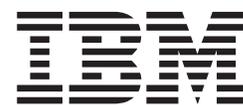


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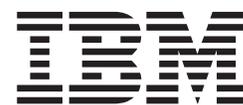


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## About this book

This book is a programming reference for the MQSeries Everyplace for Multiplatforms product (generally referred to in this book as MQSeries Everyplace). It contains details of the parameters and calling sequences of the various methods within the MQSeries Everyplace class libraries. This book is intended to be used in conjunction with the MQSeries Everyplace Programming Guide and existing books or manuals on the programming languages that are used to write MQSeries Everyplace programs.

This document is continually being updated with new and improved information. For the latest edition, please see the MQSeries family library Web page at <http://www.ibm.com/software/ts/mqseries/library/>.

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## Who should read this book

This book is intended for programmers wanting to write MQSeries Everyplace programs for use in a pervasive computing environment.

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## Prerequisite knowledge

It is assumed that the reader has a working knowledge of the basic programming techniques for the language in which the MQSeries Everyplace programs are to be written

An initial understanding of the concepts of secure messaging is an advantage. If you do not have this understanding, you may find it useful to read the following MQSeries books:

- *MQSeries An Introduction to Messaging and Queuing*
- *MQSeries for Windows NT<sup>®</sup> V5R1 Quick Beginnings*

These books are available in softcopy form from Book section of the online MQSeries library. This can be reached from the MQSeries Web site, URL address <http://www.ibm.com/software/ts/MQSeries/library/>

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## Terms used in this book

The following terms are used throughout this book:

### **MQSeries**

refers to the following three MQSeries Messaging product groups:

- Distributed messaging
- Host messaging
- Workstation messaging

### **MQSeries Everyplace**

refers to the fourth MQSeries Messaging product group, pervasive messaging.

### **Device**

A computer of any size that is running MQSeries Everyplace programs but *does not have a channel manager* object installed.

**Note:** For licensing purposes *device* is synonymous with *MQSeries Everyplace client*.

**Gateway**

A computer of any size that is running MQSeries Everyplace programs and has a *channel manager* object installed.

**Note:** For licensing purposes *gateway* is synonymous with *MQSeries Everyplace server*.

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## Summary of Changes

This section describes changes to this edition of *MQSeries Everywhere for Multiplatforms Programming Reference*. Changes since the previous edition of the book are marked by vertical lines to the left of the changes.

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### Changes for this edition (SC34-5846-01)

In addition to corrections and clarifications, the following information has been added:

- Various adapter classes
- `filterMessage` method added to `QueueRule` class
- List of Exceptions



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## **Part 1. MQSeries Everyplace Java API**



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## Chapter 1. MQSeries Everyplace classes and interfaces

The following chapters contain detailed information about the classes and interfaces supplied with MQSeries Everyplace. The classes are arranged in alphabetical order within the package in which they are delivered.

MQSeries Everyplace contains the following packages:

**Note:** Classes marked \*\* are available only in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.1.

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### com.ibm.mqe

Table 1. Classes in package com.ibm.mqe

| Class name                      | Purpose  |
|---------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQe</b>                      | Used to derive other MQSeries Everyplace classes   |
| <b>MQeAdapter</b>               | This is the definition for the methods that all MQe adapters must provide. Any new adapters must inherit from MQeAdapter   |
| <b>MQeAdminMsg</b>              | Provides a base for administration messages  |
| <b>MQeAttribute</b>             | Contains the mechanisms to perform authentication, encryption and compression  |
| <b>MQeChannelListener</b>       | Used to create a listener for incoming MQSeries Everyplace logical channels  |
| <b>MQeChannelManager</b>        | Creates a manager for the MQSeries Everyplace logical channels   |
| <b>MQeEnumeration</b>           | Holds a collection of MQSeries Everyplace message objects  |
| <b>MQeException</b>             | Creates an MQeException object   |
| <b>MQeFields</b>                | Holds data items and provides mechanisms to dump and restore the data  |
| <b>MQeKey</b>                   | Creates an MQeKey object that can be attached to and used by an attribute object   |
| <b>MQeMessageEvent</b>          | Creates an MQeMessageEvent object that is passed to an application when an MQeMessage event occurs                         |
| <b>MQeMsgObject</b>             | Holds the data, or contains the necessary logic to obtain the data, to send from one MQSeries Everyplace system to another |
| <b>MQeQueue</b>                 | Creates an MQSeries Everyplace queue object  |
| <b>MQeQueueManager</b>          | Creates an MQSeries Everyplace queue manager object  |
| <b>MQeQueueManagerConfigure</b> | Used to create and delete queue managers and the default queues.   |
| <b>MQeQueueManagerRules</b>     | Contains methods that are invoked when the queue manager performs certain operations                                       |

## MQSeries Everyplace classes

Table 1. Classes in package *com.ibm.mqe* (continued)

| Class name          | Purpose  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>MQeQueueRule</b> | Contains methods that are invoked when certain events occur on queues. |

Table 2. Interfaces in package *com.ibm.mqe*

| Interface name                     | Purpose  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQeEventLogInterface</b>        | All MQSeries Everyplace log handlers must implement this interface   |
| <b>MQeMessageListenerInterface</b> | This interface must be implemented by all objects that wish to receive MQeMessage events                                 |
| <b>MQeRunListInterface</b>         | An interface that allows a list of MQSeries Everyplace applications to be passed to a queue manager when it is activated |
| <b>MQeSecurityInterface</b>        | An optional interface that allows a Java <sup>®</sup> security manager to authorize or reject a call                     |
| <b>MQeTraceInterface</b>           | All MQSeries Everyplace trace handlers must implement this interface   |

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## com.ibm.mqe.administration

Table 3. Classes in package *com.ibm.mqe.administration*

| Class name                             | Purpose  |
|--|--|
| <b>MQeAdminQueueAdminMsg</b>           | Used to manage queues of type MQeAdminQueue                      |
| <b>MQeConnectionAdminMsg</b>           | Class used to manage connections of type MQeConnectionDefinition |
| <b>MQeHomeServerQueueAdminMsg</b>      | Used to manage queues of type MQeHomeServerQueue                 |
| <b>MQeQueueAdminMsg</b>                | Used to manage MQSeries Everyplace local queues of type MQeQueue |
| <b>MQeQueueManagerAdminMsg</b>         | Used to manage queue managers of type MQeQueueManager            |
| <b>MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg</b>          | Used to manage remote queues of type MQeRemoteQueue              |
| <b>MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg</b> | Used to manage queues of type MQeStoreAndForwardQueue            |

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## com.ibm.mqe.attributes

Table 4. Classes in package *com.ibm.mqe.attributes*

| Class name              | Purpose  |
|-------------------------|--|
| <b>**MQe3DESCryptor</b> | Provides mechanisms for 3DES encryption  |
| <b>MQeDESCryptor</b>    | Provides mechanisms for DES encryption   |
| <b>MQeGenDH</b>         | Creates an MQeDHk.java file from which solution unique MQeDHk class objects can be created |

## MQSeries Everyplace classes

Table 4. Classes in package *com.ibm.mqe.attributes* (continued)

| Class name                        | Purpose   |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| <b>MQeLocalSecure</b>             | Provides a simple local security service                |
| <b>MQeLZWCompressor</b>           | Provides mechanisms for LZW compression                 |
| <b>**MQeMARSCryptor</b>           | Provides mechanisms for MARS encryption                 |
| <b>MQeMAttribute</b>              | Provide simple message-level protection                 |
| <b>**MQeMTrustAttribute</b>       | Provides more advanced message-level protection         |
| <b>**MQeRC4Cryptor</b>            | Provides mechanisms for RC4 encryption                  |
| <b>**MQeRC6Cryptor</b>            | Provides mechanisms for RC6 encryption                  |
| <b>MQeRleCompressor</b>           | Provides mechanisms for Run Length encoded compression  |
| <b>**MQeWTLSCertAuthenticator</b> | Provides mechanisms for mini-certificate authentication |
| <b>MQeXORCryptor</b>              | Provides mechanisms for XOR encryption                  |

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## com.ibm.mqe.registry

Table 5. Classes in package *com.ibm.mqe.registry*

| Class name                         | Purpose  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQePrivateRegistry</b>          | Creates a private registry object that provides controlled access to a set of private and public objects |
| <b>MQePrivateRegistryConfigure</b> | Used to configure a private registry   |
| <b>MQePublicRegistry</b>           | Creates a public registry object that provides controlled access to a set of public objects              |

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## com.ibm.mqe.server

Table 6. Interfaces in package *com.ibm.mqe.server*

| Interface name                        | Purpose   |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| <b>**MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface</b> | Used to define the way in which instances of <b>MQeMiniCertificateServerGUI</b> manages new Mini-Certificate issuance |

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## com.ibm.mqe.mqemqmessage

Table 7. Interfaces in package *com.ibm.mqe.mqemqmessage*

| Interface name        | Purpose   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>MQeMQMsgObject</b> | Used to represent an MQSeries style message object within MQSeries Everyplace |

**com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**Table 8. Classes in package *com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge*

| Class name                         | Purpose  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQeCharacteristicLabels</b>     | Groups together all the <i>labels</i> used in any MQeFields object used in the bridge code |
| <b>MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg</b> | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeClientConnection object. |
| <b>MQeListenerAdminMsg</b>         | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeListener object.         |
| <b>MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg</b>         | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeBridge object.           |
| <b>MQeMQBridgeQueue</b>            | This queue is used as the interface to the MQS bridge                                      |
| <b>MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg</b>    | Used to administer an MQBridge queue   |
| <b>MQeMQBridges</b>                | Loads and maintains all bridge objects associated with a given MQe server"                 |
| <b>MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg</b>        | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeBridges object.          |
| <b>MQeMQMgrProxyAdminMsg</b>       | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeQMGrProxy object.        |
| <b>MQeRunState</b>                 | Holds the <i>run state</i> of an administered object                                       |

Table 9. Interfaces in package *com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge*

| Interface name                 | Purpose  |
|--------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQeTransformerInterface</b> | All classes that can transform MQMessages to MQeMsgObjects (and vice versa) must conform to this interface |

**com.ibm.mqe.adapters**Table 10. Classes in *com.ibm.mqe.adapters*

| Class name                    | Purpose   |
|-------------------------------|---|
| <b>MQeDiskFieldsAdapter</b>   | Provides support for reading and writing MQeFields information to a local disk. |
| <b>MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter</b> | Provides a non-persistent store for MQeFields information                       |
| <b>MQeTcpipAdapter</b>        | Provides support for reading and writing data over TCP/IP streams.              |
| <b>MQeTcpipHttpAdapter</b>    | Extends the MQeTcpipAdapter to provide basic support for the HTTP 1.0 protocol. |
| <b>MQeTcpipLengthAdapter</b>  | Extends the MQeTcpipAdapter to provide a simple, byte efficient protocol.       |

*Table 10. Classes in com.ibm.mqe.adapters (continued)*

| <b>Class name</b>            | <b>Purpose</b>  |
|------------------------------|---|
| <b>MQeTcpiHistoryAdapter</b> | Extends the MQeTcpiLengthAdapter to provide a more efficient protocol that caches recently used data. |

## MQSeries Everyplace classes

## Chapter 2. Classes in com.ibm.mqe

This section contains detailed information about the following MQSeries Everyplace classes and interfaces

Table 11. Classes in package com.ibm.mqe

| Class name                      | Purpose  |
|---------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQe</b>                      | Used to derive other MQSeries Everyplace classes   |
| <b>MQeAdapter</b>               | This is the definition for the methods that all MQe adapters must provide. Any new adapters must inherit from MQeAdapter   |
| <b>MQeAdminMsg</b>              | Provides a base for administration messages  |
| <b>MQeAttribute</b>             | Contains the mechanisms to perform authentication, encryption and compression  |
| <b>MQeChannelListener</b>       | Used to create a listener for incoming MQSeries Everyplace logical channels  |
| <b>MQeChannelManager</b>        | Creates a manager for the MQSeries Everyplace logical channels   |
| <b>MQeEnumeration</b>           | Holds a collection of MQSeries Everyplace message objects  |
| <b>MQeException</b>             | Creates an MQeException object   |
| <b>MQeFields</b>                | Holds data items and provides mechanisms to dump and restore the data  |
| <b>MQeKey</b>                   | Creates an MQeKey object that can be attached to and used by an attribute object   |
| <b>MQeMessageEvent</b>          | Creates an MQeMessageEvent object that is passed to an application when an MQeMessage event occurs                         |
| <b>MQeMsgObject</b>             | Holds the data, or contains the necessary logic to obtain the data, to send from one MQSeries Everyplace system to another |
| <b>MQeQueue</b>                 | Creates an MQSeries Everyplace queue object  |
| <b>MQeQueueManager</b>          | Creates an MQSeries Everyplace queue manager object  |
| <b>MQeQueueManagerConfigure</b> | Used to create and delete queue managers and the default queues.   |
| <b>MQeQueueManagerRule</b>      | Contains methods that are invoked when the queue manager performs certain operations                                       |
| <b>MQeQueueRule</b>             | Contains methods that are invoked when certain events occur on queues.   |

Table 12. Interfaces in package com.ibm.mqe

| Interface name                     | Purpose  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQeEventLogInterface</b>        | All MQSeries Everyplace log handlers must implement this interface                       |
| <b>MQeMessageListenerInterface</b> | This interface must be implemented by all objects that wish to receive MQeMessage events |

## Classes in com.ibm.mqe

Table 12. Interfaces in package com.ibm.mqe (continued)

| Interface name              | Purpose  |
|-----------------------------|--|
| <b>MQeRunListInterface</b>  | An interface that allows a list of MQSeries Everyplace applications to be passed to a queue manager when it is activated |
| <b>MQeSecurityInterface</b> | An optional interface that allows a Java security manager to authorize or reject a call                                  |
| <b>MQeTraceInterface</b>    | All MQSeries Everyplace trace handlers must implement this interface   |

## MQe

This class is used to derive other MQSeries Everyplace classes. It contains various useful constant definitions and utility methods to assist with the programming of MQSeries Everyplace . Under normal circumstances applications classes should inherit from this class, for example 'class xxxxx extends MQe'.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe**

This class is a descendant of **Object** and implements **Serializable**

## Constants

This class provides the following constants:

### MQe MsgObject field names

```
public final static String  Msg_CorrelID
public final static String  Msg_MsgID
public final static String  Msg_OriginQMgr
public final static String  Msg_Priority
public final static String  Msg_Time
public final static String  Msg_ReplyToQ
public final static String  Msg_ReplyToQMgr
public final static String  Msg_Style
public final static String  Msg_LockID
public final static String  Msg_Resend
public final static String  Msg_ExpireTime
public final static String  Msg_WrapMsg
```

### Message style modifiers

```
public final static int     Msg_Style_Datagram
public final static int     Msg_Style_Request
public final static int     Msg_Style_Reply
```

### Standard queue names

```
public final static String  Admin_Queue_Name
public final static String  Admin_Reply_Queue_Name
public final static String  DeadLetter_Queue_Name
public final static String  System_Default_Queue_Name
```

### Options for use with MQeAdapter objects

```
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_APPEND
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_BINARY
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_CONTENT
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_FINAL
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_FLUSH
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_HEADER
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_HEADERRSP
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_LENGTH
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_LISTEN
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_PERSIST
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_READ
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_RESET
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_SYNC
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_UNICODE
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_UPDATE
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_WRITE
```

### Control Options for use with MQeAdapter objects

```
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_ACCEPT
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_FILENAME
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_FILTER
public final static String  MQe_Adapter_GETPERSIST
```

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```
public final static String MQe_Adapter_LIST
public final static String MQe_Adapter_PULSE
public final static String MQe_Adapter_QOSINPUTS
public final static String MQe_Adapter_SECTION
public final static String MQe_Adapter_SETSOCKET
```

### Status Options for use with MQeAdapter objects

```
public final static String MQe_Adapter_BYTECOUNTS
public final static String MQe_Adapter_LOCALHOST
public final static String MQe_Adapter_LINKPARAM
public final static String MQe_Adapter_NETWORK
```

### Quality of service field names

```
public final static String QoS_BytesRead
public final static String QoS_BytesWritten
public final static String QoS_Cost
public final static String QoS_DialRetry
public final static String QoS_DialRetryWait
public final static String QoS_Duration
public final static String QoS_ErrorRate
public final static String QoS_Errors
public final static String QoS_Jitter
public final static String QoS_Latency
public final static String QoS_Pulse
public final static String QoS_Rate
public final static String QoS_Retry
public final static String QoS_Size
public final static String QoS_TimeOut
```

### Log interface log types

```
public final static byte MQe_Log_SUCCESS
public final static byte MQe_Log_ERROR
public final static byte MQe_Log_WARNING
public final static byte MQe_Log_INFORMATION
```

### Exception index numbers

```
public final static int Except_UnCoded
public final static int Except_Debug
public final static int Except_NotSupported
public final static int Except_Syntax
public final static int Except_Type
public final static int Except_Command
public final static int Except_NotFound
public final static int Except_Data
public final static int Except_BadRequest
public final static int Except_Stopped
public final static int Except_Closed
public final static int Except_Duplicate
public final static int Except_NotAllowed
public final static int Except_Rule
public final static int Except_TimeOut
public final static int Except_InvalidHandle
public final static int Except_AllocationFail
public final static int Except_Chnl_Attributes
public final static int Except_Chnl_Destination
public final static int Except_Chnl_Limit
public final static int Except_Chnl_ID
public final static int Except_Chnl_Overrun
public final static int Except_Trnsport_QMgr
public final static int Except_Trnsport_Request
public final static int Except_QMgr_NotActive
public final static int Except_QMgr_InvalidQMGrName
public final static int Except_QMgr_Activated
```

```

public final static int Except_QMgr_AlreadyExists
public final static int Except_QMgr_InvalidQName
public final static int Except_QMgr_QExists
public final static int Except_QMgr_UnknownQMGr
public final static int Except_QMgr_QNotEmpty
public final static int Except_QMgr_QDoesNotExist
public final static int Except_QMgr_QInUse
public final static int Except_QMgr_WrongQType
public final static int Except_QMgr_InvalidChannel
public final static int Except_QMgr_SecureMsgDecodeFailed
public final static int Except_QMgr_NotConfigured
public final static int Except_QMgr_Busy
public final static int Except_Q_NoMsgAvailble
public final static int Except_Q_NoMatchingMsg
public final static int Except_Q_InvalidPriority
public final static int Except_Q_Full
public final static int Except_Q_MsgTooLarge
public final static int Except_Q_NotActive
public final static int Except_Q_Active
public final static int Except_Q_InvalidName
public final static int Except_Q_TargetRegistryRequired
public final static int Except_Uncontactable_DontTransmit
public final static int Except_RasDialFailed
public final static int Except_RasGetProjectionInfoFailed
public final static int Except_RasHangUpFailed
public final static int Except_Connect_AdapterNotActive
public final static int Except_Connect_InvalidDefinition
public final static int Except_Con_AlreadyExists
public final static int Except_Con_AliasAlreadyExists
public final static int Except_Con_AdapterRequired
public final static int Except_Con_InvalidName
public final static int Except_Client_Con_Not_Available
public final static int Except_Reg_NullName
public final static int Except_Reg_AlreadyExists
public final static int Except_Reg_DoesNotExist
public final static int Except_Reg_OpenFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_InvalidSession
public final static int Except_Reg_NotDefined
public final static int Except_Reg_AddFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_DeleteFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_ReadFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_UpdateFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_ListFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_SearchFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_RenameFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_ResetPINFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_CRTKeyDecFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_CRTKeySignFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_DeleteRegistryFailed
public final static int Except_Reg_AlreadyOpen
public final static int Except_Reg_NotSecure
public final static int Except_PrivateReg_BadPIN
public final static int Except_PrivateReg_ActivateFailed
public final static int Except_PrivateReg_NotOpen
public final static int Except_MiniCertReg_BadPIN
public final static int Except_MiniCertReg_ActivateFailed
public final static int Except_MiniCertReg_NotOpen
public final static int Except_PublicReg_ActivateFailed
public final static int Except_PublicReg_InvalidRequest
public final static int Except_Admin_NotAdminMsg
public final static int Except_Admin_ActionNotSupported
public final static int Except_Admin_InvalidField

```

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```
public final static int    Except_Authenticate
public final static int    Except_S_Cipher
public final static int    Except_S_InvalidSignature
public final static int    Except_S_CertificateExpired
public final static int    Except_S_InvalidAttribute
public final static int    Except_S_MiniCertNotAvailable
public final static int    Except_S_RegistryNotAvailable
public final static int    Except_S_BadIntegrity
public final static int    Except_S_NoPresetKeyAvailable
public final static int    Except_S_MissingSection
```

### Log record types

```
public final static byte   MQe_Log_Success
public final static byte   MQe_Log_Error
public final static byte   MQe_Log_Warning
public final static byte   MQe_Log_Information
public final static byte   MQe_Log_Audit_Success
public final static byte   MQe_Log_Audit_Failure
```

### Events

```
public final static int    Event_Activate
public final static int    Event_Close
public final static int    Event_Logon
public final static int    Event_Logoff
public final static int    Event_QueueManager
public final static int    Event_Queue
public final static int    Event_Attribute
public final static int    Event_Authenticate
public final static int    Event_MiniCert_Validate
public final static int    Event_UserBase
```

## Publically accessible variables

### debugCall:

When set to **true** causes a stack trace and the contents of the MQeFields object to be written to System.err.println.

```
public static boolean debugCall = false;
```

### debugExcept:

When set to **true** a stack trace is printed on System.err.println when certain Exceptions occur within the MQSeries Everyplace system (these exceptions should be handled by a try ... catch ... and would not normally be seen).

```
public static boolean debugExcept = false;
```

### debugMQeExcept:

When set to **true**, causes a stack trace to be printed on System.err.println whenever an MQeException is raised.

```
public static boolean debugMQeExcept = false;
```

### loader:

This is an object reference to a class loader that enables class files to be dynamically loaded from either the local system or from a remote system.

```
public static MQeLoader loader
```

### MQeObjectCount:

This is an integer that contains the current number of instantiated objects that are descendents of the MQe class.

```
public static int MQeObjectCount
```

## Method summary

### Static methods

| Method                          | Purpose   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| <code>abbreviate</code>         | Returns either the full name or an abbreviated name for the supplied class name.                        |
| <code>alias</code>              | Adds an alias name for a class name.  |
| <code>asciiToByte</code>        | Converts an ASCII string into a byte array  |
| <code>byteToAscii</code>        | Converts a byte array into an ASCII string  |
| <code>byteToHex</code>          | Converts a byte array to ASCII hex  |
| <code>byteToInt</code>          | Converts 4 bytes into an int value  |
| <code>byteToLong</code>         | Converts 8 bytes into a long value  |
| <code>byteToShort</code>        | Converts 2 bytes into a short value   |
| <code>byteToUnicode</code>      | Converts a byte array to a Unicode String   |
| <code>debug</code>              | Prints the current call stack to <code>System.err.println</code> . This is used for debugging purposes. |
| <code>getEventLogHandler</code> | Returns a reference to the currently active log handler or <i>null</i> .                                |
| <code>getTraceHandler</code>    | Returns a reference to the currently active trace handler or <i>null</i> .                              |
| <code>hexToByte</code>          | Converts ASCII hex to a byte array  |
| <code>intToByte</code>          | Converts an int value into 4 bytes  |
| <code>log</code>                | Loads data with the log handler.  |
| <code>mapFileDescriptor</code>  | Maps a String to a file descriptor.   |
| <code>setEventLogHandler</code> | Sets the class that will handle log requests.   |
| <code>setTraceHandler</code>    | Sets the class that will process trace messages.  |
| <code>sliceByteArray</code>     | Copies a slice out of a byte array  |
| <code>unicodeToByte</code>      | Converts a Unicode String to a byte array   |
| <code>unicodeToUTF</code>       | Converts a Unicode String to a UTF encoded byte array.  |
| <code>uniqueValue</code>        | Generates a unique long value for the current environment.  |
| <code>utfToUnicode</code>       | Converts UTF encoded byte array to a Unicode String   |

### Non-Static methods

| Method             | Purpose   |
|--------------------|---|
| <code>trace</code> | Writes a trace message to either <code>System.out.println</code> or <code>System.err.println</code> |
| <code>type</code>  | Returns a string representation of the class name   |

## MQe abbreviate

### Syntax

```
public static String abbreviate(String className, int index )
```

### Description

This method resolves an abbreviated class name, or abbreviates a class name.

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An abbreviated class name is of the form "nn:aaaaa" where nn is an number and aaaaa is a string appended to the abbreviation to create a fully qualified class name.

For example, 5:R1eCompressor would resolve to com.ibm.mqe.attributes.MQeR1eCompressor.

### Parameters

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>ClassName</b> | A String containing the class name or an abbreviated class name   |
| <b>index</b>     | An integer. Current supported values are:<br><br>0        turn an abbreviated name into a fully qualified class name<br><br>1        turn a fully qualified name into an abbreviation |

### Return values

A String that is either a fully qualified class name or an abbreviated name

### Exceptions

`java.lang.ArrayOutOfBounds` You supplied an invalid index

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    ...
    String abbrev = MQe.abbreviate( "com.ibm.MQe.Adapters.MQeTcpipHttpAdapater", 1 );
    ...
}
```

## MQe alias

### Syntax

```
public static void alias( String from, String to )
```

### Description

This method assigns or removes an alias name for a class. The **from** parameter is the alias and the **to** parameter is the full class name. To remove an alias set the **to** parameter to *null*.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>from</b> | A String containing the alias name   |
| <b>to</b>   | A String containing the full class name for this alias, or <i>null</i> to remove the alias |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    ...
    MQe.alias( "Network", "com.ibm.MQe.Adapters.MQeTcpipHttpAdapater" );
    ...
}
```

## MQe asciiToByte

### Syntax

```
public static byte[] asciiToByte( String data )
```

### Description

This method converts a String into a byte array preserving only the low byte of each character.

### Parameters

**data**                    A String containing the ASCII data

### Return values

A byte array containing the ASCII data

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    ...
    byte data[] = MQe.asciiToByte( "This is some test data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQe byteToAscii

### Syntax

```
public static String byteToAscii( byte data[] )
```

### Description

This method converts a byte array into an ASCII string by copying the byte into the low byte of each character in the String.

### Parameters

**data**                    A byte array containing the data to be converted

### Return values

A String containing the converted data

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    ...
    String data = MQe.byteToAscii( new byte[] { 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 } );
    ...
}
```

## MQe byteToHex

### Syntax

```
public static String byteToHex( byte data )
```

```
public static String byteToHex( byte data[], int offset, int count )
```

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### Description

This method converts a byte array to a String containing the character Hex representation of the data.

### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing the data to be converted  
**offset** The starting element index of within the **data** array  
**count** The number of elements to be converted

### Return values

The HEX String.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...  
String hexData = byteToHex( ByteArray );  
...
```

## MQe byteToInt

### Syntax

```
public static int byteToInt( byte data[], int offset )
```

### Description

This method converts a byte array to an integer value

### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing the data to be converted  
**offset** The starting element index of within the **data** array

### Return values

The HEX String.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...  
int value = byteToInt( ByteArray );  
...
```

## MQe byteToLong

### Syntax

```
public static int byteToLong( byte data[], int offset )
```

### Description

This method converts a byte array to an integer value

### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing the data to be converted  
**offset** The starting element index of within the **data** array

### Return values

The long integer value

**Exceptions**  
none

**Example**

```
...
    long value = byteToLong( byteArray, 0 );
...
```

## MQe byteToShort

**Syntax**

```
public static int byteToShort( byte data[], int offset )
```

**Description**

This method converts a byte array to a short integer value

**Parameters**

**data**                    A byte array containing the data to be converted  
**offset**                 The starting element index of within the **data** array

**Return values**

The shortinteger value

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```
...
    short value = byteToShort( byteArray, 0 );
...
```

## MQe byteToUnicode

**Syntax**

```
public static String byteToUnicode( byte data[] )
```

**Description**

This method converts a byte array to a Unicode string

**Parameters**

**data**                    A byte array containing the data to be converted

**Return values**

The Unicode string

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```
...
    String data = byteToUnicode( ByteArray );
...
```

## MQe debug

**Syntax**

```
public static void debug( String data )
```

**Description**

Causes a stack trace to be written to System.err.println followed by the String data. Processing continues normally.

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### Parameters

**data** A String containing data to identify this stack print

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
    MySampleClass ( )
    {
        ...
        MQe.debug( "" );
        ...
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQe getEventLogHandler

### Syntax

```
Public static MQeEventLogInterface getEventLogHandler( )
```

### Description

Returns the current event log handler object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

The log handler object or *null*

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
    MySampleClass ( )
    {
        ...
        MQeEventLogInterface Logger= MQe.getEventLogHandler( );
        ...
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQe getTraceHandler

### Syntax

```
Public static MQeTraceInterface getTraceHandler( )
```

### Description

Returns the current trace handler object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

The trace handler object or *null*

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```

class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
    MySampleClass ( )
    {
        ...
        MQeTraceInterface Logger= MQe.getTraceHandler( );
        ...
    }
    ...
}

```

**MQe hexToAscii****Syntax**

```
public static String hexToAscii( String data ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method converts a String containing the character Hex representation of the data to a byte array.

**Parameters**

**data**                    A String containing the data to be converted

**Return values**

A String array containing the converted data.

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```

...
String data = hexToAscii( "30313233343536373839" );
...

```

**MQe hexToByte****Syntax**

```
public static byte[] hexToByte( String data ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method converts a String containing the character Hex representation of the data to a byte array..

**Parameters**

**data**                    A String containing the data to be converted

**Return values**

A Byte array containing the converted data.

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```

...
byte data[] = hexToByte( "30313233343536373839" );
...

```

## MQe intToByte

### Syntax

```
public static byte[] intToByte( int data )
```

### Description

Convert an integer value to 4 bytes of a byte array

### Parameters

**data** An integer containing the data to be converted

### Return values

A byte array containing the converted data

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...
byte data[] = intToByte( "30313233343536373839" );
...
```

## MQe log

### Syntax

```
public static void log( byte logType, int logNumber, Object logData)
```

### Description

Sends a message to the event log routine

### Parameters

**logType** a byte containing the type of the log message. For example:

- MQe.MQe\_Log\_Success
- MQe.MQe\_Log\_Error
- MQe.MQe\_Log\_Warning
- MQe.MQe\_Log\_Information
- MQe.MQe\_Log\_Audit\_Success
- MQe.MQe\_Log\_Audit\_Failure

**logNumber** an integer identifying the message

**logData** a String containing the message data to be logged

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...
try
{
    setLogHandler( new MyLogHandler( ... );
    log( MQe.MQe_LogSuccess, 123, "TEST opened" );
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
```

```

    {
    log( MQe.MQe_LogError, 123, "TEST failed" );
    }
    ...

```

## MQe mapFileDescriptor

### Syntax

```

public static void mapFileDescriptor( String filedDesc,
                                     Object newDesc[] )

```

### Description

Assigns an alias or nickname to a file descriptor, parameters and options. This method is normally used internally.

### Parameters

**fileDesc**            A String containing a file descriptor

**newDesc**            An object array containing the new filedescrptor and any parameter and option data

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```

...
MQe.MapFileDescriptor( "QMgrName", new String[] {
    "TcpipHttp:127.0.0.1:8080",
    "?Channel",
    "" } );
...
...

```

## MQe setEventLogHandler

### Syntax

```

public static MQeEventLogInterface setEventLogHandler(
    MQeLogInterface logObj )

```

### Description

Returns the current event log handler object and sets the new handler so that MQe will use it. The log handler object gets control on all Log requests

### Parameters

**logObj**            A log handler object that conforms to the **MQeEventLogInterface**

### Return values

The previous log handler object or *null*

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```

class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
    MySampleClass ( )
    {
        super( );
    }
}

```

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```
        setEventLogHandler( new Examples.Log.LogToDiskFile( "ThisFile.log" ) );
        ...
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQe setTraceHandler

### Syntax

```
public static MQeTraceInterface setTraceHandler( MQeTraceInterface traceObj )
```

### Description

Returns the current trace handler object and sets the new handler so that MQe will use it. The trace handle object gets control on all MQe.Trace method calls.

### Parameters

**traceObj**            A trace handler object that conforms to the **MQeTraceInterface**

### Return values

The previous trace handler object or *null*

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
    MySampleClass ( )
    {
        super( );
        setTraceHandler( new MQeTraceWindow( "Window Title", null ) );
        ...
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQe sliceByteArray

### Syntax

```
public static byte[] sliceByteArray( byte data[],
int offset,
int length )
```

### Description

This method returns an array of bytes that consists of the data starting at data[Offset] and has length number of elements.

**Note:** This is a copy of a portion of the **data** array

### Parameters

**data**                Source byte array  
**offset**              Starting element within Data to be copied  
**length**              Number of bytes to be copied

### Return values

A byte array containing a copy of the elements from data.

### Exceptions

none

**Example**

```

class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
  MySampleClass ( )
  {
    ...
    byte data[] = { (byte) 1, (byte) 2, (byte) 3, (byte) 4, (byte) 5, };

    byte temp[] = sliceByteArray( data, 1, 3 );
    ...
  }
  ...
}

```

**MQe trace****Syntax**

```

public void trace( String msg )
public void trace(int msgNumber, long insert)
public void trace( int msgNumber, Object insert )

```

**Description**

Sends a message to the trace routine

**Parameters**

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>msg</b>       | A String containing a prefix character and the message. The prefix byte consists of:<br>" " user message<br>" <b>I</b> " Information message<br>" <b>W</b> " Warning message<br>" <b>E</b> " Error message<br>" <b>S</b> " Security message<br>" <b>D</b> " Debug message<br>"_" user message<br>" <b>i</b> " Information message<br>" <b>w</b> " Warning message<br>" <b>e</b> " Error message<br>" <b>s</b> " Security message<br>" <b>d</b> " Debug message |
| <b>msgNumber</b> | An integer containing the number of the message to be displayed. The message must have previously been added using the <b>MQeTrace.addMessage</b> method. The message number must be in the range 0 <= msgNumber <= 32767.   |
| <b>insert</b>    | Either an integer value or an Object of type String or String[] that is inserted into the point in message template where there is an insert identifier (see the Trace example for details).   |

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

## MQe

**IOException** I/O error occurred

### Example

```
...
{
  ...
  trace( "I:Information message" );
  trace( 5, "Error message text" );
  ...
}
...
```

## MQe type

### Syntax

```
public String type( )
```

### Description .

Returns the String name of the object.

**Note:** This may or may not return an abbreviated class name, see the **abbreviate** method.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String containing the name of the object

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...
MQe.MQeMsgObject object = new MQeMsgObject( );
String objectName = object.type();
...
```

## MQe unicodeToByte

### Syntax

```
public static byte[] unicodeToByte( String data )
```

### Description

This method converts a Unicode String to a byte array

### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing the data to be converted

### Return values

A Byte array containing the converted data.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...
byte data[] = unicodeToByte( "This is a Data string" );
...
```

## MQe unicodeToUTF

### Syntax

```
public static byte[] unicodeToUTF( String data )
```

### Description

This method converts a Unicode String to a byte array

### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing the data to be converted

### Return values

A byte array containing the converted data.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...
byte data[] = unicodeToUTF( "This is a Data string" );
...
```

## MQe uniqueValue

### Syntax

```
public long uniqueValue( )
```

### Description .

Returns a long value using the **System.currentTimeMillis( )** call, guaranteeing that the value will not have been returned by any previous call to **uniqueValue**.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A long integer value that is a unique number for the current environment.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...
long number = MQe.uniqueValue( );
...
```

## MQe utfToUnicode

### Syntax

```
public static String utfToUnicode( byte data[])
```

### Description

This method converts a byte array containing UTF encoded Unicode to a Unicode String.

### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing the data to be converted

### Return values

The Unicode String

## MQe

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...  
String data = MQe.utfToUnicode( byteArray );  
...
```

## MQeAdapter

This is the definition for the methods that all MQSeries Everyplace adapters must provide. Any new adapters must inherit from MQeAdapter

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe**

### Method summary

| Method                  | Purpose   |
|-------------------------|---|
| <b>activate</b>         | Activates the loaded adapter  |
| <b>close</b>            | Used to finish with the adapter   |
| <b>control</b>          | Performs some adapter specific control function.                          |
| <b>checkOption</b>      | Used within the file adapters to check for options.                       |
| <b>equals</b>           | Performs an equality check with the adapter instance.                     |
| <b>erase</b>            | Erases a file via the adapter.  |
| <b>open</b>             | Opens an adapter.   |
| <b>qualityOfService</b> | Returns the qualityOfService object (an MQeFields object).                |
| <b>read</b>             | Reads data from the adapter.  |
| <b>readEOF</b>          | Reads a complete file, or until an EOF Exception occurs from the adapter. |
| <b>readln</b>           | Reads data up to a new line character from an adapter.                    |
| <b>readObject</b>       | Reads data from the adapter and return an object.                         |
| <b>status</b>           | Requests adapter status information.                                      |
| <b>write</b>            | Writes data via an adapter.   |
| <b>writeln</b>          | Writes data followed by a new line character to an adapter.               |
| <b>WriteObject</b>      | Writes data from an object to an adapter.                                 |

### MQeAdapter activate

#### Syntax

```
public void activate( String fileId,
                    Object parameter,
                    Object option,
                    int value1,
                    int value2 ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This constructor is used to activate an adapter.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

#### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>fileId</b>    | Identifier of the file                         |
| <b>parameter</b> | Any parameters for the adapter, or <i>null</i> |
| <b>options</b>   | Any options for the adapter, or <i>null</i>    |
| <b>value1</b>    | An integer value, or -1 to indicate not set    |
| <b>value2</b>    | An integer value, or -1 to indicate not set    |

## MQeAdapter

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

## MQeAdapter checkOption

### Syntax

1. protected boolean checkOption( String what ) throws Exception
2. protected boolean checkOption( Object options,  
String what ) throws Exception

### Description

This protected method is used when writing new MQSeries Everyplace adapters. The method checks for a matching option and if found will return **true**. There are two forms of the method:

1. Checks the options that were specified on the activate method
2. Checks the options that are supplied in the **options** parameter

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by descendants of MQeAdapter not by application programs.

### Parameters

**option** Options for this operation  
**what** A String containing the option to be checked

### Return values

A boolean return code:

**true** The option was found  
**false** The option was not found

### Exceptions

**IOException** Error closing the file

## MQeAdapter close

### Syntax

```
public void close( Object options ) throws Exception
```

### Description

To unbind from a file.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

## MQeAdapter control

### Syntax

```
public Object control(Object options,
                    Object ctrlObj ) throws Exception
```

### Description

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

**ctrlObj** An object used by the adapter for the control function (specific to each adapter type)

### Return values

An object dependent on the adapter type or *null*.

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

## MQeAdapter equals

### Syntax

```
public boolean equals( Object item )
```

### Description

This method is used to perform an equality check with this adapter.

The MQeAdapter base class compares the fileId with the supplied **item** if **item** is a string otherwise the base object equals method is called.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**item** An Object to be compared against

### Return values

A Boolean, either true or false

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

## MQeAdapter erase

### Syntax

```
public void erase( Object options ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is used to delete an existing file.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

## MQeAdapter

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

## MQeAdapter open

### Syntax

```
public void open( Object options ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is used to bind to a file via the adapter.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

## MQeAdapter qualityOfService

### Syntax

```
public void qualityOfService( Object options ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is used to get the quality of service object associated with this instance of the adapter.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

### Return values

A Quality of service object

### Exceptions

none

## MQeAdapter read

### Syntax

```
public byte[] read( Object options,
                  int value0 ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method is used to read a record from the specified file.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

**Parameters**

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*  
**value0** The record number to be written or -1

**Return values**

A QualityOfService byte array containing the data bytes read from the file object

**Exceptions**

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred  
**EOFException** Past end of file for this file

**MQeAdapter readEOF****Syntax**

```
public byte[] readEOF( Object options ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method is used to read the file until EOF condition is reached.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

**Parameters**

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

**Return values**

A byte array containing the file data bytes.

**Exceptions**

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

**MQeAdapter readln****Syntax**

```
public String readln( Object options ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method is used to read a record from the specified file.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

## MQeAdapter

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

### Return values

A String containing the data bytes read from the file.

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

**EOFException** Past end of file for this file

## MQeAdapter readObject

### Syntax

```
public Object readObject( Object options ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is used to read an Object from the specified file.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

### Return values

An Object containing the data read from the file.

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

**EOFException** Past end of file for this file

## MQeAdapter status

### Syntax

```
public Object status( Object options ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is used to return adapter status information as a String.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*. All adapters must support as a minimum the following options:

**MQe\_File\_NETWORK**

Returns null or the network type (TCPIP for example)

**MQe\_File\_BYTECOUNTS**

Returns the number of bytes read and/or written via the adapter

**Return values**

A String containing the data bytes read from the file.

**Exceptions**

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

**EOFException** Past end of file for this file

**MQeAdapter write****Syntax**

```
public void write( Object options,
                  int value0,
                  byte data[] ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method is used to write data to the specified file.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

**Parameters**

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

**value0** The record number to be written or -1

**data** Byte array containing the data to be written

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

**EOFException** Past end of file for this file

**MQeAdapter writeln****Syntax**

```
public void Writeln( Object options,
                    String data ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method is used to write data to the specified file.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

**Parameters**

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

## MQeAdapter

**data** String containing the data to be written.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

**EOFException** Past end of file for this file

## MQeAdapter writeObject

### Syntax

```
public void writeObject( Object options,  
                        Object data ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is used to write an Object to the specified file.

The MQeAdapter base class throws a "not supported" exception. New adapters should override this method if appropriate.

**Note:** This entry point is meant to be used by the MQSeries Everyplace object library not by application programs.

### Parameters

**options** Any options for the adapter, or *null*

**data** An Object containing the data to be written.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**IOException** Device not operational or I/O error occurred

**EOFException** Past end of file for this file

## MQeAdminMsg

This class is used to create a basic MQeAdminMsg. The class extends MQeMsgObject and provides a base for administration messages. Descendants of this class are created to administer different types of resource.

*Package*            `com.ibm.mqe`

This class is a descendant of `MQeMsgObject`

### Constants and variables

MQeAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided and inherited by MQeMsgObject:

#### Additional fields in the message

**Action:**

The administration action to perform (int)  
`public final static String Admin_Action;`

**Errors:** Errors resulting from action (MQeFields)

`public final static String Admin_Errors;`

**MaxAttempts:**

Maximum number of times request should be tried (int)  
`public final static String Admin_MaxAttempts;`

**Parms:**

Input/Output parameters for/from the action (MQeFields). Contains the characteristics of a managed resource that the action requires or has returned as a result of the action.

`public final static String Admin_Parms;`

**RC:** Result of action code (byte)

`public final static String Admin_RC;`

**Reason:**

Reason for failure (unicode)  
`public final static String Admin_Reason;`

**TargetQMgr:**

The name of the target queue manager where the action is to be performed(ascii)

`public final static String Admin_TargetQMgr`

#### Basic types of administration actions

**Create:**

Create the resource  
`public final static int Admin_Create;`

**Delete:**

Delete the resource  
`public final static int Admin_Delete;`

**Inquire:**

Return requested characteristics of resource  
`public final static int Admin_Inquire;`

**InquireAll:**

Return all characteristics of resource

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```
public final static int Admin_InquireAll;
```

### Update:

Update characteristics of resource

```
public final static int Admin_Update;
```

### Field name of the resource to be managed (ascii)

**Name:** Managed resource name. This is a characteristic of the managed resource, hence the field must reside within the **Admin\_Parms** field.

```
public final static String Admin_Name;
```

### Java class of the managed resource (ascii)

**Class:** Managed resource class. This is a characteristic of the managed resource, hence the field must reside within the **Admin\_Parms** field.

```
public final static String Admin_Class;
```

### Return codes

**Fail:** Action failed - see **Reason**

```
public final static int RC_Fail;
```

### Mixed:

Action was partially successful - see **Reason**

```
public final static int RC_Mixed;
```

### Success:

Action was successful

```
public final static int RC_Success;
```

## Constructor summary

| Constructor | Purpose                                       |
|-------------|---|
| MQeAdminMsg | Creates and initializes a default MQeAdminMsg |

## Method summary

| Method                 | Purpose  |
|------------------------|--|
| <b>characteristics</b> | Returns an MQeFields object containing the characteristics of the resource   |
| <b>create</b>          | Sets up an administration message to run the Admin_Create action             |
| <b>delete</b>          | Sets up an administration message to run the Admin_Delete action             |
| <b>duplicate</b>       | Creates a new message of the type specified by the replyType parameter       |
| <b>getAction</b>       | Returns the administration action that is to be or has been performed        |
| <b>getErrorFields</b>  | Returns a reference to the error fields object                               |
| <b>getFieldInError</b> | Given a field name return any error that occurred when processing the field. |
| <b>getInputFields</b>  | Returns a reference to the input fields object                               |

| Method                 | Purpose  |
|------------------------|--|
| <b>getName</b>         | Gets the name of the managed resource                                      |
| <b>getOutputFields</b> | Returns a reference to the output fields object                            |
| <b>getRC</b>           | Returns the return code resulting from the action                          |
| <b>getReason</b>       | Returns the reason for failure if an error occurred                        |
| <b>getTargetQMgr</b>   | Returns the queue manager where the request is to be processed             |
| <b>inquire</b>         | Sets up the administration message to perform the Action_Inquire action    |
| <b>inquireAll</b>      | Sets up the administration message to perform the Action_InquireAll action |
| <b>setAction</b>       | Sets the administration action to perform                                  |
| <b>setName</b>         | Sets the name of the resource that the action is to be performed on        |
| <b>setTargetQMgr</b>   | Sets the queue manager where the request is to be processed                |
| <b>update</b>          | Sets the administration message up to perform the Action_Update action     |

## MQeAdminMsg

### Syntax

```
public MQeAdminMsg() throws Exception
```

### Description

The constructor creates and initializes a default MQeAdminMsg

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    MQeAdminMsg aMsg = new MQeAdminMsg();
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg characteristics

### Syntax

```
public MQeFields characteristics() throws Exception
```

### Description

Returns an MQeFields object containing the characteristics of the resource. The complete set of field names and types for the resource can be determined from the resulting MQeFields object. (It does not contain the value of each characteristic)

### Parameters

none

## MQeAdminMsg

### Return values

Valid characteristics of the resource

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                      Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    MQeFields chars = msg.characteristics();
    Enumeration fields = chars.fields()
    while ( fields.hasMoreElements() )
    {
        System.out.println( "Contains field: "+
            (String)fields.nextElement() );
    }
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg create

### Syntax

```
public void create( MQeFields parms ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets up an administration message to run the Admin\_Create action. Attempts to create a new managed resource with characteristics as specified in the **parms** parameter.

### Parameters

**parms**                      An MQeFields object containing name value pairs for any characteristics that require a setting different to the managed resources default setting. The name of the resource can be included in **parms** but can also be set with the **setName** method.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                      Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Create ExampleQ
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );
    parms.putUnicode( MQeQueueAdminMsg.Queue_Description,
        "a new description ..." );

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    msg.create( parms );
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg delete

### Syntax

```
public void delete( MQeFields parms ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

Sets up an administration message to run the Admin\_Delete action. Attempts to delete a managed resource.

**Parameters**

**parms** An MQeFields object which must contain the name of the managed resource to delete if it has not been set with the **setName** method.

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception** Various

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Delete ExampleQ
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );
    msg.delete( parms );
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg duplicate

**Syntax**

```
public MQeFields duplicate( String replyType ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

Create a new message of the type specified by the replyType parameter. If *null*, a message that is the same type as this message is returned. All fields are duplicated with the exception of fields that constitute the unique message ID.

**Note:** The **MQeFields.copy** method is employed so only a shallow copy of the message is made.

**Parameters**

**replyType** The type of message to be returned or *null* if the same as this message

**Return values**

Duplicate message

**Exceptions**

ClassNotFoundException

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    // Create a message as the same type as this one
    MQeQueueAdminMsg reply =
        (MQeQueueAdminMsg).requestMsg.duplicate( null );
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg

### MQeAdminMsg getAction

#### Syntax

```
public int getAction( )
```

#### Description

Returns the administration action that is to be, or has been performed

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

Field Admin\_Action from the MQeAdminMsg or Action\_Unknown if not set

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    int action = requestMsg.getAction();
    switch ( action )
    {
        case Create :
            performCreate();
            break;
        case Delete :
            performDelete();
            ...
    }
}
```

### MQeAdminMsg getErrorFields

#### Syntax

```
public MQeFields getErrorFields()
```

#### Description

Returns a reference to the error fields object.

Error fields contain any errors related to subproblems that occurred when processing the action. For instance, if a request was made to update 2 characteristics and 1 request succeeds and the other fails, ErrorFields contain the details of the one that failed. The name of the field in error matches that in the Admin\_Parms field.

Use the **getRC** method to check the overall result of the action.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

An empty MQeFields object or the Admin\_Errors field from the MQeAdminMsg

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    if ( replyMsg.getRC() != 0 )
```

```

    {
    MQeFields errs = replyMsg.getErrorFields();
    Enumeration fields = errs.fields()
    while ( fields.hasMoreElements() )
    {
    String errF = (String)fields.nextElement()
    System.out.println( "Field: "+
        errF+
        "failed with error "+
        fields.getAscii( Msg_RC ) );
    }
    }
}

```

## MQeAdminMsg getFieldInError

### Syntax

```
public String[] getFieldInError( String fieldName )
```

### Description

This method is used to obtain information on individual errors after a getRC return of RC\_Fail or RC\_Mixed. Given a field name return any error that occurred when processing the field. If the field that was processed was an array then a corresponding string array is returned that contains the same number of elements. If the field that was processed was not an array then the returned array will only contain one element. If the field was not in error then *null* is returned.

### Parameters

**fieldname**      Name of field to test for error

### Return values

A string array containing any error that occurred when processing the named field

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```

class MyApplication
{
    if ( replyMsg.getRC() != 0 )
    {
        String fieldName = MQeQueueAdminMsg.Queue_Priority
        String[] errs = replyMsg.getFieldInError( fieldName );
        if ( errs != null )
            System.out.println( "Error setting priority"+ errs[0]
        )
    }
}

```

## MQeAdminMsg getInputFields

### Syntax

```
public MQeFields getInputFields()
```

### Description

Returns a reference to the input fields object. The input fields object contains the input parameters required by an action.

### Parameters

none

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### Return values

Reference to an MQeFields object that contains input parameters required for an action

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    MQeFields parms = requestMsg.getInputFields()
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg getMaxAttempts

### Syntax

```
public int getMaxAttempts( )
```

### Description

Get the maximum number of times the request should be retried in the event that the request is held up due to the resource being unavailable at the time the request is processed.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

Field Admin\_MaxAttempts from the MQeAdminMsg is returned or a default of 1 if not set

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    int tries = requestMsg.getMaxAttempts();
    ...
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg getName

### Syntax

```
public String getName( )
```

### Description

Get the name of the managed resource or *null* if not set

### Parameters

none

### Return values

Field Admin\_Name from the MQeAdminMsg or *null* if not set

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```

class MyApplication
{
    ...
    String name = requestMsg.getName();
    ...
}

```

## MQeAdminMsg getOutputFields

### Syntax

```
public MQeFields getOutputFields()
```

### Description

Returns a reference to the output fields object. OutputFields contains both the input parameters of a request together with the results of the request.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

Results of an action

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```

class MyApplication
{
    MQeFields parms = replyMsg.getOutputFields()
    if (parms.contains( MQeQueueAdminMsg.desc ) )
    {
        System.out.println("Queue description: "+
            parms.getUnicode(MqeQueueAdminMsg.Desc) );
    }
}

```

## MQeAdminMsg getRC

### Syntax

```
public int getRC( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Returns the code resulting from the action

### Parameters

none

### Return value

Return code.

Possible values are:

```

public final static int RC_Success;
public final static int RC_Fail;
public final static int RC_Mixed;

```

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                      Various

### Example

```

class MyApplication
{
    ...
    int rc = ReplyMsg.getRC();
}

```

## MQeAdminMsg

```
        if (rc != ReplyMsg.RC_success)
            String error = replyMsg.getReason();
        ....
    }
```

### MQeAdminMsg getReason

#### Syntax

```
public String getReason( )
```

#### Description

Returns the reason for failure if an error occurred

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

String, typically the exception that caused the failure. If the exception is of type MQeException the string will include the MQeException code at the start of the string as "Code=nnn;"

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    int rc = replyMsg.getRC();

    if (rc != replyMsg.RC_success)
        String error = replyMsg.getReason();
    ...
}
```

### MQeAdminMsg getTargetQMgr

#### Syntax

```
public String getTargetQMgr( ) throws MQeException
```

#### Description

Returns the queue manager where the request is to be processed.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

Queue manager where the request is to be processed.

#### Exceptions

|                     |                                       |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"       |
|                     | Except_NotFound, Item + " not found". |

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    try
    {
        String targetQMgr = requestMsg.getTargetQMgr();
    }
    catch ( MQeException e)
```

```

    {
        System.out.println("Target queue manager not set")
    }
}

```

## MQeAdminMsg inquire

### Syntax

```
public void inquire( MQeFields parms ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets up the administration message to perform the Action\_Inquire action

### Parameters

**parms** The names of the characteristics of the managed resource that are to be inquired on. The managed resource name can also be included in the parameters if not set via the **setName()** method.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

NullPointerException

### Example

```

class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Request the value of description and max queue depth
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    parms.putUnicode( MQeQueueAdminMsg.Queue_Description, null );
    parms.putInt( MQeQueueAdminMsg.Queue_MaxQDepth, 0 );

    // set the name of the queue to inquire on
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    msg.inquire( parms );
}

```

## MQeAdminMsg inquireAll

### Syntax

```
public void inquireAll( MQeFields parms ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets up the administration message to perform the Action\_InquireAll action. The InquireAll action returns all characteristics of the managed resource.

### Parameters

**parms** needs to contain the name of the resource to be inquired on or *null* if the name has been set via the **setName()** method.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

NullPointerException

## MQeAdminMsg

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // set the name of the queue to inquire on
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    msg.inquireAll( new MQeFields() );
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg.setAction

### Syntax

```
public void setAction(int action )
```

### Description

Sets the administration action to be performed. Sets the Admin\_Action field in the MQeAdminMsg

### Parameters

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| <b>action</b> | Possible values are:                              |
|               | public final static int Action_Create;            |
|               | public final static int Action_Delete;            |
|               | public final static int Action_Inquire;           |
|               | public final static int Action_InquireAll;        |
|               | public final static int Action_Update;            |
|               | <br>  |
|               | // additional actions can implemented in subclass |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                            |         |
|----------------------------|---------|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | Various |
|----------------------------|---------|

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeAdminMsg requestMsg = new MQeAdminMsg()
    requestMsg.setAction(MQeAdminMsg.Action_Inquire);
    ...
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg.setName

### Syntax

```
public void setName( String resourceName ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets the name of the resource that the action is to be performed on.

### Parameters

**resourceName** Name of the resource

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

`java.lang.Exception`      Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Delete a queue
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    MQeQueueManagerAdminMsg msg = new MQeQueueManagerAdminMsg();
    msg.inquireAll( parms );
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg setTargetQMgr

### Syntax

```
public String setTargetQMgr( String targetQMgr ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets the queue manager where the request is to be processed.

### Parameters

**targetQMgr**      Name of the queue manager that will process the request

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    MQeQueueAdminMsg requestMsg = new MQeQueueAdminMsg();
    requestMsg.setTargetQMgr("ExampleQM");
    requestMsg.setName("ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );
    requestMsg.create( new MQeFields() );
}
```

## MQeAdminMsg update

### Syntax

```
public void update( MQeFields parms ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets up the administration message to perform the Action\_Update action, which attempts to update a managed resources characteristics based on those in **parms**.

### Parameters

**parms**      The characteristics that are to be updated. If the name of the resource to be managed has not been set then it can be included in parameters.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

NullPointerException.

## MQeAdminMsg

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Setname of resource to be managed
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );

    // Change the value of description
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    parms.putUnicode( MQeQueueAdminMsg.Queue_Desc, "Change description ... );

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    msg.update( parms );
}
```

## MQeAttribute

This class is used to create an attribute object. This object contains the mechanisms to perform authentication, encryption and compression. Attribute objects can be associated with channels, queues, messages, and MQeFields objects.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe**

This class is a descendant of **MQe**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor  | Purpose                           |
|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| MQeAttribute | Constructs an MQeAttribute object |

### Method summary

| Method           | Purpose  |
|------------------|--|
| authenticatedID  | Returns a String that is the authenticated identifier        |
| activate         | Activates an MQeAttribute object                             |
| change           | Used to change the characteristics of this attribute object  |
| close            | Release any resources used by this object                    |
| decodeData       | Decrypt and/or decompress the supplied data                  |
| encodeData       | Compress and/or encrypt the supplied data                    |
| equals           | Compares the settings for one attribute object with this one |
| getAuthenticator | Gets the object reference to the authenticator               |
| getCompressor    | Gets the object reference to the compressor                  |
| getCryptor       | Gets the object reference to the cryptor.                    |

## MQeAttribute

### Syntax

1. `public MQeAttribute( )`
2. `public MQeAttribute( MQeAuthenticator authenticator,  
                          MQeCryptor cryptor,  
                          MQeCompressor compressor  
                          ) throws Exception`

### Description

Constructs an MQeAttribute object. There are two forms of constructor:

1. Creates an object that requires the attributes to be set with the activate method call
2. Creates a object and automatically calls the activate method

### Parameters

- authenticator**    An object reference to an MQeAuthenticator object
- cryptor**            An object reference to an MQeCryptor object
- compressor**        An object reference to an MQeCompressor object

### Return values

none

## MQeAttribute

### Exceptions

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Various activation errors                    |
| <b>IOException</b>  | Various IO errors depending on protocol type |

### Example

```
class MySampleClass
{
    ...
    MQeAttribute attribute = new MQeAttribute( null,
                                             new MQeXorCryport( ),
                                             new MQeRleCompressor( ) );
    ...
    MQeChannel channel = new MQeChannel( aAttribute,
                                         "HTTP://test.server.ibm.com:8080" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeAttribute activate

### Syntax

```
public void activate( MQeRule rule,
                    MQeAuthenticator authenticator,
                    MQeCryptor cryptor,
                    MQeCompressor compressor) throws Exception
```

### Description

Activates an MQeAttribute object.

### Parameters

|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| <b>rule</b>          | An object reference to an <b>MQeRule</b> object to be used by this attribute. |
| <b>authenticator</b> | An object reference to an MQeAuthenticator object                             |
| <b>cryptor</b>       | An object reference to an MQeCryptor object                                   |
| <b>compressor</b>    | An object reference to an MQeCompressor object                                |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Various activation errors                    |
| <b>IOException</b>  | Various IO errors depending on protocol type |

### Example

```
class MySampleClass
{
    ...
    MQeAttribute attribute = new MQeAttribute( null,
                                             new MQeXorCryport( ),
                                             new MQeRleCompressor( ) );
    ...
    MQeChannel channel = new MQeChannel( attribute,
                                         "HTTP://test.server.ibm.com:8080" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeAttribute authenticatedID

### Syntax

```
public String authenticatedID( )
```

### Description

This method returns a String that is the authenticated id, or *null* if it is not authenticated. This is typically used on the server side of a channel if there is data or a process that is allowed to be run only by certain users.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String that is the authenticated identifier or *null*

### Exceptions

none

## MQeAttribute change

### Syntax

```
public synchronized void change( MQeChannel channel,
                                 MQeRule rule,
                                 MQeAttribute attribute) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is called to change the characteristics of an attribute object. That is, to change the rule, authenticator, cryptor or compressor used by the attribute object. If the Channel parameter is not *null*, the remote end of the channel has to agree to the change of characteristics otherwise an exception is thrown.

### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>channel</b>   | An object reference to a channel used for any communications   |
| <b>rule</b>      | A rules object used to verify that the change is allowed.<br><br><b>Note:</b> The previous rules object has to allow the new rules object. |
| <b>attribute</b> | An object reference to an MQeAttribute   |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |                                   |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Rule, "Disallowed by rule" |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|

Depends on the authenticator, cryptor and/or the compressor used by the attribute

## MQeAttribute close

### Syntax

```
public void close( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Closes and releases resources used by the authenticator.

## MQeAttribute

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

MQeException

Invalid or not allowed

## MQeAttribute decodeData

### Syntax

```
public byte[] decodeData( MQeChannel channel,
                          byte data[],
                          int offset,
                          int count ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is called to decode (decrypt and/or decompress) the bytes referenced by **data**, **offset** and for length **count**.

**Note:** This method is intended for internal use and is not normally called by applications.

### Parameters

**channel** An object reference to the channel used to receive the encoded data or *null*

**data** An object reference to a byte array containing the data to be decoded

**offset** An integer index specifying the start byte in the data array

**count** An integer count of the number of bytes to decode

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

Depends on the authenticator, cryptor and/or the compressor used by the attribute

## MQeAttribute encodeData

### Syntax

```
public byte[] encodeData( MQeChannel channel,
                           byte data[],
                           int offset,
                           int count ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Is called to encode (encrypt and/or compress) the bytes referenced by **data**, **offset** and, for length, **count**.

**Note:** This method is intended for internal use and is not normally called by applications.

### Parameters

**channel** An object reference to the channel used to transmit the encoded data or *null*

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| <b>data</b>   | An object reference to a byte array containing the data to be encoded |
| <b>offset</b> | An integer index specifying the start byte in the data array          |
| <b>count</b>  | An integer count of the number of bytes to encode                     |

**Return values**  
none

**Exceptions**  
Depends on the authenticator, cryptor and/or the compressor used by the attribute

## **MQeAttribute equals**

**Syntax**

```
public boolean equals( Object thisItem )
```

**Description**

This method is called to compare **thisItem** with this attribute object for equality.

**Parameters**

**thisItem** An object reference, normally to an MQeAttribute object

**Return values**

A boolean value:

**true** implies they compare equal

**false** implies they are not equal

**Exceptions**

Depends on the authenticator, cryptor and/or the compressor used by the attribute

## **MQeAttribute getAuthenticator**

**Syntax**

```
public MQeAuthenticator getAuthenticator( )
```

**Description**

Is called to return the object reference to the authenticator used by this attribute, or *null* if there is no authenticator.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

An MQeAuthenticator object reference or *null*.

**Exceptions**

none

## **MQeAttribute getCompressor**

**Syntax**

```
public MQeCompressor getCompressor( )
```

**Description**

Is called to return the object reference to the compressor used by this attribute, or *null* if there is no compressor.

## MQeAttribute

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An MQeCompressor object reference or *null*.

### Exceptions

none

## MQeAttribute getCryptor

### Syntax

```
public MQeCryptor getCryptor( )
```

### Description

Is called to return the object reference to the cryptor used by this attribute, or *null* if there is no cryptor.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An MQeCryptor object reference or *null*

### Exceptions

none

## MQeChannelListener

### Licence warning

The use of this class is subject to the following conditions:

- If MQSeries Everyplace is purchased for use as a *device* (client) it may **not** be used to create a *channel listener*.
- The presence of a *channel listener* defines a *gateway* environment which requires a gateway (server) licence.

This class is used to create a listener for incoming MQSeries Everyplace logical channels.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe**

This class is a descendant of **MQe**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor        | Purpose   |
|--------------------|---|
| MQeChannelListener | used to create a listener for incoming MQSeries Everyplace logical channels |

### Method summary

| Method   | Purpose  |
|----------|--|
| activate | Activates the channel listener if it was not activated by the class constructor.         |
| setTimer | Called to set up a time-out interval for any channels accepted by this channel listener. |
| stop     | Called to stop the channel listener accepting any new inbound requests.                  |

## MQeChannelListener

### Syntax

1. public MQeChannelListener( )
2. public MQeChannelListener ( Object listener,  
String fileType,  
Object processor )

### Description

Constructs an MQeChannelListener object. This is the class that handles incoming MQeChannel requests if not running under the control of a Server (e.g. WebSphere). There are two forms of the constructor:

1. With no parameters. The class is instantiated but not activated. In order to activate the class the **activate** method must be called.
2. With parameters that define:
  - The Listening adapter , for example @Network::80@

**Note:** for the TCPIP adapters the @adapter::port\_no@ means listen

- The file type to be used when an incoming request is accepted, for example @Network:@

## MQeChannelListener

- A class instance that processes the channel requests. Normally this is an instance of **MQeChannelManager**

### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>listener</b>  | An object defining either an <b>MQeAdapter</b> object or a file descriptor string used to listen for incoming requests                                     |
| <b>fileType</b>  | A String defining the file descriptor to be used in creating a new instance of an <b>MQeAdapter</b> object used to read and write data for the new channel |
| <b>processor</b> | An instance of an object to be used to manage the channels, normally an instance of <b>MQeChannelManager</b>   |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none.

### Example

```
class MySampleClass
{
    ...
    MQeChannelListener c1 = new MQeChannelManager( @Network::8080@,
                                                @Network:@,
                                                new MQeChannelManager( ) );
    ...
}
```

## MQeChannelListener activate

### Syntax

```
public void activate( Object listener,
                    String fileType,
                    Object processor )
```

### Description

Activates an MQeChannelListener object. This is normally used only if the class was instantiated using a constructor with no parameters. The parameters define:

- The Listening adapter, for example @Network::80@

**Note:** For the TCPIP adapters the @adapter::port\_no@ means listen

- The file type to be used when an incoming request is accepted, for example @Network:@
- A class instance that processes the channel requests. Normally this is an instance of **MQeChannelManager**

### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>listener</b>  | An object defining either an <b>MQeAdapter</b> object or a file descriptor string used to listen for incoming requests                                     |
| <b>fileType</b>  | A String defining the file descriptor to be used in creating a new instance of an <b>MQeAdapter</b> object used to read and write data for the new channel |
| <b>processor</b> | A instance of an object to be used to manage the channels, normally an instance of <b>MQeChannelManager</b>  |

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```
class MySampleClass
{
    ...
    MQeChannelListener cl = new MQeChannelManager( );
    cl.activate( QNetwork::8080Q, QNetwork:Q, new MQeChannelManager( ) );
    ...
}
```

**MQeChannelListener setTimer****Syntax**

```
public void setTimer( int interval ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method is used to set a channel time-out interval for any channels accepted by this channel listener.

**Parameters**

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>interval</b> | An integer value in seconds of the desired time out interval |
|-----------------|--|

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

|                     |                                 |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Invalid channel or not allowed  |
| <b>IOException</b>  | Error performing I/O operations |

**Example**

```
class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
    MQeChannelListener cl = new MQeChannelManager( "Network::8080",
                                                    "Network:",
                                                    new MQeChannelManager( ) );
    ...
    cl.setTimer( 300 );
    ...
    ...
}
```

**MQeChannelListener stop****Syntax**

```
public void stop( )
```

**Description**

Used to stop the channel listener accepting any new channel requests

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

none

## MQeChannelListener

### Exceptions

none.

### Example

```
class MySampleClass
{
    MQeChannelListener cl = new MQeChannelManager( "Network:8080",
                                                    "Network:",
                                                    new MQeChannelManager( ) );

    ...
    cl.stop( );
    ...
}
```

## MQeChannelManager

### Licence warning

The use of this class is subject to the following conditions:

- If MQSeries Everyplace is purchased for use as a *device* (client) it may **not** be used to create a *channel manager*.
- The presence of a *channel manager* defines a *gateway* environment which requires a gateway (server) licence.

This class is used to create a manager for the MQSeries Everyplace logical channels.

### Package

`com.ibm.mqe`

This class is a descendant of `MQe`.

## Constructor summary

| Constructor                    | Purpose   |
|--------------------------------|---|
| <code>MQeChannelManager</code> | Constructs a <code>MQeChannelManager</code> object. |

## Method summary

| Method                             | Purpose   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <code>getGlobalHashtable</code>    | Called to get a reference to the Hashtable used to hold any shared objects.                                     |
| <code>mapDestination</code>        | Called to set up a reroute for one destination to another.  |
| <code>numberOfChannels</code>      | Called to get the number of currently active logical channels.  |
| <code>process</code>               | Called to process data (bytes) received, destined for an MQSeries Everyplace logical channel.                   |
| <code>timeOut</code>               | Called to force any logical channels to be timed out if they have been idle for more than a specified interval. |
| <code>totalNumberOfChannels</code> | Called to get the total number of channels that have been used since the channel manager was activated.         |

## MQeChannelManager

### Syntax

```
public MQeChannel( )
```

### Description

Constructs a `MQeChannelManager` object.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

## MQeChannelManager

### Examples

```
class MySampleClass
{
    ...
    MQeChannelManager cm = new MQeChannelManager( );
    ...
}
```

## MQeChannelManager getGlobalHashtable

### Syntax

```
public Hashtable getGlobalHashTable( )
```

### Description

Returns the Global hashtable belonging to this instance of the channel manager. This table can be used to hold information that persists across channels

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MySampleClass
{
    try
    {
        MQeChannelManager cm = new MQeChannelManager( );
        Hashtable table = cm.getGlobalHashtable( );
        ...
    }
    catch ( Exception e )
    {
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeChannelManager mapDestination

### Syntax

```
public void mapDestination(String destination,
                           String newDestination)
```

### Description

This method is used to set up a route from **destination** to **newDestination**.

### Parameters

**destination** A string defining the destination to be remapped

**newDestination** A string defining the new destination

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

**Example**

```

class MySampleClass
{
    try
    {
        MQeChannelManager cm = new MQeChannelManager( );
        cm.mapDestination( "One", "Two" );
        ...
    }
    catch ( Exception e )
    {
    }
    ...
}

```

**MQeChannelManager numberOfChannels****Syntax**

```
public int numberOfChannels( int newLimit )
```

**Description**

This method returns the number of currently active channels.

**Parameters**

**newLimit**      The new maximum number of concurrent channels allowed by this channel manager, a value of 0 implies no limit

**Return Values**

An integer value that is the number of current channels.

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```

...
MQeChannelManager cm = new MQeChannelManager( );
int count = cm.numberOfChannels( 0 );
...
...

```

**MQeChannelManager process****Syntax**

1. `public void process( MqeAdapter adapter ) throws Exception`
2. `public void process( MqeAdapter adapter, byte data[] ) throws Exception`

**Description**

There are two forms of the process method :

1. An MQeAdapter object as the only parameter. This is used to read the data to be passed on to the logical channel.
2. An MQeAdapter (or *null*) and an array of bytes. The array contains the data to be processed by the logical channel.

**Parameters**

**adapter**      An **MQeAdapter** object to be used for any I/O operations

**data**          A byte array containing the data to be processed

## MQeChannelManager

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Invalid channel or not allowed

**data**

A byte array containing the data to be processed

### Example

```
class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
    try
    {
        MQeChannelManager cm = new MQeChannelManager( );
        ...
        cm.process( null, data );
        ...
    }
    catch ( Exception e )
    {
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeChannelManager timeOut

### Syntax

1. public void timeOut( long age )
2. public void timeOut( MQeChannel channel,long age )

### Description

This method is used to check all channels or one specific channel to see if they have been idle for more than **age** milliseconds. Any channels that have exceeded this time are closed

### Parameters

**age** An interval in milliseconds. If the channel has been idle for more than this interval it is considered to have timed out, and is closed

**channel** A specific MQeChannel to be check to see if it has timed out

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
...
cm.timeOut( 30 * 60 * 1000 );
...
```

## MQeChannelManager totalNumberOfChannels

### Syntax

```
public long totalNumberOfChannels( )
```

### Description .

This method returns the total number of channels that have been used since the channel manager was activated.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

A long integer value that is the total number of channels.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
MQeChannelManager cm = new MQeChannelManager( );  
long count = cm.totalNumberOfChannels( );  
...  
...
```

## MQEnumeration

This class is used to hold a collection of MQSeries Everyplace message objects. It allows the messages to be enumerated in an identical manner to the standard Java Enumeration class.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe**

Extends **java.util.Enumeration**.

### Method summary

| Method                     | Purpose  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>getLockId</b>           | Returns the lock id associated with this group of messages, if one exists.   |
| <b>getNextMessage</b>      | Returns the next message in the enumeration.   |
| <b>getQueueManagerName</b> | Returns the name of the queue manager that owns the queue from which the messages contained in the enumeration were browsed. |
| <b>getQueueName</b>        | Returns the name of the queue from which the messages contained in the enumeration were browsed.                             |

### MQEnumeration getLockId

#### Syntax

```
public long getLockId()
```

#### Description

If a there is a lock id associated with the group of messages contained in this enumeration, it is returned by this method. The lock id is only set if this enumeration is the result of a **browseMessagesAndLock** operation. Otherwise this method returns a dummy value of "-1".

#### Parameters

none

#### Return Values

A long value containing the lock id of the group of messages contained within this enumeration.

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyMQApplication
{
    ...
    /* Lock all msgs on this queue */
    MQEnumeration msgEnum = QMgr.browseMessagesAndLock( null, "MyQueue",
                                                         null, null, 0, false );
    long lockId = msgEnum.getLockId(); /* get the Lock Id */
    ...
}
```

### MQEnumeration getNextMessage

#### Syntax

```
public MQEObject getNextMessage( MQAttribute attribute,
                                long confirmId ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the next message in the enumeration. However, the behaviour of this method is dependent upon the justUID parameter of the browse request that created this enumeration. The justUID parameter determines whether the enumeration contains just the unique ID fields of the messages matched by the browse, or all of the fields contained in each message.

If the browse request's justUID parameter is set to true, this method returns the next message in the enumeration (in this case it works identically to the nextElement() method).

If the browse request's justUID parameter is set to false, this method returns the message by issuing a get message command against the target queue. This causes the message to be removed from the target queue.

Use the nextElement() method (inherited from **java.util.Enumeration**) to return a message without removing it from the target queue.

### Parameters

- |                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>attribute</b> | An <b>MQAttribute</b> object used to provide message-level security. The attribute must match the attribute attached to the message returned by this method. Failure to do this may result in message loss.   |
| <b>confirmId</b> | A long value denoting whether or not to use assured message delivery. A nonzero value does not remove the message from the target queue, this occurs on a subsequent confirm flow. A value of zero removes the message from the target queue immediately. |

### Return Values

An **MQEObject** containing the next element in the enumeration

### Exceptions

Except\_NotSupported

### Example

```
class MyMQApplication
{
    ...
    MQEnumeration msgEnum = null;
    msgEnum = qmgr.browseMessages( "RemoteQMGr", "RemoteQueue", null, null,
                                  false );
    while( msgEnum.hasMoreElements() )
    {
        /* get message */
        MQEObject msg = msgEnum.getNextMessage( null, MQE.uniqueValue() );
        /* confirm get */
        qmgr.confirmGetMessage( msgEnum.getQueueManagerName(),
                               msgEnum.getQueueName(),
                               msg.getMsgUIDFields() );
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQEnumeration

### MQEnumeration getQueueManagerName

#### Syntax

```
public String getQueueManagerName()
```

#### Description

This method returns the name of the queue manager that owns the queue from which the messages contained in the enumeration were browsed.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return Values

A String containing the name of the queue manager that owns the queue from which these messages were browsed.

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyMQApplication
{
    ...
    MQEnumeration msgEnum = null;
    msgEnum = qmgr.browseMessages( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue", null, null,
                                  false );
    while( msgEnum.hasMoreElements() )
    {
        /* get message */
        MQMsgObject msg = msgEnum.getNextMessage( null, MQE.uniqueValue() );
        /* confirm get */
        qmgr.confirmGetMessage( msgEnum.getQueueManagerName(),
                               msgEnum.getQueueName(), msg.getMsgUIDFields() );
    }
    ...
}
```

#### Related functions

[getQueueName](#)

### MQEnumeration getQueueName

#### Syntax

```
public String getQueueName()
```

#### Description

This method returns the name of the queue from which the messages contained in the enumeration were browsed.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return Values

A String containing the name of the queue from which these messages were browsed.

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyMQApplication
{
    ...
    MQEnumeration msgEnum = null;
    msgEnum = qmgr.browseMessages( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue", null, null,
                                  false );
}
```

```
while( msgEnum.hasMoreElements() )
{
    /* get message */
    MQeMsgObject msg = msgEnum.getNextMessage( null, MQe.uniqueValue() );
    /* confirm get */
    qmgr.confirmGetMessage( msgEnum.getQueueManagerName(),
                           msgEnum.getQueueName(), msg.getMsgUIDFields() ); }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

**getQueueManagerName**

## MQeException

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## MQeException

This class is used to create an MQeException object.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe**

This class is a descendant of **MQe**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor         | Purpose                            |
|---------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Constructs an MQeException object. |

### Method summary

| Method      | Purpose                                    |
|-------------|--|
| <b>code</b> | Returns the integer value of the exception |

## MQeException

### Syntax

1. `public MQeException( )`
2. `public MQeException( int codeValue )`
3. `public MQeException( String errorMsg )`
4. `public MQeException( int codeValue, String errorMsg )`

### Description

Constructs an MQeException object. There are five forms of constructor:

1. Creates an object that has a **codeValue** of 0 and does not have an error message
2. Creates an object that has the specified **codeValue** and does not have an error message
3. Creates an object that has a **codeValue** of 0 and has an error message
4.
  - a. Creates an object that has the specified **codeValue** and has an error message
  - b. Creates an object that has the specified **codeValue**, has an error message and has imbedded (hidden) data

The value of the **codeValue** parameter should be one of the constants defined in the **MQe** class, for example, **MQe.Except\_NotFound**.

### Parameters

- codeValue**        An integer value, normally one of the MQe.Except\_... constants
- errorMsg**        A String associated with the exception, and possibly displayed when the exception occurs

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

**Example**

```

class MySampleClass
{
    ...
    if ( data == null )
        throw new MQeException( MQe.Except_Data, "Data missing" );
    ...
    ...
}

```

**MQeException code****Syntax**

```
public int code( )
```

**Description**

This method extracts the code value of the MQeException, that is the value that was set when the exception was created.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

An integer

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```

class MySampleClass
{
    ...
    try
    {
        ...
    }
    catch ( Exception e )
    {
        if ( e instanceof MQeException )
            switch (((MQeException) e).code( ) )
            {
                case MQe.Except_Data:
                    System.err.println( "Data format error" );
                    break;
                case MQe. Except_NotFound:
                    System.err.println( "Data not specified" );
                    break;
            }
        else
            System.err.println( "Error:" + e.toString( ) );
        ...
    }
}

```

## MQeFields

This class is used to create a basic MQeFields object. This object is used to hold various data items and provide mechanisms to dump and restore these field items to or from a byte array.

Fields items are assigned a character name at the time they are added to the Fields object. This name must:

- Be at least 1 character long
- Conform to the ASCII character set, that is characters with values  $20 < \text{value} < 128$
- Must not include any of the characters `{>[]#()::;'="`

**Note:** These rules are not enforced but the results are unpredictable if they are not followed.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe**

This class is a descendant of **MQe**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor | Purpose                                     |
|-------------|---|
| MQeFields   | Creates and initializes theMQeFields object |

### Method summary

| Method                  | Purpose   |
|-------------------------|---|
| <b>contains</b>         | Verifies that the field exists within the object                              |
| <b>copy</b>             | Copies a field or set of fields from one MQeFields object to another          |
| <b>dataType</b>         | Determines the data type of a field in the object                             |
| <b>delete</b>           | Removes a field from the object   |
| <b>dump</b>             | Dumps the contents of the message object to a byte array                      |
| <b>dumpedType</b>       | Returns the object type of the dumped Fields object                           |
| <b>dumpToString</b>     | Produces a human readable representation of the contents of the Fields object |
| <b>equals</b>           | Performs an equality test with another Fields object                          |
| <b>fields</b>           | Returns an enumeration of all the fields in the object                        |
| <b>getArrayLength</b>   | Extracts the length value of a dynamic array of field's                       |
| <b>getArrayOfByte</b>   | Extracts a fixed size array of bytes  |
| <b>getArrayOfDouble</b> | Extracts a fixed size array of double size floating point numbers             |
| <b>getArrayOfFloat</b>  | Extracts a fixed size array of float size floating point numbers              |
| <b>getArrayOfInt</b>    | Extracts a fixed size array of int size integers                              |
| <b>getArrayOfLong</b>   | Extracts a fixed size array of long size integers                             |
| <b>getArrayOfShort</b>  | Extracts a fixed size array of short size integers                            |
| <b>getAscii</b>         | Extracts an Ascii string  |
| <b>getAsciiArray</b>    | Extracts an Ascii array of strings  |

| Method                  | Purpose  |
|-------------------------|--|
| <b>getAttribute</b>     | Extracts the current attribute object reference                  |
| <b>getBoolean</b>       | Extracts a boolean value or <i>null</i>                          |
| <b>getByte</b>          | Extracts a byte value  |
| <b>getByteArray</b>     | Extracts a dynamic size array of byte values                     |
| <b>getDouble</b>        | Extracts a double floating point value                           |
| <b>getDoubleArray</b>   | Extracts a dynamic size array of double floating point values    |
| <b>getFields</b>        | Extracts an imbedded Fields object                               |
| <b>getFieldsArray</b>   | Extracts a dynamic size array of Fields objects                  |
| <b>getFloat</b>         | Extracts a float value   |
| <b>getInt</b>           | Extracts an integer  |
| <b>getIntArray</b>      | Extracts a dynamic size integer array                            |
| <b>getLong</b>          | Extracts a long integer  |
| <b>getLongArray</b>     | Extracts a dynamic size long integer array                       |
| <b>getShort</b>         | Extracts a short integer   |
| <b>getShortArray</b>    | Extracts a short integer array                                   |
| <b>getUnicode</b>       | Extracts a Unicode string  |
| <b>getUnicodeArray</b>  | Extracts a dynamic size array of Unicode strings                 |
| <b>hide</b>             | Prevents a field from being used within the equals check         |
| <b>putArrayLength</b>   | Sets the length value of a dynamic array of field's              |
| <b>putArrayOfByte</b>   | Sets a fixed size array of bytes                                 |
| <b>putArrayOfDouble</b> | Sets a fixed size array of double size floating point numbers    |
| <b>putArrayOfFloat</b>  | Sets a fixed size array of float size floating point numbers     |
| <b>putArrayOfInt</b>    | Sets a fixed size array of int size integers                     |
| <b>putArrayOfLong</b>   | Sets a fixed size array of long size integers                    |
| <b>putArrayOfShort</b>  | Sets a fixed size array of short size integers                   |
| <b>putAscii</b>         | Sets a string containing ASCII characters                        |
| <b>putAsciiArray</b>    | Sets a dynamic size array of strings containing ASCII characters |
| <b>putBoolean</b>       | Sets a boolean value   |
| <b>putByte</b>          | Sets in the message data from a byte                             |
| <b>putByteArray</b>     | Sets a dynamic size array of byte values                         |
| <b>putDouble</b>        | Sets a double floating point value                               |
| <b>putDoubleArray</b>   | Sets a dynamic size double floating-point array                  |
| <b>putFields</b>        | Sets an imbedded Fields object                                   |
| <b>putFieldsArray</b>   | Sets an array of Fields objects                                  |
| <b>putFloat</b>         | Sets a float value   |
| <b>putFloatArray</b>    | Sets a dynamic size float array                                  |
| <b>putInt</b>           | Sets an integer  |
| <b>putIntArray</b>      | Sets a dynamic size integer array                                |
| <b>putLong</b>          | Sets a long integer  |
| <b>putLongArray</b>     | Sets a dynamic size long integer array                           |
| <b>putShort</b>         | Sets a short integer   |

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| Method                   | Purpose  |
|--------------------------|--|
| <b>putShortArray</b>     | Sets a dynamic size short integer array  |
| <b>putUnicode</b>        | Sets a string containing Unicode characters  |
| <b>putUnicodeArray</b>   | Sets a dynamic size array of strings containing Unicode characters   |
| <b>rename</b>            | Renames an item held within the fields object  |
| <b>restore</b>           | Restores the contents of a Fields object from a byte array produced by the dump method                           |
| <b>restoreFromFile</b>   | Restores the contents of a fields object from a file in either binary or formatted ASCII                         |
| <b>restoreFromString</b> | Restores the contents of a Fields object from an ascii string (typically produced by a dumpToString method call) |
| <b>setAttribute</b>      | Assigns an attribute object to this MQeFields  |
| <b>updateValue</b>       | Updates (increments or decrements) an integer type value within a Fields object                                  |

## MQeFields

### Syntax

1. `public MQeFields( )`
2. `public MQeFields( byte data[] )`

### Description

The constructor creates and initializes the MQeFields object. There are two forms of the constructor:

1. With no parameters. This constructs an empty Fields object.
2. With a byte array. This restores a Fields object from the supplied byte array.

**Note:** The objects must be of the same type

### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing a dumped Fields object

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**MQException** Except\_data, "data:xxxx"  
Except\_Type, "Type: aaaa - bbbb"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields contains

### Syntax

```
public boolean contains( String item )
```

**Description**

This method verifies that a field exists within the MQeFields object

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be checked

**Return values**

**true**    the field was found  
**false**   the field was not found

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields msg = new MQeFields( );
    msg.putAscii("Data", "This is some data" );
    ...
    if ( msg.contains( "Data" ) )
        ...
    ...
}
```

**MQeFields copy****Syntax**

1. public void copy( MQeFields from,  
                    boolean replace )
2. public void copy( MQeFields from,  
                    boolean replace,  
                    String item )

**Description**

This method will copy a reference to a field (or all field's) from one Fields object to another. There are two forms:

1. Copies all fields
2. Copies an individual field

The boolean value **replace**, if set to **false**, throws an exception if the field already exists within the target Fields object, if set to **true**, it replaces the value that already exists.

**Parameters**

**from**                    The MQeFields object to be used as the source of the data  
**replace**                A boolean controlling if a field is to be replaced or not  
**item**                    The name of a single field to be copied

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

**MQeException**                    Except\_Duplicate, "Duplicate: aaaa"

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields

```
MQeFields fields1 = new MQeFields( );
fields1.putAscii("data", "This issome data" );
...
MQeFields fields2 = new MQeFields( );
fields2.copy(fields1, true, "data" )
...
...
}
```

## MQeFields dataType

### Syntax

```
public char dataType( String item )
```

### Description

This method will return the data type of a field within the MQeFields object.

### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be checked

### Return values

A character value representing the data type of the field. The predefined data types in MQeFields are:

```
public    final static char    TypeUnTyped
public    final static char    TypeAscii
public    final static char    TypeUnicode
public    final static char    TypeBoolean
public    final static char    TypeByte
public    final static char    TypeShort
public    final static char    TypeInt
public    final static char    TypeLong
public    final static char    TypeFloat
public    final static char    TypeDouble
public    final static char    TypeArrayElements
public    final static char    TypeFields
```

### Exceptions

**MQeException**                    Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFieldsmsg = new MQeFields( );
msg.putAscii("Data", "This is some data" );
...
if ( msg.dataType( "Data" ) ==TypeInt
...
}
```

## MQeFields delete

### Syntax

```
public void delete( String item )
```

### Description

This method deletes an existing field from the MQeFields object.

### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be removed

**Return values****Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```

class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields msg = new MQeFields( );
    msg.putAscii("Data", "This is some data" );
    ...
    msg.delete( "Data" );
    ...
}

```

**MQeFields dump****Syntax**

1. public byte[] dump( ) throws Exception
2. public byte[] dump( boolean allowXor ) throws Exception

**Description**

This method dumps out to a byte array, the contents of this MQeFields object so that it can be restored using the restore method. There are two forms of this method:

1. With no parameter
2. With **allowXor**. If this is set to **false**, the MQeFields object is dumped to a byte array. With **allowXor** set to **true**, each field is XOR'd with a previous version (held internally) in an attempt to increase the number of bytes that have a value of 0x00 to try to improve the compression ratio.

If intelligent fields objects are to be created, that is fields that have program logic in them, then it is in the dump and restore methods that this logic should be activated. For example when just before the fields object is dumped, a data base query could be issued to get latest data, or just after a restore data could be automatically stored in a data base.

**Parameters**

**allowXor** A boolean expression. **true** implies XOR the Fields, **false** implies do not XOR the Fields

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

**MQeException** Various

**Example**

```

class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields msg = new MQeFields( );
    msg.putAscii( "Data", "This is some data" );
    ...
    byte dumpData[] = msg.dump( );
    ...
}

```

## MQeFields dump data format

Data sent between MQSeries Everyplace environments is encoded using the following layout:

```
{Length Identifier Fence {Data}} {Length Identifier Fence {Data}} { ... }
```

Where:

### Length

A variable number of bytes between 1 and 4. The length is encoded in the following manner:

The first byte has the first two bits reserved and they are used as the length of the length field:

- 00 = 1 byte used for length (6 bits = 0-63)
- 01 = 2 bytes used for length (14 bits = 0-16,383)
- 10 = 3 bytes used for length (22 bits = 0-4,194,303)
- 11 = 4 bytes used for length (30 bits = 0-1,073,741,823)

### Identifier

A variable length string of bytes (each byte value must be less than 0x80) typically this would be an ASCII string. The end of the identifier is determined when a byte with 0xC0 bits set, is encountered. The identifier is subject to the following restrictions:

- Must be at least 1 character long
- Conform the ASCII character set (20<value<128)
- Must not include any of the characters {}[]#():;,'="

**Fence** A special byte delimiting the boundary between the identifier and the optional data item. This byte is used to contain the data type of the data item as shown in the following example:

```
/* Field mask values */
public final static char TypeFenceMask = 0x00C0;
public final static char TypeHidden = 0x0020;
public final static char TypeModifier = 0x0010;
/* Field data types */
public final static char TypeUnTyped = 0x0000 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeAscii = 0x0001 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeUnicode = 0x0002 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeBoolean = 0x0003 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeByte = 0x0004 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeShort = 0x0005 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeInt = 0x0006 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeLong = 0x0007 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeFloat = 0x0008 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeDouble = 0x0009 | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeArrayElements = 0x000A | TypeFenceMask;
public final static char TypeFields = 0x000B | TypeFenceMask;
```

The order of the items within the data stream is not significant.

```
08 5349 C7 1122334455 |02 44 D3 |03 5349 D6 |4603 534443 C4
6E01534FE32054E16....
```

## Savings in number of bytes transmitted

Using this data structure savings in the byte stream are achieved by:

- Reserving two bits in the first length byte allowing variable length lengths. Variable length Length code (1 to 4 bytes) i.e. only the required length bytes are sent.

- Leading 0x00s and 0xFF's of integer values are not placed in the output stream. If a value is "0" or "-1" no data bytes are sent.
- All the data items are typed and can be type checked at the receiving end.
- Null items are still transmitted (with data type), hence the presence of the item can be checked at the receiving end.
- Using the Fence byte for 3 distinct functions
  1. Delimiting the Identifier
  2. Defining the data type
  3. Defining that the data is:
    - *null* (no Data bytes)
    - positive or negative (possibly no Data bytes sent, 0 or -1)
    - boolean true or false (no Data bytes sent)

**Note:** Further savings can be achieved by compressing the data. The compressors can usually be helped by performing an XOR with a previous byte stream producing repeated bytes of 0x00, but because of the variable nature of these fields and the order of the fields may change a simple XOR will not produce the desired effect. However an "intelligent" XOR that worked on a field by field basis produces repeated 0x00 bytes thus assisting the compressor

## MQeFields dumpToString

### Syntax

```
public String dumpToString( String template )
```

### Description

This method dumps the Fields object in human readable form and returns the data as a String.

### Parameters

- template** A String template used when formatting the output. The template should have 3 insert sequences '#n'. That is:
- "#0" for the data type,
  - "#1" for the Field name
  - "#2" for the field value.

Example:

```
"Sample template -Name=#1, Type=#0, Value=#2"
```

### Return values

A String containing a representation of the Fields object

### Exceptions

Various conversion Exceptions

### Examples

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
fields.putBoolean( "tb", true );
...
fields.putLong( "m1", -1 );
System.out.println( fields.dumpToString( "Test1.obj  (#0)\t#1\t=#2\r\n" ) );
...
}
```

## MQeFields

### Example output from the dumpToString call:

```
Test1.obj (long)    la  =[2] { 0000000000000001, FFFFFFFF }
Test1.obj (boolean) tb  =true Test1.obj (byte) ba =[5] { 01, FE, FD, 04, 05 }
Test1.obj (long)    pl  =101
Test1.obj (ascii)   A   =Ascii string
Test1.obj (ascii)   nA  =null
Test1.obj (unicode) U   =Unicode string
Test1.obj (byte)    mb  =[1] { FE }
Test1.obj (int)     i   =1
Test1.obj (byte)    pb  =[1] { 02 }
Test1.obj (boolean) fb  =false
Test1.obj (short)   ms  =-1
Test1.obj (short)   sa  =[5] { 0001, FFFE, FFFD, 0004, 0005}
Test1.obj (short)   ps  =0
Test1.obj (int)     ia  =[3] { 00000001, FFFFFFFE, FFFFFFFD }
Test1.obj (long)    ml  =-1
```

## MQeFields dumpedType

### Syntax

```
public static String dumpedType( byte data[] ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns a String containing the class name of the object that was dumped.

### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing a dump of a fields object

### Return values

A String containing the class name of the object that was dumped

### Exceptions

**MQeException** Except\_Data,, "Data:aaa"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.putAscii( "Data", "This is some data" );
    byte dumpdata[] = fields.dump(fields.dump( );
    ...
    String ObjType = fields.dumpedType(objType = MQeFields.dumpedType( dumpdata );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields equals

### Syntax

```
public boolean equals( MQeFields match ) throws Exception
```

### Description

The default method requires an MQeFields (or descendent) as a parameter, each field in the parameter object is checked for equality with a matching field in the MQeFields.

Override this method to provide a different type of equality check.

### Parameters

**match** An MQeFields object containing the items to be used for the comparison.

**Return values****true** if there is a match otherwise **false****Exceptions****MQeException** Except\_Type, "wrong field type"**MQeException** Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"**Example**

```

class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.putAscii( "Data1", "This is some data" );
    fields.putAscii( "Data2", "This is more data" );
    ...
    MQeFields test = new MQeFields( );
    test.putAscii( "Data1", "This is some data" );
    ...
    if ( fields.equals( test ) )
        ...
    else
        ...
}

```

**MQeFields fields****Syntax**

```
public Enumeration fields( )
```

**Description**

This method returns an enumeration object that contains all the field names within the object.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

An enumeration object containing the field names

**Exceptions****MQeException** Except\_Type, "wrong field type"**MQeException** Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"**Example**

```

class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.putAscii( "data", "This is some data" );
    ...
    Enumeration names = fields.fields( );
    ...
}

```

**MQeFields getArrayLength****Syntax**

```
public int getArrayLength( String item ) throws Exception
```

## MQeFields

### Description

This extracts the dynamic array length of the specified item. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

An array of strings containing the ASCII data from the message

### Exceptions

**MQeException**                    Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
                                      Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( dumpData );
    ...
    int numElements = fields.getArrayLength( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getArrayOfByte

### Syntax

```
public byte[] getArrayOfByte( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts an array of bytes data from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

A byte array containing the data from the message

### Exceptions

**MQeException**                    Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
                                      Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    byte data[] = fields.getArrayOfByte( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getArrayOfDouble

### Syntax

```
public double[] getArrayOfDouble( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts an array of double floating point numbers from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

An array of double values

**Exceptions**

**MQeException**                    Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
    Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    double data[] = fields.getArrayOfDouble( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

**MQeFields getArrayOfFloat****Syntax**

```
public float[] getArrayOfFloat( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts an array of floating point numbers from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

An array of float values

**Exceptions**

**MQeException**                    Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
    Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...

    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    float data[] = fields.getArrayOfFloat( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields

### MQeFields getArrayOfInt

#### Syntax

```
public int[] getArrayOfInt( String item ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This extracts an array of int length integer numbers from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

#### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved.

#### Return values

An array of int values

#### Exceptions

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    int data[] = fields.getArrayOfInt( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

### MQeFields getArrayOfLong

#### Syntax

```
public long[] getArrayOfLong( String item ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This extracts an array of long length integer numbers from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

#### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

#### Return values

An array of long values

#### Exceptions

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    long data[] = fields.getArrayOfLong( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getArrayOfShort

### Syntax

```
public short[] getArrayOfShort( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts an array of short length integer numbers from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

An array of short values

### Exceptions

|                    |                                      |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                    | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    short data[] = fields.getArrayOfShort( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getAscii

### Syntax

```
public String getAscii( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts the ASCII data from the Fields object and returns it as a string. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Note:** The `item` parameter is a java Unicode string, which must only contain character codes that appear in the invariant part of the Ascii code pages (characters with values  $20 < \text{value} < 128$ , not including `{[]#():;'"=}`). If you attempt to pass variant character codes, these codes are subject to translations between machines when different codepages are used to manipulate the data, possibly resulting in unpredictable results. If you wish to pass variant character codes in an MQSeries Everyplace message, we recommend you use the `putArrayOfByte()` method and handle your own codepage translations between machines, or `putUnicode()` method where no codepage translations is required.

### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

A string containing the ASCII data from the message

### Exceptions

## MQeFields

**MQeException**                      Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
   Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields();
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
String data = fields.getAscii( "Data" );
...
}
```

## MQeFields getAsciiArray

### Syntax

```
public String[] getAsciiArray( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts the ASCII data (see note in "MQeFields getAscii" on page 85) from the Fields object and returns it as an array of strings. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                      The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

An array of strings containing the ASCII data from the message

### Exceptions

**MQeException**                      Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
   Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
String data[] = fields.getAsciiArray( "Data" );
...
}
```

## MQeFields getAttribute

### Syntax

```
public MQeAttribute getAttribute( )
```

### Description

This method returns an MQeAttribute object reference associated with this Fields object, or *null* if there is no attribute.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An MQeAttribute object reference

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeAttribute thisAttribute = fields.getAttribute( );
...
}
```

**MQeFields getBoolean****Syntax**

```
public boolean getBooean( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts a boolean value from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

A boolean set to either **true** or **false**

**Exceptions**

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
boolean data = fields.getBoolean( "Data" );
...
}
```

**MQeFields getByte****Syntax**

```
public byte getByte( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts a byte of data from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

A byte containing the data from the field

**Exceptions**

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

## MQeFields

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    byte data = fields.getBytes( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getByteArray

### Syntax

```
public byte[] getByteArray( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts the byte data from the Fields object and returns it as a byte array. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                      The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

A byte array containing the data from the field

### Exceptions

|                    |                                      |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                    | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    byte data[] = fields.getByteArray( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getDouble

### Syntax

```
public double getDouble( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts a double length floating point value from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                      The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

A double containing the value from the field

### Exceptions

|                    |                                      |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                    | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

**Example**

```

class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    double data = fields.getDouble( "Data" );
    ...
}

```

**MQeFields getDoubleArray****Syntax**

```
public byte[] getDoubleArray( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts a dynamic array of double length floating point values from the Fields object and returns it as an array of doubles. The length of the array is determined by the ArrayLength value for this item. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

A byte array containing the data from the field

**Exceptions**

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

**Example**

```

class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    double data[] = fields.getDoubleArray( "Data" );
    ...
}

```

**MQeFields getFields****Syntax**

```
public MQeFields getFields( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts a Fields object item from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

A double containing the value from the field

**Exceptions**

## MQeFields

**MQeException**                      Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
   Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
MQeFields data = fields.getFields( "Data" );
...
}
```

## MQeFields getFieldsArray

### Syntax

```
public MQeFields[] getFieldsArray( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts a dynamic array of MQeFields objects from the Fields object and returns it as an array. The length of the array is determined by the ArrayLength value for this item. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                      The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

An array containing the MQeFields objects

### Exceptions

**MQeException**                      Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
   Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
MQeFields data[] = fields.getFieldsArray( "Data" );
...
}
```

## MQeFields getFloat

### Syntax

```
public float getFloat( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts a float value item from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                      The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

A float containing the value from the field

**Exceptions**

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
float data = fields.getFloat( "Data" );
...
}
```

**MQeFields getFloatArray****Syntax**

```
public float[] getFloatArray( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts a dynamic array of float values from the Fields object and returns it as an array. The length of the array is determined by the ArrayLength value for this item. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

An array containing the float values

**Exceptions**

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
float data[] = fields.getFloatArray( "Data" );
...
}
```

**MQeFields getInt****Syntax**

```
public int getInt( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts an int length integer value item from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

## MQeFields

### Return values

An int containing the value from the field

### Exceptions

|                    |                                      |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                    | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    int data = fields.getInt( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getIntArray

### Syntax

```
public int[] getIntArray( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts a dynamic array of int length integer values from the Fields object and returns it as an array. The length of the array is determined by the ArrayLength value for this item. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

|             |                                      |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be retrieved |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|

### Return values

An array containing the int values

### Exceptions

|                    |                                      |
|--------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                    | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpdDta );
    ...
    int data[] = fields.getIntArray( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getLong

### Syntax

```
public long getLong( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts an long length integer value item from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

A long containing the value from the field

**Exceptions**

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    long data = fields.getLong( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getLongArray

**Syntax**

```
public long[] getLongArray( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts a dynamic array of long length integer values from the Fields object and returns it as an array. The length of the array is determined by the ArrayLength value for this item. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

An array containing the long values

**Exceptions**

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    long data[] = fields.getLongArray( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getShort

**Syntax**

```
public short getShort( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts a short length integer value item from the Fields object. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

## MQeFields

### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

A short integer containing the value from the field

### Exceptions

**MQeException**                    Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
   Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    short data = fields.getShort( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getShortArray

### Syntax

```
public short[] getShortArray( String item ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This extracts a dynamic array of short length integer values from the Fields object and returns it as an array. The length of the array is determined by the ArrayLength value for this item. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

### Parameters

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

### Return values

An array containing the short values

### Exceptions

**MQeException**                    Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
   Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    short data[] = fields.getShortArray( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields getUnicode

### Syntax

```
public String getUnicode( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts the Unicode data from the message object and returns it as a string. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

A string containing the Unicode data from the message

**Exceptions**

**MQeException**                    Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
    Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
String data = fields.getUnicode( "Data" );
...
}
```

**MQeFields getUnicodeArray****Syntax**

```
public String[] getUnicodeArray( String item ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This extracts the Unicode data from the message object and returns it as an array of strings. An exception is thrown if there is no data or it is of the wrong data type.

**Parameters**

**item**                    The name of the item to be retrieved

**Return values**

An array of strings containing the Unicode data from the message

**Exceptions**

**MQeException**                    Except\_Type, "wrong field type"  
    Except\_NotFound, item + " not found"

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
String data[] = fields.getUnicodeArray( "Data" );
...
}
```

## MQeFields

### MQeFields hide

#### Syntax

```
public void hide( String item, boolean state ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This sets an item within the Fields object to be included (**true**) or not included (**false**), when an equals test is performed against the Fields object

#### Parameters

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| <b>item</b>  | The name of the item to be hidden/included.      |
| <b>state</b> | hide ( <b>true</b> ) or include ( <b>false</b> ) |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( dumpData );
    ...
    fields.hide( "Data" );
    if ( OldFields.equals( fields ) )
        ...
    ...
}
```

### MQeFields putArrayLength

#### Syntax

```
public void putArrayLength( String item, int length ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This sets the dynamic array length of the specified item.

#### Parameters

|               |   |
|---------------|---|
| <b>item</b>   | The name of the item to be set                |
| <b>length</b> | The length of the array in number of elements |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( dumpData );
    ...
    fields.putArrayLength( "Data", 5 );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putArrayOfByte

### Syntax

```
public void putArrayOfByte( String item, byte data ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the data in the message object for the supplied byte array.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                                     |
| <b>data</b> | A byte array containing the data to be set into the message object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException**                      Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    fields.putArrayOfByte( "Data", new byte[] { 1, 2, 3, 4 } );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putArrayOfDouble

### Syntax

```
public void putArrayOfDouble( String item, double data[] )
                               throws Exception
```

### Description

This sets an array of double floating point numbers into the Fields object.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                                 |
| <b>data</b> | The array of double values to be copied into the Fields object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    double data[] = fields.putArrayOfDouble( "Data" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields

### MQeFields putArrayOfFloat

#### Syntax

```
public void putArrayOfFloat( String item, float data[] )  
                                throws Exception
```

#### Description

This sets an array of floating point numbers into the Fields object.

#### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                                |
| <b>data</b> | The array of float values to be copied into the Fields object |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication  
{  
    ...  
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );  
    fields.restore( dumpData );  
    ...  
    float data[] = fields.putArrayOfFloat( "Data" );  
    ...  
}
```

### MQeFields putArrayOfInt

#### Syntax

```
public void putArrayOfInt( String item, int data[] ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This sets an array of int length integer numbers into the Fields object.

#### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                              |
| <b>data</b> | The array of int values to be copied into the Fields object |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication  
{  
    ...  
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields();  
    fields.restore( dumpData );  
    ...  
    fields.putArrayOfInt( "Data",new int[] { 1, 2, 3, 4 } );  
    ...  
}
```

## MQeFields putArrayOfLong

### Syntax

```
public void putArrayOfLong( String item, long data[] ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This sets an array of long length integer numbers into the Fields object.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                               |
| <b>data</b> | The array of long values to be copied into the Fields object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields();
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    fields.putArrayOfLong( "Data",new long[] { 1, 2, 3, 4 } );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putArrayOfShort

### Syntax

```
public void putArrayOfShort( String item, short data[] )
    throws Exception
```

### Description

This sets an array of short length integer numbers into the Fields object.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be retrieved                         |
| <b>data</b> | The array of long values to be copied into the Fields object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    fields.putArrayOfShort( "Data", new short[] { 1, 2, 3, 4 } );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields

### MQeFields putAscii

#### Syntax

```
public void putAscii( String item, String data ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets ASCII data (see note in “MQeFields getAscii” on page 85) into the Fields object and sets the data type.

#### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                                |
| <b>data</b> | A string containing the data to be set into the Fields object |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    fields.putAscii( "Data", "This is some data" );
    ...
}
```

### MQeFields putAsciiArray

#### Syntax

```
public void putAsciiArray( String item, String data[] ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets ASCII data (see note in “MQeFields getAscii” on page 85) from an array of strings into the Fields object and sets the data type.

#### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                                      |
| <b>data</b> | A string array containing the data to be set into the Fields object |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

|                     |         |
|---------------------|---------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Various |
|---------------------|---------|

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    String data[] = { "This is some data", "This is more data" };
    fields.putAsciiArray( "Data", data[] );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putBoolean

### Syntax

```
public void putBoolean( String item, boolean data ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This sets a boolean value into the Fields object.

### Parameters

|             |                                |
|-------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set |
| <b>data</b> | The boolean value to be set    |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.restore( dumpData );
    ...
    fields.putBoolean( "Data", false );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putByte

### Syntax

```
public void putByte( String item, byte data ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the data in the Fields object for the supplied byte.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                               |
| <b>data</b> | A byte containing the data to be set into the message object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    fields.putByte( "Data", 123 );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putByteArray

### Syntax

```
public void putByteArray( String item, byte data[] ) throws Exception
```

## MQeFields

### Description

This method sets the data in the Fields object for the supplied array of byte arrays.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set   |
| <b>data</b> | An array of byte arrays containing the data to be set into the Fields object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    byte data[][] = new byte[2][];
    data[1][] = { 1, 2, 3, 4 };
    data[2][] = { 5, 6, 7, 8 };
    fields.putByteArray( "Data", data );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putDouble

### Syntax

```
public void putDouble( String item, double data ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the data in the Fields object for the supplied double value.

### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                  |
| <b>data</b> | A double value to be set into the Fields object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    fields.putDouble( "Data", 123.456 );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putDoubleArray

### Syntax

```
public void putDoubleArray( String item, byte data[][] )
                        throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method sets an array of double length floating point values into the Fields.

**Parameters**

**item** The name of the item to be set  
**data** An array of double values to be set into the Fields object

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    double data[] = new byte[2];
    data[1] = 1.234;
    data[2] = 5.678;
    fields.putDoubleArray( "Data", data );
    ...
}
```

**MQeFields putFields****Syntax**

```
public void putFields( String item, MQeFields data ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method sets the data Fields object as an item within this Fields object.

**Parameters**

**item** The name of the item to be set  
**data** An MQeFields object to be set into this Fields object

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    MQeFields subFields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    fields.putFields( "Data", subFields );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields

### MQeFields putFieldsArray

#### Syntax

```
public void putFieldsArray( String item, MQeFields data[] )  
                           throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets an array of MQeFields objects into this Fields.

#### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                                  |
| <b>data</b> | An array of MQeFields objects to be set into this Fields object |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication  
{  
    ...  
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );  
    ...  
    MQeFields subFields = new MQeFields[2];  
    MQeFields subFields[0] = new MQeFields( );  
    MQeFields subFields[1] = new MQeFields( );  
    ...  
    fields.putFieldsArray( "Data", subFields );  
    ...  
}
```

### MQeFields putFloat

#### Syntax

```
public void putFloat( String item, float data ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets the data in the Fields object for the supplied float value.

#### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                 |
| <b>data</b> | A float value to be set into the Fields object |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication  
{  
    ...  
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );  
    ...  
    fields.putFloat( "Data", 123.456 );  
    ...  
}
```

## MQeFields putFloatArray

### Syntax

```
public void putFloatArray( String item, float data[] ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets an array of floating point values into the Fields object.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                                     |
| <b>data</b> | An array of floating point values to be set into the Fields object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    float data[] = new float[2];
    data[1] = 1.234;    data[2] = 5.678;
    fields.putFloatArray( "Data", data );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putInt

### Syntax

```
public void putInt( String item, int data ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the an int length integer into the Fields object.

### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                |
| <b>data</b> | An int value to be set into the Fields object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    fields.putInt( "Data", 123456 );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields

### MQeFields putIntArray

#### Syntax

```
public void putIntArray( String item, int data[] ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets an array of int length integer values into the Fields object.

#### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                          |
| <b>data</b> | An array of int values to be set into the Fields object |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    int data[] = new int[2];
    data[1] = 1234; data[2] = 5678;
    fields.putIntArray( "Data", data );
    ...
}
```

### MQeFields putLong

#### Syntax

```
public void putLong( String item, long data ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets the a long length integer into the Fields object.

#### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                |
| <b>data</b> | A long value to be set into the Fields object |

#### Return values

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    fields.putLong( "Data", 123456 );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putLongArray

### Syntax

```
public void putLongArray( String item, long data[] ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets an array of long length integer values into the Fields object.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                           |
| <b>data</b> | An array of long values to be set into the Fields object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    long data[] = new long[2];
    data[1] = 1234;    data[2] = 5678;
    fields.putLongArray( "Data", data );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putShort

### Syntax

```
public void putShort( String item, short data ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the a short length integer into the Fields object.

### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                 |
| <b>data</b> | A short value to be set into the Fields object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    fields.putShort( "Data", 123 );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields

### MQeFields putShortArray

#### Syntax

```
public void putShortArray( String item, short data[] ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets an array of short length integer values into the Fields object.

#### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                            |
| <b>data</b> | An array of short values to be set into the Fields object |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    short data[] = new short[2];
    data[1] = 1234;
    data[2] = 5678;
    fields.putShortArray( "Data", data );
    ...
}
```

### MQeFields putUnicode

#### Syntax

```
public void putUnicode( String item, String data ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets Unicode data into the message object and sets the data type.

#### Parameters

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set                                 |
| <b>data</b> | A string containing the data to be set into the message object |

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields msg = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    msg.putUnicode( "Data", "Merry xmas to all our readers" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields putUnicodeArray

### Syntax

```
public void putUnicodeArray( String item, String data[] )
                           throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets Unicode data into the message object for the string array and sets the data type.

### Parameters

|             |   |
|-------------|---|
| <b>item</b> | The name of the item to be set  |
| <b>data</b> | An array of strings containing the data to be set into the message object |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields msg = new MQeFields( );
    ...
    String data[] = new String[2];
    data[1] = "Merry xmas to all our readers";
    data[2] = "and a happy new year";
    msg.putUnicode( "Data", data );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields rename

### Syntax

```
public void rename( String itemName, String newName ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method renames an existing item within the fields object to the specified new name. If an item already exists in the fields object with the **newName** it is replaced by the renamed item..

### Parameters

|                 |   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>itemName</b> | A String containing the name of the item to be renamed. |
| <b>newName</b>  | A String containing the new name of the item            |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_NotFound, Item + " not found" |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    dumpDatafields.rename( "ThisItem", "ThatItem" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields

### MQeFields restore

#### Syntax

```
public void restore( byte data[] ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method restores a message object from a byte array that was created using the dump method.

#### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing a dumped MQeFields

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |
|                     | Except_data, "data:xxxx"             |
|                     | Except_Type, "Type: aaaa - bbbb"     |

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
...
fields.restore( dumpData );
...
}
```

### MQeFields restoreFromFile

#### Syntax

1. public MQeFields restoreFromFile( String fileName, MQeAttribute attribute ) throws Exception
2. public MQeFields restoreFromFile( String fileName, String endRecord, String sectionMatch, String template ) throws Exception

#### Description

These methods create a new MQeFields object from the contents of a disk file. There are two forms:

1. A binary file containing a byte array from a dumped MQeFields object
2. An ASCII file containing sections delimited by records delimited by endRecord strings and nested fields within fields object from a sectionMatch and endRecord delimited string

#### Parameters

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>fileName</b>     | A String containing the name of the file to be read                               |
| <b>attribute</b>    | An MQeAttribute object used to decode (decrypt and/or decompress) the binary data |
| <b>endRecord</b>    | A String containing the characters that delimit an end of record. E.g. '\r\n'     |
| <b>sectionMatch</b> | A String containing a pattern template for:                                       |

- The section name, for example '[#0]'
- The characters that delimit an end of record, for example '\r\n'

The sectionMatch template should have only one insert sequence '#0'

**template** A String template used to parse the input.

The Template should have up to 3 insert sequences '#n':

#0" for the data type

#1" for the Field name

#2" for the field value

as shown in the following example:

Name=#1, Type=#0, Value=#2

### Return values

An MQeFields object containing the restored values

### Exceptions

Various conversion exceptions

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = MQeFields.restoreFromFile(File.separator + "directory" +
File.separator + "thisfile.xyz",
"\r\n",
"[#0]",
"#1=#2" );
...
}
```

The preceding example processes an ASCII file with the following structure

```
[Section1]
item1=1235678
item2=abcdef
[Section2]
item1=qwertyiop
```

It constructs a fields object containing two imbedded fields objects with item names of **Section1** and **Section2**, each of these imbedded fields has the relevant items from that section.

## MQeFields restoreFromString

### Syntax

1. public void restoreFromString( String template, String data ) throws Exception
2. public void restoreFromString( String endRecord, String template, String data ) throws Exception
3. public static MQeFields restoreFromString( String endRecord, String sectionMatch, String template, String data ) throws Exception

### Description

These methods restore:

## MQeFields

1. An individual item from string
2. A group of items from an EndRecord delimited string
3. A nested Fields within Fields object from a SectionMatch and EndRecord delimited string

### Parameters

#### template

A String template used to parse the input.

The Template should have up to 3 insert sequences "#n":

"#0" for the data type

"#1" for the Field name

"#2" for the field value

as shown in the following example:

Name=#1, Type=#0, Value=#2

### Return values

An MQeFields object containing the restored values

### Exceptions

Various conversion exceptions

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
    fields.putBoolean( "tb", true );
    ...
    fields.putLong( "m1", -1 );
    String data = fields.dumpToString( "Name=#1, Type=#0 Value=#2\r\n" );
    ...
    MQeFields newFields = new MQeFields( );
    newFields.restoreFromString( "Name=#1, Type=#0 Value=#2\r\n", data );
    ...
}
```

## MQeFields setAttribute

### Syntax

```
public void setAttribute( MQeAttribute attribute ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method assigns an attribute to be used to encode or decode the contents of the Fields object when ever it is dumped or restored.

### Parameters

**attribute** An MQeAttribute object reference

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
```

```

MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
...
MQeAttribute attr = new MQeAttribute( null, new MQeXorCryptor( ), null );
fields.setAttribute( attr );
...
}

```

## MQeFields updateValue

### Syntax

```
public long updateValue( String item, long update ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method increments or decrements an integer value held within this Fields object.

### Parameters

|               |  |
|---------------|--|
| <b>item</b>   | The name of the item to be set                                 |
| <b>update</b> | A value to be added to the current value of the specified item |

### Return values

The updated value

### Exceptions

|                     |         |
|---------------------|---------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Various |
|---------------------|---------|

### Example

```

class MyApplication
{
...
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields( );
...
fields.putInt( "Data", 123 );
...
long l = fields.updateValue("Data", -3 );
...
}

```

## MQeKey

---

This class is used to create an MQeKey object. MQeKey objects can be attached to and used by an attribute object. Attributes are associated with channel and MQeFields objects.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe**

This class is a descendant of **MQe**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor | Purpose                     |
|-------------|-----------------------------|
| MQeKey      | Constructs an MQeKey object |

### Method summary

| Method      | Purpose   |
|-------------|---|
| setLocalKey | Sets local encrypt and decrypt keys to a value derived from the CipherKey seed provided |

## MQeKey

### Syntax

```
public MQeKey( )
```

### Description

Constructs an MQeKey object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Related functions

- MQeAttribute
- MQeMAttribute

## MQeKey setLocalKey

### Syntax

```
Public void setLocalKey ( String localCipherKey ) throws MQException
```

### Description

Protects data and writes it to the given target filename

### Parameters

**localCipherKey**

Seed from which the Key encrypt and decrypt keys are derived

### Return Values

none

**Exceptions****MQeException**

Except\_NotAllowed, "invalid  
localCipherKey"

**Example**

```
class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
  try
  {
    /* protecting MQeFields data */
    MQeDESCryptor des = new MQeDESCryptor( );
    MQeAttribute desA = new MQeAttribute( null, des, null);
    MQeKey localkey = new MQeKey();
    localkey.setLocalKey( "It_is_a_secret");
    desA.setKey( localkey );
    MQeFields localf = new MQeFields( );
    localf.setAttribute( desA );
    Trace ( "i: test data = " + "0123456789abcdef...." );
    localf.putArrayOfByte(
      "TestData", asciiToByte("0123456789abcdef....") );
    byte[] temp = localf.dump( );
    Trace ( "i: test data protected using MQeKey = " +
      byteToHex( temp ) );

    /* unprotecting MQeFields data */
    MQeDESCryptor des2 = new MQeDESCryptor( );
    MQeAttribute desA2 = new MQeAttribute( null, des2, null);
    MQeKey localkey2 = new MQeKey();
    localkey2.setLocalKey( "It_is_a_secret");
    desA2.setKey( localkey );
    MQeFields localf2 = new MQeFields( );
    localf2.setAttribute( desA2 );
    localf2.restore ( temp );
    Trace ( "i: unprotected test data = " +
      byteToAscii(localf2.getArrayOfByte( "TestData" ) );
  }
  catch ( Exception e )
  {
  }
}
```

**Related functions**

- **MQeLocalSecure**

### MQeMessageEvent

This object is passed to an application when an MQSeries Everyplace Message event occurs.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe**

extends **java.util.EventObject**

### Method summary

| Method                     | Purpose  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>getMsgFields</b>        | Returns an MQeFields object containing selected fields from the message that caused the event to be generated. |
| <b>getQueueManagerName</b> | Returns a String containing the name of the queue manager that owns the queue that generated this event        |
| <b>getQueueName</b>        | Returns a String containing the name of the queue that generated this event                                    |

### MQeMessageEvent getMsgFields

#### Syntax

```
public MQeFields getMsgFields()
```

#### Description

This method returns an MQeFields object containing selected fields from the message that caused the event to be generated. The unique id of the message (consisting of a timestamp plus the origin queue manager name) is always returned together with the MQSeries Message Id, MQSeries Correlation Id, and message priority values if they are present in the message.

#### Parameters

none.

#### Return values

An MQeFields object containing selected fields from the message that caused the event to be generated.

#### Exceptions

none.

#### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* called when a msg event occurs */
    public void messageArrived( MQeMessageEvent e )
    {
        String eventQueueName = e.getQueueName(); /* get origin Q name */
        if ( eventQueueName.equals( "SYSTEM.DEFAULT.LOCAL.QUEUE" ) )
        {
            ...
            /* get msg info */
            MQeFields filter = e.getMsgFields();
            System.out.println( "Message received from QueueMgr: " +
                e.getQueueManagerName() );
            qmgr.getMessage( null, "SYSTEM.DEFAULT.LOCAL.QUEUE", filter, null, 0 );
            ...
        }
    }
}
```

```

    } ...
} ...

```

## MQeMessageEvent getQueueManagerName

### Syntax

```
public String getQueueManagerName()
```

### Description

This method returns a String containing the name of the queue manager that owns the queue that generated this event.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String containing the name of the queue manager that owns the queue that generated this event.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```

class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* called when a msg event occurs */
    public void messageArrived( MQeMessageEvent e )
    {
        String eventQMgr = e.getQueueManagerName(); /* get origin QMgr */
        String eventQueueName = e.getQueueName(); /* get origin Q name */

        if ( eventQMgr.equals( localQMgr.getName() ) )
        { /* local QMgr */
            ...
        }
        ...
    }
    ...
}

```

### Related functions

[getQueueName](#)

## MQeMessageEvent getQueueName

### Syntax

```
public String getQueueName()
```

### Description

This method returns a String containing the name of the queue that generated this event.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String containing the name of the queue that generated this event.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

## MQeMessageEvent

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* called when a msg event occurs */
    public void messageArrived( MQeMessageEvent e )
    {
        String eventQueueName = e.getQueueName(); /* get origin Q name */
        if ( eventQueueName.equals( "SYSTEM.DEFAULT.LOCAL.QUEUE" ) )
        {
            ...
        }
        ...
        if ( eventQueueName.equals( "MyQueue" ) )
        {
            ...
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

**Related functions**  
**getQueueManagerName**

## MQeMsgObject class

This section describes the Java class used to create a basic MQeMsgObject, this object is used to hold data, or to contain the necessary logic to obtain the data to send from one MQSeries Everyplace system to another. Normally a descendant of this class would be used to hold additional characteristics, data or code.

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This class is a descendant of **MQeFields**

### Constants and variables

The following field name constants from the MQSeries Everyplace base class are used by MQeMsgObject.

The following two constants combine to make up the unique message identifier. They are set by the MQSeries Everyplace system and the application should not attempt to modify these values. **Msg\_OriginQMgr** is an ASCII item and **Msg\_Time** is a long integer value.

```
public final static String  Msg_OriginQMgr
public final static String  Msg_Time
```

The following field name constants are provided for use by message destined for or received from MQS systems and are not required for messages wholly within an MQSeries Everyplace environment.

They should be treated as byte arrays, and if they are to sent to MQS then they should be 24 bytes in length.

```
public final static String  Msg_CorrelID
public final static String  Msg_MsgID
```

The following field name constant is provided for use by message destined for or received from MQS systems and is not required for messages wholly within an MQSeries Everyplace environment. It is used to set the message style.

```
public final static String  Msg_Style
```

This constant is an int integer and may have the following values:

```
public final static int     Msg_Style_Datagram
public final static int     Msg_Style_Request
public final static int     Msg_Style_Reply
```

The following field name constants are provided for use by a message destined for, or received from, an MQS system and are not required for messages wholly within an MQSeries Everyplace environment. They can be used to have equal meaning by an application retrieving messages from a queue in an MQSeries Everyplace environment.

Both these field items are ASCII.

```
public final static String  Msg_ReplyToQ
public final static String  Msg_ReplyToQMgr
```

The following field name constant must be a byte value between the 0 and 9 and it sets the message priority. If it is not set when added to a queue then the queues default priority value takes effect.

```
public final static String  Msg_Priority
```

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The following field name constant can be used to expire a message. MQe can discard the message if it has expired.

This constant can have one of two meanings.

1. If it is a long integer, the expire time is considered as the absolute time and date after which the message can be discarded.
2. If the item is an int integer, the expire time is relative to the creation time of the message object.

```
public final static String  Msg_ExpireTime
```

The following field name is a Boolean value that the application can set or can be set by the system to indicate that the message is or has been resent.

This resend flag is set and/or reset by the MQSeries Everyplace system in order to control guaranteed message delivery on it's internal flows.

```
public final static String  Msg_Resend
```

The following field name constant is a long integer value, normally the value returned by a browseMessages request when browsing with lock. It is not required for messages wholly within an MQSeries Everyplace environment.

```
public final static String  Msg_LockID
```

## Constructor summary

| Constructor  | Purpose   |
|--------------|---|
| MQeMsgObject | Creates and initializes the MQeMsgObject object |

## Method summary

| Method              | Purpose   |
|---------------------|---|
| getMsgUIDFields     | Extracts the unique identifier for the message  |
| getOriginQMgr       | Extracts the name of the origination queue manager (if present)                                   |
| getTimeStamp        | Extracts the time the message object was created  |
| putOriginQMgr       | Sets the messages originating queue manager name<br><b>Note:</b> Once set this cannot be changed. |
| resetMsgUIDFields   | Resets the message objects Unique id  |
| unwrapMessageObject | Unwraps a wrapped message object  |

## MQeMsgObject

### Syntax

1. public MQeMsgObject( )
2. public MQeMsgObject ( byte data[] )
3. public MQeMsgObject ( MQeMsgObject msg )

### Description

The constructor creates and initializes the MQeMsgObject object. There are three forms of the constructor:

1. With no parameters. This constructs an empty message object.
2. With a byte array. This restores a fields object from the supplied byte array .

**Note:** The objects must be of the same type

3. With a MQeMsgObject. This wrappers the supplied message into a new message object. This is normally used to wrapper messages that have attributes attached that force the data to be held encoded.

#### Parameters

**data** A byte array containing a dumped fields object.

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

|                     |                                      |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Type, "wrong field type"      |
|                     | Except_NotFound, item + " not found" |
|                     | Except_data, "data:xxxx"             |
|                     | Except_Type, "Type: aaaa - bbbb"     |

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
MQeMsgObject msg = new MsgObject( );
...
...
}
```

## MQeMsgObject getMsgUIDFields

#### Syntax

```
public MQeFields getMsgUIDFields ( )
```

#### Description

This method returns an **MQeFields** object containing the following field items:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>msg_Time</b>       | The time the message was created          |
| <b>msg_OriginQMGr</b> | The name of the originating queue manager |

The returned fields object can be used as a match parameter in an equality test or in a browse or get message call.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

An **MQeFields** object containing the fields used to make the unique message identifier.

#### Exceptions

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_NotAllowed, 'Queue Manager not set' |
|---------------------|--|

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
...
}
```

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```
...
MQeFields uid = Msg.getMsgIDFields( );
...
}
```

### MQeMsgObject getOriginQMgr

#### Syntax

```
public String getOriginQMgr( )
```

#### Description

Returns a String containing the name of the originating queue manager or *null* if not set.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

A String or *null*

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
...
String uid = Msg.getOriginQMgr();
...
}
```

### MQeMsgObject getTimeStamp

#### Syntax

```
public long getTimeStamp( )
```

#### Description

Returns a long integer value containing the time in milliseconds when the object was created.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

A long value in milliseconds

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
...
...
long uid = Msg.getTimeStamp ( );
...
}
```

### MQeMsgObject putOriginQMgr

#### Syntax

```
public void putOriginQMgr( )
```

**Description**

Sets the name of the originating queue manager. Once this name has been set, it cannot be reset.

**Note:** Normally this method would only be called internally by the queue manager when PutMessage call is issued.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**MQeMsgObject resetMsgUIDFields****Syntax**

```
public void resetMsgUIDFields ( )
```

**Description**

This method resets the message objects unique id such that a new **Msg\_Time** value is generated and the **Msg\_OriginQMgr** is set to *null*. This in effect creates a new message object but retains any field items that were set.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```
{
...
...
msg.resetMsgUIDFields ( );
...
}
```

**MQeMsgObject unwrapMessageObject****Syntax**

```
public MQeMsgObject unwrapMessageObject( MQeAttribute attribute )
```

**Description**

This method unwraps an imbedded MQeMsgObject, decode using the supplied attribute (if appropriate), and returns the new message object.

**Parameters**

**attribute** An **MQeAttribute** object reference or *null*, used to decode the imbedded message object

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

## MQeMsgObject

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    ...
    msg.resetMsgUIDFields( );
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueue

MQeQueue is the base queue class, all other types of queue are descendants of this object.

queues are objects that hold messages, the messages are held in a message store owned by the queue. Typically, this message store would be a persistent storage device, such as a hard disk. However, other types of store can be used, such as a database. MQSeries Everyplace relies on the fact that the queues have persistent store to be able to offer it's assured message delivery, and so the use of any non-persistent storage, would invalidate MQe's assured message delivery.

The queue uses a *queue store adapter* to handle its communications with the storage device. Adapters are interfaces between MQSeries Everyplace and hardware devices, such as disks or networks, or to software, such as databases. Adapters are designed to be pluggable components, allowing the queue store to be easily changed.

The messages held on the queue can be protected by an authenticator and cryptor. The messages can also be compressed by using a compressor. Together, the authenticator, cryptor, and compressor are known as the attributes of the queue, and they are defined by specifying an appropriate MQeAttribute object to be associated with the queue.

The behaviour of the queue is governed by a set of rules. These rules take the form of a Java class and can be extended by an MQSeries Everyplace solution. The base set of queue rules is defined in the class, **MQeQueueRule**. During the operation of the queue, the rules are called when certain events occur, for example, when a message is put, a message expires, or a duplicate message arrives. The rules then determine how the queue handles these events.

A queue expiry interval can be defined. If a message has remained on the queue for a length of time greater than the queue's expiry interval, then the message is marked as expired. The queue's rules then determine what happens to the message, but typically the message would be either deleted, or placed on a 'dead letter queue'. The queue's expiry interval is different to a message's expiry interval.

The maximum number of messages and the maximum allowable size of an individual message can also be defined.

All queues are owned by a queue manager. The queues owned by a queue manager are known as that queue manager's *local queues*. A queue manager can also access queues belonging to another queue manager. These queues are known as *remote queues*. When a queue manager accesses a remote queue, it stores the information it has learnt about the characteristics of that queue. The information is stored in a remote queue definition. The remote queue definition is represented by the class, **MQeRemoteQueue**.

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### Method summary

| Method                       | Purpose   |
|------------------------------|---|
| <code>getCreationDate</code> | This method returns a long value representing the date and time at which the queue was created. |

## MQeQueue

| Method                           | Purpose   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| <code>getDefaultPriority</code>  | This method returns an integer value that is the queue's default priority.  |
| <code>getDescription</code>      | This method returns a String object containing the description string for the queue.                                    |
| <code>getExpiryInterval</code>   | This method returns a long value that is the message expiry interval (in milliseconds) for the queue.                   |
| <code>getMaxMessageSize</code>   | This method returns an integer value that is the maximum size of message (in bytes) which the queue can hold.           |
| <code>getMaxQueueSize</code>     | This method returns an integer value that is the maximum number of messages that can be held on this queue.             |
| <code>getNumberOfMessages</code> | This method returns an integer value that is the current number of messages held on this queue.                         |
| <code>getQueueAttribute</code>   | This method returns a MQeAttribute object, which defines the authenticator, cryptor, and compressor used by this queue. |
| <code>getQueueName</code>        | This method returns a String object containing the name of the queue.   |
| <code>getQueueStore</code>       | This method returns a String object containing the pathname of the queue's persistent store.                            |

## MQeQueue getCreationDate

### Syntax

```
public long getCreationDate()
```

### Description

This method returns the date and time that this queue was created.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A long value representing the time that this queue was created

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    public void addQueue( MQeQueue queue ) throws MQeException
    {
        /* only allow the addition of queues created after 1st June 2000 */
        Calendar calendar = Calendar.getInstance();
        calendar.set( 2000, 05, 01 );
        Date date = calendar.getTime();
        /* get current time */
        Date qDate = new Date( queue.getCreationDate() );
        /* compare the two dates */
        if ( date.after( qDate ) )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "addQueue disallowed" );
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueue getDefaultPriority

### Syntax

```
public int getDefaultPriority()
```

### Description

This method returns the Queue's default priority value. This is the priority value which will be used for any message placed on the Queue that has not previously been assigned a priority value.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

An integer value which is the default priority for this queue.

### Exceptions

|                     |      |
|---------------------|------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | none |
|---------------------|------|

### Example

```
class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    public boolean transmit( MQeQueue queue )
    {
        /* allow transmission if queue's priority is greater than 5 */
        if ( queue.getDefaultPriority() > 5 )
            return (true);
        else
            return (false);
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueue getDescription

### Syntax

```
public String getDescription()
```

### Description

This method returns the description string for this queue.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String object containing the description string for this queue.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
import examples.eventlog.*;

class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    public final static int Event_QueueManager_AddQueue = 201;
    LogToDiskFile logFile = null;
    ...
    public void addQueue( MQeQueue queue )
    {
        /* log the addition of a new queue */
        log( MQe_Log_Information, Event_QueueManager_AddQueue,
            "Queue " + queue.getQueueManagerName() + "+" + queue.getQueueName() +
```

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```
        ": " + queue.getDescription() );
    }

    public void queueManagerActivate() throws Exception
    {
        /* create a new log file */
        logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt");
    }

    public void queueManagerClose()
    {
        /* close log file */
        logFile.close();
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueue getExpiryInterval

### Syntax

```
public long getExpiryInterval()
```

### Description

This method returns the message expiry interval for this queue. Any message that has been on the queue for a length of time greater than the expiry interval will be marked as expired. The queue's rules then determine what happens to the message.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

A long value that is the message expiry interval (in milliseconds) for this queue. A value of zero means that the queue has no message expiry interval set.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    public boolean transmit( MQeQueue queue )
    {
        /* transmit if queue has a low message expiry time (less than 1 day) */
        /* (zero means no expiry) */
        if ( queue.getExpiryInterval() < (60 * 60 * 24 * 1000) &&
            queue.getExpiryInterval() > 0 )
            return (true);
        else
            return (false);
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueue getMaxMessageSize

### Syntax

```
public int getMaxMessageSize()
```

### Description

This method returns the maximum size of a message (in bytes) that can be held on this queue.

**Parameters**

none

**Return Values**

An integer value that is the maximum size of a message (in bytes) that can be held on this queue.

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```

{
    ...
    public void addQueue( MQeQueue queue ) throws MQeException
    {
        /* only allow addition of queue if it supports messages of at least 2MB */
        if ( queue.getMaxMessageSize() < 2048000 )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Message size too small" );
    }
    ...
}

```

**MQeQueue getMaxQueueSize****Syntax**

```
public int getMaxQueueSize()
```

**Description .**

This method returns the maximum number of messages that can be held on this queue.

**Parameters**

none

**Return Values**

An integer value that is the maximum number of messages that can be held on this queue.

**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```

class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    public void addQueue( MQeQueue queue ) throws MQeException
    {
        /* only allow addition of queue if it supports more than 100 messages */
        if ( queue.getMaxQueueSize() < 100 )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Max Queue depth too small" );
    }
    ...
}

```

**MQeQueue getNumberOfMessages****Syntax**

```
public int getNumberOfMessages()
```

**Description**

This method returns the current number of messages held on this queue.

**Parameters**

none

## MQeQueue

### Return Values

An integer value that is the current number of messages held on this queue.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    public boolean transmit( MQeQueue queue )
    {
        /* only allow queue to transmit if it contains more than 10 messages */
        if ( queue.getNumberOfMessages() >= 10 )
            return (true);
        else
            return (false);
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueue getQueueAttribute

### Syntax

```
public MQeAttribute getQueueAttribute()
```

### Description

This method returns this queue's attribute object. The attribute object defines the authenticator, cryptor and compressor used by this queue. These attributes are used upon any messages stored on the queue.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

A MQeAttribute object that defines the authenticator, cryptor, and compressor used by the queue.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    public void addQueue( MQeQueue queue ) throws Exception
    {
        /* only allow addition of queues with a defined DES Cryptor */
        MQeAttribute qAttribute = queue.getQueueAttribute();
        if ( qAttribute == null )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "No queue attribute defined" );

        MQeCryptor cryptor = qAttribute.getCryptor();
        if ( cryptor == null )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "No cryptor defined" );

        if ( !(cryptor.securityLevel().equals( "DES" )) )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "DES Cryptor not defined" );
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueue getQueueManagerName

### Syntax

```
public String getQueueManagerName()
```

### Description

This method returns the name of the Queue Manager to which this Queue belongs.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

A String object containing the name of the Queue Manager to which this Queue belongs.

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
import examples.eventlog.*;

class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    public final static int Event_QueueManager_AddQueue = 201;
    LogToDiskFile logFile = null;
    ...
    public void addQueue( MQeQueue queue )
    {
        /* log the addition of a new queue */
        log( MQe_Log_Information, Event_QueueManager_AddQueue,
            "Queue " + queue.getQueueManagerName() + "+" + queue.getQueueName() +
            ": " + queue.getDescription() );
    }

    public void queueManagerActivate() throws Exception
    {
        /* create a new log file */
        logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt");
    }

    public void queueManagerClose()
    {
        /* close log file */
        logFile.close();
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related Functions

[getQueueName](#)

## MQeQueue getQueueName

### Syntax

```
public String getQueueName()
```

### Description

This method returns the name of this queue.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String object that is the name of this queue.

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### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
import examples.eventlog.*;

class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQueQueueManagerRule
{
    public final static int Event_QueueManager_AddQueue = 201;
    LogToDiskFile logFile = null;
    ...
    public void addQueue( MQueQueue queue )
    {
        /* log the addition of a new queue */
        log( MQue_Log_Information, Event_QueueManager_AddQueue,
            "Queue " + queue.getQueueManagerName() + "+" + queue.getQueueName() +
            ": " + queue.getDescription() );
    }

    public void queueManagerActivate() throws Exception
    {
        /* create a new log file */
        logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt");
    }

    public void queueManagerClose()
    {
        /* close log file */
        logFile.close();
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

[getQueueManagerName](#)

## MQueQueue [getQueueStore](#)

### Syntax

```
public String getQueueStore()
```

### Description

This method returns the pathname to the queue's persistent store.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String object that is the pathname to the queue's persistent store.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
import examples.eventlog.*;

class ExampleQueueManagerRules extends MQueQueueManagerRule
{
    public final static int Event_QueueManager_AddQueue = 201;
    LogToDiskFile logFile = null;
    ...
    public void addQueue( MQueQueue queue )
    {
        /* log the addition of a new queue */
        log( MQue_Log_Information, Event_QueueManager_AddQueue,
            "Queue " + queue.getQueueManagerName() + "+" + queue.getQueueName() +
```

```
        ": " + queue.getDescription() + ": Persistent store: " +
        queue.getQueueStore() );
    }

    public void queueManagerActivate() throws Exception
    {
        /* create a new log file */
        logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt");
    }

    public void queueManagerClose()
    {
        /* close log file */
        logFile.close();
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueueManager

This class is used to construct an MQSeries Everyplace queue manager object.

The MQSeries Everyplace queue manager is the focal point of the MQSeries Everyplace system. It provides:

- A central point of access to the MQSeries Everyplace and MQS network for MQSeries Everyplace applications
- Once-only assured delivery of messages
- Full recovery from failure conditions
- Extendable rules-based behavior

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### Constructor summary

| Constructor                  | Purpose   |
|------------------------------|---|
| <code>MQeQueueManager</code> | Constructs a <code>MQeQueueManager</code> object. |

### Method summary

| Method                             | Purpose   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <code>activate</code>              | Activates a queue manager that has already been instantiated.   |
| <code>addMessageListener</code>    | Registers an object as a listener for MQSeries Everyplace message events.   |
| <code>browseMessages</code>        | Returns an <code>MQeEnumeration</code> containing the messages on the specified queue that match the specified filter.  |
| <code>browseMessagesAndLock</code> | Works identically to <code>browseMessages</code> but with the addition that all messages returned are left locked on the queue.   |
| <code>checkActive</code>           | Returns a boolean value denoting whether or not the queue manager is active.  |
| <code>close</code>                 | Closes down the queue manager.  |
| <code>confirmGetMessage</code>     | Confirms a previous <code>getMessage</code> operation.  |
| <code>confirmPutMessage</code>     | Confirms a previous <code>putMessage</code> operation.  |
| <code>deleteMessage</code>         | Removes a message from the specified queue.   |
| <code>getMessage</code>            | Returns a message from the specified queue.   |
| <code>getName</code>               | Returns the unique queue manager name.  |
| <code>getReference</code>          | Returns an object reference to the specified queue manager.   |
| <code>putMessage</code>            | Places a message onto the specified queue.  |
| <code>removeMessageListener</code> | Cancel an objects subscription to MQSeries Everyplace message events.   |
| <code>triggerTransmission</code>   | Allows an application to initiate the transmission of any pending messages.   |
| <code>undo</code>                  | This method is intended to be used in the event of an error whilst executing a <code>putMessage()</code> , <code>getMessage()</code> or <code>browseMessagesAndLock()</code> command. |

| Method                      | Purpose   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| <code>unlockMessage</code>  | Unlocks a message that has previously been locked by a <code>browseMessagesAndLock</code> operation.  |
| <code>waitForMessage</code> | Performs an identical function to <code>getMessage</code> , with the exception that if no message is available, the queue manager waits for a specified period for a message to become available. |

## MQQueueManager

### Syntax

1. `public MQQueueManager( )`
2. `public MQQueueManager( MQFields startupParameters ) throws Exception`

### Description

Constructs an **MQQueueManager** object. The **activate()** method must be called to initialize and start the queue manager.

There are two versions of the constructor:

1. Creates a default queue manager that must be initialized by calling the `activate` method.
2. Creates and starts a new queue manager using the parameters supplied in the specified `MQFields` object. Subsequently the queue manager is activated via an internal call to the `activate` method.

**Note:** Before starting a queue manager, all required `MQSeries` Everyplace aliases must have been added. Refer to the *MQSeries Everyplace for Multiplatforms Programming Guide* for details of how to do this.

### Parameters

#### `startupParameters`

An `MQFields` object containing the startup parameters for the queue manager.

The startup parameters must contain two sections, **MQQueueManager.QueueManager**, which sets up the queue manager and **MQQueueManager.Registry**, which sets up the registry.

#### **MQQueueManager.QueueManager**

This section contains the following:

##### **MQQueueManager.Name**

An ascii string containing the queue manager's unique name. This name must:

- Be at least 1 character long
- Conform to the ASCII character set, i.e. characters with values  $20 < \text{value} < 128$
- Must not include any of the characters `{ } [ ] # ( ) ; , ' " =`
- The first character of the queue manager name should be alphanumeric

However, to maintain compatibility with `MQSeries`, it is recommended that queue manager names are

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limited to a maximum length of 48 characters. The characters can be any of the following:

- Uppercase A-Z
- Lowercase a-z · Numerics 0-9
- Period (.)
- Underscore (\_)
- Forward slash (/)
- Percent sign (%)

### MQeQueueManager.Registry

This registry must exist, and must contain the following:

#### MQeRegistry.LocalRegType

An ascii string containing the type of registry to use. Currently the only recognized types are MQeRegistry.FileRegistry and MQeRegistry.PrivateRegistry.

**Note:** Once a registry has been created, it is recommended that the registry type is not changed. Changing the registry type may cause secure queues to function incorrectly

#### MQeRegistry.DirName

An ascii string containing a pathname to the queue manager's registry.

Two further sections,

**MQeQueueManager.AppRunList**, and **MQeQueueManager.CloseAppRunList** are optional. These sections specify a list of MQSeries Everyplace applications that are invoked once the queue manager is active, and when it receives a close request. (See "MQeRunListInterface" on page 202

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Except\_QMgr\_Activated

Except\_QMgr\_AlreadyExists

Except\_QMgr\_InvalidQMgrName

Except\_QMgr\_NotConfigured

### Examples

```
import com.ibm.mqe.*;
public class StartQueueManager {
public static void main(String[] args) {
try {
if (null == args || args.length < 1 || null == args[0]) {
System.out.println("No ini file name supplied");
} else {
```

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```
System.out.println("Reading ini file: " + args[0]);
MQeFields iniSections = MQeFields.restoreFromFile(args[0],
                                                "\r\n", "[#0]",
                                                "(#0)#1=#2");

MQeQueueManager queueManager = new MQeQueueManager();
System.out.println("Activating queueManager");
queueManager.activate(iniSections);
System.out.println("Closing queueManager");
queueManager.close();
System.out.println("Closed queueManager");
}
} catch (Exception e) {
System.out.println("Yet another exception thrown: " + e.getMessage());
e.printStackTrace();
}
}
```

## MQeQueueManager activate

### Syntax

1. public void activate( MQeFields startupParameters ) throws Exception
2. public void activate( String name ) throws Exception

### Description

**Note:** Before starting a queue manager, all required MQSeries Everyplace aliases must have already been added. Refer to the MQSeries Everyplace Programmers Guide for details of how to do this.

There are two versions of the method:

1. This is the recommended version of the method. It takes as input an **MQeFields** object containing startup parameters for the queue manager. The queue manager then initializes all its subcomponents correctly, and reads any information stored in its registry.
2. This version is provided solely to allow the standard queue manager activation procedure to be overridden by a class extending from **MQeQueueManager**. This method performs no activation procedure other than to set the queue manager name.

**Note:** Any class extending **MQeQueueManager** must call **MQeQueueManager.activate()** to ensure that the queue manager name is set correctly.

### Parameters

#### startupParameters

An **MQeFields** object containing startup parameters for the queue manager.

See the **MQeQueueManager startupParameters** for details of these parameters.

#### name

An ascii string containing the name of the queue manager

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Except\_QMgr\_Activated

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Except\_QMgr\_AlreadyExists  
Except\_QMgr\_InvalidQMgrName  
Except\_QMgr\_NotConfigured  
Except\_NotFound

### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* Create QueueManager startup parameters */
    MQeFields QMgrParams = new MQeFields();
    QMgrParams.PutAscii( MQeQueueManager.Name, "TestQMgr" );
    QMgrParams.PutAscii( MQeQueueManager.QueueStore, "MsgLog:c:\\TestQMgr" );

    /* Create Registry startup parameters */
    MQeFields RegParams = new MQeFields();
    RegParams.PutAscii( MQeQueueManager.RegType, MQeQueueManager.FileRegistry );
    RegParams.PutAscii( MQeQueueManager.Path, "MsgLog:c:\\TestQMgr\\Registry" );

    /* Combine the two sets of parameters into a single Fields object */
    MQeFields Params = new MQeFields();
    Params.PutFields( MQeQueueManager.QueueManager, QMgrParams );
    Params.PutFields( MQeQueueManager.Registry, RegParams );

    /* Instantiate 'null' Queue Manager */
    MQeQueueManager QMgr = new MQeQueueManager( );
    QMgr.Activate( Params ); /* Activate QMgr using parameters */
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- close

## MQeQueueManager addMessageListener

### Syntax

```
public void addMessageListener( MQeMessageListenerInterface listener,
                               String queueName,
                               MQeFields filter ) throws Exception;
```

### Description

This method registers an object as a listener to any MQeMessage events generated by the queue specified in the **queueName** parameter. It is only possible to add listeners to local queues.

**Note:** The listening object must implement the **MQeMessageListenerInterface**. Events are processed by the event handler methods specified in this interface.

A message filter consisting of message fields (for example MessageId or Priority) may be specified so that the listening object only receives events concerning messages that include the same fields as those specified. If no fields are specified, events are triggered for all messages on the queue.

### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>listener</b>  | A reference to the subscribing object  |
| <b>queueName</b> | A String containing the name of the queue from which the listener wishes to receive events |

**params** *null*, or an MQeFields object containing message fields. A value of *null* means that the listener wishes to receive events for all messages on the queue. Specifying an MQeFields object containing message fields means that the listener is only interested in events concerning messages whose fields match those contained in the filter.

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions****MQeException**

Except\_QMgr\_NotActive

Except\_QMgr\_QdoesNotExist

**Example**

```
class MyMQeApplication implements MQeMessageListenerInterface
{
    ...
    MQeFields filter = new MQeFields(); /* search parameters */
    filter.putByte( MQe.Msg_Priority,(byte)3); /* only interested in */
                                           /* msgs of priority 3 */

    ...
    /* add listener */
    MyQM.addMessageListener( this, "MyQueue", filter );
    ...
    /* Message arrived event handler */
    public void messageArrived( MQeMessageEvent msgEvent )
    {
        ...
        /* is it the Queue we are interested in?? */
        if ( msgEvent.getQueueName().equals("MyQueue") )
        {
            ...
        }
        ...
    }
}
```

**Related Functions**

- **removeMessageListener**

**MQeQueueManager browseMessages****Syntax**

```
public MQeEnumeration browseMessages( String qmgrName,
                                     String queueName,
                                     MQeFields filter,
                                     MQeAttribute attribute,
                                     boolean justUID ) throws Exception;
```

**Description**

This method returns an enumeration of the messages available on a specified queue. The messages are not deleted from the queue. The queue can belong to a local or remote queue manager.

A filter can be specified, consisting of message fields (for example MessageId or Priority). This causes only messages that have matching fields to be returned

Returning an enumeration of messages in their entirety can be expensive in terms of system resources, so if the **justUID** parameter is set to **true**, just the unique ids of the messages that match the filter are returned.

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The messages returned in the enumeration are still visible to other MQSeries Everyplace applications. Therefore, when performing subsequent operations on the messages contained in the enumeration, the application should be aware that it is possible for another application to have processed these messages in the time since the enumeration was returned. To lock the messages contained in the enumeration, therefore preventing other applications from processing them, use the **browseMessagesAndLock** method.

### Parameters

**qmgrname**

A string containing the name of the queue manager that holds the queue to be browsed. If a value of *null* is used it is assumed that the local queue manager is to be used.

**queueName**

A string containing the name of the queue to browse

**filter**

*null*, or an **MQeFields** object containing the parameters with which to perform the browse.

**attribute**

An **MQeAttribute** object used to provide message-level security.

**justUID**

A boolean value denoting whether to return the all the fields in the messages, or just the unique id values.

### Return values

An **MQeEnumeration** containing zero or more **MQeMsgObject** message objects.

### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Except\_QMgr\_NotActive

Except\_QMgr\_InvalidQMGrName

Except\_QMgr\_QDoesNotExist

Various other exceptions

### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    MQeEnumeration msgs = null;
    byte[] msgId = MQe.asciiToByte("240999");
    byte[] correlId = MQe.asciiToByte("240999/2");

    try
    {
        /* setup parameters object for matching */
        MQeFields filter = new MQeFields(); /* match against msgs */
        filter.putArrayOfByte( MQe.Msg_MsgID, msgId ); /* with this Msg Id */
        filter.putArrayOfByte( MQe.Msg_CorrelID, /* & this Correl Id */
                               correlId );

        /* look at available messages */
        msgs = qmgr.browseMessages( null, "MyQueue", filter, null, false );
        ...
        /* get this one and remove from queue */
        MQeMsgObject msgObj = qmgr.getMessage( null, "MyQueue",
```

```

        (MQeFields)msgs.nextElement(),
        null, 0 );
    }
    catch ( MQeException e )
    {
        ...
    }
    ...
}

```

#### Related Functions

- **browseMessagesAndLock**

## MQQueueManager browseMessagesAndLock

#### Syntax

```

public MQeEnumeration browseMessagesAndLock( String qmgrName,
                                             String queueName,
                                             MQeFields filter,
                                             MQeAttribute attribute,
                                             long confirmId,
                                             boolean justUID ) throws Exception;

```

#### Description

This method returns an enumeration of the messages available on a specified queue. The messages are not deleted from the queue. The queue may belong a local or remote queue manager.

A filter can be specified, which consists of message fields (MessageId and Priority for example), so that only messages that have matching fields are returned.

Any messages that are returned by this operation are also locked on the queue. This means that these messages still exist on the queue, but they will not be visible to any subsequent operations, until they are unlocked.

A lock id is returned as part of the browse enumeration. The lock ID allows operations to be performed on locked messages so long as it is specified as part of the message filter that is passed into that operation.

Lock ids are unique, so every browse and lock operation generates a different id. The lock id applies to all the messages that are returned by the browse operation.

The operations that can be performed on a locked message are:

- **getMessage()**
- **deleteMessage()**
- **unlockMessage()**
- **waitForMessage()**

Returning an enumeration of messages in their entirety can be expensive in terms of system resources, so if the **justUID** parameter is set to true just the unique ids of the messages that match the filter are returned.

Specifying an **MQeAttribute** object allows browsing of messages that have message-level security defined with a matching attribute. Browsing queues containing messages with differing levels of message-level security may cause undefined results.

The **confirmID** is used in the event of an error whilst executing this command. The error could occur before the lock id is returned to the

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application and yet leave the messages in a locked state on the target queue. Passing the same confirm id used on this method to the `undo` method restores the messages to their previous state. It is recommended that a unique value be used for each browse and lock operation. A unique value can be generated using the `MQe.uniqueValue()` method.

### Parameters

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>qmgrName</b>  | A string containing the name of the queue manager that holds the queue to be browsed. If a value of <i>null</i> is used it is assumed that the local queue manager is to be used. |
| <b>queueName</b> | A string containing the name of the queue to browse.  |
| <b>filter</b>    | <i>null</i> , or an <b>MQeFields</b> object containing the message fields with which to perform the browse.   |
| <b>attribute</b> | An <b>MQeAttribute</b> object used to provide message-level security.   |
| <b>confirmId</b> | A long value that is used in the event of a queue manager failure. The application should store the value used, and use it to reset the messages should a failure occur.          |
| <b>justUID</b>   | A boolean value denoting whether to return the entire message, or just its unique id.   |

### Return Values

An **MQeEnumeration** containing zero or more **MQeMsgObject** message objects. The enumeration also contains the lock id, which can be accessed using the `getLockID()` method.

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_QMgr_NotActive<br>Except_QMgr_InvalidQMgrName<br>Except_QMgr_QDoesNotExist |
|---------------------|---|

Various other exceptions

### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication extends MQe
{
    ...
    MQeEnumeration msgs = null;
    byte[] msgId = asciiToByte("240999");
    byte[] correlId = asciiToByte("240999/2");

    try
    {
        /* setup parameters object for matching */
        MQeFields filter = new MQeFields(); /* match against msgs */
        filter.putArrayOfByte( MQe.Msg_MsgId, msgId ); /* with this Msg Id */
        filter.putArrayOfByte( MQe.Msg_CorrelId, /* & this Correl Id */
                               correlId );

        /* look at available messages */
        msgs = qmgr.browseMessagesAndLock( null, "MyQueue", filter, null, 0,
                                           false );
        long lockId = msgs.getLockId(); /* get Lock Id */

        filter.putLong( MQe.Msg_LockID, lockId ); /* Add lock Id */

        /* get the first locked message from queue */
    }
}
```

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```
MQeMsgObject msgObj = qmgr.getMessage( null, "MyQueue", filter, null, 0 );
}
catch ( MQException e )
{
    ...
}
...
}
```

### Related Functions

- **getMessage**
- **waitForMessage**
- **browseMessagesAndLock**
- **unlockMessage**
- **deleteMessage**
- **undo**

## MQeQueueManager checkActive

### Syntax

```
public boolean checkActive()
```

### Description

This method allows an application to determine whether or not the queue manager is active.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

A boolean value denoting whether or not the queue manager is active

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    qmgr = new MQeQueueManager( startupParams );
    if ( qmgr.checkActive() ) /* verify that QMgr is active */
    {
        ...
    }
    else
        throw new Exception( "Queue Manager not active" );
}
```

## MQeQueueManager close

### Syntax

```
public void close() throws MQException
```

### Description .

This method closes down the queue manager. It should be called by MQe applications when they have finished using the queue manager.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

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### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Except\_QMgr\_NotActive

### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    try
    {
        qmgr.putMessage( null, "MyQueue", msgObj, null, 0 );
    }
    catch ( MQeException e )
    {
        ...
    }
    ...
    qmgr.close(); /* close QMgr */
}
```

### Related Functions

- activate

## MQeQueueManager confirmGetMessage

### Syntax

```
public void confirmGetMessage( String qmgrName,
                               String queueName,
                               MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method confirms the successful receipt of a message that was retrieved from a queue by a previous `getMessage` operation. The message remains locked on the target queue until the confirm flow is received.

### Parameters

- |                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>queueName</b> | A string containing the name of the queue on which the message is held.   |
| <b>qmgrName</b>  | A string containing the name of the queue manager that holds the queue. If a value of <i>null</i> is used it is assumed that the local queue manager is to be used. |
| <b>filter</b>    | An <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a message filter. The filter must contain the message's unique id for the operation to be successful.                         |

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Except\_NotFound

**Note:** This exception is thrown when attempting to confirm a message that has already been confirmed. If an application has reissued a confirm get message request then this exception can be treated as a successful return code.

Various other exceptions

**Example**

```

class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* generate a unique confirmId for this operation */
    long confirmId = MQe.uniqueValue();
    /* get next available msg - msg still locked on target queue */
    MQeMsgObject msg = qmgr.getMessage( "RemoteQMGr", "RemoteQueue", null,
    null, confirmId );
    /* confirm the successful Get */
    qmgr.confirmGetMessage( "RemoteQMGr", "RemoteQueue",
    msg.getMsgUIDFields() );
    ...
}

```

**Related Functions**

- `getMessage`

**MQeQueueManager confirmPutMessage****Syntax**

```

public void confirmPutMessage( String qmgrName,
                             String queueName,
                             MQeFields filter ) throws Exception

```

**Description**

This method performs the confirmation of a previously successful `putMessage` operation.

**Parameters**

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>queueName</b> | A string containing the name of the queue on which the message is held.   |
| <b>qmgrName</b>  | A string containing the name of the queue manager that holds the queue. If a value of <i>null</i> is used it is assumed that the local queue manager is to be used. |
| <b>filter</b>    | An <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a message filter. The filter must contain the message's unique id for the operation to be successful.                         |

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions**

|                     |                              |
|---------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | <code>Except_NotFound</code> |
|---------------------|------------------------------|

**Note:** This exception is thrown when attempting to confirm a message that has already been confirmed. If an application has reissued a confirm put message request then this exception can be treated as a successful return code.

Various other exceptions

**Example**

```

class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* generate a unique confirmId for this operation */
    long confirmId = MQe.uniqueValue();

```

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```
qmgr.putMessage( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue", msg, null,
                 confirmId );
/* confirm the put */
qmgr.confirmPutMessage( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue",
                       msg.getMsgUIDFields() );
...
}
```

### Related Functions

- `putMessage`

## MQeQueueManager deleteMessage

### Syntax

```
public void deleteMessage( String qmgrName,
                          String queueName,
                          MQeFields filter ) throws MQeException
```

### Description

This method deletes a message from a queue. It does not return the message to the application that called it.

Only one message can be deleted per operation and the unique id(timestamp and origin queue manager name) of the message must always be supplied.

The queue may belong to a local or remote MQSeries Everyplace queue manager.

Messages that have been locked by a previous operation (browse for example) can be deleted by included a valid lock id in the message filter.

If the message is not available, an exception is thrown.

### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>queueName</b> | A String containing the name of the queue on which the message is held.  |
| <b>qmgrName</b>  | A String containing the name of the queue manager that holds the queue. If a value of <i>null</i> is used it is assumed that the queue manager is local. |
| <b>filter</b>    | An <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a message filter. The filter must contain the unique id of the message for the operation to be successful.         |

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_QMgr_InvalidQName<br>Except_QMgr_NotActive<br>Except_QMgr_QDoesNotExist<br>Except_QMgr_WrongType<br>Except_NotFound<br>Except_NotAllowed |
|---------------------|---|

Various other exceptions

**Examples**

```

class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    MQeEnumeration msgEnum;
    ...
    MQeFields filter = new MQeFields();
    filter.putArrayOfByte( MQe.Msg_MsgID, new byte[]{ 1,2,3,4 } );
    /* return all messages with a Message Id of 1234 */
    msgEnum = qmgr.browseMessages( null, "MyQueue", filter, null, false );
    /* delete all message with a Message Id of 1234 */
    while( msgEnum.hasMoreElements() )
        qmgr.deleteMessage( null, "MyQueue",
            (MQeMsgObject)msgEnum.nextElement() );
    ...
}

```

**Related Functions**

- **waitForMessage**
- **browseMessages**
- **browseMessagesAndLock**
- **putMessage**
- **getMessage**

**MQeQueueManager getMessage****Syntax**

```

public MQeMsgObject getMessage( String qmgrName,
                                String queueName,
                                MQeFields filter,
                                MQeAttribute attribute,
                                long confirmId ) throws MQeException;

```

**Description**

This method returns an available message from the specified queue and the message is removed from the queue. The queue can belong to a local or a remote MQSeries Everyplace queue manager.

If no message filter is specified, the first available message on the queue is returned. If a message filter is specified, the first available message that matches the filter is returned.

Messages that have been locked by a previous browse operation can be retrieved by including, in the message filter, the lock id that was used to lock the message.

If no message is available, an exception is thrown.

The use of assured message delivery is dependent upon the value of the **confirmId** parameter. Passing a nonzero value returns the message as normal, but the message is locked and is not removed from the target queue until a subsequent confirm is received. A confirm can be issued using the **confirmGetMessage()** method. Passing a value of zero returns the message and removes it from the target queue, however, the message delivery is not assured.

The **confirmId** parameter is also used in the event of an error when executing this command. A failure could occur before the message is returned to the application and yet leave the message in a locked state on the target queue. Passing the same confirm id used for the get operation to the undo method restores the message to its previous state. It is

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recommended that a unique value be used for each get operation. A unique value can be generated using the **MQe.uniqueValue()** method.

### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>queueName</b> | A string containing the name of the queue from which to obtain a message.  |
| <b>qmgrName</b>  | A string containing the name of the queue manager that holds the queue. If a value of <i>null</i> is used it is assumed that the queue manager is local.   |
| <b>filter</b>    | <i>null</i> , or an <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a message filter.   |
| <b>attribute</b> | An <b>MQeAttribute</b> object used to provide message-level security. The attribute supplied must match any attribute attached to the message returned by this method. Failure to do this may result in message loss.                                |
| <b>confirmId</b> | A long value denoting whether or not to use guaranteed message delivery. A nonzero value does not remove the message from the target queue, this occurs on a subsequent confirm flow. A value of zero will remove the message from the target queue. |

### Return values

An **MQeMsgObject** containing the message obtained from the specified queue

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_QMgr_NotActive<br>Except_QMgr_InvalidQName<br>Except_QMgr_QDoesNotExist<br>Except_QMgr_WrongQType<br>Except_Q_NoMatchingMsg<br>Except_NotFound |
|---------------------|---|

Various other exceptions

### Examples

Example 1—Simple get, no message filter

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    try
    {
        /* get 1st available message on the queue */
        MQeMsgObject myMsgObject = qmgr.getMessage( null, "MyQueue", null, null,
                                                    0 );
    }
    catch ( MQeException e )
    {
        ...
    }
    ...
}
```

Example 2—Browse and get

```

class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* Lock all msgs on this queue */
    MQeEnumeration msgEnum = qmgr.browseMessagesAndLock( null, "MyQueue",
                                                         null, null, 0, false );

    long lockId = msgEnum.getLockId(); /* get the Lock Id */
    MQeFields filter = new MQeFields(); /* create a msg filter */
    filter.putLong( MQe.Msg_LockID, lockId ); /* add lock Id */
    /* get the 1st locked message on the queue */
    MQeMsgObject msgObj = qmgr.getMessage( null, "MyQueue", filter, null, 0 );
    ...
}

```

#### Example 3—get with assured message delivery

```

class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* generate a unique confirmId for this operation */
    long confirmId = MQe.uniqueValue();
    /* get next available msg - msg remains locked on the target queue */
    MQeMsgObject msg = qmgr.getMessage( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue", null,
                                       null, confirmId );

    /* confirm the successful Get */
    qmgr.confirmGetMessage( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue",
                           msg.getMsgUIDFields() );

    ...
}

```

#### Related functions

- **waitForMessage**
- **browseMessages**
- **browseMessagesAndLock**
- **putMessage**
- **deleteMessage**
- **confirmGetMessage**
- **undo**

## MQeQueueManager getName

#### Syntax

```
public String getName();
```

#### Description

This method returns the name of this queue manager.

**Note:** It is strongly recommended that all queue manager names are unique within an MQSeries Everyplace network.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

A string containing the name of the queue manager.

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

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```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    String qmgrName = qmgr.getName();
    ...
}
```

### MQeQueueManager getReference

#### Syntax

```
public static MQeQueueManager getReference( String qmgrName) throws MQeException
```

#### Description

This method is used to obtain an object reference to an instantiated queue manager.

#### Parameters

**qmgrName** A String containing the name of an queue manager.

#### Return values

An MQeQueueManager object.

#### Exceptions

**MQeException** Except\_QMgr\_InvalidQMgrName

#### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    MQeQueueManager qmgr = null;
    ...
    /* Obtain a reference to "MyQMgr" Queue Manager */
    qmgr = MQeQueueManager.getReference( "MyQMgr" );
    /* Put a message */
    qmgr.putMessage( null, "DestQ", Msg, null, 0 );
    ...
}
```

### MQeQueueManager putMessage

#### Syntax

```
public void putMessage( String qmgrName,
                       String queueName,
                       MQeMsgObject msg,
                       MQeAttribute attribute,
                       long confirmId ) throws Exception;
```

#### Description

This method places the specified message onto the specified queue. This queue may belong to a local or a remote queue manager.

Puts to remote queues can occur immediately, or at some later time depending upon how the remote queue is defined on the local queue manager.

If a remote queue is defined as synchronous, the transmission of the message over the network occurs immediately.

If a remote queue is defined as asynchronous, the message is stored within the local queue manager. The message remains there until the queue manager rules decide that it is time to transmit any pending messages or the queue manager is triggered through the **triggerTransmission()** method.

If the local queue manager does not hold a definition of the remote queue then it attempts to contact the queue synchronously.

The assured delivery of the message is dependent on the value of the **confirmId** parameter. Passing a nonzero value transmits the message as normal, but the message is locked on the target queue until a subsequent confirm is received. Passing a value of zero transmits the message without the need for a subsequent confirm, however the delivery of the message is not assured.

The **confirmID** is also used in the event of an error during the execution of this command. Passing the same confirm id used for the put operation to the undo method removes the unconfirmed message from the target queue. It is recommended that a unique value be used for each put operation. A unique value can be generated using the **MQe.uniqueValue()** method.

A message can be protected using message-level security (see *MQSeries Everyplace Programming Guide* for information on MQSeries Everyplace security). The security is defined by providing an MQeAttribute object, or one of its descendants. The attribute can be attached to the message prior to any put message request, or the attribute parameter can be used to specify the message-level security to be used.

If the attribute parameter is not *null*, the value overrides any attribute attached to the message prior to the put message request. If the attribute parameter is *null*, it has no effect on the sending of the message.

#### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>queueName</b> | A string containing the name of the queue on which the message should be placed.   |
| <b>qmgrName</b>  | A string containing the name of the remote queue manager to which the specified queue belongs. If a value of <i>null</i> is used it is assumed that the queue manager is local.  |
| <b>msg</b>       | An <b>MQeMsgObject</b> containing the message.   |
| <b>attribute</b> | An <b>MQeAttribute</b> object or a descendant, or <i>null</i> .<br><br>If <i>null</i> , then this parameter has no effect on the sending of the message.<br><br>The attribute specified here over-rides any attribute that has been previously associated with the message, and <b>MQeFields</b> data in the message using previous calls to the <b>MQeFields.setAttribute()</b> or <b>MQeMsgObject.setAttribute()</b> methods.<br><br>You may pass an <b>MQeMAttribute</b> or <b>MQeMTrustAttribute</b> to perform message-level security operations. |
| <b>confirmId</b> | A long value denoting whether or not to use assured message delivery. A nonzero value locks the message on the target queue, it is not made visible until a subsequent confirm flow. A value of zero transmits the message without the need for a subsequent confirm.  |

#### Return values

none.

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### Exceptions

|                     |                           |
|---------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_QMgr_InvalidQName  |
|                     | Except_QMgr_NotActive     |
|                     | Except_QMgr_QDoesNotExist |
|                     | Except_Duplicate          |

Various other exceptions

### Example

Example 1—simple put

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    try
    {
        qmgr.putMessage( null, "MyQueue", msgObj, /* simple put */
                        null, 0 );
    }
    catch ( MQeException e )
    {
        ...
    }
    ...
}
```

Example 2—put with assured message delivery

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* generate a unique confirmId for this operation */
    long confirmId = MQe.uniqueValue();
    qmgr.putMessage( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue", msg, null, confirmId );
    /* confirm the put */
    qmgr.confirmPutMessage( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue",
                           msg.getMsgUIDFields() );
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **getMessage**
- **waitForMessage**
- **confirmPutMessage**
- **undo**

## MQeQueueManager removeMessageListener

### Syntax

```
public void removeMessageListener( MQeMessageListenerInterface listener,
                                   String queueName,
                                   MQeFields filter ) throws MQeException
```

### Description

This method removes an objects subscription to MQSeries Everyplace message events generated by the queue specified in **queueName**. It is only possible to have listeners on local queues.

**Note:** The listening object must implement the **MQeMessageListenerInterface**.

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If an optional message filter is specified, the object's subscription is only removed for events concerning messages that include the same fields as those specified in the filter. If the filter is *null*, the object's subscription for events concerning all messages is removed.

### Parameters

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>listener</b>  | A reference to the subscribing object.  |
| <b>queueName</b> | A String containing the name of the queue from which the listener wishes to receive events. |
| <b>filter</b>    | <i>null</i> or a <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a message filter.                       |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_QMgr_NotActive<br>Except_QMgr_InvalidQName<br>Except_QMgr_QDoesNotExist |
|---------------------|--|

### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication implements MQeMessageListenerInterface
{
    ...
    /* remove the 'all messages' listener for this queue */
    qmgr.removeMessageListener( this, "MY.QUEUE", null );
    ...
}
```

### Related Functions

**addMessageListener**

## MQeQueueManager triggerTransmission

### Syntax

```
public void triggerTransmission() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method causes an attempt to transmit any pending messages.

Pending messages are messages awaiting transmission to remote queue managers. Typically, the transmission of pending messages would be handled by the queue manager rules, but this method allows transmission of pending messages at a time convenient to the application.

In addition, this method triggers any home server queues that are defined. These queues attempt to collect messages from their home servers.

This method overrides the operation of the `MQeQueueManagerRule.triggerTransmission()` rule, however, it does call the `MQeQueueManagerRule.transmi()` rule.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_BadRequest |
|---------------------|-------------------|

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Except\_QMgr\_NotActive

Except\_QMgr\_QDoesNotExist

Various other exceptions

### Examples

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    try
    {
        if ( timeToTransmit() ) /* application decides it's time to */
            qmgr.triggerTransmission(); /* transmit */
    }
    catch ( MQeException e )
    {
        if ( e.Code() != Except_QMgr_Busy )
            throw e;
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueueManager undo

### Syntax

```
public void undo( String qmgrName,
                 String queueName,
                 long confirmId ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is intended to be used in the event of an error during a **put**, **get**, or **browseAndLock** command. It is possible that the error could leave messages in an unconfirmed or locked state on the target queue. This method resets the message to the state (either locked or unlocked) that it was in prior to the failed operation, or in the case of an unconfirmed put operation, the message is deleted.

To reset the message, it is necessary to supply the **confirmId** that was used in the failed operation. It is recommended that confirm ids are unique for each message. A unique value can be generated using the **MQe.uniqueValue()** method.

### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>qmgrName</b>  | A string containing the name of the queue manager that holds the queue. If a value of <i>null</i> is used, it is assumed that the local queue manager is the queue manager to be used. |
| <b>queueName</b> | A string containing the name of the queue that holds the locked message  |
| <b>confirmId</b> | A long value that is the same as the confirm id used on the failed operation.  |

### Return values

none.

### Exceptions

|                     |                          |
|---------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_QMgr_NotActive    |
|                     | Except_QMgr_InvalidQName |

Except\_QMgr\_QDoesNotExist

Except\_Q\_NoMatchingMsg

Except\_NotAllowed

Various other exceptions

**Examples**

```

class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    /* generate a unique confirmId for this operation */
    long confirmId = MQe.uniqueValue();
    try
    {
        qmgr.putMessage( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue", msg, null, confirmId );
        qmgr.confirmPutMessage( "RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue",
                               msg.getMsgUIDFields() );
    }
    catch ( Exception e )
    {
        /* Give the remote Queue Manager time to recover from error */
        Thread.sleep( 30000 );
        /* Remote Queue Manager failure - undo the put message */
        qmgr.undo("RemoteQMgr", "RemoteQueue", confirmId );
    }
    ...
}

```

**Related functions**

- **browseMessagesAndLock**
- **getMessage**
- **putMessage**

**MQeQueueManager unlockMessage****Syntax**

```

public void unlockMessage( String qmgrName,
                          String queueName,
                          MQeFields filter ) throws Exception

```

**Description**

This method unlocks a message that has been previously locked. This makes it visible once again to all applications. Only one message can be unlocked at a time and both the unique id (timestamp and origin queue manager name), and lock id of the message must be supplied.

The queue may belong to a local or remote queue manager.

If the message is not available, an exception is thrown.

This method would typically be used in conjunction with the `browseMessagesAndLock()` method.

**Parameters**

- |                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>qmgrName</b>  | A string containing the name of the queue manager that holds the queue. If a value of <i>'null'</i> is used, it is assumed that the local queue manager is to be used. |
| <b>queueName</b> | A string containing the name of the queue that holds the locked message.   |
| <b>filter</b>    | An <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a message filter. This   |

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must contain both the message unique id and lock id for the operation to be successful.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_QMgr_NotActive<br>Except_QMgr_InvalidQName<br>Except_QMgr_QDoesNotExist<br>Except_Q_NoMatchingMsg<br>Except_NotAllowed |
|---------------------|---|

Various other exceptions

### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication
{
    ...
    MQeEnumeration msgEnum;
    ...
    /* lock all msgs on queue */
    msgEnum = qmgr.browseMessagesAndLock( null, "MyQueue", null, null, 0,
                                         false );
    long lockID = msgEnum.getLockId(); /* get lockID */
    while( msgEnum.hasMoreElements() )
    {
        MQeFields msgFields = (MQeFields)msgEnum.nextElement();
        String msgID = byteToAscii( msgFields.getArrayOfByte( MQe.Msg_MsgID ) );
        /* Unlock all messages with an ID of 1234 */
        if ( msgID.equals("1234") )
        {
            msgFields.putLong( MQe.Msg_LockID, lockID );
            qmgr.unlockMessage( null, "MyQueue", msgFields );
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related Functions

- **browseMessageAndLock**

## MQeQueueManager waitForMessage

### Syntax

```
public MQeMsgObject waitForMessage( String qmgrName,
                                    String queueName,
                                    MQeFields filter,
                                    MQeAttribute attribute,
                                    long confirmId,
                                    int milliseconds ) throws MQeException;
```

### Description

This method works in an identical manner to **getMessage**. However, if no message is available, the method waits for the period of time specified by **milliseconds**. If no message is available at the end of this period, an Exception is thrown.

### Parameters

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|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>qmgrName</b>     | A string containing the name of the queue manager that holds the queue. If a value of <i>null</i> is used, it is assumed that the local queue manager is to be used.  |
| <b>queueName</b>    | a string containing the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue from which to obtain a message.   |
| <b>filter</b>       | <i>null</i> , or an <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a message filter.  |
| <b>attribute</b>    | An <b>MQeAttribute</b> object used to provide message-level security.   |
| <b>confirmId</b>    | A long value denoting whether or not to use assured message delivery. A nonzero value does not remove the message from the target queue, this occurs on a subsequent confirm flow. A value of zero removes the message from the target queue. |
| <b>milliseconds</b> | The period of time (specified in milliseconds) for which to wait for a message to become available.   |

### Return values

An **MQeMsgObject** containing the message obtained from the specified queue.

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_QMgr_NotActive<br>Except_QMgr_InvalidQName<br>Except_QMgr_QDoesNotExist<br>Except_Q_NoMatchingMsg<br>Except_Q_NoMsgAvailable |
|---------------------|---|

Various other exceptions

### Examples

```
class MyMQeApplication extends MQe
{
    ...
    String MsgId = "260399";
    String CorrelId = "260399/2";
    ...
    /* set up a parameters object to match with */
    /* only interested in msgs*/
    MQeFields filter = new MQeFields();
    /* with this message Id*/
    filter.putArrayOfByte( MQe.Msg_MsgID, asciiToByte( MsgId ) );
    /* & this correlation Id */
    filter.putArrayOfByte ( MQe.Msg_CorrelID, asciiToByte( CorrelId ) );
    ...
    /* wait 10 seconds for a msg to arrive */
    MQeMsgObject msgObj = qmgr.waitForMessage( null, "MyQueue", filter,
        null, 0, 10000 );
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **getMessage**

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure

This class is used to configure a queue manager. It is used to create and delete queue managers and their default queues.

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### Constructor summary

| Constructor                           | Purpose  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| <code>MQeQueueManagerConfigure</code> | Instantiates the <code>QueueManagerConfigure</code> object |

### Method summary

| Method                                       | Purpose  |
|--|--|
| <code>activate</code>                        | Activates the configuration object   |
| <code>close</code>                           | Closes the configuration object  |
| <code>defineDefaultAdminQueue</code>         | Defines a standard default <i>administration queue</i> in the registry       |
| <code>defineDefaultAdminReplyQueue</code>    | Defines a standard default <i>administration reply queue</i> in the registry |
| <code>defineDefaultDeadLetterQueue</code>    | Defines a standard default <i>dead letter queue</i> in the registry          |
| <code>defineDefaultSystemQueue</code>        | Defines a standard default local queue in the registry.                      |
| <code>defineQueueManager</code>              | Defines a standard queue manager in the registry.                            |
| <code>deleteAdminQueueDefinition</code>      | Deletes the <i>administration queue</i> from the registry.                   |
| <code>deleteAdminReplyQueueDefinition</code> | Deletes the <i>administration reply queue</i> from the registry.             |
| <code>deleteDeadLetterQueueDefinition</code> | Deletes the <i>dead letter queue</i> from the registry.                      |
| <code>deleteQueueManagerDefinition</code>    | Deletes the queue manager from the registry.                                 |
| <code>deleteStandardQMDefinitions</code>     | Deletes the queue manager and the standard queues from the registry.         |
| <code>deleteSystemQueueDefinition</code>     | Deletes the standard default local queue from the registry.                  |
| <code>queueManagerExists</code>              | Checks whether the queue manager exists in the registry.                     |
| <code>setChannelTimeout</code>               | Sets the Channel time-out value for the queue manager.                       |
| <code>setChnlAttributeRuleName</code>        | Sets the name of the Channel Attribute Rule for the queue manager.           |
| <code>setDescription</code>                  | Sets the description of the queue manager.                                   |

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### Syntax

- `public MQeQueueManagerConfigure( )`
- `public MQeQueueManagerConfigure( MqeFields startupParameters ) throws Exception`

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```
3. public MQeQueueManagerConfigure( MqeFields startupParameters,  
String qStore ) throws Exception
```

### Description

The constructors instantiate the queue manager configuration object. There are three forms of the constructor:

1. This form is designed for dynamic loading and must be followed by a call to **activate()**
2. This form can be used to only for the deletion of a queue manager.
3. This form can be used for the creation or deletion of a queue manager

### Parameters

#### startupParameters

An **MQeFields** object containing the initialization parameters for the queue manager. These are described in **MQeQueueManager startupParameters**.

#### qStore

The location where the standard default queues are stored. This must be specified if a queue manager is being created. If a queue manager is being deleted this parameter can be *null*.

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

Exception - thrown if there is a problem initializing the queue manager configure object

### Example

```
MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig1;  
qmConfig1 = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure();  
  
try  
{  
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig2;  
    MqeFields parms = new MqeFields();  
    // initialize the parameters  
    ...  
    qmConfig2 = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms );  
}  
catch (Exception e)  
{ ... }  
  
try  
{  
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig3;  
    MqeFields parms = new MqeFields();  
    // initialize the parameters  
    ...  
    qmConfig3 = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +  
                                                "Queues" + File.separator );  
}  
catch (Exception e)  
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure activate

### Syntax

```
public void activate( MqeFields startupParameters, String qStore ) throws Exception
```

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### Description

This method initializes the object ready to configure a queue manager.

### Parameters

#### startupParameters

An **MQeFields** object containing the initialization parameters for the queue manager. These are described in **MQeQueueManager startupParameters**.

#### qStore

The location where the standard default queues are stored. This must be specified if a queue manager is being created. If a queue manager is being deleted, this parameter can be *null*.

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

Exception - is thrown if there is a problem initializing the object.

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( );
    qmConfig.activate( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
        "Queues" + File.separator );
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure close

### Syntax

```
public void close()
```

### Description

This method closes the configuration object. An attempt to use the object after it has been closed will result in an exception. The configuration object must be closed before the queue manager itself can be activated.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
        "Queues" + File.separator );
    ...
}
```

```

    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }

```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure defineDefaultAdminQueue

### Syntax

```
public void defineDefaultAdminQueue( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method defines a standard *administration queue* in the registry for the queue manager. The queue itself will be created the first time it is accessed from the running queue manager. An exception is thrown if the queue already exists.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

#### MQeException

Is thrown if the MQeQueueManagerConfigure object has not been activated or if the queue already exists in the queue manager's registry.

#### Exception

Is thrown for other errors.

### Example

```

try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
                                             "Queues" + File.separator );
    qmConfig.defineDefaultAdminQueue();
    ...
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }

```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure defineDefaultAdminReplyQueue

### Syntax

```
public void defineDefaultAdminReplyQueue ( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method defines a standard *administration reply queue* in the registry for the queue manager. The queue itself will be created the first time it is accessed from the running queue manager. An exception is thrown if the queue already exists.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

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### Exceptions

#### **MQeException**

Is thrown if the MQeQueueManagerConfigure object has not been activated, or if the queue already exists in the queue manager's registry

#### **Exception**

Is thrown for other errors.

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
                                             "Queues" + File.separator );
    qmConfig.defineDefaultAdminReplyQueue();
    ...
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure defineDefaultDeadLetterQueue

### Syntax

```
public void defineDefaultDeadLetterQueue ( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method defines a standard *dead letter queue* in the registry for the queue manager. The queue itself will be created the first time it is accessed from the running queue manager. An exception is thrown if the queue already exists.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

#### **MQeException**

Is thrown if the MQeQueueManagerConfigure object has not been activated, or if the queue already exists in the queue manager's registry

#### **Exception**

Is thrown for other errors.

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
                                             "Queues" + File.separator );
    qmConfig.defineDefaultDeadLetterQueue();
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

**MQeQueueManagerConfigure defineDefaultSystemQueue****Syntax**

```
public void defineDefaultSystemQueue( ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method defines a standard local queue, called `SYSTEM.DEFAULT.LOCAL.QUEUE`, in the registry for the queue manager. The queue itself will be created the first time it is accessed from the running queue manager. An exception is thrown if the queue already exists.

**Parameters**

none

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions****MQeException**

Is thrown if the `MQeQueueManagerConfigure` object has not been activated, or if the queue already exists in the queue manager's registry

**Exception**

Is thrown for other errors.

**Example**

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
                                             "Queues" + File.separator );
    qmConfig.defineDefaultSystemQueue();
    ...
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

**MQeQueueManagerConfigure defineQueueManager****Syntax**

```
public void defineQueueManager( ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method creates a definition for the queue manager in the registry. This is required before the queue manager itself can be activated. An exception is thrown if the queue manager definition already exists.

**Parameters**

none

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions****MQeException**

Is thrown if the `MQeQueueManagerConfigure` object has not been activated, or if the queue manager definition already exists in the registry.

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**Exception** Is thrown for other errors.

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
                                             "Queues" + File.separator );
    qmConfig.setDescription( "queue manager for " + qmName );
    qmConfig.defineQueueManager();
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure deleteAdminQueueDefinition

### Syntax

```
public void deleteAdminQueueDefinition( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method deletes the definition of the standard *administration queue* from the registry for the queue manager. No error is generated if the definition does not exist. The queue itself is not removed.

The queue cannot be accessed if it is not defined in the registry. The definition can be recreated with **defineDefaultAdminQueue()**.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException** Is thrown if the MQeQueueManagerConfigure object has not been activated, or if there is an error deleting the registry entry.

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, null );
    qmConfig.deleteAdminQueueDefinition();
    ...
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure deleteAdminReplyQueueDefinition

### Syntax

```
public void deleteAdminReplyQueueDefinition ( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method deletes the definition of the standard *administration reply queue* from the registry for the queue manager. No error is generated if the definition does not exist. The queue itself is not removed.

The queue cannot be accessed if it is not defined in the registry. The definition can be recreated with **defineDefaultAdminReplyQueue()**.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

#### **MQeException**

Is thrown if the **MQeQueueManagerConfigure** object has not been activated, or if there is an error deleting the registry entry.

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, null );
    qmConfig.deleteAdminReplyQueueDefinition();
    ...
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure deleteDeadLetterQueueDefinition

### Syntax

```
public void deleteDeadLetterQueueDefinition ( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This deletes the definition of the standard *dead letter queue* from the registry for the queue manager. No error is generated if the definition does not exist. The queue itself is not removed.

The queue cannot be accessed if it is not defined in the registry. The definition can be recreated with **defineDefaultDeadLetterQueue()**.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

#### **MQeException**

Is thrown if the **MQeQueueManagerConfigure** object has not been activated, or if there is an error deleting the registry entry.

### Example

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```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, null );
    qmConfig.deleteDeadLetterQueueDefinition();
    ...
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure deleteQueueManagerDefinition

### Syntax

```
public void deleteQueueManagerDefinition ( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method deletes the definition of the queue manager from its registry. No error is generated if the definition does not exist.

The queue cannot be accessed if it is not defined in the registry. The definition can be recreated with **defineQueueManager()**.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

#### **MQeException**

is thrown if the MQeQueueManagerConfigure object has not been activated, or if there is an error deleting the registry entry.

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, null );
    ...
    qmConfig.deleteQueueManagerDefinition();
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure deleteStandardQMDefinitions

### Syntax

```
public void deleteStandardQMDefinitions ( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This deletes the definitions of the standard default queues and the queue manager itself from the registry. No error is generated if the definitions do not exist.

This method is provided for convenience, it is equivalent to:

```

deleteDeadLetterQueueDefinition();
deleteSystemQueueDefinition();
deleteAdminQueueDefinition();
deleteAdminReplyQueueDefinition();
deleteQueueManagerDefinition();

```

**Parameters**

none

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions****MQeException**

Is thrown if the MQeQueueManagerConfigure object has not been activated, or if there is an error deleting the registry entries.

**Example**

```

try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, null );
    qmConfig.deleteStandardQMDefinitions();
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }

```

**MQeQueueManagerConfigure deleteSystemQueueDefinition****Syntax**

```
public void deleteSystemQueueDefinition ( ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This deletes the definition of the default local queue, SYSTEM.DEFAULT.LOCAL.QUEUE, from the registry for the queue manager. No error is generated if the definition does not exist. The queue itself is not removed.

The queue cannot be accessed if it is not defined in the registry. The definition can be recreated with **defineDefaultSystemQueue()**

**Parameters**

none

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions****MQeException**

Is thrown if the MQeQueueManagerConfigure object has not been activated, or if there is an error deleting the registry entry.

**Example**

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure

```
try
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, null );
    qmConfig.deleteSystemQueueDefinition();
    ...
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure queueManagerExists

### Syntax

```
public boolean queueManagerExists( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method checks whether the queue manager definition exists in the registry.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

**true**                    If the queue manager definition exists in the registry.  
**false**                    If the queue manager definition does not exist in the registry.

### Exceptions

**MQeException**                    Is thrown if the MQeQueueManagerConfigure object has not been activated, or if there is an error reading the registry.

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, null );
    if ( queueManagerExists() )
    {
        ...
    }
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure setChannelTimeout

### Syntax

```
public void setChannelTimeout( long ChnlTimeout )
```

### Description

This sets the channel time-out value for the queue manager.

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This method must be called before `defineQueueManager()`, otherwise it is ignored.

### Parameters

**ChnlTimeout** The Channel time-out value in milliseconds.

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
                                             "Queues" + File.separator );

    qmConfig.setChannelTimeout( 3600 * 1000 );
    qmConfig.defineQueueManager();
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure setChnlAttributeRuleName

### Syntax

```
public void setChnlAttributeRuleName( String ChnlAttrRuleName ) throws MQeException
```

### Description

This method sets the name of the **Channel Attribute Rule** class for the queue manager.

This method must be called before `defineQueueManager()`, otherwise it is ignored.

### Parameters

#### **ChnlAttrRuleName**

The name of the **Channel Attribute Rule** class.

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

#### **MQeException**

Is thrown if the name is invalid.

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
                                             "Queues" + File.separator );

    qmConfig.setChnlAttributeRuleName( "Examples.Rules.AttributeRule" );
    qmConfig.defineQueueManager();
}
```

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```
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQeQueueManagerConfigure setDescription

### Syntax

```
public void setDescription (String description )
```

### Description

This method sets the description for the queue manager

This method must be called before **defineQueueManager()**, otherwise it is ignored.

### Parameters

**description**     The new description

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeQueueManagerConfigure qmConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    // initialize the parameters
    ...
    qmConfig = new MQeQueueManagerConfigure( parms, "qmName" + File.separator +
                                             "Queues" + File.separator );
    qmConfig.setDescription( "queue manager for " + qmName );
    qmConfig.defineQueueManager();
    qmConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

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This class contains methods that are invoked when the queue manager performs certain operations. The rules can affect the outcome of these operations. This class contains the default queue manager rules. Typically, these default rules would be overridden to provide appropriate behavior for a given MQe solution.

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### Method summary

| Method                      | Purpose   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| <b>activateQueues</b>       | This rule decides whether to activate certain queues at queue manager startup time. The queues that can be activated are remote asynchronous queue definitions, <i>home server queues</i> , and <i>store and forward queues</i> . |
| <b>addQueue</b>             | This rule is called when a new queue is added to the queue manager.   |
| <b>deleteMessage</b>        | This rule is called when a delete message operation occurs.   |
| <b>getMessage</b>           | This rule is called when a get message operation occurs.  |
| <b>getRetryCount</b>        | This rule returns the number of retry attempts for a failed network operation.  |
| <b>peerConnection</b>       | This rule is called when the queue manager's peer channel listener receives an incoming connection request.   |
| <b>putMessage</b>           | This rule is called when a put message operation occurs.  |
| <b>queueManagerActivate</b> | This rule is called when the queue manager is activated.  |
| <b>queueManagerClose</b>    | This rule is called when the queue manager is closed.   |
| <b>removeQueue</b>          | This rule is called when a queue is to be removed from the queue manager.   |
| <b>transmit</b>             | This rule is called for each remote asynchronous queue definition when a transmission of pending messages is taking place. The rule allows transmission to be disabled on a per-queue basis.                                      |
| <b>triggerTransmission</b>  | This rule returns a boolean value which denotes whether or not to allow, at this time, the transmission of pending messages stored within remote asynchronous queue definitions   |
| <b>undo</b>                 | This rule is called when an Undo operation occurs.  |

### MQeQueueManagerRule activateQueues

**Syntax**

```
public boolean activateQueues()
```

**Description**

This rule determines whether to activate certain queues at queue manager startup time. The queues that can be activated are remote asynchronous queue definitions, *home server queues*, and *store and forward queues*.

Activating these queues means that an attempt is made to transmit any messages that they hold. Queues are normally not activated until an operation is performed on them. It can be useful to activate these queues

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immediately on queue manager startup because they may have transmission timer threads, or other functions associated with them.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A boolean value denoting whether to activate certain queues at queue manager startup time. The queue manager acts on the value returned

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* cheap rate transmission period start and end times      */
    protected int cheapRatePeriodStart = 18; /* 18:00 hrs */
    protected int cheapRatePeriodEnd = 9; /* 09:00 hrs */

    public boolean activateQueues()
    {
        super.activateQueues();
        if ( timeToTransmit() ) /* if OK to transmit */
            return true; /* then activate queues */
        else /* otherwise*/
            return false; /* don't activate queues */
    }

    /* This method determines if the current time is inside the defined */
    /* cheap rate period of transmission */
    protected boolean timeToTransmit()
    {
        /* get current time */
        long currentTimeLong = System.currentTimeMillis();

        Date date = new Date( currentTimeLong );
        Calendar calendar = Calendar.getInstance();
        calendar.setTime( date );

        /* get hour */
        int hour = calendar.get( Calendar.HOUR_OF_DAY );

        if ( hour >= cheapRatePeriodStart || hour < cheapRatePeriodEnd )
            return true; /* cheap rate */
        else
            return false; /* not cheap rate */
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueueManagerRule addQueue

### Syntax

```
public void addQueue( MQeQueue queue ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when a queue is added to the queue manager. The rule is called before the addition of the queue, and so the rule is able to reject the operation by throwing an exception.

This rule also decides whether to activate the queue immediately or to activate the queue when it is first used. The default behaviour of the rule

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is to activate all home-server queues immediately. All other types of queue are activated when they are first used.

### Parameters

**queue** An **MQeQueue** object that is being added to the queue manager.

### Return values

A boolean value denoting whether the queue should be activated immediately, or when it is first used.

**true** Activate the queue immediately

**false** Activate the queue when first used

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* Don't allow asynchronous queues to be added to this Queue Manager */
    public boolean addQueue( MQeQueue queue ) throws Exception
    {
        boolean result = super.addQueue( queue );
        int accessMode = queue.getAccessMode();
        if ( accessMode == MQeQueue.Queue_ASynchronous )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "No Asynch Queues" );
        return ( result );
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

**removeQueue**

## MQeQueueManagerRule deleteMessage

### Syntax

```
public void deleteMessage( String destQMgrName,
                          String destQName,
                          MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when a delete message operation takes place. The rule is called before the operation takes place, and so the rule can stop the operation by throwing an exception.

### Parameters

#### **destQMgrName**

A String containing the name of the queue manager that owns the queue on which this operation takes place. A value of *null* denotes that the local queue manager is to be used

#### **destQName**

A String containing the name of the queue on which this operation takes place

#### **filter**

This is the filter to be used for the delete message operation. It is an **MQeFields** object containing message fields (for example, priority and messageID )

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### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule blocks message deletes on 'TopSecretQueue' */
    public void deleteMessage( String destQMgr, String destQ, MQeFields filter )
    {
        super.deleteMessage( destQMgr, destQ, filter );
        if( destQMgr == null || destQMgr.equals( Owner.GetName() ) )
        {
            if ( destQ.equals( "TopSecretQueue" ) )
                throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Can't delete on this Queue" );
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueueManagerRule getMessage

### Syntax

```
public void getMessage( String destQMgrName,
                       String destQName,
                       MQeFields filter,
                       MQeAttribute attribute,
                       long confirmId ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when a get message operation takes place. The rule is called before the operation takes place, and so the rule can stop the operation by throwing an exception.

### Parameters

#### destQMgrName

A String containing the name of the queue manager that owns the queue on which this operation takes place. A value of *null* denotes that the local queue manager is to be used

#### destQName

A String containing the name of the queue on which this operation takes place

#### filter

This is the filter to be used for the get message operation. It is an **MQeFields** object containing message fields (for example, priority and messageID )

#### attribute

An **MQe Attribute** object used to provide message-level security

#### confirmId

A long value denoting whether or not to use guaranteed message delivery. A nonzero value leaves the message locked on the target queue, it is not removed until a subsequent confirm flow. A value of zero removes the message from the target queue without the need for a subsequent confirm.

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This value is also used in the event of a get message failure. The application should store the value used, and use it to reset the messages (via the **undo** command) matched by the Get to their previous state.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule only allows GETs from 'OutboundQueue', if a password is */
    /* supplied as part of the filter */
    public void getMessage( String destQMgr, String destQ, MQeFields filter,
                           MQeAttribute attr, long confirmId )
    {
        super.getMessage( destQMgr, destQ, filter, attr, confirmId );
        if ( destQMgr.equals( Owner.GetName() ) && destQ.equals( "OutboundQueue" ) )
        {
            if ( !(filter.Contains( "Password" ) ) )
                throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Password not supplied" );
            else
            {
                String pwd = filter.getAscii( "Password" );
                if ( !(pwd.equals( "1234" ) ) )
                    throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Incorrect password" );
            }
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

**putMessage**

## MQeQueueManagerRule getRetryCount

### Syntax

```
public int getRetryCount()
```

### Description

This rule returns the number of times to retry a network operation. The queue manager calls this rule when creating a new channel object. The value returned by this rule is passed to the channel, and it is used in the event of a network operation failure.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An integer value that contains the number of times to retry a network operation. The queue manager acts on the value returned.

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
}
```

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```
    public int getRetryCount()
    {
        return (2); /* retry a network operation twice */
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueueManagerRule peerConnection

### Syntax

```
public void peerConnection( String qmgrName )
```

### Description

This method is called when a queue manager's peer listener detects an incoming connection request from another MQSeries Everyplace queue manager. The connection must be made over an **MQePeerChannel**, or its descendant.

By throwing an exception the rule can block the connection attempt.

### Parameters

**qmgrName**      A String containing the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager that is requesting a connection

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    public void peerConnection( String qmgrName )
    {
        /* block any connection attempt from 'RogueQMgr' */
        if ( qmgrName.equals( "RogueQMgr" ) )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Connection not allowed" );
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueueManagerRule putMessage

### Syntax

```
public void putMessage( String destQMGrName,
                       String destQName,
                       MQeMsgObject msg,
                       MQeAttribute attribute,
                       long confirmId ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when a put message operation takes place. The rule is called before the operation takes place, so the rule can stop the operation by throwing an exception.

### Parameters

**destQMGrName**      A String containing the name of the queue manager that

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owns the queue on which this operation takes place. A value of *null* denotes that the local queue manager is to be used

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>destQName</b> | A String containing the name of the queue on which this operation takes place   |
| <b>msg</b>       | The message object that is being placed on the target queue   |
| <b>attribute</b> | <i>null</i> , or an <b>MQeAttribute</b> object defining the authenticator, cryptor, and compressor to be associated with this message.  |
| <b>confirmId</b> | A long value denoting whether or not to use assures message delivery. A nonzero value locks the message on the target queue, it is not made visible until a subsequent confirm flow. A value of zero transmits the message without the need for a subsequent confirm. |

Also, this value can be used in the event of a put message failure. By passing this value to the undo command, the application can remove any messages that were left in an incomplete state by the failed put operation.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* Only allow msgs containing an ID field to be placed on the Queue */
    public void putMessage( String destQMgr, String destQ, MQeMsgObject msg,
                          MQeAttribute attribute, long confirmId )
    {
        if ( !(msg.Contains( MQe.Msg_MsgId )) )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Msg must contain an ID" );
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

**getMessage**

## MQeQueueManagerRule queueManagerActivate

### Syntax

```
MQeQueueManagerRule queueManagerActivate
```

### Description

This rule is called when the queue manager is activated.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

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### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* default interval between triggers is 60 minutes */
    protected int    triggerInterval = 360000;
    /* background thread reference */
    protected Thread th    = null;
    /* Called when the Queue manager is activated */
    public void queueManagerActivate( ) throws Exception
    {
        super.queueManagerActivate();
        /* background thread which triggers transmission */
        th = new Thread( this, "TriggerThread" );
        th.start();          /* start timer thread */
    }

    /* Called when a Queue manager Close is called */
    public void queueManagerClose( ) throws Exception
    {
        super.QueueManagerClose();
        th.stop();          /* stop background thread on QMgr close*/
    }

    /* Background thread run method */
    /* Triggers transmission every interval until thread is stopped */
    public void run()
    {
        try
        {
            while ( true )
            {
                Thread.sleep( triggerInterval );          /* sleep for specified interval */
                /* check if ok to transmit */
                if ( triggerTransmission( 0, null ) )
                /* trigger transmission on QMgr (which is rule owner) */
                    ((MQeQueueManager)Owner).triggerTransmission();
            }
        } catch ( Exception e )
        {
            e.printStackTrace( System.err );
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

`queueManagerClose`

## MQeQueueManagerRule queueManagerClose

### Syntax

```
public void queueManagerClose() throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when the queue manager is closing.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

## Examples

```

class exampleRules extends MQQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* default interval between triggers is 60 minutes */
    protected int    triggerInterval = 360000;
    /* background thread reference */
    protected Thread th    = null;
    /* Called when the Queue manager is activated */
    public void queueManagerActivate( ) throws Exception
    {
        super.queueManagerActivate();
        /* background thread which triggers transmission */
        th = new Thread( this, "TriggerThread" );
        th.start();          /* start timer thread */
    }

    /* Called when a Queue manager Close is called */
    public void queueManagerClose( ) throws Exception
    {
        super.queueManagerClose();
        th.stop();          /* stop background thread on QMgr close*/
    }

    /* Background thread run method */
    /* Triggers transmission every interval until thread is stopped */
    public void run()
    {
        try
        {
            while ( true )
            {
                Thread.sleep( triggerInterval );          /* sleep for specified interval */
                /* check if ok to transmit */
                if ( triggerTransmission( 0, null ) )
                /* trigger transmission on QMgr (which is rule owner) */
                    ((MQQueueManager)Owner).triggerTransmission();
            }
        } catch ( Exception e )
        {
            e.printStackTrace( System.err );
        }
    }
    ...
}

```

## Related functions

**queueManagerActivate**

## MQQueueManagerRule removeQueue

## Syntax

```
public void removeQueue( MQQueue queue) throws Exception
```

## Description

This rule is called when a queue is to be removed from the queue manager. The rule is called before the removal of the queue, so the rule is able to reject the operation by throwing an exception.

## Parameters

**queue**                    An **MQQueue** object that is to be removed from the queue manager

## Return values

none

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### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule prevents the removal of the Payroll Queue */
    public void removeQueue( MQeQueue queue ) throws Exception
    {
        if ( queue.getQueueName().equals( "PayrollQueue" ) )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Can't delete this queue" );
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

**addQueue**

## MQeQueueManagerRule transmit

### Syntax

```
public boolean transmit( MQeQueue queue )
```

### Description

When a queue manager attempts to send all its pending messages, this rule is called for each queue that contains messages awaiting transmission. This rule decides whether to allow the transmission of those messages for the supplied queue.

### Parameters

**queue**            A **MQeQueue** object that holds messages awaiting transmission.

### Return values

A boolean value denoting whether to allow the transmission of the messages held on this queue. The queue manager acts on the value returned.

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* cheap rate transmission period start and end times */
    protected int cheapRatePeriodStart = 18;            /* 18:00 hrs */
    protected int cheapRatePeriodEnd = 9;              /* 09:00 hrs */

    /* This rule allows queue transmission if current time is during the cheap rate transmission period
    /* If the current time is not during the cheap rate transmission period
    /* then transmission is only allowed if the queue is high priority
    public boolean transmit( MQeQueue queue )
    {
        if ( timeToTransmit() )
            return true;                                  /* cheap rate */
        else
            if ( queue.GetPriority() > 4 )
                return true;                              /* high priority Q */
    }

    /* This method determines if the current time is inside the defined */
}
```

```

/* cheap rate period of transmission */
protected boolean timeToTransmit()
{
    /* get current time */
    long currentTimeLong = System.currentTimeMillis();

    Date date = new Date( currentTimeLong );
    Calendar calendar = Calendar.getInstance();
    calendar.setTime( date );

    /* get hour */
    int hour = calendar.get( Calendar.HOUR_OF_DAY );

    if ( hour >= cheapRatePeriodStart || hour < cheapRatePeriodEnd )
        return true; /* cheap rate */
    else
        return false; /* not cheap rate */
}
...
}

```

**Related functions****triggerTransmission****MQeQueueManagerRule triggerTransmission****Syntax**

```
public boolean triggerTransmission( int noofMsgs, MQeFields msgFields )
```

**Description**

This method authorizes the transmission of pending messages stored on remote asynchronous queue definitions within the queue manager.

This rule is invoked by the queue manager in two situations ·

- When the queue manager is instructed to transmit all of its pending messages (using the **MQeQueueManager.triggerTransmission()** method)
- When a message is sent to a remote queue that is defined as asynchronous. The queue manager invokes this rule to see whether to transmit all pending messages

**Parameters**

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>noofMsgs</b>  | The number of messages awaiting transmission on remote asynchronous queues  |
| <b>msgFields</b> | This parameter is <i>null</i> if this rule has been invoked because the queue manager has been instructed to transmit all of its pending messages (using the <b>MQeQueueManager.triggerTransmission()</b> method. |

If this rule has been invoked because of the arrival of a message on a remote asynchronous queue definition then this parameter is an **MQeFields** object containing certain fields from the newly-arrived message.

The fields present in the parameter are: ·

- Message UID (Origin queue manager + Timestamp)
- Message ID (if present in the original message)
- Correlation ID (if present in the original message)
- Priority (if present in the original message)

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### Return values

A boolean value denoting whether the rule allows transmission of pending messages at this time. The queue manager acts upon the value returned.

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    /* default interval between triggers is 60 minutes */
    protected int    triggerInterval = 360000;
    /* background thread reference */
    protected Thread th    = null;
    /* Called when the Queue manager is activated */
    public void queueManagerActivate( ) throws Exception
    {
        super.queueManagerActivate();
        /* background thread which triggers transmission */
        th = new Thread( this, "TriggerThread" );
        th.start();          /* start timer thread */
    }

    /* Called when a Queue manager Close is called */
    public void queueManagerClose( ) throws Exception
    {
        super.queueManagerClose();
        th.stop();          /* stop background thread on QMgr close*/
    }

    /* Background thread run method */
    /* Triggers transmission every interval until thread is stopped */
    public void run()
    {
        try
        {
            while ( true )
            {
                /* sleep for specified interval */
                Thread.sleep( triggerInterval );
                /* check if ok to transmit */
                if ( triggerTransmission( 0, null ) )
                /* trigger transmission on QMgr (which is rule owner) */
                    ((MQeQueueManager)Owner).triggerTransmission();
            }
        } catch ( Exception e )
        {
            e.printStackTrace( System.err );
        }
    }

    /* Decides if transmission of messages is allowed */
    public boolean triggerTransmission( int noOfMsgs, MQeFields msgFields )
    {
        return true; /* always allow transmission */
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

transmit

## MQeQueueManagerRule undo

### Syntax

```
public void undo(String destQMgrName,
                String destQName,
                long confirmId ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when an undo message operation takes place. The rule is called before the operation takes place, so the rule can stop the operation by throwing an exception.

### Parameters

#### destQMgrName

A String containing the name of the queue manager that owns the queue on which this operation takes place. A value of *null* denotes that the local queue manager is to be used

#### destQName

A String containing the name of the queue on which this operation takes place

#### confirmId

A long value that was the confirm Id used by the operation which is being undone. All messages matching this confirm Id are restored to their previous state

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleRules extends MQeQueueManagerRule
{
    ...
    public void undo( String destQMgr, String destQ, long confirmId )
    {
        /* log the undo event */
        log( MQe_Log_Warning, Event_QueueManager_Undo,
            destQMgr + "+" + destQ );
    }
    ...
}
```

---

### MQeQueueRule

Queue rules control the behaviour of MQSeries Everyplace queues. The queue rules are activated by the queue when it is itself activated. During the operation of the queue, the rules are called when certain events occur, for example, when a message is put, a message expires, or a duplicate message arrives. The rules then determine how the queue handles these events.

The base set of queue rules are defined in this class, which should be extended if a solution wishes to alter queue behaviour.

Queues hold messages in a queue store, typically this would be a persistent type of storage, such as a disk drive, but it does not need to necessarily be so. The queue maintains an index entry for each message held in its queue store. The index entry consists of state information for the message, such as whether it is locked or unlocked. Also, certain message fields are stored in the index entry, these are known as index fields. The default index fields are, message unique ID, MQSeries message ID, MQSeries correlation ID, and message priority. These fields are stored because they are present in most messages, and storing the fields in memory yields faster message searching.

The `indexEntry()` rule is called whenever an index entry is created. This occurs whenever a new message is put onto the queue or at queue activation time when the queue reads any messages left in its queue store from a previous session. The rule allows a solution to alter the index entry when it is created, one use for this would be to add an extra field or fields into the index, thus improving message search times.

Queues maintain a use count, this is incremented when the queue is activated, and likewise decremented when the queue is closed. Also, the use count is incremented when a remote queue manager connects to a queue. The use count is decremented when the channel and transporter used to create this connection are destroyed. The `useCountChanged()` rule is called every time the use count is changed.

The messages held on the queue can be protected by an authenticator and cryptor. The messages can also be compressed by using a compressor. Together, the authenticator, cryptor, and compressor are known as the attributes of the queue, and they are defined by specifying an appropriate **MQeAttribute** object to be associated with the queue. The `attributeChange()` rule is called whenever an attempt is made to replace the queue's attribute.

**Note:** Changing a queue's attribute when it already holds messages stored using another attribute, may cause message loss, since the message may not be recoverable using the new attribute.

If a message has remained on the queue for a length of time greater than the queue's expiry interval, or if a message exceeds its own expiry interval then the `messageExpired()` rule is called. This rule then determines what happens to the message, but typically the message would be either deleted, or placed on a 'dead letter queue'.

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## Method summary

| Method                   | Purpose   |
|--------------------------|---|
| <b>addListener</b>       | This rule is called when a message listener is attached to the queue.   |
| <b>attributeChange</b>   | This rule is called when an attempt is made to change the queue's attribute. The attribute defines the authenticator, cryptor and compressor used on the queue. Messages are stored using the attributes defined.   |
| <b>browseMessage</b>     | The rule decides whether to allow the message to be included in the set of messages returns to the application that issued the browse request.  |
| <b>deleteMessage</b>     | This rule is called when a delete message operation takes place.  |
| <b>duplicateMessage</b>  | This rule is called if a duplicate message is put onto the queue.   |
| <b>filterMessage</b>     | This rule is called when a message filter is being applied during a GetMessage, BrowseMessage or DeleteMessage method call.   |
| <b>getMessage</b>        | This rule is called when a message is found that satisfies a get message request. The rule can decide whether the message should be allowed to satisfy the get message request.   |
| <b>getPendingMessage</b> | This rule is called when a get pending message request is received.   |
| <b>indexEntry</b>        | This rule is called whenever an index entry is created  |
| <b>messageExpired</b>    | This rule is called when a message has exceeded either the queue's expiry interval, or it's own expiry interval. The rule then decides whether to expire the message, and what to do with the message if it has expired.  |
| <b>putMessage</b>        | This rule is called when a put message request is made.   |
| <b>queueActivate</b>     | This rule is called when the queue is activated.  |
| <b>queueClosed</b>       | This rule is called when the queue is closed.   |
| <b>removeListener</b>    | This rule is called when a message listener is removed from a queue.  |
| <b>resetMessageLock</b>  | This rule is called when a request is made to reset the lock state on a message. The message is reset to an unlocked state. This function can only be performed by MQSeries Administration. By throwing an exception the rule can prevent the reset from occurring. |
| <b>undo</b>              | This rule is called when an undo operation occurs and it determines whether the message is to be included in the set of messages processed by the undo operation.   |
| <b>useCountChanged</b>   | This rule is called every time the use count is changed   |

## MQeQueueRule addListener

### Syntax

```
public void addListener( MQeMessageListenerInterface listener,
                       MQeFields filter) throws Exception
```

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### Description

This rule is called when a message listener is attached to a queue. By throwing an exception the rule is able to reject the add listener request.

### Parameters

- listener** A reference to the object that is subscribing to MQSeries Everyplace message events. The object must implement **MQeMessageListenerInterface**.
- filter** *null* or an **MQeFields** object containing message fields. A value of *null* means that the listener wishes to receive events for all messages on the queue.
- Specifying an **MQeFields** object containing message fields means that the listener is only interested in events concerning messages whose fields match those contained in the filter.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Examples

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule logs the addition of a message listener */
    public void addListener( MQeMessageListenerInterface listener,
                           MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
    {
        log( MQe_Log_Information, Event_Queue_AddMsgListener,
            "Added listener on queue " +
            ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueManagerName() + "+" +
            ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueName() );
    }

    public void queueActivate()
    { /* create a new log file */
        try
        {
            logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt" );
        }
        catch( Exception e )
        {
            e.printStackTrace( System.err );
        }
    }

    public void queueClose()
    { /* close log file */
        logFile.close();
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- removeListener

## MQeQueueRule attributeChange

### Syntax

```
public void attributeChange( MQeAttribute attribute ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method is called when an attempt is made to change the queue's attribute. The attribute defines the authenticator, cryptor and compressor used on the queue. All messages are stored using the queue's attribute.

By throwing an exception the rule is able to reject the attribute change request.

### Parameters

**attribute**            *null*, or an **MQeAttribute** object that defines the authenticator, cryptor and compressor that will be used on the queue, if the change is allowed. *null* means that no attribute will be used on the queue.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

### Example

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule only allows the queue's attribute to be changed if it was */
    /* not previously set */
    /* The queue object is the owner of the rule */
    public void attributeChange( MQeAttribute attribute ) throws Exception
    {
        if ( ((MQeQueue) owner).getQueueAttribute() != null )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Attribute already set" );
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueueRule browseMessage

### Syntax

```
public boolean browseMessage( MQeMsgObject msg,
                             long confirmId ) throws Exception
```

### Description

A Browse Messages operation matches zero or more messages held on a queue. This method is called for every message matched. The rule decides whether to allow the message to be included in the set of messages returned to the application that issued the browse request.

If this rule throws an exception then the browse operation will be terminated.

### Parameters

**msg**                    An **MQeMsgObject** containing the message being browsed.

**confirmId**            A long value that is the confirm Id used on this browse operation. The confirm Id is used to restore messages in the event of a failure

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### Return values

A boolean value that denotes whether to allow this message to be included in the set of messages returned to the application that issued the browse request. .

**True** Allow the message to be included

**False** Do not allow the message to be included

### Exceptions

### Examples

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule only allows messages of type 'OrderResponse' to be browsed */
    public boolean browseMessage( MQeMsgObject msg,
                                long confirmID ) throws Exception
    {
        /* get message type field */
        String msgType = msg.getAscii( "MsgType" );
        /* what message type is it? */
        if ( msgType.equals( "OrderResponse" ) )
            return (true); /* allow browse */
        else
            return (false); /* don't allow browse */
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueueRule deleteMessage

### Syntax

```
public void deleteMessage( MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when a delete message operation takes place. By throwing an exception the rule can reject the delete message request.

### Parameters

**filter** An **MQeFields** object containing a message filter. The filter must contain the message's UID for the delete operation to be successful.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

### Example

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule requires that the filter contain a password */
    public void deleteMessage( MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
    {
        if ( filter != null && filter.contains( "Password" ) )
        {
            String pswd = filter.getAscii( "Password" );
            if ( pswd.equals( "12345678" ) )
            { /* remove password from filter */
                filter.delete( "Password" );
                return;
            }
        }
        else
    }
```

```

        throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Incorrect password" );
    }
    throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "No Password" );
}
...
}

```

## MQeQueueRule duplicateMessage

### Syntax

```

public void duplicateMessage( MQeMsgObject msg,
                             long confirmId ) throws Exception

```

### Description

This rule is called if a duplicate message is put onto the queue.

### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>msg</b>       | An <b>MQeMsgObject</b> containing the duplicate message.   |
| <b>confirmId</b> | A long value that is the confirm Id used on this put operation. The confirm Id is used to restore messages in the event of a failure |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

### Examples

```

class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule logs the duplicate message exception */
    public void duplicateMessage( MQeMsgObject msg,
                                 long confirmID ) throws Exception
    {
        /* get message UID */
        MQeFields msgUID = msg.getMsgUIDFields();
        /* log the duplicate message exception */
        log( MQe_Log_Warning, Event_Queue_Duplicate,
            msgUID.getAscii( MQe.Msg_OriginQMgr ) + " + " +
            msgUID.getLong( MQe.Msg_Time ) );
    }

    public void queueActivate()
    { /* create a new log file */
        try
        {
            logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt" );
        }
        catch( Exception e )
        {
            e.printStackTrace( System.err );
        }
    }

    public void queueClose()
    { /* close log file */
        logFile.close();
    }

    ...
}

```

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### MQueueRule filterMessage

#### Syntax

```
public boolean filterMessage( int what, MQueueFields filter )
```

#### Description

This rule is called when a message filter is being applied during a GetMessage, BrowseMessage or DeleteMessage call. The queue rule checks to make sure certain fields exist in the filter, and that they contain certain values. The rule then uses this information to allow or reject the operation.

#### Parameters

**what** An integer, indicating which operation is being performed:

- 0 = browse
- 1 = get
- 2 = delete

**filter** An MQueueFields object. *null* or the search filter used to restrict the operation to a subset messages on the queue.

#### Return values

**true** Allow the requested operation to go ahead  
**false** Reject the requested operation

#### Exceptions

None

#### Examples

```
public class ExampleQueueRule extends MQueueRule {  
    ...  
    public boolean filterMessage( int what , MQueueFields filter ) {  
        boolean result = true ; // Allow all operations by default, regardless of filter.  
        return result ;  
    }  
    ...  
}
```

#### Related Functions

- getMessage
- browseMessage
- deleteMessage

### MQueueRule getMessage

#### Syntax

```
public boolean getMessage( MQueueMsgObject msg,  
                          long confirmId ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This rule is called when a message is found which satisfies a get message request. The rule can decide whether that message should be allowed to satisfy the get message request.

If the rule does not allow the message to satisfy the get message request then the queue will search for another message that satisfies the request.

By throwing an exception the rule can terminate the get message request.

#### Parameters

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>msg</b>       | An <b>MQeMsgObject</b> containing a message that satisfies the get message request..   |
| <b>confirmId</b> | A long value that is the confirm Id used on this get request. The confirm Id is used to restore messages in the event of a failure |

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**Examples**

```

class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule disallows a get request on a message if the message states */
    /* that it can only be browsed */
    public boolean getMessage( MQeMsgObject msg,
                              long confirmId ) throws Exception
    { /* does the message contain a field which states what operations are */
      /* allowed upon it */
      if ( msg.contains( "AllowableOperations" ) )
      {
          String allowedOperations = msg.getAscii( "AllowableOperations" );
          /* if the message states that it can only be browsed disallow the get */
          if ( allowedOperations.equals( "BrowseOnly" ) )
              return (false);
      }
      return (true);
    }
    ...
}

```

**Related functions**

- putMessage

**MQeQueueRule getPendingMessage****Syntax**

```

public void getPendingMessage( String queueManagerName,
                              MQeFields filter,
                              long confirmId ) throws Exception

```

**Description**

An MQSeries Everyplace queue manager is able to collect messages destined for itself from its home-server through a home-server queue. The home-server stores messages destined for its clients in one or more store-and-forward queues. The home-server queue contacts its home-server's store-and-forward queues using the MQeStoreAndForwardQueue.getPendingMessage() method. Any pending messages for that MQSeries Everyplace queue manager are then returned.

This rule is called when a get pending message request is received.

**Parameters****queueManagerName**

A String containing the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager that initiated the get pending message request.

**filter**

*null* or an **MQeFields** object containing a message filter,

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used to match any pending messages. *null* means return the first available message addressed to the queue manager specified in `queueManagerName`.

**confirmId** A long value that is the confirm ID for this operation. The confirmID is used to restore messages in the event of a failure.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

### Examples

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule requires that the filter contain a password */
    /* (For this rule to work correctly in would be necessary to override */
    /* MQeHomeServerQueue so that the message filter sent to the Store & */
    /* Forward Queue was non-null) */
    public void getPendingMessage( String queueManagerName, MQeFields filter,
        long confirmId ) throws Exception
    {
        if ( filter != null && filter.contains( "Password" ) )
        {
            String pswd = filter.getAscii( "Password" );
            if ( pswd.equals( "123456878" ) )
            { /* remove password from filter */
                filter.delete( "Password" );
                return;
            }
        }
        throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "No Password" );
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQeQueueRule indexEntry

### Syntax

```
public void indexEntry( MQeFields entry,
    MQeMsgObject msg ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when the queue creates an index entry. This occurs when a new message is put onto the queue, and when the queue is activated, if it still holds messages from a previous session.

The index entry contains state information about the message, along with certain index fields that are held to enable faster message searching. These fields are:

- MQe Unique ID ( MQe.Msg\_OriginQMgr + MQe.Msg\_Time )
- MQ Series Message ID ( MQe.Msg\_ID )
- MQ Series Correlation ID ( MQe.Msg\_CorrelID )
- Message Priority( MQe.Msg\_Priority )

### Parameters

**entry** A String containing the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager that initiated the get pending message request.

|               |  |
|---------------|--|
| <b>filter</b> | An <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a blank index entry. The rule can add fields to this object, if it wishes. |
| <b>msg</b>    | An <b>MQeMsgObject</b> containing the message for which an index entry is being created.                         |

**Return values**  
none

**Exceptions**

**Examples**

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* if the message contains a customer number field - then add this field */
    /* to the message's index entry. */
    /* This will enable faster message searching */
    public void indexEntry( MQeFields entry,
                          MQeMsgObject msg ) throws Exception
    {
        if ( msg.contains( "Cust_No" ) )
            entry.copy( msg, true, "Cust_No" );
    }
    ...
}
```

## MQQueueRule messageExpired

**Syntax**

```
public boolean messageExpired( MQeFields entry,
                              MQeMsgObject msg ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This rule is called when a message has exceeded either the queue's expiry interval, or it's own expiry interval. The check to see whether the message exceeded the expiry intervals is made every time the message is accessed.

The rule then decides whether to expire the message, and what subsequently happens to the message, if it has expired.

**Parameters**

|              |   |
|--------------|---|
| <b>entry</b> | An <b>MQeFields</b> object containing the index entry for the message that has expired. |
| <b>msg</b>   | An <b>MQeMsgObject</b> containing the message that has expired.                         |

**Return values**

A boolean value which denotes whether to expire the message.

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| <b>true</b>  | The message has expired and can be deleted |
| <b>false</b> | The message has not expired                |

**Exceptions**

**Examples**

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule puts a copy of any expired messages to a Dead Letter Queue */
    public boolean messageExpired( MQeFields entry,
                                  MQeMsgObject msg ) throws Exception
    {
```

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```
/* Get the reference to the Queue Manager */
MQeQueueManager qmgr = MQeQueueManager.getReference(
    ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueManagerName() );
/* need to set re-send flag so that put of message to new queue isn't */
/* rejected /
msg.putBoolean( MQe.Msg_Resend, true );
/* if the message contains an expiry interval field - remove it */
if ( msg.contains( MQe.Msg_ExpireTime )
    msg.delete( MQe.Msg_ExpireTime );
/* put message onto dead letter queue */
qmgr.putMessage( null, "DEAD.LETTER.QUEUE", msg, null, 0 );
/* return true & the message will be deleted from the queue */
return (true);
}
...
}
```

## MQeQueueRule putMessage

### Syntax

```
public void putMessage( MQeMsgObject msg,
    long confirmID ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when a put message request is made. By throwing an exception the rule can prevent the message being put onto the queue.

### Parameters

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>msg</b>       | An <b>MQeMsgObject</b> containing the msg to be put onto the queue.   |
| <b>confirmID</b> | A long value containing the confirm ID for this operation. The confirm ID is used to restore locked messages in the event of a failure. |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

### Examples

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule blocks a message Put if the message priority is less than 5 */
    public void putMessage( MQeMsgObject msg, long confirmID ) throws Exception
    {
        if ( (msg.contains( MQe.Msg_Priority )) &&
            (msg.getByte( MQe.Msg_Priority ) < 5) )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Priority too low" );
    }
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- getMessage

## MQeQueueRule queueActivate

### Syntax

```
public void queueActivate()
```

### Description

This rule is called when the queue is activated.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**Examples**

```

class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule logs the activation of the queue */
    public void queueActivate()
    {
        try
        {
            logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt );
            log( MQe_Log_Information, Event_Queue_Activate, "Queue " +
                ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueManagerName() + " + " +
                ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueName() + " active" );
        }
        catch( Exception e )
        {
            e.printStackTrace( System.err );
        }
    }

    public void queueClose()
    { /* close log file */
        logFile.close();
    }
    ...
}

```

**Related functions**

- queueClose

**MQeQueueRule queueClose****Syntax**

```
public void queueClose()
```

**Description**

This rule is called when the queue is closed.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**Examples**

```

class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule logs the closure of the queue */
    public void queueClose()
    {
        try
        {

```

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```
        log( MQe_Log_Information, Event_Queue_Closed, "Queue " +
            ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueManagerName() + " + " +
            ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueName() + " closed" );
        /* close log file */
        logFile.close();
    }
    catch ( Exception e )
    {
        e.printStackTrace( System.err );
    }
}

public void queueActivate()
{
    try
    {
        logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt );
        log( MQe_Log_Information, Event_Queue_Activate, "Queue " +
            ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueManagerName() + " + " +
            ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueName() + " active" );
    }
    catch( Exception e )
    {
        e.printStackTrace( System.err );
    }
} ...
}
```

### Related functions

- queueActivate

## MQeQueueRule removeListener

### Syntax

```
public void removeListener( MQeMessageListenerInterface listener,
                           MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when a message listener is removed from a queue. By throwing an exception the rule can prevent the listener from being removed.

### Parameters

- |                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>listener</b> | The object that is subscribing to MQSeries Everyplace message events. The object must implement <b>MQeMessageListenerInterface</b> .                                 |
| <b>filter</b>   | <i>null</i> or an <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a message filter. The filter must match the filter used in the add listener command that created this listener. |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

### Examples

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule logs the removal of the message listener */
    public void removeListener( MQeMessageListenerInterface listener,
                               MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
    {
```

```

log( MQe_Log_Information, Event_Queue_RemoveMsgListener,
    "Removed listener on queue " +
    ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueManagerName() + " " +
    ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueName() );
}

public void queueActivate()
{ /* create a new log file */
  try
  {
    logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt );
  }
  catch( Exception e )
  {
    e.printStackTrace( System.err );
  }
}

public void queueClose()
{ /* close log file */
  logFile.close();
}

...
}

```

**Related functions**

- addListener

**MQeQueueRule resetMessageLock****Syntax**

```
public void resetMessageLock( MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This rule is called when a request is made to reset the lock state on a message. The message is reset to an unlocked state. This function can only be performed by MQe Administration. By throwing an exception the rule can prevent the reset from occurring.

**Parameters**

**filter**                    An **MQeFields** object containing a message filter. This filter is used to match the message having its lock state reset

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions****Examples**

```

class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
  ...
  /* This rule logs the message lock reset */
  public void resetMessageLock( MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
  { /* get message UID */
    if ( filter.contains( MQe.Msg_Time ) &&
        filter.contains( MQe.Msg_OriginQMgr ) )
    {
      String originQMgr = filter.getAscii( MQe.Msg_OriginQMgr );
      long timeStamp    = filter.getLong( MQe.Msg_Time );

      log( MQe_Log_Information, Event_Queue_ResetMessageLock,
          "Message " + originQMgr + ":" + timeStamp + " on queue " +
          ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueManagerName() + " " +

```

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```
        ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueName() + " has been reset" );
    }
}

public void queueActivate()
{ /* create a new log file */
    try
    {
        logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt );
    }
    catch( Exception e )
    {
        e.printStackTrace( System.err );
    }
}

public void queueClose()
{ /* close log file */
    logFile.close();
}

...
}
```

## MQeQueueRule undo

### Syntax

```
public boolean undo( MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
```

### Description

An undo message operation matches zero or more messages held on a queue. This rule is called for each message matched, and the rule determines whether the message is to be included in the set of messages processed by the undo operation.

By throwing an exception the rule can terminate the undo operation.

### Parameters

- |                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>filter</b>    | An <b>MQeFields</b> object containing a message filter. Only messages matching the filter are included in the undo operation.                                |
| <b>confirmId</b> | A long value that was the confirm Id used by the operation which is being undone. All messages matching this confirm Id are restored to their previous state |

### Return values

A boolean value denoting whether this message will be included in the set of messages processed by the undo operation.

- |              |  |
|--------------|--|
| <b>true</b>  | Include this message in those processed by the undo operation        |
| <b>false</b> | Do not include this message in those processed by the undo operation |

### Exceptions

### Examples

```
class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* This rule logs the message reset */
    public boolean undo( MQeFields filter ) throws Exception
    { /* get message UID */
        if ( filter.contains( MQe.Msg_Time ) &&
```

```

        filter.contains( MQe.Msg_OriginQMgr ) )
    {
        String originQMgr = filter.getAscii( MQe.Msg_OriginQMgr );
        long timeStamp    = filter.getLong( MQe.Msg_Time );

        log( MQe_Log_Information, Event_Queue_ResetMessageLock,
            "Message " + originQMgr + ":" + timeStamp + " on queue " +
            ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueManagerName() + " + " +
            ((MQeQueue)owner).getQueueName() + " has been reset" );
    }
    return (true);
}

public void queueActivate()
{ /* create a new log file */
    try
    {
        logFile = new LogToDiskFile( "\\log.txt );
    }
    catch( Exception e )
    {
        e.printStackTrace( System.err );
    }
}

public void queueClose()
{ /* close log file */
    logFile.close();
}

...
}

```

## MQeQueueRule useCountChanged

### Syntax

```
public void useCountChanged( int useCount ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This rule is called when a queue's use count changes. The use count is a measure of the number of users attached to the queue. The use count changes when the queue is activated or closed, and when remote queue managers connect to, or disconnect from, the queue using an **MQeTransporter**.

### Parameters

**useCount**      the queue's current use count.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

### Examples

```

class exampleQueueRules extends MQeQueueRule
{
    ...
    /* do not allow the use count to exceed ten */
    public void useCountChanged( int useCount ) throws Exception
    {
        if ( useCount == 10 )
            throw new MQeException( Except_Rule, "Too many users" );
    }
    ...
}

```

### MQEventLogInterface

All MQSeries Everyplace log handlers must implement this interface.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe**

#### Method summary

| Method           | Purpose   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>activate</b>  | Activates the event log handler   |
| <b>close</b>     | Terminates the event log function and performs any cleanup as appropriate |
| <b>logOutput</b> | Outputs data to the event log   |

#### MQEventLogInterface activate

##### Syntax

```
public void activate( String logName ) throws Exception
```

##### Description

Is called to activate the event log handler

##### Parameters

**logName**        A String used to identify this event log

##### Return values

none

#### MQEventLogInterface close

##### Syntax

```
public void close( )
```

##### Description

Called to close the event log handler and to perform any cleanup as necessary

##### Parameters

none

##### Return values

none

#### MQEventLogInterface logOutput

##### Syntax

```
public void logOutput( String data )
```

##### Description

Called by MQSeries Everyplace to output a message to the event log handler

##### Parameters

**data**            The data to be logged

##### Return values

none

## MQeMessageListenerInterface

This interface must be implemented by all objects that wish to receive MQeMessage events.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe**

### Method summary

| Method                | Purpose   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>messageArrived</b> | Event handler for MQeMessageEvent.MessageArrived events. This event is generated when a message arrives on a queue. |

### MQeMessageListener messageArrived

#### Syntax

```
public void messageArrived( MQeMessageEvent msgEvent )
```

#### Description

This method is called on all listening objects when an MQeMessageEvent.MessageArrived event is generated.

#### Parameters

**msgEvent**        An MQeMessageEvent object containing details of the newly arrived message

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none.

#### Example

```
class MyMQeApplication extends MQSeries Everyplace
                        implements MQeMessageListenerInterface
{
    ...
    public void messageArrived( MQeMessageEvent e )
    {
        ...
        if ( e.getQueueName().equals("MY.QUEUE") )
            MQeFields msgFields = e.getMsgFields(); /* get msg info */
        ...
    }
    ...
}
```

---

## MQeRunListInterface

Two lists of MQSeries Everyplace applications can be passed to an MQSeries Everyplace queue manager as part of the parameter set passed to it when it is activated. The applications contained in the first list are invoked once the queue manager is active. The applications contained in the second list are invoked when the queue manager receives a close request.

All applications should implement MQeRunListInterface, but it is not mandatory.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe**

### Method summary

| Method          | Purpose  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>activate</b> | called by the queue manager to activate the application. |

### MQeRunListInterface activate

#### Syntax

```
public Object activate( Object owner,  
                       Hashtable loadTable,  
                       MQeFields setupData ) throws Exception;
```

#### Description

Two lists of MQSeries Everyplace applications can be passed to a MQSeries Everyplace queue manager as part of the parameters passed when the queue manager is activated. The first list contains applications that are invoked once the queue manager is active. The second list contains applications that are invoked when the queue manager receives a close request ( when the MQeQueueManager.close() method is called).

If the applications contained in the queue manager parameters implement **MQeRunListInterface**, then the queue manager calls this method to activate the application, and pass any set-up information for the application that is contained in the queue manager parameters.

Applications are not forced to implement MQeRunListInterface, but if they do not, the application is just invoked and no set-up information is passed to it

An application that is invoked when a queue manager is activated should return from this method as quickly as possible to allow the queue manager to continue. The application should initialize itself on a different thread from the one on which it is called. The application is responsible for the management of this thread.

An application that is invoked on queue manager close can block the queue manager from shutting down by not returning from this method.

#### Parameters

- owner**            This is the object that owns the application. Usually this is the MQe queue manager that invoked the application.
- loadTable**        A java.util.Hashtable object that can be used to share data between the applications invoked by the queue manager. All of the applications invoked by the queue manager have a reference to this table.

**setupData** An **MQeFields** object containing application setup data. This data must have been included in the parameters passed to the queue manager when the queue manager was activated. See the sample INI file below for an example of this.

### Return values

An object reference - this is not currently used.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

Example of an application being launched when the queue manager is activated

```
public class ExampleApp extends MQe implements MQeRunListInterface,
                                               Runnable,
                                               MQeMessageListenerInterface
{
    Thread th = null;
    MQeQueueManager qmgr = null;
    ...
    /* Called by the Queue Manager to activate the application */
    public Object activate( Object owner, Hashtable loadTable,
                          MQeFields setupData )
    {
        qmgr = (MQeQueueManager)owner; /* QMgr is owner of the application */
        processSetupData( setupData ); /* Process the setup information */
        th = new Thread( this ); /* Create a new thread to listen */
        th.start(); /* for incoming messages */
        return (null); /* return control to the QMgr */
    }

    public void run()
    {
        try
        { /* Create a message listener for incoming messages */
            qmgr.addMessageListener( this, "MyQueue", null );
            /* Loop indefinitely keeping application alive */
            while( true );
        }
        catch ( Exception e )
        {
            e.printStackTrace( System.err );
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

Example of an application being launched when the queue manager receives a close request

```
public class ExampleCloseApp extends MQe implements MQeRunListInterface
{
    MQeQueueManager qmgr = null;
    ...
    /* Called by the Queue Manager to activate the application */
    public Object activate( Object owner, Hashtable loadTable,
                          MQeFields setupData )
    {
        qmgr = (MQeQueueManager)owner; /* QMgr is owner of the application */
        performAction(); /* Perform some action */
        /* don't return control to the QMgr until application has finished */
        return (null);
    }
}
```

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### Sample Queue Manager INI file

```
* Sample Queue Manager INI file

* Queue Manager setup info
[QueueManager]
* Name for this Queue Manager
(ascii)Name=ServerQMGr8082

* Registry setup info
[Registry]
* QueueManager Registry type
(ascii)LocalRegType=com.ibm.mqe.registry.MQePrivateSession
* Location of the registry
(ascii)DirName=d:\development\Rename\Classes\ServerQMGr8082\Registry
* Registry access PIN
(ascii)PIN=12345678

* List of applications to launched at Queue Manager activation-time
[ActivateAppList]
(ascii)App1=examples.queuemanager.TestMQeApp
(ascii)App2=examples.administration.AdminApp

* Setup info for App1 - the data in this section is passed to the application
[App1]
(ascii)DefaultMsgPriority = 7
(long)Timeout = 30000

* Setup info for App2 - the data in this section is passed to the application
[App1]
(ascii)DefaultQueueName=AdminReplyQueue
```

## MQeSecurityInterface

This is an optional interface that may be implemented by a Java Security manager . The interface methods allow the security manager to authorize or reject the call. MQSeries Everyplace trace handlers must implement this interface.

*Package*            **com.ibm.MQe**

### Method summary

| Method                   | Support   |
|--------------------------|---|
| <b>alias</b>             | Called whenever a class alias it added or removed                       |
| <b>channelCommand</b>    | Called whenever a channel command is about to be processed by a channel |
| <b>newAdapter</b>        | Called whenever an adapter definition is about to be defined            |
| <b>mapFileDescriptor</b> | Called whenever a mapping of a file descriptor is about to be set       |

### MQeSecurityInterface alias

#### Syntax

```
public void alias( String from, String to ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Called whenever an alias is about to be set or removed

#### Parameters

**from**            A String defining the class alias

**to**                A String defining the class name for the alias, or *null* if the alias is to be removed

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**SecurityException**            Request was rejected

#### Example

### MQeSecurityInterface channelCommand

#### Syntax

```
public void channelCommand( String command ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Called whenever a channel command is about to be processed

#### Parameters

**command**        A string containing the channel command

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**SecurityException**            request was rejected

#### Example

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### MQeSecurityInterface newAdapter

#### Syntax

```
public void newAdapter( String destination ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Called whenever a new adapter definition is about to be set

#### Parameters

**destination** A string containing the destination for this adapter. A typical Destination would be of the form:  
Tcpip:127.0.0.1:8080

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**SecurityException** request was rejected

#### Example

### MQeSecurityInterface mapFileDescriptor

#### Syntax

```
public void mMapFileDescriptor( String fileDesc, Object newDesc )  
                                throws Exception
```

#### Description

Called whenever a file descriptor map is to be set

#### Parameters

**fileDesc** A string containing the file descriptor that is to be mapped  
**newDesc** A string containing the file descriptor that is the mapped descriptor

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**SecurityException** Request was rejected

#### Example

## MQeTraceInterface

All MQSeries Everyplace trace handlers must implement this interface.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe**

### Method summary

| Method                  | Purpose  |
|-------------------------|--|
| <b>activate</b>         | Called to activate the trace handler                                     |
| <b>addMessage</b>       | Adds a new trace message template  |
| <b>addMessageBundle</b> | Adds a bundle of trace message templates                                 |
| <b>close</b>            | Called to close the trace handler and perform any cleanup as appropriate |
| <b>getMessage</b>       | Return the message template for a given message number                   |
| <b>traceMessage</b>     | Called to write a trace message to the output stream                     |

### MQeTraceInterface activate

#### Syntax

```
public void activate ( String title, String resource )
```

#### Description

Called to activate the trace handler

#### Parameters

**title**            A String to be used as a title for this trace handler or *null*

**resource**        A String used to identify the resource bundle to use for this trace handler

#### Return values

none

### MQeTraceInterface traceMessage

#### Syntax

```
public String traceMessage( String prefix,
                           int msgNumber,
                           Object insert )
```

#### Description

Called by MQSeries Everyplace to output a trace message via the trace handler

#### Parameters

**prefix**            The calling object name and instance number

**msgNumber**        An integer containing the trace message number to be used to find the message template

**insert**            Any inserts to be applied to the message template

#### Return values

A String containing the expanded trace message text

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### MQeTraceInterface addMessage

#### Syntax

1. `public void addMessage ( int msgNumber, String msgText ) throws Exception`
2. `public void addMessage ( String msgText ) throws Exception`

#### Description

Called to add a new trace message template to the trace handler. The template should be of the form:

```
static final Object[][] contents = {
/*-----*/
/* System messages */
/* ' ' message */
/* 'i' Information */
/* 'w' Warning */
/* 'e' Error */
/* 'd' Debug */
/*
/* Application messages */
/* ' ' message */
/* 'I' Information */
/* 'W' Warning */
/* 'E' Error */
/* 'D' Debug */
/*
/* Modifier */
/* ':' no modification applied */
/* ';' RESERVED for create/destroy object */
/* '+' Log this message via the Log interface */
/* '' ignore - Do not display this message */
/*
/* Mwsage number */
/* "[nnnn]:" syntax for message number of this message */
/*
/* Example: */
/* "e+[01000]:Error #0 occurred" */
/* "I:[01010]:All is wonderful" */
/*-----*/
}
```

#### Parameters

- msgNumber** An integer containing the trace message number to be used to identify the message template
- msgText** A String containing the trace message template

#### Return values

none

### MQeTraceInterface addMessageBundle

#### Syntax

```
public void addMessageBundle( String msgBundle ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Is called to add a bundle of templates to the trace handler. The templates in the bundle should be of the form:

```
static final Object[][] contents = {
/*-----*/
/* System messages */
/* ' ' message */
/* 'i' Information */
/* 'w' Warning */
/*

```

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```
/* 'e'      Error      */
/* 'd'      Debug     */
/*
/* Application messages
/* ' '      message    */
/* 'I'      Information */
/* 'W'      Warning     */
/* 'E'      Error       */
/* 'D'      Debug       */
/*
/* Modifier
/* ':'      no modification applied
/* ';'      RESERVED for create/destroy object
/* '+'      Log this message via the Log interface
/* ''      ignore - Do not display this message
/*
/* Mwsage number
/* "[nnnn]:" syntax for message number of this message
/*
/* Example:
/* "e+[01000]:Error #0 occurred"
/* "I:[01010]:All is wonderful"
/*-----*/
```

### Parameters

#### **msgBundle**

A String identifying the bundle of trace messages templates to be added

### Return values

none

## Standard trace messages

```
static final Object[][] contents = {
/*-----*/
/* System messages
/* ' '      message    */
/* 'i'      Information */
/* 'w'      Warning     */
/* 'e'      Error       */
/* 's'      Security    */
/* 'd'      Debug       */
/*
/* Application messages
/* ' '      message    */
/* 'I'      Information */
/* 'W'      Warning     */
/* 'E'      Error       */
/* 'S'      Security    */
/* 'D'      Debug       */
/*
/* Modifier
/* ':'      no modification applied
/* ';'      RESERVED for create/destroy object
/* '+'      Log this message via the Log interface
/* ''      ignore - Do not display this message
/*
/* Mwsage number
/* "[nnnn]:" syntax for message number of this message
/*
/* Example:
/* "e+[01000]:Error #0 occurred"
/* "I:[01010]:All is wonderful"
/*-----*/
```

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```
/* common messages */
{
  "1",    "d:[00001]:Created"    },
{
  "2",    "d:[00002]:Destroyed" },
{
  "3",    "d:[00003]:Close"    },
{
  "4",    "w:[00004]:Warning:#" },
{
  "5",    "e:[00005]:Error:#"  },
{
  "6",    "i:[00006]:Command:#" },
{
  "7",    "i:[00007]:Waiting"   },
{
  "8",    "i:[00008]:# input byte count=#" },
{
  "9",    "i:[00009]:# output byte count=#" },
/* com.ibm.MQe.MQeLoader */
{
  "10",   "d:[00010]:loadClass #"    },
{
  "11",   "d:[00011]:Loaded (bytes) #" },
{
  "12",   "d:[00012]:Resolved Class #" },
{
  "13",   "d:[00013]:DropClass #0"   },
/* com.ibm.MQe.MQeChannel & ChannelManager */
{
  "20",   "d:[00020]:ActivateMaster"  },
{
  "21",   "d:[00021]:ActivateSlave"   },
{
  "22",   "d:[00022]:ActivateSlave Channel ID=#0" },
{
  "23",   "d:[00023]:Close Channel ID=#0" },
{
  "24",   "d:[00024]:SlaveResponse"   },
{
  "25",   "d:[00025]:SlaveResponse Channel ID=#0" },
{
  "26",   "i:[00026]:Timeout channel ID=#0" },
{
  "27",   "i:[00027]:Forwarding to #0" },
{
  "28",   "i:[00028]:ID=#0, Command=#1" },
/* com.ibm.MQe.MQeChannelListener */
{
  "30",   "i:[00030]:Starting Listener #0" },
{
  "31",   "i:[00031]:Stopping Listener"   },
{
  "32",   "d:[00032]:Starting Slave"      },
{
  "33",   "d:[00033]:Stopping Slave"      },
{
  "34",   "d:[00034]:Timer interval"      },
/* com.ibm.MQe.MQeAttribute */
{
  "40",   "d:[00040]:Authenticator #0"    },
{
  "41",   "d:[00041]:Compressor #0"      },
{
  "42",   "d:[00042]:Cryptor #0"        },
{
  "43",   "d:[00043]:Attribute(Rule).equals=#0" },
{
  "44",   "d:[00044]:Attribute Change #0" },
{
  "45",   "d:[00045]:TargetRegistry=#0"  },
{
  "46",   "s:[00046]:Secure Chnl State=pending, KeyObject=#0" },
/* com.ibm.MQe.MQeTransporter */
{
  "50",   "d:[00050]:#0 PID=#1"          },
{
  "51",   "d:[00051]:#0 made persistent PID=#1" },
{
  "52",   "d:[00052]:#0 Message Request for Queue '#1'" },
{
  "53",   "d:[00053]:GetPendingMessage for Queue Manager '#0'" },
/* ***** Adapters ***** */
/* com.ibm.MQe.Adapters.MQeIniFileAdapter & MQeDisk...Adapter */
{
  "110",  "d:[00110]:Object #0 - saved"   },
{
  "111",  "d:[00111]:Object #0 - loaded"  },
{
  "112",  "d:[00112]:Object #0 - Selected" },
{
  "113",  "d:[00113]:Object #0 - matched" },
{
  "114",  "d:[00114]:Object #0 - deleted" },
/* com.ibm.MQe.Adapters.MQeTcpipAdapter */
{
  "200",  "d:[00200]:File descriptor '#0'" },
{
  "201",  "d:[00201]:Socket pending"      },
{
  "202",  "d:[00202]:Control '#0'"       },
/* com.ibm.MQe.Adapters.MQeTcpipHttpAdapter */
{
  "203",  "d:[00203]:Read Header"        },
{
  "204",  "d:[00204]:Header: #0"         },
{
  "205",  "d:[00205]:Header length=#0"   },
{
  "206",  "d:[00206]:Write Header"       },
{
  "207",  "d:[00207]:Read Content-length=#0" },
{
  "208",  "d:[00208]:Readln #0"         },
...

```

```
...
```

```
};
```

The full list of messages can be found in the `examples.trace.MQeTraceResource.java` source file in the `trace` subdirectory of the `examples` directory.

## MQeTraceInterface close

**Syntax**

**Description**

**Parameters**

**Return values**

## MQeTraceInterface getMessage

**Syntax**

```
public String getMessage( int msgNumber )
```

**Description**

Called to get the String that corresponds to the trace message number supplied in the **msgNumber** parameter

**Parameters**

**msgNumber** The number of the trace message String to be returned

**Return values**

A String containing the trace message template

## **MQeTraceInterface**

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## Chapter 3. Classes in com.ibm.mqe.administration

This section contains detailed information about the following MQSeries Everyplace classes and interfaces:

*Table 13. Classes in package com.ibm.mqe.Administration*

| <b>Class or interface name</b>         | <b>Purpose</b>   |
|--|--|
| <b>MQeAdminQueueAdminMsg</b>           | Used to manage queues of type MQeAdminQueue                      |
| <b>MQeConnectionAdminMsg</b>           | Class used to manage connections of type MQeConnectionDefinition |
| <b>MQeHomeServerQueueAdminMsg</b>      | Used to manage queues of type MQeHomeServerQueue                 |
| <b>MQeQueueAdminMsg</b>                | Used to manage MQSeries Everyplace local queues of type MQeQueue |
| <b>MQeQueueManagerAdminMsg</b>         | Used to manage queue managers of type MQeQueueManager            |
| <b>MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg</b>          | Used to manage remote queues of type MQeRemoteQueue              |
| <b>MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg</b> | Used to manage queues of type MQeStoreAndForwardQueue            |

### MQeAdminQueueAdminMsg

This class is used to manage queues of type MQeAdminQueue. The class extends **MQeQueueAdminMsg** and provides an implementation for managing administration queues.

This queue is used to provide transparent local/remote administration of MQSeries Everyplace managed resources.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.administration**

This class is a descendant of **MQeQueueAdminMsg**

### Constants and variables

MQeHomeServerQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided and inherited by **MQeQueueAdminMsg**:

#### Queue characteristics

##### **QtimerInterval;**

Process outstanding administration messages after interval (milliseconds)  
(long)

```
public final static String Queue_QtimerInterval;
```

## MQeConnectionAdminMsg

This class is used to manage connections of type MQeConnectionDefinition.

The class extends **MQeAdminMsg** and provides the implementation for managing connections. The following actions are applicable on connections:

- **Action\_Create**
- **Action\_Delete**
- **Action\_Inquire**
- **Action\_InquireAll**
- **Action\_Update**

Connections define how one queue manager establishes a connection to another queue manager. The main characteristics associated with a connection are:

### The type of channel to use

The following types of channel are provided:

#### **MQeChannel**

Channel for Client to Server or Server to Server

#### **MQPeerChannel**

Channel for Peer to Peer

### A file descriptor that contains the communications adapter and its parameters

The following adapters are provided:

#### **MQeTcpipLengthAdapter**

Simple TCPIP adapter

#### **MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter**

TCPIP adapter that provides persistent connections and data compression

#### **MQeTcpipHttpAdapter**

HTTP adapter

A file descriptor for an http connection to server "192.168.0.1" on port 8081 would be specified as:

```
com.ibm.mqe.Adpaters.MQeTcpipHttpAdapter:192.168.0.1:8081
```

or if an alias of "Network" had been set up for the HTTP adapter then the following file descriptor could be used:

```
Network:192.168.0.1:8081
```

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.administration**

This class is a descendant of **MQeAdminMsg**

## Constants and variables

MQeQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided by **MQeAdminMsg**:

### Additional actions

#### **AddAlias**

Add connection aliases

## MQeConnectionAdminMsg

```
public final static int Action_AddAlias
```

### RemoveAlias

Remove connection aliases

```
public final static int Action_RemoveAlias
```

## Connection characteristics

### Adapters (fields array)

Set of adapters used to connect to a target queue managers.

**Note:** In release one only one adapter is allowed.

```
public final static String Con_Adapters
```

The following fields define those allowed in each element of the **adapters** array:

#### AdapterFileDesc (ascii)

The adapter file descriptor

#### AdapterAsciiParm (ascii)

Parameters for the adapter

#### AdapterEncodedParm (byte array)

Encoded parameters

#### AdapterOptions (ascii)

Options for the adapter

```
public final static String Con_Adapter
public final static String Con_AdapterAsciiParm
public final static String Con_AdapterEncodedParm
```

### Aliases

Set of aliases for this connection (ascii array)

```
public final static String Con_Aliases
```

### Channel

Channel class (ascii) - the type of channel that this connection should use. For example:

```
com.ibm.mqe.MQeChannel
com.ibm.mqe.MQePeerChannel
```

the value can also be null meaning that this is a local connection.

```
public final static String Con_Channel
```

### Description

Description of the connection (unicode)

```
public final static String Con_Description
```

## Method summary

| Method        | Purpose   |
|---------------|---|
| <b>create</b> | Sets up the administration message to perform the Action_Create action  |
| <b>update</b> | Sets up the administration message to perform the Action_Update action. |

## MQeConnectionAdminMsg create

### Syntax

```
public void create( String adapter, String parameters,
                  String options, String channel
                  String description ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets up the administration message to perform the Action\_Create action. This version of create adds a simple connection definition for a connection that has one adapter.

### Parameters

|                    |                                 |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>adapter</b>     | File descriptor for the adapter |
| <b>parameters</b>  | Adapter parameters              |
| <b>options</b>     | Adapter options                 |
| <b>channel</b>     | Type of channel to use          |
| <b>description</b> | Description of connection       |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                            |         |
|----------------------------|---------|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | Various |
|----------------------------|---------|

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeConnectionAdminMsg con = new MQeConnectionAdminMsg()
    con.setName("ServerQM123");
    con.create("Network:127.0.0.1:8081",
              null,
              null,
              "DefaultChannel",
              "Con to MQeServer" );
    MQeConnectionAdminMsg con2 = new MQeConnectionAdminMsg()
    con2.setName("ServletQM123");
    con2.create("Network:127.0.0.1:8081",
               "/servlet/MQe",
               null,
               "DefaultChannel",
               "Con to MQeServlet" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeConnectionAdminMsg update

### Syntax

```
public void update( String adapter, String parameters,
                   String options, String channel
                   String description ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets up the administration message to perform the Action\_Update action. This version of update replaces an existing connection definition with a simple connection definition for a connection that has one adapter.

### Parameters

|                |                                 |
|----------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>adapter</b> | File descriptor for the adapter |
|----------------|---------------------------------|

## MQeConnectionAdminMsg

|                    |                               |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>parameters</b>  | Adapter parameters            |
| <b>options</b>     | Adapter options               |
| <b>channel</b>     | Type of channel to use        |
| <b>description</b> | Description of the connection |

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                            |         |
|----------------------------|---------|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | Various |
|----------------------------|---------|

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    MQeConnectionAdminMsg con = new MQeConnectionAdminMsg()
    con.setName("ServerQM123");
    con.update("Network:127.0.0.1:8082",
              null,
              null,
              "DefaultChannel",
              "Con to MQeServer" );
    ...
}
```

---

## MQeHomeServerQueueAdminMsg

This class is used to manage queues of type MQeHomeServerQueue. The class extends **MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg** and provides an implementation for managing home server queues

This queue is used in a client to retrieve (using a background thread) pending messages from its *home* queue on its *HomeServer*.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.administration**

This class is a descendant of **MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg**

### Constants and variables

MQeHomeServerQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided and inherited by **MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg**:

#### Queue characteristics

##### **QtimerInterval;**

Process pending messages after interval (milliseconds) (long)

```
public final static String Queue_QtimerInterval;
```

### MQeQueueAdminMsg

This class is used to manage MQSeries Everyplace local queues of type MQeQueue. The class extends **MQeAdminMsg** and provides an implementation for managing local queues. The following actions are applicable on local queues:

- Action\_Create
- Action\_Delete
- Action\_Inquire
- Action\_InquireAll
- Action\_Update
- Action\_AddAlias
- Action\_RemoteAlias

Local queues, as the name suggest are local to the owning queue manager. A file descriptor must be set that details where and how the queue is stored. It is formed from two parts, an adapter and parameters to the adapter. The following adapters are provided:

#### **MQeDiskFieldsAdapter**

File based adapter for **MQeFields** objects

#### **MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter**

Memory based adapter for **MQeFields** objects

For example, if alias MsgLog is set to MQeDiskFieldsAdapter then to store messages at d:\ServerQM123\Queues, the file descriptor would be:

MsgLog:d:\ServerQM123\Queues

Queues allow several characteristics to be set that are not used by the base local queue. These characteristics are made available to a user replaceable queue rules class that can make use of them. For instance Queue\_MaxQSize can be set but is not checked by MQeQueue. It is the responsibility of the queues rules class to perform maximum queue size validation.

This class acts as the base class for managing other types of queues. For instance MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg derives from this class and handles management of remote queues.

*Package*                    **com.ibm.mqe.Administration**

This class is a descendant of **MQeAdminMsg**

### Constants and variables

MQeQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided by **MQeAdminMsg**:

#### **Additional actions**

##### **AddAlias**

Add queue aliases

```
public final static int    Action_AddAlias;
```

##### **RemoveAlias**

Remove queue aliases

```
public final static int    Action_RemoveAlias;
```

**Queue characteristics**

**Active** Indicates that the queue is active (boolean, Read Only )

```
public final static String Queue_Active
```

**CreationDate**

Date queue was created (long Read Only). Time in milliseconds since midnight Jan 1, 1970 GMT

```
public final static String Queue_CreationDate
```

**CurrentSize**

Current queue depth (int, Read Only)

```
public final static String Queue_CurrentSize
```

**Description**

Description of the queue (unicode)

```
public final static String Queue_Description
```

**Expiry** Messages on queue expire *n* milliseconds after being stored on the queue (long)

```
public final static String Queue_Expiry
```

**FileDesc**

File descriptor - the location where queue is stored (ascii)

Once set the file descriptor cannot be changed.

The file descriptor is formed from two parts

- An adapter
- The adapter's parameters

For example, if alias MsgLog is set to MQeDiskFieldsAdapter then to store messages at d:\ServerQM123\Queues, the filedescrptor would be:

```
MsgLog:d:\ServerQM123\Queues
```

```
public final static String Queue_FileDesc
```

**MaxMsgSize**

Maximum length of messages allowed on the queue (int)

```
public final static String Queue_MaxMsgSize
```

**MaxQSize**

Maximum number of messages allowed on the queue (int)

**NoLimit**

```
public final static String Queue_MaxQSize
```

```
public final static int Queue_NoLimit
```

**Mode** Type of queue - Is the queue synchronous or asynchronous.

```
public final static String Queue_Mode
```

**Asynchronous**

Queue is asynchronous

```
public final static byte Queue_Asynchronous
```

**Synchronous**

Queue is synchronous

```
public final static byte Queue_Synchronous
```

**Priority**

Default priority for messages if not already specified in the message (byte) (min = 0, max = 9)

## MQeQueueAdminMsg

public final static String Queue\_Priority

### QAliasNameList

Set of alias names for this queue (ascii array)

public final static String Queue\_QAliasNameList

### QMgrName

Name of the queue manager that owns the queue (ascii). Once set the queue manager name cannot be changed.

public final static String Queue\_QMgrName

### Queue security Characteristics

These fields can only be changed when the queue has 0 messages and is not active.

#### AttrRule

Name of queue attribute rules class (ascii)

public final static String Queue\_AttrRule

#### Authenticator

Name of authenticator class (ascii)

public final static String Queue\_Authenticator

#### Compressor

Name of compressor class (ascii)

public final static String Queue\_Compressor

#### Cryptor

Name of cryptor class (ascii)

public final static String Queue\_Cryptor

#### TargetRegistry

Target registry type (byte)

public final static String Queue\_TargetRegistry

One of the following:

#### RegistryNone

public final static byte Queue\_RegistryNone

#### RegistryQMgr

public final static byte Queue\_RegistryQMgr

#### RegistryQueue

public final static byte Queue\_RegistryQueue

**Rule** Name of queue rules class (ascii)

public final static String Queue\_Rule

## Constructor summary

| Constructor      | Purpose  |
|------------------|--|
| MQeQueueAdminMsg | There are two constructors. One creates and initializes a default MQeQueueAdminMsg. The other takes the name of the queue that is to be managed. |

## Method summary

| Constructor        | Purpose  |
|--------------------|--|
| <b>addAlias</b>    | Sets up an administration message to perform the Admin_AddAlias action.    |
| <b>removeAlias</b> | Sets up an administration message to perform the Admin_RemoveAlias action. |
| <b>setName</b>     | Sets the name of the queue that the action is to be performed against.     |

## MQeQueueAdminMsg

### Syntax

1. `public MQeQueueAdminMsg() throws Exception`
2. `public MQeQueueAdminMsg( String qMgrName, String queueName )`

### Description

There are 2 constructors.

1. This version creates and initializes a default MQeAdminMsg
2. This version takes the name of the queue that is to be managed

### Parameters

- qMgrName** Queue manager name
- queueName** Queue name

### Return Values

A new MQeQueueAdminMsg

### Exceptions

- java.lang.Exception** Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    MQeQueueAdminMsg aMsg = new MQeQueueAdminMsg( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );
}
```

## MQeQueueAdminMsg addAlias

### Syntax

`public void addAlias( String aliasName ) throws Exception`

### Description

Sets up an administration message to perform the Admin\_AddAlias action. A queue can have no aliases, one or several aliases. This method can be called more than once to allow multiple aliases to be added in one administration message.

### Parameters

- aliasName** Alias name of queue

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

- java.lang.Exception** Various

## MQQueueAdminMsg

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Add aliases to a queue
    MQQueueAdminMsg msg = new MQQueueAdminMsg();
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    msg.addAlias( "PayrollQ" );
    msg.addAlias( "Branch1PayrollQ" );
    ...
}
```

## MQQueueAdminMsg removeAlias

### Syntax

```
public void removeAlias( String aliasName ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets up an administration message to perform the Admin\_RemoveAlias action. This action removes the named alias from the queue. This method may be called more than once to allow multiple aliases to be removed using one administration message.

### Parameters

**aliasName**      Alias name of queue

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**      Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Add aliases to a queue
    MQQueueAdminMsg msg = new MQQueueAdminMsg();
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    msg.removeAlias( "PayrollQ" );
    msg.removeAlias( "Branch1PayrollQ" );
    ...
}
```

## MQQueueAdminMsg setName

### Syntax

```
public void setName( String qMgrName, String queueName ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Sets the name of the queue that the action is to be performed on.

### Parameters

**qMgrName**      Name of the queue manager that owns the queue

**queueName**      Name of the queue

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions****java.lang.Exception**                      Various**Example**

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Delete a queue
    MqeFields parms = new MqeFields();

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    msg.delete( parms );
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );
    ....
}
```

### MQeQueueManagerAdminMsg

This section describes the Java class used to create a basic MQeQueueManagerAdminMsg.

The class extends **MQeAdminMsg** and provides the implementation for managing MQSeries Everyplace queue managers. The following actions are applicable on queue managers:

- **Action\_Inquire**
- **Action\_InquireAll**
- **Action\_Update**

**Note:** **Create** and **Delete** actions are not supported on queue managers as a queue manager has to be in place and have an administration queue initialized on it before administration can take place, and only one queue manager per Java virtual machine is supported.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.administration**

This class is a descendant of **MQeAdminMsg**

### Constants and variables

MQeQueueManagerAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided and inherited by **MQeAdminMsg**

#### Queue manager characteristics

##### ChnlAttrRules

Channel attribute rules.

```
public final static String  QMgr_ChnlAttrRules
```

##### ChnlTimeout

Maximum amount of time in milliseconds that a channel remains open (long).

```
public final static String  QMgr_ChnlTimeout
```

##### Connections

Connections known by queue manager ( ascii array - Read only)

```
public final static String  QMgr_Connections
```

##### Description

Description of queue manager (unicode)

```
public final static String  QMgr_Description
```

##### Queues

Queues known by queue manager ( fields array - Read Only )

```
public final static String  QMgr_Queues
```

##### QueueName

Queue name ( ascii)

```
public final static String  QMgr_QueueName
```

##### QueueQMgrName

Queue manager name ( ascii)

```
public final static String  QMgr_QueueQMgrName
```

##### QueueType

Queue type ( ascii)

## MQeQueueManagerAdminMsg

```
public final static String QMgr_QueueType
```

**Rules** User replaceable rules which control the capability of the queue manager (ascii).

```
public final static String QMgr_Rules
```

### MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg

This class is used to manage remote queues of type MQeRemoteQueue. The class extends **MQeQueueAdminMsg** and provides an implementation for managing remote queues.

There are two types of remote queue:

#### **Synchronous**

When a request is made to a remote queue that is set for synchronous access, a channel is opened to the node where the queue is local. Hence all actions on a synchronous queue are shipped to the location where the queue is local at the time the request is made. Hence networking capability must be available between the remote queue and local queue at the time the request is made.

#### **Asynchronous**

When a request is made to a remote queue that is set for asynchronous access, the message is temporarily stored in the remote queue. Based on user replaceable rules, the message is moved from the remote queue to the location where the queue is local at some point in the future. Hence remote asynchronous queues require a file descriptor that describes where the messages are stored before they are moved.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.administration**

This class is a descendant of **MQeQueueAdminMsg**

### **Constants and variables**

MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided and inherited by **MQeQueueAdminMsg**:

#### **Queue characteristics**

##### **Transporter**

Name of the transporter class to use (ascii)

##### **DefaultTransporter**

```
public final static String Queue_Transporter
public final static String Queue_DefaultTransporter
```

##### **TransporterXOR**

Allow transporter to use xor compression (boolean).

This provides intelligent compression of messages when they are moved across a network by XORing each field in a message with a field of the same name (if it exists) in the previous message that the transporter moved.

```
public final static String Queue_TransporterXOR
```

## MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg

This class is used to manage queues of type MQeStoreAndForwardQueue. The class extends MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg and provides an implementation for managing store and forward queues.

This type of queue is used in intermediate nodes to hold messages that are just passing through i.e. that are not destined for any queues on this system.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.administration**

This class is a descendant of **MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg**

### Constants and variables

MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided and inherited by **MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg**:

#### Additional actions

##### AddQueueManager

Add queue manager

```
public final static int    Action_AddQueueManager;
```

##### RemoveQueueManager

Remove queue manager

```
public final static int    Action_RemoveQueueManager;
```

#### Remote queue characteristics

##### QMgrNameList

List of queue manager targets handled by this store and forward queue messages for the target queue managers are temporarily stored in this queue until they are collected by the target queue manager or until communication can be established.

```
public final static String    Queue_QMgrNameList
```

### Method summary

| Method                    | Purpose  |
|---------------------------|--|
| <b>addQueueManager</b>    | Sets up an administration message to perform the Admin_AddQueueManager action    |
| <b>removeQueueManager</b> | Sets up an administration message to perform the Admin_RemoveQueueManager action |

### MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg addQueueManager

#### Syntax

```
public void addQueueManager( String targetQMgrName ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Sets up an administration message to perform the Admin\_AddQueueManager action. A queue may have one or more target queue managers. This method may be called more than once to allow multiple targets be added in one administration message.

#### Parameters

## MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg

**targetQMgrName**  
Target queue manager name

**Return values**  
none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                      Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Add target queue managers to a S&F queue
    MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg msg =
        new MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg();
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    msg.addQueueManager( "Client129345" );
    msg.addQueueManager( "Client129387" );
    ...
}
```

## MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg removeQueueManager

### Syntax

public void removeQueueManager( String targetQMgrName ) throws Exception

### Description

Sets up an administration message to perform the Admin\_RemoveQueueManager action. This method may be called more than once to allow multiple targets be removed in one administration message.

### Parameters

**targetQMgrName**                      target queue manager name

**Return values**  
none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                      Various

### Example

```
class MyApplication
{
    ...
    // Remove target queue managers from S&F queue
    MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg msg =
        new MQeStoreAndForwardQueueAdminMsg();
    msg.setName( "ExampleQM", "ExampleQ" );

    // Set the action required and its parameters
    // into the message
    msg.removeQueueManager( "Client129345" );
    msg.removeQueueManager( "Client129387" );
    ...
}
```

---

## Chapter 4. Classes in com.ibm.mqe.attributes

This section contains detailed information about the following MQSeries Everyplace classes:

Table 14. Classes in package com.ibm.mqe.attributes

| Class name                       | Purpose  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| <b>**MQe3DESCryptor</b>          | Provides mechanisms for 3DES encryption  |
| <b>MQeDESCryptor</b>             | Provides mechanisms for DES encryption   |
| <b>MQeGenDH</b>                  | Creates an MQeDHk.java file from which solution unique MQeDHk class objects can be created |
| <b>MQeLocalSecure</b>            | Provides a simple local security service   |
| <b>MQeLZWCompressor</b>          | Provides mechanisms for LZW compression  |
| <b>**MQeMARSCryptor</b>          | Provides mechanisms for MARS encryption  |
| <b>MQeMAttribute</b>             | Provide simple message-level protection  |
| <b>**MQeMTrustAttribute</b>      | Provides more advanced message-level protection  |
| <b>**MQeRC4Cryptor</b>           | Provides mechanisms for RC4 encryption   |
| <b>**MQeRC6Cryptor</b>           | Provides mechanisms for RC6 encryption   |
| <b>MQeRleCompressor</b>          | Provides mechanisms for Run Length encoded compression                                     |
| <b>**MQeWTLSertAuthenticator</b> | Provides mechanisms for mini-certificate authentication                                    |
| <b>MQeXORCryptor</b>             | Provides mechanisms for XOR encryption   |

**Note:** Classes marked \*\* are available only in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.1.

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# MQe3DESCryptor

**Note:** This class is only available in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.1.

This class is used to create a triple DES cryptor object that, when used by an attribute object, provides the attribute object with the mechanisms to perform triple DES encryption. Attribute objects are associated with channel and **MQeFields** objects.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQeCryptor**

## MQe3DESCryptor

### Syntax

```
public MQe3DESCryptor( )
```

### Description

Constructs an MQe3DESCryptor object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_S_Cipher, "cip3DES, wrong cipher or key" |
|---------------------|---|

### Example

```
try
{
    MQe3DESCryptor tripledес = new MQe3DESCryptor();
    MQeAttribute tripledесA = new MQeAttribute(null, tripledес, null);
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **MQeCryptor**
- **MQeAttribute**
- **MQeLocalSecure**
- **MQeMAttribute**
- **MQeMTrustAttribute**

## MQeDESCryptor

This class is used to create a DES Cryptor object that, when used by an attribute object, provides the attribute object with the mechanisms to perform DES encryption. Attribute objects are associated with channel and **MQeFields** objects.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQeCryptor**

## MQeDESCryptor

### Syntax

```
public MQeDESCryptor( )
```

### Description

Constructs an MQeDESCryptor object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Except\_S\_Cipher, "cipDES, wrong cipher or key"

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeDESCryptor des = new MQeDESCryptor();
    MQeAttribute desA = new MQeAttribute(null, des, null);
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **MQeCryptor**
- **MQeAttribute**
- **MQeLocalSecure**
- **MQeMAttribute**
- **MQeMTrustAttribute**

## MQeGenDH

This class is used to create an MQeDhK.java file from which solution unique MQeDhK class objects can be created.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of MQe

### Method summary

| Method           | Purpose  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>main</b>      | Invokes a utility to generate a new MQDhK.java file                            |
| <b>genParams</b> | Generates a new DH pair and uses the new pair to create a new MQeDhK.java file |

Part of the data flowed in *secure channel* establishment is Diffie Hellman partial key data. This data is used to generate a shared secret key, derivatives of which are subsequently used, to protect the confidentiality of the channel data, by the channel cryptor's encrypt and decrypt methods . The example shows how to use the utility to create a 512 bit Diffie Hellman key pair. To make this available to MQe, the resulting MQeDhK.java file must be compiled and installed as part of the com.ibm.mqe.attributes package.

### MQeGenDH main

#### Syntax

```
java com.ibm.mqe.attributes.MQeGenDH <parameter1><parameter2>
```

#### Description

Invokes a utility to generate a new DH key pair and create a new MQeDhK.java file.

#### Parameters

|                            |   |
|----------------------------|---|
| <b>&lt;parameter 1&gt;</b> | Optional, DH parameter length, defaults to 512  |
| <b>&lt;parameter 2&gt;</b> | Optional, Trace class name, e.g. examples.awt.AwtMQeTrace, defaults to use System Console |

#### Return values

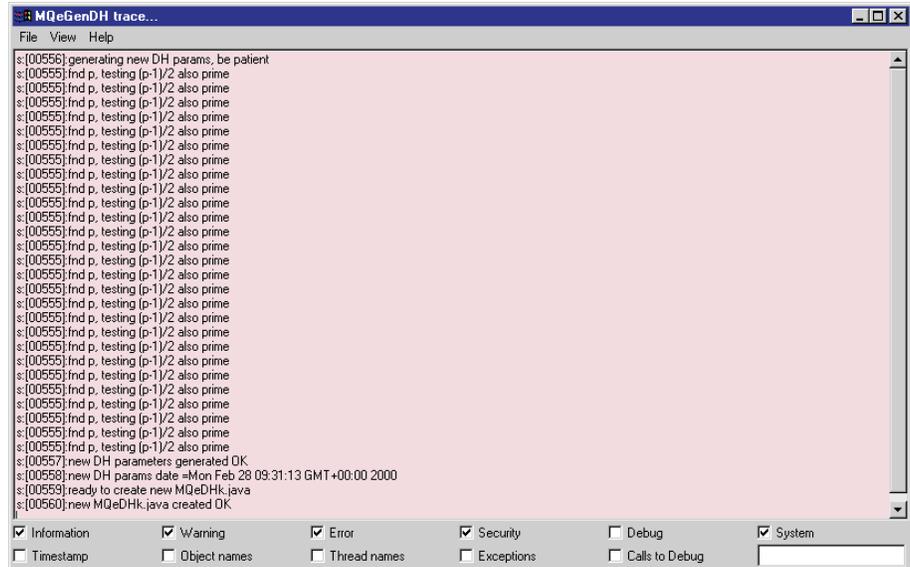
none - new MQeDhK file created in the current directory

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
java        com.ibm.mqe.attributes.MQeGenDH        512        examples.awt.AwtMQeTrace
```



## MQeGenDH genParams

### Syntax

```
public void genParams(int length)
```

### Description

Invokes the utility to generate a new DH key pair and create a new MQeDHk.java file.

### Parameters

**length**            Parameter bit length

### Return Values

none - new MQeDHk file created in the current directory

### Exceptions

none

---

### MQeLocalSecure

This class is used to create a LocalSecure object that provides a simple local security service enabling a using application to apply a given attribute's ( cryptor and compressor) components to protect local data

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQe**

#### Constructor summary

| Constructor           | Purpose                             |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>MQeLocalSecure</b> | Constructs an MQeLocalSecure object |

#### Method summary

| Method       | Purpose   |
|--------------|---|
| <b>open</b>  | Enables the using application to identify the target File |
| <b>read</b>  | Reads, unprotects and returns data from the target file   |
| <b>write</b> | Protects and writes the given data to the target file     |

### MQeLocalSecure

#### Syntax

```
public MQeLocalSecure( )
```

#### Description

Constructs an MQeLocalSecure object

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
MQeLocalSecure ls = new MQeLocalSecure( );
```

#### Related functions

- **MQeAttribute**

### MQeLocalSecure open

#### Syntax

```
public void open( String directory,  
                 Object fileName )
```

#### Description

Sets the target filename.

#### Parameters

**directory**            A string identifying the target File Directory

**fileName**      A string identifying the target file name

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**Related functions**

- write
- read

## MQeLocalSecure read

**Syntax**

```
Public byte[] read( MQeAttribute attr,
                  String localCipherKey ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

Reads and unprotects data from the given target filename

**Parameters**

**attr**              **MQeAttribute** to be applied to unprotect data

**localCipherKey**

Password or passphrase String to be used to unprotect data

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions**

**MQeException**

Except\_S\_InvalidAttribute, "no cryptor"

Except\_S\_InvalidAttribute, "illegal cryptor"

Except\_S\_InvalidAttribute, "illegal authenticator or compressor"

MQe.Except\_Data, "wrong cipher"

**Exception**

java.io

**Example**

```
try
{
    MQeDESCryptor des = new MQeDESCryptor( );
    MQeAttribute desA = new MQeAttribute( null, des, null);
    MQeLocalSecure ls = new MQeLocalSecure( );
    ls.open( ".\\", "TestSecureData.txt" );
    String outData    = byteToAscii( ls.read( A,
                                           "It_is_a_secret" ) );
    Trace ( "i: unprotected data = " + outData);
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeLocalSecure write

**Syntax**

## MQeLocalSecure

```
Public void write ( byte[] data,  
                  MQeAttribute attr,  
                  String localCipherKey) throws Exception
```

### Description

Protects data and writes it to the given target filename.

### Parameters

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| <b>data</b>           | Data to protect  |
| <b>attr</b>           | <b>MQeAttribute</b> to be applied to protect data        |
| <b>localCipherKey</b> | Password or passphrase String to be used to protect data |

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_S_InvalidAttribute, "no cryptor"<br>Except_S_InvalidAttribute, "illegal cryptor"<br>Except_S_InvalidAttribute, "illegal authenticator or compressor" |
| <b>Exception</b>    | java.io   |

### Example

```
try  
{  
    MQeDESCryptor des = new MQeDESCryptor( );  
    MQeAttribute desA = new MQeAttribute( null, des, null);  
    MQeLocalSecure ls = new MQeLocalSecure( );  
    ls.open( ".\\", "TestSecureData.txt" );  
    ls.write( asciiToByte( "0123456789abcdef..." ),  
            desA, "It_is_a_secret" );  
    ...  
}  
catch ( Exception e )  
{  
    ...  
}
```

## MQeLZWCompressor

This class is used to create an LZW Compressor object that, when used by an attribute object, provides the attribute object with the mechanisms to perform LZW compression. Attribute objects are associated with channel and **MQeFields** objects.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQeCompressor**

## MQeLZWCompressor

### Syntax

```
public MQeLZWCompressor( )
```

### Description

Constructs an MQeLZWCompressor object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeLZWCompressor lzw = new MQeLZWCompressor();
    MQeAttribute lzwA    = new MQeAttribute(null, null, lzw);
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **MQeCompressor**
- **MQeAttribute**
- **MQeLocalSecure**
- **MQeMAttribute**
- **MQeMTrustAttribute**

# MQeMARSCryptor

**Note:** This class is only available in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.1.

This class is used to create a MARS cryptor object that, when used by an attribute object, provides the attribute object with the mechanisms to perform MARS encryption. Attribute objects are associated with channel and **MQeFields** objects.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQeCryptor**

## MQeMARSCryptor

### Syntax

```
public MQeMARSCryptor( )
```

### Description

Constructs an MQeMARS cryptor object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMARSCryptor mars = new MQeMARSCryptor();
    MQeAttribute marsA = new MQeAttribute(null, mars, null);
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **MQeCryptor**
- **MQeAttribute**
- **MQeLocalSecure**
- **MQeMAttribute**
- **MQeMTrustAttribute**



## MQeMAttribute

```
/* and DES Cryptor with key = It_is_a_secret */

MQeKey localkey      = new MQeKey();
localkey.setLocalKey( "It_is_a_secret");
MQeDESCryptor des   = new MQeDESCryptor();
MQeRleCompressor rle = new MQeRleCompressor();
MQeMAttribute protMAttr = new MQeMAttribute( null, des, rle );
protMAttr.setKey( localkey );
/* construct Message and protect with the MQeMAttribute */
MQeMessageObj MsgObj = new MQeMessageObject();
MsgObj.setAttribute( protMAttr ); /* add test message data */
MsgObj.putAscii("MsgData", "0123456789abcdef...");
trace ("i: input message data = " + MsgObj.getAscii("MsgData" ) );
/* assume MQeQueueManager instance initQM started, PutMessage */
initQM.putMessage( targetQMGrName, targetQName, MsgObj ,null, 0);

...
...//
...//.
...//.
/* application on recipient QueueManager: */
/* -prepare to use MQeMAttribute with key = It_is_a_secret */
MQeKey localkey      = new MQeKey();
localkey.setLocalKey( "It_is_a_secret");
MQeDESCryptor des   = new MQeDESCryptor();
MQeRleCompressor rle = new MQeRleCompressor();
MQeMAttribute protMAttr = new MQeMAttribute( null, des, rle );
protMAttr.setKey( localkey );
/* assume MQeQueueManager instance recipQM started, GetMessage */
MQeMsgObject MsgObj = recipQM.getMessage(thisQMGrName,
                                          thisQName, null, protMAttr, 0);
trace ("i: output message data = " + MsgObj.getAscii( "MsgData" ) );

}
```

### Related functions

**MQeMAttribute**

## MQeMAttribute decodeData

### Syntax

```
public byte[] decodeData( MQeChannel channel,
                        byte data[],
                        int offset,
                        int count ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Is called to decode (decrypt and/or decompress) the bytes referenced by **data**, **offset** and for length **count**.

**Note:** This method is intended for internal use and is not normally called by applications.

### Parameters

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| <b>channel</b> | <i>null</i> , not used  |
| <b>data</b>    | An object reference to a byte array containing the data to be decoded |
| <b>offset</b>  | An integer index specifying the start byte in the <b>data</b> array   |
| <b>count</b>   | An integer count of the number of bytes to decode                     |

### Return Values

Decoded data

## Exceptions

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Data, "data tampering detected" |
|                     | Except_S_NoPresetKeyAvailable          |

**MQeMAttribute encodeData**

## Syntax

```
public byte[] encodeData( MQeChannel channel,
                        byte data[],
                        int offset,
                        int count ) throws Exception
```

## Description

Encodes (encrypts and/or compresses) the bytes referenced by *data*, **offset** and for length **count**.

**Note:** This method is intended for internal use and is not normally called by applications.

## Parameters

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| <b>channel</b> | <i>null</i> , not used  |
| <b>data</b>    | An object reference to a byte array containing the data to be encoded |
| <b>offset</b>  | An integer index specifying the start byte in the <b>data</b> array   |
| <b>count</b>   | An integer count of the number of bytes to encode                     |

## Return Values

none

## Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_ Not Supported, "invalid cryptor"    |
|                     | Except_ Not Supported, "invalid compressor" |
|                     | Except_S_NoPresetKeyAvailable               |

## MQeMTrustAttribute

**Note:** This class is only available in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.1.

This class is used to create an attribute object enabling message-level protection of message objects in such a way that :

- Validation of the originator's (ISO9796) digital signature enables the recipient to establish the message's origin (nonrepudation)
- Message confidentiality is protected using the attribute's cryptor
- Message integrity is validated
- Message data can only be restored by the intended recipient

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQeAttribute**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor        | Purpose                                 |
|--------------------|---|
| MQeMTrustAttribute | Constructs an MQeMTrustAttribute object |

### Method summary

| Method             | Purpose   |
|--------------------|---|
| decodeData         | Decodes the supplied data                       |
| encodeData         | Encodes the supplied data.                      |
| setHomeServer      | Sets address of home server/alternative MQeNode |
| setPrivateRegistry | Sets active private registry                    |
| setPublicRegistry  | Sets active public registry                     |

## MQeMTrustAttribute

### Syntax

1. public MQeMTrustAttribute( )
2. public MQeMTrustAttribute( MQeAuthenticator authenticator, MQeCryptor cryptor, MQeCompressor compressor) throws Exception

### Description

Constructs an MQeMTrustAttribute object

### Parameters

- authenticator**    *null*, not used
- cryptor**            An object reference to a symmetric **MQeCryptor** object (**MQeDESCryptor**, **MQe3DESCryptor**, **MQeRC4Cryptor**, **MQeRC6Cryptor** or **MQeMARSCryptor**)
- compressor**        *null*, not used

### Return values

none

## Exceptions

MQeException

Except\_ Not Supported, "invalid cryptor"

## Example

```

class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
    /* application on initiating QueueManager: */
    /* use MQeMTrustAttribute to protect a message between */
    /* pre-reg'd initiator 'Bruce1' and recipient 'Bruce8' */
    /* assume initiator's QueueManager initQM started */
    /* setup MTrustAttribute */
    MQeMARSCryptor mars = new MQeMARSCryptor( );
    MQeMTrustAttribute msgA = new MQeMTrustAttribute( null, mars, null );

    /* setup instantiate & activate sender (Bruce1) PrivReg */
    String EntityName = "Bruce1";
    String EntityPIN = "12345678";
    Object KeyRingPassword = "It_is_a_secret";
    MQePrivateRegistry sendreg = new MQePrivateRegistry( );
    sendreg.activate( EntityName, "./MQeNode_PrivateRegistry",
                    EntityPIN,KeyRingPassword, null, null );

    /* set target entity's registry name into sender's reg */
    sendreg.setTargetRegistryName("Bruce8");
    /* set MTrustAttribute s PrivateRegistry = sendreg */
    msgA.setPrivateRegistry( sendreg );
    /* instantiate and activate Public Registry which has */
    /* (or gets) MiniCert of intended recipient (Bruce8) */
    MQePublicRegistry pr = new MQePublicRegistry( );
    pr.activate( "MQeNode_PublicRegistry", "/" );
    /* set MTrustAttribute's PublicRegistry & HomeServer */
    msgA.setPublicRegistry(pr);
    msgA.setHomeServer( MyHomeServer + ":8081" );

    /* create message object and add some test data */
    MQeMsgObject msgObj = new MQeMsgObject( );
    msgObj.putArrayOfByte( "TestData",
                          asciiToByte("0123456789abcdef....") );
    /* protect with MQeMTrustAttribute and PutMessage */
    msgObj.setAttribute( msgA );
    initQM.putMessage( targetQMGrName, targetQName, msgObj, null, 0);

    ...
    /* application on recipient QueueManager: */
    /* use MQeMTrustAttribute to recover the message from. */
    /* pre-registered initiator 'Bruce1' and recipient 'Bruce8' */
    /* assume recipient's QueueManager recipQM started */
    ...
    /* setup MQeMTrustAttribute */
    MQeMARSCryptor mars = new MQeMARSCryptor( );
    MQeMTrustAttribute msgA
        = new MQeMTrustAttribute(null, mars, null);

    /* setup recipient's Private Registry */
    String EntityName = "Bruce8";
    String EntityPIN = "12345678";
    Object KeyRingPassword = "It_is_a_secret";

    /* instantiate and activate recipient's Private Registry */
    MQePrivateRegistry recipreg = new MQePrivateRegistry( );
    recipreg.activate( EntityName, "./MQeNode_PrivateRegistry",
                    EntityPIN, KeyRingPassword, null, null );
    /* set MTrustAttribute PrivateRegistry = recipreg */
    msgA.setPrivateRegistry( recipreg );
    /* instantiate and activate Public Registry which has */
    /* (or gets) MiniCert of originator (Bruce1) */
}

```

## MQeMTrustAttribute

```
MQePublicRegistry pr          = new MQePublicRegistry( );
pr.activate( "MQeNode_PublicRegistry", ".//" );
/* set MTrustAttribute's PublicRegistry & HomeServer          */
msgA.setPublicRegistry( pr);
msgA.setHomeServer( MyHomeServer + ":8081" );
/* use MQeMTrustAttribute with GetMessage to recover msg      */
MQeMsgObject MsgObj = SvrQM.getMessage( TargetQMgrName,
    TargetQName,null, msgA, 0 );
trace("i: Data restored from MTrustAttr protected Msg ="
    + byteToAscii(MsgObj.getArrayOfByte("TestData" ) ) );
}
```

### Related functions

- MQePrivateRegistry
- MQePublicRegistry

## MQeMTrustAttribute decodeData

### Syntax

```
public byte[] decodeData( MQeChannel channel,
    byte data[],
    int offset,
    int count ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Is called to decode (decrypt and/or decompress) the bytes referenced by **data**, **offset** and for length **count**.

**Note:** This method is intended for internal use and is not normally called by applications.

### Parameters

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| <b>channel</b> | <i>null</i> , not used  |
| <b>data</b>    | An object reference to a byte array containing the data to be decoded |
| <b>offset</b>  | An integer index specifying the start byte in the <b>data</b> array   |
| <b>count</b>   | An integer count of the number of bytes to decode                     |

### Return Values

Decoded data

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_S_RegistryNotAvailable "intended recipient's PrivateRegistry not available"                  |
|                     | Except_S_MiniCertNotAvailable "cannot recover data, sender's MiniCert not available"                |
|                     | Except_S_RegistryNotAvailable "cannot recover data target(recipient) PrivateRegistry not available" |
|                     | Except_S_BadIntegrity, "validating data from < Sender> data tampering detected"                     |
|                     | Except_S_InvalidSignature, "validating data from < Sender > bad signature"                          |

## MQeMTrustAttribute encodeData

### Syntax

```
public byte[] encodeData( MQeChannel channel,
                        byte data[],
                        int offset,
                        int count ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Encodes (encrypts and/or compresses) the bytes referenced by **data**, **offset** and for length **count**.

**Note:** This method is intended for internal use and is not normally called by applications.

### Parameters

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| <b>channel</b> | <i>null</i> , not used  |
| <b>data</b>    | An object reference to a byte array containing the data to be encoded |
| <b>offset</b>  | An integer index specifying the start byte in the <b>data</b> array   |
| <b>count</b>   | An integer count of the number of bytes to encode                     |

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_S_MiniCertNotAvailable, "cannot protect data, target Mini Certificate not available" |
|                     | Except_S_RegistryNotAvailable "sender's PrivateRegistry not available"                      |

## MQeMTrustAttribute setHomeServer

### Syntax

```
public void setHomeServer( String homeServerAddrPort)
                        throws Exception
```

### Description

Called to set an MQeMTrustAttribute's *home server* address. When used to protect a message, **encodeData** attempts to get the intended recipient's Mini-Certificate recipient from its active public registry. If not found but the *home server* address is set, it requests the Mini-Certificate from the *home server*, and saves it for subsequent use in the active public registry. When used to recover a message, **decodeData** attempts to get the initiator's Mini-Certificate from its active public registry. If not found but the *home server* address is set, it requests the Mini-Certificate from the *home server* and saves it for subsequent use in its active public registry.

### Parameters

|                           |   |
|---------------------------|---|
| <b>homeServerAddrPort</b> | The address of another MQeNode (for example HomeServer) with a public registry containing a larger set of authenticatable entities' Mini-Certificates. The format used is <code>tcpname:port</code> , or <code>tcpaddress:port</code> |
|---------------------------|---|

## MQeMTrustAttribute

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Except\_NotAllowed, "illegal  
SetPublicRegistry"

## MQeMTrustAttribute setPrivateRegistry

### Syntax

```
public void setPrivateRegistry( MQePrivateRegistry privreg)  
    throws Exception
```

### Description

Called to set an MQeMTrustAttribute's active private registry. When used to protect a message this is the private registry of the sender and when recovering a message this is the private registry of the recipient.

### Parameters

**privreg**

The activated **MQePrivateRegistry** of the sender or recipient authenticatable entity

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Except\_NotAllowed, "illegal  
SetPrivateRegistry"

## MQeMTrustAttribute setPublicRegistry

### Syntax

```
public void setPublicRegistry( MQePublicRegistry pubreg)  
    throws Exception
```

### Description

Called to set an MQeMTrustAttribute's active public registry. When used to protect a message this is a public registry that has (or gets) the Mini-Certificate of the intended recipient, and when recovering a message this is a public registry that has (or gets) the Mini-Certificate of the sender.

### Parameters

**pubreg**

An activated **MQePublicRegistry** containing the Mini-Certificate of the intended recipient, when used to protect, or the Mini-Certificate of the sender, when used to recover.

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException**

Except\_NotAllowed, "illegal  
SetPublicRegistry"

## MQeRC4Cryptor

**Note:** This class is only available in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.1.

This class is used to create a RC4 cryptor object that, when used by an attribute object, provides the attribute object with the mechanisms to perform RC4 encryption. Attribute objects are associated with channel and **MQeFields** objects.

**Package**            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQeCryptor**

## MQeRC4Cryptor

### Syntax

```
public MQeRC4Cryptor( )
```

### Description

Constructs an MQeRC4Cryptor object

### Parameters

None

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_S_Cipher, "cipRC4, wrong cipher or key" |
|---------------------|--|

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeRC4Cryptor rc4    = new MQeRC4Cryptor();
    MQeAttribute rc4A    = new MQeAttribute(null, rc4, null);
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **MQeCryptor**
- **MQeAttribute**
- **MQeLocalSecure**
- **MQeMAttribute**
- **MQeMTrustAttribute**

---

## MQeRC6Cryptor

**Note:** This class is only available in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.1.

This class is used to create a RC6 cryptor object that, when used by an attribute object, provides the attribute object with the mechanisms to perform RC6 encryption. Attribute objects are associated with channel and **MQeFields** objects.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQeCryptor**

## MQeRC6Cryptor

### Syntax

```
public MQeRC6Cryptor( )
```

### Description

Constructs an MQeRC6Cryptor object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_S_Cipher, "cipRC6, wrong cipher or key" |
|---------------------|--|

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeRC6Cryptor rc6 = new MQeRC6Cryptor();
    MQeAttribute rc6A = new MQeAttribute(null, rc6, null);
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **MQeCryptor**
- **MQeAttribute**
- **MQeLocalSecure**
- **MQeMAttribute**
- **MQeMTrustAttribute**

## MQeRleCompressor

This class is used to create an Rle compressor object that, when used by an attribute object, provides the attribute object with the mechanisms to perform Rle compression. Attribute objects are associated with channel and **MQeFields** objects.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQeCompressor**

## MQeRleCompressor

### Syntax

```
public MQeRleCompressor( )
```

### Description

Constructs an MQeRleCompressor object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeRleCompressor rle = new MQeRleCompressor();
    MQeAttribute rleA   = new MQeAttribute(null, null, rle);
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **MQeCompressor**
- **MQeAttribute**
- **MQeLocalSecure**
- **MQeMAttribute**
- **MQeMTrustAttribute**

# MQeWTLSCertAuthenticator

**Note:** This class is only available in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.0.

This class is used to create a `WTLSCertAuthenticator` object that, when used by an attribute object, provides the attribute object with the mechanisms to perform Mini-Certificate based mutual authentication. This applies to **Attribute** objects associated with channel objects.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of **MQeAuthenticator**

## MQeWTLSCertAuthenticator

### Syntax

```
public MQeWTLSCertAuthenticator( )
```

### Description

Constructs an `MQeWTLSCertAuthenticator` object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeWTLSCertAuthenticator wtls = new MQeWTLSCertAuthenticator( );
    MQeDESCryptor des           = new MQeDESCryptor( );
    MQeAttribute wtlsA          = new MQeAttribute(wtls, des, null);
    ...
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
    ...
}
```

### Related functions

- **MQeAuthenticator**
- **MQeAttribute**

## MQeXORCryptor

This class is used to create an XOR cryptor object that, when used by an attribute object, provides the attribute object with the mechanisms to perform XOR encoding. Attribute objects are associated with channel and MQeFields objects.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.attributes**

This class is a descendant of MQeCryptor

### Constructor summary

| Constructor   | Purpose                            |
|---------------|------------------------------------|
| MQeXORCryptor | Constructs an MQeXORCryptor object |

### Method summary

| Method        | Purpose                                   |
|---------------|---|
| setDecryptKey | Explicitly sets the cryptor's decrypt key |
| setEncryptKey | Explicitly sets the cryptor's encrypt key |

## MQeXORCryptor

### Syntax

```
public MQeXORCryptor( )
```

### Description

Constructs an MQeXORCryptor object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeXorCryptor xor = new MQeXorCryptor( );
    xor.setEncryptKey ( asciiToByte("It_is_a_secret" ) );
    NTAuthenticator nt = new NTAuthenticator( );
    String inData     = "0123456789abcdef...";
    trace("i: TestXOR, indata = " + inData);
    MQeFields tempf   = new MQeFields();
    tempf.putAscii( "testdata", inData);
    MQeAttribute attr1 = new MQeAttribute( );
    attr1.activate( null, nt, xor, null );
    tempf.setAttribute ( attr1 );
    byte[] temp = tempf.dump();

    //

    MQeFields tempf2 = new MQeFields();
    MQeXorCryptor xor2 = new MQeXorCryptor( );
    xor2.setDecryptKey ( asciiToByte("It_is_a_secret" ) );
    NTAuthenticator nt2 = new NTAuthenticator( );
```

## MQeXORCryptor

```
MQeAttribute attr2 = new MQeAttribute( );
attr2.activate( null, nt2, xor2, null );
tempf2.setAttribute ( attr2 );
tempf2.restore( temp );
trace("i: TestXORSecure, outdata = " + tempf2.getAscii("testdata"));
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
//
}
```

### Related functions

- MQeCryptor
- MQeAttribute

## MQeXORCryptor setDecryptKey

### Syntax

```
Public void setDecryptKey ( Object newKey) throws Exception
```

### Description

Explicitly sets the cryptor's decrypt key

### Parameters

**newKey**            byte[] seed from which the cryptor's decrypt key is derived.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

## MQeXORCryptor setEncryptKey

### Syntax

```
Public void setEncryptKey ( Object newKey) throws Exception
```

### Description

Explicitly sets the cryptor's encrypt key

### Parameters

**newKey**            byte[] seed from which the cryptor's encrypt key is derived.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

---

## Chapter 5. Classes in com.ibm.mqe.registry

This section contains detailed information about the following MQSeries Everyplace classes:

*Table 15. Classes in package com.ibm.mqe.registry*

| Class name                         | Purpose  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQePrivateRegistry</b>          | Creates a private registry object that provides controlled access to a set of private and public objects |
| <b>MQePrivateRegistryConfigure</b> | Used to configure a private registry   |
| <b>MQePublicRegistry</b>           | Creates a public registry object that provides controlled access to a set of private and public objects  |

### MQePrivateRegistry

This class is used to create an MQePrivateRegistry object. MQePrivateRegistry class is a descendent of **MQeRegistry** and provides controlled access to a set of private and public objects (for example certificates). MQePrivateRegistry objects also support digital signing and decryption services which can use the registry's private objects (for example an authenticatable entity's private key) internally, so they do not leave the *private registry*.

**Package** com.ibm.mqe.registry

This class is a descendant of **MQeRegistry**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor        | Purpose                                 |
|--------------------|---|
| MQePrivateRegistry | Constructs an MQePrivateRegistry object |

### Method summary

| Method                | Purpose   |
|-----------------------|---|
| activate              | Opens and activates the MQePrivateRegistry instance.                              |
| deleteCertificate     | Deletes the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate                                  |
| getCertificate        | Returns the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate                                  |
| getRegistryName       | Gets the private registry's authenticatable entity name.                          |
| resetPIN              | Resets the PIN that controls private access.                                      |
| setTargetRegistryName | Sets the name of the intended recipient (authenticatable entity) private registry |

### MQePrivateRegistry

#### Syntax

```
public MQePrivateRegistry( )
```

#### Description

Constructs an MQePrivateRegistry object

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Related functions

- MQePublicRegistry

### MQePrivateRegistry activate

#### Syntax

```
Public void activate (String entityName,  
String dirName,  
String pin,
```

```
Object keyRingPassword,
Object certReqPIN,
Object caIPAddrPort ) throws Exception
```

### Description

If a private registry with this **entityName** exists, **activate** attempts to open the private registry using the given **pin**. If it does not exist, **activate** creates and opens a new private registry and makes it accessible with the given **pin**.

If a non-null Mini-Certificate server address (**caIPAddrPort**) is provided, **activate** searches the private registry to discover if the owner is already registered (already has its own Mini-Certificate). If it is not registered (no Mini-Certificate), **activate** executes autoregistration. This autoregisters the **entityName**, performing the following tasks:

- Generates a new RSA key pair for the owning **entityName**
- Saves the private key(CRTKey) in the private registry after protecting using a derivative of the given **keyRingPassword**
- Packages the public key in a **newCertificateRequest** to the Mini-Certificate server address given, identifying the request with the **entityName** and the given (pre-allocated) Mini-Certificate request pin (**certReqPIN**)
- Saves the issued Mini-Certificate in the private registry then sends a **getCertificate** request to get the Mini-Certificate server's (own) Mini-Certificate, and saves it in the private registry

### Parameters

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| <b>entityName</b>      | PrivateRegistry owner EntityName   |
| <b>dirName</b>         | Path to PrivateRegistry  |
| <b>pin</b>             | Number, password or passphrase to be used to open the private registry   |
| <b>keyRingPassword</b> | String password or passphrase used to protect the entity's private key   |
| <b>certReqPIN</b>      | String with one-time-use <i>Certificate Request Number</i> preallocated for the entity by the Mini-Certificate server administrator to enable it to autoregister |
| <b>caIPAddrPort</b>    | String with the TCP address and port of the solution's Mini-Certificate server, for example <code>aname.hursley.ibm.com:8081</code>                              |

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

|                    |  |
|--------------------|--|
| <b>MQException</b> | Except_PrivateReg_BadPIN,<br>"Activating_EntityName_PrivateRegistry" |
|                    | Except_PrivateReg_ActivateFailed                                     |
|                    | Except_PrivateReg_ActivateFailed,<br>"Registration exception "       |

### Example

## MQePrivateRegistry

```
class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
  try
  {
    /* setup Private Registry activate parameters */
    String entityName = "Bruce";
    String dirName = ".//" + EntityName;
    String entityPIN = "12345678";
    Object keyRingPassword = "It_is_a_secret";
    Object certReqPIN = "12345678";
    Object caIPAddrPort = "aname.hursley.ibm.com:8081";
    /* instantiate and activate a Private Registry... */
    MQePrivateRegistry preg = new MQePrivateRegistry( );
    /* instantiate and activate the Private Registry */
    preg.Activate( entityName, /* name of entity owning privreg */
                  dirName, /* params to open file regsess'n */
                  entityPIN, /* Private Registry access PIN */
                  keyRingPassword, /* pwd/phrase protecting CRTKey */
                  certReqPIN, /* prereg MiniCertSvr certreqPIN */
                  caIPAddrPort); /* trusted MiniCertSvr addr:port */
  }
  catch ( Exception e )
  {
  }
}
```

**Related functions**  
MqeLocalSecure

## MQePrivateRegistry deleteCertificate

### Syntax

```
Public MQeFields deleteCertificate( String certificateOwner )
                                   throws MQException
```

### Description

Deletes the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate.

### Parameters

**certificateOwner**  
Private registry owner's name

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

**MQException**  
Except\_Reg\_DoesNotExist, "Entry does not exist"  
Except\_Reg\_DeleteFailed, "Error deleting entry"

**Related functions**  
getCertificate

## MQePrivateRegistry getCertificate

### Syntax

```
Public MQeFields getCertificate( String certificateOwner )
                                   throws MQException
```

### Description

Returns the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate.

### Parameters

**certificateOwner**  
Private registry owner's name

**Return Values**  
Mini-Certificate

**Exceptions**  
**MQeException**  
Except\_Reg\_ReadFailed, "Error reading entry"

**Related functions**  
**deleteCertificate**

## **MQePrivateRegistry getRegistryName**

**Syntax**  
Public String getRegistryName( )

**Description**  
Returns the owning entity name

**Parameters**  
none

**Return Values**  
Owning entity name

**Exceptions**  
none

## **MQePrivateRegistry resetPIN**

**Syntax**  
Public void resetPIN(String currentPIN,  
String newPIN ) throws Exception

**Description**  
Enables a valid private registry owner to change the access PIN

**Parameters**

|                   |  |
|-------------------|--|
| <b>currentPIN</b> | Current valid PIN ( password or passphrase) for private registry |
| <b>newPIN</b>     | New PIN ( password or passphrase)                                |

**Return Values**  
none

**Exceptions**  
**MQeException**  
Except\_PrivateReg\_BadPIN , "PIN not reset, bad current PIN provided"

## **MQePrivateRegistry setTargetRegistryName**

**Syntax**  
Public void setTargetRegistryName( String registryName)

**Description**  
Adds the name of the intended recipient's private registry.

**Parameters**

## **MQePrivateRegistry**

**registryName** Current valid PIN ( password or passphrase) for private registry

**newPIN** recipient's Private Registry name

### **Return Values**

none

### **Exceptions**

none

### **Examples**

See "MQeMTrustAttribute" on page 244

### **Related functions**

- **MQeMTrustAttribute**

## MQePrivateRegistryConfigure

This class is used to configure a Private Registry. The class is used to get new credentials (private and public certificates) for the registry.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.registry**

This class is a descendant of **MQeRegistry**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor                        | Purpose  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQePrivateRegistryConfigure</b> | Instantiates the registry configuration object |

### Method summary

| Method                  | Purpose   |
|-------------------------|---|
| <b>activate</b>         | Initializes the class and opens the registry              |
| <b>close</b>            | Closes the registry and tidies up                         |
| <b>credentialsExist</b> | Checks whether credentials already exist for the registry |
| <b>getCredentials</b>   | Obtains new credentials for the registry                  |
| <b>isPrivate</b>        | Checks whether the registry is a private registry         |

## MQePrivateRegistryConfigure

### Syntax

1. `public MQePrivateRegistryConfigure( )`
2. `public MQePrivateRegistryConfigure( String name, MQeFields parms, String PIN ) throws Exception`

### Description

The constructor instantiates the registry configuration object, there are two versions.

1. This is an empty constructor that is designed for dynamic loading and must be followed by a call to **activate()**
2. This version saves the name and opens the registry; it is equivalent to the empty constructor followed by **activate()**

### Parameters

**name**            The name associated with this registry

**regParams**     An **MQeFields** object containing the initialization parameters for the registry:

#### **MQeRegistry.LocalRegType (ascii)**

This determines the type of the registry being opened. Because this should be a private registry, this parameter should be set to `com.ibm.mqe.registry.MQePrivateSession`, or an equivalent alias.

#### **MQeRegistry.DirName (ascii)**

The name of the directory holding the registry files

## MQePrivateRegistryConfigur

### MQeRegistry.PIN (ascii)

The PIN for the private registry. This is used if the **regPIN** parameter on **activate()** is *null*.

### MQeRegistry.KeyRingPassword (ascii)

The password or passphrase used to protect the registry's private key.

### MQeRegistry.Separator (ascii)

The character to be used as a separator between the components of an entry name, for example <QueueManager><Separator><Queue>.

This is specified as a string but it should contain a single character, if it contains more than one only the first character is used.

The same separator character should be used every time a registry is opened, it should not be changed once a registry is in use and contains entries.

If this value is not specified it defaults to "+".

### regPIN

The PIN required to open the registry. If this is *null*, the PIN is taken from the **regParams** parameter.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

#### Exception

Thrown if there is a problem opening the registry

### Example

```
MQePrivateRegistryConfigure regConfig1;
regConfig1 = new MQePrivateRegistryConfigure();

try
{
    MQePrivateRegistryConfigure regConfig2;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    parms.putUnicode(MQeRegistry.DirName, "Registry_Dir");
    ...
    regConfig2 = new MQePrivateRegistryConfigure("Reg2", parms, null);
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQePrivateRegistryConfigure activate

### Syntax

```
public void activate( String name,
                    MQeFields regParams,
                    String regPIN ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This saves the registry name and opens the registry. If the **regPIN** parameter is not *null* it is used to open the registry, otherwise the registry's PIN is obtained from the **regParams** parameter.

### Parameters

## MQePrivateRegistryConfigur

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| <b>name</b>      | The name associated with this registry  |
| <b>regParams</b> | An <b>MQeFields</b> object containing the initialization parameters for the registry.<br><b>MQeRegistry.LocalRegType (ascii)</b><br>This determines the type of the registry being opened. Because this should be a private registry, this parameter should be set to <code>com.ibm.mqe.registry.MQePrivateSession</code> , or an equivalent alias.<br><b>MQeRegistry.DirName (ascii)</b><br>The name of the directory holding the registry files<br><b>MQeRegistry.PIN (ascii)</b><br>The PIN for the private registry. This will be used if the <b>regPIN</b> parameter is <i>null</i> .<br><b>MQeRegistry.KeyRingPassword (ascii)</b><br>The password or passphrase used to protect the registry's private key.<br><b>MQeRegistry.Separator (ascii)</b><br><br>The character to be used as a separator between the components of an entry name, for example <code>&lt;QueueManager&gt;&lt;Separator&gt;&lt;Queue&gt;</code> .<br><br>This is specified as a string but it should contain a single character, if it contains more than one only the first character is used.<br><br>The same separator character should be used every time a registry is opened, it should not be changed once a registry is in use and contains entries.<br><br>If this value is not specified it defaults to "+". |
| <b>regPIN</b>    | The PIN required to open the registry. If this is <i>null</i> , the PIN is taken from the <b>regParams</b> parameter.   |

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Is thrown if there is a problem opening the registry. |
| <b>Exception</b>    | Is thrown if there are any other problems             |

### Example

```
try
{
    MQePrivateRegistryConfigure regConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    parms.putUnicode(MQeRegistry.DirName, "Registry_Dir");
    ...
    regConfig = new MQePrivateRegistryConfigure();
}
```

## MQePrivateRegistryConfigur

```
    regConfig.activate("Reg", parms, null);
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

### Related functions

MQeLocalSecure

## MQePrivateRegistryConfigure close

### Syntax

```
public void close()
```

### Description

This closes the configuration object and the associated registry. An attempt to use the object after it has been closed results in an exception.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
try
{
    MQePrivateRegistryConfigure regConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    parms.putUnicode(MQeRegistry.DirName, "Registry_Dir");
    ...
    regConfig = new MQePrivateRegistryConfigure("Reg", parms, null);
    if ( regConfig.credentialsExist() )
    {
        ...
    }
    regConfig.close();
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

## MQePrivateRegistryConfigure credentialsExist

### Syntax

```
public boolean credentialsExist ( ) throws MQeException
```

### Description

This method checks whether the registry already contains credentials.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| <b>true</b>  | If the registry already contains credentials |
| <b>false</b> | If the registry does not contain credentials |

### Exceptions

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Is thrown if the class has not been activated |
|---------------------|---|

### Example

```

try
{
    MQePrivateRegistryConfigure regConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    parms.putUnicode(MQeRegistry.DirName, "Registry_Dir");
    ...
    regConfig = new MQePrivateRegistryConfigure("Reg", parms, null);
    if ( regConfig.credentialsExist() )
    {
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }

```

## MQePrivateRegistryConfigure getCredentials

### Syntax

```

public void getCredentials( MQeFields regParams,
                           String regPIN,
                           String minCertServer,
                           String miniCertPIN,
                           String renamePrefix ) throws Exception

```

### Description

This creates new credentials for the registry.

If the registry already contains credentials, they are renamed using the **renamePrefix**. If the rename fails, for example because the new name already exists in the registry, an exception is thrown and new credentials are not obtained. If an error occurs after the credentials have been renamed, they are changed back to their original names before **getCredentials()** returns.

This method calls the Mini-Certificate server and can take some time to complete.

### Parameters

**regParams** An **MQeFields** object containing the initialization parameters for the registry.

#### **MQeRegistry.LocalRegType (ascii)**

This determines the type of the registry being opened. Because this should be a private registry, this parameter should be set to `com.ibm.mqe.registry.MQePrivateSession`, or an equivalent alias.

#### **MQeRegistry.DirName (ascii)**

The name of the directory holding the registry files

#### **MQeRegistry.PIN (ascii)**

The PIN for the private registry. This is used if the **regPIN** parameter on **activate()** is *null*.

#### **MQeRegistry.KeyRingPassword (ascii)**

The password or passphrase used to protect the registry's private key.

#### **MQeRegistry.Separator (ascii)**

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The character to be used as a separator between the components of an entry name, for example <QueueManager><Separator><Queue>.

This is specified as a string but it should contain a single character, if it contains more than one only the first character is used.

The same separator character should be used every time a registry is opened, it should not be changed once a registry is in use and contains entries.

If this value is not specified it defaults to "+".

|                      |   |
|----------------------|---|
| <b>regPIN</b>        | The PIN required to open the registry. If this is <i>null</i> , the PIN is taken from the <b>regParams</b> parameter.                     |
| <b>minCertServer</b> | The TCP address and port number of a Mini-Certificate server  |
| <b>miniCertPIN</b>   | The <i>Certificate Request Number</i> pre-allocated by the Mini-Certificate administrator to allow the registry to obtain its credentials |
| <b>renamePrefix</b>  | A prefix used to rename the existing credentials, if there are any  |

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

**MQeException** Is thrown if the class has not been activated, if it is not a Private Registry, if the rename fails, or if there is an error obtaining the credentials (e.g. contacting the Issuing Server).

**Exception** Is thrown for other errors

### Example

```
try
{
    MQePrivateRegistryConfigure regConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    parms.putUnicode(MQeRegistry.DirName, "Registry_Dir");
    ...
    regConfig = new MQePrivateRegistryConfigure("Reg", parms, null);
    if ( regConfig.isPrivate() )
    {
        String renamePref = Long.toString(new Date().getTime()) + "_";
        regConfig.getCredentials( parms,
            "MYpin 123",
            "certServer.hursley.ibm.com:8081",
            "12345678",
            renamePref );
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

**MQePrivateRegistryConfigure isPrivate****Syntax**

```
public boolean isPrivate( ) throws MQeException
```

**Description**

This method checks whether the registry that has been opened is a private registry.

**Parameters**

none

**Return Values**

|              |                                 |
|--------------|---------------------------------|
| <b>true</b>  | If it is a private registry     |
| <b>false</b> | If it is not a private registry |

**Exceptions**

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Is thrown if the class has not been activated |
|---------------------|---|

**Example**

```
try
{
    MQePrivateRegistryConfigure regConfig;
    MQeFields parms = new MQeFields();
    parms.putUnicode(MQeRegistry.DirName, "Registry_Dir");
    ...
    regConfig = new MQePrivateRegistryConfigure("Reg", parms, null);
    if ( regConfig.isPrivate() )
    {
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{ ... }
```

### MQePublicRegistry

This class is used to create a MQePublicRegistry object.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.registry**

This class is a descendant of **MQeRegistry**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor       | Purpose                                |
|-------------------|--|
| MQePublicRegistry | Constructs an MQePublicRegistry object |

### Method summary

| Method             | Purpose   |
|--------------------|---|
| activate           | Opens and activates the MQePublicRegistry instance.   |
| deleteCertificate  | Deletes the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate  |
| getCertificate     | Returns the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate  |
| putCertificate     | Adds the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate to the public registry                        |
| requestCertificate | Requests a Mini-Certificate from the public registry of another MQeNode                     |
| shareCertificate   | Replicates the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate to a public registry on another MQeNode |

### MQePublicRegistry

#### Syntax

```
public MQePublicRegistry( )
```

#### Description

Constructs an MQePublicRegistry object

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

none

#### Related functions

- **MQePrivateRegistry**

### MQePublicRegistry activate

#### Syntax

```
Public void activate (String name,  
                      String dirName) throws Exception
```

#### Description

If a public registry with this entity name exists, **activate** opens the existing public registry, if not it creates a new public registry with name **name**.

**Parameters**

|                |   |
|----------------|---|
| <b>name</b>    | Public registry name, normally MQeNode_PublicRegistry |
| <b>dirName</b> | Path to public registry                               |

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions**

|                     |  |
|---------------------|--|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Public_ActivateFailed, "exception reason" |
|---------------------|--|

**Example**

```
class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
try
{
/* setup Public Registry activate parameters */
String name = "MQeNode_PublicRegistry";
String dirName = "./"
/* instantiate and activate Public Registry */
MQePublicRegistry pubreg = new MQePublicRegistry( );
pubreg.activate( name, dirName );
}
catch ( Exception e )
{
...
}
```

**Related functions**

MQePrivateRegistry

**MQePublicRegistry deleteCertificate****Syntax**

```
Public void deleteCertificate( String certificateOwner )
throws MQeException
```

**Description**

Deletes the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate.

**Parameters**

|                         |                               |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|
| <b>certificateOwner</b> | Mini-Certificate owner's name |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions**

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>MQeException</b> | Except_Reg_DoesNotExist, "Entry does not exist" |
|                     | Except_Reg_DeleteFailed, "Error deleting entry" |

**Related functions**

- getCertificate
- putCertificate

## MQePublicRegistry

### MQePublicRegistry getCertificate

#### Syntax

```
Public MQeFields getCertificate( String certificateOwner )  
                                throws MQeException
```

#### Description

Returns the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate.

#### Parameters

**certificateOwner**  
Authenticatable entity's (Mini-Certificate owner's) name

#### Return Values

Mini-Certificate

#### Exceptions

**MQeException**                      Except\_Reg\_ReadFailed, "Error reading entry"

#### Related functions

- deleteCertificate
- putCertificate

### MQePublicRegistry putCertificate

#### Syntax

```
Public void putCertificate( String certificateOwner,  
                           MQeFields certificate ) throws MQeException
```

#### Description

Adds the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate to the public registry

#### Parameters

**certificateOwner**  
Authenticatable entity's (Mini-Certificate owner's) name

**certificate**                      Owner's Mini-Certificate

#### Return Values

none

#### Exceptions

**MQeException**                      Except\_Reg\_AlreadyExists, "Entry already exists"

   Except\_Reg\_AddFailed, "Error adding entry"

#### Related functions

- getCertificate
- deleteCertificate

### MQePublicRegistry requestCertificate

#### Syntax

```
Public MQeFields requestCertificate( String certificateOwner,  
                                     String mqeNodeAddrPort)  
                                    throws MQeException
```

**Description**

Requests a Mini-Certificate from the public registry of another MQeNode and, if returned, saves it in this publicRegistry.

**Parameters****certificateOwner**

Mini-Certificate owner's name

**mqeNodeAddrPort**

TCP address and port of *home server* or alternative MQeNode

**Return Values**

Mini-Certificate

**Exceptions****MQeException**

Except\_Reg\_DoesNotExist, "Entry does not exist"

Except\_Reg\_ReadFailed, "Error reading entry"

Except\_Reg\_AddFailed, "Error adding entry"

**Example**

```
class MySampleClass extends MQe
{
  try
  {
    /* setup RequestCertificate parameters */
    String homeServerAddrPort = "homeServer.hursley.ibm.com:8081";
    String entityName         = "Bruce";
    /* instantiate and activate Public Registry */
    MQePublicRegistry pubreg = new MQePublicRegistry( );
    pubreg.activate("MQeNode_PublicRegistry", ".\\");
    /* request Bruce's MiniCert from Public Reg on another MQeNode */
    MQeFields minicertf      = pubreg.getCertificate( entityName,
                                                       homeServerAddrPort);

    pubreg.close();
  }
  catch ( Exception e )
  {
    ...
  }
}
```

**Related functions**

shareCertificate

**MQePublicRegistry shareCertificate****Syntax**

```
Public void shareCertificate( String certificateOwner,
                             MQeFields certificate,
                             String mqeNodeAddrPort) throws MQeException
```

**Description**

Replicates the certificate owner's Mini-Certificate to a public registry on another MQeNode.

**Parameters****certificateOwner**

Mini-Certificate owner's name

**certificate**

Mini-Certificate

## MQePublicRegistry

### mqeNodeAddrPort

TCP address and port of *home server* or alternative MQeNode

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

#### MQeException

Except\_Reg\_DoesNotExist, "Entry does not exist"

Except\_Reg\_ReadFailed, "Error reading entry"

Except\_Reg\_AddFailed, "Error adding entry"

### Example

```
{
  try
  {
    /* instantiate & activate a Private Reg for Auth Entity Bruce */
    entityName           = "Bruce";
    caIPAddrPort         = "aname.hursley.ibm.com:8081";
    MQePrivateRegistry preg = new MQePrivateRegistry( );
    preg.activate( entityName, ".\\MQeNode_PrivateRegistry",
                    "12345678", "It is a secret", "12345678", caIPAddrPort);
    /* instantiate and activate Public Reg & save Bruce's MiniCert */
    MQePublicRegistry pubreg = new MQePublicRegistry( );
    pubreg.activate("MQeNode_PublicRegistry",
                  ".\\MQeNode_PublicRegistry" );
    pubreg.putCertificate( entityName,
                          preg.getCertificate( entityName ) );
    /* share Bruce's MiniCert with Public Reg on another MQeNode */
    String homeServerAddrPort = "homeServer.hursley.ibm.com:8081";
    pubreg.shareCertificate( entityName,
                            preg.getCertificate( entityName ), homeServerAddrPort);
    preg.close();
    pubreg.close();
  }
  catch ( Exception e )
  {
  }
}
```

### Related functions

requestCertificate

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## Chapter 6. Classes in com.ibm.mqe.server

This section contains detailed information about the following MQSeries Everyplace classes:

*Table 16. Classes in package com.ibm.mqe.server*

| Class name                            | Purpose  |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| <b>**MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface</b> | Used to define the way in which instances of MQeMiniCertificateServerGUI manages new Mini-Certificate issuance |

**Note:** Classes marked \*\* are available only in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.1.

## MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface

**Note:** This class is only available in the high security version of MQSeries Everyplace Version 1.1.

Implementations of this interface are used to define the way in which instances of MQeMiniCertificateServerGUI manage new Mini-Certificate issuance. The default implementation, **MQeMiniCertIssuanceManager** uses an **MQeMiniCertificateRegistry** as the repository for definitions of a valid set of authenticatable entities that can request Mini-Certificates. It is recognized that MQSeries Everyplace solutions may want to use different repositories for this data, for example other registry or database services.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.server**

### Constants

This class provides the following constants:

```
public final static int        IssMgr_OK
public final static int        IssMgr_Error
```

### Method summary

| Method                               | Purpose  |
|--------------------------------------|--|
| <b>addAuthenticatableEntity</b>      | Add the name and one-time-use <i>certificate request PIN</i> for a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity   |
| <b>addEntityRegisteredAddress</b>    | Add the registered address for a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity                                     |
| <b>authoriseMiniCertRequest</b>      | Authorize a new Mini-Certificate request.  |
| <b>deleteAuthenticatableEntity</b>   | Delete the name and one-time-use <i>certificate request PIN</i> of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity |
| <b>deleteEntityRegisteredAddress</b> | Delete the registered address of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity                                   |
| <b>readAuthenticatableEntity</b>     | Read the name and one-time-use <i>certificate request PIN</i> of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity   |
| <b>readEntityRegisteredAddress</b>   | Read the registered address of a valid MQSeries Everyplace Solution authenticatable entity                                     |
| <b>setRegistry</b>                   | Set the reference to the MQeRegistry repository instance   |
| <b>updateAuthenticatableEntity</b>   | Update the name and one-time-use <i>certificate request PIN</i> of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity |
| <b>updateEntityRegisteredAddress</b> | Update the registered address of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity.                                  |

### MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface addAuthenticatableEntity

**Syntax**

```
public int addAuthenticatableEntity (String entityName,String certReqPIN )
```

**Description**

Add the name and one-time-use *certificate request PIN* for a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity

**Parameters**

**entityName** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's name  
**certReqPIN** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's one-time-use *certificate request PIN*

**Return Values**

- IssMgr\_OK to indicate success
- IssMgr\_Error to indicate failure

**Exceptions**

none

**MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface addEntityRegisteredAddress****Syntax**

```
public int addEntityRegisteredAddress (String entityName,
                                     MQeFields entityRegAddr )
```

**Description**

Add the registered address for a new authenticatable entity

**Parameters**

**entityName** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's name  
**entityRegAddr** An MQeFields object containing the authenticatable entity's registered address

**Return Values**

- IssMgr\_OK to indicate success
- IssMgr\_Error to indicate failure

**Exceptions**

none

**MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface authoriseMiniCertRequest****Syntax**

```
public int authoriseMiniCertRequest (String entityName,String certReqPIN )
```

**Description**

Authorize a new Mini-Certificate request

**Parameters**

**entityName** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's name  
**certReqPIN** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's one-time-use *certificate request PIN*

**Return Values**

- IssMgr\_OK to indicate success
- IssMgr\_Error to indicate failure

**Exceptions**

none

## MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface

### MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface deleteAuthenticatableEntity

#### Syntax

```
public int deleteAuthenticatableEntity (String entityName)
```

#### Description

Delete the name and one-time-use *certificate request PIN* of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity.

#### Parameters

**entityName** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's name

#### Return Values

- IssMgr\_OK to indicate success
- IssMgr\_Error to indicate failure

#### Exceptions

none

### MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface deleteEntityRegisteredAddress

#### Syntax

```
public int deleteEntityRegisteredAddress (String entityName)
```

#### Description

Delete the registered address of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity.

#### Parameters

**entityName** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's name

#### Return Values

- IssMgr\_OK to indicate success
- IssMgr\_Error to indicate failure

#### Exceptions

none

### MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface readAuthenticatableEntity

#### Syntax

```
public int authoriseMiniCertRequest (String entityName,String certReqPIN )
```

#### Description

Read the name and one-time-use *certificate request PIN* of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity

#### Parameters

**entityName** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's name

**byte< >** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's one-time-use *certificate request PIN*

#### Return Values

A byte array containing authenticatable entity's identity, or *null*

#### Exceptions

none

**MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface readEntity RegisteredAddress****Syntax**

```
public MQeFields readEntityRegisteredAddress (String entityName)
```

**Description**

Read the registered address of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity.

**Parameters**

**entityName** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's name

**Return Values**

An **MQeFields** object containing the authenticatable entity's registered address or *null*

**Exceptions**

none

**MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface SetRegistry****Syntax**

```
public void setRegistry (MQeRegistry registry)
```

**Description**

Set the reference to a MQeRegistry repository instance

**Parameters**

**registry** MQeRegistry instance

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions**

none

**MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface updateAuthenticatableEntity****Syntax**

```
public int updateAuthenticatableEntity (String entityName,
String certReqPIN )
```

**Description**

Update the name and one-time-use *certificate request PIN* of a valid MQSeries Everyplace solution authenticatable entity

**Parameters**

**entityName** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's name

**certReqPIN** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's one-time-use *certificate request PIN*

**Return Values**

- IssMgr\_OK to indicate success
- IssMgr\_Error to indicate failure

**Exceptions**

none

## MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface

### MQeMiniCertIssuanceInterface updateEntityRegisteredAddress

#### Syntax

```
public int updateEntityRegisteredAddress (String entityName,  
                                         MQeFields entityRegAddr )
```

#### Description

Update the registered address of a registered address for a new authenticatable entity authenticatable entity.

#### Parameters

**entityName** A String used to identify the authenticatable entity's name

**entityRegAddr** An MQeFields object containing the authenticatable entity's registered address

#### Return Values

- IssMgr\_OK to indicate success
- IssMgr\_Error to indicate failure

#### Exceptions

none

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## Chapter 7. Classes in com.ibm.mqe.mqemqmessage

This section contains detailed information about the following MQSeries Everyplace classes:

*Table 17. Classes in package com.ibm.mqe.mqemqmessage*

| Class name            | Purpose   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>MQeMQMsgObject</b> | Used to represent an MQSeries style message object within MQSeries Everyplace |

## MQeMQMsgObject class

This section describes the Java class used to represent an MQSeries style message object within MQSeries Everyplace. It can be used to create and read MQSeries style message objects.

The class has `getxxx()` and `setxxx()` methods for all the MQSeries message header fields. For efficiency however, only fields that have been set to a non-default value are actually contained in the message object .

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.mqemqmessage**

This class is a descendant of **MQeMsgObject**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor    | Purpose                      |
|----------------|------------------------------|
| MQeMQMsgObject | Creates a new MQeMQMsgObject |

### Method summary

| Method                                | Purpose   |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| <code>dumpAllToString</code>          | Dumps all the field values from the message to a string         |
| <code>dumpToString</code>             | Dumps the field values in the message object to a string        |
| <code>equals</code>                   | Compares to byte arrays for equality                            |
| <code>getAccountingToken</code>       | Gets the value of the Accounting Token from the message header  |
| <code>getApplicationIdData</code>     | Gets the Application Id Data from the message header            |
| <code>getApplicationOriginData</code> | GetApplicationOriginData  |
| <code>getBackoutCount</code>          | Gets the Backout Count from the message header                  |
| <code>getCharacterSet</code>          | Gets the coded Character Set Identifier from the message header |
| <code>getCorrelationId</code>         | Gets the Correlation Id from the message header                 |
| <code>getdata</code>                  | Gets the message Data   |
| <code>getEncoding</code>              | Gets the Encoding value from the message header                 |
| <code>getExpiry</code>                | Gets the Expiry value from the message header                   |
| <code>getFeedback</code>              | Gets the Feedback value from the message header                 |
| <code>getFormat</code>                | Gets the Format value from the message header                   |
| <code>getGroupId</code>               | Gets the value of the Group Id from the message header          |
| <code>getMessageFlags</code>          | Gets the value of the Message Flags from the message header     |
| <code>getMessageId</code>             | Gets the Message Id from the message header                     |
| <code>getMessageSequenceNumber</code> | Gets the Message Sequence Number from the message header        |
| <code>getMessageType</code>           | Gets the Message Type from the message header                   |
| <code>getOffset</code>                | Gets the value of the Offset from the message header            |

| Method                            | Purpose   |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| <b>getOriginalLength</b>          | Gets the Original Length from the message header              |
| <b>getPersistence</b>             | Gets the Persistence value from the message header            |
| <b>getPriority</b>                | Gets the Priority from the message header                     |
| <b>getPutApplicationName</b>      | Gets the Put Application Name from the message header         |
| <b>getPutApplicationType</b>      | Gets the Put Application Type from the message header         |
| <b>getPutDateTime</b>             | Gets the Put Date and Time from the message header            |
| <b>getReplyToQueueManagerName</b> | Gets the ReplyTo Queue Manager Name from the message header   |
| <b>getReplyToQueueName</b>        | Gets the ReplyTo Queue Name from the message header           |
| <b>getReport</b>                  | Gets the Report value from the message header                 |
| <b>getUserId</b>                  | Gets the User Id from the message header                      |
| <b>setAccountingToken</b>         | Sets the value of the Accounting Token in the message header  |
| <b>setApplicationIdData</b>       | Sets the Application Id Data in the message header            |
| <b>setApplicationOriginData</b>   | Sets the Application Origin Data in the message header        |
| <b>setBackoutCount</b>            | Sets the Backout Count in the message header                  |
| <b>setCharacterSet</b>            | Sets the coded Character Set Identifier in the message header |
| <b>setCorrelationId</b>           | Sets the Correlation Id in the message header                 |
| <b>setdata</b>                    | Sets the message Data   |
| <b>setEncoding</b>                | Sets the Encoding value in the message header                 |
| <b>setExpiry</b>                  | Sets the Expiry value in the message header                   |
| <b>setFeedback</b>                | Sets the Feedback value in the message header                 |
| <b>setFormat</b>                  | Sets the Format value in the message header                   |
| <b>setGroupId</b>                 | Sets the value of the Group Id in the message header          |
| <b>setMessageFlags</b>            | Sets the value of the Message Flags in the message header     |
| <b>setMessageId</b>               | Sets the Message Id in the message header                     |
| <b>setMessageSequenceNumber</b>   | Sets the Message Sequence Number in the message header        |
| <b>setMessageType</b>             | Sets the Message Type in the message header                   |
| <b>setOffset</b>                  | Sets the value of the Offset in the message header            |
| <b>setOriginalLength</b>          | Sets the Original Length in the message header                |
| <b>setPersistence</b>             | Sets the Persistence value in the message header              |
| <b>setPriority</b>                | Sets the Priority in the message header                       |
| <b>setPutApplicationName</b>      | Sets the Put Application Name in the message header           |
| <b>setPutApplicationType</b>      | Sets the Put Application Type in the message header           |
| <b>setPutDateTime</b>             | Sets the Put Date and Time in the message header              |
| <b>setReplyToQueueManagerName</b> | Sets the ReplyTo Queue Manager Name in the message header     |
| <b>setReplyToQueueName</b>        | Sets the ReplyTo Queue Name in the message header             |

## MQeMQMsgObject

| Method    | Purpose                                     |
|-----------|---|
| setReport | Sets the Report value in the message header |
| setUserId | Sets the User Id in the message header      |

## MQeMQMsgObject

### Syntax

```
public MQeMQMsgObject( ) throws Exception
```

### Description

This creates a new MQeMQMsgObject

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**

Propagated from the super-class constructor, MQeMsgObject()

### Example

```
...
MQeMQMsgObject MQMsg = new MQeMQMsgObject();
...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject dumpAllToString

### Syntax

```
public String dumpAllToString()
```

### Description

This method dumps all the header fields from the MQSeries style message with their corresponding field values to a string, together with the value of the data field. It is useful when debugging.

This method dumps all the header fields to a string. The dumpToString() method dumps only the fields that have been set to non-default values.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String containing the field names and values and the data value.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
{
System.out.println(((MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj).dumpAllToString());
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject dumpToString

### Syntax

```
public String dumpToString()
```

### Description

This method dumps header fields from the &msg; style message with their corresponding field values to a string, together with the value of the data field. It is useful when debugging.

This method dumps only the fields that have been set to non-default values. The `dumpAllToString()` method dumps all the header fields to a string

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String containing the field names and values and the data value.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
{
    System.out.println(((MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj).dumpToString());
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject equals

### Syntax

```
public boolean equals(byte [] b1, byte [] b2)
```

### Description

This compares two byte arrays for equality. They are considered equal if they are the same length and each byte in one array is equal to the corresponding byte in the other array.

### Parameters

**b1**                    The first byte array for comparison

**b2**                    The second byte array for comparison

### Return values

'true' if the byte arrays are equal in length and content, otherwise 'false'

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
byte [] correlId = ...
if (mqMsgObj.equals(mqMsgObj.getCorrelationId(), correlId) )
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject getAccountingToken

### Syntax

```
public byte [] getAccountingToken() throws Exception
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject

### Description

This method returns the value of the Accounting Token header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A byte array containing the value of the Accounting Token.

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error reading the value from the message object

### Examples

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        byte [] accountToken = mqMsgObj.getAccountingToken();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject getApplicationIdData

### Syntax

```
MQeMQMMsgObject getApplicationOriginData
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Application Id Data header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A string containing the value of the Application Id Data.

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error reading the value from the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        String appIdData = mqMsgObj.getApplicationIdData();
        α
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject getApplicationOriginData

### Syntax

```
public String getApplicationOriginData() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Application Origin Data header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A string containing the value of the Application Origin Data

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        String appOriginData = mqMsgObj.getApplicationOriginData();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject getBackoutCount

### Syntax

```
public int getBackoutCount() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Backout Count header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An int containing the value of the Backout Count.

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        int backoutCount = mqMsgObj.getBackoutCount();
        ...
    }
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject

```
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

### MQeMQMsgObject getCharacterSet

#### Syntax

```
public int getCharacterSet() throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method returns the value of the coded Character Set Identifier header field

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

An int containing the value of the coded Character Set Identifier

#### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

#### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        int charSet = mqMsgObj.getCharacterSet();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

### MQeMQMsgObject getData

#### Syntax

```
public byte [] getData() throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method returns the message data. The application must know how to interpret the data.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

A byte array containing the message data

#### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

#### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
```

```

MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
byte [] msgData = mqMsgObj.getData();
...
}
}
catch (Exception e)
{
...
}

```

## MQeMQMMsgObject getCorrelationId

### Syntax

```
public byte [] getCorrelationId() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Correlation Id header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A byte array containing the value of the Correlation Id.

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

```

try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        byte [] correlId = mqMsgObj.getCorrelationId();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
...
}

```

## MQeMQMMsgObject getEncoding

### Syntax

```
MQeMQMMsgObject getEncoding
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Encoding header field

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An int containing the Encoding value

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

## MQeMQMsgObject

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        int encode = mqMsgObj.getEncoding();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject getExpiry

### Syntax

```
public int getExpiry() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Expiry header field. The value is in tenths of a second, as is used in MQSeries messages (it is not in milliseconds, which is used for the MQSeries Everyplace expiry time).

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An int containing the Expiry value.

### Exceptions

|                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| <code>java.lang.Exception</code> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------------|--|

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        int expiry = mqMsgObj.getExpiry();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject getFeedback

### Syntax

```
MQeMQMsgObject getFeedback
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Feedback header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An int containing the Feedback value.

**Exceptions**

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

**Example**

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        int feedback = mqMsgObj.getFeedback();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

**MQeMQMMsgObject getFormat****Syntax**

```
public String getFormat() throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method returns the value of the Format header field.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

A String containing the Format value

**Exceptions**

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

**Example**

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        String format = mqMsgObj.getFormat();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

**MQeMQMMsgObject getGroupId****Syntax**

```
public byte [] getGroupId() throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method returns the value of the Group Id header field

**Parameters**

none

## MQeMQMsgObject

### Return values

A byte array containing the value of the Group Id.

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error reading the value from the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        byte [] groupId = mqMsgObj.getGroupId();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject getMessageFlags

### Syntax

```
public int getMessageFlags() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Message Flags header field

### Parameters

none

### Return values

This method returns the value of the Message Flags header field

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error reading the value from the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        int msgFlags = mqMsgObj.getMessageFlags();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject getMessageId

### Syntax

```
public byte [] getMessageId() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Message Id header field.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

A byte array containing the value of the Message Id.

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error reading the value from the message object

**Example**

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        byte [] msgId = mqMsgObj.getMessageId();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

**MQeMQMMsgObject getMessageSequenceNumber****Syntax**

```
public int getMessageSequenceNumber() throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method returns the value of the Message Sequence Number header field.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

An int containing the value of the Message Sequence Number.

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error reading the value from the message object

**Example**

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        int msgSeqNo = mqMsgObj.getMessageSequenceNumber();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

**MQeMQMMsgObject getMessageType****Syntax**

```
public int getMessageType() throws Exception
```

## MQeMQMsgObject

### Description

This method returns the value of the Message Type header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An int containing the value of the Message Type

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error reading the value from the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        int msgType = mqMsgObj.getMessageType();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject getOffset

### Syntax

```
public int getOffset() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Offset header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An int containing the Offset value

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error reading the value from the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        int offset = mqMsgObj.getOffset();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject getOriginalLength

### Syntax

```
public int getOriginalLength() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Original Length header field

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An int containing the value of the Original Length

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        int originalLength = mqMsgObj.getOriginalLength();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject getPersistence

### Syntax

```
public int getPersistence() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Persistence header field

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An int containing the Persistence value.

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        int persistence = mqMsgObj.getPersistence();
        ...
    }
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject

```
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

### MQeMQMsgObject getPriority

#### Syntax

```
public int getPriority() throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method returns the value of the Priority header field.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

An int containing the Priority value

#### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

#### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        int priority = mqMsgObj.getPriority();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

### MQeMQMsgObject getPutApplicationName

#### Syntax

```
public String getPutApplicationName() throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method returns the value of the Put Application Name header field

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

A String containing the value of the Put Application Name

#### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

#### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        String putApp1Name = mqMsgObj.getPutApplicationName();
    }
}
```

```

    ...
  }
  catch (Exception e)
  {
    ...
  }

```

## MQeMQMsgObject getPutApplicationType

### Syntax

```
public int getPutApplicationType() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Put Application Type header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An int containing the value of the Put Application Type

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

```

try
{
  if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
  {
    MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
    int putAppType = mqMsgObj.getPutApplicationType();
    ...
  }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
  ...
}

```

## MQeMQMsgObject getPutDateTime

### Syntax

```
public GregorianCalendar getPutDateTime() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Put Date Time header field. The value is returned as a Gregorian Calendar object, for consistency with the MQSeries Java Client.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A Gregorian Calendar object containing the Put Date and Time value

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

## MQeMQMsgObject

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        GregorianCalendar putDateTime = mqMsgObj.getPutDateTime();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject getReplyToQueueManagerName

### Syntax

```
MQeMQMsgObject getReplyToQueueManagerName
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Reply To Queue Manager Name header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String containing the value of the Reply To Queue Manager Name.

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error reading the value from the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        String replyToQueueMgrName = mqMsgObj.getReplyToQueueManagerName();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject getReplyToQueueName

### Syntax

```
public String getReplyToQueueName() throws Exception
```

### Description

This method returns the value of the Reply To Queue Name header field.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String containing the value of the Reply To Queue Name.

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**

if there is an error reading the value from the message object

**Example**

```

try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        String replyToQueueName = mqMsgObj.getReplyToQueueName();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}

```

**MQeMQMMsgObject getReport****Syntax**

public int getReport() throws Exception

**Description**

This method returns the value of the Report header field.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

An int containing the Report value.

**Exceptions****java.lang.Exception**

if there is an error reading the value from the message object

**Example**

```

try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMMsgObject)msgObj;
        int report = mqMsgObj.getReport();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}

```

**MQeMQMMsgObject getUserId****Syntax**

public String getUserId() throws Exception

**Description**

This method returns the value of the User Id header field.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

A String containing the value of the User Id.

## MQeMQMsgObject

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error reading the value from the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    if (msgObj instanceof MQeMQMsgObject)
    {
        MQeMQMsgObject mqMsgObj = (MQeMQMsgObject)msgObj;
        String userId = mqMsgObj.getUserId();
        ...
    }
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setAccountingToken

### Syntax

```
public void setAccountingToken(byte [] accountingToken) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Accounting Token header field in the MQSeries style message.

### Parameters

**accountingToken**  
a byte array containing the value to be set in the Accounting Token field

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    byte [] accountingToken = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setAccountingToken(accountingToken);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setApplicationIdData

### Syntax

```
public void setApplicationIdData(String applicationIdData) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Application Id Data header field in the MQSeries style message.

**Parameters****applicationIdData**

a String containing the value to be set in the Application Id Data field.

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions****java.lang.Exception**

if there is an error setting the value in the message object

**Example**

```
try
{
    MQeMQMMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMMsgObject();
    String applIdData = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setApplicationIdData(applIdData);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

**MQeMQMMsgObject setApplicationOriginData****Syntax**

```
public void setApplicationOriginData(String applicationOriginData) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method sets the value of the Application Origin Data header field in the MQSeries style message

**Parameters****applicationOriginData**

a String containing the value to be set in the Application Origin Data field.

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions****java.lang.Exception**

if there is an error setting the value in the message object

**Example**

```
try
{
    MQeMQMMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMMsgObject();
    String applOriginData = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setApplicationOriginData(applOriginData);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject

### MQeMQMsgObject setBackoutCount

#### Syntax

```
public void setBackoutCount(int backoutCount) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets the value of the Backout Count header field in the MQSeries style message.

#### Parameters

**backoutCount** an int containing the value to be set in the Backout Count field

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

#### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int backoutCount = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setBackoutCount(backoutCount);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

### MQeMQMsgObject setCharacterSet

#### Syntax

```
public void setCharacterSet(int characterSet) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets the value of the coded Character Set Identifier header field in the MQSeries style message

#### Parameters

**characterSet** an int containing the value to be set in the coded Character Set Identifier field

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

#### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int characterSet = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setCharacterSet(characterSet);
    ...
}
```

```

catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}

```

## MQeMQMMsgObject setCorrelationId

### Syntax

```
public void setCorrelationId(byte [] correlationId) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Correlation Id header field in the MQSeries style message. It also sets the Correlation Id for use within the MQSeries Everyplace system itself

### Parameters

**correlationId** a byte array containing the value to be set in the Correlation Id field.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```

try
{
    MQeMQMMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMMsgObject();
    byte [] correlationId = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setCorrelationId(correlationId);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}

```

## MQeMQMMsgObject setData

### Syntax

```
public void setData(byte [] data) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the message data in the MQSeries style message.

### Parameters

**data** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```

try
{
    MQeMQMMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMMsgObject();
    byte [] data = ...;

```

## MQeMQMsgObject

```
        mqeMsgObj.setData(data);
        ...
    }
    catch (Exception e)
    {
        ...
    }
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setEncoding

### Syntax

```
public void setEncoding(int encoding) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Encoding header field in the MQSeries style message

### Parameters

**encoding**      an int containing the value to be set in the Encoding field

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**      if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int encoding = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setEncoding(encoding);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setExpiry

### Syntax

```
public void setExpiry(int expiry) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Expiry header field in the MQSeries style message. It also sets the expiry time of the message for use within the MQSeries Everyplace system itself.

### Parameters

**expiry**      an int containing the value to be set in the expiry field. The value should be in tenths of a second, as is used in MQSeries messages (not in milliseconds, which is used for MQSeries Everyplace expiry time)..

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**

if there is an error setting the value in the message object

**Example**

```

try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int expiry = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setExpiry(expiry);
    ...}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}

```

**MQeMQMsgObject setFeedback****Syntax**

```
public void setFeedback(int feedback) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method sets the value of the Feedback header field in the MQSeries style message.

**Parameters**

**feedback**      an int containing the value to be set in the Feedback field.

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions****java.lang.Exception**

if there is an error setting the value in the message object

**Example**

```

try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int feedback = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setFeedback(feedback);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}

```

**MQeMQMsgObject setFormat****Syntax**

```
public void setFormat(String format) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method sets the value of the Format header field in the MQSeries style message

**Parameters**

**format**      a String containing the value to be set in the Format field.

**Return values**

none

## MQeMQMsgObject

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    String format = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setFormat(format);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setGroupId

### Syntax

```
public void setGroupId(byte [] groupId) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Group Id header field in the MQSeries style message.

### Parameters

**groupId** a byte array containing the value to be set in the Group Id field.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    byte [] groupId = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setGroupId(groupId);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setMessageFlags

### Syntax

```
public void setMessageFlags(int messageFlags) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Message Flags header field in the MQSeries style message

### Parameters

**format** a String containing the value to be set in the Format field.

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

**Example**

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int messageFlags = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setMessageFlags(messageFlags);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

**MQeMQMsgObject setMessageId****Syntax**

```
public void setMessageId(byte [] messageId) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method sets the value of the Message Id header field in the MQSeries style message

**Parameters**

**messageId** a byte array containing the value to be set in the Message Id field.

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

**Example**

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    byte [] messageId = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setMessageId(messageId);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

**MQeMQMsgObject setMessageSequenceNumber****Syntax**

```
public void setMessageSequenceNumber(int seqNo) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method sets the value of the Message Sequence Number header field in the MQSeries style message

## MQeMQMsgObject

### Parameters

**seqNo** an int containing the value to be set in the Message Sequence Number field.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int seqNo = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setMessageSequenceNumber(seqNo);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setMessageType

### Syntax

```
public void setMessageType(int messageType) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Message Type header field in the MQSeries style message. It also sets the message style for use within the MQSeries Everyplace system itself.

### Parameters

**messageType** an int containing the value to be set in the Message Type field.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int messageType = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setMessageType(messageType);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject setOffset

### Syntax

```
public void setOffset(int offset) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Offset header field in the MQSeries style message

### Parameters

**offset**                    an int containing the value to be set in the Offset field

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                    if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMMsgObject();
    int offset = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setOffset(offset);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMMsgObject setOriginalLength

### Syntax

```
public void setOriginalLength(int len) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Original Length header field in the MQSeries style message.

### Parameters

**len**                    an int containing the value to be set in the Original Length field.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                    if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMMsgObject();
    int len = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setOriginalLength(len);
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject

```
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

### MQeMQMsgObject setPersistence

#### Syntax

```
public void setPersistence(int persistence) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets the value of the Persistence header field in the MQSeries style message.

#### Parameters

**persistence** an int containing the value to be set in the Persistence field

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

#### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int persistence = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setPersistence(persistence);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

### MQeMQMsgObject setPriority

#### Syntax

```
public void setPriority(int priority) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method sets the value of the Priority header field in the MQSeries style message. It also sets the priority of the message for use within the MQSeries Everyplace system itself.

#### Parameters

**priority** an int containing the value to be set in the Priority field. The value should be between 0 and 9 (inclusive).

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

#### Example

```

try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int priority = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setPriority(priority);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}

```

## MQeMQMsgObject setPutApplicationName

### Syntax

```
public void setPutApplicationName(String putApplicationName) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Put Application Name header field in the MQSeries style message.

### Parameters

#### **putApplicationName**

a String containing the value to be set in the Put Application Name field.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | if there is an error setting the value in the message object |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

```

try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    String putAppName = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setPutApplicationName(putAppName);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}

```

## MQeMQMsgObject setPutApplicationType

### Syntax

```
public void setPutApplicationType(int putApplicationType) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Put Application Type header field in the MQSeries style message.

### Parameters

#### **putApplicationType**

an int containing the value to be set in the Put Application Type field

### Return values

none

## MQeMQMsgObject

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int putAppltype = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setPutApplicationType(putApplType);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setPutDateTime

### Syntax

```
public void setPutDateTime(GregorianCalendar calendar) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Put Date Time header field in the MQSeries style message. A GregorianCalendar object is used to specify the date and time, for consistency with the MQSeries Java Client.

### Parameters

**calendar** a GregorianCalendar object containing the value to be set in the Put Date Time field.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    GregorianCalendar calendar = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setPutDateTime(calendar);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setReplyToQueueManagerName

### Syntax

```
public void setReplyToQueueManagerName(String replyToQMName) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the Reply To Queue Manager Name header field in the MQSeries style message.

### Parameters

**replyToQMName**

a String containing the value to be set in the Reply To Queue Manager Name field.

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

**Example**

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    String replyToQMName = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setReplyToQueueManagerName(replyToQMName);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

**MQeMQMsgObject setReplyToQueueName****Syntax**

```
public void setReplyToQueueName(String replyToQueueName) throws Exception
```

**Description**

This method sets the value of the Reply To Queue Name header field in the MQSeries style message.

**Parameters****replyToQueueName**

a String containing the value to be set in the Reply To Queue Name field.

**Return values**

none

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

**Example**

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    String replyToQueueName = [];
    mqeMsgObj.setReplyToQueueName(replyToQueueName);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

**MQeMQMsgObject setReport****Syntax**

```
public void setReport(int report) throws Exception
```

## MQeMQMsgObject

### Description

This method sets the value of the Report header field in the MQSeries style message.

### Parameters

**report** an int containing the value to be set in the Report field

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    int report = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setReport(report);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

## MQeMQMsgObject setUserId

### Syntax

```
public void setUserId(String userId) throws Exception
```

### Description

This method sets the value of the User Id header field in the MQSeries style message.

### Parameters

**userId** a String containing the value to be set in the User Id field

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** if there is an error setting the value in the message object

### Example

```
try
{
    MQeMQMsgObject mqeMsgObj = new MQeMQMsgObject();
    String userId = ...;
    mqeMsgObj.setUserId(userId);
    ...
}
catch (Exception e)
{
    ...
}
```

---

## Chapter 8. Classes in com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge

This section contains detailed information about the following MQSeries Everyplace classes and interfaces:

Table 18. Classes in package com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge

| Class or Interface name            | Purpose  |
|------------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQeCharacteristicLabels</b>     | Groups together all the <i>labels</i> used in any MQeFields object used in the bridge code                 |
| <b>MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg</b> | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeClientConnection object.                 |
| <b>MQeListenerAdminMsg</b>         | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeListener object.                         |
| <b>MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg</b>         | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeBridge object.                           |
| <b>MQeMQBridgeQueue</b>            | This queue is used as the interface to the MQS bridge  |
| <b>MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg</b>    | Used to administer an MQBridge queue   |
| <b>MQeMQBridges</b>                | Loads and maintains all bridge objects associated with a given MQe server"                                 |
| <b>MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg</b>        | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeBridges object.                          |
| <b>MQeMQMgrProxyAdminMsg</b>       | Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeQMgrProxy object.                        |
| <b>MQeRunState</b>                 | Holds the <i>run state</i> of an administered object   |
| <b>MQeTransformerInterface</b>     | All classes that can transform MQMessages to MQeMsgObjects (and vice versa) must conform to this interface |

### Licence warning

The use of any of the classes in com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge requires a **gateway (server)** licence.

### MQeCharacteristicLabels

This class groups together all the *labels* used in any **MQeFields** object used in the bridge code.

These labels are used by administration messages, and by the administered object runtime characteristics, and persistent registry entry objects.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**

This class extends **Object**

### Constants and variables

MQeCharacteristicLabels provides the following constants and variables :

#### **MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_ADMINISTERED\_OBJECT\_CLASS**

##### **Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_ADMINISTERED_OBJECT_CLASS
```

##### **Description**

Used by all administered object registry entries. Indicates the class that should be loaded when you want to instantiate the administered object.

##### **Example**

```
String adminClass = fields.getUnicode(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_ADMINISTERED_OBJECT_CLASS);
```

#### **MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_AFFECT\_CHILDREN**

##### **Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_AFFECT_CHILDREN
```

##### **Description**

Used to control whether a start or delete action affects child objects when applied to an administered object.

##### **Example**

```
myFields.putBoolean(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_AFFECT_CHILDREN, true );
```

#### **MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_BRIDGE\_NAME**

##### **Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_BRIDGE_NAME
```

##### **Description**

##### **Example**

```
myFields.putUnicode(MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_BRIDGE_NAME,  
    "MQBridgeV100");
```

#### **MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_CCSID**

##### **Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_CCSID
```

**Description**

The label for the field holding the CCSID used on the underlying MQSeries Java client channel.

**Example**

```
fields.putInt( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_CCSD , 819 );
```

**MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_CHILD****Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_CHILD
```

**Description**

The label of the MQSeries Everyplace field that holds the name of the child of an administered object

**Example**

```
String childName = myFields.getUnicode(
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_CHILD );
```

**MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_CHILDREN****Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_CHILDREN
```

**Description**

The label associated with the children of the MQSeries Everyplace field. The value of the field holds a list of proxy object names

**Example**

```
MQeFields[] children = bridgesDetails.getFieldsArray(
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_CHILDREN );
```

**MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_CLIENT\_CONNECTION\_NAME****Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_CLIENT_CONNECTION_NAME
```

**Description**

Label for the MQSeries Everyplace field that holds the name of the client connection that the administration message is being sent to.

**Example**

```
fields.putUnicode(
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_CLIENT_CONNECTION_NAME,
    "SYSTEM.DEF.SVRCONN");
```

**MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_DEAD\_LETTER\_Q\_NAME****Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_DEAD_LETTER_Q_NAME
```

**Description**

Label for the field holding the name of the dead letter queue on the MQSeries system.

**Example**

```
fields.putUnicode(
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_DEAD_LETTER_Q_NAME,
    "MQE.DLQ" );
```

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### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_DEFAULT\_TRANSFORMER

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_DEFAULT_TRANSFORMER
```

#### Description

Label holding the name of the MQSeries Everyplace field that holds the name of the default transformer class that is used to convert from MQSeries Everyplace to MQSeries and from MQSeries to MQSeries Everyplace message formats. This value is used if no transformer is specified on the target queue definition.

#### Example

```
fields.putUnicode(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_DEFAULT_TRANSFORMER,  
    "com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge.MQeBaseTransformer");
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_FLOWS\_PER\_COMMIT

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_FLOWS_PER_COMMIT
```

#### Description

Label indicating how many times through the listener flows the listener is allowed to go before the sync queue on the MQSeries system is cleaned up. This is only relevant when the listener is using the MQSeries sync queue as it's state store.

#### Example

```
fields.putInt(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_FLOWS_PER_COMMIT , 100 );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_HEARTBEAT\_INTERVAL

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_HEARTBEAT_INTERVAL
```

#### Description

The label holding the value of the time interval (in units of 1minute) that dictates the period of each "heartbeat" event coming from the **MQeHeart** class. This affects the accuracy of any timer mechanisms in the bridge, as these all use the heartbeat as a "tick" of their timer.

#### Example

```
fields.putInt(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_HEARTBEAT_INTERVAL, 5);
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_HOST\_NAME

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_HOST_NAME
```

#### Description

MQSeries Everyplace field label for the hostname field.

#### Example

```
// Using an IP address  
fields.putUnicode(MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_HOST_NAME,  
    "127.0.0.1");  
// Using a host in the default domain
```

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```
fields.putUnicode(MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_HOST_NAME,
    "lizzie");
// Using a fully qualified hostname
fields.putUnicode(MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_HOST_NAME,
    "daytona2.hursley.ibm.com");
// Using the MQSeries Java Bindings on localhost
fields.putUnicode(MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_HOST_NAME,
    "");
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_LISTENER\_NAME

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_LISTENER_NAME
```

#### Description

Label for the field holding the MQSeries transmission queue listener name (the name of the transmit queue on MQSeries).

#### Example

```
fields.putUnicode( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_LISTENER_NAME,
    "MQE.XMITQ" );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_LISTENER\_STATE\_STORE\_ADAPTER

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_LISTENER_STATE_STORE_ADAPTER
```

#### Description

Label holding the name of the MQSeries Everyplace field that holds the name of the adapter class used by the listener to store its state.

#### Example

```
fields.putUnicode(
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_LISTENER_STATE_STORE_ADAPTER,
    "com.ibm.mqe.adapters.MQeDiskFieldsAdapter" );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_MAX\_CONNECTION\_IDLE\_TIME

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_MAX_CONNECTION_IDLE_TIME
```

#### Description

The label for the field holding the maximum time value that an MQSeries client connection is kept open if it is idle. Connections that are idle for more than this time are closed by the bridge.

#### Example

```
fields.putInt(
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_MAX_CONNECTION_IDLE_TIME , 5 );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_MQ\_BRIDGE\_ADAPTER\_CLASS

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_MQ_BRIDGE_ADAPTER_CLASS
```

#### Description

The label for the field holding the name of the bridge adapter class. The bridge adapter is a Java class that allows messages sent to an MQSeries bridge queue to be moved to the MQSeries system.

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### Example

```
fields.putUnicode(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_MQ_BRIDGE_ADAPTER_CLASS,  
    "com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge.MQeMQAdapter" );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_MQ\_Q\_MGR\_PROXY\_NAME

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_MQ_Q_MGR_PROXY_NAME
```

#### Description

Label of the MQSeries Everyplace field holding the name of the MQSeries queue manager proxy object.

#### Example

```
String name = myFields.getUnicode(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_MQ_Q_MGR_PROXY_NAME);
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_NAME

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_NAME
```

#### Description

Label holding the name of the MQSeries Everyplace field that holds the name of the bridge, proxy, client connection, or listener.

#### Example

```
String fieldName = myFields.getUnicode(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_NAME );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_PASSWORD

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_PASSWORD
```

#### Description

Label holding the password used with the userid when the bridge talks to MQSeries .

#### Example

```
fields.putUnicode(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_PASSWORD, "chocolate" );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_PORT

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_PORT
```

#### Description

Label for the MQSeries Everyplace field that holds the port number of the MQSeries channel listener

#### Example

```
fields.putInt( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_PORT , 1414 );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_RECEIVE\_EXIT

#### Syntax

```
Public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_RECEIVE_EXIT
```

**Description**

Label for the field holding the receive exit used on the underlying MQSeries Java client channel.

**Example**

```
fields.putUnicode( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_RECEIVE_EXIT,
    "my.ReceiveExit" );
```

**MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_RUN\_STATE****Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_RUN_STATE
```

**Description**

The label of the MQSeries Everyplace field that holds the snapshot of the current state of the administered object.

**Example**

```
fields.putInt( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_RUN_STATE,
    MQeRunState.RUN_STATE_RUNNING );
```

**MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_SECONDS\_WAIT\_FOR\_MSG****Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SECONDS_WAIT_FOR_MSG
```

**Description**

Label for the field holding the seconds that the MQSeries transmission queue listener uses in the MQSeries Java client GetMessage(wait) method. (For development use only).

**Example**

```
fields.putInt(
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SECONDS_WAIT_FOR_MSG, 10 );
```

**MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_SECURITY\_EXIT****Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SECURITY_EXIT
```

**Description**

Label for the field holding the security exit used on the underlying MQSeries Java client channel.

**Example**

```
fields.putUnicode( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SECURITY_EXIT,
    "my.SecurityExit" );
```

**MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_SEND\_EXIT****Syntax**

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SEND_EXIT
```

**Description**

Label for the field holding the send exit used on the underlying MQSeries Java client channel.

**Example**

```
fields.putUnicode( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SEND_EXIT,
    "my.SendExit" );
```

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### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_STARTUP\_RULE\_CLASS

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_STARTUP_RULE_CLASS
```

#### Description

Used by all the administered object registry entries. Indicates the class that should be used to decide whether or not the administered object is started up when it is loaded

#### Example

```
String ruleClass = fields.getUnicode(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_STARTUP_RULE_CLASS);
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_SYNC\_Q\_NAME

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SYNC_Q_NAME
```

#### Description

MQSeries Everyplace field label for the SyncQName field. Used to keep track of the state of progress through the assured delivery flows.

#### Example

```
fields.putUnicode( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SYNC_Q_NAME,  
    "SYNC.Q" );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_SYNC\_Q\_PURGE\_INTERVAL

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SYNC_Q_PURGE_INTERVAL
```

#### Description

The time interval between successive purges of the sync queue

#### Example

```
fields.putInt(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SYNC_Q_PURGE_INTERVAL , 60 );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_SYNC\_Q\_PURGER\_RULES\_CLASS

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SYNC_Q_PURGER_RULES_CLASS
```

#### Description

MQSeries Everyplace field label for the SyncQPurgerRulesClass field

#### Example

```
fields.putUnicode(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_SYNC_Q_PURGER_RULES_CLASS,  
    "com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge.MQeSyncQueuePurgerRule" );
```

### MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_TRANSFORMER

#### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_TRANSFORMER
```

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### Description

Label indicating which transformer class should be used to convert the MQSeries message to an MQSeries Everyplace message before it is dispatched to the MQSeries Everyplace network.

### Example

```
fields.putUnicode( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_TRANSFORMER,  
                  "com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge.MQeBaseTransformer" );
```

## MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_UNDELIVERED\_MESSAGE\_RULE\_CLASS

### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_UNDELIVERED_MESSAGE_RULE_CLASS
```

### Description

Label for the field holding the Java class name of the rule to use when the message cannot be delivered to its destination.

### Example

```
fields.putUnicode(  
    MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_UNDELIVERED_MESSAGE_RULE_CLASS,  
    "com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge.MQeUndeliveredMessageRule" );
```

## MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_USER\_ID

### Syntax

```
public static final String MQE_FIELD_LABEL_USER_ID
```

### Description

Label for the userid assumed by the bridge when talking to MQSeries

### Example

```
fields.putUnicode( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_USER_ID, "mqm" );
```

## MQeCharacteristicLabels

### Syntax

```
public MQeCharacteristicLabels()
```

### Description

Creates an MQeCharacteristicLabels object

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

none

### Example

### MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg

This is a special type of MQSeries Everyplace message that is used to encapsulate an administration command. The message is created by the application that is doing the administration.

The logic performed on the target MQSeries Everyplace system is also in this class.

The administration queue invokes the performAction method.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**

This class extends **MQeMQQMgrProxyAdminMsg**

### Constants and variables

MQeQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided by **MQeMQQMgrProxyAdminMsg**:

### Constructor summary

| Constructor                        | Purpose   |
|------------------------------------|---|
| <b>MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg</b> | Creates and initializes an MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg. |

### Method summary

| Method                         | Purpose  |
|--------------------------------|--|
| <b>characteristics</b>         | Creates an MQSeries Everyplace fields object containing all the MQe fields required for an administration message of this type.  |
| <b>getClientConnectionName</b> | Gets the client connection name from the administered object.  |
| <b>getName</b>                 | Gets the name of the object to be administered.  |
| <b>putClientConnectionName</b> | Puts the client connection name in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object.   |
| <b>setName</b>                 | Puts the name information in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQe fields administration message object and also sets the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager that is associated with this bridge. |

### MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg

#### Syntax

1. `public MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg() throws Exception`
2. `public MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg(String bridgeName, String nameOfMQMgrProxy, String clientConnectionName, boolean affectChildren) throws Exception`

#### Description

There are two constructors:

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1. This version creates and initializes a default MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg
2. This version includes fields that are needed to initialize the administration message. It does not include the action that the administration message will hold

### Parameters

- bridgeName** A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.
- nameOfMQMgrProxy** A String containing the name of the proxy to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.
- clientConnectionName** A String containing the name of the client connection to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.
- affectChildren** A boolean flag indicating whether or not this administration message affects all the children. This is only applicable if the action is **start** or **delete**.

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

Fails if any of the parameters contain invalid characters

### Example

```
MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg msg ;
msg = new MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg( "ExampleQM.MQBridgeV100"
    , "MQA"
    , "MQ.to.ExampleQM"
    , false
    );
```

## MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg characteristics

### Syntax

```
public MQeFields characteristics() throws Exception
```

### Description

Creates an **MQeFields** object containing all the fields required for an administration message of this type.

Overrides **characteristics** in class **MQeMQMgrProxyAdminMsg** .

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An **MQeFields** object containing the characteristics of the resource. The complete set of field names and types for the resource can be determined from the resulting fields object.

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** If the **MQeFields** object cannot be created

### Example

## MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg

```
MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg msg;  
msg = new MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg( "ExampleQM.MQBridgeV100",  
                                       "MQA",  
                                       "MQ.to.ExampleQM",  
                                       false);  
MQeFields cconAdminCharacteristics = msg.characteristics();
```

## MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg getClientConnectionName

### Syntax

```
public String getClientConnectionName() throws Exception
```

### Description

Gets the client connection name from the administered object. This method can be issued against an MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg or one of its descendants.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

The name of the client connection to which this administration message is to be sent.

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | If the name has not been set in this administration message, or if the name that has been set is invalid |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

```
MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg msg;  
msg = new MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg( "ExampleQM.MQBridgeV100",  
                                       "MQA",  
                                       "MQ.to.ExampleQM",  
                                       false);  
String cconName = msg.getClientConnectionName();
```

## MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg getName

### Syntax

```
public String getName()
```

### Description

Gets the name of the client connection that is to be administered. In this case it's the name of the client connection that has been set by the setName or putClientConnectionName methods. When issued against an object of this class it is identical to getClientConnectionName().

Overrides **getName** in class **MQeMQQMGrProxyAdminMsg**.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String containing the name of the administered object we want to create, or *null* if the name is not set.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

## MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg

```
MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg msg;  
msg = new MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg( "ExampleQM.MQBridgeV100",  
                                       "MQA",  
                                       "MQ.to.ExampleQM",  
                                       false);  
  
String cconName = msg.getName();
```

## MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg putClientConnectionName

### Syntax

```
public void putClientConnectionName(String clientConnectionName)  
                                   throws Exception
```

### Description

This is used to add the MQSeries queue manager name to the administration message. It puts the client connection name in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object.

### Parameters

#### **clientConnectionName**

A String containing the name of the client connection to which the administration message is directed. This string is validated using the `validateName()` method to make sure it contains only legal characters.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

#### **java.lang.Exception**

If there are any invalid characters in the name parameters

### Example

```
MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg msg = new MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg();  
msg.setName( "ExampleQM.MQBridgeV100" ,  
            "MQA" ,  
            "MQ.to.ExampleQM" );
```

## MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg setName

### Syntax

```
public void setName(String bridgeName,  
                   String mqQMGrProxyName,  
                   String clientConnectionName) throws Exception
```

### Description

Puts the name information in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object and also sets the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager that is associated with this bridge.

### Parameters

**bridgeName** A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

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### mqQMgrProxyName

A String containing the name of the proxy to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

### clientConnectionName

A String containing the name of the client connection to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

#### java.lang.Exception

If there are any invalid characters in the name parameters.

### Example

```
MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg msg = new MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg();
msg.setName( "ExampleQM.MQBridgeV100" ,
            "MQA" ,
            "MQ.to.ExampleQM" )
```

## MQeListenerAdminMsg

This is a special type of MQSeries Everyplace message used to encapsulate an administration command. The message is created by the application that is doing the administration.

The logic performed on the target MQSeries Everyplace system is also in this class.

The administration queue invokes the `performAction` method.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**

This class extends **MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor                | Purpose   |
|----------------------------|---|
| <b>MQeListenerAdminMsg</b> | Creates and initializes an MQeListenerAdminMsg. |

### Method summary

| Method                 | Purpose  |
|------------------------|--|
| <b>characteristics</b> | Creates an MQSeries Everyplace fields object containing all the MQe fields required for an administration message of this type.  |
| <b>getListenerName</b> | Gets the listener name from the administered object.   |
| <b>getName</b>         | Gets the name of the administered object to be created.  |
| <b>putListenerName</b> | Puts the listener name in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object.  |
| <b>setName</b>         | Puts the name information in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQe fields administration message object and also sets the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager that is associated with this bridge. |

## MQeListenerAdminMsg

### Syntax

1. `public MQeListenerAdminMsg() throws Exception`
2. `public MQeListenerAdminMsg(String bridge, String MQMGrProxy, String clientConnection, String listener, boolean affectChildren) throws Exception`

### Description

There are two constructors.

1. This version creates and initializes a default MQeListenerAdminMsg
2. This version includes the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager name, the name of the bridge, the name of the proxy, the name of the client connection, and the name of the listener

### Parameters

**bridge**        A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

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### MQQMgrProxy

A String containing the name of the MQS queue manager that owns the transmission queue that the listener is set up to read from. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

### clientConnection

A String containing the name of the client connection used to talk to the MQS queue manager. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

### listener

A string containing the name of the listener. This matches the name of the transmission queue on MQS to which the listener "listens", for messages to be ready to move to the MQSeries Everyplace network.

### affectChildren

A boolean flag indicating whether or not this administration message affects the children of the listener.

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

Fails if any of the parameters contain invalid characters

### Example

```
MQeListenerAdminMsg msg = new MQeListenerAdminMsg( "MQBridgeV100",
                                                    "lizzieQM",
                                                    "svrconn",
                                                    "MQE.XMITQ",
                                                    true);
```

## MQeListenerAdminMsg characteristics

### Syntax

```
public MQeFields characteristics() throws Exception
```

### Description

Creates an MQSeries Everyplace fields object containing all the MQSeries Everyplace fields required for an administration message of this type.

Returns a fields object containing the characteristics of the resource. The complete set of field names and types for the resource can be determined from the resulting fields object.

Overrides **characteristics** in class **MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg**.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An **MQeFields** object containing the characteristics of the resource.

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**

If the **MQeFields** object cannot be created

### Example

```
MQeListenerAdminMsg msg = new MQeListenerAdminMsg( "MQBridgeV100",
                                                    "lizzieQM",
                                                    "svrconn",
                                                    "MQE.XMITQ",
                                                    true );

MQeFields characteristics = msg.characteristics();
```

## MQeListenerAdminMsg getListenerName

### Syntax

```
public String getListenerName() throws Exception
```

### Description

Gets the listener name from the administered object.

Can be issued only against an MQeListenerAdminMsg object.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

The name of the listener.

### Exceptions

#### java.lang.Exception

If the name has not been set in this administration message, or if the name that has been set is invalid

### Example

```
MQeListenerAdminMsg msg = new MQeListenerAdminMsg( "MQBridgeV100",
                                                    "lizzieQM",
                                                    "svrconn",
                                                    "MQE.XMITQ",
                                                    true);

String listenerName = msg.getListenerName();
```

## MQeListenerAdminMsg getName

### Syntax

```
public String getName()
```

### Description

Gets the name of the client connection that is to be administered.

When issued against an object of this class it is identical to getListenerName().

Overrides `getName` in class `MQeClientConnectionAdminMsg`.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

A String containing the name of the administered object to be created, or *null* if the name is not set.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
MQeListenerAdminMsg msg = new MQeListenerAdminMsg( "MQBridgeV100",
                                                    "lizzieQM",
                                                    "svrconn",
                                                    "MQE.XMITQ",
                                                    true);

String listenerName = msg.getName();
```

## MQeListenerAdminMsg

### MQeListenerAdminMsg putListenerName

#### Syntax

```
public void putListenerName(String listener) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Used to add the MQS Queue Manager name to the administration message. Puts the listener name in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object.

This method is used by the source of the administration message.

#### Parameters

**listener** A string containing the name of the listener. This matches the name of the transmission queue on MQS to which the listener "listens", for messages to be ready to move to the MQSeries Everyplace network.

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** If there are any invalid characters in the name parameters.

#### Example

```
MQeListenerAdminMsg msg = new MQeListenerAdminMsg();  
msg.putListenerName("MQE.XMITQ");
```

### MQeListenerAdminMsg setName

#### Syntax

```
public void setName(String bridge,  
                    String mqMgrProxy,  
                    String clientConnection  
                    String listener) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Puts the name information in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object and also sets the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager that is associated with this bridge.

This method is used by the source of the administration message.

#### Parameters

**bridge** A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

#### MQMgrProxy

A String containing the name of the MQS queue manager that owns the transmission queue the listener is set up to read from. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

#### clientConnection

A String containing the name of the client connection used to talk to the MQSeries queue manager. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

**listener** A string containing the name of the listener. This matches

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the name of the transmission queue on MQSeries to which the listener "listens", for messages to be ready to move to the MQSeries Everyplace network.

### **Return values**

none

### **Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception**

If there are any invalid characters in the name parameters.

### **Example**

```
MQeListenerAdminMsg msg = new MQeListenerAdminMsg();  
msg.setName("MQBridgeV100", "lizzieQM", "svrconn", "MQE.XMITQ");
```

### MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg

This is a special type of MQSeries Everyplace message that is used to encapsulate an administration command. The message is created by the application that is doing the administration.

The logic performed on the target MQSeries Everyplace system is also in this class.

The administration queue invokes the performAction method.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**

This class extends **MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg**

### Constants and variables

MQeQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided by **MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg**:

**DEFAULT\_MQBRIDGE\_NAME**  
public static final String DEFAULT\_MQBRIDGE\_NAME

### Constructor summary

| Constructor         | Purpose                                       |
|---------------------|---|
| MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg | Creates and initializes an MQeBridgeAdminMsg. |

### Method summary

| Method                 | Purpose  |
|------------------------|--|
| <b>characteristics</b> | Creates an MQSeries Everyplace fields object containing all the MQSeries Everyplace fields required for an administration message of this type.  |
| <b>create</b>          | Causes this administration message to be a "create" message.   |
| <b>delete</b>          | Causes this administration message to be a "delete" message.   |
| <b>getBridgeName</b>   | Gets the bridge name from the administered object.   |
| <b>getName</b>         | Gets the name of the administered object to be created.  |
| <b>putBridgeName</b>   | Puts the bridge connection name in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object.   |
| <b>setName</b>         | Puts the name information in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object and also sets the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager that is associated with this bridge. |

### MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg

#### Syntax

1. public MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg() throws Exception
2. public MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg(String bridgeName, boolean affectChildren) throws Exception

**Description**

There are two constructors.

1. This version creates and initializes a default MQeBridgeAdminMsg
2. This version includes the name of the bridge and a flag to determine whether children should be affected by the administration commands

**Parameters**

- bridge** A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.
- affectChildren** A boolean flag indicating whether or not this administration message affects the children of the listener.

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions**

- java.lang.Exception** If any of the parameters contain invalid characters

**Example**

1. MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg();
2. public MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg(java.lang.String bridge, boolean affectChildren) Exception

**MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg characteristics****Syntax**

```
public MQeFields characteristics() throws Exception
```

**Description**

Creates an MQSeries Everyplace fields object containing all the MQSeries Everyplace fields required for an administration message of this type.

Returns a fields object containing the characteristics of the resource. The complete set of field names and types for the resource can be determined from the resulting fields object.

Overrides **characteristics** in class **MQeBridgesAdminMsg** .

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

An MQeFields object containing the characteristics of the resource.

**Exceptions**

- java.lang.Exception** If the **MQeFields** object cannot be created.

**Example**

```
MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg("MQBridgeV100", true);
MQeFields bridgeCharacteristics = msg.characteristics();
```

**MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg create****Syntax**

```
public void create(MQeFields parms) throws Exception
```

**Description**

## MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg

Used by the source of the administration message.

Causes this administration message to be a "create" message. When the target MQSeries Everyplace system processes this message, it creates an MQSeries queue manager entry.

Overrides **create** in class **MQeAdminMsg**.

### Parameters

**parms** Any extra parameters you want to add to the message, or *null*.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** If the **MQeFields** object cannot be created

### Example

```
// Form a message that will create a new MQBridge.  
MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg();  
msg.create( new MQeFields() );
```

## MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg getBridgeName

### Syntax

```
public String getBridgeName() throws Exception
```

### Description

Gets the bridge name from the administered object.

Can be issued against an MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg or one of its descendants.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

The name of the bridge.

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** If the name has not been set in this administration message, or if the name that has been set is invalid

### Example

```
MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg("MQBridgeV100", true);  
String bridgeName = msg.getBridgeName();
```

## MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg getName

### Syntax

```
public String getName()
```

### Description

Gets the name of the bridge that is to be administered. When issued against an object of this class it is identical to `getBridgeName()`.

Overrides `getName` in class `MQeBridgesAdminMsg`.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

A String containing the name of the administered object to be created, or *null* if the name is not set.

#### Exceptions

none

#### Example

```
MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg("MQBridgeV100", true);
String bridgeName = msg.getName();
```

## MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg delete

#### Syntax

1. `public void delete(MQeFields parms, boolean affectChildren) throws Exception`
2. `public void delete(MQeFields parms) throws Exception`

#### Description

There are two versions of this method:

1. This version is used by the source of the administration message and it causes this administration message to be a "delete" message. When the target MQSeries Everyplace system processes this message, it finds the specified bridge object, and deletes it. This operation is inherited by the other bridge object types.
2. This version is equivalent to `delete((MQeFields) parms, false)`. When the target MQSeries Everyplace system processes this message, it finds the specified bridge object, and deletes it. This operation is inherited by the other bridge object types.

Overrides `delete` in class `MQeAdminMsg`

#### Parameters

- parms** Any extra parameters you want to add to the message, or *null*.
- affectChildren** A boolean flag indicating whether or not this administration message affects the children of the listener.

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

- java.lang.Exception** If the delete fails

#### Example

1. // Form a message that will delete an MQBridge and its children.  

```
MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg();
msg.delete( new MQeFields(), true );
```
2. // Form a message that will delete an MQBridge.  

```
MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg();
msg.delete( new MQeFields() );
```

## MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg

### MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg putBridgeName

#### Syntax

```
public void putBridgeName(String bridge) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Used by the source of the administration message to add the MQSeries queue manager name to the administration message.

Puts the bridge name in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object.

#### Parameters

**bridge** A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** If there are any invalid characters in the name parameters

#### Example

```
MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg();  
msg.putBridgeName("MQBridgeV100");
```

### MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg setName

#### Syntax

```
public void setName(String bridge) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Used by the source of the administration message to add the bridge name to the administration message.

Puts the name information in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object and also sets the name of the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager that is associated with this bridge.

Overrides **setName** in class **MQAdminMsg**

#### Parameters

**bridge** A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** If there are any invalid characters in the name parameters

#### Example

```
MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg();  
msg.setName("MQBridgeV100");
```

## MQeMQBridgeQueue

This queue is used as the interface to the MQSeries bridge and is passed into the user-written "transformer" code.

The transformer is responsible for conversion from MQSeries Everyplace to MQSeries message formats, and vice-versa, but a reference to the MQeMQBridgeQueue class is passed to the transformer code only when the message is moving from MQSeries Everyplace to MQSeries.

The class holds details that the user-written transformer class implementation may wish to use when performing a transform operation on the message data.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**

This class extends **MQeRemoteQueue**

### Method summary

| Method                     | Purpose  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>getMQQMgr</b>           | Gets the name of the MQS queue manager that is used to convey messages onto the MQS network. |
| <b>getQueueAttribute</b>   | Gets the attribute attached to the bridge queue.   |
| <b>getQueueManagerName</b> | Gets the owning queue manager name.  |
| <b>getQueueName</b>        | Gets the name of the bridge queue.   |
| <b>getRemoteQName</b>      | Gets the name of the queue on MQS where the message is put after it has been transformed.    |

### MQeMQBridgeQueue getMQQMgr

#### Syntax

```
public String getMQQMgr() throws Exception
```

#### Description

Gets the name of the MQSeries queue manager that is used to convey messages onto the MQSeries network.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return Values

A String containing the name of the MQSeries queue manager which will be used to convey queue messages onto the MQSeries network..

If the administrator specified "" or a *null* in the MQBridge queue parameter, the value returned by this string matches that returned by the **getQueueManagerName()** method.

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**        If the name get fails, or if the name is invalid.

#### Example

```
String mqQMgrName = transformersBridgeQueue.getMQQMgr();
```

## MQeMQBridgeQueue

### MQeMQBridgeQueue getQueueAttribute

#### Syntax

```
public MQeAttribute getQueueAttribute() throws Exception
```

#### Description

Gets the attribute attached to the MQbridge queue.

Overrides **getQueueAttribute** in class **MQeQueue**

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

An **MQeAttribute** object containing the attribute the bridge queue is configured with.

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                      If the get fails

#### Example

```
MQeAttribute attribute = transformersBridgeQueue.getQueueAttribute();
```

### MQeMQBridgeQueue getQueueManagerName

#### Syntax

```
public String getQueueManagerName() throws Exception
```

#### Description

Gets the name of the owning MQSeries queue manager.

Overrides **getQueueManagerName** in class **MQeQueue**.

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

A String containing the name of the owning queue manager.

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                      If the get fails or the name is invalid

#### Example

```
String qMgrName = transformersBridgeQueue.getQueueManagerName();
```

### MQeMQBridgeQueue getQueueName

#### Syntax

```
public String getQueueName() throws Exception
```

#### Description

Gets the name of the bridge queue as it is known on MQSeries Everyplace.

Overrides **getQueueName** in class **MQeQueue** .

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

A string containing the name of the bridge queue.

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                      If the get fails or the name is invalid

**Example**

```
String mqQName = transformersBridgeQueue.getQueueName();
```

## **MQeMQBridgeQueue getRemoteQName**

**Syntax**

```
public String getRemoteQName() throws Exception
```

**Description**

Gets the name of the queue on MQS that the message is put to after it has been transformed.

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

A String containing the string contents of the remote queue name configuration information that was specified when the queue was configured by the administrator.

If the remote queue name is blank or *null*, then the value returned is the queue name of the MQSeries bridge queue itself.

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception**                      If the get fails or the name is invalid

**Example**

```
String remoteQName = transformersBridgeQueue.getRemoteQName();
```

### MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg

Used to administer an MQBridge queue.

*Package*            `com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge`

This class extends `MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg`

### Constants and variables

MQeQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables :

#### **Queue\_BridgeName**

Constant used when dumping this queue's details to the registry. The MQeField holds the name of the bridge.

```
public static final String Queue_BridgeName
```

#### **Queue\_ClientConnection**

Constant used when dumping this queue's details to the registry. The MQeField holds the name of the client connection.

```
public static final String Queue_ClientConnection
```

#### **Queue\_MaxIdleTime**

The name of the MaxIdleTime config parameter field that indicates how long an MQSeries bridge queue is allowed to keep an idle connection, before the connection is returned to the connection pool.

```
public static final String Queue_MaxIdleTime[]
```

#### **Queue\_MQMgr**

Constant used when dumping this queue's details to the registry. The MQeField holds the name of the MQS Queue Manager.

```
public static final String Queue_MQMgr
```

#### **Queue\_RemoteQName**

Constant used when dumping this queue's details to the registry. The MQeField holds the remote queue name.

```
public static final String Queue_MQMgr
```

#### **Queue\_Transformer**

The name of the transformer to use when converting an MQSeries Everyplace message into an MQS message.

```
public static final String Queue_Transformer
```

### Queue characteristics

**Name** The name of the queue.

For an MQBridge queue it is the name by which the MQSeries queue is known on the MQSeries Everyplace system. (Ascii)

This characteristic is mandatory.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Admin\_Name

#### **QMgrName**

As described in the `com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg` class.

For an MQSeries bridge queue, this should hold the name of the MQSeries queue manager on which the queue is located locally, not necessarily the queue manager to which the bridge has a direct connection.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_QMgrName

**Active****CreationDate**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_CreationDate

**Description**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_Description

**Expiry** As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

The Message expiry time.

This value is available to the transformer of the message, so the transformer can use it to set the message expiry time of the MQSeries message that is sent to the MQSeries system.

A value of less than 1 means "never expire".

The transformer (being user customized) may choose not to use this information.

The MQSeries Everyplace message may itself contain an expiry time which over-rides this value also.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_Expiry

**MaxMsgSize**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

The Maximum message length is an optional field. It is NOT used by the base MQBridge code at all, but is available to the rules class to decide whether the message should be sent to the MQSeries queue or not.

Checking is not performed to make sure this value is the same as that specified by the MQSeries queue this MQBridge queue refers to. For example, the rule may use this value to prevent messages over a certain length being sent to MQ, even though the MQSeries queue could accept bigger messages.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_MaxMsgSize

**Mode Type**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_Mode

**Note:** The Cryptor, Authenticator and compressor characteristics (below) define a set of queue attributes that dictate the level of security for any message being passed to this queue. From the point in MQSeries Everyplace where the message is sent initially, to the point where the message is passed to the MQBridge queue, the message is protected with at least the specified level of security, enforced by MQe. These values are NOT applicable when the MQBridge queue passes the message to the MQSeries system. The security, send and receive exits specified on the client connection configuration object

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on the bridge are used to protect the message as it passes to MQ. There is no checking that the link between the MQBridge queue and the MQSeries system is at least as secure as the security attributes specified in the Cryptor, Authenticator and compressor classes here.

### **AttrRule**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_AttrRule

### **Authenticator**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_Authenticator

### **Compressor**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_Compressor

### **Cryptor**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_Cryptor

### **TargetRegistry**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_TargetRegistry

### **Rule**

As described in the com.ibm.mqe.administration.MQeQueueAdminMsg class.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_Rule

### **Bridge Name**

The MQBridge is the name of the MQSeries bridge that should be used to convey MQSeries Everyplace messages onto the MQSeries network. (Ascii)

This field is mandatory.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_BridgeName

### **MQSeries Queue Manager Proxy**

The MQSeries queue manager proxy is the name of the MQSeries queue manager proxy in the MQbridge that is used to convey MQSeries Everyplace messages onto the MQSeries network.

This field is mandatory.

(This is the same as the name of the MQSeries queue manager to which the message is initially sent using a client connection).

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_ClientConnection

### **MQSeries Remote Q name**

The remote MQSeries queue name is optional.

It indicates the name of the queue to which messages are put on the MQSeries queue manager.

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If set to blank or *null*, it indicates that the queue name on the MQSeries queue manager (at the other end of the specified client connection) has the same name as this MQSeries bridge queue definition (so the value is derived from the "Name" field above).

This parameter provides a form of name change to allow two similarly-named queues on two MQSeries queue managers, to have different MQSeries Bridge queue names on the MQSeries Everyplace system.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_RemoteQName

### Transformer class

The Transformer class is the name of the java class used to convert an MQSeries Everyplace message into an MQSeries message, before the MQSeries message is put onto the MQSeries network.

If this parameter is left blank, or is *null*, then the default transformer class for the specified MQSeries bridge (from the MQSeries Bridge field above) is used.

This parameter is optional.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_Transformer

### Return idle connection timeout

The "idle time" parameter indicates the maximum number of minutes that the queue can hold an idle MQSeries connection, before it has to be released back to an idle connection pool maintained by the bridge.

If the queue is unused for a while, the underlying MQSeries connection is released back to a pool where another queue could pick it up, and use it. When the original idle queue has any message activity, it can go to the pool for another (possibly different) connection, to use.

The fact that the MQSeries connections logically underpinning an MQSeries bridge queue may be freed, and re-allocated, is transparent to users of the queue, except that a small time penalty is incurred releasing and getting an idle connection to/from the connection pool.

The idle time is in units of 1 minute.

The timer parameter is directly dependent on the granularity of the bridge heartbeat parameter.

See bridge object configuration parameters in the *MQSeries Everyplace Programming Guide*.

In the extreme case, specifying an idle time of 0 means "always free a connection to the pool once you have used it". Although this allows a very small number of MQSeries client connection channels to be effectively "shared" between a large number of MQBridge queues (provided they all use the same Bridge/MQProxy/ClientConnection details) it is at the cost of the release-to-pool and acquire-from-pool operations for each message.

A default of 5 minutes is recommended.

*MQeField label:* MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg.Queue\_MaxIdleTime

## Constructor summary

| Constructor              | Purpose   |
|--------------------------|---|
| MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg | Create the administration message to administer the bridge queue. |

## Method summary

| Method          | Purpose   |
|-----------------|---|
| characteristics | Create a fields object containing the valid characteristics of a queue. |

## MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg

### Syntax

1. `public MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg() throws Exception`
2. `public MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg(String bridge, String mqMgrProxy, String clientConnection) throws Exception`

### Description

There are two constructors:

1. This version creates and initializes a default administration message to administer the bridge queue
2. This version includes initial values for the name of the bridge, the name of the proxy, and the name of the client connection

### Parameters

**bridge** A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to null, or "", it is not set.

### MQMgrProxy

A String containing the name of the MQS queue manager that owns the transmission queue the bridge queue is set up to read from. If set to *null* or "", it is not set.

### clientConnection

A String containing the name of the client connection used to talk to the MQSeries queue manager. If set to *null* or "", it is not set.

### maxIdleTimeout

The number of minutes the queue is allowed to keep hold of a connection to the MQSeries system without using it. When the queue has been unused for this duration, the connection is returned to the connection pool. If 0, the connection is returned to the connection pool immediately it has been used.

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

`java.lang.Exception` If the message cannot be created

### Example

1. MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg msg;  
msg = new MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg( );
2. MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg msg;  
msg = new MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg( "MQBridgeV100",  
"lizzieQM",  
"svrconn",  
5 );

### MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg characteristics

#### Syntax

```
public MQeFields characteristics() throws Exception
```

#### Description

Creates a fields object containing the valid characteristics of a queue. The **MQeFields** object contains the valid field names, it does not contain the value of each characteristic. It can be used to determine the name and type of all valid characteristics.

Overrides **characteristics** in class **MQeRemoteQueueAdminMsg** .

#### Parameters

none

#### Return values

An **MQeFields** object containing the characteristics of the queue.

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**                      If the **MQeFields** object cannot be created

#### Example

```
MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg msg;  
msg = new MQeMQBridgeQueueAdminMsg( "MQBridgeV100",  
"lizzieQM",  
"svrconn",  
5 );  
MQeFields adminMsgChars = msg.characteristics();
```

## MQeMQBridges

The bridges class acts as a "loader" for all the bridges. It is the class that is specified as the MQBridge class alias in the ini file and causes an instance of this class to be loaded dynamically by the MQSeries Everyplace server.

The aim of the bridges class is to load bridge objects from the registry into memory and to maintain a list of bridges that are available within the JVM. There is only ever one bridges object in a single JVM.

The server code calls the activate() method just after the constructor() and calls the close() method when the bridges should all be cleanly shut down. Between starting the bridges object and shutting it down, the server must retain a reference to the bridges object to stop it from being garbage-collected.

**Package** com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge

This class extends **MQeAdministeredObject**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor  | Purpose                     |
|--------------|-----------------------------|
| MQeMQBridges | Creates an MQBridges object |

### Method summary

| Method   | Purpose   |
|----------|---|
| activate | Called by the gateway/bridge server just after the constructor to activate the bridges object |
| close    | Closes the bridges object   |

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### Syntax

Syntax: public MQeMQBridges() throws Exception

### Description

Simple constructor.

The gateway server should load this class using the MQSeries Everyplace class loader, and so the constructor is not called directly. The server should then call the activate() method passing in any configuration parameters.

### Parameters

none

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

java.lang.Exception

### Example

```
MQeMQBridges mqBridges = (MQeMQBridges) MQe.loader.loadObject( "MQBridge" );
```

## MQeMQBridges activate

### Syntax

```
public void activate(com.ibm.mqe.MQeFields config) throws Exception
```

### Description

Called by the MQSeries Everyplace server just after the null constructor. Used to pass configuration to the bridges object, so the bridges object can load any bridges specified in the configuration

### Parameters

**config** An MQeFields object that contains the complete contents of the ini file with which the MQSeries Everyplace server was initialized.

Fields=Aliases

...

(ascii)MQBridge=com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge.MQeMQBridges

Fields=ChannelManager

...

Fields=Listener

...

Fields=QueueManager

...

Fields=MQBridge

(ascii)LoadBridgeRule=RuleClass

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**

Fails if the underlying server could not activate the bridges object, or the configuration parameters supplied were invalid.

### Example

```
mqBridges.activate( myConfigFields );
```

## MQeMQBridges close

### Syntax

```
public void close() throws Exception
```

### Description

Closes the bridges objects as cleanly as possible.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**

If the objects could not be shut down cleanly.

### Example

## MQeMQBridges

```
mqBridges.close( );
```

## MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg

Used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeBridges object.

This message is created by the application doing the administration.

The logic performed on the target MQSeries Everyplace system is also in this class.

The administration queue invokes the performAction method.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**

This class extends **MQeAdminMsg**

### Constants and variables

MQeQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those provided by **MQeAdminMsg**:

#### Action\_Start

Operation code for starting an administered object

```
public static final int Action_Start
```

#### Action\_Stop

Operation code for stopping an administered object.

```
public static final int Action_Stop
```

### Constructor summary

| Constructor          | Purpose   |
|----------------------|---|
| MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg | Creates and initializes an MQeBridgesAdminMsg object. |

### Method summary

| Method          | Purpose   |
|-----------------|---|
| characteristics | Creates an MQSeries Everyplace fields object containing all the MQe fields required for an administration message of this type. |
| getName         | Gets the name of the administered object to be created.   |
| start           | Tells the administered object to start.   |
| stop            | Tells the administered object to stop   |

## MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg

#### Syntax

1. `public MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg() throws Exception`
2. `public MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg(boolean affectChildren) throws Exception`

#### Description

There are two constructors:

1. This version creates and initializes a default MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg
2. This version includes a flag to determine whether children should be affected by the administration commands

#### Parameters

## MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg

**affectChildren** A boolean flag indicating whether or not this administration message affects the children of the bridges object.

**true** means it is allowed to affect the children, **false** indicates that the children should not be affected.

Some commands ALWAYS affect the children (Stop for example).

This flag is sometimes transferred into the **MQeEvent** that is sent to the bridges administered object.

### Return Values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** If the **MQeField** holding the **affectChildren** flag cannot be created.

### Example

```
MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg(true);
```

### Related functions

**MQeEvent**

## MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg characteristics

### Syntax

```
public MQeFields characteristics() throws Exception
```

### Description

Creates an MQSeries Everyplace fields object containing all the MQSeries Everyplace fields required for an administration message of this type.

Overrides **characteristics** in class **MQeBridgesAdminMsg** .

### Parameters

none

### Return values

An **MQeFields** object containing the characteristics of the resource.

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** If the **MQeFields** object cannot be created

### Example

```
MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg(true);  
MQeFields theseCharacteristics = msg.characteristics();
```

## MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg getName

### Syntax

```
public String getName()
```

### Description

Returns the name of the administered object we want to create.

Overrides **getName** in class **MQeAdminMsg**

**Parameters**

none

**Return values***null* if the name was not set, otherwise a string.**Exceptions**

none

**Example**

```
MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg(true);
String name = msg.getName();
```

**MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg start****Syntax**

1. `public void start() throws Exception`
2. `public void start(boolean affectChildren) throws Exception`
3. `public void start(MQeFields fields) throws Exception`

**Description**

There are three versions:

1.

This version is used by the source of the administration message and tells the administered object to start. It also tells all its child objects to start.

2.

This version is used by the source of the administration message and tells the administered object to start. It also tells all its child objects to start depending on the value of a parameter.

3.

This version tells the administered object to start and also tells all its child objects to start or not, depending on the value of the **affectChildren** field.

Other bridge related parameters can also be passed in the **MQeFields** object.

**Parameters**

**affectChildren** A boolean that indicates whether the command operation set in this administration message is allowed to affect the children of the bridges object.

**true** means it is allowed to affect the children, **false** indicates that the children should not be affected.

Some commands ALWAYS affect the children (stop for example).

This flag is sometimes transferred into the **MQeEvent** that is sent to the bridges administered object.

**fields**

An **MQeFields** object that contains a set of fields that can contain the bridge name, the **affectChildren** flag, and other bridge related parameters.

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These fields are blindly copied into this administration message ready for transmission. No validation is performed on these field parameters.

If the **affectChildren** flag is present in the fields parameter, it overrides the default value of **true**.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**

If the start action or the **affectChildren** flag, or any of the passed fields cannot be set into MQeFields in this administration message

### Example

1. MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg();  
msg.start();
2. MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg();  
msg.start(true);
3. MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg();  
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields();  
fields.putBoolean( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE\_FIELD\_LABEL\_AFFECT\_CHILDREN,  
true );  
msg.start(fields);

## MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg stop

### Syntax

1. public void stop() throws Exception
2. public void stop(MQeFields fields) throws Exception

### Description

There are two versions:

1.

This version is used by the source of the administration message and tells the administered object to stop. It also tells all its child objects to stop.

2.

This version tells the administered object to stop and also tells all its child objects to stop.

This version accepts a set of fields that can contain the fields that identify which **MQeAdministeredObject** should be stopped.

### Parameters

**fields**

An **MQeFields** object. These fields are copied into the administration message fields, overriding any current field values.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**

If the action cannot be set into this administration message

### Example

## MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg

1. 

```
MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg();  
msg.start();
```
2. 

```
MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQBridgesAdminMsg();  
MQeFields fields = new MQeFields();  
fields.putBoolean( MQeCharacteristicLabels.MQE_FIELD_LABEL_AFFECT_CHILDREN,  
true );  
msg.start(fields);
```

### MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg

This message is created by the application doing the administration and is used to encapsulate an administration command that acts on the MQeMQMGrProxy object.

The logic performed on the target MQSeries Everyplace system is also in this class.

The administration queue invokes the performAction method.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**

This class extends **MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg**

### Constructor summary

| Constructor           | Purpose  |
|-----------------------|--|
| MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg | Creates and initializes an MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg object. |

### Method summary

| Method            | Purpose   |
|-------------------|---|
| characteristics   | Creates an MQSeries Everyplace fields object containing all the MQe fields required for an administration message of this type.       |
| getMQMGrProxyName | Gets the MQS queue manager proxy name from the administered object.   |
| getName           | Gets the name of the administered object to be created.   |
| putMQMGrProxyName | Puts the MQS queue manager proxy name in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object |
| setName           | Puts the name information in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQe fields administration message object                             |

### MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg

#### Syntax

1. public MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg() throws Exception
2. public MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg(String bridge, String MQMGrProxy, boolean affectChildren) throws Exception

#### Description

There are two constructors:

1. This version creates and initializes a default MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg
2. This version includes the MQSeries Everyplace queue manager name, the name of the bridge, and the name of the proxy

#### Parameters

**bridge**        A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

**MQMGrProxy**

A String containing the name of the proxy to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

**affectChildren** A boolean flag indicating whether or not this administration message affects the children of the bridges object.

**true** means it is allowed to affect the children, **false** indicates that the children should not be affected.

**Return Values**

none

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception** If any fields could not be set or if the MQSeries queue manager name is invalid.

**Example**

```
1. MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg();
2. MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg msg;
   msg = new MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg("MQBridgeV100", "lizzieQM");
```

**MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg characteristics****Syntax**

```
public MQeFields characteristics() throws Exception
```

**Description**

Creates an MQSeries Everyplace fields object containing all the MQSeries Everyplace fields required for an administration message of this type.

Returns a fields object containing the characteristics of the resource. The complete set of field names and types for the resource can be determined from the resulting fields object.

Overrides **characteristics** in class **MQeBridgeAdminMsg** .

**Parameters**

none

**Return values**

An MQeFields object containing the characteristics of the resource.

**Exceptions**

**java.lang.Exception** If the **MQeFields** object cannot be created

**Example**

```
MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg msg;
msg = new MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg("MQBridgeV100", "lizzieQM");
MQeFields proxyChars = msg.characteristics();
```

**MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg getMQMGrProxyName****Syntax**

```
public String getMQMGrProxyName() throws Exception
```

**Description**

Gets the MQSeries queue manager proxy name from the administration object.

## MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg

This method also checks the field for validity. It can be issued against an MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg or one of its descendants.

### Parameters

none

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception** If the get fails

### Example

```
MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg msg;  
msg = new MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg("MQBridgeV100", "lizzieQM");  
String proxyName = msg.getMQMGrProxyName();
```

## MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg getName

### Syntax

```
public String getName()
```

### Description

Returns the name of the current administration object. When issued against an object of this class it is identical to getMQMGrProxyName().

Overrides **getName** in class **MQeMQBridgeAdminMsg**

### Parameters

none

### Return values

*null* if the name was not set, a string otherwise.

### Exceptions

none

### Example

```
MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg msg;  
msg = new MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg("MQBridgeV100", "lizzieQM");  
String proxyName = msg.getMName();
```

## MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg putMQMGrProxyName

### Syntax

```
public void putMQMGrProxyName(String mqMGrProxy) throws Exception
```

### Description

Puts the MQSeries queue manager proxy name in an MQSeries Everyplace field in the MQSeries Everyplace fields administration message object.

### Parameters

**mqMGrProxy**

A String containing the name of the proxy to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

## MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg

**java.lang.Exception**

If any fields could not be set or if the MQSeries queue manager name is invalid

### Example

```
MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg();  
msg.putMQMGrProxyName("lizzieQM");
```

## MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg setName

### Syntax

```
public void setName(String bridge,  
                    String mqMGrProxy) throws Exception
```

### Description

Puts the bridge name and proxy name into the administration message object.

### Parameters

**bridge** A String containing the name of the bridge to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

**mqMGrProxy** A String containing the name of the proxy to which the administration message is directed. If set to *null*, or "", it is not set.

### Return values

none

### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**

If any fields could not be set or if the MQSeries queue manager name is invalid.

### Example

```
MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg msg = new MQeMQMGrProxyAdminMsg();  
msg.setName("MQBridgeV100", "lizzieQM");
```

### MQeRunState

A class that holds the "run state" of an administered object, for example whether it's running, stopped, quiescing, or starting.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**

This class extends **MQeBridgeServices**

#### **Constants and variables**

MQeQueueAdminMsg provides the following constants and variables in addition to those supplied by **MQeBridgeServices**:

##### **RUN\_STATE\_RUNNING**

Administered objects have this state when they are active.

```
public static final int RUN_STATE_RUNNING
```

##### **RUN\_STATE\_STOPPED**

Administered objects have this state when they are inactive.

```
public static final int RUN_STATE_STOPPED
```

## MQeTransformerInterface

All classes that transform MQMessages to MQeMsgObjects, and vice versa, must conform to this interface.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.mqbridge**

### Method summary

| Method           | Purpose  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>activate</b>  | Tells the class implementing this interface any parameters that may have been supplied with the transformer definition |
| <b>transform</b> | Converts the given MQMessage into an MQeMsgObject and vice versa.  |

### MQeTransformerInterface activate

#### Syntax

```
public abstract void activate(StringTokenizer params) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Tells the class implementing this interface any parameters that may have been supplied with the transformer definition

#### Parameters

**params**        StringTokenizer containing the transformer definition parameters.

#### Return values

none

#### Exceptions

**java.lang.Exception**        If the parameters are not correct, valid, or if there is a problem initializing the transformer.

### MQeTransformerInterface transform

#### Syntax

1. `public abstract MQeMsgObject transform(MQMessage msg, String remoteQMGrName, String remoteQName) throws Exception`
2. `public abstract MQMessage transform(MQeMsgObject msg, MQeMQBridgeQueue queue, MQPutMessageOptions pmo) throws Exception`

#### Description

There are two versions of this method:

1. This version converts the given MQMsg into an MQeMessageObject
2. This version converts the given MQeMsgObject into an MQMessage

#### Parameters

**msg**            The MQSeries or MQSeries Everyplace message that is to be transformed.

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|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>remoteQMgrName</b> | The name of the destination MQSeries Everyplace queue manager (obtained from the remote queue definition on MQSeries).  |
| <b>remoteQName</b>    | The name of the destination MQSeries Everyplace queue (obtained from the remote queue definition on MQSeries).  |
| <b>msg</b>            | The MQSeries Everyplace message that is to be transformed.  |
| <b>queue</b>          | A reference to the bridge queue that accepted the message   |
| <b>remoteQName</b>    | The name of the destination MQSeries Everyplace queue (obtained from the remote queue definition on MQSeries).  |
| <b>pmo</b>            | A reference to a blank MQPutMessageOptions object that can be modified by the transformer. This parameter enables the user to specify any context options that are needed to put the new MQSeries Everyplace message to MQSeries. |

### Return values

1. The transformed message in the form of an **MQeMsgObject**
2. The transformed message in the form of an **MQMessage**

### Exceptions

|                            |  |
|----------------------------|--|
| <b>java.lang.Exception</b> | If any of the parameters are invalid, if the message is in a format that this transformer does not understand, or if there is a problem when the transformation is taking place. |
|----------------------------|--|

### Example

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## Chapter 9. Classes in com.ibm.mqe.adapters

This section contains detailed information about the following MQSeries Everyplace classes:

*Table 19. Classes in com.ibm.mqe.adapters*

| Class name                    | Purpose  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| <b>MQeDiskFieldsAdapter</b>   | Provides support for reading and writing MQeFields information to a local disk.                        |
| <b>MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter</b> | Provides a non-persistent store for MQeFields information  |
| <b>MQeTcpipAdapter</b>        | Provides support for reading and writing data over TCP/IP streams.                                     |
| <b>MQeTcpipHttpAdapter</b>    | Extends the MQeTcpipAdapter to provide basic support for the HTTP 1.0 protocol.                        |
| <b>MQeTcpipLengthAdapter</b>  | Extends the MQeTcpipAdapter to provide a simple, byte efficient protocol.                              |
| <b>MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter</b> | Extends the MQeTcpipLengthAdapter to provide a more efficient protocol that caches recently used data. |

## MQeDiskFieldsAdapter

### MQeDiskFieldsAdapter

The MQeDiskFieldsAdapter is an adapter that provides support for reading and writing MQeFields information to a local disk. A single instance of this class refers to a single file on disk.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.adapter**

This class is a descendant of **MQeAdapter**

### Method summary

| Method             | Purpose  |
|--------------------|--|
| <b>accept</b>      | Checks the extension of the given string to see if it ends with the currently defined file filter. |
| <b>activate</b>    | Initializes a new MQeDiskFieldsAdapter object.   |
| <b>close</b>       | Closes the current MQeDiskFieldsAdapter object.  |
| <b>control</b>     | Allows the user to set the file filter or to list the files in the current file's folder.          |
| <b>erase</b>       | Removes a file from disk.  |
| <b>open</b>        | Opens a file for use.  |
| <b>readObject</b>  | Reads an MQeFields object from the current file.   |
| <b>status</b>      | Provides information on the currently active settings.   |
| <b>writeObject</b> | Writes an MQeFields object to disk.  |

### MQeDiskFieldsAdapter accept

#### Syntax

```
public boolean accept( File dir, String name )
```

#### Description

Checks the extension of the given string to see if it ends with the currently defined file filter.

#### Parameters

**File dir**            Not used

**String name**        The name of the file to be checked

#### Return Values

**True**            If the named parameter ends with the current filter String.

#### Exceptions

None

#### Example

```
Boolean isText = mydfa.accept(null, ".txt");
```

### MQeDiskFieldsAdapter activate

#### Syntax

```

public void activate( String fileDesc,
                    Object param,
                    Object options,
                    int lrecl,
                    int noRec ) throws Exception

```

**Description**

This method initializes a new MQeDiskFieldsAdapter object. Sets the Quality of Service (QOS) Size parameter to be the size of the file or MQeFields object.

**Parameters****String fileDesc**

The directory path to be opened. Only the path to a file should be specified here. If you want to open a file the name of the file is specified on the open. This value is used in a number of subsequent methods as the *File descriptor*.

**Object options**

A String that specifies the open options:

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_READ**

Reads the file

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_WRITE**

Writes the file

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_UPDATE**

Reads and writes the file

**param** Not used

**lrecl** Not used

**noec** Not used

**Return Values**

None

**Exceptions****MQeException**

If the specified directory hierarchy could not be created dynamically.

**Example**

```
mydfa.activate("./mydir/mysubdir", null, MQe.MQeAdapter_READ, 0, 0);
```

**MQeDiskFieldsAdapter close****Syntax**

```
public void close( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

Closes the current adapter so that it can no longer be read from or written to.

**Parameters**

None

**Return Values**

None

**Exceptions**

None

## MQeDiskFieldsAdapter

### Example

```
mydfa.close(null);
```

## MQeDiskFieldsAdapter control

### Syntax

```
public Object control( Object opt, Object ctrlObj ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Allows the user to set the file filter or to list the files in the current directory.

### Parameters

**Object opt** A String containing one of the following values:  
**MQe\_Adapter\_FILTER**  
Sets the filter to the value of the second parameter

**MQe\_Adapter\_LIST**  
Lists the files

### Object ctrlObj

A String that specifies the filter to use (if MQe\_Adapter\_FILTER is specified). Not used for MQe\_Adapter\_LIST

### Return Values

*null* for MQe\_Adapter\_FILTER, or a String[] list of files in the case of MQe\_Adapter\_LIST.

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
String[] fileList = (String[]) mydfa.control(MQe.MQe_Adapter_LIST,  
null);
```

## MQeDiskFieldsAdapter erase

### Syntax

```
public void erase( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Erases a file from disk. Does not erase directories.

### Parameters

**Object opt** A String that contains the file name to be deleted. Before the name is passed to the operating system's delete routine, the file name is appended to the current value of the *File descriptor*.

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

#### MQeException

If the delete failed, or if the argument supplied referred to a directory or was not a String.

### Example

```
mydfa.erase("myfile.txt");
```

## MQeDiskFieldsAdapter open

### Syntax

```
public void open( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Closes any open files and then opens a file for use.

### Parameters

**Object opt** A String that specifies the filename to be opened. This file should exist in the folder specified on the *File Descriptor* value (supplied on the activate call).

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
mydfa.open("myfile.txt");
```

## MQeDiskFieldsAdapter readObject

### Syntax

```
public synchronized Object readObject( Object opt ) throws Exception {
```

### Description

Reads an MQeFields object from the current file.

### Parameters

**Object opt** An MQeFields object that can be used to provide a filter within the directory object. Otherwise *null*.

### Return Values

The MQeFields object that was read.

### Exceptions

#### MQeException

If no file matching the filter was found, or if the file is not open for reading.

### Example

```
MQeFields myFields = (MQeFields) mydfa.readObject(null);
```

## MQeDiskFieldsAdapter status

### Syntax

```
public String status( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Provides details of the current settings.

### Parameters

**Object opt** A String containing one of the following values:

#### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_FILTER

Gets the name of the currently active filter

#### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_FILENAME

Gets the name of the currently active file.

## MQeDiskFieldsAdapter

### Return Values

A String containing either the name of the filter or the name of the file.

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
String filename = (String) mydfa.status(MQe.MQe_Adapter_FILENAME);
```

## MQeDiskFieldsAdapter writeObject

### Syntax

```
public synchronized void writeObject(Object opt, Object data)  
    throws Exception
```

### Description

Writes an MQeFields object to disk.

### Parameters

**Object opt** Not used

**Object data** An MQeFields object to dump to disk

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

#### MQeException

If an invalid data argument was supplied, or if the file was not opened for writing.

### Example

```
mydfa.writeObject(null, myMQeFields);
```

## MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter

The MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter is an adapter that provides support for reading and writing MQeFields information to memory. This adapter behaves in a similar fashion to the MQeDiskFieldsAdapter, except that the directory structure is actually an internal hash table.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.adapter**

This class is a descendant of **MQeAdapter**

### Method summary

| Method             | Purpose   |
|--------------------|---|
| <b>activate</b>    | Initializes a new MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter object.                |
| <b>close</b>       | Closes the current MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter object.               |
| <b>control</b>     | Allows the user to list the files in the current file's folder. |
| <b>erase</b>       | Removes a file from memory.                                     |
| <b>open</b>        | Opens a file for use.   |
| <b>readObject</b>  | Reads an MQeFields object from the current file.                |
| <b>status</b>      | Provides information on the current settings.                   |
| <b>writeObject</b> | Writes an MQeFields object to memory.                           |

### MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter activate

#### Syntax

```
public void activate( String fileDesc,
                    Object param,
                    Object options,
                    int lrecl,
                    int noRec ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method initializes a new MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter object.

#### Parameters

##### String fileDesc

The directory path to be opened. Only the path to a file should be specified here. If you want to open a file the name of the file is specified on the open. This value is used in a number of subsequent methods as the *File descriptor*.

##### Object options

A String that specifies the open options:

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_READ**

Reads the file

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_WRITE**

Writes the file

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_UPDATE**

Reads and writes the file

**param**        Not used

**lrecl**        Not used



```
String[]] fileList = (String[]]) mydfa.control(MQe.MQe_Adapter_LIST,
null);
```

## MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter erase

### Syntax

```
public void erase( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Erases a file from memory. Does not erase directories.

### Parameters

**Object opt** A String that contains the file name to be deleted. Before the name is passed to the hash tables remove routine, the file name is appended to the current value of the *File descriptor*.

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

#### MQeException

If the argument supplied referred to a directory or was not a String.

### Example

```
mydfa.erase("myfile.txt");
```

## MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter open

### Syntax

```
public void open( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Closes any open files and then opens a file for use.

### Parameters

**Object opt** A String that specifies the filename to be opened. This file should exist in the folder specified on the *File Descriptor* value (supplied on the activate call).

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
mymfa.open("myfile.txt");
```

## MQeMemoryFieldsAdapter readObject

### Syntax

```
public synchronized Object readObject( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Reads an MQeFields object from the current file.

### Parameters



## MQeTcpipAdapter

The MQeTcpipAdapter is an adapter that provides support for reading and writing data over TCP/IP streams.

This adapter cannot be used to connect two MQSeries Everyplace applications, as it does not provide a protocol for the exchange of data. Various adapters that inherit from this class provide some possible protocols . MQeTcpipLengthAdapter, and MQeTcpipHttpAdapter, for example.

An instance of this class can be used to either listen for incoming TCP/IP connections, or connect to an existing listener. It is not possible for a single MQeTcpipAdapter object to do both.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.adapter**

This class is a descendant of **MQeAdapter**

### Method summary

| Method          | Purpose   |
|-----------------|---|
| <b>activate</b> | Initializes a new MQeTcpipAdapter object.                 |
| <b>close</b>    | Closes the current MQeTcpipAdapter object.                |
| <b>control</b>  | Sets or gets information on the current adapter instance. |
| <b>open</b>     | Opens a socket for use.                                   |
| <b>read</b>     | Reads bytes from the underlying TCP/IP stream.            |
| <b>readln</b>   | Reads a line of data from the underlying TCP/IP stream.   |
| <b>status</b>   | Returns information on the adapter.                       |
| <b>write</b>    | Writes bytes to the underlying TCP/IP stream.             |
| <b>writeln</b>  | Writes a line of data to the underlying TCP/IP stream.    |

### MQeTcpipAdapter activate

#### Syntax

```
public void activate( String fileDesc,
                    Object param,
                    Object options,
                    int lrecl,
                    int noRec ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

This method initializes a new MQeTcpipAdapter object. While the MQeTcpipAdapter is not intended for use by MQSeries Everyplace applications, this method should be called inside the activate method of all the adapters that extend this class.

#### Parameters

##### String fileDesc

The String that represents this adapter. ("Network:1.2.3.4:8081" for example.)

**Object param** The parameters is given to the created adapter when an ACCEPT is issued.

## MQeTcpipAdapter

### Object options

A String that specifies the open options:

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_LISTEN**

Creates a listening socket

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_ACCEPT**

Accepts a connection

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_LOCALHOST**

Returns the local host address

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_NETWORK**

Returns the network type ( TCPIP )

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_PERSIST**

Copies the persistent object on the accept call

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_QOSINPUTS**

Returns valid Quality of Service (QOS) names

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_SETSOCKET**

Reserved

For example, to configure a TCP/IP-based adapter to perform listening operations, specify MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_LISTEN for this parameter.

**int lrecl**

Specifies the TCP/IP block size. If the value supplied is less than zero the default of 4096 is used.

**int norec**

The time-out value of the socket in milliseconds.

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
super.activate(fileDesc, param, options, lrecl,  
noRec);
```

## MQeTcpipAdapter close

### Syntax

```
public void close( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Closes the current adapter so that it can no longer be read from or written to.

### Parameters

**Object opt**

A String that contains MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_FINAL, if this is the last close for this adapter. If the adapter was opened with the MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_PERSIST option set, close has no effect unless the MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_FINAL option is included on the close method call.

### Return Values

None

**Exceptions**

None

**Example**

```
super.close(null);
```

**MQeTcpipAdapter control****Syntax**

```
public Object control( Object opt, Object ctrlObj ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

Sets or gets information on the current adapter instance.

**Parameters**

**Object opt** An object, supplied as a String that may contain any of the following:

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_ACCEPT**

Waits for and accepts a connection (listening sockets)

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_SETSOCKET**

Uses the supplied socket object

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_PULSE**

Starts a timer pulse thread

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_QOSINPUTS -**

Returns a list of Quality of Service (QOS) input parameters

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**Object ctrlObj**

For MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_ACCEPT, this is a String representation of the *file descriptor* of the connecting adapter ( "HTTP:1.2.3.4..." for example). For MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_SETSOCKET, this is the socket that should be used.

**Return Values**

For MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_ACCEPT, this is the adapter object that was created as a result of a connection request. Otherwise *null*, or an object that wrappers the information that was requested.

**Exceptions****MQeException**

If the parameter object was not correct for the given option.

**Example**

```
super.control(opt, ctrlObj);
```

**MQeTcpipAdapter open****Syntax**

```
public void open( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

**Description**

Opens a socket for use. If this is a listening adapter then a new server socket is created. Otherwise a new socket is created.

## MQeTcpipAdapter

### Parameters

**Object opt** Not used

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
super.open(null);
```

## MQeTcpipAdapter read

### Syntax

```
public byte[] read( Object opt, int recordSize )  
throws Exception
```

### Description

Reads bytes from the underlying TCP/IP stream

### Parameters

**Object opt** Not used

**int recordSize** The maximum buffer size to read in one go. If this parameter is less than or equal to zero, then the Size parameter from the Quality of Service (QOS) object is used as a default.

### Return Values

The data in a byte array of up to the number of bytes specified. The block may be an array of less than the requested number of bytes.

### Exceptions

#### EOFException

If no more data is available.

### Example

```
byte[] results = super.read(null, 4096);
```

## MQeTcpipAdapter readln

### Syntax

```
public String readln( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Reads a line of text from the underlying TCP/IP stream

### Parameters

**Object opt** Not used

### Return Values

A String containing the line that was read.

### Exceptions

#### EOFException

If no more data is available.

### Example

```
String results = super.readln(null);
```

## MQeTcpipAdapter status

### Syntax

```
public String status( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Provides details of the current settings.

### Parameters

**Object opt** A string containing one of the following:

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_NETWORK**

Gets the type of network in use

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_LOCALHOST**

Gets the name of the local host

### Return Values

The literal 'TCPIP' for MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_NETWORK or the name of the local machine for MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_LOCALHOST.

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
String netType = (String) super.status(MQe.MQe_Adapter_NETWORK);
```

## MQeTcpipAdapter write

### Syntax

```
public void write( Object opt, int recordSize, byte data[] )
                throws Exception
```

### Description

Writes the given array of bytes to the TCP/IP output stream.

### Parameters

**Object opt** A string containing the options to be used on the write. Currently only MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_FLUSH is supported. This means flush the data currently in the buffers.

**int recordSize** The number of bytes to write.

**byte[] data** The data to be written.

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
super.write(MQe.MQe_Adapter_FLUSH, 4096, myByteArray);
```

## MQeTcpipAdapter writeln

### Syntax

```
public void writeln( Object opt, String data ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Writes the given String to the output stream, followed by a new-line character.

## MQeTcpipAdapter

### Parameters

**Object opt** A String containing the options to be used on the write. Currently only MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_FLUSH is supported. This means flush the data currently in the buffers.

**String data** The data to be written.

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
super.writeln(null, "Hello");
```

## MQeTcpipHttpAdapter

The MQeTcpipHttpAdapter adds support for the HTTP 1.0 protocol to the MQeTcpipAdapter. This enables two MQSeries Everyplace systems to communicate over a TCP/IP network.

This adapter provides read and write calls that attach HTTP headers to data flows on the TCP/IP stream. As HTTP flows are generally permitted through certain ports on a firewall, this allows MQSeries Everyplace data to flow through a firewall and allows access to the World Wide Web.

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.adapter**

This class is a descendant of **MQeTcpipAdapter**. All usual adapter operations that are not listed here use the implementation provided by this super-class.

### Method summary

| Method         | Purpose  |
|----------------|--|
| <b>read</b>    | Reads bytes from the underlying TCP/IP stream.                               |
| <b>readEOF</b> | Reads bytes from the underlying TCP/IP stream, until the end of file marker. |
| <b>readln</b>  | Reads a line of data from the underlying TCP/IP stream.                      |
| <b>write</b>   | Writes bytes to the underlying TCP/IP stream.                                |
| <b>writeln</b> | Writes a line of data to the underlying TCP/IP stream.                       |

### MQeTcpipHttpAdapter read

#### Syntax

```
public byte[] read( Object opt, int recordSize )
                 throws Exception
```

#### Description

Reads bytes from the underlying TCP/IP stream

#### Parameters

**Object opt**        One of the following:

- MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADER**  
Reads the HTTP header information
- MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_CONTENT**  
Reads the data content

**int recordSize**    The maximum buffer size to read in one read operation.

#### Return Values

The data in a byte array of up to the number of bytes specified. The block may be an array of less than the requested number of bytes.

#### Exceptions

**EOFException**  
If no more data is available.

#### Example

## MQeTcpipHttpAdapter

```
|         byte[] results = myHttpAdapter.read  
|         (MQe.MQe_Adapter_HEADER + MQe.MQe_Adapter_CONTENT,  
|         4096);
```

### MQeTcpipHttpAdapter readEOF

#### Syntax

```
|         public byte[] readEOF( Object opt ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Reads bytes from the underlying TCP/IP stream, until the end of file marker. Equivalent to MQeTcpipHttpAdapter.read(opt, -1)

#### Parameters

**Object opt** One of the following:

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADER**

Reads the HTTP header information

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_CONTENT**

Reads the data content

#### Return Values

The data in a byte array of up to the number of bytes specified. The block may be an array of less than the requested number of bytes.

#### Exceptions

**EOFException**

If no more data is available.

#### Example

```
|         byte[] results = myHttpAdapter.readEOF(MQe.MQe_Adapter_HEADER);
```

### MQeTcpipHttpAdapter readLn

#### Syntax

```
|         public byte[] readLn( Object opt ) throws Exception {
```

#### Description

Reads a line from the underlying TCP/IP stream

#### Parameters

**Object opt** One of the following:

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADER**

Returns HTTP header information

**NULL.**

Returns the next line from the input stream

#### Return Values

A String containing the line that was read.

#### Exceptions

**EOFException**

If no more data is available.

#### Example

```
|         String top = myHttpAdapter.readLn(MQe.MQe_Adapter_HEADER);
```

## MQeTcpipHttpAdapter write

### Syntax

```
public void write( Object opt, int recordSize, byte data[] )
                throws Exception
```

### Description

Writes the given array of bytes to the TCP/IP output stream. Once written, the data stream is flushed to prevent unwanted data being left on the sender.

### Parameters

**Object opt** One of the following:

#### **MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADER**

Tells the adapter to attach header information (as a POST request)

#### **MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADERSP**

Tells the adapter to attach an HTTP response to the data (200 OK)

**int recordSize** The number of bytes to write.

**byte[] data** The data to be written.

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
myHttpAdapter.write(MQe.MQe_Adapter_HEADER, 4096,
                    myByteArray);
```

## MQeTcpipHttpAdapter writeln

### Syntax

```
public void writeln( Object opt, String data ) throws Exception
```

### Description

Writes the given String to the output stream. Once written, the data stream is flushed to prevent unwanted data being left on the sender.

### Parameters

**Object opt** One of the following:

#### **MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADER**

Tells the adapter to attach header information (as a GET request)

#### **MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADERSP**

Tells the adapter to attach an HTTP response to the data (200 OK)

**String data** The data to be written.

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

## MQeTcpipHttpAdapter

### Example

```
|  
|  
| myHttpAdapter.writeln(MQe.MQe_Adapter_HEADER,  
| "Hello");  
|  
|
```

## MQeTcpipLengthAdapter

The MQeTcpipLengthAdapter adds a simple protocol to the MQeTcpipAdapter that enables two MQSeries Everyplace systems to communicate over a TCP/IP network.

This adapter overrides the read and write calls from MQeTcpipAdapter to attach a header of between one and three bytes to each data flow. This header indicates the length of the following data. Using this protocol a flow of up to 1,073,741,823 bytes (230 – 1) is possible.

*Package*        **com.ibm.mqe.adapter**

This class is a descendant of **MQeTcpipAdapter**. All usual adapter operations that are not listed here use the implementation provided by this super-class.

### Method summary

| Method       | Purpose  |
|--------------|--|
| <b>read</b>  | Reads bytes from the underlying TCP/IP stream. |
| <b>write</b> | Writes bytes to the underlying TCP/IP stream.  |

### MQeTcpipLengthAdapter read

#### Syntax

```
public byte[] read( Object opt, int recordSize )
    throws Exception {
```

#### Description

Reads bytes from the underlying TCP/IP stream

#### Parameters

**Object opt**

**MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADER**

Reads the header (data length) information

**int recordSize** The maximum buffer size to read in one read operation.

#### Return Values

The data in a byte array of up to the number of bytes specified. The block may be an array of less than the requested number of bytes.

#### Exceptions

**EOFException**

If no more data is available.

#### Example

```
byte[] results = myLengthAdapter.read(MQe.MQe_Adapter_HEADER, 4096);
```

### MQeTcpipLengthAdapter write

#### Syntax

```
public void write( Object opt, int recordSize, byte data[] )
    throws Exception
```

## MQeTcpiLengthAdapter

### Description

Writes the given array of bytes to the TCP/IP output stream. Once written, the data stream is flushed to prevent unwanted data being left on the sender.

### Parameters

#### Object opt

#### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADER

A String that sets the header (data length) information

**int recordSize** The number of bytes to write.

**byte[] data** The data to be written.

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
myLengthAdapter.write(MQe.MQe_Adapter_HEADER, 4096, myByteArray);
```

## MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter

The MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter provides an extra protocol layer on top of MQeTcpipLengthAdapter that supports persistent socket connections and the ability to encode recently used data in a shortened form. This makes the MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter a highly efficient communications mechanism in terms of general packet size.

Care needs to be exercised if channel level encryption or compression is used with the history encoding option, as it is possible for the sending and receiving adapters to contain different history data, (if the encryption keys change, for example).

*Package*            **com.ibm.mqe.adapter**

This class is a descendant of **MQeTcpipLengthAdapte**. All usual adapter operations that are not listed here use the implementation provided by this super-class.

### Method summary

| Method          | Purpose  |
|-----------------|--|
| <b>activate</b> | Initializes a new MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter object. |
| <b>close</b>    | Closes an MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter object.         |

### MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter activate

#### Syntax

```
public void activate( String fileDesc,
                    Object param,
                    Object options,
                    int lrecl,
                    int noRec ) throws Exception
```

#### Description

Initializes a new MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter object

#### Parameters

##### String fileDesc

The String that represents this adapter ( "Network:1.2.3.4:8081" for example).

##### Object param

The parameters to be given to the created adapter when an ACCEPT is issued.

##### Object options

A String that specifies the open options:

##### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_LISTEN

Creates a listening socket

##### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_ACCEPT

Accepts a connection

MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_LOCALHOST. Returns the local host address

##### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_NETWORK

Returns network type ( TCPIP)

## MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter

### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_PERSIST

Copies the persistent object on the accept call

### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_QOSINPUTS

Returns valid Quality of Service (QOS) names

### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_SETSOCKET

Reserved

### MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter.MQe\_Adapter\_HISTORY

Use history functionality

For example, to configure a history adapter to use persistence and history improvements specify MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_PERSIST + MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter.MQe\_Adapter\_HISTORY here. This is equivalent to the string "<PERSIST><HISTORY>".

**int irecl**

Specifies the TCP/IP block size. If the value supplied is less than zero the default of 4096 is used.

**int noRec**

The time-out value of the socket in milliseconds

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
myHistoryAdapter.activate("Network:localhost:8081", null,  
    MQe.MQe_Adapter_PERSIST +  
    MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter.MQe_Adapter_HISTORY,  
    4096, 300000);
```

## MQeTcpipHistoryAdapter close

### Syntax

```
public void close( Object opt ) throws Exception {
```

### Description

Closes the current adapter, so that it can no longer be read from or written to.

### Parameters

**Object opt**

### MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_HEADER

A String that contains MQe.MQe\_Adapter\_FINAL if this is the last close for this adapter. This causes any history buffers to be emptied.

### Return Values

None

### Exceptions

None

### Example

```
myHistoryAdapter.close(MQe.MQe_Adapter_FINAL);
```

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## **Part 2. Exceptions and return codes**



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## Chapter 10. Exceptions

This chapter contains details of the exceptions that can be thrown by MQSeries Everywhere. The exceptions are listed in numerical order, and are then listed alphabetically with detailed explanations.

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### Ordered numerically

- 000 – Except\_UnCoded
- 001 – Except\_Debug
- 002 – Except\_NotSupported
- 003 – Except\_Syntax
- 004 – Except\_Type
- 005 – Except\_Command
- 006 – Except\_NotFound
- 007 – Except\_Data
- 008 – Except\_BadRequest
- 009 – Except\_Stopped
- 010 – Except\_Closed
- 011 – Except\_Duplicate
- 012 – Except\_NotAllowed
- 013 – Except\_Rule
- 014 – Except\_Timeout
- 017 – Except\_InvalidHandle
- 018 – Except\_AllocationFail
- 020 – Except\_Chnl\_Attributes
- 022 – Except\_Chnl\_Destination
- 023 – Except\_Chnl\_Limit
- 024 – Except\_Chnl\_ID
- 025 – Except\_Chnl\_Overrun
- 040 – Except\_Trnsport\_QMgr
- 041 – Except\_Trnsport\_Request
- 100 – Except\_QMgr\_NotActive
- 101 – Except\_QMgr\_InvalidQMgrName
- 102 – Except\_QMgr\_Activated
- 103 – Except\_QMgr\_AlreadyExists
- 104 – Except\_QMgr\_InvalidQName
- 105 – Except\_QMgr\_QExists
- 106 – Except\_QMgr\_UknownQMgr
- 107 – Except\_QMgr\_QNotEmpty
- 108 – Except\_QMgr\_QDoesNotExist
- 109 – Except\_QMgr\_QInUse
- 110 – Except\_QMgr\_WrongQtype
- 111 – Except\_QMgr\_InvalidChannel

- | • 112 – Except\_QMgr\_SecureMsgDecodeFailed
- | • 113 – Except\_QMgr\_NotConfigured
- | • 114 – Except\_QMgr\_Busy
- | • 120 – Except\_Q\_NoMsg\_Available
- | • 121 – Except\_Q\_NoMatchingMsg
- | • 124 – Except\_Q\_InvalidPriority
- | • 125 – Except\_Q\_Full
- | • 126 – Except\_Q\_MsgTooLarge
- | • 127 – Except\_Q\_NotActive
- | • 128 – Except\_Q\_Active
- | • 129 – Except\_Q\_InvalidName
- | • 130 – Except\_Q\_TargetRegistryRequired
- | • 180 – Except\_Uncontactable\_DontTransmit
- | • 201 – Except\_RasDialFailed
- | • 202 – Except\_RasGetProjectionInfoFailed
- | • 203 – Except\_RasHangupFailed
- | • 210 – Except\_Connect\_AdapterNotActive
- | • 211 – Except\_Connect\_InvalidDefinition
- | • 230 – Except\_Con\_AlreadyExists
- | • 231 – Except\_Con\_AliasAlreadyExists
- | • 232 – Except\_Con\_AdapterRequired
- | • 233 – Except\_Con\_InvalidName
- | • 301 – Except\_Reg\_NullName
- | • 302 – Except\_Reg\_AlreadyExists
- | • 303 – Except\_Reg\_DoesNotExist
- | • 304 – Except\_Reg\_OpenFailed
- | • 305 – Except\_Reg\_InvalidSession
- | • 306 – Except\_Reg\_NotDefined
- | • 309 – Except\_Reg\_AddFailed
- | • 310 – Except\_Reg\_DeleteFailed
- | • 311 – Except\_Reg\_ReadFailed
- | • 312 – Except\_Reg\_UpdateFailed
- | • 313 – Except\_Reg\_ListFailed
- | • 314 – Except\_Reg\_SearchFailed
- | • 315 – Except\_Reg\_RenameFailed
- | • 316 – Except\_Reg\_ResetPINFailed
- | • 317 – Except\_Reg\_CRTKeyDecFailed
- | • 318 – Except\_Reg\_CRTKeySignFailed
- | • 319 – Except\_Reg\_DeleteRegistryFailed
- | • 320 – Except\_Reg\_AlreadyOpen
- | • 321 – Except\_Reg\_NotSecure
- | • 350 – Except\_PrivateReg\_BadPIN
- | • 351 – Except\_PrivateReg\_ActivateFailed
- | • 352 – Except\_PrivateReg\_NotOpen
- | • 360 – Except\_MiniCertreg\_BadPIN

- | • 361 – Except\_MiniCertreg\_ActivateFailed
- | • 362 – Except\_MiniCertreg\_NotOpen
- | • 370 – Except\_PublicReg\_ActivateFailed
- | • 371 – Except\_PublicReg\_InvalidRequest
- | • 400 – Except\_Admin\_NotAdminMsg
- | • 401 – Except\_Admin\_ActionNotSupported
- | • 402 – Except\_Admin\_InvalidField
- | • 500 – Except\_Authenticate
- | • 501 – Except\_S\_Cipher
- | • 502 – Except\_S\_InvalidSignature
- | • 503 – Except\_S\_CertificateExpired
- | • 504 – Except\_S\_InvalidAttribute
- | • 505 – Except\_S\_MiniCertNotAvailable
- | • 506 – Except\_S\_RegistryNotAvailable
- | • 507 – Except\_S\_BadIntegrity
- | • 508 – Except\_S\_NoPresetKeyAvailable
- | • 509 – Except\_S\_MissingSection
- | • 600 – Except\_Generic\_MQ\_Error
- | • 601 – Except\_MQ\_QMgr\_Not\_Available
- | • 602 – Except\_Characteristic\_Unknown
- | • 603 – Except\_Characteristic\_Read\_Only\_Violation
- | • 604 – Except\_Bridge\_Not\_On\_PreLoad\_List
- | • 605 – Except\_Registry\_Update\_Failed
- | • 606 – Except\_Characteristic\_Not\_Found\_In\_Input
- | • 607 – Except\_Field\_Type\_Mismatch
- | • 608 – Except\_Invalid\_Registry\_Entry\_Name
- | • 609 – Except\_Not\_Transmission\_Queue
- | • 610 – Except\_Bridge\_Internal\_Error
- | • 611 – Except\_MQ\_QMgr\_InvalidName
- | • 612 – Except\_MQ\_Q\_InvalidName
- | • 613 – Except\_Lost\_MQ\_Q\_Handle
- | • 614 – Except\_Resource\_Not\_Found
- | • 615 – Except\_Transformation\_Error
- | • 616 – Except\_Parent\_Not\_Running
- | • 617 – Except\_Invalid\_Run\_State
- | • 618 – Except\_Could\_Not\_Delete\_Myself
- | • 619 – Except\_Listener\_State\_Error
- | • 620 – Except\_Invalid\_Characteristic
- | • 621 – Except\_Delete\_Children\_First
- | • 622 – Except\_InvalidName
- | • 623 – Except\_Class\_Not\_MQeRules
- | • 624 – Except\_Adapter\_Not\_Found
- | • 625 – Except\_Object\_Not\_Started
- | • 626 – Except\_ShutDown\_Children\_First
- | • 627 – Except\_Invalid\_Reg\_Type

- 628 – Except\_Invalid\_Return\_Type
- 629 – Except\_Message\_Undelivered
- 630 – Except\_Bridges\_Already\_Loaded
- 631 – Except\_No\_Transformer\_Found
- 632 – Except\_Lost\_MQ\_Connection
- 633 – Except\_Client\_Con\_Not\_Available
- 634 – Except\_Exit\_Class\_Init\_Error

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## Ordered alphabetically

- Except\_Adapter\_Not\_Found – 624
- Except\_Admin\_ActionNotSupported – 401
- Except\_Admin\_InvalidField – 402
- Except\_Admin\_NotAdminMsg – 400
- Except\_AllocationFail – 018
- Except\_Authenticate – 500
- Except\_BadRequest – 008
- Except\_Bridge\_Internal\_Error – 610
- Except\_Bridge\_Not\_On\_PreLoad\_List – 604
- Except\_Bridges\_Already\_Loaded – 630
- Except\_Characteristic\_Not\_Found\_In\_Input – 606
- Except\_Characteristic\_Read\_Only\_Violation – 603
- Except\_Characteristic\_Unknown – 602
- Except\_Chnl\_Attributes – 020
- Except\_Chnl\_Destination – 022
- Except\_Chnl\_ID – 024
- Except\_Chnl\_Limit – 023
- Except\_Chnl\_Overrun – 025
- Except\_Class\_Not\_MQeRules – 623
- Except\_Client\_Con\_Not\_Available – 633
- Except\_Closed – 010
- Except\_Command – 005
- Except\_Con\_AdapterRequired – 232
- Except\_Con\_AliasAlreadyExists – 231
- Except\_Con\_AlreadyExists – 230
- Except\_Con\_InvalidName – 233
- Except\_Connect\_AdapterNotActive – 210
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