
Subject: Re: controlling the hourglass cursor
Posted by [kklare](#) on Wed, 22 Sep 2004 23:26:30 GMT
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I run a special version of XMANAGER to allow me to have the main program as part of the event loop. This is required to create arbitrary variables in a main-level EXECUTE call of the user's text.

I added /NOWAIT (just call widget_event(/nowait) and /FUNC event_func instead of event_pro) options to xmanager. (Sorry execute preclude Virtual Machine.)

In this image analysis program I set the hourglass when starting an action and it disappears when I control it to zero.

Benjamin Hornberger <benjamin.hornberger@stonybrook.edu> wrote in message news:<41519f58\$1_4@marge.ic.sunysb.edu>...

> That doesn't work for me. With widget_control, according to the IDL
> documentation and confirmed by my experiences, you can turn the
> hourglass only on, and it will turn off by itself when IDL (xmanager,
> widget_event or whoever is it in the end) is ready to process the next
> event.

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> Benjamin

> Ken Klare wrote:

>> Just negate the hourglass:

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>> WIDGET_CONTROL, HOURGLASS=0

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>> I do not know about how to get the state.
