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Subject: no drag events in cw\_fslider or widget\_slider  
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Hi,

I find that I do not get events when dragging the slider bar in either a widget\_slider or a cw\_fslider widget despite setting the /DRAG flag. I am using IDL 5.4 on Windows XP.

For both widgets, I do get events if I:

- (1) click in the scroll bar
- (2) click the right or left arrows at the ends of the scroll bar
- (3) release the mouse after dragging the slider

Incidentally, in the cw\_fslider widget, the slider does not move when I click the left or right scroll arrows on the slider (this is not the case in the widget\_slider widget).

I just ran the same code on a UNIX machine and I DO see continuous events while dragging (using both cw\_fslider and widget\_slider). So it may be a problem or incorrect setting on my Windows system. Is there a setting that needs to be updated in Windows for drag events to work?

Any advice out there on how to ensure that I get continuous events as the slider is dragged?

Thanks,  
James

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