

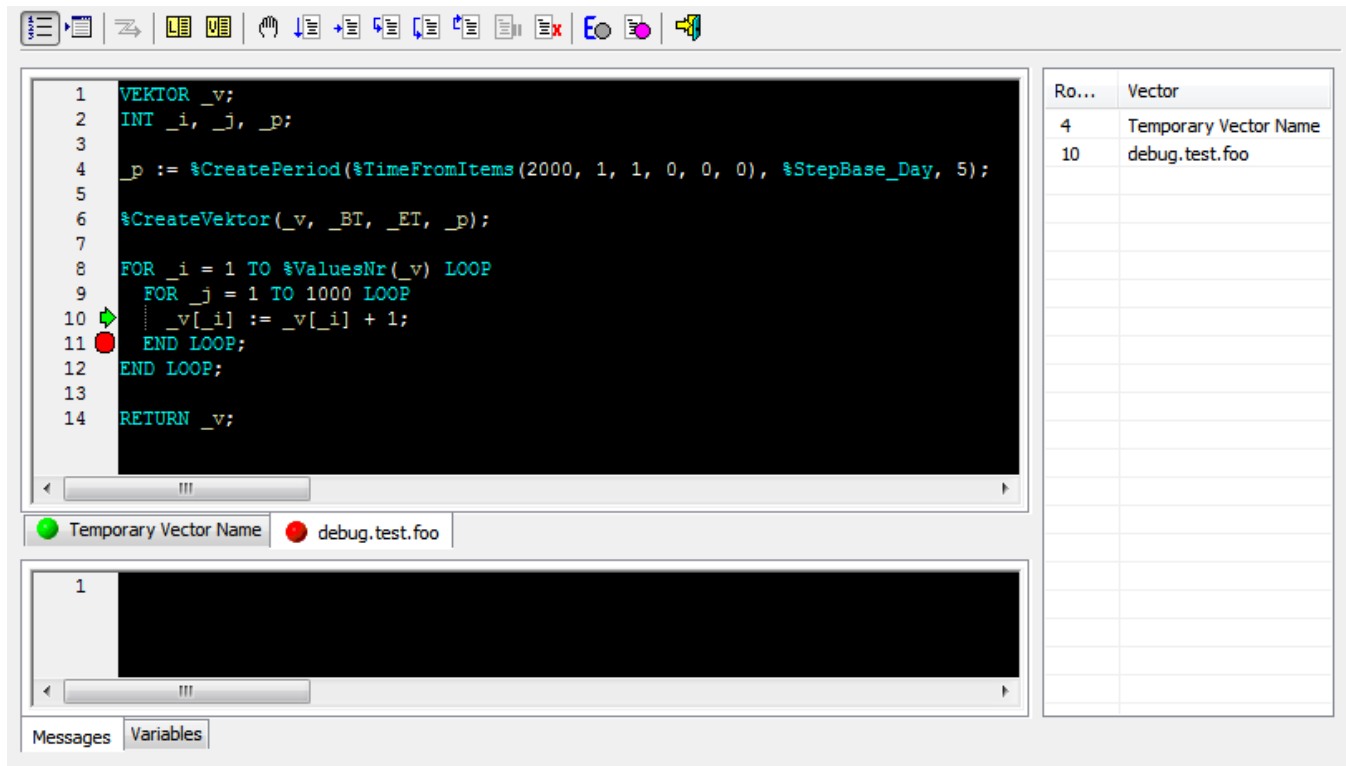
EDA Debugger

EDA debugger is used for debugging the calculation of calculated vectors and functions of the EDA subsystem. This feature is included in a group of graphic objects for pictures as an EDA debugger.

This graphic object enables, directly in its interface, to connect to any EDA calculation in the application. Calculation means loading of calculated vector or calculation of function. The whole process of debugging is controlled in the graphical interface, i.e. in the EDA debugger.

Another method of usage of EDA debugger is the initiation of calculation for debugging directly from ESL script. This method requires supporting functions of the EDA debugger. In the first step, the user must create a debugging connection with the process that executes EDA calculations. To establish this connection, use the function `%HI_EDADebugOpen`. The function `%HI_EDADebugClose` closes this connection. After creating debug connection, the user may start the calculation of the calculated vector for debugging by calling the function `%HI_EDADebugVectorRec`. When calling `%HI_EDADebugCalcFunctionRec`, it activates debugging calculation of the EDA-L formula. Functions `%HI_EDADebugVectorRec` and `%HI_EDADebugCalcFunctionRec` do not wait for finishing the calculation that was started by these functions.

Example of an EDA debugger that is used in a picture opened in HI:

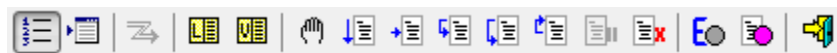


It consists of:

- **Toolbar** – contains buttons that represent debug commands.
- **Tabs with calculations** – contains source formulas of vector calculation.
- **Info tabs:**
 - *Messages* – contains messages that have been generated during calculation.
 - *Variables* – contains monitored variables of selected vector.
- **Call stack** – contains the current list of nested vectors of aborted calculation.

Toolbar

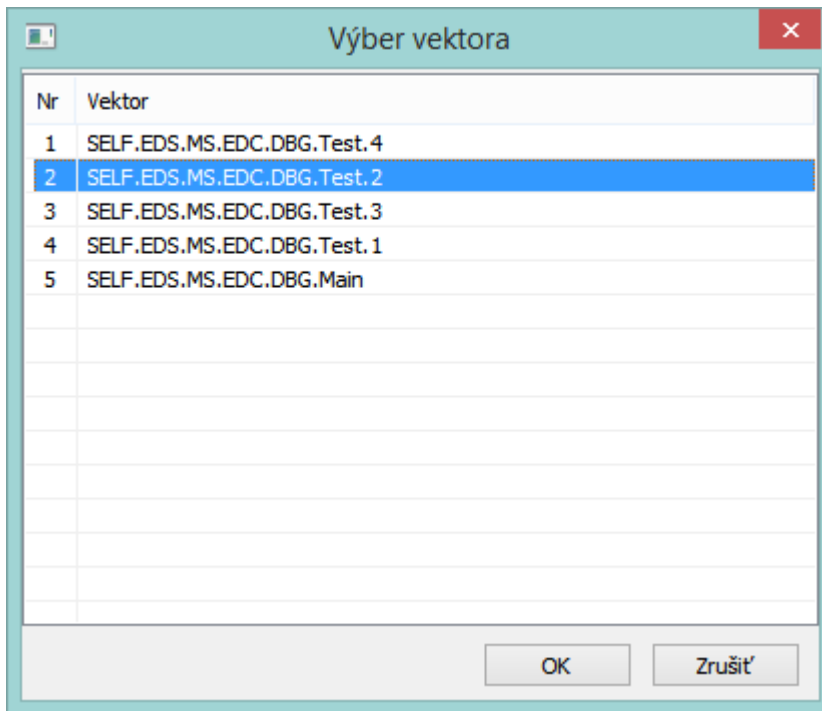
Buttons represent the commands that control debugging of calculations.



	Enable/disable the numbering of rows in the formula.
	Go to row in displayed vector.



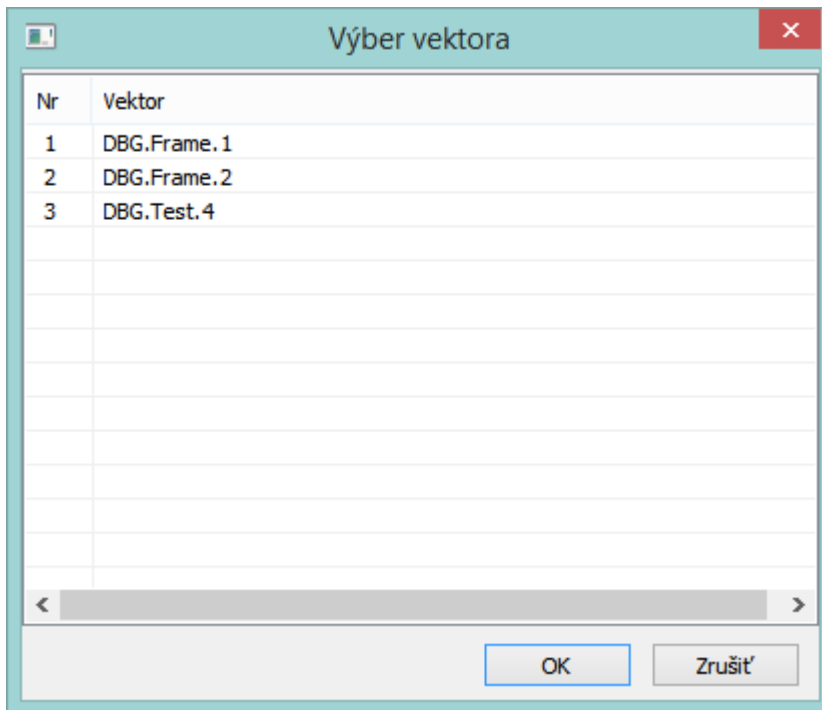
Connect to calculation – connection to running calculation which should be debugged. Dialog window displays the list of all running EDA calculations in the application with information such as on which EDA server the calculation runs, from which client was started, and the initiate vector that is calculated.



List of local variables in displayed vector - enables to add variables into **Variable** tab.













List of vectors used when debugging (closed vector included) – enables to open (select) vector which will be displayed.



The icon which informs about the status of calculation:

1. Grey – the calculation is stopped,
2. Red – calculating.

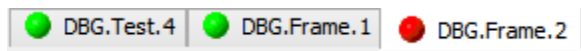
	Continue in the calculation.
	Continue in calculation up to row with the cursor (if on the row is not any script command, calculation continues up to next row with command).
	Step inside – if the row contains loading of the calculated vector, the process continues within it.
	Step outside – if the row contains loading of calculated vector, loading is executed and calculation stops on the next row.
	Continue up to return from the vector.
	Abort calculation.
	Stop calculation.
	Aborted when occurring an exception – indicates two statuses differentiated by color: 1. Grey – do not abort, 2. Red – abort.
	Delete all breaks in all vectors.
	Finish calculation debugging (calculation will continue).

Tabs with calculation

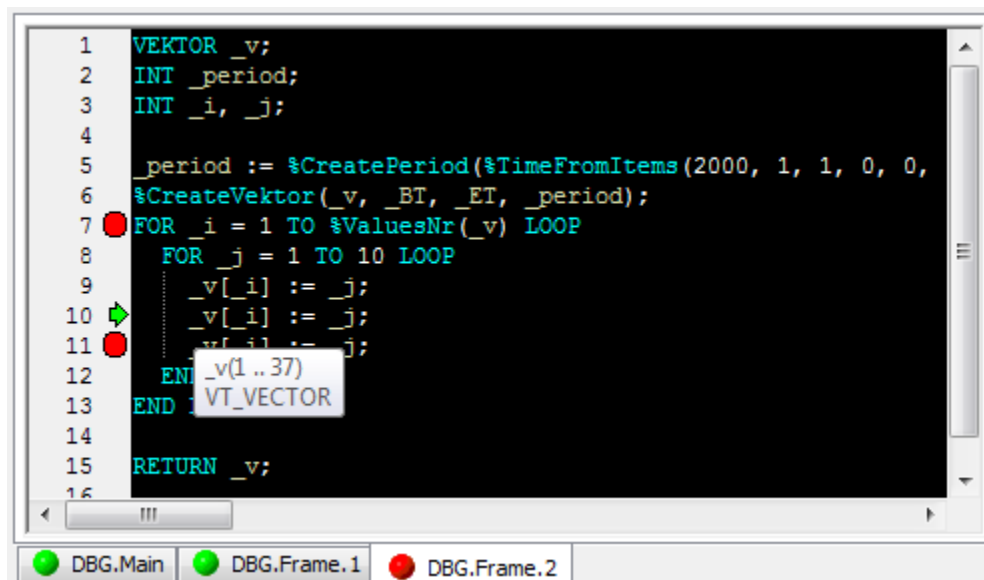
Tabs contains the vector formulas that were used when debugging connected calculations. Vector formula occurs in tabs automatically after aborting the calculation - tabs contain all vectors that are in the current call stack. Users may manually close (hide) the tab with the vector formula and then open it again (via the list of vectors).

Tabs show the name and version of the vector and indicate its status (3 options):

- Grey circle – vector, at the time of aborting calculation, does not occur in the call stack.
- Green circle – vector, at the time of aborting calculation, occurs in the current call stack.
- Red circle – vector, at the time of aborting calculation, occurs in the current call stack and contains a command that will be executed.



Tab with vector formula



It contains:

- Optional row numbering
- Breakpoints – red circles
- Mark for aborting the execution of calculation – green arrow
- Vector formula with syntax highlighting:
 - key words and functions – turquoise color,
 - local variable – yellow color,
 - delimiters – white color.
- Description of variable and its value (for one-element variables) with the cursor.

Popup menu that occurs over formula enables:

- to add a selected local variable into the list of watched variables of vector,
- to hide tabs of vector – watching variables and breakpoints stays activated. Tabs may be displayed again via the list of vectors.

Info tabs

Messages

The tab contains the messages that were generated during the calculation. Users may write some notes in the tab and delete the selected texts.

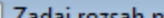
Variable

The tab that contains the values of watched local variables of selected vector. The sign +/- collapses/expands the vector variables.

+/-	Variable	Value type	Value	Time	N_A	Valid	Manual	Weak	Attribute A	Attribute B	Attribute C	Attribute D	Locked
-	_p	VT_INT	-1001		N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
-	_v (1 - 38)	VT_VECTOR											
	-_v(1)	VT_VECTOR	1.000000000000000E+05	28-12-2015 00:00:00	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Messages

Variables

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A Popup menu that appears over the list of variables enables to:

- ## Call stack

Example of starting calculation of vector for debugging from the script

```

INT _serverId, _clientId
INT _retCode

ENTRY BTN_DebugVectorRec_OnClick
RECORD NOALIAS (SD._System_HI_EDADebugVectorRec) _paramsRec
TIME _bt, _et

; connection to process that executes EDA calculations
_retCode := %HI_EDADebugOpen(_DBG, _serverId, _clientId)

_bt := %StrToTimeEx("2015-01-01 00:00:00", "rrrr-mm-dd hh:mi:ss")
_et := %StrToTimeEx("2015-02-01 00:00:00", "rrrr-mm-dd hh:mi:ss")
_paramsRec[1]^structVersion := 1

; activating calculation of vector for debugging
_retCode := %HI_EDADebugVectorRec(_DBG, "DBG.Main", _bt, _et, _paramsRec\HBJ)
END BTN_DebugVectorRec_OnClick

ENTRY BTN_DebugClose_OnClick
; closing debug connection
_retCode := %HI_EDADebugClose(_DBG)
END BTN_DebugClose_OnClick

BEGIN
; getting ID of process EDA Client, which uses this HI, and EDA Server, to which the client is connected
; it is expected that connection to EDA already exists
CALL %EDA_GetProcessId(_serverId, _clientId, _retCode)
END

```



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