

Softgroup .Net Forms Resize Readme

Description

Softgroup .Net Forms Resize is a fast, small and lightweight .NET component that gives your applications resolution independence.

Softgroup .Net Forms Resize automatically resize all controls and fonts contained in a .Net Windows Form as they are sized.

To use Softgroup.Net Forms Resize simply add .Net Form Resize component to the Toolbox window of Microsoft Visual Studio and drag it to your form.

With Softgroup .Net Forms Resize you can:

- Gives your Windows Forms applications resolution independence.
- Keep your controls font/size proportion whenever your forms are resized
- Can be easily implemented to already designed forms with 1 line of code
- Support controls nested inside others
- Can center form over the Desktop or MDI Parent
- Can save/resotre your form's last size and positions.
- Resizes fonts as well as the controls themselves
- Ability to specify whether the fonts of the controls will be resized or not.
- Control resize of docked controls like ToolStrip and StatusStrip.
- Support of standard .Net Windows Form, MDI child and MDI parent Forms.
- Fast, small and accurate resize engine
- New ExcludedControls collection to easy dynamically exclude controls from resize and/or fonts resize (NEW 2.0)
- Ability to add automatic resize for vertical, horizontal or font size of special controls properties other than standard properties (NEW 2.5)
- Supports Microsoft Visual Basic Power Pack controls (NEW 2.5)
- Ability to select resize mode between Standard and new Advanced (faster) (NEW 3.0)
- Optimized resize for .Net special controls (MenuStrip, ToolStrip, ToolBar, StatusStrip, StatusBar and BindingNavigator) (NEW 3.0)
- Easy and complete control over Minimum and Maximum runtime size of form (NEW 3.0)
- Gradient effects of form background supported also on MDIClient area (NEW 3.5)
- Automatic or manual FadeIn/FadeOut effects on show/close of form (NEW 3.5)
- Get current scaling factor controls for horizontal, vertical and font (NEW 3.5)
- Find original Location and Size (before any resize occurs) for any control (NEW 3.5)
- Increased performance of form loading (up to 50%) (NEW 3.6)
- Increased performance of engine resize (up to 25%) (NEW 3.6)
- Enable/Disable resize for any control at design time (NEW 3.7)
- Enable/Disable resize of font for any control at design time (NEW 3.7)
- Enable/Disable resize for control's children at design time (NEW 3.7)
- DPIAutoResize feature to make your application DPI resolution independent (NEW 3.7)
- X64 bit support (NEW 3.8)

Requirements

Prior to running Setup to install the Softgroup .Net Forms Resize, you must already have the .NET Framework 2.x, 3.x or 4.x and Microsoft Visual Studio 2008/2010 installed on the computer.

Installation

Softgroup .Net Forms Resize is provided as single setup package that contains all required files and documentation.

See FAQ list for more details.

Documentation and informational resources

Softgroup .Net Forms Resize has exhaustive documentation supplied with installation where every aspect of using the product is covered in details. See NetResize.chm. You can also download the documentation from our site.

Support

If you have a question regarding Softgroup .Net Forms Resize, take a look through list of Frequently Asked Questions or use support page to obtain information on how to contact Softgroup .Net Forms Resize support team.

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