
Subject: Re: iTools Layout - Some help for once :-)
Posted by [Antonio Santiago](#) on Fri, 31 Mar 2006 06:17:31 GMT
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Michael Galloy wrote:

> Antonio Santiago wrote:

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>> Thanks for the tip James.

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>> I just take a look at DoSetProperty, and I saw it uses the
>> SET_PROPERTY service that is nothing more than an operation
>> (IDLitopSetProperty) and , also it uses de CommandBuffer to bring
>> redo/undo options.

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>> I have a problem with this (the undo/redo) method because in my
>> program I don't want to offer this possibility, and also I don't want
>> to use extra space storing the previous value of a property or an
>> image. If you know some tips to avoid the command buffer I will
>> appreciate to you a lot.

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> You can bypass doSetProperty by using setProperty directly on the object
> whose properties you want to modify. Remember that doSetProperty is a
> method of the tool object which takes an argument that is the identifier
> of the component whose properties you are changing. This would be like:

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> status = oTool->doSetProperty(id, 'COLOR', [255, 0, 0])

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> If you want to use setProperty directly, then use getByIdentifier method
> of the tool like:

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> oComponent = otool->getByIdentifier(id)

> oComponent->setProperty, COLOR=[255, 0, 0]

>

> to get the object reference of the component. This bypasses the
> undo/redo system.

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> -Mike

Thanks Mike,

but since I was write the post I learn more on iTools. Now I am some
kind of Master Of the iTools :) (sorry, it's a bad joke).

PD: I am a fan of IDLdoc.

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