

# XML\_FromString

## %XML\_FromString function

### Function

The function converts a text string to XML document.

### Declaration

```
INT %XML_FromString(
    TEXT in xml
)
```

### Parameters

xml	Text string.
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### Return value

Handle to the created XML document.

### Description

The function converts the text string to XML document. If the text string is not a valid text representation of XML document, an invalid value is returned.

### Example

```
INT _handle, _elements, _element, _nodes, _node
TEXT _text

_text := "<element>value</element>"
_handle := %XML_FromString(_text)
_elements := %XML_GetElementsByTagName(_handle, "element")
_element := %XML_Item(_elements, 0)
_nodes := %XML_ChildNodes(_element)
_node := %XML_Item(_nodes, 0)
_text := %XML_NodeValue(_node)

; content of the variable _text
; value
```



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