
Subject: Re: Widget inflation

Posted by [Brian Jackel](#) on Fri, 23 Jan 1998 08:00:00 GMT

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Kevin Ivory wrote:

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> Brian Jackel wrote:

>> Has anybody encountered a situation where IDL widgets grow

>> larger everytime a DRAW_WIDGET is resized? This is version

>> { mipseb IRIX unix 5.0.2 Aug 19 1997}. The problem is that

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> This becoming a FAQ: (are you listening Mike?)

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> It's a well known bug ind IDL 5.0.

> Some pages of explanation are:

> <http://www.rsinc.com/tipoweeek/archive/widgets1.html>

> http://www.dfanning.com/idl5_info/tlb_resize_problem.html

Ahhh, thanks very much. My problem was with draw widgets not labels, but surrounding the change with UPDATE=0/1 ie.

```
WIDGET_CONTROL,info.drawID,UPDATE=0
WIDGET_CONTROL,info.drawID,XSIZE=nx,YSIZE=ny
WIDGET_CONTROL,info.drawID,UPDATE=1
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works just fine. If you don't mind a bit of flicker,
then this also does the trick

```
WIDGET_CONTROL,info.drawID,XSIZE=nx,YSIZE=ny,UPDATE=1
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