

XML_ToString

%XML_ToString function

Function

The function converts an XML document to a text string.

Declaration

```
TEXT %XML_ToString(  
    INT in handle,  
    [TEXT in encoding = "utf-8"]  
    [BOOL in useProcInstruction]  
)
```

Parameters

handle	Handle to an open XML document.
encoding	Encoding that will be displayed in the procedural instruction <?xml version="1.0" encoding="xxx"?>.
useProcInstruction	Disables the displaying of procedural instruction <?xml version="1.0" encoding="xxx"?>.

Return value

Text representation of the XML document.

Description

The function converts the open XML document to text string.

Example

```
INT _handle, _element, _node  
TEXT _text  
  
_handle := %XML_CreateDocument()  
_element := %XML_AddElement(_handle, "element")  
_node := %XML_AddTextNode(_element, "value")  
_text := %XML_ToString(_handle)  
  
; content of the variable _text  
; <?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?<element>value</element>  
  
_text:= %XML_ToString(_handle, "",@FALSE)  
  
; content of the variable _text  
; <element>value</element>
```



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