

# HI\_GetColumnMetadata

## %HI\_GetColumnMetadata, %HI\_SetColumnMetadata functions

**Function** **%HI\_GetColumnMetadata** function gets back a text value of metadata (according to defined key) that are assigned to the column of graphic object [Browser](#).  
**%HI\_SetColumnMetadata** function sets a new text value of metadata (according to defined key) that are assigned to the column of graphic object [Browser](#).

**Declaration**

```
TEXT %HI_GetColumnMetadata(  
    INT in _refId,  
    INT in _index,  
    TEXT in _key  
)  
  
BOOL %HI_SetColumnMetadata(  
    INT in _refId,  
    INT in _index,  
    TEXT in _key,  
    TEXT in _value,  
    BOOL in _bOverWrite  
)
```


**Parameters**

<b>_refId</b>	Reference to graphic object ( <a href="#">reference variable</a> ).
<b>_index</b>	Consecutive number of column.
<b>_key</b>	Key which specified metadata.
<b>_value</b>	New value of metadata.
<b>_bOverWrite</b>	TRUE - either metadata are inserted (if they do not exist) or the value of existing metadata is updated. FALSE - either metadata are inserted (if metadata do not exist) or the existing value of metadata is kept.

**Description** **%HI\_GetColumnMetadata** function gets back the text value of metadata (according to the defined key) which is assigned to column of *Browser* graphic object.  
**%HI\_SetColumnMetadata** function sets new metadata (according to defined key) to column of *Browser* graphic object.

**Note 1** Configuration of [metadata](#) for column of graphic object *Browser*.  
**%HI\_SetColumnMetadata** function applies the change of metadata only on the running instance of picture.

**Note 2** These functions are available also in [%HIX\\_ version](#).

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