# **NSValue QTKit Additions Reference**

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| Conforms to               | NSObject (NSObject)  |
| Framework<br>Availability | /System/Library/Frameworks/QTKit.framework<br>Available in Mac OS X v10.4 and later. |
| Declared in               | QTTime.h<br>QTTimeRange.h  |

## **Overview**

The QuickTime Kit supports categories in the Foundation framework's NSValue class that allow you to get QTTime and QTTimeRange structures as objects of type NSValue. In Mac OS X v10.5, QTKit defines extra operations on the SMPTETime type. SMPTETime is defined in CoreAudio/CoreAudioTypes.h.

## Tasks

### Wrapping Time and Time Range Structures

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Returns a QTTimeRange structure that contains the range in an NSValue object.

## **Class Methods**

#### valueWithQTTime:

Creates an NSValue object that wraps the specified QTTime structure.

+ (NSValue \*)valueWithQTTime:(QTTime) time

**Availability** Available in Mac OS X v10.3 and later.

#### **Related Sample Code**

QTAudioExtractionPanel QTKitMovieShuffler

**Declared In** QTTime.h

#### valueWithQTTimeRange:

Creates an NSValue object that wraps the specified QTTimeRange structure.

+ (NSValue \*)valueWithQTTimeRange:(QTTimeRange)range

**Availability** Available in Mac OS X v10.3 and later.

Declared In QTTimeRange.h

#### valueWithSMPTETime:

Returns a new NSValue object containing an SMPTETime.

+ (NSValue \*)valueWithSMPTETime:(SMPTETime)time

Availability Mac OS X v10.5 and later.

**Declared In** QTTime.h

## **Instance Methods**

#### QTTimeRangeValue

Returns a QTTimeRange structure that contains the range in an NSValue object.

- (QTTimeRange)QTTimeRangeValue

**Availability** Available in Mac OS X v10.3 and later.

Declared In

QTTimeRange.h

### QTTimeValue

Returns a QTTime structure that contains the time in an NSValue object.

- (QTTime)QTTimeValue

**Availability** Available in Mac OS X v10.3 and later.

**Related Sample Code** QTKitMovieShuffler

**Declared In** QTTime.h

#### **SMPTETimeValue**

Returns a SMPTETime structure contained in an NSValue.

- (SMPTETime)SMPTETimeValue

**Availability** Mac OS X v10.5 and later.

**Declared In** QTTime.h NSValue QTKit Additions Reference

# **Document Revision History**

This table describes the changes to NSValue QTKit Additions Reference.

| Date       | Notes   |
|------------|---|
| 2007-05-07 | Updated for Mac OS X v10.5, with new SMPTETime methods.   |
| 2006-05-23 | First publication of this content as a separate document. |

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