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Subject: Re: Source Code: A min/max compound widget  
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In article <36098201.C8C40513@REMOVECAPSloki.srl.caltech.edu>,  
Doug Larson <djl@REMOVECAPSloki.srl.caltech.edu> wrote:

> Hi All,  
> I just finished a compound widget using sliders for getting the  
> minimum  
> and maximum of some range. I have included a simple test code at the  
> bottom  
> of the file for people to see what the widget does.

Hi Doug,  
I downloaded your compound widget and it works fine on an SGI IDLv5.0.  
I have already something that does a similar thing but in a very inelegant  
(unelegant?) and inflexible way. I'll try using your program instead, as it is  
written as a CW (and not a bunch of confusing statements which is what I have  
now).

I am re-visiting the construction of compound widgets, having had not  
so much success a few months ago when first starting widgets. I'll probably  
be studying your program to hopefully get some ideas, in particular, the use  
of PRO\_SET\_VALUE and FUNC\_GET\_VALUE which are not very well documented. (Nor  
can I find their use anywhere on DWF's web page :( Dave seems to prefer  
using a NotifyID keyword to pass events and change things.

Thanks  
Rose

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