

L e c t u r e



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Review of Last Lecture

Review of Today's Lecture

.rc resource file (text file containing many resource statement)

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Compile to .res file (using Resource Compiler)

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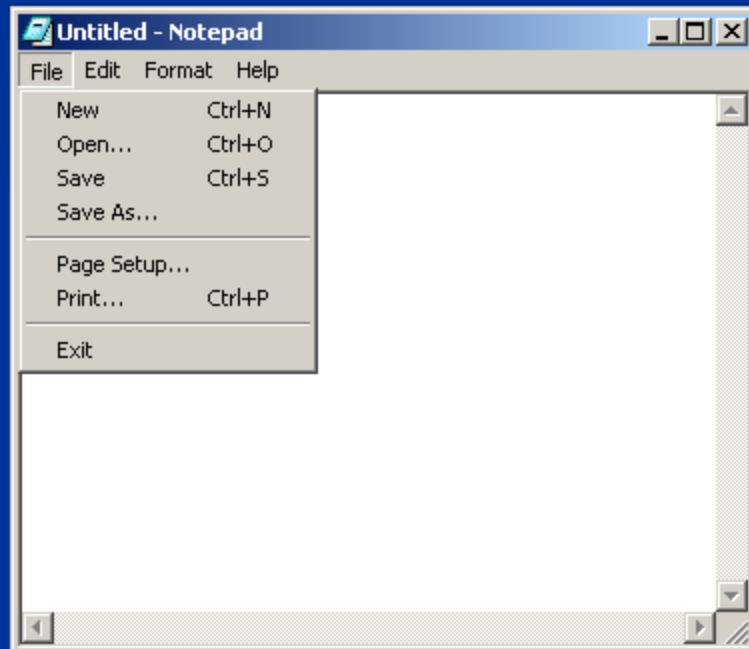
Link with other files to make final EXE (using linker)

Menu

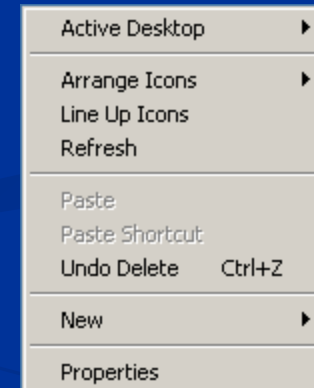
Windows 98/2000 include menu animation feature.

Types of Menu Items

drop-down menu

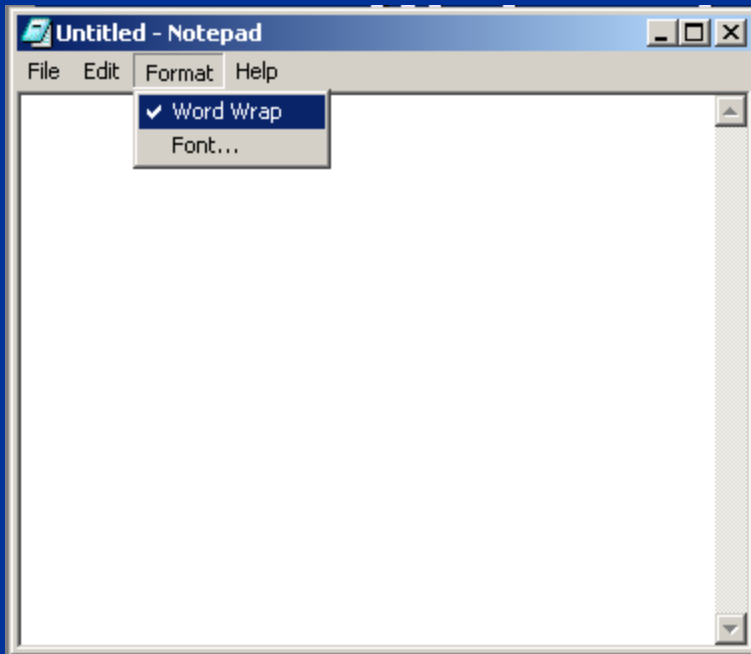


Popup menu

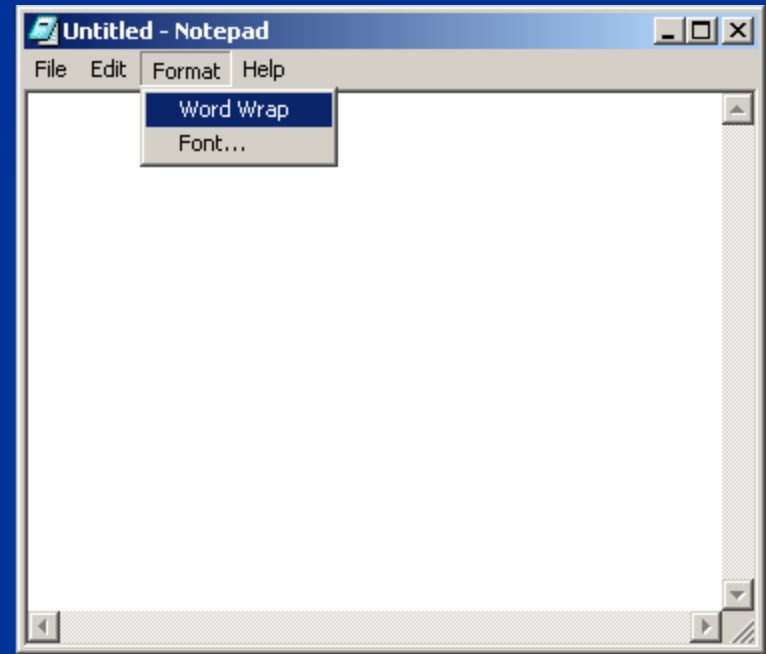


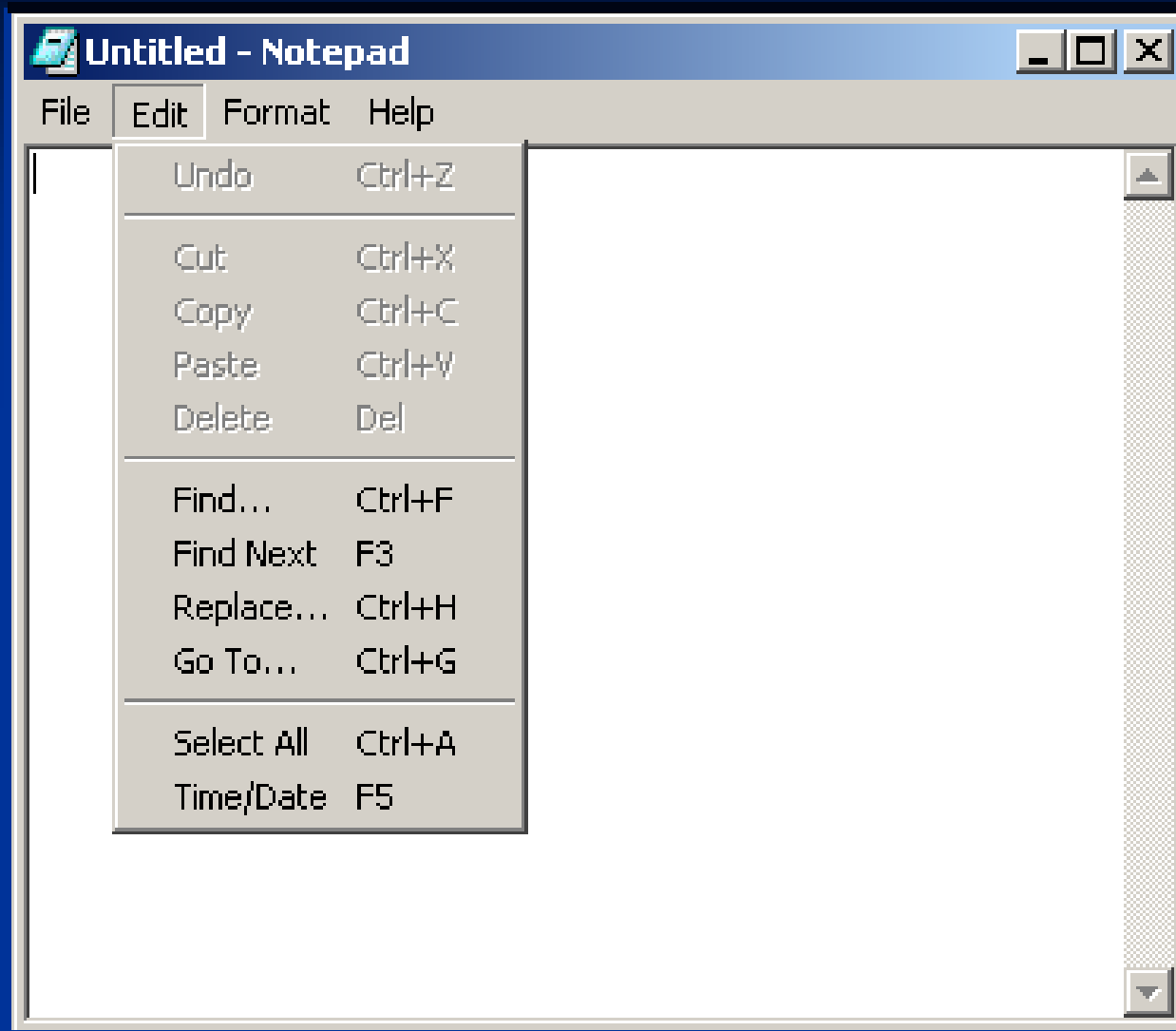
States of menu items

Checked



Unchecked





States of menu items

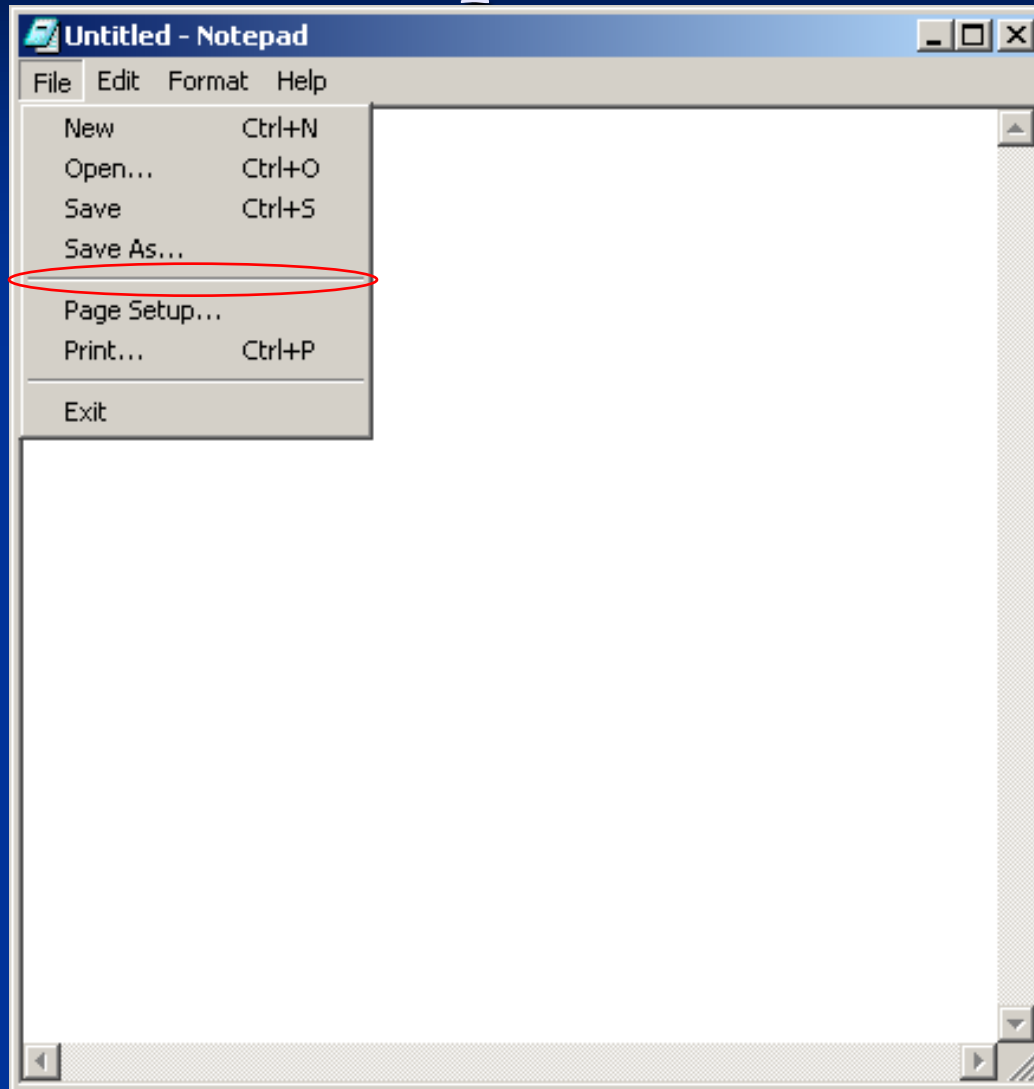
Grayed

while selected, clicking it has no effect

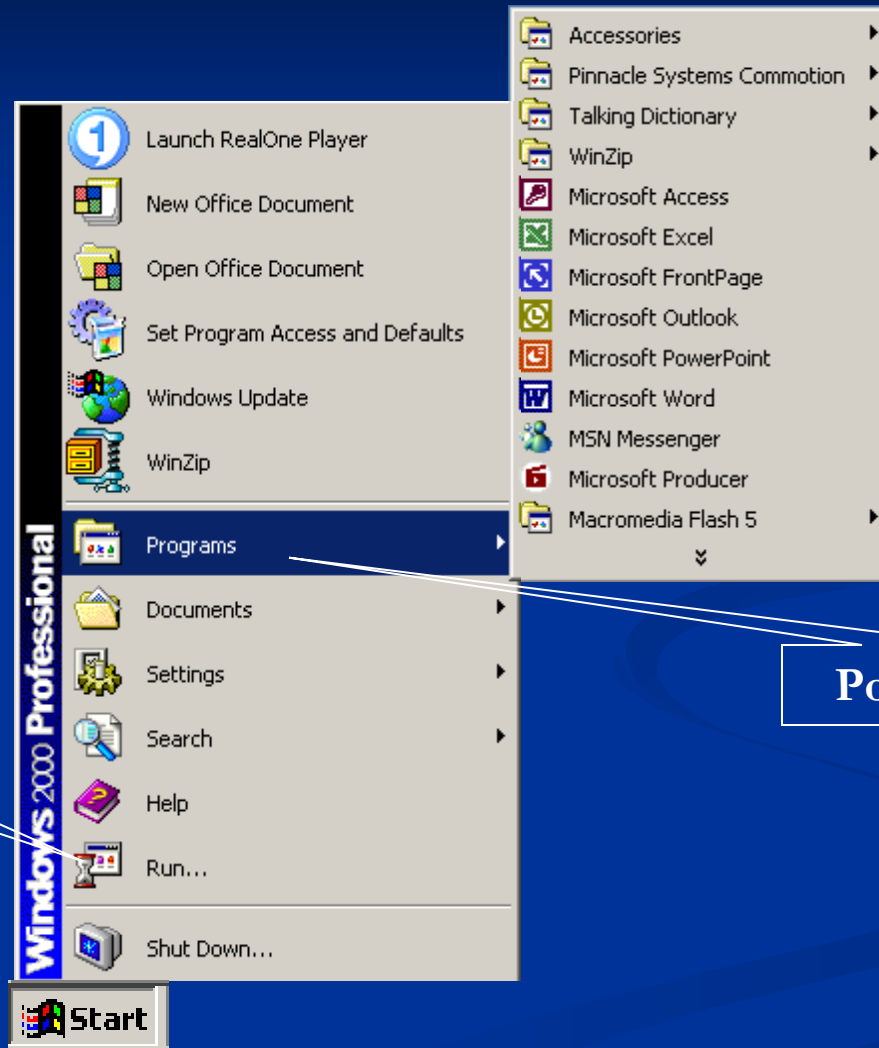
Inactive

can not be selected

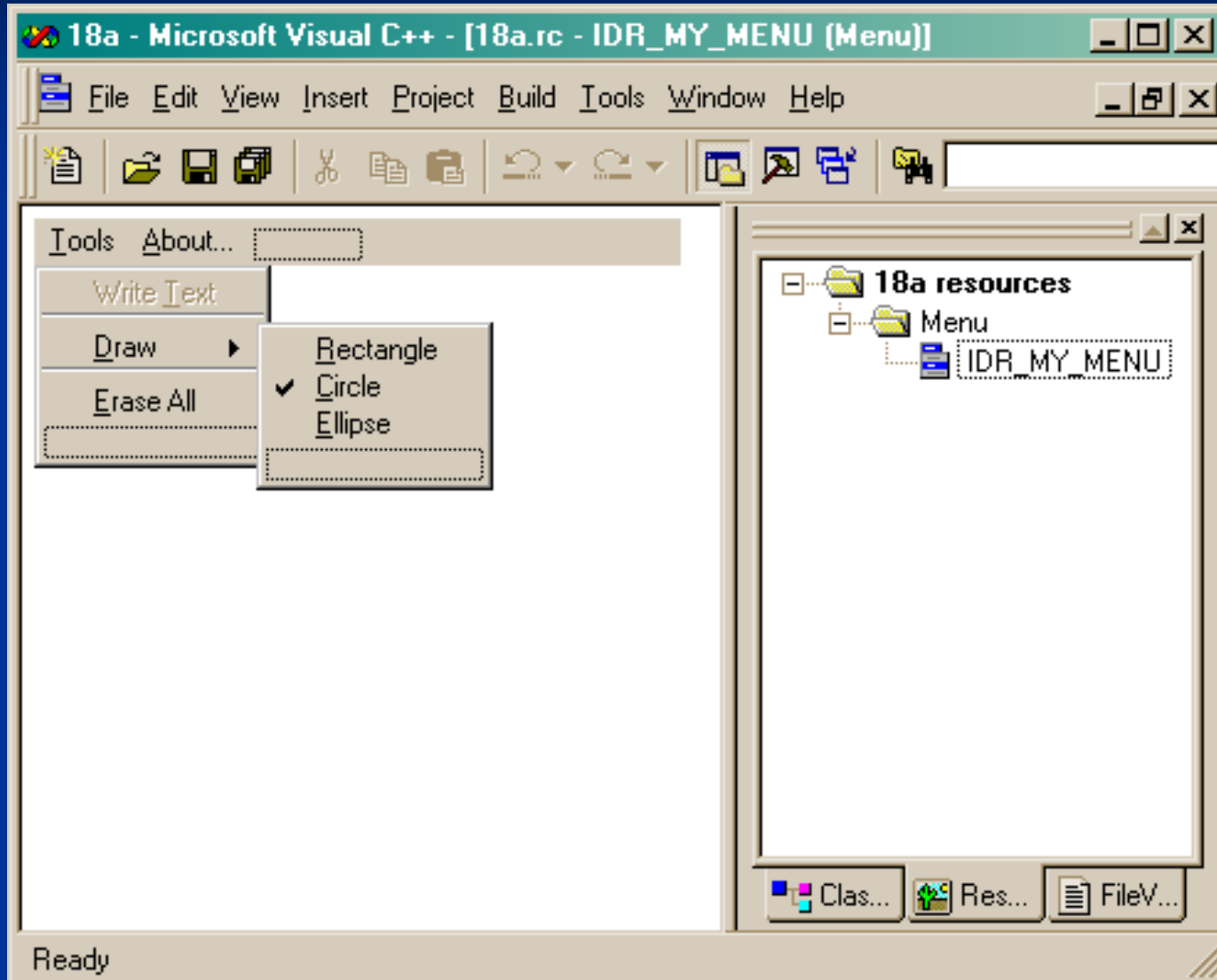
Separator



Start Menu



Example Menu



MENU resource definition statement

```
IDR_MY_MENU MENU DISCARDABLE
BEGIN
    POPUP "&Tools"    BBar
    BEGIN
        BBar    MENUITEM "Write &Text",        ID_TOOLS_WRITE_TEXT, GRAYED
        BBar    MENUITEM SEPARATOR
        BBar    POPUP "&Draw"
        BEGIN
            BBar    MENUITEM "&Rectangle",    ID_TOOLS_DRAW_RECTANGLE
            BBar    MENUITEM "&Circle",        ID_TOOLS_DRAW_CIRCLE, CHECKED
            BBar    MENUITEM "&Ellipse",        ID_TOOLS_DRAW_ELLIPSE
            END
        BBar    MENUITEM SEPARATOR
        BBar    MENUITEM "&Erase All",        ID_TOOLS_ERASE_ALL, INACTIVE
    END
    BBar    MENUITEM "&About...",            ID_ABOUT
END
```

T is *mnemonic*

Resource definition

```
MENUITEM "&Rectangle", ID_TOOLS_DRAW_RECTANGLE
```

Clicking on “Rectangle” menu item sends a message

WM_COMMAND

wParam: low word: ID_TOOLS_DRAW_RECTANGLE (the menu ID)
 high word: 0

lParam: NULL

Loading a menu

```
HMENU LoadMenu(  
    HINSTANCE hInstance,    // handle to module  
    LPCTSTR lpMenuName      // menu name or resource id  
);
```

- Can be an *integer ID* or a *string name* of a menu
- Call MAKEINTRESOURCE() macro to convert integer id to a LPTSTR pointer.

In Win32

all bits in high word of a 32-bit pointer are non-zero

But

all bits in high word of an integer < 65536 is 0

```
LPTSTR MAKEINTRESOURCE (WORD wInteger);
```

ASCII version of the macro

```
(LPSTR) ( (DWORD) ( (WORD) (i) ) )
```

Specifying default class menu for a window class

```
WNDCLASS wndClass;
```

```
... ..
```

```
... ..
```

```
wndClass.lpszMenuName = menu resource name or  
                        resource identifier
```

- Can be an *integer ID* or a *string name* of a menu
- Call MAKEINTRESOURCE() macro to convert integer id to a LPTSTR pointer.

Specifying a menu for a window

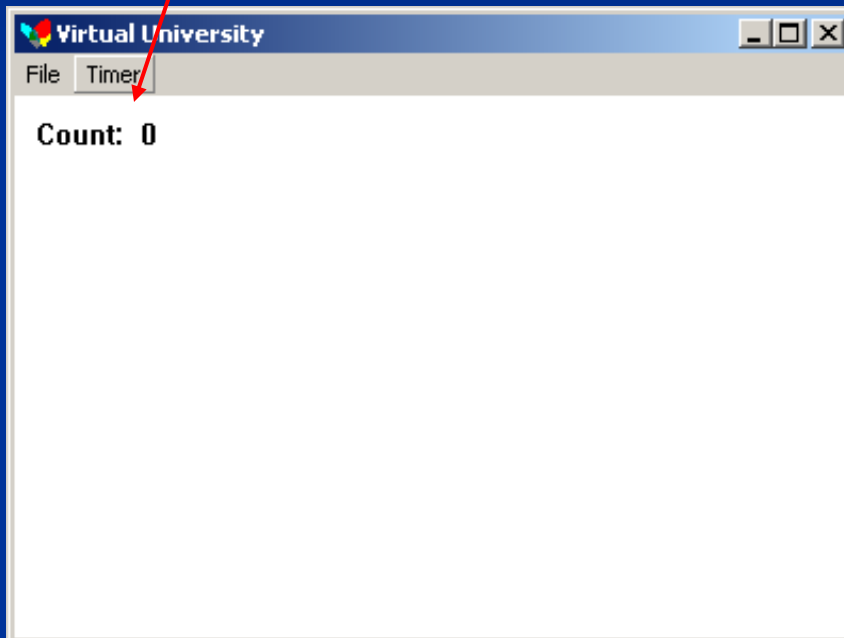
```
CreateWindow(..., ..., hMenu, ..., ...);
```



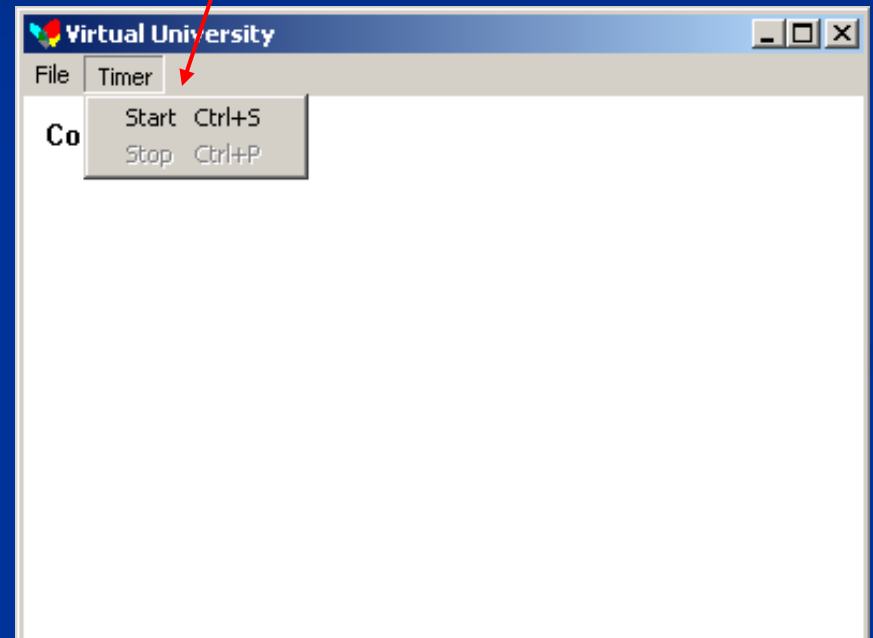
handle to menu HMENU loaded by LoadMenu()

Menu specified in **CreateWindow()** overrides default class menu

Timer count



Menu



Resource definitions: String Table

```
#include "resource.h"
```

```
STRINGTABLE DISCARDABLE
```

```
BEGIN
```

```
    IDS_APP_NAME
```

```
"Virtual University"
```

```
    IDS_CLASS_NAME
```

```
"MyWindowClass"
```

```
END
```

Resource definitions: Application Icon

IDI_MAIN_ICON

ICON

DISCARDABLE

"VU.ICO"

Resource definitions: Application Menu

```
IDR_FIRST_MENU MENU DISCARDABLE
BEGIN
  POPUP "&File"
    BEGIN
      MENUITEM "E&xit",      ID_FILE_EXIT
    END

  POPUP "&Timer"
    BEGIN
      MENUITEM "&Start",      ID_TIMER_START
      MENUITEM "Sto&p",      ID_TIMER_STOP, GRAYED
    END
  END
END
```


Example Application WNDCLASS

```
#define BUFFER_SIZE    128
```

```
TCHAR windowClassName[BUFFER_SIZE];
```

```
LoadString(hInstance, IDS_CLASS_NAME,  
           windowClassName, BUFFER_SIZE);
```

```
wc.hIcon = LoadIcon(hInstance,  
                    MAKEINTRESOURCE(IDI_MAIN_ICON));
```

```
wc.lpszMenuName      =  
    MAKEINTRESOURCE(IDR_FIRST_MENU);
```

```
wc.lpszClassName = windowClassName;
```

Example Application CreateWindow()

```
#define BUFFER_SIZE    128
```

```
TCHAR windowName[BUFFER_SIZE];
```

```
... ..
```

```
LoadString(hInstance, IDS_APP_NAME,  
            windowName, BUFFER_SIZE);
```

```
hWnd = CreateWindow(windowClassName,  
                    windowName, ...
```

Window Procedure

```
static int count;  
  
static BOOL bTimerStarted;  
  
. . . . .  
  
case WM_CREATE:  
    count=0;  
  
    bTimerStarted=FALSE;  
  
    . . . . .
```

Window Procedure: WM_COMMAND message

```
case WM_COMMAND:
    switch( LOWORD(wParam) )
    {
case ID_TIMER_START:
    SetTimer(hWnd, ID_TIMER, 1000, NULL);
    bTimerStarted=TRUE;
    hOurMenu = GetMenu(hWnd);
    EnableMenuItem(hOurMenu, ID_TIMER_START,
        MF_BYCOMMAND | MF_GRAYED);
    EnableMenuItem(hOurMenu, ID_TIMER_STOP,
        MF_BYCOMMAND | MF_ENABLED);
    DrawMenuBar(hWnd);
```

Embedded within the 0r's sequence of slides

Getting a handle to the menu of a window

```
HMENU GetMenu(  
    HWND hWnd // handle to window  
);
```

Redrawing the menu bar of a window

```
BOOL DrawMenuBar(  
    HWND hWnd // handle to window  
);
```

Window Procedure: WM_COMMAND message

```
case ID_TIMER_STOP:
    KillTimer(hWnd, ID_TIMER);
    bTimerStarted = FALSE;
    hOurMenu = GetMenu(hWnd);

    EnableMenuItem(hOurMenu, ID_TIMER_STOP,
        MF_BYCOMMAND | MF_GRAYED);
    EnableMenuItem(hOurMenu, ID_TIMER_START,
        MF_BYCOMMAND | MF_ENABLED);
    DrawMenuBar(hWnd);

    break;
```

Window Procedure: WM_COMMAND message

```
case ID_FILE_EXIT:
```

```
    DestroyWindow(hWnd) ;
```


Window Procedure

```
case WM_TIMER:
    switch (wParam)
    {
        case ID_TIMER:
            ++count;
            count %= 10;
            GetClientRect(hWnd, &rect);
            InvalidateRect(hWnd, &rect, TRUE);
            break;
    }
    break;
```

Window Procedure

```
TCHAR msg[10];
```

```
case WM_PAINT:
```

```
    hDC = BeginPaint(hWnd, &ps);
```

```
    wsprintf(msg, "Count: %2d", count);
```

```
    TextOut(hDC, 10, 10, msg, lstrlen(msg));
```

```
    EndPaint(hWnd, &ps);
```

```
    break;
```

Window Procedure

```
case WM_DESTROY:
```

```
    if (bTimerStarted)
```

```
        KillTimer(hWnd, ID_TIMER);
```

```
    PostQuitMessage(0);
```

```
break;
```

Keyboard Accelerators

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```
IDR_ACCELERATOR ACCELERATORS DISCARDABLE
```

```
BEGIN
```

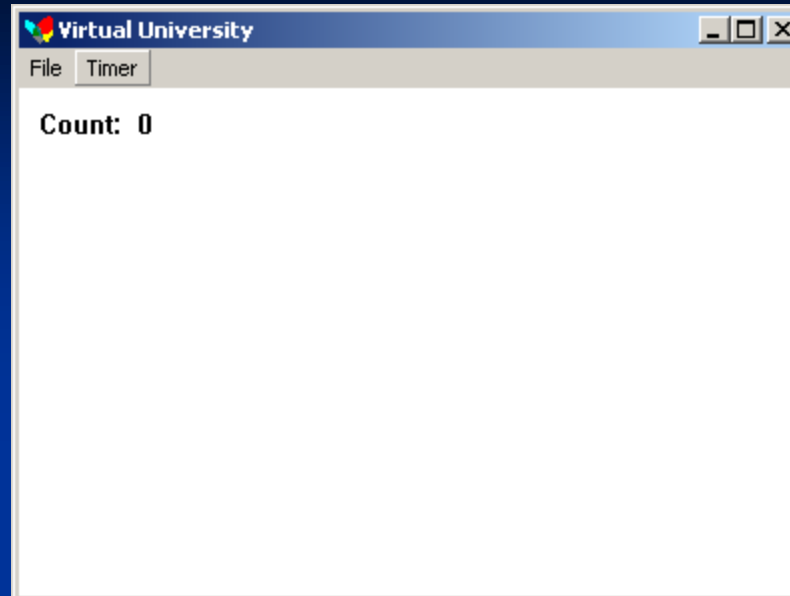
```
    "P",    ID_TIMER_STOP,        VIRTKEY, CONTROL, NOINVERT
```

```
    "S",    ID_TIMER_START,      VIRTKEY, CONTROL, NOINVERT
```

```
    "X",    ID_FILE_EXIT,        VIRTKEY, ALT, NOINVERT
```

```
END
```

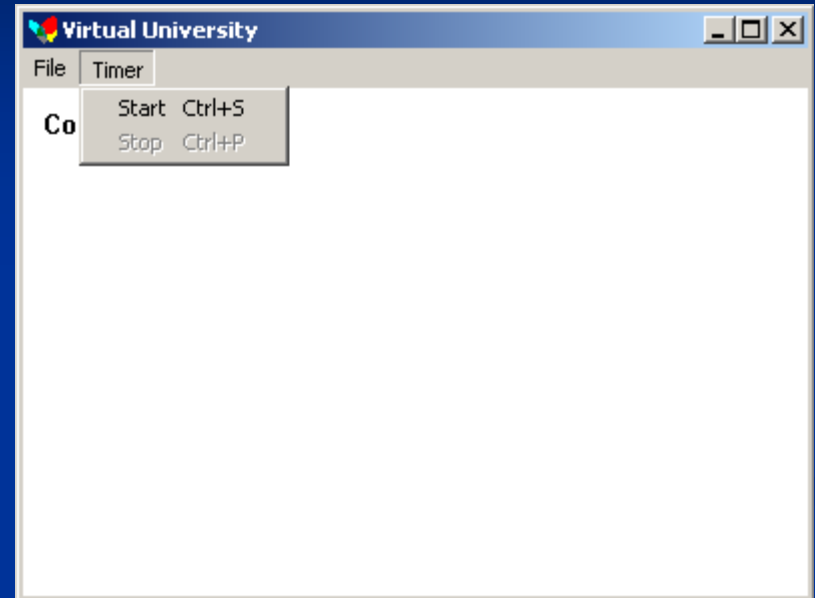
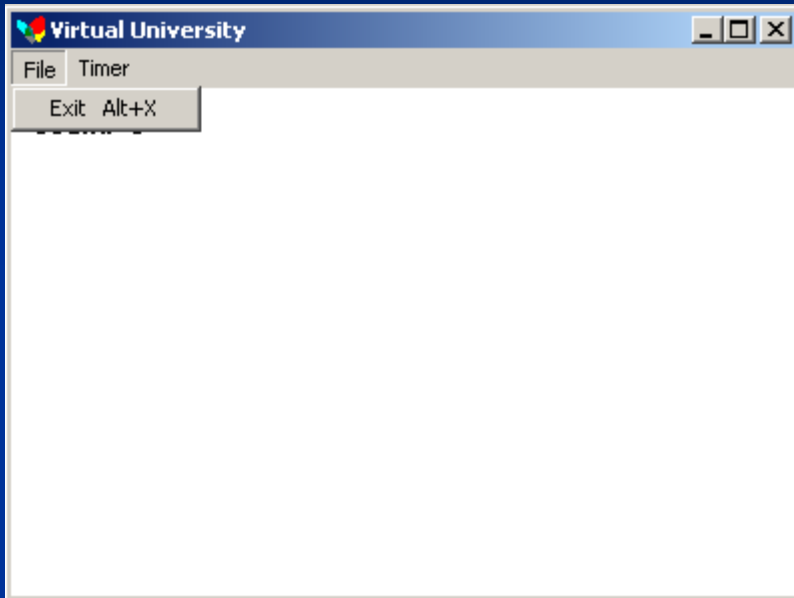
NOINVERT has no use in Win32



How do I know what accelerators to use to get rid of it!!!

Keyboard Accelerators Shortcuts

```
IDR_FIRST_MENU MENU DISCARDABLE
BEGIN
    POPUP "&File"
    BEGIN
        MENUITEM "E&xit\tAlt+X",          ID_FILE_EXIT
    END
    POPUP "&Timer"
    BEGIN
        MENUITEM "&Start\tCtrl+S",        ID_TIMER_START
        MENUITEM "Sto&p\tCtrl+P",        ID_TIMER_STOP, GRAYED
    END
END
END
```



I know ALT+X can save me from this application!!!

Message Loop

```
HACCEL hAccelerators;
```

```
hAccelerators = LoadAccelerators(hInstance,  
    MAKEINTRESOURCE(IDR_ACCELERATOR));
```

```
while (GetMessage(&msg, NULL, 0, 0) > 0)
```

```
{
```

```
    if (!TranslateAccelerator(msg.hwnd, hAccelerators, &msg))
```

```
    {
```

```
        TranslateMessage(&msg);
```

```
        DispatchMessage(&msg);
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

Do normal message dispatching
only if it was not an accelerator
Key stroke