

# PLT Tools: DrScheme Extension Manual

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# 1. This Manual

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This manual describes DrScheme's tools interface. It assumes familiarity with DrScheme, as described in *PLT DrScheme: Development Environment Manual*, the Framework, as described in *PLT Framework: GUI Application Framework*, MrEd as described in *PLT MrEd: Graphical Toolbox Manual*, and MzScheme as described in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual*.

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## 2. Implementing DrScheme Tools

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Tools are designed for major extensions in DrScheme's functionality. To extend the appearance or the functionality the DrScheme window (say, to annotate programs in certain ways, to add buttons to the DrScheme frame or to add additional languages to DrScheme) use a tool. The Static Debugger, the Syntax Checker, the Stepper, and the teaching languages are all implemented as tools.

Libraries are for extensions of DrScheme that only want to add new functions and other values bound in the users namespace. See the DrScheme manual for more information on constructing libraries.

Tools rely heavily on MzScheme's units. See units, §37 in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual* for information on how to construct units. They also require understanding of libraries and collections, §16 in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual*.

When DrScheme starts up, it looks for tools by reading fields in the **info.ss** file of each top-level collection. DrScheme checks for these fields:

**tools** (*listof* (*listof* *string*[*subcollection-name*]))

**tool-names** (*listof* (*union* #f *string*))

**tool-icons** (*listof* (*union* #f (*cons* *string*[*filename*] (*listof* *string*[*collection-name*]))))

**tool-urls** (*listof* (*union* #f *string*[*url*]))

The *tools* field names a list of tools in this collection. Each tool is specified as a collection path, relative to the collection where the **info.ss** file resides. As an example, if there is only one tool named **tool.ss**, this suffices:

```
(define tools (list (list "tool.ss")))
```

If the *tool-icons* or *tool-names* fields are present, they must be the same length as *tools*. They specify the path to an icon for each tool and the name of each tool. This information shows up in the about box, Help Desk's bug report form, and the icon appears on the splash screen as the tool is loaded at DrScheme's startup.

Each of *tools* files must contain a module that **provides** *tool@*, which must be bound to a **unit/sig**, §37 in *PLT MzLib: Libraries Manual*. The unit must import the **drscheme:tool^** signature, which is provided by the **tool.ss** library in the *drscheme* collection. The **drscheme:tool^** signature contains all of the names listed in this manual. The unit must export the **drscheme:tool-exports^** signature.

The **drscheme:tool-exports^** signature contains two names: *phase1* and *phase2*. These names must be bound to thunks. After all of the tools are loaded, all of the **phase1** functions are called and then all of the **phase2** functions are called. Certain primitives can only be called during the dynamic extent of those calls.

This mechanism is designed to support DrScheme's **drscheme:language:language<%>** extension capabilities. That is, this mechanism enables two tools to cooperate via new capabilities of languages. The first phase is used for adding functionality that each language must support and the second is used for creating

instances of languages. As an example, a tool may require certain specialized language-specific information. It uses `phase1` to extend the `drscheme:language:language<%>` interface and supply a default implementation of the interface extension. Then, other languages that are aware of the extension can supply non-default implementations of the additional functionality.

Phase 1 functions:

- `drscheme:language:extend-language-interface`
- `drscheme:unit:add-to-program-editor-mixin`

Phase 2 functions:

- `drscheme:language-configuration:add-language`
- `drscheme:language:get-default-mixin`
- `drscheme:language:get-language-extensions`

If the tool raises an error as it is loaded, invoked, or as the `phase1` or `phase2` thunks are called, DrScheme catches the error and displays a message box. Then, DrScheme continues to start up, without the tool.

For example, if the `info.ss` file in a collection contains:

```
(module info (lib "infotab.ss" "setup")
  (define name "Tool Name")
  (define tools (list (list "tool.ss"))))
```

then the same collection would be expected to contain a `tool.ss` file. It might contain something like this:

```
(module tool mzscheme
  (require (lib "tool.ss" "drscheme")
           (lib "mred.ss" "mred")
           (lib "unitsig.ss"))

  (provide tool@)

  (define tool@
    (unit/sig drscheme:tool-exports^
      (import drscheme:tool^)
      (define (phase1)
        (message-box "tool example" "phase1"))
      (define (phase2)
        (message-box "tool example" "phase2")))))
```

This tool just opens a window to indicate that it has been loaded.

## 2.1 Adding Languages to DrScheme

### 2.1.1 Adding module-based Languages to DrScheme

If a language can be implemented as a module (see module for details) and the standard language settings are sufficient, simply create an `info.ss` file in the collection where the module is saved. Include these definitions:

**drscheme-language-modules** This must be bound to a list of collection path specifications, one for each language in the collection. Each collection path specification is the quoted form of what might appear as an argument to `require`, using the `lib` argument.

**drscheme-language-positions** This must be bound to a list of language positions. Each language position corresponds to the position of the language in language dialog. Each language position is a list of strings.

**drscheme-language-numbers** This is optional. If present, it must be a list of a list of numbers. Each list corresponds to a single language from this collection. Each number indicates a sorting order in the language dialog for the corresponding string in **drscheme-language-positions**.

**drscheme-language-one-line-summaries** This is optional. If present, it must be a list of strings. Each string is displayed at the bottom of the language dialog when the corresponding language is selected.

**drscheme-language-urls** This is optional. If present, it must be a list whose elements are either strings or `#f`. Clicking the corresponding language's name in the interactions window opens a web browser to the url.

**drscheme-language-readers** This is optional. If present, it must be bound to a quoted list of module specifications (that is, a quoted version of the argument to `require`, except not plain strings). Each specification must be a module that exports a function named `read-syntax`. Each of these `read-syntax` functions must match MzScheme's `read-syntax` primitive's contract, but may read different concrete syntax.

The lists must have the same length.

As an example, the *Essentials of Programming Languages* language specification's **info.ss** looks like this:

```
(module info (lib "infotab.ss" "setup")
  (define name "EoPL Support")
  (define drscheme-language-modules
    (list '("eopl-lang.ss" "eopl")))
  (define drscheme-language-positions
    (list '("Essentials of Programming Languages"))))
```

This **info.ss** file indicates that there is a single language in this collection. The module that implements the language is the **eopl-lang.ss** file in the **eopl** collection. Additionally, the language dialog will contain *Essentials of Programming Languages* as a potential language.

For collections that define multiple (related) languages, if the language-positions contain multiple strings, the languages whose leading strings match are grouped together. That is, if two languages have strings:

```
'("My Text" "First Language")
```

and

```
'("My Text" "Second Language")
```

the two languages will be grouped together in the language dialog.

### 2.1.2 Adding Arbitrary Languages to DrScheme

With some additional work, any language that can be compiled to MzScheme's language is supported by the tools interface, not just those that use standard configurations and `module`.

Each language is a class that implement the `drscheme:language:language<*>` interface. DrScheme also provides two simpler interfaces: `drscheme:language:module-based-language<*>` and `drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language<*>`.

and mixins, §3.2 in *PLT Framework: GUI Application Framework* `drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language->m` and `drscheme:language:module-based-language->language-mixin` that build implementations of `language^s` from these simpler interfaces.

Once you have an implementation of the `drscheme:language:language<%>` interface, call `drscheme:language-configuration` to add the language to DrScheme.

Each language comes with its own type, called `settings`. This can be any type the language designer chooses, but to aid documentation, we call it `settings` here. The settings type is expected to contain parameters of the language, such as case sensitivity, etc. The implementor of the language provides a GUI so the user can configure the settings and all of the language's operations accept a setting. DrScheme maintains the current settings for each language.

### 2.1.3 Language Extensions

Some tools may require additional functionality from the `drscheme:language:language<%>` interface. The `drscheme:language:extend-language-interface` function and the `drscheme:language:get-default-mixin` mixin make this possible.

For example, the MrFlow tool expands programs, analyzes it and then displays sets of values for each program point. These sets of values should be rendered in the syntax of the language that MrFlow analyzes. Since MrFlow doesn't apriori know which languages are available, it can call `drscheme:language:extend-language-interface` to extend the `drscheme:language:language<%>` interface with a method for rendering sets of values and provide a default implementation of that method. Tools that know about MrFlow can then override the value rendering method to provide a language-specific implementation of value rendering. Additionally, since the `drscheme:language:get-default-mixin` adds the default implementation for the value-set rendering method, all languages at least have some form of value-set rendering.

## 2.2 Creating new kinds of DrScheme frames

Each frame in DrScheme has certain menus and functionality, most of which is achieved by using the framework. Additionally, there is one mixin that DrScheme provides to augment that. It is `drscheme:frame:basics-mixin`. Be sure to mix it into any new frame class that you add to DrScheme.

## 2.3 Extending the Existing DrScheme Classes

Each of the names:

- `drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-text`
- `drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-text`
- `drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-canvas`
- `drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-canvas`
- `drscheme:get/extend:extend-unit-frame`

is bound to an extender function. In order to change the behavior of `drscheme`, you can derive new classes from the standard classes for the frame, texts, canvases. Each extender accepts a function as input. The function it accepts must take a class as its argument and return a classes derived from that class as its result. For example:

```
(drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-text
  (lambda (super%
    (class super%
      (public method1)
      (define (method1 x) ...)
      ...)))
```

extends the interactions text class with a method named `rawscmmethod1`.

## 2.4 Expanding the User's Program Text and Breaking

Macro-expanding a program may involve arbitrary computation and requires the setup of the correct language. To aid this, DrScheme's tool interface provides `drscheme:eval:expand-program` to help. Use this method to extract the fully expanded program text in a particular language.

Because expanding the user's program may require DrScheme to evaluate arbitrary code that the user wrote, tools that expand the user's program should also allow the user to break the expansion. To help with this, the tool interfaces provide these methods: `enable-evaluation` and `disable-evaluation`. Since your tool will be expanding the program text, you should be both overriding `enable-evaluation` and `disable-evaluation` to disable your tool and calling them to ensure that only one expansion is happening at a time.

Finally, DrScheme provides the `set-breakables` method. This method controls what behavior the Break button has.

## 3. Tools Reference

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### 3.1 drscheme:debug:profile-definitions-text-mixin

Domain: `drscheme:unit:definitions-text<%>`

Domain: (class->interface `text%`)

Implements: `drscheme:unit:definitions-text<%>`

- (`instantiate` `drscheme:debug:profile-definitions-text-mixin%` () [(`line-spacing` `_`)] [(`tab-stops` `_`)] [(`auto-wrap` `_`)]]) ⇒ `drscheme:debug:profile-definitions-text-mixin%` object
  - `line-spacing` = 1.0 : non-negative real number
  - `tab-stops` = null : list of real numbers
  - `auto-wrap` = #f : boolean

The `line-spacing` argument sets the additional amount of space (in DC units) inserted between each line in the editor when the editor is displayed. This spacing is included in the reported height of each line.

See `set-tabs` for information about `tabstops`.

If `auto-wrap` is true, then auto-wrapping is enabled via `auto-wrap`.

A new `keymap%` object is created for the new editor. See also `get-keymap` and `set-keymap`.

A new `style-list%` object is created for the new editor. See also `get-style-list` and `set-style-list`.

### 3.2 drscheme:debug:profile-interactions-text-mixin

Domain: `drscheme:rep:text<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:rep:text<%>`

### 3.3 drscheme:debug:profile-unit-frame-mixin

Domain: `drscheme:frame:<%>`

Domain: `drscheme:unit:frame<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:frame:<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:unit:frame<%>`

### 3.4 `drscheme:frame:<%>`

Extends: `frame:editor<%>`

Extends: `frame:text-info<%>`

Extends: `drscheme:frame:basics<%>`

#### `add-show-menu-items`

This method is called during the construction of the show menu. This method is intended to be overridden. It is expected to add other Show/Hide menu items to the show menu.

See also `get-show-menu`.

- (`send a-drscheme:frame: add-show-menu-items show-menu`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`show-menu` : (is-a?/c `menu%`)

Does nothing.

#### `get-show-menu`

returns the show menu, for use by the `update-shown` method.

See also `add-show-menu-items`.

- (`send a-drscheme:frame: get-show-menu`)  $\Rightarrow$  (instanceof `menu%`)

#### `not-running`

updates the status pane at the bottom of the window to show that evaluation is not taking place in the user's program.

- (`send a-drscheme:frame: not-running`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

#### `running`

updates the status pane at the bottom of the window to show that evaluation is taking place in the user's program.

- (`send a-drscheme:frame: running`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

**update-shown**

This method is intended to be overridden. It's job is to update the "Show" menu to match the state of the visible windows. In the case of the standard DrScheme window, it change the menu items to reflect the visibility of the definitions and interaction `editor-canvas%`s.

Call this method whenever the state of the show menu might need to change.

- (send *a-drscheme:frame:* update-shown) ⇒ void

Does nothing.

**3.5 drscheme:frame:basics<%>**

Extends: `frame:standard-menus<%>`

This interface is the result of the `drscheme:frame:basics-mixin`

**3.6 drscheme:frame:basics-mixin**

Domain: `frame:standard-menus<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:frame:basics<%>`

Implements: `frame:standard-menus<%>`

Use this mixin to establish some common menu items across various DrScheme windows.

**edit-menu:between-find-and-preferences**

This method is called between the addition of the find menu-item and before the addition of the preferences menu-item to the edit-menu menu. Override it to add additional menus at that point.

- (send *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* edit-menu:between-find-and-preferences) ⇒ void

Adds the "Keybindings" menu item to the edit menu.

**file-menu:between-open-and-revert**

This method is called between the addition of the open menu-item and before the addition of the revert menu-item to the file-menu menu. Override it to add additional menus at that point.

- (send *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* file-menu:between-open-and-revert *file-menu*) ⇒ void  
*file-menu* : (instance `menu%`)

Adds an *Install .plt File...* menu item, which downloads and installs .plt files from the web, or installs them from the local disk.

**file-menu:new-callback**

This method is called when the new menu-item of the file-menu menu is selected.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* **file-menu:new-callback** *item evt*) ⇒ void  
*item* : (instance (derived-from **menu-item%**))  
*evt* : (instance **control-event%**)

Opens a new, empty DrScheme window.

**file-menu:new-string**

The result of this method is the name of this menu.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* **file-menu:new-string**) ⇒ string  
Returns the empty string.

**file-menu:open-callback**

This method is called when the open menu-item of the file-menu menu is selected.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* **file-menu:open-callback** *item evt*) ⇒ void  
*item* : (instance (derived-from **menu-item%**))  
*evt* : (instance **control-event%**)

Calls **handler:edit-file**.

**file-menu:open-string**

The result of this method is the name of this menu.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* **file-menu:open-string**) ⇒ string  
Returns the empty string.

**get-additional-important-urls**

Each string in the result of this method is added as a menu item to DrScheme’s “Related Web Sites” menu item. The first string is the name of the menu item and the second string is a url that, when the menu item is chosen, is sent to the user’s browser.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* **get-additional-important-urls**) ⇒ (listof (list string string))  
Defaultly returns the empty list.

**help-menu:about-callback**

This method is called when the about menu-item of the help-menu menu is selected.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* **help-menu:about-callback** *item evt*) ⇒ void  
*item* : (instance (derived-from **menu-item%**))  
*evt* : (instance **control-event%**)

Opens an about box for DrScheme.

**help-menu:about-string**

The result of this method is the name of this menu.

- (send *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* help-menu:about-string) ⇒ string

Returns the string "DrScheme".

**help-menu:before-about**

This method is called before the addition of the about menu-item to the help-menu menu. Override it to add additional menus at that point.

- (send *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* help-menu:before-about *help-menu*) ⇒ void  
*help-menu* : (instance menu%)

Adds the Help Desk menu item and the Welcome to DrScheme menu item.

**help-menu:create-about?**

The result of this method determines if the corresponding menu-item is created. Override this to control the creation of the menu-item.

- (send *a-drscheme:frame:basics-mixin* help-menu:create-about?) ⇒ boolean

Returns #t.

**3.7 drscheme:frame:mixin**

Domain: `frame:editor<%>`

Domain: `drscheme:frame:basics<%>`

Domain: `frame:text-info<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:frame:<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:frame:basics<%>`

Implements: `frame:text-info<%>`

Implements: `frame:editor<%>`

Provides an implementation of `drscheme:frame:<%>`

### 3.8 drscheme:frame:name-message%

Superclass: `canvas%`

This class implements the little filename button in the top-right hand side of drscheme's frame.

- (make-object drscheme:frame:name-message% parent) ⇒ drscheme:frame:name-message% object  
parent : (instance (implements area-container<%>))

set-message

Sets the names that the button shows.

- (send a-drscheme:frame:name-message set-message name short-name) ⇒ void  
name : (union string #f)  
short-name : string

The string *short-name* is the name that is shown on the button and *name* is shown when the button is clicked on, in a separate window. If *name* is #f, a message indicating that the file hasn't been saved is shown.

### 3.9 drscheme:get/extend:base-definitions-canvas% = drscheme:unit:definitions-canvas%

drscheme:get/extend:base-definitions-canvas% = drscheme:unit:definitions-canvas%

- (instantiate drscheme:get/extend:base-definitions-canvas% () (parent \_) [(editor \_)] [(style \_)] [(scrolls-per-page \_)] [(label \_)] [(wheel-step \_)] [(line-count \_)] [(enabled \_)] [(vert-margin \_)] [(horiz-margin \_)] [(min-width \_)] [(min-height \_)] [(stretchable-width \_)] [(stretchable-height \_)]) ⇒ drscheme:get/extend:base-definitions-canvas% object  
parent : frame%, dialog%, panel%, or pane% object  
editor = #f : text% or pasteboard% object or #f  
style = null : list of symbols in '(no-hscroll no-vscroll hide-hscroll hide-vscroll deleted)  
scrolls-per-page = 100 : exact integer in [1, 10000]  
label = #f : string (up to 200 characters) or #f  
wheel-step = 3 : exact integer in [1, 10000] or #f  
line-count = #f : exact integer in [1, 1000] or #f  
enabled = #t : boolean  
vert-margin = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]  
horiz-margin = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]  
min-width = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]  
min-height = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]  
stretchable-width = #t : boolean  
stretchable-height = #t : boolean

Passes all arguments to super-init.

### 3.10 drscheme:get/extend:base-definitions-text% = (drscheme:debug:profile-definitions-text-mixin drscheme:unit:definitions-text%)

`drscheme:get/extend:base-definitions-text%` = (`drscheme:debug:profile-definitions-text-mixin drscheme:unit:definitions-text%`)

- (`instantiate drscheme:get/extend:base-definitions-text%` () [(`line-spacing` `_`)] [(`tab-stops` `_`)] [(`auto-wrap` `_`)]]) ⇒ `drscheme:get/extend:base-definitions-text%` object
  - `line-spacing` = 1.0 : non-negative real number
  - `tab-stops` = null : list of real numbers
  - `auto-wrap` = #f : boolean

Passes all arguments to `super-init`.

### 3.11 drscheme:get/extend:base-interactions-canvas% = drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas%

`drscheme:get/extend:base-interactions-canvas%` = `drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas%`

- (`instantiate drscheme:get/extend:base-interactions-canvas%` () (`parent` `_`) [(`editor` `_`)] [(`style` `_`)] [(`scrolls-per-page` `_`)] [(`label` `_`)] [(`wheel-step` `_`)] [(`line-count` `_`)] [(`enabled` `_`)] [(`vert-margin` `_`)] [(`horiz-margin` `_`)] [(`min-width` `_`)] [(`min-height` `_`)] [(`stretchable-width` `_`)] [(`stretchable-height` `_`)]]) ⇒ `drscheme:get/extend:base-interactions-canvas%` object
  - `parent` : `frame%`, `dialog%`, `panel%`, or `pane%` object
  - `editor` = #f : `text%` or `pasteboard%` object or #f
  - `style` = null : list of symbols in '(no-hscroll no-vscroll hide-hscroll hide-vscroll deleted)
  - `scrolls-per-page` = 100 : exact integer in [1, 10000]
  - `label` = #f : string (up to 200 characters) or #f
  - `wheel-step` = 3 : exact integer in [1, 10000] or #f
  - `line-count` = #f : exact integer in [1, 1000] or #f
  - `enabled` = #t : boolean
  - `vert-margin` = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]
  - `horiz-margin` = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]
  - `min-width` = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]
  - `min-height` = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]
  - `stretchable-width` = #t : boolean
  - `stretchable-height` = #t : boolean

Passes all arguments to `super-init`.

### 3.12 drscheme:get/extend:base-interactions-text% = (drscheme:debug:profile-interactions-drscheme:rep:text%)

`drscheme:get/extend:base-interactions-text%` = (`drscheme:debug:profile-interactions-text-mixin drscheme:rep:text%`)

- (`instantiate drscheme:get/extend:base-interactions-text%` () (`context` `_`)) ⇒ `drscheme:get/extend:base-interactions-text%` object
  - `context` : (implements `drscheme:rep:context<%>`)

Passes all arguments to `super-init`.

### 3.13 `drscheme:get/extend:base-unit-frame%` = (`drscheme:debug:profile-unit-frame-mixin` `drscheme:unit:frame%`)

`drscheme:get/extend:base-unit-frame%` = (`drscheme:debug:profile-unit-frame-mixin` `drscheme:unit:frame%`)

- (`instantiate` `drscheme:get/extend:base-unit-frame%` () [(`parent` `_`)] [(`width` `_`)] [(`height` `_`)] [(`x` `_`)] [(`y` `_`)] [(`style` `_`)] [(`enabled` `_`)] [(`border` `_`)] [(`spacing` `_`)] [(`alignment` `_`)] [(`min-width` `_`)] [(`min-height` `_`)] [(`stretchable-width` `_`)] [(`stretchable-height` `_`)] (`filename` `_`) ⇒ `drscheme:get/extend:base-unit-frame%` object
  - `parent` = #f : `frame%` object or #f
  - `width` = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
  - `height` = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
  - `x` = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
  - `y` = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
  - `style` = null : list of symbols in '(no-resize-border no-caption no-system-menu mdi-parent mdi-child)
  - `enabled` = #t : boolean
  - `border` = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]
  - `spacing` = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]
  - `alignment` = '(center top) : two-element list: 'left, 'center, or 'right and 'top, 'center, or 'bottom
  - `min-width` = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]
  - `min-height` = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]
  - `stretchable-width` = #t : boolean
  - `stretchable-height` = #t : boolean
  - `filename` : string?

Passes all arguments to `super-init`.

### 3.14 `drscheme:language:language<%>`

Implementations of this interface are languages that DrScheme supports.

See §2.1 for an overview of adding languages to DrScheme.

#### `config-panel`

This method used by the language configuration dialog to construct the "details" panel for this language. It accepts a parent panel and returns a `get/set` function that either updates the GUI to the argument or returns the settings for the current GUI.

- (`send` `a-drscheme:language:language` `config-panel` `parent`) ⇒ (`case-i` (`-i` `settings`) (`settings` `-i` `void`))  
`parent` : (instanceof `panel%`)

#### `create-executable`

This method creates an executable in the given language. The `program-filename` is the name of the program to store in the executable and `executable-filename` is the name of a file where the executable goes.

See also `drscheme:language:create-module-based-stand-alone-executable` and `drscheme:language:create-module-based-executable`.

- (`send` `a-drscheme:language:language` `create-executable` `settings` `parent` `program-filename`) ⇒ `void`  
`settings` : `settings`

```
parent : (union (instanceof dialog%) (instanceof frame%))
program-filename : string
```

**default-settings**

Specifies the default settings for this language.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:language default-settings) ⇒ settings
```

**default-settings?**

Return `#t` if the input settings matches the default settings obtained via `default-settings`.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:language default-settings? settings) ⇒ boolean
  settings : settings
```

**front-end/complete-program**

`front-end/complete-program` method reads, parses, and optionally compiles a program in the language. The first argument to the method specifies the location of the unparsed input program. The selector `drscheme:language:text/pos-text` extracts the `text%` text and the `drscheme:language:text/pos-start` and `drscheme:language:text/pos-end` selectors extract the range in the text that should be considered program text. The second argument is the current settings for the language. The `front-end/complete-program` method is expected to return a thunk that is called repeatedly to get all of the expressions in the program. When all expressions have been read, the thunk is expected to return `eof`.

This method is only called for programs in the definitions window. Notably, it is not called for programs that are loaded or `eval`d. See and for those.

This method is expected to raise an appropriate exception if the program is malformed, eg an `exn:syntax` or `exn:read`.

This is called on the user's thread, as is the thunk it returns.

Implementations of this method should not return fully expanded expressions, since there are two forms of expansion, using either `|expand—`, §12.6.1 in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual* or `expand-top-level-with-compile-time-evals` and the use of the expanded code dictates which applies.

See also `front-end/interaction`.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:language front-end/complete-program input settings) ⇒ (-λ (union
  sexp syntax eof))
  input : text/pos
  settings : settings
```

**front-end/interaction**

This method is just like `front-end/complete-program` except that it is called with program fragments, for example the expressions entered in the interactions window. It is also used in other contexts by tools to expand single expressions.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:language front-end/interaction input settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  (-i (union sexp syntax eof))
  - `input` : text/pos
  - `settings` : settings

**get-language-name**

Returns the name of the language as shown in the REPL when executing programs in the language.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:language get-language-name`)  $\Rightarrow$  string

**get-language-numbers**

This method is the same as `get-language-numbers`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:language get-language-numbers`)  $\Rightarrow$  (cons number (listof number))

**get-language-position**

This method returns a list of strings that is used to organize this language with the other languages. Each entry in that list is a category or subcategory of the language and the last entry in the list is the name of the language itself. In the language dialog, each element in the list except for the last will be a nested turn down triangle on the left of the dialog. The final entry will be the name that the user can choose to select this language. Names that are the same will be combined into the same turndown entry.

For example, if one language's position is:

```
(list "General Category" "Specific Category" "My Language")
```

and another's is:

```
(list "General Category" "Specific Category" "My Other Language")
```

The language dialog will collapse the first two elements in the list, resulting in only a pair of nested turn-down triangles, not parallel pairs of nested turn-down triangles.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:language get-language-position`)  $\Rightarrow$  (cons string (listof string))

**get-language-url**

Returns a url for the language.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:language get-language-url`)  $\Rightarrow$  (union #f string)
  - If the result isn't #f, the name of the language is clickable in the interactions window and clicking takes you to this url.

**get-one-line-summary**

The result of this method is shown in the language dialog when the user selects this language.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:language get-one-line-summary`)  $\Rightarrow$  string

`get-style-delta`

The style delta that this method returns is used in the language dialog and the DrScheme REPL when the language's name is printed.

When it is `\#f`, no styling is used.

If the result is a list, each element is expected to be a list of three items, a style-delta, and two numbers. The style delta will be applied to the corresponding portion of the name.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:language get-style-delta) ⇒ (union #f
  (instanceof style-delta%) (listof (list (instanceof style-delta%) number number)))
```

`marshall-settings`

Translates an instance of the settings type into a scheme object that can be written out to disk.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:language marshall-settings settings) ⇒ writable
  settings : settings
```

`on-execute`

The `on-execute` method is called before any evaluation happens during execution. Use this method to initialize MzScheme's parameters, §7.7 in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual* for the user. When this function is called, the user's thread has already been created, as has its custodian. These parameters have been changed from the defaults in MzScheme:

- `current-custodian` is set to a new custodian.
- `current-namespace` has been set to a newly created empty namespace. This namespace has the following modules copied (with `namespace-attach-module`) from DrScheme's original namespace:
  - `'mzscheme`
  - `'(lib "mred.ss" "mred")`
- `break-enabled` is `#t`
- `read-curly-brace-as-paren` is `#t`,
- `read-square-bracket-as-paren` is `#t`,
- The `port-write-handler` and `port-display-handler` have been set to procedures that call `pretty-print` and `pretty-display` instead of `write` and `display`. When `pretty-print` and `pretty-display` are called by these parameters, the `pretty-print-columns` parameter is set to `'infinity`, so the output looks just like `write` and `display`. This is done so that special scheme values can be displayed as snips.
- The `current-print-covert-hook` is to a procedure so that `snip%`s are just returned directly to be inserted into the interactions `text%` object.
- The output and input ports are set to point to the interactions window with these parameters: `current-input-port`, `current-output-port`, and `current-error-port`.
- The `event-dispatch-handler` is set so that DrScheme can perform some initial setup and close down around the user's code.

- The `current-directory` and `current-load-relative-directory` are set to the directory where the definitions file is saved, or if it isn't saved, to the initial directory where DrScheme started up.
- The `snip-class-list`, returned by `get-the-snip-class-list` is initialized with all of the snipclasses in DrScheme's eventspace's `snip-class-list`.
- The `error-print-source-location` parameter is set to `#f` and the `error-display-handler` is set to a handler that creates an error message from the exception record, with font and color information and inserts that error message into the definitions window.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:language on-execute settings run-in-user-thread) ⇒ void
  settings : settings
  run-in-user-thread : ((-i void) -i void)
```

#### `render-value`

This method is just like `render-value/format` except that it is expected to put the entire value on a single line with no newline after the value.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:language render-value value settings port port-write) ⇒ void
  value : TST
  settings : settings
  port : port
  port-write : (union #f ((instanceof snip%)-i void))
```

#### `render-value/format`

This method is used to turn values into strings for displaying. The final argument is used because ports aren't enough to support the printing of snips into a `text%`. Calling the third argument with a snip inserts the snip into an `text%` that corresponds to displaying something in the port. If the third argument is `#f`, we are in a context that cannot display snips, so this methods are expected to flatten any snips into strings. The final argument is a maximum width to use (in characters) when formatting the value.

This method is expected to format the value by inserting newlines in appropriate places and is expected to render a newline after the vaue.

See also `render-value`.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:language render-value/format value settings port port-write width) ⇒ void
  value : TST
  settings : settings
  port : port
  port-write : (union #f ((instanceof snip%) -i void))
  width : (union #f number)
```

#### `unmarshall-settings`

Translates a Scheme value into a settings, returning `#f` if that is not possible.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:language unmarshall-settings input) ⇒ (union settings #f)
  input : writable
```

### 3.15 `drscheme:language:module-based-language<%>`

This interface is for languages that can be implemented with MzScheme modules.

Use the `drscheme:language:module-based-language->language-mixin` mixin to construct an implementation of `drscheme:language:language<%>` from an implementation of this interface.

:

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language :`)  $\Rightarrow$  procedure with the same type as `read-syntax`

This method must return a procedure that is used to read syntax from a port in the same manner as `read-syntax`. It is used as the reader for this language.

`config-panel`

This method is the same as `config-panel`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language config-panel parent`)  $\Rightarrow$  (case- $i$  (- $i$  settings) (settings - $i$  void))  
 $parent : (instanceof\ panel\%)$

`default-settings`

This method is the same as `default-settings`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language default-settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  settings

`default-settings?`

This method is the same as `default-settings?`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language default-settings? settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  boolean  
 $settings : settings$

`get-init-code`

Returns a module in sexpression form that is used for creating executables. The module must provide a thunk, called `init-code`.

When either a stand-alone executable or a launcher is created, the module is required, and `init-code` is invoked. This procedure is expected to set up the environment, based on the settings.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language get-init-code settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  sexp  
 $settings : settings$

`get-language-numbers`

This method is the same as `get-language-numbers`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language get-language-numbers`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`cons number (listof number)`)

`get-language-position`

This method is the same as `get-language-position`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language get-language-position`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`cons string (listof string)`)

`get-module`

This method specifies the module that defines the language. It is used to initialize the user's namespace.

The result is expected to be the specification of a module except as value, ie `quoted`.

See also `get-transformer-module`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language get-module`)  $\Rightarrow$  s-expression

`get-one-line-summary`

The result of this method is shown in the language dialog when the user selects this language.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language get-one-line-summary`)  $\Rightarrow$  string

`get-transformer-module`

This method specifies the module that defines the transformation language. It is used to initialize the transformer portion of the user's namespace.

The result is expected to be the specification of a module except as value, ie `quoted`.

See also `get-module`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language get-transformer-module`)  $\Rightarrow$  s-expression

`marshall-settings`

This method is the same as `marshall-settings`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language marshall-settings settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  `writable settings : settings`

`on-execute`

This method is the same as `on-execute`.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:module-based-language* **on-execute** *settings* *run-in-user-thread*) ⇒ void  
*settings* : settings  
*run-in-user-thread* : ((-*i* void) -*i* void)

**render-value**

This method is the same as **render-value**.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:module-based-language* **render-value** *value* *settings* *port* *port-write*) ⇒ void  
*value* : TST  
*settings* : settings  
*port* : port  
*port-write* : (union #f ((instanceof **snip%**) -*i* void))

**render-value/format**

This method is the same as **render-value/format**.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:module-based-language* **render-value/format** *value* *settings* *port* *port-write*) ⇒ void  
*value* : TST  
*settings* : settings  
*port* : port  
*port-write* : (union #f ((instanceof **snip%**) -*i* void))

**unmarshall-settings**

This method is the same as **unmarshall-settings**.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:module-based-language* **unmarshall-settings** *input*) ⇒ (union settings #f)  
*input* : writable

**use-mred-launcher**

This method is called when an executable is created to determine if the executable should use the mred or the mzscheme binary.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:module-based-language* **use-mred-launcher**) ⇒ boolean

**use-namespace-require/copy?**

The result of this method controls how the module is attached to the user's namespace. If the method returns **#t**, the mzscheme primitive namespace-require/copy is used and if it returns **#f**, namespace-require is used.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:module-based-language* **use-namespace-require/copy?**) ⇒ boolean  
 Defaultly returns **#f**.

### 3.16 `drscheme:language:module-based-language->language-mixin`

Domain: `drscheme:language:module-based-language<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:language:module-based-language<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:language:language<%>`

#### `front-end/complete-program`

`front-end/complete-program` method reads, parses, and optionally compiles a program in the language. The first argument to the method specifies the location of the unparsed input program. The selector `drscheme:language:text/pos-text` extracts the `text%` text and the `drscheme:language:text/pos-start` and `drscheme:language:text/pos-end` selectors extract the range in the text that should be considered program text. The second argument is the current settings for the language. The `front-end/complete-program` method is expected to return a thunk that is called repeatedly to get all of the expressions in the program. When all expressions have been read, the thunk is expected to return `eof`.

This method is only called for programs in the definitions window. Notably, it is not called for programs that are loaded or `eval`d. See and for those.

This method is expected to raise an appropriate exception if the program is malformed, eg an `exn:syntax` or `exn:read`.

This is called on the user's thread, as is the thunk it returns.

Implementations of this method should not return fully expanded expressions, since there are two forms of expansion, using either `|expand—`, §12.6.1 in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual* or `expand-top-level-with-compile-time-evals` and the use of the expanded code dictates which applies.

See also `front-end/interaction`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language-zlanguage-mixin front-end/complete-program input settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`-z` (union `sexp` `syntax` `eof`))  
`input` : `text/pos`  
`settings` : `settings`

Reads a syntax object, from `input`. Does not use `settings`.

For languages that use these mixins, there is no difference between this method and `front-end/interaction`.

#### `front-end/interaction`

This method is just like `front-end/complete-program` except that it is called with program fragments, for example the expressions entered in the interactions window. It is also used in other contexts by tools to expand single expressions.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language-zlanguage-mixin front-end/interaction input settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`-z` (union `sexp` `syntax` `eof`))  
`input` : `text/pos`  
`settings` : `settings`

Reads a syntax object, from *input*. Does not use *settings*.

For languages that use these mixins, there is no difference between this method and `front-end/complete-program`.

### get-language-name

Returns the name of the language as shown in the REPL when executing programs in the language.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language-λlanguage-mixin get-language-name`) ⇒ string
- Returns the last element of the list returned by `get-language-position`.

### on-execute

The `on-execute` method is called before any evaluation happens during execution. Use this method to initialize MzScheme's parameters, §7.7 in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual* for the user. When this function is called, the user's thread has already been created, as has its custodian. These parameters have been changed from the defaults in MzScheme:

- `current-custodian` is set to a new custodian.
- `current-namespace` has been set to a newly created empty namespace. This namespace has the following modules copied (with `namespace-attach-module`) from DrScheme's original namespace:
  - 'mzscheme
  - '(lib "mred.ss" "mred")
- `break-enabled` is #t
- `read-curly-brace-as-paren` is #t,
- `read-square-bracket-as-paren` is #t,
- The `port-write-handler` and `port-display-handler` have been set to procedures that call `pretty-print` and `pretty-display` instead of `write` and `display`. When `pretty-print` and `pretty-display` are called by these parameters, the `pretty-print-columns` parameter is set to 'infinity, so the output looks just like `write` and `display`. This is done so that special scheme values can be displayed as snips.
- The `current-print-covert-hook` is to a procedure so that `snip%`s are just returned directly to be inserted into the interactions `text%` object.
- The output and input ports are set to point to the interactions window with these parameters: `current-input-port`, `current-output-port`, and `current-error-port`.
- The `event-dispatch-handler` is set so that DrScheme can perform some initial setup and close down around the user's code.
- The `current-directory` and `current-load-relative-directory` are set to the directory where the definitions file is saved, or if it isn't saved, to the initial directory where DrScheme started up.
- The `snip-class-list`, returned by `get-the-snip-class-list` is initialized with all of the snipclasses in DrScheme's eventspace's `snip-class-list`.
- The `error-print-source-location` parameter is set to #f and the `error-display-handler` is set to a handler that creates an error message from the exception record, with font and color information and inserts that error message into the definitions window.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:module-based-language-i language-mixin on-execute settings run-in-user-thread`) ⇒ `void`  
`settings` : `settings`  
`run-in-user-thread` : ((`-i void`) `-i void`)

Calls the super method.

Uses `namespace-require` to install the the result of `get-module` and Uses `namespace-transformer-require` to install the result of `get-transformer-module` into the user's namespace.

### 3.17 `drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language<%>`

This interface represents the bare essentials when defining a module-based language. Use the `drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language->module-based-language-mixin` mixin to construct an implementation of `drscheme:language:module-based-language<%>` from an implementation of this interface.

The class `drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language%` provides an implementation of this interface.

#### `get-language-numbers`

Returns a list of numbers, whose length must be the same as the result of `get-language-position`. Each number indicates the sorted order of the language positions in the language dialog.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language get-language-numbers`) ⇒ (`cons number (listof number)`)

#### `get-language-position`

This method is the same as `get-language-position`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language get-language-position`) ⇒ (`cons string (listof string)`)

#### `get-module`

This method specifies the module that defines the language.

This method replaces `front-end/complete-program` and `front-end/interaction`.

The result is expected to be the specification of a module except as value, ie quoted.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language get-module`) ⇒ `s-expression`

#### `get-one-line-summary`

The result of this method is shown in the language dialog when the user selects this language.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language get-one-line-summary`) ⇒ `string`

### 3.18 drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language%

Implements: `drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language<%>`

- (make-object drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language% module language-position language-numbers one-line-summary documentation-reference) ⇒ drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language% object
  - module : s-expression
  - language-position : (cons string (listof string))
  - language-numbers = (map (lambda (x) 0) language-position) : (cons number (listof number))
  - one-line-summary = "" : string
  - documentation-reference = #f : (union #f something-else)

The init args are used as the results of the `get-module` and `get-language-position` methods

#### get-language-numbers

Returns a list of numbers, whose length must be the same as the result of `get-language-position`. Each number indicates the sorted order of the language positions in the language dialog.

- (send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language get-language-numbers) ⇒ (cons number (listof number))
  - returns the corresponding init arg.

#### get-language-position

This method is the same as `get-language-position`.

- (send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language get-language-position) ⇒ s-expression
  - returns the corresponding init arg.

#### get-module

This method specifies the module that defines the language.

This method replaces `front-end/complete-program` and `front-end/interaction`.

The result is expected to be the specification of a module except as value, ie quoted.

- (send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language get-module) ⇒ (cons string (listof string))
  - returns the corresponding init arg.

#### get-one-line-summary

The result of this method is shown in the language dialog when the user selects this language.

- (send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language get-one-line-summary) ⇒ string
  - returns the corresponding initialization argument.

### 3.19 `drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language->module-based-language-mixin`

Domain: `drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:language:module-based-language<%>`

Implements: `drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language<%>`

This mixin uses a struct definition for its settings:

```
(define-struct drscheme:language:simple-settings (case-sensitive printing-style fraction-style show-sharing
;; case-sensitive   : boolean
;; printing-style   : (union 'constructor 'quasiquote 'write)
;; fraction-style   : (union 'mixed-fraction 'mixed-fraction-e 'repeating-decimal 'repeating-decimal-e)
;; show-sharing     : boolean
;; insert-newlines  : boolean
;; debugging        : boolean
```

The settings in this structure reflect the settings show in the language configuration dialog for languages constructed with this mixin. The first controls the input for the language. The rest specify printing controls for the language. The style `'write` is the default style, used in the MzScheme REPL. The sharing field determines if cycles and sharing in values are displayed when the value is rendered. The insert newlines field determines if values in the repl are formatted with `write` style-line printouts, or with `pretty-print` multi-line printouts.

`config-panel`

This method is the same as `config-panel`.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language-ζmodule-based-language-mixin config-panel
parent) ⇒ (case-ι (-ι settings) (settings -ι void))
parent : (instanceof panel%)
```

Constructs a configuration panel that lets the user configure all of the settings for this language.

See also §3.19 for details of the simple-settings structure, this mixins `settings` type.

`default-settings`

This method is the same as `default-settings`.

```
- (send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language-ζmodule-based-language-mixin default-settings)
⇒ settings
```

The defaults for the settings are

- `case-sensitive` is `#f`
- `printing-style` is `'write`
- `show-sharing` is `#f`
- `insert-newlines` is `#t`

See also §3.19 for details of the simple-settings structure, this mixins `settings` type.

### `default-settings?`

This method is the same as `default-settings?`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language- $\zeta$ module-based-language-mixin default-settings? settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  boolean  
*settings* : settings

### `get-init-code`

Returns a module in s-expression form that is used for creating executables. The module must provide a thunk, called `init-code`.

When either a stand-alone executable or a launcher is created, the module is required, and `init-code` is invoked. This procedure is expected to set up the environment, based on the settings.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language- $\zeta$ module-based-language-mixin get-init-code settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  s-expression  
*settings* : settings

Creates an s-expression of a module that sets the `current-inspector`, `read-case-sensitive`, and `error-value->string` parameters. Additionally, it may load `errortrace`, if debugging is enabled.

### `get-transformer-module`

This method specifies the module that defines the transformation language. It is used to initialize the transformer portion of the user's namespace.

The result is expected to be the specification of a module except as value, ie quoted.

See also `get-module`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language- $\zeta$ module-based-language-mixin get-transformer-module`)  $\Rightarrow$  s-expression  
Returns 'mzscheme.

### `marshall-settings`

This method is the same as `marshall-settings`.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language- $\zeta$ module-based-language-mixin marshall-settings settings`)  $\Rightarrow$  writable  
*settings* : settings

Constructs a vector from the structure.

See also §3.19 for details of the simple-settings structure, this mixins `settings` type.

### `on-execute`

This method is the same as `on-execute`.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language- $\zeta$ module-based-language-mixin* **on-execute** *settings run-in-user-thread*)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*settings* : settings  
*run-in-user-thread* : ((- $\zeta$  void) - $\zeta$  void)

Sets the case sensitivity of the language.

Sets the structure inspector to a new inspector, saving the original inspector for use during printing.

If debugging is enabled, it sets the current-eval handler to one that annotates each evaluated program with debugging annotations. Additionally, it sets the error-display-handler to show the debugging annotations when an error is raised.

See also §3.19 for details of the simple-settings structure, this mixin's `settings` type.

#### `render-value`

This method is the same as `render-value`.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language- $\zeta$ module-based-language-mixin* **render-value** *value settings port port-write*)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*value* : TST  
*settings* : settings  
*port* : port  
*port-write* : (union #f ((instanceof `snip%`) - $\zeta$  void))

Translates the value to a string, based on the settings.

Restores a super struct inspector to render structs properly. (See also `on-execute`)

See also §3.19 for details of the simple-settings structure, this mixins `settings` type.

#### `render-value/format`

This method is the same as `render-value/format`.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language- $\zeta$ module-based-language-mixin* **render-value/format** *value settings port port-write*)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*value* : TST  
*settings* : settings  
*port* : port  
*port-write* : (union #f ((instanceof `snip%`) - $\zeta$  void))

Translates the value to a string, based on the settings.

Restores a super struct inspector to render structs properly. (See also `on-execute`)

See also §3.19 for details of the simple-settings structure, this mixins `settings` type.

#### `unmarshall-settings`

This method is the same as `unmarshall-settings`.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language- $\zeta$ module-based-language-mixin* **unmarshall-settings** *input*)  $\Rightarrow$  (union #f settings)  
*input* : writable

Builds a settings structure from the vector, or #f if the vector doesn't match the types of the structure.

See also §3.19 for details of the simple-settings structure, this mixins `settings` type.

`use-mred-launcher`

This method is called when an executable is created to determine if the executable should use the mred or the mzscheme binary.

- (`send a-drscheme:language:simple-module-based-language-ζmodule-based-language-mixin use-mred-launcher`)  
⇒ `boolean`  
Returns `#t`.

**3.20** `drscheme:rep:context<%>`

Objects that match this interface provide all of the services that the `drscheme:rep:text%` class needs to connect with it's context.

`disable-evaluation`

Call this method to disable evaluation GUI evaluation while some evaluation (or expansion) is taking place on another thread.

Override this method if you add a GUI-based mechanism for initiating evaluation in the frame.

See also `enable-evaluation`.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context disable-evaluation`) ⇒ `void`

`enable-evaluation`

This method must disable all user-sponsored evaluation. It is called once the user starts some evaluation to ensure that only one evaluation proceeds at a time.

See also `disable-evaluation`.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context enable-evaluation`) ⇒ `void`

`ensure-rep-shown`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context ensure-rep-shown`) ⇒ `void`

This method is called to force the rep window to be visible when, for example, an error message is put into the rep.

`get-breakables`

Returns the last values passed to `set-breakables`.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context get-breakables`) ⇒ (values (union thread #f) (union custodian #f))

`get-directory`

The result of this method is used as the initial directory for the user's program to be evaluated in.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context get-directory`)  $\Rightarrow$  : (union string #f)

`needs-execution?`

This method should return `#t` when the state of the program that the repl reflects has changed.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context needs-execution?`)  $\Rightarrow$  boolean

`not-running`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context not-running`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

This method should update some display in the gui that indicates no evaluation is currently proceeding in the user's world.

`reset-offer-kill`

The break button typically offers to kill if it has been pushed twice in a row. If this method is called, however, it ignores any prior clicks.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context reset-offer-kill`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

`running`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context running`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

This method should update some display in the gui that indicates evaluation is currently proceeding in the user's world.

`set-breakables`

Calling this method with a thread and a custodian means that the next time the break button is clicked, it will either break the thread or shutdown the custodian.

See also [get-breakables](#).

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:context set-breakables thread custodian`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`thread` : (union thread #f)  
`custodian` : (union custodian #f)

### 3.21 drscheme:rep:drs-bindings-keymap-mixin

Domain: `editor:keymap<%>`

Implements: `editor:keymap<%>`

This mixin adds some drscheme-specific keybindings to the editor it is mixed onto.

`get-keymaps`

The keymaps returned from this method are chained to this `editor<%>`'s keymap.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:drs-bindings-keymap-mixin get-keymaps`)  $\Rightarrow$  (listof (instanceof `keymap%`))  
Calls the super method and adds in a keymap with the drscheme-specific keybindings:
  - `f5` - execute
  - `c:x;o` - toggles the focus between the definition and interactions windows.

**3.22** `drscheme:rep:text<%>`**3.23** `drscheme:rep:text%`

Implements: `drscheme:rep:text<%>`

This class implements a read-eval-print loop for DrScheme. User submitted evaluations in DrScheme are evaluated asynchronously, in an eventspace created for the user. No evaluations carried out by this class affect the implementation that uses it.

- (`make-object drscheme:rep:text% context`)  $\Rightarrow$  `drscheme:rep:text%` object  
`context` : (implements `drscheme:rep:context<%>`)

`after-delete`

Called after a given range is deleted from the editor (and after the `display` is refreshed; use `on-delete` and `begin-edit-sequence` to avoid extra refreshes when `after-delete` modifies the editor).

See also `can-delete?` and `on-edit-sequence`.

No internals locks are set when this method is called.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text after-delete start len`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`start` : exact non-negative integer  
`len` : exact non-negative integer

Resets any error highlighting in this editor.

`after-insert`

Called after `items` are inserted into the editor (and after the `display` is refreshed; use `on-insert` and `begin-edit-sequence` to avoid extra refreshes when `after-insert` modifies the editor).

See also `can-insert?` and `on-edit-sequence`.

No internals locks are set when this method is called.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text after-insert start len`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`start` : exact non-negative integer  
`len` : exact non-negative integer

Resets any error highlighting in this editor.

`cleanup-transparent-io`

Resets the little I/O box so that the next I/O goes into a newly created box in the repl.

This method is called when a value is printed to the repl or a prompt is inserted into the repl.

This method expects to be called on DrScheme's main eventspace thread.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text cleanup-transparent-io`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

`display-results`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text display-results results`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*results* : (list-of TST)

This displays each of the elements of *results* in the interactions window, except those elements of *results* that are void. Those are just ignored.

`do-many-evals`

Use this function to evaluate code or run actions that should mimic the user's interactions. For example, DrScheme uses this function to evaluate expressions in the definitions window and expressions submitted at the prompt.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text do-many-evals run-loop`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*run-loop* : (((-i void) -i void) -i void)

The function *run-loop* is called. It is expected to loop, calling its argument with a thunk that corresponds to the user's evaluation. It should call its argument once for each expression the user is evaluating. It should pass a thunk to its argument that actually does the user's evaluation.

`do-many-text-evals`

This function evaluates all of the expressions in a text.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text do-many-text-evals text start end complete-program?`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*text* : a `text%` object  
*start* : int  
*end* : int  
*complete-program?* : boolean

It evaluates all of the expressions in *text* starting at *start* and ending at *end*, calling `do-many-evals` to handle the evaluation.

The *complete-program?* argument determines if the `front-end/complete-program` method or the `front-end/interaction` method is called.

`get-error-range`

Indicates the highlighted error range. The state for the error range is shared across all instances of this class, so there can only be one highlighted error region at a time.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text get-error-range`)  $\Rightarrow$  (union #f (list (instanceof `text:basic%` number number)))

If `\#f`, no region is highlighted. If a list, the first element is the editor where the range is highlighted and the second and third are the beginning and ending regions, respectively.

#### `get-this-err`

This method returns the standard error port that prints in the repl.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text get-this-err`)  $\Rightarrow$  port

#### `get-this-in`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text get-this-in`)  $\Rightarrow$  input-port  
returns the input port for this repl.

#### `get-this-out`

This method returns the standard output port that prints in the repl.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text get-this-out`)  $\Rightarrow$  port

#### `get-this-result`

This method returns a port used to write values that show up in the repl.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text get-this-result`)  $\Rightarrow$  port

#### `get-user-custodian`

This is the custodian controlling the user's program.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text get-user-custodian`)  $\Rightarrow$  (union #f custodian)

#### `get-user-eventspace`

This is the user's eventspace. The result of `get-user-thread` is the main thread of this eventspace.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text get-user-eventspace`)  $\Rightarrow$  (union #f eventspace)

#### `get-user-namespace`

Returns the user's namespace. This method returns a new namespace each time `execute` is clicked.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text get-user-namespace`)  $\Rightarrow$  (union #f namespace)

#### `get-user-thread`

This method returns the thread that the user's code runs in. It returns a different result, each time the user executes the program.

It is `#f` before the first time the user click on the Execute button or the evaluation has been killed.

This thread has all of its parameters initialized according to the settings of the current execution. See parameters, §7.7 in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual* for more information about parameters.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text get-user-thread`)  $\Rightarrow$  (union `#f` thread)

#### `hide-eof-icon`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text hide-eof-icon`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

Hides the eof icon for the input port in this repl. See also `show-eof-icon`.

#### `highlight-error`

Call this method to highlight an error associated with this repl. See also `highlight-errors`, `reset-highlighting`, `highlight-error/line-col` and `highlight-error/forward-sexp`.

This method highlights a series of dis-contiguous ranges in the editor.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text highlight-error text start end`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`text` : `text:basic<*>`  
`start` : small-integer  
`end` : small-integer

#### `highlight-error/forward-sexp`

Call this method to highlight an error associated with this repl. This method uses the paren matching library in DrScheme to determine the end position of the error.

See also `reset-highlighting` and `highlight-error`.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text highlight-error/forward-sexp text start-loc`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`text` : (instance (implements `text:basic<*>`))  
`start-loc` : small-integer

#### `highlight-error/line-col`

Call this method to highlight an error associated with this repl. See also `reset-highlighting`, `highlight-error` and `highlight-error/forward-sexp`.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text highlight-error/line-col text start-line start-col end-line end-col`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`text` : (instance (implements `text:basic<*>`))  
`start-line` : number  
`start-col` : number  
`end-line` : number  
`end-col` : number

**highlight-errors**

Call this method to highlight an error associated with this repl. See also **reset-highlighting**, **highlight-error/line-col** and **highlight-error/forward-sexp**.

This method highlights a series of dis-contiguous ranges in the editor.

It puts the caret at the location of the first error.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **highlight-errors** *locs*)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*locs* : (listof (list (instance (implements **text:basic**<%>)) small-integer small-integer))

**initialize-console**

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **initialize-console**)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
This inserts the “Welcome to DrScheme” message into the interactions buffer, calls **reset-console**, **insert-prompt**, and **clear-undos**.

**insert-prompt**

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **insert-prompt**)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Inserts a new prompt at the end of the text.

**kill-evaluation**

This method is called when the user chooses the kill menu item.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **kill-evaluation**)  $\Rightarrow$  void

**on-close**

This method is called when a frame that shows this buffer is closed.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **on-close**)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Calls **shutdown**.  
Calls the super method.

**queue-output**

This method queues *thunk* for drscheme’s eventspace in a special output-related queue.

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **queue-output** *thnk*)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*thnk* : (-i void?)

**reset-console**

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **reset-console**)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Kills the old eventspace, and creates a new parameterization

`reset-highlighting`

This method resets the highlighting being displayed for this repl. See also: `highlight-error`, `highlight-error/line-col` and `highlight-error/forward-sexp`.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text reset-highlighting`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

`run-in-evaluation-thread`

This function runs its arguments in the user evaluation thread. This thread is the same as the user's eventspace main thread.

See also `do-many-evals`.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text run-in-evaluation-thread f`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
 $f : (-i \text{ void})$

Calls  $f$ , after switching to the user's thread.

`show-eof-icon`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text show-eof-icon`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

Shows the eof icon for the input port in this repl. Clicking on the icon calls the `submit-eof` method.

See also `hide-eof-icon`.

`shutdown`

Shuts down the user's program and all windows. Reclaims any resources the program allocated. It is expected to be called from DrScheme's main eventspace thread.

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text shutdown`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

`submit-eof`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text submit-eof`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

Submits an eof to the input port for this repl.

`submit-eof`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text submit-eof`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

`this-err-write`

- (`send a-drscheme:rep:text this-err-write to-display`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
 $to-display : (\text{union string (instanceof (derivedfrom snip\%)))}$

displays  $to-display$  on the error port for this repl.

**this-out-write**

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **this-out-write** *to-display*) ⇒ void  
*to-display* : (union string (instanceof (derivedfrom **snip%**)))

displays *to-display* on the output port for this repl.

**this-result-write**

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **this-result-write** *to-display*) ⇒ void  
*to-display* : (union string (instanceof (derivedfrom **snip%**)))

displays *to-display* on the value display port for this repl.

**wait-for-io-to-complete**

This waits for all pending IO in the rep to finish and then returns.

This method must only be called from the main thread in DrScheme's eventspace

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **wait-for-io-to-complete**) ⇒ void

**wait-for-io-to-complete/user**

This waits for all pending IO in the rep to finish and then returns.

This method must only be called from the main thread in the user's eventspace

- (**send** *a-drscheme:rep:text* **wait-for-io-to-complete/user**) ⇒ void

**3.24 drscheme:unit:definitions-canvas%**

Superclass: **editor-canvas%**

- (**instantiate** **drscheme:unit:definitions-canvas%** () (**parent** *\_*) [(**editor** *\_*)] [(**style** *\_*)] [(**scrolls-per-page** *\_*)] [(**label** *\_*)] [(**wheel-step** *\_*)] [(**line-count** *\_*)] [(**enabled** *\_*)] [(**vert-margin** *\_*)] [(**horiz-margin** *\_*)] [(**min-width** *\_*)] [(**min-height** *\_*)] [(**stretchable-width** *\_*)] [(**stretchable-height** *\_*)]]) ⇒ **drscheme:unit:definitions-canvas%** object  
*parent* : **frame%**, **dialog%**, **panel%**, or **pane%** object  
*editor* = #f : **text%** or **pasteboard%** object or #f  
*style* = null : list of symbols in '(no-hscroll no-vscroll hide-hscroll hide-vscroll deleted)  
*scrolls-per-page* = 100 : exact integer in [1, 10000]  
*label* = #f : string (up to 200 characters) or #f  
*wheel-step* = 3 : exact integer in [1, 10000] or #f  
*line-count* = #f : exact integer in [1, 1000] or #f  
*enabled* = #t : boolean  
*vert-margin* = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]  
*horiz-margin* = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]  
*min-width* = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]  
*min-height* = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]

```
stretchable-width = #t: boolean
stretchable-height = #t: boolean
```

If a canvas is initialized with `#f` for `editor`, install an editor later with `set-editor`.

The `style` list can contain the following flags:

- `'no-hscroll` — disallows horizontal scrolling
- `'no-vscroll` — disallows vertical scrolling
- `'hide-hscroll` — allows horizontal scrolling, but hides the horizontal scrollbar
- `'hide-vscroll` — allows vertical scrolling, but hides the vertical scrollbar
- `'deleted` — creates the canvas as initially hidden and without affecting `parent`'s geometry; the canvas can be made active later by calling `parent`'s `add-child` method

While vertical scrolling of text editors is based on lines, horizontal scrolling and pasteboard vertical scrolling is based on a fixed number of steps per horizontal page. The `scrolls-per-page` argument sets this value.

If provided, the `wheel-step` argument is passed on to the `wheel-step` method. The default wheel step can be overridden globally though the `'|MrEd:wheelStep|` preference; see “Preferences” (§12 in *PLT MrEd: Graphical Toolbox Manual*).

If `line-count` is not `#f`, it is passed on to the `set-line-count` method.

For information about the `enabled` argument, see `window<%>`. For information about the `horiz-margin` and `vert-margin` arguments, see `subarea<%>`. For information about the `min-width`, `min-height`, `stretchable-width`, and `stretchable-height` arguments, see `area<%>`.

### 3.25 `drscheme:unit:definitions-text<%>`

This interface is implemented by the definitions text.

#### `get-next-settings`

This method returns the language-settings that will be used on the execute in this DrScheme window.

```
- (send a-drscheme:unit:definitions-text get-next-settings) ⇒ language-settings
```

### 3.26 `drscheme:unit:definitions-text% = (scheme:text-mixin (drscheme:rep:drs-bindings-keymap (drscheme:unit:program-editor-mixin text:info%))`

```
drscheme:unit:definitions-text% = (scheme:text-mixin (drscheme:rep:drs-bindings-keymap-mixin (drscheme:unit:program-editor-mixin text:info%)))
```

Extends: `drscheme:unit:definitions-text<%>`

```
- (instantiate drscheme:unit:definitions-text% () [(line-spacing _)] [(tab-stops _)] [(auto-wrap _)]) ⇒ drscheme:unit:definitions-text% object
  line-spacing = 1.0: non-negative real number
  tab-stops = null: list of real numbers
  auto-wrap = #f: boolean
```

Passes all arguments to `super-init`.

**set-filename**

Set the path name for the file to be saved from or reloaded into this editor. This method is also called when the filename changes through any method (such as `load-file`).

The filename of an editor can be changed by the system in response to file loading and saving method calls, and such changes do not go through this method; use `on-load-file` and `on-save-file` to monitor such filename changes.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:definitions-text set-filename filename temporary?`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*filename* : string or #f  
*temporary?* = #f : boolean

Calls `update-save-message`.

**set-modified**

Sets the modified state of the editor. Usually, the state is changed automatically after an insertion, deletion, or style change by calling this method. (This method is also called when the modification state changes through *any* method.) This method is usually not called when the state of the flag is not changing.

See also `is-modified?` and `on-snip-modified`.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:definitions-text set-modified modified?`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
*modified?* : boolean

Calls `update-save-button`.

**3.27 `drscheme:unit:frame<%>`****clear-annotations**

Call this method to clear any annotations in the text before executing or analyzing or other such activities that should process the program.

Tools that annotate the program text should override this method to clear annotations.

DrScheme call this method before a program is executed.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame clear-annotations`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
 Does nothing.

**get-definitions-canvas**

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-definitions-canvas`)  $\Rightarrow$  (instanceof (derivedfrom `drscheme:unit:definitions-c`

This canvas is the canvas containing the `get-definitions-text`. It is initially the top half of the drscheme window.

This canvas defaults to a `drscheme:unit:definitions-canvas%` object, but if you change the `drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-canvas` procedure, it will use the class in the parameter to create the canvas.

#### `get-definitions-text`

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-definitions-text`) ⇒ (`instanceof` (`derivedfrom` `drscheme:unit:definitions-text`))

This text is initially the top half of the `drscheme` window and contains the users program.

This text defaults to a `text%` object, but if you change `drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-text` procedure, it will use the extended class to create the text.

#### `get-interactions-canvas`

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-interactions-canvas`) ⇒ (`instanceof` (`derivedfrom` `drscheme:unit:interactions`))

This canvas is the canvas containing the `get-interactions-text`. It is initially the bottom half of the `drscheme` window.

This canvas defaults to a `drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas%` object, but if you use the `drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-canvas` procedure, it will use the extended class to create the canvas.

#### `get-interactions-text`

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-interactions-text`) ⇒ (`instanceof` (`derivedfrom` `drscheme:rep:text%`))

This text is initially the bottom half of the `drscheme` window and contains the users interactions with the REPL.

This text defaults to a `drscheme:rep:text%` object, but if you use the `drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-text` procedure, it will use the extended class to create the text.

#### `get-special-menu`

Returns the "Special" menu.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-special-menu`) ⇒ (`is-a?/c menu%`)

### 3.28 `drscheme:unit:frame%` = (`drscheme:frame:mixin` (`drscheme:frame:basics-mixin` `frame:searchable%`))

`drscheme:unit:frame%` = (`drscheme:frame:mixin` (`drscheme:frame:basics-mixin` `frame:searchable%`))

Extends: `drscheme:unit:frame<%>`

Extends: `drscheme:rep:context<%>`

This frame inserts the Scheme and Language menus into the menu bar as it is initialized.

- (`instantiate` `drscheme:unit:frame%` () [(`parent` `_`)] [(`width` `_`)] [(`height` `_`)] [(`x` `_`)] [(`y` `_`)] [(`style` `_`)] [(`enabled` `_`)] [(`border` `_`)] [(`spacing` `_`)] [(`alignment` `_`)] [(`min-width` `_`)] [(`min-height` `_`)] [(`stretchable-width` `_`)] [(`stretchable-height` `_`)] (`filename` `_`) ⇒ `drscheme:unit:frame` object

*parent* = #f : `frame%` object or #f

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width = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
height = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
x = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
y = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
style = null : list of symbols in '(no-resize-border no-caption no-system-menu mdi-parent
    mdi-child)
enabled = #t : boolean
border = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]
spacing = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]
alignment = '(center top) : two-element list: 'left, 'center, or 'right and 'top, 'center, or 'bottom
min-width = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]
min-height = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]
stretchable-width = #t : boolean
stretchable-height = #t : boolean
filename : string?

```

Passes all arguments to `super-init`.

- (`instantiate` `drscheme:unit:frame%` () [(`parent` -)] [(`width` -)] [(`height` -)] [(`x` -)] [(`y` -)] [(`style` -)] [(`enabled` -)] [(`border` -)] [(`spacing` -)] [(`alignment` -)] [(`min-width` -)] [(`min-height` -)] [(`stretchable-width` -)] [(`stretchable-height` -)] (`filename` -) ⇒ `drscheme:unit:frame` object

```

parent = #f : frame% object or #f
width = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
height = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
x = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
y = #f : exact integer in [0, 10000] or #f
style = null : list of symbols in '(no-resize-border no-caption no-system-menu mdi-parent
    mdi-child)
enabled = #t : boolean
border = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]
spacing = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]
alignment = '(center top) : two-element list: 'left, 'center, or 'right and 'top, 'center, or 'bottom
min-width = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]
min-height = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]
stretchable-width = #t : boolean
stretchable-height = #t : boolean
filename : string?

```

Passes all arguments to `super-init`.

#### `add-show-menu-items`

This method is called during the construction of the show menu. This method is intended to be overridden. It is expected to add other Show/Hide menu items to the show menu.

See also `get-show-menu`.

- (`send` `a-drscheme:unit:frame` `add-show-menu-items` `show-menu`) ⇒ void  
`show-menu` : (is-a?/c `menu%`)

Adds the “Show Definitions”, “Show Interactions” and “Show Contour” menu items.

### `break-callback`

This method is called when the user clicks on the break button or chooses the break menu item.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame break-callback`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Breaks the user's evaluation started by the Execute button (or possibly a queued callback in the user's eventspace).

### `change-to-file`

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame change-to-file file`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`file` : string  
Loads this file into this already created frame. In normal DrScheme use, this method is only called if this is the first frame opened and no editing has occurred. It should be safe to call this at anytime, however.

### `clear-annotations`

Call this method to clear any annotations in the text before executing or analyzing or other such activities that should process the program.

Tools that annotate the program text should override this method to clear annotations.

DrScheme call this method before a program is executed.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame clear-annotations`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Clears any error highlighting.
- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame clear-annotations`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

### `disable-evaluation`

Call this method to disable evaluation GUI evaluation while some evaluation (or expansion) is taking place on another thread.

Override this method if you add a GUI-based mechanism for initiating evaluation in the frame.

See also [enable-evaluation](#).

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame disable-evaluation`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

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See also [enable-evaluation](#).

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame disable-evaluation`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

Disables the execute button, and the execute menu item and **locks** the interactions window, and the definitions window.

#### `edit-menu:between-select-all-and-find`

This method is called between the addition of the select-all menu-item and before the addition of the find menu-item to the edit-menu menu. Override it to add additional menus at that point.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame edit-menu:between-select-all-and-find`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Adds the "Split" and "Collapse" menu items.

#### `enable-evaluation`

This method must disable all user-sponsored evaluation. It is called once the user starts some evaluation to ensure that only one evaluation proceeds at a time.

See also `disable-evaluation`.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame enable-evaluation`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Enables the execute button, and the execute menu item and **locks** the interactions window and the definitions window.

#### `ensure-defs-shown`

Ensures that the definitions window is visible.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame ensure-defs-shown`)  $\Rightarrow$  void

#### `ensure-rep-shown`

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame ensure-rep-shown`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Shows the interactions window

#### `execute-callback`

This method is called when the user clicks on the execute button or chooses the execute menu item.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame execute-callback`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
It calls `ensure-rep-shown` and then it calls `do-many-text-evals` passing in the result of `get-interactions-text` and its entire range, unless the first two characters are "#!" in which case, it skips the first line.

#### `file-menu:between-open-and-revert`

This method is called between the addition of the open menu-item and before the addition of the revert menu-item to the file-menu menu. Override it to add additional menus at that point.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame file-menu:between-open-and-revert`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Calls the super method and adds a `separator-menu-item%` to the menu.

#### `file-menu:between-print-and-close`

This method is called between the addition of the print menu-item and before the addition of the close menu-item to the file-menu menu. Override it to add additional menus at that point.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame file-menu:between-print-and-close`) ⇒ void  
Adds a menu item for printing the interactions.

#### `file-menu:between-save-as-and-print`

This method is called between the addition of the save-as menu-item and before the addition of the print menu-item to the file-menu menu. Override it to add additional menus at that point.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame file-menu:between-save-as-and-print`) ⇒ void  
Adds a submenu that contains various save options:
  - save definitions as text
  - save interactions
  - save interactions as
  - save interactions as textand adds a separator item.

#### `file-menu:print-string`

The result of this method is the name of this menu.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame file-menu:print-string`) ⇒ void  
returns "Definitions"

#### `file-menu:save-as-string`

The result of this method is the name of this menu.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame file-menu:save-as-string`) ⇒ void  
Returns "Definitions".

#### `file-menu:save-string`

The result of this method is the name of this menu.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame file-menu:save-string`) ⇒ void  
Returns "Definitions".

#### `get-break-button`

Returns the break button. Mostly used for test suites.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-break-button`) ⇒ (instanceof `button%`)

#### `get-button-panel`

This panel goes along the top of the `drscheme` window and has buttons for important actions the user frequently executes.

A tool can add a button to this panel to make some new functionality easily accessible to the user.

See also `drscheme:unit:make-bitmap`.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-button-panel`)  $\Rightarrow$  (instanceof `horizontal-panel%`)

#### `get-canvas`

Returns the canvas used to display the `editor<%>` in this frame.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-canvas`)  $\Rightarrow$  (instanceof `editor-canvas%`)  
Returns the result of `get-definitions-canvas`.

#### `get-canvas%`

The result of this method is used to create the canvas for the `editor<%>` in this frame.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-canvas%`)  $\Rightarrow$  (instanceof (derived-from `canvas%`))  
Returns the result of `drscheme:get/extend:get-definitions-canvas`.

#### `get-definitions/interactions-panel-parent`

This method is provided so that tools can add `area-container<%>`s to the `drscheme` frame. Override this method so that it returns a child of the super-classes's result and insert new children inbetween.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-definitions/interactions-panel-parent`)  $\Rightarrow$  (instanceof `vertical-panel%`)  
Returns the result of `get-area-container`

#### `get-directory`

The result of this method is used as the initial directory for the user's program to be evaluated in.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-directory`)  $\Rightarrow$  (union string #f)  
This is the directory that the file is saved in, or the directory `DrScheme` started up in, if the file has not been saved.

#### `get-editor`

Returns the editor in this frame.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-editor`)  $\Rightarrow$  (instanceof `editor<%>`)  
Returns the result of `get-definitions-text`.

### `get-editor%`

The result of this class is used to create the `editor<%>` in this frame.

Override this method to specify a different editor class.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-editor%`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`instanceof` (`derived-from editor<%>`))  
Returns the result of `drscheme:get/extend:get-definitions-text`.

### `get-execute-button`

Returns the execute button. Mostly used for test suites.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-execute-button`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`instanceof button%`)

### `get-text-to-search`

Override this method to specify which text to search.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame get-text-to-search`)  $\Rightarrow$  a `text:searching%` object  
returns the text that is active in the last canvas passed to `make-searchable`

### `make-searchable`

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame make-searchable canvas`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`canvas` : a `drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas%` object  
stores the canvas, until `get-text-to-search` is called.

### `on-close`

Called just before the window is closed (e.g., by the window manager). This method is *not* called by `show`.

See also `can-close?`.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame on-close`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
Sends the result of `get-interactions-text` the `shutdown` and `on-close` methods.  
Calls the super method.

### `on-size`

Called when the window is resized. The window's new size (in pixels) is provided to the method. The size values are for the entire window, not just the client area.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame on-size width height`)  $\Rightarrow$  void  
`width` : exact integer in [0, 10000]  
`height` : exact integer in [0, 10000]

Updates the preferences for the window width and height so next time a drscheme window is opened, it will be this width and height.

#### `reset-offer-kill`

The break button typically offers to kill if it has been pushed twice in a row. If this method is called, however, it ignores any prior clicks.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame reset-offer-kill`) ⇒ void

#### `set-breakables`

Calling this method with a thread and a custodian means that the next time the break button is clicked, it will either break the thread or shutdown the custodian.

See also [get-breakables](#).

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame set-breakables thread custodian`) ⇒ void  
  `thread` : (union thread #f)  
  `custodian` : (union custodian #f)

#### `set-breakables`

Calling this method with a thread and a custodian means that the next time the break button is clicked, it will either break the thread or shutdown the custodian.

See also [get-breakables](#).

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame set-breakables`) ⇒ (values (union thread #f) (union custodian #f))

#### `still-untouched?`

determines if the definitions window has not been modified. Used in conjunction with [change-to-file](#).

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame still-untouched?`) ⇒ boolean  
  Returns `#t` if the buffer is empty, it has not been saved and it is unmodified.

#### `update-save-button`

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame update-save-button modified?`) ⇒ void  
  `modified?` : boolean

This method hides or shows the save button, based on the `modified?` argument.

If the save button has not been created yet, it remembers the `modified?` argument as an initial visibility for the save button.

This method is called by the [set-modified](#) method.

#### `update-save-message`

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:frame update-save-message name`) ⇒ void  
  `name` : string

Updates the save message on the drscheme frame. This method is called by the [set-filename](#) method.

**update-shown**

This method is intended to be overridden. It's job is to update the "Show" menu to match the state of the visible windows. In the case of the standard DrScheme window, it change the menu items to reflect the visibility of the definitions and interaction `editor-canvas%`s.

Call this method whenever the state of the show menu might need to change.

- (send *a-drscheme:unit:frame* update-shown) ⇒ void

Updates the interactions, definitions, and contour menu items based on the contents of the windows.

**3.29 drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas%**

- (instantiate drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas% () (parent \_) [(editor \_)] [(style \_)] [(scrolls-per-page \_)] [(label \_)] [(wheel-step \_)] [(line-count \_)] [(enabled \_)] [(vert-margin \_)] [(horiz-margin \_)] [(min-width \_)] [(min-height \_)] [(stretchable-width \_)] [(stretchable-height \_)]) ⇒ `drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas%` object

*parent* : `frame%`, `dialog%`, `panel%`, or `pane%` object

*editor* = #f : `text%` or `pasteboard%` object or #f

*style* = null : list of symbols in '(no-hscroll no-vscroll hide-hscroll hide-vscroll deleted)

*scrolls-per-page* = 100 : exact integer in [1, 10000]

*label* = #f : string (up to 200 characters) or #f

*wheel-step* = 3 : exact integer in [1, 10000] or #f

*line-count* = #f : exact integer in [1, 1000] or #f

*enabled* = #t : boolean

*vert-margin* = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]

*horiz-margin* = 0 : exact integer in [0, 1000]

*min-width* = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]

*min-height* = 0 : exact integer in [0, 10000]

*stretchable-width* = #t : boolean

*stretchable-height* = #t : boolean

Passes all arguments to `super-init`.

**on-focus**

Called when a window receives or loses the keyboard focus. If the argument is #t, the keyboard focus was received, otherwise it was lost.

Note that under X, keyboard focus can move to the menu bar when the user is selecting a menu item.

- (send *a-drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas* on-focus *on?*) ⇒ void  
*on?* : boolean

When the focus is on, calls `make-searchable` with this.

**3.30 drscheme:unit:program-editor-mixin**

Domain: `editor:basic<%>`

Domain: (class->interface `text%`)

Implements: `editor:basic<%>`

This mixes in the ability to reset the highlighting for error message when the user modifies the buffer. Use it for editors that have program text where errors can occur.

- (`instantiate drscheme:unit:program-editor-mixin% () [(line-spacing _)] [(tab-stops _)] [(auto-wrap _)]`) ⇒ `drscheme:unit:program-editor-mixin%` object
  - `line-spacing = 1.0`: non-negative real number
  - `tab-stops = null`: list of real numbers
  - `auto-wrap = #f`: boolean

The `line-spacing` argument sets the additional amount of space (in DC units) inserted between each line in the editor when the editor is displayed. This spacing is included in the reported height of each line.

See `set-tabs` for information about `tabstops`.

If `auto-wrap` is true, then auto-wrapping is enabled via `auto-wrap`.

A new `keymap%` object is created for the new editor. See also `get-keymap` and `set-keymap`.

A new `style-list%` object is created for the new editor. See also `get-style-list` and `set-style-list`.

#### after-delete

Called after a given range is deleted from the editor (and after the `display` is refreshed; use `on-delete` and `begin-edit-sequence` to avoid extra refreshes when `after-delete` modifies the editor).

See also `can-delete?` and `on-edit-sequence`.

No internals locks are set when this method is called.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:program-editor-mixin after-delete start len`) ⇒ void
  - `start`: number
  - `len`: number

Calls the super method.

Resets an error highlighting.

#### after-insert

Called after `items` are inserted into the editor (and after the `display` is refreshed; use `on-insert` and `begin-edit-sequence` to avoid extra refreshes when `after-insert` modifies the editor).

See also `can-insert?` and `on-edit-sequence`.

No internals locks are set when this method is called.

- (`send a-drscheme:unit:program-editor-mixin after-insert start len`) ⇒ void
  - `start`: number
  - `len`: number

Calls the super method.

Resets an error highlighting.

### 3.31 DrScheme Tools Functions

`drscheme:debug:add-prefs-panel`

- (`drscheme:debug:add-prefs-panel`)  $\Rightarrow$  void?

Adds the profiling preferences panel.

`drscheme:debug:get-cm-key`

- (`drscheme:debug:get-cm-key`)  $\Rightarrow$  any

Returns a key used with *continuation-mark-set->list*. The continuation mark set attached to an exception record for the user's program may use this mark. If it does, each mark on the continuation is the same type as the input to `drscheme:debug:open-and-highlight-in-file`.

`drscheme:debug:hide-backtrace-window`

- (`drscheme:debug:hide-backtrace-window`)  $\Rightarrow$  void?

Hides the backtrace window.

`drscheme:debug:make-debug-error-display-handler`

- (`drscheme:debug:make-debug-error-display-handler oedh`)  $\Rightarrow$  (string? (union any? exn?) . -> . any)

*oedh* : (string? (union any? exn?) . -> . any)

This function implements an error-display-handler in terms of another error-display-handler.

This function is designed to work in conjunction with `drscheme:debug:make-debug-eval-handler`.

See also MzScheme's `MzLinkmz:p:error-display-handlererror-display-handler` parameter.

If the `current-error-port` is the definitions window in `drscheme`, this error handler inserts some debugging annotations, calls *oedh*, and then highlights the source location of the runtime error.

`drscheme:debug:make-debug-eval-handler`

- (`drscheme:debug:make-debug-eval-handler odeh`)  $\Rightarrow$  (any? . -> . any?)

*odeh* : (any? . -> . any?)

This function implements an eval-handler in terms of another eval-handler.

This function is designed to work in conjunction with `drscheme:debug:make-debug-error-display-handler`.

See also MzScheme's `MzLinkmz:p:eval-handlereval-handler` parameter.

The resulting eval-handler expands and annotates the input expression and then passes it to the input eval-handler, unless the input expression is already compiled, in which case it just hands it directly to the input eval-handler.

`drscheme:debug:open-and-highlight-in-file`

- (`drscheme:debug:open-and-highlight-in-file` *debug-info*)  $\Rightarrow$  void?  
*debug-info* : (cons/p (union symbol? (is-a?/c editor<%>)) (cons/p number? number?))

This function opens a DrScheme to display *debug-info*. The first element in the cons indicates where the file is and the two number indicate a range of text to show.

See also `drscheme:debug:get-cm-key`.

`drscheme:debug:profiling-enabled`

- (`drscheme:debug:profiling-enabled` *enabled?*)  $\Rightarrow$  void?  
*enabled?* : boolean?
- (`drscheme:debug:profiling-enabled`)  $\Rightarrow$  boolean?

A parameter that controls if profiling information is recorded.

Defaults to `\#f`.

Only applies if `drscheme:debug:make-debug-eval-handler` has been added to the eval handler.

`drscheme:debug:show-backtrace-window`

- (`drscheme:debug:show-backtrace-window` *error-message* *dis* *k*)  $\Rightarrow$  void?  
*error-message* : string?  
*dis* : (listof any?)  
*k* : (union procedure? false?)

Shows the backtrace window you get when clicking on the bug in DrScheme's REPL.

The *error-message* argument is the text of the error, *dis* is the debug information, extracted from the continuation mark in the exception record, using `drscheme:debug:get-cm-key`, and *dis* *k* is a continuation which may be used to resume execution in the case of a breakpoint (or `\#f` for non-breakpoints).

`drscheme:eval:build-user-eventspace/custodian`

- (`drscheme:eval:build-user-eventspace/custodian` *language-settings* *init* *kill-termination*)  $\Rightarrow$  (values eventspace? custodian?)  
*language-settings* : drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?  
*init* : (-> void?)  
*kill-termination* : (-> void?)

This function creates a custodian and an eventspace (on the new custodian) to expand the user's program. It does not kill this custodian, but it can safely be shutdown (with `custodian-shutdown-all`) after the expansion is finished.

It initializes the user's eventspace's main thread with several parameters:

- `current-custodian` is set to a new custodian.
- In addition, it calls `drscheme:eval:set-basic-parameters`.

The *language-settings* argument is the current language and its settings. See `drscheme:language-configuration:make` for details on that structure.

If the program is associated with a DrScheme frame, get the frame's language settings from the `get-next-settings` method of `drscheme:unit:definitions-text<%>`. Also, the most recently chosen language in the language dialog is saved via the framework's preferences. Apply

`preferences:get` to `drscheme:language-configuration:get-settings-preferences-symbol` for that *language-settings*.

The *init* argument is called after the user's parameters are all set, but before the program is run. It is called on the user's thread. The *current-directory* and *current-load-relative-directory* parameters are not set, so if there are appropriate directories, the *init* argument is a good place to set them.

The *kill-termination* argument is called when the main thread of the eventspace terminates, no matter if the custodian was shutdown, or the thread was killed. This procedure is also called when the thread terminates normally. This procedure is called from a new, dedicated thread (*i. e.*, not the thread created to do the expansion, nor the thread that `drscheme:eval:build-user-eventspace/custodian` was called from.)

### `drscheme:eval:expand-program`

- (`drscheme:eval:expand-program` *input language-settings eval-compile-time-part? init kill-termination iter*)  $\Rightarrow$  void?
  - input* : (union port? drscheme:language:text/pos?)
  - language-settings* : drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?
  - eval-compile-time-part?* : boolean?
  - init* : (-> void?)
  - kill-termination* : (-> void?)
  - iter* : ((union eof-object? syntax? (cons/p string? any?)) (-> any) . -> . any)

Use this function to expand the contents of the definitions window for use with external program processing tools.

This function uses `drscheme:eval:build-user-eventspace/custodian` to build the user's environment. The arguments *language-settings*, *init*, and *kill-termination* are passed to `drscheme:eval:build-user-eventspace/custodian`.

The *input* argument specifies the source of the program.

The *eval-compile-time-part?* argument indicates if `awscmexpand`, §12.6.1 in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual* is called or if `expand-top-level-with-compile-time-evals` is called when the program is expanded. Roughly speaking, if your tool will evaluate each expression itself by calling `eval`, §14.1 in *PLT MzScheme: Language Manual* then pass `#f`. Otherwise, if your tool just processes the expanded program, be sure to pass `#t`.

This function calls `front-end/complete-program` to expand the program.

The first argument to *iter* is the expanded program (represented as syntax) or eof. The *iter* argument is called for each expression in the expanded program and once more with eof, unless an error is raised during expansion. It is called from the user's thread. If an exception is raised during expansion of the user's program, *iter* is not called. Consider setting the exception-handler during *init* to handle this situation.

The second argument to *iter* is a thunk that continues expanding the rest of the contents of the definitions window. If the first argument to *iter* was eof, this argument is just the primitive `void`.

See also `drscheme:eval:expand-program/multiple`.

### `drscheme:eval:expand-program/multiple`

- (`drscheme:eval:expand-program/multiple` *language-settings eval-compile-time-part? init kill-termination*)  $\Rightarrow$  ((union port? drscheme:language:text/pos?) ((union eof-object? syntax? (cons/p string? any?)) (-> any) . -> . any) boolean? . -> . void?)
  - language-settings* : drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?
  - eval-compile-time-part?* : boolean?

```

init : (-> void?)
kill-termination : (-> void?)

```

This function is just like `drscheme:eval:expand-program` except that it is curried and the second application can be used multiple times. Use this function if you want to initialize the user's thread (and namespace, etc) once but have program text that comes from multiple sources.

The extra boolean argument to the result function determines if `front-end/complete-program` or `front-end/interaction` is called.

`drscheme:eval:get-snip-classes`

```
- (drscheme:eval:get-snip-classes) => (listof (is-a?/c snip-class%))
```

Returns a list of all of the snipclasses in the current eventspace

`drscheme:eval:set-basic-parameters`

```
- (drscheme:eval:set-basic-parameters snipclasses) => void?
  snipclasses : (listof (is-a?/c snip-class%))
```

sets the parameters that are shared between the repl's initialization and `drscheme:eval:build-user-eventspace/cust`

Specifically, it sets these parameters:

- `current-namespace` has been set to a newly created empty namespace. This namespace has the following modules copied (with `namespace-attach-module`) from DrScheme's original namespace:
  - \* `'mzscheme`
  - \* `'(lib "mred.ss" "mred")`
- `read-curly-brace-as-paren` is `#t`,
- `read-square-bracket-as-paren` is `#t`,
- `break-enabled` is `#t`
- `error-print-width` is set to 250.
- `current-ps-setup` is set to a newly created `ps-setup%` object.
- The `exit-handler` is set to a parameter that kills the user's custodian.
- The snip-class-list, returned by `get-the-snip-class-list` is initialized with all of the snipclasses in DrScheme's eventspace's snip-class-list.

`drscheme:eval:traverse-program/multiple`

```
- (drscheme:eval:traverse-program/multiple language-settings init kill-termination) => ((union
port? drscheme:language:text/pos?) ((union eof-object? syntax? (cons/p string? any?)) (-> any) .
-> . any) boolean? . -> . void?)
  language-settings : drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?
  init : (-> void?)
  kill-termination : (-> void?)
```

This function is similar to `drscheme:eval:expand-program/multiple`. The only difference is that it does not expand the program in the editor; instead the processing function can decide how to expand the program.

`drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-canvas`

```
- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-canvas mixin) => void?
  mixin : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:unit:definitions-canvas%)
```

- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-canvas *mixin* *before?*) ⇒ void?  
*mixin* : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:unit:definitions-canvas%)  
*before?* : boolean?

This canvas is used in the top window of drscheme frames. The argument, *before*, controls if the mixin is applied before or after already installed mixins. If unsupplied, this is the same as supplying #f.

#### drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-text

- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-text *mixin*) ⇒ void?  
*mixin* : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:unit:definitions-text<%>)
- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-text *mixin* *before?*) ⇒ void?  
*mixin* : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:unit:definitions-text<%>)  
*before?* : boolean?

This text is used in the top window of drscheme frames.

The argument, *before*, controls if the mixin is applied before or after already installed mixins. If unsupplied, this is the same as supplying #f.

#### drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-canvas

- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-canvas *mixin*) ⇒ void?  
*mixin* : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas%)
- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-canvas *mixin* *before?*) ⇒ void?  
*mixin* : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas%)  
*before?* : boolean?

This canvas is used in the bottom window of drscheme frames.

The argument, *before*, controls if the mixin is applied before or after already installed mixins. If unsupplied, this is the same as supplying #f.

#### drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-text

- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-text *mixin*) ⇒ void?  
*mixin* : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:rep:text<%>)
- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-text *mixin* *before?*) ⇒ void?  
*mixin* : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:rep:text<%>)  
*before?* : boolean?

This text is used in the bottom window of drscheme frames.

The argument, *before*, controls if the mixin is applied before or after already installed mixins. If unsupplied, this is the same as supplying #t.

#### drscheme:get/extend:extend-unit-frame

- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-unit-frame *mixin*) ⇒ void?  
*mixin* : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:unit:frame%)
- (drscheme:get/extend:extend-unit-frame *mixin* *before?*) ⇒ void?  
*mixin* : (make-mixin-contract drscheme:unit:frame%)  
*before?* : boolean?

This is the frame that implements the main drscheme window.

The argument, *before*, controls if the mixin is applied before or after already installed mixins. If unsupplied, this is the same as supplying `#f`.

`drscheme:get/extend:get-definitions-canvas`

- (`drscheme:get/extend:get-definitions-canvas`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`subclass?/c drscheme:unit:definitions-canvas%`)

Once this function is called, `drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-canvas` raises an error, disallowing any more extensions.

`drscheme:get/extend:get-definitions-text`

- (`drscheme:get/extend:get-definitions-text`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`implementation?/c drscheme:unit:definitions-text<%>`)

Once this function is called, `drscheme:get/extend:extend-definitions-text` raises an error, disallowing any more extensions.

`drscheme:get/extend:get-interactions-canvas`

- (`drscheme:get/extend:get-interactions-canvas`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`subclass?/c drscheme:unit:interactions-canvas%`)

Once this function is called, `drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-canvas` raises an error, disallowing any more extensions.

`drscheme:get/extend:get-interactions-text`

- (`drscheme:get/extend:get-interactions-text`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`implementation?/c drscheme:rep:text<%>`)

Once this function is called, `drscheme:get/extend:extend-interactions-text` raises an error, disallowing any more extensions.

`drscheme:get/extend:get-unit-frame`

- (`drscheme:get/extend:get-unit-frame`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`subclass?/c drscheme:unit:frame%`)

Once this function is called, `drscheme:get/extend:extend-unit-frame` raises an error, disallowing any more extensions.

`drscheme:help-desk:help-desk`

- (`drscheme:help-desk:help-desk`)  $\Rightarrow$  `void?`

- (`drscheme:help-desk:help-desk key lucky? type mode`)  $\Rightarrow$  `void?`

*key* : `string?`

*lucky?* : `boolean?`

*type* : (`symbols 'keyword 'keyword+index 'all`)

*mode* : (`symbols 'exact 'contains 'regexp`)

- (`drscheme:help-desk:help-desk key lucky? type`)  $\Rightarrow$  `void?`

*key* : `string?`

*lucky?* : `boolean?`

*type* : (`symbols 'keyword 'keyword+index 'all`)

- (`drscheme:help-desk:help-desk` *key* *lucky?*) ⇒ void?  
*key* : string?  
*lucky?* : boolean?

This function opens a help desk window, or brings an already open help desk window to the front. If an argument is specified, that key is searched for.

If no arguments are supplied, this function opens a help-desk window to the starting page, or just brings a help-desk window to the front (without changing what page it is viewing).

If any arguments are supplied, this function opens a help-desk window and searches for *key*, according to *lucky?*, *type*, and *mode*. If the third and fourth arguments are omitted, they default to `'keyword+index` and `'exact`, respectively.

#### `drscheme:help-desk:open-url`

- (`drscheme:help-desk:open-url` *url*) ⇒ void?  
*url* : string?

Opens *url* in a new help desk window.

#### `drscheme:language-configuration:add-language`

- (`drscheme:language-configuration:add-language` *language*) ⇒ void?  
*language* : (is-a?/c `drscheme:language:language`<?>)

This function can only be called in phase 2 (see section 2 for details).

Adds *language* to the languages offered by DrScheme.

#### `drscheme:language-configuration:fill-language-dialog`

- (`drscheme:language-configuration:fill-language-dialog` *panel* *button-panel* *language-setting*)  
 ⇒ `drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?`  
*panel* : (is-a?/c `vertical-panel%`)  
*button-panel* : (is-a?/c `area-container`<?>)  
*language-setting* : `drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?`

This procedure accepts two parent panels and fills them with the contents of the language dialog. It is used to include language configuration controls in some larger context in another dialog.

The *panel* argument is the main panel where the language controls will be placed. The function adds buttons to the *button-panel* to revert a language to its default settings and to show the details of a language.

The *language-setting* is the default language to show in the dialog.

#### `drscheme:language-configuration:get-settings-preferences-symbol`

- (`drscheme:language-configuration:get-settings-preferences-symbol`) ⇒ symbol?

Returns the symbol that is used to store the user's language settings. Use as an argument to either `preferences:get` or `preferences:set`.

#### `drscheme:language-configuration:language-dialog`

- (`drscheme:language-configuration:language-dialog` *show-welcome?* *language-settings-to-show* *parent*) ⇒ `drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?`

*show-welcome?* : boolean?  
*language-settings-to-show* : drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?  
*parent* = #t : (union false? (is-a?/c top-level-window<%>))

Opens the language configuration dialog. See also `drscheme:language-configuration:fill-language-dialog`.

The *show-welcome?* argument determines if a “Welcome to DrScheme” message and some natural language buttons are shown.

The *language-settings-to-show* argument must be some default language settings that the dialog is initialized to. If unsure of a default, the currently set language in the user’s preferences can be obtained via:

```
(preferences:get (drscheme:language-configuration:get-settings-preferences-symbol))
```

The *parent* argument is used as the parent to the dialog.

`drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings-language`

- (drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings-language *ls*) ⇒ (is-a?/c drscheme:language:language<%>  
*ls* : drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?

Extracts the language field of a language-settings.

`drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings-settings`

- (drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings-settings *ls*) ⇒ any?  
*ls* : drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?

Extracts the settings field of a language-settings.

`drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?`

- (drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings? *val*) ⇒ boolean?  
*val* : any?

Determines if the argument is a language-settings or not.

`drscheme:language-configuration:make-language-settings`

- (drscheme:language-configuration:make-language-settings *language settings*) ⇒ drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?  
*language* : (implementation?/c drscheme:language:language<%>)  
*settings* : any?

This is the constructor for a record consisting of two elements, a language and its settings.

The settings is a language-specific record that holds a value describing a parameterization of the language.

It has two selectors, `drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings-language` and `drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings-settings`, and a predicate, `drscheme:language-configuration:language-settings?`

`drscheme:language:create-executable-gui`

- (drscheme:language:create-executable-gui *parent program-name show-type? show-base?*) ⇒ (union false? (list/p (symbols (quote no-show) (quote launcher) (quote stand-alone)) (symbols (quote no-show) (quote mred) (quote mzscheme)) string?))

```

parent : (union false? (is-a?/c top-level-window<%>))
program-name : (union false? string?)
show-type? : (union (lambda (x) (eq? x #t)) (symbols 'launcher 'standalone))
show-base? : (union (lambda (x) (eq? x #t)) (symbols 'mzscheme 'mred))

```

Opens a dialog to prompt the user about their choice of executable. If *show-type?* is `\#t`, the user is prompted about a choice of executable: stand-alone, or launcher. If *show-base?* is `\#t`, the user is prompted about a choice of base binary: mzscheme or mred.

The *program-name* argument is used to construct the default executable name in a platform-specific manner.

The *parent* argument is used for the parent of the dialog.

The result of this function is `\#f` if the user cancel's the dialog and a list of three items indicating what options they chose. If either *show-type?* or *show-base?* was `\#f`, the corresponding result will be `'no-show`, otherwise it will indicate the user's choice.

#### drscheme:language:create-module-based-launcher

```

- (drscheme:language:create-module-based-launcher program-filename executable-filename module-
  language-spec transformer-module-language-spec init-code gui? use-copy?) => void?
  program-filename : string?
  executable-filename : string?
  module-language-spec : any?
  transformer-module-language-spec : any?
  init-code : any?
  gui? : boolean?
  use-copy? : boolean?

```

This procedure is identical to `drscheme:language:create-module-based-stand-alone-executable`, except that it creates a launcher instead of a stand-alone executable.

#### drscheme:language:create-module-based-stand-alone-executable

```

- (drscheme:language:create-module-based-stand-alone-executable program-filename executable-
  filename module-language-spec transformer-module-language-spec init-code gui? use-copy?) =>
  void?
  program-filename : string?
  executable-filename : string?
  module-language-spec : any?
  transformer-module-language-spec : any?
  init-code : any?
  gui? : boolean?
  use-copy? : boolean?

```

This procedure creates a stand-alone executable in the file *executable-filename* that runs the program *program-filename*.

The arguments *module-language-spec* and *transformer-module-language-spec* specify the settings of the initial namespace, both the transformer portion and the regular portion.

The *init-code* argument is an s-expression representing the code for a module. This module is expected to provide the identifier `init-code`, bound to a procedure of no arguments. That module is required and the `init-code` procedure is executed to initialize language-specific settings before the code in *program-filename* runs.

The *gui?* argument indicates if a MrEd or MzScheme stand-alone executable is created.

The *use-copy?* argument indicates if the initial namespace should be populated with `namespace-require/copy` or `namespace-require`.

#### `drscheme:language:extend-language-interface`

- (`drscheme:language:extend-language-interface` *interface* *default-implementation*)  $\Rightarrow$  void?  
*interface* : interface?  
*default-implementation* : ((implementation?/c `drscheme:language:language`<%>) . ->d . (lambda (%) (subclass?/c %)))

This function can only be called in phase 1 (see section 2 for details).

Each language added passed to `drscheme:language-configuration:add-language` must implement *interface*.

The *default-implementation* is a mixin that provides a default implementation of *interface*. Languages that are unaware of the specifics of *extension* use *default-implementation* via `drscheme:language:get-default-mixin`.

#### `drscheme:language:get-default-mixin`

- (`drscheme:language:get-default-mixin`)  $\Rightarrow$  ((implementation?/c `drscheme:language:language`<%>) . ->d . (lambda (%) (subclass?/c %)))

This function can only be called in phase 2 (see section 2 for details).

The result of this function is the composite of all of the *default-implementation* arguments passed to `drscheme:language:extend-language-interface`.

#### `drscheme:language:get-language-extensions`

- (`drscheme:language:get-language-extensions`)  $\Rightarrow$  (listof interface?)

This function can only be called in phase 2 (see section 2 for details).

Returns a list of the interfaces passed to `drscheme:language:extend-language-interface`.

#### `drscheme:language:get-post-hash-bang-start`

- (`drscheme:language:get-post-hash-bang-start` *text*)  $\Rightarrow$  (>=/c 0)  
*text* : (is-a?/c `text%`)

Returns the starting position of this text, skipping over `#!` if there is one. If there is no `#!`, returns 0.

#### `drscheme:language:make-simple-settings`

- (`drscheme:language:make-simple-settings` *case-sensitive* *printing-style* *fraction-style* *show-sharing* *insert-newlines* *debugging*)  $\Rightarrow$  `drscheme:language:simple-settings?`  
*case-sensitive* : boolean?  
*printing-style* : (symbols 'constructor 'quasiquote 'write 'current-print)  
*fraction-style* : (symbols 'mixed-fraction 'mixed-fraction-e 'repeating-decimal 'repeating-decimal-e)  
*show-sharing* : boolean?  
*insert-newlines* : boolean?  
*debugging* : (symbols 'none 'debug 'debug/profile)

Constructs a simple settings.

`drscheme:language:make-text/pos`

- (`drscheme:language:make-text/pos` *text start end*) ⇒ `drscheme:language:text/pos?`  
*text* : (is-a?/c `text%`)  
*start* : number?  
*end* : number?

Constructs a text/pos.

`drscheme:language:put-executable`

- (`drscheme:language:put-executable` *parent program-filename mred? launcher? title*) ⇒ (union false? string?)  
*parent* : (is-a?/c `top-level-window<%>`)  
*program-filename* : string?  
*mred?* : boolean?  
*launcher?* : boolean?  
*title* : string?

Calls the MrEd primitive `put-file` with arguments appropriate for creating an executable from the file *program-filename*.

The arguments *mred?* and *launcher?* indicate what type of executable this should be (and the dialog may be slightly different on some platforms, depending on these arguments).

The *title* argument is used as the title to the primitive `put-file` or `get-directory` primitive.

`drscheme:language:simple-settings->vector`

- (`drscheme:language:simple-settings->vector` *simple-settings*) ⇒ vector?  
*simple-settings* : `drscheme:language:simple-settings?`

Constructs a vector whose first index is the symbol `'struct:simple-settings` and the other elements are the fields of *simple-settings*.

`drscheme:language:simple-settings-annotations`

- (`drscheme:language:simple-settings-annotations` *simple-settings*) ⇒ (symbols 'none 'debug 'debug/profile)  
*simple-settings* : `drscheme:language:simple-settings?`

Extracts the debugging setting from a simple-settings.

`drscheme:language:simple-settings-case-sensitive`

- (`drscheme:language:simple-settings-case-sensitive` *simple-settings*) ⇒ boolean?  
*simple-settings* : `drscheme:language:simple-settings?`

Extracts the case-sensitive setting from a simple-settings.

`drscheme:language:simple-settings-fraction-style`

- (`drscheme:language:simple-settings-fraction-style` *simple-settings*) ⇒ (symbols 'mixed-fraction 'mixed-fraction-e 'repeating-decimal 'repeating-decimal-e)  
*simple-settings* : `drscheme:language:simple-settings?`

Extracts the fraction-style setting from a simple-settings.

`drscheme:language:simple-settings-insert-newlines`

- (`drscheme:language:simple-settings-insert-newlines` *simple-settings*)  $\Rightarrow$  `boolean?`  
*simple-settings* : `drscheme:language:simple-settings?`

Extracts the insert-newline setting from a simple-settings.

`drscheme:language:simple-settings-printing-style`

- (`drscheme:language:simple-settings-printing-style` *simple-settings*)  $\Rightarrow$  (symbols 'constructor 'quasiquote 'write 'current-print)  
*simple-settings* : `drscheme:language:simple-settings?`

Extracts the printing-style setting from a simple-settings.

`drscheme:language:simple-settings-show-sharing`

- (`drscheme:language:simple-settings-show-sharing` *simple-settings*)  $\Rightarrow$  `boolean?`  
*simple-settings* : `drscheme:language:simple-settings?`

Extracts the show-sharing setting from a simple-settings.

`drscheme:language:simple-settings?`

- (`drscheme:language:simple-settings?` *val*)  $\Rightarrow$  `boolean?`  
*val* : `any?`

Determines if *val* is a simple-settings.

`drscheme:language:text/pos-end`

- (`drscheme:language:text/pos-end` *text/pos*)  $\Rightarrow$  `number?`  
*text/pos* : `drscheme:language:text/pos?`

Selects the ending position from a text/pos.

`drscheme:language:text/pos-start`

- (`drscheme:language:text/pos-start` *text/pos*)  $\Rightarrow$  `number?`  
*text/pos* : `drscheme:language:text/pos?`

Selects the starting position from a text/pos.

`drscheme:language:text/pos-text`

- (`drscheme:language:text/pos-text` *text/pos*)  $\Rightarrow$  (is-a?/c **text%**)  
*text/pos* : `drscheme:language:text/pos?`

Selects the **text%** from a text/pos.

`drscheme:language:text/pos?`

- (`drscheme:language:text/pos?` *val*)  $\Rightarrow$  `boolean?`  
*val* : `any?`

Returns **#t** if *val* is a text/pos, and **#f** otherwise.

`drscheme:number-snip:make-fraction-snip`

- (`drscheme:number-snip:make-fraction-snip num show-prefix-in-decimal-view?`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`is-a?/c snip%`)  
`num` : number?  
`show-prefix-in-decimal-view?` : boolean?

Makes a number snip for DrScheme's REPL that is in the fraction view state. The boolean indicates if a `#e` prefix appears on the number in the decimal state

See also `drscheme:number-snip:make-repeating-decimal-snip`.

`drscheme:number-snip:make-repeating-decimal-snip`

- (`drscheme:number-snip:make-repeating-decimal-snip num show-prefix?`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`is-a?/c snip%`)  
`num` : number?  
`show-prefix?` : boolean?

Makes a number snip for DrScheme's REPL that is in the decimal view state. The boolean indicates if a `#e` prefix appears on the number.

See also `drscheme:number-snip:make-fraction-snip`.

`drscheme:rep:current-rep`

- (`drscheme:rep:current-rep`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`is-a?/c drscheme:rep:text%`)

This is a parameter whose value should not be set by tools. It is initialized to the repl that controls this evaluation in the user's thread

`drscheme:rep:exn:locs-locs`

- (`drscheme:rep:exn:locs-locs loc`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`listof (list/p (is-a?/c text:basic<%>) number? number?)`)  
`loc` : `drscheme:rep:exn:locs?`

Extracts the loc field from the exn.

`drscheme:rep:exn:locs?`

- (`drscheme:rep:exn:locs? val`)  $\Rightarrow$  boolean?  
`val` : any?

Determines if `val` is an `exn:loc` or not.

`drscheme:rep:get-drs-bindings-keymap`

- (`drscheme:rep:get-drs-bindings-keymap`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`is-a?/c keymap%`)

Returns a keymap that binds various DrScheme-specific keybindings. This keymap is used in the definitions and interactions window.

Defaultly binds C-x;0 to a function that switches the focus between the definitions and interactions windows. Also binds f5 to Execute and f1 to Help Desk.

`drscheme:rep:get-error-ranges`

- (`drscheme:rep:get-error-ranges`)  $\Rightarrow$  (`union false? (cons/p (list/p any? number? number?) (listof (list/p any? number? number?))))`)

Returns the currently highlighted error range, or #f if there is none.

#### drscheme:rep:insert-error-in-text

- (drscheme:rep:insert-error-in-text *text rep-text msg exn dir*) ⇒ void?
  - text* : (is-a?/c text%)
  - rep-text* : (union false? (is-a?/c drscheme:rep:text<%>))
  - msg* : string?
  - exn* : exn?
  - dir* : (union false? (and/f string? directory-exists?))

Formats and inserts the error message described by *msg* and *exn* into the text

The *rep-text* argument is used to trigger the actual highlighting.

The *msg* and *exn* arguments are expected to come from the `error-display-handler`, when the `error-print-source-location` parameter is set to #f.

The *user-dir* argument is the current directory of the program where the error occurred. If it is a string, it is used to shorten the path the file where the error occurred.

See also `drscheme:rep:insert-error-in-text/highlight-errors`.

#### drscheme:rep:insert-error-in-text/highlight-errors

- (drscheme:rep:insert-error-in-text/highlight-errors *text highlight-errors msg exn dir*) ⇒ void?
  - text* : (is-a?/c text%)
  - highlight-errors* : ((listof (list/p (is-a?/c text%) number? number?)) . -> . void?)
  - msg* : string?
  - exn* : exn?
  - dir* : (union false? (and/f string? directory-exists?))

Formats and inserts the error message described by *msg* and *exn* into the text

The *highlight-errors* argument is used to highlight the source location of the error.

The *msg* and *exn* arguments are expected to come from the `error-display-handler`, when the `error-print-source-location` parameter is set to #f.

The *user-dir* argument is the current directory of the program where the error occurred. If it is a string, it is used to shorten the path the file where the error occurred.

See also `drscheme:rep:insert-error-in-text`.

#### drscheme:rep:make-exn:locs

- (drscheme:rep:make-exn:locs *message continuation-mark-set locs*) ⇒ drscheme:rep:exn:locs?
  - message* : string?
  - continuation-mark-set* : continuation-mark-set?
  - locs* : (listof (list/p (is-a?/c text:basic<%>) number? number?))

Constructs an `exn:loc`. These exceptions are handled specially by DrScheme's REPL. The source locations inside them are highlighted by the default exception handler.

#### drscheme:rep:reset-error-ranges

- (drscheme:rep:reset-error-ranges) ⇒ void?
 

Clears the current error highlighting.

`drscheme:rep:use-number-snip`

- (`drscheme:rep:use-number-snip`)  $\Rightarrow$  (any? . -> . boolean?)
- (`drscheme:rep:use-number-snip use-number-snip?`)  $\Rightarrow$  void?  
`use-number-snip?` : (any? . -> . boolean?)

This is a parameter whose value is a predicate determines if DrScheme uses a mixed fraction snip, a repeating decimal snip, or a regular ASCII improper fraction for printing numbers.

If the value of the parameter returns `#t`, a mixed improper fraction snip is used. If it returns `'repeating-decimal`, a repeating decimal snip is used. If it returns `#f`, an ASCII improper fraction is used.

Its default value is:

```
(lambda (x)
  (if (and (number? x)
          (exact? x)
          (real? x)
          (not (integer? x)))
      #t
      #f))
```

The value of this parameter must not return `#t` more often than the above code, or else the snip implementation will fail. It may, however, return `#f` more often.

`drscheme:rep:which-number-snip`

- (`drscheme:rep:which-number-snip which-number-snip`)  $\Rightarrow$  void?  
`which-number-snip` : (number? . -> . (symbols 'mixed-fraction 'mixed-fraction-e 'repeating-decimal 'repeating-decimal-e))
- (`drscheme:rep:which-number-snip`)  $\Rightarrow$  (number? . -> . (symbols 'mixed-fraction 'mixed-fraction-e 'repeating-decimal 'repeating-decimal-e))

This function is called if `drscheme:rep:use-number-snip` returns `#t` for some kind of snip. When that happens, this parameter determines what kind of snip to use.

The symbol `'mixed-fraction` indicates a mixed fraction snip. The symbol `'repeating-decimal` indicates a decimal expansion, possibly with an overbar on a suffix of the decimal expansion indicating that suffix is repeated forever. Either symbol suffixed with `-e` is the same, except that an `#e` is prefixed to the number when viewed in decimal notation.

`drscheme:teachpack:install-teachpacks`

- (`drscheme:teachpack:install-teachpacks teachpack-cache`)  $\Rightarrow$  void?  
`teachpack-cache` : `drscheme:teachpack:teachpack-cache?`

Installs the teachpack cache in the current namespace. Passing `'drscheme:teachpacks` to `preferences:get` returns the user's currently selected TeachPacks.

`drscheme:teachpack:teachpack-cache-filenames`

- (`drscheme:teachpack:teachpack-cache-filenames teachpack-cache`)  $\Rightarrow$  (listof string?)  
`teachpack-cache` : `drscheme:teachpack:teachpack-cache?`

Returns the list of filenames for the teachpacks in `teachpack-cache`.

See also `drscheme:teachpack:install-teachpacks`.

`drscheme:teachpack:teachpack-cache?`

- (`drscheme:teachpack:teachpack-cache?` *val*)  $\Rightarrow$  boolean?  
*val* : any?

Determines if *val* is a teachpack cache or not.

`drscheme:unit:add-to-program-editor-mixin`

- (`drscheme:unit:add-to-program-editor-mixin` *mixin*)  $\Rightarrow$  void?  
*mixin* : ((subclass?/c `text%`) . -> . (subclass?/c `text%`))

This function can only be called in phase 1 (see section 2 for details).

Adds *mixin* to the result of `drscheme:unit:get-program-editor-mixin`.

`drscheme:unit:get-program-editor-mixin`

- (`drscheme:unit:get-program-editor-mixin`)  $\Rightarrow$  ((subclass?/c `text%`) . -> . (subclass?/c `text%`))

Returns a mixin that must be mixed in to any `text%` object that might contain program text (and thus can be in the source field of some syntax object).

See also `drscheme:unit:add-to-program-editor-mixin`.

`drscheme:unit:make-bitmap`

- (`drscheme:unit:make-bitmap` *button-name*)  $\Rightarrow$  ((is-a?/c `area-container<%>`) . -> . (union string? (is-a?/c `bitmap%`)))  
*button-name* : string?
- (`drscheme:unit:make-bitmap` *text* *filename*)  $\Rightarrow$  ((is-a?/c `area-container<%>`) . -> . (union string? (is-a?/c `bitmap%`)))  
*text* : string?  
*filename* : string?

This function constructs a bitmap for a button label. It is used for the buttons on the top row of DrScheme's frame.

When one argument is supplied, this function constructs a button from the image in the `icons` collection named by the *button-name* with `.bmp` added to the end of the name. The button's label is also *button-name*, but with the first letter capitalized.

When two arguments are supplied, constructs a button with *text* as the button's label and where *filename* specifies the full path to the bitmap

The `area-container<%>` argument is used to find the font for the label

If the bitmap isn't found, this function returns a string to be used as the button's label.

`drscheme:unit:open-drscheme-window`

- (`drscheme:unit:open-drscheme-window`)  $\Rightarrow$  (is-a?/c `drscheme:unit:frame%`)
- (`drscheme:unit:open-drscheme-window` *filename*)  $\Rightarrow$  (is-a?/c `drscheme:unit:frame%`)  
*filename* : (union string? false?)

Opens a drscheme frame that displays *filename*, or nothing if *filename* is `#f` or not supplied.

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