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Subject: TEXT FIELD in a CONTEXT MENU ?  
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Hello folks,

I want to display a CONTEXT MENU (pop-up or shortcut menu) with a WIDGET\_TEXT or CW\_FIELD. I don't know if it's possible because, right now, when I try to add a text component, the IDL gives me the following message: Parent is of incorrect type.

```
base=WIDGET_BASE(parent,/COLUMN,/FRAME,/CONTEXT_MENU)
option_1=CW_PDMENU(base,['0\ option 1'],/CONTEXT_MENU)
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; here is where I've the problem -----

```
option_text=WIDGET_TEXT(base,VALUE='text')
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```
WIDGET_DISPLAYCONTEXTMENU, event.id, event.x, event.y, base
```

Is there a correct way to add a text field in a CONTEXT MENU ? If not how can I do something similar?

Thanks in advance,

nata

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