
Subject: Re: obtaining a structure's name

Posted by [R.G. Stockwell](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2004 18:01:26 GMT

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Apology accepted :)

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Cheers,
bob

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Posted by [K. Bowman](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2004 18:06:50 GMT

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Is this what you need?

Result = TAG_NAMES(Expression [,/STRUCTURE_NAME])

Ken Bowman

Subject: Re: obtaining a structure's name
Posted by [Paul Van Delst\[1\]](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2004 18:35:36 GMT
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