
Subject: Re: 'remote control' for widgets?

Posted by [David Burrridge](#) on Mon, 16 Dec 2002 13:03:46 GMT

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Hi Sebastian,

Have you considered using the "Send_Event" keyword to Widget_Control? You'll have to build the event structure, but it would do exactly what you want.

For example, assuming your event below is a button (simplest example:-) you could:

```
Widget_Control, myWidget, Set_Value={ID:myWidget, TOP:myTLB, HANDLER:0L,
SELECT:1L}
```

If you don;t know the ID of the top-level base (myTLB), you *could* use Widget_Info to find it I guess, but the best would be to pass it through.

Does this help?

Dave

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<s@visita2.die.upm.es> wrote in message

news:Pine.LNX.4.44.0212161243430.3160-100000@visita2.die.upm.es...

> Hi all,

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> I try to progammatically set values of widgets like sliders or checkboxes.

> When I use "WIDGET_CONTROL,myWidget,SET_VALUE=myValue", only the widget
> gets changed, but the appropriate event is not generated.

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> What I am looking for is a technique taht allows me to change the value of
> a widget _and_ generates the event that would have been generated if I
> had changed the widget using the mouse or keyboard.

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> Thanks for all tips,

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> Sebastian

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