

DLite 1.5 API Manual

For WinCon-8000



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Chapter 1 DLite API for WinCon-8000 introduction

WinCon-8000 is a programmable controller based on Windows CE system. DLite provided a Windows CE version of xDLite.ocx that could be used on WinCon-8000. WinCon-8000 could use this OCX to send real-time data and message to EKAN LED display.

1-1 Real-time messaging using DLite API

DLite 1.5 API for WinCon-8000 is based on Window CE and ActiveX technology. DLite provides an OCX control to access real-time function of DLite LED display.

User could use OCX to design more flexible and powerful application with DLite API.

We illustrate an eVC++ sample here to show you how to use these API functions.

1-2 xDLite OCX Method and Events

xDLite OCX provides events callback for developer to control and detect EKAN LED display, these are:

Property:

- **EkanIP:** Connection IP address
- **EkanPort:** Ekan connection port is 7000
- **Password:** The password need to connect to EKAN

Method:

- **Connect:** User provides IP address to connect remote LED display.
- **Disconnect:** for disconnect the connection with LED display.
- **SendMessage:** Used for send text message for real-time display.
- **SendMessageS:** Send small font message
- **DisplayBMP:** Trigger BMP on LED display
- **DisplatDate:** Display Date on LED display
- **DisplayTime:** Display Time on LED system
- **FillRect:** Fill rectangular area for specific color
- **ClearRect:** Clear rectangular area
- **DrawLine:** Draw line on display
- **Pixel:** Draw pixel on LED

- **Upload:** Upload bmp or script files to LED.
- **Download:** Download files from LED display.
- **Reset:** Clear all data on LED.
- **Clear:** Clear all text in the display screen.

Event:

- **Disconnected:** triggered after disconnect method.

Following table listed API method arguments:

Property & Method	Argument	Syntax
EkanIP	String like "192.168.0.100"	xDLite1.EkanIP="192.168.0.100"
EkanPort	Number like 7000	xDLite1.Port=7000
EkanPassword	String like "Admin"	xDLite1.Password="admin"
Connect	IP address as string	xDLite1.Connect
Disconnect	None	xDLite1.Disconnect
SendMessage	<p>Need 5 arguments to send the message.</p> <p>PosX and PosY are the coordinate of the Text message, start from LED display upper left corner. Both are Integer type variable.</p> <p>fgClr and bgClr are the foreground color and background color of the displayed text. Both are Integer type variable. Color code index is:</p> <p>0: Black 1: Green 2: Red 3: Orange</p> <p>szMsg is the text string needed to be displayed.</p>	<p>xDLite1.SendMessage 0,0,1,0,"Hello World!"</p> <p>Return > 0 success</p>
SendMessageS	<p>Need 5 arguments to send the small font message.</p> <p>PosX and PosY are the coordinate of the Text message, start from LED display upper</p>	<p>xDLite1.SendMessageS 0,0,1,0,"Hello World!"</p> <p>Return > 0 success</p>

	<p>left corner. Both are Integer type variable.</p> <p>fgClr and bgClr are the foreground color and background color of the displayed text. Both are Integer type variable. Color code index is:</p> <p>0: Black 1: Green 2: Red 3: Orange</p> <p>szMsg is the text string needed to be displayed.</p>	
<p>DisplayBMP</p>	<p>Need 5 arguments to send the small font message. PosX and PosY are the coordinate of the Text message, start from LED display upper left corner. Both are Integer type variable.</p> <p>fgClr and bgClr are the foreground color and background color of the displayed text. Both are Integer type variable. Color code index is:</p> <p>0: Black 1: Green 2: Red 3: Orange</p> <p>szMsg is the text string needed</p>	<p>xDLite1.DisplayBMP 0,0,1,0,"1.BMP"</p> <p>Return > 0 success</p>

	to be displayed.	
DisplayDate	<p>Need 4 arguments to send the small font message.</p> <p>PosX and PosY are the coordinate of the Text message, start from LED display upper left corner. Both are Integer type variable.</p> <p>fgClr and bgClr are the foreground color and background color of the displayed text. Both are Integer type variable. Color code index is:</p> <p>0: Black 1: Green 2: Red 3: Orange</p>	xDLite1.DisplayDate 0,0,1,0
DisplayTime	<p>Need 4 arguments to send the small font message.</p> <p>PosX and PosY are the coordinate of the Text message, start from LED display upper left corner. Both are Integer type variable.</p> <p>fgClr and bgClr are the foreground color and background color of the displayed text. Both are Integer type variable. Color code index is:</p> <p>0: Black</p>	xDLite1.DisplayTime 0,0,1,0

	<p>1: Green 2: Red 3: Orange</p>	
DrawLine	<p>Needed 5 arguments to send the small font message. PosX1 and PosY1 and PosX2 and PosY2, start from LED display upper left corner. Both are Integer type variable. Color</p> <p>0: Black 1: Green 2: Red 3: Orange</p>	xDLite1.Line 0,0,10,10, 3
Pixel	<p>Needed 3 arguments to send the small font message. PosX1 and PosY1 , start from LED display upper left corner. Both are Integer type variable. Color</p> <p>0: Black 1: Green 2: Red 3: Orange</p>	xDLite1.Pixel 0,0, 3
FillRect	<p>Fill rectangular area with specify color</p> <p>Need 5 arguments to send the small font message. PosX1 and PosY1 and PosX2 and PosY2, start from LED</p>	xDLite1.FillRect 0,0,10,10,3

	<p>display upper left corner. Both are Integer type variable.</p> <p>Color</p> <p>0: Black</p> <p>1: Green</p> <p>2: Red</p> <p>3: Orange</p>	
ClearRect	<p>Clear specify rectangular area</p> <p>Need 4 arguments to send the small font message.</p> <p>PosX1 and PosY1 and PosX2 and PosY2, start from LED display upper left corner</p>	xDLite1.ClearRect 0,0,10,10
Upload	Full upload string with file name	xDLite1.uplaod ("c:\ekan.ils")
Download	Full download path for files download. All the file on DLite LED will be downloaded.	xDLite1.download ("c:\test")
Reset	Delete all files on EKAN memory	xDLite1.Reset
Clear	Used for clear the DLite message on LED display.	xDLite1.Clear

Table 1-1 OCX supported method

Following table listed these events that API method might trigger:

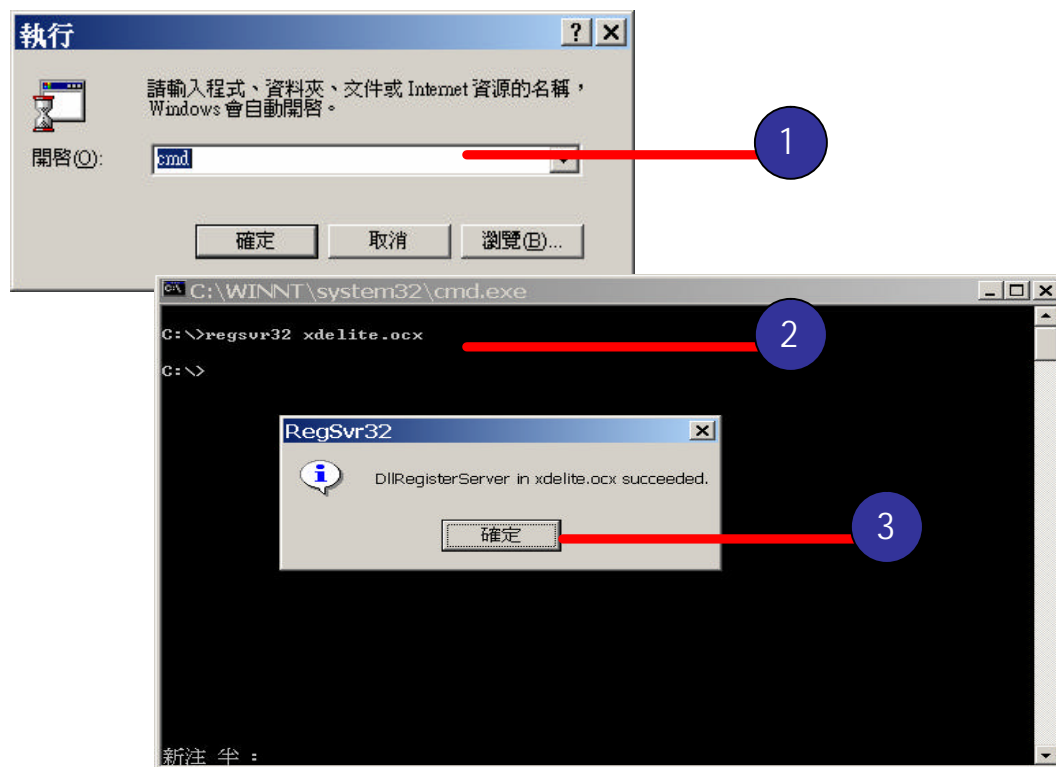
Event	When it Happened?	Pass in parameter
Disconnected	After broken the connection with LED device	None

Table 1-2 xDLite.ocx supported events

1-3 Using ActiveX component in eVC++ and WinCon-8000

Before you start using xDLite OCX on eMbedded Visual C++, you must register this OCX to your windows registry first. Registration on PC side and WinCon-8000 side are both required.

The PC side OCX version is same as desktop version of xDLite.ocx. Please copy the ocx to the program directory, and enter windows command mode, type: `regsvr32 xDLite.ocx`



Step 1: Enter the command mode, move to the directory that xDLite.ocx exist.

Step 2: type `regsvr32 xDLite.ocx`

Step 3: Windows message dialog box shows succeed

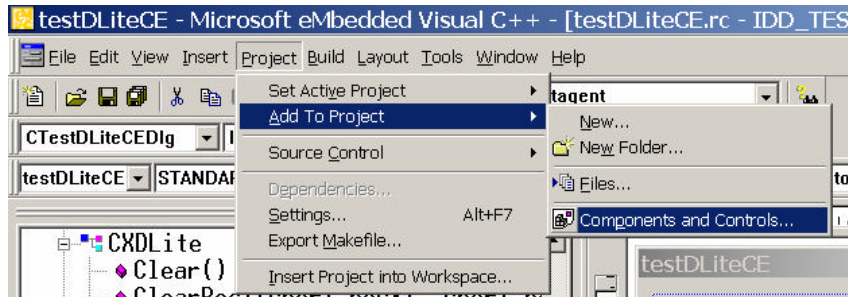
In *WinCon-8000 side*, you must register this ocx by **REGSVRCE** or **REGSVR32** program provided with WinCon-8000 to finish to registration

process. The register process is Same, but the OCX version is ***different***.

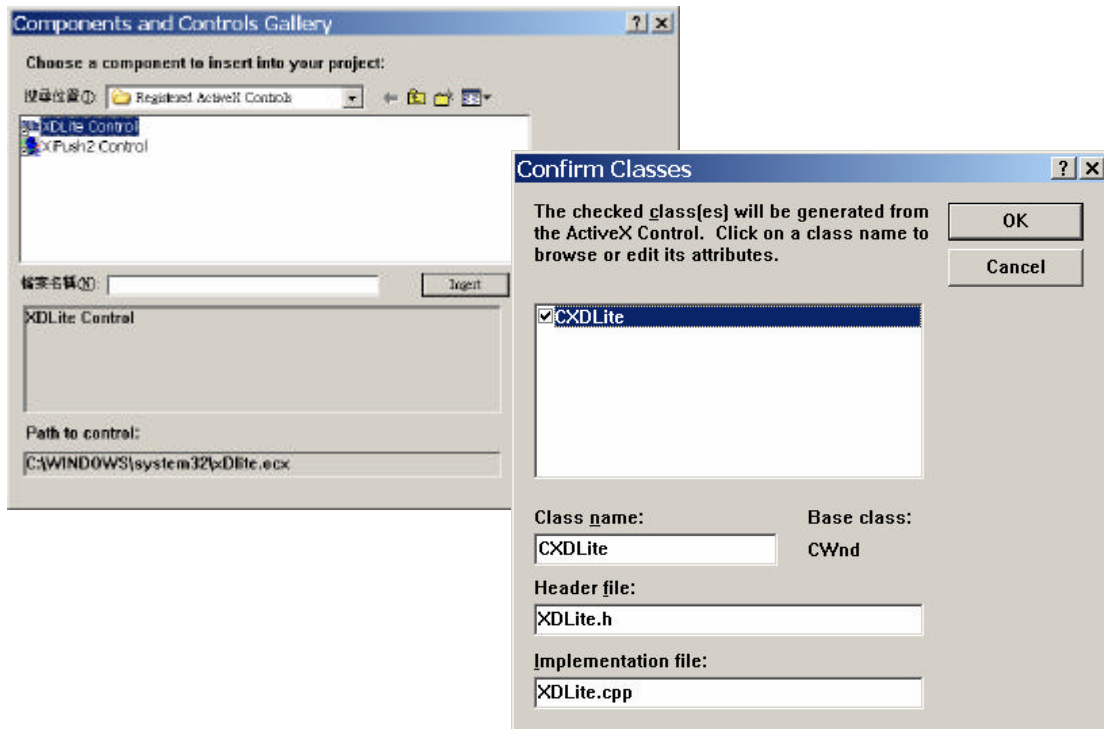
WinCon-8000 is using Windows CE version of xDLite.ocx.

After OCX resisted to Windows and Windows CE, you could start your development process. Please make sure your ocx version is up to date. Please visit eSoftsystem web site at www.esoftsystem.com for further information.

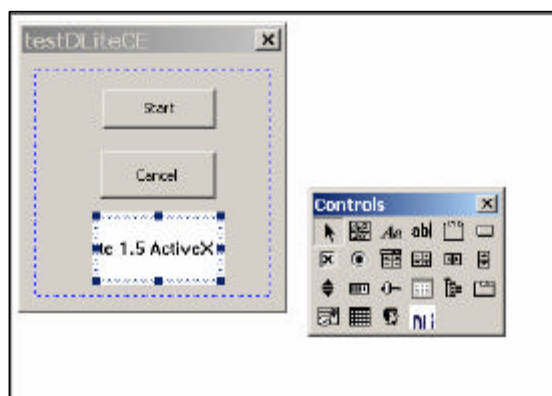
After you register the **PC side OCX** into system, you could refer the OCX into eVC++ project.



Then press **Insert** button to add xDLite.ocx into eVC++ project. If you could not find xDLite.ocx, please press **Add** to browse and add Control.



After you add the control to the toolbar, you could drag and drop the xDLite.ocx into the project.



Chapter 2 WinCon-8000 DLite API Samples

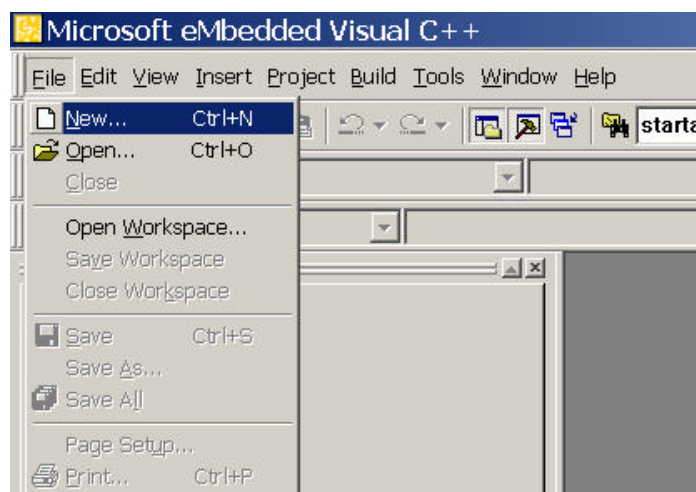
We provide a sample here, which using the eVC++ 4.0 as development environment.

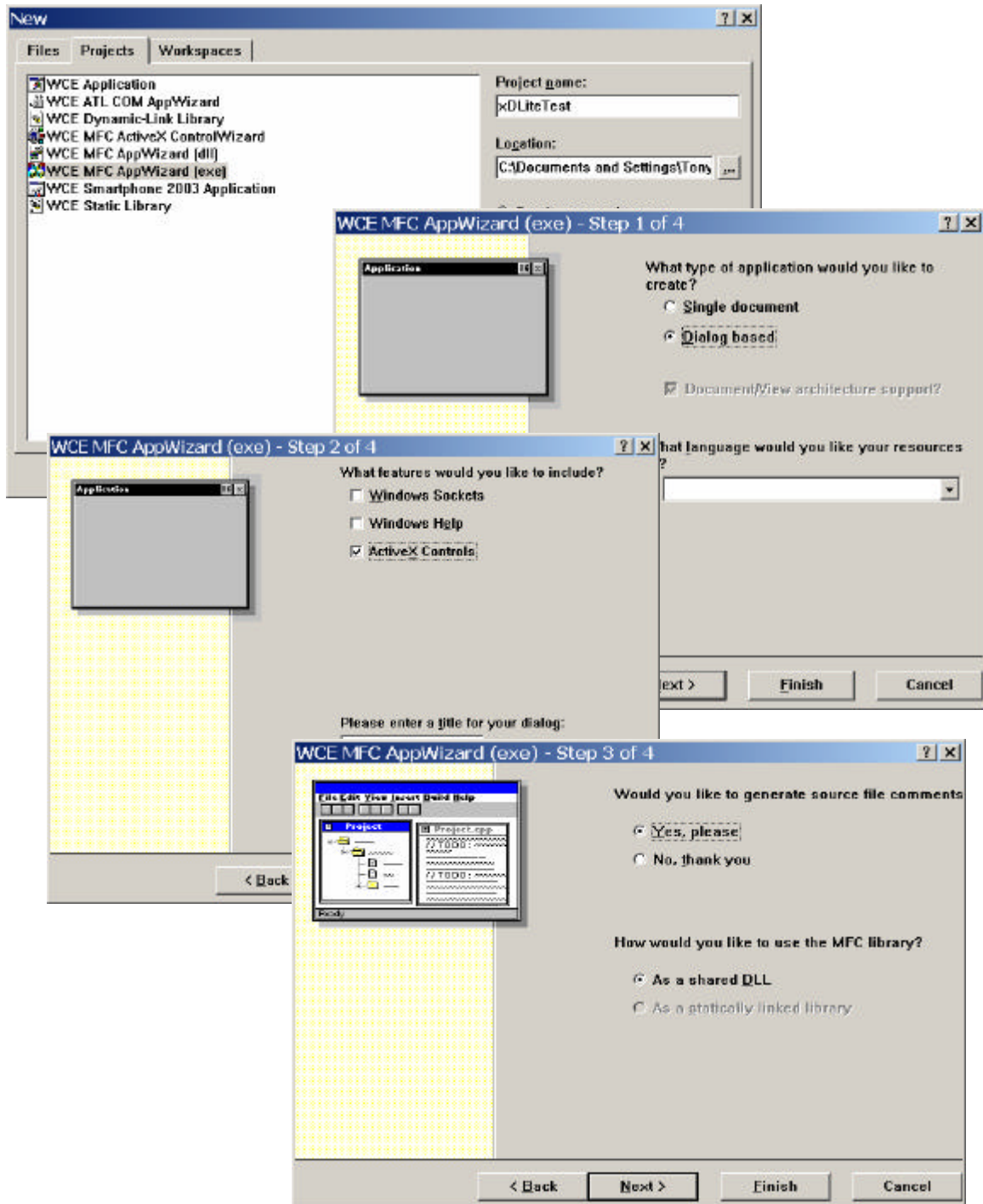
2-1 Create Demo Project

In the Embedded Visual C++ sample, we will demonstration the basic function of the OCX, and make a simple program to send message to EKAN LED display. First you must register PC side of xDLite.ocx, you could refer previous chapter for details.

Here we use a dialog based program with 2 buttons for start and stop Demo play. And the most important part is to refer xDLite.ocx into eVC++ project and generate the CXDLite wrapper class. Here are detail steps to create Demo project.

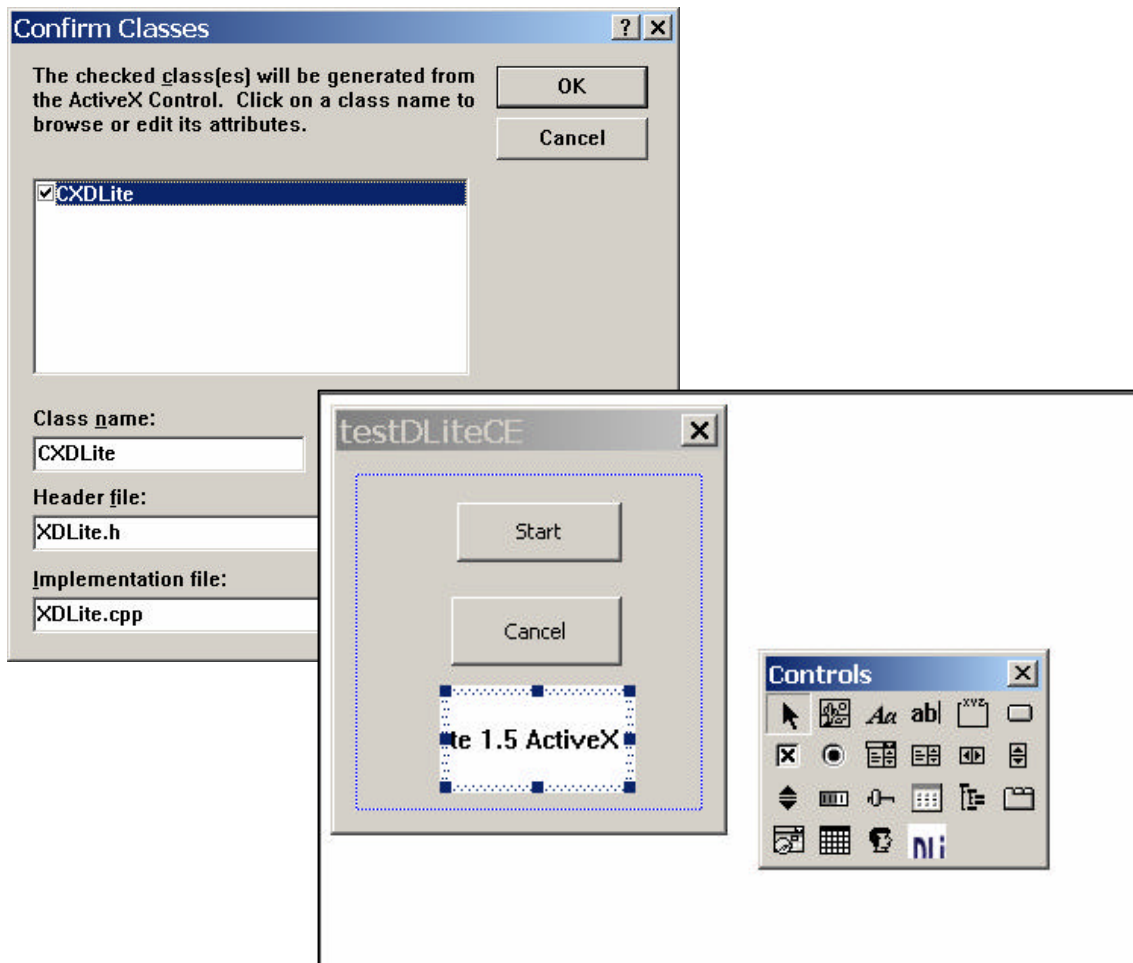
We use xDLiteTest as project name, to create the demo project. Select the **File/New** to create project.





After you create the project, you could add 2 buttons into dialog box, first one for the start function, second for the stop function. Then add the xDLite.ocx into the project, please refer to the previous chapter for details. eVC will automatically generate **CXDLite** class declaration for the xDLite.ocx.

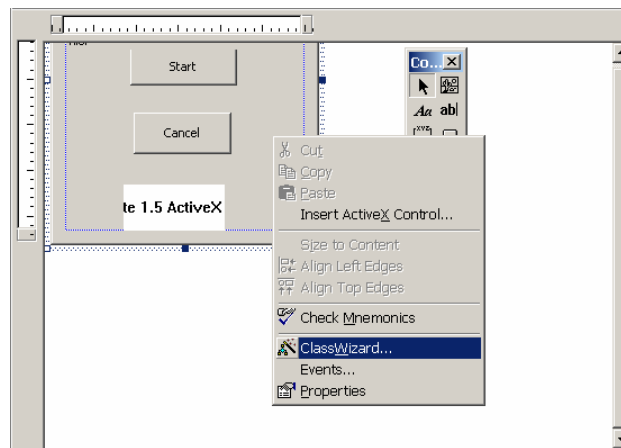
When finished, you will see following interface in the project resource files.



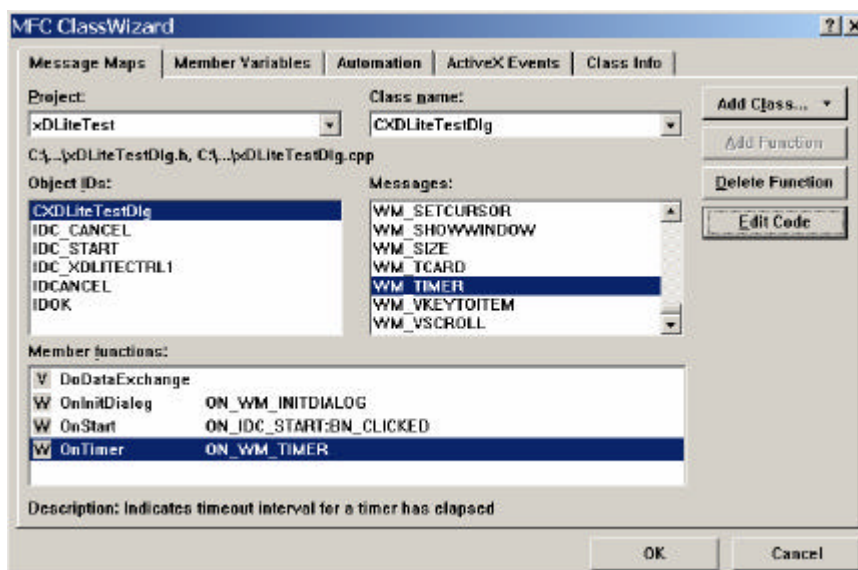
2-2 Deploy control into the project

Then you must add a member function of CXDLite into the CXDLiteTestDlg. In the demo, we use m_EKANAgent as CXDLite member variable. You could use class wizard to help you create the member variable into the xDLiteTestDlg.

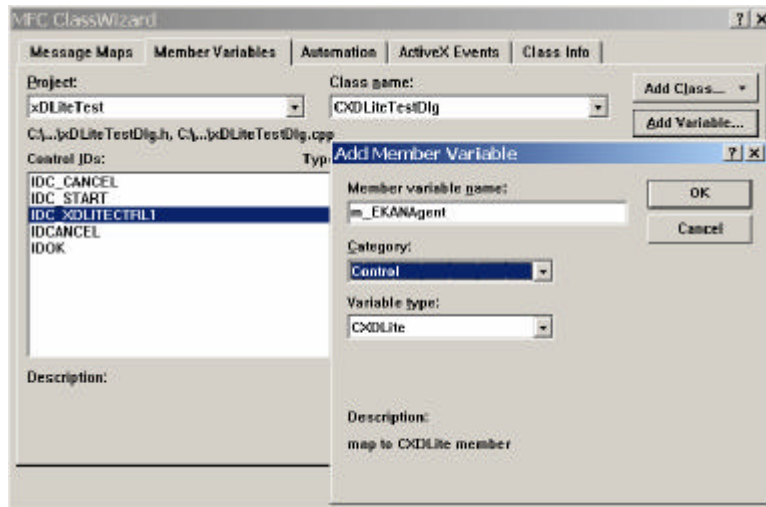
Please click right mouse button on the dialog box the add member function and Timer event into the dialog box.



Add timer event into the dialog box. Later We will use the Timer event to automatically send the message.



And then, add CXDLite member function into the dialog box file.



2-3 Edit Code

Now we add code into the button Start, Exit, and Timer event.

On Start

On the Start, we make connection, setup timer parameter, then start timer play.

```
void CXDLiteTestDlg::OnStart()
{
    // TODO: Add your control notification handler code here
    m_nCount = 0;
    m_nColor = 0;
    m_EKANAgent.SetEkanPassword(L"admin");
    m_EKANAgent.SetEkanPort(7000);
    m_EKANAgent.SetEkanIP(L"192.168.100.96");
    if(m_EKANAgent.Connect() > 0)
```

```
{  
    GetDlgItem(IDC_START)->EnableWindow(FALSE);  
    SetTimer(1,1000,NULL);  
    AfxMessageBox(L"Connect OK!");  
}  
else  
    AfxMessageBox(L"connect fail!");  
}
```

On Timer

After the Timer start play, the program demo all the real-time drawing function to the LED display. We use `m_nCount` as counter to decide which function will be played.

```
void CXDLiteTestDlg::OnTimer(UINT nIDEvent)  
{  
    // TODO: Add your message handler code here and/or call default  
    if(m_nCount < 3)  
    {  
        m_nColor = (m_nColor + 1) % 4;  
        if(m_nColor == 0)  
            m_nColor++;  
        m_EKANAgent.SendMessage(0,0,m_nColor,0,L"Hello,world");  
    }  
    else if(m_nCount < 6)  
    {  
        m_nColor = (m_nColor + 1) % 4;  
        if(m_nColor == 0)  
            m_nColor++;  
        m_EKANAgent.SendMessage(0,0,0,m_nColor,L"Hello,world");  
    }  
    else if(m_nCount == 6)  
        m_EKANAgent.Clear();  
    else if(m_nCount < 10)  
    {
```

```

        m_nColor = (m_nColor + 1) % 4;
        if(m_nColor == 0)
            m_nColor++;
        m_EKANAgent.SendMessageS(0,5,m_nColor,0,L"Hello,small
font");
    }
    else if(m_nCount < 13)
    {
        m_nColor = (m_nColor + 1) % 4;
        if(m_nColor == 0)
            m_nColor++;
        m_EKANAgent.SendMessageS(0,5,0,m_nColor,L"Hello,small
font");
    }
    else if(m_nCount == 13)
        m_EKANAgent.Clear();
    else if(m_nCount < 17)
    {
        m_nColor = (m_nColor + 1) % 4;
        if(m_nColor == 0)
            m_nColor++;
        m_EKANAgent.DisplayDate(0,0,m_nColor,0);
    }
    else if(m_nCount < 20)
    {
        m_nColor = (m_nColor + 1) % 4;
        if(m_nColor == 0)
            m_nColor++;
        m_EKANAgent.DisplayDate(0,0,0,m_nColor);
    }
    else if(m_nCount == 20)
        m_EKANAgent.Clear();
    else if(m_nCount < 24)
    {
        m_nColor = (m_nColor + 1) % 4;
        if(m_nColor == 0)
            m_nColor++;
        m_EKANAgent.DisplayTime(0,0,m_nColor,0);
    }
    else if(m_nCount < 28)
    {
        m_nColor = (m_nColor + 1) % 4;
        if(m_nColor == 0)
            m_nColor++;
        m_EKANAgent.DisplayTime(0,0,0,m_nColor);
    }
    else if(m_nCount == 28)

```

```
        m_EKANAgent.Clear();
    else if(m_nCount < 32)
    {
        m_nColor = (m_nColor + 1) % 4;
        if(m_nColor == 0)
            m_nColor++;
        m_EKANAgent.FillRect(0,0,95,15,m_nColor);
    }
    else if(m_nCount == 32)
        m_EKANAgent.ClearRect(0,0,95,15);
    else if(m_nCount == 33)
        m_EKANAgent.DrawLine(0,7,95,7,1);
    else if(m_nCount == 34)
        m_EKANAgent.Pixel(47,8,2);
    else if(m_nCount == 35)
        m_EKANAgent.Clear();
    else if(m_nCount == 36)
        m_EKANAgent.UploadFile(L"JPN.bmp");
    else if(m_nCount == 37)
        m_EKANAgent.UploadFile(L"GRAPH.bmp");
    else if(m_nCount == 38)
        m_EKANAgent.UploadFile(L"GB.bmp");
    else if(m_nCount == 39)
        m_EKANAgent.DisplayBMP(0,0,1,0,L"JPN.bmp");
    else if(m_nCount == 40)
        m_EKANAgent.DownloadFile(L"*.*",L"\\Download");
    else
    {
        KillTimer(1);
        m_EKANAgent.Disconnect();
        GetDlgItem(IDC_START)->EnableWindow(TRUE);
        return ;
    }

    m_nCount++;
    //CDialog::OnTimer(nIDEvent);
}
```

On Disconnect

Then finally we process disconnect event on the following code segment.

```
BEGIN_EVENTSINK_MAP(CXDLiteTestDlg, CDialog)
```

```

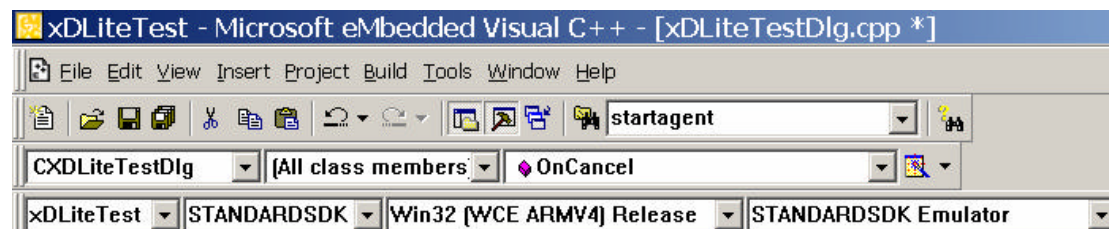
//{{AFX_EVENTSINK_MAP(CXDLiteTestDlg)
    ON_EVENT(CXDLiteTestDlg, IDC_XDLITECTRL1, 1 /* Disconnected */,
    OnDisconnectedXdlitectrl1, VTS_NONE)
//}}AFX_EVENTSINK_MAP
END_EVENTSINK_MAP()

void CXDLiteTestDlg::OnDisconnectedXdlitectrl1()
{
    // TODO: Add your control notification handler code here
    KillTimer(1);
    GetDlgItem(IDC_START)->EnableWindow(TRUE);
    AfxMessageBox(L"Disconnected!");
}

```

Compiler options

WinCon-8000 is using Strong-Arm as main processor, so you must select Win32 (WCE ARMV4) as compiler options. Then you can copy the .exe file into the WinCon-8000 that already registers xDLite.ocx for Windows CE version in chapter 1. To see the final result of this demo project.



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