
Subject: Re: Getting the widget id.

Posted by [Thomas Launey](#) on Thu, 06 Dec 2001 04:19:26 GMT

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100000@proxima.irus.rri.on.ca>, arankin@irus.rri.on.ca says...

> Yes I know this sounds simple, and it probably is, but for the sake of
> young guns like me why don't we humor me. I want to know what command I
> can run to get the widget ID of the supplied widget.

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> Something along the lines of:

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> slider = WIDGET_SLIDER(etc...)

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> WIDGET_INFO, slider, GET_ID

> or something of the like?

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> Talk to me!

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> -Adam

Hi Adam,

You mean slider ID is not saved in the Uval of the top-level base (or in
self for the object minded guys). AFAIK, Widget_info as a Find_by_Uname
keyword precisely for this purpose.

SO:

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·***** Event handler *****
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SliderID=widget_info(event.top,find_by_Uname="my slider")
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If (slider NE 0) then print, "slider ID is : " + strtrim(sliderID,2)
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·*****Main*****
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void=Widget_Slider(base,....,Uname="my slider")
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I hope this helps,

Thomas

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