

COMPONENTS OF IDE

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- Menu Bar
- Tool Bar
- Project Explorer
- Properties Window
- Form Layout Window
- ToolBox
- Form Designer
- Immediate Window



Menu Bar

- It contains the commands needed to work with VB
- The main menu items have sub menu items
- The basic menus are :
File, Edit, View, Format, Debug
Run, Help, Diagram, Tools, Add-Ins, Query.



Tool Bar

- It gives u the quick access to commonly used menu commands
- VBIDE provides additional toolbar for different purposes
- To view it choose View Menu and then Tool Bar submenu then click on Customise to open Customise Dialog Box



Project Explorer Window

- It displays the components of the project
- In this components are organised in Folders and Project Explorer Window



Tool Box

- It contains the icons of the controls
 - It is used for user interface
 - By default it contains pointer icon and 20 Active-X controls
 - To place a control select it with mouse and move on the form
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Property Window

- It contains the property settings for the selected control
- Ex: Caption, size, name, etc
- We can also change the appearance of the control using it.



Form Designer

- It is the main window of VB
 - It is located on the middle of the screen
 - Form Designer displays the windows-
 - Form Itself
 - Coding Window
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Form Layout Window

- It is situated in the lower right corner of VBIDE
- It indicates the original position of the form
- It is useful in the application of multiple forms



Immediate Window

- It is at bottom of IDE
 - When your application is running u can stop it
And use this window to make the changes
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