
Subject: Re: Best way to prevent deformed IDL widgets?

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Doesn't XPDmenu just make pull down menus?

Ding Wu (dwu2@curly.cc.emory.edu) wrote:

: Use XPdMenu instead of WIDGET_BUTTON.

: Ding

: Tim Patterson (patterso@astrosun.tn.cornell.edu) wrote:

: : I am using IDL to create some widgets for data handling. When I create the
: : window and place the widgets in it, IDL will stretch the last widget
: : in a row so that it matches the width of the window. This means for
: : instance, that if I try and put three buttons at the bottom of a wide
: : window such as PRINT USE and CLOSE I get:

: : | PRINT | | USE | | CLOSE |

: : with the close button being stretched out of shape.

: : Is it possible to either (a) stretch all buttons in proportion or
: : (b) prevent this stretching mechanism by a simple method (fixing the
: : size of the widgets directly makes it awkward to update at a later
: : date)

: : Thanks

: : Tim Patterson

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