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Subject: Keeping Button Pressed In?

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I'm new to IDL but have some experience in programming. I'm trying to recreate the MS Paint/Adobe Photoshop metaphor with my application through a series of image buttons. Basically, I want one button to stay pressed down, signifying the "mode" the application is in. Is this possible with `widget_button`'s using the `/bitmap` keyword? I realize I could throw something up with radio buttons to achieve the same functionality, but I really think the pressed image buttons is a more elegant solution.

If not possible, are there any workarounds? I tried using two different images, one to make it look like it's pressed. But the `widget_button` has too much padding between the image and the border of the button to make it "look" like it's pressed. I couldn't figure out a way around this either.

Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks

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