
Subject: Re: Right justifying text
Posted by [robert.mallozzi](#) on Thu, 02 Dec 1999 08:00:00 GMT
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In article <3846E255.EA3BB3FB@va.aetc.com>,
Bernard Puc <bpuc@va.aetc.com> writes:
> Hello,
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> Does anyone have a method of right-justifying text in a text widget?
> I'm trying to display a single floating point numeral in a widget_text
> field.
> Thanks for any ideas.

If you set the size of the text area explicitly, you
could do something like this:

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ysize = 40
ysize = 1
base = WIDGET_BASE (/COLUMN)
text = WIDGET_TEXT (base, XSIZE = xsize, YSIZE = ysize, VALUE = "")
WIDGET_CONTROL, /REALIZE, base

num = 10.00
fmt = "(F" + STRTRIM (xsize, 2) + ".2)" ; F40.2

str = STRING (num, FORMAT = fmt)
WIDGET_CONTROL, text, SET_VALUE = str
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You could make the number of digits after the decimal point a
parameter as well; here I just hardcoded it to 2.

Regards,

-bob

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