
Subject: widgets sporadically not created.

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I am experiencing a weird bug (not sure whether it's my or IDLs fault but I have a hunch, as usual...):

I have various widgets in an application. Once in a while one of the widgets that is supposed to pop up modally only shows its base with title. The buttons, labels and textboxes that were supposed to be in there don't show. Weirdly, this only occurs roughly 1 out of 10-20 times, enough to be a nuisance. Has anyone encountered this?

A snippet from the code reads like this:

```
wTLB = Widget_Base(Title=title, $
    Column=1, $
    modal=n_elements(widget_id), $
    Group_Leader=widget_id, $
    /TLB_KILL_REQUEST_EVENTS)

wMessage = Widget_Label(wTLB, value=message)

wButtonArea=Widget_Base(wTLB,row=1)
wYes=Widget_Button(wButtonArea,/align_left,$
    value='Yes',uname='Yes',uvalue='Yes')
wNo =Widget_Button(wButtonArea,/align_right,$
    value='No', uname='No', uvalue='Yes')

wLabel = Widget_Label(wTLB, value=label)
wText = Widget_Text(wTLB, value=text, /editable, $
    xs=(1.5*strlen(text))>20)

ptr = ptr_new({cancel:0,$
    answer:"",$
    wText:wText,$
    text:text})
Widget_Control, wTLB, set_uvalue=ptr

Widget_Control, wTLB, /Realize
Widget_Control, wText, /INPUT_FOCUS

XManager, 'dialog_yesnolabel', wTLB
```

Cheers, Stefan
