
Subject: Re: Embedding a PDF (or similar) display window in an IDL widget

Posted by [CLM](#) on Mon, 04 Feb 2013 20:53:04 GMT

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On Thursday, January 31, 2013 3:28:19 AM UTC-5, alx wrote:

> Le mercredi 30 janvier 2013 21:09:19 UTC+1, CLM a écrit :

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>> Thanks all. I'll stop smacking my head against the wall now and come up with a plan B.

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> If you are using Windows, the plan A might consist in using a COM bridge to a PDF (or MS-Word) ActiveX plugin existing in your system. Please refer to the WIDGET_ACTIVEX routine for embedding an external window in your own widget tree and, more generally, to the documentation on IDLcomIDispatch object class.

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> Maybe also possible (just a guess) with another OS by similarly using the IDL java bridge.

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> Not so simple, but being worth your million lines ...

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> alain.

Will this work with MAC and linux? Unfortunately my team members use multiple platforms, so it needs to work on everything.
