
Subject: Re: IDL 7.0 (Windows version) - widget_table does not generate expected event

Posted by [Mark\[1\]](#) on Sun, 10 May 2009 21:27:31 GMT

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On May 8, 1:11 pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

> Mark writes:

>> Widget handling in IDL 7.0 was affected by the new Eclipse-based DE. I

>> recall an issue with timer events.

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> How so? Do you know of something specifically?

I'm not sure if it's OK to post all the details but there were a couple of bugs: #49144 ("TILINGJP2_DOC App Indicates Incompatibility Between New DE and WIDGET_TIMER Events") and #48454 ("Using WIDGET_TIMER can cause applications to freeze until an event is sent to the application"):

Something to do with an optimisation for zero-delay WIDGET_TIMER events on Windows that stopped working with the new DE. Probably not at all relevant to the current issue; I'm just saying there were some changes.

> P.S. I'm conspiring, Mark, to figure out a way to show

> up in New Zealand in the September time frame. Do you

> have any travel tips?

If you feel a bout of the flu coming on, don't get on the plane.

You mean like where to go? Come to Wellington and I'll buy you a beer.

The South Island is great. The West Coast of the South Island tends to be wet in September. Email me.
