

# Reference Manual

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# Chapter 1

## TinkerCell Core Library

The TinkerCell Core library is a set of C++ classes that utilize Nokia's Qt Toolkit. The classes provide functions for drawing networks as well as storing information associated with each node and connection in the network. Being built using Qt Toolkit, the Core library makes extensive use of Qt's Signal/Slot framework. When signals are emitted, e.g. `mousePressed(...)`, the signals are received by one or more slots. Slots are functions that respond to the signals. In the Core library, the `MainWindow` class acts like a "signal hub". Numerous Tools classes (aka "plug-ins") implement the slots for processing the `MainWindow`'s signals. The Core library does not do anything by itself, except display the main window. Tools, or plug-ins, perform all the work. The set of plug-ins in the "BasicTools" folder perform numerous tasks such as inserting, highlighting selected items, renaming an item when the text is changed, etc. Other folders such as "ModelingTools" consist of plug-ins that are used to generate dynamic models of biological system. These plug-ins are not part of TinkerCellCore, but they are very important for the TinkerCell application.

The `MainWindow` class provides the top-level window. It is also a "hub" for numerous signals. Any programmer writing a plug-in must be familiar with all of these signals in order to utilize the Core library well. The `MainWindow` holds multiple `NetworkHandle` class instances. The `NetworkHandle` class is basically what defines a "network". The `NetworkHandle` stores a collection of `ItemHandle` instances. The `ItemHandle` class represents individual nodes (`NodeHandle`) or connections (`ConnectionHandle`). It is important to understand that each network can be displayed in multiple windows and each node or connection can be displayed using multiple graphical items on the screen. The `NetworkWindow` class is a single window that represents either the entire network or just part of a network. A `NetworkHandle` contains one or more `NetworkWindow` instances. Each `NetworkWindow` hold either a `GraphicsView` or a `TextEditor`, but never both. Therefore, a "network" (i.e. `NetworkHandle`) can be displayed to the user using one or more graphical diagrams (`GraphicsView`) or text (`TextEditor`).

To understand the design of the Core library, it is imperative to understand `ItemHandle`. To build well-behaved plug-ins, it is imperative to understand how the Core library uses Undo Commands and Signals. It is also important to review the functions available in the `MainWindow`, `GraphicsScene`, and `NetworkHandle` classes.

### **DataTable<T>**

This is a template class that stores a 2 dimensional table, including the row and column headers. The contents of the table can belong to any type. Typically, TinkerCell only uses double and `QString` types because those are the two allowed data types in the `ItemHandle` class. The `DataTable` class is composed of three vectors: the data, the column headers, and the row headers. The class provides functions for obtaining the data values using header names or index values, removing or adding rows and columns, swapping rows and columns, and resizing the table. `NumericalDataTable` is an alias for `DataTable<double>` and `TextDataTable` is for `DataTable<QString>`.

```
NumericalDataTable * dat = new NumericalDataTable;
```

```

dat->resize(10,4);
dat->colName(0) = "column 1";
dat->seRowNames( QStringList() << "row A" << "row B" << "row C" );
dat->value("row A", "column 1") = 10.0;
dat->removeCol(2);
dat->addCol(3,"column 3"); //insert new column at position 3
dat->value("X", "Y") = 5.0; //automatically creates a new row called X
and new column called Y
int r = dat->rows();
int c = dat->cols();
NumericalDataTable dat2 = dat->transpose();

```

## Undo Commands

Numerous classes are defined in the [UndoCommands.h](#) file that inherit from [QUndoCommand](#). These classes contain an `undo()` and a `redo()` method. These functions undo and redo a single action without any other side effects. All changes made to a network are generally done using one of these [QUndoCommand](#) classes. Examples of undo command classes include `MoveCommand`, `InsertGraphicsCommand` and `RemoveGraphicsCommand`, `InsertTextCommand` and `RemoveTextCommand`, `ChangeDataCommand`, and `RenameCommand`. There are several more, one for each "atomic" operation. `CompositeCommand` can be used to construct a more complex command from atomic commands. For example, the "paste" operation is a composite command made from `InsertCommand`, `MoveCommand`, and `RenameCommand` (for renaming newly inserted items). Other plug-ins also use the composite command.

The common procedure for using an undo command is as follows:

```

QList<QGraphicsItem*> graphicsItems;
//add some items into graphicsItems
QUndoCommand * cmd = new InsertGraphicsCommand("some informative message
here",graphicsItems,handles);

if (mainWindow && mainWindow->historyStack())
    mainWindow->historyStack()->push(cmd);

```

Alternatively, the `NetworkHandle` class and `GraphicsScene` class provide functions that automatically do the same operations:

```

QList<QGraphicsItem*> graphicsItems;
//add some items into graphicsItems
GraphicsScene * scene = currentScene();
scene->insert("informative message here", graphicsItems);

```

## ItemHandle class

This class is arguable the most integral aspect in the TinkerCell Core library. The `ItemHandle` can be thought of as a "package" with four important components: the graphics items for drawing a node or connection, the data table associated with that node or connection, the tools associated with the node of connection, and the family that the node or connection is identified with. The `ItemHandle` is the complete package that is required to obtain all the information about any item in the network. Since TinkerCell networks can be constructed using text of graphics interface, the `ItemHandle` is not required to have graphical items. For networks constructed using the text editor, the data inside each `ItemHandle` is what is most important.

`NodeHandle` and `ConnectionHandle` inherit from `ItemHandle`. For text based models, it is possible to store connections between nodes and connections using `ConnectionHandle::addNode()` method, which takes a `NodeHandle` and an integer describing the "role" of that node in the connection. The interpretation of the "role" is open to the plug-in using it.

Here is a code example, where two graphics items are placed inside a handle, and a new table is added to the handle:

---

```

NodeHandle * nodeHandle = new NodeHandle;

//make a node item from an XML file
NodeGraphicsItem * node = new NodeGraphicsItem;
NodeGraphicsReader reader;
reader.readXML(node, "mynode.xml");

//make a text graphics item
TextGraphicsItem * text = new TextGraphicsItem("hello world");

//add graphics items to the handle
nodeHandle->graphicsItems << node << text;

nodeHandle->textData("magic word") = "please";
nodeHandle->numericalData("magic numbers", "pi", "value") = 3.141593;
nodeHandle->numericalData("magic numbers", "e", "value") = 2.718282;

//get the entire table
DataTable<qreal> magicNumbers = nodeHandle->numericalDataTable("magic numbers");
//set the entire table
nodeHandle->numericalDataTable("magic numbers") = magicNumbers;

//get list of all tables
nodeHandle->getNumericalDataNames();
nodeHandle->getTextDataNames();

```

ItemHandle contains several functions for conveniently retrieving information or the list of child items. Please see the ItemHandle documentation . Each ItemHandle instance contains a list of pointers to tools, or classes that inherit from class Tool. These tools are associated with this item. When items are selected by a user, the list of contextMenuActions from each of these tools is placed in context menu and the list of graphics items are displayed to the side.

### ItemFamily class

The ItemFamily class is used to describe a family that a node or connection belongs in. Nodes and connections are not required to belong in a family. Each family can have multiple parent families. The two main child classes are NodeFamily and ConnectionFamily. NodeFamily stores the default graphics item(s) that is used to draw an item of that family, and ConnectionFamily stores the default arrow head that is used when drawing connections of a given family. The family information is useful for tools in order to distinguish items and insert data tables according to the family of the item.

```

NodeFamily * f1 = new NodeFamily("family A");
NodeFamily * f2 = new NodeFamily("family B");
f2->setParent(f1); //family B is a sub-family of family A

NodeHandle * node = new NodeHandle("x", f2);

if (node->isA("family A")) // will return true
{
}

```

### ItemData

The "Data" inside an ItemHandle is an instance of class ItemData. This class is just composed of two hash tables, numericalData and textData. Each hash table maps a string to a DataTable. These hash tables store all the information needed to describe a node or connection. For example, numericalData["parameters"] might contain all the parameters belonging to this item. The data tables inside each item are added by tools, which often use the family information to decide what data tables to insert in a given item. For example, connections might contain textData["rates"] to describe the flux equations whereas nodes of a particular family might contain some other information, such as textData["DNA sequence"]. It is important to note that each entry is a 2D table of strings or numbers; of course, they can be a 1x1 table as well.

### MainWindow class

The MainWindow is always the top-most widget that is created in the main() function. The central widget inside the MainWindow is a Tab Widget with windows that can be popped out. Each widget inside the tab widget is a NetworkWindow. Each NetworkWindow can contain a TextEditor or a GraphicsScene. The MainWindow constructor has two arguments for specifying whether the documents should only contain TextEditors or only GraphicsScene or both. Each GraphicsScene is displayed using a GraphicsView.

The MainWindow class inherits from Qt's QMainWindow. The MainWindow has two main functions:

1. Provide the main window for the docking windows, menus, text editors, and drawing canvas
2. Serve as a Signal hub that routes the signals from each scene or text editor to the plug-ins listening to those signals. Thus, the plug-ins do not need to connect to every single scene and text editor; they only need to connect to the MainWindow's signals. These connections are made in a plug-in's setMainWindow() method.

The MainWindow also provides several Slots that are connected to C function pointers via the C\_API\_Slots class. These functions include find, rename, move, remove, and other functions for changing the data tables within an item in the network.

Nearly all the members in the MainWindow class are public. This includes the three toolbars: 1. toolBarBasic, which stores buttons for basic functions such as new, open, and save; 2. toolBarEdits, which stores buttons such as copy and paste; 3. toolBarForTools, which is intended for other tools. Tools may also add new toolbars using the addToolBar method in QMainWindow. The context menu (mouse right button) for TextEditor and GraphicsScene are also defined in MainWindow. The menus named contextItemsMenu and contextScreenMenu are used by GraphicsScene when items are selected and when no item is selected, resp.. The menus named contextSelectionMenu and contextEditorMenu are used by TextEditor when text is highlighted and when no text is highlighted, resp. Menu items such as file menu, edit menu, settings menu, and view menu are also public, allowing tools to add new actions to them.

When items are inserted or removed from a GraphicsScene or TextEditor, each class emits a signal indicating that graphics item(s) have been removed and text item(s) have been removed, resp. These signals are connected to signals in the MainWindow with the same names. In addition, MainWindow also emits two signals called itemsInserted and itemsRemoved that only contain the ItemHandles instead of the graphics items or text items. Signals that contain only ItemHandles are useful for tools that do not need to know whether the network was constructed using text or graphical interface.

**itemsAboutToBeInserted and itemsAboutToBeRemoved:** these signals are emitted just before items are inserted or removed from a network, respectively. It can be used to automatically add or remove items from the list. The signal contains a list of QUndoCommands; new commands can be added to this list to perform additional actions along with the insertion event. **itemsInserted and itemsRemoved:** these signals are emitted after items are inserted or removed from a network, respectively. It can be used to modify the items that have been inserted based on the placement of the items or other conditions. It is also used to add tools to the handle::tools list of the new items. **dataChanged:** this signal is emitted whenever any handle's data entry is changed. It is also emitted when items are inserted or removed. This signal can be used to check when a model needs to be updated. Note that undo events are not captured by this signal, which is only captured by historyChanged signal. **historyChanged:** this signal is emitted whenever any recorded change occurs. This signal can be used to check when a model needs to be updated. **networkOpened, networkClosed, and networkChanged:** these signals are emitted whenever a new network is opened, a network has been closed, or a user has clicked on a different network window (respectively). These signals are usually used to reset contents of widgets that display information about a network. **networkOpening and networkClosing:** these signals are sent before opening or closing networks (respectively). They can be used to check if the network has been saved. **mousePressed, mouseReleased, mouseDragged, mouseDoubleClicked, sceneRightClicked:** These signals are emitted due to mouse events. These signals are emitted even if the useDefaultBehavior switch is off in GraphicsScene. **keyPressed, keyReleased:** These signals are emitted due to keyboard events. These signals are emitted even if the useDefaultBehavior switch is off in GraphicsScene.



## NetworkHandle

The NetworkHandle is used to store all the information inside a network. The three main components of a NetworkHandle are: historyStack, symbolsTable, and networkWindows. The history stack is used to store the QUndoCommands that provide the undo/redo capabilities. The symbolsTable stores all the nodes and connections in the network. The list networkWindows stores all the windows that are used to display the network to the user. The NetworkHandle provides convenience functions such as changeData(...) or rename(...). These functions create a [QUndoCommand](#), add it to the history stack. Each NetworkHandle can be represented using one or more windows. All of these windows are connected to the same symbols table and the same history stack. NetworkHandle also contains functions such as find() for finding any string in the network and parseMath for validating a mathematical expression (uses muparser).

## NetworkWindow

The NetworkWindow is a window (QMainWindow) inside the MainWindow's tab widget. This window can contain either a TextEditor or a GraphicsScene, but not both. Each NetworkWindow can contain its own toolbar or dock widgets. Each NetworkWindow has functions for replacing its current scene or text editor (warning: this operation cannot be undone). Each NetworkWindow can contain an ItemHandle pointer. This handle can be used for multiple purposes. It is designed for particular scenarios in which each individual window is associated with a handle. By default, this pointer is zero.

## SymbolsTable

The SymbolsTable class is used to store all the string found in a network model. These strings include the node and connection names and the row names and column names of all the data contained within each node and connection. The purpose of the symbols table is to easily look-up a symbol and find the network objects associated with that symbol. The symbols table keeps a hash table of names and pointers to the node or connection with that name.

The SymbolsTable is also used to get all the ItemHandles in a network, except for "hidden" ItemHandles. ItemHandles represent objects in a network, whether the model is represented as text or graphics.

Full names are always unique, e.g. Cell1.p1. Just the first name, e.g p1, need not be unique. The symbols table keeps a one-to-one hash table that maps full names to object pointers and a one-to-many that maps the first names to object pointers. The uniqueData hash table stores prefixed strings, e.g. p1.param1, as well as non-prefixed strings, e.g. param1. For each string, the hash table stores all the objects that contain that string and the name of the data table which contains that string.

Each NetworkWindow contains one SymbolsTable instance. This instance is updated during any change (history update) to the network.

## GraphicsScene

The GraphicsScene class is used to construct a network visually. It is one of the largest classes in Tinker-Cell. The GraphicsScene inherits from Qt's QGraphicsScene. The primary duty of the GraphicsScene class is to receive mouse and keyboard events and emit necessary signals such as itemsSelected, itemsMoved, or mouseOverItem.

The GraphicsScene also handles selection of objects on the scene and moving objects on the scene. The selected objects are placed in the selected() list, and the moving objects are placed in the moving() list. These lists can be modified by plug-ins in order to modify which objects are selected or moved. Moving items are always grouped together when moving; this makes the movement smoother. For example, if a node has other nodes attached to it, a plug-in can ensure that all the nodes move together by adding each node to the moving() list when any one of them is selected. The GraphicsScene's selection and moving operations can be disabled by setting useDefaultBehavior = false.

In addition to emitting signals and handling selection and moving, the GraphicsScene houses numerous functions for conveniently making changes to a network. The functions include insert, remove, move, rename, and changeData. Each of these functions do three things: make a [QUndoCommand](#) object, push the undo command to the history stack, and emit the necessary signal(s) such as itemsInserted or itemsRe-

moved.

The GraphicsScene is always contained inside a NetworkWindow. Therefore it uses the parent NetworkWindow's history stack and symbols table. Many functions such as `changeData`, `rename`, or `allHandles` simply call the parent NetworkWindow's function.

### Configuring GraphicsScene

Various visual features, such as the color of the selection rectangle in a scene and default grid size can be set using global variables: `GraphicsScene::SelectionRectangleBrush`, `GraphicsScene::SelectionRectanglePen`, `GraphicsScene::BackgroundBrush`, `GraphicsScene::ForegroundBrush`, `GraphicsScene::GRID`, `GraphicsScene::GridPen`. `GraphicsScene::MIN_DRAG_DISTANCE` can be used to set the minimum distance that is considered a valid drag, i.e. moving the mouse less than this distance will be considered an accidental movement of the mouse and ignored.

### GraphicsView

The GraphicsView is a class for viewing a GraphicsScene. It inherits from `QGraphicsView`, and provides a few extra features such as drag-and-drop and zooming.

### Graphics items

Qt's `QGraphicsItem` class is used to draw all the items in the GraphicsScene. The two main graphics item classes are `NodeGraphicsItem` and `ConnectionGraphicsItem`. Supporting graphics items are `TextGraphicsItem` and `ControlPoint`.

The `qgraphicsitem_cast<class>` function can be used to cast a generic `QGraphicsItem` to one of these four classes. In addition, `NodeGraphicsItem::cast` and `ConnectionGraphicsItem::cast` can also be used to get the top-most node or connection item from a generic `QGraphicsItem` instance. Each `NodeGraphicsItem` and `ConnectionGraphicsItem` also contains a string named `ClassType`, which is used to statically cast sub-classes of `Node` or `Connection`. For example, `ArrowHeadItem` is a `NodeGraphicsItem` with `classType = "Arrow Head Item"`. example usage: `if (node->className == ArrowHeadItem::CLASSNAME) static_cast<ArrowHeadItem*>(node)`

### ControlPoint

The `ControlPoint` class is used to identify key locations of a `NodeGraphicsItem` or `ConnectionGraphicsItem` that can be used to change the appearance of that item. For example, `NodeGraphicsItem` uses control points around its bounding box, allowing a user to drag the control points in order to resize the item. `ConnectionGraphicsItem` uses control points to define the line or beziers used to draw the connection. See image to the right: the small squares and circles are control points. Control points are generally not child items of the item that they belong with. The two main sub-classes of `ControlPoint` are `NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint` and `ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint`.

### NodeGraphicsItem

This class is used to draw nodes on the GraphicsScene. `NodeGraphicsItem` inherits from `QGraphicsItemGroup`, which is used to group several graphics items together. Each `NodeGraphicsItem` is a set of points and a set of shapes that are defined using those points. The points belong to the `ControlPoint` class and the shapes belong to the `Shape` class. The entire `NodeGraphicsItem` can be saved as an XML file using `NodeGraphicsItemWriter` (and `NodeGraphicsItemReader` for reading the XML). The XML file uses the SBML render extension format, which is similar to SVG.

The `NodeGraphicsItem` has convenient functions such as `connections()`. The set of connections connected to a given node is retrieved by looking at the control points that are child items of that node. Each connection must have a control point that is the child item of the node that it is connected to.

**Shape** This class is a polygon constructed using lines, beziers, or arcs. The `Shape` class inherits from `QGraphicsPolygonItem`. The polygon must be closed. The `refresh()` method is used whenever the shape's control points are changed. This updates the shape's polygon.

## ConnectionGraphicsItem

This class is used to draw connections between nodes. ConnectionGraphicsItem is composed of a list of CurveSegment instances. Each CurveSegment is a collection of control points that define a single path, usually with the same central control point. Each curve segment also has two arrow head items -- one at either ends (they can be null). If there is a node at the end of any of the paths, then the control points at the end will be child items (see QGraphicsItem) of that node; so, looking at the parent items of each of the control points at the ends is the correct way to find all the nodes that are connected by a connection.

The ConnectionGraphicsItem also contains an optional centerRegionItem, which is a node that sits at the center of the connection. This node is used when one connection item needs to connect to another connection item. Since connections can only be connected to nodes, the center region item is used when connecting a connection to another.

The control points that constitute a connection are generally parent-free, except for the end control points. As mentioned earlier, if a control point is at the end of a connection and is connected to a node, then the control point will be set as the child of the node item. This allows the control point to move along with the node. The ConnectionGraphicsItem class retrieves all the nodes that it is connected to by looking at the parent items of each of its end control points. ConnectionGraphicsItem provides convenient functions such as nodes(), nodesWithArrows(), nodesWithoutArrows(), where "WithArrows" means that there is an arrow head at the arc leading to the node. It is important to understand that these functions do not imply that the curve segments represent a reaction or some other specific process. They indicate the visual representation, which is then translated to more specific meanings by the plug-ins.

refresh() is used whenever the connection is changed. This function updates the arcs and the shape() of the connection using the control point positions.

The ConnectionGraphicsReader and Writer can be used to read and write a connection item to an XML file.

The default arrow head can be set using ConnectionGraphicsItem::DefaultArrowHeadFile. Similarly, the default middle item (the box at the center) can be set using ConnectionGraphicsItem::DefaultMiddleItemFile. For example:

```
ConnectionGraphicsItem::DefaultArrowHeadFile = appDir + QString("/ArrowItems/Reaction.xml");
ConnectionGraphicsItem::DefaultMiddleItemFile = appDir + QString("/OtherItems/simplecircle.xml");
```

TextEditor class

## TextEditor

The TextEditor class is used to construct a network using a text-based language. The syntax is not defined by TextEditor and must be provided by a supporting plug-in. The supporting plug-in is expected to make use of the lineChanged(...) and textChanged(...) signals emitted by TextEditor to identify changes by a user and call the insertItem(...), removeItem(...), or setItem(...) methods in order to modify the network.

## Tool (plug-in)

Tool is the parent class for all TinkerCell "plug-ins". The most important method in the Tool class is setMainWindow(), which is used by a new tool to connect with the MainWindow's signals and slots.

Each Tool can choose to create instances of Tool::GraphicsItem and place them on the scene. When these graphics items are selected by the user, TinkerCell Core will call the select(int) method of the Tool that is associated with the graphics item.

## Console Window

The ConsoleWindow class provides a generic framework for Tools to receive command-line input as well as display messages or execute commands. Each tool can access the ConsoleWindow using console() or mainWindow->console(). For example:

Tools can also interact with the user by connecting to the ConsoleWindow's commandExecuted signal.

This signal is emitted whenever the user pressed <return> after entering a text at the command prompt. The Tools can process the string and carry out necessary operations.

```

    if (console())
    {
        console()->message("hello world");    //print a message on the console window
        console()->error("incorrect response"); //print an error message on the console window
        console()->eval("print 1+2"); //evaluate this expression (only runs if a plugin such as python plugin is available)
    }

    DataTable<double> data;
    console()->printTable(data); //print a table (tab-delimited)

    ConsoleWindow * console = console();
    if (console)
    {
        connect(editor, SIGNAL( commandExecuted(const QString& ) ),
                this, SLOT( commandExecuted(const QString& ) ));
    }

```

Tools may also disable and re-enable the ConsoleWindow while they are processing the command by using:

```

    console()->freeze();    //lock the console window
    console()->unfreeze(); //unlock the console window

    Alternatively, Tools may also connect with the freeze() and unfreeze() slots:

    CommandTextEdit * editor = console()->editor();
    if (editor)
    {
        connect(this, SIGNAL(freeze()), editor, SLOT(freeze()));
        connect(this, SIGNAL(unfreeze()), editor, SLOT(unfreeze()));
        connect(this, SIGNAL(setFreeze(bool)), editor, SLOT(setFreeze(bool)));
    });

    connect(editor, SIGNAL( commandExecuted(const QString& ) ),
            this, SLOT( commandExecuted(const QString& ) ));
}

```

## CThread

This class is used to run C plugins as separate threads.

## InterpreterThread

This class inherits from CThread. It is used to run interpreters such as Python and Octave interpreter.

## PythonInterpreterThread

This class inherits from InterpreterThread. It is used to embed Python interpreter. This class uses the C program python/runpy.c.in

## OctaveInterpreterThread

This class inherits from CThreads. It is used to embed Octave interpreter. This class uses the C++ program octave/runOctave.cpp (for embedding Octave) and assumes that SWIG has been used to generate tinkercell.oct library (which extends Octave).

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# Chapter 5

## Module Documentation

### 5.1 TinkerCell Core classes

The main classes in TinkerCell Core. These form the base for all the plug-ins.

#### Classes

- class [TinkerCell::ArrowHeadItem](#)  
*A node graphics item that is used to draw arrow heads on connection items.*
- class [TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem](#)  
*A graphics nodes item that draws connection between two or more nodes and the arrow heads at the ends.*
- class [TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#)  
*A control point with a pointer to a [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#).*
- class [TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment](#)  
*A set of control points and two arrow heads.*
- class [TinkerCell::ControlPoint](#)  
*A simple circle or square that is used for changing specific locations.*
- class [TinkerCell::ProcessThread](#)  
*This class is used to run a process (command + args) as a separate thread as a separate thread.*
- class [TinkerCell::DataTable< T >](#)  
*[DataTable](#) is a 2D vector with row names and column names.*
- class [TinkerCell::GraphicsScene](#)  
*The primary task of the graphics scene is to draws items. All interactions with the [GraphicsScene](#) is done through [MainWindow](#) or [NetworkHandle](#). [NetworkHandle](#) provides functions such as move, insert, and remove. [MainWindow](#) relays all the signals, such as mouse and key events, from the [GraphicsScene](#). So, there is rarely a need to directly interact with the [GraphicsScene](#).*
- class [TinkerCell::GraphicsView](#)

*GraphicsView* class that is used to view the contents of a *GraphicsScene*. The class inherits from *QGraphicsView*.

- class *Tinkercell::Unit*

*A unit of measurement.*

- class *Tinkercell::ItemFamily*

*This class defines the family of a node or connection. The class contains the icon for the family, family name, and minimal data that defines the family. Each family has a name, which is internally converted to an integer (ID) The ID is used to perform isA checks, thus avoiding repeated string matches.*

- class *Tinkercell::NodeFamily*

*This class defines the family of a node. Inherits from *ItemFamily*. It contains a list of *NodeGraphicsItems* that is the default for this family of nodes.*

- class *Tinkercell::ConnectionFactory*

*This class defines the family of a connection. Inherits from *ItemFamily* It contains a list of *ConnectioGraphicsItems* that is the default for this family of connections.*

- class *Tinkercell::ItemHandle*

*The *ItemHandle* represents a complete object in the network, whether it is a node or a connection. The *ItemHandle* contains the name of the object and pointers to all the *QGraphicsItems* that are used to represent the object. Tools associated with the object can be stored within the *ItemHandle* as well. The *ItemHandle* can also optionally contain an *ItemFamily*, which can be used to distinguish different types of nodes or connections, if needed. Each *ItemHandle* can contain one parent. Several functions are available for conviniently getting the parents and children of an *ItemHandle*.*

- class *Tinkercell::NodeHandle*

*The handles are used to bring together data and graphics items. Node Handle contains pointers to all the graphics items that belong to it, the tools that apply to this item, the data for this item, and the family that it belongs with.*

- class *Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle*

*The handles are used to bring together data and graphics items. Connection Handle contains pointers to all the graphics items that belong to it, the tools that apply to this item, the data for this item, the family that it belongs with, and pointers to nodes connected (in and out).*

- class *Tinkercell::MainWindow*

*MainWindow* is the parent container for all the other widgets in *TinkerCell* The central widget in *MainWindow* is a tab widget. Each tab widget can hold a *GraphicsView* or a *TextEditor*. One of the main roles of *MainWindow* is to serve as a signal/slot hub for Tools.

- class *Tinkercell::NetworkHandle*

*A class that is used to store a network. The network is a collection of *Item Handles*. The history stack is also a key component of a network. The network can either be represented as text using *TextEditor* or visualized with graphical items in the *GraphicsScene*. Each node and connection are contained in a handle, and each handle can either be represented as text or as graphics. The two main components of *NetworkWindow* are the *SymbolsTable* and *HistoryStack* This class provides functions for inserting items, removing items, and changing information inside the model.*

- class *Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem*

*A simple figure made from one or more polygons. The class can be represented in an XML file.*

- class [TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#)  
*a control point with a pointer to a [NodeGraphicsItem](#)*
- class [TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape](#)  
*A closed polygon path made from arcs, lines, and beziers.*
- class [TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsReader](#)  
*An xml reader that reads a [NodeGraphicsItem](#) file.*
- class [TinkerCell::SymbolsTable](#)  
*The symbols table is updated every time the scene or text editor changes. The symbols table contains the list of item names and [ItemHandle](#) pointers as well as names and pointers to each data entry in each item.*
- class [TinkerCell::TextEditor](#)  
*This is the window that allows used to construct networks using text, as opposed to graphics, which is done by [GraphicsScene](#). The [TextEditor](#) requires a supporting tool that parses the text and calls the [itemsInserted](#) or [itemsRemoved](#) methods. Without a supporting parser tool, the [TextEditor](#) will not do anything.*
- class [TinkerCell::TextGraphicsItem](#)  
*editable text item*
- class [TinkerCell::TextParser](#)  
*[TextParser](#) is the parent class for all parsers. Parsers are classes that interpret the string in a [TextEditor](#) and insert items or modify items as needed. TinkerCell can support multiple parsers through the use of the [TextParser](#) interface.*
- class [TinkerCell::Tool](#)  
*everything other than the main window is a tool*
- class [TinkerCell::ToolGraphicsItem](#)  
*tools that are drawn on the scene instead of displayed as a window*

## Typedefs

- typedef `DataTable< QString >` [TinkerCell::TextDataTable](#)  
*a numerical data table*
- typedef `DataTable< qreal >` [TinkerCell::NumericalDataTable](#)  
*a numerical data table*

## Functions

- `QGraphicsItem *` [TinkerCell::getGraphicsItem](#) (`QGraphicsItem *item`)  
*gets the parent of this item that is a node, text, connection, or control point*
- `QGraphicsItem *` [TinkerCell::cloneGraphicsItem](#) (`QGraphicsItem *item`)  
*Clone a graphics item. The item handle will NOT be duplicated.*

- `QList< QGraphicsItem * > Tinkercell::cloneGraphicsItems (QList< QGraphicsItem * > &items, QList< ItemHandle * > &newHandles, bool deep=true)`  
*Clone a list of graphics items.*
- `ItemHandle * Tinkercell::getHandle (QGraphicsItem *)`  
*get the handle from a graphics item*
- `QList< ItemHandle * > Tinkercell::getHandle (const QList< QGraphicsItem * > &, bool include-Null=true)`  
*get the handles from graphics items*
- `void Tinkercell::setHandle (QGraphicsItem *, ItemHandle *)`  
*set the handle of a graphics item (use 0 to remove handle)*

### 5.1.1 Detailed Description

The main classes in TinkerCell Core. These form the base for all the plug-ins.

### 5.1.2 Function Documentation

#### 5.1.2.1 TINKERCELLEXPORT QGraphicsItem \* Tinkercell::cloneGraphicsItem ( QGraphicsItem \* *item* )

Clone a graphics item. The item handle will NOT be duplicated.

##### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem* \* a pointer to a QGraphicsItem

##### Returns

QGraphicsItem \* a QGraphicsItem that is clone of the argument

#### 5.1.2.2 TINKERCELLEXPORT QList< QGraphicsItem \* > Tinkercell::cloneGraphicsItems ( QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *items*, QList< ItemHandle \* > & *newHandles*, bool *deep* = *true* )

Clone a list of graphics items.

##### Parameters

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>* a list of pointers to a QGraphicsItems

*QList<ItemHandle\*>* return value: returns all the new handles here

*bool* duplicate the handles as well (default = true).

##### Returns

QList<QGraphicsItem\*> a new list of QGraphicsItems that are clones of the corresponding argument

### 5.1.2.3 TINKERCELLEXPORT QGraphicsItem \* Tinkercell::getGraphicsItem ( QGraphicsItem \* *item* )

gets the parent of this item that is a node, text, connection, or control point

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem* \* Qt graphics item

#### Returns

QGraphicsItem \* node, connection, text, or control point

### 5.1.2.4 TINKERCELLEXPORT ItemHandle \* Tinkercell::getHandle ( QGraphicsItem \* )

get the handle from a graphics item

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem*\* graphics item

#### Returns

ItemHandle\* item handle (0 if none)

### 5.1.2.5 TINKERCELLEXPORT QList< ItemHandle \* > Tinkercell::getHandle ( const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, bool *includeNull* = *true* )

get the handles from graphics items

#### Parameters

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>* graphics item

*bool* include null handles (default=true)

#### Returns

QList<ItemHandle\*> item handles

### 5.1.2.6 TINKERCELLEXPORT void Tinkercell::setHandle ( QGraphicsItem \*, ItemHandle \* )

set the handle of a graphics item (use 0 to remove handle)

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem*\* graphics item

*ItemHandle*\* handle (use 0 to remove handle)

## 5.2 Helper functions and classes

Helper classes and functions that are used by the core classes.

## Classes

- class [Tinkercell::HistoryWindow](#)

*This is a small class extending QUndoView that manages a stack of undo commands.*

- class [Tinkercell::ItemData](#)

*This class is used to store information about nodes or connections. It contains a hashtable of data tables, which is used by different tools to store specific data. The versions queue can be used to keep previous versions of the data.*

## Functions

- QPointF [Tinkercell::pointOnEdge](#) (const QRectF &rect0, const QPointF &p1, qreal dist, bool straight)

*gets the point on the edge of the rect such that it is in the same line as the center of the rect and the point (arg)*

- QPointF [Tinkercell::pointOnEdge](#) (const NodeGraphicsItem &node, const QPointF &pt, qreal dist, bool straight)

*gets the point on the edge of the shape such that it is in the same line as the center of the rect and the point (arg)*

- tc\_matrix [Tinkercell::emptyMatrix](#) ()

*construct a tc\_matrix with 0 rows and columns*

- ItemHandle \* [Tinkercell::ConvertValue](#) (long)

*convert void\* to [ItemHandle](#) pointer*

- long [Tinkercell::ConvertValue](#) (ItemHandle \*)

*convert [ItemHandle](#) pointer to void \**

- QList< ItemHandle \* > \* [Tinkercell::ConvertValue](#) (tc\_items)

*convert tc\_items to QList of [ItemHandle](#) pointers*

- tc\_items [Tinkercell::ConvertValue](#) (const QList< ItemHandle \* > &)

*convert QList of [ItemHandle](#) pointers to tc\_items*

- QString [Tinkercell::ConvertValue](#) (const char \*)

*convert char\* to QString*

- const char \* [Tinkercell::ConvertValue](#) (const QString &)

*convert QString to null-terminated char\**

- DataTable< QString > \* [Tinkercell::ConvertValue](#) (tc\_table)

*convert tc\_table to [DataTable](#) of QString*

- tc\_table [Tinkercell::ConvertValue](#) (const DataTable< QString > &)

*convert [DataTable](#) of QStrings to tc\_table*

- `DataTable< qreal > * Tinkercell::ConvertValue (tc_matrix)`  
*convert matrix to datatable<double> (see [DataTable.h](#) and [TC\\_structs.h](#))*
- `tc_matrix Tinkercell::ConvertValue (const DataTable< qreal > &)`  
*convert Datatable<double> to tc\_matrix (see [DataTable.h](#) and [TC\\_structs.h](#))*
- `QStringList Tinkercell::ConvertValue (tc_strings)`  
*convert tc\_strings to QStringList*
- `tc_strings Tinkercell::ConvertValue (const QStringList &)`  
*convert QStringList to tc\_strings*
- `QString Tinkercell::RemoveDisallowedCharactersFromName (const QString &)`  
*This function replaces disallowed characters in a name string.*

### 5.2.1 Detailed Description

Helper classes and functions that are used by the core classes.

### 5.2.2 Function Documentation

#### 5.2.2.1 TINKERCELLEXPORT ItemHandle \* Tinkercell::ConvertValue ( long )

convert void\* to [ItemHandle](#) pointer

##### Returns

ItemHandle\*

#### 5.2.2.2 TINKERCELLEXPORT long Tinkercell::ConvertValue ( ItemHandle \* )

convert [ItemHandle](#) pointer to void \*

##### Returns

void\*

#### 5.2.2.3 TINKERCELLEXPORT tc\_strings Tinkercell::ConvertValue ( const QStringList & )

convert QStringList to tc\_strings

##### Returns

tc\_strings

**5.2.2.4 TINKERCELLEXPOR `QStringList` `TinkerCell::ConvertValue ( tc_strings )`**

convert `tc_strings` to `QStringList`

**Returns**

`QStringList`

**5.2.2.5 TINKERCELLEXPOR `tc_matrix` `TinkerCell::ConvertValue ( const DataTable< qreal > & )`**

convert `DataTable<double>` to `tc_matrix` (see [DataTable.h](#) and `TC_structs.h`)

**Returns**

`tc_matrix`

**5.2.2.6 TINKERCELLEXPOR `QString` `TinkerCell::ConvertValue ( const char * )`**

convert `char*` to `QString`

**Returns**

`QString`

**5.2.2.7 TINKERCELLEXPOR `tc_table` `TinkerCell::ConvertValue ( const DataTable< QString > & )`**

convert [DataTable](#) of `QString`s to `tc_table`

**Returns**

`tc_table`

**5.2.2.8 TINKERCELLEXPOR `const char *` `TinkerCell::ConvertValue ( const QString & )`**

convert `QString` to null-terminated `char*`

**Returns**

null-terminated `char*`

**5.2.2.9 TINKERCELLEXPOR `DataTable< QString > *` `TinkerCell::ConvertValue ( tc_table )`**

convert `tc_table` to [DataTable](#) of `QString`

**Returns**

`QStringList`



**5.2.2.10 TINKERCELLEXPORT QList< ItemHandle \* > \* Tinkercell::ConvertValue ( tc\_items )**

convert tc\_items to QList of [ItemHandle](#) pointers

**Returns**

QList<ItemHandle\*>

**5.2.2.11 TINKERCELLEXPORT tc\_items Tinkercell::ConvertValue ( const QList< ItemHandle \* > & )**

convert QList of [ItemHandle](#) pointers to tc\_items

**Returns**

tc\_items

**5.2.2.12 TINKERCELLEXPORT DataTable< qreal > \* Tinkercell::ConvertValue ( tc\_matrix )**

convert matrix to datatable<double> (see [DataTable.h](#) and TC\_structs.h)

**Returns**

[DataTable](#) of qreals

**5.2.2.13 TINKERCELLEXPORT tc\_matrix Tinkercell::emptyMatrix ( )**

construct a tc\_matrix with 0 rows and columns

**Returns**

tc\_matrix

**5.2.2.14 TINKERCELLEXPORT QPointF Tinkercell::pointOnEdge ( const QRectF & rect0, const QPointF & p1, qreal dist, bool straight )**

gets the point on the edge of the rect such that it is in the same line as the center of the rect and the point (arg)

**Parameters**

*rectangle*

*point* outside rectangle

**Returns**

the point on the edge of the rectangle

**Parameters***QRectF* rectangle*QPointF* point outside rectangle**Returns**

QPointF the point on the edge of the rectangle

**5.2.2.15 TINKERCELLEXPORT QPointF Tinkercell::pointOnEdge ( const NodeGraphicsItem & node, const QPointF & pt, qreal dist, bool straight )**

gets the point on the edge of the shape such that it is in the same line as the center of the rect and the point (arg)

gets the point on the edge of the shape such that it is in the same line as the center of the shape's bounding rect and the point (arg)

**Parameters***shape**point* outside rectangle**Returns**

the point on the edge of the shape

**Parameters***QPainterPath* the shape*QPointF* point outside shape**Returns**

QPointF the point on the edge of the shape

**5.2.2.16 TINKERCELLEXPORT QString Tinkercell::RemoveDisallowedCharactersFromName ( const QString & )**

This function replaces disallowed characters in a name string.

**Parameters***QString* original string

## 5.3 Input and output

Classes that read/write graphics information and data information from/to files as well as serve as input/output devices for C functions.

## Classes

- class [Tinkercell::AbstractInputWindow](#)  
*Classes that inherit from this class can be used as GUI windows that provide interface to C programs (library files).*
- class [Tinkercell::SimpleInputWindow](#)  
*Used to create an input window that can receive user inputs for C plugins.*
- class [Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsReader](#)  
*An xml reader that reads a [NodeGraphicsItem](#) file.*
- class [Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsWriter](#)  
*This class is an xml writer that specifically writes a [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#).*
- class [Tinkercell::CommandTextEdit](#)  
*A command-line type text box that other tools can use for scripting interface.*
- class [Tinkercell::ConsoleWindow](#)  
*Used to create an output window that can display outputs.*
- class [Tinkercell::ModelReader](#)  
*reads an xml file with handle names and data table information and generates a list of item handles*
- class [Tinkercell::ModelWriter](#)  
*writes to an xml file handle names and data table information from a list of item handles*
- class [Tinkercell::MultithreadedSliderWidget](#)  
*This class is used to run specific functions inside a C dynamic library as a separate thread. Uses [CThread](#) to call the C functions.*
- class [Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsWriter](#)  
*An xml reader that reads a [NodeGraphicsItem](#) file.*

### 5.3.1 Detailed Description

Classes that read/write graphics information and data information from/to files as well as serve as input/output devices for C functions.

## 5.4 Undo commands

A set of classes that allow undo/redo (using Qt Undo framework).

## Classes

- class [Tinkercell::ChangeDataCommand< T >](#)  
*This template class allows undo and redo of a change made to a data table.*

- class [Tinkercell::Change2DataCommand< T1, T2 >](#)  
*Changes two different data tables.*
- class [Tinkercell::TextUndoCommand](#)  
*this command performs a text change*
- class [Tinkercell::InsertHandlesCommand](#)  
*this command inserts new handles to a [NetworkHandle](#)*
- class [Tinkercell::RemoveHandlesCommand](#)  
*this command inserts new handles to a [NetworkHandle](#)*
- class [Tinkercell::MoveCommand](#)  
*this command performs a move and allows redo/undo of that move*
- class [Tinkercell::InsertGraphicsCommand](#)  
*this command performs an insert and allows redo/undo of that insert*
- class [Tinkercell::RemoveGraphicsCommand](#)  
*this command performs an removal and allows redo/undo of that removal*
- class [Tinkercell::ChangeBrushCommand](#)  
*this command changes the brush of an item*
- class [Tinkercell::ChangePenCommand](#)  
*this command changes the pen of an item*
- class [Tinkercell::ChangeBrushAndPenCommand](#)  
*this command changes the pen and/or brush of an item*
- class [Tinkercell::ChangeZCommand](#)  
*this command changes the pen of an item*
- class [Tinkercell::TransformCommand](#)  
*this command changes the size, angle, and orientation of an item*
- class [Tinkercell::ChangeParentCommand](#)  
*this command changes the parent of a graphics item (not handles)*
- class [Tinkercell::RenameCommand](#)  
*this command changes the name of the handle of an item. important: use full name of the items!*
- class [Tinkercell::CompositeCommand](#)  
*this command can be used to combine multiple commands into one command*
- class [Tinkercell::ReverseUndoCommand](#)  
*this command can be used to invert another undo command (i.e. flip the redo/undo)*
- class [Tinkercell::ReplaceNodeGraphicsCommand](#)

*this command can be used to replace the graphical representation of a node from an xml file*

- class [TinkerCell::AssignHandleCommand](#)

*this command assigns handles to items*

- class [TinkerCell::MergeHandlesCommand](#)

*this command places all the graphics items inside one handle into the other*

- class [TinkerCell::SetParentHandleCommand](#)

*this command assigns parent(s) to one or more handles*

- class [TinkerCell::SetGraphicsSceneVisibilityCommand](#)

*this command is used to hide graphics items. Hidden graphics items will be part (unless their handles are also hidden) of the network but not visible on the screen.*

- class [TinkerCell::SetHandleFamilyCommand](#)

*this command is used to hide graphics items. Hidden graphics items will be part (unless their handles are also hidden) of the network but not visible on the screen.*

- class [TinkerCell::AddControlPointCommand](#)

*An command that adds a new control point to a connection item; it has undo and redo functionality.*

- class [TinkerCell::RemoveControlPointCommand](#)

*A command that removed control points. Allows undo and redo.*

- class [TinkerCell::AddCurveSegmentCommand](#)

*An command that adds a new control point to a connection item; it has undo and redo functionality.*

- class [TinkerCell::RemoveCurveSegmentCommand](#)

*A command that removed control points. Allows undo and redo.*

- class [TinkerCell::ReplaceConnectedNodeCommand](#)

*this command replaces one node item in a connection item with another*

## Typedefs

- typedef `ChangeDataCommand< QString >` [TinkerCell::ChangeTextDataCommand](#)

*this command is used to replace text data inside a handle*

- typedef `ChangeDataCommand< qreal >` [TinkerCell::ChangeNumericalDataCommand](#)

*this command is used to replace numerical data inside a handle*

### 5.4.1 Detailed Description

A set of classes that allow undo/redo (using Qt Undo framework).

## 5.5 C API

C functions that are provided by the TinkerCell Core library and Plug-ins (tools).

### Classes

- class [TinkerCell::C\\_API\\_Slots](#)  
*A set of slots that are called by C libraries.*
- class [TinkerCell::CThread](#)  
*This class is used to run specific functions inside a C dynamic library as a separate thread. The class can be used to load a library or just run a specific function inside an already loaded library. If the library is loaded by this class, the library will be unloaded upon completion on the function. To prevent the automatic unloading, use the `setAutoUnload` option. Only four types of functions are supported.*
- class [TinkerCell::InterpreterThread](#)  
*This class is used to run interpreters such as python, perl, octave, R, etc. This is the parent class that provides the basic structure for loading the library that will embed one of these languages.*
- class [TinkerCell::OctaveInterpreterThread](#)  
*This class is used to embed an octave interpreter inside a TinkerCell application. The C library responsible for embedding octave is called `runOctave.cpp` and is located inside the octave folder. The octave interpreter uses two libraries -- one for embedding octave in TinkerCell and another for extending Octave with the TinkerCell C API.*
- class [TinkerCell::PythonInterpreterThread](#)  
*This class is used to embed an python interpreter inside a TinkerCell application. The C library responsible for embedding python is called `runpy.c` and is located inside the python/ folder.*

### 5.5.1 Detailed Description

C functions that are provided by the TinkerCell Core library and Plug-ins (tools).

## 5.6 TinkerCell plug-ins

Plug-ins, which are classes that inherit from Tool class, provide the large majority of the important features in TinkerCell.

### Classes

- class [TinkerCell::Plot2DWidget](#)  
*A widget containing a data plot, legend and options. Can be used to plot line-plots, bar-plots, or histograms.*
- class [TinkerCell::Plot3DWidget](#)  
*A widget that uses `qwtplot3D` to draw surface plots.*
- class [TinkerCell::PlotTool](#)

*A docking widget that can contains one or more [PlotWidget](#) instances. Each [PlotWidget](#) can either be a text output, 2D graph, or 3D graph. Alternatively, the [PlotTool](#) can use an separate Gnuplot window to generate plots.*

- class [Tinkercell::PlotWidget](#)

*A widget containing a data plot, legend and options. This class does not perform any plotting. This class serves as a template for other widgets that perform the plotting.*

### 5.6.1 Detailed Description

Plug-ins, which are classes that inherit from Tool class, provide the large majority of the important features in TinkerCell.





## Chapter 6

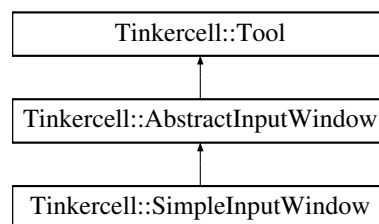
# Class Documentation

### 6.1 Tinkercell::AbstractInputWindow Class Reference

Classes that inherit from this class can be used as GUI windows that provide interface to C programs (library files).

```
#include <AbstractInputWindow.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::AbstractInputWindow:



#### Public Slots

- virtual void [escapeSignal](#) (const QWidget \*)  
*Escape signal is a request to stop the current process. This class will hide itself as a response.*
- virtual void [exec](#) ()  
*Executes the [CThread](#).*
- virtual void [loadAPI](#) (Tool \*)  
*Uses MainWindow's [setupNewThread](#) function to setup this window's thread.*

#### Signals

- void [updateThread](#) ()  
*update the thread*

- void [evalScript](#) (const QString &)  
*evaluate a command using command window's eval*

## Protected Member Functions

- [AbstractInputWindow](#) (const QString &name=tr(""), CThread \*thread=0)  
*constructor*
- virtual bool [setMainWindow](#) (MainWindow \*main)  
*Sets the main window. This function will set this tool as a docked widget by default and registered the escapeSignal event. Overwrite this function to prevent that default behavior.*
- virtual void [setInput](#) (const DataTable< qreal > &)  
*set the input for this input window*
- virtual void [setThread](#) (CThread \*)  
*set the thread that will be started by this input window*
- virtual CThread \* [thread](#) () const  
*the thread that will be started by this input window*
- virtual void [enterEvent](#) (QEvent \*event)  
*when mouse enters this widget, the cthread is updated*

## Protected Attributes

- CThread \* [cthread](#)  
*the target thread*
- QDockWidget \* [dockWidget](#)  
*the docked window for this widget (0 if not a docked widget)*
- void(\* [targetFunction](#) )(tc\_matrix)  
*target function for this input window*

### 6.1.1 Detailed Description

Classes that inherit from this class can be used as GUI windows that provide interface to C programs (library files).

#### See also

LPSolveInput

## 6.1.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.1.2.1 Tinkercell::AbstractInputWindow::AbstractInputWindow ( const QString & name = `tr( "" )`, CThread \* thread = 0 ) [protected]

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of this tool

*CThread* the target thread to run from this input window

## 6.1.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.1.3.1 void Tinkercell::AbstractInputWindow::exec ( ) [virtual, slot]

Executes the *CThread*.

See also

*CThread*

Reimplemented in *Tinkercell::SimpleInputWindow*.

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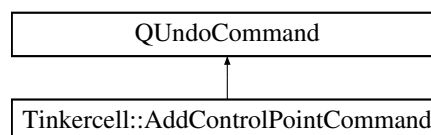
- AbstractInputWindow.h
- AbstractInputWindow.cpp

## 6.2 Tinkercell::AddControlPointCommand Class Reference

An command that adds a new control point to a connection item; it has undo and redo functionality.

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::AddControlPointCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- *AddControlPointCommand* (const QString &name, *GraphicsScene* \*scene, *ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint* \*item)  
*constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo*
- *AddControlPointCommand* (const QString &name, *GraphicsScene* \*scene, QList< *ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint* \* > items)

*constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo*

- virtual `~AddControlPointCommand()`  
*destructor: deletes all control points that do not belong a scene*
- void `redo()`  
*Adds a new control point. Control points were set in the constructor.*
- void `undo()`  
*Remove new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.*

## Public Attributes

- `GraphicsScene * graphicsScene`  
*graphics scene to which control points were added*
- `QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint * > graphicsItems`  
*control points that were added*
- `QList< int > listK1`  
*the position(s) at which the control points were added*
- `QList< int > listK2`

## 6.2.1 Detailed Description

An command that adds a new control point to a connection item; it has undo and redo functionality.

## 6.2.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.2.2.1 `Tinkercell::AddControlPointCommand::AddControlPointCommand ( const QString & name, GraphicsScene * scene, ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint * item )`

constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo

#### Parameters

*name*

*graphics* scene

*control* point(s) that have been added

#### Returns

void

**6.2.2.2 Tinkercell::AddControlPointCommand::AddControlPointCommand ( const QString & name, GraphicsScene \* scene, QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint \* > items )**

constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo

#### Parameters

*name*

*graphics* scene

*control* point(s) that have been added

#### Returns

void

### 6.2.3 Member Function Documentation

**6.2.3.1 void Tinkercell::AddControlPointCommand::redo ( )**

Adds a new control point. Control points were set in the constructor.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

void

**6.2.3.2 void Tinkercell::AddControlPointCommand::undo ( )**

Remove new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

void

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

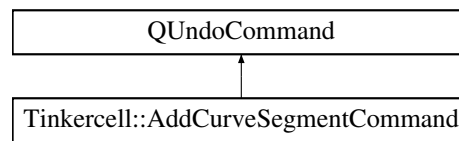
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.3 Tinkercell::AddCurveSegmentCommand Class Reference

An command that adds a new control point to a connection item; it has undo and redo functionality.

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::AddCurveSegmentCommand:



## Public Member Functions

- [AddCurveSegmentCommand](#) (const QString &name, [GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*connection, [ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment](#) &item)  
*constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo*
- [AddCurveSegmentCommand](#) (const QString &name, [GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*connection, QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment](#) > items)  
*constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo*
- virtual [~AddCurveSegmentCommand](#) ()  
*destructor. deletes all control points that do not belong a scene*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*Adds a new control point. Control points were set in the constructor.*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*Remove new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.*

## Public Attributes

- [GraphicsScene](#) \* [graphicsScene](#)  
*graphics scene to which control points were added*
- [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* [connectionItem](#)  
*graphics item to which control points were added*
- QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment](#) > [curveSegments](#)  
*vector of control points that were added*
- QList< int > [listK1](#)  
*the position(s) at which the control point vectors were added*

### 6.3.1 Detailed Description

An command that adds a new control point to a connection item; it has undo and redo functionality.

## 6.3.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.3.2.1 TinkerCell::AddCurveSegmentCommand::AddCurveSegmentCommand ( const QString & *name*, QGraphicsScene \* *scene*, ConnectionGraphicsItem \* *connection*, ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment & *item* )

constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo

#### Parameters

*name*

*graphics* scene

*control* point(s) that have been added

#### Returns

void

### 6.3.2.2 TinkerCell::AddCurveSegmentCommand::AddCurveSegmentCommand ( const QString & *name*, QGraphicsScene \* *scene*, ConnectionGraphicsItem \* *connection*, QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment > *items* )

constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo

#### Parameters

*name*

*graphics* scene

*control* point(s) that have been added

#### Returns

void

## 6.3.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.3.3.1 void TinkerCell::AddCurveSegmentCommand::redo ( )

Adds a new control point. Control points were set in the constructor.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

void

### 6.3.3.2 void Tinkercell::AddCurveSegmentCommand::undo ( )

Remove new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

*void*

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

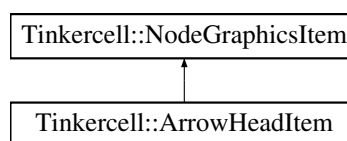
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.4 Tinkercell::ArrowHeadItem Class Reference

A node graphics item that is used to draw arrow heads on connection items.

```
#include <ConnectionGraphicsItem.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::ArrowHeadItem:



### Public Types

- enum { **Type** = UserType + 6 }  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

### Public Member Functions

- [ArrowHeadItem](#) ([ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*c=0)  
*constructor -- initializes the angle and connection item*
- [ArrowHeadItem](#) (const QString &, [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*c=0)  
*construct from file*
- [ArrowHeadItem](#) (const [ArrowHeadItem](#) &)  
*copy constructor*
- virtual void [paint](#) (QPainter \*painter, const QStyleOptionGraphicsItem \*option=new QStyleOptionGraphicsItem(), QWidget \*widget=0)



*paint this arrow item. performs rotation using the angle member.*

- virtual [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* [clone](#) () const  
*returns a duplicate of this arrow head*
- virtual int [type](#) () const  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [ArrowHeadItem](#) \* [cast](#) (QGraphicsItem \*)  
*cast a graphics item to a node graphics item using qgraphicsitem\_cast*

## Public Attributes

- [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* [connectionItem](#)  
*The connection item that this arrow head belongs with.*
- qreal [angle](#)  
*the direction (angle) that the arrow is pointing*

## Static Public Attributes

- static const QString [CLASSNAME](#) = QString("ArrowHeadItem")  
*for safe static casting*

### 6.4.1 Detailed Description

A node graphics item that is used to draw arrow heads on connection items.

### 6.4.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.4.2.1 Tinkercell::ArrowHeadItem::ArrowHeadItem ( [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* *connection* = 0 )

constructor -- initializes the angle and connection item

Constructor: init everything

#### 6.4.2.2 Tinkercell::ArrowHeadItem::ArrowHeadItem ( const QString & *filename*, [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* *connection* = 0 )

construct from file

Constructor: init everything

### 6.4.2.3 Tinkercell::ArrowHeadItem::ArrowHeadItem ( const ArrowHeadItem & *copy* )

copy constructor

Constructor: init everything

## 6.4.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.4.3.1 ArrowHeadItem \* Tinkercell::ArrowHeadItem::cast ( QGraphicsItem \* *q* ) [static]

cast a graphics item to a node graphics item using qgraphicsitem\_cast

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem\** graphics item

#### Returns

ArrowHeadItem\* can be 0 if the cast is invalid

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem](#).

### 6.4.3.2 NodeGraphicsItem \* Tinkercell::ArrowHeadItem::clone ( ) const [virtual]

returns a duplicate of this arrow head

make a copy of this item

#### Returns

duplicate arrow head item

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem](#).

### 6.4.3.3 void Tinkercell::ArrowHeadItem::paint ( QPainter \* *painter*, const QStyleOptionGraphicsItem \* *option* = new QStyleOptionGraphicsItem(), QWidget \* *widget* = 0 ) [virtual]

paint this arrow item. performs rotation using the angle member.

#### Returns

void

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem](#).

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

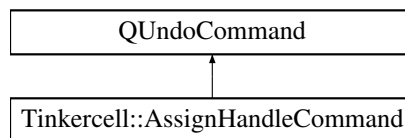
- ConnectionGraphicsItem.h
- ConnectionGraphicsItem.cpp

## 6.5 TinkerCell::AssignHandleCommand Class Reference

this command assigns handles to items

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::AssignHandleCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- **AssignHandleCommand** (const QString &text, QGraphicsItem \*item, [ItemHandle](#) \*handle)
- **AssignHandleCommand** (const QString &text, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, [ItemHandle](#) \*handle)
- **AssignHandleCommand** (const QString &text, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles)
- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

### Public Attributes

- QList< QGraphicsItem \* > **graphicsItems**
- QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > **oldHandles**
- QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > **newHandles**

#### 6.5.1 Detailed Description

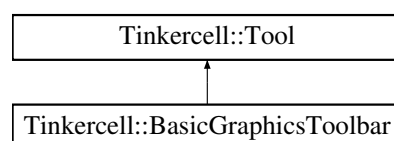
this command assigns handles to items

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.6 TinkerCell::BasicGraphicsToolbar Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::BasicGraphicsToolbar:



## Public Slots

- void **setBackgroundImage** ()
- void **unsetBackgroundImage** ()
- void **bringToFront** ()
- void **sendToBack** ()
- void **zoomIn** ()
- void **find** ()
- void **closeFind** ()
- void **rename** ()
- void **zoomOut** ()
- void **fitAll** ()
- void **changeBrush** ()
- void **changePen** ()
- void **selectBrushColor1** ()
- void **selectBrushAlpha1** ()
- void **selectBrushColor2** ()
- void **selectBrushAlpha2** ()
- void **selectPenWidth** ()
- void **noGradient** ()
- void **linearGradient** ()
- void **radialGradient** ()
- void **alignLeft** ()
- void **alignRight** ()
- void **alignTop** ()
- void **alignBottom** ()
- void **alignCompactVertical** ()
- void **alignCompactHorizontal** ()
- void **alignEvenSpacedVertical** ()
- void **alignEvenSpacedHorizontal** ()
- void **alignSelected** ()
- void **mousePressed** ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QPointF point, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)
- void **mouseDragged** ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QPointF from, QPointF to, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)
- void **mouseMoved** ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, QPointF point, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &)
- void **mouseReleased** ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QPointF point, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)
- void **keyPressed** ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QKeyEvent \*)
- void **escapeSlot** (const QWidget \*)

## Public Member Functions

- bool **setMainWindow** ([MainWindow](#) \*main)  
*set the main window for this tool*

## Protected Types

- enum **Mode** {  
    **none**, **gradient**, **brush**, **pen**,  
    **zoom**, **unzoom** }
- enum **AlignMode** {  
    **left**, **right**, **bottom**, **top**,  
    **centervertical**, **centerhorizontal**, **evenspacedvertical**, **evenspacedhorizontal**,  
    **compactvertical**, **compacthorizontal** }

## Protected Member Functions

- QList< QGraphicsItem \* > **itemsToAlign** (QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &)
- void **moveTextGraphicsItems** (QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< QPointF > &)
- void **moveChildItems** (QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< QPointF > &)
- void **init** ()

## Protected Attributes

- QList< QGraphicsItem \* > **targetItems**
- QGradient::Type **gradientType**
- QPointF **gradientPos1**
- QPointF **gradientPos2**
- QToolBar \* **findToolBar**
- QColor **brushColor1**
- QColor **brushColor2**
- QColor **penColor**
- qreal **penWidth**
- QAction \* **changeBrushColor1**
- QAction \* **changeBrushColor2**
- QAction \* **changePenWidth**
- QAction \* **changeBrushAlpha1**
- QAction \* **changeBrushAlpha2**
- QAction \* **findAction**
- QSpinBox \* **brushAlpha1**
- QSpinBox \* **brushAlpha2**
- QSpinBox \* **penAlpha**
- QLineEdit \* **findText**
- QLineEdit \* **replaceText**
- QMenu \* **gradientMenu**
- QIcon **linearGradientIcon**
- QIcon **radialGradientIcon**
- Mode **mode**
- QGraphicsRectItem **zoomRect**
- QAction \* **alignButton**
- AlignMode **alignMode**
- QToolBar \* **toolBar**

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- BasicGraphicsToolbar.h
- BasicGraphicsToolbar.cpp

## 6.7 Tinkercell::C\_API\_Slots Class Reference

A set of slots that are called by C libraries.

```
#include <C_API_Slots.h>
```

### Signals

- void **saveNetwork** (const QString &)

### Public Member Functions

- **C\_API\_Slots** (MainWindow \*)

#### 6.7.1 Detailed Description

A set of slots that are called by C libraries.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

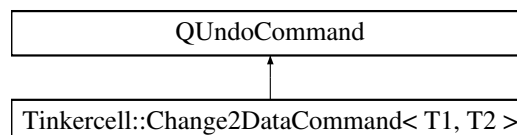
- C\_API\_Slots.h
- C\_API\_Slots.cpp

## 6.8 Tinkercell::Change2DataCommand< T1, T2 > Class Template Reference

Changes two different data tables.

```
#include <DataTable.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::Change2DataCommand< T1, T2 >:



### Public Member Functions

- **Change2DataCommand** (const QString &name, DataTable< T1 > \*oldDataTable1, const DataTable< T1 > \*newDataTable1, DataTable< T2 > \*oldDataTable2, const DataTable< T2 > \*newDataTable2)

*constructor*

- [Change2DataCommand](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [DataTable](#)< T1 > \* > &oldDataTable1, const QList< [DataTable](#)< T1 > \* > &newDataTable1, const QList< [DataTable](#)< T2 > \* > &oldDataTable2, const QList< [DataTable](#)< T2 > \* > &newDataTable2)

*constructor*

- void [redo](#) ()  
*redo the changes*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*undo the changes*

## Public Attributes

- QList< [DataTable](#)< T1 > \* > [targetDataTable1](#)  
*target tables of type T1*
- QList< [DataTable](#)< T1 > > [newDataTable1](#)  
*new tables of type T1*
- QList< [DataTable](#)< T1 > > [oldDataTable1](#)  
*old tables of type T1*
- QList< [DataTable](#)< T2 > \* > [targetDataTable2](#)  
*target tables of type T2*
- QList< [DataTable](#)< T2 > > [newDataTable2](#)  
*new tables of type T2*
- QList< [DataTable](#)< T2 > > [oldDataTable2](#)  
*old tables of type T2*

### 6.8.1 Detailed Description

template<typename T1, typename T2> class TinkerCell::Change2DataCommand< T1, T2 >

Changes two different data tables.

### 6.8.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

**6.8.2.1** template<typename T1, typename T2> TinkerCell::Change2DataCommand< T1, T2 >::Change2DataCommand ( const QString & *name*, [DataTable](#)< T1 > \* *oldDataTable1*, const [DataTable](#)< T1 > \* *newDataTable1*, [DataTable](#)< T2 > \* *oldDataTable2*, const [DataTable](#)< T2 > \* *newDataTable2* )

constructor

**Parameters**

*name* of the command  
*old* table of type T1  
*new* table of type T1  
*old* table of type T2  
*new* table of type T2

**6.8.2.2** `template<typename T1, typename T2> Tinkercell::Change2DataCommand< T1, T2 >::Change2DataCommand ( const QString & name, const QList< DataTable< T1 > * > & oldDataTable1, const QList< DataTable< T1 > * > & newDataTable1, const QList< DataTable< T2 > * > & oldDataTable2, const QList< DataTable< T2 > * > & newDataTable2 )`

constructor

**Parameters**

*name* of the command  
*old* tables of type T1  
*new* tables of type T1  
*old* tables of type T2  
*new* tables of type T2

The documentation for this class was generated from the following file:

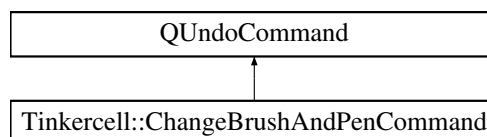
- DataTable.h

## 6.9 Tinkercell::ChangeBrushAndPenCommand Class Reference

this command changes the pen and/or brush of an item

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::ChangeBrushAndPenCommand:

**Public Member Functions**

- [ChangeBrushAndPenCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QBrush &brush, const QPen &pen)  
*constructor*



- [ChangeBrushAndPenCommand](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QBrush > &brushes, const QList< QPen > &pens)

*constructor*

- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

### 6.9.1 Detailed Description

this command changes the pen and/or brush of an item

### 6.9.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.9.2.1 TinkerCell::ChangeBrushAndPenCommand::ChangeBrushAndPenCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsItem \* item, const QBrush & brush, const QPen & pen )

constructor

##### Parameters

*QString* name of command  
*GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened  
*QGraphicsItem\** item that is affected  
*QBrush* new brushes (one for each item)  
*QPen* new pens (one for each item)

#### 6.9.2.2 TinkerCell::ChangeBrushAndPenCommand::ChangeBrushAndPenCommand ( const QString & name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, const QList< QBrush > & brushes, const QList< QPen > & pens )

constructor

##### Parameters

*QString* name of command  
*GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened  
*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items that are affected  
*QList<QBrush>&* new brushes (one for each item)  
*QList<QPen>&* new pens (one for each item)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

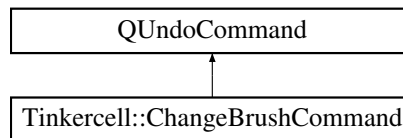
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.10 TinkerCell::ChangeBrushCommand Class Reference

this command changes the brush of an item

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ChangeBrushCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [ChangeBrushCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QBrush &to)  
*constructor*
- [ChangeBrushCommand](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QBrush > &to)  
*constructor*
- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

#### 6.10.1 Detailed Description

this command changes the brush of an item

#### 6.10.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

##### 6.10.2.1 TinkerCell::ChangeBrushCommand::ChangeBrushCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsItem \* item, const QBrush & to )

constructor

##### Parameters

*QString* name of command  
*GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened  
*QGraphicsItem\** item that is affected  
*QBrush* new brush

##### 6.10.2.2 TinkerCell::ChangeBrushCommand::ChangeBrushCommand ( const QString & name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, const QList< QBrush > & to )

constructor

**Parameters**

- QString* name of command
- GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened
- QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items that are affected
- QList<QBrush>&* new brushes (one for each item)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

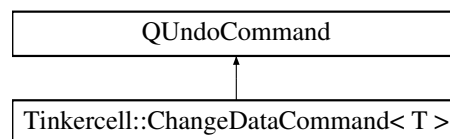
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.11 TinkerCell::ChangeDataCommand< T > Class Template Reference

This template class allows undo and redo of a change made to a data table.

```
#include <DataTable.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ChangeDataCommand< T >:

**Public Member Functions**

- [ChangeDataCommand](#) (const [QString](#) &name, [DataTable](#)< T > \*oldDataTable, const [DataTable](#)< T > \*newDataTable)  
*constructor*
- [ChangeDataCommand](#) (const [QString](#) &name, const [QList](#)< [DataTable](#)< T > \* > &oldDataTable, const [QList](#)< [DataTable](#)< T > \* > &newDataTable)  
*constructor*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*redo the changes*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*undo the changes*

**Public Attributes**

- [QList](#)< [DataTable](#)< T > \* > [targetDataTable](#)  
*pointers to target tables*

- `QList< DataTable< T > > newDataTable`  
*new tables*

- `QList< DataTable< T > > oldDataTable`  
*old tables*

### 6.11.1 Detailed Description

`template<typename T> class Tinkercell::ChangeDataCommand< T >`

This template class allows undo and redo of a change made to a data table.

### 6.11.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

**6.11.2.1** `template<typename T > Tinkercell::ChangeDataCommand< T >::ChangeDataCommand ( const QString & name, DataTable< T > * oldDataTable, const DataTable< T > * newDataTable )`

constructor

#### Parameters

*name* of the change  
*old* tables  
*new* tables

**6.11.2.2** `template<typename T > Tinkercell::ChangeDataCommand< T >::ChangeDataCommand ( const QString & name, const QList< DataTable< T > * > & oldDataTable, const QList< DataTable< T > * > & newDataTable )`

constructor

#### Parameters

*name* of the change  
*old* table  
*new* table

The documentation for this class was generated from the following file:

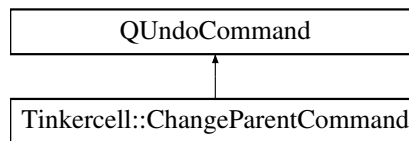
- `DataTable.h`

## 6.12 Tinkercell::ChangeParentCommand Class Reference

this command changes the parent of a graphics item (not handles)

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ChangeParentCommand:



## Public Member Functions

- [ChangeParentCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsScene \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, QGraphicsItem \*newParent)  
*constructor*
- [ChangeParentCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsScene \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &newParents)  
*constructor*
- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

### 6.12.1 Detailed Description

this command changes the parent of a graphics item (not handles)

### 6.12.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.12.2.1 TinkerCell::ChangeParentCommand::ChangeParentCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsScene \* scene, QGraphicsItem \* item, QGraphicsItem \* newParent )

constructor

##### Parameters

*QString* name of command  
*GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened  
*QGraphicsItem\** item that is affected  
*QGraphicsItem\** new parent item

#### 6.12.2.2 TinkerCell::ChangeParentCommand::ChangeParentCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsScene \* scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & newParents )

constructor

##### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened  
*QList<QGraphicsItem \**>& items that are affected  
*QList<QGraphicsItem \**>& new parent items

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

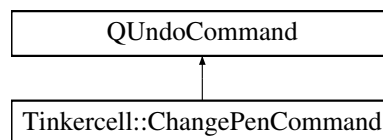
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.13 Tinkercell::ChangePenCommand Class Reference

this command changes the pen of an item

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::ChangePenCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [ChangePenCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QPen &to)  
*constructor*
- [ChangePenCommand](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QPen > &to)  
*constructor*
- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

#### 6.13.1 Detailed Description

this command changes the pen of an item

#### 6.13.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

##### 6.13.2.1 Tinkercell::ChangePenCommand::ChangePenCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsItem \* item, const QPen & to )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened

*QGraphicsItem\** item that is affected

*QBrush* new pen

### 6.13.2.2 TinkerCell::ChangePenCommand::ChangePenCommand ( const QString & name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, const QList< QPen > & to )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items that are affected

*QList<QPen>&* new pens (one for each item)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

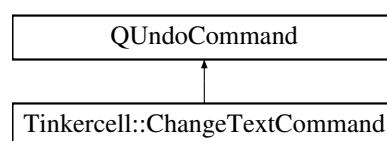
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.14 TinkerCell::ChangeTextCommand Class Reference

this command changes the name of the handle of an item

```
#include <TextGraphicsTool.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ChangeTextCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- **ChangeTextCommand** (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QString &newname)
- **ChangeTextCommand** (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QString > &newnames)
- **ChangeTextCommand** (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QString &newname, const QFont &newfont)
- **ChangeTextCommand** (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QString > &newnames, const QList< QFont > &newfonts)
- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

### 6.14.1 Detailed Description

this command changes the name of the handle of an item

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

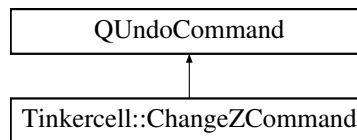
- TextGraphicsTool.h
- TextGraphicsTool.cpp

## 6.15 Tinkercell::ChangeZCommand Class Reference

this command changes the pen of an item

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::ChangeZCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [ChangeZCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsScene \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, qreal to)  
*constructor*
- [ChangeZCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsScene \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< qreal > &to)  
*constructor*
- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

### 6.15.1 Detailed Description

this command changes the pen of an item

### 6.15.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.15.2.1 Tinkercell::ChangeZCommand::ChangeZCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsScene \* scene, QGraphicsItem \* item, qreal to )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command



*GraphicsScene*\* scene where change happened

*QGraphicsItem*\* item that is affected

*double* new Z value

**6.15.2.2 Tinkercell::ChangeZCommand::ChangeZCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsScene \* scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, const QList< qreal > & to )**

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*GraphicsScene*\* scene where change happened

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* item that is affected

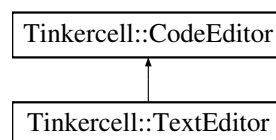
*QList<qreal>&* new Z (one for each item)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.16 Tinkercell::CodeEditor Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::CodeEditor:



#### Public Slots

- void **setText** (const QString &)

#### Public Member Functions

- **CodeEditor** (QWidget \*parent=0)
- void **lineNumberAreaPaintEvent** (QPaintEvent \*event)
- int **lineNumberAreaWidth** ()
- void **setCompleter** (QCompleter \*c)
- QCompleter \* **completer** () const
- void **zoomIn** (int r=1)
- void **zoomOut** (int r=1)
- QString **text** () const

## Public Attributes

- QWidget \* **lineNumberArea**
- QColor **lineHighlightColor**
- QColor **lineNumberBackground**
- QColor **lineNumberText**

## Protected Member Functions

- void **resizeEvent** (QResizeEvent \*event)
- virtual void **wheelEvent** (QWheelEvent \*wheelEvent)
- void **keyPressEvent** (QKeyEvent \*e)
- void **focusInEvent** (QFocusEvent \*e)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- CodeEditor.h
- CodeEditor.cpp

## 6.17 Tinkercell::CommandTextEdit Class Reference

A command-line type text box that other tools can use for scripting interface.

```
#include <ConsoleWindow.h>
```

### Public Slots

- virtual void **eval** (const QString &)  
*evaluate a command (just emits a commandExecuted signal)*
- virtual void **error** (const QString &)  
*post an error message to this console text box*
- virtual void **message** (const QString &)  
*post a message to this console text box*
- virtual void **clearText** ()  
*clear all text*
- virtual void **freeze** ()  
*equivalent to setFreeze(true)*
- virtual void **unfreeze** ()  
*equivalent to setFreeze(false)*
- virtual void **setFreeze** (bool **frozen**=true)  
*Set frozen state. The text box will not respond to user inputs while it is frozen.*
- virtual void **setBackgroundColors** (const QColor &)

*set background color*

- virtual void [setPlainTextColor](#) (const QColor &)  
*set plain text color*
- virtual void [setOutputTextColor](#) (const QColor &)  
*set output message color*
- virtual void [setErrorTextColor](#) (const QColor &)  
*set error message color*
- virtual void [setTableTextColor](#) (const QColor &)  
*set table headers color*

## Signals

- void [commandExecuted](#) (const QString &command)  
*the user requested to execute the given command*
- void [commandInterrupted](#) ()  
*the user requested to interrupt the current process*

## Public Member Functions

- [CommandTextEdit](#) (MainWindow \*parent=0)  
*default constructor*
- virtual bool [isFrozen](#) ()  
*Whether or not this console is in the frozen state. The text box will not add or remove text while it is frozen.*
- void [setCompleter](#) (QCompleter \*c)  
*set code completion*
- QCompleter \* [completer](#) () const  
*code completion*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [keyPressEvent](#) (QKeyEvent \*event)  
*manages the console-type interface, where the user is not allowed to type outside the >>*
- virtual void [wheelEvent](#) (QWheelEvent \*wheelEvent)  
*zoom in or out using mouse wheel*
- virtual void [focusInEvent](#) (QFocusEvent \*e)  
*focus returned from code completer*

## Protected Attributes

- QStringList [historyStack](#)  
*list of previously executed commands*
- QStringList [messagesStack](#)  
*list of messages pending*
- QStringList [errorsStack](#)  
*list of errors pending*
- int [currentHistoryIndex](#)  
*current position in the history of commands*
- int [currentPosition](#)  
*current position of the cursor in the text box*
- bool [frozen](#)  
*frozen state = 0 or 1*
- QTextCharFormat [errorFormat](#)  
*font format for error messages*
- QTextCharFormat [messageFormat](#)  
*font format for regular messages*
- QTextCharFormat [tableHeaderFormat](#)  
*font format for table headers*
- QTextCharFormat [normalFormat](#)  
*font format for user inputs*

### 6.17.1 Detailed Description

A command-line type text box that other tools can use for scripting interface.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

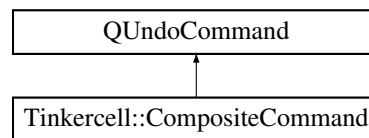
- ConsoleWindow.h
- ConsoleWindow.cpp

## 6.18 Tinkercell::CompositeCommand Class Reference

this command can be used to combine multiple commands into one command

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::CompositeCommand:



## Public Member Functions

- [CompositeCommand](#) (const QString &, const QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > &, const QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > &noClear=QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* >())

*Constructor: Composite command takes ownership of these commands unless specified otherwise.*

- [CompositeCommand](#) (const QString &, [QUndoCommand](#) \*, [QUndoCommand](#) \*, bool deleteCommands=true)

*constructor for grouping two commands. Composite command takes ownership of these commands unless specified otherwise.*

- [~CompositeCommand](#) ()

*destructor automatically deletes any command not in the doNotDelete list*

- void [redo](#) ()

*undo*

- void [undo](#) ()

*undo*

## Public Attributes

- QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > [commands](#)

*commands grouped inside this composite command*

- QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > [doNotDelete](#)

*commands that should not be deleted along with the composite command*

### 6.18.1 Detailed Description

this command can be used to combine multiple commands into one command

### 6.18.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

- #### 6.18.2.1 TinkerCell::CompositeCommand::CompositeCommand ( const QString & name, const QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > & list, const QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > & noClear = [QList](#)<[QUndoCommand](#)\*> () )

Constructor. Composite command takes ownership of these commands unless specified otherwise.

**Parameters**

*QString* name of command

*QList<QUndoCommand\*>&* the commands that make up this composite command

*QList<QUndoCommand\*>&* the commands that should not be deleted by composite command's destructor (default = none)

### 6.18.2.2 Tinkercell::CompositeCommand::CompositeCommand ( const QString & name, QUndoCommand \* cmd1, QUndoCommand \* cmd2, bool deleteCommands = true )

constructor for grouping two commands. Composite command takes ownership of these commands unless specified otherwise.

**Parameters**

*QString* name of command

*QUndoCommand\** a command to be grouped

*QUndoCommand\** another command to be grouped

*bool* delete both commands automatically (default = true)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

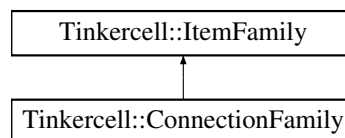
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.19 Tinkercell::ConnectionFactory Class Reference

This class defines the family of a connection. Inherits from [ItemFamily](#) It contains a list of ConnectionGraphicsItems that is the default for this family of connections.

```
#include <ItemFamily.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::ConnectionFactory:

**Public Member Functions**

- virtual [ItemFamily](#) \* [parent](#) () const  
*get the parent for this family. If there are more than one parents, returns the first*
- virtual QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > [parents](#) () const  
*get all the parents for this family.*
- virtual QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > [children](#) () const

*get all the families that make up this family.*

- virtual void [setParent](#) ([ConnectionFamily](#) \*)  
*set parent family*
- virtual [~ConnectionFamily](#) ()  
*destructor.*
- [ConnectionFamily](#) (const QString &name=QString())  
*constructor.*
- virtual bool [isA](#) (const QString &) const  
*indicates whether or not the given string is the name of this family or any of its parent families*
- virtual bool [isA](#) (const [ItemFamily](#) \*) const  
*indicates whether or not the given family is the name of this family or any of its parent families*
- virtual bool [addParticipant](#) (const QString &role, const QString &family)  
*add a participant*
- virtual QString [participantFamily](#) (const QString &role) const  
*get participant family*
- virtual QStringList [participantRoles](#) () const  
*get all participant roles*
- virtual QStringList [participantTypes](#) () const  
*get all participant family names*
- virtual bool [isValidSet](#) (const QList< [NodeHandle](#) \* > &nodes, bool checkFull=true)  
*checks if this family is compatible with a connection composed of the given set of nodes*
- virtual QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > [findValidChildFamilies](#) (const QList< [NodeHandle](#) \* > &, bool checkFull=true)  
*find child-families of this family that the given set of nodes can potentially belong with*
- virtual int [numberOfIdenticalNodesFamilies](#) ([ConnectionFamily](#) \*) const  
*finds the number of node families that are common between the two connections (exactly the same, not using isA)*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [ConnectionFamily](#) \* [cast](#) ([ItemFamily](#) \*)  
*cast to connection family*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual bool [isA](#) (int) const  
*indicates whether or not the given ID is this family or any of its parent families*

## Protected Attributes

- `QList< ConnectionFactory * >` `parentFamilies`  
*all the parents*
- `QList< ConnectionFactory * >` `childFamilies`  
*all the families that are under this family*
- `QList< QPair< int, int > >` `nodeRoles`  
*the role ID and type ID of each node that is involved in this connection*

## Static Protected Attributes

- static `QHash< QString, int >` `ROLEID`  
*stored a list of all possible node roles as IDs*
- static `QStringList` `ALLROLENAMES`  
*all role names. used to assign role IDs*

### 6.19.1 Detailed Description

This class defines the family of a connection. Inherits from [ItemFamily](#) It contains a list of `ConnectionGraphicsItems` that is the default for this family of connections.

### 6.19.2 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.19.2.1 `bool TinkerCell::ConnectionFactory::addParticipant ( const QString & role, const QString & family ) [virtual]`

add a participant

in a connection and related functions

#### Parameters

*QString* role of participant

*QString* type of participant, must be a family name of a node

#### Returns

`bool` false if the participant family does not exist (i.e role not added)

#### 6.19.2.2 `QList< ItemFamily * > TinkerCell::ConnectionFactory::findValidChildFamilies ( const QList< NodeHandle * > & nodes, bool checkFull = true ) [virtual]`

find child-families of this family that the given set of nodes can potentially belong with



**Parameters**

*bool* QList<NodeHandle\*> node handles  
*bool* use false here if the list of nodes is a partial list

**Returns**

QList<ItemFamily\*> valid connection families

**6.19.2.3 bool TinkerCell::ConnectionFamily::isA ( int id ) const [protected, virtual]**

indicates whether or not the given ID is this family or any of its parent families

indicates whether or not the given string is the name of this family or any of its parent families

Reimplemented from [TinkerCell::ItemFamily](#).

**6.19.2.4 bool TinkerCell::ConnectionFamily::isValidSet ( const QList< NodeHandle \* > & nodes, bool checkFull = true ) [virtual]**

checks if this family is compatible with a connection composed of the given set of nodes

**Parameters**

*bool* QList<NodeHandle\*> node handles  
*bool* use false here if the list of nodes is a partial list

**Returns**

Boolean

**6.19.2.5 int TinkerCell::ConnectionFamily::numberOfIdenticalNodesFamilies ( ConnectionFamily \* other ) const [virtual]**

finds the number of node families that are common between the two connections (exactly the same, not using isA)

**Parameters**

[ConnectionFamily](#) \*

**Returns**

bool

**6.19.2.6 QString TinkerCell::ConnectionFamily::participantFamily ( const QString & role ) const [virtual]**

get participant family

**Parameters**

*QString* role of participant

**Returns**

QString family name (empty if none)

**6.19.2.7 QStringList TinkerCell::ConnectionFamily::participantRoles ( ) const [virtual]**

get all participant roles

**Returns**

QStringList role names (may not be unique)

**6.19.2.8 QStringList TinkerCell::ConnectionFamily::participantTypes ( ) const [virtual]**

get all participant family names

**Returns**

QStringList family names (may not be unique)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- ItemFamily.h
- ItemFamily.cpp

**6.20 TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem Class Reference**

A graphics nodes item that draws connection between two or more nodes and the arrow heads at the ends.

```
#include <ConnectionGraphicsItem.h>
```

**Classes**

- class [ControlPoint](#)  
*A control point with a pointer to a [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#).*
- class [CurveSegment](#)  
*A set of control points and two arrow heads.*

**Public Types**

- enum [LineType](#) { **line**, **bezier** }  
*line or bezier*
- enum { **Type** = UserType + 5 }  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

## Public Member Functions

- [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) (QGraphicsItem \*parent=0)
- [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) (const QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, const QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, QGraphicsItem \*parent=0)
- [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) (const [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) &copy)
- virtual [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) & operator= (const [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) &copy)
- virtual [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) & copyPoints (const [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) &copy)
- virtual [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* clone () const  
*make a copy of this connection item*
- virtual bool [isValid](#) ()  
*returns the bounding rectangle for this reaction figure*
- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [handle](#) () const  
*get the handle of this connection*
- virtual void [setHandle](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*)  
*set the handle of this connection*
- virtual QList< [ControlPoint](#) \* > [controlPoints](#) (bool includeEnds=false) const  
*list of pointers to all the control points*
- virtual QList< QGraphicsItem \* > [controlPointsAsGraphicsItems](#) (bool includeEnds=false) const  
*list of pointers to all the control points*
- virtual QPainterPath [shape](#) () const  
*gets a path that represents this reaction*
- virtual void [setPath](#) (const QPainterPath &path)  
*set the path for this connection*
- virtual void [clear](#) (bool all=false)  
*Clear all shapes and control points.*
- virtual void [refresh](#) (bool arrows=true)  
*refresh the path if any controlpoints have moved*
- virtual void [setPen](#) (QPen pen, bool permanently=false)  
*set the color and line width for drawing this connection*
- virtual QPen [pen](#) () const  
*get the pen currently being used to draw this connection*
- virtual void [setControlPointsVisible](#) (bool visible=true)  
*set visibility of control points*
- void [showControlPoints](#) ()  
*show control points. same as setControlPointsVisible(true)*

- void [hideControlPoints](#) ()  
*hide control points. same as setControlPointsVisible(false)*
- virtual bool [isModifier](#) () const  
*check is this connection represents a modifier, i.e. points to the centerRegion of another connection*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodes](#) () const  
*get all nodes that are connected*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesWithArrows](#) () const  
*get all nodes that have an arrow pointing to them*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesWithoutArrows](#) () const  
*get all nodes that do NOT have an arrow pointing to them*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesDisconnected](#) () const  
*get all nodes that are not directle connected to the main connection, such as modifier nodes*
- virtual QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesAsGraphicsItems](#) () const  
*get all nodes that are connected*
- virtual QList< [ArrowHeadItem](#) \* > [arrowHeads](#) () const  
*get all the arrowHeads associated with the nodes. The order is the same order as [nodes\(\)](#), so values can be 0*
- virtual QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > [arrowHeadsAsGraphicsItems](#) () const  
*get all the arrowHeads associated with the nodes The order is the same order as [nodes\(\)](#), so values can be 0*
- virtual QList< [ArrowHeadItem](#) \* > [modifierArrowHeads](#) () const  
*get all the arrowHeads NOT associated with the nodes*
- virtual [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* [nodeAt](#) (int index) const  
*get the node that connected to the particular path*
- virtual int [indexOf](#) ([QGraphicsItem](#) \*node) const  
*get the index of the node*
- virtual void [replaceNodeAt](#) (int, [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*)  
*replace the node at the particular position with a new node*
- virtual void [replaceNode](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*, [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*)  
*replace one node in the reaction with another*
- virtual [ArrowHeadItem](#) \* [arrowAt](#) (int index) const  
*get the arrow head at the particular index*
- virtual [ArrowHeadItem](#) \* [modifierArrowAt](#) (int index) const  
*get the modifier arrow head at the particular index*
- virtual [~ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) ()

- virtual qreal [slopeAtPoint](#) (const QPointF &point)  
*get slope at the given point (or closest point)*
- virtual [ControlPoint](#) \* [centerPoint](#) () const  
*the center point (if one exists)*
- virtual QPointF [centerLocation](#) () const  
*the center point (if one exists)*
- virtual QRectF [boundingRect](#) () const  
*bounding rect*
- virtual QRectF [sceneBoundingRect](#) () const  
*scene bounding rect*
- virtual int [type](#) () const  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* [cast](#) (QGraphicsItem \*)  
*cast a graphics item to a connection graphics item using qgraphicsitem\_cast*
- static QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* > [cast](#) (const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &)  
*cast a list of graphics item to a list of connection graphics items using qgraphicsitem\_cast*
- static [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* [topLevelConnectionItem](#) (QGraphicsItem \*item, bool includeControlPoints=false)  
*gets the connection graphics item from its child item*

## Public Attributes

- QString [name](#)  
*just a name used identifying the connection*
- QString [className](#)  
*used for checking type before static casts*
- QPen [defaultPen](#)  
*permanent pen for this control point*
- QString [groupID](#)  
*for identifying which scene this item belongs in*
- [LineType](#) [lineType](#)  
*type of line for this reaction - line or bezier*

- `QList< CurveSegment > curveSegments`  
*vector of vector of control point*
- `qreal arrowHeadDistance`  
*distance from arrow head to the item that it is connected to*
- `bool controlPointsVisible`  
*indicates whether to show lines around the curves*
- `QSizeF centerRegion`  
*a rectangle that sits at the center of the connector*
- `ArrowHeadItem * centerRegionItem`  
*the image on the rectangle that sits at the center of the connector*

### Static Public Attributes

- `static const QString CLASSNAME = QString("ConnectionGraphicsItem")`  
*used for checking type before static casts*
- `static QString DefaultMiddleItemFile`  
*used to initialize the middle item for a connection*
- `static QString DefaultArrowHeadFile`  
*used to initialize the arrow heads for a connection*
- `static const int numLineTypes = 2`  
*number of different type of shapes available*

### Protected Member Functions

- `virtual void refreshBoundaryPath ()`  
*update the boundary path*
- `virtual void adjustEndPoints (bool arrows=true)`  
*adjust the end control points so that they point straight*

### Protected Attributes

- `ItemHandle * itemHandle`  
*Tinkercell object that this drawable belongs in.*
- `QGraphicsPathItem * boundaryPathItem`  
*path for drawing the boundary region*
- `QGraphicsPathItem * outerPathItem`

*path of the outline (usually white)*

- QGraphicsPathItem \* [mainPathItem](#)

*path of the main curve*

- QPainterPath [pathShape](#)

*path of the selection region of the entire connection*

- QRectF [pathBoundingRect](#)

*the boundary rectangle for this path. It is recomputed during each refresh.*

### 6.20.1 Detailed Description

A graphics nodes item that draws connection between two or more nodes and the arrow heads at the ends.

### 6.20.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.20.2.1 TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ConnectionGraphicsItem ( QGraphicsItem \* *parent* = 0 )

Constructor: does nothing

Constructor: initialize everything

#### 6.20.2.2 TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ConnectionGraphicsItem ( const QList< NodeGraphicsItem \* > & *from*, const QList< NodeGraphicsItem \* > & *to*, QGraphicsItem \* *parent* = 0 )

Constructor: constructs linear curve segments with arrow heads on the second set of nodes

#### Parameters

*QList<NodeGraphicsItem\*>* list of nodes to connect from (no arrow heads)

*QList<NodeGraphicsItem\*>* list of nodes to connect to (have arrow heads)

#### 6.20.2.3 TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ConnectionGraphicsItem ( const ConnectionGraphicsItem & *copy* )

Copy Constructor: copies handle but not control points

Copy Constructor: deep copy of all pointers

#### 6.20.2.4 TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::~~ConnectionGraphicsItem ( ) [virtual]

Destructor: deletes all control points

Destructor: deletes all shapes and control points

### 6.20.3 Member Function Documentation

**6.20.3.1** `void TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::adjustEndPoints ( bool arrowTransform = true ) [protected, virtual]`

adjust the end control points so that they point straight

#### Parameters

*bool* adjust arrow transformations

*void*

#### Returns

void

**6.20.3.2** `ArrowHeadItem * TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::arrowAt ( int index ) const [virtual]`

get the arrow head at the particular index

find the arrow head at the particular index

#### Parameters

*index* less than size of curveSegments

#### Returns

node item or 0

**6.20.3.3** `QList< ArrowHeadItem * > TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::arrowHeads ( ) const [virtual]`

get all the arrowHeads associated with the nodes. The order is the same order as [nodes\(\)](#), so values can be 0

get all the arrow heads in the same order as nodes

#### Returns

node item list

**6.20.3.4** `QList< QGraphicsItem * > TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::arrowHeadsAsGraphicsItems ( ) const [virtual]`

get all the arrowHeads associated with the nodes The order is the same order as [nodes\(\)](#), so values can be 0

get all the arrow heads in the same order as nodes

#### Returns

arrow item list

node item list



### 6.20.3.5 QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem \* > TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::cast ( const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & list ) [static]

cast a list of graphics item to a list of connection graphics items using qgraphicsitem\_cast

#### Parameters

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>* graphics items

#### Returns

QList<ConnectionGraphicsItem\*> can be empty if no cast is invalid

### 6.20.3.6 ConnectionGraphicsItem \* TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::cast ( QGraphicsItem \* q ) [static]

cast a graphics item to a connection graphics item using qgraphicsitem\_cast

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem\** graphics item

#### Returns

ConnectionGraphicsItem\* can be 0 if the cast is invalid

### 6.20.3.7 QPointF TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::centerLocation ( ) const [virtual]

the center point (if one exists)

the center location

### 6.20.3.8 void TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::clear ( bool all = false ) [virtual]

Clear all shapes and control points.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

*void*

### 6.20.3.9 ConnectionGraphicsItem \* TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::clone ( ) const [virtual]

make a copy of this connection item

make a copy of this item

**6.20.3.10 ConnectionGraphicsItem & Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::copyPoints ( const ConnectionGraphicsItem & *copy* ) [virtual]**

operator =: copy just the control point positions and pen

**6.20.3.11 void Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::hideControlPoints ( )**

hide control points. same as setControlPointsVisible(false)

**Returns**

void

**6.20.3.12 int Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::indexOf ( QGraphicsItem \* *target* ) const [virtual]**

get the index of the node

find the index of the node

**Parameters**

*node* in this connection

**Returns**

index, -1 if node not found

**6.20.3.13 bool Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::isModifier ( ) const [virtual]**

check is this connection represents a modifier, i.e. points to the centerRegion of another connection

**Returns**

boolean

**6.20.3.14 bool Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::isValid ( ) [virtual]**

returns the bounding rectangle for this reaction figure

checks that this is a valid drawable

paint method. Call's parent's after drawing boundary true

checks that this is a valid drawable

**6.20.3.15 ArrowHeadItem \* Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::modifierArrowAt ( int *index* ) const [virtual]**

get the modifier arrow head at the particular index

find the modifier arrow head at the particular index

**Parameters**

*index* less than size of curveSegments

**Returns**

node item or 0

**6.20.3.16** `QList< ArrowHeadItem * > TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::modifierArrowHeads ( ) const`  
**[virtual]**

get all the arrowHeads NOT associated with the nodes

find all the modifier arrow heads in the same order as nodes

**Returns**

graphics item list

node item list

**6.20.3.17** `NodeGraphicsItem * TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::nodeAt ( int index ) const`  
**[virtual]**

get the node that connected to the particular path

find the node that connected to the particular path

**Parameters**

*index* less than size of curveSegments

**Returns**

node item or 0

**6.20.3.18** `QList< NodeGraphicsItem * > TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::nodes ( ) const`  
**[virtual]**

get all nodes that are connected

find all the nodes that are connected

**Returns**

node item list

node item list or 0

**6.20.3.19** `QList< QGraphicsItem * > TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::nodesAsGraphicsItems ( ) const`  
**[virtual]**

get all nodes that are connected

find all the nodes that are connected

**Returns**

graphics item list  
node item list or 0

**6.20.3.20** `QList< NodeGraphicsItem * > Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::nodesDisconnected ( ) const`  
[virtual]

get all nodes that are not directly connected to the main connection, such as modifier nodes

find all the nodes that are connected

**Returns**

node item list  
node item list or 0

**6.20.3.21** `QList< NodeGraphicsItem * > Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::nodesWithArrows ( ) const`  
[virtual]

get all nodes that have an arrow pointing to them

find all the nodes that are connected

**Returns**

node item list  
node item list or 0

**6.20.3.22** `QList< NodeGraphicsItem * > Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::nodesWithoutArrows ( ) const`  
[virtual]

get all nodes that do NOT have an arrow pointing to them

find all the nodes that are connected

**Returns**

node item list  
node item list or 0

**6.20.3.23** `ConnectionGraphicsItem & Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::operator= ( const ConnectionGraphicsItem & copy ) [virtual]`

operator =: remove everything from original connection and copy everything from the given connection

operator =: copy just the control point positions and pen

**6.20.3.24 QPen TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::pen ( ) const [virtual]**

get the pen currently being used to draw this connection

**Returns**

QPen pen

**6.20.3.25 void TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::refresh ( bool *arrowTransform* = *true* ) [virtual]**

refresh the path if any controlpoints have moved

**Parameters**

*bool* tranform arrow heads

**Returns**

void

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

void

**6.20.3.26 void TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::replaceNode ( NodeGraphicsItem \* *oldNode*, NodeGraphicsItem \* *newNode* ) [virtual]**

replace one node in the reaction with another

**Parameters**

*target* node to replace

*new* node

**Returns**

void

**6.20.3.27 void TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::replaceNodeAt ( int *index*, NodeGraphicsItem \* *nodeItem* ) [virtual]**

replace the node at the particular position with a new node

**Parameters**

*index* where to insert the new node

*new* node

**Returns**

void

**6.20.3.28** `void Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::setControlPointsVisible ( bool visible = true ) [virtual]`

set visibility of control points

#### Parameters

*visible* = true, invisible = false

#### Returns

void

**6.20.3.29** `void Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::setPath ( const QPainterPath & path ) [virtual]`

set the path for this connection

#### Parameters

*QPainterPath* *path*

#### Returns

void

**6.20.3.30** `void Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::setPen ( QPen pen, bool permanently = false ) [virtual]`

set the color and line width for drawing this connection

#### Parameters

*QPen* *pen*

*bool* also set the default pen?

#### Returns

void

**6.20.3.31** `QPainterPath Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::shape ( ) const [virtual]`

gets a path that represents this reaction

gets a path that is constructed by uniting all the shape paths

**6.20.3.32** `void Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::showControlPoints ( )`

show control points. same as setControlPointsVisible(true)

#### Returns

void

### 6.20.3.33 qreal Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::slopeAtPoint ( const QPointF & *point* ) [virtual]

get slope at the given point (or closest point)

find slope at the given point (or closest point)

### 6.20.3.34 ConnectionGraphicsItem \* Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::topLevelConnectionItem ( QGraphicsItem \* *item*, bool *includeControlPoints* = *false* ) [static]

gets the connection graphics item from its child item

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem\** the target item

*bool* using true here will return the connection item for a control point, otherwise control points are ignored

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- ConnectionGraphicsItem.h
- ConnectionGraphicsItem.cpp

## 6.21 Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsReader Class Reference

An xml reader that reads a [NodeGraphicsItem](#) file.

```
#include <ConnectionGraphicsReader.h>
```

### Public Member Functions

- QDomStreamReader::TokenType [readNext](#) ()  
*Reads up to the next start node.*

### Static Public Member Functions

- static [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* [readConnectionGraphics](#) (const QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > &nodes, const QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* > &connections, [NodeGraphicsReader](#) \*reader)  
*Reads a [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) from XML, given all the nodes for the connection are already in the scene.*
- static QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \* > [readControlPoints](#) ([QDomStreamReader](#) \*)  
*Reads all control points from an XML file.*
- static [ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment](#) [readCurveSegment](#) (QHash< QString, [ItemHandle](#) \* > &nodes, QHash< QString, [ItemHandle](#) \* > &connections, QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \* > &controlPoints, [NodeGraphicsReader](#) \*, const QString &groupID=QString())

*Reads a shape into an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) from an XML file.*

- static [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \* [readControlPoint](#) (QXmlStreamReader \*)  
*Reads a control point from an XML file.*
- static [ArrowHeadItem](#) \* [readArrow](#) ([NodeGraphicsReader](#) &reader, QString name)  
*Reads an arrow item from xml file. The procedure is very similar to reading a node.*
- static void [readCenterRegion](#) ([ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*connection, [NodeGraphicsReader](#) \*reader)  
*Reads the center region of a connection from xml file.*

## 6.21.1 Detailed Description

An xml reader that reads a [NodeGraphicsItem](#) file.

## 6.21.2 Member Function Documentation

### 6.21.2.1 [ArrowHeadItem](#) \* [TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsReader::readArrow](#) ([NodeGraphicsReader](#) & reader, QString name ) [static]

Reads an arrow item from xml file. The procedure is very similar to reading a node.

#### Parameters

*node* reader  
*name* of the entry, i.e. ArrowAtStart or ArrowAtEnd

#### Returns

arrow item

### 6.21.2.2 void [TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsReader::readCenterRegion](#) ([ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* connection, [NodeGraphicsReader](#) \* reader ) [static]

Reads the center region of a connection from xml file.

#### Parameters

*target* connection  
*name* of the entry

#### Returns

arrow item



**6.21.2.3** `ConnectionGraphicsItem * TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsReader::readConnectionGraphics ( const QList< NodeGraphicsItem * > & nodes, const QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem * > & connections, NodeGraphicsReader * reader ) [static]`

Reads a [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) from XML, given all the nodes for the connection are already in the scene.

#### Parameters

*list* of nodes

*list* of other connections

*xml* reader in use

#### Returns

list of control points

#### Parameters

*list* of nodes

*xml* reader in use

#### Returns

list of control points

**6.21.2.4** `ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint * TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsReader::readControlPoint ( QDomStreamReader * reader ) [static]`

Reads a control point from an XML file.

#### Parameters

*XML* reader in use

#### Returns

control point

#### Parameters

*XML* reader in use

#### Returns

void

**6.21.2.5** `QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint * > TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsReader::readControlPoints ( QDomStreamReader * reader ) [static]`

Reads all control points from an XML file.

**Parameters**

*xml* reader in use

**Returns**

list of control points

**6.21.2.6 ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment Tinker-  
cell::ConnectionGraphicsReader::readCurveSegment ( QHash<  
QString, ItemHandle \* > & nodes, QHash< QString, ItemHandle \* > &  
connections, QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint \* > & controlPoints,  
NodeGraphicsReader \* reader, const QString & groupId = QString() ) [static]**

Reads a shape into an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) from an XML file.

**Parameters**

*hash* table of fullname -> node handle

*list* of control points to use

*the* xml reader in use

**Returns**

path vector with all the control points and nodes and arrows

**6.21.2.7 QXmlStreamReader::TokenType Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsReader::readNext ( )**

Reads up to the next start node.

**Returns**

Token Typer

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- ConnectionGraphicsReader.h
- ConnectionGraphicsReader.cpp

## 6.22 Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsWriter Class Reference

This class is an xml writer that specifically writes a [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#).

```
#include <ConnectionGraphicsWriter.h>
```

**Public Member Functions**

- [ConnectionGraphicsWriter \(\)](#)  
*default constructor*

- bool [writeXml](#) ([ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*connection, const QString &fileName)  
*Writes an Connection item XML file with the document headers.*
- bool [writeXml](#) ([ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*connection, QIODevice \*device)  
*Writes an Connection item XML file with the document headers.*
- bool [writeConnectionGraphics](#) ([ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*connection, QIODevice \*device)  
*Writes an Connection as an XML file using the IO device provided.*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static bool [writeConnectionGraphics](#) ([ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*connection, QDomStreamWriter \*)  
*Writes an NodeImage as an XML file using the xml writer provided.*

### 6.22.1 Detailed Description

This class is an xml writer that specifically writes a [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#).

### 6.22.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.22.2.1 TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsWriter::ConnectionGraphicsWriter ( )

default constructor

constructor. Sets autoformatting to true

### 6.22.3 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.22.3.1 bool TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsWriter::writeConnectionGraphics ( [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* *connection*, QIODevice \* *device* )

Writes an Connection as an XML file using the IO device provided.

Writes an NodeImage as an XML file using the xml writer provided.

#### Parameters

*connection* item pointer to write as XML

*QIODevice* to use

#### Returns

void

#### Parameters

*connection* item pointer to write as XML

*xml* writer in use

**Returns**

void

**6.22.3.2** `bool Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsWriter::writeConnectionGraphics ( ConnectionGraphicsItem * connection, QDomStreamWriter * writer ) [static]`

Writes an NodeImage as an XML file using the xml writer provided.

**Parameters**

*connection* item pointer to write as XML

*xml* writer in use

**Returns**

void

**6.22.3.3** `bool Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsWriter::writeXml ( ConnectionGraphicsItem * connection, const QString & fileName )`

Writes an Connection item XML file with the document headers.

Writes an [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) XML file with the document headers.

**Parameters**

*connection* item pointer to write as XML

*QIODevice* to use

**Returns**

void

**Parameters**

[ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) pointer to write as XML

*QIODevice* to use

**Returns**

void

**6.22.3.4** `bool Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsWriter::writeXml ( ConnectionGraphicsItem * connection, QIODevice * device )`

Writes an Connection item XML file with the document headers.

Writes an [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) XML file with the document headers.

**Parameters**

*connection* item pointer to write as XML

*QIODevice* to use

### Returns

void

### Parameters

*ConnectionGraphicsItem* pointer to write as XML

*QIODevice* to use

### Returns

void

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

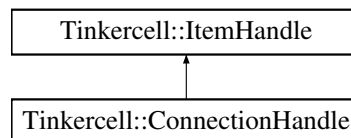
- ConnectionGraphicsWriter.h
- ConnectionGraphicsWriter.cpp

## 6.23 Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle Class Reference

The handles are used to bring together data and graphics items. Connection Handle contains pointers to all the graphics items that belong to it, the tools that apply to this item, the data for this item, the family that it belongs with, and pointers to nodes connected (in and out).

```
#include <ItemHandle.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle:



### Public Member Functions

- virtual QList< [NodeHandle](#) \* > [nodes](#) (int role=0) const  
*returns all the nodes connected to all the connectors in this handle*
- virtual void [addNode](#) ([NodeHandle](#) \*, int role=0)  
*add a node to this connection (only applies to connections with NO graphics items)*
- virtual void [clearNodes](#) ()  
*clear all nodes in connection (only applies to connections with NO graphics items)*
- virtual QList< [NodeHandle](#) \* > [nodesIn](#) () const  
*returns all the nodes that are on the "input" side of this connection. If this connection is represented by graphics items, then this is determined by looking at which nodes have an arrow-head associated with them in graphics items. If there are no graphics items, then this function uses the `_nodes` list to find the "in" nodes (role = -1).*

- virtual `QList< NodeHandle * > nodesOut ()` const  
*If this connection is represented by graphics items, then this is determined by looking at which nodes have NO arrow-head associated with them in graphics items. If there are no graphics items, then this function uses the `_nodes` list to find the "out" nodes (role = +1).*
- `ConnectionHandle` (`const QString &name=QString()`, `ConnectionFamily *family=0`)  
*default constructor -- initializes everything*
- `ConnectionHandle` (`ConnectionFamily *family`, `const QString &name=QString()`)  
*one parameter constructor -- initializes everything*
- `ConnectionHandle` (`const ConnectionHandle &`)  
*copy constructor -- deep copy of data, but shallow copy of graphics items*
- virtual `ConnectionHandle & operator= (const ConnectionHandle &)`  
*operator =*
- `ConnectionHandle` (`ConnectionFamily *family`, `ConnectionGraphicsItem *item`)  
*two parameter constructor*
- virtual void `setFamily (ItemFamily *family, bool useCommand=true)`  
*set the family for this handle*
- virtual `ItemHandle * clone ()` const  
*clone of this handle*
- virtual `ItemFamily * family ()` const  
*family for this handle*
- virtual `QList< ItemFamily * > findValidChildFamilies ()` const  
*find child-families of the current family that this connection can potentially belong with*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static `ConnectionHandle * cast (ItemHandle *)`  
*checks if the item handle is a connection handle and casts it as a connection item. Returns 0 if it is not a node item*
- static `QList< ConnectionHandle * > cast (const QList< ItemHandle * > &)`  
*checks if the item handles are connection handles and casts them as connection items. Returns `QList<ConnectionHandle*>`*

## Public Attributes

- `ConnectionFamily * connectionFamily`  
*the family for this connection handle*

- `QList< QPair< NodeHandle *, int > > nodesWithRoles`

*the nodes that are connected by this connection and the role of each node. this list is ONLY used for connections with NO graphics items -1 and 1 are reserved roles, indicating in and out nodes*

## Static Public Attributes

- static const int [TYPE](#) = 2

*this number is used to identify when an item handle is a connection handle*

## 6.23.1 Detailed Description

The handles are used to bring together data and graphics items. Connection Handle contains pointers to all the graphics items that belong to it, the tools that apply to this item, the data for this item, the family that it belongs with, and pointers to nodes connected (in and out).

## 6.23.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.23.2.1 TinkerCell::ConnectionHandle::ConnectionHandle ( [ConnectionFamily](#) \* *family*, const [QString](#) & *name* = [QString\(\)](#) )

one parameter constructor -- initializes everything

#### Parameters

[ConnectionFamily](#)\* connection family

[QString](#) name

### 6.23.2.2 TinkerCell::ConnectionHandle::ConnectionHandle ( [ConnectionFamily](#) \* *family*, [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* *item* )

two parameter constructor

#### Parameters

[ConnectionFamily](#)\* initial family

[ConnectionGraphicsItem](#)\* connection graphics item

## 6.23.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.23.3.1 void TinkerCell::ConnectionHandle::addNode ( [NodeHandle](#) \* *h*, int *role* = 0 ) [virtual]

add a node to this connection (only applies to connections with NO graphics items)

#### Parameters

[NodeHandle](#)\* node

*int* role of this node. -1 is for "in" nodes. +1 is for "out" nodes. Use any other values for specific purposes

### 6.23.3.2 **ConnectionHandle \* Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle::cast ( ItemHandle \* *item* ) [static]**

checks if the item handle is a connection handle and casts it as a connection item. Returns 0 if it is not a node item

#### Parameters

*ItemHandle\** *item*

### 6.23.3.3 **QList< ConnectionHandle \* > Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle::cast ( const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *items* ) [static]**

checks if the item handles are connection handles and casts then as connection items. Returns QList<ConnectionHandle\*>

#### Parameters

*Returns* QList<ItemHandle\*> items

### 6.23.3.4 **ItemHandle \* Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle::clone ( ) const [virtual]**

clone of this handle

#### Returns

ItemFamily\* connection handle as item handle

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::ItemHandle](#).

### 6.23.3.5 **ItemFamily \* Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle::family ( ) const [virtual]**

family for this handle

#### Returns

ItemFamily\* connection family as item family

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::ItemHandle](#).

### 6.23.3.6 **QList< ItemFamily \* > Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle::findValidChildFamilies ( ) const [virtual]**

find child-families of the current family that this connection can potentially belong with

#### Returns

QList<ItemFamily\*> valid connection families



**6.23.3.7** `QList< NodeHandle * > Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle::nodes ( int role = 0 ) const`  
`[virtual]`

returns all the nodes connected to all the connectors in this handle

**Returns**

QList<NodeHandle\*> list of node handles

**6.23.3.8** `QList< NodeHandle * > Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle::nodesIn ( ) const`  
`[virtual]`

returns all the nodes that are on the "input" side of this connection. If this connection is represented by graphics items, then this is determined by looking at which nodes have an arrow-head associated with them in graphics items. If there are no graphics items, then this function uses the `_nodes` list to find the "in" nodes (`role = -1`).

**Returns**

QList<NodeHandle\*> list of node handles

**6.23.3.9** `QList< NodeHandle * > Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle::nodesOut ( ) const`  
`[virtual]`

If this connection is represented by graphics items, then this is determined by looking at which nodes have NO arrow-head associated with them in graphics items. If there are no graphics items, then this function uses the `_nodes` list to find the "out" nodes (`role = +1`).

**Returns**

QList<NodeHandle\*> list of node handles

**6.23.3.10** `void Tinkercell::ConnectionHandle::setFamily ( ItemFamily * family, bool useCommand = true )`  
`[virtual]`

set the family for this handle

**Parameters**

*ConnectionFamily\** connection family

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::ItemHandle](#).

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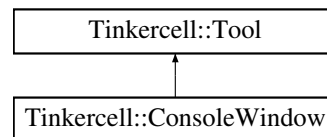
- ItemHandle.h
- ItemHandle.cpp

## 6.24 TinkerCell::ConsoleWindow Class Reference

Used to create an output window that can display outputs.

```
#include <ConsoleWindow.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ConsoleWindow:



### Public Slots

- virtual void `eval` (const QString &)  
*send a command to the console window to be evaluated*
- virtual void `message` (const QString &)  
*print a message in the output window*
- virtual void `error` (const QString &)  
*print an error message in the output window*
- virtual void `printTable` (const DataTable< qreal > &dataTable)  
*print a data table (tab-delimited) in the output window*
- virtual void `clear` ()  
*clear the output window*
- virtual void `freeze` ()  
*freeze the output window. Frozen window will not be responsive to commands*
- virtual void `unfreeze` ()  
*unfreeze the output window. Frozen window will not be responsive to commands*

### Signals

- void `commandExecuted` (const QString &command)  
*the user requested to execute the given command*
- void `commandInterrupted` ()  
*the user requested to interrupt the current process*

## Public Member Functions

- [ConsoleWindow](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*main=0)  
*constructor -- initialize main window*
- virtual [CommandTextEdit](#) \* [editor](#) ()  
*the command window's editor*
- virtual void [setInterpreter](#) ([InterpreterThread](#) \*)  
*set the interpreter for the console window, e.g. new [PythonInterpreterThread](#)*

## Static Public Attributes

- static QString [Prompt](#)  
*the string used at the prompt*
- static QColor [BackgroundColor](#) = QColor("#000000")  
*the background color for console*
- static QColor [PlainTextColor](#) = QColor("#FEFFEC")  
*the font color for plain text*
- static QColor [ErrorTextColor](#) = QColor("#FF6F0F")  
*the font color for error messages*
- static QColor [OutputTextColor](#) = QColor("#33FF00")  
*the font color for outputs*
- static QColor [TableTextColor](#) = QColor("#FFFF00")  
*the font color for table headers*

## Protected Attributes

- [CommandTextEdit](#) [commandTextEdit](#)  
*the command window*
- [InterpreterThread](#) \* [interpreter](#)  
*the optional interpreter for processing commands*

### 6.24.1 Detailed Description

Used to create an output window that can display outputs.

## 6.24.2 Member Function Documentation

### 6.24.2.1 void TinkerCell::ConsoleWindow::message ( const QString & s ) [virtual, slot]

print a message in the output window

show a message text in the output window

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

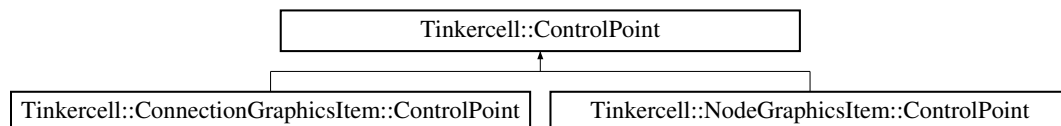
- ConsoleWindow.h
- ConsoleWindow.cpp

## 6.25 TinkerCell::ControlPoint Class Reference

A simple circle or square that is used for changing specific locations.

```
#include <ControlPoint.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ControlPoint:



### Public Types

- enum { **Type** = UserType + 1 }  
*paint method. Call's parent's paint after setting antialiasing to true*
- enum ShapeType { circle, square, triangle }  
*type of shape to paint.*

### Public Member Functions

- virtual qreal x ()  
*x position*
- virtual qreal y ()  
*y position*
- ControlPoint (QGraphicsItem \*parent=0)  
*Constructor: Setup colors and z value.*
- ControlPoint (const ControlPoint &copy)  
*copy constructor*
- virtual int type () const

*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

- virtual void [sideEffect](#) ()  
*side effect when moved. always call this after moving*
- virtual [ControlPoint](#) \* [clone](#) () const  
*make a copy of this control point*
- virtual void [paint](#) (QPainter \*painter, const QStyleOptionGraphicsItem \*option=new QStyleOptionGraphicsItem(), QWidget \*widget=0)  
*paint method.*
- virtual QRectF [boundingRect](#) () const  
*bounding rect method.*
- virtual void [setRect](#) (const QRectF &)  
*set size rect.*
- virtual QRectF [rect](#) () const  
*get size rect.*
- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [handle](#) () const  
*get the handle of this control point, usually 0 or the parent's handle*
- virtual void [setHandle](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*)  
*set the handle of this control point, usually sets parent's handle or does nothing*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [ControlPoint](#) \* [cast](#) (QGraphicsItem \*item)  
*Gets the control point item from one of its child items.*

## Public Attributes

- QBrush [defaultBrush](#)  
*permanent brush for this control point*
- QPen [defaultPen](#)  
*permanent pen for this control point*
- QSizeF [defaultSize](#)  
*default size for this item*
- [ShapeType](#) [shapeType](#)  
*type of shape to paint.*

## Protected Attributes

- `QRectF` bounds

### 6.25.1 Detailed Description

A simple circle or square that is used for changing specific locations.

### 6.25.2 Member Enumeration Documentation

#### 6.25.2.1 anonymous enum

paint method. Call's parent's paint after setting antialiasing to true for enabling `dynamic_cast`

### 6.25.3 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.25.3.1 `Tinkercell::ControlPoint::ControlPoint ( const ControlPoint & copy )`

copy constructor

Copy Constructor.

### 6.25.4 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.25.4.1 `ControlPoint * Tinkercell::ControlPoint::clone ( ) const [virtual]`

make a copy of this control point

make a copy of this item

Reimplemented in [Tinkercell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#), and [Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#).

#### 6.25.4.2 `void Tinkercell::ControlPoint::paint ( QPainter * painter, const QStyleOptionGraphicsItem * option = new QStyleOptionGraphicsItem(), QWidget * widget = 0 ) [virtual]`

paint method.

paint method. draw one of the shapes

Reimplemented in [Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#).

#### 6.25.4.3 `QRectF Tinkercell::ControlPoint::rect ( ) const [virtual]`

get size rect.

bounding rect method.

#### 6.25.4.4 void TinkerCell::ControlPoint::setRect ( const QRectF & rect ) [virtual]

set size rect.

set size.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

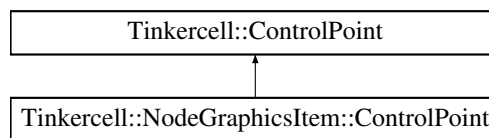
- ControlPoint.h
- ConnectionGraphicsItem.cpp
- ControlPoint.cpp

## 6.26 TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint Class Reference

a control point with a pointer to a [NodeGraphicsItem](#)

```
#include <NodeGraphicsItem.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint:



### Public Types

- enum { **Type** = UserType + 2 }  
for enabling dynamic\_cast

### Public Member Functions

- [ControlPoint](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*drawable\_ptr=0, QGraphicsItem \*parent=0)  
Constructor: Setup colors and z value.
- [ControlPoint](#) (const [ControlPoint](#) &copy)  
Copy Constructor.
- virtual [ControlPoint](#) & operator= (const [ControlPoint](#) &copy)  
operator =
- virtual [TinkerCell::ControlPoint](#) \* clone () const  
make a copy of this control point
- virtual int [type](#) () const  
for enabling dynamic\_cast
- virtual void [sideEffect](#) ()

*side effect when moved. always call this after moving*

- virtual void [paint](#) (QPainter \*painter, const QStyleOptionGraphicsItem \*option=new QStyleOptionGraphicsItem(), QWidget \*widget=0)  
*paint method.*
- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [handle](#) () const  
*same as nodeItem->handle()*
- virtual void [setHandle](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*)  
*set the nodeItem->setHandle(..)*
- [~ControlPoint](#) ()  
*destructor*

## Public Attributes

- [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* [nodeItem](#)  
*idrawables that this control point belong in*

### 6.26.1 Detailed Description

a control point with a pointer to a [NodeGraphicsItem](#)

### 6.26.2 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.26.2.1 Tinkercell::ControlPoint \* Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint::clone ( ) const [virtual]

make a copy of this control point

make a copy of this item

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::ControlPoint](#).

#### 6.26.2.2 NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint & Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint::operator= ( const ControlPoint & copy ) [virtual]

operator =

Copy operator

#### 6.26.2.3 void Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::ControlPoint::paint ( QPainter \* painter, const QStyleOptionGraphicsItem \* option = new QStyleOptionGraphicsItem(), QWidget \* widget = 0 ) [virtual]

paint method.



paint method. Call's parent's

Reimplemented from [TinkerCell::ControlPoint](#).

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

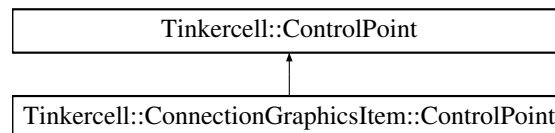
- NodeGraphicsItem.h
- NodeGraphicsItem.cpp

## 6.27 TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint Class Reference

A control point with a pointer to a [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#).

```
#include <ConnectionGraphicsItem.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint:



### Public Types

- enum { **Type** = UserType + 7 }  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

### Public Member Functions

- [ControlPoint](#) ([ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*reaction\_ptr=0, QGraphicsItem \*parent=0)  
*Constructor: Setup colors and z value.*
- [ControlPoint](#) (const QPointF &pos, [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*reaction\_ptr=0, QGraphicsItem \*parent=0)  
*Constructor: constructor with position.*
- [ControlPoint](#) (const [ControlPoint](#) &copy)  
*Copy Constructor.*
- virtual [ControlPoint](#) & [operator=](#) (const [ControlPoint](#) &copy)  
*operator =*
- virtual int [type](#) () const  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*
- [~ControlPoint](#) ()  
*destructor*

- virtual [TinkerCell::ControlPoint](#) \* [clone](#) () const  
*side effect when moved. always call this after moving*
- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [handle](#) () const  
*same as connectionItem->handle()*
- virtual void [setHandle](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*)  
*same as connectionItem->setHandle(...)*

## Public Attributes

- [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* [connectionItem](#)  
*idrawables that this control point belong in*

## 6.27.1 Detailed Description

A control point with a pointer to a [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#).

## 6.27.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.27.2.1 TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint::~~ControlPoint ( )

destructor

destructor

## 6.27.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.27.3.1 ControlPoint \* TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint::clone ( ) const [virtual]

side effect when moved. always call this after moving

make a copy of this item

make a copy of this control point

Reimplemented from [TinkerCell::ControlPoint](#).

### 6.27.3.2 ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint & TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint::operator= ( const ControlPoint & copy ) [virtual]

operator =

Copy operator

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- ConnectionGraphicsItem.h
- ConnectionGraphicsItem.cpp

## 6.28 Tinkercell::Core\_FtoS Class Reference

Function to Signal converter for [MainWindow](#).

```
#include <C_API_Slots.h>
```

### Signals

- void **allItems** (QSemaphore \*, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > \*)
- void **selectedItems** (QSemaphore \*, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > \*)
- void **itemsOffFamily** (QSemaphore \*, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > \*, const QString &)
- void **itemsOffFamily** (QSemaphore \*, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, const QString &)
- void **find** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*\*, const QString &)
- void **findItems** (QSemaphore \*, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > \*, const QStringList &)
- void **select** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **deselect** (QSemaphore \*)
- void **removeItem** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **setPos** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, qreal, qreal)
- void **setPos** (QSemaphore \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)
- void **getPos** (QSemaphore \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, [DataTable](#)< qreal > \*)
- void **getY** (QSemaphore \*, qreal \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **getX** (QSemaphore \*, qreal \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **moveSelected** (QSemaphore \*, qreal, qreal)
- void **getFamily** (QSemaphore \*, QString \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **getName** (QSemaphore \*, QString \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **getUniqueName** (QSemaphore \*, QString \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **setName** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, const QString &)
- void **getNames** (QSemaphore \*, QStringList \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)
- void **getUniqueNames** (QSemaphore \*, QStringList \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)
- void **isA** (QSemaphore \*, int \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, const QString &)
- void **outputText** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &)
- void **errorReport** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &)
- void **printFile** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &)
- void **clearText** (QSemaphore \*)
- void **outputTable** (QSemaphore \*, const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)
- void **createInputWindow** (QSemaphore \*, const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &, const QString &, const QString &)
- void **createInputWindow** (QSemaphore \*, long, const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &, const QString &, MatrixInputFunction)
- void **createSliders** (QSemaphore \*, [CThread](#) \*, const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &, MatrixInputFunction)
- void **addInputWindowOptions** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &, int i, int j, const QStringList &)
- void **addInputWindowCheckbox** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &, int i, int j)
- void **openNewWindow** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &)
- void **isWindows** (QSemaphore \*, int \*)

- void **isMac** (QSemaphore \*, int \*)
- void **isLinux** (QSemaphore \*, int \*)
- void **appDir** (QSemaphore \*, QString \*)
- void **homeDir** (QSemaphore \*, QString \*)
- void **zoom** (QSemaphore \*, qreal)
- void **getNumericalDataNames** (QSemaphore \*, QStringList \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **getTextDataNames** (QSemaphore \*, QStringList \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **getNumericalData** (QSemaphore \*, [DataTable](#)< qreal > \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, const QString &)
- void **setNumericalData** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, const QString &, const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)
- void **getTextData** (QSemaphore \*, [DataTable](#)< QString > \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, const QString &)
- void **setTextData** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, const QString &, const [DataTable](#)< QString > &)
- void **getChildren** (QSemaphore \*, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **getParent** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*\*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **getString** (QSemaphore \*, QString \*, const QString &)
- void **getFilename** (QSemaphore \*, QString \*)
- void **getSelectedString** (QSemaphore \*, int \*, const QString &, const QStringList &, const QString &)
- void **getNumber** (QSemaphore \*, qreal \*, const QString &)
- void **getNumbers** (QSemaphore \*, const QStringList &, qreal \*)
- void **askQuestion** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &, int \*)
- void **messageDialog** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &)
- void **openFile** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &)
- void **saveToFile** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &)
- void **setSize** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, double, double, int)
- void **getWidth** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, double \*)
- void **getHeight** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, double \*)
- void **setAngle** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, double, int)
- void **getAngle** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, double \*)
- void **getColor** (QSemaphore \*, QString \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*)
- void **setColor** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, const QString &, int)
- void **changeGraphics** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, const QString &)
- void **changeArrowHead** (QSemaphore \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, const QString &)
- void **screenshot** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &, int, int)
- void **screenHeight** (QSemaphore \*, int \*)
- void **screenWidth** (QSemaphore \*, int \*)
- void **screenX** (QSemaphore \*, int \*)
- void **screenY** (QSemaphore \*, int \*)

## Public Member Functions

- void **zoom** (double)
- tc\_items **allItems** ()
- tc\_items **itemsOffFamily** (const char \*)
- tc\_items **itemsOffFamily** (const char \*, tc\_items)
- tc\_items **selectedItems** ()
- long **find** (const char \*)
- tc\_items **findItems** (tc\_strings)
- void **select** (long)

- void **deselect** ()
- const char \* **getName** (long)
- const char \* **getUniqueName** (long)
- void **setName** (long, const char \*)
- tc\_strings **getNames** (tc\_items)
- tc\_strings **getUniqueNames** (tc\_items)
- const char \* **getFamily** (long)
- int **isA** (long, const char \*)
- void **removeItem** (long)
- void **setPos** (long, double, double)
- void **setPos** (tc\_items, tc\_matrix)
- tc\_matrix **getPos** (tc\_items)
- double **getY** (long)
- double **getX** (long)
- void **moveSelected** (double, double)
- void **outputTable** (tc\_matrix m)
- void **outputText** (const char \*)
- void **errorReport** (const char \*)
- void **clearText** ()
- void **printFile** (const char \*)
- void **createInputWindow** (tc\_matrix, const char \*, const char \*)
- void **createInputWindow** (long, tc\_matrix, const char \*, MatrixInputFunction)
- void **createSliders** (long, tc\_matrix, MatrixInputFunction)
- void **addInputWindowOptions** (const char \*, int i, int j, tc\_strings)
- void **addInputWindowCheckbox** (const char \*, int i, int j)
- void **openNewWindow** (const char \*)
- int **isWindows** ()
- int **isMac** ()
- int **isLinux** ()
- const char \* **appDir** ()
- const char \* **homeDir** ()
- tc\_strings **getNumericalDataNames** (long)
- tc\_strings **getTextDataNames** (long)
- tc\_matrix **getNumericalData** (long, const char \*)
- void **setNumericalData** (long, const char \*, tc\_matrix)
- tc\_table **getTextData** (long, const char \*)
- void **setTextData** (long, const char \*, tc\_table)
- tc\_items **getChildren** (long)
- long **getParent** (long)
- const char \* **getString** (const char \*)
- const char \* **getFilename** ()
- int **getSelectedString** (const char \*, tc\_strings, const char \*)
- double **getNumber** (const char \*)
- void **getNumbers** (tc\_strings, double \*)
- int **askQuestion** (const char \*)
- void **messageDialog** (const char \*)
- void **openFile** (const char \*)
- void **saveToFile** (const char \*)
- void **setSize** (long, double, double, int)
- double **getWidth** (long)

- double **getHeight** (long)
- void **setAngle** (long, double, int)
- double **getAngle** (long)
- const char \* **getColor** (long)
- void **setColor** (long, const char \*, int)
- void **changeGraphics** (long, const char \*)
- void **changeArrowHead** (long, const char \*)
- void **screenshot** (const char \*, int, int)
- int **screenHeight** ()
- int **screenWidth** ()
- int **screenX** ()
- int **screenY** ()

### 6.28.1 Detailed Description

Function to Signal converter for [MainWindow](#).

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

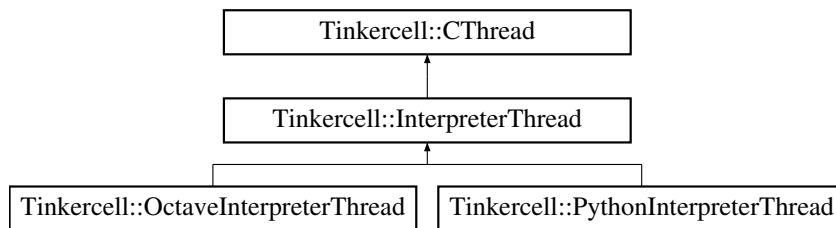
- C\_API\_Slots.h
- C\_API\_Slots.cpp

## 6.29 Tinkercell::CThread Class Reference

This class is used to run specific functions inside a C dynamic library as a separate thread. The class can be used to load a library or just run a specific function inside an already loaded library. If the library is loaded by this class, the library will be unloaded upon completion on the function. To prevent the automatic unloading, use the setAutoUnload option. Only four types of functions are supported.

```
#include <CThread.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::CThread:



### Public Slots

- virtual void **unload** ()  
*unload the C library*
- virtual void **update** ()  
*call the callback function, if one exists*

## Signals

- void [progress](#) (int)  
*display progress of this thread (0-100). This signal is usually connected to a slot in ProgressBarSignalItem*

## Public Member Functions

- virtual void [emitSignal](#) (int i)  
*emits the progress signal*
- [CThread](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*main, [QLibrary](#) \*lib=0, bool autoUnload=false)  
*constructor*
- [CThread](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*main, const [QString](#) &lib, bool autoUnload=false)  
*constructor*
- virtual [~CThread](#) ()  
*destructor: unload and deletes the library*
- virtual void [setFunction](#) (void(\*f)(void))  
*set the function to run inside this threads*
- virtual void [setFunction](#) (void(\*f)(double))  
*set the function to run inside this threads*
- virtual void [setFunction](#) (void(\*f)(const char \*))  
*set the function to run inside this threads*
- virtual void [setFunction](#) (void(\*f)(tc\_matrix))  
*set the function to run inside this threads*
- virtual void [setVoidFunction](#) (const char \*)  
*set the function to run inside this threads*
- virtual void [setDoubleFunction](#) (const char \*)  
*set the function to run inside this threads*
- virtual void [setCharFunction](#) (const char \*)  
*set the function to run inside this threads*
- virtual void [setMatrixFunction](#) (const char \*)  
*set the function to run inside this threads*
- virtual void [setLibrary](#) ([QLibrary](#) \*)  
*set the dynamic library for this threads. The library will be loaded if it has not already been loaded*
- virtual void [setLibrary](#) (const [QString](#) &)  
*set the dynamic library for this threads.*

- virtual QLibrary \* [library](#) ()  
*the library used inside this thread*
- virtual void [setAutoUnload](#) (bool)  
*set whether or not to automatically unload the library when the thread is done running*
- virtual bool [autoUnload](#) ()  
*whether or not to automatically unload the library when the thread is done running*
- virtual void [setArg](#) (double)  
*set the argument for the target function*
- virtual void [setArg](#) (const QString &)  
*set the argument for the target function*
- virtual void [setArg](#) (const DataTable< qreal > &)  
*set the argument for the target function*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static QLibrary \* [loadLibrary](#) (const QString &name, QObject \*parent=0)  
*search the default tinkercell folders for the library and load it*
- static QWidget \* [dialog](#) (CThread \*, const QString &title, const QIcon &icon=QIcon(), bool progressBar=true)  
*Creates a dialog with a progress bar for running a new thread. The dialog allows the user to terminate the thread.*

## Public Attributes

- MainWindow \* [mainWindow](#)  
*main window*

## Static Public Attributes

- static QString [style](#) = QString("background-color: qlineargradient(x1: 0, y1: 1, x2: 0, y2: 0, stop: 1.0 #585858, stop: 0.5 #0E0E0E, stop: 0.5 #9A9A9A, stop: 1.0 #E2E2E2);")  
*style sheet for the dialog*
- static QList< CThread \* > [cthreads](#)  
*hash stores the name and progress bar pointers for updating progress on different threads*



## Protected Slots

- virtual void [cleanupAfterTerminated](#) ()  
*cleanup (such as unload libraries) upon termination*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [setupCFunctionPointers](#) ()  
*setup the C pointers in TC\_Main.h*
- virtual void [call\\_tc\\_main](#) ()  
*call tc\_main*
- virtual void [run](#) ()  
*the main function that runs one of the specified functions*

## Protected Attributes

- bool [autoUnloadLibrary](#)  
*whether or not to automatically unload the library when the thread is done running*
- void(\* [f1](#) )(void)  
*one of the functions that can be run inside this thread*
- void(\* [f2](#) )(double)  
*one of the functions that can be run inside this thread*
- void(\* [f3](#) )(const char \*)  
*one of the functions that can be run inside this thread*
- void(\* [f4](#) )(tc\_matrix)  
*one of the functions that can be run inside this thread*
- void(\* [callbackPtr](#) )(void)  
*callback function*
- void(\* [callWhenExitPtr](#) )(void)  
*call when exit function*
- QLibrary \* [lib](#)  
*the library where the functions are located that can be run inside this thread*
- double [argDouble](#)  
*the argument for one of the the run function*
- QString [argString](#)  
*the argument for one of the the run function*

- [DataTable](#)< qreal > [argMatrix](#)

*the argument for one of the the run function*

## 6.29.1 Detailed Description

This class is used to run specific functions inside a C dynamic library as a separate thread. The class can be used to load a library or just run a specific function inside an already loaded library. If the library is loaded by this class, the library will be unloaded upon completion on the function. To prevent the automatic unloading, use the setAutoUnload option. Only four types of functions are supported.

## 6.29.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.29.2.1 TinkerCell::CThread::CThread ( MainWindow \* *main*, QLibrary \* *lib* = 0, bool *autoUnload* = *false* )

constructor

#### Parameters

[MainWindow](#) the TinkerCell main window

[QLibrary](#) the dynamic library to load (optional)

*bool* whether or not to automatically unload the library

### 6.29.2.2 TinkerCell::CThread::CThread ( MainWindow \* *main*, const QString & *lib*, bool *autoUnload* = *false* )

constructor

#### Parameters

[MainWindow](#) the TinkerCell main window

[QString](#) the name of the dynamic library to load (optional)

*bool* whether or not to automatically unload the library

## 6.29.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.29.3.1 bool TinkerCell::CThread::autoUnload ( ) [virtual]

whether or not to automatically unload the library when the thread is done running

#### Returns

bool

### 6.29.3.2 QWidget \* Tinkercell::CThread::dialog ( CThread \* *newThread*, const QString & *title*, const QIcon & *icon* = QIcon (), bool *progressBar* = true ) [static]

Creates a dialog with a progress bar for running a new thread. The dialog allows the user to terminate the thread.

#### Parameters

*CThread* \* target thread  
*QString* display text for the dialog  
*QIcon* display icon for the dialog  
*bool* whether or not to show a progress bar

### 6.29.3.3 QLibrary \* Tinkercell::CThread::library ( ) [virtual]

the library used inside this thread

#### Returns

QLibrary\*

### 6.29.3.4 QLibrary \* Tinkercell::CThread::loadLibrary ( const QString & *name*, QObject \* *parent* = 0 ) [static]

search the default tinkercell folders for the library and load it

#### Parameters

*QString* name of library (with or without full path)  
*QObject* parent

#### Returns

QLibrary\* the loaded library. 0 if cannot be loaded.

### 6.29.3.5 void Tinkercell::CThread::setArg ( double *d* ) [virtual]

set the argument for the target function

#### Parameters

*double*

### 6.29.3.6 void Tinkercell::CThread::setArg ( const DataTable< qreal > & *dat* ) [virtual]

set the argument for the target function

#### Parameters

*DataTable*

**6.29.3.7 void Tinkercell::CThread::setArg ( const QString & *s* ) [virtual]**

set the argument for the target function

**Parameters**

*QString*

**6.29.3.8 void Tinkercell::CThread::setAutoUnload ( bool *b* ) [virtual]**

set whether or not to automatically unload the library when the thread is done running

**Parameters**

*bool*

**6.29.3.9 void Tinkercell::CThread::setCharFunction ( const char \* *f* ) [virtual]**

set the function to run inside this threads

**Parameters**

*void* name of the function inside the library that has been loaded in this thread.

**6.29.3.10 void Tinkercell::CThread::setDoubleFunction ( const char \* *f* ) [virtual]**

set the function to run inside this threads

**Parameters**

*void* name of the function inside the library that has been loaded in this thread.

**6.29.3.11 void Tinkercell::CThread::setFunction ( void(\*) (const char \*) *f* ) [virtual]**

set the function to run inside this threads

**Parameters**

*void* function pointer

**6.29.3.12 void Tinkercell::CThread::setFunction ( void(\*) (tc\_matrix) *f* ) [virtual]**

set the function to run inside this threads

**Parameters**

*void* function pointer

**6.29.3.13 void Tinkercell::CThread::setFunction ( void(\*) (void) *f* ) [virtual]**

set the function to run inside this threads

**Parameters**

*void* function pointer

**6.29.3.14 void Tinkercell::CThread::setFunction ( void(\*) (double) *f* ) [virtual]**

set the function to run inside this threads

**Parameters**

*void* function pointer

**6.29.3.15 void Tinkercell::CThread::setLibrary ( const QString & *libname* ) [virtual]**

set the dynamic library for this threads.

**Parameters**

*QLibrary\** library

**6.29.3.16 void Tinkercell::CThread::setLibrary ( QLibrary \* *lib* ) [virtual]**

set the dynamic library for this threads. The library will be loaded if it has not already been loaded

**Parameters**

*QLibrary\** library

**6.29.3.17 void Tinkercell::CThread::setMatrixFunction ( const char \* *f* ) [virtual]**

set the function to run inside this threads

**Parameters**

*void* name of the function inside the library that has been loaded in this thread.

**6.29.3.18 void Tinkercell::CThread::setVoidFunction ( const char \* *f* ) [virtual]**

set the function to run inside this threads

**Parameters**

*void* name of the function inside the library that has been loaded in this thread.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- CThread.h
- CThread.cpp

## 6.30 TinkerCell::ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment Class Reference

A set of control points and two arrow heads.

```
#include <ConnectionGraphicsItem.h>
```

### Public Member Functions

- **CurveSegment** (int)
- **CurveSegment** (int, [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \*)
- **CurveSegment** (const [CurveSegment](#) &)

### Public Attributes

- [ArrowHeadItem](#) \* **arrowStart**
- [ArrowHeadItem](#) \* **arrowEnd**

### 6.30.1 Detailed Description

A set of control points and two arrow heads.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- ConnectionGraphicsItem.h
- ConnectionGraphicsItem.cpp

## 6.31 TinkerCell::DataAxisLabelDraw Class Reference

### Public Member Functions

- **DataAxisLabelDraw** (const QStringList &)
- virtual [QwtText](#) **label** (double v) const
- [Qt::Orientation](#) **orientation** () const

### Protected Attributes

- QStringList **labels**

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- Plot2DWidget.h
- Plot2DWidget.cpp

## 6.32 TinkerCell::DataColumn Class Reference

### Public Member Functions

- **DataColumn** ([DataTable](#)< qreal > \*data, int, int, int dt=1)
- virtual QwtData \* **copy** () const
- virtual size\_t **size** () const
- virtual double **x** (size\_t index) const
- virtual double **y** (size\_t index) const

### Friends

- class **DataPlot**
- class **Plot2DWidget**

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- Plot2DWidget.h
- Plot2DWidget.cpp

## 6.33 TinkerCell::Plot3DWidget::DataFunction Class Reference

### Public Member Functions

- **DataFunction** (SurfacePlot &)
- double **operator()** (double x, double y)

### Public Attributes

- [DataTable](#)< qreal > \* **dataTable**
- double **minX**
- double **minY**
- double **maxX**
- double **maxY**

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- Plot3DWidget.h
- Plot3DWidget.cpp

## 6.34 TinkerCell::DataPlot Class Reference

### Public Member Functions

- **DataPlot** (QWidget \*parent=0)
- void **plot** (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &, int x, const QString &title, int dt=1)
- virtual QSize **minimumSizeHint** () const

- virtual QSize **sizeHint** () const
- virtual void **setLogX** (bool)
- virtual void **setLogY** (bool)

### Protected Slots

- void **itemChecked** (QwtPlotItem \*, bool)
- void **setXAxis** (int)

### Protected Member Functions

- void **processData** ()
- void **replotUsingHideList** ()
- bool **usesRowNames** () const

### Protected Attributes

- [DataTable](#)< qreal > **dataTable**
- QwtPlotZoomer \* **zoomer**
- QStringList **hideList**
- int **xcolumn**
- int **delta**
- [PlotTool::PlotType](#) type

### Static Protected Attributes

- static QList< QPen > **penList** = QList<QPen>()

### Friends

- class **Plot2DWidget**
- class **GetPenInfoDialog**
- class **ShowHideLegendItemsWidget**

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- Plot2DWidget.h
- Plot2DWidget.cpp

## 6.35 Tinkercell::DataTable< T > Class Template Reference

[DataTable](#) is a 2D vector with row names and column names.

```
#include <DataTable.h>
```



## Public Member Functions

- virtual QString [description](#) () const  
*get description of this table*
- virtual QString & [description](#) ()  
*get or set description of this table*
- virtual QStringList [columnNames](#) () const  
*get the column names*
- virtual bool [hasRow](#) (const QString &) const  
*check is this table has a row with the given name*
- virtual bool [hasColumn](#) (const QString &) const  
*check is this table has a column with the given name*
- virtual QStringList [rowNames](#) () const  
*get the row names*
- virtual QString [rowName](#) (int i) const  
*get the ith row name reference. can be used to change the row name*
- virtual QString [columnName](#) (int i) const  
*get the ith column name. cannot be used to change the column name*
- virtual void [setRowName](#) (int i, const QString &name)  
*get the ith row name. cannot be used to change the row name*
- virtual void [setColumnName](#) (int i, const QString &name)  
*get the ith column name reference. can be used to change the column name*
- virtual void [setColumnNames](#) (const QStringList &names)  
*set all the column names.*
- virtual void [setRowNames](#) (const QStringList &names)  
*set all the row names.*
- virtual int [rows](#) () const  
*get the number of rows*
- virtual int [columns](#) () const  
*get the number of columns*
- virtual T & [value](#) (int i, int j=0)  
*get the value at the ith row and jth column. can also be used to set the value*
- virtual T & [operator\(\)](#) (int i, int j=0)  
*get the value at the ith row and jth column. can also be used to set the value*

- virtual T [operator\(\)](#) (int i, int j=0) const  
*get the value at the ith row and jth column. can also be used to set the value*
- virtual T & [value](#) (const QString &r, const QString &c)  
*get the value using row and column names. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.*
- virtual T & [operator\(\)](#) (const QString &r, const QString &c)  
*get the value using row and column names. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.*
- virtual T [operator\(\)](#) (const QString &r, const QString &c) const  
*get the value using row and column names. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.*
- virtual T & [value](#) (const QString &r, int j=0)  
*get the value using row name. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.*
- virtual T & [operator\(\)](#) (const QString &r, int j=0)  
*get the value using row name and column index. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.*
- virtual T [operator\(\)](#) (const QString &r, int j=0) const  
*get the value using row name and column index. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.*
- virtual T & [value](#) (int i, const QString &c)  
*get the value using column name. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.*
- virtual T & [operator\(\)](#) (int i, const QString &c)  
*get the value using row name and column index. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.*
- virtual T [operator\(\)](#) (int i, const QString &c) const  
*get the value using row index and column name. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.*
- virtual bool [operator==](#) (const [DataTable](#)< T > &D)  
*checks if the two data table's headers and contents are the same*
- virtual bool [operator!=](#) (const [DataTable](#)< T > &D)  
*exactly opposite of operator ==*
- virtual T [at](#) (int i, int j=0) const  
*get the value using row and column number. cannot also be used to set the value.*
- virtual T [at](#) (const QString &r, const QString &c) const  
*get the value using row and column name. cannot also be used to set the value.*
- virtual T [at](#) (const QString &r, int j=0) const  
*get the value using row name. cannot also be used to set the value.*
- virtual T [at](#) (int i, const QString &c) const

*get the value using column name. cannot also be used to set the value.*

- virtual void [resize](#) (int m, int n=1)  
*set the size of the data table*
- virtual bool [insertRow](#) (int k, const QString &row)  
*insert a new row at the given location with the given name. Insertion will fail if there is already a row with the same name*
- virtual bool [insertColumn](#) (int k, const QString &col)  
*insert a new column at the given location with the given name. Insertion will fail if there is already a column with the same name*
- virtual bool [removeRow](#) (int k)  
*remove an existing row at the given index.*
- virtual bool [removeRow](#) (const QString &name)  
*remove an existing row with the given name.*
- virtual bool [removeColumn](#) (int k)  
*remove an existing column at the given index.*
- virtual bool [removeColumn](#) (const QString &name)  
*remove an existing col with the given name.*
- virtual void [swapRows](#) (int i1, int i2)  
*swap two rows. Nothing will happen if the given numbers are outside the table*
- virtual void [swapColumns](#) (int j1, int j2)  
*swap two columns. Nothing will happen if the given numbers are outside the table*
- virtual void [swapRows](#) (const QString &s1, const QString &s2)  
*swap two rows using their name. Nothing will happen if the given numbers are outside the table*
- virtual void [swapColumns](#) (const QString &s1, const QString &s2)  
*swap two columns using their name. Nothing will happen if the given numbers are outside the table*
- virtual [DataTable](#)< T > [transpose](#) () const  
*get transpose of the table. complexity =  $n*m$  (use sparingly)*

## Protected Attributes

- [QVector](#)< T > [dataMatrix](#)  
*the values in the table*
- [QVector](#)< QString > [colHeaders](#)  
*the column and row names*
- [QVector](#)< QString > [rowHeaders](#)

- `QHash< QString, int >` `colHash`  
*hash for quick lookup of row and columns by name*
- `QHash< QString, int >` `rowHash`
- `QString` `desc`  
*a description of this table (optional)*

### 6.35.1 Detailed Description

`template<typename T> class Tinkercell::DataTable< T >`

`DataTable` is a 2D vector with row names and column names.

### 6.35.2 Member Function Documentation

**6.35.2.1** `template<typename T> T Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::at ( int i, int j = 0 ) const`  
`[virtual]`

get the value using row and column number. cannot also be used to set the value.

#### Parameters

- int* row number
- int* column number (defaults to 0)

#### Returns

T copy of value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

#### Parameters

- int* row number
- int* column number

#### Returns

T copy of value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

**6.35.2.2** `template<typename T> T Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::at ( int i, const QString & c )`  
`const [virtual]`

get the value using column name. cannot also be used to set the value.

#### Parameters

- int* row number
- int* column name

#### Returns

T copy of value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

### 6.35.2.3 `template<typename T > T Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::at ( const QString & r, const QString & c ) const [virtual]`

get the value using row and column name. cannot also be used to set the value.

#### Parameters

*QString* row name

*QString* column name

#### Returns

T copy of value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

### 6.35.2.4 `template<typename T > T Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::at ( const QString & r, int j = 0 ) const [virtual]`

get the value using row name. cannot also be used to set the value.

#### Parameters

*QString* row name

*int* column number (defaults to 0)

#### Returns

T copy of value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

#### Parameters

*QString* row name

*int* column number

#### Returns

T copy of value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

### 6.35.2.5 `template<typename T > QString Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::columnName ( int i ) const [virtual]`

get the ith column name. cannot be used to change the column name

#### Parameters

*int* col number

#### Returns

QString copy of the ith column name

**6.35.2.6** `template<typename T > QStringList TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::columnNames ( )  
const [virtual]`

get the column names

**Returns**

QStringList column names (copy)  
QVector reference to the actual column names

**6.35.2.7** `template<typename T > int TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::columns ( ) const  
[virtual]`

get the number of columns

**Returns**

int number of columns

**6.35.2.8** `template<typename T > bool TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::hasColumn ( const QString  
& s ) const [virtual]`

check is this table has a column with the given name

**Parameters**

*QString* column name

**Returns**

bool true if the column with the name exists

**6.35.2.9** `template<typename T > bool TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::hasRow ( const QString & s  
) const [virtual]`

check is this table has a row with the given name

**Parameters**

*QString* row name

**Returns**

bool true if the row with the name exists

**6.35.2.10** `template<typename T > bool TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::insertColumn ( int k,  
const QString & col ) [virtual]`

insert a new column at the given location with the given name. Insertion will fail if there is already a column with the same name

**Parameters**

*int* column number  
*QString* column name

**Returns**

Boolean false if failed, true if successful

### 6.35.2.11 `template<typename T> bool Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::insertRow ( int k, const QString & row ) [virtual]`

insert a new row at the given location with the given name. Insertion will fail if there is already a row with the same name

**Parameters**

*int* row number  
*QString* row name

**Returns**

Boolean false if failed, true if successful

### 6.35.2.12 `template<typename T> bool Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::operator!= ( const DataTable< T > & D ) [virtual]`

exactly opposite of operator ==

**Parameters**

*DataTable<T>*

**Returns**

bool

### 6.35.2.13 `template<typename T> T & Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::operator() ( int i, int j = 0 ) [virtual]`

get the value at the ith row and jth column. can also be used to set the value

**Parameters**

*int* row number  
*int* column number (defaults to 0)

**Returns**

T reference to value at ith row and jth column. returns value at 0 if i or j are not inside the table

**6.35.2.14** `template<typename T> T Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::operator() ( int i, int j = 0 )  
const [virtual]`

get the value at the ith row and jth column. can also be used to set the value

**Parameters**

*int* row number

*int* column number (defaults to 0)

**Returns**

T value at ith row and jth column. returns value at 0 if i or j are not inside the table

**6.35.2.15** `template<typename T> T & Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::operator() ( const QString  
& r, const QString & c ) [virtual]`

get the value using row and column names. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.

**Parameters**

*QString* row name

*QString* column name

**Returns**

T reference to value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

**6.35.2.16** `template<typename T> T Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::operator() ( const QString &  
r, const QString & c ) const [virtual]`

get the value using row and column names. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.

**Parameters**

*QString* row name

*QString* column name

**Returns**

T value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

**6.35.2.17** `template<typename T> T & Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::operator() ( const QString  
& r, int j = 0 ) [virtual]`

get the value using row name and column index. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.

**Parameters**

*QString* row name



*QString* column index

#### Returns

T reference to value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

**6.35.2.18** `template<typename T > T Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::operator() ( const QString & r, int j = 0 ) const [virtual]`

get the value using row name and column index. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.

#### Parameters

*QString* row name

*QString* column index

#### Returns

T value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

**6.35.2.19** `template<typename T > T & Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::operator() ( int i, const QString & c ) [virtual]`

get the value using row name and column index. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.

#### Parameters

*QString* row index

*QString* column name

#### Returns

T reference to value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

**6.35.2.20** `template<typename T > T Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::operator() ( int i, const QString & c ) const [virtual]`

get the value using row index and column name. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.

#### Parameters

*QString* row index

*QString* column name

#### Returns

T value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

**6.35.2.21** `template<typename T> bool TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::operator==( const DataTable< T > & D ) [virtual]`

checks if the two data table's headers and contents are the same

#### Parameters

*DataTable<T>*

#### Returns

bool

**6.35.2.22** `template<typename T> bool TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::removeColumn ( int k ) [virtual]`

remove an existing column at the given index.

#### Parameters

*int* column number

#### Returns

Boolean false if failed, true if successful

**6.35.2.23** `template<typename T> bool TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::removeColumn ( const QString & name ) [virtual]`

remove an existing col with the given name.

#### Parameters

*QString* row name

#### Returns

Boolean false if failed, true if successful

**6.35.2.24** `template<typename T> bool TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::removeRow ( int k ) [virtual]`

remove an existing row at the given index.

#### Parameters

*int* row number

#### Returns

Boolean false if failed, true if successful

**6.35.2.25** `template<typename T> bool TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::removeRow ( const QString & name ) [virtual]`

remove an existing row with the given name.

**Parameters**

*QString* row name

**Returns**

Boolean false if failed, true if successful

**6.35.2.26** `template<typename T> void TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::resize ( int m, int n = 1 ) [virtual]`

set the size of the data table

**Parameters**

*int* row count

*int* column count (defaults to 1)

**Returns**

void

**Parameters**

*int* row count

*int* column count

**Returns**

void

**6.35.2.27** `template<typename T> QString TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::rowName ( int i ) const [virtual]`

get the ith row name reference. can be used to change the row name

**Parameters**

*int* col number

**Returns**

QString copy to the ith row name

**6.35.2.28** `template<typename T> QStringList TinkerCell::DataTable< T>::rowNames ( )  
const [virtual]`

get the row names

#### Returns

QStringList row names (copy)  
QVector reference to the actual row names

**6.35.2.29** `template<typename T> int TinkerCell::DataTable< T>::rows ( ) const [virtual]`

get the number of rows

#### Returns

int number of rows

**6.35.2.30** `template<typename T> void TinkerCell::DataTable< T>::setColumnName ( int i,  
const QString & name ) [virtual]`

get the ith column name reference. can be used to change the column name

#### Parameters

*int* col number  
*QString* name

#### Returns

QString reference to the ith column name

**6.35.2.31** `template<typename T> void TinkerCell::DataTable< T>::setColumnNames ( const  
QStringList & lst ) [virtual]`

set all the column names.

#### Parameters

*QStringList* vector of strings

#### Returns

void

**6.35.2.32** `template<typename T> void TinkerCell::DataTable< T>::setRowName ( int i, const  
QString & name ) [virtual]`

get the ith row name. cannot be used to change the row name

**Parameters**

*int* row number

*QString* name

**Returns**

QString reference of the ith row name

**Parameters**

*int* row number

**Returns**

QString reference of the ith row name

**6.35.2.33** `template<typename T> void TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::setRowNames ( const QStringList & lst ) [virtual]`

set all the row names.

**Parameters**

*QStringList* vector of strings

**Returns**

void

**6.35.2.34** `template<typename T> void TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::swapColumns ( int j1, int j2 ) [virtual]`

swap two columns. Nothing will happen if the given numbers are outside the table

**Parameters**

*int* first column number

*int* second column number

**Returns**

void

**6.35.2.35** `template<typename T> void TinkerCell::DataTable< T >::swapColumns ( const QString & s1, const QString & s2 ) [virtual]`

swap two columns using their name. Nothing will happen if the given numbers are outside the table

**Parameters**

*int* first column name

*int* second column name

**Returns**

void

**6.35.2.36** `template<typename T> void Tinkercell::DataTable< T>::swapRows ( int i1, int i2 )  
[virtual]`

swap two rows. Nothing will happen if the given numbers are outside the table

**Parameters**

*int* first row number

*int* second row number

**Returns**

void

**6.35.2.37** `template<typename T> void Tinkercell::DataTable< T>::swapRows ( const QString  
& s1, const QString & s2 ) [virtual]`

swap two rows using their name. Nothing will happen if the given numbers are outside the table

**Parameters**

*int* first row name

*int* second row name

**Returns**

void

**6.35.2.38** `template<typename T> DataTable< T> Tinkercell::DataTable< T>::transpose ( )  
const [virtual]`

get transpose of the table. complexity = n\*m (use sparingly)

**Returns**

DataTable<T> new data table  
new data table

**6.35.2.39** `template<typename T> T & Tinkercell::DataTable< T>::value ( const QString & r,  
int j = 0 ) [virtual]`

get the value using row name. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.

get the value using row name. can also be used to set the value. Slower than using [value\(int,int\)](#)

**Parameters**

*QString* row name

*int* column number (defaults to 0)

**Returns**

T reference to value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

**Parameters**

*QString* row name

*int* column number

**Returns**

T reference to value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

**6.35.2.40** `template<typename T > T & Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::value ( int i, int j = 0 )`  
`[virtual]`

get the value at the ith row and jth column. can also be used to set the value

**Parameters**

*int* row number

*int* column number (defaults to 0)

**Returns**

T reference to value at ith row and jth column. returns value at 0 if i or j are not inside the table

**Parameters**

*int* row number (i)

*int* column number (j)

**Returns**

T reference to value at ith row and jth column. returns value at 0 if i or j are not inside the table

**6.35.2.41** `template<typename T > T & Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::value ( const QString & r,`  
`const QString & c ) [virtual]`

get the value using row and column names. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.

get the value using row and column names. can also be used to set the value. Slower than using [value\(int,int\)](#)

**Parameters**

*QString* row name

*QString* column name

**Returns**

T reference to value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

### 6.35.2.42 `template<typename T > T & Tinkercell::DataTable< T >::value ( int i, const QString & c ) [virtual]`

get the value using column name. can also be used to set the value. Fast lookup using hashtables.

get the value using column name. can also be used to set the value. Slower than using [value\(int,int\)](#)

#### Parameters

*int* row number

*QString* column name

#### Returns

T reference to value at given row and column. returns value at 0 if row and column are not in the table

The documentation for this class was generated from the following file:

- DataTable.h

## 6.36 Tinkercell::GetPenInfoDialog Class Reference

### Public Member Functions

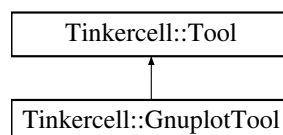
- **GetPenInfoDialog** (QWidget \*parent)
- void **setPen** (const QPen &, int)
- QPen **getPen** () const
- int **currentIndex** () const

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- Plot2DWidget.h
- Plot2DWidget.cpp

## 6.37 Tinkercell::GnuplotTool Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::GnuplotTool:



### Public Slots

- void **runScriptFile** (const QString &)
- void **makeScript** (const QString &)
- void **runScript** (const QString &)



## Public Member Functions

- [GnuplotTool](#) (QWidget \*parent=0)  
*default constructor*
- bool [setMainWindow](#) (MainWindow \*main)  
*set main window*

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- GnuplotTool.h
- GnuplotTool.cpp

## 6.38 TinkerCell::GraphicsScene Class Reference

The primary task of the graphics scene is to draw items. All interactions with the [GraphicsScene](#) is done through [MainWindow](#) or [NetworkHandle](#). [NetworkHandle](#) provides functions such as move, insert, and remove. [MainWindow](#) relays all the signals, such as mouse and key events, from the [GraphicsScene](#). So, there is rarely a need to directly interact with the [GraphicsScene](#).

```
#include <GraphicsScene.h>
```

## Public Slots

- virtual void [fitAll](#) () const  
*adjusts view to include all items*
- virtual void [fitInView](#) (const QRectF &) const  
*adjusts view to include the given rect*
- virtual void [popOut](#) ()  
*calls main window's popOut*
- virtual void [popIn](#) ()  
*calls main window's popIn*
- virtual void [zoom](#) (qreal scaleFactor)  
*zoom in or out*
- virtual void [zoomIn](#) ()  
*zoom in (zoom with 1.5)*
- virtual void [zoomOut](#) ()  
*zoom out (zoom with 0.75)*
- virtual void [selectAll](#) ()  
*select all items*

- virtual void [find](#) (const QString &, bool clearSelected=true)  
*select items with the given text*
- virtual void [find](#) (const QStringList &)  
*select items with the given texts*
- virtual void [deselect](#) ()  
*deselect all selected items*
- virtual void [copy](#) ()  
*copy selected items*
- virtual void [cut](#) ()  
*cut selected items*
- virtual void [paste](#) ()  
*paste copied items*
- virtual void [move](#) (QGraphicsItem \*item, const QPointF &distance)  
*a simple move operation that also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [move](#) (const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QPointF &distance)  
*a simple move operation that also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [move](#) (const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QPointF > &distance)  
*a simple move operation that also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [insert](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item)  
*this command performs an insert and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [insert](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items)  
*this command performs an insert and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [remove](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item)  
*this command performs an removal and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [remove](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items)  
*this command performs an removal and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [removeSelected](#) ()  
*remove selected items*
- virtual void [setBrush](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QBrush &to)  
*this command changes the brush of an item*
- virtual void [setBrush](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QBrush > &to)

*this command changes the brush of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

- virtual void [setZValue](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, qreal to)  
*this command changes the z value of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [setZValue](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< qreal > &to)  
*this command changes the z value of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [setPen](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QPen &to)  
*this command changes the pen of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [setPen](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QPen > &to)  
*this command changes the pen of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [setBrushAndPen](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QBrush &brush, const QPen &pen)  
*this command changes the pen and/or brush of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [setBrushAndPen](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QBrush > &brushes, const QList< QPen > &pens)  
*this command changes the pen and/or brush of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [transform](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QPointF &sizechange, qreal anglechange=0.0, bool VFlip=false, bool HFlip=false)  
*this command changes the size, angle, and orientation of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [transform](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QPointF > &sizechange, const QList< qreal > &anglechange=QList< qreal >(), const QList< bool > &verticalFlip=QList< bool >(), const QList< bool > &horizontalFlip=QList< bool >())  
*this command changes the size, angle, and orientation of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [setParentItem](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, QGraphicsItem \*newParent)  
*this command changes the parent of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [setParentItem](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, QGraphicsItem \*newParent)  
*this command changes the parent of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

- virtual void [setParentItem](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &newParents)

*this command changes the parent of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

## Signals

- void [copyItems](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*signals just before items are copied*
- void [itemsAboutToBeRemoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > &)  
*signals just before items are deleted*
- void [itemsRemoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*signals whenever items are deleted*
- void [itemsAboutToBeInserted](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > &)  
*signals whenever items are going to be added*
- void [itemsInserted](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*signals whenever items are added*
- void [itemsSelected](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, QPointF point, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)  
*signals whenever items are selected (item can be sub-item, not top-level)*
- void [mousePressed](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QPointF point, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)  
*signals whenever an empty node of the screen is clicked*
- void [mouseReleased](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QPointF point, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)  
*signals whenever an empty node of the screen is clicked*
- void [mouseDoubleClicked](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QPointF point, QGraphicsItem \*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)  
*emits event when mouse is double clicked*
- void [mouseDragged](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QPointF from, QPointF to, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)  
*signals whenever mouse is dragged from one point to another*
- void [itemsAboutToBeMoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &item, QList< QPointF > &distance, QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > &)

*signals whenever items are going to be moved (each item is the top-most item)*

- void [itemsMoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &item, const QList< QPointF > &distance)

*signals whenever items are being moved (each item is the top-most item)*

- void [mouseMoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, QPointF point, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &)

*signals whenever mouse moves, and indicates whether it is on top of an item*

- void [mouseOnTopOf](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, QPointF point, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &)

*signals whenever mouse is on top of an item*

- void [sceneRightClick](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, QPointF point, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)

*signals whenever right click is made on an item or scene*

- void [keyPressed](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QKeyEvent \*)

*signals whenever a key is pressed*

- void [keyReleased](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QKeyEvent \*)

*signals whenever a key is released*

- void [escapeSignal](#) (const QWidget \*sender)

*signals whenever the current activities need to be stopped*

- void [filesDropped](#) (const QList< QFileInfo > &files)

*signals whenever file(s) are dropped on the canvas*

- void [colorChanged](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items)

*signals whenever color of items are changed*

- void [parentItemChanged](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &parents)

*signals whenever item parents are changed*

## Public Member Functions

- [MainWindow](#) \* [mainWindow](#) () const

*the main window for this network*

- [ConsoleWindow](#) \* [console](#) () const

*same as network->mainWindow->console()*

- [ItemHandle](#) \* [localHandle](#) () const

*same as networkWindow->handle*

- [ItemHandle](#) \* [globalHandle](#) () const

*same as network->globalHandle()*

- virtual QRectF [visibleRegion](#) () const  
*Returns the currently visible window from the current graphics view.*
- virtual void [setBackground](#) (const QPixmap &) const  
*set the background image for the scene*
- virtual void [setForeground](#) (const QPixmap &) const  
*set the foreground image for the scene*
- virtual QPointF & [lastPoint](#) ()  
*Returns the point where mouse was clicked last on the scene coordinates.*
- virtual QPoint & [lastScreenPoint](#) ()  
*Returns the point where mouse was clicked last on the screen coordinates.*
- virtual QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & [selected](#) ()  
*Returns the list of pointers to items that are currently selected.*
- virtual QRectF [selectedRect](#) ()  
*Returns a rectangle that includes all the selected items.*
- virtual QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & [moving](#) ()  
*Returns the list of pointers to items that are currently being moved.*
- virtual qreal [ZValue](#) ()  
*top Z value*
- [GraphicsScene](#) (NetworkHandle \*network)  
*Constructor: sets 10000x10000 scene.*
- virtual ~[GraphicsScene](#) ()  
*destructor*
- virtual void [enableGrid](#) (int sz=100)  
*set the grid mode ON with the given grid size*
- virtual void [disableGrid](#) ()  
*set the grid mode OFF, which is same as setting grid size to 0*
- virtual void [setGridSize](#) (int sz=100)  
*set the grid size. If > 0, grid will be enabled. If 0, grid will be disabled*
- virtual int [gridSize](#) () const  
*get the grid size being used (0 = no grid)*
- virtual void [addItem](#) (QGraphicsItem \*item)  
*Add a new item to the scene (different from insert).*

- virtual void [centerOn](#) (const QPointF &point) const  
*place center at the point*
- virtual void [clearSelection](#) ()  
*Clear all selection and moving items list.*
- virtual void [print](#) (QPaintDevice \*printer, const QRectF &rect=QRectF())  
*send everything on the screen to a printer*
- virtual void [select](#) (QGraphicsItem \*item)  
*select one item (does not deselect other items)*
- virtual void [select](#) (const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &item)  
*select items (does not deselect previously selected items)*
- virtual void [deselect](#) (QGraphicsItem \*item)  
*deselect one item*
- virtual void [showToolTip](#) (QPointF, const QString &)  
*show a tooltip a the given position*
- virtual void [snapToGrid](#) (QGraphicsItem \*)  
*snap the node item to the grid*

## Public Attributes

- [NetworkHandle](#) \* [network](#)  
*the network represented by this scene*
- [NetworkWindow](#) \* [networkWindow](#)  
*the network window widget inside of which this scene is located*
- bool [useDefaultBehavior](#)  
*indicates whether this scene is free to perform actions*
- QMenu \* [contextItemsMenu](#)  
*the context menu that is shown during right-click event on selected graphical items. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*
- QMenu \* [contextScreenMenu](#)  
*the context menu that is shown during right-click event on the scene. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*

## Static Public Attributes

- static bool [USE\\_DEFAULT\\_BEHAVIOR](#) = true

*each graphics scene has a default behavior, i.e. moving, selecting, deleting. Whether or not to use the default behavior is set using `scene->useDefaultBehavior`. This static variable is the default value for each scene's `useDefaultBehavior` variable, i.e. setting this to true will cause a newly constructed graphics scene to NOT use default behaviors.*

- static int `GRID` = 0  
*setting grid to a non-zero value forces node items to "fit" on the grid, where the gap between the grid lines is determined by this variable. The default is 0, i.e. no grid*
- static QPen `SelectionRectanglePen` = Qt::NoPen  
*pen that is used to draw the selection rectangle*
- static QBrush `SelectionRectangleBrush` = QBrush(QColor(0,132,255,50))  
*brush that is used to color the selection rectangle*
- static QBrush `BackgroundBrush` = Qt::NoBrush  
*brush used to draw the background for all scenes*
- static QColor `BackgroundColor`  
*background color for all scenes*
- static QPen `GridPen` = QPen(Qt::lightGray,2)  
*pen used to draw the grid for the scene*
- static QBrush `ForegroundBrush` = Qt::NoBrush  
*brush used to draw the foreground for the scene*
- static QBrush `ToolTipBackgroundBrush` = QBrush(QColor(36,28,28,125))  
*brush used to draw the background of tool tips*
- static QBrush `ToolTipTextBrush` = QBrush(QColor(255,255,255,255))  
*brush used to draw the text for tool tips*
- static qreal `MIN_DRAG_DISTANCE` = 2.0  
*the minimum distance that gets classified as a "drag". Anything less will be considered just a click.*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void `hideToolTips` ()  
*hide the all tool tips*
- virtual void `hideGraphicalTools` ()  
*hide the all graphical tools*
- virtual void `showGraphicalTools` ()  
*show graphical tools for selected items*
- virtual void `scaleGraphicalTools` ()  
*scale the visible graphical tools according to viewport size*



- virtual void [mousePressEvent](#) (QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent \*mouseEvent)  
*when mouse is pressed, the item at the position is added to selected list and moving list*
- virtual void [mouseDoubleClickEvent](#) (QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent \*mouseEvent)  
*when mouse is double clicked, the item at the position is added to selected list and moving list*
- virtual void [mouseMoveEvent](#) (QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent \*mouseEvent)  
*when mouse is moving, all items in moving list are moved*
- virtual void [mouseReleaseEvent](#) (QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent \*mouseEvent)  
*when mouse is released, moving list is cleared*
- virtual void [keyPressEvent](#) (QKeyEvent \*event)  
*when key is pressed*
- virtual void [keyReleaseEvent](#) (QKeyEvent \*event)  
*when key is released*
- virtual void [contextMenuEvent](#) (QGraphicsSceneContextMenuEvent \*contextMenuEvent)  
*context menu for the scene*
- virtual void [populateContextMenu](#) ()  
*populate the context menu using selected items' tools actions*
- virtual void [drawBackground](#) (QPainter \*painter, const QRectF &rect)  
*draw background grid if in grid mode*
- virtual void [selectConnections](#) (const QPointF &)  
*used to select the entire connection during mouse click*

## Static Protected Member Functions

- static void [clearStaticItems](#) ()  
*clears copied items*

## Protected Attributes

- int [gridSz](#)  
*grid size. If zero, then disabled*
- qreal [lastZ](#)  
*topmost Z value*
- bool [contextMenuJustActivated](#)  
*a hack to prevent strange mouse movements after context menu event*

- `QGraphicsRectItem` [selectionRect](#)  
*rectangular selection area*
- `QList< QGraphicsItem * >` [toolTips](#)  
*list of temporary tool tips*
- `QPointF` [clickedPoint](#)  
*point where mouse is clicked*
- `QPoint` [clickedScreenPoint](#)  
*point where mouse is clicked on the screen*
- `Qt::MouseButton` [clickedButton](#)  
*button that was used when mouse was clicked*
- `bool` [mouseDown](#)  
*mouse is being pressed*
- `QList< QGraphicsItem * >` [selectedItems](#)  
*list of pointers to selected items*
- `QList< ToolGraphicsItem * >` [visibleTools](#)  
*list of pointers to tool items*
- `QList< QGraphicsItem * >` [movingItems](#)  
*list of pointers to moving items*
- `QGraphicsItemGroup *` [movingItemsGroup](#)  
*group of moving items*

## Static Protected Attributes

- static `QList< QGraphicsItem * >` [duplicateItems](#)  
*used to store copied items*
- static `GraphicsScene *` [copiedFromScene](#)  
*used to store copied items*

## Friends

- class `MainWindow`
- class `NetworkWindow`
- class `NetworkHandle`
- class `GraphicsView`
- class `SymbolsTable`

### 6.38.1 Detailed Description

The primary task of the graphics scene is to draw items. All interactions with the [GraphicsScene](#) is done through [MainWindow](#) or [NetworkHandle](#). [NetworkHandle](#) provides functions such as move, insert, and remove. [MainWindow](#) relays all the signals, such as mouse and key events, from the [GraphicsScene](#). So, there is rarely a need to directly interact with the [GraphicsScene](#).

### 6.38.2 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.38.2.1 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::addItem ( QGraphicsItem \* *item* ) [virtual]

Add a new item to the scene (different from insert).

Add a new item to the scene Precondition: None Postcondition: None.

See also

[insert](#)

Parameters

*QGraphicsItem\** TinkerCell object

Returns

void

Parameters

*TinkerCell* object

Returns

void

#### 6.38.2.2 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::centerOn ( const QPointF & *point* ) const [virtual]

place center at the point

place center at the point Precondition: None Postcondition: None

Parameters

*QPointF* point

Returns

void

Parameters

*point*

Returns

void

### 6.38.2.3 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::clearSelection ( ) [virtual]

Clear all selection and moving items list.

Clear all selection and moving items list Precondition: None Postcondition: None.

#### Returns

void

### 6.38.2.4 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::colorChanged ( GraphicsScene \* scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items ) [signal]

signals whenever color of items are changed

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items that changed color

#### Returns

void

### 6.38.2.5 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::contextMenuEvent ( QGraphicsSceneContextMenuEvent \* mouseEvent ) [protected, virtual]

context menu for the scene

context menu for the scene Precondition: None Postcondition: None

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsSceneContextMenuEvent* \* context menu event

#### Returns

void

#### Parameters

*context* menu event

#### Returns

void

### 6.38.2.6 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::copyItems ( GraphicsScene \* scene, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< ItemHandle \* > & ) [signal]

signals just before items are copied

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the items are going to be copied

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of graphics items going to be copied

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of handles going to be copied (does NOT have to be the same number as items removed)

#### Returns

void

#### 6.38.2.7 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::deselect ( ) [virtual, slot]

deselect all selected items

deselect items

#### Returns

void

#### 6.38.2.8 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::deselect ( QGraphicsItem \* item ) [virtual]

deselect one item

deselect items

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem\** item to deselect

#### Returns

void

#### 6.38.2.9 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::disableGrid ( ) [virtual]

set the grid mode OFF, which is same as setting grid size to 0

#### Returns

void

#### 6.38.2.10 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::enableGrid ( int sz = 100 ) [virtual]

set the grid mode ON with the given grid size

#### Parameters

*double* grid size (0 will disable grid)

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.11 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::escapeSignal ( const QWidget \* *sender* ) [signal]**

signals whenever the current activities need to be stopped

**Parameters**

*QWidget* \* the widget that send the signal

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.12 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::filesDropped ( const QList< QFileInfo > & *files* ) [signal]**

signals whenever file(s) are dropped on the canvas

**Parameters**

*QList<QFileInfo>&* the name(s) of the file(s)

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.13 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::fitAll ( ) const [virtual, slot]**

adjusts view to include all items

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.14 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::fitInView ( const QRectF & *rect* ) const [virtual, slot]**

adjusts view to include the given rect

adjusts view to include rect

**Parameters**

*QRectF*

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.15 int Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::gridSize ( ) const [virtual]**

get the grid size being used (0 = no grid)

**Returns**

int

**6.38.2.16** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::insert ( const QString & *name*, QGraphicsItem \* *item* ) [virtual, slot]

this command performs an insert and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

#### Parameters

*QString* name of new item

*QList<QPointF>&* distance to move the items specified for each item

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.17** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::insert ( const QString & *name*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *items* ) [virtual, slot]

this command performs an insert and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command performs an insert and allows redo/undo of that insert

**6.38.2.18** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::itemsAboutToBeInserted ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< ItemHandle \* > &, QList< QUndoCommand \* > & ) [signal]

signals whenever items are going to be added

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the items are added

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of new graphics items

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of new handles (does NOT have to be the same number as items)

*QList<QUndoCommand\*>&* list of commands that will be executed right before items are inserted

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.19** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::itemsAboutToBeMoved ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *item*, QList< QPointF > & *distance*, QList< QUndoCommand \* > & ) [signal]

signals whenever items are going to be moved (each item is the top-most item)

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the items were moved

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of pointers to all moving items

*QPointF* distance by which items moved

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

*QList<QUndoCommand\*>&* list of commands that will be executed right before items are inserted

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.20** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::itemsAboutToBeRemoved ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*,  
QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< ItemHandle \* > &, QList< QUndoCommand  
\* > & ) [**signal**]

signals just before items are deleted

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the items are going to be removed

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of graphics items going to be removed

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of handles going to be removed (does NOT have to be the same number as items removed)

*QList<QUndoCommand\*>&* list of commands that will be executed right before items are removed

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.21** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::itemsInserted ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList<  
QGraphicsItem \* > &, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & ) [**signal**]

signals whenever items are added

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene*\* scene where the items were added

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of new graphics items

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of new handles (does NOT have to be the same number as items)

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.22** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::itemsMoved ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList<  
QGraphicsItem \* > & *item*, const QList< QPointF > & *distance* ) [**signal**]

signals whenever items are being moved (each item is the top-most item)

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene*\* scene where the items were moved

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of pointers to all moving items



*QPointF* distance by which items moved

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.23** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::itemsRemoved ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & ) [signal]

signals whenever items are deleted

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the items were removed

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of items removed

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of handles removed (does NOT have to be the same number as items removed)

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.24** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::itemsSelected ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *items*, QPointF *point*, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers* ) [signal]

signals whenever items are selected (item can be sub-item, not top-level)

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** scene where items are selected

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of all selected item pointers

*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.25** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::keyPressed ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QKeyEvent \* ) [signal]

signals whenever a key is pressed

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the event took place

*QKeyEvent* \* key that is pressed

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.26** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::keyPressEvent ( QKeyEvent \* *keyEvent* )  
[protected, virtual]

when key is pressed

when key is pressed Precondition: None Postcondition: None

**Parameters**

*QKeyEvent* \* key event

**Returns**

void

**Parameters**

*key* event

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.27** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::keyReleased ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QKeyEvent \*  
) [signal]

signals whenever a key is released

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene*\* *scene* where the event took place

*QKeyEvent* \* key that is released

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.28** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::keyReleaseEvent ( QKeyEvent \* *keyEvent* )  
[protected, virtual]

when key is released

when key is released Precondition: None Postcondition: None

**Parameters**

*QKeyEvent* \* key event

**Returns**

void

**Parameters**

*key* event

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.29 QPointF & TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::lastPoint ( ) [virtual]**

Returns the point where mouse was clicked last on the scene coordinates.

Returns the point where mouse was clicked last Precondition: None Postcondition: None.

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

QPointF& ref to last clicked point on the scene

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

ref to last clicked point

**6.38.2.30 QPoint & TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::lastScreenPoint ( ) [virtual]**

Returns the point where mouse was clicked last on the screen coordinates.

Returns the point where mouse was clicked last Precondition: None Postcondition: None.

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

QPointF& ref to last clicked point on the screen

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

ref to last clicked point

**6.38.2.31 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::mouseDoubleClicked ( GraphicsScene \* scene, QPointF point, QGraphicsItem \*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers ) [signal]**

emits event when mouse is double clicked

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the event took place

*point* where mouse is clicked

*modifier* keys being used when mouse clicked

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.32** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::mouseDoubleClickEvent (   
 QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent \* *mouseEvent* ) [protected, virtual]

when mouse is double clicked, the item at the position is added to selected list and moving list  
emits signal when mouse is double clicked Precondition: None Postcondition: None

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent* \* mouse event

#### Returns

void

#### Parameters

*mouse* event

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.33** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::mouseDragged ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QPointF   
 *from*, QPointF *to*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers* ) [signal]

signals whenever mouse is dragged from one point to another

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene*\* scene where the event took place

*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked first

*QPointF* point where mouse is released

*Qt::MouseButton* button being pressed

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.34** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::mouseMoved ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*,   
 QGraphicsItem \* *item*, QPointF *point*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers   
 *modifiers*, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & ) [signal]

signals whenever mouse moves, and indicates whether it is on top of an item

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene*\* scene where the event took place

*QGraphicsItem*\* pointer to item that mouse is on top of

*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked

*Qt::MouseButton* button being pressed

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of items that are being moved with the mouse

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.35** void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::mouseMoveEvent ( QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent \* *mouseEvent* ) [protected, virtual]

when mouse is moving, all items in moving list are moved

when mouse is moving, all items in moving list are moved Precondition: None Postcondition: None

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent* \* mouse event

#### Returns

void

#### Parameters

*mouse* event

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.36** void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::mouseOnTopOf ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QGraphicsItem \* *item*, QPointF *point*, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers*, QList<QGraphicsItem \* > & ) [signal]

signals whenever mouse is on top of an item

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene*\* scene where the event took place

*QGraphicsItem*\* pointer to item that mouse is on top of

*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of items that are being moved with the mouse

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.37** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::mousePressed ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QPointF *point*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers* ) [signal]

signals whenever an empty node of the screen is clicked

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** *scene* where the event took place

*QPointF* *point* where mouse is clicked

*Qt::MouseButton* which button was pressed

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.38** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::mousePressEvent ( QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent \* *mouseEvent* ) [protected, virtual]

when mouse is pressed, the item at the position is added to selected list and moving list

when mouse is pressed, the item at the position is added to selected list and moving list  
Precondition: None  
Postcondition: None

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent* \* *mouse event*

#### Returns

void

#### Parameters

*mouse* event

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.39** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::mouseReleased ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QPointF *point*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers* ) [signal]

signals whenever an empty node of the screen is clicked

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** *scene* where the event took place

*QPointF* *point* where mouse is clicked

*Qt::MouseButton* which button was pressed

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.40 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::mouseReleaseEvent ( QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent \* *mouseEvent* ) [protected, virtual]**

when mouse is released, moving list is cleared

when mouse is released, moving list is cleared Precondition: None Postcondition: None

**Parameters**

*QGraphicsSceneMouseEvent* \* mouse event

**Returns**

void

**Parameters**

*mouse* event

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.41 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::move ( const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *items*, const QPointF & *distance* ) [virtual, slot]**

a simple move operation that also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

a simple move operation with undo

**Parameters**

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items to move

*QPointF* distance to move the items (same for all items)

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.42 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::move ( QGraphicsItem \* *item*, const QPointF & *distance* ) [virtual, slot]**

a simple move operation that also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

a simple move operation with undo

**Parameters**

*QGraphicsItem* \* item to move

*QPointF* distance to move the item

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.43** `void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::move ( const QList< QGraphicsItem * > & items, const QList< QPointF > & distance ) [virtual, slot]`

a simple move operation that also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

a simple move operation with undo

#### Parameters

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items to move

*QList<QPointF\*>&* distance to move the items specified for each item

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.44** `QList< QGraphicsItem * > & Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::moving ( ) [virtual]`

Returns the list of pointers to items that are currently being moved.

Returns the list of pointers to items that are currently being moved Precondition: None Postcondition: None.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of pointers to moving items

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

list of pointers to moving items

**6.38.2.45** `void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::parentItemChanged ( QGraphicsScene * scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem * > & items, const QList< QGraphicsItem * > & parents ) [signal]`

signals whenever item parents are changed

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* new parents

#### Returns

void



**6.38.2.46 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::popIn ( ) [virtual, slot]**

calls main window's popIn

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.47 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::popOut ( ) [virtual, slot]**

calls main window's popOut

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.48 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::populateContextMenu ( ) [protected, virtual]**

populate the context menu using selected items' tools actions

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.49 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::print ( QPaintDevice \* *printer*, const QRectF & *rect* = QRectF() ) [virtual]**

send everything on the screen to a printer

prints the current scene

**Parameters**

*QPaintDevice* \* *printer*

*QRectF* region to print

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.50 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::remove ( const QString & *name*, QGraphicsItem \* *item* ) [virtual, slot]**

this command performs an removal and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command performs an removal and allows redo/undo of that removal

**6.38.2.51** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::remove ( const QString & *name*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *items* ) [virtual, slot]

this command performs an removal and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command performs an removal and allows redo/undo of that removal

**6.38.2.52** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::sceneRightClick ( QGraphicsScene \* *scene*, QGraphicsItem \* *item*, QPointF *point*, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers* ) [signal]

signals whenever right click is made on an item or scene

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the event took place

*QGraphicsItem\** pointer to item that mouse is clicked on

*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.53** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::select ( QGraphicsItem \* *item* ) [virtual]

select one item (does not deselect other items)

select items

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem\** item to select

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.54** void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::select ( const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *item* ) [virtual]

select items (does not deselect previously selected items)

select items

#### Parameters

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items to select

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.55 QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::selected ( ) [virtual]**

Returns the list of pointers to items that are currently selected.

Returns the list of pointers to items that are currently selected Precondition: None Postcondition: None.

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

QList<QGraphicsItem\*>& list of pointers to selected items

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

list of pointers to selected items

**6.38.2.56 QRectF TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::selectedRect ( ) [virtual]**

Returns a rectangle that includes all the selected items.

Returns a rectangle that includes all the selected items Precondition: None Postcondition: None.

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

QRectF bounding rect for selected items

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

bounding rect for selected items

**6.38.2.57 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::setBrush ( const QString & name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, const QList< QBrush > & to ) [virtual, slot]**

this command changes the brush of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the brush of an item

**6.38.2.58 void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::setBrushAndPen ( const QString & name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, const QList< QBrush > & brushes, const QList< QPen > & pens ) [virtual, slot]**

this command changes the pen and/or brush of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the pen of an item

**6.38.2.59** `void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::setBrushAndPen ( const QString & name,  
QGraphicsItem * item, const QBrush & brush, const QPen & pen ) [virtual,  
slot]`

this command changes the pen and/or brush of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the pen of an item

**6.38.2.60** `void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::setGridSize ( int sz = 100 ) [virtual]`

set the grid size. If > 0, grid will be enabled. If 0, grid will be disabled

#### Parameters

*double* grid size (0 will disable grid)

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.61** `void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::setParentItem ( const QString & name, const QList<  
QGraphicsItem * > & items, QGraphicsItem * newParent ) [virtual, slot]`

this command changes the parent of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the parent of an item

**6.38.2.62** `void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::setParentItem ( const QString & name,  
QGraphicsItem * item, QGraphicsItem * newParent ) [virtual, slot]`

this command changes the parent of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the parent of an item

**6.38.2.63** `void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::setParentItem ( const QString & name, const QList<  
QGraphicsItem * > & items, const QList< QGraphicsItem * > & newParents )  
[virtual, slot]`

this command changes the parent of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the parent of an item

**6.38.2.64** `void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::setPen ( const QString & name, const QList<  
QGraphicsItem * > & items, const QList< QPen > & to ) [virtual, slot]`

this command changes the pen of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the pen of an item

**6.38.2.65** `void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::setPen ( const QString & name, QGraphicsItem * item, const QPen & to ) [virtual, slot]`

this command changes the pen of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the pen of an item

**6.38.2.66** `void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::snapToGrid ( QGraphicsItem * item ) [virtual]`

snap the node item to the grid

#### Parameters

*NodeGraphicsItem\**

#### Returns

void

**6.38.2.67** `void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::transform ( const QString & name, const QList< QGraphicsItem * > & items, const QList< QPointF > & sizechange, const QList< qreal > & anglechange = QList< qreal > (), const QList< bool > & verticalFlip = QList< bool > (), const QList< bool > & horizontalFlip = QList< bool > () ) [virtual, slot]`

this command changes the size, angle, and orientation of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the size, angle, and orientation of an item

**6.38.2.68** `void TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::transform ( const QString & name, QGraphicsItem * item, const QPointF & sizechange, qreal anglechange = 0.0, bool VFlip = false, bool HFlip = false ) [virtual, slot]`

this command changes the size, angle, and orientation of an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

this command changes the size, angle, and orientation of an item

**6.38.2.69** `QRectF TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::visibleRegion ( ) const [virtual]`

Returns the currently visible window from the current graphics view.

Returns the currently visible window.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

QRectF rectangle

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

rectangle

**6.38.2.70 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::zoom ( qreal *scaleFactor* ) [virtual, slot]**

zoom in or out

zoom

**Parameters**

*scale* factor (< 1 means zoom out)

**Returns**

void

**Parameters**

*scale* factor

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.71 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::zoomIn ( ) [virtual, slot]**

zoom in (zoom with 1.5)

zoom in

**Returns**

void

**Parameters**

*scale* factor

**Returns**

void

**6.38.2.72 void Tinkercell::GraphicsScene::zoomOut ( ) [virtual, slot]**

zoom out (zoom with 0.75)

zoom out

**Parameters**

*scale* factor

**Returns**

void

### 6.38.2.73 qreal TinkerCell::GraphicsScene::ZValue ( ) [virtual]

top Z value

top Z value Precondition: None Postcondition: None

#### Returns

double

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- GraphicsScene.h
- GraphicsScene.cpp

## 6.39 TinkerCell::GraphicsView Class Reference

[GraphicsView](#) class that is used to view the contents of a [GraphicsScene](#). The class inherits from [QGraphicsView](#).

```
#include <GraphicsView.h>
```

### Signals

- void [itemsDropped](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*, const QString &, const QPointF &)  
*signal is emitted when some object OTHER than files are dropped on the canvas*

### Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [drawBackground](#) (QPainter \*painter, const QRectF &rect)  
*draw background*
- virtual void [drawForeground](#) (QPainter \*painter, const QRectF &rect)  
*draw foreground*
- virtual void [dropEvent](#) (QDropEvent \*)  
*drag and drop*
- virtual void [dragEnterEvent](#) (QDragEnterEvent \*event)  
*drag and drop*
- virtual void [dragMoveEvent](#) (QDragMoveEvent \*event)  
*drag and drop*
- virtual void [wheelEvent](#) (QWheelEvent \*event)  
*mouse wheel event*
- virtual void [scrollContentsBy](#) (int dx, int dy)  
*scroll event*

- virtual void [mousePressEvent](#) (QMouseEvent \*event)  
*mouse event. sets the currentGraphicsView for [NetworkWindow](#)*
- virtual void [keyPressEvent](#) (QKeyEvent \*event)  
*mouse event. sets the currentGraphicsView for [NetworkWindow](#)*
- virtual void [mouseMoveEvent](#) (QMouseEvent \*event)  
*when moved using right button or ctrl, mode switches to drag*

## Friends

- class **GraphicsScene**
- class **NetworkWindow**
- class **NetworkHandle**
- class **MainWindow**

### 6.39.1 Detailed Description

[GraphicsView](#) class that is used to view the contents of a [GraphicsScene](#). The class inherits from QGraphicsView.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- GraphicsView.h
- GraphicsView.cpp

## 6.40 Tinkercell::HistoryWindow Class Reference

This is a small class extending QUndoView that manages a stack of undo commands.

```
#include <HistoryWindow.h>
```

## Public Slots

- void **undo** ()
- void **redo** ()
- void **push** ([QUndoCommand](#) \*command)

### 6.40.1 Detailed Description

This is a small class extending QUndoView that manages a stack of undo commands.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- HistoryWindow.h
- HistoryWindow.cpp

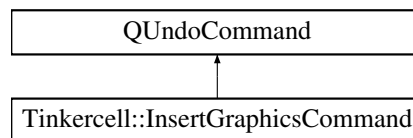


## 6.41 TinkerCell::InsertGraphicsCommand Class Reference

this command performs an insert and allows redo/undo of that insert

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::InsertGraphicsCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [InsertGraphicsCommand](#) (const QString &name, [GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, bool checkNames=true)  
*constructor*
- [InsertGraphicsCommand](#) (const QString &name, [GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, bool checkNames=true)  
*constructor*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*redo the change*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*undo the change*
- virtual [~InsertGraphicsCommand](#) ()  
*destructor*

### 6.41.1 Detailed Description

this command performs an insert and allows redo/undo of that insert

### 6.41.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.41.2.1 TinkerCell::InsertGraphicsCommand::InsertGraphicsCommand ( const QString &name, GraphicsScene \* scene, QGraphicsItem \* item, bool checkNames = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

- QString* name of command
- GraphicsScene\** where change happened
- QGraphicsItem\** item that is inserted
- bool* check for uniqueness of names before inserting (default = true)

### 6.41.2.2 Tinkercell::InsertGraphicsCommand::InsertGraphicsCommand ( const QString & name, GraphicsScene \* scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, bool checkNames = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*GraphicsScene\** where change happened

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items that are inserted

*bool* check for uniqueness of names before inserting (default = true)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

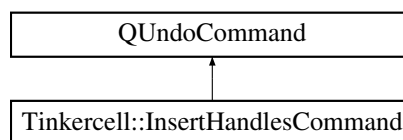
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.42 Tinkercell::InsertHandlesCommand Class Reference

this command inserts new handles to a [NetworkHandle](#)

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::InsertHandlesCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [InsertHandlesCommand](#) ( [TextEditor](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, bool checkNames=true)  
*constructor*
- [InsertHandlesCommand](#) ( [TextEditor](#) \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, bool checkNames=true)  
*constructor*
- [~InsertHandlesCommand](#) ()  
*destructor: deletes all text items and their handles (if not containing any graphics items)*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*redo the change*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*undo the change*

### 6.42.1 Detailed Description

this command inserts new handles to a [NetworkHandle](#)

### 6.42.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.42.2.1 Tinkercell::InsertHandlesCommand::InsertHandlesCommand ( *TextEditor* \* *textEditor*, const *QList*< *ItemHandle* \* > & *list*, bool *checkNames* = *true* )

constructor

##### Parameters

- NetworkHandle*\* window where items are inserted
- QList*<*ItemHandle*\*> new items
- bool* check for uniqueness of names before inserting

#### 6.42.2.2 Tinkercell::InsertHandlesCommand::InsertHandlesCommand ( *TextEditor* \* *textEditor*, *ItemHandle* \* *h*, bool *checkNames* = *true* )

constructor

##### Parameters

- NetworkHandle*\* window where items are inserted
- ItemHandle*\* new item
- bool* check for uniqueness of names before inserting

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

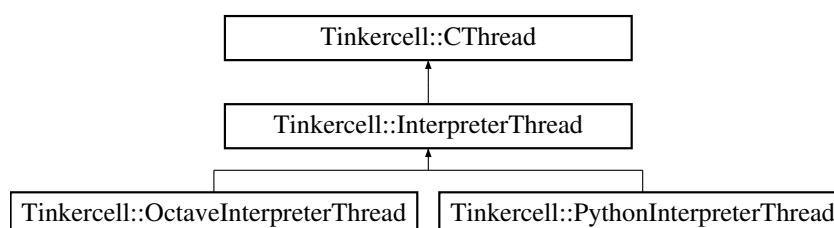
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.43 Tinkercell::InterpreterThread Class Reference

This class is used to run interpreters such as python, perl, octave, R, etc. This is the parent class that provides the basic structure for loading the library that will embed one of these languages.

```
#include <InterpreterThread.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::InterpreterThread:



## Public Slots

- virtual void **initialize** ()
- virtual void **exec** (const QString &)
- virtual void **finalize** ()
- virtual void **toolLoaded** ([Tool](#) \*)

## Public Member Functions

- [InterpreterThread](#) (const QString &, [MainWindow](#) \*main)  
*load an embedded interpreter (e.g. python)*
- virtual [~InterpreterThread](#) ()  
*unloads the library*
- virtual void [setCPointers](#) ()  
*requests main window to load all the C pointers for the C API inside the embedded library*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [run](#) ()  
*the main function that runs one of the specified functions*

## Protected Attributes

- QString **code**
- QQueue< QString > **codeQueue**

### 6.43.1 Detailed Description

This class is used to run interpreters such as python, perl, octave, R, etc. This is the parent class that provides the basic structure for loading the library that will embed one of these languages.

#### See also

[PythonInterpreterThread](#)  
[OctaveInterpreterThread](#)

### 6.43.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.43.2.1 Tinkercell::InterpreterThread::InterpreterThread ( const QString & *dllname*, MainWindow \* *main* )

load an embedded interpreter (e.g. python)

#### Parameters

*QString* name of the embed library

*Main Window* \* TinkerCell main window

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- InterpreterThread.h
- InterpreterThread.cpp

## 6.44 Tinkercell::ItemData Class Reference

This class is used to store information about nodes or connections. It contains a hashtable of data tables, which is used by different tools to store specific data. The versions queue can be used to keep previous versions of the data.

```
#include <ItemHandle.h>
```

### Friends

- class **ItemHandle**

### 6.44.1 Detailed Description

This class is used to store information about nodes or connections. It contains a hashtable of data tables, which is used by different tools to store specific data. The versions queue can be used to keep previous versions of the data.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

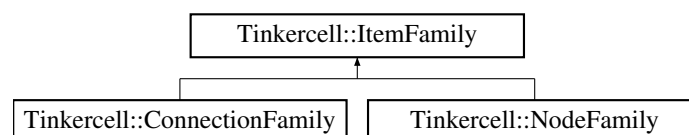
- ItemHandle.h
- ItemHandle.cpp

## 6.45 Tinkercell::ItemFamily Class Reference

This class defines the family of a node or connection. The class contains the icon for the family, family name, and minimal data that defines the family. Each family has a name, which is internally converted to an integer (ID) The ID is used to perform isA checks, thus avoiding repeated string matches.

```
#include <ItemFamily.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::ItemFamily:



### Public Member Functions

- virtual QString **name** () const

*name of this family*

- virtual void [setName](#) (const QString &)  
*set name of this family*
- virtual bool [isA](#) (const QString &) const  
*indicates whether or not the given string is the name of this family or any of its parent families*
- virtual bool [isA](#) (const [ItemFamily](#) \*) const  
*indicates whether or not the given family is the name of this family or any of its parent families*
- virtual [ItemFamily](#) \* [root](#) () const  
*get the top-most family*
- virtual bool [isRelatedTo](#) (const [ItemFamily](#) \*) const  
*checks if the given family shares its root family with this family*
- virtual [ItemFamily](#) \* [parent](#) () const  
*get the parent for this family. If there are more than one parents, returns the first*
- virtual QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > [parents](#) () const  
*get all the parents for this family.*
- virtual QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > [children](#) () const  
*get all the families that inherit directly from this family*
- virtual QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > [allChildren](#) () const  
*get all the families that inherit from this family. the list will be ordered in a breadth-first ordering*
- [ItemFamily](#) (const QString &name=QString())  
*constructor.*
- virtual [~ItemFamily](#) ()  
*destructor.*

## Public Attributes

- QString [description](#)  
*description of this family*
- QList< [Unit](#) > [measurementUnitOptions](#)  
*the possible options for measurement name and unit for items in this family*
- [Unit](#) [measurementUnit](#)  
*the measurement name and unit for items in this family*
- QHash< QString, qreal > [numericalAttributes](#)  
*the list of numerical attributes that are common to all members of this family*

- `QHash< QString, QString >` [textAttributes](#)  
*the list of string attributes that are common to all members of this family*
- `QList< QGraphicsItem * >` [graphicsItems](#)  
*the default set of graphics items used to represent items of this family*
- `QPixmap` [pixmap](#)  
*the icon representing this family*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual bool [isA](#) (int [ID](#)) const  
*indicates whether or not the given family ID is the name of this family or any of its parent families*

## Protected Attributes

- int [type](#)  
*used for casting between different sub-classes*
- `QString` [\\_name](#)  
*name of this family*
- int [ID](#)  
*the ID for this family. It is used for quick equality checks (instead of using strings)*

## Static Protected Attributes

- static `QStringList` [ALLNAMES](#)  
*all family names. This list's length is used to assign the next ID*
- static `QHash< QString, int >` [NAMETOID](#)  
*the hash stores names for each ID*

## Friends

- class `NodeFamily`
- class `ConnectionFamily`

### 6.45.1 Detailed Description

This class defines the family of a node or connection. The class contains the icon for the family, family name, and minimal data that defines the family. Each family has a name, which is internally converted to an integer (ID). The ID is used to perform isA checks, thus avoiding repeated string matches.

## 6.45.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.45.2.1 Tinkercell::ItemFamily::ItemFamily ( const QString & name = QString() )

constructor.

#### Parameters

*QString* name

## 6.45.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.45.3.1 QList< ItemFamily \* > Tinkercell::ItemFamily::allChildren ( ) const [virtual]

get all the families that inherit from this family. the list will be ordered in a breadth-first ordering

#### Returns

QList<ItemFamily\*>

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

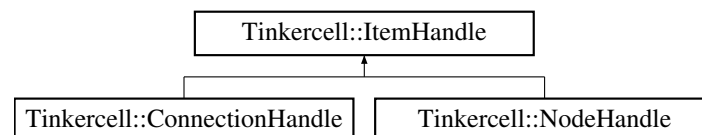
- ItemFamily.h
- ItemFamily.cpp

## 6.46 Tinkercell::ItemHandle Class Reference

The [ItemHandle](#) represents a complete object in the network, whether it is a node or a connection. The [ItemHandle](#) contains the name of the object and pointers to all the QGraphicsItems that are used to represent the object. Tools associated with the object can be stored within the [ItemHandle](#) as well. The [ItemHandle](#) can also optionally contain an [ItemFamily](#), which can be used to distinguish different types of nodes or connections, if needed. Each [ItemHandle](#) can contain one parent. Several functions are available for conveniently getting the parents and children of an [ItemHandle](#).

```
#include <ItemHandle.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::ItemHandle:



## Public Member Functions

- [ItemHandle](#) (const QString &name=QString())  
*default constructor*
- [ItemHandle](#) (const [ItemHandle](#) &)  
*copy constructor*



- virtual [ItemHandle](#) & [operator=](#) (const [ItemHandle](#) &)  
*operator =*
- virtual [~ItemHandle](#) ()  
*destructor -- does nothing*
- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [clone](#) () const  
*clone the data and lists*
- virtual [ItemFamily](#) \* [family](#) () const  
*family that this items belongs in. Used for characterizing the nodes and connections.*
- virtual void [setFamily](#) ([ItemFamily](#) \*, bool useCommand=true)  
*set the family that this items belongs in.*
- virtual bool [isA](#) (const [ItemFamily](#) \*family) const  
*determines whether this handle belongs to the speicific family.*
- virtual bool [isA](#) (const QString &family) const  
*determines whether this handle belongs to the speicific family.*
- virtual QString [fullName](#) (const QString &sep=QString(".")) const  
*The full name includes all the parent names appended using a dot.*
- virtual void [setParent](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*parent, bool useCommand=true)  
*Set the parent for this handle.*
- virtual void [rename](#) (const QString &)  
*set name of this handle and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &hashstring, const [NumericalDataTable](#) \*newdata)  
*change numerical data table and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &hashstring, const [TextDataTable](#) \*newdata)  
*change text data table and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [root](#) (const QString &family=QString("")) const  
*get the top-level handle such that it is of the specified family. If no family is specified, then gets the top-level handle*
- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [parentOfFamily](#) (const QString &family) const  
*get the bottom-most parent handle such that it is of the specified family. If no family is specified, then gets the top-level handle*
- virtual bool [isChildOf](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*handle) const  
*checks if an item is the parent or parent's parent, or parent's parent's parent, etc. Note: self->isChildOf(self) is false*
- virtual int [depth](#) () const

*counts the number of parents that have to be traversed in order to reach the root handle. If this handle has no parents, the value returned is 0. If its parent has no parent, then the value is 1, and so on.*

- virtual QList< QGraphicsItem \* > [allGraphicsItems](#) () const  
*gets the graphics items belonging to this handle and all child handles*
- virtual QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > [allChildren](#) () const  
*gets the all child handles and their child handles*
- QStringList [numericalDataNames](#) () const  
*all the numerical data table names*
- QStringList [textDataNames](#) () const  
*all the numerical text table names*
- bool [hasNumericalData](#) (const QString &[name](#)) const  
*does this handle have a numerical data table with this name?*
- bool [hasTextData](#) (const QString &[name](#)) const  
*does this handle have a text data table with this name?*
- qreal [numericalData](#) (const QString &[name](#), int row=0, int column=0) const  
*gets a numerical attribute with the given name, row, column*
- qreal [numericalData](#) (const QString &[name](#), const QString &row, const QString &column=QString()) const  
*gets a numerical attribute with the given name, row, column*
- QString [textData](#) (const QString &[name](#), int row=0, int column=0) const  
*gets a text attribute with the given name, row, column*
- QString [textData](#) (const QString &[name](#), const QString &row, const QString &column=QString()) const  
*gets a text attribute with the given name, row, column*
- qreal & [numericalData](#) (const QString &[name](#), int row=0, int column=0)  
*gets a reference to the numerical attribute with the given name, row, column*
- qreal & [numericalData](#) (const QString &[name](#), const QString &row, const QString &column=QString())  
*gets a reference to the numerical attribute with the given name, row, column*
- QString & [textData](#) (const QString &[name](#), int row=0, int column=0)  
*gets a reference to the text attribute with the given name, row, column*
- QString & [textData](#) (const QString &[name](#), const QString &row, const QString &column=QString())  
*gets a reference to the text attribute with the given name, row, column*
- [NumericalDataTable](#) & [numericalDataTable](#) (const QString &[name](#))

*gets reference to a numerical table with the given name. Makes the table if needed*

- [TextDataTable](#) & [textDataTable](#) (const QString &name)

*gets reference to a text table with the given name. Makes the table if needed*

## Public Attributes

- QString [name](#)

*name of this item*

- QList< QGraphicsItem \* > [graphicsItems](#)

*list of graphical items used to draw this handle*

- QList< Tool \* > [tools](#)

*list of tools associated with this handle*

- [NetworkHandle](#) \* [network](#)

*the network that this item belongs in*

- [ItemHandle](#) \* [parent](#)

*this handles immediate parent (main parent if there are more than one)*

- QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > [children](#)

*child handles that have this handle as a parent*

- int [type](#)

*type of this handle (sub-classes can specify type)*

### 6.46.1 Detailed Description

The [ItemHandle](#) represents a complete object in the network, whether it is a node or a connection. The [ItemHandle](#) contains the name of the object and pointers to all the [QGraphicsItems](#) that are used to represent the object. Tools associated with the object can be stored within the [ItemHandle](#) as well. The [ItemHandle](#) can also optionally contain an [ItemFamily](#), which can be used to distinguish different types of nodes or connections, if needed. Each [ItemHandle](#) can contain one parent. Several functions are available for conveniently getting the parents and children of an [ItemHandle](#). Use `setHandle` and `getHandle` functions to get and set the handles for [QGraphicsItems](#). Use `h->data->numericalData[string]` or `h->data->textData[string]` to get the [DataTable](#) with the particular name. Alternatively, `h->numericalData(string)` or `h->textData(string)` can be used to access the data conveniently.

The [SymbolsTable](#) is used to store all the handles in a network.

### 6.46.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.46.2.1 TinkerCell::ItemHandle::ItemHandle ( const QString & name = QString() )

default constructor

**Parameters**

*QString* name

**6.46.3 Member Function Documentation****6.46.3.1 QList< ItemHandle \* > Tinkercell::ItemHandle::allChildren ( ) const [virtual]**

gets the all child handles and their child handles

**Returns**

QList<ItemHandle\*> list of handles

**6.46.3.2 QList< QGraphicsItem \* > Tinkercell::ItemHandle::allGraphicsItems ( ) const [virtual]**

gets the graphics items belonging to this handle and all child handles

**Returns**

QList<QGraphicsItem\*> list of graphics items

**6.46.3.3 int Tinkercell::ItemHandle::depth ( ) const [virtual]**

counts the number of parents that have to be traversed in order to reach the root handle. If this handle has no parents, the value returned is 0. If its parent has no parent, then the value is 1, and so on.

**Returns**

int

**6.46.3.4 QString Tinkercell::ItemHandle::fullName ( const QString & sep = QString(".") const [virtual]**

The full name includes all the parent names appended using a dot.

**Parameters**

*QString* replace the dot with some other separator

**6.46.3.5 bool Tinkercell::ItemHandle::hasNumericalData ( const QString & name ) const**

does this handle have a numerical data table with this name?

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Numerical Attributes"

**Returns**

bool true = has a numerical table by this name. false = does not have a numerical table by this name

**6.46.3.6 bool TinkerCell::ItemHandle::hasTextData ( const QString & *name* ) const**

does this handle have a text data table with this name?

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Text Attributes"

**Returns**

bool true = has a text table by this name. false = does not have a text table by this name

**6.46.3.7 bool TinkerCell::ItemHandle::isA ( const ItemFamily \* *family* ) const [virtual]**

determines whether this handle belongs to the specific family.

**Parameters**

*QString* the family

**6.46.3.8 bool TinkerCell::ItemHandle::isA ( const QString & *family* ) const [virtual]**

determines whether this handle belongs to the specific family.

**Parameters**

*QString* the family name

**6.46.3.9 bool TinkerCell::ItemHandle::isChildOf ( ItemHandle \* *handle* ) const [virtual]**

checks if an item is the parent or parent's parent, or parent's parent's parent, etc. Note: self->isChildOf(self) is false

**Parameters**

*ItemHandle\** parent handle

**Returns**

Boolean is child

**6.46.3.10 qreal TinkerCell::ItemHandle::numericalData ( const QString & *name*, const QString & *row*, const QString & *column* = *QString()* ) const**

gets a numerical attribute with the given name, row, column

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Numerical Attributes"

*QString* row name in data table

*QString* column name data table

**Returns**

double value

**6.46.3.11    `qreal Tinkercell::ItemHandle::numericalData ( const QString & name, int row = 0, int column = 0 ) const`**

gets a numerical attribute with the given name, row, column

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Numerical Attributes"  
*int* row in data table  
*int* column in data table

**Returns**

double value

**6.46.3.12    `qreal & Tinkercell::ItemHandle::numericalData ( const QString & name, int row = 0, int column = 0 )`**

gets a reference to the numerical attribute with the given name, row, column

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Numerical Attributes"  
*int* row in data table  
*int* column in data table

**Returns**

double reference value

**6.46.3.13    `qreal & Tinkercell::ItemHandle::numericalData ( const QString & name, const QString & row, const QString & column = QString() )`**

gets a reference to the numerical attribute with the given name, row, column

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Numerical Attributes"  
*QString* row name in data table  
*QString* column name data table

**Returns**

double reference value

**6.46.3.14    `QStringList Tinkercell::ItemHandle::numericalDataNames ( ) const`**

all the numerical data table names

**Returns**

QStringList

### 6.46.3.15 DataTable< qreal > & TinkerCell::ItemHandle::numericalDataTable ( const QString & name )

gets reference to a numerical table with the given name. Makes the table if needed

#### Parameters

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Numerical Attributes"

#### Returns

DataTable<double>& reference of table

### 6.46.3.16 ItemHandle \* TinkerCell::ItemHandle::parentOfFamily ( const QString & family ) const [virtual]

get the bottom-most parent handle such that it is of the specified family. If no family is specified, then gets the top-level handle

#### Parameters

*ItemHandle\** the family name

### 6.46.3.17 ItemHandle \* TinkerCell::ItemHandle::root ( const QString & family = QString("") ) const [virtual]

get the top-level handle such that it is of the specified family. If no family is specified, then gets the top-level handle

#### Parameters

*ItemHandle\** the family name

### 6.46.3.18 void TinkerCell::ItemHandle::setParent ( ItemHandle \* parent, bool useCommand = true ) [virtual]

Set the parent for this handle.

#### Parameters

*ItemHandle\** parent

*bool* (optional) whether to call network's set parent command, which will update the history stack

*ItemHandle\** parent handle

### 6.46.3.19 QString TinkerCell::ItemHandle::textData ( const QString & name, const QString & row, const QString & column = QString() ) const

gets a text attribute with the given name, row, column

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Text Attributes"

*QString* row name in data table

*QString* column name data table

**Returns**

QString value

**6.46.3.20 QString & Tinkercell::ItemHandle::textData ( const QString & name, const QString & row, const QString & column = QString() )**

gets a reference to the text attribute with the given name, row, column

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Text Attributes"

*QString* row name in data table

*QString* column name data table

**Returns**

QString& reference value

**6.46.3.21 QString Tinkercell::ItemHandle::textData ( const QString & name, int row = 0, int column = 0 ) const**

gets a text attribute with the given name, row, column

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Text Attributes"

*int* row in data table

*int* column in data table

**Returns**

QString value

**6.46.3.22 QString & Tinkercell::ItemHandle::textData ( const QString & name, int row = 0, int column = 0 )**

gets a reference to the text attribute with the given name, row, column

**Parameters**

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Text Attributes"

*int* row in data table

*int* column in data table

**Returns**

QString reference value



### 6.46.3.23 QStringList TinkerCell::ItemHandle::textDataNames ( ) const

all the numerical text table names

#### Returns

QStringList

### 6.46.3.24 DataTable< QString > & TinkerCell::ItemHandle::textDataTable ( const QString & name )

gets reference to a text table with the given name. Makes the table if needed

#### Parameters

*QString* name of tool, e.g. "Numerical Attributes"

#### Returns

TextDataTable& reference of table

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- ItemHandle.h
- ItemHandle.cpp

## 6.47 TinkerCell::LineNumberArea Class Reference

### Public Member Functions

- **LineNumberArea** ([CodeEditor](#) \*editor)
- QSize **sizeHint** () const

### Protected Member Functions

- void **paintEvent** (QPaintEvent \*event)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following file:

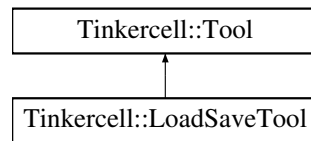
- CodeEditor.h

## 6.48 TinkerCell::LoadSaveTool Class Reference

This class can save and load any model built using classes in the Core library. The loading process will assign 0 as the family for all the handles. If a non-zero family should be assigned, then it is required that the nodeFamilies and connectionFamilies hash tables should be populated with (name,family) pairs, storing the name and pointers for each family item. Auto-saves the current network every 10 changes.

```
#include <LoadSaveTool.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::LoadSaveTool:



## Public Slots

- void [prepareNetworkForSaving](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*, bool \*)  
*not currently used*
- void [saveItems](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QString &filename)  
*save a network in a file*
- void [loadItems](#) (QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, const QString &, [ItemHandle](#) \*globalHandle=0)  
*load a list of graphics items from a file. Use getHandle to get the handles from the graphics items.*
- void [getItemsFromFile](#) (QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, const QString &, [ItemHandle](#) \*root=0)  
*connects to MainWindow's getItemsFromFile signal*
- void [saveNetwork](#) (const QString &filename)  
*connects to MainWindow's saveNetwork signal*
- void [loadNetwork](#) (const QString &filename)  
*connects to MainWindow's loadNetwork signal*
- void [historyChangedSlot](#) (int)  
*connects to MainWindow's historyChanged signal*
- void [networkClosing](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*, bool \*close)  
*connects to MainWindow's networkClosing signal*
- void [restore](#) (int)  
*used to restore a model when TinkerCell exits abnormally*

## Signals

- void [networkSaved](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*)  
*connects to MainWindow's networkSaved signal*
- void [networkLoaded](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*)  
*connects to MainWindow's networkLoaded signal*
- void [itemsAboutToBeInserted](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, QList< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > &)

*connects to MainWindow's itemsAboutToBeInserted signal*

- void [itemsInserted](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &item, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles)

*connects to MainWindow's itemsInserted signal*

- void [historyChanged](#) (int i=0)

*connects to MainWindow's historyChanged signal*

## Public Member Functions

- [LoadSaveTool](#) ()

*default constructor*

- [~LoadSaveTool](#) ()

*destructor*

- bool [setMainWindow](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*main)

*connects to saveModel, loadModel, getItemsFromFile*

## Static Public Attributes

- static QMap< QString, [NodeFamily](#) \* > [nodeFamilies](#)

*if the program contains families, then this map should be set*

- static QMap< QString, [ConnectionFamily](#) \* > [connectionFamilies](#)

*if the program contains families, then this map should be set*

## Static Protected Member Functions

- static [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* [readNode](#) ([NodeGraphicsReader](#) &, QString &, QTransform &, QPointF &, qreal &, int &)

*read a single [NodeGraphicsItem](#). Primarily uses [NodeGraphicsReader](#), but adds extra information regarding the handles*

- static [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* [readConnection](#) ([NodeGraphicsReader](#) &, QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, QString &, qreal &, int &)

*read a single [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#). Primarily uses [NodeGraphicsReader](#), but adds extra information regarding the handles*

- static [TextGraphicsItem](#) \* [readText](#) (QXmlStreamReader &, QString &, QTransform &, QPointF &, qreal &, int &)

*read a single [TextGraphicsItem](#)*

- static void [writeNode](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*node, QXmlStreamWriter &modelWriter, int sceneNumber)

read a single *NodeGraphicsItem*. Primarily uses *NodeGraphicsWriter*, but adds extra information regarding the handles

- static void `writeConnection` (*ConnectionGraphicsItem* \*connection, QXmlStreamWriter &modelWriter, int sceneNumber)

read a single *ConnectionGraphicsItem*. Primarily uses *NodeGraphicsWriter*, but adds extra information regarding the handles

- static void `writeText` (*TextGraphicsItem* \*text, QXmlStreamWriter &modelWriter, int sceneNumber)

writes a single *TextGraphicsItem*

- static void `readUnitsFromTable` (const *TextDataTable* &units)

read a text table and assign the units for the Node and Connection families

- static void `saveUnitsToTable` (*TextDataTable* &units)

write all the units to a text table

- static *NodeFamily* \* `getNodeFamily` (const QString &name)

lookup family from its name

- static *ConnectionFamily* \* `getConnectionFamily` (const QString &name)

lookup family from its name

## Protected Attributes

- QHash< *NetworkHandle* \*, bool > `savedNetworks`

hash table that is used to record which networks were saved after making any changes

- int `countHistory`

used to count 10 changed, which triggers auto-save

- QMessageBox \* `restoreDialog`

dialog used to restore the last network when TinkerCell closes abnormally

- QPushButton \* `restoreButton`

button in the dialog used to restore the last network when TinkerCell closes abnormally

- QList< *QUndoCommand* \* > `loadCommands`

commands to be deleted at the end

### 6.48.1 Detailed Description

This class can save and load any model built using classes in the Core library. The loading process will assign 0 as the family for all the handles. If a non-zero family should be assigned, then it is required that the nodeFamilies and connectionFamilies hash tables should be populations with (name,family) pairs, storing the name and pointers for each family item. Auto-saves the current network every 10 changes.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- LoadSaveTool.h
- LoadSaveTool.cpp

## 6.49 TinkerCell::MainWindow Class Reference

**MainWindow** is the parent container for all the other widgets in TinkerCell. The central widget in **MainWindow** is a tab widget. Each tab widget can hold a **GraphicsView** or a **TextEditor**. One of the main roles of **MainWindow** is to serve as a signal/slot hub for Tools.

```
#include <MainWindow.h>
```

### Public Types

- enum **TOOL\_WINDOW\_OPTION** { **DockWidget**, **TabWidget** }  
*this enum is used to determine how to place a widget when used in addToolWindow. DockWidget = tool window is placed into a dockable widget TabWidget = tool window is placed in an existing tab widget, if one exists*
- enum **VIEW\_MODE** { **TabView**, **WindowView** }  
*the types of views for multiple documents TabView = tabbed documents WindowView = each documents in a separate subwindow*

### Public Member Functions

- **MainWindow** (bool enableScene=true, bool enableText=true, bool enableConsoleWindow=true, bool showHistory=true, bool views=true)  
*5-arg (optional) constructor allows disabling of text/graphics modes*
- virtual void **allowMultipleViewModes** (bool)  
*allow or disallow changing between different views*
- virtual **~MainWindow** ()  
*Destructor: delete all the graphics scenes.*
- QDockWidget \* **addToolWindow** (QWidget \*tool, **TOOL\_WINDOW\_OPTION** option=DockWidget, Qt::DockWidgetArea initArea=Qt::RightDockWidgetArea, Qt::DockWidgetAreas allowedAreas=Qt::AllDockWidgetAreas, bool inMenu=true)  
*Add a new docking window to the main window. The name and icon are obtained using the widget's windowTitle and windowIcon, so be sure to set those before calling this function.*
- void **addToViewMenu** (QWidget \*tool)  
*place a show/hide action in the view menu for the given widget*
- void **setCursor** (QCursor cursor)  
*set the cursor for all windows*
- void **addTool** (Tool \*tool)  
*add a new tool to the list of tools stored in the main window*

- void [initializeMenus](#) (bool enableScene=true, bool enableText=true)  
*Initialize the basic menu (save, open, close, exit, etc.).*
- void [setupNewThread](#) (QSemaphore \*, QLibrary \*)  
*This function is usually called from a new thread. This function allows all the plugins to add their functionalities to the C function pointer of the new thread.*
- void [loadDynamicLibrary](#) (const QString &)  
*Load a new plugin (dll).*
- QPair< QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* >, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > > [getItemsFromFile](#) (const QString &filename, [ItemHandle](#) \*root=0)  
*get the items inside a file. Some tool must implement this function and connect to the getItemsFromFile signal. The Core library does not implement a read file function.*
- [GraphicsScene](#) \* [currentScene](#) () const  
*gets the current scene that is active*
- [TextEditor](#) \* [currentTextEditor](#) () const  
*gets the text editor that is active*
- [NetworkWindow](#) \* [currentWindow](#) () const  
*gets the current window that is active (each window contains either a scene or editor)*
- [NetworkHandle](#) \* [currentNetwork](#) () const  
*gets the current window that is active*
- QList< [NetworkHandle](#) \* > [networks](#) () const  
*gets all the windows in the main window*
- QUndoStack \* [historyStack](#) () const  
*the history stack of the current network.*
- QUndoView \* [historyWidget](#) ()  
*the history stack widget of the current window.*
- virtual [Tool](#) \* [tool](#) (const QString &) const  
*get a tool*
- virtual QList< [Tool](#) \* > [tools](#) (const QString &category=QString()) const  
*get all tools*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static void [RegisterDataTypes](#) ()  
*register all the TinkerCell data structures with Qt*
- static QString [homeDir](#) ()

*The TinkerCell user directory, which is User's Documents Folder/TinkerCell by default, but users may change this setting.*

- static QString [tempDir](#) ()

*The TinkerCell user temporary directory, which is <SYSTEM temp="" folder>=""/TinkerCell.*

## Public Attributes

- QList< QWidget \* > [toolWindows](#)

*the set of all windows inseted in the main window using addToolWindow*

- QMenu [contextItemsMenu](#)

*the context menu that is shown during right-click event on selected graphical items. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*

- QMenu [contextScreenMenu](#)

*the context menu that is shown during right-click event on the scene. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*

- QMenu [contextSelectionMenu](#)

*the context menu that is shown during right-click event on a text editor with text selected. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*

- QMenu [contextEditorMenu](#)

*the context menu that is shown during right-click event on a text editor with no text selected. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*

- QMenu \* [fileMenu](#)

*The file menu. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*

- QMenu \* [editMenu](#)

*The edit menu. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*

- QMenu \* [viewMenu](#)

*The view menu. New docking windows are automatically added here.*

- QMenu \* [helpMenu](#)

*The help menu.*

- QMenu \* [settingsMenu](#)

*the menu for settings such as default plugins, Tinkercell home directory, etc.*

- QMenu \* [parsersMenu](#)

*the menu for choosing one of the available parsers (will be 0 if there are no parsers)*

- QToolBar \* [toolBarBasic](#)

*The tool bar that contains new, open, close, etc. actions.*

- QToolBar \* [toolBarEdits](#)

*The tool bar that contains copy, paste, undo, etc.*

- `QToolBar * toolbarForTools`

*One of the initial tool bars which designated for tools that do not want to create a new toolbar.*

## Static Public Attributes

- static `TOOL_WINDOW_OPTION defaultToolWindowOption` = `MainWindow::TabWidget`  
*the default option to use for tools (optional)*
- static `TOOL_WINDOW_OPTION defaultHistoryWindowOption` = `MainWindow::TabWidget`  
*the default option to use for history window*
- static `TOOL_WINDOW_OPTION defaultConsoleWindowOption` = `MainWindow::DockWidget`  
*the default option to use for console window*
- static `QString PROJECTWEBSITE` = `QObject::tr("www.tinkercell.com")`  
*the project website*
- static `QString ORGANIZATIONNAME` = `QObject::tr("TinkerCell")`  
*the project organization name*
- static `QString PROJECTNAME` = `QObject::tr("TinkerCell")`  
*the project name*
- static `QString CPP_ENTRY_FUNCTION` = `QObject::tr("loadTCTool")`  
*the default function that is loaded in C++ plugins*
- static `QString C_ENTRY_FUNCTION` = `QObject::tr("tc_main")`  
*the default function that is loaded in C plugins*
- static `QString PROJECT_VERSION` = `QObject::tr("0.0.0")`  
*the default project version*
- static `QString PROGRAM_MODE`  
*an optional string that can be used to change the mode of the application. The meaning of this variable depends on the purpose of the application. Empty by default.*
- static `QStringList OPEN_FILE_EXTENSIONS`  
*the default file extensions that can be opened*
- static `QStringList SAVE_FILE_EXTENSIONS`  
*the default file extensions that can be saved*



## Friends

- class **NetworkWindow**
- class **NetworkHandle**
- class **GraphicsScene**
- class **TextEditor**
- class **GraphicsView**

## signals

- static QString [previousFileName](#)  
*stores the last opened directory*
- static QHash< void \*, bool > [invalidPointers](#)  
*stores list of all pointers that have been deleted (to prevent double-deletions)*
- bool [allowViewModeToChange](#)  
*allowed views*
- QHash< QString, QLibrary \* > [dynamicallyLoadedLibraries](#)  
*the loaded dynamic libraries indexed by file name*
- [ConsoleWindow](#) \* [consoleWindow](#)  
*the general window for command, errors, and messages*
- QTabWidget \* [tabWidget](#)  
*the central multi-document interface widget*
- QList< [NetworkHandle](#) \* > [allNetworks](#)  
*the list of all network windows*
- QTabWidget \* [toolsTabWidget](#)  
*the optional tool box that will only appear if one of the plug-ins uses the tab widget argument in the `adToolWindow` call*
- [HistoryWindow](#) [historyWindow](#)  
*history view, not the stack itself. The stack is stored within each [NetworkHandle](#)*
- [NetworkWindow](#) \* [currentNetworkWindow](#)  
*keep pointer to last selected window. Used by `windowChanged` signal*
- QHash< QString, [Tool](#) \* > [toolsHash](#)  
*all the tools (plug-ins) are stored here, indexed by their names*
- QHash< QString, [Tool](#) \* > [toolsHashByCategory](#)  
*this is a multiple hash. All the tool are stored here indexed by their category names (if they have a category)*
- bool [isValidHandlePointer](#) (void \*p)  
*checks if the given address belongs to a handle*

- void [toolAboutToBeLoaded](#) ([Tool](#) \*tool, bool \*shouldLoad)  
*a new tool is about to be added. This signal can be used to prevent the tool from being added*
- void [historyChanged](#) (int i=0)  
*one of more changed have occurred in the history window of the current scene*
- void [funtionPointersToMainThread](#) (QSemaphore \*, QLibrary \*)  
*used internally by [MainWindow](#) in order to move from a thread to the main thread*
- void [toolLoaded](#) ([Tool](#) \*tool)  
*signals when a new tool (plugin) is loaded*
- void [setupFunctionPointers](#) (QLibrary \*)  
*signals when a new FuntionToSignal is constructed*
- void [networkClosing](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*, bool \*)  
*signals when a network is going to close*
- void [networkClosed](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*)  
*signals after a window is closed*
- void [prepareNetworkForSaving](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*, bool \*)  
*signals when a tool is about to save a network*
- void [networkSaved](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*)  
*signals when a tool has saved the network in a file*
- void [saveNetwork](#) (const QString &filename)  
*signals when user selects a file to save the current network to*
- void [loadNetwork](#) (const QString &filename)  
*signals when user selects a file to open in the current network*
- void [getItemsFromFile](#) (QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, const QString &filename, [ItemHandle](#) \*root)  
*signal sent to a tool so that the tool can get the items inside a file*
- void [networkLoaded](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*)  
*signals informs that the current network has just loaded a new Network*
- void [networkOpened](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*)  
*signals whenever the new network is opened*
- void [windowChanged](#) ([NetworkWindow](#) \*, [NetworkWindow](#) \*)  
*signals whenever the current window changes*
- void [itemsSelected](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, QPointF point, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)  
*signals whenever a new item is selected (item can be sub-item, not top-level)*

- void [mousePressed](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [QPointF](#) point, [Qt::MouseButton](#), [Qt::KeyboardModifiers](#) modifiers)  
*signals whenever an empty node of the screen is clicked*
- void [mouseReleased](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [QPointF](#) point, [Qt::MouseButton](#), [Qt::KeyboardModifiers](#) modifiers)  
*signals whenever an empty node of the screen is clicked*
- void [mouseDoubleClicked](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [QPointF](#) point, [QGraphicsItem](#) \*, [Qt::MouseButton](#), [Qt::KeyboardModifiers](#) modifiers)  
*emits event when mouse is double clicked*
- void [mouseDragged](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [QPointF](#) from, [QPointF](#) to, [Qt::MouseButton](#), [Qt::KeyboardModifiers](#) modifiers)  
*signals whenever mouse is dragged from one point to another*
- void [itemsAboutToBeMoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [QList](#)< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &item, [QList](#)< [QPointF](#) > &distance, [QList](#)< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > &)  
*signals whenever items are going to be moved (each item is the top-most item)*
- void [itemsMoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const [QList](#)< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &item, const [QList](#)< [QPointF](#) > &distance)  
*signals whenever items are being moved (each item is the top-most item)*
- void [itemsAboutToBeRemoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [QList](#)< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &item, [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, [QList](#)< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > &)  
*signals just before items are deleted*
- void [itemsRemoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const [QList](#)< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &item, const [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles)  
*signals whenever items are deleted*
- void [itemsAboutToBeInserted](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [QList](#)< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, [QList](#)< [QUndoCommand](#) \* > &)  
*signals whenever items are going to be added*
- void [itemsInserted](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const [QList](#)< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &item, const [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles)  
*signals whenever items are added*
- void [itemsInserted](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*win, const [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*A convenient signal that is emitted when items are inserted from a [GraphicsScene](#) or [TextEditor](#). Warning: listening to the other itemsInserted signals may cause redundancy.*
- void [itemsRemoved](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*win, const [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*A convenient signal that is emitted when items are removed from a [GraphicsScene](#) or [TextEditor](#). Warning: listening to the other itemsRemoved signals may cause redundancy.*
- void [copyItems](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [QList](#)< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*signals just before items are copied*

- void [textChanged](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*, const QString &, const QString &, const QString &)  
*some text inside this editor has been changed*
- void [lineChanged](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*, int, const QString &)  
*the cursor has moved to a different line*
- void [parse](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*)  
*request to parse the text in the current text editor*
- void [mouseMoved](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, QPointF point, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &)  
*signals whenever mouse moves, and indicates whether it is on top of an item*
- void [mouseOnTopOf](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, QPointF point, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &)  
*signals whenever mouse is on top of an item*
- void [sceneRightClick](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, QPointF point, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers)  
*signals whenever right click is made on an item or scene*
- void [keyPressed](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QKeyEvent \*)  
*signals whenever a key is pressed*
- void [keyReleased](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QKeyEvent \*)  
*signals whenever a key is released*
- void [colorChanged](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items)  
*signals whenever color of items are changed*
- void [parentItemChanged](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &parents)  
*signals whenever item parents are changed*
- void [itemsRenamed](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*window, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &items, const QList< QString > &oldnames, const QList< QString > &newnames)  
*signals whenever an item is renamed*
- void [handlesChanged](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &old)  
*signals whenever the handles for graphics items have changed*
- void [parentHandleChanged](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*scene, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*signals whenever item parent handle is changed*
- void [handleFamilyChanged](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*network, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, const QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > &)  
*signals whenever item handles' families are changed*

- void [dataChanged](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &items)  
*signals whenever some data is changed*
- void [escapeSignal](#) (const QWidget \*sender)  
*signals whenever the current activities need to be stopped*
- void [filesLoaded](#) (const QList< QFileInfo > &files)  
*signals whenever file(s) are loaded. Each file can be a model or a plugin*
- void [itemsDropped](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*, const QString &, const QPointF &)  
*signal is emitted when some object OTHER than files are dropped on the canvas*
- void [saveSettings](#) ()  
*save initial settings to settingsFileName*
- void [closeEvent](#) (QCloseEvent \*event)  
*close window event -- asks whether to save file*
- virtual void [dropEvent](#) (QDropEvent \*)  
*drag and drop*
- virtual void [dragEnterEvent](#) (QDragEnterEvent \*event)  
*drag and drop*

## slots

- void [setUserHome](#) ()  
*asks user for a new directory to be used as the user home directory (must be writable)*
- [GraphicsScene](#) \* [newScene](#) ()  
*create new scene*
- [TextEditor](#) \* [newTextEditor](#) ()  
*create new text editor*
- void [closeWindow](#) ()  
*triggered when the close button is clicked. Closes the current window*
- void [saveWindow](#) ()  
*triggered when the save button is clicked. Opens a file dialog and emits the save signal. The main window itself does not implement the save.*
- void [saveWindowAs](#) ()  
*triggered when the save-as button is clicked. Opens a file dialog and emits the save signal. The main window itself does not implement the save.*
- void [open](#) ()

*triggered when the open button is clicked. Opens a file dialog. Note: the core library just emits a signal, and other tools are responsible for actually opening a file*

- void [open](#) (const QString &)  
*open a file. Note: the core library just emits a signal, and other tools are responsible for actually opening a file The main window does not implement an function for opening a new file*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*calls current scene or text editor's undo*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*calls current scene or text editor's redo*
- void [copy](#) ()  
*calls current scene or text editor's copy*
- void [cut](#) ()  
*calls current scene or text editor's cut*
- void [paste](#) ()  
*calls current scene or text editor's paste*
- void [selectAll](#) ()  
*calls current scene or text editor's selectAll*
- void [remove](#) ()  
*calls current scene or text editor's find*
- void [print](#) ()  
*triggered when the print button is clicked. Calls current scene's print*
- void [printToFile](#) ()  
*triggered when the print-to-file button is clicked. Calls current scene's print on a pdf file*
- void [sendEscapeSignal](#) (const QWidget \*w=0)  
*sends a signal to all plugins telling them to exit their current processes.*
- void [addParser](#) (TextParser \*)  
*add a new text parser to the list of available parsers. The current text parser can be obtained using [TextParser::currentParser\(\)](#);*
- void [gridOn](#) ()  
*change grid mode for current scene to on (>0)*
- void [gridOff](#) ()  
*change grid mode for current scene to off (=0)*
- void [setGridSize](#) ()  
*set grid size for current scene*

- void [popOut](#) ()  
*pop-out the current window*
- [ConsoleWindow](#) \* [console](#) () const  
*get the console window*
- void [readSettings](#) ()  
*read initial settings from settingsFileName*
- static [MainWindow](#) \* [instance](#) ()  
*gets the global main window*
- void [popOut](#) ([NetworkWindow](#) \*)  
*pop-out the given window*
- void [popIn](#) ([NetworkWindow](#) \*)  
*pop-in the given window*
- void [setCurrentWindow](#) ([NetworkWindow](#) \*)  
*sets the active window*
- void [loadFiles](#) (const QList< [QFileInfo](#) > &files)  
*loads files (library files or Network files)*
- void [changeConsoleBgColor](#) ()  
*change console background color*
- void [changeConsoleTextColor](#) ()  
*change console text color*
- void [changeConsoleMsgColor](#) ()  
*change console message text color*
- void [changeConsoleErrorMsgColor](#) ()  
*change console error text color*
- virtual void [tabIndexChanged](#) (int)  
*tab changed*
- void [itemsRemovedSlot](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &item, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles)  
*signals whenever items are deleted*
- void [itemsInsertedSlot](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &item, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles)  
*signals whenever items are added*
- void [setupFunctionPointersSlot](#) ([QSemaphore](#) \*, [QLibrary](#) \*)  
*send signal to other tools so that they can connect functions to signals*

### 6.49.1 Detailed Description

[MainWindow](#) is the parent container for all the other widgets in TinkerCell. The central widget in [MainWindow](#) is a tab widget. Each tab widget can hold a [GraphicsView](#) or a [TextEditor](#). One of the main roles of [MainWindow](#) is to serve as a signal/slot hub for Tools.

### 6.49.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

**6.49.2.1** `Tinkercell::MainWindow::MainWindow ( bool enableScene = true, bool enableText = true, bool enableConsoleWindow = true, bool showHistory = true, bool views = true )`

5-arg (optional) constructor allows disabling of text/graphics modes

#### Parameters

- bool* enable text-based network construction (default = true)
- bool* enable graphics-based network construction (default = true)
- bool* enable command-line (default = true)
- bool* enable history window (default = true)
- bool* allow tabbed and windowed view modes (default = true)

**6.49.2.2** `Tinkercell::MainWindow::~~MainWindow ( ) [virtual]`

Destructor: delete all the graphics scenes.

destructor

### 6.49.3 Member Function Documentation

**6.49.3.1** `void Tinkercell::MainWindow::addTool ( Tool * tool )`

add a new tool to the list of tools stored in the main window

#### Parameters

- the* name of the new tool
- the* new tool

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.2** `QDockWidget * Tinkercell::MainWindow::addToolWindow ( QWidget * tool, TOOL_WINDOW_OPTION option = DockWidget, Qt::DockWidgetArea initArea = Qt::RightDockWidgetArea, Qt::DockWidgetAreas allowedAreas = Qt::AllDockWidgetAreas, bool inMenu = true )`

Add a new docking window to the main window. The name and icon are obtained using the widget's windowTitle and windowIcon, so be sure to set those before calling this function.



**Parameters**

*Tool\** the new tool

*Qt::DockWidgetArea* the initial docking area

*Qt::DockWidgetAreas* the allowed docking areas

*bool* whether or not to place the docking window in the view menu

*bool* use a tab widget instead of a dock widget. The widget will not be dockable, but the entire tab widget will be dockable.

**Returns**

QDockWidget\* the new docking widget. TabWidget option is used, the docking widget may be an existing docking widget.

**6.49.3.3 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::addToViewMenu ( QWidget \* tool )**

place a show/hide action in the view menu for the given widget

**Parameters**

*QWidget\** the new widget

**6.49.3.4 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::allowMultipleViewModes ( bool b ) [virtual]**

allow or disallow changing between different views

**Parameters**

*bool*

**6.49.3.5 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::changeConsoleBgColor ( ) [protected, slot]**

change console background color

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.6 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::changeConsoleErrorMsgColor ( ) [protected, slot]**

change console error text color

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.7 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::changeConsoleMsgColor ( ) [protected, slot]**

change console message text color

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.8 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::changeConsoleTextColor ( ) [protected, slot]**

change console text color

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.9 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::closeEvent ( QCloseEvent \* event ) [protected]**

close window event -- asks whether to save file

**Parameters**

*QCloseEvent* \* event

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.10 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::colorChanged ( QGraphicsScene \* scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items ) [signal]**

signals whenever color of items are changed

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items that changed color

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.11 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::copyItems ( QGraphicsScene \* scene, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< ItemHandle \* > & ) [signal]**

signals just before items are copied

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the items are going to be copied

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of graphics items going to be copied

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of handles going to be copied (does NOT have to be the same number as items removed)

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.12 NetworkHandle \* Tinkercell::MainWindow::currentNetwork ( ) const**

gets the current window that is active

**Returns**

NetworkHandle\* current network

**6.49.3.13 GraphicsScene \* Tinkercell::MainWindow::currentScene ( ) const**

gets the current scene that is active

**Returns**

GraphicsScene\* current scene

**6.49.3.14 TextEditor \* Tinkercell::MainWindow::currentTextEditor ( ) const**

gets the text editor that is active

**Returns**

TextEditor\* current editor

**6.49.3.15 NetworkWindow \* Tinkercell::MainWindow::currentWindow ( ) const**

gets the current window that is active (each window contains either a scene or editor)

**Returns**

NetworkWindow\* current network window

**6.49.3.16 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::dataChanged ( const QList< ItemHandle \* > & items ) [signal]**

signals whenever some data is changed

**Parameters**

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* items handles

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.17 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::escapeSignal ( const QWidget \* *sender* ) [signal]**

signals whenever the current activities need to be stopped

**Parameters**

*QWidget* \* the widget that send the signal

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.18 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::filesLoaded ( const QList< QFileInfo > & *files* ) [signal]**

signals whenever file(s) are loaded. Each file can be a model or a plugin

**Parameters**

*QList< QFileInfo>&* the name(s) of the file(s)

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.19 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::funtionPointersToMainThread ( QSemaphore \*, QLibrary \* ) [signal]**

used internally by [MainWindow](#) in order to move from a thread to the main thread

**Parameters**

*QSemaphore\** Sempahore that lets the thread run once C API is initialized

*QLibrary* \* the new FuntionToSignal instance

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.20 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::getItemsFromFile ( QList< ItemHandle \* > & , QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & , const QString & *filename*, ItemHandle \* *root* ) [signal]**

signal sent to a tool so that the tool can get the items inside a file

**Parameters**

*QList< ItemHandle\*>&* list of items inside the file

*QList< QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of graphics items in the file

*QString&* file that is selected by user

*ItemHandle* \* optional root parent handle for all the loaded items

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.21** `QPair< QList< ItemHandle * >, QList< QGraphicsItem * > >`  
**Tinkercell::MainWindow::getItemsFromFile** ( `const QString & filename`, `ItemHandle * root = 0` )

get the items inside a file. Some tool must implement this function and connect to the `getItemsFromFile` signal. The Core library does not implement a read file function.

#### Parameters

*QString&* file that is selected by user

*ItemHandle\** optional parent handle to all the items that will be loaded from file

#### Returns

`QList<ItemHandle*>` list of items inside the file  
 void

**6.49.3.22** `void Tinkercell::MainWindow::handleFamilyChanged` ( `NetworkHandle * network`, `const QList< ItemHandle * > &`, `const QList< ItemFamily * > &` ) [**signal**]

signals whenever item handles' families are changed

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle\** network where the event took place

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* child items

*QList<ItemFamily\*>&* old families

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.23** `void Tinkercell::MainWindow::handlesChanged` ( `NetworkHandle * scene`, `const QList< QGraphicsItem * > & items`, `const QList< ItemHandle * > & old` ) [**signal**]

signals whenever the handles for graphics items have changed

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the event took place

*QList<GraphicsItem\*>&* items that are affected

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* old handle for each items

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.24 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::historyChanged ( int *i* = 0 ) [signal]**

one of more changed have occurred in the history window of the current scene

**Parameters**

*int* number of changes (negative = undos, positive = redos)

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.25 QUndoStack \* Tinkercell::MainWindow::historyStack ( ) const**

the history stack of the current network.

**Returns**

QUndoStack\* current scene's history stack or null if current network is null

**6.49.3.26 QUndoView \* Tinkercell::MainWindow::historyWidget ( )**

the history stack widget of the current window.

**Returns**

QUndoView\* current scene's history stack or null if current network is null

**6.49.3.27 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::initializeMenus ( bool *enableScene* = true, bool *enableText* = true )**

Initialize the basic menu (save, open, close, exit, etc.).

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.28 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsAboutToBeInserted ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< ItemHandle \* > &, QList< QUndoCommand \* > & ) [signal]**

signals whenever items are going to be added

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the items are added

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of new graphics items

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of new handles (does NOT have to be the same number as items)

*QList<QUndoCommand\*>&* list of commands that will be executed right before items are inserted

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.29** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsAboutToBeMoved ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*,  
QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *item*, QList< QPointF > & *distance*, QList<  
QUndoCommand \* > & ) [signal]

signals whenever items are going to be moved (each item is the top-most item)

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the items were moved

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of pointers to all moving items

*QPointF* distance by which items moved

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

*QList<QUndoCommand\*>&* list of commands that will be executed right before items are inserted

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.30** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsAboutToBeRemoved ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*,  
QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *item*, QList< ItemHandle \* > & *handles*, QList<  
QUndoCommand \* > & ) [signal]

signals just before items are deleted

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** scene where the items are going to be removed

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of items going to be removed

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of handles going to be removed (does NOT have to be the same number as items removed)

*QList<QUndoCommand\*>&* list of commands that will be executed right before items are inserted

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.31** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsDropped ( GraphicsScene \* , const QString & ,  
const QPointF & ) [signal]

signal is emitted when some object OTHER than files are dropped on the canvas

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** the scene where objects were dropped

*QString* the string describing the object that was dropped

*QPointF* the Scene position where it was dropped

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.32** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsInserted ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *item*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *handles* ) [signal]

signals whenever items are added

#### Parameters

[\*GraphicsScene\*](#) \* scene where the items were added

[\*QList<QGraphicsItem\\*>&\*](#) list of new items

[\*QList<ItemHandle\\*>&\*](#) list of new handles (does NOT have to be the same number as items)

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.33** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsInserted ( NetworkHandle \* *win*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & ) [signal]

A convenient signal that is emitted when items are inserted from a [GraphicsScene](#) or [TextEditor](#). Warning: listening to the other itemsInserted signals may cause redundancy.

#### Parameters

[\*NetworkHandle\\*\*](#) where the editing happened

[\*QList<TextItem\\*>\*](#) new items

**6.49.3.34** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsInsertedSlot ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *item*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *handles* ) [protected, slot]

signals whenever items are added

#### Parameters

[\*GraphicsScene\*](#) \* scene where the items were added

[\*QList<QGraphicsItem\\*>&\*](#) list of new items

[\*QList<ItemHandle\\*>&\*](#) list of new handles (does NOT have to be the same number as items)

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.35** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsMoved ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *item*, const QList< QPointF > & *distance* ) [signal]

signals whenever items are being moved (each item is the top-most item)

#### Parameters

[\*GraphicsScene\*](#) \* scene where the items were moved



*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of pointers to all moving items  
*QPointF* distance by which items moved  
*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.36** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsRemoved ( QGraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *item*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *handles* ) [signal]

signals whenever items are deleted

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the items were removed  
*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of items removed  
*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of handles removed (does NOT have to be the same number as items removed)

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.37** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsRemoved ( NetworkHandle \* *win*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & ) [signal]

A convenient signal that is emitted when items are removed from a *GraphicsScene* or *TextEditor*. Warning: listening to the other itemsRemoved signals may cause redundancy.

**Parameters**

*NetworkHandle*\* where the editing happened  
*ItemHandle*\* removed items

**6.49.3.38** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsRemovedSlot ( QGraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *item*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *handles* ) [protected, slot]

signals whenever items are deleted

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the items were removed  
*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of items removed  
*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* list of handles removed (does NOT have to be the same number as items removed)

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.39** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsRenamed ( NetworkHandle \* *window*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *items*, const QList< QString > & *oldnames*, const QList< QString > & *newnames* ) [signal]

signals whenever an item is renamed

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle* \* *window* where the event took place

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* *items*

*QList<QString>&* *old names*

*QList<QString>&* *new names*

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.40** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::itemsSelected ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *items*, QPointF *point*, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers* ) [signal]

signals whenever a new item is selected (item can be sub-item, not top-level)

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene* \* *scene* where items are selected

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of all selected item pointers

*QPointF* *point* where mouse is clicked

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.41** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::keyPressed ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QKeyEvent \* ) [signal]

signals whenever a key is pressed

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene* \* *scene* where the event took place

*QKeyEvent* \* *key* that is pressed

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.42** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::keyReleased ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QKeyEvent \* )  
[signal]

signals whenever a key is released

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place

*QKeyEvent* \* key that is released

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.43** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::lineChanged ( TextEditor \*, int, const QString & )  
[signal]

the cursor has moved to a different line

#### Parameters

*TextEditor*\* editor

*int* index of the current line

*QString* current line text

**6.49.3.44** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::loadDynamicLibrary ( const QString & *dllFile* )

Load a new plugin (dll).

#### Parameters

*the* complete path of the dll file

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.45** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::loadFiles ( const QList< QFileInfo > & *files* )  
[protected, slot]

loads files (library files or Network files)

#### Parameters

*QList<QFileInfo>&* the name(s) of the file(s)

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.46 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::loadNetwork ( const QString & *filename* ) [signal]**

signals when user selects a file to open in the current network

**Parameters**

*QString&* file that is selected by user

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.47 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::mouseDoubleClicked ( QGraphicsScene \* *scene*, QPointF *point*, QGraphicsItem \*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers* ) [signal]**

emits event when mouse is double clicked

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place

*point* where mouse is clicked

*modifier* keys being used when mouse clicked

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.48 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::mouseDragged ( QGraphicsScene \* *scene*, QPointF *from*, QPointF *to*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers* ) [signal]**

signals whenever mouse is dragged from one point to another

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place

*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked first

*QPointF* point where mouse is released

*Qt::MouseButton* button being pressed

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.49 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::mouseMoved ( QGraphicsScene \* *scene*, QGraphicsItem \* *item*, QPointF *point*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers*, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & ) [signal]**

signals whenever mouse moves, and indicates whether it is on top of an item

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place  
*QGraphicsItem*\* pointer to item that mouse is on top of  
*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked  
*Qt::MouseButton* button being pressed  
*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked  
*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of items that are being moved with the mouse

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.50** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::mouseOnTopOf ( GraphicsScene \* scene,  
 QGraphicsItem \* item, QPointF point, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers, QList<  
 QGraphicsItem \* > & ) [signal]

signals whenever mouse is on top of an item

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place  
*QGraphicsItem*\* pointer to item that mouse is on top of  
*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked  
*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked  
*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* list of items that are being moved with the mouse

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.51** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::mousePressed ( GraphicsScene \* scene, QPointF point,  
 Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers ) [signal]

signals whenever an empty node of the screen is clicked

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place  
*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked  
*Qt::MouseButton* which button was pressed  
*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.52** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::mouseReleased ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QPointF *point*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers *modifiers* ) [signal]

signals whenever an empty node of the screen is clicked

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place

*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked

*Qt::MouseButton* which button was pressed

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.53** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::networkClosed ( NetworkHandle \* ) [signal]

signals after a window is closed

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle* \* the window that was closed

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.54** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::networkClosing ( NetworkHandle \*, bool \* ) [signal]

signals when a network is going to close

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle* \* the network that is closing

*Boolean* setting to false will prevent this window from closing

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.55** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::networkLoaded ( NetworkHandle \* ) [signal]

signals informs that the current network has just loaded a new Network

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle* \* the window where network was loaded (usually current scene)

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.56 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::networkOpened ( NetworkHandle \* ) [signal]**

signals whenever the new network is opened

**Parameters**

*NetworkHandle\** the current new window

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.57 QList< NetworkHandle \* > Tinkercell::MainWindow::networks ( ) const**

gets all the windows in the main window

**Returns**

QList<NetworkHandle\*> list of windows

**6.49.3.58 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::networkSaved ( NetworkHandle \* ) [signal]**

signals when a tool has saved the network in a file

**Parameters**

*NetworkHandle* \* the window where network was loaded (usually current scene)

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.59 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::parentHandleChanged ( NetworkHandle \* scene, const QList< ItemHandle \* > &, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & ) [signal]**

signals whenever item parent handle is changed

**Parameters**

*NetworkHandle* \* window where the event took place

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* child items

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* old parents

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.60** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::parentItemChanged ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *items*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *parents* ) [signal]

signals whenever item parents are changed

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* new parents

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.61** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::parse ( TextEditor \* ) [signal]

request to parse the text in the current text editor

#### Parameters

*TextEditor\** editor

**6.49.3.62** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::prepareNetworkForSaving ( NetworkHandle \*, bool \* ) [signal]

signals when a tool is about to save a network

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle* \* the window where Network was loaded (usually current scene)

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.63** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::print ( ) [slot]

triggered when the print button is clicked. Calls current scene's print  
print the current scene

**6.49.3.64** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::printToFile ( ) [slot]

triggered when the print-to-file button is clicked. Calls current scene's print on a pdf file  
print the current scene



**6.49.3.65 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::readSettings ( ) [slot]**

read initial settings from settingsFileName

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.66 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::saveNetwork ( const QString & filename ) [signal]**

signals when user selects a file to save the current network to

**Parameters**

*QString&* file that is selected by user

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.67 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::saveSettings ( ) [protected]**

save initial settings to settingsFileName

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.68 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::sceneRightClick ( QGraphicsScene \* scene, QGraphicsItem \* item, QPointF point, Qt::KeyboardModifiers modifiers ) [signal]**

signals whenever right click is made on an item or scene

**Parameters**

*GraphicsScene* \* scene where the event took place

*QGraphicsItem*\* pointer to item that mouse is clicked on

*QPointF* point where mouse is clicked

*Qt::KeyboardModifiers* modifier keys being used when mouse clicked

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.69 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::setCursor ( *QCursor cursor* )**

set the cursor for all windows

**Parameters**

*QCursor cursor*

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.70 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::setupFunctionPointers ( *QLibrary \** ) [signal]**

signals when a new FuntionToSignal is constructed

**Parameters**

*QLibrary \** the new FuntionToSignal instance

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.71 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::setupFunctionPointersSlot ( *QSemaphore \* s*, *QLibrary \* library* ) [protected, slot]**

send signal to other tools so that they can connect functions to signals

**Parameters**

*QSemaphore\** semaphore

*QLibrary \** the dynamic library instance

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.72 void Tinkercell::MainWindow::setupNewThread ( *QSemaphore \* s*, *QLibrary \* f* )**

This function is usually called from a new thread. This function allows all the plugins to add their functionalities to the C function pointer of the new thread.

**Parameters**

*QSemaphore\** used to wait for all the plugins to initialize the thread

*QLibrary\** the library to load

**Returns**

void

**6.49.3.73** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::textChanged ( *TextEditor* \*, const *QString* &, const *QString* &, const *QString* & ) [**signal**]

some text inside this editor has been changed

#### Parameters

*TextEditor*\* editor

*QString* old text (usually a line)

*QString* new text (usually a line)

**6.49.3.74** *Tool* \* Tinkercell::MainWindow::tool ( const *QString* & *s0* ) const [**virtual**]

get a tool

#### Parameters

*QString* name of the tool

#### Returns

*Tool*\*

**6.49.3.75** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::toolAboutToBeLoaded ( *Tool* \* *tool*, bool \* *shouldLoad* ) [**signal**]

a new tool is about to be added. This signal can be used to prevent the tool from being added

#### Parameters

*Tool* the tool itself

*bool*& set this bool to false to prevent the tool from loading

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.76** void Tinkercell::MainWindow::toolLoaded ( *Tool* \* *tool* ) [**signal**]

signals when a new tool (plugin) is loaded

#### Parameters

*Tool*\* the new tool

#### Returns

void

**6.49.3.77** `QList< Tool * > Tinkercell::MainWindow::tools ( const QString & category = QString() ) const [virtual]`

get all tools

#### Parameters

*QString* (optional) return only tools in this category, e.g. "plot"

#### Returns

QList<Tool\*>

**6.49.3.78** `void Tinkercell::MainWindow::windowChanged ( NetworkWindow * , NetworkWindow * ) [signal]`

signals whenever the current window changes

#### Parameters

*NetworkWindow\** the previous windpw

*NetworkWindow\** the current new window

#### Returns

void

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

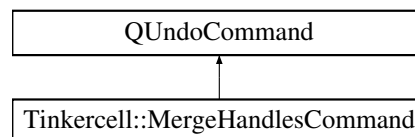
- MainWindow.h
- MainWindow.cpp

## 6.50 Tinkercell::MergeHandlesCommand Class Reference

this command places all the graphics items inside one handle into the other

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::MergeHandlesCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- **MergeHandlesCommand** (const QString &text, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles)
- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

## Public Attributes

- QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > **oldHandles**
- [ItemHandle](#) \* **newHandle**

### 6.50.1 Detailed Description

this command places all the graphics items inside one handle into the other

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.51 Tinkercell::ModelReader Class Reference

reads an xml file with handle names and data table information and generates a list of item handles

```
#include <ModelReader.h>
```

## Public Member Functions

- QList< QPair< QString, [ItemHandle](#) \* > > [readHandles](#) (QIODevice \*device)  
*Reads a list of <family,handles> pairs from an XML file using the IO device provided.*
- QXmlStreamReader::TokenType [readNext](#) ()  
*Reads up to the next start node.*

### 6.51.1 Detailed Description

reads an xml file with handle names and data table information and generates a list of item handles

### 6.51.2 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.51.2.1 QList< QPair< QString, ItemHandle \* > > Tinkercell::ModelReader::readHandles ( QIODevice \* *device* )

Reads a list of <family,handles> pairs from an XML file using the IO device provided.

#### Parameters

*QIODevice* to use

#### Returns

list of item handles

### 6.51.2.2 QXmlStreamReader::TokenType TinkerCell::ModelReader::readNext ( )

Reads up to the next start node.

#### Returns

Token Typer

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- ModelReader.h
- ModelReader.cpp

## 6.52 TinkerCell::ModelWriter Class Reference

writes to an xml file handle names and data table information from a list of item handles

```
#include <ModelWriter.h>
```

### Public Member Functions

- [ModelWriter](#) ()  
*default constructor*
- bool [writeModel](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*, QIODevice \*device)  
*Writes the handles and data for that handle.*
- bool [writeModel](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, QIODevice \*device)  
*Writes the handles and data for that handle.*

### Static Public Member Functions

- static bool [writeModel](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*network, QXmlStreamWriter \*)  
*Writes the handles and data for that handle.*
- static bool [writeModel](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, QXmlStreamWriter \*)  
*Writes the handles and data for that handle.*
- static void [writeDataTable](#) ([DataTable](#)< qreal > &, QXmlStreamWriter \*)  
*Writes a data table of doubles into an XML file.*
- static void [writeDataTable](#) ([DataTable](#)< QString > &, QXmlStreamWriter \*)  
*Writes a data table of strings into an XML file.*
- static void [writeHandle](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*, QXmlStreamWriter \*)  
*Writes a handle and all its children.*

## Static Public Attributes

- static QString *sep*  
*delimiter*
- static QString *sub*

### 6.52.1 Detailed Description

writes to an xml file handle names and data table information from a list of item handles

### 6.52.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.52.2.1 TinkerCell::ModelWriter::ModelWriter ( )

default constructor

constructor. Sets autoformatting to true

### 6.52.3 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.52.3.1 void TinkerCell::ModelWriter::writeDataTable ( DataTable< qreal > & *table*, QDomStreamWriter \* *writer* ) [static]

Writes a data table of doubles into an XML file.

##### Parameters

*DataTable< qreal >* datatable

*QDomStreamWriter\** xml writer to use

##### Returns

void

##### Parameters

*NodeImage* pointer to write as XML

*index* of shape in NodeImage's shape vector

##### Returns

void

#### 6.52.3.2 void TinkerCell::ModelWriter::writeDataTable ( DataTable< QString > & *table*, QDomStreamWriter \* *writer* ) [static]

Writes a data table of strings into an XML file.

##### Parameters

*DataTable< QString >* datatable

*QXmlStreamWriter\** xml writer to use

#### Returns

void

#### Parameters

*NodeImage* pointer to write as XML

*index* of shape in NodeImage's shape vector

#### Returns

void

**6.52.3.3** void Tinkercell::ModelWriter::writeHandle ( ItemHandle \* *handle*, QXmlStreamWriter \* *writer* ) [static]

Writes a handle and all its children.

#### Parameters

*Item* handle pointer to write as XML

#### Returns

void

**6.52.3.4** bool Tinkercell::ModelWriter::writeModel ( const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *list*, QIODevice \* *device* )

Writes the handles and data for that handle.

#### Parameters

*QList<ItemHandle\*>* list of handles (top level)

*QIODevice* device to use

#### Returns

void

**6.52.3.5** bool Tinkercell::ModelWriter::writeModel ( const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *allItems*, QXmlStreamWriter \* *writer* ) [static]

Writes the handles and data for that handle.

#### Parameters

*QList<ItemHandle\*>* list of handles (top level)

*QXmlStreamWriter\** xml writer to use

#### Returns

void



**6.52.3.6** `bool Tinkercell::ModelWriter::writeModel ( NetworkHandle * network, QXmlStreamWriter * writer ) [static]`

Writes the handles and data for that handle.

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle*\* *network*

*QXmlStreamWriter*\* *xml* writer to use

#### Returns

void

**6.52.3.7** `bool Tinkercell::ModelWriter::writeModel ( NetworkHandle * network, QIODevice * device )`

Writes the handles and data for that handle.

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle*\* *network*

*QIODevice* *device* to use

#### Returns

void

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

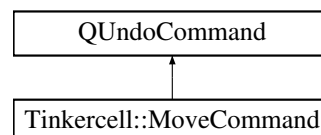
- ModelWriter.h
- ModelWriter.cpp

## 6.53 Tinkercell::MoveCommand Class Reference

this command performs a move and allows redo/undo of that move

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::MoveCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [MoveCommand](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \**scene*, QGraphicsItem \**item*, const QPointF &*distance*)  
*constructor*

- [MoveCommand](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &items, const [QPointF](#) &distance)  
*constructor*
- [MoveCommand](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, const QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &items, const QList< [QPointF](#) > &distance)  
*constructor*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*redo the change*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*undo the change*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static void [refreshAllConnectionIn](#) (const QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > &)  
*refresh all connectors that are attached to any of the items in the list*

### 6.53.1 Detailed Description

this command performs a move and allows redo/undo of that move

### 6.53.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.53.2.1 Tinkercell::MoveCommand::MoveCommand ( [GraphicsScene](#) \* *scene*, [QGraphicsItem](#) \* *item*, const [QPointF](#) & *distance* )

constructor

##### Parameters

*GraphicsScene*\* scene where change happened

*QGraphicsItem* \* items that are affected

*QPointF*& amount to move

#### 6.53.2.2 Tinkercell::MoveCommand::MoveCommand ( [GraphicsScene](#) \* *scene*, const QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > & *items*, const [QPointF](#) & *distance* )

constructor

##### Parameters

*scene* where change happened

*items* that are affected

*QPointF*& amount to move

### 6.53.2.3 Tinkercell::MoveCommand::MoveCommand ( GraphicsScene \* *scene*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *items*, const QList< QPointF > & *distance* )

constructor

#### Parameters

*GraphicsScene\** *scene* where change happened

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* *items* that are affected

*QPointF&* *amount* to move

## 6.53.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.53.3.1 void Tinkercell::MoveCommand::refreshAllConnectionIn ( const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *moving* ) [static]

refresh all connectors that are attached to any of the items in the list

#### Parameters

*items* list to check

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.54 Tinkercell::MultithreadedSliderWidget Class Reference

This class is used to run specific functions inside a C dynamic library as a separate thread. Uses [CThread](#) to call the C functions.

```
#include <MultithreadedSliderWidget.h>
```

### Public Slots

- virtual void [setSliders](#) (const QStringList &options, const QList< double > &minValues, const QList< double > &maxValues)  
*setup the sliders options and initial values*
- virtual void [setVisibleSliders](#) (const QStringList &options)  
*set the sliders visible*
- virtual void [setVisibleSliders](#) (const QString &substring)  
*set the sliders visible if the slider name has the given string as a substring*

## Signals

- void [optionsChanged](#) (const QStringList &)  
*the options in the slider have changed*
- void [valuesChanged](#) (const QList< double > &)  
*the values in the slider have changed*

## Public Member Functions

- [MultithreadedSliderWidget](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*parent, [CThread](#) \*thread=0, Qt::Orientation [orientation](#)=Qt::Horizontal)  
*constructor*
- [MultithreadedSliderWidget](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*parent, const QString &lib, const QString &function-Name, Qt::Orientation [orientation](#)=Qt::Horizontal)  
*constructor*
- virtual [CThread](#) \* [thread](#) () const  
*the cthread that is run every time the sliders change*
- virtual void [setThread](#) ([CThread](#) \*)  
*the cthread that is run every time the sliders change*
- virtual void [setDefaultDataTable](#) (const QString &)  
*This is the data table that will be altered when no appropriate data is available. For example, if one of the sliders is labeled "A" and the default table is set to "bla", then changing the slider for "A" will result in change to "A.bla[0,0]".*
- virtual [DataTable](#)< qreal > [data](#) () const  
*table containing the variables, current values, min and max*

## Protected Slots

- virtual void [valueChanged](#) ()  
*whenever the value text change, the function in the C library is called*
- virtual void [sliderChanged](#) (int)  
*whenever the sliders change, the function in the C library is called*
- virtual void [minmaxChanged](#) ()  
*whenever the text change, the function in the C library is called*
- virtual void [saveValues](#) ()  
*copy the values from the slider to the model*

## Protected Attributes

- [CThread](#) \* [cthread](#)  
*whenever the slides change, cthread->start() is called*
- Qt::Orientation [orientation](#)  
*orientation of the sliders*
- [DataTable](#)< qreal > [values](#)  
*table storing slider values*
- [QList](#)< [QLabel](#) \* > [labels](#)  
*slider labels in same order as sliders list*
- [QList](#)< [QSlider](#) \* > [sliders](#)  
*all the sliders*
- [QList](#)< [QLineEdit](#) \* > [minline](#)  
*slider min, max, and values in same order as sliders list*
- [QList](#)< [QLineEdit](#) \* > [maxline](#)
- [QList](#)< [QLineEdit](#) \* > [valueline](#)
- [QList](#)< double > [min](#)  
*slider min and max in same order as sliders list*
- [QList](#)< double > [max](#)
- [QVBoxLayout](#) \* [slidersLayout](#)  
*slider layout*
- [QHash](#)< [QString](#), [QWidget](#) \* > [sliderWidgets](#)  
*sliders by name*
- [MainWindow](#) \* [mainWindow](#)  
*main window*
- [QString](#) [defaultDataTable](#)  
*This is the data table that will be altered when no appropriate data is available. For example, if one of the sliders is labeled "A" and the default table is set to "bla", then changing the slider for "A" will result in change to "A.bla[0,0]".*

### 6.54.1 Detailed Description

This class is used to run specific functions inside a C dynamic library as a separate thread. Uses [CThread](#) to call the C functions.

## 6.54.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

**6.54.2.1** `Tinkercell::MultithreadedSliderWidget::MultithreadedSliderWidget ( MainWindow * parent, CThread * thread = 0, Qt::Orientation orientation = Qt::Horizontal )`

constructor

### Parameters

*QWidget* \* parent

*CThread* \* the thread that is already setup with the correct library and function

*Qt::Orientation* orientation

**6.54.2.2** `Tinkercell::MultithreadedSliderWidget::MultithreadedSliderWidget ( MainWindow * parent, const QString & lib, const QString & functionName, Qt::Orientation orientation = Qt::Horizontal )`

constructor

### Parameters

*QWidget* \* parent

*QString* the name of the dynamic library to load

*QString* name of function in the library with signature void f(Matrix)

*Qt::Orientation* orientation

## 6.54.3 Member Function Documentation

**6.54.3.1** `void Tinkercell::MultithreadedSliderWidget::setSliders ( const QStringList & options, const QList< double > & minValues, const QList< double > & maxValues ) [virtual, slot]`

setup the sliders options and initial values

### Parameters

*QStringList* names for the sliders

*QList<double>* minimum value for each of the sliders

*QList<double>* maximum value for each of the sliders

**6.54.3.2** `void Tinkercell::MultithreadedSliderWidget::setVisibleSliders ( const QStringList & options ) [virtual, slot]`

set the sliders visible

### Parameters

*QStringList* names for the sliders

### 6.54.3.3 void Tinkercell::MultithreadedSliderWidget::setVisibleSliders ( const QString & substring ) [virtual, slot]

set the sliders visible if the slider name has the given string as a substring

#### Parameters

*QString* substring for the slider names

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- MultithreadedSliderWidget.h
- MultithreadedSliderWidget.cpp

## 6.55 Tinkercell::NetworkHandle Class Reference

A class that is used to store a network. The network is a collection of Item Handles. The history stack is also a key component of a network. The network can either be represented as text using [TextEditor](#) or visualized with graphical items in the [GraphicsScene](#). Each node and connection are contained in a handle, and each handle can either be represented as text or as graphics. The two main components of [NetworkWindow](#) are the [SymbolsTable](#) and HistoryStack This class provides functions for inserting items, removing items, and changing information inside the model.

```
#include <NetworkHandle.h>
```

### Public Slots

#### slots

*update the symbols table that stores all the symbols in the network*

- virtual void [updateSymbolsTable](#) ()  
*updates the symbols table*
- virtual void [updateSymbolsTable](#) (int)  
*updates the symbols table. The int argument is so that this can be connected to the history changed signal*
- virtual void [close](#) ()  
*updates the symbols table. The int argument is so that this can be connected to the history changed signal*
- virtual void [undo](#) ()  
*undo last command*
- virtual void [redo](#) ()  
*redo last command*
- virtual void [push](#) (QUndoCommand \*)  
*push a new command into the history stack*

## Public Member Functions

### Constructor and destructor

- [NetworkHandle](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*)  
*constructor*
- virtual [~NetworkHandle](#) ()  
*destructor*

### Get items

*get the set of items in the model*

- virtual [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > [handles](#) (bool sort=false)  
*get all the visible items in this network window*
- virtual [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > [handlesSortedByFamily](#) () const  
*get list of all items sorted according to family*
- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [globalHandle](#) ()  
*the model global item*
- virtual [GraphicsScene](#) \* [currentScene](#) () const  
*gets the current scene that is active*
- virtual [TextEditor](#) \* [currentTextEditor](#) () const  
*gets the text editor that is active*
- virtual [NetworkWindow](#) \* [currentWindow](#) () const  
*gets the window that is active*
- virtual void [showScene](#) ([GraphicsScene](#) \*)  
*show the window that contains the given scene*
- virtual void [showTextEditor](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*)  
*show the window that contains the given text editor*
- [ConsoleWindow](#) \* [console](#) () const  
*same as main window's [console\(\)](#)*

### find item handles and data tables

- [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > [findItem](#) (const [QString](#) &) const  
*get all the items with the given name. Returns a list for non-unique names*
- [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > [findItem](#) (const [QStringList](#) &) const  
*get all the items with the given name. returned list may be longer if names are non-unique*
- [QList](#)< [QPair](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \*, [QString](#) > > [findData](#) (const [QString](#) &) const  
*get all the items and corresponding data table name that contains the given string. if non-unique, returns a list*
- [QList](#)< [QPair](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \*, [QString](#) > > [findData](#) (const [QStringList](#) &) const



*get all the items and corresponding data table name that contains the given string. if non-unique, returns a list*

### create scene or editor

- virtual void **remove** (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items)  
*this command performs an removal and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual QList< **GraphicsScene** \* > **scenes** () const  
*get all the graphics scenes used to illustrate this network*
- virtual QList< **TextEditor** \* > **editors** () const  
*get all the text editors used to express this network*
- virtual **GraphicsScene** \* **createScene** (const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &insertItems=QList< QGraphicsItem \* >())  
*create a new scene for this network*
- virtual **GraphicsScene** \* **createScene** (**ItemHandle** \*, const QRectF &boundingRect=QRectF())  
*create a new scene that gets all the items inside the given item handle.*
- virtual **TextEditor** \* **createTextEditor** (const QString &text=QString())  
*create a new text editor for this network*
- virtual void **setWindowTitle** (const QString &)  
*set all the title for each window representing this network*
- virtual QString **windowTitle** () const  
*get the title for current window representing this network*
- virtual bool **parseMath** (QString &, QStringList &)  
*checks whether a string is a correct formula.*
- virtual QString **makeUnique** (const QString &, const QStringList &doNotUseNames=QStringList()) const  
*checks whether the given string names a unique item or data entry*
- virtual QString **makeUnique** (**ItemHandle** \*handle, const QStringList &doNotUseNames=QStringList()) const  
*checks whether the given handle's name is unique and returns a new name. Note that this can be different from makeUnqiue for strings, because this function will check if an existing name belongs to the given handle, in which case no change is needed.*
- virtual QStringList **makeUnique** (const QStringList &, const QStringList &doNotUseNames=QStringList()) const  
*checks whether the given string names a unique item or data entry*

### rename items

*These functions automatically perform history updates and send appropriate signals, which will inform the other tools that an insertion or deletion has taken place.*

- virtual void **rename** (const QString &oldname, const QString &new\_name)

*rename item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

- virtual void **rename** (**ItemHandle** \*item, const QString &new\_name)  
*rename an item and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void **rename** (const QList< **ItemHandle** \* > &items, const QList< QString > &new\_names)  
*rename items and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

### change parents of items

*These functions automatically perform history updates and send appropriate signals, which will inform the other tools that an insertion or deletion has taken place.*

- virtual void **setParentHandle** (const QList< **ItemHandle** \* > &handles, const QList< **ItemHandle** \* > &parentHandles)  
*change parent handles and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void **setParentHandle** (**ItemHandle** \*child, **ItemHandle** \*parent)  
*change parent handle and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void **setParentHandle** (const QList< **ItemHandle** \* > children, **ItemHandle** \*parent)  
*change parent for handles and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void **setHandleFamily** (const QList< **ItemHandle** \* > &handles, const QList< **ItemFamily** \* > &newfamilies)  
*change handles families and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void **setHandleFamily** (**ItemHandle** \*handle, **ItemFamily** \*newfamily)  
*change handle and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void **setHandleFamily** (const QList< **ItemHandle** \* > handles, **ItemFamily** \*newfamily)  
*change family for handles and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

### change data in one or more items

*These functions automatically perform history updates and send appropriate signals, which will inform the other tools that an insertion or deletion has taken place.*

- virtual void **changeData** (const QString &name, **ItemHandle** \*handle, const QString &hashstring, const **NumericalDataTable** \*newdata)  
*change numerical data table and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void **changeData** (const QString &name, const QList< **ItemHandle** \* > &handles, const QList< QString > &hashstring, const QList< **NumericalDataTable** \* > &newdata)  
*change a list of numerical data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void **changeData** (const QString &name, const QList< **ItemHandle** \* > &handles, const QString &hashstring, const QList< **NumericalDataTable** \* > &newdata)  
*change a list of numerical data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, [ItemHandle](#) \*handle, const QString &hashstring, const [TextDataTable](#) \*newdata)  
*change text data table and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, const QList< QString > &hashstring, const QList< [TextDataTable](#) \* > &newdata)  
*change a list of text data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, const QString &hashstring, const QList< [TextDataTable](#) \* > &newdata)  
*change a list of text data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, [ItemHandle](#) \*handle, const QString &hashstring, const [NumericalDataTable](#) \*newdata1, const [TextDataTable](#) \*newdata2)  
*change two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, const QList< QString > &hashstring, const QList< [NumericalDataTable](#) \* > &newdata1, const QList< [TextDataTable](#) \* > &newdata2)  
*change a list of two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, const QString &hashstring, const QList< [NumericalDataTable](#) \* > &newdata1, const QList< [TextDataTable](#) \* > &newdata2)  
*change a list of two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, const QList< [NumericalDataTable](#) \* > &olddata1, const QList< [NumericalDataTable](#) \* > &newdata1)  
  
*change a list of two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, const QList< [TextDataTable](#) \* > &olddata2, const QList< [TextDataTable](#) \* > &newdata2)  
*change a list of two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, const QList< [NumericalDataTable](#) \* > &olddata1, const QList< [NumericalDataTable](#) \* > &newdata1, const QList< [TextDataTable](#) \* > &olddata2, const QList< [TextDataTable](#) \* > &newdata2)  
*change a list of two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, [NumericalDataTable](#) \*olddata1, const [NumericalDataTable](#) \*newdata1, [TextDataTable](#) \*olddata2, const [TextDataTable](#) \*newdata2)  
*change a two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*
- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, [NumericalDataTable](#) \*olddata1, const [NumericalDataTable](#) \*newdata1)  
*change a two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

*change a data table and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

- virtual void [changeData](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles, [TextDataTable](#) \*olddata1, const [TextDataTable](#) \*newdata1)

*change a data table and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)*

- virtual void [assignHandles](#) (const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, [ItemHandle](#) \*newHandle)

*assign the handle for one or more items*

- virtual void [mergeHandles](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &handles)

*marge the graphics items and children of two or more handles*

## Public Attributes

- QUndoStack [history](#)

*the undo stack*

- [SymbolsTable](#) [symbolsTable](#)

*holds a hash of all items and data in this scene.*

## signals

- class **GraphicsView**
- class **GraphicsScene**
- class **TextEditor**
- class **MainWindow**
- class **NetworkWindow**
- class **SymbolsTable**
- void [itemsRenamed](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*network, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &items, const QList< QString > &oldnames, const QList< QString > &newnames)  
*signals whenever an item is renamed*
- void [parentHandleChanged](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*network, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*signals whenever item parent handle is changed*
- void [handleFamilyChanged](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*network, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, const QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > &)  
*signals whenever item handles' families are changed*
- void [dataChanged](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &items)  
*signals whenever some data is changed*
- void [handlesChanged](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*network, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &old)  
*signals whenever the handles for graphics items have changed*

- void [historyChanged](#) (int i=0)

*one of more changed have occurred in the history window of the current scene*

### 6.55.1 Detailed Description

A class that is used to store a network. The network is a collection of Item Handles. The history stack is also a key component of a network. The network can either be represented as text using [TextEditor](#) or visualized with graphical items in the [GraphicsScene](#). Each node and connection are contained in a handle, and each handle can either be represented as text or as graphics. The two main components of [NetworkWindow](#) are the [SymbolsTable](#) and HistoryStack This class provides functions for inserting items, removing items, and changing information inside the model.

### 6.55.2 Member Function Documentation

**6.55.2.1 void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::changeData ( const QString & *name*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *handles*, const QList< QString > & *hashstring*, const QList< NumericalDataTable \* > & *newdata* ) [virtual]**

change a list of numerical data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

change a list of numerical data tables

**6.55.2.2 void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::changeData ( const QString & *name*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *handles*, const QString & *hashstring*, const QList< NumericalDataTable \* > & *newdata* ) [virtual]**

change a list of numerical data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

change a list of numerical data tables

**6.55.2.3 void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::changeData ( const QString & *name*, ItemHandle \* *handle*, const QString & *hashstring*, const TextDataTable \* *newdata* ) [virtual]**

change text data table and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

change text data table

**6.55.2.4 void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::changeData ( const QString & *name*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *handles*, const QList< QString > & *hashstring*, const QList< TextDataTable \* > & *newdata* ) [virtual]**

change a list of text data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

change a list of text data tables

**6.55.2.5** `void TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::changeData ( const QString & name, const QList< ItemHandle * > & handles, const QString & hashstring, const QList< TextDataTable * > & newdata ) [virtual]`

change a list of text data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

change a list of text data tables

**6.55.2.6** `void TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::changeData ( const QString & name, ItemHandle * handle, const QString & hashstring, const NumericalDataTable * newdata1, const TextDataTable * newdata2 ) [virtual]`

change two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

change two types of data tables

**6.55.2.7** `void TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::changeData ( const QString & name, const QList< ItemHandle * > & handles, const QList< QString > & hashstring, const QList< NumericalDataTable * > & newdata1, const QList< TextDataTable * > & newdata2 ) [virtual]`

change a list of two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

change a list of two types of data tables

**6.55.2.8** `void TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::changeData ( const QString & name, const QList< ItemHandle * > & handles, const QString & hashstring, const QList< NumericalDataTable * > & newdata1, const QList< TextDataTable * > & newdata2 ) [virtual]`

change a list of two types of data tables and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

change a list of two types of data tables

**6.55.2.9** `void TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::changeData ( const QString & name, ItemHandle * handle, const QString & hashstring, const NumericalDataTable * newdata ) [virtual]`

change numerical data table and also adds undo command to history window and emits associated signal(s)

change numerical data table

**6.55.2.10** `GraphicsScene * TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::createScene ( ItemHandle * item, const QRectF & boundingRect = QRectF() ) [virtual]`

create a new scene that gets all the items inside the given item handle.

## Parameters

*ItemHandle \**

*QRectF* only include the graphics items

#### Returns

GraphicsScene\* the new scene

**6.55.2.11** `GraphicsScene * Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::createScene ( const QList< QGraphicsItem * > & insertItems = QList<QGraphicsItem*> () ) [virtual]`

create a new scene for this network

#### Parameters

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>* items to initialize the network with

#### Returns

GraphicsScene\* the new scene

**6.55.2.12** `TextEditor * Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::createTextEditor ( const QString & text = QString() ) [virtual]`

create a new text editor for this network

#### Parameters

*QString* (optional) initial script

#### Returns

TextEditor\* the new scene

**6.55.2.13** `GraphicsScene * Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::currentScene ( ) const [virtual]`

gets the current scene that is active

#### Returns

GraphicsScene\* current scene

**6.55.2.14** `TextEditor * Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::currentTextEditor ( ) const [virtual]`

gets the text editor that is active

#### Returns

TextEditor\* current editor

**6.55.2.15** `NetworkWindow * Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::currentWindow ( ) const`  
**[virtual]**

gets the window that is active

#### Returns

NetworkWindow\* current window

**6.55.2.16** `void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::dataChanged ( const QList< ItemHandle * > & items )` **[signal]**

signals whenever some data is changed

#### Parameters

*QList<ItemHandle\*>* items handles

#### Returns

void

**6.55.2.17** `QList< TextEditor * > Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::editors ( ) const` **[virtual]**

get all the text editors used to express this network

#### Returns

QList<TextEditor\*>

**6.55.2.18** `QList< QPair< ItemHandle *, QString > > Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::findData ( const QString & s ) const`

get all the items and corresponding data table name that contains the given string. if non-unique, returns a list

#### Parameters

*QString*

#### Returns

QPair<ItemHandle\*,QString>

**6.55.2.19** `QList< QPair< ItemHandle *, QString > > Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::findData ( const QStringList & list ) const`

get all the items and corresponding data table name that contains the given string. if non-unique, returns a list



**Parameters***QString***Returns**

QPair&lt;ItemHandle\*,QString&gt;

**6.55.2.20** `QList< ItemHandle * > Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::findItem ( const QString & s ) const`

get all the items with the given name. Returns a list for non-unique names

**Parameters***QString***Returns**

QList&lt;ItemHandle\*&gt;

**6.55.2.21** `QList< ItemHandle * > Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::findItem ( const QStringList & list ) const`

get all the items with the given name. returned list may be longer if names are non-unique

**Parameters***QStringList***Returns**

QList&lt;ItemHandle\*&gt;

**6.55.2.22** `void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::handleFamilyChanged ( NetworkHandle * network, const QList< ItemHandle * > &, const QList< ItemFamily * > & ) [signal]`

signals whenever item handles' families are changed

**Parameters***NetworkHandle\** network where the event took place*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* child items*QList<ItemFamily\*>&* old families**Returns**

void

**6.55.2.23** `QList< ItemHandle * > Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::handles ( bool sort = false )`  
**[virtual]**

get all the visible items in this network window

#### Parameters

*bool* sort handles by full name (default = false)

**6.55.2.24** `void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::handlesChanged ( NetworkHandle * network,  
const QList< QGraphicsItem * > & items, const QList< ItemHandle * > & old )`  
**[signal]**

signals whenever the handles for graphics items have changed

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle\** network where the event took place

*QList<GraphicsItem\*>&* items that are affected

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* old handle for each items

#### Returns

void

**6.55.2.25** `void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::historyChanged ( int i = 0 )` **[signal]**

one of more changed have occurred in the history window of the current scene

#### Parameters

*int* number of changes (negative = undos, positive = redos)

#### Returns

void

**6.55.2.26** `void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::itemsRenamed ( NetworkHandle * network, const  
QList< ItemHandle * > & items, const QList< QString > & oldnames, const QList<  
QString > & newnames )` **[signal]**

signals whenever an item is renamed

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle\** network where the event took place

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* items

*QList<QString>&* old names

*QList<QString>&* new names

#### Returns

void

**6.55.2.27** `QString TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::makeUnique ( const QString & str, const QStringList & doNotUseNames = QStringList () ) const [virtual]`

checks whether the given string names a unique item or data entry

#### Parameters

*QString* target string

*QStringList* any other names that should be disallowed (optional)

#### Returns

QString new string

**6.55.2.28** `QString TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::makeUnique ( ItemHandle * handle, const QStringList & doNotUseNames = QStringList () ) const [virtual]`

checks whether the given handle's name is unique and returns a new name. Note that this can be different from makeUnique for strings, because this function will check if an existing name belongs to the given handle, in which case no change is needed.

#### Parameters

*ItemHandle* \* handle

*QStringList* any other names that should be disallowed (optional)

#### Returns

QString new string

**6.55.2.29** `QStringList TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::makeUnique ( const QStringList & oldnames, const QStringList & doNotUseNames = QStringList () ) const [virtual]`

checks whether the given string names a unique item or data entry

#### Parameters

*QStringList* target strings

#### Returns

QStringList new strings

**6.55.2.30** `void TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::parentHandleChanged ( NetworkHandle * network, const QList< ItemHandle * > &, const QList< ItemHandle * > & ) [signal]`

signals whenever item parent handle is changed

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle*\* network where the event took place

*QList<ItemHandle\*>*& child items

*QList<ItemHandle\*>*& old parents

#### Returns

void

**6.55.2.31** `bool Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::parseMath ( QString & s, QStringList & newvars )  
[virtual]`

checks whether a string is a correct formula.

#### Parameters

*QString* target string (also the output)

*QStringList* returns any new variables not found in this network

#### Returns

Boolean whether or not the string is valid

**6.55.2.32** `QList< GraphicsScene * > Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::scenes ( ) const [virtual]`

get all the graphics scenes used to illustrate this network

#### Returns

*QList<GraphicsScene\*>*

**6.55.2.33** `void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::setWindowTitle ( const QString & title )  
[virtual]`

set all the title for each window representing this network

#### Parameters

*QString*

**6.55.2.34** `void Tinkercell::NetworkHandle::showScene ( GraphicsScene * scene ) [virtual]`

show the window that contains the given scene

#### Returns

[GraphicsScene](#) \* scene

**6.55.2.35 void TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::showTextEditor ( [TextEditor](#) \* *editor* ) [virtual]**

show the window that contains the given text editor

**Returns**

[TextEditor](#) \* text editor

**6.55.2.36 void TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::updateSymbolsTable ( ) [virtual, slot]**

updates the symbols table

update symbols table

**6.55.2.37 void TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::updateSymbolsTable ( int *i* ) [virtual, slot]**

updates the symbols table. The int argument is so that this can be connected to the history changed signal

update symbols table

**6.55.2.38 QString TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::windowTitle ( ) const [virtual]**

get the title for current window representing this network

**Returns**

QString

**6.55.3 Member Data Documentation****6.55.3.1 SymbolsTable TinkerCell::NetworkHandle::symbolsTable**

holds a hash of all items and data in this scene.

**See also**

[SymbolsTable](#)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- NetworkHandle.h
- NetworkHandle.cpp

**6.56 TinkerCell::NetworkWindow Class Reference****Public Slots**

- virtual void [popOut](#) ()  
*calls main window's popOut*

- virtual void [popIn](#) ()  
*calls main window's popIn*
- virtual void [setFileName](#) (const QString &)  
*set file name and window title*
- virtual void [setWindowTitle](#) (const QString &)  
*set window title*

## Signals

- void [networkClosing](#) (NetworkHandle \*, bool \*)  
*signals when a window is going to close*
- void [networkClosed](#) (NetworkHandle \*)  
*signals after a window is closed*

## Public Member Functions

- virtual [GraphicsScene](#) \* [newScene](#) ()  
*replace the current text editor or scene with a new scene*
- virtual [TextEditor](#) \* [newTextEditor](#) ()  
*replace the current text editor or scene with a new text editor*

## Public Attributes

- [NetworkHandle](#) \* [network](#)  
*the network displayed in this window*
- [ItemHandle](#) \* [handle](#)  
*this pointer will be non-zero if an [ItemHandle](#) is associated with this window*
- [GraphicsScene](#) \* [scene](#)  
*the scene inside this window. Either the scene or the editor must be 0*
- [TextEditor](#) \* [editor](#)  
*the editor inside this window. Either the scene or the editor must be 0*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [closeEvent](#) (QCloseEvent \*event)  
*close event sends signal to all tools asking for confirmation before closing*

- virtual void [focusInEvent](#) (QFocusEvent \*)  
*focus received changes the main windows current network pointer*
- virtual void [resizeEvent](#) (QResizeEvent \*event)  
*resize event checks if the window has been minimized and calls popIn instead of minimizing*
- virtual void [setAsCurrentWindow](#) ()  
*calls main window's setAsCurrentWindow*
- virtual void [changeEvent](#) (QEvent \*event)  
*calls popIn when minimized*
- virtual void [connectToMainWindow](#) ()  
*make all the main window connections*
- [NetworkWindow](#) (NetworkHandle \*network, GraphicsScene \*scene)  
*constructor with scene*
- [NetworkWindow](#) (NetworkHandle \*network, TextEditor \*editor)  
*constructor with text editor*
- virtual [~NetworkWindow](#) ()  
*destructor*

## Protected Attributes

- QString [filename](#)  
*filename associated with this window*

## Friends

- class [MainWindow](#)
- class [GraphicsScene](#)
- class [GraphicsView](#)
- class [TextEditor](#)
- class [NetworkHandle](#)
- class [SymbolsTable](#)

### 6.56.1 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.56.1.1 void Tinkercell::NetworkWindow::changeEvent ( QEvent \* event ) [protected, virtual]

calls popIn when minimized

#### Returns

void

### 6.56.1.2 void Tinkercell::NetworkWindow::closeEvent ( QCloseEvent \* *event* ) [protected, virtual]

close event sends signal to all tools asking for confirmation before closing

#### Parameters

*QCloseEvent* \* *event*

#### Returns

void

### 6.56.1.3 void Tinkercell::NetworkWindow::focusInEvent ( QFocusEvent \* ) [protected, virtual]

focus received changes the main windows current network pointer

#### Parameters

*QFocusEvent*\*

#### Returns

void

### 6.56.1.4 void Tinkercell::NetworkWindow::networkClosed ( NetworkHandle \* ) [signal]

signals after a window is closed

#### Parameters

*NetworkWindow* \* the window that was closed

#### Returns

void

### 6.56.1.5 void Tinkercell::NetworkWindow::networkClosing ( NetworkHandle \*, bool \* ) [signal]

signals when a window is going to close

#### Parameters

*NetworkWindow* \* the window that is closing

*Boolean* setting to false will prevent this window from closing

#### Returns

void



**6.56.1.6 GraphicsScene \* TinkerCell::NetworkWindow::newScene ( ) [virtual]**

replace the current text editor or scene with a new scene

**Returns**

[GraphicsScene](#) \* scene

**6.56.1.7 TextEditor \* TinkerCell::NetworkWindow::newTextEditor ( ) [virtual]**

replace the current text editor or scene with a new text editor

**Returns**

[GraphicsScene](#) \* scene

**6.56.1.8 void TinkerCell::NetworkWindow::popIn ( ) [virtual, slot]**

calls main window's popIn

**Returns**

void

**6.56.1.9 void TinkerCell::NetworkWindow::popOut ( ) [virtual, slot]**

calls main window's popOut

**Returns**

void

**6.56.1.10 void TinkerCell::NetworkWindow::resizeEvent ( QResizeEvent \* event )  
[protected, virtual]**

resize event checks if the window has been minimized and calls popIn instead of minimizing

**Parameters**

*QResizeEvent\**

**Returns**

void

**6.56.1.11 void TinkerCell::NetworkWindow::setAsCurrentWindow ( ) [protected, virtual]**

calls main window's setAsCurrentWindow

**Returns**

void

### 6.56.1.12 void Tinkercell::NetworkWindow::setFileName ( const QString & text ) [virtual, slot]

set file name and window title

#### Returns

void

### 6.56.1.13 void Tinkercell::NetworkWindow::setWindowTitle ( const QString & text ) [virtual, slot]

set window title

#### Returns

void

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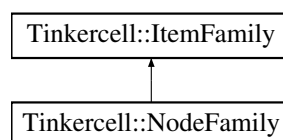
- NetworkWindow.h
- NetworkWindow.cpp

## 6.57 Tinkercell::NodeFamily Class Reference

This class defines the family of a node. Inherits from [ItemFamily](#). It contains a list of NodeGraphicsItems that is the default for this family of nodes.

```
#include <ItemFamily.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::NodeFamily:



### Public Member Functions

- virtual [ItemFamily](#) \* [parent](#) () const  
*get the parent for this family. If there are more than one parents, returns the first*
- virtual QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > [parents](#) () const  
*get all the parents for this family.*
- virtual QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > [children](#) () const  
*get all the families that make up this family.*
- virtual void [setParent](#) ([NodeFamily](#) \*)

*set parent family*

- virtual [~NodeFamily](#) ()

*destructor:*

- [NodeFamily](#) (const QString &name=QString())

*constructor:*

- virtual bool [isA](#) (const QString &) const

*indicates whether or not the given string is the name of this family or any of its parent families*

- virtual bool [isA](#) (const [ItemFamily](#) \*) const

*indicates whether or not the given family is the name of this family or any of its parent families*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [NodeFamily](#) \* [cast](#) ([ItemFamily](#) \*)

*cast to connection family*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual bool [isA](#) (int) const

*indicates whether or not the given ID is this family or any of its parent families*

## Protected Attributes

- QList< [NodeFamily](#) \* > [parentFamilies](#)

*all the parents*

- QList< [NodeFamily](#) \* > [childFamilies](#)

*all the families that are under this family*

## Friends

- class [ConnectionFamily](#)

### 6.57.1 Detailed Description

This class defines the family of a node. Inherits from [ItemFamily](#). It contains a list of [NodeGraphicsItems](#) that is the default for this family of nodes.

## 6.57.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.57.2.1 Tinkercell::NodeFamily::NodeFamily ( const QString & name = QString() )

constructor.

#### Parameters

*QString* name

## 6.57.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.57.3.1 bool Tinkercell::NodeFamily::isA ( int id ) const [protected, virtual]

indicates whether or not the given ID is this family or any of its parent families

indicates whether or not the given string is the name of this family or any of its parent families

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::ItemFamily](#).

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

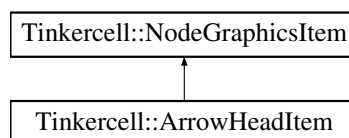
- ItemFamily.h
- ItemFamily.cpp

## 6.58 Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem Class Reference

A simple figure made from one or more polygons. The class can be represented in an XML file.

```
#include <NodeGraphicsItem.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem:



## Classes

- class [ControlPoint](#)  
a control point with a pointer to a [NodeGraphicsItem](#)
- class [Shape](#)  
A closed polygon path made from arcs, lines, and beziers.

## Public Types

- enum [ShapeType](#) { arc, line, bezier, rectangle }

*arc, line, or bezier*

- enum { **Type** = UserType + 4 }  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

## Public Member Functions

- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [handle](#) () const  
*get the handle of this node*
- virtual void [setHandle](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*)  
*set the handle of this node*
- [NodeGraphicsItem](#) ([QGraphicsItem](#) \*parent=0)
- [NodeGraphicsItem](#) (const [QString](#) &filename, [QGraphicsItem](#) \*parent=0)
- [NodeGraphicsItem](#) (const [NodeGraphicsItem](#) &copy)
- virtual [NodeGraphicsItem](#) & [operator=](#) (const [NodeGraphicsItem](#) &copy)
- virtual [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* [clone](#) () const  
*make a copy of this node item*
- virtual void [paint](#) ([QPainter](#) \*painter, const [QStyleOptionGraphicsItem](#) \*option=new [QStyleOptionGraphicsItem](#)(), [QWidget](#) \*widget=0)  
*paint method. Call's parent's paint after setting antialiasing to true*
- bool [isValid](#) () const  
*checks that this is a valid drawable*
- virtual void [addControlPoint](#) ([ControlPoint](#) \*control)  
*add a new control point*
- virtual void [addShape](#) ([Shape](#) \*shape)  
*add a shape to the set of shapes*
- virtual void [removeControlPoint](#) ([ControlPoint](#) \*control)  
*remove a control point*
- virtual void [removeShape](#) ([Shape](#) \*shape)  
*add a shape to the set of shapes*
- virtual void [setBrush](#) (const [QBrush](#) &newBrush)  
*change fill color of all shapes*
- virtual void [setAlpha](#) (int value)  
*change alpha value for brush and pen of all shapes*
- virtual void [setPen](#) (const [QPen](#) &newPen)  
*change outline color of all shapes*
- virtual void [resetBrush](#) ()

*change fill color of all shapes to the default brush*

- virtual void [resetPen](#) ()  
*change outline color of all shapes to default pen*
- virtual void [resetToDefaults](#) ()  
*change color, transformation, and size to defaults*
- virtual QPolygonF [polygon](#) () const  
*gets a polygon that represents this graphicsItem*
- virtual QPainterPath [shape](#) () const  
*gets a path that represents this graphicsItem*
- virtual void [refresh](#) ()  
*Updates the graphicsItem by re-initializing the vector of shapes Precondition: shapes.size > 1 Postcondition: NA.*
- virtual void [normalize](#) ()  
*normalizes a node graphics item so that its center is 0,0 and width\*height is 10*
- virtual void [clear](#) ()  
*Clear all shapes and control points.*
- virtual QRectF [boundingRect](#) () const  
*bounding rect*
- virtual [~NodeGraphicsItem](#) ()  
*Destructor: deletes all shapes and control points.*
- virtual QList< [TinkerCell::ControlPoint](#) \* > [allControlPoints](#) () const  
*all the control points that are used in this figure*
- virtual void [adjustBoundaryControlPoints](#) ()  
*reset of control points that control the bounding box of this figure*
- virtual void [adjustToBoundaryControlPoints](#) ()  
*set boundary to match control points that control the bounding box of this figure*
- virtual void [setBoundingRect](#) (const QPointF &, const QPointF &)  
*set the top left and bottom right corners of this node item*
- virtual void [setBoundingBoxVisible](#) (bool visible=true, bool [controlPoints](#)=true)  
*show or hide the bounding box of this figure*
- void [showBoundingBox](#) (bool [controlPoints](#)=true)  
*show the bounding box of this figure. same as setBoundingBoxVisible(true)*
- void [hideBoundingBox](#) (bool [controlPoints](#)=true)  
*hide the bounding box of this figure. same as setBoundingBoxVisible(false)*

- virtual int [type](#) () const  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*
- virtual QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* > [connections](#) () const  
*get all the connection items linked to this node*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [connectedNodes](#) () const  
*get all the nodes connected to all the connections*
- virtual QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* > [connectionsWithArrows](#) () const  
*get all the connection items that have an arrow associated with this node*
- virtual QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* > [connectionsWithoutArrows](#) () const  
*get all the connection items that do NOT have an arrow associated with this node*
- virtual QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* > [connectionsDisconnected](#) () const  
*get all the connection items where this node is disconnected from the main connection, e.g. modifiers*
- virtual QList< [QGraphicsItem](#) \* > [connectionsAsGraphicsItems](#) () const  
*get all the connection items linked to this node as a list of qgraphicsitems*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesAdjacent](#) () const  
*get all the node items that are bordering this node*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesUpstream](#) () const  
*get all the node items that are connected to this node directly or indirectly. only nodes that are coming in are selected (with arrows) Note: if the node contains more than one connections with arrows, this list returns one downstream path from the possible paths*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesDownstream](#) () const  
*get all the node items that are connected to this node directly or indirectly. only nodes that are going out are selected (without arrows) Note: if the node contains more than one connections without arrows, this list returns one downstream path from the possible paths*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesToLeft](#) () const  
*nodes to the left of this node in sequence*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesToRight](#) () const  
*nodes to the right of this node in sequence*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesAbove](#) () const  
*nodes above of this node in sequence*
- virtual QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [nodesBelow](#) () const  
*nodes below of this node in sequence*
- virtual [Shape](#) \* [tallestShape](#) () const  
*get the shape with greatest height inside this group graphics item*

- virtual [Shape](#) \* [longestShape](#) () const  
*get the shape with greatest width inside this group graphics item*
- virtual [Shape](#) \* [leftMostShape](#) () const  
*get the shape with lowest x value inside this group graphics item*
- virtual [Shape](#) \* [rightMostShape](#) () const  
*get the shape with largest x value inside this group graphics item*
- virtual [Shape](#) \* [topMostShape](#) () const  
*get the shape with lowest y value inside this group graphics item*
- virtual [Shape](#) \* [bottomMostShape](#) () const  
*get the shape with largest y value inside this group graphics item*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* [cast](#) (QGraphicsItem \*)  
*cast a graphics item to a node graphics item using qgraphicsitem\_cast*
- static QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > [cast](#) (const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &)  
*cast a list of graphics item to a list of node graphics items using qgraphicsitem\_cast*
- static [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* [topLevelNodeItem](#) (QGraphicsItem \*item, bool ignoreControlPoints=false)  
*Gets the node item from one of its child items.*

## Public Attributes

- QString [className](#)  
*for safe static casting*
- QString [name](#)  
*file where the graphics item is stored*
- QSizeF [defaultSize](#)  
*default size for this item*
- QVector< [Shape](#) \* > [shapes](#)  
*shapes that comprise this figure*
- QVector< [ControlPoint](#) \* > [controlPoints](#)  
*control points that control the shapes in this figure*
- QVector< [ControlPoint](#) \* > [boundaryControlPoints](#)  
*set of control points that control the bounding box of this figure*



- QString [groupID](#)  
*for identifying which scene this item belongs in*

## Static Public Attributes

- static const QString [CLASSNAME](#) = QString("NodeGraphicsItem")  
*for safe static casting*
- static const int [numShapeTypes](#) = 4  
*number of different type of shapes available*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [recomputeBoundingRect](#) ()  
*reconstruct bounding rect*
- virtual qreal [getPenWidthForBoundingRect](#) ()  
*get pen width based on bounding rect*

## Protected Attributes

- QRectF [boundingRectangle](#)  
*bounding rectangle for the whole group*
- [ItemHandle](#) \* [itemHandle](#)  
*Tinkercell object that this drawable belongs in.*
- QGraphicsRectItem \* [boundingBoxItem](#)  
*the bounding box of this figure*

### 6.58.1 Detailed Description

A simple figure made from one or more polygons. The class can be represented in an XML file.

### 6.58.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.58.2.1 Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::NodeGraphicsItem ( QGraphicsItem \* *parent* = 0 )

Constructor: does nothing

#### 6.58.2.2 Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::NodeGraphicsItem ( const QString & *filename*, QGraphicsItem \* *parent* = 0 )

Construct from file using [NodeGraphicsReader](#)

### 6.58.2.3 Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::NodeGraphicsItem ( const NodeGraphicsItem & *copy* )

Copy Constructor

Copy Constructor: deep copy of all pointers

copy handle

Copy control points and shapes

### 6.58.2.4 Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::~~NodeGraphicsItem ( ) [virtual]

Destructor: deletes all shapes and control points.

Destructor: deletes all shapes and control points

## 6.58.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.58.3.1 NodeGraphicsItem \* Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::cast ( QGraphicsItem \* *q* ) [static]

cast a graphics item to a node graphics item using qgraphicsitem\_cast

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem\** graphics item

#### Returns

NodeGraphicsItem\* can be 0 if the cast is invalid

Reimplemented in [Tinkercell::ArrowHeadItem](#).

### 6.58.3.2 QList< NodeGraphicsItem \* > Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::cast ( const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & *list* ) [static]

cast a list of graphics item to a list of node graphics items using qgraphicsitem\_cast

#### Parameters

*QList<QGraphicsItem\*>* graphics items

#### Returns

QList<NodeGraphicsItem\*> can be empty if no cast is invalid

### 6.58.3.3 void Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::clear ( ) [virtual]

Clear all shapes and control points.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

*void*

**6.58.3.4 NodeGraphicsItem \* TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::clone ( ) const [virtual]**

make a copy of this node item

make a copy of this item

Reimplemented in [TinkerCell::ArrowHeadItem](#).

**6.58.3.5 QList< NodeGraphicsItem \* > TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::connectedNodes ( ) const [virtual]**

get all the nodes connected to all the connections

get all the connected nodes

**6.58.3.6 QList< QGraphicsItem \* > TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::connectionsAsGraphicsItems ( ) const [virtual]**

get all the connection items linked to this node as a list of qgraphicsitems

get all the connection items linked to this node

**6.58.3.7 QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem \* > TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::connectionsDisconnected ( ) const [virtual]**

get all the connection items where this node is disconnected from the main connection, e.g. modifiers

get all the connection items linked to this node

**6.58.3.8 QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem \* > TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::connectionsWithArrows ( ) const [virtual]**

get all the connection items that have an arrow associated with this node

get all the connection items linked to this node

**6.58.3.9 QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem \* > TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::connectionsWithoutArrows ( ) const [virtual]**

get all the connection items that do NOT have an arrow associated with this node

get all the connection items linked to this node

**6.58.3.10 void TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::normalize ( ) [virtual]**

normalizes a node graphics item so that its center is 0,0 and width\*height is 10

**Parameters**

*node* item pointer to normalize

**Returns**

void

**Parameters**

*NodeImage* pointer to normalize

**Returns**

void

**6.58.3.11 NodeGraphicsItem & Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::operator= ( const NodeGraphicsItem & *copy* ) [virtual]**

basically does the same as copy constructor

operator =: deep copy of all pointers

Copy control points and shapes

**6.58.3.12 QPolygonF Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::polygon ( ) const [virtual]**

gets a polygon that represents this graphicsItem

gets a polygon that is constructed by uniting all the shapes

**6.58.3.13 void Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::refresh ( ) [virtual]**

Updates the graphicsItem by re-initializing the vector of shapes Precondition: shapes.size > 1 Postcondition: NA.

**Parameters**

*void*

**Returns**

void

**6.58.3.14 void Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::resetBrush ( ) [virtual]**

change fill color of all shapes to the default brush

change fill color of all shapes to default

**6.58.3.15 void Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::resetPen ( ) [virtual]**

change outline color of all shapes to default pen

change outline color of all shapes to default

**6.58.3.16 void Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::resetToDefaults ( ) [virtual]**

change color, transformation, and size to defaults

change color and size to defaults

**6.58.3.17 void Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::setAlpha ( int *value* ) [virtual]**

change alpha value for brush and pen of all shapes

change alpha value for brush of all shapes

**6.58.3.18 QPainterPath Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::shape ( ) const [virtual]**

gets a path that represents this graphicsItem

gets a path that is constructed by uniting all the shape paths

**6.58.3.19 NodeGraphicsItem \* Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::topLevelNodeItem ( QGraphicsItem \* *item*, bool *ignoreControlPoints* = *false* ) [static]**

Gets the node item from one of its child items.

gets the node graphics item from its child item

**Parameters**

*QGraphicsItem\** the target item

*bool* using true here will return the node item for a control point, otherwise control points are ignored

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- NodeGraphicsItem.h
- NodeGraphicsItem.cpp

**6.59 Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsReader Class Reference**

An xml reader that reads a [NodeGraphicsItem](#) file.

```
#include <NodeGraphicsReader.h>
```

**Classes**

- struct **BrushStruct**

**Public Member Functions**

- bool [readXml](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*idrawable, const QString &fileName)  
*Reads an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) from an XML file using the IO device provided.*

- void [readNodeGraphics](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*drawable, QIODevice \*device)

*Reads an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) from an XML file using the IO device provided.*

- QXmlStreamReader::TokenType [readNext](#) ()

*Reads up to the next start node.*

### 6.59.1 Detailed Description

An xml reader that reads a [NodeGraphicsItem](#) file.

### 6.59.2 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.59.2.1 QXmlStreamReader::TokenType TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsReader::readNext ( )

Reads up to the next start node.

##### Returns

Token Typer

#### 6.59.2.2 void TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsReader::readNodeGraphics ( [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* *node*, QIODevice \* *device* )

Reads an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) from an XML file using the IO device provided.

Reads an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) from an XML file using the IO device provided and adds the information to the provided [NodeGraphicsItem](#).

##### Parameters

[NodeGraphicsItem](#) pointer to write as XML

*QIODevice* to use

##### Returns

[NodeGraphicsItem](#) pointer

##### Parameters

[NodeGraphicsItem](#) pointer that will be read into from XML

*QIODevice* to use

##### Returns

void

### 6.59.2.3 bool TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsReader::readXml ( NodeGraphicsItem \* node, const QString & fileName )

Reads an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) from an XML file using the IO device provided.

Reads an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) from an XML file using the IO device provided and adds the information to the provided [NodeGraphicsItem](#).

#### Parameters

[NodeGraphicsItem](#) pointer to write as XML  
*QIODevice* to use

#### Returns

[NodeGraphicsItem](#) pointer

#### Parameters

[NodeGraphicsItem](#) pointer that will be read into from XML  
*QIODevice* to use

#### Returns

void

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- NodeGraphicsReader.h
- NodeGraphicsReader.cpp

## 6.60 TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsWriter Class Reference

An xml reader that reads a [NodeGraphicsItem](#) file.

```
#include <NodeGraphicsWriter.h>
```

### Public Member Functions

- [NodeGraphicsWriter](#) ()  
*default constructor*
- bool [writeXml](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*idrawable, const QString &fileName, bool normalize=true)  
*Writes an Node graphics item XML file with the document headers.*
- bool [writeXml](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*idrawable, *QIODevice* \*device, bool normalize=true)  
*Writes an Node graphics item XML file with the document headers.*
- bool [writeNodeGraphics](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*idrawable, *QIODevice* \*device, bool normalize=false)  
*Writes an NodeImage as an XML file using the IO device provided.*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static bool [writeNodeGraphics](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*drawable, QDomStreamWriter \*, bool normalize=false)

*Writes an NodeImage as an XML file using the xml writer provided.*

### 6.60.1 Detailed Description

An xml reader that reads a [NodeGraphicsItem](#) file.

### 6.60.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.60.2.1 Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsWriter::NodeGraphicsWriter ( )

default constructor

constructor. Sets autoformatting to true

### 6.60.3 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.60.3.1 bool Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsWriter::writeNodeGraphics ( [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* node, [QIODevice](#) \* device, bool *normalize* = *false* )

Writes an NodeImage as an XML file using the IO device provided.

Writes an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) as an XML file using the IO device provided.

##### Parameters

*NodeImage* pointer to write as XML

*QIODevice* to use

##### Returns

void

##### Parameters

[NodeGraphicsItem](#) pointer to write as XML

*QIODevice* to use

##### Returns

void

#### 6.60.3.2 bool Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsWriter::writeNodeGraphics ( [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* node, QDomStreamWriter \* writer, bool *normalize* = *false* ) [static]

Writes an NodeImage as an XML file using the xml writer provided.

Writes an NodeImage as an XML file using the IO device provided.



**Parameters***NodeImage* pointer to write as XML*XML* writer to use**Returns**

void

MainWindow::invalidPointers.contains(node-&gt;shapes[i]) &amp;&amp;

MainWindow::invalidPointers.contains(node-&gt;shapes[i]) &amp;&amp;

**6.60.3.3 bool TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsWriter::writeXml ( NodeGraphicsItem \* *node*, const QString & *fileName*, bool *normalize* = *true* )**

Writes an Node graphics item XML file with the document headers.

Writes an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) XML file with the document headers.**Parameters***NodeImage* pointer to write as XML*QIODevice* to use**Returns**

void

**Parameters**[NodeGraphicsItem](#) pointer to write as XML*QIODevice* to use**Returns**

void

**6.60.3.4 bool TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsWriter::writeXml ( NodeGraphicsItem \* *node*, QIODevice \* *device*, bool *normalize* = *true* )**

Writes an Node graphics item XML file with the document headers.

Writes an [NodeGraphicsItem](#) XML file with the document headers.**Parameters***NodeImage* pointer to write as XML*QIODevice* to use**Returns**

void

**Parameters**[NodeGraphicsItem](#) pointer to write as XML

*QIODevice* to use

### Returns

void

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

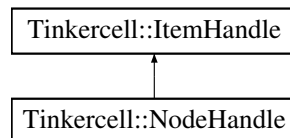
- NodeGraphicsWriter.h
- NodeGraphicsWriter.cpp

## 6.61 Tinkercell::NodeHandle Class Reference

The handles are used to bring together data and graphics items. Node Handle contains pointers to all the graphics items that belong to it, the tools that apply to this item, the data for this item, and the family that it belongs with.

```
#include <ItemHandle.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::NodeHandle:



### Public Member Functions

- virtual QList< [ConnectionHandle](#) \* > [connections](#) () const  
*function that returns all the connections from all the nodes in this handle*
- [NodeHandle](#) (const QString &[name](#)=QString(), [NodeFamily](#) \*[nodeFamily](#)=0)  
*default constructor -- initialize everything*
- [NodeHandle](#) (const [NodeHandle](#) &copy)  
*copy constructor -- copies all the data (deep). graphic items are shallow copies*
- virtual [NodeHandle](#) & [operator=](#) (const [NodeHandle](#) &)  
*operator =*
- [NodeHandle](#) ([NodeFamily](#) \*[nodeFamily](#), [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*item)  
*constructor using initial family and graphics item*
- [NodeHandle](#) ([NodeFamily](#) \*[nodeFamily](#), const QString &[name](#)=QString())  
*constructor using initial family and name*
- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [clone](#) () const  
*return a clone of this handle*

- virtual [ItemFamily](#) \* [family](#) () const  
*get the node family for this handle*
- virtual void [setFamily](#) ([ItemFamily](#) \*, bool useCommand=true)  
*set the node family for this handle*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [NodeHandle](#) \* [cast](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*)  
*checks if the item handle is a node handle and casts it as a node item. Returns 0 if it is not a node item*
- static QList< [NodeHandle](#) \* > [cast](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*checks if the item handles are node handles and casts them as node items. Returns QList<NodeHandle\*>*

## Public Attributes

- [NodeFamily](#) \* [nodeFamily](#)  
*node family for this node handle*

## Static Public Attributes

- static const int [TYPE](#) = 1  
*this number is used to identify when a handle is a node handle*

### 6.61.1 Detailed Description

The handles are used to bring together data and graphics items. Node Handle contains pointers to all the graphics items that belong to it, the tools that apply to this item, the data for this item, and the family that it belongs with.

### 6.61.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.61.2.1 TinkerCell::NodeHandle::NodeHandle ( [NodeFamily](#) \* *nodeFamily*, [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* *item* )

constructor using initial family and graphics item

#### Parameters

*nodeFamily*\* node family

*NodeGraphicsItem*\* graphics item

### 6.61.2.2 **Tinkercell::NodeHandle::NodeHandle ( NodeFamily \* *nodeFamily*, const QString & *name* = QString() )**

constructor using initial family and name

#### Parameters

*nodeFamily*\* node family

QString name

## 6.61.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.61.3.1 **NodeHandle \* Tinkercell::NodeHandle::cast ( ItemHandle \* *item* ) [static]**

checks if the item handle is a node handle and casts it as a node item. Returns 0 if it is not a node item

#### Parameters

ItemHandle\* item

### 6.61.3.2 **QList< NodeHandle \* > Tinkercell::NodeHandle::cast ( const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *items* ) [static]**

checks if the item handles are node handles and casts then as node items. Returns QList<NodeHandle\*>

#### Parameters

**Returns** QList<ItemHandle\*> items

### 6.61.3.3 **ItemHandle \* Tinkercell::NodeHandle::clone ( ) const [virtual]**

return a clone of this handle

#### Returns

ItemFamily\* node handle as item handle

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::ItemHandle](#).

### 6.61.3.4 **QList< ConnectionHandle \* > Tinkercell::NodeHandle::connections ( ) const [virtual]**

function that returns all the connections from all the nodes in this handle

#### Returns

QList<ConnectionHandle\*> list of connection handles

### 6.61.3.5 ItemFamily \* Tinkercell::NodeHandle::family ( ) const [virtual]

get the node family for this handle

#### Returns

ItemFamily\* node family as item family

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::ItemHandle](#).

### 6.61.3.6 void Tinkercell::NodeHandle::setFamily ( ItemFamily \* p, bool useCommand = true ) [virtual]

set the node family for this handle

#### Parameters

*NodeFamily*\* node family

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::ItemHandle](#).

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

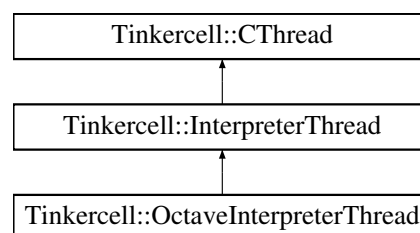
- ItemHandle.h
- ItemHandle.cpp

## 6.62 Tinkercell::OctaveInterpreterThread Class Reference

This class is used to embed an octave interpreter inside a TinkerCell application. The C library responsible for embedding octave is called runOctave.cpp and is located inside the octave folder. The octave interpreter uses two libraries -- one for embedding octave in TinkerCell and another for extending Octave with the TinkerCell C API.

```
#include <OctaveInterpreterThread.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::OctaveInterpreterThread:



#### Public Slots

- virtual void **initialize** ()
- virtual void **finalize** ()
- virtual void **toolLoaded** ([Tool](#) \*)

## Public Member Functions

- [OctaveInterpreterThread](#) (const QString &, const QString &, [MainWindow](#) \*main)  
*initialize the thread that will embed and extend octave. The embed library is ASSUMED to be named tinkercell.oct*
- virtual void [setCPointers](#) ()  
*requests main window to load all the C pointers for the C API inside the embedded library*

## Static Public Attributes

- static QString [OCTAVE\\_FOLDER](#)  
*the folder where tinkercell will look for octave files, defaults to /octave*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [run](#) ()  
*the main function that runs one of the specified functions*

## Protected Attributes

- execFunc **f**
- bool **addpathDone**
- QLibrary \* [swigLib](#)  
*library with all the C API functions*
- QRegExp **fromTC**

### 6.62.1 Detailed Description

This class is used to embed an octave interpreter inside a TinkerCell application. The C library responsible for embedding octave is called runOctave.cpp and is located inside the octave folder. The octave interpreter uses two libraries -- one for embedding octave in TinkerCell and another for extending Octave with the TinkerCell C API.

See also

[PythonInterpreterThread](#)

### 6.62.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.62.2.1 Tinkercell::OctaveInterpreterThread::OctaveInterpreterThread ( const QString & *octname*, const QString & *dllname*, [MainWindow](#) \* *main* )

initialize the thread that will embed and extend octave. The embed library is ASSUMED to be named tinkercell.oct

### Parameters

- QString* folder where the two octave libraries are located
- QString* name of the octave embed library

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- OctaveInterpreterThread.h
- OctaveInterpreterThread.cpp

## 6.63 TinkerCell::Plot3DWidget::Plot Class Reference

### Public Member Functions

- void **setColor** ()

### Public Attributes

- QString **title**
- double **minZ**
- double **maxZ**
- QColor **minColor**
- QColor **maxColor**

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

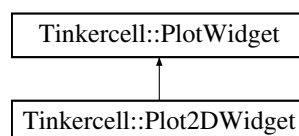
- Plot3DWidget.h
- Plot3DWidget.cpp

## 6.64 TinkerCell::Plot2DWidget Class Reference

A widget containing a data plot, legend and options. Can be used to plot line-plots, bar-plots, or histograms.

```
#include <Plot2DWidget.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::Plot2DWidget:



### Public Slots

- void **setLogScale** (int index, bool set=true)  
*set log scale (if applicable)*

- void **print** (QPaintDevice &)
- void **exportData** (const QString &, const QString &)

*export data is some format*

- void **logX** (bool)
- void **logY** (bool)
- void **logAxis** (int, bool)
- void **setTitle** ()
- void **setXLabel** ()
- void **setYLabel** ()
- void **setTitle** (const QString &)

*set plot title*

- void **setXLabel** (const QString &)
- void **setYLabel** (const QString &)

## Public Member Functions

- **Plot2DWidget** (**PlotTool** \*parent=0)
- virtual **DataTable**< qreal > \* **data** ()  
*get the data inside this plot*
- virtual bool **canAppendData** () const  
*indicates whether or not this plot widget is capable of plotting one graph on top of another*
- virtual void **appendData** (const **DataTable**< qreal > &)  
*append more data to the currently existing plot*
- virtual void **plot** (const **DataTable**< qreal > &matrix, const QString &**title**, int x=0)
- virtual void **updateData** (const **DataTable**< qreal > &)  
*update data for the current plot*

### 6.64.1 Detailed Description

A widget containing a data plot, legend and options. Can be used to plot line-plots, bar-plots, or histograms.

### 6.64.2 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.64.2.1 void Tinkercell::Plot2DWidget::exportData ( const QString & *type*, const QString & *file* ) [virtual, slot]

export data is some format

#### Parameters

*QString* format

Reimplemented from [Tinkercell::PlotWidget](#).

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:



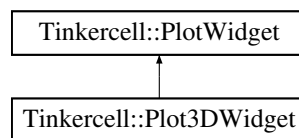
- [Plot2DWidget.h](#)
- [Plot2DWidget.cpp](#)

## 6.65 TinkerCell::Plot3DWidget Class Reference

A widget that uses `qwtplot3D` to draw surface plots.

```
#include <Plot3DWidget.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::Plot3DWidget:



### Classes

- class [DataFunction](#)
- class [Plot](#)
- class [StandardColor](#)

### Public Slots

- void [exportData](#) (const QString &, const QString &)  
*export data is some format*
- virtual void [setTitle](#) (const QString &)  
*set plot title*
- virtual void [setXLabel](#) (const QString &)
- virtual void [setYLabel](#) (const QString &)
- virtual void [setZLabel](#) (const QString &)

### Public Member Functions

- **Plot3DWidget** ([PlotTool](#) \*parent=0)
- [DataTable](#)< qreal > \* [data](#) ()  
*get the data inside this plot*
- void [updateData](#) (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*update data for the current plot*
- void **surface** (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &matrix, const QString &[title](#)=QString())

## Static Public Attributes

- static QColor **DEFAULT\_LOW\_COLOR**
- static QColor **DEFAULT\_HIGH\_COLOR**

## Static Protected Member Functions

- static double \*\* **tableToArray** (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)

## Protected Attributes

- [DataTable](#)< qreal > **dataTable**
- [Plot](#) \* **surfacePlot**
- [DataFunction](#) \* **function**

### 6.65.1 Detailed Description

A widget that uses qwtplot3D to draw surface plots.

### 6.65.2 Member Function Documentation

**6.65.2.1** void [TinkerCell::Plot3DWidget::exportData](#) ( const [QString](#) & *type*, const [QString](#) & *file* ) [[virtual](#), [slot](#)]

export data is some format

#### Parameters

*QString* format

Reimplemented from [TinkerCell::PlotWidget](#).

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

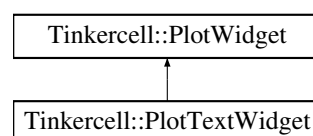
- [Plot3DWidget.h](#)
- [Plot3DWidget.cpp](#)

## 6.66 TinkerCell::PlotTextWidget Class Reference

A [PlotWidget](#) used to display tab delimited text.

```
#include <PlotTextWidget.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for [TinkerCell::PlotTextWidget](#):



## Public Member Functions

- **PlotTextWidget** (const **DataTable**< qreal > &, **PlotTool** \*parent=0, const QString &text=QString())  
*constructor with data table and plot tool as parent*
- virtual **DataTable**< qreal > \* **data** ()  
*get the data*
- void **updateData** (const **DataTable**< qreal > &)  
*update displayed data*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void **keyPressEvent** (QKeyEvent \*event)  
*key events*

### 6.66.1 Detailed Description

A **PlotWidget** used to display tab delimited text.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

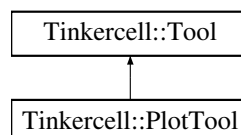
- PlotTextWidget.h
- PlotTextWidget.cpp

## 6.67 Tinkercell::PlotTool Class Reference

A docking widget that can contains one or more **PlotWidget** instances. Each **PlotWidget** can either be a text output, 2D graph, or 3D graph. Alternatively, the **PlotTool** can use an separate Gnuplot window to generate plots.

```
#include <PlotTool.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::PlotTool:



## Public Types

- enum **PlotType** {  
    **Plot2D**, **SurfacePlot**, **HistogramPlot**, **ScatterPlot**,  
    **BarPlot**, **Text** }  
*available plot types*

## Public Slots

- void [hold](#) (bool b=true)  
*hold current plot (don't close it)*
- void [overplot](#) (bool b=true)  
*plot on top of current plot (if the feature is available for current plot)*
- void [plot](#) (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &, const QString &title, int xaxis=0, [PlotTool::PlotType](#) type=Plot2D)  
*graph the given data with headers*
- void [surfacePlot](#) (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &matrix, const QString &title)  
*surface plot of the given data*
- void [addExportOption](#) (const QIcon &, const QString &, const QString &toolTip=QString())  
*add export option. This will add a new button to the set of export options. When user selects this option, the exportData method in the current [PlotWidget](#) will be invoked*
- void [exportData](#) (const QString &)  
*export data in the given format*
- QString [computeNewColumn](#) (QString)  
*compute the values of a new column using values in the other columns*
- void [enablePlotOrganizer](#) (bool b=true)  
*Show a window that categorizes all windows. If title contains a colon, then the string before the colon is used as the category. If title contains a double colon, then the plot organizer is automatically enabled and the string before the colon is used as the category.*

## Signals

- void [plotDataTable](#) ([DataTable](#)< qreal > &m, int x, const QString &title)  
*plot a 2D graph*
- void [plotDataTable3D](#) ([DataTable](#)< qreal > &m, const QString &title)  
*plot a 3D graph*
- void [plotHist](#) ([DataTable](#)< qreal > &m, double bins, const QString &title)  
*plot a histogram*
- void [plotErrorbars](#) ([DataTable](#)< qreal > &m, int x, const QString &title)  
*plot a 2D graph with error bars, where every alternating column are the errors*
- void [plotMultiplot](#) (int rows, int columns)  
*enable multiple plots (grid)*
- void [plotScatterplot](#) ([DataTable](#)< qreal > &m, const QString &title)  
*make a scatterplot*

- void [gnuplot](#) (const QString &script)  
*send a script to gnuplot*

## Public Member Functions

- [PlotTool](#) ()  
*default constructor*
- virtual QSize [sizeHint](#) () const  
*default size of this widget*
- virtual bool [setMainWindow](#) (MainWindow \*)  
*set Tinkercell main window*
- virtual void [setVisible](#) (bool visible)  
*make this widget visible and on top*
- virtual void [addWidget](#) (PlotWidget \*)  
*add a new plot to the window*
- virtual QList< [PlotWidget](#) \* > [plotWidgets](#) () const  
*get the list of plot widgets*
- virtual void [setStatusBarMessage](#) (const QString &)  
*show message at the bottom*
- virtual QDockWidget \* [addDockWidget](#) (const QString &title, QWidget \*widget, Qt::DockWidgetArea area=Qt::BottomDockWidgetArea)  
*add a dock widget to the plot area*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static void [pruneDataTable](#) (DataTable< qreal > &table, int &xaxis, MainWindow \*main)  
*remove all items in the data table that are not visible in any scene*

## Static Public Attributes

- static QString **ORGANIZER\_DELIMITER** = QString("::")

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void **keyPressEvent** (QKeyEvent \*event)
- virtual void **mouseMoveEvent** (QMouseEvent \*event)

## Friends

- class **PlotWidget**

### 6.67.1 Detailed Description

A docking widget that can contains one or more [PlotWidget](#) instances. Each [PlotWidget](#) can either be a text output, 2D graph, or 3D graph. Alternatively, the [PlotTool](#) can use an separate Gnuplot window to generate plots.

### 6.67.2 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.67.2.1 void Tinkercell::PlotTool::addExportOption ( const QIcon & *icon*, const QString & *type*, const QString & *toolTip* = *QString()* ) [slot]

add export option. This will add a new button to the set of export options. When user selects this option, the `exportData` method in the current [PlotWidget](#) will be invoked

##### Parameters

*QIcon* icon for the export option  
*QString* name of the export option

#### 6.67.2.2 QString Tinkercell::PlotTool::computeNewColumn ( QString *formula* ) [slot]

compute the values of a new column using values in the other columns

##### Parameters

*QString* math formula (can only use names of other columns as variables)

##### Returns

QString error string (if empty, then no error)

#### 6.67.2.3 void Tinkercell::PlotTool::enablePlotOrganizer ( bool *b* = *true* ) [slot]

Show a window that categorizes all windows. If title contains a colon, then the string before the colon is used as the category. If title contains a double colon, then the plot organizer is automatically enabled and the string before the colon is used as the category.

##### Parameters

*bool* enable(true) or disable(false)

#### 6.67.2.4 void Tinkercell::PlotTool::exportData ( const QString & *type* ) [slot]

export data in the given format

##### Parameters

*QString* format: "Save graph", "LaTeX", "Text", "Clipboard"

**6.67.2.5 void TinkerCell::PlotTool::gnuplot ( const QString & *script* ) [signal]**

send a script to gnuplot

**Parameters**

*QString* gnuplot script

**6.67.2.6 void TinkerCell::PlotTool::plot ( const DataTable< qreal > & *matrix*, const QString & *title*, int *xaxis* = 0, PlotTool::PlotType *type* = Plot2D ) [slot]**

graph the given data with headers

**Parameters**

*DataTable< qreal >* table

*QString* title

*QString* column in the table that will be used as x-axis

*PlotType*

**6.67.2.7 void TinkerCell::PlotTool::plotDataTable ( DataTable< qreal > & *m*, int *x*, const QString & *title* ) [signal]**

plot a 2D graph

**Parameters**

*NumericalDataTable* data

*int* column for the x-axis

*QString* title

**6.67.2.8 void TinkerCell::PlotTool::plotDataTable3D ( DataTable< qreal > & *m*, const QString & *title* ) [signal]**

plot a 3D graph

**Parameters**

*NumericalDataTable* data with 3 columns

*QString* title

**6.67.2.9 void TinkerCell::PlotTool::plotErrorbars ( DataTable< qreal > & *m*, int *x*, const QString & *title* ) [signal]**

plot a 2D graph with error bars, where every alternating column are the errors

**Parameters**

*NumericalDataTable* data

*int* index of x-axis

*QString* title

**6.67.2.10** void Tinkercell::PlotTool::plotHist ( DataTable< qreal > & *m*, double *bins*, const QString & *title* ) [signal]

plot a histogram

#### Parameters

*NumericalDataTable* data

*int* number of bins

*QString* title

**6.67.2.11** void Tinkercell::PlotTool::plotMultiplot ( int *rows*, int *columns* ) [signal]

enable multiple plots (grid)

#### Parameters

*int* number of rows of plots

*int* number of columns of plots

**6.67.2.12** void Tinkercell::PlotTool::plotScatterplot ( DataTable< qreal > & *m*, const QString & *title* ) [signal]

make a scatterplot

#### Parameters

*NumericalDataTable* data

*QString* title

**6.67.2.13** void Tinkercell::PlotTool::surfacePlot ( const DataTable< qreal > & *matrix*, const QString & *title* ) [slot]

surface plot of the given data

#### Parameters

*DataTable< qreal >* table where value(x,y) is the z value

*QString* title

*int* 0 or 1, indicating whether to plot only those items that are visible on the screen

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- PlotTool.h
- PlotTool.cpp



## 6.68 TinkerCell::PlotTool\_FtoS Class Reference

### Signals

- void **plotDataTable** (QSemaphore \*, [DataTable](#)< qreal > &m, int x, const QString &title)
- void **plotDataTable3D** (QSemaphore \*, [DataTable](#)< qreal > &m, const QString &title)
- void **plotHist** (QSemaphore \*, [DataTable](#)< qreal > &m, double bins, const QString &title)
- void **plotErrorbars** (QSemaphore \*, [DataTable](#)< qreal > &m, int x, const QString &title)
- void **plotMultiplot** (QSemaphore \*, int x, int y)
- void **getDataTable** (QSemaphore \*, [DataTable](#)< qreal > \*, int index)
- void **plotScatter** (QSemaphore \*, [DataTable](#)< qreal > &, const QString &title)
- void **gnuplot** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &script)
- void **savePlotImage** (QSemaphore \*, const QString &filename)
- void **setLog** (QSemaphore \*, int)

### Friends

- class **PlotTool**

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

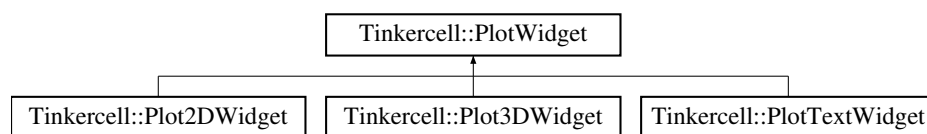
- PlotTool.h
- PlotTool.cpp

## 6.69 TinkerCell::PlotWidget Class Reference

A widget containing a data plot, legend and options. This class does not perform any plotting. This class serves as a template for other widgets that perform the plotting.

```
#include <PlotWidget.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::PlotWidget:



### Public Slots

- virtual void **exportData** (const QString &, const QString &file)  
*export data is some format*
- virtual void **setLogScale** (int axis, bool set=true)  
*set log scale (if applicable)*
- virtual void **setTitle** (const QString &title)  
*set plot title*

## Public Member Functions

- [PlotWidget](#) ([PlotTool](#) \*parent=0)  
*constructor with plot tool as parent*
- [PlotWidget](#) (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &, [PlotTool](#) \*parent=0)  
*constructor with plot tool as parent*
- virtual [DataTable](#)< qreal > \* [data](#) ()  
*get the data inside this plot*
- virtual bool [canAppendData](#) () const  
*indicates whether or not this plot widget is capable of plotting one graph on top of another*
- virtual void [appendData](#) (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*append more data to the currently existing plot*
- virtual void [updateData](#) (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*update data for the current plot*
- virtual QString [dataToString](#) (const QString &delim=QString("\t"))  
*get the data inside this plot as tab-delimited text*

## Public Attributes

- [PlotTool::PlotType](#) type  
*used for identifying the plot type*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [keyPressEvent](#) (QKeyEvent \*event)  
*key events*

## Protected Attributes

- QToolBar [toolBar](#)  
*tool bar containing all the options for this widget*
- [PlotTool](#) \* [plotTool](#)  
*the plot tool that contains this widget*
- QString [title](#)  
*title string*
- QString [category](#)  
*category string*

## Friends

- class **PlotTool**

### 6.69.1 Detailed Description

A widget containing a data plot, legend and options. This class does not perform any plotting. This class serves as a template for other widgets that perform the plotting.

### 6.69.2 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.69.2.1 void TinkerCell::PlotWidget::exportData ( const QString & *type*, const QString & *file* ) [virtual, slot]

export data is some format

#### Parameters

*QString* format

Reimplemented in [TinkerCell::Plot2DWidget](#), and [TinkerCell::Plot3DWidget](#).

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- PlotWidget.h
- PlotWidget.cpp

## 6.70 TinkerCell::PopupListWidgetDelegate Class Reference

delegate used inside the [SimpleInputWindow](#)

```
#include <AbstractInputWindow.h>
```

### Public Member Functions

- **PopupListWidgetDelegate** (QObject \*parent=0)
- QWidget \* [createEditor](#) (QWidget \*parent, const QStyleOptionViewItem &option, const QModelIndex &index) const  
*create the editor for the table widget delegate*
- void [setEditorData](#) (QWidget \*editor, const QModelIndex &index) const  
*set the data the editor for the table widget delegate*
- void [setModelData](#) (QWidget \*editor, QAbstractItemModel \*model, const QModelIndex &index) const  
*set the data the editor for the table widget delegate*
- void [updateEditorGeometry](#) (QWidget \*editor, const QStyleOptionViewItem &option, const QModelIndex &index) const  
*set geometry*

- bool [editorEvent](#) (QEvent \*event, QAbstractItemModel \*model, const QStyleOptionViewItem &option, const QModelIndex &index)

*editor event*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static QString [displayListWidget](#) (const QStringList &list, const QString &current=QString())

*ask user to get a string from list of strings*

## Public Attributes

- [DataTable](#)< QStringList > [options](#)

*options for the combo boxes. Uses line edits if empty. Uses check boxes if just one item*

### 6.70.1 Detailed Description

delegate used inside the [SimpleInputWindow](#)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- AbstractInputWindow.h
- AbstractInputWindow.cpp

## 6.71 Tinkercell::PopupListWidgetDelegateDialog Class Reference

dialog for list widget

```
#include <AbstractInputWindow.h>
```

## Public Slots

- void [acceptListWidget](#) (QListWidgetItem \*)

### 6.71.1 Detailed Description

dialog for list widget

The documentation for this class was generated from the following file:

- AbstractInputWindow.h

## 6.72 Tinkercell::ProcessThread Class Reference

This class is used to run a process (command + args) as a separate thread as a separate thread.

```
#include <CThread.h>
```

### Public Member Functions

- [ProcessThread](#) (const QString &, const QString &, [MainWindow](#) \*main)  
*constructor -- used to initialize the main window, the command name and the args for the command*
- virtual QString [output](#) () const  
*get the results (output stream) from the process*
- virtual QString [errors](#) () const  
*get the errors (error stream) from the process*
- virtual [~ProcessThread](#) ()  
*destructor -- free the library that this thread loaded*

### Static Public Member Functions

- static QWidget \* [dialog](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*, [ProcessThread](#) \*, const QString &text=QString("Process"), QIcon icon=QIcon())  
*creates a dialog that shows the name of the running thread and a button for terminating the thread*

### Protected Slots

- virtual void [stopProcess](#) ()  
*unload the library (if loaded) and delete it*

### Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [run](#) ()  
*initializes the function pointers through the main window and then runs the target function*

### Protected Attributes

- QString [exe](#)  
*the name of the executable*
- QString [args](#)  
*the arguments*

- QString [outputStream](#)  
*the output from the process*
- QString [errStream](#)  
*the error from the process*
- [MainWindow](#) \* [mainWindow](#)  
*Tinkercell's main window.*
- QProcess [process](#)  
*Tinkercell's main window.*

### 6.72.1 Detailed Description

This class is used to run a process (command + args) as a separate thread as a separate thread.

### 6.72.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.72.2.1 Tinkercell::ProcessThread::ProcessThread ( const QString & *exe*, const QString & *args*, [MainWindow](#) \* *main* )

constructor -- used to initialize the main window, the command name and the args for the command

##### Parameters

*QString* command  
*QString* arguments  
[MainWindow](#) main window

### 6.72.3 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.72.3.1 QWidget \* Tinkercell::ProcessThread::dialog ( [MainWindow](#) \* *mainWindow*, [ProcessThread](#) \* *newThread*, const QString & *text* = *QString("Process")*, [QIcon](#) *icon* = *QIcon()* ) [static]

creates a dialog that shows the name of the running thread and a button for terminating the thread

##### Parameters

[MainWindow](#) main window  
[ProcessThread](#)  
*QString* text to display  
*QIcon* icon to display

### 6.72.3.2 QString Tinkercell::ProcessThread::errors ( ) const [virtual]

get the errors (error stream) from the process

#### Returns

QString output

### 6.72.3.3 QString Tinkercell::ProcessThread::output ( ) const [virtual]

get the results (output stream) from the process

#### Returns

QString output

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

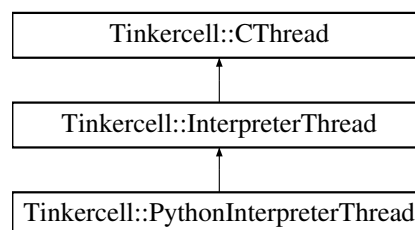
- CThread.h
- CThread.cpp

## 6.73 Tinkercell::PythonInterpreterThread Class Reference

This class is used to embed an python interpreter inside a TinkerCell application. The C library responsible for embedding python is called runpy.c and is located inside the python/ folder.

```
#include <PythonInterpreterThread.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::PythonInterpreterThread:



#### Public Slots

- virtual void **initialize** ()
- virtual void **finalize** ()

#### Public Member Functions

- **PythonInterpreterThread** (const QString &, [MainWindow](#) \*main)

## Static Public Attributes

- static QString [PYTHON\\_FOLDER](#)

*the folder where tinkercell will look for python files, defaults to /python*

- static QString [PYTHON\\_OUTPUT\\_FILE](#)

*the file where tinkercell will write outputs from python, defaults to tmp/py.out*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [run](#) ()

*the main function that runs one of the specified functions*

## Protected Attributes

- execFunc **f**
- bool **addpathDone**

### 6.73.1 Detailed Description

This class is used to embed an python interpreter inside a TinkerCell application. The C library responsible for embedding python is called runpy.c and is located inside the python/ folder.

#### See also

[InterpreterThread](#)

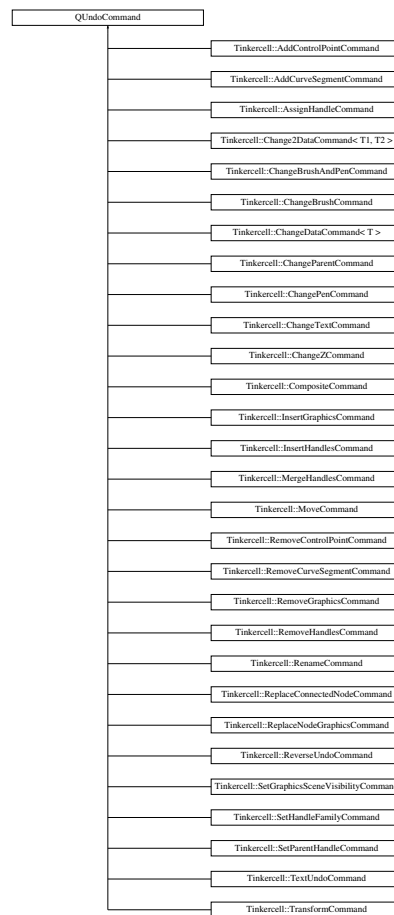
The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- PythonInterpreterThread.h
- PythonInterpreterThread.cpp

## 6.74 QUndoCommand Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for QUndoCommand:





The documentation for this class was generated from the following file:

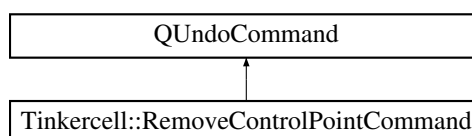
- DataTable.h

## 6.75 TinkerCell::RemoveControlPointCommand Class Reference

A command that removed control points. Allows undo and redo.

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::RemoveControlPointCommand:



## Public Member Functions

- [RemoveControlPointCommand](#) (const QString &name, [GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \*item)  
*constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo*
- [RemoveControlPointCommand](#) (const QString &name, [GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \* > items)  
*constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*Remove new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*Add new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.*

## Public Attributes

- QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \* > [graphicsItems](#)  
*control points that were added*
- [GraphicsScene](#) \* [graphicsScene](#)  
*graphics scene to which control points were added*
- QList< int > [listK1](#)  
*the poision(s) at which the control points were added*
- QList< int > [listK2](#)

### 6.75.1 Detailed Description

A command that removed control points. Allows undo and redo.

### 6.75.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.75.2.1 [Tinkercell::RemoveControlPointCommand::RemoveControlPointCommand](#) ( const QString & name, [GraphicsScene](#) \* scene, [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \* item )

constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo

#### Parameters

*name*  
*graphics* scene  
*control* point(s) that have been added

#### Returns

void

### 6.75.2.2 Tinkercell::RemoveControlPointCommand::RemoveControlPointCommand ( const QString & *name*, GraphicsScene \* *scene*, QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint \* > *items* )

constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo

#### Parameters

*name*

*graphics* scene

*control* point(s) that have been added

#### Returns

void

## 6.75.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.75.3.1 void Tinkercell::RemoveControlPointCommand::redo ( )

Remove new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

void

### 6.75.3.2 void Tinkercell::RemoveControlPointCommand::undo ( )

Add new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

void

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

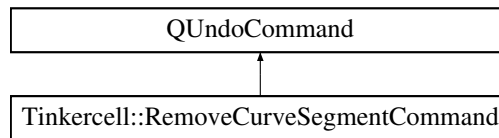
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.76 Tinkercell::RemoveCurveSegmentCommand Class Reference

A command that removed control points. Allows undo and redo.

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::RemoveCurveSegmentCommand:



## Public Member Functions

- [RemoveCurveSegmentCommand](#) (const QString &name, [GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \*item)  
*constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo*
- [RemoveCurveSegmentCommand](#) (const QString &name, [GraphicsScene](#) \*scene, [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*connection, QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint](#) \* > items)  
*constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*Remove new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*Add new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.*

## Public Attributes

- QList< [ConnectionGraphicsItem::CurveSegment](#) > [curveSegments](#)  
*vector of control points that were added*
- [GraphicsScene](#) \* [graphicsScene](#)  
*graphics scene from which control points were removed*
- [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \* [connectionItem](#)  
*graphics item from which control points were removed*
- QList< QGraphicsItem \* > [parentsAtStart](#)  
*the nodes belonging with the control point vectors*
- QList< QGraphicsItem \* > [parentsAtEnd](#)

### 6.76.1 Detailed Description

A command that removed control points. Allows undo and redo.

## 6.76.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.76.2.1 TinkerCell::RemoveCurveSegmentCommand::RemoveCurveSegmentCommand ( const QString & *name*, GraphicsScene \* *scene*, ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint \* *item* )

constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo

#### Parameters

*name*

*graphics* scene

*control* point(s) that have been added

#### Returns

void

### 6.76.2.2 TinkerCell::RemoveCurveSegmentCommand::RemoveCurveSegmentCommand ( const QString & *name*, GraphicsScene \* *scene*, ConnectionGraphicsItem \* *connection*, QList< ConnectionGraphicsItem::ControlPoint \* > *items* )

constructor that makes the command. If added to history stack, also does redo

#### Parameters

*name*

*graphics* scene

*control* point(s) that have been added

#### Returns

void

## 6.76.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.76.3.1 void TinkerCell::RemoveCurveSegmentCommand::redo ( )

Remove new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

void

### 6.76.3.2 void TinkerCell::RemoveCurveSegmentCommand::undo ( )

Add new control points. Control points were set in the constructor.

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

*void*

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

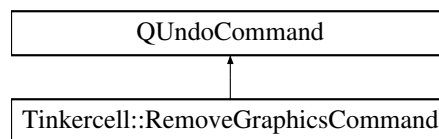
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.77 TinkerCell::RemoveGraphicsCommand Class Reference

this command performs an removal and allows redo/undo of that removal

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::RemoveGraphicsCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [RemoveGraphicsCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*item, bool updateDataFields=true)  
*constructor*
- [RemoveGraphicsCommand](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, bool updateDataFields=true)  
*constructor*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*redo the change*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*undo the change*

### 6.77.1 Detailed Description

this command performs an removal and allows redo/undo of that removal

## 6.77.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.77.2.1 Tinkercell::RemoveGraphicsCommand::RemoveGraphicsCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsItem \* item, bool updateDataFields = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

- QString* name of command
- GraphicsScene\** where change happened
- QGraphicsItem\** item that is removed
- bool* update data of other items where removed items might occur (default=true)

### 6.77.2.2 Tinkercell::RemoveGraphicsCommand::RemoveGraphicsCommand ( const QString & name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, bool updateDataFields = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

- QString* name of command
- GraphicsScene\** where change happened
- QList<QGraphicsItem\*>&* items that are removed
- bool* update data of other items where removed items might occur (default=true)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

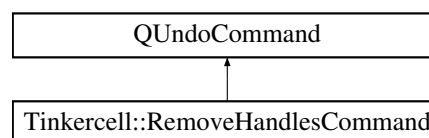
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.78 Tinkercell::RemoveHandlesCommand Class Reference

this command inserts new handles to a [NetworkHandle](#)

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::RemoveHandlesCommand:



## Public Member Functions

- [RemoveHandlesCommand](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, bool updateDataFields=true)

*constructor*

- [RemoveHandlesCommand](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*, bool updateDataFields=true)

*constructor*

- void [redo](#) ()

*redo the change*

- void [undo](#) ()

*undo the change*

## 6.78.1 Detailed Description

this command inserts new handles to a [NetworkHandle](#)

## 6.78.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.78.2.1 Tinkercell::RemoveHandlesCommand::RemoveHandlesCommand ( [TextEditor](#) \* *editor*, const [QList](#)< [ItemHandle](#) \* > & *list*, bool *updateDataFields* = *true* )

constructor

#### Parameters

*TextEditor*\* window where items are deleted

*QList*<*ItemHandle*\*> deleted items

*bool* update data of other items where removed items might occur (default=true)

### 6.78.2.2 Tinkercell::RemoveHandlesCommand::RemoveHandlesCommand ( [TextEditor](#) \* *editor*, [ItemHandle](#) \* *h*, bool *updateDataFields* = *true* )

constructor

#### Parameters

*TextEditor*\* window where items are deleted

*ItemHandle*\* deleted item

*bool* update data of other items where removed items might occur (default=true)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- [UndoCommands.h](#)
- [UndoCommands.cpp](#)

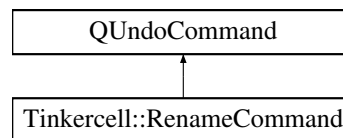


## 6.79 TinkerCell::RenameCommand Class Reference

this command changes the name of the handle of an item. important: use full name of the items!

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::RenameCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- **RenameCommand** (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &allItems, const QString &oldname, const QString &newname, bool forceUnique=true)  
*constructor*
- **RenameCommand** (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QString &oldname, const QString &newname, bool forceUnique=true)  
*constructor*
- **RenameCommand** (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &allItems, const QList< QString > &oldname, const QList< QString > &newname, bool forceUnique=true)  
*constructor*
- **RenameCommand** (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< QString > &oldname, const QList< QString > &newname, bool forceUnique=true)  
*constructor*
- **RenameCommand** (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*itemHandle, const QString &newname, bool forceUnique=true)  
*constructor*
- **RenameCommand** (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &allItems, [ItemHandle](#) \*item, const QString &newname, bool forceUnique=true)  
*constructor*
- **RenameCommand** (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &itemhandles, const QList< QString > &newnames, bool forceUnique=true)  
*constructor*
- **RenameCommand** (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &allItems, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &itemhandles, const QList< QString > &newnames, bool forceUnique=true)  
*constructor*
- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

## Static Public Member Functions

- static void **findReplaceAllHandleData** (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &allItems, const QString &oldName, const QString &newName)
- static void **substituteString** (QString &targetValue, const QString &oldName, const QString &newName)

### 6.79.1 Detailed Description

this command changes the name of the handle of an item. important: use full name of the items!

### 6.79.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.79.2.1 Tinkercell::RenameCommand::RenameCommand ( const QString & *name*, NetworkHandle \* *net*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *allItems*, const QString & *oldname*, const QString & *newname*, bool *forceUnique* = *true* )

constructor

##### Parameters

*QString* name of command

[NetworkHandle](#) \* network

*QList* affected items

*QString* old name

*QString* new name

*bool* make sure that the new names are unique (default = true). Use false if you already made this check or want to rename to something that already exists

#### 6.79.2.2 Tinkercell::RenameCommand::RenameCommand ( const QString & *name*, NetworkHandle \* *net*, const QString & *oldname*, const QString & *newname*, bool *forceUnique* = *true* )

constructor

##### Parameters

*QString* name of command

[NetworkHandle](#) \* network

*QString* old name

*QString* new name

*bool* make sure that the new names are unique (default = true). Use false if you already made this check or want to rename to something that already exists

### 6.79.2.3 Tinkercell::RenameCommand::RenameCommand ( const QString & name, NetworkHandle \* net, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & allItems, const QList< QString > & oldname, const QList< QString > & newname, bool forceUnique = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*NetworkHandle* \* network

*QList* affected items

*QString* old name

*QString* new name

*bool* make sure that the new names are unique (default = true). Use false if you already made this check or want to rename to something that already exists

### 6.79.2.4 Tinkercell::RenameCommand::RenameCommand ( const QString & name, NetworkHandle \* net, const QList< QString > & oldname, const QList< QString > & newname, bool forceUnique = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*NetworkHandle* \* network

*QString* old name

*QString* new name

*bool* make sure that the new names are unique (default = true). Use false if you already made this check or want to rename to something that already exists

### 6.79.2.5 Tinkercell::RenameCommand::RenameCommand ( const QString & name, NetworkHandle \* net, ItemHandle \* itemHandle, const QString & newname, bool forceUnique = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*NetworkHandle* \* network

*ItemHandle*\* target item handle

*QString* new name

*bool* make sure that the new names are unique (default = true). Use false if you already made this check or want to rename to something that already exists

### 6.79.2.6 Tinkercell::RenameCommand::RenameCommand ( const QString & name, NetworkHandle \* net, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & allItems, ItemHandle \* item, const QString & newname, bool forceUnique = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*NetworkHandle* \* network

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* all the items to modify if they contain the new name

*ItemHandle\** target item

*QString* new name

*bool* make sure that the new names are unique (default = true). Use false if you already made this check or want to rename to something that already exists

### 6.79.2.7 Tinkercell::RenameCommand::RenameCommand ( const QString & name, NetworkHandle \* net, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & itemhandles, const QList< QString > & newnames, bool forceUnique = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*NetworkHandle* \* network

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* target items

*QList<QString>* new names (one for each item)

*bool* make sure that the new names are unique (default = true). Use false if you already made this check or want to rename to something that already exists

### 6.79.2.8 Tinkercell::RenameCommand::RenameCommand ( const QString & name, NetworkHandle \* net, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & allItems, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & itemhandles, const QList< QString > & newnames, bool forceUnique = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*NetworkHandle* \* network

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* all the items to modify if they contain the new name

*QList<ItemHandle\*>&* target items

*QList<QString>* new names (one for each item)

*bool* make sure that the new names are unique (default = true). Use false if you already made this check or want to rename to something that already exists

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

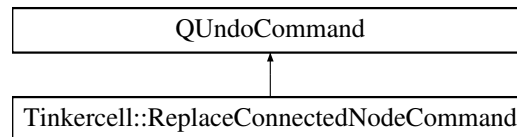
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.80 TinkerCell::ReplaceConnectedNodeCommand Class Reference

this command replaces one node item in a connection item with another

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ReplaceConnectedNodeCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [ReplaceConnectedNodeCommand](#) (const QString &name, [ConnectionGraphicsItem](#) \*, [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*oldNode, [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*newNode)

*constructor*

- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

### 6.80.1 Detailed Description

this command replaces one node item in a connection item with another

### 6.80.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

- #### 6.80.2.1 TinkerCell::ReplaceConnectedNodeCommand::ReplaceConnectedNodeCommand ( const QString & name, ConnectionGraphicsItem \* c, NodeGraphicsItem \* oldNode, NodeGraphicsItem \* newNode )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*ConnectionGraphicsItem\** connection where the nodes will be swapped

*NodeGraphicsItem\** node to replace (old node)

*NodeGraphicsItem\** new node

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

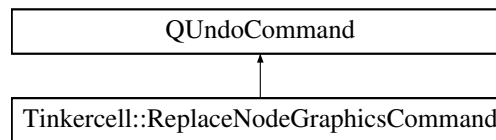
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.81 TinkerCell::ReplaceNodeGraphicsCommand Class Reference

this command can be used to replace the graphical representation of a node from an xml file

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ReplaceNodeGraphicsCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [ReplaceNodeGraphicsCommand](#) (const QString &, [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*, const QString &, bool transform=true)

*constructor*

- [ReplaceNodeGraphicsCommand](#) (const QString &, const QList< [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* > &, const QList< QString > &, bool transform=true)

*constructor*

- void **undo** ()
- void **redo** ()

### 6.81.1 Detailed Description

this command can be used to replace the graphical representation of a node from an xml file

### 6.81.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

- #### 6.81.2.1 TinkerCell::ReplaceNodeGraphicsCommand::ReplaceNodeGraphicsCommand ( const QString & *text*, NodeGraphicsItem \* *node*, const QString & *filename*, bool *transform* = *true* )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*NodeGraphicsItem*\* the target node

*QString* xml file name

*bool* whether or not to transform the new graphics item to the original item's angle and size

### 6.81.2.2 TinkerCell::ReplaceNodeGraphicsCommand::ReplaceNodeGraphicsCommand ( const QString & text, const QList< NodeGraphicsItem \* > & nodes, const QList< QString > & filenames, bool transform = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*QList<NodeGraphicsItem\*>* the target nodes

*QStringList* xml file names

*bool* whether or not to transform the new graphics item to the original item's angle and size

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

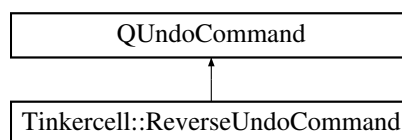
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.82 TinkerCell::ReverseUndoCommand Class Reference

this command can be used to invert another undo command (i.e. flip the redo/undo)

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::ReverseUndoCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [ReverseUndoCommand](#) (const QString &, [QUndoCommand](#) \*, bool deleteCommand=true)  
*constructor*

- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

### Public Attributes

- [QUndoCommand](#) \* **command**
- bool **deleteCommand**

### 6.82.1 Detailed Description

this command can be used to invert another undo command (i.e. flip the redo/undo)

## 6.82.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

### 6.82.2.1 Tinkercell::ReverseUndoCommand::ReverseUndoCommand ( const QString & name, QUndoCommand \* cmd, bool deleteCommand = true )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name of command

*QList<QUndoCommand\*>&* the command to invert

*bool* whether or not to delete the inverted command (true = DO delete)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

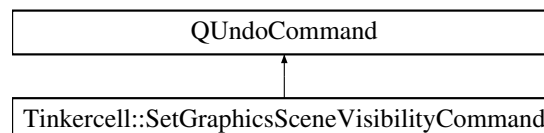
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.83 Tinkercell::SetGraphicsSceneVisibilityCommand Class Reference

this command is used to hide graphics items. Hidden graphics items will be part (unless their handles are also hidden) of the network but not visible on the screen.

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::SetGraphicsSceneVisibilityCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [SetGraphicsSceneVisibilityCommand](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, const QList< bool > &)  
*constructor*
- [SetGraphicsSceneVisibilityCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsItem \*, bool)  
*constructor*
- [SetGraphicsSceneVisibilityCommand](#) (const QString &name, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, bool)  
*constructor*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*redo parent change*



- void [undo](#) ()  
*undo parent change*

### 6.83.1 Detailed Description

this command is used to hide graphics items. Hidden graphics items will be part (unless their handles are also hidden) of the network but not visible on the screen.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

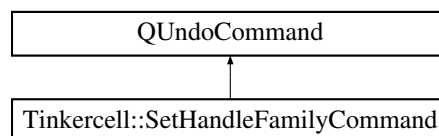
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.84 TinkerCell::SetHandleFamilyCommand Class Reference

this command is used to hide graphics items. Hidden graphics items will be part (unless their handles are also hidden) of the network but not visible on the screen.

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::SetHandleFamilyCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [SetHandleFamilyCommand](#) (const QString &name, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &, const QList< [ItemFamily](#) \* > &)  
*constructor*
- [SetHandleFamilyCommand](#) (const QString &name, [ItemHandle](#) \*, [ItemFamily](#) \*)  
*constructor*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*redo parent change*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*undo parent change*

### Friends

- class [NetworkHandle](#)

### 6.84.1 Detailed Description

this command is used to hide graphics items. Hidden graphics items will be part (unless their handles are also hidden) of the network but not visible on the screen.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

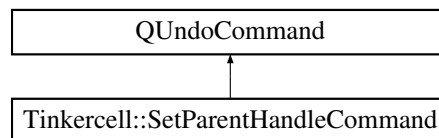
- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.85 TinkerCell::SetParentHandleCommand Class Reference

this command assigns parent(s) to one or more handles

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::SetParentHandleCommand:



### Public Member Functions

- [SetParentHandleCommand](#) (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, [ItemHandle](#) \*child, [ItemHandle](#) \*parent)  
*constructor*
- [SetParentHandleCommand](#) (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &children, [ItemHandle](#) \*parent)  
*constructor*
- [SetParentHandleCommand](#) (const QString &name, [NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &children, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &parents)  
*constructor*
- [~SetParentHandleCommand](#) ()  
*destructor*
- void [redo](#) ()  
*redo parent change*
- void [undo](#) ()  
*undo parent change*

### Friends

- class [NetworkHandle](#)

### 6.85.1 Detailed Description

this command assigns parent(s) to one or more handles

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.86 Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape Class Reference

A closed polygon path made from arcs, lines, and beziers.

```
#include <NodeGraphicsItem.h>
```

### Public Types

- enum { **Type** = UserType + 3 }  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

### Public Member Functions

- [Shape](#) ([NodeGraphicsItem](#) \*drawable\_ptr=0, [QGraphicsItem](#) \*parent=0, [QGraphicsScene](#) \*scene=0)
- [Shape](#) (const [Shape](#) &copy)
- virtual [Shape](#) & [operator=](#) (const [Shape](#) &copy)
- void [refresh](#) ()  
*Generates a new polygon using the points and types vectors Precondition: points.size > 1 Postcondition: NA.*
- bool [isClosed](#) () const  
*Checks if the polygon is closed.*
- virtual [QPainterPath](#) [shape](#) () const  
*gets a path that represents this shape*
- virtual [QRectF](#) [boundingRect](#) () const  
*bounding rect*
- virtual int [type](#) () const  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

### Public Attributes

- [QBrush](#) [defaultBrush](#)  
*permanent brush for this control point*

- QPen [defaultPen](#)  
*permanent pen for this control point*
- [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* [nodeItem](#)  
*paint method. Call's parent's paint after setting antialiasing to true*
- bool [negative](#)
- QVector< [ControlPoint](#) \* > [controlPoints](#)  
*control points defining this shape*
- QVector< qreal > [parameters](#)  
*thickness, arc angles, etc.*
- QVector< [ShapeType](#) > [types](#)  
*types of shapes to draw using the control points*
- QPolygonF [polygon](#)  
*the polygon constructed from controls and types vectors*
- QPainterPath [path](#)  
*the path constructed from controls and types vectors*
- QPair< QPointF, QPointF > [gradientPoints](#)  
*start and stop coordinates for gradient fill*

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [recomputeBoundingRect](#) ()  
*reconstruct bounding rect*

## Protected Attributes

- QRectF [boundingRectangle](#)  
*bounding reactangle for this shape*

### 6.86.1 Detailed Description

A closed polygon path made from arcs, lines, and beziers.

### 6.86.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.86.2.1 Tinkercell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape::Shape ( [NodeGraphicsItem](#) \* *idrawable\_ptr* = 0, [QGraphicsItem](#) \* *parent* = 0, [QGraphicsScene](#) \* *scene* = 0 )

Constructor: sets angle to 0 and scale to 1

### 6.86.2.2 TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape::Shape ( const Shape & copy )

Copy Constructor

Copy Constructor : shallow copy of all vectors

## 6.86.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.86.3.1 QRectF TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape::boundingRect ( ) const [virtual]

bounding rect

bounding rectangle

### 6.86.3.2 NodeGraphicsItem::Shape & TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape::operator= ( const Shape & copy ) [virtual]

Copy operator

operator = shallow copy of all vectors

### 6.86.3.3 void TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape::refresh ( )

Generates a new polygon using the points and types vectors Precondition: points.size > 1 Postcondition: NA.

paint method. Call's parent's paint after setting antialiasing to true

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

*void*

Generates a new polygon using the points and types vectors Precondition: controlPoints.size > 1 Postcondition: NA

#### Parameters

*void*

#### Returns

*void*

### 6.86.3.4 QPainterPath TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape::shape ( ) const [virtual]

gets a path that represents this shape

gets a path that represents this graphicsItem

## 6.86.4 Member Data Documentation

### 6.86.4.1 `bool TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape::negative`

is this a negative (clip out) shape

### 6.86.4.2 `NodeGraphicsItem* TinkerCell::NodeGraphicsItem::Shape::nodeItem`

paint method. Call's parent's paint after setting antialiasing to true

the [NodeGraphicsItem](#) that this shape belongs in

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- `NodeGraphicsItem.h`
- `NodeGraphicsItem.cpp`

## 6.87 TinkerCell::ShowHideLegendItemsWidget Class Reference

### Public Member Functions

- `ShowHideLegendItemsWidget` ([DataPlot](#) \*plot, `QWidget` \*parent)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

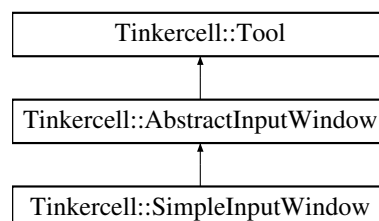
- `Plot2DWidget.h`
- `Plot2DWidget.cpp`

## 6.88 TinkerCell::SimpleInputWindow Class Reference

Used to create an input window that can receive user inputs for C plugins.

```
#include <AbstractInputWindow.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for `TinkerCell::SimpleInputWindow`:



### Public Slots

- virtual void `exec` ()  
*Executes the [CThread](#).*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [SimpleInputWindow](#) \* [CreateWindow](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*main, const QString &title, const QString &libraryFile, const QString &funcName, const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*Create a simple input window to run a [CThread](#). The window can be used to fill in an input matrix.*
- static [SimpleInputWindow](#) \* [CreateWindow](#) ([CThread](#) \*cthread, const QString &title, void(\*f)(tc\_matrix), const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*creates a docking window in Tinkercell's mainwindow that can receive inputs from user and run a function in a separate thread*
- static [SimpleInputWindow](#) \* [CreateWindow](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*main, const QString &title, const QString &funcName, const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*Create a simple input window to run a script function. When the play button is pressed, this window will execute a command in the command window. The command will be f(arg1,arg2...), where f is the function name and arg1,arg2... are the user provided arguments in the input window.*
- static void [AddOptions](#) (const QString &title, int i, int j, const QStringList &options)  
*add a list of options (combo box) to an existing input window*
- static void [AddOptions](#) ([SimpleInputWindow](#) \*, int i, int j, const QStringList &options)  
*add a list of options (combo box) to an existing input window*

## Protected Slots

- virtual void [dataChanged](#) (int, int)  
*updates the input matrix when user changes the table*
- virtual void [addRow](#) ()  
*add a row to the input matrix*
- virtual void [removeRow](#) ()  
*remove a row from the input matrix*
- virtual void [comboBoxChanged](#) (int)  
*updates the input matrix when user changes the combo boxes*

## Protected Member Functions

- [SimpleInputWindow](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*main, const QString &title, const QString &dllName, const QString &funcName, const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*constructor that creates a docking window in Tinkercell's mainwindow that can receive inputs from user and run a function in a separate thread*
- [SimpleInputWindow](#) ([CThread](#) \*thread, const QString &title, void(\*f)(tc\_matrix), const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*constructor that creates a docking window in Tinkercell's mainwindow that can receive inputs from user and run a function in a separate thread*

- [SimpleInputWindow](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*main, const QString &title, const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*constructor that creates a docking window in Tinkercell's mainwindow that can receive inputs from user and run a function in a separate thread*
- [SimpleInputWindow](#) ()  
*constructor -- does nothing*
- [SimpleInputWindow](#) (const [SimpleInputWindow](#) &)  
*copy constructor*
- virtual void [setupDisplay](#) (const [DataTable](#)< qreal > &)  
*reinitialize the contents on the input window*
- void [leaveEvent](#) (QEvent \*event)  
*make the window transparent when mouse exits the window*
- void [enterEvent](#) (QEvent \*event)  
*make the window transparent when mouse exits the window*

## Protected Attributes

- [DataTable](#)< qreal > [dataTable](#)  
*the input matix*
- QWidget [tableWidget](#)  
*the table displaying the input matrix*
- QList< QComboBox \* > [comboBoxes](#)  
*combo boxes used in input window*
- [PopupListWidgetDelegate](#) [delegate](#)  
*the item delegate that is used to change values in the input window*
- QString [scriptCommand](#)  
*command that will be run when the play button is pressed (might be empty if a C or C++ function is the target function)*

## Static Protected Attributes

- static QHash< QString, [SimpleInputWindow](#) \* > [inputWindows](#)  
*the set of all simple input windows*

### 6.88.1 Detailed Description

Used to create an input window that can receive user inputs for C plugins.



## 6.88.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

**6.88.2.1** Tinkercell::SimpleInputWindow::SimpleInputWindow ( MainWindow \* *main*, const QString & *title*, const QString & *dllName*, const QString & *funcName*, const DataTable< qreal > & *data* ) [protected]

constructor that creates a docking window in Tinkercell's mainwindow that can receive inputs from user and run a function in a separate thread

### Parameters

*MainWindow*

QString title

QString dynamic library file

QString function to run inside library

QDataTable< qreal > input table and its default values

**6.88.2.2** Tinkercell::SimpleInputWindow::SimpleInputWindow ( CThread \* *thread*, const QString & *title*, void(\*) (tc\_matrix) *f*, const DataTable< qreal > & *data* ) [protected]

constructor that creates a docking window in Tinkercell's mainwindow that can receive inputs from user and run a function in a separate thread

### Parameters

CThread \* existing thread with the library containing the function

QString title

inputtc\_matrixFunction\* function that is triggered by the run button in the input window

QDataTable< qreal > input table and its default values

**6.88.2.3** Tinkercell::SimpleInputWindow::SimpleInputWindow ( MainWindow \* *main*, const QString & *title*, const DataTable< qreal > & *data* ) [protected]

constructor that creates a docking window in Tinkercell's mainwindow that can receive inputs from user and run a function in a separate thread

### Parameters

QString title

QDataTable< qreal > input table and its default values

## 6.88.3 Member Function Documentation

**6.88.3.1** void Tinkercell::SimpleInputWindow::AddOptions ( const QString & *title*, int *i*, int *j*, const QStringList & *options* ) [static]

add a list of options (combo box) to an existing input window

**Parameters**

*QString* title  
*int* row  
*int* column  
*QStringList* options

**6.88.3.2** void Tinkercell::SimpleInputWindow::AddOptions ( SimpleInputWindow \* win, int i, int j, const QStringList & options ) [static]

add a list of options (combo box) to an existing input window

**Parameters**

*SimpleInputWindow\**  
*int* row  
*int* column  
*QStringList* options

**6.88.3.3** SimpleInputWindow \* Tinkercell::SimpleInputWindow::CreateWindow ( CThread \* cthread, const QString & title, void(\*)(tc\_matrix) f, const DataTable< qreal > & data ) [static]

creates a docking window in Tinkercell's mainwindow that can receive inputs from user and run a function in a separate thread

**Parameters**

*CThread* \* existing thread with the library containing the function  
*QString* title  
*itc\_matrixFunction\** function that is triggered by the run button in the input window  
*QDataTable< qreal >* input table and its default values

**Returns**

SimpleInputWindow\* pointer to the new or existing window

**6.88.3.4** SimpleInputWindow \* Tinkercell::SimpleInputWindow::CreateWindow ( MainWindow \* main, const QString & title, const QString & libraryFile, const QString & funcName, const DataTable< qreal > & data ) [static]

Create a simple input window to run a *CThread*. The window can be used to fill in an input matrix.

**Parameters**

*MainWindow*  
*QString* title  
*QString* dynamic library file (will first search if already loaded in *MainWindow*)

*QString* function to run inside library

*DataTable<double>* inputs

### Returns

SimpleInputWindow\* pointer to the new or existing window

**6.88.3.5** `SimpleInputWindow * TinkerCell::SimpleInputWindow::CreateWindow ( MainWindow * main, const QString & title, const QString & funcName, const DataTable<qreal> & data ) [static]`

Create a simple input window to run a script function. When the play button is pressed, this window will execute a command in the command window. The command will be f(arg1,arg2...), where f is the function name and arg1,arg2... are the user provided arguments in the input window.

### Parameters

*MainWindow*

*QString* title

*QString* function name

*DataTable<double>* inputs

### Returns

SimpleInputWindow\* pointer to the new or existing window

**6.88.3.6** `void TinkerCell::SimpleInputWindow::exec ( ) [virtual, slot]`

Executes the [CThread](#).

### See also

[CThread](#)

Reimplemented from [TinkerCell::AbstractInputWindow](#).

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- AbstractInputWindow.h
- AbstractInputWindow.cpp

## 6.89 TinkerCell::Plot3DWidget::StandardColor Class Reference

### Public Member Functions

- **StandardColor** (double, const QColor &, double, const QColor &)
- **Qwt3D::RGBA operator()** (double x, double y, double z) const
- **Qwt3D::RGBA operator()** (Qwt3D::Triple const &t) const
- **Qwt3D::ColorVector & createVector** (Qwt3D::ColorVector &vec)

## Public Attributes

- QColor **start**
- QColor **end**
- double **minZ**
- double **maxZ**

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- Plot3DWidget.h
- Plot3DWidget.cpp

## 6.90 Tinkercell::SymbolsTable Class Reference

The symbols table is updated every time the scene or text editor changes. The symbols table contains the list of item names and [ItemHandle](#) pointers as well as names and pointers to each data entry in each item.

```
#include <SymbolsTable.h>
```

## Public Member Functions

- [SymbolsTable](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*)  
*constructor*
- virtual void [update](#) (int n=0)  
*update the symbols table*
- virtual bool [isValidPointer](#) (void \*) const  
*checks whether the given item handle pointer is valid*
- virtual QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > [allHandlesSortedByFamily](#) () const  
*get list of all items sorted according to family*
- virtual QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > [allHandlesSortedByName](#) () const  
*get list of all items sorted according to their full name*

## Public Attributes

- QHash< QString, [ItemHandle](#) \* > [uniqueHandlesWithDot](#)  
*handle names and the corresponding handles. This hash stores the unique full names, such as M.A and M\_A*
- QHash< QString, [ItemHandle](#) \* > [uniqueHandlesWithUnderscore](#)
- QHash< QString, [ItemHandle](#) \* > [nonuniqueHandles](#)  
*handle names and the corresponding handles. This hash stores the the non-unique names, such as A. Therefore the hash may contain multiple values for the same key (see QHash documentation)*
- QHash< QString, QPair< [ItemHandle](#) \*, QString > > [uniqueDataWithDot](#)

row or column name and the corresponding handle and tool in which the row or column name belongs. Stores full names only. For example, if A.k0 is a data item, then this table will contain A.k0 and A\_k0. All entries are unique.

- QHash< QString, QPair< [ItemHandle](#) \*, QString > > **uniqueDataWithUnderscore**
- QHash< QString, QPair< [ItemHandle](#) \*, QString > > **nonuniqueData**

row or column name and the corresponding handle and tool in which the row or column name belongs. Stores just the row or column name. For example, if A.k0 is a data item, then this table will contain k0. The individual, non-unique, names such as k0 may have multiple hash values for the same hash key (see [QHash](#) documentation).

- QHash< QString, [ItemHandle](#) \* > **handlesByFamily**

this hash contains all the list of items belonging in each family. The items are listed under their family only and not under their parent families. For example, you will not find an item of family "Elephant" under the "Mammals" key. You will have to specifically search under "Elephant" and use [ItemFamily](#)'s `isA` method to find out that it is also a "Mammal"

## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [update](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
update the symbols table

## Protected Attributes

- [NetworkHandle](#) \* [network](#)  
the network that this symbols table belongs with
- [ItemHandle](#) [globalHandle](#)  
This is a special item handle that does not represent any item on the scene. It is used to store "global" data.
- QHash< void \*, QString > [handlesAddress](#)  
addresses of all handles

## Friends

- class [NetworkHandle](#)

### 6.90.1 Detailed Description

The symbols table is updated every time the scene or text editor changes. The symbols table contains the list of item names and [ItemHandle](#) pointers as well as names and pointers to each data entry in each item.

### 6.90.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.90.2.1 TinkerCell::SymbolsTable::SymbolsTable ( [NetworkHandle](#) \* *net* )

constructor

## Parameters

*NetworkWindow\** network that this symbol table belongs in

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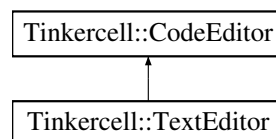
- SymbolsTable.h
- SymbolsTable.cpp

## 6.91 Tinkercell::TextEditor Class Reference

This is the window that allows used to construct networks using text, as opposed to graphics, which is done by [GraphicsScene](#). The [TextEditor](#) requires a supporting tool that parses the text and calls the `itemsInserted` or `itemsRemoved` methods. Without a supporting parser tool, the [TextEditor](#) will not do anything.

```
#include <TextEditor.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::TextEditor:



## Public Slots

- virtual void [popOut](#) ()  
*calls main window's popOut*
- virtual void [popIn](#) ()  
*calls main window's popIn*
- virtual void [undo](#) ()  
*undo last edit*
- virtual void [redo](#) ()  
*redo last undo*
- virtual void [selectAll](#) ()  
*select all text*
- virtual void [copy](#) ()  
*copy selected text*
- virtual void [cut](#) ()  
*cut selected text*
- virtual void [paste](#) ()  
*paste text from clipboard*

- void [find](#) (const QString &)  
*find specified text*
- void [replace](#) (const QString &old\_string, const QString &new\_string)  
*find and replace specified text*
- virtual void [print](#) (QPrinter \*printer)  
*print text*

## Signals

- void [textChanged](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*, const QString &, const QString &, const QString &)  
*some text inside this editor has been changed*
- void [lineChanged](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*, int, const QString &)  
*the cursor has moved to a different line*
- void [itemsInserted](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*signal that is emitted when items are inserted in this [TextEditor](#).*
- void [itemsRemoved](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*, const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*signal that is emitted when items are removed from this [TextEditor](#).*
- void [parse](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*)  
*request to parse the text in the current text editor*

## Public Member Functions

- [TextEditor](#) ([NetworkHandle](#) \*, QWidget \*parent=0)  
*default constructor*
- [~TextEditor](#) ()  
*destructor -- removes all the text items*
- void [insert](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*)  
*insert a text item*
- void [insert](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*insert text items*
- void [remove](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*)  
*remove an item*
- void [remove](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*remove text items*

- void [setItems](#) (const QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > &)  
*clear existing items and insert new items*
- QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > & [items](#) ()  
*all the items represented by the text in this [TextEditor](#)*
- void [push](#) (QUndoCommand \*)  
*push a command to the undo/redo stack*
- QString [selectedText](#) () const  
*gets the selected text*
- [MainWindow](#) \* [mainWindow](#) () const  
*the main window containing this network*
- [ConsoleWindow](#) \* [console](#) () const  
*same as network->mainWindow->console()*
- [ItemHandle](#) \* [localHandle](#) () const  
*same as networkWindow->handle*
- [ItemHandle](#) \* [globalHandle](#) () const  
*same as network->globalHandle()*

## Public Attributes

- QMenu \* [contextSelectionMenu](#)  
*the context menu that is shown during right-click event on a text editor with text selected. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*
- QMenu \* [contextEditorMenu](#)  
*the context menu that is shown during right-click event on a text editor with no text selected. Plugins can add new actions to this menu.*
- [NetworkHandle](#) \* [network](#)  
*the network handle represented in this text editor*
- [NetworkWindow](#) \* [networkWindow](#)  
*the network window containing this text editor*

## Static Public Attributes

- static bool [SideBarEnabled](#) = true



## Protected Member Functions

- virtual void [keyPressEvent](#) (QKeyEvent \*event)  
*listens to keyboard events in order to determine when the current line has changed*
- virtual void [mousePressEvent](#) (QMouseEvent \*event)  
*listens to mouse events just to activate this window*
- virtual void [contextMenuEvent](#) (QContextMenuEvent \*event)  
*creates context menu with actions in the contextMenu member*
- virtual void [mouseReleaseEvent](#) (QMouseEvent \*event)  
*emits line changed and text changed if needed*

## Protected Attributes

- int [prevBlockNumber](#)  
*previously accessed line number. This is to keep track of when a line is modified*
- int [changedBlockNumber](#)  
*current line number. This is to keep track of when a line is modified*
- QString [prevBlockText](#)  
*previously accessed line. This is to keep track of when a line is modified*
- QString [changedBlockText](#)  
*current line. This is to keep track of when a line is modified*
- QString [prevText](#)  
*current text. This is to keep track of when the text is modified*
- QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* > [allItems](#)  
*all the items represented by the text in this [TextEditor](#)*

## Friends

- class [TextUndoCommand](#)
- class [NetworkWindow](#)
- class [NetworkHandle](#)
- class [SymbolsTable](#)
- class [MainWindow](#)

### 6.91.1 Detailed Description

This is the window that allows used to construct networks using text, as opposed to graphics, which is done by [GraphicsScene](#). The [TextEditor](#) requires a supporting tool that parses the text and calls the `itemsInserted` or `itemsRemoved` methods. Without a supporting parser tool, the [TextEditor](#) will not do anything.

## 6.91.2 Member Function Documentation

### 6.91.2.1 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::find ( const QString & *s* ) [slot]

find specified text

#### Parameters

*QString* text to find

### 6.91.2.2 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::insert ( ItemHandle \* *item* )

insert a text item

#### Parameters

*ItemHandle\** the item

### 6.91.2.3 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::insert ( const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *list* )

insert text items

#### Parameters

*QList<ItemHandle\*>* the items

### 6.91.2.4 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::itemsInserted ( NetworkHandle \*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & ) [signal]

signal that is emitted when items are inserted in this [TextEditor](#).

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle\**

*QList<ItemHandle\*>* new item handles

### 6.91.2.5 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::itemsRemoved ( NetworkHandle \*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > & ) [signal]

signal that is emitted when items are removed from this [TextEditor](#).

#### Parameters

*NetworkHandle\**

*QList<ItemHandle\*>* removed item handles

**6.91.2.6 void TinkerCell::TextEditor::lineChanged ( TextEditor \*, int, const QString & ) [signal]**

the cursor has moved to a different line

**Parameters**

*int* index of the current line

*QString* current line text

**6.91.2.7 void TinkerCell::TextEditor::parse ( TextEditor \* ) [signal]**

request to parse the text in the current text editor

**Parameters**

*TextEditor\** editor

**6.91.2.8 void TinkerCell::TextEditor::popIn ( ) [virtual, slot]**

calls main window's popIn

**Returns**

void

**6.91.2.9 void TinkerCell::TextEditor::popOut ( ) [virtual, slot]**

calls main window's popOut

**Returns**

void

**6.91.2.10 void TinkerCell::TextEditor::print ( QPrinter \* printer ) [virtual, slot]**

print text

**Parameters**

*QPrinter*

**6.91.2.11 void TinkerCell::TextEditor::push ( QUndoCommand \* c )**

push a command to the undo/redo stack

**Parameters**

*QUndoCommand\**

**6.91.2.12 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::remove ( const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *handles* )**

remove text items

**Parameters**

*QList<ItemHandle\*>* the items

**6.91.2.13 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::remove ( ItemHandle \* *item* )**

remove an item

**Parameters**

*ItemHandle\** the item

**6.91.2.14 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::replace ( const QString & *old\_string*, const QString & *new\_string* ) [slot]**

find and replace specified text

**Parameters**

*QRegExp* text to find

*QString* text to replace

**6.91.2.15 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::setItems ( const QList< ItemHandle \* > & *newItems* )**

clear existing items and insert new items

**Parameters**

*QList<ItemHandle\*>* the new items

**6.91.2.16 void Tinkercell::TextEditor::textChanged ( TextEditor \*, const QString &, const QString &, const QString & ) [signal]**

some text inside this editor has been changed

**Parameters**

*QString* old text

*QString* new text

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- TextEditor.h
- TextEditor.cpp

## 6.92 Tinkercell::TextGraphicsItem Class Reference

editable text item

```
#include <TextGraphicsItem.h>
```

### Public Types

- enum { **Type** = UserType + 8 }  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

### Public Member Functions

- virtual [ItemHandle](#) \* [handle](#) () const  
*this text item's handle*
- void [setHandle](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*)  
*set this text item's handle*
- [TextGraphicsItem](#) (const QString &text, QGraphicsItem \*parent=0)  
*Constructor.*
- [TextGraphicsItem](#) (QGraphicsItem \*parent=0)  
*Constructor.*
- [TextGraphicsItem](#) (const [TextGraphicsItem](#) &copy)  
*Copy Constructor.*
- virtual [TextGraphicsItem](#) \* [clone](#) ()  
*Clone this item.*
- [TextGraphicsItem](#) ([ItemHandle](#) \*handle, QGraphicsItem \*parent=0)  
*Copy Constructor.*
- virtual ~[TextGraphicsItem](#) ()  
*Destructor.*
- virtual void [paint](#) (QPainter \*painter, const QStyleOptionGraphicsItem \*option, QWidget \*widget)  
*Paint this text item with or without a border.*
- virtual void [showBorder](#) (bool show=true)  
*whether or not to paint this item with a border*
- virtual QString [text](#) () const  
*the string painted by this text graphics item. same as toPlainText*
- virtual void [setText](#) (const QString &)  
*set the string painted by this text graphics item. same as setPlainText*

- int [type](#) () const  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [TextGraphicsItem](#) \* [cast](#) (QGraphicsItem \*)  
*cast a graphics item to a text item using qgraphicsitem\_cast*

## Public Attributes

- QPair< QGraphicsItem \*, QPointF > [relativePosition](#)  
*relative position with a target item*
- QString [groupID](#)  
*for identifying which group this item belongs in*

## Protected Attributes

- QGraphicsRectItem \* [boundingRectItem](#)  
*draws a border around the text item. hide or show using [showBorder\(\)](#)*
- [ItemHandle](#) \* [itemHandle](#)  
*the handle in which this item belongs*

### 6.92.1 Detailed Description

editable text item

### 6.92.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.92.2.1 Tinkercell::TextGraphicsItem::TextGraphicsItem ( const QString & *text*, QGraphicsItem \* *parent* = 0 )

Constructor.

#### Parameters

*QString* *text*

*QGraphicsItem\** *parent*

Constructor: sets text edit interaction

### 6.92.2.2 TinkerCell::TextGraphicsItem::TextGraphicsItem ( QGraphicsItem \* *parent* = 0 )

Constructor.

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem*\* *parent*

Constructor: sets text edit interaction

### 6.92.2.3 TinkerCell::TextGraphicsItem::TextGraphicsItem ( const TextGraphicsItem & *copy* )

Copy Constructor.

#### Parameters

*TextGraphicsItem*\* *copy*

Copy Constructor

### 6.92.2.4 TinkerCell::TextGraphicsItem::TextGraphicsItem ( ItemHandle \* *handle*, QGraphicsItem \* *parent* = 0 )

Copy Constructor.

#### Parameters

*ItemHandle*\* *handle* to which this item belongs

*QGraphicsItem*\* *parent*

Constructor: sets text edit interaction and name of handle

## 6.92.3 Member Function Documentation

### 6.92.3.1 TextGraphicsItem \* TinkerCell::TextGraphicsItem::cast ( QGraphicsItem \* *q* ) [static]

cast a graphics item to a text item using qgraphicsitem\_cast

#### Parameters

*QGraphicsItem* *graphics item*

#### Returns

[TextGraphicsItem](#) this will be 0 if the cast is invalid

### 6.92.3.2 void TinkerCell::TextGraphicsItem::setText ( const QString & *s* ) [virtual]

set the string painted by this text graphics item. same as setPlainText

#### Parameters

*QString*

### 6.92.3.3 QString TinkerCell::TextGraphicsItem::text ( ) const [virtual]

the string painted by this text graphics item. same as toPlainText

#### Returns

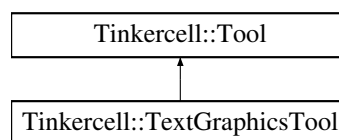
QString

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- TextGraphicsItem.h
- TextGraphicsItem.cpp

## 6.93 TinkerCell::TextGraphicsTool Class Reference

Inheritance diagram for TinkerCell::TextGraphicsTool:



#### Public Slots

- void **itemsInserted** (GraphicsScene \*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, const QList< ItemHandle \* > &handles)
- void **itemsAboutToBeMoved** (GraphicsScene \*, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< QPointF > &, QList< QUndoCommand \* > &)
- void **insertText** ()
- void **insertTextWith** ()
- void **mousePressed** (GraphicsScene \*, QPointF, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers)
- void **itemsSelected** (GraphicsScene \*, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QPointF, Qt::KeyboardModifiers)
- void **itemsRemoved** (GraphicsScene \*, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &, QList< ItemHandle \* > &, QList< QUndoCommand \* > &)
- void **mouseDoubleClicked** (GraphicsScene \*, QPointF, QGraphicsItem \*, Qt::MouseButton, Qt::KeyboardModifiers)
- void **keyPressed** (GraphicsScene \*, QKeyEvent \*)
- void **escapeSignal** (const QWidget \*)
- void **getFont** ()

#### Signals

- void **itemsRenamed** (NetworkHandle \*, const QList< ItemHandle \* > &, const QList< QString > &, const QList< QString > &)



## Public Member Functions

- **TextGraphicsTool** (QToolBar \*)
- bool **setMainWindow** (MainWindow \*main)  
*set the main window for this tool*
- void **setText** (TextGraphicsItem \*item, const QString &text)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

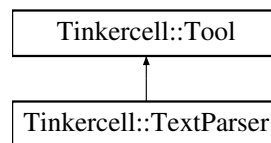
- TextGraphicsTool.h
- TextGraphicsTool.cpp

## 6.94 Tinkercell::TextParser Class Reference

**TextParser** is the parent class for all parsers. Parsers are classes that interpret the string in a **TextEditor** and insert items or modify items as needed. TinkerCell can support multiple parsers through the use of the **TextParser** interface.

```
#include <TextParser.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::TextParser:



## Public Slots

- virtual void **activate** ()  
*set this parser as the current parser*
- virtual void **deactivate** ()  
*this parser is no longer the current parser*
- virtual void **parse** (TextEditor \*)  
*this parser has been requested to parse the text inside the given text editor*
- virtual void **textChanged** (TextEditor \*, const QString &, const QString &, const QString &)  
*some text inside this editor has been changed*
- virtual void **lineChanged** (TextEditor \*, int, const QString &)  
*the cursor has moved to a different line*

## Signals

- void [validSyntax](#) (bool)  
*invalid syntax*

## Public Member Functions

- [TextParser](#) (const QString &Name, QWidget \*parent=0)  
*constructor*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static void [setParser](#) ([TextParser](#) \*)  
*set the text parser for all text editors. The current text parser can be obtained using [TextParser::currentParser\(\)](#);*
- static [TextParser](#) \* [currentParser](#) ()  
*The current text parser that is being used (can be 0 if none).*

## Public Attributes

- QPixmap [icon](#)  
*icon for this class*

### 6.94.1 Detailed Description

[TextParser](#) is the parent class for all parsers. Parsers are classes that interpret the string in a [TextEditor](#) and insert items or modify items as needed. TinkerCell can support multiple parsers through the use of the [TextParser](#) interface.

### 6.94.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.94.2.1 [TinkerCell::TextParser::TextParser](#) ( const QString & *Name*, QWidget \* *parent* = 0 )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* name

*QWidget\** parent

### 6.94.3 Member Function Documentation

**6.94.3.1** `void Tinkercell::TextParser::lineChanged ( TextEditor *, int, const QString & )`  
`[virtual, slot]`

the cursor has moved to a different line

#### Parameters

*int* index of the current line

*QString* current line text

**6.94.3.2** `void Tinkercell::TextParser::parse ( TextEditor * )` `[virtual, slot]`

this parser has been requested to parse the text inside the given text editor

#### Parameters

*TextEditor*\* the text editor

**6.94.3.3** `void Tinkercell::TextParser::textChanged ( TextEditor *, const QString &, const QString &, const QString & )`  
`[virtual, slot]`

some text inside this editor has been changed

#### Parameters

*TextEditor*\* the current editor

*QString* old text

*QString* new text

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

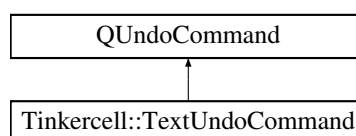
- TextParser.h
- TextParser.cpp

## 6.95 Tinkercell::TextUndoCommand Class Reference

this command performs a text change

```
#include <TextEditor.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::TextUndoCommand:



## Public Member Functions

- [TextUndoCommand](#) ([TextEditor](#) \*, const [QString](#) &, const [QString](#) &)

*constructor*

- void [redo](#) ()

*redo the change*

- void [undo](#) ()

*undo the change*

### 6.95.1 Detailed Description

this command performs a text change

### 6.95.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.95.2.1 Tinkercell::TextUndoCommand::TextUndoCommand ( [TextEditor](#) \* *editor*, const [QString](#) & *oldText*, const [QString](#) & *newText* )

constructor

#### Parameters

*TextEditor*\* *editor* where change happened

*QString* *newText*

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

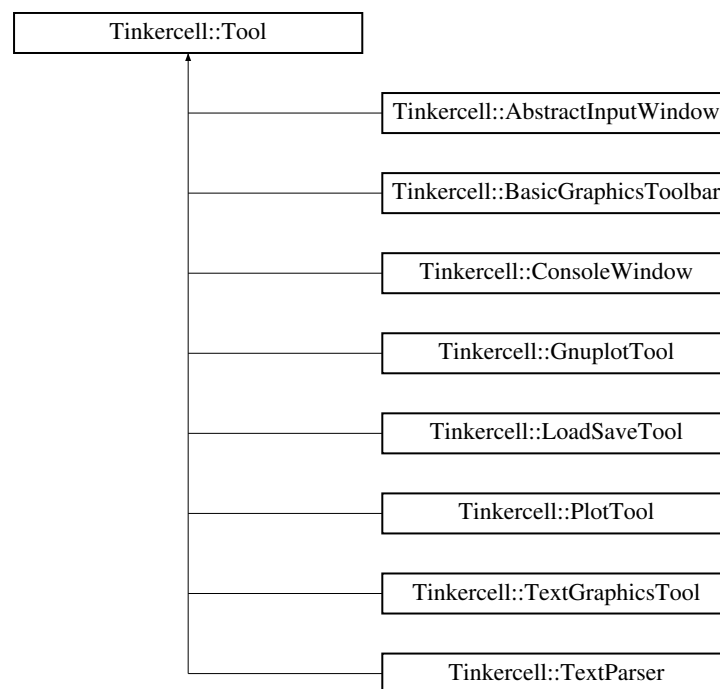
- [TextEditor.h](#)
- [TextEditor.cpp](#)

## 6.96 Tinkercell::Tool Class Reference

everything other than the main window is a tool

```
#include <Tool.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for Tinkercell::Tool:



## Public Slots

- virtual void [select](#) (int i=0)  
*what happens when this tool is selected*
- virtual void [deselect](#) (int i=0)  
*what happens when this tool is deselected*
- virtual void [addAction](#) (const QIcon &, const QString &text=QString(), const QString &tooltip=QString())  
*add an action that will be displayed in the context menu when specific items with this tool in their tools list are selected*
- virtual void [addGraphicsItem](#) (ToolGraphicsItem \*)  
*add a graphics item that will be displayed on the current scene when specific items with this tool in their tools list are selected*

## Signals

- void [selected](#) ()  
*this tool is selected*
- void [deselected](#) ()  
*this tool is deselected*

## Public Member Functions

- [Tool](#) ()  
*constructor*
- [~Tool](#) ()  
*destructor. removes graphicsItem and toolButton is not 0*
- [Tool](#) (const QString &Name, const QString &[category](#)=QString(), QWidget \*parent=0)  
*constructor*
- virtual bool [setMainWindow](#) ([MainWindow](#) \*main)  
*set the main window for this tool*
- [ConsoleWindow](#) \* [console](#) ()  
*console window (same as mainWindow->[console\(\)](#))*
- [GraphicsScene](#) \* [currentScene](#) () const  
*the main window's current scene*
- [TextEditor](#) \* [currentTextEditor](#) () const  
*the main window's current text editor*
- [NetworkHandle](#) \* [currentNetwork](#) () const  
*the main window's current network*
- [NetworkWindow](#) \* [currentWindow](#) () const  
*the main window's current network's current window*
- QPair< QList< [ItemHandle](#) \* >, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > > [getItemsFromFile](#) (const QString &filename)  
*get the items inside a file. Some tool must implement this function and connect to the getItemsFromFile signal. The Core library does not implement a read file function.*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static QString [homeDir](#) ()  
*same as [MainWindow::homeDir](#)*
- static QString [tempDir](#) ()  
*same as [MainWindow::tempDir](#)*

## Public Attributes

- QString [name](#)  
*name of this tool*
- QString [category](#)

*category that this tool belongs in*

- [QString](#) [description](#)  
*brief description of this tool*
- [MainWindow](#) \* [mainWindow](#)  
*main window for this tool*

## Protected Slots

- virtual void [actionTriggered](#) (QAction \*action)  
*context menu action triggered*

## Friends

- class [GraphicsScene](#)
- class [TextEditor](#)
- class [MainWindow](#)
- class [NetworkHandle](#)
- class [ToolGraphicsItem](#)

### 6.96.1 Detailed Description

everything other than the main window is a tool

### 6.96.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.96.2.1 Tinkercell::Tool::Tool ( const QString & *Name*, const QString & *category* = *QString()*, QWidget \* *parent* = 0 )

constructor

#### Parameters

*QString* *name*  
*QString* *category* (default = empty)  
*QWidget\** *parent* (default = 0)

### 6.96.3 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.96.3.1 NetworkHandle \* Tinkercell::Tool::currentNetwork ( ) const

the main window's current network

#### Returns

NetworkHandle\* current network handle

### 6.96.3.2 NetworkWindow \* Tinkercell::Tool::currentWindow ( ) const

the main window's current network's current window

#### Returns

NetworkWindow\* current network window

### 6.96.3.3 QPair< QList< ItemHandle \* >, QList< QGraphicsItem \* > > Tinkercell::Tool::getItemsFromFile ( const QString & filename )

get the items inside a file. Some tool must implement this function and connect to the getItemsFromFile signal. The Core library does not implement a read file function.

#### Parameters

*QString&* file that is selected by user

#### Returns

QPair< QList<ItemHandle\*>, QList<QGraphicsItem\*> > list of handles and graphics items inside the file  
void

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- Tool.h
- Tool.cpp

## 6.97 Tinkercell::ToolGraphicsItem Class Reference

tools that are drawn on the scene instead of displayed as a window

```
#include <Tool.h>
```

### Public Types

- enum { **Type** = UserType + 9 }  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*

### Public Member Functions

- [ToolGraphicsItem \(Tool \\*\)](#)  
*constructor must have an associated [Tool](#)*
- virtual void [select \(\)](#)  
*this item has been selected*
- virtual void [deselect \(\)](#)



*this item has been deselected*

- int [type](#) () const  
*for enabling dynamic\_cast*
- virtual void [visible](#) (bool)  
*show or hide this graphical tool. The graphical tool may choose whether or not to be visible based on other factors.*

## Static Public Member Functions

- static [ToolGraphicsItem](#) \* [cast](#) (QGraphicsItem \*)  
*cast a graphics item to a [ToolGraphicsItem](#)*

## Public Attributes

- [Tool](#) \* [tool](#)  
*main window for this tool*

### 6.97.1 Detailed Description

tools that are drawn on the scene instead of displayed as a window

### 6.97.2 Member Function Documentation

#### 6.97.2.1 [ToolGraphicsItem](#) \* [Tinkercell::ToolGraphicsItem::cast](#) ( [QGraphicsItem](#) \* *q* ) [static]

cast a graphics item to a [ToolGraphicsItem](#)

#### Returns

[ToolGraphicsItem](#)\* can be 0 if invalid cast

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

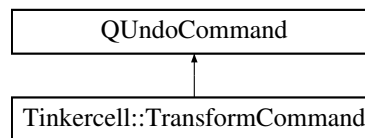
- [Tool.h](#)
- [Tool.cpp](#)

## 6.98 Tinkercell::TransformCommand Class Reference

this command changes the size, angle, and orientation of an item

```
#include <UndoCommands.h>
```

Inheritance diagram for [Tinkercell::TransformCommand](#):



## Public Member Functions

- [TransformCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsScene \*scene, QGraphicsItem \*item, const QPointF &sizechange, qreal anglechange, bool VFlip, bool HFlip)

*constructor*

- [TransformCommand](#) (const QString &name, QGraphicsScene \*scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > &items, const QList< QPointF > &sizechange, const QList< qreal > &anglechange, const QList< bool > &VFlip, const QList< bool > &HFlip)

*constructor*

- void **redo** ()
- void **undo** ()

### 6.98.1 Detailed Description

this command changes the size, angle, and orientation of an item

### 6.98.2 Constructor & Destructor Documentation

#### 6.98.2.1 Tinkercell::TransformCommand::TransformCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsScene \* scene, QGraphicsItem \* item, const QPointF & sizechange, qreal anglechange, bool VFlip, bool HFlip )

constructor

##### Parameters

*QString* name of command  
*GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened  
*QGraphicsItem\** item that is affected  
*QPointF* change in size (w,h)  
*double* angle change  
*boolean* flip vertically  
*boolean* flip horizontally

#### 6.98.2.2 Tinkercell::TransformCommand::TransformCommand ( const QString & name, QGraphicsScene \* scene, const QList< QGraphicsItem \* > & items, const QList< QPointF > & sizechange, const QList< qreal > & anglechange, const QList< bool > & VFlip, const QList< bool > & HFlip )

constructor

### Parameters

*QString* name of command  
*GraphicsScene\** scene where change happened  
*QList<QGraphicsItem \**>& items that are affected  
*QList<QPointF>*& change in size (w,h)  
*QList<qreal>*& angle change  
*boolean* flip vertically (all items)  
*boolean* flip horizontally (all items)

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- UndoCommands.h
- UndoCommands.cpp

## 6.99 Tinkercell::Unit Class Reference

A unit of measurement.

```
#include <ItemFamily.h>
```

### Public Member Functions

- **Unit** (const QString &property, const QString &name)

### Public Attributes

- QString **property**
- QString **name**

### 6.99.1 Detailed Description

A unit of measurement.

The documentation for this class was generated from the following files:

- ItemFamily.h
- ItemFamily.cpp

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