

Re: Position of MsgBox

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I think Stratos posted that more as an academic exercise rather than as his suggested way to position a msgbox, and very clever it is too. He also said "Therefore my suggestion would be if you really need to position a message box use a userform or a baloon instead."

He did explain the code was for use in XL97 and as written it will only work in XL97, later versions will not find vba332.dll. That library is only required as part of the workaround for AddressOf which was n/a in xl97. In later versions, in the function fncMsgBox_Pos97 include the following.

```
#If VBA6 Then
TempHook = SetWindowsHookEx _
( _
idHook:=WH_CBT, _
lpfn:=AddressOf cbkPositionMsgBox, _
hmod:=GetWindowLong(0, GWL_HINSTANCE), _
dwThreadId:=GetCurrentThreadId() _
)

#Else
TempHook = SetWindowsHookEx _
( _
idHook:=WH_CBT, _
lpfn:=AddrOf("cbkPositionMsgBox"), _
hmod:=GetWindowLong(0, GWL_HINSTANCE), _
dwThreadId:=GetCurrentThreadId() _
)
#End If
```

If no need to cater for xl97 remove the conditional #If, the AddrOf function, and Declare Function GetCurrentVbaProject from the top of the module.

Follow instructions carefully about where to put code and how to run (not in the IDE, at least don't try to step through). Don't forget to add the FindWindow API that was initially overlooked.

Regards,

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"Gary"s Student" <GarysStudent@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote in message
news:CC10BED2-E5D6-4443-B847-32B3BB6BC532@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

See:

<http://groups.google.com/group/microsoft.public.excel.programming/msg/67c6d98b98fb7aca>

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Gary"s Student – gsnu2007h

"Otto Moehrbach" wrote:

Excel XP & 2007

An OP has asked me if there is a way to control the position of a MsgBox

on

the screen. I know of no way to do that. Is that possible? Thanks for
your time. Otto