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Subject: progressbar update problem

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Hi all,

I'm using David Fanning's progressbar procedure to show the advancement of a time-consuming routine, but I have a problem. The progressbar works ok, but since each cycle of the operation that I'm conducting take a couple of minutes to complete I have some problems in the "updating" of the window. The window infact upates itself only at the end of each cycle, and if I open a window "over" the progress bar and then close it then the progress bar window appears "blank" until the start of the next cycle. Moreover, and this is the worst problem, the "cancel" button of the progress bar does not work. I believe this is because IDL is busy at making "other things", and the program isn't able to catch the button press events.

Does anyone know if there is a way to overcome this problem ?

Thanks in advance for the help,

Lorenzo

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