Windows control to display a list of items to a user.
- A user can select an item from the list. It allows the programmer to add items at design time by using the properties window or at the runtime.





List Box Control Properties in VB.net

Sr.No.	Property & Description	10	SelectedIndex Gets or sets the zero-based index of the currently selected item
	allowSelection Gets a value indicating whether the ListBox currently enables election of list items.		in a list box.
l		11	SelectedIndices Gets a collection that contains the zero-based indexes of all currently selected items in the list box.
2	BorderStyle Gets or sets the type of border drawn around the list box.	12	SelectedItem Gets or sets the currently selected item in the list box.
3	ColumnWidth Gets of sets the width of columns in a multicolumn list box.	13	Selecteditems Gets a collection containing the currently selected items in the list box.
4	HorizontalExtent Gets or sets the horizontal scrolling area of a list box.	14	SelectedValue Gets or sets the value of the member property specified by the ValueMember property.
5	HorizontalScrollBar Gets or sets the value indicating whether a horizontal scrollbar is displayed in the list box.		SelectionMode Gets or sets the method in which items are selected in the list box. This property has values -
6	ItemHeight Gets or sets the height of an item in the list box.	15	NoneOneMultiSimple
7	Items Gets the items of the list box.		MultiExtended
8	MultiColumn Gets or sets a value indicating whether the list box supports	16	Sorted Gets or sets a value indicating whether the items in the list box are sorted alphabetically.
	multiple columns.	17	Text Gets or searches for the text of the currently selected item in the
9	ScrollAlwaysVisible Gets or sets a value indicating whether the vertical scroll bar is shown at all times.	1	list box.
J		18	TopIndex Gets or sets the index of the first visible item of a list box.

List Box Control Method in VB.net

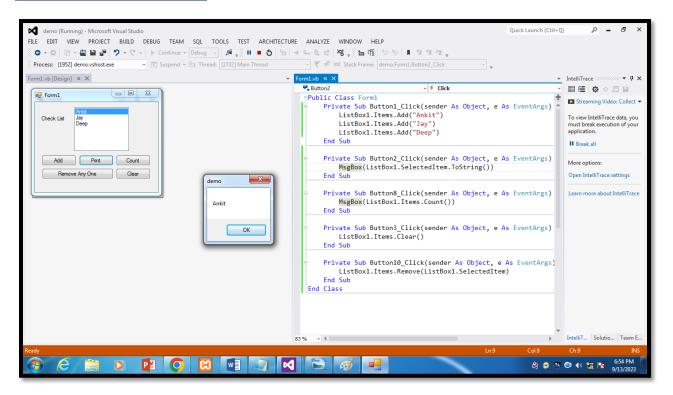
Sr.No.	Method Name & Description
1	BeginUpdate Prevents the control from drawing until the EndUpdate method is called, while items are added to the ListBox one at a time.
2	ClearSelected Unselects all items in the ListBox.
3	EndUpdate Resumes drawing of a list box after it was turned off by the BeginUpdate method.
4	FindString Finds the first item in the ListBox that starts with the string specified as an argument.
5	FindStringExact Finds the first item in the ListBox that exactly matches the specified string.
6	GetSelected Returns a value indicating whether the specified item is selected.
7	SetSelected Selects or clears the selection for the specified item in a ListBox.
8	OnSelectedIndexChanged Raises the SelectedIndexChanged event.
8	OnSelectedValueChanged Raises the SelectedValueChanged event.



List Box Control Events in VB.Net

Sr.No.	Event & Description
1	Click Occurs when a list box is selected.
2	SelectedIndexChanged Occurs when the SelectedIndex property of a list box is changed.

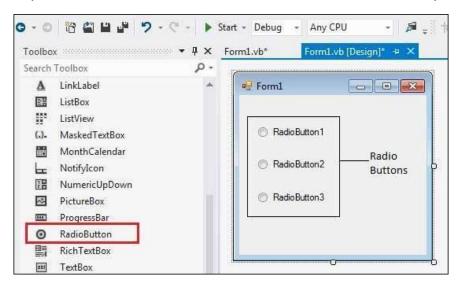
Ex- List Box Control



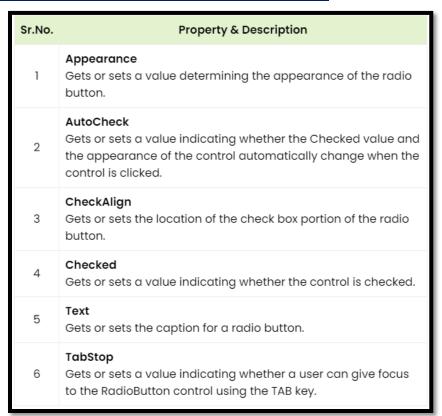


⇒ Radio Button Control in VB.net

- Radio Button control is used to provide a set of mutually exclusive options. The
 user can select one radio button in a group.
- If you need to place more than one group of radio buttons in the same form, you should place them in different container controls like a Group Box control.



Radio Button Control Properties in VB.net





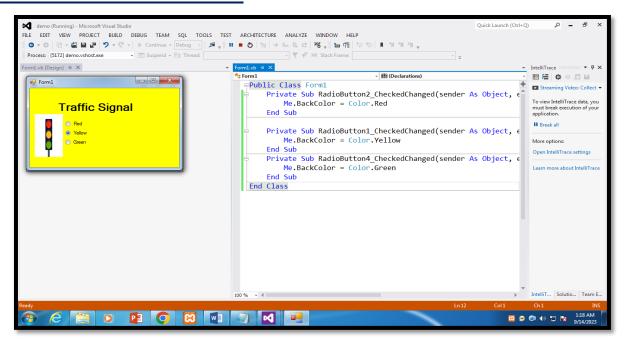
Radio Button Control Method in VB.net

Sr.No.	Method Name & Description
1	PerformClick Generates a Click event for the control, simulating a click by a user.

Radio Button Control Events in VB.net

Sr.No	Event & Description
1	AppearanceChanged Occurs when the value of the Appearance property of the RadioButton control is changed.
2	CheckedChanged Occurs when the value of the Checked property of the RadioButton control is changed.

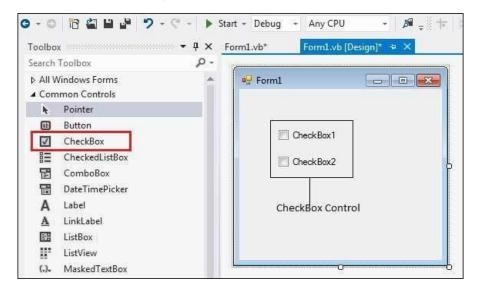
Ex- Radio Button Control



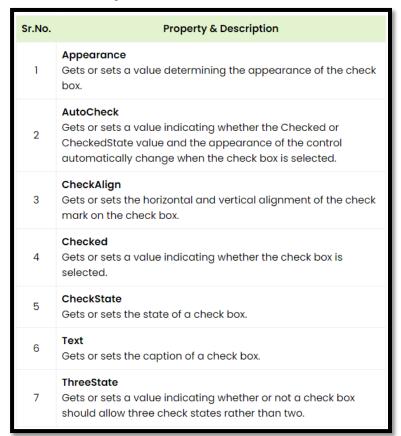


Check Box Control in VB.net

- Checkbox control allows the user to set true/false or yes/no type options.
- The user can select or deselect it. When a check box is selected it has the value True, and when it is cleared, it holds the value False.



Check Box Control Properties in VB.net





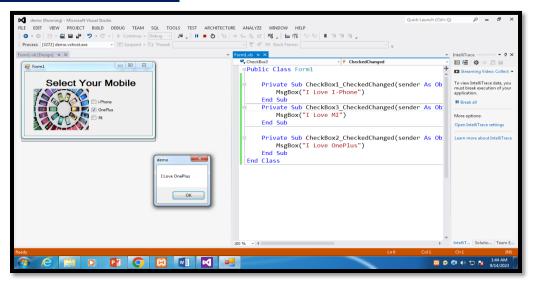
Check Box Control Methods in VB.net

Sr.No.	Method Name & Description
1	OnCheckedChanged Raises the CheckedChanged event.
2	OnCheckStateChanged Raises the CheckStateChanged event.
3	OnClick Raises the OnClick event.

Check Box Control Events in VB.net

Sr.No.	Event & Description
1	AppearanceChanged Occurs when the value of the Appearance property of the check box is changed.
2	CheckedChanged Occurs when the value of the Checked property of the CheckBox control is changed.
3	CheckStateChanged Occurs when the value of the CheckState property of the CheckBox control is changed.

Ex- Check Box Control





Data Display Tools

• These are tools used to view pictures, give a notice or instruction, and scroll or Track data.

> Label

It is used to display some informative text on GUI.

> Picture Box

It is used to display images on the form

> Scroll Bar

- The ScrollBar controls display vertical and horizontal scroll bars on the form.
- This is used for navigating through large amount of information.

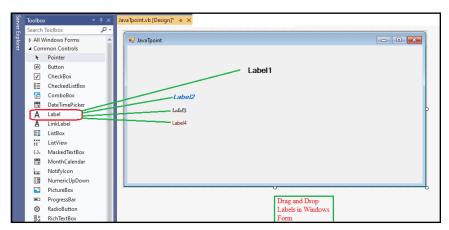
> Track Bar

- The TrackBar control is similar to the ScrollBar control, but it doesn't cover a continuous range of values.
- The TrackBar control has a fixed number of tick marks, which the developer can label. Users can place the slider's indicator to be desired value.



Label Control in VB.net

- ➤ It is generally used to display some informative text on the GUI which is not changed during runtime.
- ➤ In VB.NET, a label control is used to display descriptive text for the form in control.
- > It does not participate in user input or keyboard or mouse events.
- ➤ The labels are defined in the class System. Windows. Forms namespace.



Label Control Properties in VB.net

Sr.No.	Property & Description
1	Autosize Gets or sets a value specifying if the control should be automatically resized to display all its contents.
2	BorderStyle Gets or sets the border style for the control.
3	FlatStyle Gets or sets the flat style appearance of the Label control
4	Font Gets or sets the font of the text displayed by the control.
5	FontHeight Gets or sets the height of the font of the control.
6	ForeColor Gets or sets the foreground color of the control.

7	PreferredHeight Gets the preferred height of the control.
8	PreferredWidth Gets the preferred width of the control.
9	TabStop Gets or sets a value indicating whether the user can tab to the Label. This property is not used by this class.
10	Text Gets or sets the text associated with this control.
11	TextAlign Gets or sets the alignment of text in the label.



Label Control Methods in VB.net

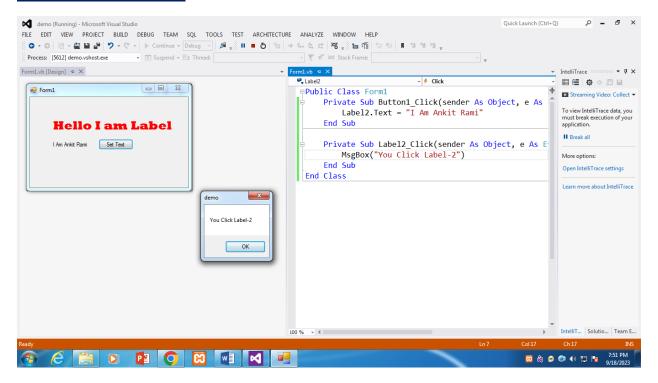
Sr.No.	Method Name & Description
1	GetPreferredSize Retrieves the size of a rectangular area into which a control can be fitted.
2	Refresh Forces the control to invalidate its client area and immediately redraw itself and any child controls.
3	Select Activates the control.
4	Show Displays the control to the user.
5	ToString Returns a String that contains the name of the control.

Label Control Events in VB.net

Sr.No.	Event & Description
1	AutoSizeChanged Occurs when the value of the AutoSize property changes.
2	Click Occurs when the control is clicked.
3	DoubleClick Occurs when the control is double-clicked.
4	GotFocus Occurs when the control receives focus.
5	Leave Occurs when the input focus leaves the control.
6	LostFocus Occurs when the control loses focus.
7	TabIndexChanged Occurs when the TabIndex property value changes.
8	TabStopChanged Occurs when the TabStop property changes.
9	TextChanged Occurs when the Text property value changes.

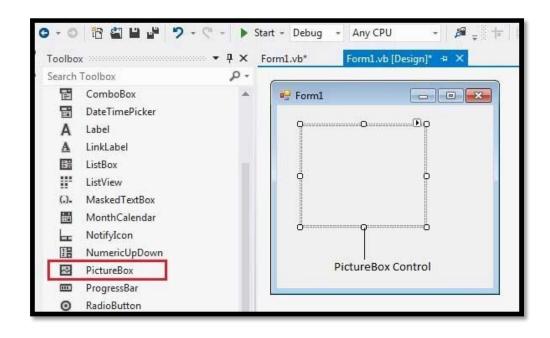


Ex- Label Control



Picture Box Control in VB.net

- > PictureBox control is used to display the images on Windows Form.
- PictureBox control has an image property that allows the user to set the image at runtime or design time.





Picture Box Control Properties in VB.net

Sr.No.	Property & Description
1	AllowDrop Specifies whether the picture box accepts data that a user drags on it.
2	ErrorImage Gets or specifies an image to be displayed when an error occurs during the image-loading process or if the image load is cancelled.
3	Image Gets or sets the image that is displayed in the control.
4	ImageLocation Gets or sets the path or the URL for the image displayed in the control.
5	InitialImage Gets or sets the image displayed in the control when the main image is loaded.
6	SizeMode Determines the size of the image to be displayed in the control. This property takes its value from the PictureBoxSizeMode enumeration, which has values — • Normal — the upper left corner of the image is placed at upper left part of the picture box • StrechImage — allows stretching of the image • AutoSize — allows resizing the picture box to the size of the image • CenterImage — allows centering the image in the picture box • Zoom — allows increasing or decreasing the image size to maintain the size ratio.
7	TabIndex Gets or sets the tab index value.
8	TabStop Specifies whether the user will be able to focus on the picture box by using the TAB key.
9	Text Gets or sets the text for the picture box.
10	WaitOnLoad Specifies whether or not an image is loaded synchronously.



Picture Box Control Events in VB.net

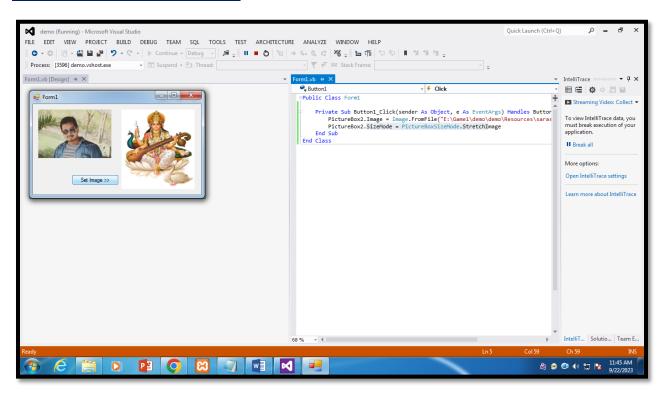
Sr.No.	Event & Description
1	CausesValidationChanged Overrides the Control.CausesValidationChanged property.
2	Click Occurs when the control is clicked.
3	Enter Overrides the Control.Enter property.
4	FontChanged Occurs when the value of the Font property changes.
5	ForeColorChanged Occurs when the value of the ForeColor property changes.
6	KeyDown Occurs when a key is pressed when the control has focus.
7	KeyPress Occurs when a key is pressed when the control has focus.
8	KeyUp Occurs when a key is released when the control has focus.
9	Leave Occurs when input focus leaves the PictureBox.
10	LoadCompleted Occurs when the asynchronous image-load operation is completed, been canceled, or raised an exception.
11	LoadProgressChanged Occurs when the progress of an asynchronous image-loading operation has changed.
12	Resize Occurs when the control is resized.
13	RightToLeftChanged Occurs when the value of the RightToLeft property changes.
14	SizeChanged Occurs when the Size property value changes.
15	SizeModeChanged Occurs when SizeMode changes.
16	TabIndexChanged Occurs when the value of the TabIndex property changes.
17	TabStopChanged Occurs when the value of the TabStop property changes.
18	TextChanged Occurs when the value of the Text property changes.



Picture Box Control Methods in VB.net

Sr.No.	Method Name & Description
1	CancelAsync Cancels an asynchronous image load.
2	Load Displays an image in the picture box
3	LoadAsync Loads image asynchronously.
4	ToString Returns the string that represents the current picture box.

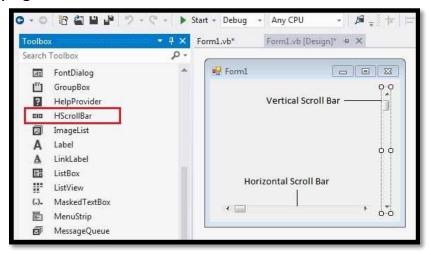
Ex- Picture Box Control





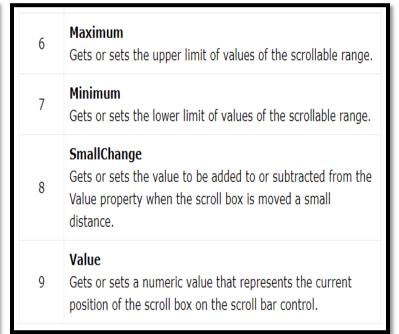
Scroll Bar Control in VB.net

- > ScrollBar control is used to create and display vertical and horizontal scroll bars on the Windows form
- ➤ It is used when we have large information in a form, and we are unable to see all the data. Therefore, we used VB.NET ScrollBar control.
- ScrollBar is of two types: HScrollBar for displaying scroll bars and VScrollBar for displaying Vertical Scroll bars.



Scroll Bar Control Properties in VB.net

Sr.No.	Property & Description
1	AutoSize Gets or sets a value indicating whether the ScrollBar is automatically resized to fit its contents.
2	BackColor Gets or sets the background color for the control.
3	ForeColor Gets or sets the foreground color of the scroll bar control.
4	ImeMode Gets or sets the Input Method Editor (IME) mode supported by this control.
5	LargeChange Gets or sets a value to be added to or subtracted from the Value property when the scroll box is moved a large distance.





Scroll Bar Control Methods in VB.net

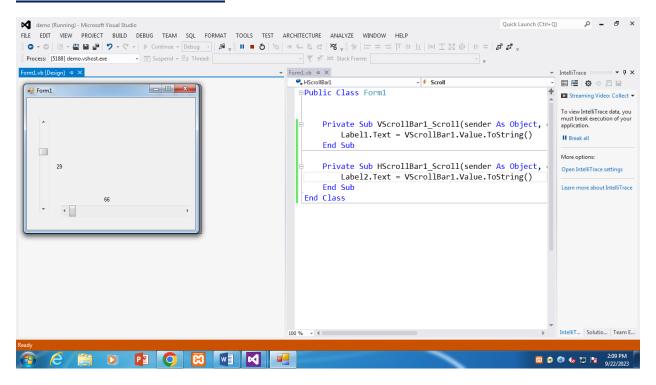
Sr.No.	Method Name & Description
1	OnClick Generates the Click event.
2	Select Activates the control.

Scroll Bar Control Events in VB.net

Sr.No.	Event & Description	
1	Click Occurs when the control is clicked.	
2	DoubleClick Occurs when the user double-clicks the control.	
3	Scroll Occurs when the control is moved.	
4	ValueChanged Occurs when the Value property changes, either by handling the Scroll event or programmatically.	

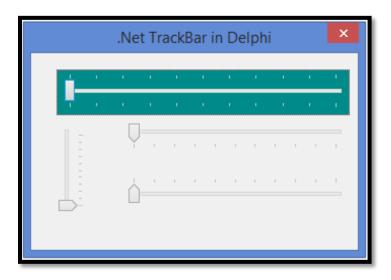


Ex- Scroll Bar Control



Track Bar Control in VB.net

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Track Bar Control Properties in VB.net

Sr.No.	Property & Description		
1	AutoSize Gets or sets a value indicating whether the ScrollBar is automatically resized to fit its contents.		
2	BackColor Gets or sets the background color for the control.		
3	ForeColor Gets or sets the foreground color of the scroll bar control.		
4	ImeMode Gets or sets the Input Method Editor (IME) mode supported by this control.		
5	LargeChange Gets or sets a value to be added to or subtracted from the Value property when the scroll box is moved a large distance.		

6	Maximum Gets or sets the upper limit of values of the scrollable range.	
7	Minimum Gets or sets the lower limit of values of the scrollable range.	
8	SmallChange Gets or sets the value to be added to or subtracted from the Value property when the scroll box is moved a small distance.	
9	Value Gets or sets a numeric value that represents the current position of the scroll box on the scroll bar control.	

Track Bar Control Methods in VB.net

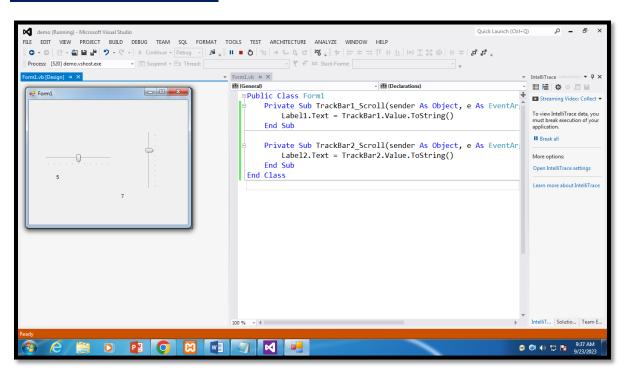
Sr.No.	Method Name & Description	
1	OnClick Generates the Click event.	
2	Select Activates the control.	



Track Bar Control Events in VB.net

Sr.No.	Event & Description	
1	Click Occurs when the control is clicked.	
2	DoubleClick Occurs when the user double-clicks the control.	
3	Scroll Occurs when the control is moved.	
4	ValueChanged Occurs when the Value property changes, either by handling the Scroll event or programmatically.	

Ex- Track Bar Control



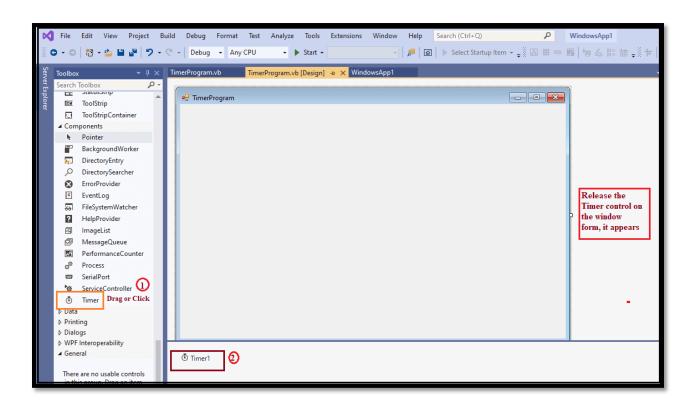


Auto Execution Tool

These are tools used like timers.

Timer Control in VB.net

- ➤ Timer control is a looping control used to repeat any task in a given time interval. It is an important control used in Client-side and Server-side programming, also in Windows Services.
- Furthermore, if we want to execute an application after a specific amount of time, we can use the Timer Control.
- ➤ The timer is enabled, it generates a tick event handler to perform any defined task in its time interval property It starts when the start () method of timer control is called, and it repeats the defined task continuously until the timer stops.





Timer Control Properties in VB.net

Properties	Description		
Name	The Name property is used to set the name of the control.		
Enabled	ne Enables property is used to enable or disable the timer control. By default, it is True.		
Interval	An Interval property is used to set or obtain the iteration interval in milliseconds to raise the timer control's elapsed event. According to the interval, a timer repeats the task.		
AutoReset	The AutoReset property is used to obtain or set a Boolean value that determines whether the timer raises the elapsed event only once.		
Events	Events property are used to get the list of event handler that is associated with Event Component.		
CanRaiseEvents	It is used to get a value that represents whether the component can raise an event.		

Timer Control Methods in VB.net

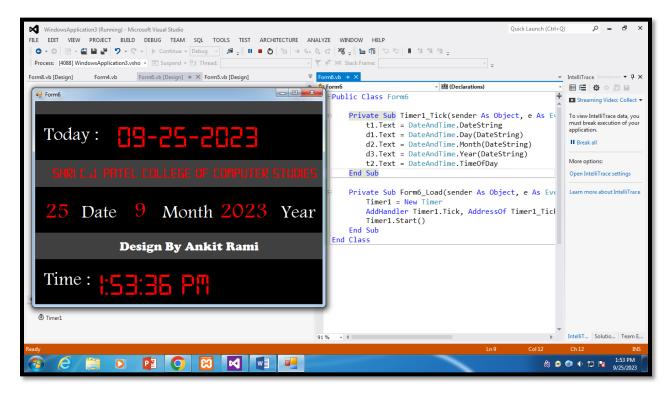
Methods	Description		
BeginInt()	The BeginInt() method is used to start run time initialization of a timer control used on a form or by another component.		
Dispose()	e Dispose() method is used to free all resources used by the Timer Control or component.		
Dispose(Boolean)	is used to release all resources used by the current Timer control.		
Close()	The Close() method is used to release the resource used by the Timer Control.		
Start()	The Start() method is used to begin the Timer control's elapsed event by setting the Enabled property to true.		
EndInt()	The EndInt() method is used to end the run time initialization of timer control that is used on a form or by another component.		
Stop()	The Stop() method is used to stop the timer control's elapsed event by setting Enabled property to false.		

Timer Control Events in VB.net

Events	Description	
Disposed	When control or component is terminated by calling the Dispose method, a Dispose event occurs.	
Elapsed	When the interval elapses in timer control, the Elapsed event has occurred.	
Tick	A tick event is used to repeat the task according to the time set in the Interval property. It is the default event of a timer control that repeats the task between the Start() and Stop() methods.	

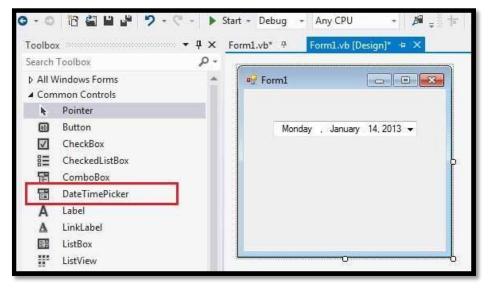


Ex- Timer Control



Date Time Picker Control in VB.net

➤ DateTimePicker control allows selecting a date and time by editing the displayed values in the control. If you click the arrow in the DateTimePicker control, it displays a month calendar, like a combo box control.





DateTimePicker Control Properties in VB.net

Sr.No.	Property & Description		ForeColor
1	BackColor Gets or sets a value indicating the background color of the	13	Gets or sets the foreground color of the DateTimePicker control.
1	DateTimePicker control.		Format Gets or sets the format of the date and time displayed in the control.
2	BackgroundImage Gets or sets the background image for the control.		
	BackgroundImageLayout Gets or sets the layout of the background image of the DateTimePicker control.	15	MaxDate Gets or sets the maximum date and time that can be selected
3			in the control.
4	CalendarFont	16	MaximumDateTime Gets the maximum date value allowed for the DateTimePicker
4	Gets or sets the font style applied to the calendar.		control.
5	CalendarForeColor Gets or sets the foreground color of the calendar.		MinDate Gets or sets the minimum date and time that can be selected in the control.
6	CalendarMonthBackground Gets or sets the background color of the calendar month.		MinimumDateTime Gets the minimum date value allowed for the DateTimePicker
7	CalendarTitleBackColor		control.
	Gets or sets the background color of the calendar title.	19	PreferredHeight Gets the preferred height of the DateTimePicker control.
8	CalendarTitleForeColor Gets or sets the foreground color of the calendar title.		RightToLeftLayout
	CalendarTrailingForeColor Gets or sets the foreground color of the calendar trailing dates.	20	Gets or sets whether the contents of the DateTimePicker are laid out from right to left.
9		21	ShowCheckBox Gets or sets a value indicating whether a check box is
	Checked	21	displayed to the left of the selected date.
10	Gets or sets a value indicating whether the Value property has been set with a valid date/time value and the displayed value is able to be updated.	22	ShowUpDown Gets or sets a value indicating whether a spin button control
			(also known as an up-down control) is used to adjust the date/time value.
11	CustomFormat Gets or sets the custom date/time format string.		Text
	DropDownAlign Gets or sets the alignment of the drop-down calendar on the DateTimePicker control.	23	Gets or sets the text associated with this control.
12		24	Value Gets or sets the date/time value assigned to the control.



DateTimePicker Control Methods in VB.net

Sr.No.	. Method Name & Description	
1	ToString Returns the string representing the control.	

DateTimePicker Control Events in VB.net

Sr.No.	Event & Description
	BackColorChanged
1	Occurs when the value of the BackColor property changes.
2	BackgroundImageChanged Occurs when the value of the BackgroundImage property changes.
3	BackgroundImageLayoutChanged Occurs when the value of the BackgroundImageLayout property changes.
4	Click Occurs when the control is clicked.
5	CloseUp Occurs when the drop-down calendar is dismissed and disappears.
6	DoubleClick Occurs when the control is double-clicked.
7	DragDrop Occurs when a drag-and-drop operation is completed.
8	ForeColorChanged Occurs when the value of the ForeColor property changes.
9	FormatChanged Occurs when the Format property value has changed.
10	MouseClick Occurs when the control is clicked with the mouse.
11	MouseDoubleClick Occurs when the control is double-clicked with the mouse.
12	PaddingChanged Occurs when the value of the Padding property changes.
13	Paint Occurs when the control is redrawn.
14	RightToLeftLayoutChanged Occurs when the RightToLeftLayout property changes.
15	TextChanged Occurs when the value of the Text property changes.
16	ValueChanged Occurs when the Value property changes.



Ex- DateTimePicker Control

