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Subject: Re: sec : U Re: De-sensitizing individual list elements  
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Mon, 18 Nov 2002 00:49:22 GMT  
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Cheers,

David

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Subject: Re: sec : U Re: De-sensitizing individual list elements  
Posted by [JD Smith](#) on Mon, 25 Nov 2002 22:43:26 GMT  
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On Sun, 17 Nov 2002 17:49:22 -0700, David Fanning wrote:

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I really just wanted some way to indicate that certain items in a list were "disabled". Graying them out would be great. This doesn't seem to be an option. About all I can do is select them or deselect them. What I ended up with works OK. I replace all spaces in the list text for that item with "-". This is a reasonable visual cue.

And the program does indeed allow you to sort, delete, rename, etc. the list items. In my experience, if you just wait David out a day or two, he'll be unable to restrain himself and will write it himself.

JD

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