LAB GOALS

Printing the Form

The following code segment should be inserted in your program "AS IS" in order for the print module to work correctly.

Step1: Create a user interface similar to the one shown. Using the toolbox, add two Buttons, and a PrintDocument control to your form.



'Print the current form CaptureScreen() PrintDocument1.Print() Step 4: Copy the code below and place it above the event handler for the Quit button.

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'_____
'Print Screen
!_____
'This example prints a copy of the current form.
Private Declare Function BitBlt Lib "gdi32.dll" Alias "BitBlt" (ByVal _
hdcDest As IntPtr, ByVal nXDest As Integer, ByVal nYDest As
Integer, ByVal nWidth As Integer, ByVal nHeight As Integer, ByVal _
hdcSrc As IntPtr, ByVal nXSrc As Integer, ByVal nYSrc As Integer, _
ByVal dwRop As System.Int32) As Long
._____
Dim memoryImage As Bitmap
*_____
Private Sub CaptureScreen()
   Dim mygraphics As Graphics = Me.CreateGraphics()
   Dim s As Size = Me.Size
   memoryImage = New Bitmap(s.Width, s.Height, mygraphics)
   Dim memoryGraphics As Graphics = Graphics.FromImage(memoryImage)
   Dim dcl As IntPtr = mygraphics.GetHdc
   Dim dc2 As IntPtr = memoryGraphics.GetHdc
   BitBlt(dc2, 0, 0, Me.ClientRectangle.Width,
     Me.ClientRectangle.Height, dc1, 0, 0, 13369376)
   mygraphics.ReleaseHdc(dc1)
   memoryGraphics.ReleaseHdc(dc2)
End Sub
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Private Sub PrintDocument1_PrintPage(ByVal sender As System.Object,
                               ByVal e As System.Drawing.Printing.PrintPageEventArgs) _
                                Handles PrintDocument1.PrintPage
   e.Graphics.DrawImage(memoryImage, 0, 0)
End Sub
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Step 5: Compile and Run your program. Now, press the "Print GUI Window" Button.