

DeltaPoint

Calculate distance between two points

#include <ToolUtils.h>

Toolbox Utilities

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long      DeltaPoint(aPt, bPt);  
Point    aPt ;           any Point  
Point    bPt ;           any other point, same coordinate system  
          returns        hiword = vertical distance; low=horiz
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DeltaPoint returns the distance between two points, returned as a 32-bit value with the high-order word being the vertical distance and the low-order word being the horizontal distance.

aPt and . . .

bPt are any two points, expressed in the same coordinate system.

Returns: a 32-bit long integer; it identifies the distance between *aPt* and *bPt*. The high word is the vertical offset and the low word is the horizontal offset. Negative values indicate that *bPt* is above and to the left of *aPt* ; positive values indicate below and to the right.

Notes: This performs the same function as **SubPt**, except the difference is given as the returned value instead of stored into a variable.