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# Migrating Your DWC GUI to Linux, macOS, and the Cloud







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### Goals

- Show you how to install "Everywhere WC"
- Give you some time to play with it
- Get input on priorities which missing features to attack first?

# What is "Everywhere" WC?

An implementation of a *subset* of **WC**, which can run on any Dyalog platform

- Windows, Linux, MacOS Desktops using HTMLRenderer
- As a web server served up by any Dyalog interpreter

Also *extends* **WC**, adding

- A native Ribbon control
- ApexCharts Graphics
- "Any widget library you want"

# Why EWC?

### 1. Protect existing investments

- ◆ Since 1990, □WC has made it possible for domain experts to be "full stack" developers

# Why EWC?

### 2. Build New Applications

- EWC can easily be extended with JavaScript libraries
- Potential migration path for existing code to "responsive" layout
  - Replace Posn/Size with Flex CSS
- EWC is a uniquely interactive web development environment

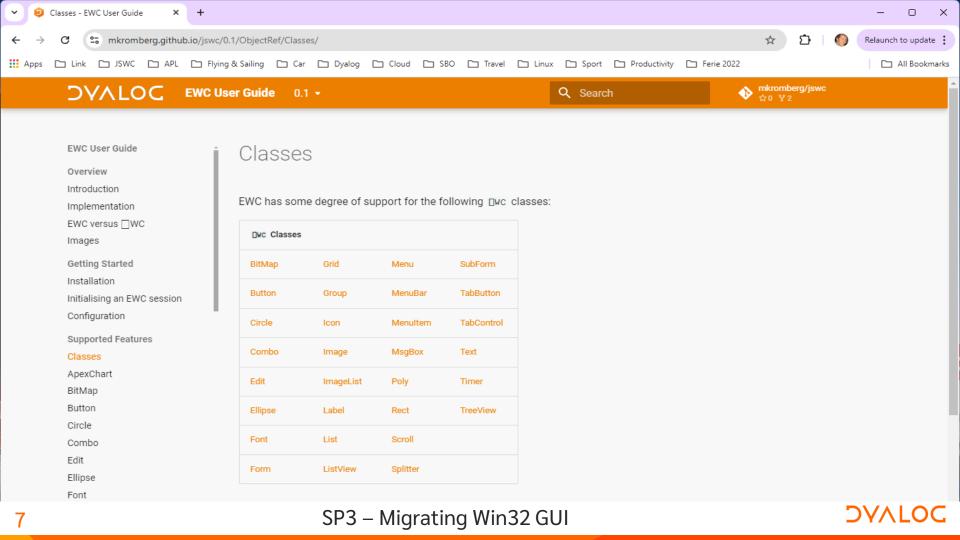
### **Current Status**

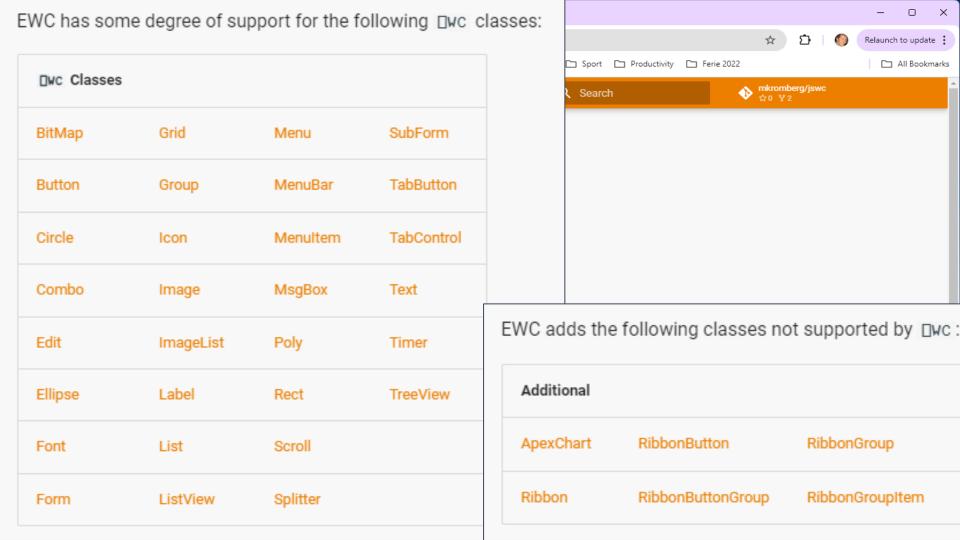
- Worked on prototype for 12 months with an external contractor
- Hired a full-time JavaScript developer Welcome Neil!
- Free and Open Source
  - We will document how to create & share your own extensions
- We expect to add features quickly this winter
  - Send us sample apps / tell us what you need

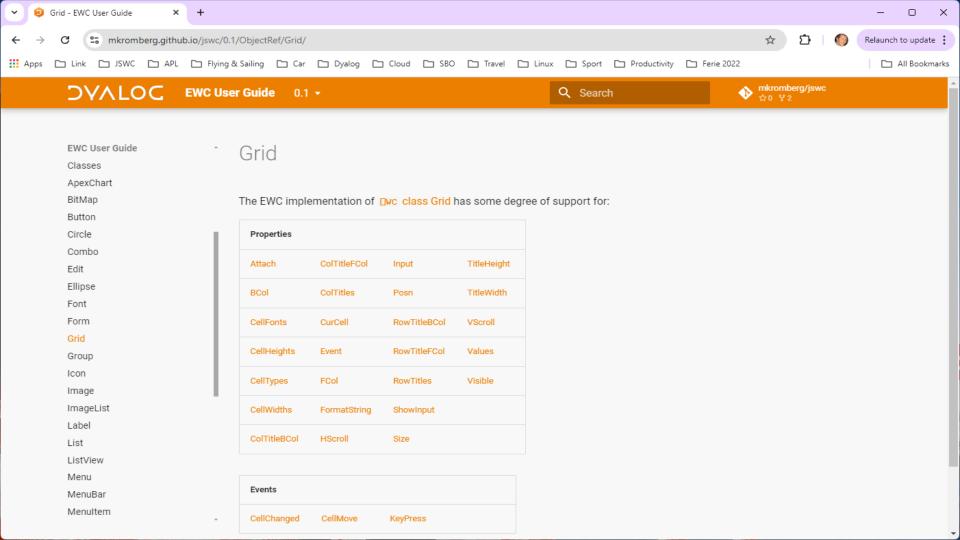
### **Current Status**

- Supported subset has been driven by the needs of two launch customers
  - One converting a mature asset management system which needs to move off the Windows desktop
  - One building new web components in APL to enhance an existing C#/JS based web app
  - Both of these should be up & running very soon
- Many features are still being developed
- NB: The list of missing & supported features is likely to be out of date within a few days of this workshop!

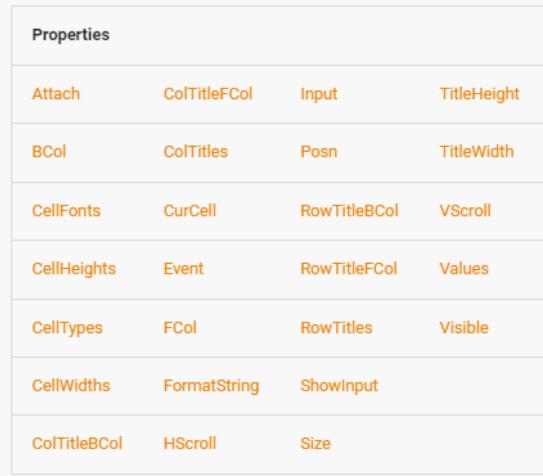








# The EWC implementation of uwc class Grid has some degree of support for:



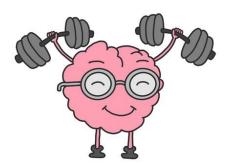
Being added as applications need them.

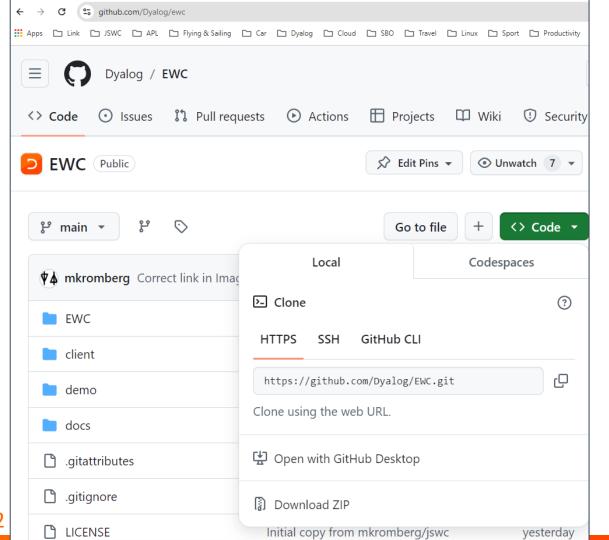
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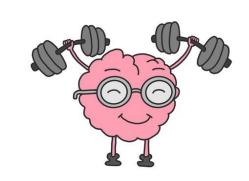
### Exercise 1 - Installation

- Clone the github repository
  - https://github.com/dyalog/ewc









### Exercise 1a - Installation

Verify installation:

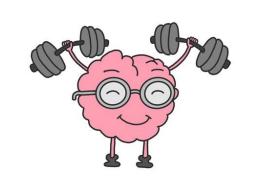
```
]link.create # /path/to/ewc
```

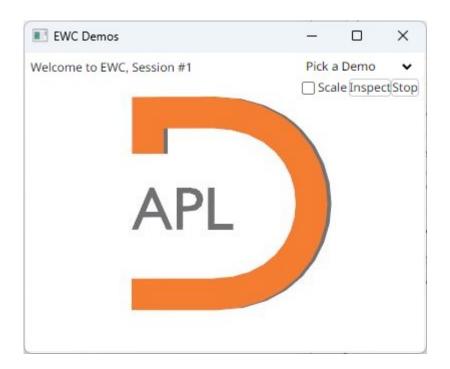
EWC. Version

EWC Server: 0.1.1, Client: Unknown

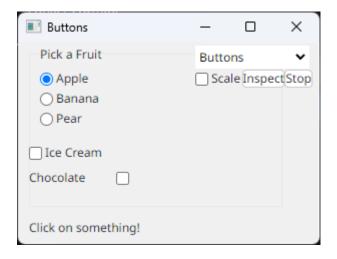
demo.Run 'Desktop'

NB: You \*must\* place EWC in the root (#.EWC)

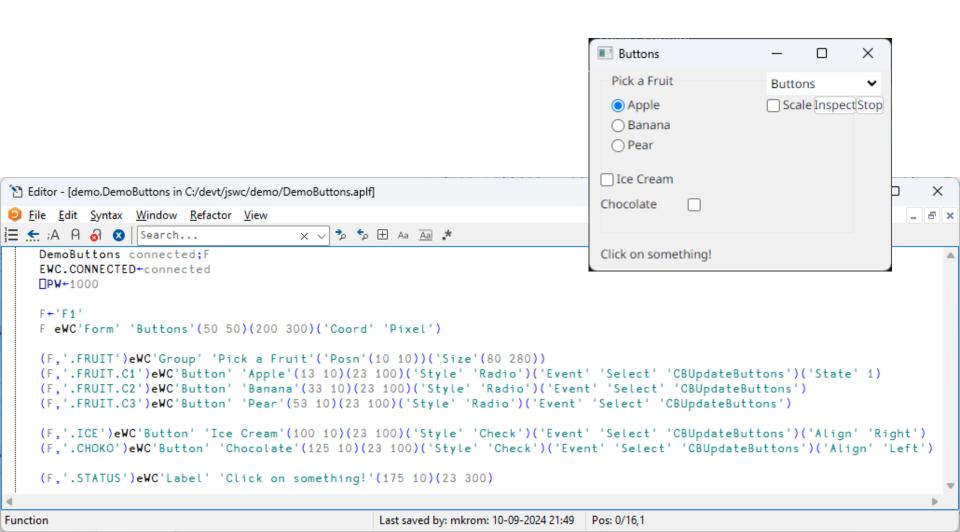












# The Demo

Demos of Extensions

--- Extras
RibbonTabs
--- Charts
ApexCandleStick
ApexHorizontalBar
ApexMovAvg
ApexSineWave
--- Flex
FlexLogin



### Exercise 1b – Find Documentation

- Navigate to <u>https://dyalog.github.io/EWC</u>
- Notice that when you click on the name of a property, it opens the □WC documentation.
- The EWC documentation describes differences between EWC and □WC

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### Initialising an EWC session

Once you have a folder on your machine containing EWC, you can load it into a Dyalog APL

session (18.2 or later is required):

]link.import # /path/to/ewc

Where /path/to/ewc is the name of the folder that you created during installation.

EWC.Init

The function EWC.Init takes a right argument of the mode that you want to enable:

- 'Desktop' to run each form in an HTMLRenderer
- 'Browser' to allow a single session from a browser
- 'Multi' to allow multiple sessions from browsers (more about that later)

For example:

EWC.Init 'Desktop'

EWC. Init will also create cover-functions ewc, ews and so on, in the namespace from which

Init was called. These are intended to be used as replacements for the system functions Dwc, □ws , etc.

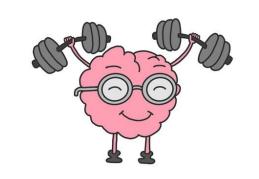
### Exercise 2 – Hello World

- Create a new namespace for your application
- Write your own function which
- Calls #.EWC.Init 'Desktop'

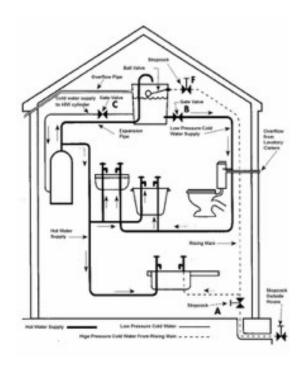




EWC.NOIDQ←O A Enable Interactive DQ



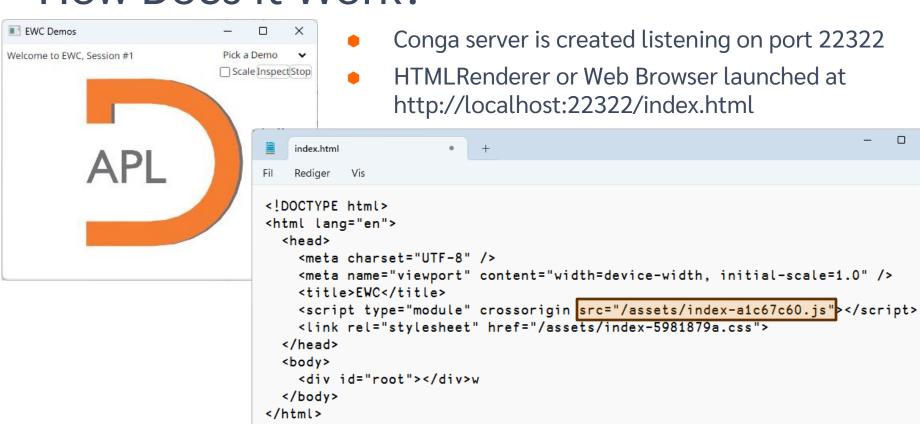
### How does it work?





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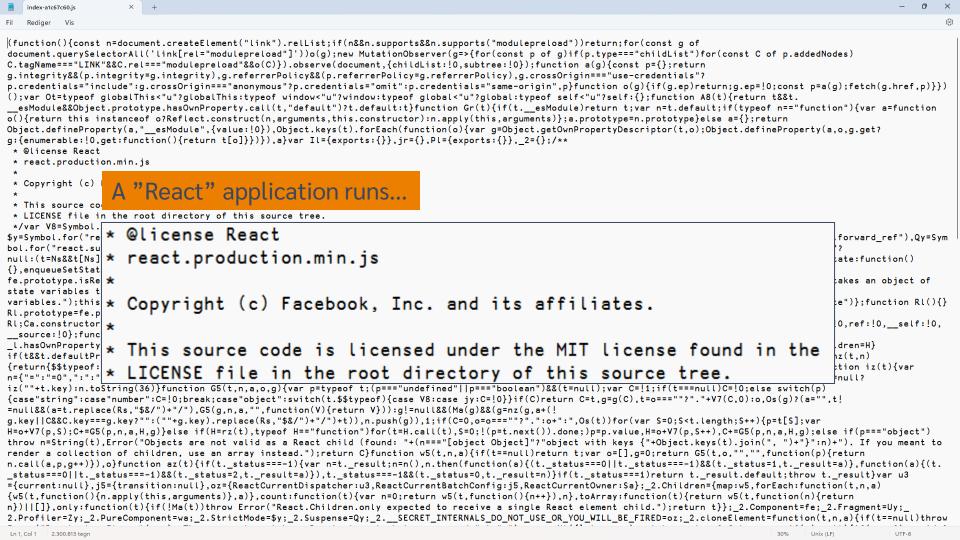
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Unix (LF)

UTF-8



## A WebSocket is Born

#### Log messages are timestamped mm.ss.ttt since session start. R=Receive, T=Transmit, C=Create

07:53.071 C: Session 1 created, socket 2, connected from [::1]:57082, key: LIZpDGotmvS+MjRF1uu//g==

#### JavaScript Client tells us something about it's environment:

```
07:53.077 R: #2: {"DeviceCapabilities":{"ViewPort":[301,401],"ScreenSize":[1440,2560],"DPR":1,"PPI":200}} 07:53.083 R: #2: {"Initialise":{"Version":"0.2.0","Name":"EWC Client","URL":"http://localhost:22322/"}}
```

#### APL Server says how it wants things (you can customise these):



# Typical Web Socket Traffic

```
'F1' eWC 'Form' 'Buttons' (50 50) (200 300) ('Coord' 'Pixel')
 → {"WC": {"ID":"F1".
           "Properties":{"Caption":"Buttons", "Coord": "Pixel",
           "Posn":[0,0], "Size":[200,300], "Type": "Form"}}}
'F1.STATUS' eWC 'Label' 'Click on something!' (175 10) (23 300)
 → { "WC": { "ID": "F1.STATUS",
           "Properties":{"Caption":"Click on something!",
           "Posn":[175,10], "Size":[23,300], "Type": "Label"}}}
(user selects Ice Cream)
 ← {"Event": {"EventName": "Select", "ID": "F1.ICE"}}
optstate←'F1.ICE' 'F1.CHOKO' eWG" ⊂'State'
 → {"WG":{"ID":"F1.ICE","Properties":["State"],"WGID":"7"}}

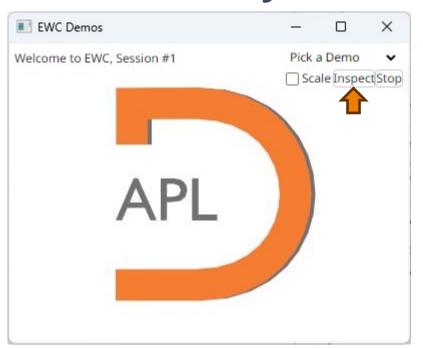
← {"WG":{"ID":"F1.ICE","Properties":{"State":1},"WGID":"7"}}
 → {"WG":{"ID":"F1.CHOKO", "Properties":["State"], "WGID":"8"}}

← {"WG":{"ID":"F1.CHOKO", "Properties":{"State":0}, "WGID":"8"}}
```

A Ask client for state of F1.ICE A State=1



# For the really Curious



Inspect what the React code has generated

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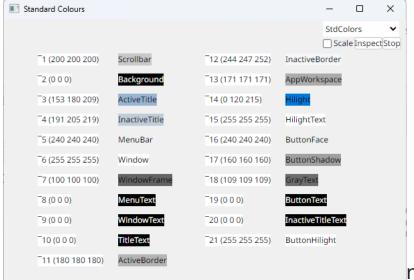
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  ▼<div id="root">
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                                                                                                                                                          http://localhost:22322/images/d...) center
    ▼<div>
                                                                                                                                                          center no-repeat □ rgb(255, 255, 255);
      ▼<div id="F1" style="background: url("http://localhost:22322/images/dyalog-logo.jpg") center center no-repeat rgb(255, 255, 25
                                                                                                                                                       position: relative:
       5); position: relative; border: 1px solid rgb(240, 240, 240); display: flex; justify-content: center; align-items: center; he
                                                                                                                                                      border: ▶ 1px solid ☐ rgb(240, 240, 240);
       ight: 300px; width: 400px; top: 0px; left: 0px;"> (flex) == $0
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         <div id="F1.L1" style="position: absolute; height: 23px; width: 200px; top: 6px; left: 5px; font-size: 12px; text-decoratio</pre>
                                                                                                                                                      justify-content: center;
                                                                                                                                                      align-items: center;
         n: none; display: block;">Welcome to EWC, Session #1</div>
                                                                                                                                                      height: 300px;
        <div style="position: absolute; height: 23px; width: 114px; top: 0px; left: 276px; border-color: rgb(204, 204, 204); displa</p>
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         y: block;"> ... </div>
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         <div id="F1.STOP" style="position: absolute; height: 18px; width: 28px; top: 26px; left: 365px; border: 1px solid rgb(204,</pre>
         204, 204); text-align: center; align-items: center; justify-content: center; background: white; border-radius: 4px; font-si
                                                                                                                                                                               index-5981879a.css:9
         ze: 12px; cursor: pointer; z-index: 1; display: flex; ">Stop</div> flex
                                                                                                                                                      margin: ▶ 0:
         <div id="F1.DEVT" style="position: absolute; height: 18px; width: 42px; top: 26px; left: 323px; border: 1px solid rgb(204,</pre>
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                                                                                                                                                          Verdana, sans-serif;
         ze: 12px; cursor: pointer; z-index: 1; display: flex; ">Inspect</div> flex
        </div>
                                                                                                                                                      :after, :before {
                                                                                                                                                                               index-5981879a.css:9
```

# Configuration



# Changing the Colour Scheme

- This is a hack, need better method
- NB: EWC controls do not currently always use the correct colours



```
EWC.settings.Colors.Standard
     Scrollbar
                              200 200 200
     Background
                             0 0 0
     ActiveTitle
                              153 180
                                      209
     InactiveTitle
                                 205
                                      219
    MenuBar
                                      240
   Window
                             255 255 255
     WindowFrame
                              100 100 100
     MenuText
                               0 0
     WindowText
     TitleText
     ActiveBorder
                              180 180 180
     InactiveBorder
     AppWorkspace
     Hilight
     HilightText
     ButtonFace
     ButtonShadow
                              160 160 160
     GrayText
                              109 109 109
<sup>-</sup>19
     ButtonText
                             0 0 0
     InactiveTitleText
                             0 0
     ButtonHilight
                              255 255 255
```



# Changing Locale Settings

- Not terribly well tested
- But if it doesn't work,
   we will fix it ☺



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#### LOGMODES

This variable allows you to control the log messages that are output to the session while running EWC. At this stage in the development of EWC, all messages are output for diagnostic purposes. By default, all message types are output ( EWC.LOGMODES+DA ). At the time that this text was written, the following modes existed:

- D: Debug
- E: Error
- F: Format Request
- W: Warning
- T: Transmit on WebSocket
- · R: Receive on WebSocket
- · C: Connect or Disconnect
- U: Unsupported feature
- N: Explicit NQ
- P: ProcessEvent
- G: WG processing

An up-to-date list can be found in the function EWC.Log.

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#### FONTMAP

EWC includes a number of free fonts. FONTMAP is a font substitution table, which can be used to map Windows font names used in existing applications to the free alternatives. If FONTMAP is not specified, FONTMAP is initialised from FontMap. At the time this text was written, FontMap

Legacy FontFree Font SubstituteSegoe UIMerriweatherTimes New RomanNoto SansCourier NewNimbus Mono

was a 2-column matrix containing the following fonts:



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#### PORT

Sets the port number to be used by the server. Defaults to 22322.

#### FOLDER

If EWC was loaded using <code>]Link.Create</code> on a machine with a file system watcher, EWC will be able to determine the folder that it was loaded from. In other situations, you need to set this variable so that EWC can locate the the demo application images, and the javascript client code. For example:

EWC.FOLDER+'/git/ewc'

#### RESOURCES

Sets up virtual folders that contain images and other resources that your application might refer to. This is a 2-column matric containing pairs of virtual folder names and real folders containing resource files. For example:

EWC.RESOURCES←1 2p'images' '/tmp/myapp/images'

This creates a virtual folder /images/ that can be referred to when creating ImageLists and other objects created from image files.

You can define as many resources as you like, one per row.

# **Images**

- All images must reside on the server
- Adding hundreds or thousands of anonymous bitmap children to ImageList objects works fine on the desktop, but ...
- EWC ImageLists are simply a list of file names
  - This will require code changes
  - Hopefully only a few lines during startup
- More file types supported anything a browser can render

### **Images**

### **Common Image Formats**

Here are the most common image file types, which are supported in all browsers (Chrome, Edge, Firefox, Safari, Opera):

Abbreviation	File Format	File Extension
APNG	Animated Portable Network Graphics	.apng
GIF	Graphics Interchange Format	.gif
ICO	Microsoft Icon	.ico, .cur
JPEG	Joint Photographic Expert Group image	.jpg, .jpeg, .jfif, .pjpeg, .pjp
PNG	Portable Network Graphics	.png
SVG	Scalable Vector Graphics	.svg



## **EWC ImageLists**

```
DemoTreeView connected:...
 imagefiles←'/images/'∘,"'Folder-Closed.png' 'Folder-Open.png' 'Price-Ticket.png'
 'IL' eWC 'ImageList'('Size'(16 16))('Masked' 2)('Files' imagefiles)
. . .
 'F1.Months' eWC 'TreeView' periods (10 500)(150 150)
                 ('Depth'(20p0,9p1 2 2))
                 ('ImageListObj' '#.IL')
                 ('ImageIndex' (imix←20p1,9p1 3 3)) ...
                                                                                        TreeView
                                                                    Scale Inspect Stop

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```

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#### Images

In EWC all images are defined using images files, which can be in any format supported by web browsers. You can not refer directly to image files on your local machine, the images must be served up by the web server whic his embedded in EWC.

The location of your images must be declared by setting the variable EWC.RESOURCES before calling EWC.Init, for example:

EWC.RESOURCES←1 2p'images' '/tmp/myapp/images'

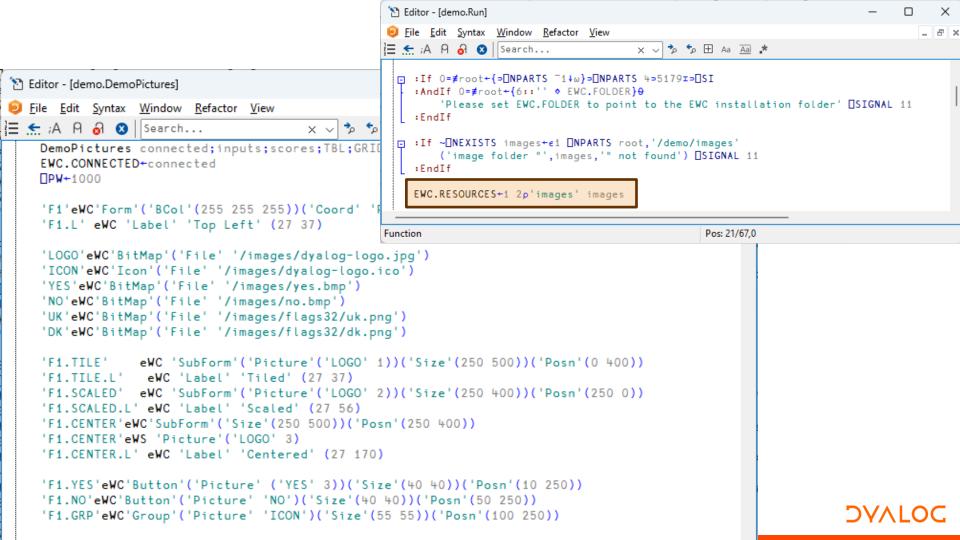
This creates a virtual folder /images/ that can be referred to when using images.

The ImageList object has a new property Files, which contains a list of the file names that define the ImageList. It is not possible to populate an ImageList by creating child icons and bitmap objects, as in Dwc.

The File property of an Icon, and the Picture property of a Button, Form and several other properties, are also affected by this.

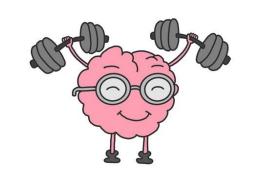
See Configuration for more details.





### Exercise 3 – Images

- Place an image in a folder
- Set EWC.RESOURCES to point to it before you call EWC.Init.
- Use EWC.Stop to shut down an existing server
- Add an object which uses your image
  - ImageList BitMap Icon ...
- Add something to the form which uses that
- Hint: See DemoPictures or DemoTreeView



### **Current Limitations / Differences**

- Limited set of Classes & Props
- Coord Pixel only
- No direct assignment and reference to properties – everything must go through DWS / DWG
- No creation using 

  NEW
- Close & Resize of HTMLRenderer not working under eDQ

- Images and ImageLists are handled differently (better!)
- Validation and Error Messages weaker / different
- NQ may not behave exactly as under Windows
- Callbacks returning new event codes is questionable
- EWC must be #.EWC and eWC is only instantiated in one place

## Unsupported Features

- EWC tries to "ignore" use of missing features,
- Get something up and running and either modify your code or ask
   Dyalog to add support
- If you try to create an instance of an unsupported class

```
FOO[7] 'W0' eWC 'Widget' 'Hello World' ('Size' (300 400))
40:32.702 W: *** Warning: at FOO[7] - WC W0 - unsupported class "widget"
```

The following still creates a form, ignoring the unsupported feature:

```
FOO[7] 'FO' eWC 'Form' 'Hello World' ('Size' (300 400)) ('Dockable' 1) 38:58.307 W: *** Warning: at FOO[7] - Unsupported on form: Dockable
```



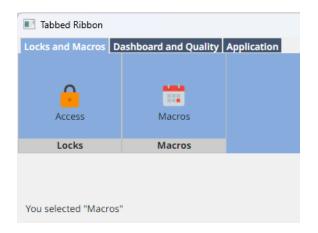
### Extensions

- Ribbon family of controls
- ApexCharts
- "Flex" instead of Posn + Size
- DIY Extensions (KendoUI)



### Ribbons

### DemoRibbonTabs



```
(tb+'F1.TC.T1')eWC'TabButton'('Caption' 'Locks and Macros')('Event' 'Select' 'CBUpdateTabs')
(sf+'F1.TC.SF1')eWC'SubForm'('TabObj'tb),ebcol

(rb+sf,'.Ribbon')eWC'Ribbon'fcol bcol titlebcol

(rb,'.Item1')eWC'RibbonGroup' 'Locks'('Size' 2)bordercol
(rb,'.Item1.GroupItem1')eWC'RibbonGroupItem' 12
(rb,'.Item1.GroupItem1.LockButton')eWC'RibbonButton' 'Access' 'FcLock' 12 sel

(rb,'.Item2')eWC'RibbonGroup' 'Macros'('Size' 2)bordercol
(rb,'.Item2.GroupItem1')eWC'RibbonGroupItem' 12
(rb,'.Item2.GroupItem1')eWC'RibbonGroupItem' 12
```

### Ribbons

```
Dashboard and Quality Application

RibbonTabs

Scale Inspect Stop

Red

Green

Blue

Exchange

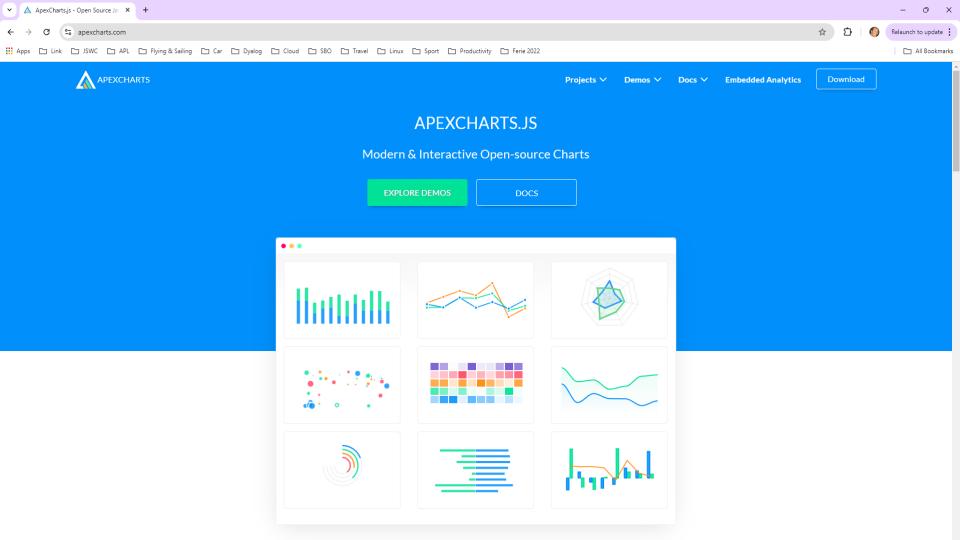
Shares

Analysis
```

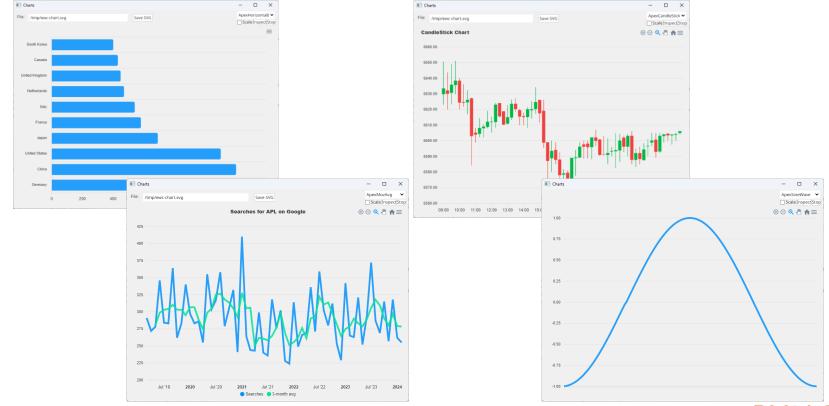
```
(rb,'.Item3')eWC'RibbonGroup' 'Exchange'('Size' 1)bordercol
(rb,'.Item3.GroupItem1')eWC'RibbonGroupItem' 12
(rb,'.Item3.GroupItem1.StockExchangeButton')eWC'RibbonButton' 'UK'('Size' 12)sel('ImageListObj' 'IL32')('ImageIndex' 2)

(rb,'.Item4')eWC'RibbonGroup' 'Shares'('Size' 3)bordercol
(rb,'.Item4.GroupItem1')eWC'RibbonGroupItem' 12
(rb,'.Item4.GroupItem1.ButtonGroup1')eWC'RibbonButtonGroup'('Denmark' 'Blue')('ImageListObj' ('IL32' 'IL'))('ImageIndex'(1 3))sel

(rb,'.Item5')eWC'RibbonGroup' 'Analysis'('Size' 6)bordercol
(rb,'.Item5.GroupItem1')eWC'RibbonGroupItem' 12
(rb,'.Item5.GroupItem1.ButtonGroup1')eWC'RibbonButtonGroup'('Red' 'Green' 'Blue')('ImageIndex'(1 2 3))sel
eNQ'F1.TC.T1' 'Select'
```

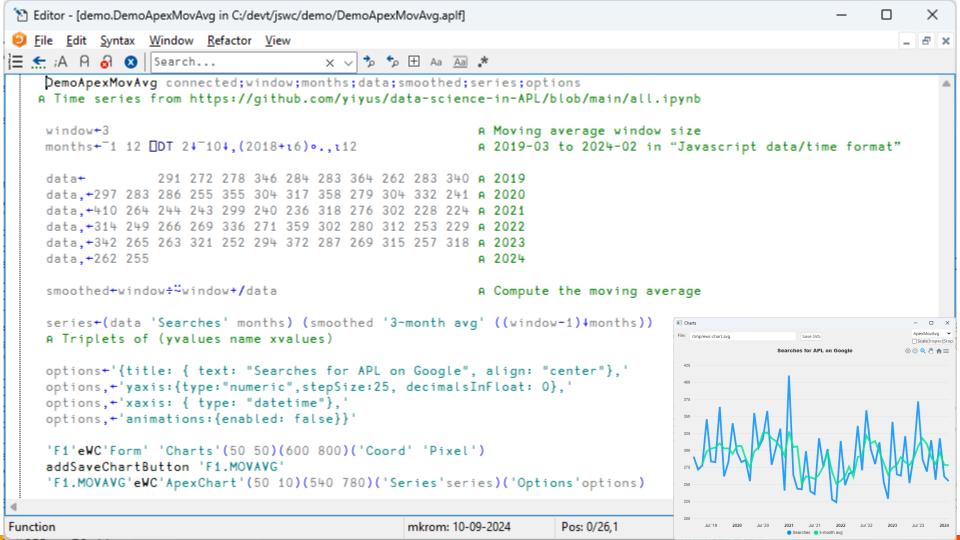


### ApexCharts – Four Demos





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```
series+(data 'Searches' months) (smoothed '3-month avg' ((window-1)+months))

A Triplets of (yvalues name xvalues)

options+'{title: { text: "Searches for APL on Google", align: "center"},'
options,+'yaxis:{type:"numeric",stepSize:25, decimalsInFloat: 0},'
options,+'xaxis: { type: "datetime"},'
options,+'animations:{enabled: false}}'

'F1'eWC'Form' 'Charts'(50 50)(600 800)('Coord' 'Pixel')
addSaveChartButton 'F1.MOVAVG'
'F1.MOVAVG'eWC'ApexChart'(50 10)(540 780)('Series'series)('Options'options)

Function

mkrom: 10-09-2024

Pos: 0/26,1
```

{"Options":{"animations":{"enabled":false},"title":{"align":"center","text":"Searches for APL on Google"},

"xaxis":{"type":"datetime"},"yaxis":{"decimalsInFloat":0,"stepSize":25,"type":"numeric"}},

{"x":1551398400000,"y":291},{"x":1554076800000,"y":272},{"x":1556668800000,"y":278},
{"x":1559347200000,"y":346},{"x":1561939200000,"y":284},{"x":1564617600000,"y":283},
{"x":1567296000000,"y":364},{"x":1569888000000,"y":262},{"x":1572566400000,"y":283},

```
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```

{"WC":{"ID":"F1.MOVAVG","Properties":

"Posn":[50,10], "Series":[{"data":[

## **ApexCharts**

- This only took 1-2 days to set up(!)
- Options are passed straight through (JSON string or APL namespace)
- Series can be in several APL-friendly formats:

```
HorizontalBar

cd+demodata.candledata
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series+(data 'Searches' months) (smoothed '3-month avg' ((window-1)+months))
A Triplets of (yvalues name xvalues)
```



# **ApexCharts SVG Property**

- The SVG property allows us to retrieve the SVG for the chart
- Use ApexCharts in an invisible HTMLRenderer to generate charts

```
#svg←'F1.BAR' eWG 'SVG'

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<svg id="SvgjsSvg1006" width="780" height="540" xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2000/svg" version="1.1" xmlns:xlink="http://www.w3.org/1999/xlink" xmlns:svgjs="http://svgjs.dev" class="apexcharts-svg" xmlns:data="ApexChartsNS" transform="translate(0, 0)" style="background: transparent;"><foreignObject x="0" y="0" width="780"
```

Charts

Save SVG

# **Extending EWC**

```
import ReactApexChart from 'react-apexcharts';
      import { useAppData } from '../../hooks';
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      import { setStyle } from '../../utils';
      import { useEffect, useRef } from 'react';
      const Chart = ({ data }) => {
        const { Options, Posn, Series, Size, ChartType, Event } = data?.Properties;
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       const { socket, handleData } = useAppData();
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        const styles = setStyle(data?.Properties);
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       const chartRef = useRef(null);
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        useEffect(() => {
          if (chartRef.current) {
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            setTimeout(() => {
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              const chartInstance = chartRef.current.chart.paper();
              const svg = chartInstance.svg();
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              if (sva) {
                localStorage.setItem(data.ID, JSON.stringify(svg));
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                handleData(
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                    ID: data?.ID,
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                    Properties: {
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                );
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            }. 500):
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        }, [chartRef.current]);
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```

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const sendEvent = (event, chartConfig) => {
    const obj = {
      dataPointIndex: chartConfig?.dataPointIndex,
      seriesIndex: chartConfig?.seriesIndex.
      series: chartConfig?.config?.series,
      xaxis: chartConfig?.config?.xaxis,
      yaxis: chartConfig?.config?.yaxis,
    };
    const Event = JSON.stringify({
      Event: {
        ID: data?.ID,
        EventName: event.
        Info: [JSON.stringify(obj)],
     },
    });
    socket.send(Event):
  };
  const options = {
    ...Options,
    chart: {
      events: {
        ...(Event?.some((item) => item[0] === 'click') && {
          click: (chartConfig) =>
            sendEvent('click', chartConfig),
        }).
        ...(Event?.some((item) => item[0] === 'legendclick') && {
          legendClick: (chartConfig) =>
            sendEvent('legendclick', chartConfig),
       }),
   },
  };
    <div style={{ position: 'absolute', top: Posn && Posn[0], left: Posn && Posn[1], ...styles }}>
      <ReactApexChart
        ref={chartRef}
        options={options}
        width={Size && Size[1]}
        height={Size && Size[0]}
        type={ChartType}
        series={Series}
      />
    </div>
}:
export default Chart;
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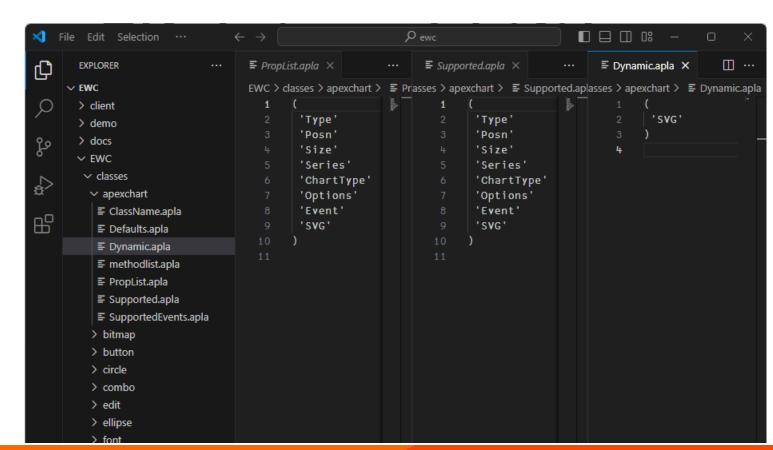
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### Add Metadata for new Class



## + Optional Property Handler

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                                         :CaseList 'Visible' 'Active' 'Interval' 'TitleHeight' 'TitleWidth'
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                                         :Case 'Options' A ApexChart
                                                            :If 80=∏DR data+ix⊃values A If text
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                                                           :EndIf
                                         :Case 'Series' A ApexChart
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## + Optional Property Handler

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    series+apexChartSeries data;n;yvalues;i
 □ A Massage an array into ApexCharts Series format
         (if a namespace or JSON string is provided, just pass it through
   A Accepted formats:
        simple numeric vector or matrix, or vector of numeric vectors: One or more series
        one simple matrix and one simple vector: Multiple series with one set of xvalues
        nested array is interpreted as two up to four parameters:
            y-values series-name x-values chart-type
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    :If 9=□NC'data'
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    :ElseIf 80=∏DR data A character
        :Trap 0
            series+,0 □JSON⊡'Dialect' 'JSON5'⊣data A Better be JSON then
        :Else
             (=DMX.Message) SIGNAL 501
        :EndTrap
    :ElseIf (10|□DR data)€1 3 5 7
                                                A Non-Complex numeric data
        data+(-2 t1 1.pdata)pdata
                                                 A Make vector 1-row matrix
        series+∏NS"(≢data)oc''
        series.data+↓data
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## + Optional Property Handler

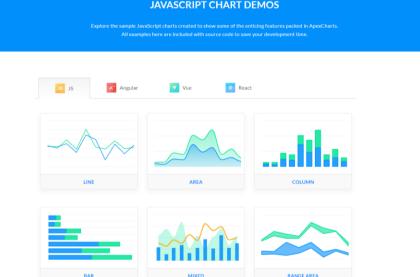
```
:ElseIf (1∧.=≡"data)∧(10|□DR∈data)∈1 3 5 7 A Vector of numeric arrays
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        series+∏NS''
        series.data+□NS"(≢2⊃data)ρ⊂''
        series.data.x+2⊃data
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   :Else
                                            a Vector of vectors
        series+□NS"(≢data)ρ⊂''
        series.data+data
    :EndIf
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                                            A One namespace per data point
    series.data.v+vvalues
    :If 0<#i+in≥2
                                            A Got name?
        series[i].name+2="data[i]
    :AndIf O<#i+in≥3
                                            A Got xvalues?
        series[i].data.x+3="data[i]
    :AndIf O<#i+in≥4
                                            A Got chart type
        series[i].type+4>"data[i]
    :EndIf
:FlseIf
    'Invalid series format' SIGNAL 501
:EndIf
```

# Exercise 4 – ApexCharts

- Browse the ApexChart demos
- Add a Line chart to your application
- More than one line, with a legend?



https://apexcharts.com/javascript-chart-demos/



### Flex - Instead of Posn & Size

- Still VERY experimental Feedback Please!
- The Flex property can be set on containers
  - 'Flex' 'fill'
    Form should fill the available space (Forms only)
  - 'Flex' 'row'Stack controls horizontally (Any container object)
  - 'Flex' 'column'No comment
- By default, 'fill' sets column orientation
- CSS property allows you to add additional CSS styling



### Understanding CSS Flexbox 🤡 1 2 3

**CSS Flexbox** is a powerful layout tool that provides a more efficient way to lay out, align, and distribute space among items in a container, even when their size is unknown or dynamic. Flexbox gives the container the ability to alter its items' width/height (and order) to best fill the available space (mostly to accommodate to all kind of display devices and screen sizes). A flex container expands items to fill available free space or shrinks them to prevent overflow.

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- **flex-direction**: This establishes the main axis and dictates the direction in which flex items are placed in the flex container. It can be row, row-reverse, column, or column-reverse.
- **flex-wrap**: It controls whether the flex items should wrap or not when there isn't enough room for them on one line. The values can be nowrap, wrap, or wrap-reverse.
- justify-content: This defines the alignment along the main axis and helps distribute extra space left over when all flex items on a line are inflexible. It can take values like flex-start, flexend, center, space-between, space-around, and space-evenly.
- align-items: It defines the default behavior for how flex items are laid out along the cross axis on the current line. Possible values include stretch, flex-start, flex-end, center, baseline, and first baseline.
- **align-content**: This aligns a flex container's lines within the flex container when there is extra space on the cross-axis. This property has an effect only on multi-line flexible containers (where flex-wrap is set to wrap or wrap-reverse).



## Not Yet Supported

#### Flex Item Properties

Flex items are direct children of the flex container and they can have their own set of properties:

- order: It controls the order in which they appear in the flex container.
- flex-grow: It defines the ability for a flex item to grow if necessary.
- flex-shrink: It defines the ability for a flex item to shrink if necessary.
- flex-basis: This defines the default size of an element before the remaining space is distributed.
- flex: This is the shorthand for flex-grow, flex-shrink, and flex-basis combined.
- align-self: This allows the default alignment to be overridden for individual flex items.



### SubForm = "StackPanel"

 A Subform with Flex becomes a "StackPanel"

```
'F1.INPUT.CREDS' eWC 'SubForm' ('Flex' 'column')
'F1.INPUT.CREDS.USERID' 'User ID' LabelAbove 'Edit' ''
'F1.INPUT.CREDS.PWD' 'Password' LabelAbove 'Edit' '' ('Password' '*')
```



# FlexLogin

Function

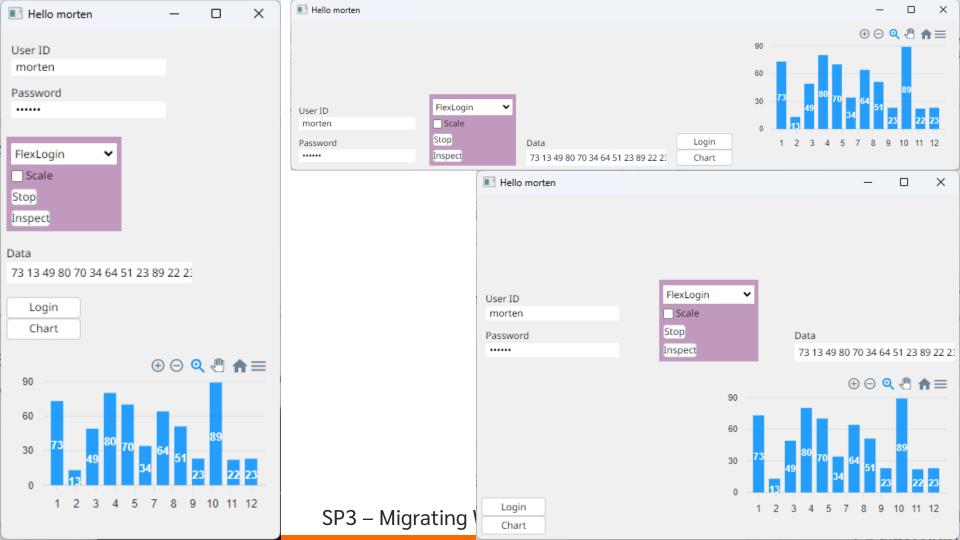
```
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    rows+'flex-direction: row, flex-wrap: wrap, justify-content: space-between, gap: 5px, align-items: end
                                                                                                           Data
    'F1'eWC'Form' 'Please Login'(50 50)formsize('Coord' 'Pixel')('Flex' 'fill')('CSS' rows)
                                                                                                            1 16 23 44 75 26 36 56 10 80 5 58
    'F1.INPUT'eWC'SubForm'('Size'(100,1+formsize))('Border' 1)('Flex' 'row')
    'F1.INPUT.CREDS' eWC 'SubForm' ('Flex' 'column')
                                                                          A Credentials box - UserID abo
                                                                                                               Login
    'F1.INPUT.CREDS.USERID' 'User ID' LabelAbove 'Edit' ''
    'F1.INPUT.CREDS.PWD' 'Password' LabelAbove 'Edit' '' ('Password' '*')
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    purple+193 153 190
    menucss+'padding: 5px, gap: 5px'
    'F1.INPUT.DEMO' eWC 'SubForm' ('Flex' 'column')('BCol' purple) ('CSS' menucss) A Make container for Demo Menu
    'F1.INPUT.DATA'
                                    LabelAbove 'Edit' (#?12p100) ('Size' (23 200))
                             'Data'
    'F1.INPUT.BTNS' eWC 'SubForm' ('Flex' 'column')
                                                                           A Buttons also together
    'F1.INPUT.BTNS.LOGIN'eWC'Button' 'Login'('Size'(23 80))('Event' 'Select' 'CBLogin')
    'F1.INPUT.BTNS.CHART'eWC'Button' 'Chart'('Size'(23 80))('Event' 'Select' 'CBLogin')
```

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Please Login

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User ID



### Exercise?

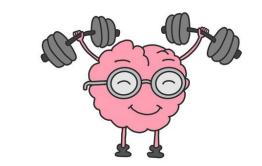
- No Flex Exercise
- Design still subject to change
- We can play with this at the end if we have time

### **Browser Mode**

- Intended for single-user web applications and testing
- In Desktop mode, each Form or modal object like a MsgBox appears in a separate HTMLRenderer window
- In Browser mode (after EWC.Init 'Browser')
  - You connect a browser and the UI appears in it
  - You can currently only have one Form at a time
  - You can still pop up modal objects like MsgBox

### Exercise 5 – Browser mode

- Try demo.Run 'Browser'
- Connect a browser and run some demos, notice how everything looks (kind of) the same



- Stop the demo
- Now run EWC.Init 'Browser' and reconnect the browser
- Note that nothing happens (but you should see log messages)
- Try some interactive uses of eWC, for example

```
'F1' eWC 'Form' 'Hello Browser' (10 10)(300 499)('Bcol' (193 153 190))
```



### Multi Mode

Intended for multi-user applications.

```
EWC. Init 'Multi'
```

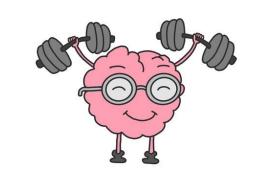
- Must be called from a namespace which contains a function names Initialise
- Initialise MUST create and eDQ a Form (and demo.Run will do this)
- This namespace will be cloned for each new Browser connection, and Initialise will be called on a new thread
- Notice each user is suspended in ΔDQ in a namespace named demo\_n.

```
demo.Run 'Multi'
(lots of output as two sessions connect)
      )si
   #.EWC.ΔDQ[42]
       #.demo 1.Initialise[13]
   8.5
 #.EWC.ΔDQ[42]
       #.demo 2.Initialise[13]
   86
   [#.EWC.[LIB]] #.EWC.Conga.LIB.Wait[8]
   [#.EWC.[wss]] #.EWC.wss.Listen[2]
   #.EWC.wss.Start[14]
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```



### Exercise 6 – Multi mode

- Write a function called Initialise which creates and eDQ's a form which displays (▼□THIS)
- Run EWC.Init 'Multi'
  - Connect two browsers at the same time
- Experiment with using ) TID to switch into the two threads and inspect the contents, and perhaps modify your form using eWS.



### QUERY and HDRS

- When your application namespace is duplicated, a namespace called \_EWC is injected
- It contains (amongst other things)
  - URL: the URL that the browser navigated to
  - QUERY: A 2-column matrix of query parameter names and values
  - HDRS: A 2-column matrix of header names and values
- You can use HDRS for authentication and QUERY to drive the initial behaviour of the application
- For example, the demo application supports e.g. http://localhost:22322?Demo=Buttons



### Exercise 7 – QUERY

- Modify your Initialise function to create a grid with content decided by EWC.QUERY
- Launch two browser sessions with different queries and verify the behaviours
- Also inspect the contents of EWC.HDRS (and the rest of EWC)



## Selenium Testing

- Selenium is a framework for testing HTML-based applications
- Michael Baas has been experimenting with testing first MiServer/DUI and now EWC
- The same names used to create objects (e.g.
   'F1.BTN1') can be found in the HTML "DOM"
- It is "straightforward" to have automated testing of EWC frontends
- Next Year, perhaps a workshop on Selenium?



# Selenium Testing

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                  z+#.S.Click fruit ◊ □DL dl
                  lbl+'XPath'#.S.Find'//input[@id="',fruit,'"]/following-sibling::div'
                  fruit_name+lbl.Text
                  exp+'You selected ',fruit_name
                  res+f_status #.S.WaitFor exp
                  :If 'Check res
                     r,+c'Click on ',fruit,' did not generate expected ",exp," message but "',res,'"'
              :For addon :In -1+1(#addon ids)*2
                  {6::0 ◊ c+#.S.Find ω ◊ c.Selected:c.Click}"addon ids
                  sel a+2 2 addon
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                      :If 1 Check #.S.Click c
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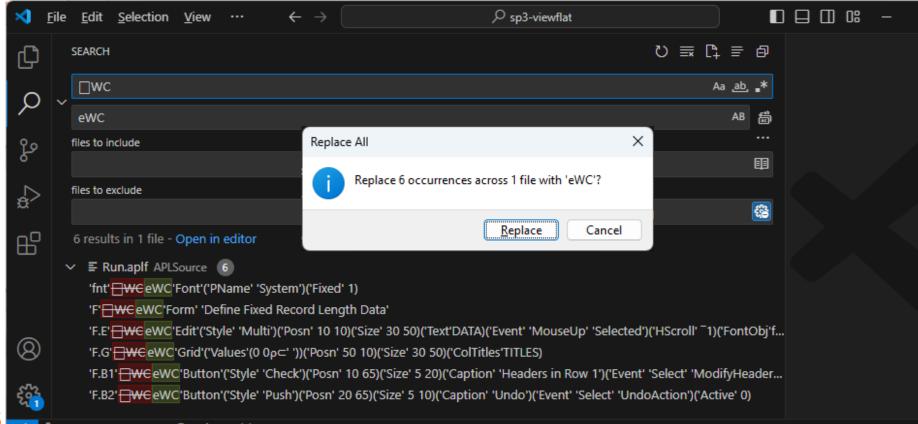


## Migrating - Live

- Four participants declared the intention to bring code for "live" conversion
- Three of them used a lot of either 

  NEW
  or assignment of properties
- All of them will be used to prioritise continued development
- One of them looked "easy"

### flatview



## 'Coord' 'Pixel' only

```
'F.G'□WC'Grid'('Values'(0 0pc' '))('Posn' 50 10)('Size' 30 50)(
'F.B1'□WC'Button'('Style' 'Check')('Posn' 10 65)('Size' 5 20)(
'F.B2'□WC'Button'('Style' 'Push')('Posn' 20 65)('Size' 5 10)('C
```

### → Fake it

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size+[.5×⊃EWC.DevCaps A Half available space
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Posn+{'Posn' (size×ω÷100)} A Simulate "Prop" Posn

'F.G'eWC'Grid'('Values'(0 Op⊂' '))(Posn 50 10)(Size 30 50)

'F.B1'eWC'Button'('Style' 'Check')(Posn 10 65)(Size 5 20)(

'F.B2'eWC'Button'('Style' 'Push')(Posn 20 65)(Size 5 10)('
```

# No Edit 'Style' 'Multi'

```
'F.E' WC'Edit'('Style' 'Multi')('Posn' 10 10)('Size' 30 50)('Text'DATA)
('Event' 'MouseUp' 'Selected')('HScroll' 1)('FontObj'fnt)('Border' 1)
```

→ Create editable Grid instead

```
- 'F.I'eWC'Grid'(Posn 10 10)(Size 30 50)('Values' (テ਼+DATA))('CellWidths' (,500))('TitleWidth' 0)
- 'F.I.E' eWC 'Edit' ''
- 'F.I'eWS ('Input' (,'F.I.E'))('CellFonts' (,'fnt'))('CellTypes' (((≇DATA),1)ρ1))
```

## No MouseUp on Edit

```
'F.E' WC'Edit'('Style' 'Multi')('Posn' 10 10)('Size' 30 50)('Text'DATA)

('Event' 'MouseUp' 'Selected')('HScroll' -1)('FontObj'fnt)('Border' 1)
```

→ Create an extra button to click on ©



## No Direct Property Manipulation

```
:If O<pCUTS

F.B2.Active+1

F.B2.Caption+'Undo (',(φρCUTS),')'

:Else

F.B2.Active+0

F.B2.Caption+'Undo'

:EndIf
```

### → Use eWG / eWS

```
:If 0<pCUTS

'F.B2' eWS 'Active' 1

'F.B2' eWS 'Caption' ('Undo (',(*pCUTS),')')

:Else

'F.B2' eWS 'Active' 0

'F.B2' eWS 'Caption' 'Undo'

:EndIf
```

# Significant Problems

- 'Coord' 'Prop' not supported
- 'Style' 'Multi' not supported on Edit
- No 'MouseUp' event on Edit
- Direct property assignment & references

## Less Significant Problems

```
EWC.LOGMODES←'EW' A Errors and Warnings only

07:00.682 W: *** Warning: at Run[4] Start[9] - Unsupported on font: Fixed

07:01.164 W: *** Warning: at Run[18] Start[9] - Unsupported on button: Active

07:01.170 W: *** Warning: at Run[19] Start[9] - Unsupported on button: Active
```