Subject: Re: How import data from prompt to a widget? Posted by Spon on Mon, 14 Dec 2009 11:51:40 GMT

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On Dec 14, 10:07 am, ali mozafari <a.mozafari1...@googlemail.com> wrote:

- > Folks
- > I need to import some data from prompt to a widget. Does anyone have
- > any idea how to do this? Something like this:
- > IDL> please enter the constant C1
- > IDL> please enter the constant C2
- > Any help highly appreciated
- > A.

Well, you can either do it from the IDL command line with READ (without widgets), or with a textbox widget

READ, C1, PROMPT = 'please enter the constant C1:'

Note that this just assigns the value given at the prompt to the variable 'C1' in your function/procedure. No widgets involved.

or, see:

http://www.dfanning.com/programs/textbox.pro

Regards, Chris