

## XTRA for work with Microsoft Excel files

### List of functions

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<b>registration</b>	Registration of dmmXLS.x32.
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<b>colRow2Ref</b>	Transformation of cell in Col and Row format to Ref format.
<b>deleteCol</b>	The function deletes columns in the actual sheet in the xls document.
<b>deleteRow</b>	The function deletes rows in the actual sheet in the xls document.
<b>errorDialog</b>	A preselection giving choice to show the dialogue window with error statement.
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<b>errorMsg</b>	The function gives information about an error occurred while working with the XTRA.
<b>firstCol</b>	The function gives number of the first column containing data used in a sheet.
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<b>getCellAnsiString</b>	The function loads the contents of the cell in the xls file, whose format is UNICODE. It is returned as a value of the ANSI string type.
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<b>getCellDoubleFormula</b>	The function calculates the formula saved in the cell and it returns the result in the double format.
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<b>getCellStringFormula</b>	The function calculates the formula saved in the cell and it returns the result in the string format.
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<b>getSheetName</b>	The function returns name of the actual sheet, set by the function setActiveSheet.
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<b>insertRow</b>	The function adds rows to the actual sheet in the xls document.
<b>isNoError</b>	Test made to show whether an error occurred during work with the XTRA.
<b>lastCol</b>	The function gives number of the last column containing data used in a sheet.
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<b>ref2ColRow</b>	Transformation of cell in Ref format to Col and Row format.
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<b>setActiveSheet</b>	Setting of the actual sheet in xls, which we want to work with.
<b>setCellBoolean</b>	The function saves the contents in the boolean format to a cell in xls document.
<b>setCellDateTime</b>	The function saves contents of the propertyList to a cell in the xls document in the format DateTime.
<b>setCellDouble</b>	The function saves the contents in the double format to a cell in xls document.
<b>setCellFontColor</b>	The function sets colour of the text for the chosen cell.
<b>setCellFontName</b>	The function sets font for the chosen cell.
<b>setCellFontSize</b>	The function sets size of font for the chosen cell.
<b>setCellFontStyle</b>	The function sets a text style for a cell.
<b>setCellFormula</b>	The function saves the calculation formula in xls document.
<b>setCellHAlign</b>	The function sets text alignment in cell in the horizontal shape.

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<b>setCellInteger</b>	The function saves the contents in the integer format to a cell in xls document.
<b>setCellRotation</b>	The function rotates a text in cell by a certain angle.
<b>setCellString</b>	The function saves the contents in the string format to a cell in xls document.
<b>setCellUTF8String</b>	The function saves the contents in the UTF-8 string format to a cell in xls document.
<b>setCellVAlign</b>	The function sets text alignment in cell in the vertical shape.
<b>sheetProtection</b>	Function of sheet locking.
<b>xtraVersion</b>	Finding out of version of XTRA dmmXLS.x32.
<b>dataHttp</b>	The event monitors the downloading of the xls file from the http.
<b>xtraError</b>	This event is invoked in case an error occurred during work with the XTRA.

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### new

It is necessary to initiate the dmmXLS XTRA before the first use.

#### Example - Director

```
global xls
openXlib the pathName&"dmmXLS.x32"
xls=new(xtra "dmmXLS")
```

If the library dmmXLS.x32 is located in the XTRAS folder it is enough to insert

```
global xls
xls=new(xtra "dmmXLS")
```

#### Example - Authorware

```
xls:=NewObject("dmmXLS")
```

### void=registration( name: string, code:string)

This function has to be called before the first use of the dmmXLS immediately after its initialisation. Unless the right registration name and number are inserted, an announcement "this is a demo version" will appear.

#### Parameters

Type of name is string, for the demo version name = "dmm".

Type of code is string, for the demo version code= "demo". The chain for commercial version is unique.

To register the user will receive parameters code and name.

#### Example - Director

```
global xls
xls.registration("dmm", "demo")
```

#### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "registration"; "dmm"; "demo")
```

### void=cellProtection(col: integer, row: integer, protect: boolean)

The function locks the cell.

#### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of the cell we want to lock. Protect is a logical variable defining whether the cell is locked or open. For protect=true the cell is locked, for protect=false it is open.

#### Example - Director

```
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.sheetProtection(false)
xls.setCellInteger(1, 5, 27)
xls.cellProtection(1, 5, false)
```

#### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "sheetProtection"; false)
CallObject(xls; "setCellInteger"; 1; 5; 27)
CallObject(xls; "cellProtection("; 1; 5; false)
```

### string=colRow2Ref(col:integer, row:integer)

The function transforms Col and Row format defined cell to Ref format. Returned value is in string format. For example A1, C8, D22 etc.

#### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of the cell we want to transform to Ref format. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

#### Example - Director

```
global xls
put xls.colRow2Ref(2,7)
```

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### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "colRow2Ref" ; 2; 7)
```

### **void=deleteCol(col1:integer, col2:integer)**

The function deletes columns in the actual sheet in the xls document.

#### *Parameters*

Col1 is a number of the column that we want to start deleting with. Col2 is a number of the column that we want to finish deleting with. Col1<=col2 is valid. If we delete the columns all the columns on the right will be shifted left.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
xls.deleteCol(7,9)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "deleteCol" ; 7; 9)
```

### **void=deleteRow(row1:integer, row2:integer)**

The function deletes rows in the actual sheet in the xls document.

#### *Parameters*

Row1 is number of the row that we want to start deleting with. Row2 is number of the row that we want to finish deleting with. Row1<=row2 is valid. If we delete the rows all the rows below will be shifted up.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
xls.deleteRow(4,7)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "deleteRow" ; 4; 7)
```

### **void=errorDialog(dialog: boolean)**

Using this function we can set whether a dialogue window, showing error statement appears at the moment of an error or not. This setting only functions in Autor mode and it simplifies the application debugging. If you decide not to set the dialogue window you can check the errors using the function errorMsg().

#### *Parameters*

Dialog is the only parameter of the function, whose type is boolean. If the value is true, the dialogue window with error statement is opened with every error in the XTRA. For the parameter value false the window is not shown. Default setting is dialog=false.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
xls.errorDialog(true)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "errorDialog"; true)
```

### **void=errorLog(logFile: string, logSave: boolean)**

Using this function we can set whether an error is saved to text log file at the time of the error or not. This setting only functions in Autor mode and it simplifies the application debugging.

#### *Parameters*

The function has two parameters. The parameter logFile represents name of the log file that we want to save the errors to. Type of the logSave parameter is boolean. If its value is true, every error in the XTRA is saved to log file. If its value is false nothing will be saved. Default setting is logSave=false.

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### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
xls.errorLog(the pathName&"log.txt", true)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; errorLog; FileLocation ^ "log.txt"; true)
```

### **string=errorMsg()**

The function gives text of the error that occurred while working with dmmXLS. If everything went well, the function gives an empty chain

#### *Parameters*

There are no parameters in this function.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
xls.loadFromFile(the pathName&"data.xls")  
error=xls.ErrorMsg()  
if error="" then val=xls.getCellString(2, 10)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
error:=CallObject(xls; "errorMsg")
```

### **integer=firstCol()**

The function gives number of the first column containing data used in a sheet.

#### *Parameters*

There are no parameters in this function.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
minCol=xls.firstCol()
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
minCol:=CallObject(xls; "firstCol")
```

### **integer=firstRow()**

The function gives number of the first row containing data used in a sheet.

#### *Parameters*

There are no parameters in this function.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
minRow=xls.firstRow()
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
minRow:=CallObject(xls; "firstRow")
```

### **void=getCellAnsiString(col:integer, row:integer, codePage: integer)**

The function loads the contents of the cell in the xls file, whose format is UNICODE. It is returned as a value of the ANSI string type.

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### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. The parameter codePage represents the code page to be used to convert the UNICODE from. In the UNICODE text, only signs included in the appropriate page code can be used. If any other signs are used, they will be replaced by question marks.

CodePage - Language

874 - Thai

932 - Japan

936 - Chinese (PRC, Singapore)

949 - Korean

950 - Chinese (Taiwan, Hong Kong)

1200 - Unicode (BMP of ISO 10646)

1250 - Eastern European

1251 - Cyrillic

1252 - Latin 1 (US, Western Europe)

1253 - Greek

1254 - Turkish

1255 - Hebrew

1256 - Arabic

1257 - Baltic

### Example - Director

```
global xls
```

```
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
```

```
val=xls.getCellAnsiString(2, 10, 1251)
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
```

```
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellAnsiString"; 2; 10; 1251)
```

## boolean=getCellBoolean(col:integer, row:integer)

The function reads contents of a cell in xls format and gives it back in boolean format.

### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
```

```
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
```

```
val=xls.getCellBoolean(2, 10)
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
```

```
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellBoolean"; 2; 10)
```

## boolean=getCellBooleanFormula(col:integer, row:integer)

The function calculates the formula saved in the cell and it returns the result in the boolean format.

### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
```

```
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
```

```
val=xls.getCellBooleanFormula(2, 10)
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
```

```
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellBooleanFormula"; 2; 10)
```

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### **propertyList=getCellDateTime(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function loads the contents of the cell in xls document, whose format is DateTime, and it returns it in Abstract Data Type format, for example [#year:2002, #month:2, #day:2, #hour:8, #minute:27, #second:42].

#### **Parameters**

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

#### **Example - Director**

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
val=xls.getCellDateTime(2, 10)
```

#### **Example - Authorware**

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellDateTime"; 2; 10)
```

### **double=getCellDouble(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function reads contents of a cell in xls format and gives it back in string double.

#### **Parameters**

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

#### **Example - Director**

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
val=xls.getCellDouble(2, 10)
```

#### **Example - Authorware**

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellDouble"; 2; 10)
```

### **double=getCellDoubleFormula(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function calculates the formula saved in the cell and it returns the result in the double format.

#### **Parameters**

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

#### **Example - Director**

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
val=xls.getCellDoubleFormula(2, 10)
```

#### **Example - Authorware**

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellDoubleFormula"; 2; 10)
```

### **string=getCellHtml(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function returns the cell contents in Html format.

#### **Parameters**

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

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### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
put xls.getCellHtml(2, 10)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellHtml"; 2; 10)
```

### **string=getCellHtml(ref: string)**

The function returns the cell contents in Html format.

This function is identical with the function getCellHtml, the only difference is that we enter one string parameter Ref instead of Col and Row parameters.

### *Parameters*

Ref is a coordinate of the cell in format ColRow. Type of parametr is string, for example A1, C8, D22 etc.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
put xls.getCellHtmlRef("B7")
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellHtmlRef"; "B7")
```

### **integer=getCellInteger(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function reads contents of a cell in xls format and gives it back in integer format.

### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
val=xls.getCellInteger(2, 10)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellInteger"; 2; 10)
```

### **integer=getCellIntegerFormula(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function calculates the formula saved in the cell and it returns the result in the integer format.

### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
val=xls.getCellIntegerFormula(2, 10)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellIntegerFormula"; 2; 10)
```



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### **string=getCellRtf(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function returns the cell contents in Rtf format.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

#### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
put xls.getCellRtf(2, 10)
```

#### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellRtf"; 2; 10)
```

### **string=getCellRtfRef(ref: string)**

The function returns the cell contents in Rtf format.

This function is identical with the function getCellRtf, the only difference is that we enter one string parameter Ref instead of Col and Row parameters.

#### *Parameters*

Ref is a coordinate of the cell in format ColRow. Type of parametr is string, for example A1, C8, D22 etc.

#### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
put xls.getCellRtfRef("B7")
```

#### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellRtfRef"; "B7")
```

### **string=getCellString(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function reads contents of a cell in xls format and gives it back in string format. If, for example, integer value is included in the cell, it is also converted into string format. If a formula is included in the cell, its value is given back. In Director up to the version 10, this function returns ansi coded page. In Director 11 the function return text in UTF-8.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

#### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
val=xls.getCellString( 2, 10)
```

#### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellString"; 2; 10)
```

### **string=getCellStringFormula(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function calculates the formula saved in the cell and it returns the result in the string format.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

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### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
val=xls.getCellStringFormula(2, 10)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellStringFormula"; 2; 10)
```

### **string=getCellUTF8String(col:integer, row:integer)**

The functions loads the contents of the cell in the xls file, whose format is UNICODE. It is returned as a value of the UTF-8 string type.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
val=xls.getCellUTF8String(2, 10)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellUTF8String"; 2; 10)
```

### **variant=getCellVal(col:integer, row:integer)**

The function returns contents of the cell according to the type of variable. If integer value is saved in a cell, integer value will be returned too. If double value is saved in a cell, double value will returned etc. If a Director or Authorware incompatible value is saved in a cell, string value is returned.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
put xls.getCellVal(2, 10)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellVal"; 2; 10)
```

### **variant=getCellValRef(ref: string)**

The function returns contents of the cell according to the type of variable. If integer value is saved in a cell, integer value will be returned too. If double value is saved in a cell, double value will returned etc. If a Director or Authorware incompatible value is saved in a cell, string value is returned.

This function is identical with the function getCellVal, the only difference is that we enter one string parameter Ref instead of Col and Row parameters.

#### *Parameters*

Ref is a coordinate of the cell in format ColRow. Type of parametr is string, for example A1, C8, D22 etc.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
put xls.getCellValRef("B7")
```

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### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)  
val:=CallObject(xls; "getCellValRef"; "B7")
```

### **string=getSheetName()**

The function returns name of the actual sheet, set by the function setActiveSheet.

#### *Parameters*

There are no parameters in this function.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
xls.setActiveSheet(1)  
put xls.getSheetName()
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)  
val:=CallObject(xls; "getSheetName")
```

### **void=insertCol(col:integer, colCount:integer)**

The function adds empty columns to the actual sheet in the xls document.

#### *Parameters*

Col is a number of the column front which we want to add new columns. ColCount is a number of new columns that we want to add.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
xls.insertCol(2,10)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "insertCol" ; 2; 10)
```

### **void=insertRow(row:integer, rowCount:integer)**

The function adds rows to the actual sheet in the xls document.

#### *Parameters*

Row is a number of the row above which we want to add new rows. RowCount is a number of new rows that we want to add.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
xls.insertRow(27,5)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "insertRow" ; 27; 5)
```

### **boolean=isNoError()**

The function gives back true, if no error occurred during an operation. If an error occurs the function gives back false.

#### *Parameters*

There are no parameters in this function.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
xls.loadFromFile(the pathName&"data.xls")  
if xls.isNoError() then val=xls.getCellString(2, 10)
```

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### *Example - Authorware*

```
error:=CallObject(xls; "isNoError")
```

### **integer=lastCol()**

The function gives number of the last column containing data used in a sheet.

#### *Parameters*

There are no parameters in this function.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
maxCol=xls.lastCol()
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
maxCol:=CallObject(xls; "lastCol")
```

### **integer=lastRow()**

The function gives number of the last row containing data used in a sheet.

#### *Parameters*

There are no parameters in this function.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
maxRow=xls.lastRow()
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
maxRow:=CallObject(xls; "lastRow")
```

### **boolean=loadFromFile(file:string, password: string)**

This function reads an xls file for next use. We cannot read the contents of cells, unless it is read using the function loadFromFile.

If xls or xlsx were read correctly the function returns true. If an error occurred, false is returned.

#### *Parameters*

Type of file is string and we insert name of an xls or xlsx file including the path. Type of password is string. We enter password in case we run an xls or xlsx file protected by a password.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls  
if xls.loadFromFile(the pathName&"data.xls", "") =false then ..... file is not protected by a password  
    alert("error")  
end if  
  
if xls.loadFromFile(the pathName&"data2.xls", "abc") =false then  
    alert("error")  
end if
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "loadFromFile"; FileLocation ^ "data.xls"; "") ..... file is not protected by a password  
CallObject(xls; "loadFromFile"; FileLocation ^ "data2.xls"; "abc")
```

### **boolean=loadFromHttp(url:string)**

This function enables to download xls files from the internet using the method get and protocol http. In the case the file has been successfully downloaded the function gives true, otherwise it gives false. To have this function activated in the XTRA you need to have the additive library dmmHttp in the directory where dmmXLS is placed.

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### Parameters

The function has one parameter being url, whose type is string and it represents Url of the downloaded document.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
xls.loadFromHttp("http://xtra.web-cd.net/data.xls")
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "loadFromHttp"; "http://xtra.web-cd.net/data.xls")
```

### boolean=loadFromZip(zipFile, zipPassword, xlsFile:string)

This function loads xls documents saved in a zip archive. The work procedure is easy. We prepare xls files and compress them to a zip. We can protect this zip with a password. The function loadFromZip enables to read separate files of the archive and to show them in Director or Authorware using XTRA dmmXLS. To have this function activated in the XTRA you need to have the additive library dmmZip in the directory where dmmXLS is placed. In the case the file has been successfully loaded the function gives true, otherwise it gives false.

### Parameters

There are 3 parameters in this function. ZipFile is a zip archive, in which we keep the documents. ZipPassword is a password for the zip archive. If there is no password, we insert an empty chain. XlsFile is a name xls file in a zip document. We have to insert the name including the extension.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
xls.loadFromZip(the pathName & "demo.zip", "abc", "data.xls")
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "loadFromZip"; FileLocation ^ "demo.zip"; "abc"; "data.xls")
```

### list=ref2ColRow(ref: string)

The function transforms Ref format defined cell to Col and Row format. Returned value is in Abstract Data Types format.

For example: [#Col:10,#Row:18]

### Parameters

Ref is a coordinate of the cell in format ColRow. Type of parametr is string, for example A1, C8, D22 etc.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
put xls.ref2ColRow("A22")
put xls.ref2ColRow("B22").col
put xls.ref2ColRow("B22").row
```

### Example - Authorware

```
val:=CallObject(xls; "ref2ColRow" ; "A22")
```

### void=saveToFile(file:string, password: string)

The function saves an xls file on the disc.

### Parameters

Type of file is string and we insert name of the xls, including the path. Type of password is string. We enter password in case we save an xls or xlsx file protected by a password.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
xls.saveToFile(the pathName&"data.xls", "") ..... file is not protected by a password
xls.saveToFile(the pathName&"data.xls", "abc")
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "saveToFile"; FileLocation ^ "data.xls"; "") ..... file is not protected by a password
CallObject(xls; "saveToFile"; FileLocation ^ "data.xls"; "abc")
```

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### **void=setActiveSheet(sheet:integer)**

The function sets the actual sheet in xls, which we want to work with.

#### *Parameters*

Sheet is number of the sheet in xls, which we want to work with. The parameter can reach the values 1 and higher, depending on how many sheets we define in xls.

#### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(2)
```

#### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 2)
```

### **void=setCellBoolean(col:integer, row:integer, val: boolean)**

The function saves the content in the boolean format to a cell in xls document.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, that we want to save the string value to. Col is a coordinate of column and row is a coordinate of row. The values range from firstCol to lastCol, respectively from firstRow to lastRow. Type of val is boolean and insert a value, that we save to a cell.

#### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellBoolean(2, 10, false)
```

#### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellBoolean"; 2; 10; false)
```

### **void=setCellDateTime(col:integer, row:integer, val:propertyList)**

The function saves DateTime value to a cell of xls document. The DateTime value is in Abstract Data Type format, for example [#year:2002, #month:2, #day:2, #hour:8, #minute:27, #second:42].

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, that we want to save the DateTime value to. Col is a coordinate of column and row is a coordinate of row. The values range from firstCol to lastCol, respectively from firstRow to lastRow. Type of val is propertyList and we insert it in the Abstract Data Type format.

#### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
val=[#year:2002, #month:2, #day:2, #hour:8, #minute:27, #second:42]
xls.setCellDateTime(2, 10, val)
```

#### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellDateTime"; 2; 10; val)
```

### **void=setCellDouble(col:integer, row:integer, val: double)**

The function saves the content in the double format to a cell in xls document.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, that we want to save the string value to. Col is a coordinate of column and row is a coordinate of row. The values range from firstCol to lastCol, respectively from firstRow to lastRow. Type of val is double and insert a value, that we save to a cell.

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### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellDouble(2, 10, 27.102)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellDouble"; 2; 10; 27.102)
```

### **void=setCellFontColor(col:integer, row:integer, fontColor: string)**

The function sets colour of the text for the chosen cell.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, where we want set text colour. Col is a coordinate of column and row is a coordinate of row. The values range from firstCol to lastCol, respectively from firstRow to lastRow. FontColor is defined in hexadecimal shape #RRGGBB. Example: #F0FF00.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellFontColor(2, 10, "#FF0000")
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellFontColor"; 2; 10; "#FF0000")
```

### **void=setCellFontName(col:integer, row:integer, fontName: string)**

The function sets font for the chosen cell.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, where we want set font name. Col is a coordinate of column and row is a coordinate of row. The values range from firstCol to lastCol, respectively from firstRow to lastRow. FontName is name of font we want to set for the chosen cell.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellFontName(2, 10, "Tahoma")
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellFontName"; 2; 10; "Tahoma")
```

### **void=setCellFontSize(col:integer, row:integer, fontSize: integer)**

The function sets size of font for the chosen cell.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, where we want set font size. Col is a coordinate of column and row is a coordinate of row. The values range from firstCol to lastCol, respectively from firstRow to lastRow. FontSize is size of font we want to set for the chosen cell. FontSize is defined in pixel.

### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellFontSize(2, 10, 17)
```

### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellFontSize"; 2; 10; 17)
```

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### **void=setCellFontStyle(col:integer, row:integer, style: List)**

The function sets a text style for a cell.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are cell coordinates of the cell for which we set style. The type of style is Abstract Data Types format. In style we can insert the variables in the shape of the symbols that can have the following values #bold, #italic, #underline and #strikeout.

For example, setCellFontStyle(1, 1, [#bold, #italic]) sets bold and italic styles for a cell having coordinates[1,1], italic. setCellFontStyle(1, 1, [#bold]) only sets bold etc

#### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellVAlign(2, 10, setCellFontStyle, [#bold, #italic])
```

#### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellFontStyle"; 2; 10; [#bold; #italic])
```

### **void=setCellFormula(col:integer, row:integer, formuleStr: string)**

The function saves the calculation formula in xls document.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, whose contents we want to read. Col is a column coordinate and row is a row coordinate. The values range from firstCol and lastCol, or firstRow and lastRow. FormuleStr is of the string type and we insert here our own calculation formula that we want to be saved in a cell of the xls document.

#### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellFormula(2, 10,, "SUM(C1:C4)")
```

#### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellFormula"; 2; 10; , "SUM(C1:C4)")
```

### **void=setCellHAlign(col:integer, row:integer, hAlign: symbol)**

The function sets text alignment in cell in the horizontal shape.

#### *Parameters*

Col and row are coordinates of a cell for which we want to set horizontal alignment. Type of the parameter hAlign is symbol and it can reach the following values: #left, #center, and #right.

#### *Example - Director*

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellHAlign(2, 10, #center)
```

#### *Example - Authorware*

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellHAlign"; 2; 10; #center)
```

### **void=setCellInteger(col:integer, row:integer, val: integer)**

The function saves the content in the integer format to a cell in xls document.



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### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, that we want to save the string value to. Col is a coordinate of column and row is a coordinate of row. The values range from firstCol to lastCol, respectively from firstRow to lastRow. Type of val is integer and insert a value, that we save to a cell.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellInteger(2, 10, 27)
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellInteger"; 2; 10; 27)
```

## void=setCellRotation(col:integer, row:integer, angle: integer)

The function rotates a text in cell by a certain angle.

### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of a cell in which we want to rotate text. Angle is the angle, defined in degrees, by which we want to rotate the text in the cell.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellRotation(2, 10, 45)
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellRotation"; 2; 10; 45)
```

## void=setCellString(col:integer, row:integer, val: string)

The function saves the content in the string format to a cell in xls document.

### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, that we want to save the string value to. Col is a coordinate of column and row is a coordinate of row. The values range from firstCol to lastCol, respectively from firstRow to lastRow. Type of val is string and insert a text chain, that we save to a cell.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellString(2, 10, "XTRA")
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellString"; 2; 10; "XTRA")
```

## void=setCellUTF8String(col:integer, row:integer, val: string)

The function saves a value of the UTF-8 string. type to the the cell in the xls document. When saving in Excel, the values are automatically reconverted to the UNICODE format.

### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of the cell, that we want to save the string value to. Col is a coordinate of column and row is a coordinate of row. The values range from firstCol to lastCol, respectively from firstRow to lastRow. Type of val is unicode string and insert a text chain, that we save to a cell.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellUTF8String(2, 10, "XTRA")
```

## XTRA for work with Microsoft Excel files

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellUTF8String"; 2; 10; "XTRA")
```

### void=setCellVAlign(col:integer, row:integer, vAlign: symbol)

The function sets text alignment in cell in the vertical shape.

#### Parameters

Col and row are coordinates of a cell for which we want to set vertical alignment. Type of the parameter vAlign is symbol and it can reach the following values: #top, #middle, and #bottom.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.setCellVAlign(2, 10, #middle)
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "setCellVAlign"; 2; 10; #middle)
```

### void=sheetProtection(protect: boolean)

The function locks the sheet.

#### Parameters

Protect is a logical variable defining whether the sheet is locked or open. For protect=true the sheet is locked, for protect=false it is open.

### Example - Director

```
xls.setActiveSheet(1)
xls.sheetProtection(false)
```

### Example - Authorware

```
CallObject(xls; "setActiveSheet" ; 1)
CallObject(xls; "sheetProtection"; false)
```

### list=xtraVersion()

The function returns information about the XTRA dmmXLS. The function returns values in the format Abstract Data Types:

```
[#fileType: "Xtra (32)",
#CompanyName: "Studio dmm",
#FileDescription: "dmmXLS.x32",
#FileVersion: "1.8.0.17",
#InternalName: "dmmXLS.x32",
#LegalCopyRight: "Â© Studio dmm 1992-2005",
#LegalTradeMarks: "",
#OriginalFileName: "dmmXLS.x32",
#productName: "dmmXLS.x32",
#productVersion: "1.8.0.0"]
```

The meaning of the items is clear and it is not necessary to describe it closer.

#### Parameters

There are no parameters in this function.

### Example - Director

```
global xls
xv=xls.xtraVersion()
put "FileDescription:" && xv.FileDescription
put "FileVersion:" && xv.FileVersion
```

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### *Example - Authorware*

```
xv:=CallObject(xls; "xtraVersion")
Trace("FileDescription: " ^ xv[#FileDescription])
Trace("FileVersion: " ^ xv[#FileVersion])
```

### **dataHttp progress**

This event (callback function) is invoked at the moment when the user starts to download the xls file from the http. It monitors the downloading of the xls file. The parameter progress represents how many percents have already been downloaded. The values ranges from 0 to 100.

### *Example - Director*

```
on dataHttp progress
  put progress
end
```

### **xtraError err**

This event is invoked in case an error occurred during work with the XTRA. The error is returned in the parameter err.

### *Example - Director*

```
on xtraError err
  put err
end
```