

Re: Task Manager

Source: <http://www.tech-archive.net/Archive/VB/microsoft.public.vb.winapi/2004-10/0295.html>

From: Charles (*anonymous_at_discussions.microsoft.com*)

Date: 10/12/04

Date: Tue, 12 Oct 2004 12:48:02 -0700

Thank you for the resources I will definitely check them out.

Because I run a network at home for my family I wanted the program to be able to kill the .exe's invisibly and then update them if neccessary so that's why I wanted it to run invisibly. And if a file was found to be outdated and then updated after the process was killed it would display an icon in the system tray. I wanted to clarify that because I wasn't specific on that part.

Thank You,

Charles

>-----Original Message-----

>Charles wrote:

>> I am very new to visual basic and am using VB 6. I want to

>> be able to create a vb program that can 1st kill

>> certain .exe's from the task manager, then search for

>> specific files and update the files to be the most current

>> type of file? I want this file to be able to run on Win9x,

>> WinME, Win2000, Win2003, and WinXP if possible.

>

>Process Related

><http://www.thescarms.com/vbasic/VBProcessRelated.asp>

>

>You won't be able to update files that are currently in use but...

>

>Performing Recursive Searches Using FindFirst and SearchTreeForFile

><http://vbnet.mvps.org/code/fileapi/recursive.htm>

>

>> The 2nd function I want it to be able to do is to lower itself into the right side and display a little icon if

>> *certain .exe's were found and terminated from the windows*
>> *task manager.*
>
>*Add Your App to the Systray the Easy Way*
>http://www.vbaccelerator.com/home/VB/Code/Libraries/Shell/Projects/SysTray_-_The_Easy_Way/article.asp
>
>> *I want the kill function of the .exe's from the task manager to be invisible to the user so it does not interrupt with the user's ability to multi-task.*
>
>*If you mean.... Hide the fact that its running, imo, don't. That's too close to the way a virus works.*
>
>> *Anyone know where I can find source code similiar to this*
>> *or help me out in anyway would greatly be appreciated.*
>>
>> *I hope I placed this in the right VB forum.*
>>
>> *Thanks,*
>> *Charles*
>
>--
>*Ken Halter – MS–MVP–VB – <http://www.vbsight.com>*
>*Please keep all discussions in the groups..*
>
>