Use Menu to Show Web Sites

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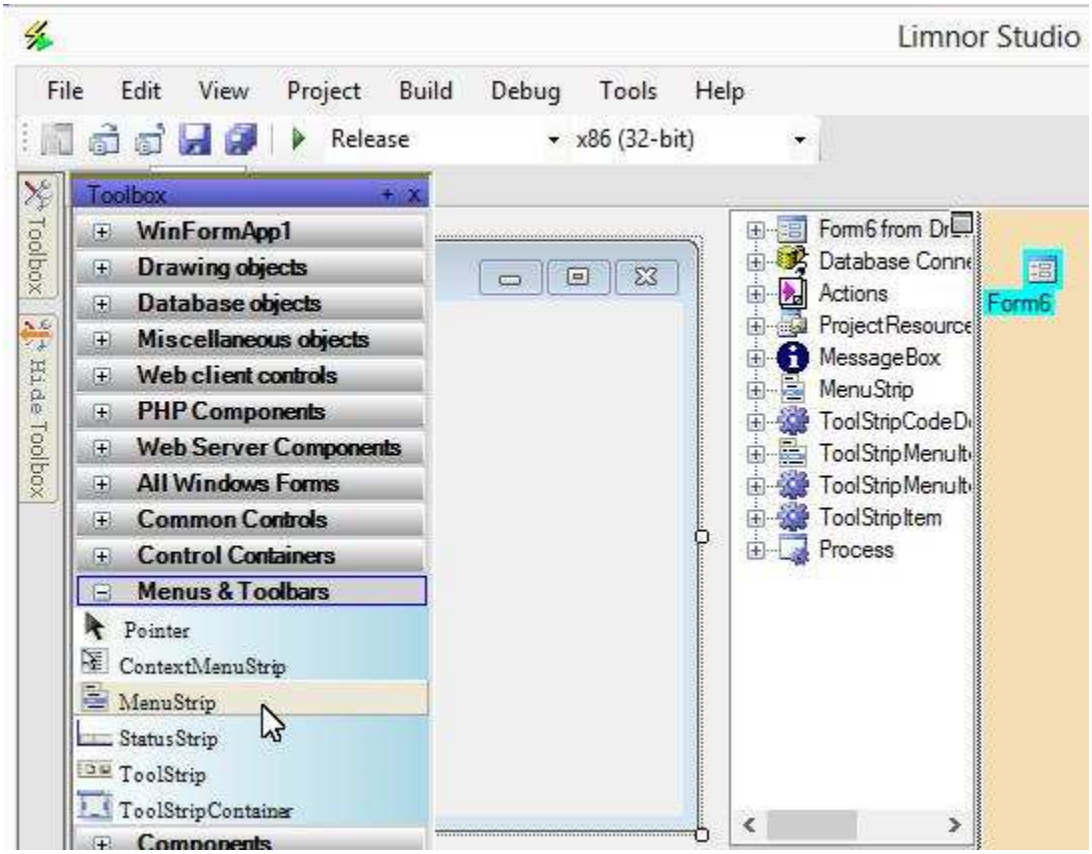
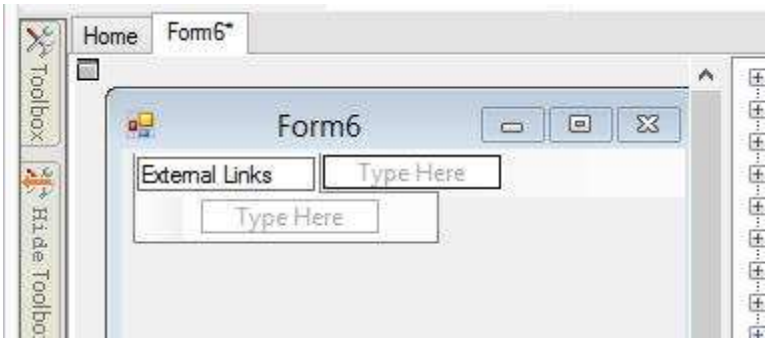
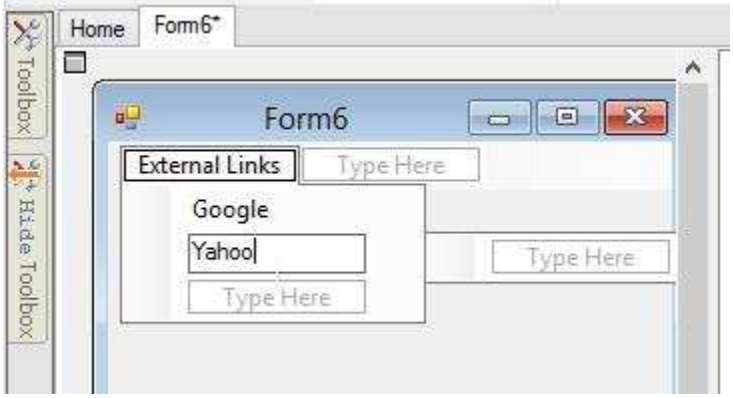
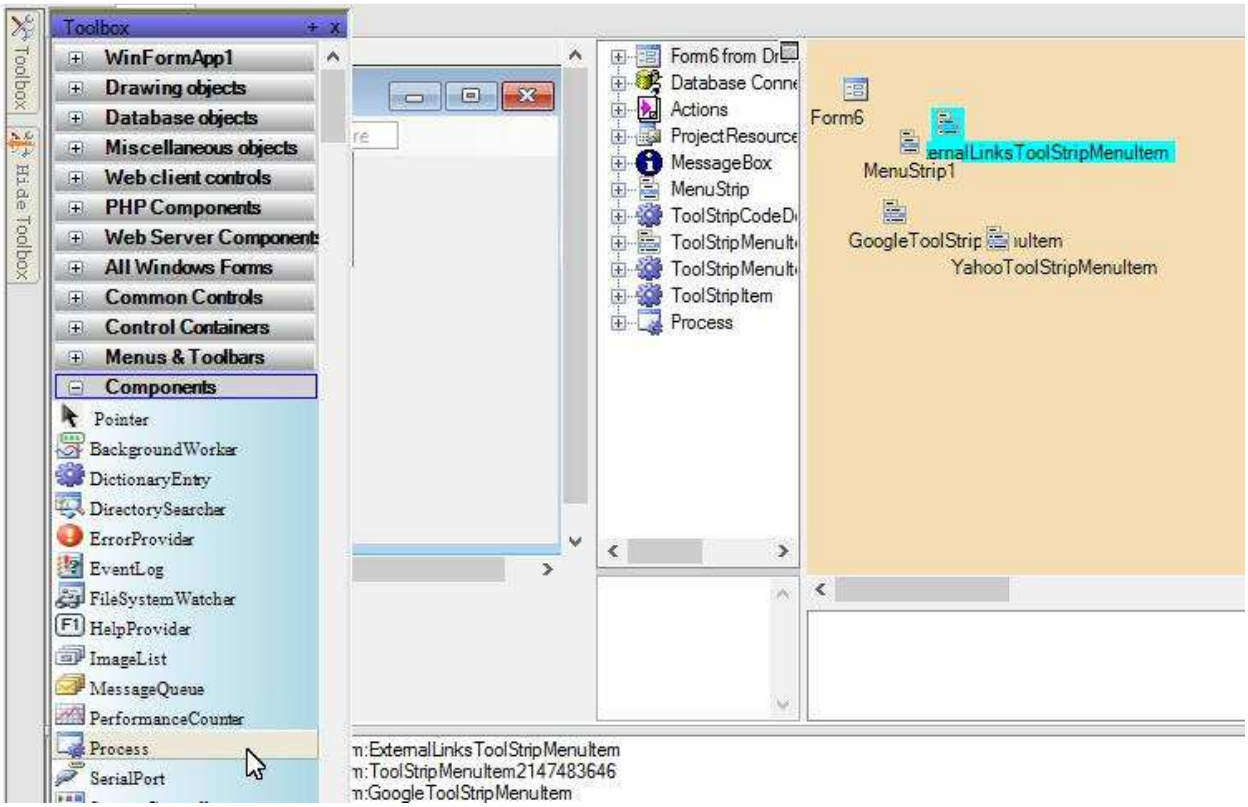
Add menu strip to form







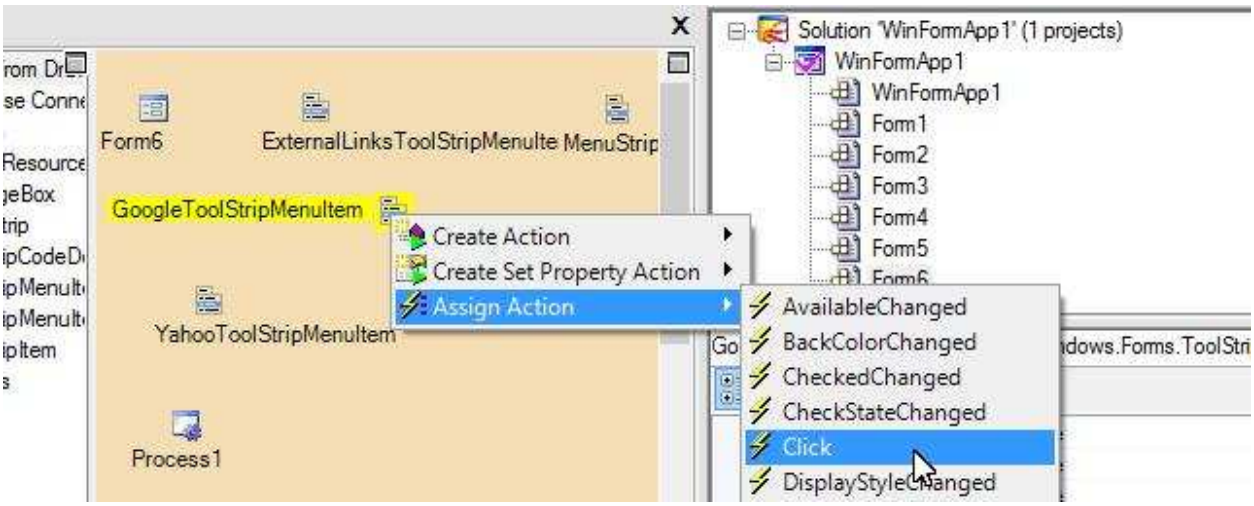
Add Process for execute external programs



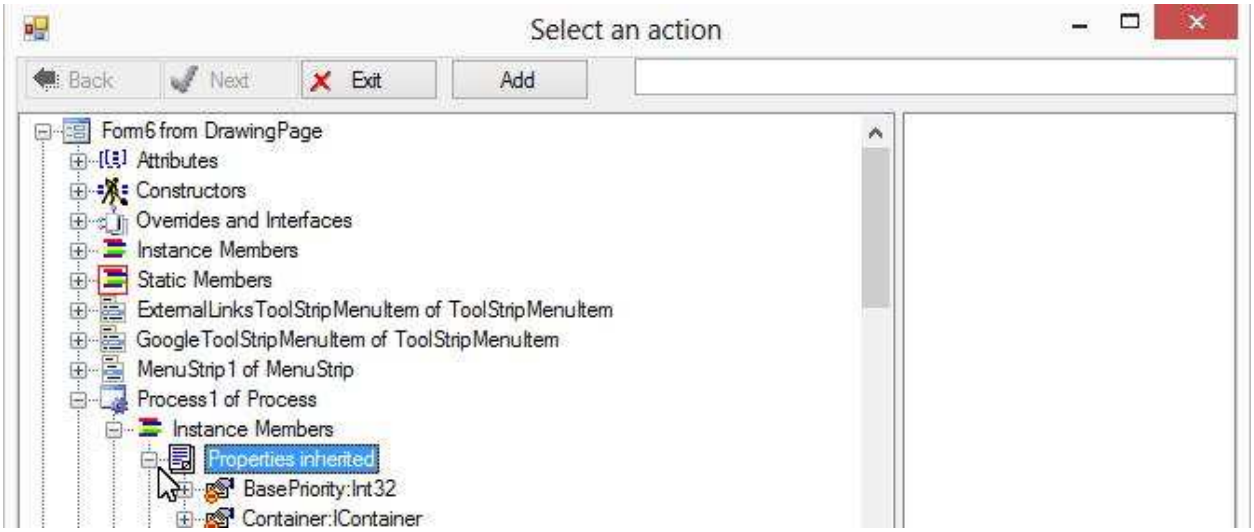
A Process component can be used to execute external programs, such as EXE files. It can also be used to open files which have registered “Open with” programs. Since most Windows computers have registered web URL with web browsers, we may use it to access web links.

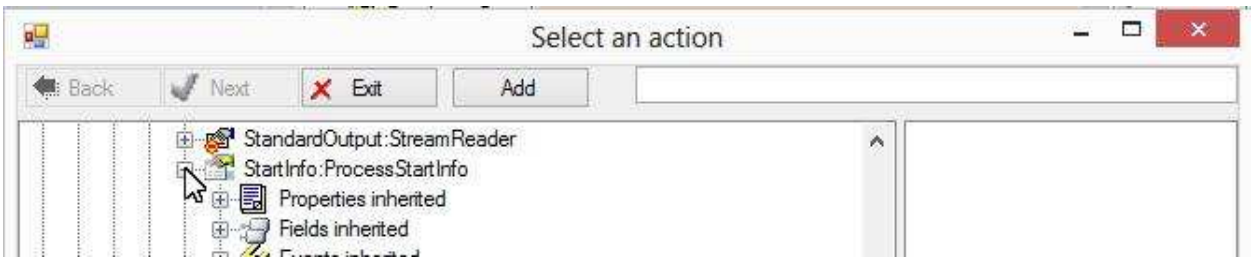
Assign actions to menus

Right-click a menu item; choose “Assign Action”; choose “Click” event:

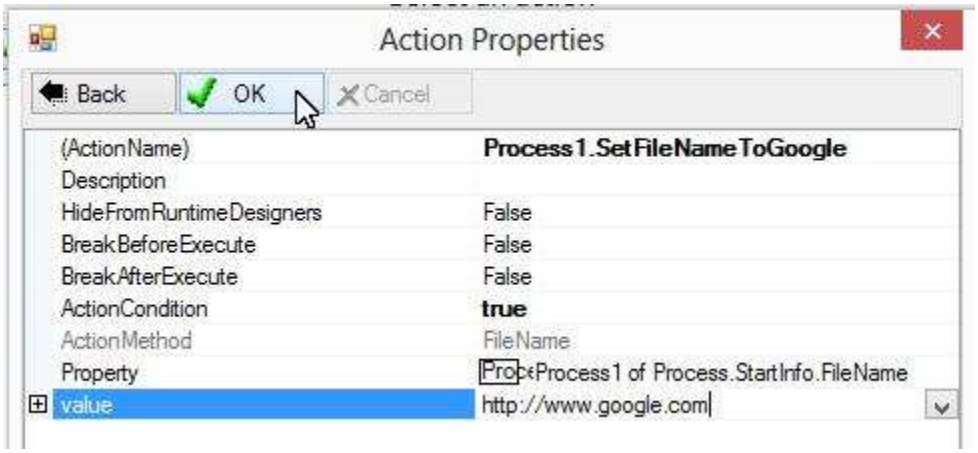


Select “FileName” property of the StartInfo property of the Process component:

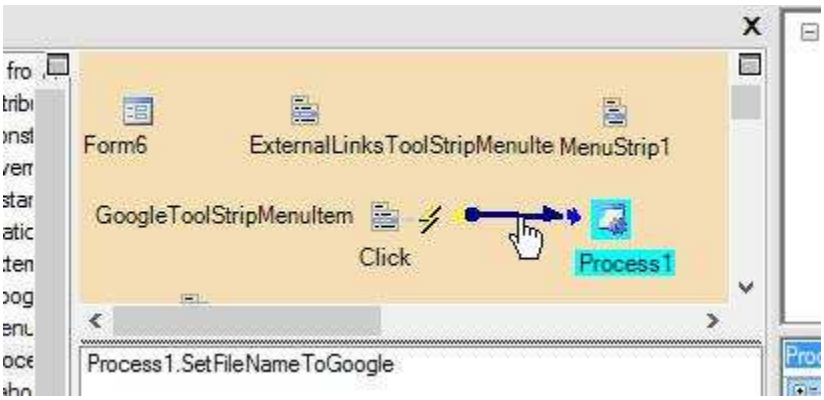




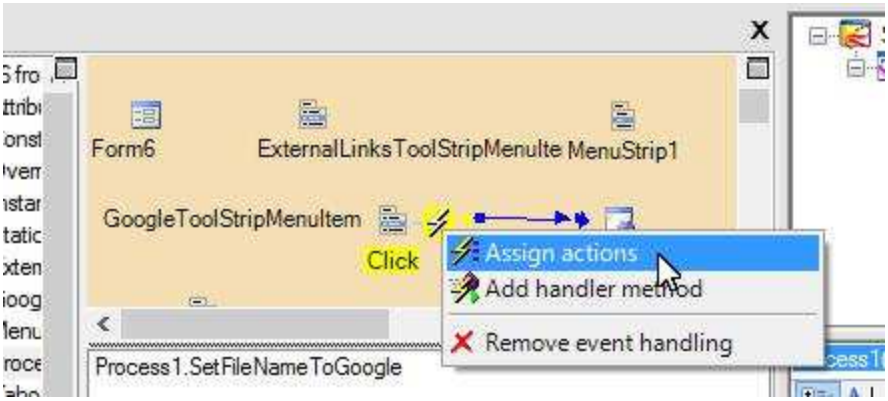
Specify Google web site URL:



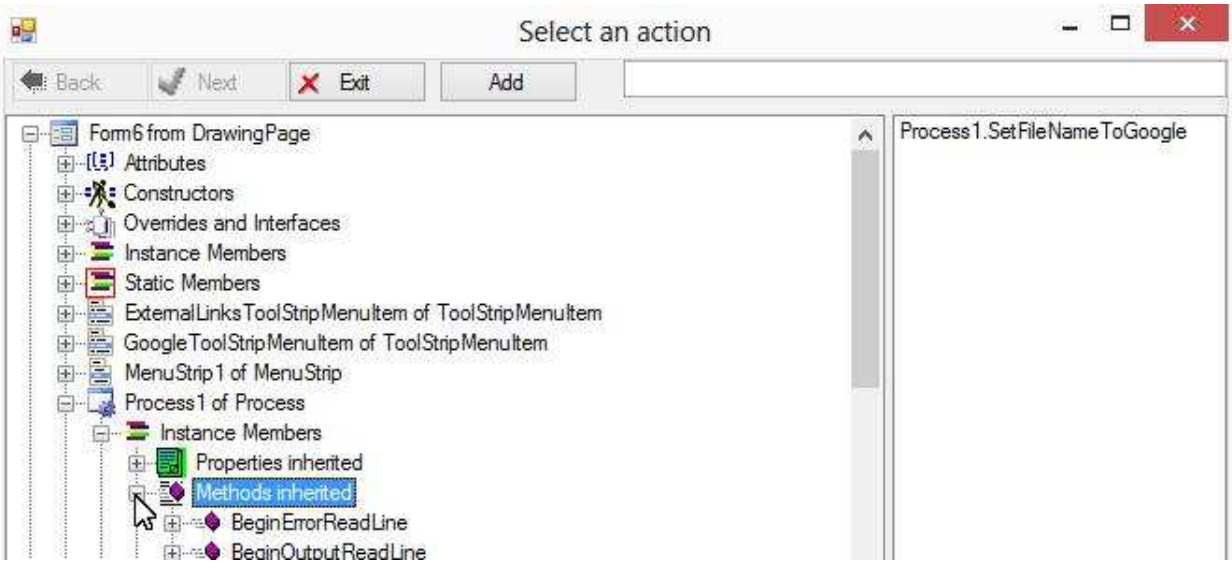
The action is created and assigned to the Click event:

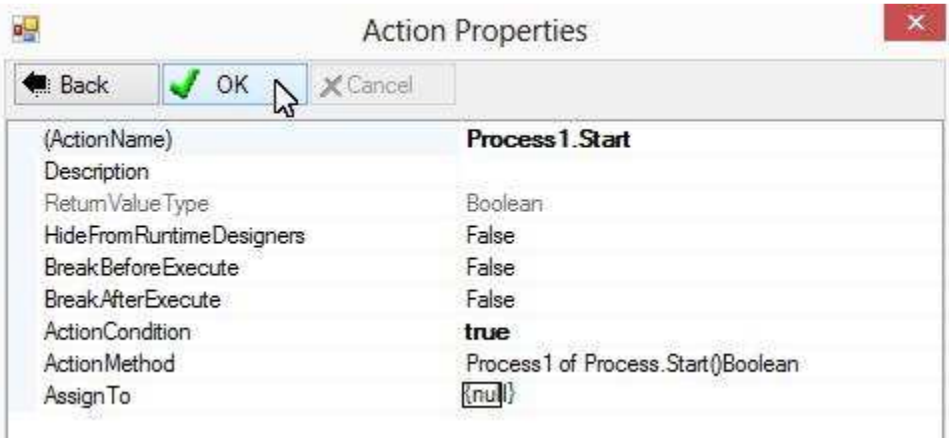


We need to assign a Start action of the Process to the same event. Right-click the event; choose “Assign actions”:



Choose “Start” method:





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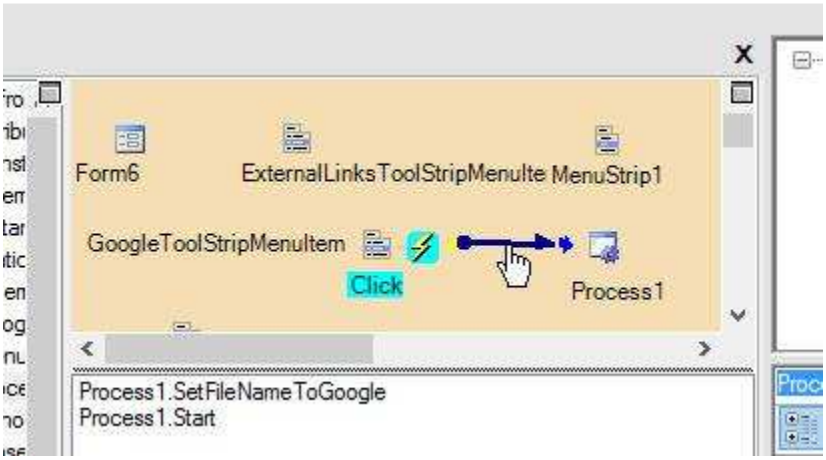
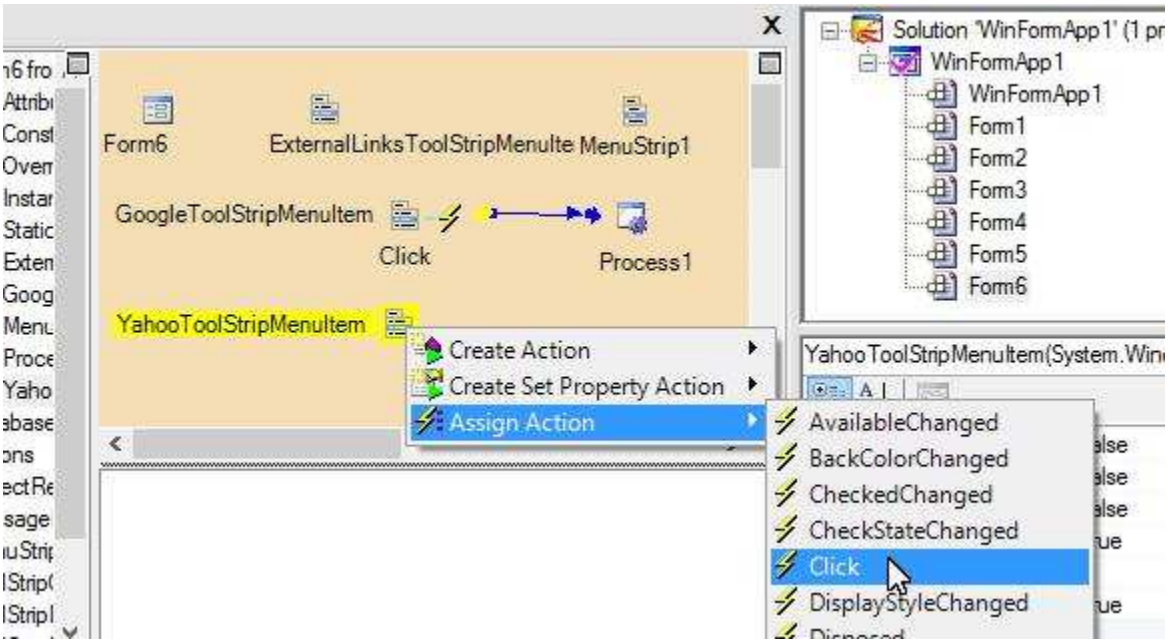


We'll repeat the above programming for another menu item.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MenuStrip1
GoogleToolStripMenuItem
Click
Process1
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CheckedChanged
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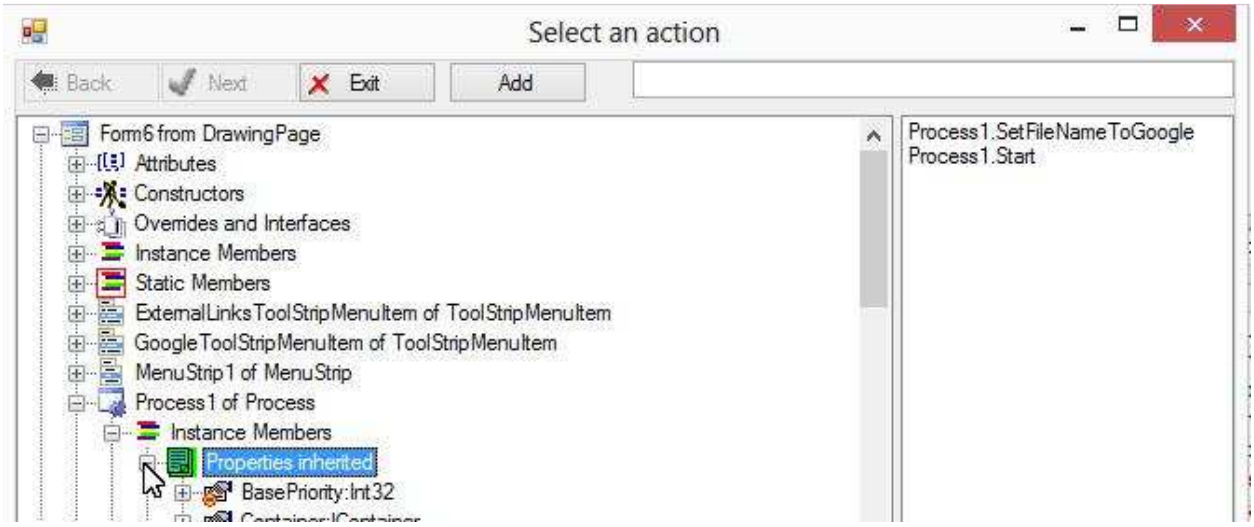
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Back
Next
Exit
Add
Form6 from DrawingPage
Attributes
Constructors
Overrides and Interfaces
Instance Members
Static Members
ExternalLinksToolStripMenuItem of ToolStripMenuItem
GoogleToolStripMenuItem of ToolStripMenuItem
MenuStrip1 of MenuStrip
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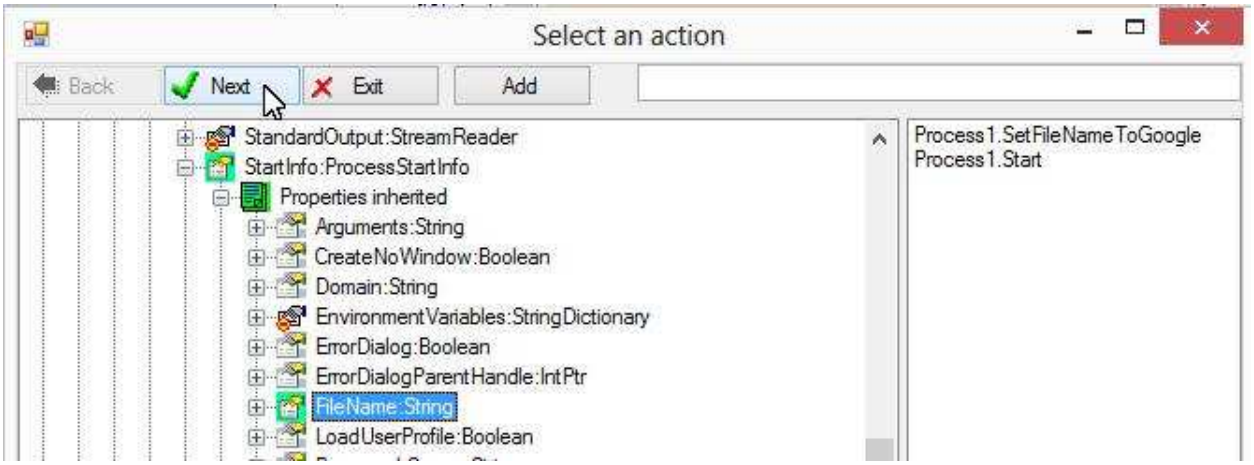
Process1.SetFileNameToGoogle
Process1.Start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Arguments:String
CreateNoWindow:Boolean
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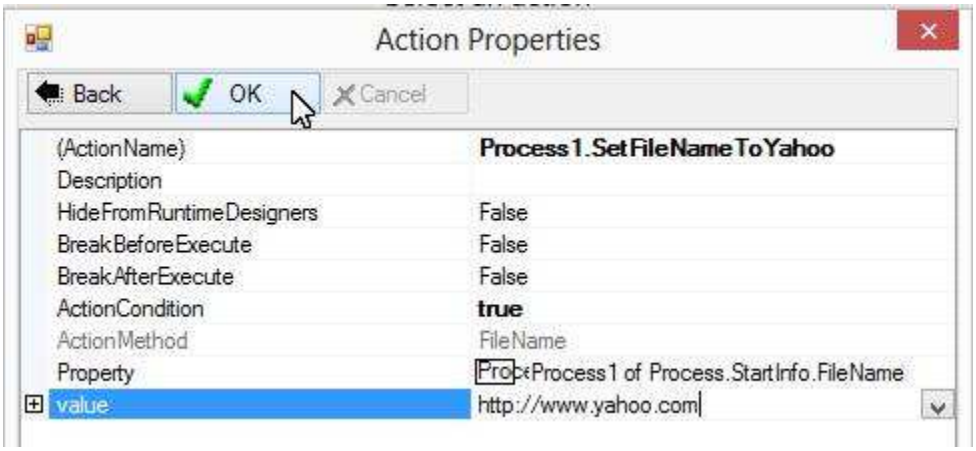
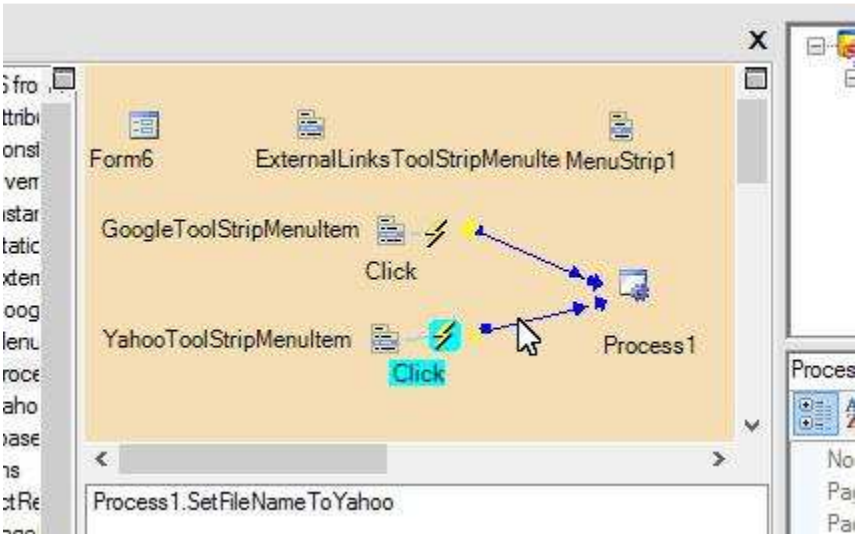
FileName:String
LoadUserProfile:Boolean
Process1.SetFileNameToGoogle
Process1.Start

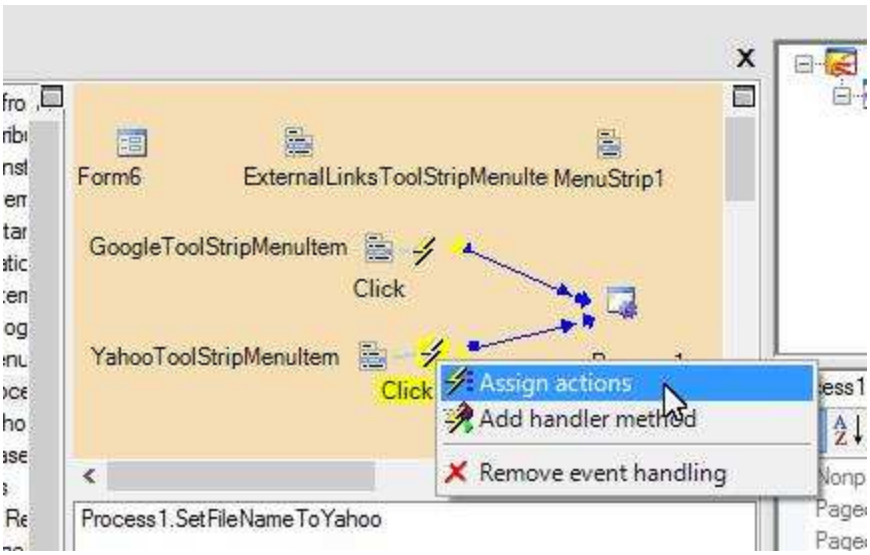
Specify Yahoo web URL:

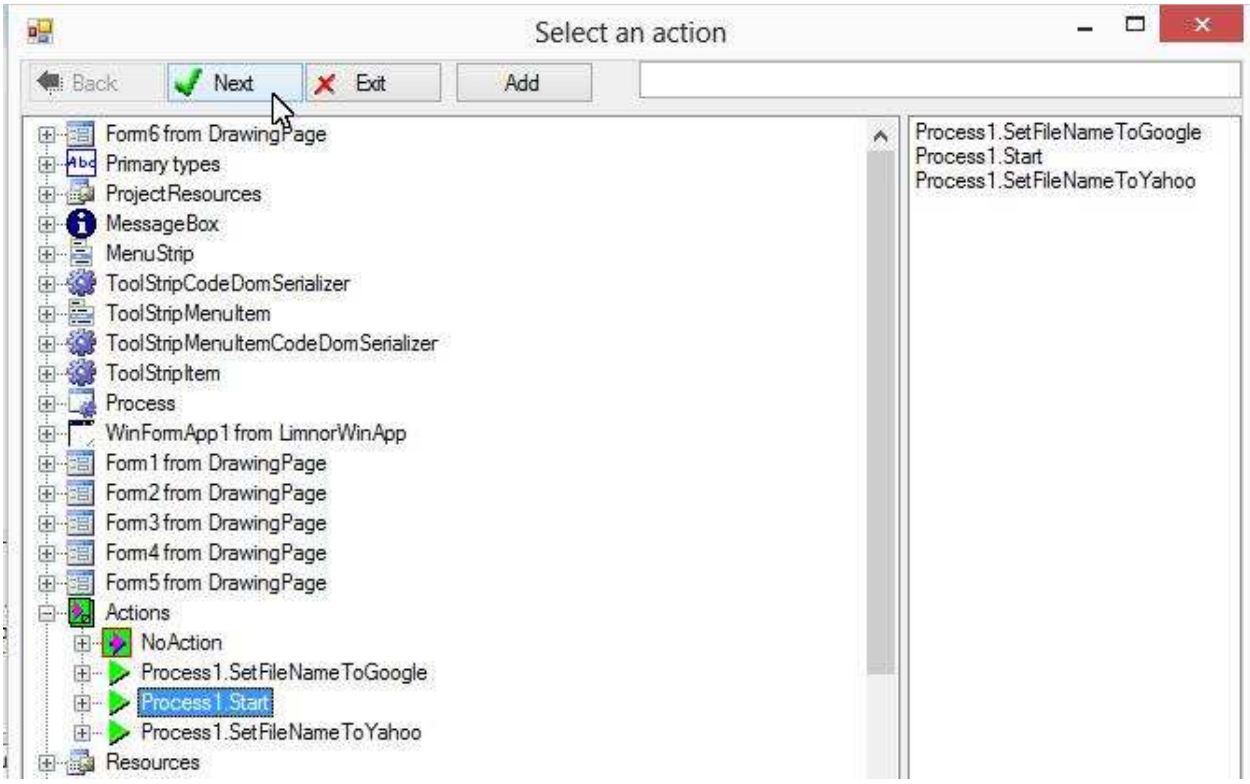


The action is created and assigned to the Click event:



We need to assign the Start action of the Process to the same event:





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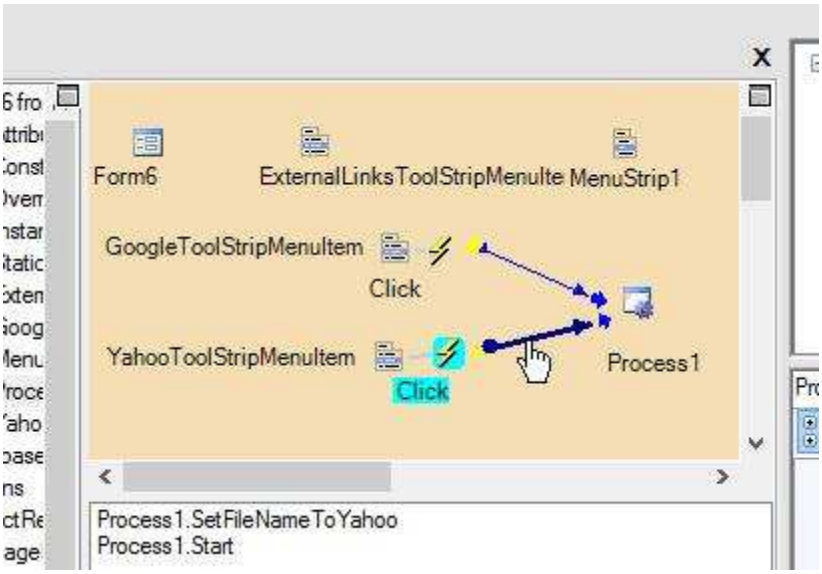
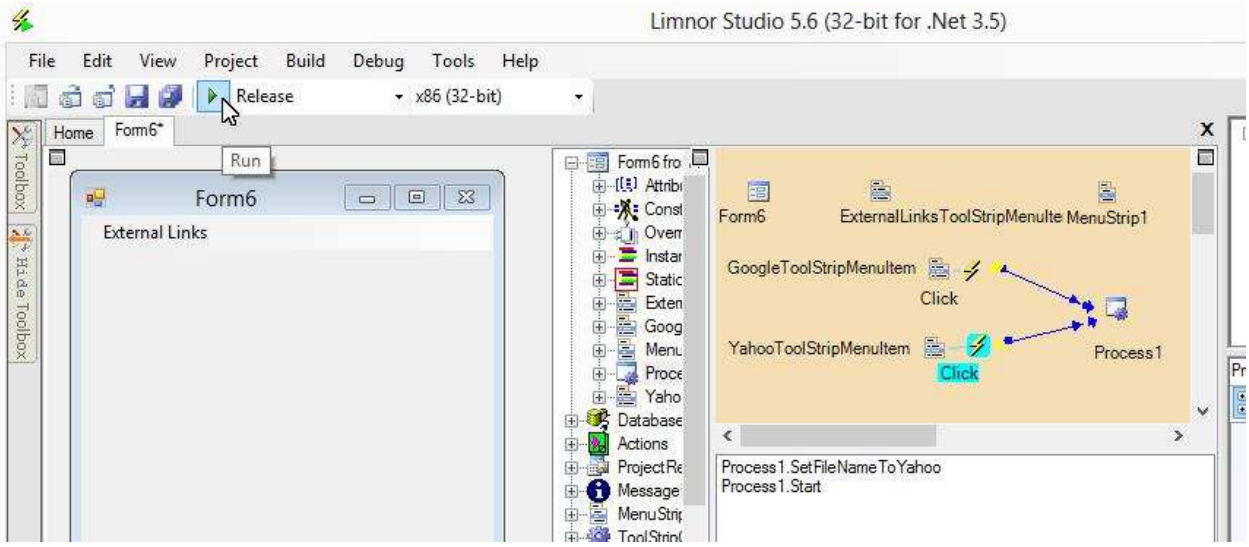
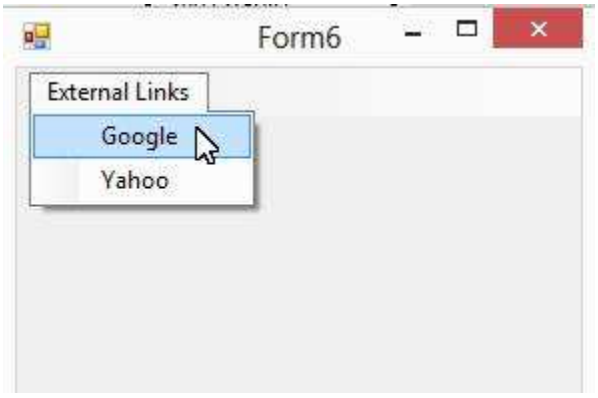


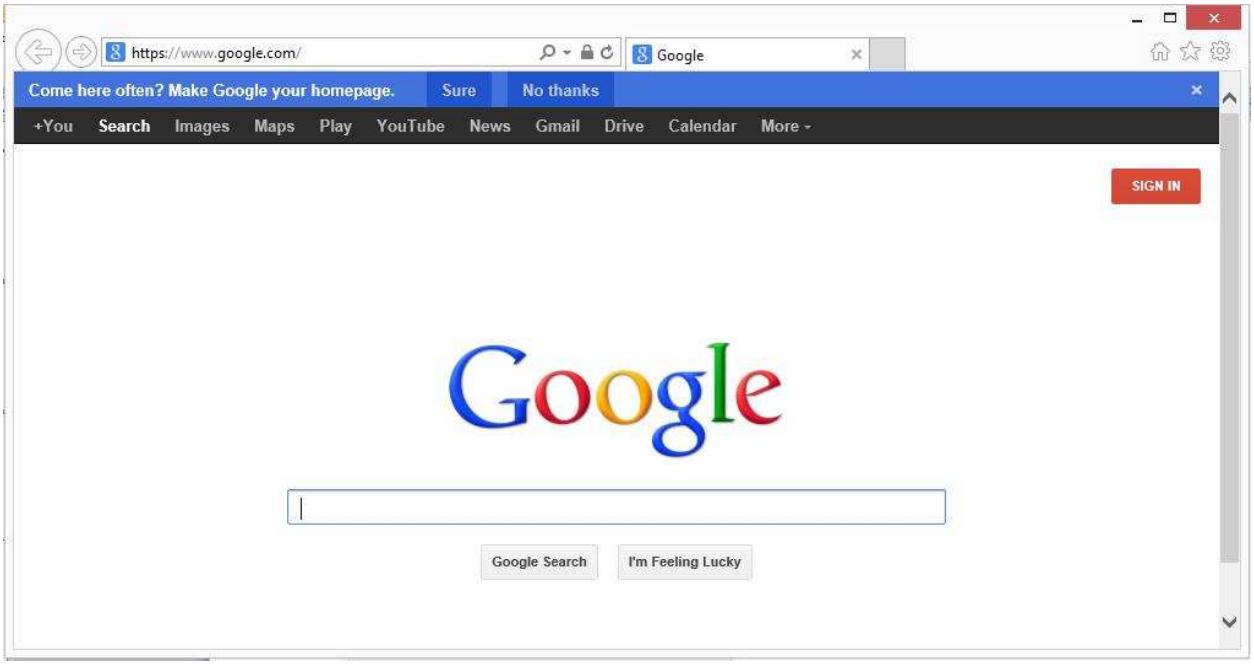
Test



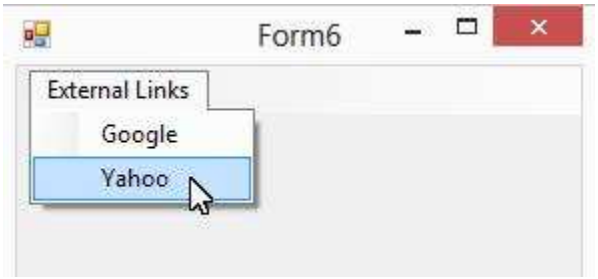
The form appears. Choose menu “Google”:

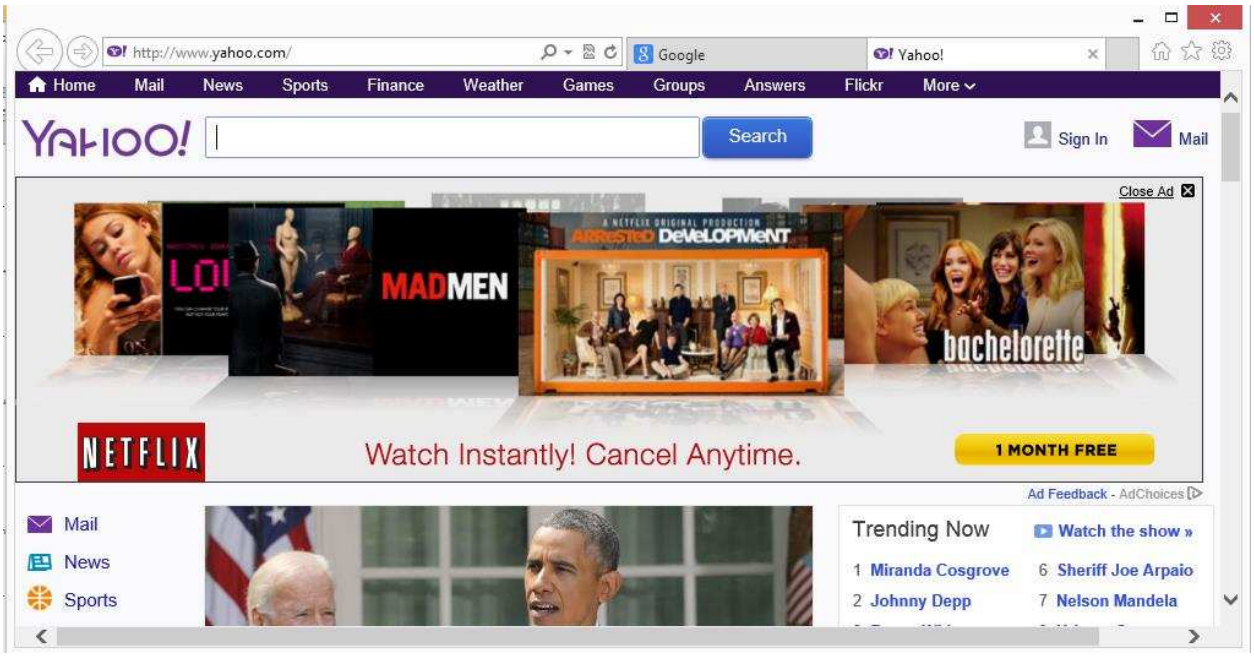


The Google web site is displayed in the default web browser:



Choose menu “Yahoo”; the Yahoo web site is displayed:





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