
Subject: Re: Widget Weirdness

Posted by [Michael Galloy](#) on Thu, 12 Mar 2009 23:56:05 GMT

[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

David Fanning wrote:

> Folks,
>
> I just ran into this problem on my Linux machine. I wonder
> if someone can help me test. I ran my Coyote program
> PickColorName:
>
> IDL> c = pickcolorname()
>
> This puts a widget up in the center of the display. I
> then move it off to the side and pick a color. As soon
> as I do, the widget jumps back to the center of the
> display. This is decidedly NOT what it is suppose to do!
>
> I've traced the program (believe it or not) to a command
> in which I am changing the text on a label widget. I have
> confirmed this behaviour with an entirely different program.
> It, too, jumps if I try to change a widget label's text.
>
> Is this a function of my window manager (SUSE 10.? and
> KDE 3.5, I believe), or is this a UNIX (possibly Mac)
> problem in general? If it is a general bug, I would
> like to report it.
>
> Thanks,
>
> David

Same weird behavior:

```
IDL> print, !version  
{ i386 darwin unix Mac OS X 7.0 Oct 25 2007    32    64}
```

Mike

--

www.michaelgalloy.com

Associate Research Scientist

Tech-X Corporation
