
Subject: Re: widget_list in IDL 5.1

Posted by [David Foster](#) on Mon, 15 Jun 1998 07:00:00 GMT

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jared gottlieb wrote:

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> A variation on the theme:

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> I'm working with the /NON-EXCLUSIVE variant of button-groups (IDL 5.1, DEC

> UNIX platform). When the user selects one of the buttons an event select

> occurs and I can get a 0/1 map of which buttons are currently selected.

> When the user toggles (de-selects) the button, there doesn't seem to be an

> event. There is an /NO_RELEASE for the call to CW_BGROUP that in the

> manual promises an event only when a button is selected. The opposite does

> not appear to be the default, that is a '/RELEASE'. Any ideas for a direct

> solution?

Just remove the /NO_RELEASE keyword. You are telling IDL to send events only when buttons are selected, so no event is generated when a button is released. This keyword is useful when you have exclusive buttons, when you only want an event from the button that was selected, and not from the one that was *unselected*.

Dave

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