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Welcome to WebLOAD, the premier performance, scalability, and reliability testing solution for internet applications.

WebLOAD is easy to use and delivers maximum testing performance and value. WebLOAD verifies the scalability and integrity of internet applications by generating a load composed of Virtual Clients that simulate real-world traffic. Probing Clients let you refine the testing process by acting as a single user that measures the performance of targeted activities, and provides individual performance statistics of the internet application under load.

This section provides a brief introduction to WebLOAD technical support, including both documentation and online support.

WebLOAD Documentation

WebLOAD is supplied with the following documentation:

WebLOAD™ Installation Guide

Instructions for installing WebLOAD and its add-ons.

WebLOAD™ IDE User Guide

Instructions for recording, editing, and debugging load test Agendas to be executed by WebLOAD to test your Web-based applications.

WebLOAD™ Console User Guide

A guide to using WebLOAD console, RadView's load/scalability testing tool to easily and efficiently test your Web-based applications. This guide also includes a quick start section containing instructions for getting started quickly with WebLOAD using the RadView Software test site.

WebLOAD™ Analytics User Guide

Instructions on how to use WebLOAD Analytics to analyze data and create custom, informative reports after running a WebLOAD test session.



WebRM™ User Guide

Instructions for managing testing resources with the WebLOAD Resource Manager.

WebLOAD™ Scripting Guide

Complete information on scripting and editing JavaScript Agendas for use in WebLOAD and WebLOAD IDE.

WebLOAD™ JavaScript Reference Guide

Complete reference information on all JavaScript objects, variables, and functions used in WebLOAD and WebLOAD IDE test Agendas.

WebLOAD™ Extensibility SDK

Instructions on how to develop extensions to tailor WebLOAD to specific working environments.

WebLOAD™ Automation Guide

Instructions for automatically running WebLOAD tests and reports from the command line, or by using the WebLOAD plugin for Jenkins.

WebLOAD™ Web Dashboard User Guide

Instructions for using RadView's Web Dashboard to view, analyze and compare load sessions in a web browser, with full control and customization of the display.

The guides are distributed with the WebLOAD software in online help format. The guides are also supplied as Adobe Acrobat files. View and print these files using the Adobe Acrobat Reader. Install the Reader from the Adobe website http://www.adobe.com.

Typographical Conventions

Before you start using this guide, it is important to understand the terms and typographical conventions used in the documentation.

For more information on specialized terms used in the documentation, see *Glossary* (on page 479).

The following icons appear next to the text to identify special information.



Table 1: Icon Conventions

Icon	Type of Information
♦	Indicates a note.
***	Indicates a feature that is available only as part of a WebLOAD Add-on.

The following kinds of formatting in the text identify special information.

Table 2: Typographical Conventions

Formatting convention	Type of Information
Special Bold	Items you must select, such as menu options, command buttons, or items in a list.
Emphasis	Use to emphasize the importance of a point or for variable expressions such as parameters.
CAPITALS	Names of keys on the keyboard. for example, SHIFT, CTRL, or ALT.
KEY+KEY	Key combinations for which the user must press and hold down one key and then press another, for example, CTRL+P, or ALT+F4.

Where to Get More Information

This section contains information on how to obtain technical support from RadView worldwide, should you encounter any problems.

Online Help

WebLOAD provides a comprehensive on-line help system with step-by-step instructions for common tasks.

You can press the **F1** key on any open dialog box for an explanation of the options or select **Help** ➤ **Contents** to open the on-line help contents and index.

Technical Support Website

The technical support pages on our website contain:

• FAQ (Frequently Asked / Answered Questions).



- Agenda Center
- Documentation
- RadView's Product Resource Center, where you can find prepared test scripts, product information, and industry related news.
- http://www.radview.com/support/index.asp

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Note: We encourage you to use e-mail for faster and better service.

When contacting technical support please include in your message the full name of the product, as well as the version and build number.





Introduction to JavaScript Agendas

The WebLOAD JavaScript Reference Guide provides a detailed description of the syntax and usage of the full set of WebLOAD JavaScript features, including the actions, objects, and functions used to create sophisticated test session Agendas.



Note: Most WebLOAD users do not need this level of detail to create effective testing sessions for their website. Agendas are usually recorded and edited using WebLOAD IDE, a simple, intuitive interface that provides users with a comprehensive set of testing tools literally at their fingertips, through point-and-click or drag-and-drop convenience. The details in this guide are provided for the convenience of more sophisticated programmers, who may wish to add specific, perhaps complex tailoring to their recorded Agendas.

This chapter provides a general introduction to JavaScript Agendas.

What are Agendas?

WebLOAD runs test sessions that simulate the actions of a real user through the use of Agenda files. Agendas are client programs that access the server you want to test. Users create Agendas by recording a series of typical activities with the application being tested using WebLOAD IDE. WebLOAD IDE automatically converts the user activities into Agenda programs. You do not need to know anything about writing Agendas to test an application with WebLOAD. No programming or editing skills are required to create or run a successful test session.

Agendas are created using WebLOAD IDE. WebLOAD IDE operates in conjunction with a Web browser such as Microsoft's Internet Explorer. As a user navigates the test application in the browser, (for example, navigating between pages, typing text into a form, or clicking the mouse), WebLOAD IDE records all user actions in an Agenda. During later website testing sessions, WebLOAD simulates every action of the original user and automatically handles all Web interactions, including parsing dynamic HTML, and full support for all security requirements, such as user authentication or SSL protocol use.

A simple recorded Agenda is ideal if your WebLOAD test involves a typical sequence of Web activities. These activities are all recorded in your Agenda, and are represented



in the WebLOAD IDE by an Agenda Tree, a set of clear, intuitive icons and visual devices arranged into a logical hierarchical sequence. Each of these activity icons actually represents a block of code within the underlying test Agenda. Agendas are constructed automatically out of 'building blocks' of test code, and most users create and run test sessions quite easily, without ever looking into those building blocks to see the actual code inside.

Some users prefer to manually edit the code of a recorded Agenda to create more complex, sophisticated test sessions. For example, for an Agenda to work with Java or COM components, a certain degree of programming is required. This guide documents the syntax of the JavaScript objects and functions available to programmers who wish to add more complex functionality to their Agendas.

Agendas are written in JavaScript. JavaScript is an object-oriented scripting language developed by Netscape Communications Corporation. JavaScript is best known for its use in conjunction with HTML to automate World Wide Web pages. However, JavaScript is actually a full-featured programming language that can be used for many purposes besides Web automation. WebLOAD has chosen JavaScript as the scripting language for test session Agendas. WebLOAD JavaScript Agendas combine the ease and simplicity of WebLOAD's visual, intuitive programming environment with the flexibility and power of JavaScript object-oriented programming.

For detailed information on using WebLOAD, including creating Agendas, running test sessions, and analyzing the results, see the *WebLOAD IDE User's Guide* and the *WebLOAD Console User's Guide*.

WebLOAD Agendas Work with an Extended Version of the Standard DOM

WebLOAD IDE operates in conjunction with a Web browser such as Microsoft's Internet Explorer. As you execute a sequence of HTTP actions in the browser, WebLOAD IDE records your actions in a JavaScript Agenda. All Web browsers rely on an extended Document Object Model, or DOM, for optimum handling of HTML pages. The standard browser DOM defines both the logical structure of HTML documents and the way a document is accessed and manipulated. WebLOAD Agendas use a standard browser DOM to access and navigate Internet Web pages, including Dynamic HTML and nested links and pages. To facilitate website testing, WebLOAD extends the standard browser DOM with many features, objects, and functions that expedite site testing and evaluation.

This section provides a brief overview of the standard DOM structure. Most of the information in this overview was provided by the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C), which develops interoperable technologies (specifications, guidelines, software, and tools) to lead the Web to its full potential as a forum for information, commerce,



communication, and collective understanding. For more information about the standard DOM structure and components, go to the following websites:

http://www.w3.org/TR/2000/WD-DOM-Level-1-20000929/introduction.html

http://msdn2.microsoft.com/en-us/library/ms533043.aspx

http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/workshop/author/dhtml/reference/dhtmlrefs.asp

What is the Document Object Model?

The Document Object Model (DOM) is an application programming interface (API) for valid HTML and well-formed XML documents. The DOM defines the logical structure of documents and the way a document is accessed and manipulated. With the Document Object Model, programmers can build documents, navigate their structure, and add, modify, or delete elements and content. Anything found in an HTML or XML document can be accessed, changed, deleted, or added using the Document Object Model, with a few exceptions—in particular, the DOM interfaces for the XML internal and external subsets have not yet been specified.

As a W3C specification, one important objective for the Document Object Model is to provide a standard programming interface that can be used in a wide variety of environments and applications. The DOM is designed to be used with any programming language.

Essentially, the DOM is a programming API for documents based on an object structure that closely resembles the structure of the documents it models. For instance, consider this table, taken from an HTML document:

```
<TABLE>

<TBODY>

<TR>

<TD>Shady Grove</TD>

<TD>Aeolian</TD>

</TR>

<TR>

<TR>

<TD>Over the River, Charlie</TD>

<TD>Dorian</TD>

</TR>

</TBODY>

</TABLE>
```



Understanding the DOM Structure

In the DOM, documents have a logical structure that is very much like a tree; to be more precise, that is like a "forest" or "grove", which can contain more than one tree. Each document contains zero or one doctype nodes, one root element node, and zero or more comments or processing instructions; the root element serves as the root of the element tree for the document. However, the DOM does not specify that documents must be implemented as a tree or a grove, nor does it specify how the relationships among objects be implemented. The DOM is a logical model that may be implemented in any convenient manner. In this specification, we use the term *structure model* to describe the tree-like representation of a document. We also use the term "tree" when referring to the arrangement of those information items which can be reached by using "tree-walking" methods; (this does not include attributes). One important property of DOM structure models is *structural isomorphism*: if any two Document Object Model implementations are used to create a representation of the same document, they will create the same structure model, in accordance with the XML Information Set [Infoset].



Note: There may be some variations depending on the parser being used to build the DOM. For instance, the DOM may not contain white spaces in element content if the parser discards them.

The name "Document Object Model" was chosen because it is an "object model" in the traditional object oriented design sense. Documents are modeled using objects, and the model encompasses not only the structure of a document, but also the behavior of a document and the objects of which it is composed. In other words, the nodes in the above diagram do not represent a data structure; they represent objects, which have functions and identity. As an object model, the DOM identifies:

- The interfaces and objects used to represent and manipulate a document.
- The semantics of these interfaces and objects including both behavior and attributes.
- The relationships and collaborations among these interfaces and objects.

The structure of SGML documents has traditionally been represented by an abstract data model, not by an object model. In an abstract data model, the model is centered around the data. In object oriented programming languages, the data itself is encapsulated in objects that hide the data, protecting it from direct external manipulation. The functions associated with these objects determine how the objects may be manipulated, and they are part of the object model.

The information in this section has been excerpted from the World Wide Web Consortium introduction to the DOM. For the complete text of the DOM overview, see http://www.w3.org/TR/2000/WD-DOM-Level-1-20000929/introduction.html. The complete document is found at http://www.w3.org/TR/2001/WD-DOM-Level-3-Core-20010913/.



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DOM Objects Commonly Used in an Agenda

On Internet websites, a simple HTML document may be constructed of a single page, or the document may be constructed of many nested pages, each one including multiple 'child' windows, in a recursive structure. Browser DOMs were designed to reflect this flexible approach.



When using the DOM, a single Web page document has a logical structure that resembles a single tree. In nested Web pages, each child window is simply one tree in a recursive forest of trees. The typical DOM is ideal for representing Internet Web page access because it provides a flexible, generic model that encompasses both the attributes of the object itself and its interfaces and behaviors. Typical DOM objects include:

- The document itself.
- The frames nested in an HTML page, together with any additional nested windows.
- The location information.
- The links, forms, and images on the page.
- The tables, scripts, XML Data Islands, and Meta objects on the page.
- Individual elements of a specific form or frame.

The following table provides a brief overview of the main DOM object components of a typical Web page.

DOM objects commonly used in Agendas

The following table lists the DOM objects commonly used in Agendas. A detailed description of each of these objects can be found in the following sections.

Table 3: DOM Objects Commonly Used in Agendas

Object	Description
window	The window object represents an open browser window. Typically, the browser creates a single window object when it opens an HTML document. However, if a document defines one or more frames the browser creates one window object for the original document and one additional window object (a child window) for each frame. The child window may be affected by actions that occur in the parent. For example, closing the parent window causes all child windows to close.
document	The document object represents the HTML document in a browser window, storing the HTML data in a parsed format. Use the document object to retrieve links, forms, nested frames, images, scripts, and other information about the document. By default, document used alone represents the document in the current window. You usually refer directly to the document; the window part is optional and is understood implicitly.



Object	Description
frame	Each frame object represents one of the frames imbedded within a Web page. Frames and windows are essentially comparable. The recursive aspect of the DOM is implemented at this level. A window may contain a collection of frames. Each frame may contain multiple child windows, each of which may contain more frames that contain more windows, and so on.
location	The location object contains information on the current window URL.
link	A link object contains information on an external document to which the current document is linked.
form, element, and input	A form object contains the set of elements and input controls (text, radio buttons, checkboxes, etc.) that are all components of a single form. Each element object stores the parsed data for a single HTML form element such as <input/> , <button>, or <select>. Each input object stores the information defining one of the input controls in the form. Controls are organized by type, for example input type=checkbox.</select></button>
	Forms enable client-side users to submit data to a server in a standardized format. A form is designed to collect the required data using a variety of controls, such as INPUT or SELECT. Users viewing the form fill in the data and then click the SUBMIT button to send it to the server. A script on the server then processes the data. Notice that the object syntax corresponds to a path through the DOM hierarchy tree, beginning at the root window and continuing until the specified item's properties.
image	Each image object contains one of the embedded images found in a document.
script	A script object defines a script for the current document that will be interpreted by a script engine.
title	The title object contains the document title, stored as a text string.



WebLOAD Extension Set

WebLOAD has added the following extensions to the standard DOM properties and methods. This guide provides syntax specifications for these objects.

WebLOAD DOM extension set highlights

Table 4: WebLOAD DOM Extension Set Highlights

WebLOAD object extensions	Description
wlCookie	Sets and deletes cookies.
wlException	WebLOAD error management object.
wlGeneratorGlobal and wlSystemGlobal objects	Handles global values shared between Agenda threads or Load Generators.
wlGlobals	Manages global system and configuration values.
wlHeaders	Contains the key/value pairs in the HTTP command headers that brought the document. (Get, Post, etc.)
wlHttp	Performs HTTP transactions and stores configuration property values for individual transactions.
wlLocals	Stores local configuration property values.
wlMetas	Stores the parsed data for an HTML meta object.
wlOutputFile	Writes Agenda output messages to a global output file.
wlRand	Generates random numbers.
wlSearchPairs	Contains the key/value pairs in a document's URL search strings.
wlTables, row, and cell objects	Contains the parsed data from an HTML table.
XML DOM objects	XML DOM object set that generates new XML data to send back to the server for processing.

Website testing usually means testing how typical user activities are handled by the application being tested. Are the user actions managed quickly, correctly, appropriately? Is the application responsive to the user's requests? Will the typical user be happy working with this application? When verifying that an application handles user activities correctly, WebLOAD usually focuses on the user activities, recording user actions through the WebLOAD IDE when initially creating Agendas and recreating those actions during subsequent test sessions. The focus on user activities represents a high-level, conceptual approach to test session design.

Sometimes a tester may prefer to use a low-level, "nuts-and-bolts" approach that focuses on specific internal implementation commands, such as HTTP transactions. The WebLOAD DOM extension set includes objects, methods, properties, and



functions that support this approach. Items in this guide that are relevant to the HTTP Transaction Mode are noted as such in the entries.

When Would I Edit the JavaScript in My Agendas?

WebLOAD IDE automatically creates JavaScript Agendas for test sessions based on the actions performed by the user during recording. You don't have to be familiar with the JavaScript language to work with WebLOAD and test Web applications. However, as your testing needs increase, you may want to edit and expand the set of Agendas that were already recorded. Many users prefer to design test sessions around a set of basic Agendas created through WebLOAD IDE and then expand or tailor those Agendas to meet a particular testing need. Some of the reasons for editing JavaScript Agendas include:

- Recycling and updating a useful library of test Agendas from earlier versions of WebLOAD.
- Creating advanced, specialized verification functions.
- Debugging the application being tested.
- Optimization capabilities, to maximize your application's functionality at minimal cost.

This guide documents the syntax and usage of the actions, functions, objects, and variables provided by WebLOAD to add advanced functionality and tailoring to the JavaScript Agendas created through WebLOAD IDE. JavaScript is very similar to other object-oriented programming languages such as C++, Java, and Visual Basic. The syntax of JavaScript is also very similar to C. If you know any of these other languages, you will find JavaScript very easy to learn. You can probably learn enough about JavaScript to start programming just by studying the examples in this book.



Note: For detailed information about the JavaScript language, please refer to the section entitled *The Core JavaScript Language* in the *Netscape JavaScript Guide*, which is supplied in Adobe Acrobat format with the WebLOAD software. You may also learn the elements of JavaScript programming from many books on Web publishing. Keep in mind that some specific JavaScript objects relating to Web publishing do not exist in the WebLOAD test environment.



Accessing Agenda Components

WebLOAD uses test session Agendas to simulate user activities at a website. An Agenda is initially created by WebLOAD IDE during a recording session. As a user works with a test application in a browser, (for example, navigating between pages, typing text into a form, or clicking the mouse), WebLOAD IDE stores information about all user actions in an Agenda. Agendas are also edited using WebLOAD IDE. Users may add functionality or customize their Agendas through the objects, functions, and other features described in this guide.

Customizing Agendas may involve nothing more than dragging an icon from the WebLOAD IDE toolbar and dropping it into a graphic representation of the Agenda. It may involve entering or changing data through a user-friendly dialog box, or with the help of a Wizard. Some users may even add special features to their Agendas by editing the underlying code of the Agenda itself. When working with Agendas, users may be working on many different levels. For that reason, the WebLOAD IDE desktop includes multiple view options, providing information on multiple levels. See the WebLOAD Scripting Guide for a more extensive, illustrated explanation of the WebLOAD IDE desktop components.

- Most users access Agendas primarily through an *Agenda Tree*, a set of clear, intuitive icons and visual devices representing user activities during a recording session, arranged into a logical structure. Each user activity in the Agenda Tree is referred to as a node. Nodes are organized in a hierarchical arrangement. The outmost level, or *root* level, is a single Agenda node. The second level directly under the root Agenda node includes all the Web pages to which the user navigated over the course of the recording session. The third level, organized under each Web page, includes all the user activities that occurred on the parent Web page. These activities are themselves organized into additional levels. For example, all data input on a single form in a Web page is organized into a single sub-tree of user input nodes collected under the node for that form. The Agenda Tree appears on the left side of the WebLOAD IDE desktop.
- Web page nodes are added to the Agenda Tree in one of two ways. Some Web pages are the result of a user action on the previous page, such as clicking a link and jumping to a new page. Other Web pages are created as a result of direct or indirect navigation, such as entering a URL in the browser window, or pop-up windows triggered by a previous navigation. The sets of user activities contained between two direct-navigation Web pages in an Agenda Tree parallel the navigation blocks found within the JavaScript Agenda code.

During a WebLOAD IDE recording session, a new navigation block is created each time a user completes a direct navigation, manually entering a new URL into the WebLOAD IDE address bar. Each navigation block is surrounded by a try{} catch{} statement in the corresponding JavaScript Agenda code. Navigation blocks are useful for error management, especially when running "hands-free" test sessions. For example, the user can define the default testing behavior to be that if



an error is encountered during a test session, WebLOAD should throw the error, skip to the next navigation block, and continue with the test session. Errors during playback are indicated by a red X appearing beside the problematic action in the Agenda Tree.

- The graphic nodes in an Agenda Tree actually represent blocks of code within the underlying recorded Agenda. The JavaScript code corresponding to a selected node is automatically displayed in the *JavaScript View pane*. The JavaScript View pane is one of the tabs available in the WebLOAD IDE desktop.
- The graphic nodes in an Agenda Tree represent user actions on a website. An exact replica, or snapshot, of each user activity is stored during recording and available in the Browser View to aid in debugging and help users remember what each action accomplished. The *Browser View pane* is one of the tabs available in the WebLOAD IDE desktop.
- Web pages are created through HTML programs. The HTML code that underlies
 each stored Web page is also stored during recording sessions. For easy reference,
 the HTML code of the Web page associated with a selected node is displayed in the
 HTML View pane. The HTML View pane is one of the tabs available in the
 WebLOAD IDE desktop.
- Web pages have a logical structure that may be represented through a series of DOM object trees. The DOM tree for a selected Web page is essentially a hierarchically structured, more easily understood representation of the DOM objects found in the HTML code for that Web page. The DOM tree of the Web page associated with a selected node is displayed in the DOM View pane. The DOM View pane is one of the tabs available in the WebLOAD IDE desktop. When working with the DOM View, the center pane is actually split in half, with the upper half displaying the DOM View and the lower half displaying the corresponding Web page, seen in the Browser View.

The following figure illustrates a WebLOAD IDE desktop displaying the Agenda Tree and DOM and Browser Views. The Agenda Tree is on the left. The Browser View pane on the lower right focuses on a piece of the selected form as it appeared on the Web page at the time this Agenda was recorded. The DOM View pane on the upper right displays the DOM objects that represent the selected form, arranged in a tree that corresponds to the user activity in the selected form.



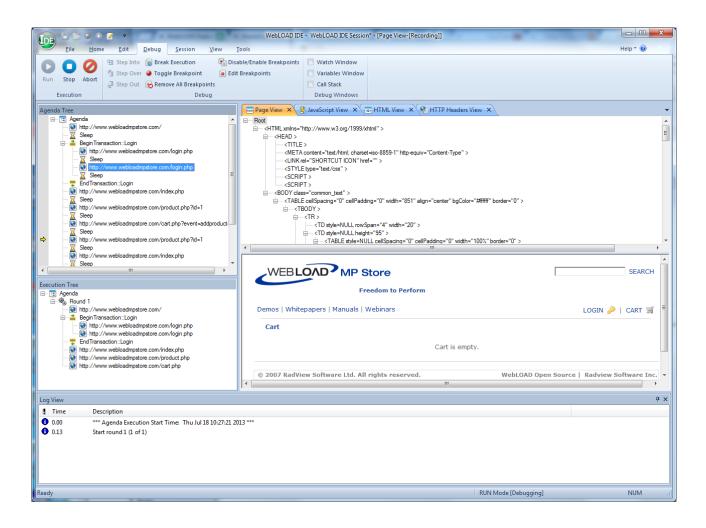


Figure 1: Agenda Tree, DOM, and Browser Views

Editing the JavaScript Code in an Agenda

Accessing the JavaScript Code within the Agenda Tree

WebLOAD IDE provides a complete graphic user interface for creating and editing Agenda files. Additions or changes to an Agenda are usually made through the WebLOAD IDE, working with intuitive icons representing user actions in a graphic Agenda Tree. For greater clarity, the JavaScript code that corresponds to each user action in an Agenda is also visible in the JavaScript View pane on the WebLOAD IDE desktop.

While most people never really work with the JavaScript code within their Agenda, some users do wish to manually edit the JavaScript code underlying their Agenda Tree. For example, some test sessions may involve advanced WebLOAD testing features that cannot be completely implemented though the GUI, such as Java or XML objects. Editing the JavaScript code in an Agenda does not necessarily mean editing a



huge JavaScript file. Most of the time users only wish to add or edit a specific feature or a small section of the code. WebLOAD IDE provides access to the JavaScript code in an Agenda through JavaScript Object nodes, which are seen on the following levels:

- JavaScript Object nodes—individual nodes in the Agenda Tree. Empty JavaScript Object nodes may be dragged from the WebLOAD IDE toolbar and dropped onto the Agenda Tree at any point selected by the user, as described in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide. Use the IntelliSense Editor, described in Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor (on page 19), to add lines of code or functions to the JavaScript Object.
- Converted Web page—the sub-tree or branch of an Agenda Tree that represents all user activity within a single Web page, converted to a single JavaScript Object node. A Web page branch is 'rooted' in the Agenda Tree with an icon that represents the user's navigation to that page's URL. The icons on that branch represent all user activities from the point at which that Web page was first accessed until the point at which the user navigated to a different Web page. Some testing features may require manually editing or rewriting the JavaScript code for user activities within a Web page. To manually edit code in a recorded Agenda, the Web page branch that includes that code must be converted to a JavaScript Object. Converting a Web page branch to a JavaScript Object is simple. Right click the preferred Web page node in the Agenda Tree and select Convert to JavaScript Object from the pop-up menu. The entire Web page branch becomes a single JavaScript Object, which can then be edited through the IntelliSense Editor.



Note: Once a branch has been converted to a single JavaScript Object, the various user activity icons that were on that branch are no longer individually accessible.

- Imported JavaScript File—an external JavaScript file that should be incorporated within the body of the current Agenda. Select Edit ➤ Import JavaScript File from the WebLOAD IDE menu to import the file of your choice. Often testers work with a library of pre-existing library files from which they may choose functions that are relevant to the current test session. This modular approach to programming simplifies and speeds up the testing process, and is fully supported and endorsed by WebLOAD.
- Converted Agenda Tree—if necessary, an entire Agenda Tree can be converted to a single JavaScript Object node consisting of a straight JavaScript text file. Right click the Agenda Tree's root node and choose Convert to JavaScript Object from the pop-up menu. However, this conversion is not recommended unless manual editing of an entire Agenda file is truly required for the test session.



Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor

For those users who wish to manually edit their Agendas, WebLOAD IDE provides three levels of programming assistance:

An IntelliSense Editor mode for the JavaScript View pane.

Add new lines of code to your Agenda or edit existing JavaScript functions through the IntelliSense Editor mode of the JavaScript View pane. The IntelliSense Editor helps you write the JavaScript code for a new function by formatting new code and prompting with suggestions and descriptions of appropriate code choices and syntax as programs are being written. IntelliSense supports the following shortcut keys:

- **Period** (".") Enter a period after the object name, to display a drop-down list of the object's available properties that can be added to the Agenda (see Figure 2).
- **<CTRL> <Space>** While typing the name of an object, you can type **<CTRL>** <Space> to display a drop-down list of the available objects that begin with the letters that you entered. For example, if you type w1 the IntelliSense Editor displays a drop-down list of all of the objects that begin with w1 (such as w1http).

In addition, the IntelliSense Editor gives a structure to the code with the outline bar and line numbering.

Collapsing the code enables you to view the heading of the section, without seeing the code within the section. To expand or collapse different sections of the code:

Click the plus sign (+) or minus sign (-) on the outline bar,

-Or-

- Right-click within the IntelliSense Editor and select Outlining from the pop-up menu. The available outlining options are:
 - **Toggle outline** Collapses or expands the section at the mouse location.
 - Toggle all outline Collapses or expands all outlines.
 - Collapse to definition Collapses all outlines.

You can enable or disable both the outline bar and line numbering features by:

Selecting Edit > Enable Outlining or Line Numbers,

-Or-

 Right-clicking within the IntelliSense Editor and selecting Enable Outlining or Line Numbers from the pop-up menu.



When these features are enabled, a checkmark appears next to the name in the Edit and pop-up menus. By default, these features are enabled, but WebLOAD opens with the settings that were saved during the previous WebLOAD session. During playback and debug modes, all outlines are expanded.

Use WebLOAD IDE's predefined delimiters to keep your code structured and organized. The available delimiters include:

- For JavaScript functions, use the "{" as the start delimiter and the "}" end delimiter.
- For Agenda tree nodes, insert a WLIDE comment from the General IDE toolbox. This automatically inserts a start delimiter "//" and end delimiter "End WLIDE".

For more information, see the WebLOAD Scripting Guide.

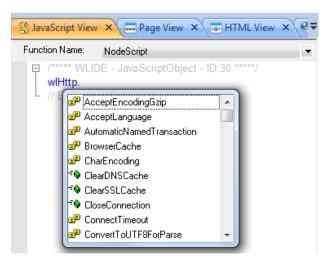


Figure 2: IntelliSense Editor Mode for JavaScript View Pane

 A selection of the most commonly used functions and commands, available through the **Insert** menu.

You can choose to program your own JavaScript Object code within your Agenda and take advantage of the WebLOAD IDE to simplify your programming efforts. Rather than manually typing out the code for each command, with the risk of making a mistake, even a trivial typographical error, and adding invalid code to the Agenda file, you may select an item from the **Insert** menu, illustrated in the following figure, to bring up a list of available commands and functions for the selected item. WebLOAD IDE automatically inserts the correct code for the selected item into the JavaScript Object currently being edited. You may then change specific parameter values without any worries about accidental mistakes in the function syntax.



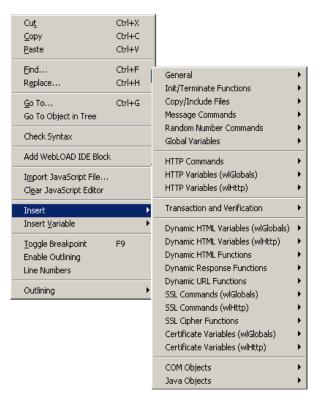


Figure 3: Insert Menu

In addition to the Insert menu, you may select an item from the Insert Variable menu, to add system and user-defined parameters to the Agenda. This eliminates the need for manual coding.

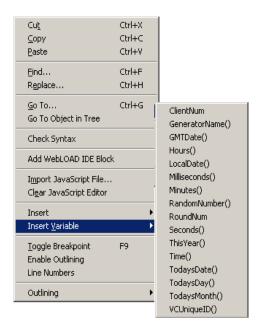


Figure 4: Insert Variable Menu

• A Syntax Checker that checks the syntax of the code in your Agenda file and catches simple syntax errors before you spend any time running a test session.



While standing in the JavaScript View pane of the WebLOAD IDE desktop, select **Tools > Check Syntax** to check the syntax of the code in your Agenda file.



Important: WebLOAD IDE Agendas should be edited only within the confines of WebLOAD IDE, not an external editor. If you use an external editor to modify the JavaScript code in an Agenda file generated by WebLOAD IDE, your visual Agenda will be lost.

Agenda code that you wish to write or edit must be part of a JavaScript Object in the Agenda Tree. Adding or converting JavaScript Objects in an Agenda Tree is described in *Accessing the JavaScript Code within the Agenda Tree* (on page 17).



Chapter 3

Using the WebLOAD JavaScript Reference

The WebLOAD JavaScript programming tools provide a powerful means of adding sophisticated, complex tailoring to recorded Agendas. WebLOAD supports literally hundreds of functions, objects, properties, and methods, to provide optimal programming power for your test session Agenda.

To simplify access to the WebLOAD JavaScript toolset, this section organizes the functions and objects into major categories, providing you with information to help you locate a specific tool or capability.



Note: These categories do not constitute an exhaustive list of all WebLOAD JavaScript objects, properties, methods, and functions. This is simply a list of the major categories, to help you quickly identify the most commonly used items.

The WebLOAD JavaScript toolset includes many additional elements. For a complete, alphabetical reference list of all toolset components, see *WebLOAD Actions*, *Objects*, and *Functions* (on page 37).

The WebLOAD JavaScript toolset can be organized into the following categories:

- **Collections**—Meta-objects that serve as arrays or sets of individual objects. Described in *Collections* (on page 27).
- **File Management**—Functions used to manage access to an Agenda's external files. Described in *File Management Functions* (on page 28).
- **Identification Components**—Functions and variables used to identify specific elements or points of time during a test session, for clarity in understanding session results and output reports. Described in *Identification Variables and Functions* (on page 29).
- **Message Functions**—Functions used to display messages in the WebLOAD Console Log Window. Described in *Message Functions* (on page 30).
- **Objects**—A brief introduction to the WebLOAD JavaScript object set. See *Objects* (on page 32).



- **SSL Cipher Command Suite**—A set of functions and properties that implement full SSL/TLS 1.0 protocol support. Described in *SSL Cipher Command Suite* (on page 33).
- **Timing Functions**—Functions used to time or synchronize any operation or group of user activities in an Agenda. Described in *Timing Functions* (on page 34).
- Transaction Verification Components—Components used to create customized transaction verification functions. Described in *Transaction Verification Components* (on page 36).
- Parameterization A brief introduction explanation and reference to all
 parameterization objects and functions. Described in *Parameterization* (on page 35).
- Internet Protocol Support—Objects that implement full support of the complete range of Internet protocols. Described in *WebLOAD Internet Protocols* Reference (on page 341).

HTTP Components

Properties and Methods of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The wlGlobals, wlLocals, and wlHttp objects share a set of components that manage user HTTP activities. This section lists these browser properties and methods. Some of the components are common to all three objects. Some of the properties or methods are used by only one object, and are marked so in the tables.



Note: The values assigned in a wlHttp object override any global defaults assigned in wlGlobals or local defaults in wlLocals. WebLOAD uses the wlGlobals or wlLocals defaults only if you do not assign values to the corresponding properties in the wlHttp object.

Syntax

```
NewValue = wlGlobals.BrowserMethod()
wlGlobals.BrowserProperty = PropertyValue
```

Example

Each individual property and method includes examples of the syntax for that property.



Methods

- ClearDNSCache() (see ClearDNSCache() (method) on page 48)
- ClearSSLCache() (see ClearSSLCache() (method) on page 49)

The following methods are for wlHttp objects only:

- CloseConnection() (see CloseConnection() (method) on page 53)
- Get() (see Get() (transaction method) on page 103)
- Post() (see Post() (method) on page 200)
- Head() (see Head() (method) on page 138)

Data Methods

- wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295)
- wlGet() (see wlGet() (method) on page 303)
- wlSet() (see wlSet() (method) on page 322)

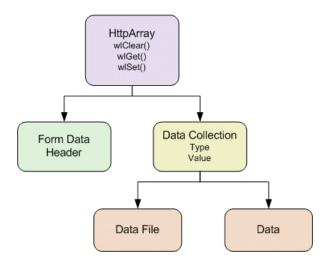


Figure 5: wlHttp Array

Properties

The following properties are for wlHttp objects only

Data Properties

- Data (see *Data* (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- Erase (see *Erase* (property) on page 87)
- FileName (see *FileName* (property) on page 92)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Header (see *Header (property)* on page 139)



- DataCollection.type (see *type* (*property*) on page 281)
- DataCollection.value (see *value* (*property*) on page 287)

The following properties are used by wlHttp, wlLocals, and wlGlobals objects unless otherwise noted.

Configuration Properties

- ConnectionSpeed (see ConnectionSpeed (property) on page 55) (wlGlobals only)
- DisableSleep (see *DisableSleep* (property) on page 75)
- DNSUseCache (see *DNSUseCache* (property) on page 76)
- KeepAlive (see *KeepAlive* (property) on page 158)
- LoadGeneratorThreads (see LoadGeneratorThreads (property) on page 164)
- MultiIPSupport (see MultiIPSupport (property) on page 170)
- NTUserName, NTPassWord (see *NTUserName*, *NTPassWord* (properties) on page 175)
- Outfile (see Outfile (property) on page 184)
- PassWord (see *PassWord* (property) on page 199)
- ProbingClientThreads (see *ProbingClientThreads* (property) on page 203)
- Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord (see Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord (properties) on page 205)
- RedirectionLimit (see *RedirectionLimit* (property) on page 209)
- SaveSource (see *SaveSource* (property) on page 219)
- SaveTransaction (see SaveTransaction (property) on page 220) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- type (see *type* (*property*) on page 281)
- Url (see *Url (property)* on page 283)
- UserAgent (see *UserAgent (property)* on page 284)
- UserName (see *UserName* (property) on page 285)
- Using Timer (see *Using Timer (property)* on page 286)



- Version (see Version (property) on page 292)
- wlTarget (see wlTarget (property) on page 328)

See also

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Collections

Description

Collections are arrays or sets of individual objects. For example, the elements collection refers to a collection of individual element objects.

Access individual members of a collection either through an index number or directly through the member's name or ID. The following three syntax choices are equivalent:

```
Collection[index#]
Collection["ID"]
Collection.ID
```

Test session Agendas work with all browser DOM collections and objects. The recommended way to access these objects is through the classic browser document object, via the relevant collection. For example, access a table through:

```
document.links[0]
```

Properties

Each collection of objects includes the single property length, which contains the size of the collection, that is, the number of objects included in this collection. You may also use the index value to access individual objects from within a collection.

For example, to find out how many images objects are contained within the images collection of a document, check the value of:

```
document.images.length
```

In this *Guide*, the description of each individual object includes information on the collection, if any, to which that object belongs.

See also

element (see element (object) on page 79)



File Management Functions

Description

These functions manage access to an Agenda's function and input files, including opening and closing files, copying files, specifying include files, and reading lines from ASCII input files.



Note: Input file management is also provided by wlInputFile (see *wlInputFile* (object) on page 311). Output file management is also provided by wlOutputFile (see *wlOutputFile* (object) on page 316).

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see *CopyFile()* (function) on page 61)
- delete() (see *Delete()* (*method*) on page 74)
- GetLine() (wlOutputFile) (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)
- GetLine() (wlInputFile) (see GetLine() (method) on page 124)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Open() (wlOutputFile) (see *Open()* (function) on page 180)
- Open() (wlInputFile) (see Open() (method) on page 177)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor (see Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor on page 19)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)
- wlInputFile() (see wlInputFile (object) on page 311)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)



Identification Variables and Functions

Description

For performance statistics to be meaningful, testers must be able to identify the exact point being measured. WebLOAD therefore provides the following identification variables and functions:

- Two variables, ClientNum (see *ClientNum* (property) on page 50) and RoundNum, (see *RoundNum* (variable) on page 215) identify the client and round number of the current Agenda instance.
- The GeneratorName() (see *GeneratorName() (function)* on page 100) function identifies the current Load Generator.
- The GetOperatingSystem() (see *GetOperatingSystem()* (function) on page 130) function identifies the operating system of the current Load Generator.
- The VCUniqueID() (see VCUniqueID() (function) on page 289) function identifies the current Virtual Client instance.

Example

The following example illustrates common use of these variables and functions. Use these variables and function to support the WebLOAD measurement features and obtain meaningful performance statistics.

Suppose your Agenda submits data to a server on an HTML form. You want to label one of the form fields so you can tell which WebLOAD client submitted the data, and in which round of the main script.

You can do this using a combination of the ClientNum and RoundNum variables. Together, these variables uniquely identify the WebLOAD client and round. For example, you can submit a string such as the following in a form field:

```
"C" + ClientNum.toString() + "R" + RoundNum.toString()
```

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends accessing these identification variables and functions through the WebLOAD IDE. All the variables that appear in this list are available for use at all times in an Agenda file. In the IDE main window, click **Variable Windows** in the **Debug** tab of the ribbon..

For example, it is convenient to add ClientNum to a Message Node to clarify which client sent the messages that appear in the WebLOAD Console Log window.



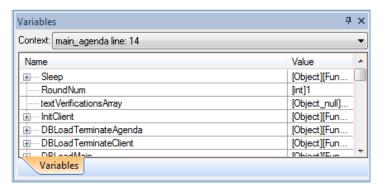


Figure 6: Variables List in WebLOAD IDE

See also

- ClientNum (see ClientNum (property) on page 50)
- GeneratorName() (see *GeneratorName()* (function) on page 100)
- GetOperatingSystem() (see GetOperatingSystem() (function) on page 130)
- RoundNum (see RoundNum (variable) on page 215)
- VCUniqueID() (see VCUniqueID() (function) on page 289)

Message Functions

Description

These functions display messages in the Log Window of WebLOAD IDE or Console. Some of the functions raise errors and interrupt test session execution. For information on using the Log Window and on message types, see the *WebLOAD Console User's Guide*.

Example

In the following example, the Agenda attempts to download an HTML page. If it fails on the first try, it pauses for 3 minutes and tries again. If it fails on the second try, it aborts the current round.

```
function InitClient() {
  wlLocals.Url = "http://www.ABCDEF.com/index.html"
}
//First try
wlHttp.Get()
if (document.wlStatusNumber != 200) {
  InfoMessage("Thread " + ClientNum.toString() +
    " pausing for 3 min")
  Sleep(180000)
  //Second try
```



```
wlHttp.Get()
if (document.wlStatusNumber != 200) {
    ErrorMessage("Aborting round " + RoundNum.toString() +
    " of thread " + ClientNum.toString())
} // End of second try
}
```

GUI mode



Note: Message functions are usually accessed and inserted into Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Message function commands can be added to the script in Visual Editing mode using the Toolbox message item and the Insert menu command. The JavaScript code line that corresponds to this message function appears in the JavaScript View pane.

Message function command lines may also be added directly to the code in a JavaScript Object within an Agenda through the IntelliSense Editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19).

Messages can also be added to the Agenda using the Toolbox Message icon ①. Drag the Message icon to the Agenda Tree. The Message dialog box appears. Type or select the information to appear in the message. Use double quotes to include a string value, or click ② to select a variable. Select the severity of the message from the Message Severity drop-down list.

- Error Management in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- ErrorMessage() (see ErrorMessage() (function) on page 89)
- GetMessage() (see GetMessage() (method) on page 128)
- GetSeverity() (see GetSeverity() (method) on page 133)
- InfoMessage() (see *InfoMessage()* (function) on page 152)
- Message Functions (on page 30)
- ReportLog() (see ReportLog() (method) on page 212)
- SevereErrorMessage() (see SevereErrorMessage() (function) on page 238)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- WarningMessage() (see WarningMessage() (function) on page 293)
- wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300)
- wlException() (see wlException() (constructor) on page 301)



Objects

Description

WebLOAD Agendas Work with an Extended Version of the Standard DOM on page 6 presents an overview of the Document Object Model (DOM), describing some of the basic objects used by standard Web browsers when working with HTML Web pages. The classic browser DOM includes a wide range of objects, properties, and methods for maximum utility and versatility. For more information about the standard DOM structure and components, go to the following websites:

- http://www.w3.org/TR/2000/WD-DOM-Level-1-20000929/introduction.html
- http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/workshop/author/dom/domoverview.asp
- http://msdn.microsoft.com/library/default.asp?url=/workshop/author/dhtml/reference/dhtmlrefs.asp

Since WebLOAD emulates the HTTP activities included in a test session, WebLOAD supports the standard DOM object set that implements those activities. Only the DOM objects, properties, and methods of special interest to WebLOAD programmers working with test session Agendas are listed here. This guide also includes reference material for the objects, properties, and methods that were added by WebLOAD as extensions to the basic DOM, to implement specific test session features.

Website testing usually means testing how typical user activities are handled by the application being tested. Are the user actions managed quickly, correctly and appropriately? Is the application responsive to the user's requests? Will the typical user be happy working with this application? When verifying that an application handles user activities correctly, WebLOAD usually focuses on the user activities, recording user actions through WebLOAD IDE when initially creating Agendas and recreating those actions during subsequent test sessions. The focus on user activities represents a high-level, conceptual approach to test session design.

Sometimes a tester may prefer to use a low-level, "nuts-and-bolts" approach that focuses on specific internal implementation commands, such as HTTP transactions. The WebLOAD DOM extension set includes objects, methods, properties, and functions that support this approach. Items in the *WebLOAD JavaScript Reference Guide* that are relevant to the HTTP Transaction Mode are noted as such in the entry.



SSL Cipher Command Suite

Description

WebLOAD provides full SSL/TLS 1.0/TLS 1.2 protocol support through a set of SSL properties for the wlGlobals object combined with a set of functions called the Cipher Command Suite. These SSL functions allow you to identify, enable, and disable selected SSL protocols or security levels. For a complete list of the supported SSL protocols, see *SSL Ciphers – Complete List* on page 444.

Functions

The Cipher Command Suite includes the following functions:

- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
- SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLEnableStrength() (see SSLEnableStrength() (function) on page255)

Comment

Use the Cipher Command Suite to check or verify SSL configuration information at any point in your Agenda. However, any changes to an Agenda's SSL property configuration, whether through the wlGlobals properties or the Cipher Command Suite functions, must be made in the Agenda's initialization functions. Configuration changes made in the InitAgenda() function will affect all client threads spawned during that Agenda's test session. Configuration changes made in the InitClient() function will affect only individual clients. Do not make changes to the SSL property configuration using wlHttp or wllocals properties or in an Agenda's main body. The results will be undefined for all subsequent transactions.

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)



- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
- SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLEnableStrength() (see SSLEnableStrength() (function) on page 255)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Timing Functions

Description

The timer functions let you time or synchronize any operation or group of user activities in an Agenda, such as a navigation or mouse click, and send the time statistics to the WebLOAD Console.

Example

The following Agenda connects to the home Web page of company. On every fifth round, the Agenda also connects to a second Web page. The Agenda uses different timers to measure the time for each connection.



Note: This Agenda fragment contains a main script only.

WebLOAD reports three time statistics:

- The round time, which includes both connections.
- Page 1 Time, reported in every round for the first connection only.



Page 2 Time, reported in every fifth round for the second connection only.

```
SetTimer("Page 1 Time")
wlHttp.Get("http://www.ABCDEF.com")
SendTimer("Page 1 Time")
if (RoundNum%5 == 0) {
   SetTimer("Page 2 Time")
   wlHttp.Get("http://www.ABCDEF.com/product_info.html")
   SendTimer("Page 2 Time")
}
```

Functions

The set of timer functions includes the following:

- SendCounter() (see SendCounter() (function) on page 231)
- SendMeasurement() (see SendMeasurement() (function) on page 231)
- SendTimer() (see SendTimer() (function) on page 232)
- SetTimer() (see SetTimer() (function) on page 237)
- Sleep() (see Sleep() (function) on page 241)
- SynchronizationPoint() (see SynchronizationPoint() (function) on page 270)

Parameterization

Parameterization enables you to edit an agenda containing static values and transform it into an agenda that will run multiple variations of the static values.

When recording an agenda, WebLOAD captures the data that is being sent, including login details, user selections, and entered text. When running the agenda under load, simulating many users, it is desirable to use variations in the data, so as to simulate the application more realistically. To do so, you can replace the static values with parameters.

Parameter values can come from a file, or be automatically generated numbers, strings and dates.

Using parameterization enables you to specify how the agenda should select values from the data file. For example:

- Order considerations Whether to randomly select values from the data file, or use them in the order they appear.
- Uniqueness considerations Whether the same value can be used at the same time by different virtual clients.



You can also specify the update policy, which defines when a new value will be read or calculated. For example, whether to update the value on each round, or once at the beginning of the test.

In addition to defining a data file, you can also use parameterization to define a random number format, date/time format, and string format. These can also be used to replace static values. For example, if the online shop delivers books between 1-14 days from the date of purchase, you can define a random number format of 1-14 and replace the static desired delivery period value with a call to the random number format.

Functions

The set of parameterization functions includes the following:

- wlTimeParam() (see wlTimeParam() (parameterization) on page 329)
- wlDataFileParam() (see wlDataFileParam() (parameterization) on page 298)
- wlNumberParam() (see wlNumberParam() (parameterization) on page 315)
- wlStringParam() (see wlStringParam() (parameterization) on page 325)

Transaction Verification Components

Description

Customized transaction verification functions are created out of the following components:

- BeginTransaction() (see BeginTransaction() (function) on page 41)
- CreateDOM() (see CreateDOM() (function) on page 63)
- CreateTable() (see *CreateTable()* (function) on page 65)
- EndTransaction() (see EndTransaction() (function) on page 87)
- ReportEvent() (see ReportEvent() (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see *VerificationFunction()* (user-defined) (function) on page 290)

- TimeoutSeverity (see *TimeoutSeverity (property)* on page 276)
- TransactionTime (see TransactionTime (property) on page 280)





WebLOAD Actions, Objects, and Functions

This chapter includes syntax specifications for the objects, properties, methods, and functions most useful for users who wish to program the code within their JavaScript Agendas. To simplify and clarify the information presented, this chapter begins with a brief introduction to the concept of the basic Document Object Model, or DOM, upon which most website implementations are based. After this basic introduction, the rest of the chapter consists of reference entries for each item, arranged in alphabetical order.

AcceptEncodingGzip (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Sets the wlGlobals.AcceptEncodingGzip flag, which enables Gzip support. For each request, WebLOAD sends the header "Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate". This tells the server that the client can accept zipped content. As most servers will work correctly even if the client does not send the "Accept-Encoding: gzip, deflate" header, it is recommended not to set the wlGlobals.AcceptEncodingGzip flag because it is performance heavy. However, some servers will fail if it is not sent. The default value of AcceptEncodingGzip is false.

You may want to test your application in GZIP mode in the following cases:

- The server only works in GZIP mode and rejects any requests that do not enable GZIP mode.
- GZIP is enabled and the server supports non-GZIP requests. A non-GZIP request
 means that the web server does less work, but places more stress on the network
 for large responses. This is acceptable if you are testing a back end server.



However, if you realistically want to test an end-to-end system, enable GZIP support.

GUI mode

In WebLOAD IDE, select or deselect the **GZip Support** checkbox in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD Console, select or deselect the **GZip Support** checkbox in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box or the **Agenda Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Example

a.AcceptEncodingGZip = true

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

AcceptLanguage (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Sets the wlGlobals.AcceptLanguage flag, which defines a global value for the AcceptLanguage header. Some applications/servers will behave differently depending on this setting. The AcceptLanguage flag is a simple string and WebLOAD does not enforce any checks on the values assigned to it.

Example

wlGlobals.AcceptLanguage = "En-us"

GUI mode

In WebLOAD IDE, select or deselect the **Accept Language** checkbox in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD Console, select or deselect the **Accept Language** checkbox in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box or the **Agenda Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.



Comment

Some Asian sites check the AcceptLanguage property, and, if they think the client is working in English, the flow might not be exactly as recorded.

action (property)

Property of Object

• form (see form (object) on page 94)

Description

Specifies the URL to which the form contents are to be sent for processing (read-only string).

Example

Document.forms[0].action

Add() (method)

Method of Objects

- wlGeneratorGlobal (see wlGeneratorGlobal (object) on page 302)
- wlSystemGlobal (see wlSystemGlobal (object) on page 326)

Description

Adds the specified number value to the specified shared integer variable.

Syntax

Add("SharedIntVarName", number, ScopeFlag)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
SharedIntVarName	The name of a shared integer variable to be incremented.
number	An integer with the amount to add to the specified variable.



Parameter Name	Description
ScopeFlag	One of two flags, WLCurrentAgenda or WLAllAgendas, signifying the scope of the shared variable.
	When used as a method of the wlGeneratorGlobal object:
	 The WLCurrentAgenda scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of a single Agenda, part of a single process, running on a single Load Generator.
	 The WLAllAgendas scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of one or more Agendas, common to a single spawned process, running on a single Load Generator.
	When used as a method of the wlSystemGlobal object:
	 The WLCurrentAgenda scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of a single Agenda, potentially shared by multiple processes, running on multiple Load Generators, system wide.
	 The WLAllAgendas scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of all Agendas, run by all processes, on all Load Generators, system-wide.

Example

wlGeneratorGlobal.Add("MySharedCounter", 5, WLCurrentAgenda)
wlSystemGlobal.Add("MyGlobalCounter", 5, WLCurrentAgenda)

See also

- Get() (see *Get*() (addition method) on page 101)
- Set() (see Set() (addition method) on page 233)

AuthType (property)

Property of Object

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

Specifies the authentication method to be used by the server: Kerberos or NTLM. The default value is **NTLM**.



Note: The AuthType property is only relevant for playback.

Example

wlGlobals.AuthType = "Kerberos"



GUI mode

To set the authentication method to be used by the server:

- In WebLOAD Console, select the authentication method in the Authentication tab
 of the Default, Current Session, or Agenda Options dialog box, accessed from the
 Tools tab of the ribbon.
- In WebLOAD IDE, select the authentication method in the Authentication tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Comment

If the AuthType property was set to "Kerberos" and the server does not support Kerberos, WebLOAD will automatically change the authentication method to "NTLM".

See also

• KDCServer() (see KDCServer (property) on page 157)

BeginTransaction() (function)

Description

Use the <code>BeginTransaction()</code> and <code>EndTransaction()</code> functions to define the start and finish of a logical block of code that you wish to redefine as a single logical transaction unit. This enables setting timers, verification tests, and other measurements for this single logical unit.

Optionally, you can specify a period of time, which is the minimum amount of time for the transaction. If the total time of the transaction is less than the time period specified, the machine sleeps for the remainder of the time in order to simulate the intermittent activity of real users.

The behavior of the sleep time is affected by the Sleep Time Control settings that are set in the Current Project Options of the WebLOAD IDE and Console. These settings can be one of the following:

- **Sleep time as recorded** Runs the Agenda with the delays corresponding to the natural pauses that occurred when recording the Agenda.
- Ignore recorded sleep time (default) Eliminates any pauses when running the Agenda and runs a worst-case stress test.
- **Set random sleep time** Sets the ranges of delays to represent a range of users.
- **Set sleep time deviation** Sets the percentage of deviation from the recorded value to represent a range of users.



For more information on setting the Sleep Time Control settings, see *Configuring Sleep Time Control Options* in the *WebLoad IDE User's Guide*.



Note: If the transaction fails, it still sleeps for the specified time interval. This is true even if an error not directly connected to the transaction is received, for example, HTTP 500 for a GET within the transaction.

Syntax

```
BeginTransaction(TransName, [SleepTime])
...
  <any valid JavaScript code>
...
EndTransaction(TransName, Verification, [SaveFlag])
```

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
TransName	The name assigned to this transaction, a user-supplied string.
SleepTime	An integer value specifying the interval of time (in milliseconds) for the minimum amount of time for the transaction.

GUI mode



Note: BeginTransaction() and EndTransaction() functions are usually accessed and inserted into Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. For example, the following figure illustrates a section in the Agenda Tree bracketed by BeginTransaction and EndTransaction nodes. The EndTransaction node is highlighted in the Agenda Tree.



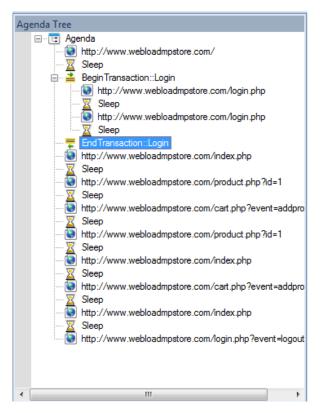


Figure 7: Form Branch in Agenda Tree Bracketed by BeginTransaction and EndTransaction Nodes

To mark the beginning of a transaction, drag the **Begin Transaction** icon from the Load toolbox into the Agenda Tree, directly above the first action you want to include in the transaction. The Begin Transaction dialog box opens. For additional information about the BeginTransaction() function, refer to Begin and End Transaction in the WebLOAD IDE User's Guide.

- EndTransaction() (see EndTransaction() (function) on page 87)
- CreateTable() (see *CreateTable()* (function) on page 65)
- ReportEvent() (see ReportEvent() (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- TimeoutSeverity (see TimeoutSeverity (property) on page 276)
- *Transaction Verification Components* (on page 36)
- TransactionTime (see TransactionTime (property) on page 280)
- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see *VerificationFunction()* (user-defined) (function) on page 290)



cell (object)

Property of Objects

cell objects are grouped into collections of cells. The cells collection is a property of the following objects:

- row (see row (object) on page 216)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)

Description

A cell object contains all the data found in a single table cell. If the cells collection is a property of a wlTables object, then the collection refers to all the cells in a particular table. If the cells collection is a property of a row object, then the collection refers to all the cells in a particular row. Individual cell objects may be addressed by index number, similar to any object within a collection.

Syntax

Individual cell objects may be addressed by index number, similar to any object within a collection. For example, to access a property of the 16th cell in myTable, counting across rows and with the first cell indexed at 0, you could write:

```
document.wlTables.myTable.cells[15].<cell-property>
```

If you are working directly with the cells in a wlTables object, as opposed to the cells within a single row object, you may also specify a range of cells from anywhere within the table using the standard spreadsheet format. Specify a group of cells using a string with the following format:

- Use *letters* to indicate columns, starting with the letter **A** to represent the first column.
- Use *numbers* to indicate rows, starting with the number **1** to represent the first column.



Note: This is not typical-the standard JavaScript index begins at **0** to represent the first element in a set.

Example

For cells within a wlTables object:

```
document.wlTables.myTable.cells["A1:C3"]
```

In this example, the string "A1:C3" includes all cells from the first column of the first row up to the third column in the third row, *reading across rows*. This means that the first cell read is in the first column of the first row, the second cell read is in the *second column* of the *first row*, the third cell read is in the third column of the first



row, and so on until the end of the first row. If the table includes eight columns, then the ninth cell read will be in the first column of the second row, and so on.

For cells within a row object:

To access a property of the 4^{th} cell in the 3^{rd} row in myTable, counting across rows and with the first cell indexed at 0, you could write:

document.wlTables.myTable.rows[2].cells[3].<cell-property>



Note: Individual table cells often are merged and span multiple rows. In such a case, the cell will only appear in the collection for the *first* of the set of rows that the cell spans.

Properties

Each cell object contains information about the data found in one cell of a table. The cell object includes the following properties:

- cellIndex (see cellIndex (property) on page 46)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153)
- InnerText (see InnerText (property) on page 155)
- tagName (see tagName (property) on page 273)

Comment

cell is often accessed through the wlTables family of table, row, and cell objects.

- cellIndex (see cellIndex (property) on page 46) (cell property)
- Collections (on page 27)
- cols (see cols (property) on page 54) (wlTables property)
- Compare() (see *Compare()* (*method*) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see CompareColumns (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see CompareRows (property) on page 55)
- Details (see *Details (property)* on page 75)
- id (see *id* (*property*) on page 145) (wlTables property)
- InnerHTML (see InnerHTML (property) on page 153) (cell property)
- InnerText (see *InnerText (property)* on page 155) (cell property)
- MatchBy (see *MatchBy* (property) on page 169)
- Prepare() (see *Prepare*() (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)



- row (see row (object) on page 216) (wlTables property)
- rowIndex (see rowIndex (property) on page 218) (row property)
- tagName (see tagName (property) on page 273) (cell property)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)

cellIndex (property)

Property of Object

• cell (see cell (object) on page 44)

Description

An integer containing the ordinal index number of this cell object within the parent table or row. Cells are indexed starting from zero, so the cellIndex of the first cell in a table or row is 0.

Comment

cellIndex is a member of the wlTables family of table, row, and cell objects.

- cell (see cell (object) on page 44) (wlTables and row property)
- Collections (on page 27)
- cols (see *cols* (*property*) on page 54) (wlTables property)
- Compare() (see Compare() (method) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see CompareColumns (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see CompareRows (property) on page 55)
- Details (see Details (property) on page 75)
- id (see id (property) on page 145) (wlTables property)
- InnerHTML (see InnerHTML (property) on page 153) (cell property)
- InnerText (see InnerText (property) on page 155) (cell property)
- MatchBy (see MatchBy (property) on page 169)
- Prepare() (see *Prepare*() (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)
- row (see row (object) on page 216) (wlTables property)
- rowIndex (see rowIndex (property) on page 218) (row property)
- tagName (see tagName (property) on page 273) (cell property)



wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)

CharEncoding (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Contains the value corresponding to the character set being used. The default value is **Default** (0), the regional settings of the computer. For a complete list of the supported character sets, see *WebLOAD*–supported Character Sets on page 475.

Example

If you want to specify that you are using Japanese (EUC), set the value of CharEncoding as follows:

wlGlobals.CharEncoding = 51932

GUI Mode

In WebLOAD Console, select a character set in Character Encoding list box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default Options** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD IDE, select a character set in the Character Encoding list box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

See also

• EnforceCharEncoding (see EnforceCharEncoding (property) on page 86)

checked (property)

Property of Object

• element (see *element* (*object*) on page 79)

Description

For an <INPUT type="checkbox"> or <INPUT type="radio"> element, the checked property indicates whether the element has the HTML checked attribute,



that is, whether the element is selected. The property has a value of true if the element has the checked attribute, or false otherwise (read-only).

ClearAll() (method)

Method of Object

wlCookie (see wlCookie (object) on page 296)

Description

Delete all cookies set by wlCookie in the current thread.

Syntax

wlCookie.ClearAll()

ClearCookiesAtEndOfRound (property)

Property of Object

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

Indicates whether to clear the cookies at the end of each round. The default value of ClearCookiesAtEndOfRound is **true**. By setting this flag to false, the cookies list will not be cleared at the end of each round.

Example

wlGlobals.ClearCookiesAtEndOfRound = false

ClearDNSCache() (method)

Method of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Clear the IP address cache.



Syntax

wlHttp.ClearDNSCache()

GUI mode

In WebLOAD Console, disable caching for the Load Generator or for the Probing Client during a test session by clearing the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default**, **Current Session Options** or **Agenda Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD IDE, disable caching during execution by clearing the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Comment

To enable or disable DNS caching, set the DNSUseCache (see *DNSUseCache* (property) on page 76) property.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- ClearSSLCache() (see ClearSSLCache() (method) on page 49)
- DNSUseCache (see *DNSUseCache* (property) on page 76)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)

ClearSSLCache() (method)

Method of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Clear the SSL decoding-key cache.

Syntax

wlHttp.ClearSSLCache()



GUI mode

In WebLOAD Console, disable the SSL cache for the Load Generator or for the Probing Client during a test session by clearing the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default**, **Current Session Options** or **Agenda Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon..

In WebLOAD IDE, disable the SSL cache during execution by clearing the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon..

Comment

To enable or disable SSL caching, set the SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265) property.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- ClearDNSCache() (see ClearDNSCache() (method) on page 48)
- DNSUseCache (see DNSUseCache (property) on page 76)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)

ClientNum (property)

Description

ClientNum is set to the serial number of the client in the WebLOAD test configuration. ClientNum is a read-only local property. Each client in a Load Generator has a unique ClientNum. However, two clients in two different Load Generators may have the same ClientNum.



Note: While ClientNum is unique within a single Load Generator, it is not unique system wide. Use VCUniqueID() (see VCUniqueID() (function) on page 289) to obtain an ID number which is unique system-wide.

If there are N clients in a Load Generator, the clients are numbered 0, 1, 2, ..., N-1. You can access ClientNum anywhere in the local context of the Agenda (InitClient(), main script, TerminateClient(), etc.). ClientNum does not exist in the global context (InitAgenda(), TerminateAgenda(), etc.).

If you mix Agendas within a single Load Generator, instances of two or more Agendas may run simultaneously on each client. Instances on the same client have the same ClientNum value.



ClientNum reports only the main client number. It does not report any extra threads spawned by a client to download nested images and frames (see *LoadGeneratorThreads* (property) on page 164).

Comment

Earlier versions of WebLOAD referred to this value as ThreadNum. The variable name ThreadNum will still be recognized for backward compatibility.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends accessing global system variables, including the ClientNum identification property, through the WebLOAD IDE. The variables that appear in this list are available for use at any point in an Agenda file. In the IDE main window, click **Variable Windows** in the **Debug** tab of the ribbon..

For example, it is convenient to add ClientNum to a Message Node to clarify which client sent the messages that appear in the WebLOAD Console Log window.

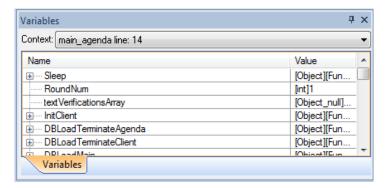


Figure 8: Variables Window

- GeneratorName() (see GeneratorName() (function) on page 100)
- GetOperatingSystem() (see GetOperatingSystem() (function) on page 130)
- *Identification Variables and Functions* (on page 29)
- RoundNum (see RoundNum (variable) on page 215)
- ThreadNum (see *ThreadNum()* (property) on page 275)
- VCUniqueID() (see VCUniqueID() (function) on page 289)



Close() (function)

Method of Object

wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)

Description

Closes an open file. When called as a method of the wlOutputFile object, closes the open output file being managed by that object.

Syntax

Function call:

Close(filename)

wlOutputFile method:

wlOutputFile.Close()

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
Function call:	
Filename	A string with the name of the ASCII output file to be closed.
wlOutputFile method:	No parameter is necessary when this function is called as a method of the wlOutputFile object, since the file to be closed is already known.

Example

Function call:

Close(MyFavoriteFile)

wlOutputFile method:

```
MyFileObj = new wlOutputFile(filename)
...
MyFileObj.Close()
```

Comment

When you use the Close () function to close a file, data will be flashed to the disk.

- CopyFile() (see CopyFile() (function) on page 61)
- delete() (see delete() (method) on page 74)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see *GetLine()* (function) on page 122)



- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Open() (see Open() (function) on page 180)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)

CloseConnection() (method)

Method of Object

wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Closes all open connections. If CloseConnection() is not called, all connections that were opened with the KeepAlive option (see *KeepAlive (property)* on page 158) remain open until the end of the round. HTTP connections are automatically closed at the end of each round.

Syntax

wlHttp.CloseConnection()

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends maintaining or closing connections through the WebLOAD Console. Enable maintaining connections for the Load Generator or for the Probing Client during a test session by checking the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon..

In WebLOAD Console, enable maintaining connections for the Load Generator or for the Probing Client during a test session by checking the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default Options** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon..

In WebLOAD IDE, enable maintaining connections during execution by checking the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Tools ➤ Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)



• KeepAlive (see *KeepAlive (property)* on page 158)

cols (property)

Property of Object

- element (see *element (object)* on page 79)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)

Description

When working with wlTables objects, an integer containing the number of columns in this table. The column number is taken from the COLS attribute in the <TABLE> tag. This property is optional. If the table does not have a COLS attribute then the value is undefined. When working with element objects of type TextArea, an integer containing the number of columns in this TextArea.

Comment

cols is often accessed through the wlTables family of table, row, and cell objects.

- cell (see cell (object) on page 44) (wlTables and row property)
- cellIndex (see *cellIndex* (*property*) on page 46) (cell_property)
- *Collections* (on page 27)
- Compare() (see *Compare()* (method) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see CompareColumns (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see *CompareRows (property)* on page 55)
- Details (see *Details (property)* on page 75)
- id (see id (property) on page 145) (wlTables property)
- InnerHTML (see InnerHTML (property) on page 153) (cell property)
- InnerText (see *InnerText (property)* on page 155) (cell property)
- MatchBy (see *MatchBy (property)* on page 169)
- Prepare() (see *Prepare()* (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)
- row (see row (object) on page 216) (wlTables property)
- rowIndex (see *rowIndex* (*property*) on page 218) (row property)
- tagName (see tagName (property) on page 273) (cell property)



ConnectTimeout (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

ConnectTimeout is used to set the amount of time the system will wait for an HTTP connection to be established before timing out. The ConnectTimeout property is defined in milliseconds. Use the ConnectTimeout property to fine tune the Load Generator performance.

Example

wlGlobals.ConnectTimeout = 7

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

ConnectionSpeed (property)

Property of Objects

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

WebLOAD allows users to simulate various system and connection configurations, including setting a 'virtual limit' on the connection speed available during a test session. Obviously, the speed of the connection to a website is an important factor in the response time seen by users. Setting a limit on the connection speed during a test session allows testers working with higher-speed connections within their own labs to test systems for clients that may be limited in their own workplace connection speeds.

By default, WebLOAD will work with the fastest available connection speed. Testers may set the connection speed to any slower value, measured in bits per second (bps). For example, users may set values of 14,400 bps, 28,800 bps, etc.



Note: The typical single ISDN line can carry 64 Kb, a double line carries 128 Kb, and a T1 line can handle 1.5 Mb.



Syntax

You may assign a connection speed using the wlGlobals.ConnectionSpeed property. For example:

```
InitAgenda()
{
   wlGlobals.ConnectionSpeed=28800
}
// main Agenda body
wlHttp.Get("http://abcdef")
Sleep(1000)
```

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting the connection speed through the WebLOAD Console. You may set different connection speed limits for both the Load Generator and the Probing Client through the checkboxes on the Connection tab of the **Default Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

content (property)

Property of Object

wlMetas (see wlMetas (object) on page 314)

Description

Retrieves the value of the CONTENT attribute of the META tag (read-only string).

Syntax

```
wlMetas[index#].content
```

Example

```
document.wlMetas[0].content
```

- httpEquiv (see httpEquiv (property) on page 143)
- Name (see Name (property) on page 173)
- Url (see *Url (property)* on page 283)



ContentLength (function)

Description

Verifies the content length of the service response.

Syntax

wlVerification.ContentLength(operator, length, severity)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
operator	One of the following mathematical operators:
	• < - less than.
	• > - greater than.
	• = - equal to.
length	The expected length of the content in bytes.
severity	Possible values of this parameter are:
	WLSuccess. The transaction terminated successfully.
	 WLMinorError. This specific transaction failed, but the test session may continue as usual. The Agenda displays a warning message in the Log window and continues execution from the next statement.
	 WLError. This specific transaction failed and the current test round was aborted. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and begins a new round.
	 WLSevereError. This specific transaction failed and the test session must be stopped completely. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and the Load Generator on which the error occurred is stopped.

Example

The following code verifies that the page content length is equal to 120 bytes. In case of failure, WebLOAD displays a fatal error and stops the execution.

wlVerification.ContentLength("=" , 120, WLSevereError);

- wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)
- PageContentLength (see PageContentLength (property) on page 185)
- Severity (see *Severity (property)* on page 240)



- Function (see *Function (property)* on page 99)
- ErrorMessage (see ErrorMessage (property) on page 90)
- Title (see *Title* (function) on page 279)

ContentType (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Specifies the content type of the HTTP request.

Example

wlGlobals.ContentType = "text/html"

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

ConvertHiddenFields(method)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Converts hidden fields to dynamic values. This is done by correlate the Agenda so it uses the dynamic value of the field, not the value recorded in the Agenda.

The ConvertHiddenFields method takes the URL to be submitted via a Get or Post action and searches for it in the current DOM. This is done by looping over the document.form[] collection until it finds a form whose action matches the URL. It then loops over its elements[] collection. Each element whose type is "hidden" is then inserted into the wlHttp.FormData collection, overriding any existing value. The recorded values are replaced by the dynamic values during playback.





Note: ConvertHiddenFields cannot be accessed directly by the user. See the example in the Comment section below.

Syntax

Use

```
SaveCurrentHiddenFields (url)
```

after the page with the fields and specify the URL of the page.

Comment

Because the IDE does not filter internal frames of a page, there are cases when the data required for the correlation will not be found in the DOM of the previous request.

For example:

The page you are working with is called frame1.html and is an internal frame of a page called page.html, which has four internal frames (frame1 - frame 4). You recorded a navigation to page.html and then submitted the form on frame1.html. Thus, your Agenda would appear as follows:

```
Get page.html

Get frame1.html

Get frame2.html

Get frame3.html

Get frame4.html

Post the form from frame1.html
```

In order to correlate the data for the final Post, you need the document from frame1. The intervening Get's, however, will not enable you to get this document. Manually insert the SaveCurrentHiddenFields() method after frame1.html in this example. This method saves the hidden fields so that the automatic correlation can use it when needed.

CookieDomain (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see *wlLocals* (*object*) on page 313)



Description

When set to true, the client checks if the cookie domain matches the request domain during GET/POST. Use this property if you need to emulate the setting of client side cookies or modify server cookies on the client side.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.CookieDomain = false

See also

- CookieExpiration (see CookieExpiration (property) on page 60)
- CookiePath (see CookiePath (property) on page 60)

CookieExpiration (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

When set to true, the client checks if the cookie expiration matches the system time during GET/POST. Use this property if you need to emulate the setting of client side cookies or modify server cookies on the client side.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.CookieExpiration = false

See also

- CookieDomain (see CookieDomain (property) on page 59)
- CookiePath (see CookiePath (property) on page 60)

CookiePath (property)

Property of Object

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)



- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

When set to true, the client checks if the cookie path matches the request path during GET/POST. Use this property if you need to emulate the setting of client side cookies or modify server cookies on the client side.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.CookiePath = false

See also

- CookieDomain (see CookieDomain (property) on page 59)
- CookieExpiration (see *CookieExpiration (property)* on page 60)

CopyFile() (function)

Description

Copies files from a source file on the console to a destination file on the Load Generator. The destination file is either explicitly or automatically named. CopyFile can copy both text and binary data files.

Syntax

CopyFile(SrcFileName [, DestFileName])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
SrcFileName	A literal string or variable containing the full literal name of the file to be copied. WebLOAD assumes that the source file is located in the default directory specified in the File Locations tab (User Copy Files entry) in the Tools > Global Options dialog box in the WebLOAD Console or in the Tools > Settings dialog box in the WebLOAD IDE. For additional information about the file's location, refer to <i>Determining the Included File Location</i> in the <i>WebLOAD Scripting Guide</i> .
DestFileName	An optional literal string or variable containing the full literal name of the file into which the source file will be copied. If the target parameter is omitted, WebLOAD will copy the source file to the current directory and return the file name as the return value of the CopyFile function.



Return Value

Optionally, a string with the target file name, returned if the DestFileName parameter is not specified.

Example

To copy the auxiliary file src.txt, located on the WebLOAD Console, to the destination file dest.txt on the current Load Generator, use the following command:

```
function InitAgenda() {
    ...
    CopyFile("src.txt", "dest.txt")
    ...
}
```

You may then access the file as usual in the main body of the Agenda. For example:

```
DataArr = GetLine("dest.txt")
```

It is convenient to specify only the SrcFileName. To copy the auxiliary file file.dat, located on the WebLOAD Console, to the current Load Generator, using a single file name:

```
function InitAgenda() {
    ...
    filename = CopyFile("file.dat")
    ...
}
...
GetLine(filename)
```

GUI mode



Note: CopyFile() and IncludeFile() functions can be added directly to the code in an Agenda through the IntelliSense Editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19).

Comment

WebLOAD does not create new directories, so any directories specified as target directories *must already exist*.

The CopyFile command must be inserted in the InitAgenda() section of your JavaScript program.

The load engine first looks for the file to be copied in the default User Copy Files directory. If the file is not there, the file request is handed over to WebLOAD, which searches for the file using the following search path order:



1. If a full path name has been hardcoded into the CopyFile command, the system searches the specified location. If the file is not found in an explicitly coded directory, the system returns an error code of File Not Found and will not search in any other locations.



Note: It is not recommended to hardcode a full path name, since the Agenda will then not be portable between different systems. This is especially important for networks that use both UNIX and Windows systems.

- Assuming no hardcoded full path name in the Agenda code, the system looks for the file in the current working directory, the directory from which WebLOAD was originally executed.
- 3. Finally, if the file is still not found, the system searches for the file sequentially through all the directories listed in the File Locations tab.

See also

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- delete() (see *delete()* (*method*) on page 74)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Open() (see *Open()* (function) on page 180)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor (on page 19)
- wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)

CreateDOM() (function)

Description

CreateDOM functions return a complete Document Object Model (DOM) tree. You may compare this expected DOM to the actual DOM generated automatically as your JavaScript Agenda runs.



Note: WebLOAD uses an extended version of the standard DOM. For more information, see *Understanding the WebLOAD DOM structure* in the *WebLOAD Scripting Guide*.



Syntax

DOM = CreateDOM(HTMLFileName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
HTMLFileName	A literal string or variable containing the full literal name of the HTML file in which the information about the expected DOM is found.

Return Value

Returns a complete Document Object Model (DOM) tree.

Example

DOM = CreateDOM("HTMLsource")

Comment

One of the most common practices in functional testing is to compare a known set of correct results previously generated by an application (expected data) to the results produced by an actual current execution of the application (actual data). These sets of results are stored in various Document Object Models (DOMs).

The actual DOM is created automatically each time an HTTP request is accessed through the document object. The expected DOM is assigned by the user to a specific HTTP command. To make the verification functions more easily readable, WebLOAD uses the alias ACTUAL to access the actual document and the alias EXPECTED to access the expected document.

- BeginTransaction() (see *BeginTransaction()* (function) on page 41)
- CreateTable() (see *CreateTable()* (function) on page 65)
- EndTransaction() (see EndTransaction() (function) on page 87)
- ReportEvent() (see ReportEvent() (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- TimeoutSeverity (see *TimeoutSeverity (property)* on page 276)
- TransactionTime (see TransactionTime (property) on page 280)
- Transaction Verification Components (on page 36)



CreateTable() (function)

Description

WebLOAD provides a CreateTable function to automatically convert the tables found on an HTML page to parallel wlTables objects. This simplifies access to the exact table entry in which the user is interested. The CreateTable() function returns a window object that includes a wlTables collection. This is a collection of wlTables objects, each of which corresponds to one of the tables found on the HTML page used as the function parameter. The table data may be accessed as any standard wlTables data.

Syntax

CreateTable(HTMLFileName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
HTMLFileName	A literal string or variable containing the full literal name of the HTML file in which the tables to be converted are found.

Return Value

Returns a window object that includes a wlTables collection.

Example

```
NewTableSet = CreateTable("HTMLTablePage")
NumTables = NewTableSet.wlTables.length
FirstTableName = NewTableSet.wlTables[0].id
```

Comment

CreateTable () is a member of the wlTables family of table, row, and cell objects.

- BeginTransaction() (see BeginTransaction() (function) on page 41)
- CreateDOM() (see CreateDOM() (function) on page 63)
- EndTransaction() (see EndTransaction() (function) on page 87)
- ReportEvent() (see ReportEvent() (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- TimeoutSeverity (see *TimeoutSeverity* (property) on page 276)
- TransactionTime (see *TransactionTime* (property) on page 280)
- Transaction Verification Components (on page 36)



- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see *VerificationFunction()* (user-defined) (function) on page 290)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)

Data (property)

Property of Object

wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Holds a string to be submitted in an HTTP Post command. The Data property has two subfields:

```
Data.Type - The MIME type for the submission

Data.Value - The string to submit
```

You can use Data in two ways:

- As an alternative to FormData if you know the syntax of the form submission.
- To submit a string that is not a standard HTML form and cannot be represented by FormData.

Data is for posting data that is not meant to be HTTP encoded, for example Web service calls.

Example

Thus the following three code samples are equivalent:

Methods

• wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295)



Properties

- type (see *type* (*property*) on page 281)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)

Comment

Data and DataFile are both collections that hold sets of data. Data collections are stored within the Agenda itself, and are useful when you prefer to see the data directly. DataFile collections store the data in local text files, and are useful when you are working with large amounts of data, which would be too cumbersome to store within the Agenda code itself. When working with DataFile collections, only the name of the text file is stored in the Agenda itself.

Your Agenda should work with either Data or DataFile collections. Do not use both properties within the same Agenda.

See also

- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- Erase (see *Erase* (property) on page 87)
- FileName (see *FileName* (property) on page 92)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Get() (see Get() (transaction method) on page 103)
- Header (see *Header (property)* on page 139)
- Post() (see *Post()* (*method*) on page 200)

DataFile (property)

Property of Object

wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

A file to be submitted in an HTTP Post command.

WebLOAD sends the file using a MIME protocol. DataFile has two subfields:

- DataFile.Type-the MIME type
- DataFile.FileName-the name of the file, for example,

"c:\\MyWebloadData\\BigFile.doc"

WebLOAD sends the file when you call the wlHttp.Post() method.



Methods

wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295)

Properties

• FileName (see FileName (property) on page 92)

Comment

DataFile is used for sending files and parallels the posting of mulipart data in HTML. Data and DataFile are both collections that hold sets of data. Data collections are stored within the Agenda itself, and are useful when you prefer to see the data directly. DataFile collections store the data in local text files, and are useful when you are working with large amounts of data which would be too cumbersome to store within the Agenda code itself, or binary data. When working with DataFile collections, only the name of the text file is stored in the Agenda itself.

See also

- Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- Erase (see Erase (property) on page 87)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Get() (see Get() (transaction method) on page 103)
- Header (see Header (property) on page 139)
- Post() (see Post() (method) on page 200)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)

DebugMessage() (function)

Description

Displays a debug message in the Log View of WebLOAD IDE.

Syntax

DebugMessage (msg)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
msg	A string with an informative message to be sent to WebLOAD IDE, to be displayed in the Log View.



Comment

If you call <code>DebugMessage()</code> in the main script, WebLOAD sends a debug message to the Log View of WebLOAD IDE. The message is not written to the Console's Log View during script execution and has no impact on the continued execution of the Agenda.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends adding message functions to your Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Drag the **Message** icon from the General toolbox into the Agenda Tree at the desired location.

See also

• InfoMessage() (see *InfoMessage()* (function) on page 152)

DecodeBinaryEnd (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The DecodeBinaryEnd property is used in conjunction with SaveSource and document.wlSource to enable the user to parse binary data returned from the server. SaveSource and document.wlSource are used to store the server response in wlSource. Since the JavaScript engine does not know how to represent NULLs (binary 0), the engine will convert all binary nulls in the response body to the value of the DecodeBinaryNullAs string. The DecodeBinaryEnd and DecodeBinaryStart properties are used to limit this action to a specific range in the response buffer. If they are not set, the engine will search for binary nulls in the entire buffer. DecodeBinaryEnd and DecodeBinaryStart are used as performance safeguards in case the buffer is very large and you want to parse a section at the start of the buffer.

The value of DecodeBinaryEnd starts from 0 and designates an offset from the beginning of the buffer. The default value of DecodeBinaryEnd is **-1**. This indicates that starting from the DecodeBinaryStart location until the end of the buffer will be converted to binary nulls.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.DecodeBinaryEnd=4



See also

- DecodeBinaryNullAs (see DecodeBinaryNullAs (property) on page 70)
- DecodeBinaryStart (see *DecodeBinaryStart* (property) on page 70)

DecodeBinaryNullAs (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Supports the decoding of binary data. Decoding is not performed by default. In order to decode binary data, the user must call DecodeBinaryNullAs and provide a string value to replace the NULL character.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Syntax

wlGlobals.DecodeBinaryNullAs = "TextString"

Example

WLGlobals.DecodeBinaryNullAs = "Classified"

See also

- DecodeBinaryEnd (see DecodeBinaryEnd (property) on page 69)
- DecodeBinaryStart (see *DecodeBinaryStart* (property) on page 70)

DecodeBinaryStart (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The DecodeBinaryStart property is used in conjunction with SaveSource and document.wlSource to enable the user to parse binary data returned from the server. SaveSource and document.wlSource are used to store the server response in wlSource.



Since the JavaScript engine does not know how to represent NULLs (binary 0), the engine will convert all binary nulls in the response body to the value of the DecodeBinaryNullAs string. The DecodeBinaryEnd and DecodeBinaryStart properties are used to limit this action to a specific range in the response buffer. If they are not set, the engine will search for binary nulls in the entire buffer. DecodeBinaryEnd and DecodeBinaryStart are used as performance safeguards in case the buffer is very large and you want to parse a section at the start of the buffer.

The value of DecodeBinaryEnd starts from 0 and designates an offset from the beginning of the buffer. The default value of DecodeBinaryStart is **-1**. This indicates that starting from the beginning of the buffer until the DecodeBinaryEnd location will be converted to binary nulls.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.DecodeBinaryStart=1

See also

- DecodeBinaryEnd (see *DecodeBinaryEnd* (property) on page 69)
- DecodeBinaryNullAs (see DecodeBinaryNullAs (property) on page 70)

defaultchecked (property)

Property of Object

• element (see *element* (*object*) on page 79)

Description

For an <INPUT type="checkbox"> or <INPUT type="radio"> element, the default checked value of the form element (read-only string).

- checked (see checked (property) on page 47)
- cols (see *cols* (*property*) on page 54)
- defaultvalue (see *defaultvalue* (*property*) on page 72)
- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerText (see *InnerText* (property) on page 155)
- MaxLength (see *MaxLength* (property) on page 169)
- Name (see Name (property) on page 173)
- option (see option (object) on page 182)



- row (see row (object) on page 216)
- selectedindex (see *selectedindex* (*property*) on page 228)
- Size (see Size (property) on page 241)
- title (see *title* (*property*) on page 278)
- type (see *type* (*property*) on page 281)
- Url (see Url (property) on page 283)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)

defaultselected (property)

Property of Object

• option (see option (object) on page 182)

Description

Returns a Boolean value specifying whether this option was the one originally "selected" before any user acted upon this "select" control.

See also

- defaultchecked (see defaultchecked (property) on page 71)
- selected (see selected (property) on page 228)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)

defaultvalue (property)

Property of Object

• element (see *element (object)* on page 79)

Description

The default value of the form element (read-only string).

DefineConcurrent() (function)

Description

Use the DefineConcurrent () function to define the beginning point, after which all Post and Get HTTP requests are collected, but not executed, until an



ExecuteConcurrent() function is run. At this point, the collected HTTP requests are executed concurrently, by two or more threads. The number of threads is defined in WebLOAD Console in the multithreading number in the Browser Parameters tab of the Agenda Options dialog box.

To simultaneously execute Post and Get HTTP requests, you must define where in the Agenda to begin collecting the requests and where to stop collecting and begin executing them. The HTTP requests are collected until the engine encounters an <code>ExecuteConcurrent()</code> function in the Agenda. For more information about the <code>ExecuteConcurrent()</code> (function) (on page 91).

All requests performed from the beginning of the DefineConcurrent() function to the ExecuteConcurrent() function are stored in an array of documents. You can access every document by index number or document name as follows:

- By index: wlConcurrentDocuments[i]
- By DocName: wlConcurrentDocuments ["documentname"]
 The DocName is an optional name you set for a document for quick access from wlConcurrentDocuments. The format for setting the name is: wlHttp.DocName = "documentname"
 where DocName is written with a capital D and N.
 The default document name is: all Concurrent <index>.

Example

GUI mode



Note: The DefineConcurrent () function is usually inserted into Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Drag the **Define Concurrent** concurrent to icon from the Load toolbox into the Agenda Tree at the desired location.

For additional information about the DefineConcurrent () function, refer to Define Concurrent in the WebLOAD IDE User's Guide.



See also

• ExecuteConcurrent() (see ExecuteConcurrent() (function) on page 91)

Delete() (method)

Method of Objects

wlCookie (see wlCookie (object) on page 296)

Description

This method deletes all cookies set by wlCookie in the current thread.

Syntax

wlCookie.Delete(name, domain, path)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
name	A descriptive name used for the cookie to be deleted, for example, "CUSTOMER".
domain	The top-level domain name for the cookie being deleted, for example, "www.ABCDEF.com".
path	The top-level directory path, within the specified domain, for the cookie being deleted, for example, "/".

Example

wlCookie.Delete("CUSTOMER", "www.ABCDEF.com", "/")

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see *CopyFile()* (function) on page 61)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Open() (see *Open()* (function) on page 180)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)



DeleteEmptyCookies (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Indicates whether to delete existing cookies if the server sends a "set-cookie" header with empty values for the existing cookies. If DeleteEmptyCookies is false, the existing cookies are set to their empty value (null). The default value of DeleteEmptyCookies is false.

Example

wlGlobals.DeleteEmptyCookies = false

Comments

Some servers tell the client to delete existing cookies by sending the client empty cookies.

DisableSleep (property)

Property of Object

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

Setting this property defines how the engine should handle the Sleep command in the Agenda. This boolean flag indicates whether the recorded sleep pauses will be included in the test session (false) or ignored (true).

Example

wlGlobals.DisableSleep = true

Comment

Sleep periods during test sessions are by default kept to the length of the sleep period recorded by the user during the original recording session. If you wish to include sleep intervals but change the time period, set DisableSleep to false and assign values to the other sleep properties as follows:

• SleepRandomMin – Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the minimum time period equal to this property value.



- SleepRandomMax Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the maximum time period equal to this property value.
- SleepDeviation Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the time period ranging between this percentage value more or less than the original recorded time period.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting the sleep mode through the WebLOAD Console. Select a setting from the Sleep Time Control tab of the **Default**, **Current** or **Agenda Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

See also

- Sleep() (see *Sleep()* (function) on page 241)
- SleepDeviation (see *SleepDeviation (property)* on page 242)
- SleepRandomMax (see SleepRandomMax (property) on page 243)
- SleepRandomMin (see *SleepRandomMin* (property) on page 245)

DNSUseCache (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enable caching of IP addresses that WebLOAD receives from a domain name server. The value of <code>DNSUseCache</code> may be:

- false Disable IP address caching.
- true Enable IP address caching (default).

Assign a true value to reduce the time for domain name resolution. Assign a false value if you want to include the time for name resolution in the WebLOAD performance statistics.



GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends enabling or disabling the DNS cache through the WebLOAD Console. Enable caching for the Load Generator or for the Probing Client during a test session by checking the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Comment

To clear the DNS cache, set the ClearDNSCache() (see *ClearDNSCache()* (method) on page 48) property.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- ClearDNSCache() (see ClearDNSCache() (method) on page 48)
- ClearSSLCache() (see ClearSSLCache() (method) on page 49)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)

document (object)

Description

Represents the HTML document in a given browser window. The document object is one of the main entry points into the DOM, used to retrieve parsed HTML data. document objects store the complete parse results for downloaded HTML pages. Use the document properties to retrieve links, forms, nested frames, and other information about the document.

document objects are local to a single thread. WebLOAD creates an independent document object for each thread of an Agenda. You cannot create new document objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access HTML documents through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. document properties are read-only.

Syntax

Access all elements of the Browser DOM through the document object, using the standard syntax. For example, to access links, use the following expression:

document.links[0]

Methods

- wlGetAllForms() (see wlGetAllForms() (method) on page 305)
- wlGetAllFrames() (see wlGetAllFrames() (method) on page 305)



wlGetAllLinks() (see wlGetAllLinks() (method) on page 306)

Properties

- form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)
- frames (see *frames* (*object*) on page 98)
- Image (see *Image (object)* on page 148)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)
- script (see *script* (*object*) on page 221)
- title (see title (property) on page 278)
- wlHeaders (see wlHeaders (object) on page 308)
- wlMetas (see wlMetas (object) on page 314)
- wlSource (see wlSource (property) on page 324)
- wlStatusLine (see wlStatusLine (property) on page 324)
- wlStatusNumber (see wlStatusNumber (property) on page 325)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)
- wlVersion (see wlVersion (property) on page 332)
- wlXmls (see wlXmls (object) on page 334)

ElapsedRoundTime (property)

Property of Object

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

The minimum amount of time (in milliseconds) for the round to be played back. If the total time it takes for the round to be played back is less than the time period specified, the machine sleeps for the remainder of the time. This property must be set in InitAgenda(). If it is set anywhere else, it is ignored.

The behavior of the sleep time is affected by the Sleep Time Control settings that are set in the Current Project Options of the WebLOAD IDE and Console. These settings can be one of the following:

Sleep time as recorded (default for the Console) – Runs the Agenda with the
delays corresponding to the natural pauses that occurred when recording the
Agenda.



- **Ignore recorded sleep time (default for the IDE)** Eliminates any pauses when running the Agenda and runs a worst-case stress test.
- **Set random sleep time** Sets the ranges of delays to represent a range of users.
- **Set sleep time deviation** Sets the percentage of deviation from the recorded value to represent a range of users.

For more information on setting the Sleep Time Control settings, see *Configuring Sleep Time Control Options* in the *WebLoad IDE User's Guide*.

Example

```
function InitAgenda()
{
  wlGlobals.ElapsedRoundTime = 1056
}
```

element (object)

Property of Object

element objects are grouped into collections of elements. The elements collection is also a property of the following objects:

• form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)

Description

Each element object stores the parsed data for a single HTML form element such as <INPUT>, <BUTTON>, <TEXTAREA>, or <SELECT>. The full elements collection stores all the controls found in a given form except for objects of input type=image. (Compare to the form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94) object, which stores the parsed data for an entire HTML form.)

element objects are local to a single thread. You cannot create new element objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access HTML elements through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. element properties are readonly.



Syntax

element objects are organized into collections of elements. elements [0] refers to the first child element, elements [1] refers to the second child element, etc. To access an individual element's properties, check the length property of the elements collection and use an index number to access the individual elements. For example, to find out how many element objects are contained within forms [1], check the value of:

```
document.forms[1].elements.length
```

You can access a member of the elements collection either by its index number or by its HTML name attribute. For example, suppose that the first element of a form is coded by the HTML tag.

```
<INPUT type="text" name="yourname">
```

You can access this element by writing either of the following expressions:

```
document.forms[0].elements[0]
document.forms[0].elements["yourname"]
document.forms[0].elements.yourname
document.forms[0].yourname
```

Example

Access each element's properties directly using either of the following lines:

```
document.forms[0].elements[0].type
-Or-
document.forms[0].yourname.type
```

Properties

- checked (see checked (property) on page 47)
- cols (see *cols* (*property*) on page 54)
- defaultchecked (see defaultchecked (property) on page 71)
- defaultvalue (see defaultvalue (property) on page 72)
- InnerText (see InnerText (property) on page 155)
- Name (see *Name* (property) on page 173)
- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerImage (see *InnerImage (property)* on page 154)
- InnerText (see InnerText (property) on page 155)
- MaxLength (see *MaxLength* (property) on page 169)
- option (see option (object) on page 182)
- OuterLink (see OuterLink (property) on page 183)



- row (see row (object) on page 216)
- selectedindex (see selectedindex (property) on page 228)
- Size (see Size (property) on page 241)
- title (see *title* (*property*) on page 278)
- type (see *type* (*property*) on page 281)
- Url (see *Url (property)* on page 283)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)

Comment

The most frequently accessed input elements are of type Button, CheckBox, File, Image, Password, Radio, Reset, Select, Submit, Text, and TextArea.

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- Image (see *Image* (object) on page 148)
- Select (on page 223)

EncodeBinary (property)

The EncodeBinary property is identical to the EncodeRequestBinaryData property. For additional information, see *EncodeRequestBinaryData* (property) on page 82.

EncodeFormdata (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Sets the wlGlobals.EncodeFormdata flag.

Generally, when an HTTP client (Microsoft Internet Explorer/Firefox or WebLOAD) sends a post request to the server, the data must be HTTP encoded. Special characters such as blanks, ">" signs, and so on, are replaced by "%xx". For example, a space is encoded as "%20".



Turn off the encoding when the Agenda sends large requests that have no data that needs to be encoded. This improves performance as it bypasses the scanning and reformatting of the request buffer.

GUI mode

In WebLOAD Console, select or deselect the **Encode Form Data** checkbox in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD IDE, select or deselect the **Encode Form Data** checkbox in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Example

wlGlobals.EncodeFormData = true

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see *wlLocals* (*object*) on page 313)

EncodeRequestBinaryData (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Used to specify if the binary data in requests should be encoded. The default value of EncodeRequestBinaryData is **false**.

For example, if a mobile operator wants to simulate the sending of binary data from the browser (phone) to the server. Part of the binary data is a value (for example, phone number) that needs parameterization. When the EncodeRequestBinaryData flag is set to true, the binary form data "x0Ax0BAMIRx00" appears as "%0A%0BAMIR%00" in the script.

Example

wlGlobals.EncodeRequestBinaryData = true



GUI mode

In WebLOAD IDE, check **Encode Binary Data** in the Script Generation tab of the **Recording and Script Generation Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

See also

- EncodeResponseBinaryData (see EncodeResponseBinaryData (property) on page 83)
- EncodeBinary (see *EncodeBinary (property)* on page 81)
- SaveSource (see SaveSource (property) on page 219)

EncodeResponseBinaryData (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Indicates whether binary data sent in responses should be encoded. EncodeResponseBinaryData can be used with web pages that have binary data sent in responses and on which you would want to perform correlation on that binary data.

The default value of EncodeResponseBinaryData is **false**. When set to true, the response will be encoded when the user accesses document.wlSource. The encoding is performed on the original data, when it is accessed. Readable characters that are not letters are not encoded. That is, "!@#\$% $^&*($)" remains "!@#\$% $^&*($)" and carriage return and tab are translated to \r t. The response is saved in document.wlSource only if the SaveSource flag is set to true.

Example

wlGlobals.EncodeResponseBinaryData = true

See also

• EncodeRequestBinaryData (see EncodeRequestBinaryData (property) on page 82)

encoding (property)

Property of Object

• form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)



Description

A read-only string that specifies the MIME encoding for the form.

See also

• form (see *form (object)* on page 94)

EndTransaction() (function)

Description

Use the <code>BeginTransaction()</code> and <code>EndTransaction()</code> functions to define the start and finish of a logical block of code that you wish to redefine as a single logical transaction unit. This enables setting timers, verification tests, and other measurements for this single logical unit.

Syntax

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
TransName	The name assigned to this transaction, a user-supplied string.
Verification	A call to any verification function that returns one of the following values: WLSuccess, WLMinorError, WLError, or WLSevereError. If the verification function does not explicitly return a value, the default value is always WLSuccess. Verification may also be an expression, constant, or variable that evaluates to one of the preceding return values. See VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (function) on page 290), for more information.
[SaveFlag]	An optional Boolean flag specifying whether WebLOAD should save the results of <i>all transaction instances</i> , successes and failures, (true), for later analysis with Data Drilling, or should save only results of <i>failed transaction instances</i> that triggered some sort of error flag, (false, default).
[FailureReason]	An optional user-supplied string that provides a reason for the failure.



GUI mode



Note: BeginTransaction() and EndTransaction() functions are usually accessed and inserted into Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. For example, the following figure illustrates a section in the Agenda Tree bracketed by BeginTransaction and EndTransaction nodes. The EndTransaction node is highlighted in the Agenda Tree.

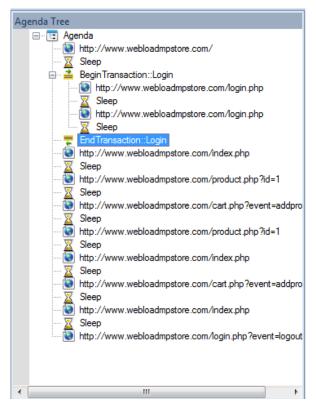


Figure 9: Form Branch in Agenda Tree Bracketed by BeginTransaction and EndTransaction Nodes

To mark the end of a transaction, drag the **End Transaction** \equiv icon from the Load toolbox into the Agenda Tree, directly after the last action you want included in the Agenda.

For additional information about the EndTransaction() function, refer to *Begin and End Transaction* in the *WebLOAD IDE User's Guide*.

- BeginTransaction() (see BeginTransaction() (function) on page 41)
- CreateDOM() (see CreateDOM() (function) on page 63)
- CreateTable() (see *CreateTable()* (function) on page 65)
- ReportEvent() (see ReportEvent() (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)



- TransactionTime (see *TransactionTime* (property) on page 280)
- *Transaction Verification Components* (on page 36)
- TimeoutSeverity (see *TimeoutSeverity (property)* on page 276)
- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (function) on page 290)

EnforceCharEncoding (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Indicates whether the parser should use the character set it parses in the HTML pages or override it using the CharEncoding property. The default value is **false** (use the encoding from the HTML pages).

The EnforceCharEncoding property can be set to one of the following values:

- **true** Use the CharEncoding property.
- **false** (default) Get the encoding from the HTML pages.

Example

wlGlobals.EnforceCharEncoding = false

GUI mode

In WebLOAD Console, check **Enforce Character Encoding** in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default Options** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD IDE, check **Enforce Character Encoding** in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

- CharEncoding (see CharEncoding (property) on page 47)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)



Erase (property)

Property of Object

wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Indicates whether or not to clear the WebLOAD properties of a wlHttp object after each Get(), Post(), or Head() call. wlHttp.Erase is a read/write property. The default value is **true**. This section briefly discusses the implications of each setting.

wlHttp.Erase=true (default)

When Erase is set to true, WebLOAD automatically erases all wlHttp property values after each HTTP access. You must reassign any properties you need before the next HTTP access. For this reason, assign the properties of wlHttp only in the *main script*, not in InitClient(), so they will be reassigned in every round.

Thus if Erase is set to true the following Agenda is incorrect. In this Agenda, the wlHttp properties are assigned values in InitClient(). The Agenda would connect to the Url and submit the FormData only in the first round. After the first Post() call, the Url and FormData property values are erased, so WebLOAD cannot use them in subsequent rounds.

```
function InitClient() { //Wrong!
  wlHttp.Url = "http://www.ABCDEF.com/products.exe"
  wlHttp.FormData["Name"] = "John Smith"
  wlHttp.FormData["Product Interest"] = "Modems"
}
//Main script
wlHttp.Post()
```

To solve the problem, assign the wlHttp property values in the **main script**, so that the assignments are executed before each Get(), Post(), or Head() call:

```
//Main script //OK
wlHttp.Url = "http://www.ABCDEF.com/products.exe"
wlHttp.FormData["Name"] = "John Smith"
wlHttp.FormData["Product Interest"] = "Modems"
wlHttp.Post()
```

Alternatively, you could assign values to wlLocals properties, which are not erased:



```
//Main script
wlHttp.Post()
```

wlHttp.Erase=false

You may set Erase to false to prevent erasure. For example, if for some reason you absolutely had to assign values to the wlHttp properties in the InitClient() function of the Agenda, change the value of the Erase property to false. If Erase is false, the properties retain their values through subsequent rounds.

Thus another way to correct the preceding example is to write:

User-defined properties are not linked to the wlHttp.Erase property and will not be erased automatically by WebLOAD. The only way to reset or erase user-defined properties is for the user to set the new values explicitly.

- Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see *DataFile* (property) on page 67)
- DataCollection.type (see *type* (*property*) on page 281)
- DataCollection.value (see *value* (*property*) on page 287)
- FileName (see FileName (property) on page 92)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Get() (see *Get*() (transaction method) on page 103)
- Header (see *Header (property)* on page 139)
- Post() (see *Post()* (*method*) on page 200)
- wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295)



ErrorMessage() (function)

Description

Use this function to display an error message in the Log Window and abort the current round.

Syntax

ErrorMessage (msg)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
msg	A string with an error message to be sent to the WebLOAD Console.

Comment

If you call ErrorMessage () in the main script, WebLOAD stops the current round of execution. Execution continues with the next round, at the beginning of the main script.

You may also use the wlException object with the built-in try()/catch() commands to catch errors within your Agenda.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends adding message functions to your Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Message function commands can be added to the script in Visual Editing mode using the Toolbox message item and the Insert menu command.

Message function command lines may also be added directly to the code in a JavaScript Object within an Agenda through the IntelliSense Editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19).

- GetMessage() (see GetMessage() (method) on page 128)
- GetSeverity() (see GetSeverity() (method) on page 133)
- InfoMessage() (see InfoMessage() (function) on page 152)
- Message Functions (on page 30)
- ReportLog() (see ReportLog() (method) on page 212)
- SevereErrorMessage() (see SevereErrorMessage() (function) on page 238)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- WarningMessage() (see WarningMessage() (function) on page 293)



- wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300)
- wlException() (see wlException() (constructor) on page 301)

ErrorMessage (property)

Property of Object

wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)

Description

ErrorMessage is used to define a global error message that appears in the Log window when a verification fail error occurs. When defined, ErrorMessage affects all the verifications in which an error message is not defined. If you define an error message for a specific verification, it overrides the global error message defined in the ErrorMessage property.

Example

To set the global error message displayed in the Log window in the event of any verification fail errors to my personalized error message, write:

wlVerification.ErrorMessage = "my personalized error message"

See also

- wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)
- PageContentLength (see PageContentLength (property) on page 185)
- PageTime (see *PageTime* (property) on page 185)
- Severity (see Severity (property) on page 240)
- Function (see *Function (property)* on page 99)
- Title (see Title (function) on page 279)

EvaluateScript() (function)

Description

Enables testers to include scripts and specify the point during Agenda execution at which the script should be executed.

Syntax

EvaluateScript("Script", RunModeConstant)

Parameters



Parameter Name	Description
Script	A valid JavaScript syntax, including function calls.
RunModeConstant	One of the following list of constants that acts as a flag when passed as a parameter to EvaluateScript(). Defines the point during Agenda execution at which WebLOAD should execute the script being included here. Possible choices include:
	WLAfterInitAgenda
	WLBeforeInitClient
	WLBeforeThreadActivation
	• WLOnThreadActivation
	• WLBeforeRound
	• WLAfterRound
	WLAfterTerminateClient
	WLAfterTerminateAgenda

Comment

If the script to be executed is in an external file, use the following:

IncludeFile(filename.js)
EvaluateScript("MyFunction()",WLAfterRound)
Where MyFunction() is defined in filename.js.

event (property)

Property of Objects

- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- script (see *script* (*object*) on page 221)

Description

Represents the event that occurred to the parent object or the event for which the script is written.

ExecuteConcurrent() (function)

Description

Use the ExecuteConcurrent () function to define the point after which all Post and Get HTTP requests, which have been collected since the DefineConcurrent () function was run, are executed. At this point, the collected HTTP requests are executed concurrently, by two or more threads. The number of threads is defined in the



WebLOAD Console in the multithreading number in the Browser Parameters tab of the Agenda Options dialog box.



Note: This function can only be inserted in your Agenda *after* a DefineConcurrent () function. For more information about the DefineConcurrent () function, see *DefineConcurrent()* (function) (on page 72).

When the engine encounters the ExecuteConcurrent () function, it stops collecting the HTTP requests in the Agenda and starts their execution.

Example

```
DefineConcurrent()
...
    <any valid JavaScript code, including Post and Get requests>
...
ExecuteConcurrent()
```

GUI mode



Note: The ExecuteConcurrent () function is usually inserted into Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Drag the **Execute Concurrent** toon, from the Load toolbox, into the Agenda Tree at the desired location.

For additional information about the ExecuteConcurrent() function, refer to *Execute Concurrent* in the *WebLOAD IDE User's Guide*.

See also

DefineConcurrent() (see DefineConcurrent() (function) on page 72)

extractValue()(function)

Description

Use this function to extract a specific string contained within another string.

Syntax

retVarName = extractValue(prefix, suffix, str, instance)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
retVarName	A variable name that will be generated to the agenda
prefix	A string indicating the beginning of the string to be extracted.
suffix	A string indicating the end of the string to be extracted.



Parameter Name	Description
str	The string to be extracted is contained within this string.
instance	When there is more than one appearance of the prefix string following by the suffix string, this optional parameter can be used to indicate the correct string to be returned. The default value is 1. For example, when instance is 3, the third appearance of the prefix string followed by the suffix string indicates the string to be returned.

Return Value

The extractValue function returns the extracted string.

Example

The following function extracts 'x' out of 'axb':

```
retStr = extractValue("a", "b", "axb")
```

Since no instance parameter is specified, WebLOAD automatically adds the default value of the instance parameter:

```
retStr = extractValue("a", "b", "axb",1)
```

The following function extracts 'tttatt' out of 'zzzatttattbaxbzzzbzz':

```
retStr = extractValue("a", "b", "zzzatttattbaxbzzzbzz",1)
```

The following function extracts 'x' out of 'zzzatttattbaxbzzzbzz':

```
retStr = extractValue("a", "b", "zzzatttattbaxbzzzbzz",2)
```

FileName (property)

Property of Object

• wlHttp.DataFile (see *DataFile* (property) on page 67)

Description

This property is a string that holds the name of the file being submitted through an HTTP Post command.

Syntax

```
wlHttp.DataFile.FileName = "DataFileName"
```

See also

• Data (see *Data* (*property*) on page 66)



- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- Erase (see *Erase* (property) on page 87)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Get() (see Get() (transaction method) on page 103)
- Header (see Header (property) on page 139)
- Post() (see *Post() (method)* on page 200)
- type (see type (property) on page 281)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)
- wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

FilterURL (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The value of the FilterURL property is a list of filters separated by semi-colons. When retrieving a resource, the engine checks whether the value of any of these filters appear in the URL. If the value of any of the filters appears in the URL, the URL is not executed. Filtering is only performed during playback.

Example

For example, if FilterURL = "ynet; cnn.com", the engine will filter URLs from ynet.com and ynet.co.il, as well as URLS from cnn.com.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)



form (object)

Property of Object

form objects are grouped into collections of forms. The forms collection is a property of the following object:

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

Specifies that the contained controls are all elements of a form. Each form object stores the parsed data for a complete HTML form (<FORM> tag). A form object contains the complete set of elements and input controls (text, radio buttons, checkboxes, etc.) that are all components of a single form. (Compare to the element (see *element (object)* on page 79) object, which stores the parsed data for a single HTML form element.)

form objects are local to a single thread. You cannot create new form objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access HTML forms through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. form properties are read-only.

form objects are grouped together within collections of forms, as described in Collections (see *Collections* on page 27). A forms collection contains all form links (HTML <FORM> elements) within the document.

Syntax

The forms collection includes a length property that reports the number of form objects within a document (read-only). To find out how many form objects are contained within a document, check the value of:

```
document.forms.length
```

Use an index number to access an individual form's properties. Access each form's properties directly using the following syntax:

```
document.forms[index#].<form-property>
```

You can also access a member of the forms collection by its HTML name attribute. For example, suppose that the first form on an HTML page is introduced by the tag:

You can access this form by writing any of the following expressions:

```
document.forms[0]
document.forms["SignUp"]
document.forms.SignUp
document.SignUp
```



Properties

- element (see element (object) on page 79)
- encoding (see *encoding* (*property*) on page 82)
- id (see *id* (*property*) on page 145)
- method (see method (property) on page 170)
- Name (see Name (property) on page 173)
- target (see target (property) on page 274)
- Url (see *Url (property)* on page 283)

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- document (see document (object) on page 77)
- element (see element (object) on page 79)
- Image (see *Image (object)* on page 148)
- Select (on page 223)

FormData (property)

Property of Object

• wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

A collection containing form field values. WebLOAD submits the field values to the HTTP server when you call the <code>Get()</code>, <code>Post()</code>, or <code>Head()</code> method of the <code>wlHttp</code> object. FormData goes through HTTP encoding before being sent to the server in the same manner as content-type=application/x-www-form-urlencoded.

The collection indices are the field names (HTML name attributes). Before you call wlHttp.Post(), set the value of each element to the data that you want to submit in the HTML field. The fields can be any HTML controls, such as buttons, text areas, or hidden controls.

Method

Use the wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295) method to delete specific FormData fields or clear all the FormData fields at once.



Comment

JavaScript supports two equivalent notations for named collection elements: FormData.FirstName or FormData["FirstName"]. The latter notation also supports spaces in the name, for example, FormData["First Name"].

Getting FormData using Get()

You can get form data using a Get () call. For example:

```
wlHttp.FormData["FirstName"] = "Bill"
wlHttp.FormData["LastName"] = "Smith"
wlHttp.FormData["EmailAddress"] = "bsmith@ABCDEF.com"
wlHttp.Get("http://www.ABCDEF.com/submit.cqi")
```

WebLOAD appends the form data to the URL as a query statement, using the following syntax:

```
http://www.ABCDEF.com/submit.cgi
    ?FirstName=Bill&LastName=Smith
    &EmailAddress=bsmith@ABCDEF.com
```

Submitting FormData using Post()

Suppose you are testing an HTML form that requires name and email address data. You need to submit the form to the submit.cgi program, which processes the data. You can code this in the following way:

```
wlHttp.FormData["FirstName"] = "Bill"
wlHttp.FormData["LastName"] = "Smith"
wlHttp.FormData["EmailAddress"] = "bsmith@ABCDEF.com"
wlHttp.Post("http://www.ABCDEF.com/submit.cgi")
```

The Post() call connects to submit.cgi and sends the FormData fields. In the above example, WebLOAD would post the following fields:

```
FirstName=Bill
LastName=Smith
EmailAddress=bsmith@ABCDEF.com
```

You may also submit FormData with missing fields or with data files.

See also

- Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- Erase (see *Erase* (property) on page 87)
- FileName (see FileName (property) on page 92)
- Get() (see Get() (transaction method) on page 103)



- Header (see *Header (property)* on page 139)
- Post() (see Post() (method) on page 200)
- type (see *type* (*property*) on page 281)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)
- wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295)

frames (object)

Property of Object

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

The frames object retrieves a collection of all window objects defined by the given document or defined by the document associated with the given window. Each window object contains one of the child windows found in a browser window frameset. The frames collection stores the complete parse results for downloaded HTML frames, including nested child windows. Use the frames properties to retrieve information about any child windows to which the current window or document are linked.

frames collections are local to a single thread. WebLOAD creates an independent frames collection for each thread of an Agenda. You cannot create new frames collections using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access HTML frames through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. frames properties are read-only.

Syntax

The frames collection includes a length property that reports the number of frame objects within a document (read-only). To find out how many window objects are contained within a document, check the value of:

```
document.frames.length
```

Use an index number to access an individual frame's properties. Access each window's properties directly using the following syntax:

```
document.frames[#].<child-property>
```

You can also access a member of the frames collection by its HTML name attribute. For example:

```
document.frames["namestring"]
  -Or-
document.frames.namestring
```



Comment

If the GetFrames property is false, the frames collection is empty.

Example

Access each window's properties directly through an index number:

```
document.frames[1].location
```

Access the first child window using the following expression:

```
frames[0]
```

Access the first child window's link objects directly using the following syntax:

```
frames[0].frames[0].links[#].property>
For example:
```

document.frames[0].links[0].protocol

Properties

- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- Index (see *Index (property)* on page 151)
- Name (see *Name* (property) on page 173)
- title (see title (property) on page 278)
- Url (see *Url (property)* on page 283)

See also

- *Collections* (on page 27)
- GetFrames (see GetFrames (property) on page 116)

Function (property)

Property of Object

• wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)

Description

Function is used to define a global JavaScript function called when a verification fail error occurs. When defined, Function affects all the verifications in which a JavaScript function is not defined. If you define a JavaScript function for a specific verification, it overrides the global JavaScript function defined in the Function property.



To set the global JavaScript function called in the event of any verification fail errors to GetOperatingSystem(), write:

wlVerification.Function = GetOperatingSystem()

See also

- wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)
- PageContentLength (see PageContentLength (property) on page 185)
- PageTime (see *PageTime* (property) on page 185)
- Severity (see Severity (property) on page 240)
- ErrorMessage (see *ErrorMessage* (property) on page 90)
- Title (see *Title* (function) on page 279)

GeneratorName() (function)

Description

GeneratorName () provides a unique identification for the current Load Generator instance, even with multiple spawned processes running simultaneously. The identification string is composed of a combination of the current Load Generator name, computer name, and other internal markers.

Syntax

GeneratorName()

Return Value

Returns a unique identification string for the current Load Generator.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends accessing global system variables, including the GeneratorName () identification function through the WebLOAD IDE. All the variables that appear in this list are available for use at all times in an Agenda file. In the WebLOAD IDE main window, click **Variables Windows** in the **Debug** tab of the ribbon.

For example, it is convenient to add GeneratorName() to a Message Node to clarify which Load Generator sent the messages that appear in the WebLOAD Console Log window.



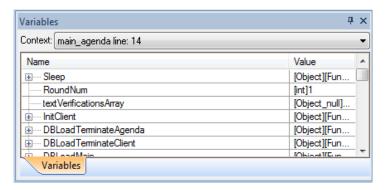


Figure 10: Variables List in WebLOAD IDE

See also

- ClientNum (see ClientNum (variable) on page 50)
- GetOperatingSystem() (see GetOperatingSystem() (function) on page 130)
- *Identification Variables and Functions* (on page 29)
- RoundNum (see RoundNum (variable) on page 215)
- VCUniqueID() (see VCUniqueID() (function) on page 289)

Get() (method)

Get() (addition method)

Method of Objects

- wlGeneratorGlobal (see wlGeneratorGlobal (object) on page 302)
- wlSystemGlobal (see wlSystemGlobal (object) on page 326)

Description

Returns the current value of the specified shared variable.

Syntax

Get("SharedVarName", ScopeFlag)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
SharedVarName	The name of a shared variable whose value should be returned.



Parameter Name	Description
ScopeFlag	One of two flags, WLCurrentAgenda or WLAllAgendas, signifying the scope of the shared variable.
	When used as a method of the wlGeneratorGlobal object:
	• The WLCurrentAgenda scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of a single Agenda, part of a single process, running on a single Load Generator.
	 The WLAllAgendas scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of one or more Agendas, common to a single spawned process, running on a single Load Generator.
	When used as a method of the wlsystemGlobal object:
	 The WLCurrentAgenda scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of a single Agenda, potentially shared by multiple processes, running on multiple Load Generators, system wide.
	 The WLAllAgendas scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of all Agendas, run by all processes, on all Load Generators, system-wide.

Return Value

Returns the current value of the specified shared variable.

Example

```
CurrentCount =
    wlGeneratorGlobal.Get("MySharedCounter", WLCurrentAgenda)
CurrentCount =
    wlSystemGlobal.Get("MyGlobalCounter", WLCurrentAgenda)
```

See also

- Add() (see *Add*() (method) on page 39)
- Set() (see Set() (addition method) on page 233)

Get() (cookie method)

Method of Objects

- location (see *location (object)* on page 167)
- wlCookie (see wlCookie (object) on page 296)

Description

Searches for the value of a specific cookie and returns it. If there is more than one cookie with the same name, the method returns the first occurrence.



Syntax

wlCookie.Get(name[, domain][, path])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
name	A descriptive name identifying the cookie, for example, "CUSTOMER".
domain	The top-level domain name of the cookie, for example, "www.ABCDEF.com".
path	The top-level directory path, within the specified domain, of the cookie, for example, "/".

Return Value

Returns the value of the cookie found.

Example

```
retValue = wlCookie.Get("CUSTOMER", "www.ABCDEF.com", "/")
```

Get() (transaction method)

Method of Objects

This function is implemented as a method of the following object:

• wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Perform an HTTP or HTTPS Get command. The method gets the FormData, Data, or DataFile properties in the Get command. In this way, you can get any type of data from an HTTP server.

Syntax

```
Get([URL] [, TransName])
```



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
[URL]	An optional parameter identifying the document URL.
	You may optionally specify the URL as a parameter of the method. Get() connects to the first URL that has been specified from the following list, in the order specified:
	A url parameter specified in the method call.
	• The Url property of the wlHttp object.
	• The local default wllocals.Url.
	The global default wlGlobals.Url.
[TransName]	An optional user-supplied string with the transaction name as it will appear in the Statistics Report.
	Use <i>named transactions</i> to identify specific HTTP transactions by name. This simplifies assigning counters when you want WebLOAD to automatically calculate a specific transaction's occurrence, success, and failure rates.
	The run-time statistics for transactions to which you have assigned a name appear in the Statistics Report. For your convenience, WebLOAD offers an Automatic Transaction option. In the WebLOAD Console, select Automatic Transaction from the General Tab of the Global Options dialog box. Automatic Transaction is set to true by default. With Automatic Transaction, WebLOAD automatically assigns a name to every Get and Post HTTP transaction. This makes statistical analysis simpler, since all HTTP transaction activity is measured, recorded, and reported for you automatically. You do not have to remember to add naming instructions to each Get and Post command in your Agenda. The name assigned by WebLOAD is simply the URL used by that Get or Post transaction. If your Agenda includes multiple transactions to the same URL, the information will be collected cumulatively for those transactions.

Example

```
function InitAgenda() {
   //Set the default URL
   wlGlobals.Url = "http://www.ABCDEF.com"
}

//Main script

//Connect to the default URL:
wlHttp.Get()
```



Use named transactions as a shortcut in place of the

BeginTransaction()...EndTransaction() module. For example, this is one way to identify a logical transaction unit:

Using the named transaction syntax, you could write:

For the HTTPS protocol, include "https://" in the URL and set the required properties of the wlGlobals object:

```
wlHttp.Get("https://www.ABCDEF.com")
```

Comment

You may not use the TransName parameter by itself. Get () expects to receive either *no* parameters, in which case it uses the Agenda's default URL, or *one* parameter, which must be an alternate URL value, or *two* parameters, including both a URL value and the transaction name to be assigned to this transaction.

See also

- BeginTransaction() (see *BeginTransaction()* (function) on page 41)
- CreateDOM() (see CreateDOM() (function) on page 63)
- CreateTable() (see *CreateTable()* (function) on page 65)
- Data (see *Data* (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see *DataFile* (property) on page 67)
- Erase (see *Erase* (property) on page 87)



- FileName (see *FileName* (property) on page 92)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Head() (see Head() (method) on page 138)
- Header (see Header (property) on page 139)
- Post() (see *Post() (method)* on page 200)
- ReportEvent() (see ReportEvent() (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see *VerificationFunction()* (user-defined) (function) on page 290)

GetApplets (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables the retrieval of Java Applets in an HTML page. The default value of GetApplets is **true**.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.GetApplets = true

See also

- GetCss() (see GetCss (property) on page 107)
- GetEmbeds() (see *GetEmbeds* (property) on page 112)
- GetFrames() (see GetFrames (property) on page 116)
- GetImages() (see *GetImages* (property) on page 120)
- GetOthers() (see GetOthers (property) on page 130)
- GetScripts() (see GetScripts (property) on page 133)
- GetXml() (see GetXml() (property) on page 137)



GetCss (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables the retrieval of cascading style sheets in an HTML page. The default value of GetCss is **true**.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.GetCss = true

See also

- GetApplets() (see GetApplets (property) on page 106)
- GetEmbeds() (see GetEmbeds (property) on page 112)
- GetFrames() (see GetFrames (property) on page 116)
- GetImages() (see GetImages (property) on page 120)
- GetOthers() (see *GetOthers* (property) on page 130)
- GetScripts() (see GetScripts (property) on page 133)
- GetXml() (see GetXml() (property) on page 137)

GetElementById() (function)

Description

Used to retrieve the element with the specified identification value by querying the DOM of the HTML from the last response.

Syntax

GetElementById("id")

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
id	The identification value of the element to retrieve, enclosed in quotation marks.



Return Value

The first element with the requested identification value or Null if no element was found.

See also

- GetElementByName() (see GetElementByName() (function) on page 109)
- GetElementsById() (see GetElementsById() (function) on page 108)

GetElementsById() (function)

Description

Used to retrieve an array of all elements with the specified identification value by querying the DOM of the HTML from the last response.



Note: An element can be from the document.forms[].elements[], document.links[] or document.images[] collections.

Syntax

GetElementsById("id")

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
id	The identification value of the elements to retrieve, enclosed in quotation marks.

Return Value

A list of the requested elements.

Example

```
wlHttp.Get("www.abc.com")
var elementArr = GetElementsById("id4");
for (var i in elementArr) {
  var elm = elementArr[i];
  InfoMessage( "ID:" + elm.id + ", Name:" + elm.name + ", Type:" + elm.type + ", Value:" + elm.value );
}
```

The expected output is:

```
4.11 ID:id4, Name:event, Type:hidden, Value:search 4.23 ID:id4, Name:process, Type:hidden, Value:login
```



See also

- GetElementsByName() (see GetElementsByName() (function) on page 109)
- GetElementById() (see GetElementById() (function) on page 107)

GetElementByName() (function)

Description

Used to retrieve the element with the specified name by querying the DOM of the HTML from the last response.



Note: An element can be from the document.forms[].elements[], document.links[] or document.images[] collections.

Syntax

GetElementByName("name")

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
name	The name of the element to retrieve, enclosed in quotation marks.

Return Value

The first element with the requested name or Null if no element was found.

See also

- GetElementsByName() (see GetElementsByName() (function) on page 109)
- GetElementById() (see GetElementById() (function) on page 107)

GetElementsByName() (function)

Description

Used to retrieve an array of all elements with the specified name by querying the DOM of the HTML from the last response.



Note: An element can be from the document.forms[].elements[], document.links[] or document.images[] collections.

Syntax

GetElementsByName("name")



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
name	The name of the elements to retrieve, enclosed in quotation marks.

Return Value

A list of the requested elements.

Example

See also

- GetElementByName() (see GetElementByName() (function) on page 109)
- GetElementsById() (see GetElementsById() (function) on page 108)

GetElementValueById() (function)

Description

Used to retrieve the value of the element with the specified identification value by querying the DOM of the HTML from the last response.



Note: An element can be from the document.forms[].elements[], document.links[] or document.images[] collections.

Syntax

GetElementValueById("id")

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
id	The identification value of the element, enclosed in quotation marks.



Return Value

The value of the first element with the requested identification value or Null if no element was found.

Example

GetElementValueById("sessionid")

See also

• GetElementValueByName() (see GetElementValueByName() (function) on page 111)

GetElementValueByName() (function)

Description

Used to retrieve the value of the element with the specified name by querying the DOM of the HTML from the last response.



Note: An element can be from the document.forms[].elements[], document.links[] or document.images[] collections.

Syntax

GetElementValueByName("name")

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
name	The name of the element, enclosed in quotation marks.

Return Value

The value of the first element with the requested name or Null if no element was found.

Example

```
wlHttp.Get("http://www.webloadmpstore.com/login.php")
var elementArr = GetElementValueByName("event");
for (var i in elementArr ) {
  var elm = elementArr[i];
  InfoMessage( "Name:" + elm.name + ", ID:" + elm.id + ", Type:" + elm.type + ", Value:" + elm.value );
}
```

See also

• GetElementValueById() (see GetElementValueById() (function) on page 110)



GetEmbeds (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables the retrieval of embedded objects in an HTML page. The default value of GetEmbeds is **true**.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.GetEmbeds = true

See also

- GetApplets() (see GetApplets (property) on page 106)
- GetCss() (see GetCss (property) on page 107)
- GetFrames() (see GetFrames (property) on page 116)
- GetImages() (see GetImages (property) on page 120)
- GetOthers() (see GetOthers (property) on page 130)
- GetScripts() (see GetScripts (property) on page 133)
- GetXml() (see GetXml() (property) on page 137)

GetFieldValue() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the HTML value attribute (initial value) of a form field, given its name attribute.

Syntax

GetFieldValue(FieldName [, frame])



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
FieldName	The name of the field whose value is to be retrieved.
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.

Return Value

The requested value of the specified field.

Example

ClientFirstName = wlHtml.GetFieldValue("FirstName")

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method only searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

GetFieldValueInForm() (method)

Method of Object

wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the HTML value attribute (initial value) of a form field, given its name attribute. This method is similar to GetFieldValue(), but the search is limited to a specific form within a specific frame.

Syntax

GetFieldValueInForm(FormIndex, FieldName [, frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
FormIndex	Index number that identifies the specific form to which the search is to be limited.
FieldName	The name of the field whose value is to be retrieved.
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.

Return Value

The requested HTML value attribute of the form field.



If an HTML page includes two frames with a form in the second frame.

```
wlHtml.GetFieldValueInForm(0, "FirstName", Frame1) searches the first form in Frame1 and returns "Bill".
```

Comment

The method does not search within nested frames. Omit the optional frame parameter if the HTML page does not contain frames.

GetFormAction() (method)

Method of Object

wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve a form object, representing a <FORM> element. The action attribute specifies the URL where the form data is to be submitted.

Syntax

GetFormAction(FormIndex [, frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
FormIndex	Index number that identifies the specific form to which the search is to be limited.
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.

Return Value

The requested form object.

Example

If an HTML page includes two frames with a form in the second frame

```
wlHtml.GetFormAction(0, Frame1) returns a form object for the form.
```

Comment

The method does not search within nested frames. Omit the optional frame parameter if the HTML page does not contain frames.



GetFrameByUrl() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve a frame object given its URL.

Syntax

GetFrameByUrl(UrlPattern [, frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
UrlPattern	The URL for the frame requested.
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.

Return Value

The requested frame.

Example

```
//Retrieve Frame0
Frame0 = wlHtml.GetFrameByUrl("http://MyCompany/Frame0.html")
//Retrieve Frame0.1
Frame0 1 = wlHtml.GetFrameByUrl("http://MyCompany/Frame0B.html")
```

You may use * as a wildcard character in the URL. The method returns the first frame matching the search pattern. For example:

```
// To match URL (http://MyCompany/Frame0B.html)
Frame0 1 = wlHtml.GetFrameByUrl("*B.htm*")
```

You may narrow the search to frames nested within a specific parent frame by specifying the optional frame parameter. For example:

```
//Search within Frame0 and retrieve Frame0.0
Frame0 0 = wlHtml.GetFrameByUrl("*/MyCompany/*",Frame0)
```

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

Comment out GetFrames=false when you use the GetFrameByUrl method.



GetFrames (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables the retrieval of Frames and IFrames in an HTML page. The default value of GetFrames is **true**.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: Although the default value for GetFrames is true, during recording, the following is automatically inserted in the script:

wlGlobals.GetFrames=false;

Example

wlGlobals.GetFrames = true

Comments

When GetMetas is true, GetFrames should also be true as the redirection is retrieved as a frame (see *GetMetas* (*property*) on page 129).

See also

- GetApplets() (see GetApplets (property) on page 106)
- GetCss() (see GetCss (property) on page 107)
- GetEmbeds() (see GetEmbeds (property) on page 112)
- GetImages() (see GetImages (property) on page 120)
- GetOthers() (see GetOthers (property) on page 130)
- GetScripts() (see GetScripts (property) on page 133)
- GetXml() (see GetXml() (property) on page 137)

GetFrameUrl() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)



Description

Retrieve a location object representing the URL of an HTML page. Optionally, specify a nested frame.

Syntax

GetFrameUrl([frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.

Comment

Comment out GetFrames=false when you use the GetFrameByUrl method.

Return Value

The requested location object.

Comment

This method is equivalent to the location property of a frame object (see *frames (object)* on page 98).

GetHeaderValue() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the value of an HTTP header field.

Syntax

GetHeaderValue(HeaderName [, frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
HeaderName	The name of the header whose value is to be retrieved.
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.

Return Value

The requested HTTP header field value.



For the following HTTP Header example:

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Server: Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F
Date: Sun, 11 Jan 1998 08:25:20 GMT
Content-type: text/html
Connection: close
Host: Server2.MyCompany.com:80
wlHtml.GetHeaderValue("Host")
returns "Server2.MyCompany.com".
-Or-
document.wlHeaders["host"]
document.frame[0].wlHeaders["host"]
```

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

If you are specifying a frame, comment out GetFrames=false.

GetHost() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the host of a URL, including the port number.

Syntax

GetHost([frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.

Return Value

The requested host information.



For the following HTTP Header example:

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK

Server: Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F

Date: Sun, 11 Jan 1998 08:25:20 GMT

Content-type: text/html

Connection: close

Host: Server2.MyCompany.com:80

wlHtml.GetHost()

returns "Server2.MyCompany.com:80".

-Or-

document.wlHeaders["hostname"]

document.frame[0].wlHeaders["hostname"]
```

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

If you are specifying a frame, comment out GetFrames=false.

GetHostName() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the host name of a URL, not including the port number.

Syntax

GetHostName([frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.

Return Value

The requested host name.



For the following HTTP Header example:

HTTP/1.1 200 OK

Server: Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F Date: Sun, 11 Jan 1998 08:25:20 GMT

Content-type: text/html

Connection: close

Host: Server2.MyCompany.com:80

wlHtml.GetHostName()

returns "Server2.MyCompany.com".

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

If you are specifying a frame, comment out GetFrames=false.

GetImages (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables the retrieval of images in an HTML page. The default value of GetImages is true.

When GetImages is false, the load engine does not retrieve the images from an HTML page.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.GetImages = true

See also

- GetApplets() (see GetApplets (property) on page 106)
- GetCss() (see GetCss (property) on page 107)



- GetEmbeds() (see *GetEmbeds (property)* on page 112)
- GetFrames() (see GetFrames (property) on page 116)
- GetOthers() (see *GetOthers* (property) on page 130)
- GetScripts() (see GetScripts (property) on page 133)
- GetXml() (see GetXml() (property) on page 137)

GetImagesInThinClient (property)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

When set to true, the "Thin" client will retrieve images. The default value of GetImagesInThinClient is **false**.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.GetImagesInThinClient = true

See also

- SetClientType (see SetClientType (function) on page 235)
- Collections (on page 27)
- document (see document (object) on page 77)
- Header (see *Header (property)* on page 139)
- wlSearchPairs (see wlSearchPairs (object) on page 320)

GetIPAddress() (method)

Method of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)



Description

Returns the identity of the *current* IP address.

Syntax

```
GetIPAddress()
```

Return Value

Returns a string with the IP address for the current Virtual Client.

Example

```
wlHttp.MultiIPSupport = true
CurrentIPAddress = wlHttp.GetIPAddress()
wlHttp.Get()
```

Comment

Requesting the identity of the *current* IP address is only meaningful if your Agenda is handling more than one IP address. GetIPAddress() therefore can only return a value if MultiIPSupport=true. If MultiIPSupport is turned off this method will return "Undefined".

The scope of MultiIPSupport depends, of course, on whether it was set through wlGlobals, wlLocals, or wlHttp. For example, if your Agenda sets wlGlobals.MultiIPSupport, then GetIPAddress() returns a value at any point in the Agenda. If you set only wlHttp.MultiIPSupport, then GetIPAddress() returns a value only if called before the next immediate HTTP transaction.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

GetLine() (function)

Description

The GetLine () function reads and parses data from an ASCII file. The function reads the file one line at a time in the following way:

- If you opened the file using the default sequential mode (see *Open() (function)* on page 180), then:
 - The first GetLine () call in any thread of a Load Generator reads the first line of the file.



- Each successive call in any thread of any process of the Load Generator (across the master and slave processes of a single Load Generator/Agenda combination) reads the next line of the file.
- When the last line of the file has been read, the next access loops back to the first line of the file.
- If you opened the file for random access (see *Open()* (function) on page 180), each successive call in any thread of any process of the Load Generator (across the master and slave processes of a single Load Generator/Agenda combination) reads some randomly selected line of the file. To read the input file lines in random order, you must include <code>Open(filename, WLRandom)</code> in the Agenda's <code>InitAgenda()</code> function.

In this way, a relatively small file can supply an unending stream of test data, and different clients are supplied with different sequences of data.



Note: The last line of the file should not include a carriage return.

Syntax

GetLine(filename[, delimiter])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
filename	A string with the name of the file being read. May optionally include the full directory path.
[delimiter]	Optional character separating fields in one line of the input file. Default delimiter character is a comma.

Return Value

The GetLine function returns an array containing both the full lines and the individual tokens. The array (called LineArray in this example) includes the following elements:

LineArray[0]-the complete line. For example:

```
"John, Smith, jsmith@ABC.com"
```

LineArray[1]-the first token. In this example:

"John"

• LineArray[2]-the second token. In this example:

"Smith"

• LineArray[3]-the third token. In this example:

"jsmith@ABC.com"

- LineArray.RoundNum-number of rounds through the file (including the current round). For example: 4
- LineArray.LineNum-the number of the line that was just read. For example: 1



To read and parse the next line of the mydata.txt ASCII input file, in this case including a directory path:

```
LineArray = GetLine("c:\\temp\\mydata.txt")
To specify a different delimiter:
LineArray = GetLine("c:\\temp\\mydata.txt", ":")
```

Comment

JavaScript requires that you double the backslash in strings. If your directory path includes the backslash character, remember to double the backslashes, as in the preceding example.

If the line found in the file contains no separator characters, then the entire line is considered to be a single token. In that case, the function returns a two-element array (LineArray[0] and LineArray[1]), each containing the entire line.

See also

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see CopyFile() (function) on page 61)
- delete() (see *delete()* (*method*) on page 74)
- *File Management Functions* (on page 28)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Open() (see *Open()* (function) on page 180)
- Reset() (see *Reset*() (method) on page 213)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile() (constructor) on page 318)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)

GetLine() (method)

Method of Object

• wlInputFile (see wlInputFile (object) on page 311)



Description

The GetLine () function reads and parses data from an ASCII file. The function reads the file one line at a time in the following way:

- If you opened the file using the default WLFileSequential access method (see *Open() (method)* on page 177), then:
 - The first GetLine () call in any thread of a Load Generator reads the first line of the file.
 - Each successive call in any thread of any process of any Load Generator reads the next line of the file.
 - When the last line of the file has been read, the next access loops back to the first line of the file.
- If you opened the file using the WLFileSequentialUnique access method (see *Open() (method)* on page 177), then the procedure is basically as when using the WLFileSequential access mode, except that the if the value/row is being used by another VC, it is not retrieved, but skipped.
- If you opened the file using the WLFileRandom access method (see *Open() (method)* on page 177), GetLine() reads a random value/row from the file, where there might be multiple access to the same line by different Load Generator machines.
- If you opened the file using the WLFileRandomUnique access method (see Open()
 (method) on page 177), GetLine() reads a unique, unused value/row randomly
 from the file.



Note: The last line of the file should not include a carriage return.

Syntax

strInputFileLine = myFileObj.getLine(delimiter)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
delimiter	Optional character separating fields in one line of the input file.
	Default delimiter character is a comma.

Return Value

The GetLine function returns an array containing both the full lines and the individual tokens. The array (called strInputFileLine in this example) includes the following elements:

strInputFileLine [0]-the complete line. For example:

"John, Smith, jsmith@ABC.com"

strInputFileLine [1]-the first token. In this example:

"John"



strInputFileLine [2]-the second token. In this example:

```
"Smith"
```

• strInputFileLine [3]-the third token. In this example:

```
"jsmith@ABC.com"
```

• strInputFileLine.LineNum-the number of the line that was just read. For example: 1

Example

To read and parse the next line of the ASCII input file specified in myFileObj:

```
strInputFileLine = GetLine(",")
```

Comment

If the line found in the file contains no separator characters, then the entire line is considered to be a single token. In that case, the function returns a two-element array (strInputFileLine[0] and strInputFileLine[1]), each containing the entire line.

See also

- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- wlInputFile (see wlInputFile() (constructor) on page 312)

GetLinkByName() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve a location object representing a link, given the hypertext display.

Syntax

GetLinkByName(Hypertext [, frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
Hypertext	The hypertext displayed in the desired link.
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.



Return Value

The requested location object.

Example

Suppose the HTML on a page contains:

Product information
In this example,

```
wlHtml.GetLinkByName("Product information")
returns a location object for http://MyCompany/link1.html.
```

The search is case sensitive. You may use the * wildcard character in the Hypertext string. For example,

```
wlHtml.GetLinkByName("*roduct info*")
also returns an object for http://MyCompany/link1.html.
```

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

If you are specifying a frame, comment out GetFrames=false.

GetLinkByUrl() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve a location object representing a link, given part of the URL string.

Syntax

GetLinkByUrl(UrlPattern [, frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
UrlPattern	The URL of the desired link. Use the * wildcard character to represent the missing parts.
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to limit the scope of the search to a specific frame.



Return Value

The requested location object.

Example

Suppose the HTML on a page contains:

```
<A href="http://MyCompany/link1.html">Product information </A>
In this example,
```

```
wlHtml.GetLinkByUrl("*link1.htm*")
returns a location object for http://MyCompany/link1.html.
```

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

If you are specifying a frame, comment out GetFrames=false.

GetMessage() (method)

Method of Object

wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300)

Description

Returns the message string text stored in this object.

Syntax

```
wlExceptionObject.GetMessage()
```

Return Value

Text string of the error message for this object.

Example

MeaningfulErrorMessage = myExceptionObject.GetMessage()

See also

- ErrorMessage() (see ErrorMessage() (function) on page 89)
- GetSeverity() (see GetSeverity() (method) on page 133)
- InfoMessage() (see *InfoMessage()* (function) on page 152)
- Message Functions (on page 30)



- ReportLog() (see ReportLog() (method) on page 212)
- SevereErrorMessage() (see SevereErrorMessage() (function) on page 238)
- Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor (on page 19)
- WarningMessage() (see WarningMessage() (function) on page 293)
- wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300)

GetMetas (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

The GetMetas property, when set to true, enables the support of redirection for non-recorded scripts, for websites using the HTML META tag (for example, www.ynet.co.il).



Note: Since Agendas that were recorded automatically include the redirected URL, the GetMetas property should be used only in Agendas that were written manually and that contain a URL with meta direction.

Example

wlGlobals.GetMetas = false

Comments

- Because the redirection is retrieved as a frame, the GetFrames property must be set to true (see *GetFrames (property)* on page 116).
- The additional wlHttp.GET will not be part of the script (it will be like frame 0).
- The desired page will be requested only on playback.
- The page will not be visible in WebLOAD IDE's Browser View. This is because
 redirection will not be performed (the document will not be replaced). WebLOAD
 implements the redirected URL by adding a frame to the parent HTML. That is, the
 first page will be added with an extra frame containing the redirection URL (fully
 parsed and all the objects in it will be get).



GetOperatingSystem() (function)

Description

Returns a string identifying the operating system running on the current Load Generator.

Syntax

GetOperatingSystem()

Return Value

Returns the name of the operating system running on the current Load Generator in the format of the operating system name followed by some version identification.

For example, if the Load Generator is working with a Solaris platform, this function would return the string 'Solaris' followed by the version name and release number, such as SunOS2.

If the Load Generator is working with a Linux platform, this function would return the string 'Linux' followed by the version name and release number, such as RedHat1.

If the Load Generator is working with a Windows platform, possible return values include:

- Windows 95
- Windows 98
- Windows NT/2000 (ServicePack#)
- Windows XP
- Windows (for any other Windows version)

See also

- ClientNum (see *ClientNum* (variable) on page 50)
- GeneratorName() (see GeneratorName() (function) on page 100)
- *Identification Variables and Functions* (on page 29)
- RoundNum (see RoundNum (variable) on page 215)
- VCUniqueID() (see VCUniqueID() (function) on page 289)

GetOthers (property)

Property of Object

wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)



- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables the retrieval of objects not covered by the other Get methods in an HTML page. The default value of GetOthers is **true**.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.GetOthers = true

See also

- GetApplets() (see GetApplets (property) on page 106)
- GetCss() (see GetCss (property) on page 107)
- GetEmbeds() (see *GetEmbeds (property)* on page 112)
- GetFrames() (see GetFrames (property) on page 116)
- GetImages() (see *GetImages* (property) on page 120)
- GetScripts() (see GetScripts (property) on page 133)
- GetXml() (see GetXml() (property) on page 137)

GetPortNum() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the port number of the current URL.

Syntax

GetPortNum([frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description	
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to retrieve the port of a specific frame.	

Return Value

The requested number.



Example

For the following HTTP Header example:

HTTP/1.1 200 OK

Server: Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F Date: Sun, 11 Jan 1998 08:25:20 GMT

Content-type: text/html

Connection: close

Host: Server2.MyCompany.com:80

wlHtml.GetPortNum() would return a value such as 80.

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

If you are specifying a frame, comment out GetFrames=false.

GetQSFieldValue() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the value of a search attribute in a URL. The search attributes are the fields following the ? symbol, appended to the end of a URL.

Syntax

GetQSFieldValue(Url, FieldName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description	
Url	The complete URL string to be parsed and searched.	
FieldName	The name of the field whose value is to be retrieved.	

Return Value

The requested value.



Example

The following search string:

```
wlHtml.GetQSFieldValue("http://www.ABCDEF.com/query.exe" +
    "?SearchFor=icebergs&SearchType=ExactTerm","SearchFor")
returns "icebergs".
```

GetScripts (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables the retrieval of external JavaScript scripts in an HTML page. The default value of GetScripts is **true**.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.GetScripts = true

See also

- GetApplets() (see GetApplets (property) on page 106)
- GetCss() (see GetCss (property) on page 107)
- GetEmbeds() (see *GetEmbeds (property)* on page 112)
- GetFrames() (see GetFrames (property) on page 116)
- GetImages() (see GetImages (property) on page 120)
- GetOthers() (see GetOthers (property) on page 130)
- GetXml() (see GetXml() (property) on page 137)

GetSeverity() (method)

Method of Object

• wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300)



Description

Returns the severity level value stored in this object.

Syntax

wlExceptionObject.GetSeverity()

Return Value

Integer, representing one of the following error level values:

- WLError-this specific transaction failed and the current test round was aborted.
 The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and begins a new round.
- WLSevereError-this specific transaction failed and the test session must be stopped completely. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and the Load Generator on which the error occurred is stopped.

Example

SeverityLevel = myExceptionObject.GetSeverity()

See also

- ErrorMessage() (see *ErrorMessage()* (function) on page 89)
- GetMessage() (see GetMessage() (method) on page 128)
- InfoMessage() (see *InfoMessage()* (function) on page 152)
- Message Functions (on page 30)
- ReportLog() (see ReportLog() (method) on page 212)
- SevereErrorMessage() (see SevereErrorMessage() (function) on page 238)
- Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor (on page 19)
- WarningMessage() (see WarningMessage() (function) on page 293)
- wlException() (see wlException() (constructor) on page 301)

GetStatusLine() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the status string from the HTTP header.



Syntax

GetStatusLine([frame])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description	
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to retrieve the status string of a specific frame.	

Return Value

The requested status string.

Example

For the following HTTP Header example:

HTTP/1.1 200 OK

Server: Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F Date: Sun, 11 Jan 1998 08:25:20 GMT

Content-type: text/html

Connection: close

Host: Server2.MyCompany.com:80

wlHtml.GetStatusLine() would return "OK".

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

If you are specifying a frame, comment out GetFrames=false.

GetStatusNumber() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the status code from the HTTP header.

Syntax

GetStatusNumber([frame])



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description	
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to retrieve the status code of a specific frame.	

Return Value

The requested status number.

Example

For the following HTTP Header example:

HTTP/1.1 200 OK

Server: Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F Date: Sun, 11 Jan 1998 08:25:20 GMT

Content-type: text/html

Connection: close

Host: Server2.MyCompany.com:80

wlHtml.GetStatusNumber() would return 200.

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

If you are specifying a frame, comment out GetFrames=false.

GetUri() (method)

Method of Object

• wlHtml (see wlHtml (object) on page 309)

Description

Retrieve the URI part of a URL. The URI is the portion of the address following the host name.

Syntax

GetUri([frame])



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description	
[frame]	An optional frame specification, used to retrieve the URI of a specific frame.	

Return Value

The requested URI string.

Example

For the following HTTP Header example:

HTTP/1.1 200 OK

Server: Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F Date: Sun, 11 Jan 1998 08:25:20 GMT

Content-type: text/html

Connection: close

Host: Server2.MyCompany.com:80

wlHtml.GetUri() would return "WebPage.html".

Comment

By default, the method searches in all frames of the parse tree and returns the first match. You may narrow the search by specifying an optional frame parameter. In that case, the method searches within the specified frame and all its nested frames.

If you are specifying a frame, comment out GetFrames=false.

GetXML (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see *wlLocals* (*object*) on page 313)

Description

Enables the retrieval of external XML in an HTML page. The default value of GetXML is **true**.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Example

wlGlobals.GetXML = true

See also

- GetApplets() (see GetApplets (property) on page 106)
- GetCss() (see GetCss (property) on page 107)
- GetEmbeds() (see *GetEmbeds (property)* on page 112)
- GetFrames() (see GetFrames (property) on page 116)
- GetImages() (see GetImages (property) on page 120)
- GetOthers() (see GetOthers (property) on page 130)
- GetScripts() (see GetScripts (property) on page 133)

hash (property)

Property of Object

- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)

Description

The HTML anchor portion of the URL, not including the # initial symbol (read-only string).

Example

Given the following HTML fragment:

Head() (method)

Method of Object

wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Perform an HTTP or HTTPS Head command.



Syntax

Head()

Comment

This method operates in the same way as Get(), but it retrieves only the HTTP or HTTPS header from the server. It does not download the body of the URL, such as a Web page.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Get() (see Get() (transaction method) on page 103)
- Post() (see *Post()* (*method*) on page 200)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Header (property)

Property of Object

• wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

A collection of HTTP header fields that you want to send in a Get(), Post(), or Head() call.

Example

By default, WebLOAD sends the following header in any HTTP command:

```
host: <host>
user-agent: Radview/HttpLoader 1.0
accept: */*
Here, <host> is the host name to which you are connecting, for example:
www.ABCDEF.com:81.
You may reset these properties, for example, as follows:
wlHttp.UserAgent = "Mozilla/4.03 [en] (WinNT; I)"
```



Alternatively, you can use the Header property to override one of the default header fields. For example, you can redefine the following header field:

```
wlHttp.Header["user-agent"] = "Mozilla/4.03 [en] (WinNT; I)"
```

GUI mode

WebLOAD offers a simple way to reset configuration properties using the various tabs of the **Default Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon. Resetting configuration properties as you run and rerun various testing scenarios enables you to fine tune your tests to match your exact needs at that moment. For example, you can reset the user-agent value through the Browser Parameters tab.

Comment

Use the wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295) method to delete specific Header fields or clear all the Header fields at once.

You cannot override the host header or set a cookie header using the Header property. To set a cookie, see wlCookie (see *wlCookie* (*object*) on page 296)

Use the wlHttp.Header property to change or reset specific individual values immediately before executing the next wlHttp GET/POST request.

Any information set using the wlHttp.Header property takes priority over any defaults set through the GUI (recommended) or using the wlGlobals, wlLocals, or wlHttp properties. If there is any discrepancy between the document header information and the HTTP values, WebLOAD will work with the information found in the wlHttp.Header property while also issuing a warning to the user.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- Erase (see Erase (property) on page 87)
- FileName (see FileName (property) on page 92)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Get() (see Get() (transaction method) on page 103)
- Post() (see Post() (method) on page 200)
- type (see type (property) on page 281)
- UserAgent (see UserAgent (property) on page 285)
- value (see *value* (*property*) on page 287)
- wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295)



- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

host (property)

Property of Object

- link (see link (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)

Description

The host portion of the URL, including both the host name and the port (read-only string).

Example

Given the following HTML fragment:

hostname (property)

Property of Object

- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)

Description

The host name portion of the URL (read-only string).

Example

Given the following HTML fragment:



href (property)

Property of Object

- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)

Description

The complete URL of the link (read-only string).

Example

Given the following HTML fragment:

Comment

The href property contains the entire URL. The other link properties contain portions of the URL. links [#].href is the default property for the link object. For example, if

```
links[0]='http://microsoft.com'
then the following two URL specifications are equivalent:
mylink=links[0].href
and
mylink=links[0]
```

HttpCacheScope (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see *wlLocals* (*object*) on page 313)

Description

Defines when the Http cache will be cleared. Possible values are:

• **None** – Defines that all Virtual Clients simulate a browser with no available cache.



- **SingleCommand** Defines that cache be cleared after each request.
- **SingleCommandIfModified** Defines that WebLOAD will check for a newer version of the cached item with every request. Whenever the engine has a request for a cached resource, the engine sends the request with an "if-modified-since" header. If the server responds with a 200 status, the engine will refresh the cache.
- **SingleRound** Defines that cache be cleared after each Agenda execution round. This is the default value for the HttpCacheScope property.
- **WholeRun** Defines that the cache will never be cleared. Each client maintains its own cache.
- WholeRunIfModified Defines that WebLOAD will check for a newer version of the cached item after each round. Whenever the engine has a request for a cached resource, the engine sends the request with an "if-modified-since" header. If the server responds with a 200 status, the engine will refresh the cache.

Example

wlGlobals.HttpCacheScope = "SingleCommand"

GUI mode

In the WebLOAD IDE, select one of the cache scope options in the Browser Cache tab of the **Default/Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.



Note: The default value for the cache scope is **SingleRound**.

See also

HttpCacheCachedTypes (see HttpCacheCachedTypes (property) on page 143)

HttpCacheCachedTypes (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Specifies the type of content to include in the HTTP cache: None, HTML, JS, CSS, XML, Applet, Image, Dynamic (a URL with a query string). The default value is **JS**, **CSS**, **XML**, **Applet**, **Image**.

Example

wlGlobals.HttpCacheCachedTypes = "Image, CSS"



GUI mode

For wlGlobals.HttpCacheCachedTypes, you can also set the Cache Content Filter from WebLOAD IDE or Console.

In WebLOAD IDE, in the **Browser Cache** tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box, select either the **Default** or **User Filter** in the Cache Content Filter area. If you select **User Filter**, check the relevant filters.

In WebLOAD Console, in the **Browser Cache** tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box or the **Agenda Options** dialog box, select either the **Default** or **User Filter** in the Cache Content Filter area. If you select **User Filter**, check the relevant filters.

See also

HttpCacheScope (see HttpCacheScope (property) on page 142)

httpEquiv (property)

Property of Object

wlMetas (see wlMetas (object) on page 314)

Description

Retrieves the value of the HTTP-EQUIV attribute of the META tag (read-only string).

Syntax

wlMetas[index#].httpEquiv

Example

document.wlMetas[0].httpEquiv

See also

- content (see *content* (*property*) on page 56)
- Name (see Name (property) on page 173)
- Url (see Url (property) on page 283)

HttpsProxy, HttpsProxyUserName, HttpsProxyPassWord (properties)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)



• wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Identifies the proxy server that the Agenda uses for HTTP SSL access when UseSameProxyforSSL is set to false. The user name and password are for SSL proxy servers that require user authorization. These properties are used when you are working with a separate SSL proxy.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Syntax

wlGlobals.httpsProxyProperty = "TextString"

Example

```
wlGlobals.httpsProxy = "proxy.ABCDEF.com:8080"
wlGlobals.httpsProxyUserName = "Bill"
wlGlobals.httpsProxyPassWord = "Classified"
```

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Security in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord (see Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord (properties) on page 205)
- ProxyNTUserName, ProxyNTPassWord (see ProxyNTUserName, ProxyNTPassWord (properties) on page 207)
- HttpsProxyNTUserName, HttpsProxyNTPassWord (see *HttpsProxyNTUserName*, *HttpsProxyNTPassWord* (properties) on page 145)
- UseSameProxyForSSL (see *UseSameProxyForSSL* (property) on page 286)

HttpsProxyNTUserName, HttpsProxyNTPassWord (properties)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Provides user authorization to the proxy server that the Agenda uses for HTTP SSL access on Windows servers when UseSameProxyforSSL is set to false.



Syntax

wlGlobals.httpsProxyNTProperty = "TextString"

Example

```
wlGlobals.httpsProxyNTUserName = "Bill"
wlGlobals.httpsProxyNTPassWord = "Classified"
```

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Security in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- HttpsProxy, HttpsProxyUserName, HttpsProxyPassWord (see HttpsProxy, HttpsProxyUserName, HttpsProxyPassWord (properties) on page 145)
- Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord (see Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord (properties) on page 205)
- ProxyNTUserName, ProxyNTPassWord (see ProxyNTUserName, ProxyNTPassWord (properties) on page 207)
- UseSameProxyForSSL (see UseSameProxyForSSL (property) on page 286)

id (property)

Property of Objects

- element (see *element (object)* on page 79)
- form (see form (object) on page 94)
- frames (see *frames* (object) on page 98)
- Image (see Image (object) on page 148)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)
- script (see *script* (*object*) on page 221)
- Select (on page 223)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)
- wlXmls (see wlXmls (object) on page 334)

Description

Retrieves the string identifying the parent object. The ID value is taken from the ID attribute within the tag. This property is optional. If this object does not have an ID attribute then the value is undefined.



When working with element, forms, frames, image, or map objects, returns a string containing an alternative identification means for the complete image, map, forms or frame or for elements of type Button, CheckBox, File, Image, Password, Radio, Reset, Select, Submit, Text, and TextArea.

Example

wlTables example:

If the first table on a page is assigned the ID tag myTable, access the table using any of the following:

```
document.wlTables[0]
-Or-
document.wlTables.myTable
-Or-
document.wlTables[myTable]
```

If duplicate identifiers are found, the id property will refer to the first wlTables object found with that identifier.

wlXmls example:

If the first XML object on a page is assigned the ID tag myXmlDoc, access the object using any of the following:

```
MyBookstore = document.wlXmls[0]
-Or-
MyBookstore = document.wlXmls.myXmlDoc
-Or-
MyBookstore = document.wlXmls["myXmlDoc"]
```

If duplicate identifiers are found, the id property will refer to the first XML object found with that identifier.

See also

- cell (see cell (object) on page 44) (wlTables and row property)
- cellIndex (see cellIndex (property) on page 46) (cell property)
- Collections (on page 27)
- cols (see cols (property) on page 54) (wlTables property)
- Compare() (see *Compare()* (*method*) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see CompareColumns (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see CompareRows (property) on page 55)
- Details (see *Details (property)* on page 75)



- id (see id (property) on page 145) (wlTables property)
- InnerHTML (see InnerHTML (property) on page 153) (cell property)
- InnerText (see InnerText (property) on page 155) (cell property)
- load() (see *load()* (*method*) on page 162)
- loadXML() (see *loadXML()* (*method*) on page 166)
- load() and loadXML() Method Comparison (on page 163)
- MatchBy (see *MatchBy* (property) on page 169)
- Prepare() (see *Prepare()* (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)
- row (see row (object) on page 216) (wlTables property)
- rowIndex (see rowIndex (property) on page 218) (row property)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)
- tagName (see tagName (property) on page 273) (cell property)
- Working with HTTP Protocol in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- XMLDocument (see XMLDocument (property) on page 339)

Image (object)

Property of Objects

Image objects on a Web page are accessed through the document.all collection of the standard DOM structure.

Description

Each Image object represents one of the images or video clips embedded in a document (HTML element). Image objects are accessed through Images *Collections* (on page 27). (Compare to the element (see *element* (*object*) on page 79) object, which stores the parsed data for a single HTML form element, where the element may be any one of a variety of types, and the form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94) object, which stores the parsed data for an entire HTML form.)

image objects are grouped together within collections of images, accessed directly through the document object (document.images [#]).



Syntax

To find out how many image objects are contained within a document, check the value of:

```
document.images.length
```

Access each image's properties directly using the following syntax:

```
document.images[index#].<image-property>
```

Example

document.images[1].src

Properties

- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerLink (see *InnerLink* (property) on page 154)
- Name (see Name (property) on page 173)
- OuterLink (see OuterLink (property) on page 183)
- protocol (see protocol (property) on page 205)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)
- Url (see Url (property) on page 283)

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)
- Select (on page 223)

IncludeFile() (function)

Description

Instructs WebLOAD to include the specified file, and optionally execute scripts that are stored within that file, as part of the initialization process before beginning the main Agenda execution rounds. Encourages modular programming by enabling easy access to sets of library function files.

Syntax

IncludeFile(filename[, WLExecuteScript])



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description	
filename	A string or variable containing the full literal name of the file to be included. WebLOAD assumes that the file is located in the default directory specified in the File Locations tab (User Include Files entry) in the Tools > Global Options dialog box in the WebLOAD Console or in the Tools > Settings dialog box in the WebLOAD IDE. For additional information about the included file's location, refer to <i>Determining the Included File Location</i> in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide. Once the file is found, any functions or variables defined within that file are compiled and included within the calling Agenda when the Agenda is compiled.	
WLExecuteScript	WLExecuteScript is a global constant that acts as a flag when passed as a parameter to IncludeFile(). WLExecuteScript is an optional parameter. When included, WebLOAD will not only compile the definitions found in the specified file. WebLOAD will also execute any additional commands or functions found within that file outside the included function definitions. With WLExecuteScript, WebLOAD enables work with self-initializing include files that can define, set, and execute the commands necessary to initialize a work environment at compile time.	

Example

To include the external file MyFunction.js, located on the WebLOAD Console during WebLOAD testing, use the following command:

```
function InitAgenda() {
    IncludeFile("MyFunction.js")
}
```

Comment

The IncludeFile command must be inserted in the InitAgenda() section of your JavaScript program.

The load engine first looks for the file to be included in the default User Include Files directory. If the file is not there, the file request is handed over to WebLOAD, which searches for the file using the following search path order:

1. If a full path name has been hardcoded into the IncludeFile command, the system searches the specified location. If the file is not found in an explicitly coded directory, the system returns an error code of File Not Found and will not search in any other locations.



Note: It is not recommended to hardcode a full path name, since the Agenda will then not be portable between different systems. This is especially important for networks that use both UNIX and Windows systems.



- 2. Assuming no hardcoded full path name in the Agenda code, the system looks for the file in the current working directory, the directory from which WebLOAD was originally executed.
- 3. Finally, if the file is still not found, the system searches for the file sequentially through all the directories listed in the File Locations tab.

See also

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see CopyFile() (function) on page 61)
- delete() (see *delete()* (*method*) on page 74)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see *GetLine()* (function) on page 122)
- Open() (see *Open()* (function) on page 180)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)

Index (property)

Property of Objects

• frames (see *frames* (*object*) on page 98)

Description

Sets or retrieves the index number of the parent object. For example, the ordinal position of an option in a list box.

See also

Collections (on page 27)



InfoMessage() (function)

Description

Displays a generally informative (but not necessarily problematic) message in the Log Window.

Syntax

InfoMessage(msg)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description	
msg	A string with an informative message to be sent to the WebLOAD Console.	

Comment

If you call InfoMessage () in the main script, WebLOAD sends an informative message to the Log window and continues with Agenda execution as usual. The message has no impact on the continued execution of the WebLOAD test.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends adding message functions to your Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Message function command lines may also be added directly to the code in a JavaScript Object within an Agenda through the IntelliSense Editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19).

See also

- GetMessage() (see GetMessage() (method) on page 128)
- GetSeverity() (see GetSeverity() (method) on page 133)
- ErrorMessage() (see *ErrorMessage()* (function) on page 89)
- Message Functions (on page 30)
- ReportLog() (see *ReportLog()* (method) on page 212)
- SevereErrorMessage() (see SevereErrorMessage() (function) on page 238)
- Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor (on page 19)
- WarningMessage() (see WarningMessage() (function) on page 293)
- wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300)
- wlException() (see wlException() (constructor) on page 301)



InnerHTML (property)

Property of Objects

- cell (see *cell* (*object*) on page 44)
- script (see *script* (*object*) on page 221)
- wlXmls (see wlXmls (object) on page 334)

Description

Sets or retrieves the HTML found between the start and end tags of the object.

Syntax

When working with cell objects, use the uppercase form:

```
...cells[2].InnerHTML
```

When working with script or wlxmls objects, use the lowercase form:

```
...scripts[2].innerHTML
```

Comment

The InnerHTML property for cell objects is written in uppercase.

See also

- cell (see *cell* (*object*) on page 44) (wlTables and row property)
- cellIndex (see *cellIndex* (*property*) on page 46) (cell property)
- *Collections* (on page 27)
- cols (see *cols* (*property*) on page 54) (wlTables property)
- Compare() (see *Compare()* (*method*) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see CompareColumns (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see *CompareRows* (property) on page 55)
- Details (see *Details (property)* on page 75)
- id (see *id* (*property*) on page 145) (wlTables property)
- InnerImage (see *InnerImage* (property) on page 154)
- InnerText (see *InnerText (property)* on page 155) (cell property)
- load() (see *load()* (*method*) on page 162)
- loadXML() (see *loadXML()* (*method*) on page 166)
- load() and loadXML() Method Comparison (on page 163)
- MatchBy (see MatchBy (property) on page 169)



- Prepare() (see *Prepare*() (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)
- row (see row (object) on page 216) (wlTables property)
- rowIndex (see *rowIndex* (*property*) on page 218) (row property)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)
- tagName (see tagName (property) on page 273) (cell property)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)
- XMLDocument (see XMLDocument (property) on page 339)

InnerImage (property)

Property of Object

- element (see element (object) on page 79)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)

Description

Sets or retrieves the image found between the <Start> and <End> tags of the object. When working with a button object, the image that appears on the button. When working with a link or location object, the image that appears over the link. When working with a TableCell object, the image that appears over a table cell.

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153)
- InnerText (see *InnerText* (property) on page 155)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)

InnerLink (property)

Property of Objects

Image (see Image (object) on page 148)

Description

Represents the inner link field for the parent image object.



See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)
- Select (on page 223)

InnerText (property)

Property of Object

- cell (see *cell* (*object*) on page 44)
- element (see *element* (*object*) on page 79)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see *location (object)* on page 167)

Description

Sets or retrieves *only the text* found between the <Start> and <End> tags of the object. When working with a Button element object, the text that appears on the button. When working with a link or location object, the text that appears over the link. When working with a TableCell object, the text that appears over a table cell.

See also

- cell (see *cell* (*object*) on page 44) (wlTables and row property)
- cellIndex (see *cellIndex* (*property*) on page 46) (cell property)
- *Collections* (on page 27)
- cols (see *cols* (*property*) on page 54) (wlTables property)
- Compare() (see *Compare()* (method) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see CompareColumns (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see *CompareRows* (property) on page 55)
- Details (see *Details* (*property*) on page 75)
- element (see *element* (*object*) on page 79)
- id (see id (property) on page 145) (wlTables and wlXmls property)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (*property*) on page 153) (cell and wlXmls property)
- InnerImage (see *InnerImage (property)* on page 154)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)
- MatchBy (see *MatchBy* (property) on page 169)



- Prepare() (see *Prepare()* (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)
- row (see *row* (*object*) on page 216) (wlTables property)
- rowIndex (see rowIndex (property) on page 218) (row property)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)
- tagName (see tagName (property) on page 273) (cell property)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)

JVMType (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The JVMType property indicates the JVM to be used in the Load Generator. The value of this property is defined using the WebLOAD Console or IDE and overrides the JVM definition in webload.ini.

The value (string) of this property is the key for WLJVMs.xml. This file (located on every WebLOAD Machine in the <WebLOAD Installation Directory>\extensions\JVMs directory) contains the following parameters for each JVM:

- Type (the value from the flag)
- Path (should be machine-agnostic)
- Options

When Type is "Default", the RadView default (installed) JVM will be used. The default JVM's path is defined in webload.ini, as it depends on the WebLOAD installation path.



Note: The classpath definitions are defined in webload.ini.

GUI mode

In WebLOAD Console, select a JVM from the **Select run-time JVM to be used** drop-down list in the Java Options tab of the **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.



In WebLOAD IDE, select a JVM from the **Select run-time JVM to be used** drop-down list in the Java Options tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

KDCServer (property)

Property of Objects

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

Specifies the address of the Key Distribution Center (KDC) server if you are using the Kerberos authentication method.



Note: The KDCServer property is only relevant for playback.

Syntax

KDCServer(ServerName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description	
ServerName	The name of the KDC server if you are using the Kerberos authentication method.	

Example

wlGlobals.KDCServer = "qa4"

GUI mode

To specify the name of the KDC server if you are using the Kerberos authentication method:

- In WebLOAD Console, select the Kerberos radio button and enter the address of the KDC server in the Kerberos Server field in the Authentication tab of the **Default, Current Session**, or **Agenda Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.
- In WebLOAD IDE, select the Kerberos radio button and enter the address of the KDC server in the Kerberos Server field in the Authentication tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Comment

Only the server name should be specified in KDCServer. For example, specify "qa4" rather than "qa4.radview.co.il".



See also

AuthType (see AuthType (property) on page 40)

KeepAlive (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enable WebLOAD to keep an HTTP connection alive between successive accesses in the same round of the main script. The possible values are:

- false Do not keep an HTTP connection alive.
- true Keep the connection alive if the server permits.
 (default)

Keeping a connection alive saves time between accesses. WebLOAD attempts to keep the connection alive unless you switch to a different server. However, some HTTP servers may refuse to keep a connection alive.

Use the wlHttp.CloseConnection() method to explicitly close a connection that you have kept alive. Otherwise, the connection is automatically closed at the end of each round.

Comment

You should not keep a connection alive if establishing the connection is part of the performance test.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends maintaining or closing connections through the WebLOAD Console. Enable maintaining connections for the Load Generator or for the Probing Client during a test session by checking the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- CloseConnection() (see CloseConnection() (method) on page 53)
- Rules of Scope for Local and Global Variables in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide



Working with HTTP Protocol in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide

KeepRedirectionHeaders (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Used to indicate whether to get the location headers of all redirections. The default value of KeepRedirectionHeaders is false.

Example

wlGlobals.KeepRedirectionHeaders = true

Comment

This property is useful for the following scenario, which occurs in correlation. During a redirection, in the middle of one of the URLs, there is a parameter in the Location header that is needed for the next Get. Since only the headers of the last Get in a series of redirections are stored in document.wlHeaders, the KeepRedirectionHeaders property, when set to true, enables all the headers in a series of redirections to be saved. The value can be extracted from document.wlHeaders after the navigation is complete.

See also

SaveHeaders (see SaveHeaders (property) on page 219)

key (property)

Property of Objects

- Header (see Header (property) on page 139)
- wlHeaders (see wlHeaders (object) on page 308)
- wlSearchPairs (see wlSearchPairs (object) on page 320)

Description

The search key name (read-only).



Syntax

For wlHeaders:

```
document.wlHeaders[index#].key = "TextString"
```

For wlSearchPairs:

document.links[1].wlSearchPairs[index#].key = "TextString"

For wlHttp.Header:

```
wlHttp.Header["key"] = "TextString"
```

Example

For wlHeaders:

```
document.wlHeaders[0].key = "Server"
```

For wlSearchPairs:

```
document.links[1].wlSearchPairs[0].key = "Server"
```

For wlHttp.Header:

```
wlHttp.Header["key"] = "Server"
```

See also

• value (see *value* (*property*) on page 287)

language (property)

Property of Object

• script (see *script* (*object*) on page 221)

Description

Retrieves the language in which the current script is written.

Example

"javascript" specifies that the script is written in JavaScript.

"vbscript" specifies that the script is written in Visual Basic Script.



link (object)

Property of Objects

Links on a Web page are accessed through link objects that are grouped into collections of links. The links collection is a property of the document object.

Description

A link object contains information on an external document to which the current document is linked. Each link object points to one of the URL links (HTML <A> elements) within the document. Each link object stores the parsed data for the HTML link (<A> element).

link objects are local to a single thread. You cannot create new link objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access HTML links through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. link properties are read-only.

link objects are organized into Collections (see *Collections* on page 27) of links or anchors. To access an individual link's properties, check the length property of the links collection and use an index number to access the individual links.

Syntax

To find out how many link objects are contained within a document, check the value of:

```
document.links.length
```

Access each link's properties directly using the following syntax:

document.links[#].<link-property>

Example

document.links[1].protocol

Properties

- hash (see hash (property) on page 138)
- host (see host (property) on page 141)
- hostname (see *hostname* (*property*) on page 141)
- href (see href (property) on page 142)
- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerImage (see *InnerImage (property)* on page 154)
- InnerText (see InnerText (property) on page 155)
- Name (see Name (property) on page 173)
- pathname (see *pathname* (*property*) on page 200)



- port (see port (property) on page 200)
- protocol (see protocol (property) on page 205)
- search (see search (property) on page 222)
- target (see target (property) on page 274)
- title (see *title* (*property*) on page 278)
- Url (see *Url (property)* on page 283)
- wlSearchPairs (see wlSearchPairs (object) on page 320)

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- document (see document (object) on page 77)

load() (method)

Method of Objects

XML DOM objects on a Web page are accessed through collections of wlXmls objects. The load() function is a method of the following object:

• wlXmls (see wlXmls (object) on page 334)

Description

Call load (URL) to download XML documents from a website and automatically load these documents into XML DOM objects.

Do not include any external references when using load().

load () relies on the MSXML parser to performs any HTTP transactions needed to download the XML document. The MSXML module accesses external servers and completes all necessary transactions without any control or even knowledge on the part of the WebLOAD system tester. From WebLOAD's perspective, these transactions are never performed in the context of the test session. For this reason, any settings that the user enters through the WebLOAD Agenda or Console will not be relayed to the MSXML module and will have no effect on the document 'load'. For the same reason, the results of any transactions completed this way will not be included in the WebLOAD statistics reports.

Syntax

load(URLString)



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description	
URLString	String parameter with the URL or filename where the XML document may be found.	

Example

```
myXMLDoc = document.wlXmls[0]
myXMLdoc.load("http://server/xmls/file.xml")
```

Comment

You may use <code>load()</code> repeatedly to load and reload XML data into XML DOM objects. Remember that each new 'load' into an XML DOM object will overwrite any earlier data stored in that object.

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153)
- loadXML() (see loadXML() (method) on page 166)
- load() and loadXML() Method Comparison (on page 163)
- src (see src (property) on page 246)
- XMLDocument (see XMLDocument (property) on page 339)

load() and loadXML() Method Comparison

Description

WebLOAD supports both the <code>load()</code> and the <code>loadXML()</code> methods to provide the user with maximum flexibility. The following table summarizes the advantages and disadvantages of each method:

Table 5: load() and loadxml() Comparison

	Advantages	Disadvantages
loadXML()	Parameters that the user has defined through WebLOAD for the testing session will be applied to this transaction.	The method fails if the DTD section of the XML document string includes any external references.



	Advantages	Disadvantages
load()	The user may load XML files that include external references in the DTD section.	Parameters that the user has defined through WebLOAD for the testing session will not be applied to this transaction. WebLOAD does not record the HTTP Get operation. The transaction results are not included in the session statistics report. Using this method may adversely affect the test session results.

Comment

If you wish to measure the time it took to load the XML document using the <code>load()</code> method, create a timer whose results will appear in the WebLOAD statistics. For example:

```
myXMLDoc = document.wlXmls[0]
SetTimer("GetXMLTime")
myXMLdoc.load("http://server/xmls/file.xml")
SendTimer("GetXMLTime")
```

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- id (see *id* (*property*) on page 145)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153)
- load() (see load() (method) on page 162)
- loadXML() (see loadXML() (method) on page 166)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)
- wlXmls (see wlXmls (object) on page 334)
- XMLDocument (see XMLDocument (property) on page 339)

LoadGeneratorThreads (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)



Description

Optionally, WebLOAD can allocate extra threads to download nested images and frames.

For clients that you define in a Load Generator, this option is controlled by the LoadGeneratorThreads property. The default value of this property is **Single**, which means that Virtual Clients will not use extra threads to download data from the Server.

For the Probing Client, the option is controlled by the ProbingClientThreads property. The default is **Multiple**, which means that the client can use three extra threads for nested downloads. This simulates the behavior of Web browsers, which often use extra threads to download nested images and frames.

The possible values of these properties are:

- Single Do not use extra threads to download nested images and frames. (default for LoadGeneratorThreads)
- Multiple Allocate three extra threads per client (for a total of four threads per client) to download nested images and frames (default for ProbingClientThreads).
- Any specific number of threads between 1 and 8, such as "5" Allocate that exact number of extra threads per client to download nested images and frames.

Example

You can assign any of these properties independently within a single Agenda. In that case, if you configure a Probing Client to run the Agenda, WebLOAD uses the value of ProbingClientThreads and ignores LoadGeneratorThreads (vice versa if you configure a Load Generator to run the Agenda). For example, you might write:

```
function InitAgenda() {
    //Do not use extra threads if a
    // Probing Client runs the Agenda
    wlGlobals.ProbingClientThreads = "Single"
    //Use extra threads if a
    // Load Generator runs the Agenda
    wlGlobals.LoadGeneratorThreads = "Multiple"
}
```

Comment

The extra threads have no effect on the ClientNum value of the client. The ClientNum variable reports only the main thread number of each client, not the extra threads.



GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends enabling or disabling multi-threaded virtual clients through the WebLOAD Console. Enable multi-threading for the Load Generator or for the Probing Client during a test session by checking the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box and setting the number of threads you prefer.

See also

- HTTP Components (on page 24)
- ProbingClientThreads (see ProbingClientThreads (property) on page 203)
- Rules of Scope for Local and Global Variables in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide

loadXML() (method)

Method of Object

XML DOM objects on a Web page are accessed through collections of wlxmls objects. The loadXML() function is a method of the following objects:

wlXmls (see wlXmls (object) on page 334)

Description

Call <code>loadXML</code> (XMLDocString) to load XML documents into XML DOM objects. This allows users to work with XML documents and data that did not originate in HTML Data Islands, such as with Native Browsing. In a typical scenario, a user downloads an XML document. WebLOAD saves the document contents in string form. The string is then used as the parameter for <code>loadXML()</code>. The information is loaded automatically into an XML object.



Note: Creating a new, blank XML DOM object with WLXmlDocument() and then loading it with a parsed XML string using loadXML() is essentially equivalent to creating a new XML DOM object and loading it immediately using WLXmlDocument(xmlStr). As with the WLXmlDocument(xmlStr) constructor, only standalone, self-contained DTD strings may be used for the loadXML() parameter. External references in the DTD section are not allowed.

Syntax

loadXML(XMLDocStr)



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
XMLDocStr	String parameter that contains a literal XML document in string format.

Example

```
//create a new XML document object
NewXMLObj = new WLXmlDocument()
wlHttp.SaveSource = true
wlHttp.Get("http://www.server.com/xmls/doc.xml")
XMLDocStr = document.wlSource
//load the new object with XML data
//from the saved source. We are assuming
//no external references, as explained above
NewXMLObj.loadXML(XMLDocStr)
```

Comment

You may use <code>loadXML()</code> repeatedly to load and reload XML data into XML DOM objects. Remember that each new 'load' into an XML DOM object will overwrite any earlier data stored in that object.

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerHTML (see InnerHTML (property) on page 153)
- load() (see load() (method) on page 162)
- load() and loadXML() Method Comparison (on page 163)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)
- XMLDocument (see XMLDocument (property) on page 339)

location (object)

Property of Objects

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

A location object stores the parsed URL and location data of the frame or root window. For an overview of parsing, see *Parsing Web pages* in the *WebLOAD Scripting Guide*.



location objects are local to a single thread. You cannot create new location objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access HTML locations through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. The properties of location are read-only.

Syntax

Access the location's properties directly using the following syntax:

document.location.<location-property>

Properties



Note: The properties of location are identical to those of link. The only exception is that location has no target property. Also, the location object is not part of any collection. The location properties are listed below for reference.

- hash (see hash (property) on page 138)
- host (see host (property) on page 141)
- hostname (see *hostname* (*property*) on page 141)
- href (see href (property) on page 142)
- id (see *id* (property) on page 145)
- InnerText (see *InnerText* (property) on page 155)
- Name (see *Name* (property) on page 173)
- pathname (see *pathname* (*property*) on page 200)
- port (see port (property) on page 200)
- protocol (see *protocol* (*property*) on page 205)
- search (see *search* (*property*) on page 222)
- title (see *title* (*property*) on page 278)
- Url (see *Url (property)* on page 283)
- wlSearchPairs (see wlSearchPairs (object) on page 320)

Comment

The href property contains the entire URL. The other location properties contain portions of the URL. location.href is the default property for the location object. For example, if

location='http://microsoft.com'

then the following two URL specifications are equivalent:

mylocation=location.href

-Or-



mylocation=location

See also

• link (see *link* (object) on page 161)

MaxLength (property)

Property of Object

• element (see *element (object)* on page 79)

Description

The maximum number of characters the user can enter into a Text or Password element.

MaxPageTime (function)

Description

Verifies the PageTime of the service response. If the PageTime (time to download the page) exceeds the specified maximum value, the verification fails.

Syntax

wlVerification.MaxPageTime(timeLimit, severity)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
timeLimit	The maximum amount of time to download the page in seconds.
severity	Possible values of this parameter are:
	WLSuccess. The transaction terminated successfully.
	 WLMinorError. This specific transaction failed, but the test session may continue as usual. The Agenda displays a warning message in the Log window and continues execution from the next statement.
	 WLError. This specific transaction failed and the current test round was aborted. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and begins a new round.
	 WLSevereError. This specific transaction failed and the test session must be stopped completely. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and the Load Generator on which the error occurred is stopped.



See also

- wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)
- PageContentLength (see PageContentLength (property) on page 185)
- Severity (see *Severity (property)* on page 240)
- Function (see Function (property) on page 99)
- ErrorMessage (see ErrorMessage (property) on page 90)
- Title (see *Title* (function) on page 279)

method (property)

Property of Object

• form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)

Description

Specifies the method that the browser should use to send the form data to the server (read-only string). A value of "Get" will append the arguments to the action URL and open it as if it were an anchor. A value of "Post" will send the data through an HTTP Post transaction. The default is "Post".

MultiIPSupport (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

WebLOAD enables use of all available IP addresses. This allows testers to simulate clients with different IP addresses using only one Load Generator. You must first generate additional IP addresses on your machine to use when testing and then set the MultilpSupport property to true to enable multiple IP support. For more information about generating additional IP addresses, see *Generating IP Addresses in the Agenda* in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide.



Note: Setting the MultilpSupport property to true without generating additional IP addresses on your machine will not enable multiple IP support.



The possible values of wlGlobals.MultilPSupport are:

- **false** Use only one IP address. (default)
- true Use all available IP addresses.

When connecting Load Generators through a modem, MultilPSupport should be set to false.

Probing Clients use only one IP address. Load Generators are set by default to use only one IP address, but may be set to use multiple IP addresses through the MultiIPSupport property.

GUI mode

In WebLOAD Console, check or uncheck **Multi IP Support** in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD IDE, check or uncheck **Multi IP Support** in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Comment

When the Load Generator has more than one IP address (one or more addresses on a network interface card or one or more network interface cards) WebLOAD uses ALL of the available IP addresses. Before setting MultilPSupport to true, make sure that all of the Applications Being Tested to which the Agenda refers are accessible through all the network interface cards.

Use the GetIPAddress() (see *GetIPAddress*() (*method*) on page 121) method to check the identity of the current IP address.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- GetIPAddress() (see GetIPAddress() (method) on page 121)
- Rules of Scope for Local and Global Variables in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- MultiIPSupportType() (see MultiIPSupportType (property) on page 171)

MultiIPSupportType (property)

Property of Objects

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)



- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The MultiIPSupportType property works with the wlGlobals.MultiIPSupport property, and supports the following values:

- **PerClient** (default) Preserves the current behavior. This means that there are different IPs per client but the same IP is used for all rounds.
- PerRound Supports the use of a different IP from the pool per client, per round, until the pool is exhausted, after which it returns to the beginning.

This property is only referenced when wlGlobals.MultilPSupport is true.



Note: To support multiple IP addresses, you must generate additional IP addresses on your machine and then set the MultilpSupport property to true. For more information about generating additional IP addresses, see *Generating IP Addresses in the Agenda* in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide.

GUI mode

In WebLOAD Console, check or uncheck **Multi IP Support** in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD IDE, check or uncheck **Multi IP Support** in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Comment

When the Load Generator has more than one IP address (one or more addresses on a network interface card or one or more network interface cards), WebLOAD uses ALL of the available IP addresses. Before setting MultilPSupport to true, make sure that all of the Systems under Test (SUT) to which the Agenda refers are accessible through all the network interface cards.

Use GetIPAddress() (see *GetIPAddress*() (method) on page 121) to check the identity of the current IP address.

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- GetIPAddress() (see GetIPAddress() (method) on page 121)
- MultiIPSupport() (see *MultiIPSupport* (property) on page 170)
- Rules of Scope for Local and Global Variables in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide



MultiIPSupportProtocol (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The MultiIPSupportProtocol property works with the wlGlobals.MultiIPSupport property, and supports the following values:

- All (default) Support both the IPv4 and IPv6 protocols.
- IPv4Only Support only the IPv4 IP protocol.
- **IPv6Only** Support only the IPv6 IP protocol.

This property is only referenced when wlGlobals.MultilPSupport is true.

GUI mode

In WebLOAD Console, check or uncheck **Multi IP Support** in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD IDE, check or uncheck **Multi IP Support** in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- GetIPAddress() (see GetIPAddress() (method) on page 121)
- MultiIPSupport() (see MultiIPSupport (property) on page 170)
- Rules of Scope for Local and Global Variables in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide

Name (property)

Property of Objects

- element (see element (object) on page 79)
- form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)
- frames (see *frames* (*object*) on page 98)



- Image (see *Image (object)* on page 148)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)
- Select (on page 223)
- wlMetas (see wlMetas (object) on page 314)

Description

Sets or retrieves the identification string of the parent object.



Note: You can access a collection member either by its index number or by its HTML name attribute.

When working with a wlMetas collection, the Name property holds the value of the NAME attribute of the META tag.

When working with an elements collection, the Name property holds the HTML name attribute of the form element (read-only string). The is the identification string for elements of type Button, CheckBox, File, Image, Password, Radio, Reset, Select, Submit, Text, and TextArea. The name attribute is required. If a form element does not have a name, WebLOAD does not include it in the elements collection.

Syntax

Collection members may be accessed either through an index number or through a member name, if it exists. For example:

Access the first child window on a Web page using the following expression:

```
frames[0]
```

Access the first child window's link objects directly using the following syntax:

```
frames[0].frames[0].links[#].cproperty>
```

Alternatively, you may access a member of the frames collection by its HTML name attribute. For example:

```
document.frames["namestring"]
-Or-
```

document.frames.namestring

- Collections (on page 27)
- content (see content (property) on page 56)
- httpEquiv (see httpEquiv (property) on page 143)
- Url (see Url (property) on page 283)



NTUserName, NTPassWord (properties)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The user name and password that the Agenda uses for Windows NT Challenge response authentication (NT Challenge Response).

Comments

A user is only authenticated once during a round with a set of credentials. Each subsequent request will use these credentials regardless of what is contained in the Agenda. If the value of these credentials are changed after authentication, they will only be used during the next round, not during the current round.

For example, if you are trying to send a request to a URL with a group of users (user1, user2, and user3), but user1 has already been authenticated, the login is always performed for user1 until the round is complete.

GUI mode

By default, WebLOAD senses the appropriate authentication configuration settings for the current test session.

If you prefer to explicitly set authentication values, WebLOAD recommends setting user authentication values through the WebLOAD Console. Enter user authentication information through the Authentication tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Syntax

You may also set NT user values using the wlGlobals properties. For example:

```
wlGlobals.NTUserName = "Bill"
wlGlobals.NTPassWord = "Classified"
```

Comment

WebLOAD automatically sends the user name and password when a wlhttp object connects to an HTTP site. If an HTTP server requests NT Challenge Response authentication and you have not assigned values to NTUserName and NTPassWord, WebLOAD submits the Windows NT user name and password under which the Agenda is running.



See also

- HTTP Components (on page 24)
- Rules of Scope for Local and Global Variables in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- Working with HTTP Protocol in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide

Num() (method)

Method of Object

• wlRand (see wlRand (object) on page 320)

Description

Return a random integer.

Syntax

wlRand.Num([seed])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
[seed]	Optional seed integer used on first call to this method only if there was no previous call to the wlRand.Seed() method.

Return Value

A random integer.

Example

wlRand.Num(12345)

- Range() (see Range() (method) on page 208)
- Seed() (see Seed() (method) on page 222)
- Select() (see *Select() (method)* on page 223)



Open() (method)

Method of Object

• wlInputFile (see wlInputFile (object) on page 311)

Description

Opens the input file specified in the wlInputFile object. This should be done in the InitClient section of your Agenda.

Syntax

```
function InitAgenda()
{
    ...
    fileID = CopyFile(<full path>)
    ...
}
function InitClient()
{
    ...
    MyFileObj = new wlInputFile(fileID)
    MyFileObj.Open([AccessMethod], [ShareMethod], [UsageMethod], [EndOfFileBehavior], [HeaderLines], ['Delimiter'])
    ...
}
```



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
AccessMethod	An optional parameter that defines the method for reading the next value/row from the file. All values are enumerated numeric values. Possible values are:
	• WLFileSequential. Every client gets the next value/row from the file, where there might be multiple access to the same line by different Load Generator machines. This is the default value.
	• WLFileSequentialUnique. Gets the next unique value/row from the file. Preferably, the unique value is the next available value in sequential order. If another VC is using this value/row, the VC is not able to access this value/row and will get the next available value/row. It is recommended to have more values/rows in the file than the number of clients to avoid delays.
	 WLFileRandom. Gets a random value/row from the file. There might be multiple access to the same line by different Load Generator machines.
	 WLFileRandomUnique. Gets a unique, unused value/row randomly from the file. It is recommended to have more values/rows in the file than the number of clients to avoid delays.
ShareMethod	An optional parameter indicating how the file is shared among Agendas. All values are enumerated numeric values. Possible values are:
	• WLFileNotShared. The file can be read only by the current Agenda, and each Load Generator machine manages a copy of the file for its VCs independently. If there are multiple Load Generator processes on a single machine, then the processes share the file. This is the default value.
	 WLFileLGShared. The file can be read only by the current Agenda, and all Load Generators on any Load Generator machine share the same copy of the file, which is synchronized between them.
	• WLFileAgendaShared. The file can be shared by more than one Agenda. The unique identifier of the file is its path. The file can be shared by different Agendas, but a copy of the file is managed separately for each Load Generator machine. If you are using the Agenda–Shared share method, all the Agendas sharing the file should use the WLFileSequentialUnique access method.
	• WLFileAgendaLGShared. A single file is shared among Load Generators and among Agendas.



Parameter Name	Description
UsageMethod	An optional parameter that defines when to release the value/row back to the 'pool' so that it can be read again from the file. This parameter is only relevant for the WLFileSequentialUnique and WLFileRandomUnique access methods. All values are enumerated numeric values. Possible values are:
	 WLFilePerRound. The Agenda reads a new value/row from the file once every round. The value/row is released at the end of the round. This is the default value.
	 WLFileOncePerClient. The Agenda reads a new value/row from the file once at the beginning of the test (in InitClient). The value/row is released at TerminateClient.
	• WLFileOncePerSession. The Agenda reads a new value/row from the file once, at the beginning of the session (in InitClient). The value/row is released at the end of the session (in TerminateAgenda).
	• WLFileAnytime. The Agenda can read a new value/row from the file at any time during a round. It can read a new value/row more than once during a round. The values are released at the end of the round. This enables more than one value/row to be used concurrently and uniquely.
EndOfFileBehavior	An optional parameter that defines how WebLOAD behaves when it reaches the end of the file. All values are enumerated numeric values.
	Note: If you have defined the AccessMethod as WLFileSequential or WLFileSequentialUnique, the EndOfFileBehavior parameter is mandatory.
	Possible values are:
	• WLFileStartOver. Start from the beginning of the file. This is the default value.
	WLFileKeepLast. Keep the last value.
	• WLFileAbortVC. Abort the specific VC that tried to read past the end of the file. An error message is written to the log file.
	WLFileAbortTest. Abort the entire test when a VC tries to read past the end of the file. An error message is written to the log file.



Parameter Name	Description
HeaderLines	An optional parameter that defines the number of header lines the file contains. All values are enumerated numeric values. Possible values are:
	• 0. The file does not contain any header lines. This is the default value.
	 <x>. Where <x> is any number above zero. The file contains</x></x> <x> header lines at its beginning. The values contained in these header lines are not used as parameters but as variable names in the JavaScript code.</x>
Delimiter	(Optional) The delimiter being used in the file. The default value is a comma.

Example

```
function InitAgenda()
{
   InFile1 = CopyFile("C:\\temp\input.txt")
}
Function InitClient()
{
   myFileObj = new wlInputFile(InFile1)
   myFileObj.open(WLFileSequentialUnique, WLFileAgendaShared)
}
/*** WLIDE .... ***/
strLine = myFileObj.getLine(",")
```

See also

- CopyFile() (see *CopyFile()* (function) on page 61)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)
- wlInputFile() (see wlInputFile() (constructor) on page 312)

Open() (function)

Method of Object

wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)

Description

Opens the output file, specified in the wlOutputFile object. By default, the file is opened for sequential access, enabling the parameters in the file to be read sequentially. This is unique across the master and slave processes of a single Load Generator/Agenda combination. The master assigns the next line of the file that will be



read sequentially for each slave. When all the information in the file is read (see *GetLine() (function)* on page 122), it is returned to the beginning of the file.

Alternatively, to open the input file and read its contents in random order, you must include Open (filename, wlRandom) in the Agenda's InitAgenda() function.



Note: The last line of the file should not include a carriage return.

Syntax

For sequential access:

```
MyFileObj = new wlOutputFile(filename)
...
MyFileObj.Open()
For random access:
Open(filename, wlRandom)
```

Parameter Name	Description
filename	The name of the file to be opened.
wlRandom	A flag indicating that the file should be opened in random access mode.

Parameters

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see CopyFile() (function) on page 61)
- delete() (see delete() (method) on page 74)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- Using the Form Data Wizard in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile() (constructor) on page 318)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)



option (object)

Property of Object

Option objects are grouped into collections of options that are themselves properties of the following:

- element (see *element (object)* on page 79)
- Select (on page 223)

Description

A collection of the nested <OPTION> objects only found within elements of type SELECT, that is, forms [n].elements [n].type = "SELECT". Each option object denotes one choice in a select element, containing information about a selected form element.

option objects are local to a single thread. You cannot create new option objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access HTML options through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. option properties are readonly.

option objects are grouped together within collections of options. To access an individual option's properties, check the length property of the options collection and use an index number to access the individual options.

Syntax

To find out how many option objects are contained within a form element, check the value of:

```
document.forms[#].elements[#].options.length
Access each option's properties directly using the following syntax:
document.forms[#].elements[#].options[#].<option-property>
For example:
document.forms[1].elements[2].options[0].selected
```

Comment

Options only exist if the type of the parent element is <SELECT>, that is, forms [n].elements [n].type = "SELECT". For example, to check whether a form element is of type <SELECT> and includes an options collection, you could use the following Agenda:

```
function InitAgenda()
{
  wlGlobals.Proxy = "webproxy.xyz.com:8080"
```



```
// Through proxy
 wlGlobals.SaveSource = true
 wlGlobals.ParseForms = true
 wlGlobals.ParseTables = true
}
function CheckElementType(WebTestSite)
 wlHttp.Get(WebTestSite)
 if (document.forms.length > 0)
    if (document.forms[0].elements.length > 0)
       InfoMessage("We have a candidate. " +
                         "Element type is " +
       document.forms[0].elements[0].type)
       InfoMessage ("document.forms[0].elements[0].options.length is "
                      + document.forms[0].elements[0].options.length)
     }
}
CheckElementType("http://www.TestSite1.com/domain/pulldown.htm")
CheckElementType("http://www.TestSite2.com/")
ErrorMessage("Done!")
```

Properties

- defaultselected (see defaultselected (property) on page 72)
- selected (see selected (property) on page 228)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)

OuterLink (property)

Property of Objects

• Image (see *Image* (object) on page 148)

Description

Represents the outer link field for the parent image object.

- Collections (on page 27)
- form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)
- Select (on page 223)



Outfile (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

The name of a file to which WebLOAD writes response data from the HTTP server.

The Outfile will contain the data from the *next* HTTP transaction, so the Outfile command must *precede* the next transaction.

The default is "", which means do not write the response data.

If there is more than one transaction after the Outfile property, only the response data from the *first* transaction will be written. To write the response data from each transaction an Outfile statement must be placed PRIOR to *each* transaction.

The Outfile property is independent of the SaveSource property. Outfile saves in a file. SaveSource stores the downloaded data in document.wlSource, in memory.

The Outfile property is used to implement the Log Report.

Example

To write the response data from

```
"http://note/radview/radview.html" in "c:\temp.html"
```

you might write:

```
wlHttp.Outfile = "c:\\temp.html"
wlHttp.Get("http://note/radview/radview.html")
```

Comment

The Outfile property saves *server response data*. To save *Agenda output messages*, use the wlOutputFile. (see *wlOutputFile* (object) on page 316)

See also

wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)



PageContentLength (property)

Property of Object

• wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)

Description

PageContentLength is used to retrieve the size in bytes of the content object in the GET/POST request. The content object may only be HTML, ASP, or JPG.

Syntax

wlVerification.PageContentLength

Example

```
wlHttp.Get("http://www.google.com/")
InfoMessage("page size" + wlVerification.PageContentLength)
```

See also

- wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)
- PageTime (see *PageTime* (*property*) on page 185)
- Severity (see *Severity (property)* on page 240)
- Function (see *Function (property)* on page 99)
- ErrorMessage (see *ErrorMessage* (property) on page 90)
- Title (see *Title* (function) on page 279)

PageTime (property)

Property of Object

• wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)

Description

PageTime is used to retrieve the page time of the last GET. That is, the total time taken to retrieve the page.

Syntax

```
wlVerification.PageTime
```

Example

```
wlHttp.Get("http://www.google.com/")
InfoMessage("page time" + wlVerification.PageTime)
```



See also

- wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)
- PageContentLength (see PageContentLength (property) on page 185)
- Severity (see *Severity (property)* on page 240)
- Function (see Function (property) on page 99)
- ErrorMessage (see ErrorMessage (property) on page 90)
- Title (see *Title* (function) on page 279)

Parse (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing on an HTML page.

The Parse property can be set to one of the following values:

- always (default) Each page is parsed and the DOM is created every time the page is visited.
- OnceOnly The page is parsed and the DOM is created only the first time the page is visited. The same data is then reused on future visits.
- **no** The DOM is not created and no object can be retrieved.



Note: If you want the page to be parsed and the DOM created the first time the page is visited and then reuse this data, set the ParseOnce property to true. For information about the ParseOnce property, see *ParseOnce* (*property*) on page 194.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Syntax

wlGlobals.Parse = "Always"

- ParseApplets (see *ParseApplets (property)* on page 187)
- ParseCss (see ParseCss (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see *ParseEmbeds (property)* on page 189)



- ParseForms (see *ParseForms* (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see *ParseImages* (property) on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see *ParseMetas* (property) on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see ParseOthers (property) on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see ParseScripts (property) on page 196)
- ParseTables (see *ParseTables (property)* on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)

ParseApplets (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables/disables parsing of Java applets on an HTML page. The ParseApplets property can be set to one of the following values:

- **true** (default) Enables parsing of Java applets.
- **false** Disables parsing of Java applets.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetApplets is true, ParseApplets will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseApplets = false

- Parse (see *Parse* (property)) on page 186)
- ParseCss (see *ParseCss* (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see *ParseEmbeds* (property) on page 189)
- ParseForms (see ParseForms (property) on page 190)



- ParseImages (see *ParseImages (property)* on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see *ParseLinks (property)* on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see ParseMetas (property) on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see *ParseOthers* (property) on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts (property)* on page 196)
- ParseTables (see ParseTables (property) on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)

ParseCss (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing of cascading style sheets on an HTML page. The ParseApplets property can be set to one of the following values:

- **true** (default) Enables parsing of cascading style sheets.
- false Disables parsing of cascading style sheets.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetCss is true, ParseCss will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseCss = true

- Parse (see *Parse* (property) on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see *ParseApplets (property)* on page 187)
- ParseEmbeds (see ParseEmbeds (property) on page 189)
- ParseForms (see *ParseForms* (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see ParseImages (property) on page 191)



- ParseLinks (see *ParseLinks* (property) on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see *ParseMetas* (property) on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see *ParseOthers (property)* on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts (property)* on page 196)
- ParseTables (see *ParseTables (property)* on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)

ParseEmbeds (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing of embedded objects on an HTML page. The ParseEmbeds property can be set to one of the following values:

- **true** (default) Enables parsing of embedded objects.
- false Disables parsing of embedded objects.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetEmbeds is true, ParseEmbeds will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseEmbeds = true

- Parse (see *Parse* (property) on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see *ParseApplets (property)* on page 187)
- ParseCss (see ParseCss (property) on page 188)
- ParseForms (see ParseForms (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see ParseImages (property) on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)



- ParseMetas (see *ParseMetas (property)* on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see *ParseOthers* (property) on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts (property)* on page 196)
- ParseTables (see ParseTables (property) on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)

ParseForms (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing of forms on an HTML page. The ParseForms property can be set to one of the following values:

- **true** (default) Enables parsing of forms.
- **false** Disables parsing of forms.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetForms is true, ParseForms will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseForms = true

- Parse (see Parse (property) on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see ParseApplets (property) on page 187)
- ParseCss (see ParseCss (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see ParseEmbeds (property) on page 189)
- ParseImages (see ParseImages (property) on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see ParseMetas (property) on page 193)



- ParseOnce (see *ParseOnce* (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see ParseOthers (property) on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts* (property) on page 196)
- ParseTables (see *ParseTables (property)* on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)

ParseImages (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing of images on an HTML page. The ParseImages property can be set to one of the following values:

- true (default) Enables parsing of images.
- false Disables parsing of images.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetImages is true, ParseImages will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseImages = true

- Parse (see Parse (property) on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see *ParseApplets (property)* on page 187)
- ParseCss (see ParseCss (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see *ParseEmbeds (property)* on page 189)
- ParseForms (see *ParseForms* (property) on page 190)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see *ParseMetas* (property) on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)



- ParseOthers (see *ParseOthers (property)* on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts (property)* on page 196)
- ParseTables (see ParseTables (property) on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)

ParseLinks (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing of links and areas on an HTML page. The ParseLinks property can be set to one of the following values:

- **true** (default) Enables parsing of links.
- false Disables parsing of links.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetLinks is true, ParseLinks will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseLinks = true

- Parse (see Parse (property) on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see *ParseApplets (property)* on page 187)
- ParseCss (see ParseCss (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see *ParseEmbeds (property)* on page 189)
- ParseForms (see ParseForms (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see ParseImages (property) on page 191)
- ParseMetas (see ParseMetas (property) on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see *ParseOnce* (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see *ParseOthers (property)* on page 195)



- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts (property)* on page 196)
- ParseTables (see ParseTables (property) on page 197)
- ParseXML (see *ParseXML* (property) on page 198)

ParseMetas (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing of metas on an HTML page. The ParseMetas property can be set to one of the following values:

- true (default) Enables parsing of metas.
- false Disables parsing of metas.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetMetas is true, ParseMetas will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseMetas = true

- Parse (see *Parse* (property) on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see ParseApplets (property) on page 187)
- ParseCss (see ParseCss (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see ParseEmbeds (property) on page 189)
- ParseForms (see *ParseForms* (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see *ParseImages* (property) on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see *ParseOthers* (property) on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts* (property) on page 196)



- ParseTables (see ParseTables (property) on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)

ParseOnce (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

When set to true, the webpage is parsed and the DOM is created only the first time the page is visited. The same data is reused on future visits. The ParseOnce property is set when you call SetClientType("Thin"). By default, the ParseOnce property is set to true.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseOnce = true

- Parse (see *Parse* (property)on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see *ParseApplets (property)* on page 187)
- ParseCss (see *ParseCss* (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see ParseEmbeds (property) on page 189)
- ParseForms (see ParseForms (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see *ParseImages (property)* on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see ParseMetas (property) on page 193)
- ParseOthers (see ParseOthers (property) on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts (property)* on page 196)
- ParseTables (see ParseTables (property) on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)
- SetClientType (see SetClientType (function) on page 235)



ParseOthers (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing on an HTML page for all objects not covered by specific parsing properties. The ParseOthers property can be set to one of the following values:

- true (default) Enables parsing of other objects.
- false Disables parsing of other objects.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseOthers = true

- Parse (see *Parse* (property) on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see ParseApplets (property) on page 187)
- ParseCss (see ParseCss (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see *ParseEmbeds* (property) on page 189)
- ParseForms (see *ParseForms* (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see *ParseImages (property)* on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see *ParseMetas (property)* on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts (property)* on page 196)
- ParseTables (see ParseTables (property) on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)



ParseScripts (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing of JavaScript scripts on an HTML page. The ParseScripts property can be set to one of the following values:

- **true** (default) Enables parsing of JavaScript scripts.
- **false** Disables parsing of JavaScript scripts.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetScripts is true, ParseScripts will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseScripts = true

- Parse (see Parse (property) on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see *ParseApplets (property)* on page 187)
- ParseCss (see ParseCss (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see *ParseEmbeds (property)* on page 189)
- ParseForms (see ParseForms (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see *ParseImages* (property) on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see *ParseMetas* (property) on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see *ParseOthers* (property) on page 195)
- ParseTables (see ParseTables (property) on page 197)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)



ParseTables (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing of tables on an HTML page. The ParseTables property can be set to one of the following values:

- **true** (default) Enables parsing of tables.
- false Disables parsing of tables.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetTables is true, ParseTables will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseTables = true

- Parse (see *Parse* (property) on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see ParseApplets (property) on page 187)
- ParseCss (see *ParseCss* (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see *ParseEmbeds (property)* on page 189)
- ParseForms (see *ParseForms* (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see *ParseImages (property)* on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see ParseMetas (property) on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see ParseOthers (property) on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts (property)* on page 196)
- ParseXML (see ParseXML (property) on page 198)



ParseXML (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enables parsing of XML on an HTML page. The ParseXML property can be set to one of the following values:

- **true** (default) Enables parsing of XML.
- false Disables parsing of XML.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.



Note: If GetXML is true, ParseXML will automatically be assumed to be true, even if it is set to false.

Example

wlGlobals.ParseXML = true

- Parse (see *Parse* (*property*)on page 186)
- ParseApplets (see ParseApplets (property) on page 187)
- ParseCss (see ParseCss (property) on page 188)
- ParseEmbeds (see *ParseEmbeds (property)* on page 189)
- ParseForms (see *ParseForms* (property) on page 190)
- ParseImages (see ParseImages (property) on page 191)
- ParseLinks (see ParseLinks (property) on page 192)
- ParseMetas (see ParseMetas (property) on page 193)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- ParseOthers (see ParseOthers (property) on page 195)
- ParseScripts (see *ParseScripts* (property) on page 196)
- ParseTables (see *ParseTables (property)* on page 197)



PassWord (property)

Property of Object

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The password that the Agenda uses to log onto a restricted HTTP site. WebLOAD automatically uses the appropriate access protocol. For example, if a site expects clients to use the NT Authentication protocol, the appropriate user name and password will be stored and sent accordingly.

Comments

A user is only authenticated once during a round with a set of credentials. Each subsequent request will use these credentials regardless of what is contained in the Agenda. If the value of these credentials are changed after authentication, they will only be used during the next round, not during the current round.

For example, if you are trying to send a request to a URL with a group of users (user1, user2, and user3), but user1 has already been authenticated, the login is always performed for user1 until the round is complete.

GUI mode

WebLOAD by default senses the appropriate authentication configuration settings for the current test session.

If you prefer to explicitly set authentication values, WebLOAD recommends setting user authentication values through the WebLOAD Console by entering user authentication information through the Authentication tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Syntax

You may also set user values using the wlGlobals properties. WebLOAD automatically sends the user name and password when a wlHttp object connects to an HTTP site. For example:

```
wlGlobals.UserName = "Bill"
wlGlobals.PassWord = "TopSecret"
```

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Working with the HTTP Protocol in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide



pathname (property)

Property of Objects

- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)

Description

The URI portion of the URL, including the directory path and filename (read-only string).

Example

```
"/products/order.html"
"/search.exe"
```

port (property)

Property of Objects

- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see *location (object)* on page 167)

Description

The port of the URL (read-only integer).

Example

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Post() (method)

Method of Object

wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Perform an HTTP or HTTPS Post command. The method sends the FormData, Data, or DataFile properties in the Post command. In this way, you can submit any type of data to an HTTP server.

Syntax

```
Post([URL] [, TransName])
```



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
[URL]	An optional parameter identifying the document URL.
	You may optionally specify the URL as a parameter of the method. Post() connects to first URL that has been specified from the following list:
	A Url parameter specified in the method call.
	The Url property of the wlHttp object.
	• The local default wllocals.Url.
	• The global default wlGlobals.Url.
	The URL must be a server that accepts the posted data.
[TransName]	An optional user-supplied string with the transaction name as it will appear in the Statistics Report, described in the <i>Data Drilling-WebLOAD transaction reports</i> section of the <i>WebLOAD Scripting Guide</i> .
	Use <i>named transactions</i> to identify specific HTTP transactions by name. This simplifies assigning counters when you want WebLOAD to automatically calculate a specific transaction's occurrence, success, and failure rates.
	The run-time statistics for transactions to which you have assigned a name appear in the Statistics Report. For your convenience, WebLOAD offers an Automatic Transaction option. In the WebLOAD Console, select Automatic Transaction from the General Tab of the Global Options dialog box. Automatic Transaction is set to true by default. With Automatic Transaction, WebLOAD automatically assigns a name to every Get and Post HTTP transaction. This makes statistical analysis simpler, since all HTTP transaction activity is measured, recorded, and reported for you automatically. You do not have to remember to add naming instructions to each Get and Post command in your Agenda. The name assigned by WebLOAD is simply the URL used by that Get or Post transaction. If your Agenda includes multiple transactions to the same URL, the information will be collected cumulatively for those transactions.

Example

```
function InitAgenda() {
    //Set the default URL
    wlGlobals.Url = "http://www.ABCDEF.com"
}
//Main script
//Connect to the default URL:
wlHttp.Post()
```



```
//Connect to a different, explicitly set URL:
wlHttp.Post("http://www.ABCDEF.com/product info.html")
//Assign a name to the following HTTP transact:
wlHttp.Get("http://www.ABCDEF.com/product info.html",
                      "UpdateBankAccount")
//Submit to a CGI program
wlHttp.Url = "http://www.ABCDEF.com/search.cgi"
wlHttp.FormData["SeachTerm"] = "ocean+currents"
wlHttp.Post()
//Submit to an HTTP server of any type
wlHttp.FormData["FirstName"] = "Bill"
wlHttp.FormData["LastName"] = "Smith"
wlHttp.Post("http://www.ABCDEF.com/formprocessor.exe")
Use named transactions as a shortcut in place of the
BeginTransaction()...EndTransaction() module. For example, this is one
way to identify a logical transaction unit:
BeginTransaction("UpdateBankAccount")
  wlHttp.Get(url)
       // the body of the transaction
       // any valid JavaScript statements
 wlHttp.Post(url);
EndTransaction("UpdateBankAccount")
     // and so on
Using the named transaction syntax, you could write:
wlHttp.Get(url, "UpdateBankAccount")
     // the body of the transaction
     // any valid JavaScript statements
wlHttp.Post(url,"UpdateBankAccount")
     // and so on
For the HTTPS protocol, include "https://" in the URL and set the required
properties of the wlGlobals object:
wlHttp.Post("https://www.ABCDEF.com")
The URL can contain a string of attribute data.
wlHttp.Post("http://www.ABCDEF.com/query.exe"+
   "?SearchFor=icebergs&SearchType=ExactTerm")
```

Alternatively, you can specify the attributes in the FormData or Data property. The method automatically appends these in the correct syntax to the URL. Thus the following two code fragments are each equivalent to the preceding Post command.

```
wlHttp.Data.Type = "application/x-www-form-urlencoded"
wlHttp.Data.Value = "SearchFor=icebergs&SearchType=ExactTerm"
```



```
wlHttp.Post("http://www.ABCDEF.com/query.exe")
-Or-
wlHttp.FormData.SearchFor = "icebergs"
wlHttp.FormData.SearchType = "ExactTerm"
wlHttp.Post("http://www.ABCDEF.com/query.exe")
```

Comment

You may not use the TransName parameter by itself. Post () expects to receive either *no* parameters, in which case it uses the Agenda's default URL, or *one* parameter, which must be an alternate URL value, or *two* parameters, including both a URL value and the transaction name to be assigned to this transaction.

See also

- BeginTransaction() (see BeginTransaction() (function) on page 41)
- CreateDOM() (see *CreateDOM()* (function) on page 63)
- CreateTable() (see *CreateTable()* (function) on page 65)
- Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Get() (see Get() (transaction method) on page 103)
- Head() (see *Head()* (method) on page 138)
- ReportEvent() (see *ReportEvent()* (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see *VerificationFunction()* (user-defined) (function) on page 290)

ProbingClientThreads (property)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see *wlLocals* (*object*) on page 313)

Description

Optionally, WebLOAD can allocate extra threads to download nested images and frames.



For clients that you define in a Load Generator, this option is controlled by the LoadGeneratorThreads property. The default value of this property is **Single**, which means that Virtual Clients will not use extra threads to download data from the server.

For the Probing Client, the option is controlled by the ProbingClientThreads property. The default is **Multiple**, which means that the client can use three extra threads for nested downloads. This simulates the behavior of Web browsers, which often use extra threads to download nested images and frames.

The possible values of these properties are:

- **Single** Do not use extra threads to download nested images and frames. (default for LoadGeneratorThreads)
- Multiple Allocate three extra threads per client (for a total of four threads per client) to download nested images and frames. (default for ProbingClientThreads)
- Any specific number of threads between 1 and 8, such as "5" Allocate that exact number of extra threads per client to download nested images and frames.

Example

You can assign any of these properties independently within a single Agenda. In that case, if you configure a Probing Client to run the Agenda, WebLOAD uses the value of ProbingClientThreads and ignores LoadGeneratorThreads (vice versa if you configure a Load Generator to run the Agenda). For example, you might write:

```
function InitAgenda() {
    //Do not use extra threads if a
    // Probing Client runs the Agenda
    wlGlobals.ProbingClientThreads = "Single"
    //Use extra threads if a
    // Load Generator runs the Agenda
    wlGlobals.LoadGeneratorThreads = "Multiple"
}
```

Comment

The extra threads have no effect on the ClientNum value of the client. The ClientNum variable reports only the main thread number of each client, not the extra threads.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends enabling or disabling multi-threaded virtual clients through the WebLOAD Console. Enable multi-threading for the Load Generator or for the Probing Client during a test session by checking the appropriate box in the Browser



Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box and setting the number of threads you prefer

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- LoadGeneratorThreads (see LoadGeneratorThreads (property) on page 164)

protocol (property)

Property of Objects

- Image (see *Image (object)* on page 148)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)

Description

The HTTP protocol portion of the URL for the parent object (read-only string).

Example

"https://"

Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord (properties)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Identifies the proxy server that the Agenda uses for HTTP access. The user name and password are for proxy servers that require user authorization.

GUI mode

WebLOAD by default senses the appropriate authentication configuration settings for the current test session.



If you prefer to explicitly set authentication values, WebLOAD recommends setting user authentication values through the WebLOAD Console in one of the following ways:

- Enter user authentication information through the Authentication tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.
- You may also set proxy user values using the wlGlobals properties. WebLOAD
 automatically connects via the proxy when a wlHttp object connects to an HTTP
 site.

Syntax

```
wlGlobals.ProxyProperty = "TextString"
```

Example

```
wlGlobals.Proxy = "proxy.ABCDEF.com:8080"
wlGlobals.ProxyUserName = "Bill"
wlGlobals.ProxyPassWord = "Classified"
```

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Security in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- HttpsProxy, HttpsProxyUserName, HttpsProxyPassWord (see *HttpsProxy*, *HttpsProxyUserName*, *HttpsProxyPassWord* (properties) on page 144)
- HttpsProxyNTUserName, HttpsProxyNTPassWord (see HttpsProxyNTUserName, HttpsProxyNTPassWord (properties) on page 145)
- ProxyNTUserName, ProxyNTPassWord (see *ProxyNTUserName*, *ProxyNTPassWord* (properties) on page 207)

ProxyExceptions (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

The ProxyExceptions property accepts a string based on what the user entered in the Proxy Options tab of the Recording and Script Generation Options dialog box. This string indicates the URLs whose support does not go through the proxy. The format of this string is based on the Internet Explorer format. For more information, see http://www.microsoft.com/technet/prodtechnol/ie/ieak/techinfo/deploy/60/en/corpprox.mspx?mfr=true.



Example

```
wlGlobals.ProxyExceptions = "*.example.com"
```

GUI mode

WebLOAD takes the current settings of the browser and displays them in the Proxy Options tab of the Recording and Script Generation Options dialog box in WebLOAD IDE.

In WebLOAD IDE, click **Recording and Script Generation Options** in the **Tools** tab of the ribbon, and click the Proxy Options tab. Modify the fields, as necessary.

ProxyNTUserName, ProxyNTPassWord (properties)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Provides user authorization to the proxy server that the Agenda uses for HTTP access on Windows servers.

GUI mode

WebLOAD by default senses the appropriate authentication configuration settings for the current test session.

If you prefer to explicitly set authentication values, WebLOAD recommends setting user authentication values through the WebLOAD Console in one of the following ways:

- Use the Authentication tab of the **Default** or **Current Options** dialog box to enter user authentication information.
- You may also set proxyNT user values using the wlGlobals properties.
 WebLOAD automatically connects via the proxy when a wlHttp object connects to an HTTP site.

Syntax

```
wlGlobals. ProxyNTProperty = "TextString"
```

Example

```
wlGlobals.ProxyNTUserName = "Bill"
wlGlobals.ProxyNTPassWord = "Classified"
```



See also

- HTTP Components (on page 24)
- Security in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- HttpsProxy, HttpsProxyUserName, HttpsProxyPassWord (see *HttpsProxy*, *HttpsProxyUserName*, *HttpsProxyPassWord* (properties) on page 144)
- HttpsProxyNTUserName, HttpsProxyNTPassWord (see HttpsProxyNTUserName, HttpsProxyNTPassWord (properties) on page 145)
- Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord (see Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord (properties) on page 205)

Range() (method)

Method of Object

wlRand (see wlRand (object) on page 320)

Description

Return a random integer between start and end.

Syntax

wlRand.Range(start, end, [seed])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
start	Integer signifying start of specified range of numbers.
end	Integer signifying end of specified range of numbers.
[seed]	Optional seed integer used on first call to this method only if there was no previous call to the wlRand.Seed() method.

Return Value

A random integer that falls within the specified range.

Example

wlRand.Num(12345)

See also

- Num() (see Num() (method) on page 176)
- Seed() (see Seed() (method) on page 222)
- Select() (see Select() (method) on page 223)



ReceiveTimeout (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

WebLOAD performs read operations in a loop. Each iteration of the loop consists of a wait on the socket until the server is ready, followed by a receive operation, if the read on the socket was successful. This is performed until all the information is read, or until the time spent in the loop exceeds the specified timeout value in the ReceiveTimeout property, or a socket error occurs. If a timeout or socket error occur, WebLOAD then tries to reestablish a connection (see *RequestRetries (property)* on page 213). The default value of the ReceiveTimeout property is 900,000 ms.

Example

wlGlobals.ReceiveTimeout = 550000

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- RequestRetries (see RequestRetries (property) on page 213)

RedirectionLimit (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

The maximum number of redirection 'hops' allowed during a test session. The default value is **10**.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting the redirection limit through the WebLOAD Console. Check Redirection Enabled and enter a limiting number on the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.



Syntax

You may also assign a redirection limit value using the wl.RedirectionLimit property.

```
wlGlobals.RedirectionLimit = IntegerValue
```

Example

wlGlobals.RedirectionLimit = 10

Referer (property)

Property of Object

- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The Referer property is used by the recorder to store the referer header and is a synonym for wlHTTP.Headers["referer"]. The Referer property is used as shorthand for accessing the referer header in the wlHTTP.Headers collection.

GUI mode

To tell the system whether or not to record the referer header in the Referer property, select or deselect the **Record Referer Header** checkbox in the Script Content tab of the **Recording and Script Generation Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Syntax

```
wlHttp.Header["Referer"] = "http://www.testaddress.com/".
```

Example

```
wlHttp.Header["Referer"] = "http://www.easycar.com/"
```

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Security in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide



remove() (method)

Method of Objects

wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)

Description

This method deletes the wlOutputFile object and closes the output file.

Syntax

```
wlOutputFile.remove()
```

Example

```
MyFileObj = new wlOutputFile(filename)
...
MyFileObj.remove()
```

See also

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see *CopyFile()* (function) on page 61)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see *GetLine()* (function) on page 122)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Open() (see Open() (function) on page 180)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)

ReportEvent() (function)

Description

This function enables you to record specific events as they occur. This information is very helpful when analyzing website performance with Data Drilling.

Syntax

ReportEvent(EventName[, description])



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
EventName	A user-supplied string that identifies the specific event and appears in the results tables of the WebLOAD Data Drilling feature. Since this name is used as a table header and sort key, it must be a short string that is used consistently to identify events, such as "URLMismatch".
[description]	An optional user-supplied string that may be longer and more detailed than the EventName, providing more information about the specific event.

See also

- CreateDOM() (see CreateDOM() (function) on page 63)
- BeginTransaction() (see *BeginTransaction()* (function) on page 41)
- CreateTable() (see *CreateTable()* (function) on page 65)
- EndTransaction() (see EndTransaction() (function) on page 87)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- TimeoutSeverity (see *TimeoutSeverity (property)* on page 276)
- TransactionTime (see *TransactionTime* (property) on page 280)
- Transaction Verification Components (on page 36)
- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (function) on page 290)

ReportLog() (method)

Method of Object

• wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300)

Description

Sends a message to the Log Window that includes the error message and severity level stored in this wlException object.

Syntax

ReportLog()

Example

myUserException.ReportLog()



See also

- ErrorMessage() (see ErrorMessage() (function) on page 89)
- GetMessage() (see GetMessage() (method) on page 128)
- GetSeverity() (see GetSeverity() (method) on page 133)
- InfoMessage() (see InfoMessage() (function) on page 152)
- Message Functions (on page 30)
- SevereErrorMessage() (see SevereErrorMessage() (function) on page 238)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- WarningMessage() (see WarningMessage() (function) on page 293)
- wlException() (see wlException() (constructor) on page 301)

RequestRetries (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Read operations are performed in a loop until all information is read. If the duration of this loop exceeds a specified timeout (see *ReceiveTimeout (property)* on page 209) or a socket error occurs, the Virtual Client will then retry to establish a connection. RequestRetries is the maximum number of times that the Virtual Client will attempt to reconnect to the server. The default value of RequestRetries is 9.

Example

wlGlobals.RequestRetries = 7

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- ReceiveTimeout (see *ReceiveTimeout* (property) on page 209)

Reset() (method)

Method of Object

wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)



Description

Return to the beginning of the output file.

Syntax

```
Reset()
```

Example

```
MyFileObj = new wlOutputFile(filename)
...
MyFileObj.Reset()
```

See also

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see CopyFile() (function) on page 61)
- delete() (see *delete()* (*method*) on page 74)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Open() (see Open() (function) on page 180)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile() (constructor) on page 318)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)

ResponseContentType (property)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The language in which WebLOAD receives the response from the SUT. This can be HTML, XML, or Not Defined and is used to decide whether or not to parse the response. If ResponseContentType is set to HTML or XML, the content of the response is treated as either HTML or XML, as specified. If not, an algorithm checks the content type of the response. This algorithm uses two other wlGlobals: HtmlContentTypes and XmlContentTypes. These contain a list of content types that specify HTMLs and XMLs, respectively. The algorithm checks whether the content type of the response matches either of these lists.



Syntax

wlGlobals.ResponseContentType = "TextString"

Example

wlGlobals.ResponseContentType = "HTML"

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

RoundNum (variable)

Description

The number of times that WebLOAD has executed the main script of a client during the WebLOAD test, including the current execution. RoundNum is a read-only local variable, reporting the number of rounds for the specific WebLOAD client, no matter how many other clients may be running the same Agenda.

RoundNum does not exist in the global context of an Agenda (InitAgenda (), etc.). In the local context:

- In InitClient(), RoundNum = 0.
- In the main script, RoundNum = 1, 2, 3,
- In TerminateClient(), OnScriptAbort(), or OnErrorTerminateClient(), RoundNum keeps its value from the final round.

The WebLOAD clients do not necessarily remain in synchronization. The RoundNum may differ for different clients running the same Agenda.

If a thread stops and restarts for any reason, the RoundNum continues from its value before the interruption. This can occur, for example, after you issue a Pause command from the WebLOAD Console.

If you mix Agendas in a single Load Generator, WebLOAD maintains an independent round counter for each Agenda. For example, if Agenda1 has executed twice and Agenda2 has executed three times on a particular thread, the RoundNum of Agenda1 is 2 and the RoundNum of Agenda2 is 3.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends accessing global system variables, including the RoundNum identification variable, through the WebLOAD IDE. The variables that appear in this list are available for use at any point in an Agenda file. In the IDE main window, click **Variables Windows** in the **Debug** tab of the ribbon.



For example, it is convenient to add RoundNum to a Message Node to clarify the round in which the messages that appear in the WebLOAD Console Log window originated.

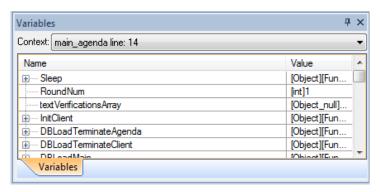


Figure 11: IDE Variables Window



Note: RoundNum can also be added directly to the code in an Agenda through the IntelliSense Editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19).

See also

- ClientNum (see ClientNum (variable) on page 50)
- GeneratorName() (see GeneratorName() (function) on page 100)
- GetOperatingSystem() (see GetOperatingSystem() (function) on page 130)
- Identification Variables and Functions (on page 29)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- VCUniqueID() (see VCUniqueID() (function) on page 289)

row (object)

Property of Objects

row objects are grouped into collections of rows. The rows collection is a property of the following objects:

wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)

Description

When working with TextArea element objects, a row object contains the number of rows in the TextArea.

When working with wlTables objects, a row object contains all the data found in a single table row. Individual row objects may be addressed by index number, similar to any object within a collection.



Syntax

Individual row objects are addressed by index number, similar to any object within a collection. Access each row's properties directly using the following syntax:

```
document.wlTables.myTable.rows[#].<row-property>
```

Example

To find out how many row objects are contained within myTable, check the value of:

```
document.wlTables.myTable.rows.length
```

To access a property of the 16th row in myTable, with the first row indexed at 0, you could write:

```
document.wlTables.myTable.rows[15].rowIndex
```

To access a property of the 4^{th} cell in the 3^{rd} row in myTable, counting across rows and with the first cell indexed at 0, you could write:

```
document.wlTables.myTable.rows[2].cells[3].<cell-property>
```

Properties

Each row object contains information about the data found in the cells of a single table row. The row object includes the following properties:

- cell (see cell (object) on page 44) (row property)
- rowIndex (see rowIndex (property) on page 218) (row property)

Comment

The row object may be accessed as a member of the wlTables family of table, row, and cell objects.

See also

- cell (see *cell* (*object*) on page 44) (wlTables and row property)
- cellIndex (see cellIndex (property) on page 46) (cell property)
- Collections (on page 27)
- cols (see *cols* (*property*) on page 54) (wlTables property)
- Compare() (see Compare() (method) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see CompareColumns (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see CompareRows (property) on page 55)
- Details (see *Details (property)* on page 75)
- id (see *id* (*property*) on page 145) (wlTables property)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153) (cell property)
- InnerText (see InnerText (property) on page 155) (cell property)



- MatchBy (see *MatchBy* (property) on page 169)
- Prepare() (see *Prepare*() (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)
- rowIndex (see *rowIndex* (*property*) on page 218) (row property)
- tagName (see tagName (property) on page 273) (cell property)

rowIndex (property)

Property of Object

• row (see row (object) on page 216)

Description

An integer containing the ordinal index number of this row object within the parent table. Rows are indexed starting from zero, so the rowIndex of the first row in a table is 0.

Comment

The rowIndex property is a member of the wlTables family of table, row, and cell objects.

See also

- cell (see *cell* (*object*) on page 44) (wlTables and row property)
- cellIndex (see *cellIndex (property)* on page 46) (cell property)
- Collections (on page 27)
- cols (see *cols* (*property*) on page 54) (wlTables property)
- Compare() (see Compare() (method) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see *CompareColumns* (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see CompareRows (property) on page 55)
- Details (see *Details (property)* on page 75)
- id (see *id* (*property*) on page 145) (wlTables property)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153) (cell property)
- InnerText (see InnerText (property) on page 155) (cell property)
- MatchBy (see MatchBy (property) on page 169)
- Prepare() (see *Prepare*() (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)



- row (see *row* (*object*) on page 216) (wlTables property)
- tagName (see *tagName* (*property*) on page 273) (cell property)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)

SaveHeaders (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Instruct WebLOAD to store the HTML response headers in wlHeaders.

- false –Do not store the header. (default)
- true Store the header in document.wlHeaders.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

SaveSource (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Instruct WebLOAD to store the complete HTML source code downloaded in an HTTP command.

- false Do not store the source HTML (default).
- true Store the source HTML in document.wlSource.

If you enable SaveSource, WebLOAD automatically stores the downloaded HTML whenever the Agenda calls the wlHttp.Get() or wlHttp.Post() method. WebLOAD stores the most recent download in the document.wlSource property,



refreshing it when the Agenda calls <code>wlHttp.Get()</code> or <code>wlHttp.Post()</code> again. The stored code includes any scripts or other data embedded in the HTML. Your Agenda can retrieve the code from <code>document.wlSource</code> and interpret it in any desired way.

See also

HTTP Components (on page 24)

SaveTransaction (property)

Property of Objects

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

Instruct WebLOAD to save detailed information about all transactions, both successes and failures, for later analysis in the Data Drilling reports.

By default, WebLOAD only saves detailed information about transaction failures for later analysis, since most test sessions are focused on tracking down and identifying the causes of errors and failures.

WebLOAD also provides the option of storing and analyzing the data for all transactions in a test session, successes and failures, through the SaveTransaction property. However, this property should be used carefully, since a successful test session may run for an extended period, and saving data on each transaction success could quickly use up all available disk space.



Note: Transaction data is only saved for the number of instances defined in the Instance limit field in the WebLOAD Console (Global Options dialog box, in the Data Drilling tab).

Possible values of the SaveTransaction property are:

- false Do not store detailed data on successful transactions (default).
- **true** Store detailed data on successful transactions.

The SaveTransaction property works with the following parameters in the Functional Testing tab (Automatic Data Collection area) of the Current Session Options/Default Options dialog box in the WebLOAD Console, as follows:

Pages – When selected, WebLOAD provides timers and counters for every "Get" in the session. When SaveTransaction is set to true, WebLOAD provides an aggregate breakdown for all objects in the page.



- Object level When selected, WebLOAD provides timers and counters for every object in every page. When SaveTransaction is set to true, WebLOAD provides breakdown information for every object in every page.
- HTTP level When selected, WebLOAD provides breakdown information for every failed transaction in every page. When SaveTransaction is set to true, WebLOAD provides breakdown information for every instance of every failed transaction in every page.

Example

```
function InitAgenda() {
  wlGlobals.SaveTransaction = true
}
```

Comment

As with all wlGlobals configuration properties, the SaveTransaction property must be set in the InitAgenda() function, as illustrated in the preceding example.

See also

- BeginTransaction() (see BeginTransaction() (function) on page 41)
- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

script (object)

Property of Object

Scripts on a Web page are accessed through script objects that are grouped into collections of scripts. The scripts collection is a property of the following object:

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

Specifies a script object in the current document that is interpreted by a script engine. script objects are grouped together within collections of scripts.

Syntax

The scripts collection includes a length property that reports the number of script objects within a document (read-only). To access an individual script's properties, check the length property of the scripts collection and use an index number to access the individual scripts. For example, to find out how many script objects are contained within a document, check the value of:

```
document.scripts.length
```



Access each script's properties directly using the following syntax:

document.scripts[index#].<scripts-property>

Example

document.scripts[1].language

Properties

- event (see event (property) on page 91)
- id (see *id* (*property*) on page 145)
- InnerHTML (see InnerHTML (property) on page 153)
- language (see *language* (*property*) on page 160)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)

See also

Collections (on page 27)

search (property)

Property of Objects

- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see *location (object)* on page 167)

Description

The search attribute string of the URL, not including the initial? symbol (read-only string).

Example

"SearchFor=modems&SearchType=ExactTerm"

Seed() (method)

Method of Object

wlRand (see wlRand (object) on page 320)

Description

Initialize the random number generator. Call the Seed() method in the InitAgenda() function of an Agenda, using any integer as a seed.



Syntax

wlRand.Seed(seed)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
seed	Seed integer.

Example

wlRand.Seed (12345)

See also

- Num() (see Num() (method) on page 176)
- Range() (see Range() (method) on page 208)
- Select() (see Select() (method) on page 223)

Select

Select() (method)

Method of Object

wlRand (see wlRand (object) on page 320)

Description

Select one element of a set at random.

Syntax

wlRand.Select(val1, val2, ..., valN)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
val1valN	Any number of parameters itemizing the elements in a set. The parameters can be numbers, strings, or any other objects.

Return Value

The value of one of its parameters, selected at random.

Example

wlRand.Select(21, 57, 88, 93)

See also

• Num() (see Num() (method) on page 176)



- Range() (see Range() (method) on page 208)
- Seed() (see Seed() (method) on page 222)

SelectSecondTimeout (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Specify a second option for the amount of time the system will wait for a TCP connection to be established before timing out. The default value of SelectSecondTimeout is **0 milliseconds**.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SelectSecondTimeout = number

Example

wlGlobals.SelectSecondTimeout = 100

See also

- SelectSwitchNum (see SelectSwitchNum (property) on page 224)
- SelectTimeout (see *SelectTimeout (property)* on page 226)

SelectSwitchNum (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The number of iterations after which the timeout is made shorter and the sleep time longer to ease the stress on the CPU. The default value of SelectSwitchNum is **100**.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SelectSwitchNum = number



Example

```
wlGlobals.SelectSwitchNum = 500
```

Comment

The following describes the basic functionality of the Load Engine.

Each read operation is limited by the RecvTimeout property. That is, the entire algorithm described below exits when it reaches the RecvTimeout timeout.

First, a send operation is performed with a request to the server:

```
numberOfIterations = 0
while (wlGlobals.SendTimeout not exceeded) {
  if (numberOfIterations < wlGlobals.SelectWriteSwitchNum {
    timeout = wlGlobals.SelectWriteTimeout
    sleepTime = wlGlbobals.SelectWriteSecondTimeout
  }
  else {
    timeout = wlGlobals.SelectWriteSecondTimeout
    sleepTime = wlGlobals.SelectWriteTimeout
  }
  select for read (timeout)
  if (socket ready) break
}
send request</pre>
```

Then the Load Engine attempts to read the response:

```
numberOfIterations = 0
while (wlGlobals.RecvTimeout not exceeded) {
  if (numberOfIterations < wlGlobals.SelecSwitchNum {
    timeout = wlGlobals.SelecTimeout
    sleepTime = wlGlbobals.SelectSecondTimeout
  }
  else {
    timeout = wlGlobals.SelectSecondTimeout
    sleepTime = wlGlobals.SelectTimeout
    sleepTime = wlGlbobals.SelectTimeout
  }
  select for write (timeout)
  if (socket ready) break
}
read response</pre>
```

The IO operations of the Load Engine are synchronous, basically looping and polling the sockets. The Load Engine performs a select on the socket with a timeout. If the select on the socket fails, a short sleep is performed and the system tries to perform the select again until the timeout specified in the SelectTimeout property is exceeded. This



also enables the Load Engine to check with the monitor between selects to see if the session has ended.

See also

- SelectSecondTimeout (see SelectSecondTimeout (property) on page 224)
- SelectTimeout (see SelectTimeout (property) on page 226)

SelectTimeout (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

A timeout used when performing a select on a socket. If the select on the socket fails, a short sleep is performed and the system tries to perform the select again until the timeout specified in the SelectTimeout property is exceeded. The default value of SelectTimeout is **200 milliseconds**.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SelectTimeout = number

Example

wlGlobals.SelectTimeout = 300

See also

- SelectSecondTimeout (see SelectSecondTimeout (property) on page 224)
- SelectSwitchNum (see SelectSwitchNum (property) on page 224)

SelectWriteSecondTimeout (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)



Description

Specify a second option of the amount of time that the connection should stay open while nothing is being written to it. The default value of SelectWriteSecondTimeout is **10 milliseconds**.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SelectWriteSecondTimeout = number

Example

wlGlobals.SelectWriteSecondTimeout = 100

See also

- SelectWriteSwitchNum (see SelectWriteSwitchNum (property) on page 227)
- SelectWriteTimeout (see SelectWriteTimeout (property) on page 228)

SelectWriteSwitchNum (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see *wlLocals* (*object*) on page 313)

Description

Indicate the amount of time that elapses before switching from the first write timeout to the second write timeout. The default value of SelectWriteSwitchNum is **100 milliseconds**.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SelectWriteSwitchNum = number

Example

wlGlobals.SelectWriteSwitchNum = 100

See also

- SelectWriteSecondTimeout (see SelectWriteSecondTimeout on page 226)
- SelectWriteTimeout (see SelectWriteTimeout on page 228)



SelectWriteTimeout (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Specify the amount of time that the connection should stay open while nothing is being written to it. The default value of SelectWriteTimeout is **200 milliseconds**.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SelectWriteTimeout = number

Example

wlGlobals.SelectWriteTimeout = 300

See also

- SelectWriteSecondTimeout (see SelectWriteSecondTimeout (property) on page 226)
- SelectWriteSwitchNum (see SelectWriteSwitchNum (property) on page 227)

selected (property)

Property of Objects

• option (see option (object) on page 182)

Description

The selected property has a value of true if this <OPTION> element has been selected, or false otherwise (read-only).

See also

location (see location (object) on page 167)

selectedindex (property)

Property of Objects

- element (see *element* (*object*) on page 79)
- location (see *location (object)* on page 167)



Description

Indicates which of the nested <OPTION> elements is selected in an element of type <SELECT>. The possible values are 0, 1, 2, For example, if the first <OPTION> element is selected, then selectedindex = 0 (read-only). The default value is 0.

SendBufferSize (property)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The SendBufferSize property defines the amount of space allocated to the outgoing data buffer. The default value of SendBufferSize is -1, which indicates that the entire request should be sent in one buffer.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SendBufferSize = number

Example

wlGlobals.SendBufferSize = 300

SendClientStatistics (property)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

SendClientStatistics is used to define whether or not to send statistics. It should be set in InitAgenda. The console writes the raw data to C:\Documents and Settings\<user name>\Local Settings\Temp\ClientStat.txt. To change the name, add CLIENT_STATISTICS_FILE = "file-name" to webload.ini on the console side. By default, this will save the raw statistics data for all the clients.



Only statistics calculated by the Load Generator are supported. Statistics like hits/second are not sent and empty statistics, for example, RoundTime where no round was completed within a time slice, are sent as -1.

Example

wlGlobals.SendClientStatistics = true

See also

SendClientStatisticsFilter (see SendClientStatisticsFilter (property) on page 230

SendClientStatisticsFilter (property)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

This is a very simple filter for choosing clients for which to send statistics. The format is "1;4;8;". Each number is a client number and you can specify as many client numbers as you want. Ranges and wildcards are not supported. If no client numbers are specified, statistics are sent for all clients.

If spawning is being used and you specify, for example, "1", statistics for the first VC will be sent for each slave process.

Only statistics calculated by the Load Generator are supported. Statistics like hits/second are not sent and empty statistics, for example, RoundTime where no round was completed within a time slice, are sent as -1.



Note: The filter and file name are not checked.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SendClientStatisticsFilter = "<client number>;<client number>;"

Example

wlGlobals.SendClientStatisticsFilter = "2;3;8"

See also

• SendClientStatistics (see SendClientStatistics (property) on page 229)



SendCounter() (function)

Description

Use this function to count the number of times an event occurs and output the value to the WebLOAD Console. Call SendCounter() in the main script of an Agenda.

Syntax

SendCounter(EventName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
EventName	A string with the name of the event being counted.

See also

- SendMeasurement() (see SendMeasurement() (function) on page 231)
- SendTimer() (see SendTimer() (function) on page 232)
- SetTimer() (see SetTimer() (function) on page 237)
- Sleep() (see *Sleep()* (function) on page 241)
- SynchronizationPoint() (see SynchronizationPoint() (function) on page 270)
- *Timing Functions* (on page 34)

SendMeasurement() (function)

Description

Use this function to assign a value to the specified statistical measurement. Call SendMeasurement() in the main script of an Agenda.

Syntax

SendMeasurement (MeasurementName, value)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
MeasurementName	A string with the name of the measurement being set.
value	An integer value to set.

Example

NumberOfImagesInPage = document.images.length
SendMeasurement("NumberOfImagesInPage", NumberOfImagesInPage)



GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting measurement functions within Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. In WebLOAD IDE, drag the **Send Measurement** icon from the Load toolbox into the Agenda Tree at the desired location. The Send Measurement dialog box opens. Select a measurement name and its value and click **OK**. The **Send Measurement** item appears in the Agenda Tree and the JavaScript code is added to the Agenda. To see the new JavaScript code, view the Agenda in JavaScript Editing mode.

See also

- SendCounter() (see SendCounter() (function) on page 231)
- SendTimer() (see SendTimer() (function) on page 232)
- SetTimer() (see SetTimer() (function) on page 237)
- Sleep() (see *Sleep()* (function) on page 241)
- SynchronizationPoint() (see SynchronizationPoint() (function) on page 270)
- Timing Functions (on page 34)

SendTimer() (function)

Description

Use this function to output the value of a timer to the WebLOAD Console. Call SendTimer() in the main script of an Agenda, immediately after any step or sequence of steps whose time you want to measure. Before the sequence of steps, you must call SetTimer() to zero the timer.

Syntax

SendTimer(TimerName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
TimerName	A string with the name of the timer being sent to the WebLOAD Console.

Example

SendTimer("Link 3 Time")

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting timer functions within Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. In WebLOAD IDE, drag the Send Timer (a) icon from the Load toolbox into the Agenda Tree at the desired location. The Send Timer dialog box opens.



Enter a timer name and click **OK**. The Send Timer item appears in the Agenda Tree and the JavaScript code is added to the Agenda. To see the new JavaScript code, view the Agenda in JavaScript Editing mode.

See also

- SendCounter() (see SendCounter() (function) on page 231)
- SendMeasurement() (see SendMeasurement() (function) on page 231)
- SetTimer() (see SetTimer() (function) on page 237)
- Sleep() (see *Sleep()* (function) on page 241)
- SynchronizationPoint() (see SynchronizationPoint() (function) on page 270)
- *Timing Functions* (on page 34)

Set() (method)

Set() (addition method)

Method of Objects

- wlGeneratorGlobal (see wlGeneratorGlobal (object) on page 302)
- wlSystemGlobal (see wlSystemGlobal (object) on page 326)

Description

Assigns a number, Boolean, or string value to the specified shared variable. If the variable does not exist, WebLOAD will create a new variable.

Syntax

Set("SharedVarName", value, ScopeFlag)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
SharedVarName	The name of a shared variable to be set.
value	The value to be assigned to the specified variable.



Parameter Name	Description
ScopeFlag	One of two flags, WLCurrentAgenda or WLAllAgendas, signifying the scope of the shared variable.
	When used as a method of the wlGeneratorGlobal object:
	The WLCurrentAgenda scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of a single Agenda, part of a single process, running on a single Load Generator.
	The WLAllAgendas scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of one or more Agendas, common to a single spawned process, running on a single Load Generator.
	When used as a method of the wlSystemGlobal object:
	The WLCurrentAgenda scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of a single Agenda, potentially shared by multiple processes, running on multiple Load Generators, system wide.
	The WLAllAgendas scope flag signifies variable values that you wish to share between all threads of all Agendas, run by all processes, on all Load Generators, system-wide.

Example

wlGeneratorGlobal.Set("MySharedCounter", 0, WLCurrentAgenda)
wlSystemGlobal.Set("MyGlobalCounter", 0, WLCurrentAgenda)

See also

- Add() (see *Add() (method)* on page 39)
- Get() (see Get() (addition method) on page 101)

Set() (cookie method)

Method of Object

- location (see *location* (object) on page 167)
- wlCookie (see wlCookie (object) on page 296)

Description

Creates a cookie.

You can set an arbitrary number of cookies in any thread. If you set more than one cookie applying to a particular domain, WebLOAD submits them all when it connects to the domain.

Syntax

wlCookie.Set(name, value, domain, path [, expire])



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
name	A descriptive name identifying the type of information stored in the cookie, for example, "CUSTOMER".
value	A value for the named cookie, for example, "JOHN_SMITH".
domain	The top-level domain name to which the cookie should be submitted, for example, "www.ABCDEF.com".
path	The top-level directory path, within the specified domain, to which the cookie is submitted, for example, "/".
expire	An optional expiration timestamp of the cookie, in a format such as "Wed, 08-Apr-98 17:29:00 GMT".

Comment

Set cookies within the main script of the Agenda. WebLOAD deletes all the cookies at the end of each round. If you wish to delete cookies in the middle of a round, use the Delete() or ClearAll() method.

Example

If you combine the examples used to illustrate the parameters for this method, you end up with the following:

```
wlCookie.Set("CUSTOMER", "JOHN_SMITH", "www.ABCDEF.com", "/", "Wed, 08-Apr-98 17:29:00 GMT")
```

Where:

- The method creates a cookie containing the data CUSTOMER=JOHN_SMITH. This is the data that the thread submits when it connects to a URL in the domain.
- The domain of our sample cookie is www.ABCDEF.com/. The thread submits the cookie when it connects to any URL in or below this domain, for example, http://info.www.ABCDEF.com/customers/FormProcessor.exe.
- The cookie is valid until the expiration time, which in this case is Wednesday, April 8, 1998, at 17:29 GMT.

SetClientType (function)

Description

The HTTP client has the following sub types, which can be set using the SetClientType function. These sub-types are:

• **Normal** (default) – When the client type is set to Normal, a DOM is created without tables.



- Thick When the client type is set to Thick, the tables structure is included in the DOM.
- **Thin** When the client type is set to Thin, no DOM or headers are created, and each page is parsed only once. This type is used for very high performance with static pages.

Use the SetClientType function with the Thick sub-type when you want to parse tables or with the Thin sub-type when you want optimize tests for simple writes with static pages.

Syntax

setClientType(clientType)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
clientType	A supplied string that identifies the client type. The possible client types are Normal, Thin, Thick, Custom.

Example

setClientType(thick)

Comment

When you call SetClientType("Thin"), the ParseOnce flag is set to true. Each page will only be parsed the first time it is read and the list of all the resources it accesses will be saved. The next time the page is needed, the list will be reused and no additional parsing will be performed.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- ParseOnce (see ParseOnce (property) on page 194)
- GetImagesInThinClient (see GetImagesInThinClient (property) on page 121)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

SetFailureReason() (function)

Description

This function enables you to specify possible reasons for a transaction failure within your transaction verification function. These reasons will also appear in the Statistics Report. The default reason for most HTTP command (Get, Post, and Head) failures is



simply HTTP-Failure. Unless you specify another reason for failure, HTTP-Failure will be set automatically whenever an HTTP transaction fails on the HTTP protocol level. SetFailureReason() allows you to add more meaningful information to your error reports.

Syntax

SetFailureReason (ReasonName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
	A user-supplied string that identifies and categorizes the reason for this transaction instance failure.

Comment

The SetFailureReason() function accepts a literal string as the parameter. This string identifies the cause of the failure. To get an accurate picture of different failure causes, be sure to use identification strings consistently for each failure type. For example, don't use both 'User Not Logged' and 'User Not LoggedIn' for the same type of failure, or your reports statistics will not be as informative. If you do not specify a specific reason for the failure, the system will register a 'General Failure', the default fail value.

See also

- CreateDOM() (see CreateDOM() (function) on page 63)
- BeginTransaction() (see *BeginTransaction()* (function) on page 41)
- CreateTable() (see CreateTable() (function) on page 65)
- EndTransaction() (see EndTransaction() (function) on page 87)
- ReportEvent() (see *ReportEvent()* (function) on page 211)
- TimeoutSeverity (see *TimeoutSeverity (property)* on page 276)
- TransactionTime (see TransactionTime (property) on page 280)
- Transaction Verification Components (on page 36)
- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see *VerificationFunction()* (user-defined) (function) on page 290)

SetTimer() (function)

Description

Use this function to zero a timer. Call SetTimer() in the main script of an Agenda, immediately before any step or sequence of steps whose time you want to measure. Be



sure to zero the timer in every round of the Agenda; the timer continues running between rounds if you do not zero it.

Syntax

SetTimer(TimerName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
TimerName	A string with the name of the timer being zeroed.

Example

SetTimer("Link 3 Time")

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting timer functions within Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. In WebLOAD IDE, drag the Set Timer ⊚ icon from the Load toolbox into the Agenda Tree at the desired location. The Set Timer dialog box opens. Enter a timer name and click **OK**. The Set Timer item appears in the Agenda Tree and the JavaScript code is added to the Agenda. To see the new JavaScript code, view the Agenda in JavaScript Editing mode.

See also

- SendCounter() (see SendCounter() (function) on page 231)
- SendMeasurement() (see SendMeasurement() (function) on page 231)
- SendTimer() (see SendTimer() (function) on page 232)
- Sleep() (see *Sleep()* (function) on page 241)
- SynchronizationPoint() (see SynchronizationPoint() (function) on page 270)
- Timing Functions (on page 34)

SevereErrorMessage() (function)

Description

Use this function to display a severe error message in the Log Window of the WebLOAD Console, stop the session, and abort the Load Generator.

Syntax

SevereErrorMessage(msg)



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
msg	A string with a severe error message to be sent to the WebLOAD Console.

Comment

If you call SevereErrorMessage() in the main script, WebLOAD stops all activity in the Load Generator and runs the error handling functions (OnScriptAbort(), etc.), if they exist in the Agenda. You may also use the wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300) object with the built-in try()/catch() commands to catch errors within your Agenda. For more information about error management and execution sequence options, see Error Management in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends adding message functions to your Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Drag the Message icon 1 from the WebLOAD IDE toolbox into the Agenda. The Message dialog box opens. Enter the message text, select a severity level for the message, and click **OK**.

- ErrorMessage() (see *ErrorMessage()* (function) on page 89)
- GetMessage() (see GetMessage() (method) on page 128)
- GetSeverity() (see GetSeverity() (method) on page 133)
- InfoMessage() (see InfoMessage() (function) on page 152)
- Message Functions (on page 30)
- ReportLog() (see ReportLog() (method) on page 212)
- Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor (on page 19)
- WarningMessage() (see WarningMessage() (function) on page 293)
- wlException (see *wlException* (object) on page 300)
- wlException() (see wlException() (constructor) on page 301)



Severity (property)

Property of Object

• wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)

Description

Severity is used to define the global severity of a verification fail error. When defined, Severity affects all the verifications in which severity is not defined. If you define the error severity for a specific verification, it overrides the global severity defined in the Severity property.

Possible values of the Severity property are:

- WLSuccess The transaction terminated successfully.
- WLMinorError This specific transaction failed, but the test session may continue
 as usual. The Agenda displays a warning message in the Log window and
 continues execution from the next statement.
- WLError This specific transaction failed and the current test round was aborted.
 The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and begins a new round.
- WLSevereError This specific transaction failed and the test session must be stopped completely. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and the Load Generator on which the error occurred is stopped.

Example

To set the global severity of all verification fail errors to WLError, write:

wlVerification.Severity = WLError

- wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)
- PageContentLength (see PageContentLength (property) on page 185)
- PageTime (see *PageTime* (property) on page 185)
- Function (see Function (property) on page 99)
- ErrorMessage (see ErrorMessage (property) on page 90)
- Title (see *Title* (function) on page 279)



Size (property)

Property of Object

- element (see *element (object)* on page 79)
- Select (on page 223)

Description

The size of a File, Password, Select, or Text element. When working with a Select element, determines the number of rows that will be displayed, regardless of the number of options chosen.

Sleep() (function)

Description

Pause for a specified number of milliseconds.

Syntax

Sleep(PauseTime)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
PauseTime	An integer value specifying the number of milliseconds to pause.

Example

To pause for 1 second, write:

Sleep (1000)

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting sleep functions within Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Drag the **Sleep** a icon from the General toolbox into the Agenda Tree at the desired location. The Sleep dialog box opens. Enter or select the duration of the sleep and click **OK**. The Sleep item appears in the Agenda Tree and the JavaScript code is added to the Agenda.

Sleep function command lines may also be added directly to the code in a JavaScript Object within an Agenda through the IntelliSense Editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19).



Comment

Specify one of the sleep options when running a test Agenda in the Sleep Time Control tab, through the WebLOAD IDE from the **Tools** > **Default** or **Current Project Options** or through the WebLOAD Console from the **Tools** > **Default** or **Current Project Options**:

- **Sleep time as recorded** Runs the Agenda with the delays corresponding to the natural pauses that occurred when recording the Agenda.
- **Ignore recorded sleep time (default)** Eliminates any pauses when running the Agenda and runs a worst-case stress test.
- **Set random sleep time** Sets the ranges of delays to represent a range of users.
- **Set sleep time deviation** Sets the percentage of deviation from the recorded value to represent a range of users.

For more information on setting the Sleep Time Control settings, see *Configuring Sleep Time Control Options* in the *WebLoad IDE User's Guide*.

See also

- DisableSleep (see *DisableSleep* (property) on page 75)
- SendCounter() (see SendCounter() (function) on page 231)
- SendMeasurement() (see SendMeasurement() (function) on page 231)
- SendTimer() (see SendTimer() (function) on page 232)
- SetTimer() (see SetTimer() (function) on page 237)
- SleepDeviation (see *SleepDeviation (property)* on page 242)
- SleepRandomMax (see SleepRandomMax (property) on page 243)
- SleepRandomMin (see *SleepRandomMin* (property) on page 245)
- SynchronizationPoint() (see SynchronizationPoint() (function) on page 270)
- Timing Functions (on page 34)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)

SleepDeviation (property)

Property of Object

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

Integer that indicates the percentage by which recreated sleep periods should deviate from the original recorded time.



Example

wlGlobals.SleepDeviation = 10

Recreated sleep periods will be within a range of +- 10% of the original recorded time.

Comment

Sleep periods during test sessions are by default kept to the length of the sleep period recorded by the user during the original recording session. If you wish to include sleep intervals but change the time period, set <code>DisableSleep</code> to false and assign values to the other sleep properties as follows:

- SleepRandomMin Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the minimum time period equal to this property value.
- SleepRandomMax Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the maximum time period equal to this property value.
- SleepDeviation Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the time period ranging between this percentage value more or less than the original recorded time period.

GUI mode

In WebLOAD IDE, select the sleep mode in the Sleep Time Control tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD Console, select the sleep mode in the Sleep Time Control tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box or the **Agenda Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

See also

- DisableSleep (see *DisableSleep* (property) on page 75)
- Sleep() (see *Sleep()* (function) on page 241)
- SleepRandomMax (see *SleepRandomMax (property)* on page 243)
- SleepRandomMin (see SleepRandomMin (property) on page 245)

SleepRandomMax (property)

Property of Object

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

Integer that indicates the maximum length of a recreated sleep period when not using the original recorded time.



Syntax

wlGlobals.SleepRandomMax = 5000

Recreated sleep periods will fall within a range whose maximum value is 5000 milliseconds.

Comment

Sleep periods during test sessions are by default kept to the length of the sleep period recorded by the user during the original recording session. If you wish to include sleep intervals but change the time period, set DisableSleep to false and assign values to the other sleep properties as follows:

- SleepRandomMin Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the minimum time period equal to this property value.
- SleepRandomMax Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the maximum time period equal to this property value.
- SleepDeviation Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the time period ranging between this percentage value more or less than the original recorded time period.

GUI mode

In WebLOAD IDE, select the sleep mode in the Sleep Time Control tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD Console, select the sleep mode in the Sleep Time Control tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box or in the **Agenda Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

- DisableSleep (see *DisableSleep* (property) on page 75)
- Sleep() (see *Sleep()* (function) on page 241)
- SleepDeviation (see SleepDeviation (property) on page 242)
- SleepRandomMin (see SleepRandomMin (property) on page 245)



SleepRandomMin (property)

Property of Object

wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

Integer that indicates the minimum length of a recreated sleep period when not using the original recorded time.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SleepRandomMin = 1000

Recreated sleep periods will fall within a range whose minimum value is 1000 milliseconds.

Comment

Sleep periods during test sessions are by default kept to the length of the sleep period recorded by the user during the original recording session. If you wish to include sleep intervals but change the time period, set DisableSleep to false and assign values to the other sleep properties as follows:

- SleepRandomMin Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the minimum time period equal to this property value.
- SleepRandomMax Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the maximum time period equal to this property value.
- SleepDeviation Assign random sleep interval lengths, with the time period ranging between this percentage value more or less than the original recorded time period.

GUI mode

In WebLOAD IDE, select the sleep mode in the Sleep Time Control tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

In WebLOAD Console, select the sleep mode in the Sleep Time Control tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box or in the **Agenda Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

- DisableSleep (see *DisableSleep* (property) on page 75)
- Sleep() (see *Sleep()* (function) on page 241)
- SleepDeviation (see *SleepDeviation (property)* on page 242)
- SleepRandomMax (see SleepRandomMax (property) on page 243)



src (property)

Property of Object

- Image (see *Image* (object) on page 148)
- script (see script (object) on page 221)
- wlXmls (see wlXmls (object) on page 334)

Description

Retrieves the complete URL of the parent object, that is the URL to an external file that contains the source code or data for this image, script, or XML DOM object.

Example

"www.ABCDEF.com/images/logo.gif"

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerHTML (see InnerHTML (property) on page 153)
- load() (see load() (method) on page 162)
- loadXML() (see loadXML() (method) on page 166)
- load() and loadXML() Method Comparison (on page 163)
- XMLDocument (see XMLDocument (property) on page 339)

SSLBitLimit (property)

Property of Object

wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

WebLOAD provides the option of setting a limit to the maximum SSL bit length available to Virtual Clients when contacting the Server. By default, WebLOAD supports a maximum SSLBitLimit of 128 bits. Users may lower the SSLBitLimit as necessary.

You may assign an SSL bit limit value using the wlGlobals.SSLBitLimit property. Check the value of this property if you wish to verify the maximum cipher strength (SSL bit limit) available for the current test session. For example, if all ciphers are enabled, then the maximum cipher strength is 128.





Note: Defining an SSL bit limit with the SSLBitLimit property is a low-level approach to enabling or disabling individual protocols. Even if you prefer to program property values directly rather than working through the GUI, it is usually preferable to use the SSLCryptoStrength (see *SSLCryptoStrength* (property) on page 251) to define and enable cipher levels and cryptographic strengths using a higher, more categorical approach.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Syntax

wlGlobals.SSLBitLimit = IntegerValue

Example

wlGlobals.SSLBitLimit = 56
-OrCurrentBitLimit = wlGlobals.SSLBitLimit

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting the SSL bit limit through the WebLOAD Console. Check SSL Bit Limit and select a value from the drop-down list on the SSL tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSL Cipher Command Suite (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
- SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)



- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLEnableStrength() (see SSLEnableStrength() (function) on page 255)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function)

Description

Set the SSL configuration environment before running a test Agenda.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Syntax

SSLCipherSuiteCommand("SSLCipherCommand")

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
SSLCipherCommand	One of the following commands, used to set the SSL configuration environment before running a test Agenda.
	EnableAll – Enable all SSL protocols (default)
	DisableAll – Disable all SSL protocols
	 ShowAll – List all SSL protocols (provides internal information for RadView Support Diagnostics)
	 ShowEnabled – List currently enabled SSL protocols (provides internal information for RadView Support Diagnostics)
	Note that the command name should appear in quotes.

Example

You may wish to test your application with only a single SSL protocol enabled. The easiest way to do that would be to disable all protocols, and then enable the selected protocol in the <code>InitClient()</code> function.

```
InitClient()
{
    ...
    SSLCipherSuiteCommand("DisableAll")
    SSLEnableCipherName("EXP-RC4-MD5")
    ...
}
```



See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- SSL Cipher Command Suite (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
- SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties)

Properties of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)



Description

SSL Client certificates offer a more secure method of authenticating users in an Internet commerce scenario then traditional username and password solutions. For servers that support client authentication, the server will request an identification certificate that contains information to identify the client and is signed by a recognized certificate authority. WebLOAD supports use of SSL client certificates by supplying the certificate filename and password to the SSL server. SSLClientCertificateFile and SSLClientCertificatePassword are the filename (optionally including a directory path) and password of a certificate, which WebLOAD makes available to SSL servers. When the Agenda issues an HTTPS Get, Post, or Head command, the server can request the certificate as part of the handshake procedure. In that case, WebLOAD sends the certificate to the server, and the server can use it to authenticate the client transmission.

You may set client certificate values using the wlGlobals properties.



Note: You can obtain a certificate file by exporting an X.509 certificate from Microsoft Internet Explorer or Netscape Navigator. Then use the WebLOAD Certificate Wizard to convert the certificate to an ASCII (* . pem) format.

Syntax

wlGlobals. SSLProperty = "TextString"

Example

wlGlobals.SSLClientCertificateFile = "c:\\certs\\cert1.pem"
wlGlobals.SSLClientCertificatePassword = "topsecret"

GUI mode

WebLOAD by default senses the appropriate authentication configuration settings for the current test session.

If you prefer to explicitly set authentication values, WebLOAD recommends setting user authentication values through the WebLOAD Console. Enter user authentication information through the Authentication tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- SSL Cipher Command Suite (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)



- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
- SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)

SSLCryptoStrength (property)

Property of Objects

• wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)

Description

Used to define the cryptographic categories to be used in the current test session. The following categories are available:

- "SSL AllCrypto" Enable cryptography of all strengths (default).
- "SSL_StrongCryptoOnly" Enable only ciphers with strong cryptography (RSA keys greater than 512-bit and DES/EC keys greater than 40-bit).
- "SSL_ExportCryptoOnly" Enable only ciphers available for export, including only RSA keys 512-bit or weaker and DES/EC keys 40-bit or weaker.
- "SSL_ServerGatedCrypto" Verify that the communicating server is legally authorized to use strong cryptography before using stronger ciphers. Otherwise use export ciphers only.

These definitions work with your Agenda's current set of enabled ciphers. If you have enabled only certain ciphers, then setting SSLCryptoStrength would affect only the subset of enabled ciphers.



Example

Assume you have enabled the following ciphers:

```
DHE_DSS_ RC4_SHADES_CBC_MD5AECDH_NULL_SHAEXP_RC4_MD5
```

If you then set SSLCryptoStrength to SSL_ExportCryptoOnly, then only the last two ciphers, AECDH NULL SHA, and EXP RC4 MD5, will be enabled.

```
InitClient()
{
    ?
    SSLEnableCipherName("DHE_DSS_RC4_SHA")
    SSLEnableCipherName("DES_CBC_MD5")
    SSLEnableCipherName("AECDH_NULL_SHA")
    SSLEnableCipherName("EXP_RC4_MD5")
    wlGlobals.SSLCryptoStrength="SSL_ExportCryptoOnly"
    ?
}
```

Comment

Defining a global, categorical value for SSLCryptoStrength is a high-level approach to cryptographic strength definition. This 'smarter' approach of selecting appropriate categories is usually preferable to the low-level approach of enabling or disabling individual protocols or defining specific SSL bit limits with the SSLBitLimit and SSLVersion properties. However, ideally SSL configuration values should be set through the WebLOAD GUI.

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- SSL Cipher Command Suite (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)



- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
- SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)

SSLDisableCipherID() (function)

Description

Disables the specified SSL cipher for the current session.

Syntax

SSLDisableCipherID(CipherID)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
CipherID	The SSL cipher to disable for the current session.

Example

You may wish to test your application with all but one SSL protocol enabled. The easiest way to do that would be to disable the selected protocol in the InitClient() function.

```
Initclient()
{
    ...
    SSLDisableCipherID(45)
    ...
}
```

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- *SSL Cipher Command Suite* (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)



- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
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- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

SSLDisableCipherName() (function)

Description

Disables the specified SSL cipher for the current session.

Syntax

SSLDisableCipherName (CipherName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
CipherName	Any of the SSL protocol names. See <i>WebLOAD-supported SSL Protocol Versions</i> (on page 443) for a complete list of protocol names.

Example

You may wish to test your application with all but one SSL protocol enabled. The easiest way to do that would be to disable the selected protocol in the InitClient() function.

```
InitClient()
{
```



```
...
SSLDisableCipherName("EXP-RC4-MD5")
...
}
```

See also

- Browser Configuration Components (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- *SSL Cipher Command Suite* (on page 33)
- SSL Ciphers Complete List (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
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- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

SSLEnableStrength() (function)

Description

Enables all ciphers which have encryption strength not greater than specified by the parameter. Function allows you to limit SSL key length without iterating over the whole ciphers list.

Syntax

SSLEnableStrength (MaxStrength)



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
	The maximum encryption strength allowed. Strength must be specified in bits (typical values are 40, 56, 96, 128, 168, 196, 256, 512, 1024, etc.).

Example

Your test session may include a variety of function calls related to specific set of SSL ciphers. For example, you may wish to test your application with weak ciphers only. The following InitAgenda() function fragment enables all protocols with encryption strength less or equal to 128 bits.

```
InitAgenda()
{
    ...
    SSLEnableStrength(128)
    ...
}
```

- Browser Configuration Components (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see "SSLBitLimit (property)" on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- *SSL Cipher Command Suite* (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see "SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function)" on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see
 "SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties)" on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see "SSLCryptoStrength (property)" on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see "SSLDisableCipherID() (function)" on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
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- SSLGetCipherCount() (see "SSLGetCipherCount() (function)" on page 259)
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- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see "SSLGetCipherStrength() (function)" on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see "SSLUseCache (property)" on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see "SSLVersion (property)" on page 267)



- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

SSLEnableCipherID() (function)

Description

Enables the specified SSL cipher for the current session.

Syntax

SSLEnableCipherID (CipherID)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
CipherID	Any of the SSL protocol ID numbers. Use SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260) function to get the ID number associated with a specified protocol name. See WebLOAD-supported SSL Protocol Versions (on page 443) for a complete list of protocol names.

Example

Your test session may include a variety of function calls related to specific protocols. For example, you may wish to test your application with only a single SSL protocol enabled. Unfortunately, protocol names can be long and awkward. To simplify your Agenda code, you could get the ID number of a selected protocol and refer to the selected protocol by ID number for the remainder of the Agenda. The following InitClient() function fragment disables all protocols, gets a protocol ID number, and enables the selected protocol in the InitClient() function.

```
InitClient()
{
    ...
    SSLCipherSuiteCommand(DisableAll)
    MyCipherID = SSLGetCipherID("EXP-RC4-MD5")
    SSLEnableCipherID(MyCipherID)
    ...
}
```

- Browser Configuration Components (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- SSL Cipher Command Suite (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)



- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
- SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

SSLEnableCipherName() (function)

Description

Enables the specified SSL cipher for the current session.

Syntax

SSLEnableCipherName (CipherName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
CipherName	Any of the SSL protocol names. See <i>WebLOAD-supported SSL Protocol Versions</i> (on page 443) for a complete list of protocol names.

Example

You may wish to test your application with only a single SSL protocol enabled. The easiest way to do that would be to disable all protocols, and then enable the selected protocol in the InitAgenda() function:

InitAgenda()



```
{
    ...
    SSLCipherSuiteCommand(DisableAll)
    SSLEnableCipherName("EXP-RC4-MD5")
    ...
}
```

See also

- *Browser Configuration Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- *SSL Cipher Command Suite* (on page 33)
- SSL Ciphers Complete List (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
- SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)

SSLGetCipherCount() (function)

Description

Returns an integer, the number of ciphers enabled for the current test session. While that may seem obvious if your Agenda explicitly enables two or three ciphers, it may be necessary if, for example, you have set a cipher strength limit of 40 and then wish to know how many ciphers are currently available at that limit.



Syntax

SSLGetCipherCount()

Return Value

Returns an integer representing the number of ciphers enabled for the current test session.

Example

CurrentCipherCount = SSLGetCipherCount()

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- SSL Cipher Command Suite (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherID() (see SSLGetCipherID() (function) on page 260)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

SSLGetCipherID() (function)

Description

Returns the ID number associated with the specified cipher.



Syntax

SSLGetCipherID(CipherName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
CipherName	Any of the SSL protocol names. See <i>WebLOAD-supported SSL Protocol Versions</i> (on page 443) for a complete list of protocol names.

Return Value

Returns the ID number associated with the specified cipher.

Example

MyCipherID = SSLGetCipherID("EXP-RC4-MD5")

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- *SSL Cipher Command Suite* (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see *SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties)* on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)



• wlLocals (see *wlLocals* (*object*) on page 313)

SSLGetCipherInfo() (function)

Description

Prints a message on the WebLOAD Console with information about the specified SSL protocol.

Syntax

SSLGetCipherInfo(CipherName ➤ CipherID)

Parameters

Accepts either one of the following parameters:

Parameter Name	Description
CipherName	The name of the SSL cipher.
CipherID	The identification number of the SSL cipher.

Example

You may specify an SSL protocol using either the protocol name or the ID number. The function accepts either a string or an integer parameter, as illustrated here:

```
SSLGetCipherInfo("EXP-RC4-MD5")
-Or-
```

SSLGetCipherInfo(2)

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- SSL Cipher Command Suite (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)



- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
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- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

SSLGetCipherName() (function)

Description

Returns the name of the cipher associated with the specified ID number.

Syntax

SSLGetCipherName (CipherID)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
CipherID	Any of the SSL protocol ID numbers.

Return Value

Returns the name of the cipher associated with the specified ID number.

Example

MyCipherName = SSLGetCipherName(16)

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- *SSL Cipher Command Suite* (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see *SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties)* on page 249)



- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
- SSLEnableCipherName() (see SSLEnableCipherName() (function) on page 258)
- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
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- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see *wlLocals* (*object*) on page 313)

SSLGetCipherStrength() (function)

Description

Returns an integer, the maximum cipher strength (SSL bit limit) available for the current test session. For example, if all ciphers are enabled, then the maximum cipher strength is 128.

Syntax

SSLGetCipherStrength()

Return Value

Returns an integer representing the maximum available cipher strength for the current session.

Example

CurrentCipherStrength = SSLGetCipherStrength()

- HTTP Components (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- SSL Cipher Command Suite (on page 33)



- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
- SSLDisableCipherName() (see SSLDisableCipherName() (function) on page 254)
- SSLEnableCipherID() (see SSLEnableCipherID() (function) on page 257)
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- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
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- SSLGetCipherInfo() (see SSLGetCipherInfo() (function) on page 262)
- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

SSLUseCache (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Enable caching of SSL decoding keys received from an SSL (HTTPS) server. The value of SSLUseCache may be:

- **false** Disable caching.
- **true** Enable caching. (default)

A true value means that WebLOAD receives the key only on the first SSL connection in each round. In subsequent connections, WebLOAD retrieves the key from the cache.



Assign a true value to reduce transmission time during SSL communication. Assign a false value if you want to measure the transmission time of the decoding key in the WebLOAD performance statistics for each SSL connection.

If you enable caching, you can clear the cache at any time by calling the wlHttp.ClearSSLCache() method. The cache is automatically cleared at the end of each round.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends enabling or disabling the SSL cache through the WebLOAD Console. Enable caching for the Load Generator or for the Probing Client during a test session by checking the appropriate box in the Browser Parameters tab of the **Default Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Comment

To clear the SSL cache, set the ClearSSLCache() (see *ClearSSLCache() (method)* on page 49) property.

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- *SSL Cipher Command Suite* (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
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- SSLGetCipherCount() (see SSLGetCipherCount() (function) on page 259)
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- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLVersion (see SSLVersion (property) on page 267)



SSLVersion (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The SSL version that WebLOAD should use for the current test session. The possible values of wlGlobals.SSLVersion are:

• SSL_Version_Undetermined – (Default) WebLOAD can use any SSL protocol version, allowing the broadest interoperability with other SSL installations. WebLOAD sends initial messages using SSL 2.0, then attempts to negotiate up to SSL 3.0. If the peer requests SSL 2.0 communications, SSL 2.0 is used for further communication.



Note: WebLOAD does not recommend changing the default value.

- SSL_Version_3_0_With_2_0_Hello WebLOAD sends initial messages using SSL 2.0, but all subsequent communication must be through SSL 3.0 only. Otherwise the connection will fail with a meaningful error message.
- TLS_Version_1.0_With_2_0_Hello WebLOAD sends initial messages using SSL 2.0, but all subsequent communication must be through TLS 1.0 only. Otherwise the connection will fail with a meaningful error message.
- SSL_Version_3_0_Only All communication is by SSL 3.0 only. If the peer does not support SSL 3.0, the handshake fails without a meaningful indication of why it failed. Use this option for highest security when working with peers that definitely support SSL 3.0.
- TLS_Version_1_0_Only All communication is by TLS 1.0 only. If the peer does not support TLS 1.0, the handshake fails without a meaningful indication of why it failed. Use this option for highest security when working with peers that definitely support TLS 1.0.
- SSL_Version_3_0 WebLOAD sends initial messages using SSL 3.0. If the peer requests SSL 2.0 communications, SSL 2.0 is used for further communication.
- SSL_Version_2_0 WebLOAD sends initial messages and all further communication using SSL 2.0. This option is not recommended other than for testing, because SSL 3.0 is more functional and secure than SSL 2.0.
- TLS_Version_1_0 WebLOAD sends initial messages using TLS 1.0. If the peer requests SSL 3.0 communications, SSL 3.0 is used for further communication.

To connect to a server using any of the SSL options, include https://in the URL.



Example

```
wlGlobals.SSLVersion = "SSL_Version_3_0_Only"
wlGlobals.Url = https://www.ABCDEF.com
```

See *WebLOAD-supported SSL Protocol Versions* (on page 443) for a table illustrating all the Client/Server SSL version handshake combination possibilities and a complete list of SSL/TLS protocol names.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SSLBitLimit (see SSLBitLimit (property) on page 246) (wlGlobals only)
- *SSL Cipher Command Suite* (on page 33)
- *SSL Ciphers Complete List* (on page 444)
- SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (see SSLCipherSuiteCommand() (function) on page 248)
- SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (see SSLClientCertificateFile, SSLClientCertificatePassword (properties) on page 249)
- SSLCryptoStrength (see SSLCryptoStrength (property) on page 251) (wlGlobals only)
- SSLDisableCipherID() (see SSLDisableCipherID() (function) on page 253)
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- SSLGetCipherName() (see SSLGetCipherName() (function) on page 263)
- SSLGetCipherStrength() (see SSLGetCipherStrength() (function) on page 264)
- SSLUseCache (see SSLUseCache (property) on page 265)

StopClient () (function)

Description

Stops the execution of the Virtual Client running the script from which StopClient() was called. After StopClient() is called, this client cannot be resumed.



Syntax

StopClient ([SeverityLevel], [Reason])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
SeverityLevel	Optionally, specify the severity level of the error that occurred. The possible values are:
	WLMinorError. The message is displayed as a warning message.
	WLError. The message is displayed as an error message.
	If no severity level is specified, WLMinorError is assumed.
	Note: Error levels are used for display in the log window and do not define any logical behavior.
Reason	An optional string containing the reason for stopping the virtual client running the script.
	If no reason is specified, a default message is displayed. See <i>Default Message</i> below.

Default Message

The following default message is displayed when no reason is specified:

StopClient(WLError, "Client"+%d+"was terminated by a user command in the Agenda")

where %d is a parameter that takes the number of the client that was terminated. For example, "Client 38 was terminated by a user command in the Agenda".

Examples

StopClient(WLError, "Error occurred when running Agenda, client
terminated")
StopClient(, "Error occurred when running Agenda, client terminated")

StopClient (WLError)

StopGenerator () (function)

Description

Stop the Agenda from within the Agenda. The string passed as a parameter is the message that appears when the Agenda is stopped.

Syntax

StopGenerator(string)



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
String	The message to be displayed when the Agenda is stopped.

Example

StopGenerator ("The Agenda was terminated from within the Agenda")

string (property)

Property of Object

• title (see *title* (*property*) on page 278)

Description

Stores the document title in a text string.

SynchronizationPoint() (function)

Description

WebLOAD provides Synchronization Points to coordinate the actions of multiple Virtual Clients. A Synchronization Point is a meeting place where Virtual Clients wait before continuing with an Agenda. When one Virtual Client arrives at a Synchronization Point, WebLOAD holds the Client at the point until all the other Virtual Clients arrive. When all the Virtual Clients have arrived, they are all released at once to perform the next action in the Agenda simultaneously. For more information on Synchronization Points, see *Working with Synchronization Points* in the *WebLOAD Scripting Guide*.

Syntax

SynchronizationPoint([timeout])



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
timeout	An optional integer value that sets the number of milliseconds that WebLOAD will wait for all of the Virtual Clients to arrive at the Synchronization Point. The timeout parameter is a safety mechanism that prevents an infinite wait if any of the Virtual Clients does not arrive at the Synchronization Point for any reason. Once the timeout period expires, WebLOAD releases the rest of the Virtual Clients. By default, there is no timeout value. WebLOAD will wait an infinite amount of time for all Virtual Clients to arrive. Setting a timeout value is important to ensure that the test session will not 'hang' indefinitely in case of error.

Return Value

SynchronizationPoint() functions return one of the following values. These values may be checked during the Agenda runtime.

- WLSuccess Synchronization succeeded. All Virtual Clients arrived at the Synchronization Point and were released together.
- WLLoadChanged Synchronization failed. A change in the Load Size was detected
 while Virtual Clients were being held at the Synchronization Point. All Virtual
 clients were released.
- WLTimeout Synchronization failed. The timeout expired before all Virtual Clients arrived at the Synchronization Point. All Virtual Clients were released.
- WLError Synchronization failed. Invalid timeout value. All Virtual Clients were released.

Example

The following Agenda fragment illustrates a typical use of synchronization points. To test a Web application with all the Virtual Clients performing a particular Post operation simultaneously, add a Synchronization Point as follows. The various return values are highlighted:

```
wlHttp.Get("url")
...
SP = SynchronizationPoint(10000)
if (SP == WLLoadChanged)
{
    InfoMessage("Syncronization failed, Load Size changed")
    InfoMessage("SP = " + SP.toString() + " " + ClientNum)
}
if (SP == WLTimeout)
{
    InfoMessage("Syncronization failed, Timeout expired")
```



```
InfoMessage("SP = " + SP.toString() + " " + ClientNum)
}
if (SP == WLError)
{
    InfoMessage("Syncronization failed")
    InfoMessage("SP = " + SP.toString() + " " + ClientNum)
}
if (SP == WLSuccess)
{
    InfoMessage("Synchronization succeeded")
    InfoMessage("SP = " + SP.toString() + " "+ ClientNum)
}
wlHttp.Post(url)
```

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting synchronization functions within Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Drag the **Synchronization Point** icon from the Load toolbox into the Agenda Tree directly before the action you want all Virtual Clients to perform simultaneously. The **Synchronization Point** dialog box opens. Enter or select a timeout value for the Synchronization Point and click **OK**. The **Synchronization Point** item appears in the Agenda Tree and the JavaScript code is added to the Agenda. The JavaScript code line that corresponds to the Synchronization Point in the Agenda Tree appears in the JavaScript View.

Comment

If there is a change in the Load Size (scheduled or unscheduled) or if any WebLOAD component is paused or stopped during the test session, all Synchronization Points are disabled.

Only client threads running within a single spawned process, on the same Load Generator, are able to share user-defined global variables and synchronization points. So if, for example, you have spawning set to 100 and you are running a total of 300 threads, realize that you are actually running three spawned processes on three separate Load Generators. You will therefore only be able to synchronize 100 client threads at a time, and not all 300.

- SendCounter() (see SendCounter() (function) on page 231)
- SendMeasurement() (see SendMeasurement() (function) on page 231)
- SendTimer() (see SendTimer() (function) on page 232)
- SetTimer() (see SetTimer() (function) on page 237)
- Sleep() (see *Sleep()* (function) on page 241)
- SynchronizationPoint() (see SynchronizationPoint() (function) on page 270)



• *Timing Functions* (on page 34)

tagName (property)

Property of Object

• cell (see *cell* (*object*) on page 44)

Description

A string containing the cell type, either <TD> or <TH>.

Syntax

Use the following syntax to check a particular table cell type:

document.wlTables.myTable.cells[index#].tagName

Comment

The tagName property is a member of the wlTables family of table, row, and cell objects.

See also

- cell (see *cell (object)* on page 44) (wlTables and row property)
- cellIndex (see *cellIndex* (*property*) on page 46) (cell property)
- Collections (on page 27)
- cols (see *cols* (*property*) on page 54) (wlTables property)
- Compare() (see *Compare*() (method) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see CompareColumns (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see *CompareRows* (property) on page 55)
- Details (see *Details (property)* on page 75)
- id (see *id* (*property*) on page 145) (wlTables property)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153) (cell property)
- InnerText (see InnerText (property) on page 155) (cell property)
- MatchBy (see MatchBy (property) on page 169)
- Prepare() (see *Prepare()* (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)
- row (see *row* (*object*) on page 216) (wlTables property)
- rowIndex (see *rowIndex* (*property*) on page 218) (row property)
- wlTables (see wlTables (object) on page 327)



target (property)

Property of Object

- form (see *form (object)* on page 94)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)

Description

The name of the window or frame into which the form or link should be downloaded (read-only string).

Example

In the following code fragment:

```
<A HREF="newpage.htm" TARGET="_top">
Go to New Page.
</A>
```

The target property would equal "_top" and the link will load the page into the top frame of the current frameset.

Comment

While link and location objects share most of their properties, the target property is used by the link object only and is not accessed by the location object.

The form.target and link.target properties identify the most recent, immediate location of the target frame using the name string or keyword that was assigned to that frame. Compare this to the wlHttp.wlTarget property of a transaction, which uses the WebLOAD shorthand notation, described in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide, to store the complete path of the frame, from the root window of the Web page. The last field of the wlHttp.wlTarget string is the target name stored in the form.target and link.target properties.

See also

• wlTarget (see wlTarget (property) on page 328)

Text (function)

Description

Verify the absence or presence of a specified text expression within the Web server response.



Syntax

wlVerification.Text(searchOption, text, severity)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
searchOption	Possible values are: WLFind or WLNotFind.
text	String text to find in the document.wlSource.
severity	Possible values of this parameter are:
	WLSuccess. The transaction terminated successfully.
	 WLMinorError. This specific transaction failed, but the test session may continue as usual. The Agenda displays a warning message in the Log window and continues execution from the next statement.
	 WLError. This specific transaction failed and the current test round was aborted. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and begins a new round.
	 WLSevereError. This specific transaction failed and the test session must be stopped completely. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and the Load Generator on which the error occurred is stopped.

Example

The following code verifies that the server response does not contain the word "error". In case of failure, WebLOAD displays the error message and stops the execution.

wlVerification.Text(WLNotFind, "error", WLError);

See also

- wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)
- PageContentLength (see PageContentLength (property) on page 185)
- Severity (see *Severity (property)* on page 240)
- Function (see *Function* (property) on page 99)
- ErrorMessage (see *ErrorMessage* (property) on page 90)
- Title (see *Title* (function) on page 279)

ThreadNum() (property)

Description

Assigns a unique number to a process based on the client/Load Generator/Agenda. This number is unique across the Agenda's slave processes and is saved in the



ClientNum property. Each client in a Load Generator is assigned a unique number. However, two clients in two different Load Generators may have the same number.



Note: While ClientNum is unique within a single Load Generator, it is not unique system wide. Use VCUniqueID() (see VCUniqueID() (function) on page 289) to obtain an ID number which is unique system-wide.

If there are N clients in a Load Generator, the clients are numbered 0, 1, 2, ..., N-1. You can access ClientNum anywhere in the local context of the Agenda (InitClient(), main script, TerminateClient(), etc.). ClientNum does not exist in the global context (InitAgenda(), TerminateAgenda(), etc.).

If you mix Agendas within a single Load Generator, instances of two or more Agendas may run simultaneously on each client. Instances on the same client have the same ClientNum value.

ClientNum reports only the main client number. It does not report any extra threads spawned by a client to download nested images and frames (see *LoadGeneratorThreads* (property) on page 164).

Comment

Earlier versions of WebLOAD referred to this value as ThreadNum. The variable name ThreadNum will still be recognized for backward compatibility.

Example

InfoMessage("ThreadNum: " + ThreadNum())

See also

- ClientNum() (see *ClientNum* (property) on page 50)
- VCUniqueID (see VCUniqueID() (function) on page 289)

TimeoutSeverity (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

When conducting Page Verification tests, TimeoutSeverity stores the error level to be triggered if the full set of verification tests requested for the current page are not completed within the specified time limit.



GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting page verification severity levels through the WebLOAD Console. Check Verification in the Page Time area and select an error severity level from the drop-down box in the Functional Testing tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Syntax

You may also assign a severity level using the TimeoutSeverity property.

wlGlobals.TimeoutSeverity = ErrorFlag

The following error codes are available:

- WLSuccess The transaction terminated successfully.
- WLMinorError This specific transaction failed, but the test session may continue
 as usual. The Agenda displays a warning message in the Log window and
 continues execution from the next statement.
- WLError This specific transaction failed and the current test round was aborted. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and begins a new round.
- WLSevereError This specific transaction failed and the test session must be stopped completely. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and the Load Generator on which the error occurred is stopped.

Example

wlGlobals.TimeoutSeverity = WLError.

See also

- BeginTransaction() (see *BeginTransaction()* (function) on page 41)
- CreateDOM() (see *CreateDOM()* (function) on page 63)
- CreateTable() (see *CreateTable()* (function) on page 65)
- EndTransaction() (see EndTransaction() (function) on page 87)
- ReportEvent() (see *ReportEvent()* (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- Transaction Verification Components (on page 36)
- TransactionTime (see *TransactionTime* (property) on page 280)
- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see *VerificationFunction()* (user-defined) (function) on page 290)



title (property)

Property of Objects

- document (see document (object) on page 77)
- element (see element (object) on page 79)
- frames (see *frames* (object) on page 98)
- Image (see *Image* (object) on page 148)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)
- script (see *script* (*object*) on page 221)

Description

Stores the title value associated with the parent object.

When working with document objects, a title property is an object that contains the document title, stored as a text string. When working with window objects, the title is extracted from the document inside the window. title objects are local to a single thread. You cannot create new title objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access a document title through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. The properties of title are read-only.

When working with element, link, or location objects, a title property contains the title of the parent Button, Checkbox, Reset, or Submit element or link object. May be used as a tooltip string. When working with document objects, a title property is an object that contains the document title, stored as a text string. When working with window objects, the title is extracted from the document inside the window.

Syntax

Document object:

Access the title's properties directly using the following syntax:

document.title.<titleproperty>

Example

Document object:

CurrentDocumentTitle = document.title.string

Properties

Document object:

string (see string (property) on page 270)



See also

- *Collections* (on page 27)
- form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)
- Select (on page 223)

Title (function)

Method of Object

• wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)

Description

This function enables you to validate a HTML Web page's title.

Syntax

wlVerification.Title(<ExpectedTitle>, <Severity>\<FunctionName>
[, <ErrorMessage>\<FunctionArguments>])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
ExpectedTitle	A user-supplied string that identifies the expected title of the HTML Web page. If the string you enter in this parameter appears in the HTML Web page's title, the validation is successful.
Severity	Possible values of this parameter are:
	 WLSuccess. The transaction terminated successfully. WLMinorError. This specific transaction failed, but the test session may continue as usual. The Agenda displays a warning message in the Log window and continues execution from the next statement.
	 WLError. This specific transaction failed and the current test round was aborted. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and begins a new round.
	 WLSevereError. This specific transaction failed and the test session must be stopped completely. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and the Load Generator on which the error occurred is stopped.
FunctionName	A pre-defined Javascript function that is called if the verification fails.
[ErrorMessage]	string
[FunctionArguments]	The arguments for the function that is called if the verification fails.



Example

For example: when validation fails, an email is sent with a message (errorMessage).

The function sendEmailOnError has the arguments emailAddress and errorMessage.

```
function sendEmailOnError(emailAddress, errorMessage)
{
   sendEmailTo(emailAddress, errorMessage)
}
```

When Title validation fails. The following function is called:

```
sendEmailOnError(VP@rrrr.com, "Title validation failed");
```

So the Title function syntax is as follows:

```
wlVerification.Title("compare title", sendEmailOnError, VP@rrrr.com,
"Title validation failed");
```

See also

- wlVerification (see wlVerification (object) on page 331)
- PageContentLength (see PageContentLength (property) on page 185)
- PageTime (see PageTime (property) on page 185)
- Severity (see *Severity (property)* on page 240)
- Function (see *Function (property)* on page 99)
- ErrorMessage (see *ErrorMessage* (property) on page 90)

TransactionTime (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Assign a timeout value using the TransactionTime property. Use the TransactionTime property to set a timeout limit for verification on the maximum transaction time.



GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting page verification timeout values through the WebLOAD Console. Check Page Verification and enter a maximum number of seconds in the Functional Testing tab of the **Default** or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Syntax

You may also assign a timeout value using the TransactionTime property.

```
wlGlobals.TransactionTime = TimeValue
```

Example

The value assigned to TransactionTime may be written in either string or integer format, where the integer represents the number of milliseconds to wait and the string represents the decimal fraction of a whole second. Therefore, the following two lines are equivalent, both setting TransactionTime to one millisecond:

```
wlGlobals.TransactionTime = 1
-Or-
wlGlobals.TransactionTime = "0.001"
```

See also

- BeginTransaction() (see BeginTransaction() (function) on page 41)
- CreateDOM() (see *CreateDOM()* (function) on page 63)
- CreateTable() (see *CreateTable()* (function) on page 65)
- EndTransaction() (see EndTransaction() (function) on page 87)
- ReportEvent() (see *ReportEvent()* (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- TimeoutSeverity (see *TimeoutSeverity (property)* on page 276)
- Transaction Verification Components (on page 36)
- VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (see VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (function) on page 290)

type (property)

Property of Objects

- element (see element (object) on page 79)
- form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)



- wlHttp.Data (see *Data* (property) on page 66)
- wlHttp.DataFile (see *DataFile (property)* on page 67)

Description

This property is a string that holds the 'type' of the parent object.

If the parent is a form element object, then type holds the HTML type attribute of the form element. For example, an <INPUT> element can have a type of "TEXT", "CHECKBOX", or "RADIO". Certain HTML form elements, such as <SELECT> do not have a type attribute. In that case, element.type is the element tag itself, for example "SELECT".



Note: The Type value *does not* change. Even when working with dynamic HTML, the type of a specific object remains the same through all subsequent transactions with that object.

If the parent is a wlHttp.Data or wlHttp.DataFile object, then Type holds the MIME type of the string or form data being submitted through an HTTP Post command.

Syntax

element:

When working with element objects, use the lowercase form:

<NA>

wlHttp.Data:

When working with wlHttp.Data objects, use the uppercase form:

wlHttp.Data.Type = "application/x-www-form-urlencoded"

Comment

The Type property for wlHttp.Data and wlHttp.DataFile objects is written in uppercase.

See also

- Data (see *Data* (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see *DataFile* (property) on page 67)
- Erase (see *Erase* (property) on page 87)
- FileName (see FileName (property) on page 92)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Get() (see *Get*() (transaction method) on page 103)



- Header (see *Header (property)* on page 139)
- Post() (see *Post()* (*method*) on page 200)
- value (see *value* (*property*) on page 287)
- wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Url (property)

Property of Objects

- element (see *element* (*object*) on page 79)
- form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)
- frames (see *frames* (*object*) on page 98)
- Image (see *Image (object)* on page 148)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see *location (object)* on page 167)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

Sets or retrieves the URL of the parent object on the Web page (read-only). If the parent object is of type , then this property holds the URL of the image element.

If the parent object is wlGlobals, this property holds the URL address to which the wlGlobals object connects.

If the parent object is wlMetas, then if httpEquiv="REFRESH" and the content property holds a URL, then the URL is extracted and stored in a link object (read-only).

Example

Area, element, form, frame, image, link, location:

<NA>

wlGlobals:

```
wlGlobals.Url = "http://www.ABCDEF.com"
```

wlMetas:

When working with wlMetas objects, use the all-uppercase caps form:

CurrentLink = document.wlMetas[0].URL



Comment

The URL property for area, element, form, frame, image, link, location, and wlMetas objects is written in all-uppercase caps.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- content (see content (property) on page 56)
- httpEquiv (see httpEquiv (property) on page 143)
- Name (see Name (property) on page 173)
- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)
- wlMetas (see wlMetas (object) on page 314)

UserAgent (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

A user agent is the client application used with a particular network protocol. The phrase, "user agent" is most commonly used in reference to applications that access the World Wide Web. Web user agents range from web browsers to search engine crawlers ("spiders"), as well as mobile phones, etc. The user agent string can be sent as part of the HTTP request, prefixed with User-agent: or User-Agent:. This string typically includes information such as the application name, version, host, host operating system, and language. Some examples of user agent strings can be found at:

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/User agent#Example user-agent strings

The UserAgent property is used to define the user agent string for the scope of the WebLOAD object with which it is associated.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends setting user agent values through the WebLOAD Console. Select a browser type and user agent through the Browser Parameters tab of the



Default or **Current Project Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

UserName (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The user name that the Agenda uses to log onto a restricted HTTP site. WebLOAD automatically uses the appropriate access protocol. For example, if a site expects clients to use the NT Authentication protocol, the appropriate user name and password will be stored and sent accordingly.

GUI mode

WebLOAD by default senses the appropriate authentication configuration settings for the current test session.

If you prefer to explicitly set authentication values, WebLOAD recommends setting user authentication values through the WebLOAD Console. Enter user authentication information through the Authentication tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

Syntax

You may also set user values using the wlGlobals properties. WebLOAD automatically sends the user name and password when a wlHttp object connects to an HTTP site. For example:

```
wlGlobals.UserName = "Bill"
wlGlobals.PassWord = "TopSecret"
```

Comments

A user is only authenticated once during a round with a set of credentials. Each subsequent request will use these credentials regardless of what is contained in the Agenda. If the value of these credentials are changed after authentication, they will only be used during the next round, not during the current round.



For example, if you are trying to send a request to a URL with a group of users (user1, user2, and user3), but user1 has already been authenticated, the login is always performed for user1 until the round is complete.

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- NTUserName, NTPassWord (see NTUserName, NTPassWord (properties) on page 175)

UseSameProxyForSSL (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

The UseSameProxyForSSL property can have one of the following values:

- false (default value) The engine uses the Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord, ProxyNTUserName, and ProxyNTPassWord properties for both SSL and non-SSL traffic.
- true The engine uses the Proxy, ProxyUserName, ProxyPassWord,
 ProxyNTUserName, and ProxyNTPassWord properties for non-SSL traffic and the
 HttpsProxy, HttpsProxyUserName, HttpsProxyPassWord,
 HttpsProxyNTUserName, and HttpsNTPassWord properties for SSL traffic.

This property is used when you are working with a separate SSL proxy.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Example

wlGlobals.UseSameProxyForSSL = false

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Security in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide
- HttpsProxy, HttpsProxyUserName, HttpsProxyPassWord (see *HttpsProxy*, *HttpsProxyUserName*, *HttpsProxyPassWord* (properties) on page 144)
- HttpsProxyNTUserName, HttpsProxyNTPassWord (see *HttpsProxyNTUserName*, *HttpsProxyNTPassWord* (*properties*) on page 145)



UsingTimer (property)

Property of Object

wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

The name of a timer to use for the Get () or Post () method.

Example

WebLOAD zeros the timer immediately before a Get() or Post() call and sends the timer value to the WebLOAD Console immediately after the call. This is equivalent to calling the SetTimer() and SendTimer() functions. Thus the following two code examples are equivalent:

```
//Version 1
wlHttp.UsingTimer = "Timer1"
wlHttp.Get("http://www.ABCDEF.com")
//Version 2
SetTimer("Timer1")
wlHttp.Get("http://www.ABCDEF.com")
SendTimer("Timer1")
```

See also

- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- SendTimer() (see SendTimer() (function) on page 232)
- SetTimer() (see SetTimer() (function) on page 237)

value (property)

Property of Objects

- element (see element (object) on page 79)
- option (see option (object) on page 182)
- wlHeaders (see wlHeaders (object) on page 308)
- wlHttp.Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- wlHttp.Header (see *Header (property)* on page 139)
- wlSearchPairs (see wlSearchPairs (object) on page 320)

Description

Sets and retrieves the value associated with the parent object.



When working with elements or options, this property holds the text associated with this object. This is the value that is returned to the server when a FORM control of type Button, Checkbox, Radiobutton, Reset, or Submit is submitted. Thus the value property holds the HTML value attribute of the object (the <OPTION> element). If the element does not have a value attribute, WebLOAD sets the value property equal to the text property.

When working with wlHeaders or wlSearchPairs objects, this property holds the value of the search key.

When working with wlHttp.Data or wlHttp.Header objects, this property holds the value of the data string being submitted through an HTTP Post command.

Syntax

For elements and options:

<NA>

For wlHeaders:

```
document.wlHeaders[index#].value = "TextString"
For example:
```

document.wlHeaders[0].value = "Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F"

For wlSearchPairs:

document.links[1].wlSearchPairs[index#].value = "TextString"
For example:

document.links[1].wlSearchPairs[0].value = "OpticsResearch"

For wlHttp.Header:

```
wlHttp.Header["value"] = "TextString"
```

For wlHttp.Data:

When working with wlHttp.Data objects, use the uppercase form:

```
wlHttp.Data.Value = "SearchFor=icebergs&SearchType=ExactTerm"
```

Comment

The Value property for element and wlHttp. Data objects is written in uppercase.

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)



- element (see *element* (*object*) on page 79)
- Erase (see Erase (property) on page 87)
- FileName (see *FileName* (property) on page 92)
- form (see *form* (*object*) on page 94)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Get() (see Get() (transaction method) on page 103)
- Header (see Header (property) on page 139)
- Image (see Image (object) on page 148)
- key (see key (property) on page 159)
- option (see option (object) on page 182)
- Post() (see Post() (method) on page 200)
- Select (on page 223)
- type (see *type* (*property*) on page 281)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)
- wlClear() (see wlClear() (method) on page 295)
- wlHeaders (see wlHeaders (object) on page 308)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlSearchPairs (see wlSearchPairs (object) on page 320)

VCUniqueID() (function)

Description

VCUniqueID() provides a unique identification for the current Virtual Client instance which is unique system-wide, across multiple Load Generators, even with multiple spawned processes running simultaneously. Compare this to ClientNum (see *ClientNum* (variable) on page 50), which provides an identification number that is only unique within a single Load Generator. The identification string is composed of a concatenation of the Agenda name, Load Generator name, current thread number, and round number.

Syntax

VCUniqueID()

Return Value

Returns a unique identification string for the current Virtual Client instance.



Example

```
InfoMessage(VCUniqueID())
The results are
j@chaimsh.0.1
```

where:

- j is the name of the script.
- chaimsh is the name of the Load Generator.
- 0 is the client number.
- 1 is the round number.

See also

- ClientNum (see ClientNum (variable) on page 50)
- GeneratorName() (see GeneratorName() (function) on page 100)
- GetOperatingSystem() (see GetOperatingSystem() (function) on page 130)
- *Identification Variables and Functions* (on page 29)
- RoundNum (see RoundNum (variable) on page 215)

VerificationFunction() (user-defined) (function)

Description

User-defined verification function to be used with a 'named' transaction. A function written by the user, tailored to the specific testing and verification needs of the application being tested.

Syntax

```
UserDefinedVerificationFunction(specified by user)
{
   ...
   <any valid JavaScript code>
   return value
}
```

Parameters

Specified by user.



Return Value

The user-defined <code>Verification()</code> function returns a value based on user-specified criterion. You define the success and failure criterion for user-defined transactions. You also determine the severity level of any failures. The severity level determines the execution path when the main Agenda resumes control. Less severe failures may be noted and ignored. More severe failures may cause the whole test to be aborted.

Set the severity level in the verification function return statement. All failures are logged and displayed in the Log Window, similar to any other WebLOAD test failure. Refer to the *WebLOAD Console User's Guide* for more information on return values and error codes. Transactions may be assigned one of the following return values:

- WLSuccess The transaction terminated successfully.
- WLMinorError This specific transaction failed, but the test session may continue
 as usual. The Agenda displays a warning message in the Log window and
 continues execution from the next statement.
- WLError This specific transaction failed and the current test round was aborted.
 The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window. If you are working
 with WebLOAD, a new round is begun only if WebLOAD is configured for
 multiple iterations.
- WLSevereError This specific transaction failed and the test session must be stopped completely. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window. If you are working with WebLOAD IDE, the test session is stopped. If you are working with WebLOAD, the Load Generator on which the error occurred is stopped.

The default return value is WLSuccess. If no other return value is specified for the transaction, the default assumption is that the transaction terminated successfully.

Example

The following sample verification function checks if the current title of the Web page matches the page title expected at this point. (In this case, the function looks for a match with a Google page.)

```
function Transaction1_VerificationFunction()
{
   InfoMessage(document.title)
   if(document.title.indexOf("Google")>0)
      return WLSuccess
   else
      return WLMinorError
}
```

Comment

All functions must be declared in the Agenda before they can be called.



For a more complete explanation and examples of functional testing and transaction verification, see the *WebLOAD Scripting Guide*.

See also

- BeginTransaction() (see *BeginTransaction()* (function) on page 41)
- CreateDOM() (see CreateDOM() (function) on page 63)
- CreateTable() (see CreateTable() (function) on page 65)
- EndTransaction() (see EndTransaction() (function) on page 87)
- ReportEvent() (see ReportEvent() (function) on page 211)
- SetFailureReason() (see SetFailureReason() (function) on page 236)
- TimeoutSeverity (see *TimeoutSeverity (property)* on page 276)
- TransactionTime (see *TransactionTime* (property) on page 280)
- Transaction Verification Components (on page 36)

Version (property)

Property of Objects

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

Description

Stores the HTTP version number for the current test session. Current supported versions include 1.0 and 1.1.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends selecting an HTTP version through the WebLOAD Console. Click the appropriate version number radio button in the HTTP Parameters tab of the **Default** or **Current Session Options** dialog box, accessed from the **Tools** tab of the ribbon.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)



WarningMessage() (function)

Description

Use this function to display a warning message in the Log window.

Syntax

WarningMessage(msg)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
msg	A string with a warning message to be sent to the Log window.

Comment

If you call WarningMessage () in the main script, WebLOAD sends a warning message to the Log window and continues with Agenda execution as usual. The message has no impact on the continued execution of the test session.

GUI mode

WebLOAD recommends adding message functions to your Agenda files directly through the WebLOAD IDE. Drag the Message icon from the WebLOAD IDE toolbox into the Agenda. The Message dialog box opens. Enter the message text, select the WLMinorError severity level for the message, and click **OK**.

See also

- ErrorMessage() (see ErrorMessage() (function) on page 89)
- GetMessage() (see GetMessage() (method) on page 128)
- GetSeverity() (see GetSeverity() (method) on page 133)
- InfoMessage() (see *InfoMessage()* (function) on page 152)
- Message Functions (on page 30)
- ReportLog() (see ReportLog() (method) on page 212)
- SevereErrorMessage() (see SevereErrorMessage() (function) on page 238)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300)
- wlException() (see wlException() (constructor) on page 301)



window (object)

Property of Object

frames (see frames (object) on page 98)

Description

The window object represents an open browser window. window objects store the complete parse results for downloaded HTML pages. Use the window object to gain access to the document in the window. From the window properties you can retrieve the document itself, check the location, and access other subframes that are nested within that window. Typically, the browser creates a single window object when it opens an HTML document. However, if a document defines one or more frames the browser creates one window object for the original document and one additional window object (a *child window*) for each frame. The child window may be affected by actions that occur in the parent. For example, closing the parent window causes all child windows to close.



Note: The 'parent' window item is usually implicitly understood when accessing the HTML document information.

window objects are also accessed through nested frames, where the frame object's window property points to a child window nested within the given frame (read-only).

Example

When working with multiple child windows of a frames collection, access the first child window using the following expressions:

```
frames[0]
-Or-
document.frames[0]
```

Access the properties (document, location, or frames) of the first child window with the following expressions:

```
frames[0].<child-property>
  -Or-
  document.frames[0].<child-property>
For example:
  frames[0].location
  -Or-
  document.frames[0].location
```

Properties

document (see document (object) on page 77)



- location (see location (object) on page 167)
- Name (see Name (property) on page 173)
- title (see *title* (*property*) on page 355)
- Url (see *Url (property)* on page 363)

See also

Collections (on page 27)

wlClear() (method)

Method of Objects

The wlhttp object includes the following collections for storing data. These data storage collections each include the method wlClear().

- wlHttp.Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- wlHttp.DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- wlHttp.FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- wlHttp.Header (see *Header (property)* on page 139)

Description

wlClear() is used to clear property values from the specified wlHttp data collection.

Syntax

```
wlHttp.DataCollection.wlClear([FieldName])
```

Parameters

[FieldName]-An optional user-supplied string with the name of the field to be cleared.

Example

If called with no parameters, then all values set for the collection are cleared:

```
wlHttp.FormData["a"] = "DDD"
wlHttp.FormData["B"] = "FFF"
wlHttp.FormData.wlClear()
// Clear all value from all fields in FormData
InfoMessage (wlHttp.FormData["a"])
// This statement has no meaning, since there
// is currently no value assigned to "a"
```



If wlClear() is passed a FieldName parameter, then only the value of the specified field is cleared:

```
wlHttp.FormData.wlClear("FirstName")
// Clears only value assigned to "FirstName"
```

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- Data (see Data (property) on page 66)
- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Header (see Header (property) on page 139)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

wlCookie (object)

Description

The wlCookie object gets, sets and deletes cookies. These activities may be required by an HTTP server.



Note: Cookie management is usually handled automatically through the standard DOM document.cookie property.

WebLOAD supports the wlCookie object as an alternate approach to cookie management. You may use the methods of wlCookie to create as many cookies as needed. For example, each WebLOAD client running an Agenda can set its own cookie identified by a unique name. wlCookie is a local object. WebLOAD automatically creates an independent wlCookie object for each thread of an Agenda. You cannot manually declare wlCookie objects yourself.

By default, WebLOAD always accepts cookies that are sent from a server. When WebLOAD connects to a server, it automatically submits any cookies in the server's domain that it has stored. The wlCookie object lets you supplement or override this behavior in the following ways:

- A thread can create its own cookies.
- A thread can delete cookies that it created.
- A thread can get the value of a cookie that is created.

Aside from these two abilities, WebLOAD does not distinguish in any way between cookies that it receives from a server and those that you create yourself. For example, if



a thread creates a cookie in a particular domain, it automatically submits the cookie when it connects to any server in the domain.



Note: This property can only be inserted manually.

Syntax

```
wlCookie.method()
```

Example

Methods

- ClearAll() (see ClearAll() (method) on page 48)
- delete() (see *delete()* (*method*) on page 74)
- Set() (see Set() (cookie method) on page 234)
- Get() (see Get() (cookie method) on page 102)

wlDataFileField (method)

Description

WLDataFileField creates the data file field parameter.

Syntax

```
fileFieldParam = WLDataFileField(paramName, ColumnNumber);
```

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
paramName	File parameter ID, returned by WLDataFileParam.
ColumnNumber	File column number.



wlDataFileParam() (parameterization)

Description

Define a data file parameter.

Syntax

<paramName> = wlDataFileParam(FileID, CopyFileId, HeaderLines,
Delimiter, AccessMethod, Scope, UsageMethod, EndOfFileBehavior);

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
FileID	A string which is a unique parameter identifier.
CopyFileId	An identifier which refers to the local file. This value is returned by the CopyFile command.
HeaderLines	A parameter that defines the number of header lines the file contains. All values are enumerated numeric values. Possible values are:
	0. The file does not contain any header lines. This is the default value.
	 <x>. Where <x> is any number above zero. The file contains</x></x> <x> header lines at the beginning of the file. The values contained in these header lines are not used as parameters but as variable names in the JavaScript code.</x>
Delimiter	Character used to separate fields in one line of the input file. The default delimiter character is a comma.
AccessMethod	Defines the method for reading the next row from the file. All values are enumerated numeric values. Possible values are:
	• WLParamRandom. Gets a random row from the file.
	• WLParamOrdered. Every client gets the next row from the file (order is important).
	 WLParamNotOrdered. Every client gets the next row from the file (order is not important).
Scope	Defines the scope (sharing policy) of the parameter. Possible values are:
	 WLParamGlobal. All virtual clients read rows from the shared (global) pool.
	• WLParamLocal. Each virtual client reads rows from its own copy of the pool.
	 WLParamGlobalLocked. All virtual clients read a unique row from the global pool, which is shared by all virtual clients on all load generators.



Parameter Name	Description
UsageMethod	Defines when the parameter is updated, meaning when a new value will be read. Possible values are:
	 WLParamUpdateRound. The Agenda reads a new row from the file one time for each round. Using the same parameter again in the same round will result in the same value.
	 WLParamUpdateOnce. The Agenda reads a new row from the file once at the beginning of the test (in InitClient). Every usage of the parameter by that Virtual Client will always result in the same value.
	WLParamUpdateUse. The parameter's value will be read each time it is used.
EndOfFileBehavior	Defines how WebLOAD behaves when it reaches the end of the file. All values are enumerated numeric values.
	WLParamKeepLast. Keep the last value.
	WLParamCycle. Start from the beginning of the file. Each row can be used any number of times.
	 WLParamStopVC. Abort the specific Virtual Client that tried to read past the end of the file. An error message is written to the log file.

Example

```
function InitAgenda()
{
    myFileParam_File = CopyFile("C:\My
    Documents\\WebLOAD\\Sessions\\param1.txt")
}
function InitClient()
{
    myFileParam_DataFileParam = wlDataFileParam (
    "myFileParam", myFileParam_File,
    1,",",wlParamRandom,WLParamGlobalLocked,wlParamUpdateRound,wlParamCycle);
    myFileParam_col1 = wlDataFileField( myFileParam_DataFileParam, 1);

myFileParam_col2 = wlDataFileField( myFileParam_DataFileParam, 2);
}
/***** WLIDE - Message - ID:4 *****/
InfoMessage(myFileParam_col1.getValue())

// END WLIDE
/***** WLIDE - Message - ID:5 *****/
InfoMessage(myFileParam_col2.getValue())
```



Methods

wlDataFileField() (see wlDataFileField (method)on page 297)

wlException (object)

Description

Agenda scripts that encounter an error during runtime do not simply fail and die. This would not be helpful to testers who are trying to analyze when, where, and why an error in their application occurs. WebLOAD Agendas incorporate a set of error management routines to provide a robust error logging and recovery mechanism whenever possible. The wlexception object is part of the WebLOAD error management protocol.

WebLOAD users have a variety of options for error recovery during a test session. The built-in error flags provide the simplest set of options; an informative message, a simple warning, stop the current round and skip to the beginning of the next round, or stop the test session completely. Users may also use try()/catch() commands to enclose logical blocks of code within a round. This provides the option of catching any minor errors that occur within the enclosed block and continuing with the next logical block of code within the current round, rather than skipping the rest of the round completely.

Users may add their own try()/catch() pairs to an Agenda, delimiting their own logical code blocks and defining their own alternate set of activities to be executed in case an error occurs within that block. If an error is caught while the Agenda is in the middle of executing the code within a protected logical code block (by try()), WebLOAD will detour to a user-defined error function (the catch() block) and then continue execution with the next navigation block in the Agenda.

wlexception objects store information about errors that have occurred, including informative message strings and error severity levels. Users writing error recovery functions to handle the errors caught within a try()/catch() pair may utilize the wlexception object. Use the wlexception methods to perhaps send error messages to the Log Window or trigger a system error of the specified severity level.

Example

The following code fragment illustrates a typical error-handling routine:

```
try{
    ...
    //do a lot of things
    ...
    //error occurs here
```



```
catch(e) {
  myException = new wlException(e, "we have a problem")
  //things to do in case of error
  if (myException.GetSeverity() == WLError) {
      // Do one set of Error activities
      myException.ReportLog()
      throw myException
  }
  else {
      // Do a different set of Severe Error activities
      throw myException
  }
}
```

Methods

- GetMessage() (see GetMessage() (method) on page 128)
- GetSeverity() (see GetSeverity() (method) on page 133)
- ReportLog() (see ReportLog() (method) on page 212)
- wlException() (see wlException() (constructor) on page 301)

See also

- ErrorMessage() (see *ErrorMessage()* (function) on page 89)
- InfoMessage() (see *InfoMessage()* (function) on page 152)
- Message Functions (on page 30)
- SevereErrorMessage() (see SevereErrorMessage() (function) on page 238)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- WarningMessage() (see WarningMessage() (function) on page 293)

wlException() (constructor)

Method of Object

wlException (see wlException (object) on page 300)

Description

Creates a new wlException object.



Syntax

NewExceptionObject = new wlException(severity, message)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
severity	One of the following integer constants:
	 WLError. This specific transaction failed and the current test round was aborted. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and begins a new round.
	 WLSevereError. This specific transaction failed and the test session must be stopped completely. The Agenda displays an error message in the Log window and the Load Generator on which the error occurred is stopped.
message	The exception message stored as a text string.

Return Value

Returns a new wlException object.

Example

myUserException=new wlException(WLError, "Invalid date")

See also

- ErrorMessage() (see *ErrorMessage*() (function) on page 89)
- GetMessage() (see GetMessage() (method) on page 128)
- GetSeverity() (see GetSeverity() (method) on page 133)
- InfoMessage() (see InfoMessage() (function) on page 152)
- Message Functions (on page 30)
- ReportLog() (see *ReportLog()* (*method*) on page 212)
- SevereErrorMessage() (see SevereErrorMessage() (function) on page 238)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- WarningMessage() (see WarningMessage() (function) on page 293)

wlGeneratorGlobal (object)

Description

WebLOAD provides a global object called wlGeneratorGlobal. The wlGeneratorGlobal object enables sharing of global variables and values between all threads of a single Load Generator, even when running multiple Agendas. (Compare to the wlSystemGlobal (see wlSystemGlobal (object) on page 326)object, which enables sharing of global variables and values system-wide, between all threads of all



Load Generators participating in a test session, and to the wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306) object, which enables sharing of global variables and values between threads of a single Agenda, running on a single Load Generator.)

Globally shared variables are useful when tracking a value or maintaining a count across multiple threads or platforms. For example, you may include these shared values in the messages sent to the Log window during a test session.

WebLOAD creates exactly one wlGeneratorGlobal object for each Load Generator participating in a test session. Use the wlGeneratorGlobal methods to create and access variable values that you wish to share between threads of a Load Generator. Edit wlGeneratorGlobal properties and methods through the IntelliSense editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19). While global variables may be accessed anywhere in your Agenda, be sure to initially declare wlGeneratorGlobal values in the InitAgenda () *function only*. Do not define new values within the main body of an Agenda, for they will not be shared correctly by all threads.

Methods

The wlGeneratorGlobal object includes the following methods:

- Add() (see *Add*() (method) on page 39)
- Get() (see Get() (addition method) on page 101)
- Set() (see Set() (addition method) on page 233)

Properties

wlGeneratorGlobal incorporates a dynamic property set that consists of whatever global variables have been defined, set, and accessed by the user through the wlGeneratorGlobal method set only.

See also

wlSystemGlobal (see wlSystemGlobal (object) on page 326)

wlGet() (method)

Method of Object

Each of the different types of collections of elements found in the parsed DOM tree includes the method wlGet().



Description

wlGet () is used when getting data from a property in the collection to distinguish between keywords and user-defined variables that share the same names. The need for this care is explained in this section.

Syntax

Collection.wlGet(PropertyName)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
PropertyName	A string with the name of the property whose value is to be gotten.

Return Value

The value of the specified property

Example

document.forms[0].elements.wlGet("FirstName")

Comment

In JavaScript, users may work interchangeably with either an array[index] or array.index notation. For example, the following two references are interchangeable:

```
wlHttp.FormData["Sunday"]
-Or-
```

wlHttp.FormData.Sunday

This flexibility is convenient for programmers, who are able to select the syntax that is most appropriate for the context. However, it could potentially lead to ambiguity. For example, assume a website included a form with a field called length. This could lead to a confusing situation, where the word length appearing in an Agenda could represent either the number of elements in a FormData array, as explained in length, or the value of the length field in the form. Errors would arise from a reasonable assignment statement such as:

```
wlHttp.FormData["length"] = 7
```

This is equivalent to the illegal assignment statement:

```
wlHttp.FormData.length = 7
```

WebLOAD therefore uses wlGet() to retrieve field data whenever the name could lead to potential ambiguity. When recording Agendas with WebLOAD IDE, WebLOAD recognizes potential ambiguities and inserts the appropriate wlGet() statements automatically.



See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

wlGetAllForms() (method)

Method of Object

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

Retrieve a collection of all forms (<FORM> elements) in an HTML page and its nested frames.

Syntax

wlGetAllForms()

Return Value

A collection that includes the forms in the top-level frame (from which you called the method) and all its subframes at any level of nesting.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

wlGetAllFrames() (method)

Method of Object

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

Retrieve a collection of all frames in an HTML page, at any level of nesting.

Syntax

wlGetAllFrames()

Return Value

A collection that includes the top-level frame (from which you called the method) and all its subframes.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)



wlGetAllLinks() (method)

Method of Object

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

Retrieve a collection of all links (<A> elements) in an HTML page and its nested frames.

Syntax

wlGetAllLinks()

Return Value

A collection that includes links in the top-level frame (from which you called the method) and all its subframes at any level of nesting.

See also

• *HTTP Components* (on page 24)

wlGlobals (object)

Description

The wlGlobals object stores the default global configuration properties set by the user through the WebLOAD IDE or Console, including properties defining expected dialog boxes, verification test selections, and dynamic state management.

wlGlobals is a global object, whose property values are shared by all threads of an Agenda running on a single Load Generator. The wlGlobals object enables sharing of user-defined global variables and values between threads of a single Agenda, running on a single Load Generator. (Compare to the wlGeneratorGlobal (see wlGeneratorGlobal (object) on page 302) object, which enables sharing of global variables and values between all threads of a single Load Generator, and the wlSystemGlobal (see wlSystemGlobal (object) on page 326) object, which enables sharing of global variables and values system-wide, between all threads of all Load Generators participating in a test session.)





Note: Most global configuration property values and user-defined variables should be set through the WebLOAD IDE or Console. The property descriptions here are intended mainly to explain the lines of code seen in the JavaScript View of the WebLOAD IDE desktop. Syntax details are also provided for the benefit of users who prefer to manually edit the JavaScript code of their Agendas through the IntelliSense editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19). If you do decide to edit the global variable values in your Agenda, set wlGlobals properties in the InitAgenda () *function only*. Do not define new values within the main body of an Agenda. The values will not be shared correctly by all Agenda threads.

The configuration properties of the wlGlobals object are almost all duplicated in the wlLocals (see *wlLocals* (*object*) on page 313), which contains the local configuration settings for browser actions, and in the wlHttp (see *wlHttp* (*object*) on page 310), which contains configuration settings that are limited to a single specific browser action. To understand how there could potentially be three different settings for a single configuration property, see the *WebLOAD Scripting Guide*.

Properties

The wlGlobals object includes the following property classes:

- Automatic State Management for HTTP Protocol Mode (on page 24)
- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Transaction Verification Components (on page 36)

Syntax

Each individual property class includes the syntax specifications that apply to that class.

GUI mode

The wlGLobals, property and method descriptions explain how to explicitly set values for these session configuration properties within your JavaScript Agenda files.

The recommended way to set configuration values is through the WebLOAD IDE, using the Default, Current, and Global Options dialog boxes accessed from the **Tools** tab in the Console desktop ribbon. The dialog boxes provide a means of defining and setting configuration values with ease, simplicity, and clarity.

See also

- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)
- wlGeneratorGlobal (see wlGeneratorGlobal (object) on page 302)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)
- wlSystemGlobal (see wlSystemGlobal (object) on page 326)



wlHeaders (object)

Property of Objects

Headers on a Web page are accessed through wlHeaders objects that are grouped into collections of wlHeaders. The wlHeaders collection is a property of the following objects:

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

Each wlheaders object contains a key-value pair. wlheaders objects provide access to the key/value pairs in the HTTP response headers. (Information found in request headers is available through the wlhttp.Header property. For key-value pairs found in URL search strings, see wlSearchPairs (object) (on page 320).)

wlHeaders objects are local to a single thread. You cannot create new wlHeaders objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access them through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. wlHeaders properties are read only.

Syntax

wlHeaders objects are grouped together within collections of wlHeaders. To access an individual wlHeaders's properties, check the length property of the wlHeaders collection and use an index number to access the individual wlHeaders object, with the following syntax:

```
NumberofHeaderObjects = document.wlHeaders.length
document.wlHeaders[index#].<wlHeaders-property>
```

Example

WebLOAD stores the header pairs from the response to the most recent Get, Post, or Head command in the document.wlHeaders collection. The following statement would retrieve an HTTP header:

```
wlHttp.Head("http://www.ABCDEF.com")
For a header that looks something like this:
```

```
HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Server: Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F
Date: Sun, 11 Jan 1998 08:25:20 GMT
Content-type: text/html
Connection: close
Host: Server2.MyCompany.com
```



WebLOAD parses the header pairs as follows:

```
document.wlHeaders[0].key = "Server"
document.wlHeaders[0].value = "Netscape-Enterprise/3.0F"
document.wlHeaders[1].key = "Date"
document.wlHeaders[1].value = "Sun, 11 Jan 1998 08:25:20 GMT"
```

Properties

The wlHeaders object includes the following properties:

- key (see *key* (*property*) on page 159)
- value (see *value* (*property*) on page 287)

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- Header (see Header (property) on page 139)
- wlSearchPairs (see wlSearchPairs (object) on page 320)

wlHtml (object)

Description

If your Agenda downloads HTML code, you can use the wlHtml object to retrieve parsed elements of the code. The wlHtml object also lets you retrieve the HTTP header fields and status and parse URL addresses into their host, port, and URI components.

wlHtml is a local object. WebLOAD automatically creates an independent wlHtml object for each thread of an Agenda. You cannot manually declare wlHtml objects yourself.

Methods

- GetFieldValue() (see GetFieldValue() (method) on page 112)
- GetFieldValueInForm() (see GetFieldValueInForm() (method) on page 113)
- GetFormAction() (see GetFormAction() (method) on page 114)
- GetFrameByUrl() (see GetFrameByUrl() (method) on page 115)
- GetFrameUrl() (see GetFrameUrl() (method) on page 116)
- GetHeaderValue() (see GetHeaderValue() (method) on page 117)
- GetHost() (see GetHost() (method) on page 118)
- GetHostName() (see GetHostName() (method) on page 119)



- GetLinkByName() (see GetLinkByName() (method) on page 126)
- GetLinkByUrl() (see GetLinkByUrl() (method) on page 127)
- GetPortNum() (see GetPortNum() (method) on page 131)
- GetQSFieldValue() (see GetQSFieldValue() (method) on page 132)
- GetStatusLine() (see GetStatusLine() (method) on page 134)
- GetStatusNumber() (see GetStatusNumber() (method) on page 135)
- GetUri() (see *GetUri*() (*method*) on page 136)

wlHttp (object)

Description

The wlhttp object stores configuration information for immediate user activities, including properties defining expected dialog boxes, verification test selections, and dynamic state management. Many of these properties are duplicated in the wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306), which contains the default global configuration settings for browser actions, and in the wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313), which contains the local configuration settings for browser actions. To understand how there could potentially be three different settings for a single configuration property, see the WebLOAD Scripting Guide. The wlHttp object also contains the methods that implement the user activities saved during the WebLOAD IDE recording session. User activities may be recreated through one of two approaches: the high-level User Action mode or the low-level HTTP Protocol mode. Methods for each of these testing modes are included in the wlHttp object.

Properties and Methods

The wlhttp object includes the following property and method classes:

- Automatic State Management for HTTP Protocol Mode (on page 24)
- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- Transaction Verification Components (on page 36)

Syntax

Each individual function class includes the syntax specifications that apply to that class.

GUI mode

The wlhttp property and method descriptions explain how to explicitly set values for these session configuration properties within your JavaScript Agenda files.





Note: The recommended way to set configuration values is through the WebLOAD IDE, using the Default, Current, and Global Options dialog boxes accessed from the **Tools** tab in the Console desktop ribbon. The dialog boxes provide a means of defining and setting configuration values with ease, simplicity, and clarity.

See also

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlLocals (see wlLocals (object) on page 313)

wlInputFile (object)

Description

The wlInputFile object supports reading values from an external text file. This is useful when you need to parameterize your Agenda. The input file supports the following access methods:

- Unique access to a parameters file's record. This ensures that a value that was read by VC1 will not be read by any other VC as long as VC1 is using this value.
- Shared access for a parameters file among Load Generators and Load Machines and among different Agendas.
- Sequential and random access to a parameters file.

The wlinputFile object enables Load Generators running on more than one load machine to access a single parameters file in a way that enables unique reading of the parameters from the file. In addition, a single parameters file can be accessed by more than one Agenda in a way that enables unique reading of parameters from the file by all of the Agendas.

Create wlInputFile objects and manage your files using the constructor and methods described in this section.

Syntax

```
MyFileObj = new wlInputFile(fileID)
```

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
fileID	An identifier which refers to the local file. This value is returned by the CopyFile command.

Example

```
fileID = CopyFile(<full path>)
...
MyFileObj = new wlInputFile(fileID)
```



...

MyFileObj.Open([AccessMethod], [ShareMethod], [UsageMethod],
[EndOfFileBehavior], [HeaderLines])

Methods

- Open() (see Open() (method) on page 177)
- GetLine() (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)

See also

- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- CopyFile() (see *CopyFile()* (function) on page 61)

wlInputFile() (constructor)

Method of Object

wlInputFile (see wlInputFile (object) on page 311)

Description

Creates a new wlInputFile object. For optimal performance, construct a new file object in the InitClient section of your Agenda. The file is copied from the Console to the Load Generator. The input file specified in the wlInputFile object is opened.

Syntax

```
myFileObj = new wlInputFile(fileID)
```

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
fileID	An identifier which refers to the local file. This value is returned by the CopyFile command.

Return Value

A pointer to a new wlInputFile object.

Example

```
fileID = CopyFile(<full path>)
...
MyFileObj = new wlInputFile(fileID)
...
MyFileObj.Open([AccessMethod], [ShareMethod], [UsageMethod],
[EndOfFileBehavior], [HeaderLines])
```



wlLocals (object)

Description

The wllocals object stores the local default configuration information for user activities, such as the URL, user name and password, proxy server, and dialog box management. wllocals is a local object. WebLOAD creates an independent wllocals object for *each thread* of an Agenda. You cannot declare wllocals objects yourself.

The properties of the wllocals object are all duplicated in the wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306), which contains the default global settings, and in the wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310), which contains the settings for an immediate action. To understand how there could potentially be three different settings for a single configuration property, see the WebLOAD Scripting Guide.

Properties

The wllocals object includes the following property classes:

- Automatic State Management for HTTP Protocol Mode (on page 24)
- *HTTP Components* (on page 24)
- *Transaction Verification Components* (on page 36)

Syntax

Each individual function class includes the syntax specifications that apply to that class.

GUI mode

The wllocals property and method descriptions explain how to explicitly set values for these session configuration properties within your JavaScript Agenda files.



Note: The recommended way to set configuration values is through the WebLOAD IDE, using the Default, Current, and Global Options dialog boxes accessed from the **Tools** tab in the Console desktop ribbon. The dialog boxes provide a means of defining and setting configuration values with ease, simplicity, and clarity.

- wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)



wlMetas (object)

Property of Objects

META objects on a Web page are accessed through wlMetas objects that are grouped into collections of wlMetas. The wlMetas collection is a property of the following objects:

• document (see *document (object)* on page 77)

Description

Each wlMetas object stores the parsed data for an HTML meta object (<META> tag). wlMetas objects are local to a single thread. You cannot create new wlMetas objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access them through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. wlMetas properties are read only.

Syntax

wlMetas objects are grouped together within collections of wlMetas. To access an individual wlMetas's properties, check the length property of the wlMetas collection and use an index number to access the individual wlMetas object, with the following syntax:

```
NumberofMetaObjects = document.wlMetas.length
document.wlMetas[#].<wlMetas-property>
```

Example

To find out how many wlMetas objects are contained within a document header, check the value of:

```
document.wlMetas.length
```

Access each wlmetas's properties directly using the preceding syntax. For example:

```
document.wlMetas[0].key
```

Properties

The wlMetas object includes the following properties:

- content (see *content* (*property*) on page 56)
- httpEquiv (see httpEquiv (property) on page 143)
- Name (see Name (property) on page 171)
- Url (see Url (property) on page 283)

See also

Collections (on page 27)



wlNumberParam() (parameterization)

Description

Define a number parameter.

Syntax

paramName = wlNumberParam (ParamID, MinValue, MaxValue, Step,
AccessMethod, Scope, UsageMethod, OutOfValuesBehavior);

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
ParamID	A string that is a unique parameter identifier.
MinValue	The minimum value of the number range.
MaxValue	The maximum value of the number range.
Step	The increment between numbers.
AccessMethod	Defines the method for calculating the next value from the range. All values are enumerated numeric values. Possible values are:
	• wlParamRandom. Gets a random value from the range.
	• wlParamOrdered. Every client gets the next value from the range (order is important).
	• wlParamNotOrdered. Every client gets the next value from the range (order is not important).
Scope	Defines the scope (sharing policy) of the parameter. Possible values are:
	• wlParamGlobal. All virtual clients read values from the shared (global) pool.
	• wlParamLocal. Each virtual client reads values from its own pool.
	wlParamGlobalLocked. All virtual clients read unique values from the shared (global) pool.
Usage Method	Defines when the parameter is updated, meaning when a new value will be read. Possible values are:
	 WLParamUpdateRound. The Agenda reads a new value from the file once for each round. Using the same parameter again in the same round will result in the same value.
	• WLParamUpdateOnce. The Agenda reads a new value from the file once at the beginning of the test (in InitClient). All usage of the parameter by that Virtual Client will always result in the same value.
	WLParamUpdateUse. The parameter's value will be read each time it is used.



Parameter Name	Description
OutOfValuesBehavior	Defines how WebLOAD behaves when it reaches the end of the range. All values are enumerated numeric values. Possible values are:
	 WLParamKeepLast. Keep the last value. WLParamCycle. Start from the beginning of the range.
	• WLParamStopVC. Abort the specific Virtual Client that tried to read past the end of the range. An error message is written to the log file.

Example

```
function InitClient()
{
NewParam1 = wlNumberParam("NewParam1",1, 100, 1, wlParamRandom,
wlParamLocal, wlParamUpdateRound, wlParamCycle);
}
/**** WLIDE - Message - ID:3 *****/
InfoMessage(NewParam1.getValue())
// END WLIDE
```

wlOutputFile (object)

Description

The wlOutputFile object writes Agenda output messages to a global output file. Create wlOutputFile objects and manage your files using the constructor and methods described in this section.

Syntax

```
MyFileObj = new wlOutputFile("filename")
...
MyFileObj.Write("Happy Birthday")
...
delete MyFileObj
```

Example

Each individual property includes examples of the syntax for that property.

Methods

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- remove() (see remove() (method) on page 74)
- Open() (see *Open()* (function) on page 180)



- Reset() (see *Reset*() (method) on page 213)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile() (constructor) on page 318)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)

Comment

You may also use the WebLOAD functions listed here to open and close output files.

To open an output file:

Open (filename)

• To **close** an output file:

Close(filename)

When you use the Close () function to close a file data will be flashed to the disk.



Note: Declaring a new wlOutputFile object creates a new, empty output file. If a file of that name already exists, the file will be completely overwritten. Information will not be appended to the end of an existing file. Be sure to choose a *unique filename* for the new output file if you do not want to overwrite previous Agenda data.

If you declare a new wlOutputFile object in the InitAgenda () function of an Agenda, the output file will be shared by all the Agenda threads. There is no way to specify a specific thread writing sequence-each thread will write to the output file in real time as it reaches that line in the Agenda execution.

If you declare a new wlOutputFile object in the InitClient() function or main body of an Agenda, use the thread number variable as part of the new filename to be sure that each thread will create a unique output file.

If you declare a new wlOutputFile object in the main body of an Agenda, and then run your Agenda for multiple iterations, use the RoundNum variable as part of the new filename to be sure that each new round will create a unique output file.

Generally, you should only create new wlOutputFile objects in the InitAgenda() or InitClient() functions of an Agenda, not in the main script. If a statement in the main script creates an object, a new object is created each time the statement is executed. If WebLOAD repeats the main script many times, a large number of objects may be created and the system may run out of memory.

- CopyFile() (see *CopyFile()* (function) on page 61)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)



- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor (on page 19)

wlOutputFile() (constructor)

Method of Object

• wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)

Description

To create a new wlOutputFile object, use the wlOutputFile () constructor.

Syntax

new wlOutputFile(filename)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
filename	Name of the new output file to be created.

Return Value

A pointer to a new wlOutputFile object.

Example

MyFileObj = new wlOutputFile("FileName")





Note:

Declaring a new wlOutputFile object creates a new, empty output file. If a file of that name already exists, the file will be completely overwritten. Information will not be appended to the end of an existing file. Be sure to choose a *unique filename* for the new output file if you do not want to overwrite previous Agenda data.

If you declare a new wlOutputFile object in the InitAgenda() function of an Agenda, the output file will be shared by all the Agenda threads. There is no way to specify a specific thread writing sequence-each thread will write to the output file in real time as it reaches that line in the Agenda execution.

If you declare a new wlOutputFile object in the InitClient() function or main body of an Agenda, use the thread number variable as part of the new filename to be sure that each thread will create a unique output file.

If you declare a new wlOutputFile object in the main body of an Agenda, and then run your Agenda for multiple iterations, use the RoundNum variable as part of the new filename to be sure that each new round will create a unique output file.

Ideally, create new wlOutputFile objects only in the InitAgenda () function of an Agenda, not in the main script. If a statement in the main script creates an object, a new object is created *each time the statement is executed*. If WebLOAD repeats the main script many times, a large number of objects may be created and the system may run out of memory.

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see CopyFile() (function) on page 61)
- delete() (see delete() (method) on page 74)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Open() (see *Open()* (function) on page 180)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor (on page 19)
- wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)
- Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)



wlRand (object)

Description

The wlRand object is a random number generator.

wlRand is a local object. WebLOAD automatically creates an independent wlRand object for the test session Agenda. You cannot declare wlRand objects yourself.

Syntax

```
wlRand.Method()
```

Example

The following example generates three random numbers having the following possible values:

- Any integer.
- An integer from 1 to 9.
- One of the three numbers 0, 1, or 1.5.

```
function InitAgenda() {
   wlRand.Seed(23)
}

AnyInteger = wlRand.Num()
OneToNine = wlRand.Range(1, 9)
OneOfThreeNumbers = wlRand.Select(0, 1, 1.5)
```

Methods

- Num() (see Num() (method) on page 176)
- Range() (see Range() (method) on page 208)
- Seed() (see Seed() (method) on page 222)
- Select() (see Select() (method) on page 223)

wlSearchPairs (object)

Method of Object

- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see *location (object)* on page 167)



Description

Each wlSearchPairs object contains a parsed version of the search attribute string, storing the key/value pairs found in a document's *URL search strings*. (For key-value pairs found in HTTP response headers, see wlHeaders (see wlHeaders (object) on page 308). Information found in request headers is available through the wlHttp. Header (see Header (property) on page 139) property.)

wlSearchPairs objects are grouped into wlSearchPairs collections, where the collections are themselves properties of the link and location objects.

wlSearchPairs objects are local to a single thread. You cannot create new wlSearchPairs objects using the JavaScript new operator, but you can access them through the properties and methods of the standard DOM objects. wlSearchPairs properties are read only.

Syntax

wlSearchPairs objects are grouped together within collections of wlSearchPairs. To access an individual wlSearchPairs's properties, check the length property of the wlSearchPairs collection and use an index number to access the individual wlSearchPairs object, with the following syntax:

Example

To find out how many wlSearchPairs objects are contained within a document's link, check the value of:

```
document.links[1].wlSearchPairs.length
```

Access each wlSearchPairs's properties directly through the index number of that item. For example:

```
document.links[1].wlSearchPairs[0].key
```

Suppose that the third link on a Web page has the following HTML code:

You can download the page and parse the links using the following Agenda:

```
function InitAgenda() {
  wlGlobals.Url = "http://www.ABCDEF.com"
  //Enable link parsing
  wlGlobals.ParseLinks = true
}
wlHttp.Get()
```



For the link in question, WebLOAD stores the attribute pairs in the document.links[2].wlSearchPairs property. This property is actually a collection containing two wlSearchPairs objects. The following is a complete listing of the collection.

```
document.links[2].wlSearchPairs[0].key = "Product"
document.links[2].wlSearchPairs[0].value = "modems"
document.links[2].wlSearchPairs[1].key = "Type"
document.links[2].wlSearchPairs[1].value = "ISDN"
```

Properties

The wlSearchPairs object includes the following properties:

- key (see key (property) on page 159)
- value (see value (property) on page 287)

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- Header (see Header (property) on page 139)
- link (see *link* (object) on page 161)
- location (see location (object) on page 167)
- wlHeaders (see wlHeaders (object) on page 308)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

wlSet() (method)

Method of Objects

The wlhttp object includes the following collections for storing data. These data storage collections each include the method wlSet().

- wlHttp.Data (see *Data* (property) on page 66)
- wlHttp.DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- wlHttp.FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- wlHttp.Header (see *Header (property)* on page 139)

Description

wlSet () is used when assigning a value to an element in the collection, to distinguish between keywords and user-defined variables that share the same names. The need for this care is explained in this section.



Syntax

wlHttp.Collection.wlSet(FieldName, Value)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
FieldName	A string with the name of the field whose value is to be set.
Value	The value to be assigned to the specified field.

Return Value

The value of the specified property.

Example

```
wlHttp.FormData.wlSet("FirstName", "Bill")
```

Comment

In JavaScript, users may work interchangeably with either an array[index] or array.index notation. For example, the following two references are interchangeable:

```
wlHttp.FormData["Sunday"]-\mathrm{Or}-
```

wlHttp.FormData.Sunday

This flexibility is convenient for programmers, who are able to select the syntax that is most appropriate for the context. However, it could potentially lead to ambiguity. For example, assume a website included a form with a field called length. This could lead to a confusing situation, where the word length appearing in an Agenda could represent either the number of elements in a FormData array, as explained in length, or the value of the length field in the form. Errors would arise from a reasonable assignment statement such as:

```
wlHttp.FormData["length"] = 7
```

This is equivalent to the illegal assignment statement:

```
wlHttp.FormData.length = 7
```

WebLOAD therefore uses wlSet() to set field data whenever the name could lead to potential ambiguity. When recording Agendas with the AAT, WebLOAD recognizes potential ambiguities and inserts the appropriate wlSet() statements automatically. In this case:

wlHttp.FormData.wlSet("length", 7)

- Collections (on page 27)
- Data (see Data (property) on page 66)



- DataFile (see DataFile (property) on page 67)
- FormData (see FormData (property) on page 96)
- Header (see Header (property) on page 139)
- wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

wlSource (property)

Property of Object

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

The complete HTML source code of the frame (read-only string).

You can use the HTML source to search for any desired information in an HTML page. For information on JavaScript searching capabilities, see *Regular Expressions* in the *Netscape JavaScript Guide*, which is supplied with the WebLOAD software.

Syntax

document.wlSource

Comment

To use the HTML source, you must enable the SaveSource (see *SaveSource (property)* on page 219) property of the wlGlobals, wlLocals, or wlHttp object. To save the source in a file, use the Outfile property (see *Outfile (property)* on page 184).

See also

- Outfile (see Outfile (property) on page 184)
- SaveSource (see SaveSource (property) on page 219)

wlStatusLine (property)

Property of Object

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

The status line of the HTTP header (read-only string, for example "OK").

Syntax

document.wlHeaders["status line"]



wlStatusNumber (property)

Property of Object

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

The HTTP status value, which WebLOAD retrieves from the HTTP header (read-only integer, for example 200).

Syntax

document.wlStatusNumber

wlStringParam() (parameterization)

Description

Define a random string parameter.

Syntax

<varName> = wlStringParam(minLength, maxLength, usage)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
minLength	The minimum string length (number of characters),
maxLength	The maximum string length (number of characters).
usage	Defines when the parameter is updated, meaning when a new value will be calculated. Possible values are:
	 wlParamUpdateRound. The parameters value will be calculated once for each round. Using the same parameter again in the same round will result with the same value.
	• wlParamUpdateOnce. The parameter's value will be calculated once per each Virtual Client (in its InitClient function). All usage of the parameter by that Virtual Client will always result in the same value.
	 wlParamUpdateUse. The parameter's value will be calculated each time it is used.

Example

```
function InitClient()
{
NewParam1 = wlStringParam(2, 7, wlParamUpdateUse);
}
```



```
/***** WLIDE - Message - ID:3 *****/
InfoMessage(NewParam1.getValue())

// END WLIDE
```

wlSystemGlobal (object)

Description

WebLOAD provides a global object called wlSystemGlobal. The wlSystemGlobal object enables sharing of global variables and values between all elements of a test session, across multiple Agendas running on multiple Load Generators. (Compare to the wlGeneratorGlobal (see wlGeneratorGlobal (object) on page 302), which enables sharing of global variables and values between all threads of a single Load Generator, and to the wlGlobals (see wlGlobals (object) on page 306), which enables sharing of global variables and values between all threads of a single Agenda, running on a single Load Generator.)

Globally shared variables are useful when tracking a value or maintaining a count across multiple threads or platforms. For example, you may include these shared values in the messages sent to the Log window during a test session.

WebLOAD creates exactly one wlSystemGlobal object per a test session. Use the wlSystemGlobal object methods to create and access variable values that you wish to share system-wide. Edit wlSystemGlobal object properties and methods through the IntelliSense editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19). While global variables may be accessed anywhere in your Agenda, be sure to initially declare wlSystemGlobal values in the InitAgenda() *function only*. Do not define new values within the main body of an Agenda, for they will not be shared correctly by all threads.

Methods

- Add() (see Add() (method) on page 39)
- Get() (see Get() (addition method) on page 101)
- Set() (see Set() (addition method) on page 233)

Properties

wlSystemGlobal incorporates a dynamic property set that consists of whatever global variables have been defined, set, and accessed by the user through the wlSystemGlobal method set only.

See also

• wlGeneratorGlobal (see wlGeneratorGlobal (object) on page 302)



wlTables (object)

Property of Object

TABLE objects on a Web page are accessed through wlTables objects that are grouped into collections of wlTables. The wlTables collection is a property of the following object:

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

Each wlTables object contains the parsed data for an HTML table (<TABLE> tag), and serves as a means of providing access to the cells of the HTML table. Because table data is organized into rows and cells, the wlTables object is also linked to row and cell objects and their properties.

wlTables objects are grouped together within collections of wlTables. The tables are arranged in the order in which they appear on the HTML page.

Syntax

To access an individual wlTables's properties, check the length property of the wlTables collection and use an index number to access the individual wlTables object, with the following syntax:

```
NumberofTableObjects = document.wlTables.length
document.wlTables[index#].<wlTables-property>
```

Example

Access each wlTables's properties directly through the index number of that item. For example:

```
document.wlTables[0].cols
```

wlTables objects may also be accessed directly using the table ID. This is illustrated in the *id* property description.

Properties

Each wlTables object contains information about the data found in the whole table, organized by rows, columns, and cells. The wlTables object includes the following properties:

- cell (see *cell* (*object*) on page 44) (wlTables and row property)
- cols (see *cols* (*property*) on page 54) (wlTables property)
- id (see *id* (*property*) on page 145) (wlTables property)
- row (see row (object) on page 216) (wlTables property)



See also

- cellIndex (see *cellIndex* (*property*) on page 46) (cell_property)
- Collections (on page 27)
- Compare() (see *Compare()* (method) on page 55)
- CompareColumns (see CompareColumns (property) on page 55)
- CompareRows (see *CompareRows* (property) on page 55)
- Details (see *Details (property)* on page 75)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153) (cell property)
- InnerText (see *InnerText (property)* on page 155) (cell property)
- MatchBy (see MatchBy (property) on page 169)
- Prepare() (see *Prepare*() (method) on page 203)
- ReportUnexpectedRows (see ReportUnexpectedRows (property) on page 213)
- rowIndex (see rowIndex (property) on page 218) (row property)
- tagName (see tagName (property) on page 273) (cell property)

wlTarget (property)

Property of Object

• wlHttp (see wlHttp (object) on page 310)

Description

The exact location within the Web page of the frame into which the transaction should be downloaded.

Syntax

wlHttp.wlTarget = "LocationString"

Comment

wlTarget uses the WebLOAD shorthand notation, described in the *WebLOAD Scripting Guide*. For example, assume the expected location is set to #1.#1. Since frame numbering begins with 0, this refers to the second subframe located within the second frame on the Web page. Neither frame has been assigned an optional name value.

The wlHttp.wlTarget property of a transaction stores the complete path of the frame, from the root window of the Web page. Compare this to the form.target and link.target properties, which identify the most recent, immediate location of the target frame using the name string or keyword that was assigned to that frame. The



last field of the wlHttp.wlTarget string is the target name stored in the form.target and link.target properties.

wlTimeParam() (parameterization)

Description

Return the current date and/or time according to the format specified in the parameter's properties

Syntax

<varName> = wlTimeParam(format, offset, usage)



Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
format	Formats are comprised from symbols, prefixed with the '%' sign and from textual characters.
	The following are the symbols used to create the date/time formats:
	• c – complete date time as number
	• H – Hours (24 hour clock)
	• I – Hours (12 hour clock)
	• M – minutes
	• S – seconds (S.000 – seconds with milliseconds)
	• p – AM or PM
	• d – day in month (number)
	• m – month (number)
	• y – year (2 digits)
	• Y – year (4 digits)
	• b – month name (3 letter)
	B – month name (full)
	The following are the formats available to the user:
	• %c
	• %H:%M:%S
	• %I:%M:%S %p
	• %d-%b-%Y
	• %d/%m/%y
	• %m/%d/%y
	• %d/%m/%Y
	• %m/%d/%Y
	• %Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S
	• %Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S.000
offset	The offset in days and time. The offset can be used so the parameter will not consider the current date but another date in the future or in the past.
	A negative value indicates a date/time prior to current date/time



Parameter Name	Description
usage	Defines when the parameter is updated, i.e., when a new value will be calculated.
	Possible values are:
	• wlParamUpdateRound. The parameters value will be calculated once for each round. Using the same parameter again in the same round will result in the same value.
	• wlParamUpdateOnce. The parameter's value will be calculated once per each Virtual Client (in its InitClient function). Every usage of the parameter by that Virtual Client will always result in the same value.
	wlParamUpdateUse. The parameter's value will be calculated each time it is used.

Example

```
function InitClient()
{
NewParam1 = wlTimeParam("%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S", 1200,
wlParamUpdateRound);
}
/***** WLIDE - Message - ID:3 ****/
InfoMessage(NewParam1.getValue())
// END WLIDE
```

wlVerification (object)

Description

The wlverification object stores the response validation properties set by the user through the WebLOAD IDE, including HTML Web page title, text within a Web page, time taken to load a Web page, and size of a Web page (in bytes).



Note: Most global configuration property values and user-defined variables should be set through the WebLOAD IDE. The property descriptions here are intended mainly to explain the lines of code seen in the JavaScript View of the WebLOAD IDE desktop. Syntax details are also provided for the benefit of users who prefer to manually edit the JavaScript code of their Agendas through the IntelliSense editor, described in *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19).

Properties

The wlverification object includes the following property classes:

Page Time



- Page Content Length
- Severity
- Function
- Error Message

Methods

- Title (function)
- ContentLength (function)
- MaxPageTime (function)
- Text (function)

Syntax

Each individual property class includes the syntax specifications that apply to that class.

GUI mode

The wlverification property and method descriptions explain how to explicitly set values for these response validations within your JavaScript Agenda files.

The recommended way to set response validation values is through the WebLOAD IDE, using the Response Validation dialog box accessed from the **Home** tab in the WebLOAD IDE desktop ribbon. The dialog box provide a means of defining and setting response validation values with ease, simplicity, and clarity.

See also

- PageContentLength (see PageContentLength (property) on page 185)
- PageTime (see *PageTime* (property) on page 185)
- Severity (see Severity (property) on page 240)
- Function (see *Function (property)* on page 99)
- ErrorMessage (see *ErrorMessage* (property) on page 90)
- Title (see *Title* (function) on page 279)

wIVersion (property)

Property of Objects

document (see document (object) on page 77)



Description

The HTTP protocol version, which WebLOAD retrieves from the HTTP header (read-only string, for example "1.1").

Example

currentVersionNumber = document.wlVersion

WLXmlDocument() (constructor)

Method of Object

• wlXmls (see wlXmls (object) on page 334)

Description

Call WLXmlDocument () without any parameters to create a new, blank XML DOM object. The new object may be filled later with any new data you prefer. If the DTD section of your XML document includes any external references, use this form of the WLXmlDocument () constructor to create new XML DOM objects. You may add nodes and post the new XML data to a website as described in the WebLOAD Scripting Guide.

Call WLXmlDocument() with a string parameter to create new XML DOM objects from an XML string that includes a completely self-contained DTD section with no external references.

Syntax

new WLXmlDocument([xmlString])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
[xmlString]	Optional string parameter that contains a complete set of XML document data.

Return Value

Returns a new XML DOM object. If the constructor was called with no parameters, the new object will be empty. If the constructor was called with an XML string, the new object will contain an XML DOM hierarchy based on the XML data found in the parameter string.

Example

```
NewBlankXMLObj = new WLXmlDocument()
-Or-
NewXMLObj = new WLXmlDocument(xmlStr)
```



Comment

Objects created by the WLXmlDocument() constructor provide access to the XML DOM Document Interface. They do not expose the HTML property set, (id, innerHTML, and src), as those properties have no meaning for XML DOM objects created this way.

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153)
- load() (see load() (method) on page 162)
- load() and loadXML() Method Comparison (on page 163)
- loadXML() (see loadXML() (method) on page 166)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)
- XMLDocument (see XMLDocument (property) on page 339)

wlXmls (object)

Property of Object

document (see document (object) on page 77)

Description

WebLOAD has extended the standard IE Browser DOM document object with the wlxmls collection of XML DOM objects, providing full access to XML structures. Using XML DOM objects, WebLOAD Agendas are able to both access XML site information, and generate new XML data to send back to the server for processing, taking advantage of all the additional benefits that XML provides.

Both WebLOAD and the IE Browser use the MSXML parser to create XML DOM objects. Since WebLOAD XML DOM objects and Browser XML DOM objects are created by the same MSXML parser, the XML DOM objects that are produced for both WebLOAD and the IE Browser are identical.

When working through the IE Browser, XML DOM objects are found in the all collection. When working through WebLOAD, XML DOM objects are found in the wlxmls collection. Since a WebLOAD XML DOM object is identical to an IE Browser XML DOM object, the WebLOAD XML DOM uses the same Document Interface (programming methods and properties) found in the IE Browser XML DOM.



This section describes the wlxmls collection and the properties and methods used most often when working with WebLOAD XML DOM objects. For an explanation of the XML DOM, see the *WebLOAD Scripting Guide*. For a complete list of the XML DOM properties and methods supported by WebLOAD, see *WebLOAD-supported XML DOM Interfaces* (on page 451).



Note: WebLOAD supports a new method for parsing and manipulating XML data. For more information see *XML Parser* Object on page 431.

Syntax

XML DOM objects are grouped together within wlxmls collections. The XML DOM objects are arranged in the order in which they appear on the HTML page.

To access an individual XML DOM object's data and Document Interface, check the length property of the wlXmls collection and use an index number to access the individual XML DOM object.

Access the *HTML properties* for each XML DOM object directly using the following syntax:

```
document.wlXmls[#].<html-DOM property>
```

Access the XML DOM Document Interface for each document element directly using the following syntax:

```
document.wlXmls[#].XMLDocument.documentElement.cproperty>
```

Example

To find out how many XML DOM objects are contained within a document, check the value of:

```
document.wlXmls.length
```

Access the HTML property src as follows:

```
document.wlXmls[0].src
```

Access the XML DOM document interface as follows:

```
document.wlXmls[0].XMLDocument.documentElement.nodeName
```

XML DOM objects may also be accessed directly using the XML ID. For example, if the first XML object on a page is assigned the ID tag myXmlDoc, you could access the object using any of the following:

```
MyBookstore = document.wlXmls[0]
-Or-
MyBookstore = document.wlXmls.myXmlDoc
-Or-
```



```
MyBookstore = document.wlXmls["myXmlDoc"]
```

The following example illustrates HTML property usage. Assume you are working with a Web Bookstore site that includes the following inventory database code fragment:

```
<xml ID="xmlBookSite">
<?xml version="1.0"?>
<!-- Bookstore inventory database -->
  <bookstore>
    JavaScript Reference Guide
       <author>Mark Twain</author>
       <title>Tom Sawyer</title>
       <price>$11.00</price>
    </book>
    JavaScript Reference Guide
       <author>Oscar Wilde</author>
       <title>The Giant And His Garden</title>
       <price>$8.00</price>
    </book>
  </bookstore>
</xml>
```

When accessing this website, your Agenda may use the standard HTML properties id and innerHTML to print out text strings showing the information found within the XML tags, as follows:

```
var XMLBookstoreDoc = document.wlXmls[0]
InfoMessage("ID = " + XMLBookstoreDoc.id)
InfoMessage("HTML text = " + XMLBookstoreDoc.innerHTML)
```

Running this Agenda produces the following output:

```
ID = xmlBookSite
HTML text = <?xml version="1.0"?>
...etc.
```

Methods and Properties

WebLOAD supports all standard W3C XML DOM properties and methods, listed in WebLOAD-supported XML DOM Interfaces (on page 451). These HTML properties and methods are accessed via the XMLDocument (see XMLDocument (property) on page 339) property. In addition, if the object is constructed from a Data Island, the id (see *id* (property) on page 145), InnerHTML (see InnerHTML (property) on page 153), and src (see src (property) on page 246) HTML properties are exposed. Each property is described in its own section.

- id (see *id* (property) on page 145)
- InnerHTML (see InnerHTML (property) on page 153)



- load() (see *load()* (*method*) on page 162)
- loadXML() (see loadXML() (method) on page 166)
- src (see *src* (*property*) on page 246)
- WLXmlDocument() (see WLXmlDocument() (constructor) on page 333)
- XMLDocument (see XMLDocument (property) on page 339)

See also

- Collections (on page 27)
- load() and loadXML() Method Comparison (on page 163)
- XML Parser Object on page 431

Write() (method)

Method of Object

• wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)

Description

This method writes a string to the output file.

Syntax

Write(string)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
string	The text string you wish added to the output.

Example

```
MyFileObj = new wlOutputFile(filename)
...
MyFileObj.Write("Happy Birthday")
```

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see *CopyFile()* (function) on page 61)
- delete() (see *delete()* (*method*) on page 74)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see *GetLine()* (function) on page 122)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)



- Open() (see *Open()* (function) on page 180)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile() (constructor) on page 318)
- Writeln() (see Writeln() (method) on page 338)

Writeln() (method)

Method of Object

• wlOutputFile (see wlOutputFile (object) on page 316)

Description

This method writes a string followed by a newline character to the output file.

Syntax

Writeln(string)

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
string	The text string you wish added to the output.

Example

```
MyFileObj = new wlOutputFile(filename)
...
MyFileObj.Writeln("Happy Birthday")
```

- Close() (see *Close()* (function) on page 52)
- CopyFile() (see *CopyFile()* (function) on page 61)
- delete() (see *delete()* (*method*) on page 74)
- File Management Functions (on page 28)
- GetLine() (see GetLine() (function) on page 122)
- IncludeFile() (see IncludeFile() (function) on page 149)
- Open() (see *Open()* (function) on page 180)
- Reset() (see Reset() (method) on page 213)
- *Using the IntelliSense JavaScript Editor* (on page 19)
- wlOutputFile() (see wlOutputFile() (constructor) on page 318)



• Write() (see Write() (method) on page 337)

XMLDocument (property)

Method of Object

• wlXmls (see wlXmls (object) on page 334)

Description

The XMLDocument property represents the actual XML DOM object. Through XMLDocument you are able to access all the standard XML DOM properties and methods listed in *WebLOAD-Supported XML DOM Interfaces* (on page 451).



Note: WebLOAD supports a new method for parsing and manipulating XML data. For more information see *XML Parser* Object on page 431.

Syntax

Use the following syntax:

document.wlXmls[#].XMLDocument.documentElement.cproperty>
XMLDocument is also understood by default. You may access the XML DOM
properties and methods without including XMLDocument in the object reference. For example:

document.wlXmls[0].documentElement.cproperty>

However, including XMLDocument is a good programming practice, to emphasize the fact that you are dealing directly with an XML DOM object and not a Data Island.

Example

document.wlXmls[0].XMLDocument.documentElement.nodeName

- Collections (on page 27)
- id (see id (property) on page 145)
- InnerHTML (see *InnerHTML* (property) on page 153)
- load() (see load() (method) on page 162)
- load() and loadXML() Method Comparison (on page 163)
- loadXML() (see loadXML() (method) on page 166)
- src (see src (property) on page 246)
- XML Parser Object on page 431



XMLParserObject (object)

Description

WebLOAD provides an embedded, third-party XML parser object to improve the multi-platform support for XML parsing within the WebLOAD environment. The XML parser object can be used instead of MSXML and Java XML parsing, resulting in lower memory consumption and increased performance during load testing.

The XML parser object can be used to reference any element in an XML document. For example, you can use the XML parser object to generate an Excel file containing the desired details of a specified element.

WebLOAD uses the Open Source Xerces XML parser (see http://xml.apache.org/xerces-c/).

The parse() method, not exposed by the original XML parser, is exposed by WebLOAD. This method is identical to the parseURI() method, except that it receives an XML string instead of a URI.

For more information on the XMLParserObject see XML Parser Object on page 431.

Syntax

The XML parser object is instanced as follows:

```
xmlObject = new XMLParserObject();
```

Example

For a detailed example of the implementation of the XML parser object, refer to *Example* on page 437.

Methods and Properties

- For a list of the XMLParserObject's methods, see *Methods* on page 432.
- For a list of the XMLParserObject's properties, see Properties on page 436.





WebLOAD Internet Protocols Reference

This chapter provides detailed reference information on WebLOAD support for the following Internet protocols:

- FTP, through the wlFTP Object (on page 341) and wlFTPs Object (on page 353) (for secure SSL connections)
- HTML email, through the wlHtmMailer Object (on page 362)
- IMAP, through the wIIMAP Object (on page 368)
- NNTP, through the wlNNTP Object (on page 379)
- POP, through the wlPOP Object (on page 389) and wlPOPs Object (on page 396) (for secure SSL connections)
- SMTP, through the wlSMTP Object (on page 401) and wlSMTPs Object (on page 408) (for secure SSL connections)
- TCP, through the wlTCP Object (on page 413)
- Telnet, through the wlTelnet Object (on page 418)
- UDP, through the wlUDP Object (on page 424)

wIFTP Object

The wlftp object provides support for FTP (File Transfer Protocol) load and functional testing within WebLOAD. Support for standard FTP operation is included. FTP over secure connections (SSL) is supported through the wlftps Object (on page 353).

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Logon () method; otherwise an exception is thrown.

To access the wlfTP object, you must include the wlftp.js file in your InitAgenda() function.



wIFTP Properties

Data

The Data property lets you specify the local data stream to upload to the host. You use this property to upload data. For example:

```
ftp.Data = datastream
```

DataFile

The DataFile property lets you specify the local file to upload to the host. For example:

```
ftp.DataFile = filename
```

document

The document property is an array containing the files downloaded and uploaded in the current FTP session. For example:

```
var recentdownload = ftp.document[1]
```

Outfile

The Outfile property lets you specify the name of a downloaded file. You use this property to rename a downloaded file as it is transferred to your computer. This property must be an explicit file name, not a pattern. If you specify the Outfile property, the document property remains empty. If you are downloading a series of files, only the last file downloaded is stored in the Outfile.

If you want to store all of the files downloaded, either delete the Outfile property or specify an empty value. The downloaded files are then stored in the document property. For example:

```
ftp.Outfile = filename
```

PassiveMode

The PassiveMode property lets you use FTP through firewalls. Valid values are:

- true passive mode is set, and you may FTP through firewalls.
- false active mode is set, and you may not FTP through firewalls.

For example:

```
ftp.PassiveMode = modesetting
```



PassWord

The PassWord property lets you specify a password when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted FTP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the password to the FTP host when a wlfTP object connects to an FTP host.

ftp.PassWord = password



Caution: The password appears in plain text in the Agenda. The password is visible to any user who has access to the Agenda.

Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption.

var filesize = ftp.Size

StartByte

The StartByte property lets you specify the byte offset to start transferring from. The default value is **0**. This property automatically resets to zero after each transfer. You use this property to specify a starting point when resuming interrupted transfers.

ftp.StartByte = byteoffset

TransferMode

The TransferMode property lets you specify the transfer mode for uploaded and downloaded files. You must specify the transfer mode before each transfer. If you do not specify a transfer mode, auto, the default mode, is used. Valid values are:

- **auto** 0
- text 1
- binary 2

You may also specify the transfer mode using the following constants:

- WLFtp.TMODE_ASCII text
- WLFtp.TMODE_BINARY binary
- WLFtp.TMODE_DEFAULT auto

For example:

ftp.TransferMode = transfermode



UserName

The UserName property lets you specify a User ID when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted FTP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the user name to the FTP host when a wlfTP object connects to an FTP host.

ftp.UserName = username

wIFTP Methods

Append()

Syntax	Append(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The file to which you are appending. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Similar to the Upload() method, Append() adds the data to the target file instead of overwriting it. If the target file does not exist, Append() creates it.

AppendFile()

Syntax	AppendFile(filename)
Parameters	
filename	The remote file to which you want to append data.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uploads a local file and appends it to the specified file on the host. The local file is specified by the DataFile property. The destination file is specified by the filename parameter. If the DataFile property is not specified, then the contents of the Data property are sent as a datastream to be appended to the file specified by the filename parameter. If the target file does not exist, AppendFile() creates it.

ChangeDir()

Syntax	ChangeDir(name)
Parameters	
name	The name of the directory to which you want to move.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.



Comments	Changes the current working directory on the host to the one
	specified by the name parameter.

ChFileMod()

Syntax	ChFileMod(filename, attributes)
Parameters	
filename	The name of the file you want to alter. This parameter may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
attributes	The new attributes assigned to the file. Values are specified in the three digit 0-7 format.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Changes attributes of the specified file according to the values specified in the attribute parameter.

ChMod()

Syntax	ChMod(pattern, attributes)
Parameters	
pattern	The name of the files and directories you want to alter. This parameter may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
attributes	The new attributes assigned to the file. Values are specified in the three digit 0-7 format.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uses a loop to changes attributes of the specified files and directories according to the values specified in the attribute parameter. If an iteration of the loop fails, the loop is cancelled, potentially leaving some files unchanged. To avoid this risk you must write your own loop with error handling capability.

Delete()

Syntax	Delete(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The file you are deleting. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.



Comments	Deletes the specified files from the FTP host. This function calls
	the DeleteFile() method in a loop to delete all the specified files. If
	an iteration of the loop fails, the loop is cancelled, potentially
	leaving some files undeleted.

DeleteFile()

Syntax	Delete(filename)
Parameters	
filename	The file you are deleting. This must be a specific file name.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Deletes the specified file from the FTP host.

Dir()

Syntax	Dir(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The name of the file or directory for which you are searching. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Returns a JavaScript array with the following members if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
	a[].fileName // name of file
	a[].fileAttributes // attribute string
	a[].fileTime // date and time of last modification
	a[].fileSize // size of file in bytes
	a[].isDir // 1 if the entry represents a directory, 0 for a file
	Note: If the host supports only basic information, only the fileName property of the array is defined.
Comments	Lists files and directories that match the pattern parameter in the current directory of the host. This method returns detailed information if the server supports it.

Download()

Syntax	Download(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The file you are downloading. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.



Comments	Uses a loop to download the specified files to the local computer.
	If the property has been set, the data is saved to the specified file.
	If the Outfile property has not been set, the file is saved with its
	current name. If an iteration of the loop fails, the loop is cancelled,
	potentially leaving some files not downloaded.

DownloadFile()

Syntax	Download(filename)
Parameters	
filename	The file you are downloading. This must be a specific file name.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Downloads a file to the local computer. If the property has been set, the data is saved to the specified file. If the Outfile property has not been set, the file is saved with its current name.

GetCurrentPath()

Syntax	GetCurrentPath()
Return Value	A string containing the current path if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the current path on the host.

GetStatusLine()

Syntax	GetStatusLine()
Return Value	A string containing the current path if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	A string containing the latest response string if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.

ListLocalFiles()

Syntax	ListLocalFiles(filter)
Parameters	
filter	The files you want to list. The filter may be a patter or a specific file name.
Return Value	An array of matching objects with following properties if successful, an exception if unsuccessful. a[].fileName // A Boolean true if the entry represents a directory.
	a[].isDir // A Boolean, true if the entry represents a directory



Comments	Lists files matching the filter parameter in the current directory of
	the local computer.

Logoff()

Syntax	Logoff()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Terminates a connection to the FTP host.

Logon()

Syntax	Logon(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may express the host using either the DNS number or the full name of the host.
port	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default FTP port is used.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Starts a conversation with the FTP host. If you are logging on to a restricted site, you must have specified the UserName and PassWord properties before using this method.

MakeDir()

Syntax	MakeDir(name)
Parameters	
name	The name of the new directory that you are creating.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Creates a new directory beneath the current directory on the host.

RemoveDir()

Syntax	RemoveDir(name)
Parameters	
name	The name of the directory that you are deleting.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.



Comments	Deletes the named directory from the host.
	Note: You may not delete a directory until that directory is empty. Remove all files from the directory before using the RemoveDir() method. You may use the Delete() method to delete files on the host.

Rename()

Syntax	Rename(from, to)
Parameters	
from	The file that you want to rename.
to	The new file name for the file. If this file already exists, it is overwritten.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Renames the files in the current directory described by the from parameter to the name described in the to parameter.

SendCommand()

Syntax	SendCommand(string)
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends a string to the host without modification. This method is useful for interacting directly with the host using non-standard or unsupported extensions.

Upload()

Syntax	Upload(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The file you are uploading. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uses a loop to upload the local files specified by the pattern parameter to the host. The file is not renamed, and values specified by the DataFile and Data property are ignored. If an iteration of the loop fails, the loop is cancelled, potentially leaving some files not transported.



UploadFile()

Syntax	UploadFile(filename)
Parameters	
filename	The destination name of the local file. This parameter may be the same name as the local file name, or it may be used to rename the file once it arrives at the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uploads a local file to the host. The local file is specified by the DataFile property. The destination file name is specified by the filename parameter. If the DataFile property is not specified, then the contents of the Data property are sent as a datastream to be saved under the name specified by the filename parameter.

UploadUnique()

Syntax	UploadUnique()
Return Value	A string containing the name of the newly created file if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uploads data or a file to a newly created, unique file on the host. The file name is created by the host, and returned as a string value. The local file is specified by the DataFile property. If the DataFile property is not specified, then the contents of the Data property are sent as a datastream.

WLFtp()

Syntax	new WLFtp()
Return Value	A new wlFTP object.
Comments	Creates a new wlFTP object, used to interact with the server.
Example	<pre>function InitClient() {</pre>
	<pre>myNewFtpObject = new WLFtp()</pre>
	}

FTP Sample Code

```
// Agenda Initialization
function InitAgenda() {
   // include the file that enables FTP
   IncludeFile("wlFtp.js", WLExecuteScript)
}
function InitClient() {
```



```
// Create the FTP object we need to interact with the server
 ftp=new WLFtp()
function TerminateClient() {
 // Delete the FTP object we used
 delete ftp
//Body Of Agenda. Give user name and password and login
ftp.UserName="UserID"
                      // Set the user name
ftp.PassWord="TopSecret" // Set the password
//this.PassiveMode=true; // Enable this if firewall is in the way
ftp.Logon("localhost")
                      // Login to the server
//Test Download
ftp.TransferMode = ftp.TMODE ASCII; // Force all downloads ASCII
ftp.Outfile="c:\\downloaded.txt";
             // Define a local file to save the downloaded file
ftp.Download("file.txt"); // Grab the remote file
// The remote file may be a wildcard, so for each file
// downloaded an entry is made in the document array.
// With this approach an Outfile is not required. Instead the
// document object holds the downloaded files for this client.
// The loop below loops through each entry in the document
// array and writes the file contents out to the log
for (var i = 0; i < ftp.document.length; i++)</pre>
 InfoMessage(ftp.document[i]);
//Test Upload
ftp.TransferMode = ftp.TMODE ASCII;
ftp.DataFile="c:\\upload.txt";
                  // define local file to upload
ftp.UploadFile("hello.txt");
                  // upload it to the remote host as "hello.txt"
ftp.Data="hello world";
                  \ensuremath{//} define a string to send to the remote host
ftp.UploadFile("hello.txt");
                  // upload the string and save it as "hello.txt"
```



```
//Test Append
ftp.TransferMode = ftp.TMODE ASCII;
ftp.DataFile="c:\\append.txt";
                 // identify a local file to upload
ftp.AppendFile("hello.txt");
                 // add it to the existing contents of "hello.txt"
//Test Delete
ftp.Delete("hello.txt");
                // delete "hello.txt" from the remote server
//Test Directory Functions
ftp.MakeDir("DirectoryName");
                          // make a new directory
ftp.ChangeDir("DirectoryName"); // change to that directory
ftp.DataFile="c:\\file1.txt";  // select a local file
ftp.Upload("file1.txt");  // upload it to the new directory
var files = ftp.Dir("*.*");
            // Generate a list of the files in that directory
for (var i = 0; i < files.length; i++)
 InfoMessage("the file name is:" + files[i].fileName);
                      // Print each file's name to the log
ftp.ChangeDir("..");
                      // go up a level in the tree
ftp.RemoveDir("DirectoryName");  // delete the directory itself
//Test Advanced Directory Handling
var files = ftp.Dir("*.txt"); // show all the text files
if (files.length > 0) // IF there are any entries to go through
                // THEN print their detailed attributes to the log
 for (var i = 0; i < files.length; i++)
                        // Print each file's details to the log
   InfoMessage(files[0].fileName);
                                   // name
   InfoMessage(files[0].fileAttributes); // attributes
   InfoMessage(files[0].fileTime);
                                     // timestamp
   InfoMessage(files[0].fileSize);
                                    // size in bytes
   InfoMessage(files[0].dirFlag);
                         // set when the object is a directory
 }
```



wIFTPs Object

The wlftps object provides support for FTP (File Transfer Protocol) load and functional testing over secure connections (SSL).

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate <code>Logon()</code> method; otherwise an exception is thrown.

To access the wlfTPs object, you must include the wlftps.js file in your InitAgenda() function.

wIFTPs Properties

Data

The Data property lets you specify the local data stream to upload to the host. You use this property to upload data. For example:

```
ftp.Data = datastream
```



DataFile

The DataFile property lets you specify the local file to upload to the host. For example:

```
ftp.DataFile = filename
```

document

The document property is an array containing the files downloaded and uploaded in the current FTP session. For example:

```
var recentdownload = ftp.document[1]
```

Outfile

The Outfile property lets you specify the name of a downloaded file. You use this property to rename a downloaded file as it is transferred to your computer. This property must be an explicit file name, not a pattern. If you specify the Outfile property, the document property remains empty. If you are downloading a series of files, only the last file downloaded is stored in the Outfile.

If you want to store all of the files downloaded, either delete the Outfile property or specify an empty value. The downloaded files are then stored in the document property. For example:

```
ftp.Outfile = filename
```

PassiveMode

The PassiveMode property lets you use FTP through firewalls. Valid values are:

- **true** Passive mode is set, and you may FTP through firewalls.
- **false** Active mode is set, and you may not FTP through firewalls.

For example:

```
ftp.PassiveMode = modesetting
```

PassWord

The PassWord property lets you specify a password when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted FTP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the password to the FTP host when a wlfTP object connects to an FTP host.

```
ftp.PassWord = password
```



Caution: The password appears in plain text in the Agenda. The password is visible to any user who has access to the Agenda.



Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption.

```
var filesize = ftp.Size
```

StartByte

The StartByte property lets you specify the byte offset to start transferring from. The default value is **0**. This property automatically resets to zero after each transfer. You use this property to specify a starting point when resuming interrupted transfers.

```
ftp.StartByte = byteoffset
```

TransferMode

The TransferMode property lets you specify the transfer mode for uploaded and downloaded files. You must specify the transfer mode before each transfer. If you do not specify a transfer mode, auto, the default mode, is used. Valid values are:

- auto 0
- text 1
- binary 2

You may also specify the transfer mode using the following constants:

- WLFtp.TMODE_ASCII text
- WLFtp.TMODE BINARY binary
- WLFtp.TMODE_DEFAULT auto

For example:

```
ftp.TransferMode = transfermode
```

UserName

The UserName property lets you specify a User ID when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted FTP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the user name to the FTP host when a wlfTP object connects to an FTP host.

```
ftp.UserName = username
```



wIFTPs Methods

Append()

Syntax	Append(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The file to which you are appending. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Similar to the Upload() method, Append() adds the data to the target file instead of overwriting it. If the target file does not exist, Append() creates it.

AppendFile()

Syntax	AppendFile(filename)
Parameters	
filename	The remote file to which you want to append data.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uploads a local file and appends it to the specified file on the host. The local file is specified by the DataFile property. The destination file is specified by the filename parameter. If the DataFile property is not specified, then the contents of the Data property are sent as a datastream to be appended to the file specified by the filename parameter. If the target file does not exist, AppendFile() creates it.

ChangeDir()

Syntax	ChangeDir(name)
Parameters	
name	The name of the directory to which you want to move.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Changes the current working directory on the host to the one specified by the name parameter.

ChFileMod()

Syntax	ChFileMod(filename, attributes)
Parameters	



filename	The name of the file you want to alter. This parameter may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
attributes	The new attributes assigned to the file. Values are specified in the three digit 0-7 format.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Changes attributes of the specified file according to the values specified in the attribute parameter.

ChMod()

Syntax	ChMod(pattern, attributes)
Parameters	
pattern	The name of the files and directories you want to alter. This parameter may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
attributes	The new attributes assigned to the file. Values are specified in the three digit 0-7 format.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uses a loop to changes attributes of the specified files and directories according to the values specified in the attribute parameter. If an iteration of the loop fails, the loop is cancelled, potentially leaving some files unchanged. To avoid this risk you must write your own loop with error handling capability.

Delete()

Syntax	Delete(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The file you are deleting. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Deletes the specified files from the FTP host. This function calls the DeleteFile() method in a loop to delete all the specified files. If an iteration of the loop fails, the loop is cancelled, potentially leaving some files undeleted.

DeleteFile()

Syntax	Delete(filename)
Parameters	
filename	The file you are deleting. This must be a specific file name.



Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Deletes the specified file from the FTP host.

Dir()

Syntax	Dir(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The name of the file or directory for which you are searching. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Returns a JavaScript array with the following members if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
	a[].fileName // name of file
	a[].fileAttributes // attribute string
	a[].fileTime // date and time of last modification
	a[].fileSize // size of file in bytes
	a[].isDir // 1 if the entry represents a directory, 0 for a file
	Note: If the host supports only basic information, only the fileName property of the array is defined.
Comments	Lists files and directories that match the pattern parameter in the current directory of the host. This method returns detailed information if the server supports it.

Download()

Syntax	Download(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The file you are downloading. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uses a loop to download the specified files to the local computer. If the property has been set, the data is saved to the specified file. If the Outfile property has not been set, the file is saved with its current name. If an iteration of the loop fails, the loop is cancelled, potentially leaving some files not downloaded.

DownloadFile()

Syntax	Download(filename)
Parameters	



filename	The file you are downloading. This must be a specific file name.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Downloads a file to the local computer. If the property has been set, the data is saved to the specified file. If the Outfile property has not been set, the file is saved with its current name.

GetCurrentPath()

Syntax	GetCurrentPath()
Return Value	A string containing the current path if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the current path on the host.

GetStatusLine()

Syntax	GetStatusLine()
Return Value	A string containing the current path if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	A string containing the latest response string if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.

ListLocalFiles()

Syntax	ListLocalFiles(filter)
Parameters	
filter	The files you want to list. The filter may be a patter or a specific file name.
Return Value	An array of matching objects with following properties if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
	a[].fileName // A string containing name of the file
	a[].isDir // A Boolean, true if the entry represents a directory
Comments	Lists files matching the filter parameter in the current directory of the local computer.

Logoff()

Syntax	Logoff()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Terminates a connection to the FTP host.



Logon()

Syntax	Logon(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may express the host using either the DNS number or the full name of the host.
port	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default FTP port is used.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Starts a conversation with the FTP host. If you are logging on to a restricted site, you must have specified the UserName and PassWord properties before using this method.

MakeDir()

Syntax	MakeDir(name)
Parameters	
name	The name of the new directory that you are creating.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Creates a new directory beneath the current directory on the host.

RemoveDir()

Syntax	RemoveDir(name)
Parameters	
name	The name of the directory that you are deleting.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Deletes the named directory from the host.
	Note: You may not delete a directory until that directory is empty. Remove all files from the directory before using the RemoveDir() method. You may use the Delete() method to delete files on the host.

Rename()

Syntax	Rename(from, to)
Parameters	
from	The file that you want to rename.



to	The new file name for the file. If this file already exists, it is overwritten.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Renames the files in the current directory described by the from parameter to the name described in the to parameter.

SendCommand()

Syntax	SendCommand(string)
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends a string to the host without modification. This method is useful for interacting directly with the host using non-standard or unsupported extensions.

Upload()

Syntax	Upload(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The file you are uploading. This may be a specific file name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uses a loop to upload the local files specified by the pattern parameter to the host. The file is not renamed, and values specified by the DataFile and Data property are ignored. If an iteration of the loop fails, the loop is cancelled, potentially leaving some files not transported.

UploadFile()

Syntax	UploadFile(filename)
Parameters	
filename	The destination name of the local file. This parameter may be the same name as the local file name, or it may be used to rename the file once it arrives at the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.



Uploads a local file to the host. The local file is specified by the
DataFile property. The destination file name is specified by the
filename parameter. If the DataFile property is not specified,
then the contents of the Data property are sent as a datastream
to be saved under the name specified by the filename
parameter.

UploadUnique()

Syntax	UploadUnique()
Return Value	A string containing the name of the newly created file if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Uploads data or a file to a newly created, unique file on the host. The file name is created by the host, and returned as a string value. The local file is specified by the DataFile property. If the DataFile property is not specified, then the contents of the Data property are sent as a datastream.

WLFtps()

Syntax	new WLFtps()
Return Value	A new wlFTPs object.
Comments	Creates a new wlFTPs object, used to interact with the server.
Example	<pre>function InitClient() {</pre>
	myNewFtpsObject = new WLFtps()
	}

wlHtmMailer Object

The wlHtmMailer object provides support for HTM Mail load and functional testing within WebLOAD. Support for standard HTM Mail operation is included. HTM Mail over secure connections (SSL) is not currently supported.

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Connect () method; otherwise an exception is thrown.

You must include catch and try functions in your script to handle exceptions when using the wlHtmMailer object. If you do not, the object may cause your Agenda to freeze. A sample catch appears in the wlHtmMailer code sample at the end of this section.



To access the wlHtmMailer object, you must include the wlHtmMailer.js file in your InitAgenda() function.

wlHtmMailer Properties

AttachmentsArr

The AttachmentsArr property lets you specify one or more attachments for an email. The filename variable should contain the name of the local file or datastream that you want to attach to the posting. For example:

```
wlHtmMailer.Attachments[0] = filename
```

Bcc

The Bcc property lets you specify the email addresses of additional recipients to be blind copied in an email. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every email. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

```
wlHtmMailer.Bcc = blindcopyaddresses
```

Cc

The Cc property lets you specify the email addresses of additional recipients to be copied in an email. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every email. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

```
wlHtmMailer.Cc = copyaddress; copyaddress
```

From

The From property lets you describe the Reply To in plain language. You may use this property to identify your Reply To email address in a plain language format. For example:

```
wlHtmlMailer.From = replyname
```

Host

The Host property lets you specify a host for use in sending HTML email messages.



HtmlFilePath

The HtmlFilePath property specifies the full path directory location of the files associated with the email message.

HtmlText

The HtmlText property contains the HTML-formatted version of the email message, for example, potentially including embedded images. The corresponding plain text version of the email message is provided in the Message property.

Message

The Message property contains the plain text version of the email message. If there is a corresponding HTML-formatted version, for example, including embedded images, this version is provided in the HtmlText property.

MessageDate

The MessageDate property contains the date of the email message.

ReplyTo

The ReplyTo property lets you specify the return address of your email. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

```
wlHtmMailer.ReplyTo = replyaddress
```

Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption. For example:

```
var filesize = wlHtmMailer.Size
```

Subject

The Subject property lets you specify the text appearing the subject field of your email. You use this property to provide a brief description of the contents of your email. For example:

```
wlHtmMailer.Subject = subjectheader
```



To

The To property lets you specify a recipient's email address. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every email. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

wlHtmMailer.To = recipientaddress; recipientaddress

wlHtmMailer Methods

AddAttachment()

Syntax	AddAttachment(string, type, [encoding])
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host. If you are sending a file, the string is the location and name of the file. If you are sending a data attachment, the string is the data to be attached.
type	The type of attachment you are sending. Valid values are:
	File (default)
	Data
[encoding]	The type of encoding to apply to the file. Valid values are:
	7Bit (default)
	Quoted
	Base64
	8Bit
	8BitBinary
Return Value	Returns an integer value Attachment ID if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Adds an attachment to the message.

Connect()

Syntax	Connect(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may describe the host using its DNS number, or by giving its name.
[port]	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default session port is used.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.



Comments	Starts a new session with the host.
----------	-------------------------------------

DeleteAttachment()

Syntax	DeleteAttachment(string)
Parameters	
string	The ID of the attachment you are deleting.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Removes an attachment from the article.

Disconnect()

Syntax	Disconnect()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Terminates a connection to the host.

DisplayMetrics()

Syntax	DisplayMetrics()
Return Value	A string with the current metrics values.
Comments	Displays all the information gathered from the last command or data transfer.

GetLocalHost()

Syntax	GetLocalHost()
Return Value	Identification information for the currently active local host.
Comments	Returns identification information for the current local host.

GetStatusLine()

Syntax	GetStatusLine()
Return Value	A string containing the latest response string if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the latest response string from the host.

Send()

Syntax	Send()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.



Comments	Sends mail to recipients, attaching files using MIME as necessary.
	After sending the attachments, data is deleted.

SendCommand()

Syntax	SendCommand(string)
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends a string to the host without modification. This method is useful for interacting directly with the host using non-standard or unsupported extensions.

SetLocalHost()

Syntax	SetLocalHost(hostname)
Parameters	
hostname	Identification information for the new local host.
Return Value	Assigns a new value for the local host.
Comments	Defines the local host from which the emails are being sent.

Verify()

Syntax	Verify()
Return Value	Returns a 1 if the address is valid, a 0 if the address is invalid. If the method is unable to verify the address due to authentication or other reasons, it returns an exception.
Comments	Checks that the address in the To property is valid. To use this method, include only one address in the To property.

WLHtmMailer()

Syntax	new WLHtmMailer()
Return Value	A new wlHtmMailer object.
Comments	Creates a new wlHtmMailer object, used to interact with the server.
Example	function InitClient() {
	<pre>myNewHtmMailerObject = new WLHtmMailer();</pre>
	}



wIIMAP Object

The wlimap object provides support for IMAP4 (Internet Message Access Protocol) load and functional testing within WebLOAD. Support for standard IMAP operation is included. IMAP over secure connections (SSL) is not currently supported.

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Connect () method; otherwise an exception is thrown.

To access the wlIMAP object, you must include the wlImap.js file in your InitAgenda() function.

wIIMAP Properties

CurrentMessage

The CurrentMessage property returns the number of the current message. You use this property to track the current message in relation to other messages on the host. For example:

var currentmessagenumber = imap.CurrentMessage

CurrentMessageID

The CurrentMessageID property returns the ID of the current message. You use this property to track the current message in relation to other messages on the host. For example:

var messagenumber = imap.CurrentMessageID

document

The document property is an object with four properties:

- Headers A string containing the header of the message
- MessageText A string containing the text of the message
- Size An integer describing the size of the message in bytes
- Attachments An array of objects, with each attachment existing as an object with the following properties:
 - contentencoding The encoding of the attachment
 - content type The content type of the attachment
 - filename The file name of the attachment



- messagetext The text of the attachment
- partname The part name of the message
- size The size of the attachment in bytes

For example:

```
var recentdocument = imap.document
var messageheaders = recentdocument.MessageHeaders
var messagetext = recentdocument.MessageText
var messagesize = recentdocument.MessageSize
var messageattachments = recentdocument.attachments
```

Mailbox

The Mailbox property specifies the name of the mailbox with which you want to interact. You use this property to create, edit, and delete mailboxes. For example:

```
imap.Mailbox = mailboxname
```

MaxLines

The MaxLines property lets you specify the maximum number of lines per email to retrieve from an IMAP host. You use this property to specify the number of lines to retrieve from each email. For example:

```
imap.Maxlines = numberoflines
```

Outfile

The Outfile property lets you specify the name of an output file. You use this property to save a file or message locally on your computer. When you write to the Outfile, you overwrite the existing content. To avoid overwriting the existing content, you must specify a new Outfile each time you write. For example:

```
imap.Outfile = filename
```

PassWord

The PassWord property lets you specify a password when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted IMAP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the password to the IMAP host when a wlIMAP object connects to an IMAP host. For example:

```
imap.PassWord = password
```



Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption. For example:

var filesize = imap.Size

UserName

The UserName property lets you specify a User ID when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted IMAP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the user name to the IMAP host when a wlIMAP object connects to an IMAP host. For example:

imap.UserName = username

wIIMAP Methods

Connect()

Syntax	Connect(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may describe the host using its DNS number, or by giving its name.
port	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default IMAP port (port 143) is used.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Starts an IMAP session with the host. When you connect, you are connecting to a specific mailbox within the host, as specified by your User ID.

CreateMailbox()

Syntax	CreateMailbox()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Creates the mailbox specified in the Mailbox property. The created mailboxes continue to exist after the end of the Agenda. To remove a mailbox, use the DeleteMailbox() method.



Delete()

Syntax	Delete([MessageSet])
Parameters	
MessageSet	The identifier of the message you want to delete. You may specify a single message number, or you may specify a range, separated by a colon. For example, 1:10 deletes messages one through ten. If you do not specify a message ID, the current message is deleted.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Deletes the message with the corresponding ID. If no ID is specified, then the current message is deleted.

DeleteMailbox()

Syntax	DeleteMailbox()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Deletes the mailbox specified in the Mailbox property.

Disconnect()

Syntax	Disconnect()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Terminates a connection to the IMAP host.

GetMessageCount()

Syntax	GetMessageCount()
Return Value	A string containing the number of messages on the host if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the number of messages waiting on the host.

GetStatusLine()

Syntax	GetStatusLine()
Return Value	A string containing the latest response string if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the latest response string from the host.



ListMailboxes()

Syntax	ListMailboxes(pattern)
Parameters	
pattern	The mailbox that you want to appear in the list. This may be a specific name, or it may contain wildcards.
Return Value	A string listing the matching mailboxes if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Lists mailboxes matching the pattern parameter.

RecentMessageCount()

Syntax	RecentMessageCount()
Return Value	A string containing the number of new messages on the host if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the number of new messages waiting on the host.

RenameMailbox()

Syntax	RenameMailbox(string)
Parameters	
string	The new name for the mailbox.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Renames the mailbox specified in the Mailbox property.

Retrieve()

Syntax	Retrieve([MessageSet])
Parameters	
MessageSet	The identifier of the message you want to retrieve. You may specify a single message number, or you may specify a range, separated by a colon. For example, 1:10 returns messages one through ten. If you do not specify a message ID, the next message is returned.
Return Value	A document for each message specified if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the message with the corresponding ID. If no ID is specified, then the next message is returned.



Search()

Syntax	Search(string)
Parameters	
string	The criteria for your search. Valid values are:
	ALL – All messages in the mailbox - this is the default initial key for AND-ing.
	ANSWERED – Messages with the \\Answered flag set.
	BCC – Messages that contain the specified string in the envelope structure's BCC field.
	BEFORE – Messages whose internal date is earlier than the specified date.
	BODY – Messages that contain the specified string in the body of the message.
	CC – Messages that contain the specified string in the envelope structure's CC field.
	DELETED – Messages with the \\Deleted flag set.
	DRAFT – Messages with the \\Draft flag set.
	FLAGGED – Messages with the \\Flagged flag set.
	FROM – Messages that contain the specified string in the envelope structure's FROM field.
	HEADER – Messages that have a header with the specified field-name (as defined in) and that contains the specified string in the field-body.
	KEYWORD – Messages with the specified keyword set.
	LARGER – Messages with an size larger than the specified number of octets.



NEW Messages that have the \\Recent flag set but not the \\Seen flag. This is functionally equivalent to "(RECENT UNSEEN)".

NOT – Messages that do not match the specified search key.

OLD – Messages that do not have the \\Recent flag set. This is functionally equivalent to "NOT RECENT" (as opposed to "NOT NEW").

ON – Messages whose internal date is within the specified date.

OR – Messages that match either search key.

RECENT – Messages that have the \\Recent flag set.

SEEN – Messages that have the \\Seen flag set.

SENTBEFORE – Messages whose Date: header is earlier than the specified date.

SENTON – Messages whose Date: header is within the specified date.

SENTSINCE – Messages whose Date: header is within or later than the specified date.

SINCE – Messages whose internal date is within or later than the specified date.

SMALLER – Messages with an RFC822.SIZE smaller than the specified number of octets.

SUBJECT – Messages that contain the specified string in the envelope structure's SUBJECT field.

TEXT – Messages that contain the specified string in the header or body of the message.

TO – Messages that contain the specified string in the envelope structure's TO field.

UID – Messages with unique identifiers corresponding to the specified unique identifier set.

UNANSWERED – Messages that do not have the \ \ Answered flag set.

UNDELETED – Messages that do not have the \\Deleted flag set.

UNDRAFT – Messages that do not have the \\Draft flag set.

UNFLAGGED – Messages that do not have the \\Flagged flag set.

UNKEYWORD – Messages that do not have the specified keyword set.

UNSEEN – Messages that do not have the \\Seen flag set.



Return Value	A string containing the IDs of messages that meet the search criteria if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Searches the current mailbox for messages meeting the specified search criteria.

SendCommand()

Syntax	SendCommand(string)
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends a string to the host without modification. This method is useful for interacting directly with the host using non-standard or unsupported extensions.

SubscribeMailbox()

Syntax	SubscribeMailbox()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Subscribes to the mailbox specified in the Mailbox property.

UnsubscribeMailbox()

Syntax	UnsubscribeMailbox()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Unsubscribes from the mailbox specified in the Mailbox property.

WLImap()

Syntax	new WLImap()
Return Value	A new wlIMAP object.
Comments	Creates a new wlIMAP object, used to interact with the server.
Example	function InitClient() {
	myNewImapObject = new WLImap()
	myNewImapObject.Connect("HostName")
	}



IMAP Sample Code

```
// Agenda Initialization
function InitAgenda() {
 IncludeFile("wlImap.js", WLExecuteScript)
function InitClient() {
 imap=new WLImap()
                          // create the new IMAP object
// imap.Connect("HostName"); // connect to the server
function TerminateClient() {
 imap.Disconnect();
                           // logout from the server
                           // delete the IMAP object
 delete imap
// Body Of Agenda
InfoMessage("Speed: "+wlGlobals.ConnectionSpeed)
wlGlobals.Debug=1;
imap.UserName="UserID";
imap.PassWord="TopSecret";
imap.Mailbox="Inbox";
imap.Connect("00.0.0.00");
//Test Retrieve
/*imap.Retrieve("100");
for (var i = 0; i < imap.wlSource.length; i++)</pre>
 InfoMessage(imap.wlSource[i]);
 InfoMessage(imap.document.length);
 InfoMessage(imap.document[i].headers);
 InfoMessage(imap.document[i].messageText);
 InfoMessage(imap.document[i].size);
 InfoMessage(imap.document[i].attachments.length);
 for (var j = 0; j < imap.document[i].attachments.length; j++)</pre>
    InfoMessage(imap.document[i].attachments[j].contentEncoding);
    InfoMessage(imap.document[i].attachments[j].contentType);
    InfoMessage(imap.document[i].attachments[j].filename);
    InfoMessage(imap.document[i].attachments[j].messageText);
    InfoMessage(imap.document[i].attachments[j].partName);
    InfoMessage(imap.document[i].attachments[j].size);
 }
```



```
} * /
//Test Delete
imap.Mailbox="Inbox";
InfoMessage(imap.GetMessageCount());
imap.Mailbox="Inbox";
imap.Delete("2");
imap.Mailbox="Inbox";
InfoMessage(imap.GetMessageCount());
//Test Mailbox Functions:
           list mailboxes, create mailbox, and then list again
/*InfoMessage("mailboxes are:")
var v1 = imap.ListMailboxes();
for (var i=0; i < v1.length; i++)
 InfoMessage(v1[i]);
imap.Mailbox="mailboxname";
imap.CreateMailbox();
InfoMessage("mailboxes are:")
var v1 = imap.ListMailboxes();
for (var i=0; i < v1.length; i++)
 InfoMessage(v1[i]);
* /
subscribe mailbox, list all subscribed mailboxes
//imap.Mailbox="mailboxname";
//imap.SubscribeMailbox();
/*InfoMessage("subscribed mailboxes are:")
var v2 = imap.ListSubscribedMailboxes();
for(var j=0; j < v2.length; j++)
 InfoMessage(v2[j]);
 imap.Mailbox=v2[j];
//
                 list subscribed mailboxes, unsubscribe mailbox,
                    and then list all subscribed mailboxes again
/*InfoMessage("subscribed mailboxes are:")
var v2 = imap.ListSubscribedMailboxes();
for(var j=0; j < v2.length; j++)
 InfoMessage(v2[j]);
```



```
imap.Mailbox=v2[j];
}
imap.Mailbox="mailboxname";
imap.UnsubscribeMailbox();
InfoMessage("subscribed mailboxes are:")
var v2 = imap.ListSubscribedMailboxes();
for (var j=0; j < v2.length; j++)
 InfoMessage(v2[j]);
 imap.Mailbox=v2[j];
}
*/
list mailboxes, rename mailbox,
//
                      and then list mailboxes again
/*InfoMessage("mailboxes are:")
var v1 = imap.ListMailboxes();
for(var i=0; i < v1.length; i++)</pre>
 InfoMessage(v1[i]);
imap.Mailbox="boxname";
imap.RenameMailbox("newName");
InfoMessage("mailboxes are:")
var v1 = imap.ListMailboxes();
for(var i=0; i < v1.length; i++)</pre>
 InfoMessage(v1[i]);
//
                      get number of messages from a mailbox
/*imap.Mailbox="main";
InfoMessage(imap.GetMessageCount());
imap.Mailbox="Inbox";
InfoMessage(imap.GetRecentMessageCount());
delete mailbox and list all the mailboxes
/*imap.Mailbox="mailboxname";
imap.DeleteMailbox();
InfoMessage("subscribed mailboxes are:")
var v2 = imap.ListSubscribedMailboxes();
for(var j=0; j < v2.length; j++)
 InfoMessage(v2[j]);
 imap.Mailbox=v2[j];
}
```



wINNTP Object

The winner (Network News Transfer Protocol) object provides support for NNTP load and functional testing within WebLOAD. Support for standard NNTP operation is included. NNTP over secure connections (SSL) is not currently supported.

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Connect () method; otherwise an exception is thrown.

You must include catch and try functions in your script to handle exceptions when using the wlnntp object. If you do not, the object may cause your Agenda to freeze. A sample catch appears in the NNTP code sample at the end of this section.

To access the wlnnTP object, you must include the wlnntp.js file in your InitAgenda() function.



wINNTP Properties

ArticleText

The ArticleText property lets you specify the text appearing in the body of your article. You use this property to write the text of the article itself. For example:

nntp.ArticleText = articlecontent

Attachments

The Attachments property lets you specify an attachment to a posting. The filename variable should contain the name of the local file or datastream that you want to attach to the posting. For example:

nntp.Attachments = filename

AttachmentsEncoding

The AttachmentsEncoding property lets you specify the type of encoding you are applying to a message attachment. This property must be specified for each attachment. Valid values are:

- 7Bit
- Quoted
- Base64
- 8Bit
- 8BitBinary

You may also specify the encoding using the following constants:

- WLNntp.ENC 7BIT 7bit encoding
- WLNntp.ENC QUOTED Quoted Printable encoding
- WLNntp.ENC_BASE64 Base64 encoding
- WLNntp.ENC_8BIT 8Bit encoding
- WLNntp.ENC 8BITBINARY Binary encoding

For example:

nntp.AttachmentsEncoding = encodingtype



AttachmentsTypes

The AttachmentsTypes property lets you specify the type of attachment you are including in a posting. This property must be specified for each attachment. Valid values are:

- **true** Specifies a type of file
- false Specifies a type of data

For example:

```
nntp.AttachmentsTypes = typeofattachment
```

Document

The Document property is an object with two properties. One is a string, MessageText containing the text of the article, and the other is an array containing the article attachments and headers. For example:

```
var recentdocument = nntp.document
var messagetext = recentdocument.MessageText
var messageattachments = recentdocument.attachments
var firstattachment = messageattachments[0]
var secondattachment = messageattachments[1]
```

From

The From property lets you describe the Reply To in plain language. You may use this property to identify your Reply To email address in a plain language format. For example:

```
nntp.From = replyname
```

Group

The Group property specifies the article group with which you are interacting. You use this to limit searches, posts, and other activities to a specific group. For example:

```
nntp.Group = groupname
```

MaxHeadersLength

The MaxHeadersLength property lets you specify the maximum length for headers in an article. You use this property to prevent line folding. For example:

```
nntp.MaxHeadersLength = headersize
```



Organization

The Organization property identifies the affiliation of the author. You use this property to identify your professional or personal affiliation. For example:

```
nntp.Organization = organizationname
```

Outfile

The Outfile property lets you specify the name of an output file. You use this property to save a file or article locally on your computer. For example:

```
nntp.Outfile = filename
```

PassWord

The PassWord property lets you specify a password when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted NNTP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the password to the NNTP host when a wlnntp object connects to an NNTP host. For example:

```
nntp.PassWord = password
```



Caution: The password appears in plain text in the Agenda. The password is visible to any user who has access to the Agenda.

References

The References property lets you specify articles that the posted article follows. You use this property to create a thread of related articles. If the resulting reference header is longer than the limit specified in the MaxHeadersLength property, it is folded. References must be separated by commas with no spaces in between. For example:

```
nntp.References = article1,article2
```

ReplyTo

The ReplyTo property lets you specify the reply address for additional postings. For example:

```
nntp.ReplyTo = replyaddress
```

Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption. For example:

```
var filesize = nntp.Size
```



Subject

The Subject property lets you specify the text appearing the subject field of your email. You use this property to provide a brief description of the contents of your article. For example:

nntp.Subject = subjectheader

To

The To property lets you specify the newsgroup to receive your posting. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every article. For example:

nntp.To = alt.newsgroup.name; rec.newsgroup.name

UserName

The UserName property lets you specify a User ID when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted NNTP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the user name to the NNTP host when a wlNNTP object connects to an NNTP host. For example:

nntp.UserName = username

WINNTP Methods

AddAttachment()

Syntax	AddAttachment(string, type, [encoding])
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host. If you are sending a file, the string is the location and name of the file. If you are sending a data attachment, the string is the data to be attached.
type	The type of attachment you are sending. Valid values are:
	File (default)
	Data
[encoding]	The type of encoding to apply to the file. Valid values are:
	7Bit (default)
	Quoted
	Base64
	8Bit
	8BitBinary



Return Value	Returns an integer value Attachment ID if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Adds an attachment to the message.

Connect()

Syntax	Connect(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may describe the host using its DNS number, or by giving its name.
[port]	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default session port is used.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Starts a new session with the host.

DeleteAttachment()

Syntax	DeleteAttachment(string)
Parameters	
string	The ID of the attachment you are deleting.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Removes an attachment from the article.

Disconnect()

Syntax	Disconnect()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Terminates a connection to the host.

GetArticle()

Syntax	GetArticle(messageNumber)
Parameters	
message	The number of the message that you want to retrieve.
Number	
Return Value	Null if successful. The article is stored in the document property. An exception if unsuccessful.



Comments	Gets the headers and body of the article specified in the
	messageNumber parameter for the group specified in the Group
	property. If the Outfile property is specified, the returned
	article is stored in the output file as well as in the document
	property.

GetArticleCount()

Syntax	GetArticleCount()
Return Value	An integer count of the number of articles in the group if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the number of articles in the group specified by the Group property.

GetStatusLine()

Syntax	GetStatusLine()
Return Value	A string containing the latest response string if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the latest response string from the host.

GroupOverview()

Syntax	GroupOverview([range])
Parameters	
[range]	The range for articles you want to view. The format for range is first-last, where first is "" (an empty string) or positive number, and last is "", a positive number, or the token end.
Return Value	An array of objects if successful. Each object contains one article, and the properties articleDate, articleLines, articleNumber, from, messageID, otherHeaders, references, and subject. The method returns an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns an overview for the articles in range for the group specified in the Group property.

ListGroups()

Syntax	ListGroups([startDate])
Parameters	



[startDate]	The earliest creation date to search. Groups created before this date are not listed. If you do not specify a start date, all groups are listed.
	The format for startDate is YYMMDD HHMMSS.
Return Value	An array of objects if successful. Each object contains the following properties, Canpost, lastArticle, firstArticle, and group. The method returns an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Lists the newsgroups available on the host.

PostArticle()

Syntax	PostArticle()
Return Value	Null if successful. The article is stored in the document property. An exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Posts the article to the host, attaching files using MIME as necessary. The article is constructed using the following properties and methods:
	Header Properties
	From
	Subject
	Organization
	To
	ReplyTo
	References
	MaxHeadersLength
	Body Properties/Methods
	ArticleText()
	AddAttachment()
	DeleteAttachment()

SendCommand()

Syntax	SendCommand(string)
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends a string to the host without modification. This method is useful for interacting directly with the host using non-standard or unsupported extensions.



WLNntp()

Syntax	new WLNntp()
Return Value	A new wlNNTP object.
Comments	Creates a new wlNNTP object, used to interact with the server.
Example	myNewNntpObject = new WLNntp()

NNTP Sample Code

```
// Agenda Initialization
function InitAgenda() {
 IncludeFile("wlNntp.js", WLExecuteScript)
//Body Of Agenda
InfoMessage("Speed: "+wlGlobals.ConnectionSpeed)
nntp=new WLNntp()
wlGlobals.Debug=1;
InfoMessage("before login")
nntp.UserName="UserID"
nntp.PassWord="TopSecret"
nntp.Connect("hostname")
//Test ListGoups
/*v = nntp.ListGroups();
InfoMessage(v.length);
for (var i = 0; i < v.length; i++)
 InfoMessage("canPost = "+v[i].canPost);
 InfoMessage("first article = "+v[i].firstArticle);
 InfoMessage("group = "+v[i].group);
 InfoMessage("last article = "+v[i].lastArticle);
}
*/
//Test GroupOverview
/*nntp.Group="alt.groupname";
v = nntp.GroupOverview();
InfoMessage(v.length);
for (var i = 0; i < v.length; i++)
```



```
InfoMessage("article date = "+v[i].articleDate);
 InfoMessage("article lines = "+v[i].articleLines);
 InfoMessage("article number = "+v[i].articleNumber);
 InfoMessage("article size = "+v[i].articleSize);
 InfoMessage("from = "+v[i].from);
 InfoMessage("messageId = "+v[i].messageId);
 InfoMessage("other headers = "+v[i].otherHeaders);
 InfoMessage("references = "+v[i].references);
 InfoMessage("subject = "+v[i].subject);
}
*/
//Test GetArticleCount
//nntp.Group="alt.groupname";
//InfoMessage(nntp.GetArticleCount());
nntp.Group="alt.groupname";
InfoMessage(nntp.GetArticleCount());
//Test GetArticle
/*nntp.Group="alt.groupname";
nntp.Outfile="c:\\temp\\article.txt";
nntp.GetArticle(1);
InfoMessage(nntp.document);
//Test post article
nntp.From="poster name";
nntp.Subject="nntp test posting";
nntp.Organization="OrgName";
nntp.To="control.cancel, alt.groupname";
nntp.ReplyTo="poster@organization.org";
nntp.References="<referenceID@server.organization.org>";
nntp.MaxHeadersLength=100;
nntp.ArticleText="hello world";
//id1 = nntp.AddAttachment
//
               ("c:\\temp\\file1.txt", "file", WLNntp.ENC_7BIT);
//id2 = nntp.AddAttachment
               ("c:\\temp\\file2.txt", "file", WLNntp.ENC_7BIT);
//id5 = nntp.AddAttachment
//
               ("c:\\downloded.gif", "file", WLNntp.ENC BASE64);
```



```
//id3 = nntp.AddAttachment
               ("c:\\temp\\file3.txt", "file", WLNntp.ENC_7BIT);
//id4 = nntp.AddAttachment
               ("c:\\temp\\file4.txt", "file", WLNntp.ENC 7BIT);
//nntp.DeleteAttachment(id3);
//nntp.DeleteAttachment(id1);
//nntp.DeleteAttachment(id4);
             //catch to handle exceptions
 nntp.PostArticle();
catch (e)
 InfoMessage ("Error" + e)
//InfoMessage(nntp.GetStatusLine());
nntp.Disconnect()
delete nntp
InfoMessage("done")
```

wIPOP Object

The wlpop object provides support for POP3 (Post Office Protocol) load and functional testing within WebLOAD. Support for standard POP operation is included. POP over secure connections (SSL) is supported through the wlpops Object (on page 396).

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Connect () method; otherwise an exception is thrown.

To access the wlPOP object, you must include the wlPop.js file in your InitAgenda () function.

wIPOP Properties

AutoDelete

The AutoDelete property lets you specify whether or not to automatically delete an email once it has been read. You use this property to save or remove messages from your host. For example:

```
pop.AutoDelete = status
```



document

The document property is an object with four properties:

- Headers A string containing the header of the message
- MessageText A string containing the text of the message
- Size An integer describing the size of the message in bytes
- Attachments An array of objects, with each attachment existing as an object with the following properties:
 - contentencoding The encoding of the attachment
 - contenttype The content type of the attachment
 - filename The file name of the attachment
 - messagetext The text of the attachment
 - partname The part name of the message
 - size The size of the attachment in bytes

For example:

```
var recentdocument = pop.document
var messageheaders = recentdocument.MessageHeaders
var messagetext = recentdocument.MessageText
var messagesize = recentdocument.MessageSize
var messageattachments = recentdocument.attachments
```

Headers[]

The Headers property is an array of objects containing header information from the host. Each object contains a key and an array of headers. For example:

```
var headersvalue = pop.Headers[0]
var headerskey=headersvalue.key
var headerstringvalues=headersvalue.values[0]
```

MaxLines

The MaxLines property lets you specify the maximum number of lines per email to retrieve from a POP host. You use this property to specify the number of lines to retrieve from each email. For example:

```
pop.Maxlines = numberoflines
```



Outfile

The Outfile property lets you specify the name of an output file. You use this property to save a file or message locally on your computer. When you write to the Outfile, you overwrite the existing content. To avoid overwriting the existing content, you must specify a new Outfile each time you write. For example:

```
pop.Outfile = filename
```

PassWord

The PassWord property lets you specify a password when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted POP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the password to the POP host when a wlPOP object connects to a POP host. For example:

```
pop.PassWord = password
```



Caution: The password appears in plain text in the Agenda. The password is visible to any user who has access to the Agenda.

Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption For example:

```
var filesize = pop.Size
```

UserName

The UserName property lets you specify a User ID when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted POP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the user name to the POP host when a wlPOP object connects to a POP host. For example:

```
pop.UserName = username
```

wlSource

The wlsource property contains the encoded multipart source of the message. This is the format in which the message is stored in the Outfile property. For example:

```
var messagesource = pop.wlSource
```



wIPOP Methods

Connect()

Syntax	Connect(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may describe the host using its DNS number, or by giving its name.
[port]	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default POP port is used.
Return Value	An exception if unsuccessful. On success the return value is undefined.
Comments	Starts a POP session with the host. When you connect, you are connecting to a specific mailbox within the host, as specified by your UserID.

Delete()

Syntax	Delete([MessageID])
Parameters	
messageID	The identifier of the message you want to delete. If you do not specify a message ID, the current message is deleted.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Deletes the message with the corresponding ID. If no ID is specified, then the current message is deleted.

Disconnect()

Syntax	Disconnect()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Terminates a connection to the POP server.

GetCurrentMessageID()

Syntax	GetCurrentMessageID()
Return Value	The ID of the current message if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the ID of the current message.



GetMailboxSize()

Syntax	GetMailboxSize()
Return Value	A string describing the size of the mailbox in bytes if successful.
Comments	Returns the total size of the mailbox in bytes.

GetMessageCount()

Syntax	GetMessageCount()
Return Value	A string containing the number of messages on the host if successful.
Comments	Returns the number of messages waiting on the host.

GetStatusLine()

Syntax	GetStatusLine()
Return Value	A string containing the latest response string if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the latest response string from the host.

Reset()

Syntax	Reset()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Undoes all actions, including deletions, returning the host to its state at the start of the session. If this call is not made, disconnecting from the POP host applies all actions.

Retrieve()

Syntax	Retrieve([MessageID])
Parameters	\(\text{\text{\$\cute{2}}}\)
MessageID	The identifier of the message you want to retrieve. If you do not specify a message ID, the next message is returned.
Return Value	Returns the message and populates the document property.
Comments	Returns the message with the corresponding ID. If no ID is specified, then the next message is returned



SendCommand()

Syntax	SendCommand(string)
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends a string to the host without modification. This method is useful for interacting directly with the host using non-standard or unsupported extensions.

WLPop()

Syntax	new WLPop()
Return Value	A new wlPOP object.
Comments	Creates a new wlPOP object, used to interact with the server.
Example	<pre>var myNewPopObject = new WLPop();</pre>

POP Sample Code

```
// Agenda Initialization
function InitAgenda() {
 IncludeFile("wlPop.js", WLExecuteScript)
/*function InitClient() {
} * /
/*function TerminateClient() {
 delete pop;
} * /
//Body Of Agenda.
//InfoMessage("Speed: "+wlGlobals.ConnectionSpeed)
wlGlobals.Debug=1
var pop=new WLPop();
pop.UserName="UserID"
pop.PassWord="TopSecret"
pop.Connect("00.0.0.00");
//Test General Functions
/*count = pop.GetMessageCount();
```



```
InfoMessage("number of messages= "+ count);
count = pop.GetMailboxSize();
InfoMessage("size= "+ count);
status = pop.GetStatusLine();
InfoMessage("status= "+ status);
pop.SendCommand("hello");
status = pop.GetStatusLine();
InfoMessage("status= "+ status);
* /
//Test Delete And Reset
//two tests:
//1. if run as is, # of msgs should remain the same
//2. if run with pop.Reset commented out, # of msgs should be
smaller
InfoMessage("number of messages= "+ pop.GetMessageCount());
//InfoMessage(pop.GetCurrentMessageID);
//pop.MaxLines=0;
pop.Delete(15);
InfoMessage("number of messages= "+ pop.GetMessageCount());
//InfoMessage(pop.GetCurrentMessageID);
//pop.Reset();
pop.Disconnect();
pop.Connect("00.0.0.00")
InfoMessage(pop.GetStatusLine());
//InfoMessage(pop.GetCurrentMessageID);
InfoMessage("number of messages= "+ pop.GetMessageCount());
//----
//Test Retrieve
//InfoMessage("number of messages= "+ pop.GetMessageCount());
//InfoMessage(pop.GetCurrentMessageID);
//pop.AutoDelete=true
/*pop.Outfile="*.xyz";
//pop.MaxLines=0;
var count = pop.GetMessageCount();
InfoMessage(count);
for(var w = 1; w \le count; w++)
 pop.Retrieve(w);
 InfoMessage(pop.document.headers);
 InfoMessage(pop.document.messageText);
 InfoMessage(pop.document.size);
```



```
InfoMessage(pop.document.attachments.length);
  for (var j = 0; j < pop.document.attachments.length; j++)</pre>
    InfoMessage(pop.document.attachments[j].contentEncoding);
    InfoMessage(pop.document.attachments[j].contentType);
    InfoMessage(pop.document.attachments[j].filename);
    InfoMessage(pop.document.attachments[j].messageText);
    InfoMessage(pop.document.attachments[j].partName);
     InfoMessage(pop.document.attachments[j].size);
 InfoMessage("Headers:");
  for (var i = 0; i < pop.Headers.length; i++)</pre>
    for (var j = 0; j < pop.Headers[i].values.length; j++)</pre>
     {
       InfoMessage(pop.Headers[i].key + " = " +
                             pop.Headers[i].values[j]);
     }
  InfoMessage("body"+pop.wlSource);
} * /
catch (e)
  InfoMessage ("Error" + e)
}
pop.Disconnect();
```

wIPOPs Object

The wlpops object provides support for POP3 (Post Office Protocol) load and functional testing over secure connections (SSL).

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Connect () method; otherwise an exception is thrown.

To access the wlPOPs object, you must include the wlPops.js file in your InitAgenda () function.



wIPOPs Properties

AutoDelete

The AutoDelete property lets you specify whether or not to automatically delete an email once it has been read. You use this property to save or remove messages from your host. For example:

```
pop.AutoDelete = status
```

document

The document property is an object with four properties:

- Headers A string containing the header of the message
- MessageText A string containing the text of the message
- Size An integer describing the size of the message in bytes
- Attachments An array of objects, with each attachment existing as an object with the following properties:
 - contentencoding The encoding of the attachment
 - contenttype The content type of the attachment
 - filename The file name of the attachment
 - messagetext The text of the attachment
 - partname The part name of the message
 - size The size of the attachment in bytes

For example:

```
var recentdocument = pop.document
var messageheaders = recentdocument.MessageHeaders
var messagetext = recentdocument.MessageText
var messagesize = recentdocument.MessageSize
var messageattachments = recentdocument.attachments
```

Headers[]

The Headers property is an array of objects containing header information from the host. Each object contains a key and an array of headers. For example:

```
var headersvalue = pop.Headers[0]
var headerskey=headersvalue.key
var headerstringvalues=headersvalue.values[0]
```



MaxLines

The MaxLines property lets you specify the maximum number of lines per email to retrieve from a POP host. You use this property to specify the number of lines to retrieve from each email. For example:

```
pop.Maxlines = numberoflines
```

Outfile

The Outfile property lets you specify the name of an output file. You use this property to save a file or message locally on your computer. When you write to the Outfile, you overwrite the existing content. To avoid overwriting the existing content, you must specify a new Outfile each time you write. For example:

```
pop.Outfile = filename
```

PassWord

The PassWord property lets you specify a password when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted POP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the password to the POP host when a wlPOP object connects to a POP host. For example:

```
pop.PassWord = password
```



Caution: The password appears in plain text in the Agenda. The password is visible to any user who has access to the Agenda.

Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption For example:

```
var filesize = pop.Size
```

UserName

The UserName property lets you specify a User ID when logging on to a host. You use this property to log onto a restricted POP host. WebLOAD automatically sends the user name to the POP host when a wlPOP object connects to a POP host. For example:

```
pop.UserName = username
```



{}wlSource

The wlsource property contains the encoded multipart source of the message. This is the format in which the message is stored in the Outfile property. For example:

var messagesource = pop.wlSource

wIPOPs Methods

Connect()

Syntax	Connect(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may describe the host using its DNS number, or by giving its name.
[port]	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default POP port is used.
Return Value	An exception if unsuccessful. On success the return value is undefined.
Comments	Starts a POP session with the host. When you connect, you are connecting to a specific mailbox within the host, as specified by your UserID.

Delete()

Syntax	Delete([MessageID])
Parameters	
messageID	The identifier of the message you want to delete. If you do not specify a message ID, the current message is deleted.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Deletes the message with the corresponding ID. If no ID is specified, then the current message is deleted.

Disconnect()

Syntax	Disconnect()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Terminates a connection to the POP server.



GetCurrentMessageID()

Syntax	GetCurrentMessageID()
Return Value	The ID of the current message if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the ID of the current message.

GetMailboxSize()

Syntax	GetMailboxSize()
Return Value	A string describing the size of the mailbox in bytes if successful.
Comments	Returns the total size of the mailbox in bytes.

GetMessageCount()

Syntax	GetMessageCount()
Return Value	A string containing the number of messages on the host if successful.
Comments	Returns the number of messages waiting on the host.

GetStatusLine()

Syntax	GetStatusLine()
Return Value	A string containing the latest response string if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns the latest response string from the host.

Reset()

Syntax	Reset()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Undoes all actions, including deletions, returning the host to its state at the start of the session. If this call is not made, disconnecting from the POP host applies all actions.

Retrieve()

Syntax	Retrieve([MessageID])
Parameters	
MessageID	The identifier of the message you want to retrieve. If you do not specify a message ID, the next message is returned.



Return Value	Returns the message and populates the document property.
Comments	Returns the message with the corresponding ID. If no ID is specified, then the next message is returned

SendCommand()

Syntax	SendCommand(string)
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends a string to the host without modification. This method is useful for interacting directly with the host using non-standard or unsupported extensions.

WLPops()

Syntax	new WLPops()
Return Value	A new wlPOPs object.
Comments	Creates a new wlPOPs object, used to interact with the server.
Example	<pre>var myNewPopObject = new WLPops();</pre>

wISMTP Object

The wlsmtp object provides support for Simple Mail Transfer Protocol (SMTP) load and functional testing within WebLOAD. Support for standard SMTP operation is included. SMTP over secure connections (SSL) is supported through the *wlSMTPs Object* (on page 408).

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Connect () method; otherwise an exception should be thrown.

To access the wlSMTP object, you must include the wlSmtp.js file in your InitAgenda() function.



wISMTP Properties

Attachments

The Attachments property lets you specify an attachment to an email message. The **filename** parameter is the name of the local file or datastream that you want to attach to the email message. For example:

```
smtp.Attachments = filename
```

AttachmentsEncoding

The AttachmentsEncoding property lets you specify the type of encoding you are applying to an email attachment. This property must be specified for each attachment. Valid values are:

- 7Bit
- Quoted
- Base64
- 8Bit
- 8BitBinary

You may also specify the encoding using the following constants:

- WLSmtp.ENC 7BIT 7bit encoding
- WLSmtp.ENC QUOTED Quoted Printable encoding
- WLSmtp.ENC BASE64 Base64 encoding
- WLSmtp.ENC 8BIT 8Bit encoding
- WLSmtp.ENC 8BITBINARY Binary encoding

For example:

```
smtp.AttachmentsEncoding = encodingtype
```

AttachmentsTypes

The AttachmentsTypes property lets you specify the type of attachment you are including in an email message. This property must be specified for each attachment. Valid values are:

- true Specifies a type of file
- false Specifies a type of data

For example:

```
smtp.AttachmentsTypes = typeofattachment
```



Bcc

The Bcc property lets you specify the email addresses of additional recipients to be blind copied in an email. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every email. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

smtp.Bcc = blindcopyaddresses

Cc

The Cc property lets you specify the email addresses of additional recipients to be copied in an email. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every email. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

smtp.Cc = copyaddress; copyaddress

From

The From property lets you describe the Reply To in plain language. You may use this property to identify your Reply To email address in a plain language format. For example:

smtp.From = replyname

Message

The Message property lets you specify the text appearing in the body of your email. You use this property to write the text of the email message itself.

ReplyTo

The ReplyTo property lets you specify the return address of your email. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

smtp.ReplyTo = replyaddress



Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption. For example:

```
var filesize = smtp.Size
```

Subject

The Subject property lets you specify the text appearing the subject field of your email. You use this property to provide a brief description of the contents of your email. For example:

```
smtp.Subject = subjectheader
```

To

The To property lets you specify a recipient's email address. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every email. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

```
smtp.To = recipientaddress; recipientaddress
```

Type

The Type property lets you specify the type of server with which you are working. The default value for this property is **SMTP**. Valid values are:

- **SMTP** A standard STMP server
- **ESMTP** An extended SMTP server

For example:

```
smtp.Type = servertype
```

wISMTP Methods

AddAttachment()

Syntax	AddAttachment(string, type, [encoding])
Parameters	
String	The string you are sending to the host. If you are sending a file, the string is the location and name of the file. If you are sending a data attachment, the string is the data to be attached.



Type	The type of attachment you are sending. The default value is File. Valid values are:
	• File
	• Data
encoding	The type of encoding to apply to the file. The default value is 7Bit. Valid values are:
	• 7Bit
	• Quoted
	• Base64
	• 8Bit
	• 8BitBinary
Return Value	Returns an integer value Attachment ID if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Adds an attachment to the email message.

Connect()

Syntax	Connect(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may express the host using either the DNS number or the full name of the host.
port	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default SMTP port is used.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Starts an SMTP session with the host.

DeleteAttachment()

Syntax	DeleteAttachment(ID)
Parameters	
ID	The ID of the attachment you are deleting.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Removes an attachment from the email message.

Disconnect()

Syntax	Disconnect()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.



Comments	Terminates a connection to the SMTP host.
----------	---

Send()

Syntax	Send()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends mail to recipients, attaching files using MIME as necessary. After sending the attachments, data is deleted.

SendCommand()

Syntax	SendCommand(string)
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends a string to the host without modification. This method is useful for interacting directly with the host using non-standard or unsupported extensions. SendCommand automatically appends "\r\n" at the end of the string. You can add additional instances of "\r\n" within the string, however do not add "\r\n" at the end of the string. For example, SendCommand("Line1\r\n Line2\r\n Line3")

Verify()

Syntax	Verify()
Return Value	Returns a 1 if the address is valid, a 0 if the address is invalid. If the method is unable to verify the address due to authentication or other reasons, it returns an exception.
Comments	Checks that the address in the To property is valid. To use this method, include only one address in the To property.

WLSmtp()

Syntax	new WLSmtp()
Return Value	A new wlSMTP object.
Comments	Creates a new wISMTP object, used to interact with the server.
Example	function InitClient() {
	myNewSmtpObject = new WLSmtp()
	}



SMTP Sample Code

```
// Agenda Initialization
function InitAgenda() {
  IncludeFile("wlSmtp.js", WLExecuteScript)
                      // include the file that enables SMTP
function InitClient() {
                     // create the new SMTP object
 Smtp=new WLSmtp()
 Smtp.Connect("HostName"); // connect to the server
function TerminateClient() {
                          // logout from the server
 Smtp.Disconnect();
 delete Smtp
                          // delete the SMTP object
// Body Of Agenda
//Test Send Attachments
Smtp.To=" \"Recipient Name\" <Recipient@recipient.com>";
Smtp.From= "Sender@sender.com";
Smtp.Cc="Copy1@copy.here.org, Copy2@copy.there.org";
                       // multiple CC's
Smtp.ReplyTo="Sender@sender.com";
                       // optional different reply to address
Smtp.Subject="Message Subject "; // Text string
Smtp.Message="Greetings from the wlSMTP class"; // Message text
// Add attachments from local file using different
// encoding techniques
// 7BIT are text files, the BASE64 is for a binary file
// (in this case an image)
id1 = Smtp.AddAttachment
                       ("c:\\file1.txt", "file", WLSmtp.ENC 7BIT);
id2 = Smtp.AddAttachment
                       ("c:\\file2.txt", "file", WLSmtp.ENC 7BIT);
id3 = Smtp.AddAttachment
                       ("c:\\file3.txt", "file", WLSmtp.ENC 7BIT);
id4 = Smtp.AddAttachment
                       ("c:\\file4.txt", "file", WLSmtp.ENC 7BIT);
id5 = Smtp.AddAttachment
                 ("c:\\downloded.gif", "file", WLSmtp.ENC BASE64);
// You may delete attachments prior to sending the mail message
Smtp.DeleteAttachment(id3);
Smtp.DeleteAttachment(id1);
```



wISMTPs Object

The wlsmtp object provides support for SMTP (Mail Transfer Protocol) load and functional testing over secure connections (SSL).

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Connect () method; otherwise an exception should be thrown.

To access the wlSMTPs object, you must include the wlSMTPs.js file in your InitAgenda() function.

wISMTPs Properties

Attachments

The Attachments property lets you specify an attachment to an email message. The **filename** parameter is the name of the local file or datastream that you want to attach to the email message. For example:

```
smtp.Attachments = filename
```

AttachmentsEncoding

The AttachmentsEncoding property lets you specify the type of encoding you are applying to an email attachment. This property must be specified for each attachment. Valid values are:

- 7Bit.
- Quoted
- Base64
- 8Bit
- 8BitBinary



You may also specify the encoding using the following constants:

- WLSmtp.ENC 7BIT 7bit encoding
- WLSmtp.ENC_QUOTED Quoted Printable encoding
- WLSmtp.ENC BASE64 Base64 encoding
- WLSmtp.ENC 8BIT 8Bit encoding
- WLSmtp.ENC 8BITBINARY Binary encoding

For example:

smtp.AttachmentsEncoding = encodingtype

AttachmentsTypes

The AttachmentsTypes property lets you specify the type of attachment you are including in an email message. This property must be specified for each attachment. Valid values are:

- true Specifies a type of file
- false Specifies a type of data

For example:

```
smtp.AttachmentsTypes = typeofattachment
```

Bcc

The Bcc property lets you specify the email addresses of additional recipients to be blind copied in an email. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every email. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

```
smtp.Bcc = blindcopyaddresses
```

Cc

The Cc property lets you specify the email addresses of additional recipients to be copied in an email. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every email. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

```
smtp.Cc = copyaddress; copyaddress
```



From

The From property lets you describe the Reply To in plain language. You may use this property to identify your Reply To email address in a plain language format. For example:

```
smtp.From = replyname
```

Message

The Message property lets you specify the text appearing in the body of your email. You use this property to write the text of the email message itself.

ReplyTo

The ReplyTo property lets you specify the return address of your email. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

```
smtp.ReplyTo = replyaddress
```

Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption. For example:

```
var filesize = smtp.Size
```

Subject

The Subject property lets you specify the text appearing the subject field of your email. You use this property to provide a brief description of the contents of your email. For example:

```
smtp.Subject = subjectheader
```

To

The To property lets you specify a recipient's email address. You may specify multiple addresses in a semicolon-separated list. You must specify this property with every email. Addresses may be specified in the format of "Me@MyCompany.com" or as "My Name <Me@MyCompany.com>". For example:

```
smtp.To = recipientaddress; recipientaddress
```



Type

The Type property lets you specify the type of server with which you are working. The default value for this property is **SMTP**. Valid values are:

- **SMTP** A standard STMP server
- **ESMTP** An extended SMTP server

For example:

smtp.Type = servertype

wISMTPs Methods

AddAttachment()

Syntax	AddAttachment(string, type, [encoding])
Parameters	
String	The string you are sending to the host. If you are sending a file, the string is the location and name of the file. If you are sending a data attachment, the string is the data to be attached.
Type	The type of attachment you are sending. The default value is File. Valid values are:
	• File
	Data
encoding	The type of encoding to apply to the file. The default value is 7Bit. Valid values are:
	• 7Bit
	• Quoted
	• Base64
	• 8Bit
_	• 8BitBinary
Return Value	Returns an integer value Attachment ID if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Adds an attachment to the email message.

Connect()

Syntax	Connect(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may express the host using either the DNS number or the full name of the host.



port	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default SMTP port is used.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Starts an SMTP session with the host.

DeleteAttachment()

Syntax	DeleteAttachment(ID)
Parameters	
ID	The ID of the attachment you are deleting.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Removes an attachment from the email message.

Disconnect()

Syntax	Disconnect()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Terminates a connection to the SMTP host.

Send()

Syntax	Send()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends mail to recipients, attaching files using MIME as necessary. After sending the attachments, data is deleted.

SendCommand()

Syntax	SendCommand(string)
Parameters	
string	The string you are sending to the host.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends a string to the host without modification. This method is useful for interacting directly with the host using non-standard or unsupported extensions.

Verify()

Syntax	Verify()
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Return Value	Returns a 1 if the address is valid, a 0 if the address is invalid. If the method is unable to verify the address due to authentication or other reasons, it returns an exception.
Comments	Checks that the address in the ${\tt To}$ property is valid. To use this method, include only one address in the ${\tt To}$ property.

WLSmtps()

Syntax	new WLSmtps()
Return Value	A new wlSMTPs object.
Comments	Creates a new wISMTPs object, used to interact with the server.
Example	function InitClient() {
	myNewSmtpObject = new WLSmtps()
	}

wITCP Object

The wltcp object provides support for TCP (Transfer Control Protocol) load and functional testing within WebLOAD. Support for standard TCP operation is included. TCP over secure connections (SSL) is not currently supported.

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Connect () method; otherwise an exception is thrown.

To access the wlTCP object, you must include the wlTcp.js file in your InitAgenda () function.

wITCP Properties

document

The document property contains all responses from the host since the last time the Send() method was used. Each time a message is returned, it is concatenated to the document object. The document may be cleared manually using the Erase() method. For example:

```
var recentdocument = tcp.document
```



InBufferSize

The InBufferSize property specifies the size, in bytes, of the incoming data buffer. To remove this setting, either delete the property, or set it to a negative value. For example:

tcp.InBufferSize = maximuminsize

LocalPort

The LocalPort property specifies the TCP port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify the LocalPort property, you connect to a randomly selected port. For example:

tcp.LocalPort = portnumber

NextPrompt

The NextPrompt property specifies the text for the Agenda to look for in the next prompt from the host. A Receive() call is viewed as successful if the prompt contains the text string specified by the NextPrompt variable. To specify a prompt with no message, specify a NextPrompt with an empty value, or delete the NextPrompt property. Once this property is specified, it limits all subsequent instances of the Receive() method. Either delete the property or set it to zero to remove the limitation. For example:

tcp.NextPrompt = promptmessage

NextSize

The NextSize property specifies the size, in bytes, of the expected data. If you specify a NextSize of 100 bytes, for example, the Receive() method returns to the Agenda when the document object contains 100 bytes of data. Once this property is specified, it limits all subsequent instances of the Receive() method. Either delete the property or set it to zero to remove the limitation. For example:

tcp.NextSize = expectedsize

OutBufferSize

The OutBufferSize property specifies the size, in bytes, of the outgoing data buffer. To remove this setting, either delete the property, or set it to a negative value. For example:

tcp.OutBufferSize = maximumoutsize



Outfile

The Outfile property lets you specify the name of an output file. You use this property to save the responses from the host locally on your computer. You must specify the output file before calling the Receive() method to save the responses to that file.

You write to the output file each time you use the Receive() method. If you call the Receive() method more than once, you must specify a different output file each time, or you overwrite the previous output file. For example:

```
tcp.Outfile = filename
```

ReceiveMessageText

The ReceiveMessageText property returns the reason why the host stopped responding. You use this property to determine the state of the host. Possible values are:

- **Prompt was found** The host returned the prompt specified in the NextPrompt property.
- **Timeout** The last command exceeded the time limit specified by the Timeout property.
- **Byte length reached** The host received the amount of data specified in the NextSize property.

For example:

```
InfoMessage(TCP.ReceiveMessageText);
```

Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption. For example:

```
var filesize = tcp.Size
```

Timeout

The Timeout property lets you specify the length of the delay, in milliseconds, before the Agenda breaks its connection with the host. If you do not specify the timeout property, the Agenda may freeze if the host does not respond as you expect it to. To set an unlimited timeout, specify a value of zero, or a negative value. For example:

```
tcp.Timeout = timedelay
```





Note: It is recommended that you include a Timeout property in all Agendas that use the wlTCP object. If you do not, and the Agenda fails to return a prompt, your session may freeze.

wITCP Methods

Connect()

Syntax	Connect(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may express the host using either the DNS number or the full name of the host.
port	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default TCP port is used.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Starts a TCP session with the host.

Disconnect()

Syntax	Disconnect()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Terminates a connection to the TCP host.

Erase()

Syntax	Erase()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Clears the contents of the document object.

Receive()

Syntax	Receive()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.



triggered the return.

Send()

Syntax	Send(data_to_send)
Parameters	
data_to_send	The data that you want to send to the host.
Return Value	A string containing the response from the host if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends data to the host via TCP and clears the document object.

WLTcp()

Syntax	new WLTcp()
Return Value	A new wlTCP object.
Comments	Creates a new wlTCP object, used to interact with the server.
Example	function InitClient() {
	<pre>myNewTcpObject = new WLTcp();</pre>
	}

TCP Sample Code



```
//Body Of Agenda.
InfoMessage("Speed: "+wlGlobals.ConnectionSpeed)
wlGlobals.Debug=1;
tcp.Outfile = "c:\\tcp.txt";
tcp.Timeout = 2000;
tcp.NextPrompt = "\r\n\r\n";
//tcp.NextSize=1900;
try
 tcp.Connect("www.sitename.com", 80);
 tcp.Send("GET /products/index.htm HTTP/1.0\r\n\r\n");
 //Sleep(3000);
 tcp.Receive();
 InfoMessage(tcp.document);
 InfoMessage(tcp.ReceiveMessageText);
 tcp.NextSize=10091;
 tcp.NextPrompt="";
 tcp.Erase();
 tcp.Receive();
 InfoMessage(tcp.document);
 InfoMessage(tcp.ReceiveMessageText);
catch(e)
 InfoMessage(e);
InfoMessage("done");
```

wlTelnet Object

The wlTelnet object provides support for Telnet load and functional testing within WebLOAD. Support for standard Telnet operation is included. Telnet over secure connections (SSL) is not currently supported.

If a connection is required but has expired or has not yet been established, the underlying code attempts to login. Logging in requires you to call the appropriate Connect () method otherwise an exception is thrown.

To access the wlTelnet object, you must include the wlTelnet.js file in your InitAgenda() function.



wlTelnet Properties

document

The document property contains all responses from the host since the last time the Send() method was used. Each time a message is returned, it is concatenated to the document object. The document may be cleared manually using the Erase() method. For example:

var recentdocument = telnet.document

NextPrompt

The NextPrompt property specifies the text for the Agenda to look for in the next prompt from the host. A Receive() call is viewed as successful if the prompt contains the text string specified by the NextPrompt variable. To specify a prompt with no message, specify a NextPrompt with an empty value, or delete the NextPrompt property. Once this property is specified, it limits all subsequent instances of the Receive() method. Either delete the property or set it to zero to remove the limitation. For example:

telnet.NextPrompt = promptmessage

Outfile

The Outfile property lets you specify the name of an output file. You use this property to save the responses from the host locally on your computer. You must specify the output file before calling the Receive() method to save the responses to that file.

You write to the output file each time you use the Receive() method. If you call the Receive() method more than once, you must specify a different output file each time, or you overwrite the previous output file. For example:

telnet.Outfile = filename

ReceiveMessageText

The ReceiveMessageText property returns the reason why the host stopped responding. You use this property to determine the state of the host. Possible values are:

- Prompt was found The host returned the prompt specified in the NextPrompt property.
- Timeout The last command exceeded the time limit specified by the Timeout property.



• **Byte length reached** – The host received the amount of data specified in the NextSize property.

For example:

InfoMessage(Telnet.ReceiveMessageText);

Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption. For example:

```
var filesize = telnet.Size
```

Timeout

The Timeout property lets you specify the length of the delay, in milliseconds, before the Agenda breaks its connection with the host. If you do not specify the timeout property, the Agenda may freeze if the host does not respond as you expect it to. To set an unlimited timeout, specify a value of zero, or a negative value. For example:



telnet.Timeout = timedelay

Note: It is recommended that you include a Timeout property in all Agendas that use the wlTelnet object. If you do not, and the Agenda fails to return a prompt, your session may freeze.

wlTelnet Methods

Connect()

Syntax	Connect(host, [port])
Parameters	
host	The host to which you are connecting. You may express the host using either the DNS number or the full name of the host.
port	The port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify a port, the default Telnet port is used.
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Starts a Telnet session with the host.



Disconnect()

Syntax	Disconnect()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful
Comments	Terminates a connection to the Telnet host.

Erase()

Syntax	Erase()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Clears the contents of the document object.

Receive()

Syntax	Receive()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns all responses from the host since the last time the <code>Send()</code> method was used. A <code>Receive()</code> method returns to the Agenda when the <code>NextPrompt</code> , <code>NextSize</code> , or <code>Timeout</code> properties are met. If more than one of these properties is specified, the method returns to the Agenda when the first one is met. Subsequent uses of <code>Receive()</code> find the next instance of the limiting property, returning additional information from the buffer. The content returned depends upon which of the three limiting properties triggered the return.

Send()

Syntax	Send(data_to_send)
Parameters	
data_to_send	The data that you want to send to the host.
Return Value	A string containing the response from the host if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends data to the host via Telnet and clears the document object.

WLTelnet()

Syntax	new WLTelnet()
Return Value	A new wlTelnet object.
Comments	Creates a new wlTelnet object, used to interact with the server.



Telnet Sample Code

```
// Agenda Initialization
function InitAgenda() {
 IncludeFile("wlTelnet.js", WLExecuteScript)
                             // include the file that enables Telnet
function InitClient() {
 Telnet=new WLTelnet() // create a new telnet object
function TerminateClient()
 delete Telnet
                         // delete the object we were using
// Body Of Agenda
// Set timeout and prompt
// IMPORTANT: Set a timeout when setting a prompt. Otherwise,
// If the prompt is unexpected or incorrect the Agenda will
// freeze while waiting for a prompt that will never arrive
                               // one second
Telnet.Timeout=1000;
Telnet.NextPrompt="User name: "; // text to look for
                               // connect
Telnet.Connect("000.0.0.0");
Telnet.Receive();
                               // wait for data from the remote host
Telnet.Send("myname");
                               // send login name
InfoMessage(Telnet.document);
                               // write out the data received
InfoMessage(Telnet.ReceiveMessageText);
                               // write out why the call returned
Telnet.NextPrompt="Password: "; // next prompt to look for
                               // wait for data
Telnet.Receive();
Telnet.Outfile="c:\\filename.txt";
                           // save this next response to file as well
InfoMessage(Telnet.document);
                               // what did we get?
InfoMessage(Telnet.ReceiveMessageText);
                               // write out why the call returned
Telnet.Send("mypassword");
                               // send password
Telnet.NextPrompt=">";
                               // new prompt to wait for
Telnet.Receive();
                               // wait for a response
Telnet.Send("command");
                               // send command text to the host
```



```
// wait for a response
Telnet.Receive();
                               // what did we get?
InfoMessage(Telnet.document);
InfoMessage(Telnet.ReceiveMessageText);
                               // write out why the call returned
Telnet.Disconnect();
                               // finally disconnect
//This is another way to work with telnet. When no prompt
//is set the timeout is ignored. Instead the Agenda writer
//must manually keep receiving the data by calling the receive
//command. Receive() returns the response as well as assigning
//the value to the this.document property. It is up to the user
//to perform a delay before he/she receives the data.
Telnet.Connect("000.0.0.0"); // log in to a remote host
// In this case we receive three times.
// In your script you may keep calling Receive() until the
// telnet object's document property contains the data you are
// looking for, or until you decide to do something else
Telnet.Receive();
                               // fetch the data
Telnet.Receive();
                               // Wait for more
Telnet.Receive();
                                // Wait for more
InfoMessage(Telnet.document);
                               // Contains text from ALL receives
InfoMessage(Telnet.ReceiveMessageText);  // reason calls returned
Telnet.Send("Command");
                              // clears the document object
Telnet.Receive();
                               // fetch the data
Telnet.Receive();
                               // Wait for more
                                // Wait for more
Telnet.Receive();
InfoMessage(Telnet.document);
InfoMessage(Telnet.ReceiveMessageText);
Telnet.Send("command");
Telnet.Receive();
Telnet.Receive();
                               // Wait for more
                               // Wait for more
Telnet.Receive();
InfoMessage(Telnet.document);
InfoMessage(Telnet.ReceiveMessageText);
Telnet.Send("dir");
Telnet.Receive();
                               // Wait for more
Telnet.Receive();
                               // Wait for more
Telnet.Receive();
InfoMessage(Telnet.document);
InfoMessage(Telnet.ReceiveMessageText);
catch (e)
 InfoMessage ("Error" + e)
}
```



wIUDP Object

The wludp object provides support for UDP (User Datagram Protocol) load and functional testing within WebLOAD. Support for standard UDP operation is included. UDP over secure connections (SSL) is not currently supported.

To access the wludp object, you must include the wludp.js file in your InitAgenda() function.

wIUDP Properties

document

The document property is an array of objects sent in the current session, with each object containing the following properties:

- datagram The datagram retrieved from the database
- address The address of the datagram
- port The port used to communicate with the database

The document property contains all responses from the host since the last time the <code>Send()</code> method was used. Each time a message is returned, it is concatenated to the document object. The document may be cleared manually using the <code>Erase()</code> method. For example:

```
var recentdocument = udp.document
```

InBufferSize

The InBufferSize property specifies the size, in bytes, of the incoming data buffer. For example:

```
udp.InBufferSize = maximuminsize
```

LocalHost

The LocalHost property lets you specify a local host for use in broadcasting via UDP. For example:

```
udp.LocalHost = localhostname
```



LocalPort

The LocalPort property specifies the UDP port to which you are connecting. If you do not specify the LocalPort property, you connect to a randomly selected port. For example:

```
udp.LocalPort = portnumber
```

MaxDatagramSize

The MaxDatagramSize property specifies the maximum size, in bytes, of datagrams that you may send or receive via UDP. For example:

```
udp.MaxDatagramSize = maximumsize
```

NumOfResponses

The NumOfResponses property specifies the number of responses the testing machine waits for before proceeding. You use this property to make sure that all of your hosts have responded. To specify an unlimited number of responses, specify a NumOfResponses value of zero. For example:

```
udp.NumOfResponses = numberofhosts
```

OutBufferSize

The OutBufferSize property specifies the size, in bytes, of the outgoing data buffer. For example:

```
udp.OutBufferSize = maximumoutsize
```

Outfile

The Outfile property lets you specify the name of an output file. You use this property to save the responses from the host locally on your computer. You must specify the output file before calling the Receive() method to save the responses to that file.

You write to the output file each time you use the Receive() method. If you call the Receive() method more than once, you must specify a different output file each time, or you will overwrite the previous output file. For example:

```
udp.Outfile = filename
```



ReceiveMessageText

The ReceiveMessageText property returns the reason why the host stopped responding. You use this property to determine the state of the host. Possible values are:

- Prompt received The host returned a prompt and is waiting for further instructions.
- **Timeout** The last command exceeded the limit specified by the Timeout property.
- **No prompt specified** The host is unable to return a prompt. Often, this means there is an error in the Agenda.

For example:

InfoMessage(udp.ReceiveMessageText);

RequestedPackets

The RequestedPackets property specifies the number of packets the testing machine waits for before proceeding. To specify an unlimited number of packets, specify a RequestedPackets value of zero. For example:

```
udp.RequestedPackets = numberofpackets
```

Size

The Size property returns the byte length of data transferred to the host. You use this property to compare starting and finishing sizes to verify that files have arrived without corruption. For example:

```
var filesize = udp.Size
```

Timeout

The Timeout property lets you specify the length of the delay, in milliseconds, before the Agenda breaks its connection with the host. If you do not specify the timeout property, the Agenda may freeze if the host does not respond as you expect it to. For example:



```
udp.Timeout = timedelay
```

Note: It is recommended that you include a Timeout property in all Agendas that use the wludp object. If you do not, and the Agenda fails to return a prompt, your session may freeze.



wIUDP Methods

Bind()

Syntax	Bind()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Creates a UDP port and sets the OutBufferSize, InBufferSize, MaxDatagramSize, LocalHost, and LocalPort properties. The value of these properties is fixed when the Bind() method is used. To change the value of any of these properties, you must use the UnBind() method, change the value of the property and using the Bind() method again.

Broadcast()

Syntax	Broadcast(port, data_to_send)
Parameters	
Port	The port to which you are connecting.
data_to_send	The data that you want to send to the local net.
Return Value	A string containing the response from the host if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Broadcasts data to the local net.

Erase()

Syntax	Erase()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Clears the contents of the document property, setting it to an empty array.

Receive()

Syntax	Receive()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Returns all responses from the host since the last time the <code>Send()</code> method was used. The <code>Receive()</code> method returns to the Agenda when the <code>RequestedPackets</code> or <code>Timeout</code> property is met. Subsequent uses of <code>Receive()</code> find the next instance of the limiting property, returning additional information from the buffer.



Send()

Syntax	Send(host, port, data_to_send)
Parameters	
Host	The host to which you are connecting. You may express the host using either the DNS number or the full name of the host.
port	The port to which you are connecting.
data_to_send	The data that you want to send to the host.
Return Value	A string containing the response from the host if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Sends data to the host via UDP.

UnBind()

Syntax	UnBind()
Return Value	Null if successful, an exception if unsuccessful.
Comments	Closes a UDP socket. You must use this command to close an existing UDP socket before you may use the Bind() again.

WLUdp()

Syntax	new WLUdp()	
Return Value	A new wlUDP object.	
Comments	Creates a new wlUDP object, used to interact with the server.	
Example	function InitClient() {	
	myNewUDPObject = new WLUdp()	
	}	

UDP Sample Code



```
//Body Of Agenda.
//Test Send: set the buffer sizes appropriately for the data
try
{
 udp.OutBufferSize=10;
 udp.InBufferSize=12;
 udp.MaxDatagramSize=10;
 udp.Timeout=10000;
                         // 10 second timeout
 udp.NumOfResponses=1;
                        // return after one remote machine
 responds
 udp.Outfile="c:\\serialize.txt";
                                  // file to save responses to
 udp.Bind();
 udp.Send("00.0.0.00", 7, "good morning");
                         // send a datagram to one machine on port
 7
 udp.Receive();
                         // wait for a response
 InfoMessage(udp.ReceiveMessageText); // This is what happened
 // show the properties of the response
 // note that the udp.document object is an array
 InfoMessage(udp.document[0].datagram); // get the response
 InfoMessage(udp.document[0].address); // which machine responded?
 InfoMessage(udp.document[0].port);
                                     // the port
 // now broadcast to seven machines
 udp.NumOfResponses=7;
                        // we expect seven machines to respond
 udp.Outfile="c:\\serialize.txt";
                                     // send the responses
 udp.Broadcast(7, "good morning");
                         // send the message (again on port 7)
                         // wait for the responses
 udp.Receive();
 // For each host that responded there will be an entry
 // in the array. This loop examines each one
 for (var i = 0; i < udp.document.length; i++)</pre>
    InfoMessage("datagram= "+udp.document[i].datagram);
    InfoMessage("address= "+udp.document[i].address);
    InfoMessage("port= "+udp.document[i].port);
}
catch (e)
 InfoMessage ("Error" + e)
}
```







XML Parser Object

WebLOAD provides an embedded, third-party XML parser object to improve the multi-platform support for XML parsing within the WebLOAD environment. The XML parser object can be used instead of MSXML and Java XML parsing, resulting in lower memory consumption and increased performance during load testing.

The XML parser object can be used to reference any element in an XML document. For example, you can use the XML parser object to generate an Excel file containing the desired details of a specified element.

WebLOAD uses the Open Source Xerces XML parser (see http://xml.apache.org/xerces-c/).

The XML parser object is instanced as follows:

```
xmlObject = new XMLParserObject();
```

The parse () method, not exposed by the original XML parser, is exposed by WebLOAD. This method is identical to the parseURI () method, except that it receives an XML string instead of a URI.

The following sections provide lists of exposed methods and properties as well as a detailed example of the implementation of the XML parser object.



Note: For additional information, refer to:

http://xml.apache.org/xerces-c/ApacheDOMC++BindingL2.html



Methods

The following table lists the XML parser object methods exposed by WebLOAD.

Table 6. XML Parser Object Methods

Object	Method Name
xmlparser	 parseURI parse resetDocumentPool release setFeature getFeature canSetFeature load loadXML
xmlAttr	getNamegetValuesetValuegetOwnerElementgetSpecified
xmlCharacterData	 getData getLength appendData setData substringData deleteData insertData replaceData



Object	Method Name
xmlDocument	createElement
	getElementById
	getDocumentElement
	getElementsByTagName
	 createTextNode
	createDocumentFragment
	getDoctype
	 createComment
	 createCDATAsection
	createAttribute
	createEntityReference
	 createProcessingInstruction
	 createElementNS
	 createAttributeNS
	• getElementsByTagNameNS
	importNode
xmlDocumentType	• getName
	• getPublicId
	• getSystemId
	getInternalSubset
	• getEntities
	• getNotations



Object	Method Name
xmlElement	getElementsByTagName
	• getElementsByTagNameNS
	getAttribute
	• getAttributeNS
	getAttributeNode
	 getAttributeNodeNS
	 setAttributeNode
	 setAttributeNodeNS
	• getTagName
	hasAttribute
	 hasAttributeNS
	removeAttribute
	 removeAttributeNS
	• setAttribute
	 setAttributeNS
	removeAttributeNode
xmlEntity	getPublicId
	• getSystemId
	• getNotationName
xmlnamednodemap	getLength
	• getNamedItem
	 removeNamedItem
	• getNamedItemNS
	 removeNamedItemNS
	• setNamedItem
	 setNamedItemNS
	• item



Object	Method Name		
xmlnode	getNodeName		
	• getNodeValue		
	 getNodeType 		
	• getParentNode		
	• getFirstChild		
	• getLastChild		
	• getPreviousSibling		
	 getNextSibling 		
	• getChildNodes		
	getAttributes		
	getOwnerDocument		
	• getNamespaceURI		
	• getPrefix		
	getLocalName		
	 hasChildNodes 		
	• hasAttributes		
	• normalize		
	• release		
	 removeChild 		
	 appendChild 		
	• insertBefore		
	• setNodeValue		
	• setPrefix		
	• isSupported		
xmlnodelist	• Item		
	getLength		
xmlNotation	• getPublicId		
	• getSystemId		
	 xmlProcessingInstruction 		
	getTarget		
	getData		
	• setData		



Properties

The following table lists the XML parser object properties exposed by WebLOAD.

Table 7. XML Parser Object Properties

Object	Burn and a Name
Object	Property Name
xmlAttr	• name
	• value
xmlCharacterData	• length
	• data
xmlDocument	documentElement
xmlElement	• tagName
xmlnode	• nodeName
	• attributes
	• childNodes
	firstChild
	• lastChild
	namespaceURI
	nextSibling
	 nodeType
	• nodeValue
	ownerDocument
	• parentNode
	• prefix
	 previousSibling
	 nodeTypeString
	• xml
xmlnodelist	• length
xmlProcessingInstruction	• target
	• Data



Example

The following is an example of the use of the XML parser object:

```
{
  //Create the XML parser object (xerces-c parser)
  xmlObject = new XMLParserObject();
  //Parse the xml file from the specified path
  xmlDoc = xmlObject.parseURI("C:\\xml_file.xml");
  //Retrieve the first node with the "NODE5" tag
  domNode = xmlDoc.getElementsByTagName("NODE5").item(0);
  //Retrieve the node's type
  nodeType = domNode.getNodeType();
  //Retrieve the node's parent
  nodeParent = domNode.getParentNode().getNodeName();
  //Retrieve the number of child nodes
  numOfChilds = domNode.getChildNodes().getLength();
  //Create a new element
  newNode1 = xmlDoc.createElement("NEW_NODE1");
  //Insert the new element into DOM
  domNode1.insertBefore(newNode1, domNode);
```





WebLOAD supports WebSocket, a protocol that provides full-duplex communication channels over a single TCP connection.

Unlike HTTP which is a request-response protocol, WebSocket creates connections for sending or receiving messages that are not dependent on one another. In this way, WebSocket provides full-duplex communication. WebSocket also enables streams of messages on top of TCP.

WebLOAD's WebSocket object enables creating and managing a WebSocket connection to a server, as well as sending and receiving data on the connection.

Note that you can create multiple WebSocket objects.

Constructor

Description

Creates a new WebSocket for the given URL, and returns a JavaScript object reference.

Syntax

<websocket object name> = new WebSocket (<URL>);

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
URL	The URL to which to connect.

Example

ws1 = new WebSocket("ws://echo.websocket.org");



Methods

connect() (method)

Description

Creates a WebSocket connection to the given URL address. When connected, an onopen () event is fired, as described in *onopen* (evt) (on page 441).

Syntax

<websocket object name>.connect()

Example

ws1.connect()

close() (method)

Description

Closes the WebSocket connection.

Syntax

<websocket object name>.close()

Example

ws1.close()

send() (method)

Description

Sends data to a WebSocket connection.

Syntax

<websocket object name>.send(data[,encoded])

Parameters

Parameter Name	Description
data	The data to be sent, enclosed in quote marks.
[encoded]	An optional Boolean value (true or false).
	• True indicates that the data contains an ASCII encoded string in the format %xx, where xx is the hexadecimal ASCII code.
	 False indicates the data does not contain an ASCII encoded string. This is the default value.



Examples

```
ws1.send("hi")
ws1.send("next line %0A here", true)
```

Events

A WebSocket emits events. An Event handler should be registered in order to react to events.

onmessage (evt)

An event that occurs when a new message is received.

- evt.getData() Gets the data. This can be a string or binary data.
- evt.isBinary() Indicates whether the data is binary or not.
- evt.getEncodedData() Gets the data in encoded format. This is useful for binary messages.

Example

```
ws1.onmessage = function(evt) {
    InfoMessage("got message " + evt.getData() )
    if (evt.isBinary() ) {
        InfoMessage("Message is binary");
     }
}
```

onerror (evt)

An event that occurs when an error message is received. The default behavior is to show a warning message with the error details.

Evt.getData() – gets the underlying exception details.

onopen (evt)

An event that occurs when the socket is opened (connected).

Example

```
ws1.onopen = function(evt) {
    DebugMessage("WebSocket is opened, say hello");
    ws1.send("hello");
}
```



WebSocket Sample Code

```
// Create a WebSocket object
ws1 = new WebSocket( "ws://echo.websocket.org" );
// Define an event handler, to handle events (incoming messages)
when they occur
ws1.onmessage = function(evt) {
    // Display in the Log the text that was sent in the message body
    DebugMessage("Server said:" + evt.getData());
// Create a websocket connection
ws1.connect();
//Note that events are handled while in Sleep
Sleep(1000);
// Send a message with the text "hi"
wsl.send("hi");
Sleep(1000);
// Close the websocket connection
ws1.close();
Sleep(1000);
```





WebLOAD-supported SSL Protocol Versions

SSL Handshake Combinations

WebLOAD supports a variety of SSL versions, ranging from the earlier SSL versions and up to the most current TLS versions. The following table illustrates the results of different handshake combinations, depending on the Client and Server SSL version:

SSL handshake combinations

Client setting	Server Setting				
	Undetermined	3.0W/2.0Hello	3.0 Only	2.0 Only	
Undetermined	3.0	3.0	(a)	2.0	
3.0W/2.0Hello	3.0	3.0	(a)	(b)	
3.0 Only	3.0	3.0	3.0	(c)	
2.0 Only	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.0	

Table 8: SSL Handshake Combinations

Each entry specifies the negotiated protocol version. In the noted instances, negotiation is impossible for the following reasons:

- (a) These protocols all support SSL 3.0, but the SSL 3.0 Only setting on the server prevents the SSL 2.0 Hello message sent by the client from being recognized.
- (b) The SSL 2.0 Hello message sent by the client is recognized, but the SSL 2.0 Only setting on the server sends a 2.0 response. The client rejects this response as it is set to communicate using only SSL 3.0.
- (c) The SSL 3.0 Hello message sent by the client will not be understood by the SSL 2.0 only server.

Commercial browsers and servers generally act as if they are set for SSL_Version_Undetermined, unless SSL 2.0 is disabled, in which case they act as if they are set for SSL_Version_3_0_With_2_0_Hello.



SSL Ciphers – Complete List

WebLOAD's SSL support is based on the OpenSSL open source project (http://www.openssl.org/). Table 9 contains a complete list of ciphers supported by WebLOAD using OpenSSL. Abbreviations used in this list are explained in Table 10.

For information on how WebLOAD provides full SSL/TLS 1.0/TLS 1.2 protocol support through the Cipher Command Suite, see *SSL Cipher Command Suite* on page 33.

The following table lists all ciphers supported by WebLOAD.

Table 9: SSL Ciphers Supported by WebLOAD

Name	Mode	Key Ex.	Auth.	Encryption	Message	Export
				method (key length)	digest algorithm	
TLS1_CK_SRP_SHA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA	TLS1.2	SRP	SHA	AES(256)-CBC	SHA	
TLS1_CK_SRP_SHA_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA	TLS1.2	SRP	SHA	AES(256)-CBC	SHA	
TLS1_CK_RSA_WITH_AES_128_SHA256	TLS1.2	RSA	RSA	AES(128)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_RSA_WITH_AES_256_SHA256	TLS1.2	RSA	RSA	AES(256)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DH_DSS_WITH_AES_128_SHA256	TLS1.2	DH	DDS	AES(128)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DH_RSA_WITH_AES_128_SHA256	TLS1.2	DH	RSA	AES(128)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DHE_DSS_WITH_AES_128_SHA256	TLS1.2	DHE	DDS	AES(128)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_SHA256	TLS1.2	DHE	RSA	AES(128)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DH_DSS_WITH_AES_256_SHA256	TLS1.2	DH	DDS	AES(256)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DH_RSA_WITH_AES_256_SHA256	TLS1.2	DH	RSA	AES(256)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DHE_DSS_WITH_AES_256_SHA256	TLS1.2	DHE	DDS	AES(256)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_SHA256	TLS1.2	DHE	RSA	AES(256)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_ADH_WITH_AES_128_SHA256	TLS1.2	ADH	None	AES(128)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_ADH_WITH_AES_256_SHA256	TLS1.2	ADH	None	AES(256)	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256	TLS1.2	RSA	RSA	AES(128)-GCM	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384	TLS1.2	RSA	RSA	AES(256) -GCM	SHA384	
TLS1_CK_DHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256	TLS1.2	DH	RSA	AES(128) -GCM	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384	TLS1.2	DH	RSA	AES(256) -GCM	SHA384	
TLS1_CK_DH_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256	TLS1.2	DH	RSA	AES(128) -GCM	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DH_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384	TLS1.2	DH	RSA	AES(256-GCM	SHA384	
TLS1_CK_DHE_DSS_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256	TLS1.2	DHE	DDS	AES(128) -GCM	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_DHE_DSS_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384	TLS1.2	DHE	DDS	AES(256) -GCM	SHA384	
TLS1_CK_DH_DSS_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256	TLS1.2	DH	DDS	AES(128) -GCM	SHA256	



Name	Mode	Key Ex.	Auth.	Encryption method (key length)	Message digest algorithm	Export
TLS1_CK_DH_DSS_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384	TLS1.2	DH	DDS	AES(256) -GCM	SHA384	
TLS1_CK_ADH_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256	TLS1.2	ADH	None	AES(128) -GCM	SHA256	
TLS1_CK_ADH_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384	TLS1.2	ADH	None	AES(256) -GCM	SHA384	
AECDH-DES-CBC3-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	None	3DES(168)	SHA1	
ECDHE-RSA-DES-CBC3-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	RSA	3DES(168)	SHA1	
ECDH-RSA-DES-CBC3-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	RSA	3DES(168)	SHA1	
ECDHE-ECDSA-DES-CBC3-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	ECDSA	3DES(168)	SHA1	
ECDH-ECDSA-DES-CBC3-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	ECDSA	3DES(168)	SHA1	
ADH-DES-CBC3-SHA	SSLv3	DH	None	3DES(168)	SHA1	
EDH-RSA-DES-CBC3-SHA	SSLv3	DH	RSA	3DES(168)	SHA1	
EDH-DSS-DES-CBC3-SHA	SSLv3	DH	DSS	3DES(168)	SHA1	
DH-RSA-DES-CBC3-SHA	SSLv3	DH/RSA	DH	3DES(168)	SHA1	
DH-DSS-DES-CBC3-SHA	SSLv3	DH/DSS	DH	3DES(168)	SHA1	
DES-CBC3-SHA-SSL3	SSLv3	RSA	RSA	3DES(168)	SHA1	
DES-CBC3-MD5	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	3DES(168)	MD5	
DES-CBC3-SHA-SSL2	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	3DES(192)	SHA1	
AECDH-AES128-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	None	AES(128)	SHA1	
ECDHE-RSA-AES128-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	RSA	AES(128)	SHA1	
ECDH-RSA-AES128-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	RSA	AES(128)	SHA1	
ECDHE-ECDSA-AES128-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	ECDSA	AES(128)	SHA1	
ECDH-ECDSA-AES128-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	ECDSA	AES(128)	SHA1	
ADH-AES128-SHA	TLS1	DH	None	AES(128)	SHA1	
DHE-RSA-AES128-SHA	TLS1	DH	RSA	AES(128)	SHA1	
DHE-DSS-AES128-SHA	TLS1	DH	DSS	AES(128)	SHA1	
DH-RSA-AES128-SHA	TLS1	DH/RSA	DH	AES(128)	SHA1	
DH-DSS-AES128-SHA	TLS1	DH/DSS	DH	AES(128)	SHA1	
AES128-SHA	TLS1	RSA	RSA	AES(128)	SHA1	
AECDH-AES256-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	None	AES(256)	SHA1	
ECDHE-RSA-AES256-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	RSA	AES(256)	SHA1	
ECDH-RSA-AES256-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	RSA	AES(256)	SHA1	
ECDHE-ECDSA-AES256-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	ECDSA	AES(256)	SHA1	
ECDH-ECDSA-AES256-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	ECDSA	AES(256)	SHA1	
ADH-AES256-SHA	TLS1	DH	None	AES(256)	SHA1	



Name	Mode	Key Ex.	Auth.	Encryption method (key length)	Message digest algorithm	Export
DHE-RSA-AES256-SHA	TLS1	DH	RSA	AES(256)	SHA1	
DHE-DSS-AES256-SHA	TLS1	DH	DSS	AES(256)	SHA1	
DH-RSA-AES256-SHA	TLS1	DH/RSA	DH	AES(256)	SHA1	
DH-DSS-AES256-SHA	TLS1	DH/DSS	DH	AES(256)	SHA1	
AES256-SHA	TLS1	RSA	RSA	AES(256)	SHA1	
EXP-ADH-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH(512)	None	DES(40)	SHA1	✓
EXP-EDH-RSA-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH(512)	RSA	DES(40)	SHA1	✓
EXP-EDH-DSS-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH(512)	DSS	DES(40)	SHA1	Ø
EXP-DH-RSA-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH/RSA	DH	DES(40)	SHA1	✓
EXP-DH-DSS-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH/DSS	DH	DES(40)	SHA1	Ø
EXP-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	RSA(512)	RSA	DES(40)	SHA1	Ø
EXP1024-DHE-DSS-DES-CBC-SHA	TLS1	DH(1024)	DSS	DES(56)	SHA1	Ø
EXP1024-DES-CBC-SHA	TLS1	RSA(1024)	RSA	DES(56)	SHA1	Ø
ADH-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH	None	DES(56)	SHA1	
EDH-RSA-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH	RSA	DES(56)	SHA1	
EDH-DSS-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH	DSS	DES(56)	SHA1	
DH-RSA-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH/RSA	DH	DES(56)	SHA1	
DH-DSS-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	DH/DSS	DH	DES(56)	SHA1	
DES-CBC-SHA-SSL3	SSLv3	RSA	RSA	DES(56)	SHA1	
DES-CBC-SHA-SSL2	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	DES(64)	SHA1	
DES-CBC-MD5	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	DES(56)	MD5	
IDEA-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	RSA	RSA	IDEA(128)	SHA1	
IDEA-CBC-MD5	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	IDEA(128)	MD5	
NULL-MD5-SSL3	SSLv3	RSA	RSA	None	MD5	
NULL-MD5–SSL2	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	None	MD5	
RC2-CBC-MD5	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	RC2(128)	MD5	
EXP-RC2-CBC-MD5	SSLv3	RSA(512)	RSA	RC2(40)	MD5	Ø
EXP-RC2-CBC-MD5	SSLv2	RSA(512)	RSA	RC2(40)	MD5	Ø
EXP1024-RC2-CBC-MD5	TLS1	RSA(1024)	RSA	RC2(56)	MD5	Ø
AECDH-RC4-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	None	RC4(128)	SHA1	
ECDHE-RSA-RC4-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	RSA	RC4(128)	SHA1	
ECDH-RSA-RC4-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	RSA	RC4(128)	SHA1	
ECDHE-ECDSA-RC4-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	ECDSA	RC4(128)	SHA1	



Name	Mode	Key Ex.	Auth.	Encryption method (key length)	Message digest algorithm	Export
ECDH-ECDSA-RC4-SHA	TLS1	ECDH	ECDSA	RC4(128)	SHA1	
DHE-DSS-RC4-SHA	TLS1	DH	DSS	RC4(128)	SHA1	
ADH-RC4-MD5	SSLv3	DH	None	RC4(128)	MD5	
RC4-SHA	SSLv3	RSA	RSA	RC4(128)	SHA1	
RC4-MD5–SSL3	SSLv3	RSA	RSA	RC4(128)	MD5	
RC4-MD5–SSL2	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	RC4(128)	MD5	
RC4-MD5	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	RC4(128)	MD5	
EXP-ADH-RC4-MD5	SSLv3	DH(512)	None	RC4(40)	MD5	Ø
EXP-RC4-MD5	SSLv3	RSA(512)	RSA	RC4(40)	MD5	Ø
EXP-RC4-MD5	SSLv2	RSA(512)	RSA	RC4(40)	MD5	Ø
EXP1024-DHE-DSS-RC4-SHA	TLS1	DH(1024)	DSS	RC4(56)	SHA1	Ø
EXP1024-RC4-SHA	TLS1	RSA(1024)	RSA	RC4(56)	SHA1	Ø
EXP1024-RC4-MD5	TLS1	RSA(1024)	RSA	RC4(56)	MD5	Ø
RC4-64-MD5	SSLv2	RSA	RSA	RC4(64)	MD5	
KRB5-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	DES(64)	SHA1	
KRB5-DES-CBC3-SHA	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	DES(192)	SHA1	
KRB5-RC4-SHA	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	RC4(128)	SHA1	
KRB5-IDEA-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	IDEA(128)	SHA1	
KRB5-DES-CBC-MD5	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	DES(64)	MD5	
KRB5-DES-CBC3-MD5	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	DES(192)	MD5	
KRB5-RC4-MD5	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	RC4(128)	MD5	
KRB5-IDEA-CBC-MD5	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	IDEA(128)	MD5	
EXP-KRB5-DES-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	DES(40)	SHA1	Ø
EXP-KRB5-RC2-CBC-SHA	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	RC2(40)	SHA1	Ø
EXP-KRB5-RC4-SHA	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	RC4(40)	SHA1	Ø
EXP-KRB5-DES-CBC-MD5	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	DES(40)	MD5	Ø
EXP-KRB5-RC2-CBC-MD5	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	RC2(40)	MD5	Ø
EXP-KRB5-RC4-MD5	SSLv3	KRB5	KRB5	RC4(40)	MD5	Ø



The following table contains abbreviations used in Table 9.

Table 10: SSL Cipher Abbreviations

Abbreviation	Description
3DES	Triple Data Encryption Standard. 3DES is a mode of the DES encryption algorithm that encrypts data three times.
ADH	Anonymous Diffie Hellman: The base Diffie-Hellman algorithm is used, but with no authentication.
AES	Advanced Encryption Standard.
CBC	Cipher Block Chaining encryption mode.
DES	Data Encryption Standard (DES) is a cipher (a method for encrypting information).
DH	Diffie-Hellman key exchange is a cryptographic protocol that enables two parties that have no prior knowledge of each other to jointly establish a shared secret key over an insecure communications channel. This key can then be used to encrypt subsequent communications using a symmetric key cipher.
DHE	Ephemeral Diffie-Hellman key exchange that creates ephemeral (one- time) secret keys. This is possibly the most secure of the three Diffie- Hellman options because it results in a temporary, authenticated key.
DSS	Digital Signature Standard. DSS is a United States Federal Government standard for digital signatures.
ECDH	Elliptic Curve Diffie-Hellman is a key agreement protocol that enables two parties to establish a shared secret key over an insecure channel. This key can then be used to encrypt subsequent communications using a symmetric key cipher. ECDH is a variant of the Diffie-Hellman protocol using elliptic curve cryptography.
ECDSA	Elliptic Curve Digital Signature Algorithm.
Fortezza	Fortezza is an information security system developed by the United States Federal Government. Fortezza PC Card security tokens contain an NSA-approved security microprocessor called Capstone (MYK-80) that implements the Skipjack encryption algorithm.
GCM	Galois/Counter Mode for symmetric key cryptographic block ciphers. It combines the well-known counter mode of encryption with the new Galois mode of authentication.
IDEA	International Data Encryption Algorithm (IDEA). IDEA is a block cipher.
MD5	Message-Digest algorithm 5.
RC2	Block cipher with a variable size key.
RC4	Software stream cipher (also known as ARC4 or ARCFOUR).



Abbreviation	Description
RSA	An algorithm for public-key encryption.
SHA1	Secure Hash Algorithm 1.
SRP	Secure Remote Password, a cryptographically strong network authentication mechanism





WebLOAD-supported XML DOM Interfaces

WebLOAD supports the following XML DOM Document Interfaces:

- XML Document Interface
- Node Interface
- Node List Interface
- NamedNodeMap Interface
- ParseError Interface
- Implementation Interface
- XML Parser Interface

The tables in this appendix list the properties and methods of the interfaces supported by WebLOAD.

XML Document Interface Properties

Table 11: XML Document Interface Properties

Property	Description
doctype	A read-only property that gets the node for the DTD specified for the document. If no DTD was specified, null is returned.
documentElement	A read/write property that gets/sets the root node of the document.
implementation	A read-only property that returns the implementation interface for this document.
parseError	A read-only property that provides an object that summarizes the last parsing error encountered.



Property	Description
preserveWhitespace	A read-write property that informs the parser whether the default mode of processing is to preserve whitespace or not. The default value of this property is false.
readyState	A read-only property indicating the status of instantiating the XML processor and document download. The value of the readyState property is summarized in the table.
resolveExternals	A read-write property that informs the parser that resolvable namespaces (a namespaces URI that begin with an "x-schema:" prefix), DTD external subsets, and external entity references should be resolved at parse time.
url	A read-only property that returns the canonicalized URL for the XML document specified in the last call to load().
validateOnParse	A read/write property that turns validation on at parse time if the value of bool is true, off if validate is false.

XML Document Interface Methods

Table 12: XML Document Interface Methods

Method	Description
abort()	Aborts an asynchronous download in progress.
createAttribute(name)	Creates a node of type ATTRIBUTE with the name supplied.
CreateCDATASection	Creates a node of type CDATA_SECTION with
(data)	nodeValue set to data.
createComment(data)	Creates a node of type COMMENT with
	nodeValue set to data.
createDocumentFragment	Creates a node of type DOCUMENT_FRAGMENT in the context of the current document.
createElement(tagName)	Creates a node of type ELEMENT with the nodeName of tagName.
createEntityReference(name)	Creates a node of type ENTITY_REFERENCE where name is the name of the entity referenced.
CreateNode(type, name, namespaceURI)	Creates a node of the type specified in the context of the current document. Allows nodes to be created as a specified namespace.



Method	Description
CreateProcessing	Creates a node of type
Instruction	PROCESSING_INSTRUCTION with the target specified and nodeValue set to data.
(target, data)	1
createTextNode(data)	Creates a node of type TEXT with nodeValue set to data.
GetElementsByTagName	Returns a collection of all descendent Element
(tagname)	nodes with a given tagName.
load(url)	Loads an XML document from the location specified by the url. If the url cannot be resolved or accessed or does not reference an XML document, the documentElement is set to null and an error is returned. Returns a Boolean.
loadXML(xmlstring)	Loads an XML document using the supplied string. xmlstring can be an entire XML document or a well-formed fragment. If the XML within xmlstring cannot be loaded, the documentElement is set to null and an error is returned.
NodeFromID(idstring)	Returns the node that has an ID attribute with the value corresponding to idString.
Save()	Serialize the XML. The parameter can be a filename, an ASP response, an XML Document, or any other COM object that supports Istream, IpersistStream, or IpersistStreamInit.

Node Interface Properties

Table 13: Node Interface Properties

Property	Description
attributes	A read-only property that returns a NamedNodeMap containing attributes for this node.
BaseName	A read-only property that returns the right-hand side of a namespace qualified name. For example, yyy for the element <xxx:yyy>. BaseName must always return a non-empty string.</xxx:yyy>
childNode	A read-only property that returns a NodeList containing all children of the node.
DataType	A read-write property that indicates the node type.



Property	Description
Definition	A read-only property whose value is the node that contains the definition for this node.
FirstChild	A read-only property that returns the first child node. If the node has no children, firstChild returns null.
LastChild	A read-only property that returns the last child node. If the node has no children, lastChild returns null.
NextSibling	A read-only property that returns the node immediately following this node in the children of this node's parent. Returns null if no such node exists.
NamespaceURI	A read-only property that returns the URI for the namespace (the uuu portion of the namespace declaration xmlns:nnn="uuu"). If there is no namespace on the node that is defined within the context of the document, "" is returned.
NodeName	A read-only property indicating the name of the node.
NodeType	A read-only property indicating the type of node.
NodeTypeString	Returns the node type in string form.
NodeTypedValue	A read/write property for the typed value of the node.
NodeValue	A read/write property for the value of the node.
OwnerDocument	A property that indicates the document to which the node belongs or when the node is removed from a document.
parentNode	A read-only property that provides a pointer to the parent.
parsed	A read-only property that indicates that this node and all of its descendants have been parsed and instantiated. This is used in conjunction with asynchronous access to the document.
prefix	A read-only property that returns the prefix specified on the element, attribute of entity reference. For example, xxx for the element <xxx:yyy>. If there is no prefix specified, "" is returned.</xxx:yyy>



Property	Description
previousSibling	A read-only property that returns the node immediately preceding this node in the children of this node's parent. Returns null if no such node exists.
specified	A read-only property indicating the node was specified directly in the XML source and not implied by the DTD schema.
text	A string representing the content of the element and all descendents. For example "content of tag" in
	<pre><sometag size="34"></sometag></pre>
	content of tag
	.
xml	A read-only property that returns the XML representation of the node and all its descendants as a string.

Node Interface Methods

Table 14: Node Interface Methods

Method	Description
appendChild(newChild)	A method to append newChild as the last child of this node.
cloneNode(deep)	A method to create a new node that is an exact clone (same name, same attributes) as this node. When deep is false, only the node and attributes without its children are cloned. When deep is true, the node and all its descendants are cloned.
hasChildNodes()	A method that indicates whether the node has children.
InsertBefore (newChild, oldChild)	A method to insert newChild as a child of this node. oldChild is returned. oldNode must be a child node of the element, otherwise an error is returned. If newChild is null, the oldChild is removed.
removeChild(child)	A method to remove a childNode from a node. If childNode is not a child of the node, an error is returned.



Method	Description
ReplaceChild	A method to replace oldChild with newChild as
(newChild, oldChild)	a child of this node.
selectNodes(query)	Returns a NodeList containing the results of the query indicated by query, using the current node as the query context. If no nodes match the query, an empty NodeList is returned. If there is an error in the query string, the DOM error reporting is used.
SelectSingleNode (query)	Returns a single node that is the first node in the NodeList returned from the query, using the current node as the query context. If no nodes match the query, null is returned. If there is an error in the query string, an error is returned.
TransformNode (stylesheetDOMNode)	Returns the results of processing the source DOMNode and its children with the stylesheet indicated by stylesheetDOMNode. The source defines the entire context on which the stylesheet operates, so ancestor or id navigation outside of the scope is not allowed. The stylesheet parameter must be either a DOM Document node, in which case the document is assumed to be an ASL stylesheet, or a DOM Node in the xsl namespace, in which case this node is treated as a standalone.
TransformNodeToObject (stylesheet, Object)	Sends the results of the transform to the requested object, either in IStream or a DOM Document.

Node List Interface

Table 15: Node List Interface

Property	Description
length	The number of nodes in the NodeList. The length of the list will change dynamically as children or attributes are added/deleted from the element.
nextNode	Returns the next node in the NodeList based on the current node.

Method	Description
item(index)	Returns the node in the NodeList with the specified index.



Method	Description
reset()	Returns the iterator to the uninstantiated state; that is, before the first node in the NodeList.

NamedNodeMap Interface

Table 16: NamedNodeMap Interface

Property	Description
length	The number of nodes in the NamedNodeMap. The length of the list will change dynamically as children or attributes are added/deleted from the element.

Method	Description
getNamedItem(name)	Returns the node corresponding to the attribute with name. If name is not an attribute, null is returned.
GetQualifiedItem (baseName, namespaceURI)	Allows the specification of a qualifying namespaceURI to access a namespace qualified attribute. It returns the node corresponding to the attribute with baseName in the namespace specified by nameSpaceURI. If the qualified name (baseName+nameSpaceURI) is not an attribute, null is returned.
item(index)	Returns the node in the NameNodeMap with the specified index. If the index is greater than the total number of nodes, null is returned. If the index is less than zero, null is returned.
nextnode()	Returns the next node in the NodeList based on the current node.
RemovedNamedItem (name)	Removes the attribute node corresponding to name and returns the node. If name is not an attribute, null is returned.
RemoveQualifiedItem (basename, namespaceURI)	Removes the nameSpaceURI qualified attribute node corresponding to baseName and returns the node. If the qualified name is not an attribute, null is returned.
reset()	Returns the iterator to the uninstantiated state; that is before the first node in the NodeList.



Method	Description
SetNamedItem (namedItem)	Adds the attribute Node to the list. If an attribute already exists with the same name as that specified by nodeName of DOMNode, the attribute is replaced and the node is returned. Otherwise, Node is returned.

ParseError Interface

Table 17: ParseError Interface

Item	Description
errorcode	Returns the error code number in decimal.
filepos	Returns the absolute file position where the error occurred.
line	Returns number of the line containing the error.
linepos	Returns the character position where the error occurred.
reason	Returns the reason for the error.
srcText	Returns the full text of the line containing the error.
url	Returns the URL of the XML file containing the error.

Implementation Interface

Table 18: Implementation Interface

Item	Description
HasFeature (feature, version)	The method returns true if the specified version of the parser supports the specified feature. In Level 1, "1.0" is the only valid version value.







HTTP Protocol Status Messages

This appendix documents the HTTP protocol status messages that you may see over the course of a typical test session. The status-code definitions provided in this appendix include a list of method(s) that the status code may follow and any meta information required in the response. The material included here is part of the HTTP protocol standard provided by the IETF.

The HTTP protocol status messages fall into the following categories:

- Informational (1XX)
- Success (2XX)
- Redirection (3XX)
- Client Error (4XX)
- Server Error (5XX)

Informational 1XX

The 1XX class of status code indicates a provisional response, consisting only of the Status-Line and optional headers, and is terminated by an empty line. There are no required headers for this class of status code. Since HTTP/1.0 did not define any 1XX status codes, servers *must not* send a 1XX response to an HTTP/1.0 client except under experimental conditions.

A client must be prepared to accept one or more 1XX status responses prior to a regular response, even if the client does not expect a 100 (Continue) status message. Unexpected 1XX status responses may be ignored by a user agent.

Proxies must forward 1XX responses, unless the connection between the proxy and its client has been closed, or unless the proxy itself requested the generation of the 1XX response. (For example, if a proxy adds an "Expect: 100-continue" field when it forwards a request, then it need not forward the corresponding 100 (Continue) response(s).)



Table 19: Informational 1XX Message Set

Message	Description
100 Continue	The client should continue with request. This interim response is used to inform the client that the initial part of the request has been received and has not yet been rejected by the server. The client should continue by sending the remainder of the request or, if the request has already been completed, ignore this response. The server must send a final response after the request has been completed.
101 Switching Protocols	The client has requested, via the Upgrade message header field, a change in the application protocol being used on this connection. This response indicates that the server understands and is willing to comply with the client's request. The server will switch protocols to those defined by the response's Upgrade header field immediately after the empty line which terminates this 101 response. The protocol should be switched only when it is advantageous to do so. For example, switching to a newer version of HTTP is advantageous over older versions, and switching to a real-time, synchronous protocol might be advantageous when delivering resources that use such features.

Success 2XX

The 2XX class of status code indicates that the client's request was successfully received, understood, and accepted.

Table 20: Successful 2XX Message Set

Message	Description
200	The request has succeeded. The information returned with a 200 response is dependent on the method used in the request. For
OK	example:
	GET-an entity corresponding to the requested resource is sent in the response
	HEAD-the entity-header fields corresponding to the requested resource are sent in the response without any message-body
	POST-an entity describing or containing the result of the action
	TRACE-an entity containing the request message as received by the end server



Message	Description
201 _Created	The request has been fulfilled and resulted in a new resource being created. The newly created resource can be referenced by the URI(s) returned in the entity of the response, with the most specific URI for the resource identified by the Location header field.
	A 201 response should include an entity containing a list of resource characteristics and location(s) from which the user or user agent can choose the one most appropriate. The entity format is specified by the media type identified in the Content-Type header field. The origin server must create the resource before returning a 201 status code. If the action cannot be carried out immediately, the server should respond with 202 (Accepted) response instead.
	A 201 response may contain an ETag response header field indicating the current value of the entity tag for the requested variant just created.
202	The request has been accepted for processing, but the processing has
Accepted	not been completed. The request may or may not eventually be acted upon, depending on whether or not it is authorized or disallowed when processing actually takes place. There is no facility for resending a status code from an asynchronous operation such as this.
	The 202 response is intentionally non-committal. Its purpose is to allow a server to accept a request for some other process (perhaps a batch-oriented process that is only run once per day) without requiring that the user agent's connection to the server persist until the process is completed. The entity returned with this response should include an indication of the request's current status and either a pointer to a status monitor or some estimate of when the user can expect the request to be fulfilled.
203	The metainformation being returned in the entity-header is not the
Non-Authoritative Information	definitive set that is usually obtained from the origin server. This information has been gathered from a local or a third-party copy. The set presented may be a subset or superset of the original version. For example, including local annotation information about the resource might result in a superset of the metainformation known by the origin server. Use of this response code is not required and is only appropriate when the response would otherwise be a generic (perhaps non-informative) 200 (OK).



Message	Description	
204 No Content	The server has fulfilled the request, does not need to return an entity body, and might want to return updated metainformation. The response may include new or updated metainformation in the form of entity-headers, which if present should be associated with the requested variant.	
	If the client is a user agent, it <i>should not change its document view</i> from that which caused the request to be sent. This response is primarily intended to allow input for actions to take place without causing a change to the user agent's active document view, although any new or updated metainformation should be applied to the document currently in the user agent's active view.	
	The 204 response must not include a message-body, and thus is always terminated by the first empty line after the header fields.	
205 Reset Content	The server has fulfilled the request and the user agent <i>should reset the document view</i> which caused the request to be sent. This response is primarily intended to allow input for actions to take place via user input, followed by a clearing of the form in which the input is entered so that the user can easily initiate another input action. The response must not include an entity.	



Message	Description
206 Partial Content	The server has fulfilled the partial GET request for the resource. The request must have included a Range header field indicating the desired range. The request may have also included an If-Range header field to make the request conditional.
	The response must include one of the following header fields:
	 Content-Range header field indicating the range included with this response.
	• A multipart/byteranges Content-Type field including Content-Range fields for each part.
	If a Content-Length header field is present in the response, its value must match the actual number of OCTETs transmitted in the message-body.
	• Date
	• ETag and/or Content-Location, if the header would have been sent in a 200 response to the same request
	 Expires, Cache-Control, and/or Vary, if the field-value might differ from that sent in any previous response for the same variant.
	If the 206 response is the result of an If-Range request that used a strong cache validator, the response should not include other entity-headers. If the response is the result of an If-Range request that used a weak validator, the response must not include other entity-headers; this prevents inconsistencies between cached entity-bodies and updated headers. Otherwise, the response must include all of the entity-headers that would have been returned with a 200 (OK) response to the same request.
	A cache must not combine a 206 response with other previously cached content if the ETag or Last-Modified headers do not match exactly.
	A cache that does not support Range and Content-Range headers must not cache 206 (Partial) responses.

Redirection 3XX

The 3XX class of status code indicates that further action needs to be taken by the user agent in order to fulfill the request. The action required may be carried out by the user agent without interaction with the user if and only if the method used in the second request is GET or HEAD. A client should detect infinite redirection loops, since such loops generate network traffic for each redirection.





Note: Previous versions of this specification recommended a maximum of five redirections. Content developers should be aware that there might be clients that implement such a fixed limitation.

Table 21: Redirectional 3XX Message Set

Message	Description
300 Multiple Choices	The requested resource corresponds to any one of a set of representations, each with its own specific location. Agent-driven negotiation information is being provided so that the user (or user agent) can select a preferred representation and redirect its request to that location.
	Unless it was a HEAD request, the response should include an entity containing a list of resource characteristics and location(s) from which the user or user agent can choose the one most appropriate. The entity format is specified by the media type identified in the Content-Type header field. Depending upon the format and the capabilities of the user agent, the most appropriate choice may be selected automatically. However, this specification does not define any standard for such automatic selection.
	If the server has a preferred choice of representation, it should include the specific URI for that representation in the Location field. User agents may use the Location field value for automatic redirection. This response is cacheable unless otherwise indicated.
301 Moved Permanently	The requested resource has been assigned a new permanent URI and any future references to this resource should use one of the returned URIs. Clients with link editing capabilities ought to automatically relink references to the Request-URI to one or more of the new references returned by the server, where possible. This response is cacheable unless otherwise indicated.
	The new permanent URI should be identified by the Location field in the response. Unless the request method was HEAD, the entity of the response should contain a short hypertext note with a hyperlink to the new URI(s).
	If the 301 status code is received in response to a request other than GET or HEAD, the user agent must not automatically redirect the request unless it can be confirmed by the user, since this might change the conditions under which the request was issued.
	Note: When automatically redirecting a POST request after receiving a 301 status code, some existing HTTP/1.0 user agents will erroneously change it into a GET request.



Message	Description	
302 Found	The requested resource temporarily resides under a different URI. Since the redirection might be altered on occasion, the client should continue to use the Request-URI for future requests. This response is only cacheable if indicated by a Cache-Control or Expires header field.	
	The temporary URI should be identified by the Location field in the response. Unless the request method was HEAD, the entity of the response should contain a short hypertext note with a hyperlink to the new URI(s).	
	If the 302 status code is received in response to a request other than GET or HEAD, the user agent must not automatically redirect the request unless it can be confirmed by the user, since this might change the conditions under which the request was issued.	
	Note: RFC 1945 and RFC 2068 specify that the client is not allowed to change the method on the redirected request. However, most existing user agent implementations treat 302 as if it were a 303 response, performing a GET on the Location field-value regardless of the original request method. The status codes 303 and 307 have been added for servers that wish to make unambiguously clear which kind of reaction is expected of the client.	
303 See Other	The response to the request can be found under a different URI and should be retrieved using a GET method on that resource. This method exists primarily to allow the output of a POST-activated script to redirect the user agent to a selected resource. The new URI is not a substitute reference for the originally requested resource. The 303 response must not be cached, but the response to the second (redirected) request might be cacheable.	
	The different URI should be identified by the Location field in the response. Unless the request method was HEAD, the entity of the response should contain a short hypertext note with a hyperlink to the new URI(s).	
	Note: Many pre-HTTP/1.1 user agents do not understand the 303 status. When interoperability with such clients is a concern, the 302 status code may be used instead, since most user agents react to a 302 response as described here for 303.	



Message	Description	
304 Not Modified	If the client has performed a conditional GET request and access is allowed, but the document has not been modified, the server should respond with this status code. The 304 response must not contain a message-body, and thus is always terminated by the first empty line after the header fields.	
	The response must include the following header fields:	
	 Date, unless its omission is required. f a clockless origin server obeys these rules, and proxies and clients add their own Date to any response received without one, (as already specified by [RFC 2068]), caches will operate correctly. 	
	• ETag and/or Content-Location, if the header would have been sent in a 200 response to the same request.	
	• Expires, Cache-Control, and/or Vary, if the field-value might differ from that sent in any previous response for the same variant.	
	If the conditional GET used a strong cache validator, the response should not include other entity-headers. If the conditional GET used a weak validator, the response <i>must not</i> include other entity-headers. This prevents inconsistencies between cached entity-bodies and updated headers.	
	If a 304 response indicates an entity not currently cached, then the cache must disregard the response and repeat the request without the conditional.	
	If a cache uses a received 304 response to update a cache entry, the cache must update the entry to reflect any new field values given in the response.	
305 Use Proxy	The requested resource must be accessed through the proxy identified by the Location field. The Location field gives the URI of the proxy. The recipient is expected to repeat this single request via the proxy. 305 responses must only be generated by origin servers.	
	Note: RFC 2068 did not clearly state that 305 was intended to redirect a single request, and to be generated by origin servers only. Nevertheless, not observing these limitations has significant security consequences.	
306 (Unused)	The 306 status code was used in a previous version of the specification. This code is currently not in use. However, the code is reserved for future application.	



Message	Description
307 Temporary Redirect	The requested resource resides temporarily under a different URI. Since the redirection may be altered on occasion, the client should continue to use the Request-URI for future requests. This response is only cacheable if indicated by a Cache-Control or Expires header field. The temporary URI should be identified by the Location field in the response. Unless the request method was HEAD, the entity of the response should contain a short hypertext note with a hyperlink to the new URI(s), since many pre-HTTP/1.1 user agents do not understand the 307 status. Therefore, the note should contain the information necessary for a user to repeat the original request on the new URI. If the 307 status code is received in response to a request other than GET or HEAD, the user agent must not automatically redirect the request unless it can be confirmed by the user, since this might change the conditions under which the request was issued.

Client Error 4XX

The 4XX class of status code is intended for cases in which the client seems to have erred. Except when responding to a HEAD request, the server should include an entity containing an explanation of the error situation, and whether it is a temporary or permanent condition. These status codes are applicable to any request method. User agents should display any included entity to the user.

If the client is sending data, a server implementation using TCP should be careful to ensure that the client acknowledges receipt of the packet(s) containing the response, before the server closes the input connection. If the client continues sending data to the server after the close, the server's TCP stack will send a reset packet to the client, which may erase the client's unacknowledged input buffers before they can be read and interpreted by the HTTP application.

Table 22: Client Error 4XX message set

Message	Description
400 Bad Request	The request could not be understood by the server due to malformed syntax. The client should not repeat the request without modifications.



Message	Description	
401	The request requires user authentication. The response must include a WWW-Authenticate header field containing a challenge	
Unauthorized	applicable to the requested resource. The client may repeat the request with a suitable Authorization header field. If the request already included Authorization credentials, then the 401 response indicates that authorization has been refused for those credentials. If the 401 response contains the same challenge as the prior response, and the user agent has already attempted authentication at least once, then the user should be presented the entity that was identified in the response, since that entity might include relevant diagnostic information.	
402 Roymant Paguired	This code is reserved for future use.	
Payment Required		
403 Forbidden	The server understood the request, but is refusing to fulfill it. Authorization will not help and the request should not be repeated. If the request method was not HEAD and the server wishes to make public why the request has not been fulfilled, it should describe the reason for the refusal in the entity. If the server does not wish to make this information available to the client, the status code 404 (Not Found) can be used instead.	
404 Not Found	The server has not found anything matching the Request-URI. No indication is given of whether the condition is temporary or permanent. The 410 (Gone) status code should be used if the server knows, through some internally configurable mechanism, that an old resource is permanently unavailable and has no forwarding address. This status code is essentially a generic, neutral response, commonly used when the server does not wish to reveal exactly why the request has been refused, or when no other response is applicable.	
405 Method Not Allowed	The method specified in the Request-Line is not allowed for the resource identified by the Request-URI. The response must include an Allow header containing a list of valid methods for the requested resource.	



Message	Description		
406 Not Acceptable	The resource identified by the request is only capable of generating response entities which have content characteristics not acceptable according to the accept headers sent in the request.		
	Unless it was a HEAD request, the response should include an entity containing a list of available entity characteristics and location(s) from which the user or user agent can choose the one most appropriate. The entity format is specified by the media type identified in the Content-Type header field. Depending upon the format and the capabilities of the user agent, selection of the most appropriate choice may be performed automatically. However, this specification does not define any standard for such automatic selection.		
	Note: HTTP/1.1 servers are allowed to return responses which are not acceptable according to the Accept Headers sent in the request. In some cases, this may even be preferable to sending a 406 response. User agents are encouraged to inspect the headers of an incoming response to determine if it is acceptable. If the response could be unacceptable, a user agent should temporarily stop receipt of more data and query the user for a decision on further actions.		
407 Proxy Authentication Required	This code is similar to 401 (Unauthorized), but indicates that the client must first authenticate itself with the proxy. The proxy must return a Proxy-Authenticate header field containing a challenge applicable to the proxy for the requested resource. The client may repeat the request with a suitable Proxy-Authorization header field.		
408 Request Timeout	The client did not produce a request within the time that the server was prepared to wait. The client may repeat the request without modifications at any later time.		
409 Conflict	The request could not be completed due to a conflict with the current state of the resource. This code is only allowed in situations where it is expected that the user might be able to resolve the conflict and resubmit the request. The response body should include enough information for the user to recognize the source of the conflict. Ideally, the response entity would include enough information for the user or user agent to fix the problem; however, that might not be possible and is not required.		
	Conflicts are most likely to occur in response to a PUT request. For example, if versioning were being used and the entity being PUT included changes to a resource which conflict with those made by an earlier (third-party) request, the server might use the 409 response to indicate that it can't complete the request. In this case, the response entity would likely contain a list of the differences between the two versions in a format defined by the response Content-Type.		



Message	Description	
410 Gone	The requested resource is no longer available at the server and no forwarding address is known. This condition should be considered permanent. Clients with link editing capabilities should delete references to the Request-URI after user approval. If the server does not know, or has no facility to determine, whether or not the condition is permanent, the status code 404 (Not Found) should be used instead. This response is cacheable unless indicated otherwise.	
	The 410 response is primarily intended to assist the task of web maintenance by notifying the recipient that the resource is intentionally unavailable and that the server owners desire that remote links to that resource be removed. Such an event is common for limited-time, promotional services and for resources belonging to individuals no longer working at the server's site. It is not necessary to mark all permanently unavailable resources as "gone" or to keep the mark for any length of time-that is left to the discretion of the server owner.	
411 Length Required	The server refuses to accept the request without a defined Content-Length. The client may repeat the request if it adds a valid Content-Length header field containing the length of the message-body in the request message.	
412 Precondition Failed	The precondition given in one or more of the request-header fields evaluated to false when it was tested on the server. This response code allows the client to place preconditions on the current resource metainformation (header field data) and thus prevent the requested method from being applied to a resource other than the one intende	
413 Request Entity Too Large	The server is refusing to process a request because the request entity is larger than the server is willing or able to process. The server may close the connection to prevent the client from continuing the request.	
Luige	If the condition is temporary, the server should include a Retry-After header field to indicate that it is temporary and after what time period has elapsed may the client try again.	
414 Request-URI Too Long	The server is refusing to service the request because the Request-URI is longer than the server is willing to interpret. This rare condition is only likely to occur when a client has improperly converted a POST request to a GET request with long query information, when the client has descended into a URI "black hole" of redirection (for example, a redirected URI prefix that points to a suffix of itself), or when the server is under attack by a client attempting to exploit security holes present in some servers using fixed-length buffers for reading or manipulating the Request-URI.	
415 Unsupported Media Type	The server is refusing to service the request because the entity of the request is in a format not supported by the requested resource for the requested method.	



Message	Description		
416	A server should return a response with this status code if:		
Requested Range Not Satisfiable	 None of the range-specifier values in this field overlap the current extent of the selected resource. The request did not include an If-Range request-header field. For byte-ranges, this means that the first-byte-pos of all of the 		
	byte-range-spec values were greater than the current length of the selected resource.		
	When this status code is returned for a byte-range request, the response should include a Content-Range entity-header field specifying the current length of the selected resource. This response must not use the multipart/byteranges content-type.		
417 Expectation Failed	The expectation identified in an Expect request-header field could not be met by this server, or, if the server is a proxy, the server has unambiguous evidence that the request could not be met by the next-hop server.		

Server Error 5XX

The 5XX class of status code is intended for cases in which the server is aware that it has erred or is incapable of performing the request. Except when responding to a HEAD request, the server should include an entity containing an explanation of the error situation, and whether it is a temporary or permanent condition. User agents should display any included entity to the user. These response codes are applicable to any request method.

Table 23: Severe Error 5XX Message Set

Message	Description
500	The server encountered an unexpected condition which prevented it
Internal Server Error	from fulfilling the request.
501	The server does not support the functionality required to fulfill the
Not Implemented	request. This is the appropriate response when the server does not recognize the request method and is not capable of supporting it for
	any resource.
502	The server, while acting as a gateway or proxy, received an invalid
Bad Gateway	response from the upstream server it accessed in attempting to fulfill the request.



Message	Description	
503 Service Unavailable	The server is currently unable to handle the request due to a temporary overloading or maintenance of the server. The implication is that this is a temporary condition which will be alleviated after some delay. If known, the length of the delay may be indicated in a Retry-After header. If no Retry-After is given, the client should handle the response as it would for a 500 response. Note: The existence of the 503 status code does not imply that a server must use it when becoming overloaded. Some servers may wish to simply refuse the connection.	
504 Gateway Timeout	The server, while acting as a gateway or proxy, did not receive a timely response from the upstream server specified by the URI (e.g. HTTP, FTP, LDAP) or some other auxiliary server (e.g. DNS) it needed to access in attempting to complete the request. Note: Implementers should note that some deployed proxies are known to return 400 or 500 when DNS lookups time out.	
505 HTTP Version Not Supported	The server does not support, or refuses to support, the HTTP protocol version that was used in the request message. The server is indicating that it is unable or unwilling to complete the request using the same major version as the client. The response should contain an entity describing why that version is not supported and what other protocols are supported by that server.	



WebLOAD-supported Character Sets

WebLOAD supports the following character sets for use with character encoding functions.

Table 24. Supported Character Sets

Character Set Value		
	Value	
Default	0	
Arabic (864)	864	
Arabic (ASMO 708)	708	
Arabic (DOS)	720	
Arabic (ISO 8859-6)	28596	
Arabic (Mac)	10004	
Arabic (Windows)	1256	
Baltic (ISO 8859-4)	28594	
Baltic (Windows)	1257	
Baltic / Estonian (ISO 8859-13)	28603	
Celtic (ISO 8859-14)	28604	
Central European (DOS)	852	
Central European (ISO 8859-2)	28592	
Central European (Mac)	10029	
Central European (Windows)	1250	
Chinese Simplified (GB18030)	54936	
Chinese Simplified (GB2312)	936	
Chinese Simplified (GB2312-80)	20936	
Chinese Simplified (HZ)	52936	
Chinese Simplified (ISO 2022)	50227	
Chinese Simplified (Mac)	10008	
Chinese Traditional (Big5)	950	



Character Set	Value
Chinese Traditional (EUC)	51950
Croatian (Mac)	10082
Cyrillic (DOS)	866
Cyrillic (ISO 8859-5)	28595
Cyrillic (KOI8-R)	20866
Cyrillic (KOI8-U)	21866
Cyrillic (Mac)	10007
Cyrillic (primarily Russian)	855
Cyrillic (Windows)	1251
Greek (ISO 8859-7)	28597
Greek (Mac)	10006
Greek (Windows)	1253
Hebrew (DOS)	862
Hebrew (ISO-Logical)	38598
Hebrew (ISO-Visual)	28598
Hebrew (Mac)	10005
Hebrew (Windows)	1255
Icelandic (Mac)	10079
Japanese (EUC)	51932
Japanese (JIS)	50220
Japanese (Shift-JIS)	932
Korean (EUC)	51949
Korean (ISO 2022)	50225
Korean (Johab)	1361
Korean (Unified Hangul Code)	949
Nordic (ISO 8859-10)	28600
Romanian (ISO 8859-16)	28606
Romanian (Mac)	10010
South European (ISO 8859-3)	28593
Tahi (ISO 8859-11)	28601
Thai (Windows)	874
Turkish (DOS)	857



Character Set	Value
Turkish (ISO 8859-9)	28599
Turkish (Mac)	10081
Turkish (Windows)	1254
Ukrainian (Mac)	10017
Unicode (UTF-7)	65000
Unicode (UTF-8)	65001
Unicode UTF-16, big endian	1201
Unicode UTF-16, little endian	1200
Unicode UTF-32, big endian	12001
Unicode UTF-32, little endian	12000
Vietnamese (Windows)	1258
Western (ISO-8859-15)	28605
Western European (DOS)	850
Western European (ISO 8859-1)	28591
Western European (Mac)	10000
Western European (Windows)	1252



Glossary Terms

Glossary Term	Description	
AAT	An older, obsolete WebLOAD utility that was used for recording web session activities as a JavaScript file. It is replaced by WebLOAD IDE.	
Aborted Rounds	The number of times the Virtual Clients started to run an Agenda but did not complete the Agenda, during the last reporting interval. This might be due to a session being stopped either automatically or manually by the user.	
Agenda	Specification of the sequence of HTTP protocol calls sent by Virtual Clients to the SUT (System Under Test). Agendas are written in JavaScript. You can either write Agendas as a text file or generate them automatically using the WebLOAD IDE.	
Application Being Tested (ABT)	See SUT.	
Attempted Connections	The total number of times the Virtual Clients attempted to connect to the SUT during the last reporting interval.	
Automatic Transaction counters	If you have Automatic Transactions enabled, WebLOAD creates three counters for each GET and POST statement in the Agenda:	
	The total number of times it occurred	
	The number of times it succeeded	
	The number of times it failed during the last reporting interval.	
Average	For timers, average is the total amount of time counted by the timer (not the elapsed time) divided by the Count (that is, the total number of readings). For example, the average for Transaction Time is the amount of time it took to complete all the successful transactions, divided by the number of successful transactions (the Count).	



Glossary Term	Description
Built-in Timer	A timer measures the time required to perform a given task. WebLOAD supports both programmed timers and built-in timers. ROUND TIME is a built-in timer. The ROUND TIME is the time needed for one complete execution of an Agenda.
Connect Time	The time it takes for a Virtual Client to connect to the System Under Test (the SUT), in seconds. In other words, the time it takes from the beginning of the HTTP request to the TCP/IP connection.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the average time it took a Virtual Client to connect to the SUT during the last reporting interval.
	If the Persistent Connection option is enabled, there may not be a value for Connect Time because the HTTP connection remains open between successive HTTP requests.
Connection Speed (Bits Per Second)	The number of bits transmitted back and forth between the Virtual Clients and the System Under Test (SUT), divided by the time it took to transmit those bits, in seconds.
	You can set the Virtual Clients to emulate a particular connection speed during the test, either by using the Variable Connection Speed settings, or by coding the connection speed in the Agenda.
	If a connection speed is specified for the test, WebLOAD reports it in the Statistics Report.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of bits passed per second during the last reporting interval. It should match, very closely, the connection speed you specified for the test.



Glossary Term	Description
Console	The WebLOAD component that manages the test session.
	The Console performs the following:
	Configures Load Session hosts and Agendas
	Schedules Load Session Agendas
	Configures Goal–Oriented test sessions
	 Monitors the application's performance under the generated load
	 Manages the Load Session as it is running, allowing you to pause, stop, and continue Load Session components as needed
	Displays the current performance of the SUT
	 Provides a final performance reports for Probing Clients and Virtual Clients
	Manages exporting of performance reports
Count	(For timers only.) The total number of readings (the number of times the item being timed has occurred) for the timed statistic since the beginning of the test. For example, for Transaction Time, Count shows the number of transactions that have been completed.
Current Slice	The value posted for this reporting interval in the Statistics Report main window.
Current Slice Average	For per time unit statistics and counters, average is the total of all of the current values for the last reporting interval, divided by the number of readings.
	For timers, average is the total amount of time counted by the timer (not the elapsed time), divided by the Count (that is, the total number of readings for the last reporting interval). For example, the average for Transaction Time is the amount of time it took to complete all the successful transactions in the last reporting interval, divided by the number of successful transactions (the Current Slice Count).
Current Slice Count	(For timers only.) The total number of readings (the number of times the item being timed has occurred) for the timed statistic for the last reporting interval. For example, for Transaction Time, Current Slice Count shows the number of transactions that have been completed over the last reporting interval.
Current Slice Max	The highest value reported for this statistic over the last reporting interval.
Current Slice Min	The lowest value reported for this statistic over the last reporting interval.



Glossary Term	Description
Current Slice Standard Deviation	The average amount the measurement for this statistic varies from the average over the last reporting interval.
Current Slice Sum	The aggregate or total value for this statistic in this Agenda over the last reporting interval.
DNS Lookup Time	The time it takes to resolve the host name and convert it to an IP address by calling the DNS server.
Failed Connections	The total number of times the Virtual Clients tried to connect to the SUT but were unsuccessful, during the last reporting interval.
	This number is always less than or equal to the number of failed hits because hits can fail for reasons other than a failed connection.
Failed Hits	The total number of times the Virtual Clients made an HTTP request but did not receive the correct HTTP response from the SUT during the last reporting interval. Note that each request for each gif, jpeg, html file, etc., is a single hit.
Failed Hits Per Second	The number of times the Virtual Clients did not obtain the correct HTTP response, divided by the elapsed time, in seconds.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of unsuccessful HTTP requests per second during the last reporting interval.
Failed Pages Per Second	The number of times the Virtual Clients did not obtain the correct response to an upper level request, divided by the elapsed time, in seconds.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of unsuccessful requests per second during the last reporting interval.
Failed Rounds	The total number of times the Virtual Clients started but did not complete the Agenda during the last reporting interval.
Failed Rounds Per Second	The number of times the Virtual Clients started but did not complete an iteration of the Agenda, divided by the elapsed time, in seconds. The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of failed iterations of the Agenda per second during the last reporting interval.
First Byte	The time it takes a Virtual Client to receive the first byte of data.
Gallery	See Templates Gallery.



Glossary Term	Description
Goal-Oriented Test	A WebLOAD component enabling you to define the performance goals required, and view the status of your application when it is operating under this performance goal. WebLOAD provides a Goal–Oriented Test Wizard for configuring these performance goals. WebLOAD automatically accelerates the number of Virtual Clients accessing your website until you meet your performance goal. Note: The Goal-Oriented Test Wizard was previously called the Cruise Control Wizard.
Goal-Oriented Test Wizard	See Goal–Oriented Test.
Hit Time	The time it takes to complete a successful HTTP request, in seconds. Each request for each gif, jpeg, html file, etc., is a single hit. The time of a hit is the sum of the Connect Time, Send Time, Response Time, and Process Time.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the average time it took to make an HTTP request and process its response during the last reporting interval.
Hits	The total number of times the Virtual Clients made HTTP requests to the System Under Test (SUT) during the last reporting interval.
	For example, a Get statement for a URL retrieves a page. The page can include any number of graphics and contents files. Each request for each gif, jpeg, html file, etc., is a single hit.
Hits Per Second	The number of times the Virtual Clients made an HTTP request, divided by the elapsed time, in seconds. Each request for each gif, jpeg, html file, etc. is a single hit.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of HTTP requests per second during the last reporting interval.
Host	A computer connected via a network, participating in a test session. Each Host in a test session has assigned tasks. A host can act as either a Load Machine or a Probing Client Machine. All hosts participating in a test session must be accessible to the Console over a network. Therefore they must run TestTalk, the network agent.



Glossary Term	Description
HTTP Response Status	WebLOAD creates a row in the Statistics Report for each kind of HTTP status code it receives as an HTTP response from the SUT (redirection codes, success codes, server error codes, or client error codes).
	The value posted is the number of times the Virtual Clients received that status code during the last reporting interval.
Integrated Report	A single configurable report that can integrate both standard performance data, and data from the NT Performance Monitor. This report gives you a more complete picture of the performance of your application. The data to be monitored and the data to be displayed in the report are both configurable in the Console.
Internet Productivity Pack (IPP)	Provides a set of protocol implementations enabling you to load-test your application using these protocols.
Java and ActiveX counters	You can add function calls to your Agendas that enable you to instantiate and call methods and properties in Java and ActiveX components (see the <i>WebLOAD Scripting Guide</i>). If there are ActiveX or Java function calls in the Agenda that you are running, WebLOAD reports three counters for them in the Statistics Report:
	The total number of times it occurred
	The number of times it succeeded
	 The number of times it failed during the last reporting interval.
	The row heading in the Statistics Report is the name of the function call.
Java and ActiveX timers	You can add function calls to your Agendas that enable you to instantiate and call methods and properties in Java and ActiveX components (see the <i>WebLOAD Scripting Guide</i>). If there are ActiveX or Java function calls in the Agenda you are running, WebLOAD reports timers for them in the Statistics Report.
	The timer value is the average amount of time it took to complete the function call, in seconds, during the last reporting interval.
	The row heading in the Statistics Report is the name of the function call.



Glossary Term	Description
Load Generator	The component of the Load Machine that generates Virtual Clients. Load Generators have the task of bombarding the System Under Test with HTTP protocol call requests as defined in the Agenda. WebLOAD assesses the application's performance by measuring the response time experienced by the Virtual Clients. The number of Virtual Clients at any given moment is determined by the user.
Load Generator Machine	See Load Machine.
Load Machine	A host that runs Load Generators. Load Generators bombard the application under test with a large load, to enable complete scalability and integrity testing.
Load Session	A Load Session includes both the complete Load Template and the results obtained while running that Load Session. A Load Template consists of information about the hosts and Agendas participating in the current Load Session. The Load Template will also include scheduling information. The complete Load Template is illustrated in the Session Tree. Storing a Load Template saves you time when repeatedly running WebLOAD with the same, or even a similar network configuration, since you don't have to recreate your Load Template from scratch each time you want to start working. Storing Load Session results can be useful when you want to examine results from multiple test sessions or for analyzing test session results.
Load Size	The number of Virtual Clients running during the last reporting interval.
Load Template	A Load Template contains the complete Load Session definition, without the test results. A Load Template includes information about the participating hosts and the Agendas used in the current Load Session. The definition also includes scheduling information and the configuration of the Server Monitor and Integrated Reports. The complete Load Template is illustrated in the Session Tree. Storing a Load Template saves you time when repeatedly running WebLOAD with the same, or even a similar network configuration, since you do not have to recreate your Load Template from scratch each time you rerun a test.



Glossary Term	Description
Page Time	The time it takes to complete a successful upper level request, in seconds. The Page Time is the sum of the Connection Time, Send Time, Response Time, and Process Time for all the hits on a page.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the average time it took the Virtual Clients to make an upper level request and process its response during the last reporting interval.
Pages	The total number of times the Virtual Client made upper level requests, both successful and unsuccessful, during the last reporting interval.
Pages Per Second	The number of times the Virtual Clients made upper level requests divided by the elapsed time, in seconds.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of requests per second during the last reporting interval.
Per Time Unit statistics	Ratios that calculate an average value for an action or process. For example: Transactions Per Second, Rounds Per Second.
Portfolio	A Portfolio of reports enables you to generate a single, inclusive report that contains all the charts generated by the templates included in the portfolio.
Probing Client	A software program which "bombards" the SUT as a single Virtual Client, to further measure the performance of the SUT. WebLOAD generates exact values for Probing Client performance.
Probing Client Machines	Hosts running Probing Client software simulating one Virtual Client, and running at the same time as Load Machines.
Probing Client software	See Probing Client.
Process Time	The time it takes WebLOAD to parse an HTTP response from the SUT and then populate the document-object model (DOM), in seconds.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the average time it took WebLOAD to parse an HTTP response during the last reporting interval.
Receive Time	The elapsed time between receiving the first byte and the last byte.
Report Portfolio	See Portfolio.



Glossary Term	Description
Resource Manager	Distributes and circulates WebLOAD testing resources (Virtual Clients and Probing Clients) amongst users on a "need to use" basis. The Resource Manager is packaged with a maximum number of Virtual Clients, Probing Clients and Connected Workstation ports, as defined by the WebLOAD package.
	With the Resource Manager, every WebLOAD Console can operate in Standalone Workstation mode or Connected Workstation mode.
Response Data Size	The size, in bytes, of all the HTTP responses sent by the SUT during the last reporting interval.
	WebLOAD uses this value to calculate Throughput (bytes per second).
Response Time	The time it takes the SUT to send the object of an HTTP request back to a Virtual Client, in seconds. In other words, the time from the end of the HTTP request until the Virtual Client has received the complete item it requested.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the average time it took the SUT to respond to an HTTP request during the last reporting interval.
Responses	The number of times the SUT responded to an HTTP request during the last reporting interval.
	This number should match the number of successful hits.
Round Time	The time it takes one Virtual Client to finish one complete iteration of an Agenda, in seconds.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the average time it took the Virtual Clients to finish one complete iteration of the Agenda during the last reporting interval.
Rounds	The total number of times the Virtual Clients attempted to run the Agenda during the last reporting interval.
Rounds Per Second	The number of times the Virtual Clients attempted to run the Agenda, divided by the elapsed time, in seconds.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of attempts (both successful and unsuccessful) per second during the last reporting interval.



Glossary Term	Description
Send Time	The time it takes the Virtual Client to write an HTTP request to the SUT, in seconds.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the average time it took the Virtual Clients to write a request to the SUT during the last reporting interval.
Server Performance Measurements	If you selected Performance Monitor statistics for the report, WebLOAD creates a row for them and reports their values in the Statistics Report.
	For definitions of the statistics, see the Server Monitor Definition dialog box.
	Be selective when choosing server performance measurements, otherwise the system resources required to manage the data might affect the Console.
Session Tree	A graphic representation of a Load Template and status. It illustrates the different components of a test session, including Load Machines and Probing Clients, the Agendas that they execute, and their status.
Single Client	See Probing Client.
Standard Deviation	The average amount the measurement varies from the average since the beginning of the test.
Successful Connections	The total number of times the Virtual Clients were able to successfully connect to the SUT during the last reporting interval.
	This number is always less than or equal to the number of successful hits because several hits might use the same HTTP connection if the Persistent Connection option is enabled.
Successful Hits	The total number of times the Virtual Clients made an HTTP request and received the correct HTTP response from the SUT during the last reporting interval. Each request for each gif, jpeg, html file, etc., is a single hit.
Successful Hits Per Second	The number of times the Virtual Clients obtained the correct HTTP response to their HTTP requests divided by the elapsed time, in seconds.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of successful HTTP requests per second during the last reporting interval.
Successful Pages Per Second	The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of successful requests per second during the last reporting interval.



Glossary Term	Description
Successful Rounds	The total number of times the Virtual Clients completed one iteration of the Agenda during the last reporting interval.
Successful Rounds Per Second	The number of times the Virtual Clients completed an entire iteration of the Agenda, divided by the elapsed time, in seconds.
	The value posted in the Current Value column is the number (sum) of successful iterations of the Agenda per second during the last reporting interval.
SUT	The system running the Web application currently under test. The SUT (System Under Test) is accessed by clients through its URL address. The SUT can reside on any machine or on multiple machines, anywhere on the global Internet or your local intranet.
Template	See Load Template.
Templates Gallery	The Templates Gallery is a single entity that contains predefined templates, user-defined templates, and portfolios.
Test Program	See Test Script.
Test Script	The Agenda. This defines the test scenario used in your Load Session. Agendas are written in JavaScript.
Test Template	See Load Template.
TestTalk	The network agent. This program enables communication between the Console and the host computers participating in the test.
Throttle Control	A WebLOAD component that enables you to dynamically change the Load Size while a test session is in progress.
Throughput (Bytes Per Second)	The average number of bytes per second transmitted from the SUT to the Virtual Clients running the Agenda during the last reporting interval. In other words, this is the amount of the Response Data Size, divided by the number of seconds in the reporting interval.
Time to First Byte	The time that elapsed since a request was sent until the Virtual Client received the first byte of data.



Glossary Term	Description
User-defined Automatic Data Collection	If you have Automatic Data Collection enabled, WebLOAD creates three counters for each GET and POST statement in the Agenda:
	The total number of times the Get and Post statements occurred
	The number of times the statements succeeded
	The number of times the statements failed during the last reporting interval.
User-defined counters	Your own counters that you can add to Agendas using the SendCounter() and the SendMeasurement() functions (see the WebLOAD Scripting Guide). If there is a user-defined counter in the Agenda that you are running, WebLOAD reports the counter's values in the Statistics Report.
	The row heading is the name (argument) of the counter. That is, the row heading is the string in parenthesis in the SendCounter() or SendMeasurement() function call.
	The value reported is the number of times the counter was incremented during the last reporting interval.
User-defined timer	Timers that you can add to Agendas to keep track of the amount of time it takes to complete specific actions (see the <i>WebLOAD Scripting Guide</i>). If there are any timers in the Agendas that you are running, WebLOAD reports their values in the Statistics Report.
	The row heading is the name (argument) of the timer. That is, the row heading is the string in parenthesis in the SetTimer() function call. The timer represents the time it takes to complete all the actions between the SetTimer() call and its corresponding SendTimer() call, in seconds.
	The value posted is the average time it took a Virtual Client to complete the actions between the pair of timer calls, in seconds, during the last reporting interval.



Glossary Term	Description
User-defined Transaction counters	Transaction functions that you can add to Agendas for functional tests (see the <i>WebLOAD Scripting Guide</i>). If there is a user-defined transaction function in the Agenda that you are running, WebLOAD reports three counters for it in the Statistics Report:
	The total number of times the transaction occurred
	The number of times a transaction succeeded
	• The number of times a transaction failed during the last reporting interval.
	The row heading is the name (argument) of the transaction. That is, the row heading is the string in parenthesis in the BeginTransaction() function call.
User-defined Transactions timers	A timer for user-defined transaction functions. If there is a user-defined transaction function in the Agenda that you are running, WebLOAD reports a timer for it in the Statistics Report.
	The row heading is the name (argument) of the user-defined transaction. That is, the row heading is the string in parenthesis in the BeginTransaction() function call.
	The timer represents the average time it took to complete all the actions between the BeginTransaction() call and its corresponding EndTransaction() call, in seconds, during the last reporting interval.
Virtual Client	Artificial entities run by Load Generators. Each such entity is a perfect simulation of a real client accessing the System Under Test (SUT) through a Web browser. Virtual Clients generate HTTP calls that access the SUT. The Load Generators that run Virtual Clients can reside anywhere on the Internet or on your local intranet. Agendas are executed by all the Virtual Clients in parallel, achieving simultaneous access to the SUT. The size of the load on your SUT is determined by the number of Virtual Clients being generated. You may define as many Virtual Clients as needed, up to the maximum supported by your WebLOAD "package."
WebLOAD Analytics	WebLOAD Analytics enables you to analyze data, and create custom, informative reports after running a WebLOAD test session.
WebLOAD Console	See Console.
WebLOAD Integrated Development Environment (IDE)	An easy-to-use tool for recording, creating, and authoring protocol Agendas for the WebLOAD environment.



Glossary Term	Description
WebLOAD Load Template	See Load Template.
WebLoad Session	See Load Session.
WebLOAD Wizard	A WebLOAD Wizard that steps you through the configuration process. Each screen of the WebLOAD Wizard contains text explaining the configuration process. The WebLOAD Wizard enables you to create a basic Load Template. After using the demo, you can use the Console menus to add functionality not available through the WebLOAD Wizard.
WebRM	See Resource Manager.



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