

Label, Button, Image

Event Summary

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Property Summary

Number	#anchors Enables a component to stick to a specific side of form and/or to grow or shrink when a window is resized.
String	#background The background color of the component.
String	#borderType The type, color and style of border of the component.
String	#dataProvider The dataprovider of the component.
Boolean	#displaysTags Flag that enables or disables merging of data inside components using tags (placeholders).
Boolean	#enabled The enable state of the component, default true.
String	#fontType The font type of the component.
String	#foreground The foreground color of the component.
Number	#horizontalAlignment Horizontal alignment of the text inside the component.
Number	#imageMedia The image Media object that should be displayed inside the component.
String	#labelFor Some components can be set to be labels of other components.
String	#location The x and y position of the component, in pixels, separated by a comma.
String	#margin The margins of the component.
Number	#mediaOptions Options to scale the image Media object that is displayed inside the component.
String	#mnemonic The keyboard shortcut that activates this component.
String	#name The name of the component.
Number	#printSliding Enables an element to resize based on its content and/or move when printing.
Boolean	#printable Flag that tells if the component should be printed or not when the form is printed.
Number	#rolloverCursor The cursor that is shown as the mouse is rolled over the component.
Number	#rolloverImageMedia The roll over image Media object used.
Number	#rotation The rotation of the element.
Boolean	#showClick When set, the element will show the clicked state when selected.
Boolean	#showFocus When set the text of an element will showfocus when selected.
String	#size The width and height (in pixels), separated by a comma.
String	#styleClass The name of the style class that should be applied to this component.
Number	#tabSeq An index that specifies the position of the component in the tab sequence.
String	#text The text that is displayed inside the component.
String	#toolTipText The text displayed when hovering over the component with a mouse cursor.
Boolean	#transparent Flag that tells if the component is transparent or not.
Number	#verticalAlignment The vertical alignment of the text inside the component.
Boolean	#visible The visible property of the component, default true.

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Parameters

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Property Details

[anchors](#)

Enables a component to stick to a specific side of form and/or to grow or shrink when a window is resized.

If opposite anchors are activated then the component will grow or shrink with the window. For example if Top and Bottom are activated, then the component will grow/shrink when the window is vertically resized. If Left and Right are activated then the component will grow/shrink when the window is horizontally resized.

If opposite anchors are not activated, then the component will keep a constant distance from the sides of the window which correspond to the activated anchors.

Returns

[Number](#)

[background](#)

The background color of the component.

Returns

[String](#)

[borderType](#)

The type, color and style of border of the component.

Returns

[String](#)

[dataProvider](#)

The dataprovider of the component.

Returns

[String](#)

[displaysTags](#)

Flag that enables or disables merging of data inside components using tags (placeholders). Tags (or placeholders) are words surrounded by %% on each side. There are data tags and standard tags. Data tags consist in names of dataproviders surrounded by%%. Standard tags are a set of predefined tags that are made available by the system.

See the "Merging data" section for more details about tags.

The default value of this flag is "false", that is merging of data is disabled by default.

Returns

[Boolean](#)

[enabled](#)

The enable state of the component, default true.

Returns

[Boolean](#)

[fontType](#)

The font type of the component.

Returns

[String](#)

[foreground](#)

The foreground color of the component.

Returns

[String](#)

[horizontalAlignment](#)

Horizontal alignment of the text inside the component. Can be one of LEFT, CENTER or RIGHT.

Note that this property does not refer to the horizontal alignment of the component inside the form.

Returns

Number

imageMedia

The image Media object that should be displayed inside the component.

Returns

Number

labelFor

Some components can be set to be labels of other components. This is useful in two situations. In table view mode it is used for constructing the header of the table. In record view mode, by setting mnemonics on the label, keyboard shortcuts can be used to set the focus to fields.

Returns

String

location

The x and y position of the component, in pixels, separated by a comma.

Returns

String

margin

The margins of the component. They are specified in this order, separated by commas: top, right, bottom, left.

Returns

String

mediaOptions

Options to scale the image Media object that is displayed inside the component.

Can be set to one or a combination of CROP, REDUCE, ENLARGE and KEEPASPECT.

REDUCE will scale down the image if the component is smaller than the image.

REDUCE combined with KEEPASPECT will reduce the image, but keep its aspect ratio.

This is useful when the component has other proportions than the image.

ENLARGE will scale up the image if the component is larger than the image.

ENLARGE combined with KEEPASPECT will scale up the image while keeping its aspect ratio.

CROP will leave the image at its original size. If the component is smaller than the image this will result in only a part of the image showing up.

Returns

Number

mnemonic

The keyboard shortcut that activates this component. A letter must be specified, and the actual shortcut will be combination of ALT + the specified letter.

This property can be used in two ways. Normally the keyboard shortcut activates the onClick event of the component. But if the "labelFor" property is set for the component, then the keyboard shortcut will move the focus to the component whose label this component is.

Returns

String

name

The name of the component. Through this name it can also be accessed in methods.

Returns

String

printSliding

Enables an element to resize based on its content and/or move when printing.

The component can move horizontally or vertically and can grow or shrink in height and width, based on its content and the content of neighboring components.

Returns

Number

printable

Flag that tells if the component should be printed or not when the form is printed.

By default components are printable.

Returns

Boolean

rolloverCursor

The cursor that is shown as the mouse is rolled over the component.

Possible options are DEFAULT and HAND.

Returns

Number

rolloverImageMedia

The roll over image Media object used. When the mouse is moved over the component, this image Media will be displayed. When the mouse is moved out of the component, whatever text or image was being initially displayed will be restored.

Returns

Number

rotation

The rotation of the element. You can choose 0, 90, 180, or 270 and the label is rotated accordingly.

This property also applies to buttons and images.

Returns

Number

showClick

When set, the element will show the clicked state when selected.

Applies to labels and buttons and images only.

Returns

Boolean

showFocus

When set the text of an element will showfocus when selected.

Applies to labels and buttons only.

The text property for the element MUST be filled in first.

NOTE: The TAB key may also be used to select the element, depending on the operating system being used and the selected LAF.

Returns

Boolean

size

The width and height (in pixels), separated by a comma.

Returns

String

styleClass

The name of the style class that should be applied to this component.

When defining style classes for specific component types, their names must be prefixed according to the type of the component. For example in order to define a class names 'fancy' for fields, in the style definition the class must be named 'field.fancy'. If it would be intended for labels, then it would be named 'label.fancy'. When specifying the class name for a component, the prefix is dropped however. Thus the field or the label will have its styleClass property set to 'fancy' only.

Returns

String

tabSeq

An index that specifies the position of the component in the tab sequence. The components are put into the tab sequence in increasing order of this property. A value of 0 means to use the default mechanism of building the tab sequence (based on their location on the form). A value of -2 means to remove the component from the tab sequence.

Returns

Number

text

The text that is displayed inside the component.

Returns

String

toolTipText

The text displayed when hovering over the component with a mouse cursor.

NOTE:

HTML should be used for multi-line tooltips; you can also use any valid HTML tags to format tooltip text. For example:

```
<html>This includes<b>bolded text</b> and  
<font color='blue'>BLUE</font> text as well.</html>
```

Returns

String

transparent

Flag that tells if the component is transparent or not.

The default value is "false", that is the components are not transparent.

Returns

Boolean

verticalAlignment

The vertical alignment of the text inside the component. Can be one of TOP, CENTER or BOTTOM.

Note that this property does not refer to the vertical alignment of the component inside the form.

Returns

Number

visible

The visible property of the component, default true.

Returns

Boolean