Windows Gadgets – Setting Settings

When working with windows Vista\7 Gadgets, you will need to make use of System.Gadget.Settings if you want to share a value through the lifespan of your gadget.

These settings are cleared out when your gadget is closed, so you will have to re-load them each time your gadget comes back to life. The quickest way of doing this is storing your settings in a XML file (to a set path) and reading that back into System.Gadget.Settings. Below are some code snippets for reading and writing to System.Gadget.Settings.

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System.Gadget.Settings.write(strName, varValue)
//http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/ms723662(VS.85).aspx

System.Gadget.Settings.writeString(strName, strValue)
//http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/aa359285(VS.85).aspx

Var bob = System.Gadget.Settings.read(strName)
//http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/ms723656(VS.85).aspx

strSetting = System.Gadget.Settings.readString(strName)
//http://msdn.microsoft.com/en-us/library/aa359283(VS.85).aspx
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