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Subject: PV-WAVE widgets

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I have seen postings on this net concerning IDL widgets but none concerning the PV\_WAVE widgets. I was wondering if anyone out there has tried out WAVE widgets. I am running PV-WAVE CL 4.01 with widgets. I like the ease of programming these widgets. Moreover, we can use any of the Motif (or OL) widgets also apart from the Wave widgets and also mix them. I donot know if same things hold true for IDL widgets. IDL user? Only thing I dislike is passing the parametes by common block. The program look like FORTRAN programs and I hate the common blocks. I was wondering if PV-WAVE can come up with something like a global declarations. This might ease a bit the parameter passing and make it easy to add/delete parameters to be passed.

I was wondering if someone out there can summarize the pros and cons of IDL and WAVE widgets.

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