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Subject: Re: Problems with draw widget scrolling in IDL 5.0  
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I have modified the small demo app which I originally posted to include the ability to test the scrolling of the viewport under software control. As I indicated in that post, the horizontal scrolling fails to work when one attempts to move the viewport to the left of its current position by means of set\_draw\_view. The vertical scrolling appears to have no such problem, except that there is a slight inconsistency between the maximum value to which it can be set in software (y=199 in the demo) and the value to which it can be 'pushed' manually (y=200), which is also the initial state. To test the software-controlled scrolling, enter an X and a Y value in the boxes below the draw widget and click the 'Scroll to:' button.

I have also heard from RSI support: apparently they knew already about the bugs but missed the boat on 5.0.2. For your information, the widget works perfectly in the UNIX (Linux) version.

Roberto

----- SAMPLE CODE. CUT HERE -----

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pro testdraw_event, event

widget_control, event.top, get_uvalue = widgIDs
Draw = widgIDs(0)
Label = widgIDs(1)
Text1 = widgIDs(2)
Text2 = widgIDs(3)
widget_control, event.id, get_uvalue = tag
case tag of
  "EXIT" : begin
    widget_control, event.top, /destroy
    return
  end
  "TOGGLE" : begin
    erase, !p.background
    geometry = widget_info(Draw, /geometry)
    if geometry.draw_xsize eq 200 then begin
      widget_control, Draw, draw_xsize = 400, draw_ysize = 400
      tvscl, dist(400)
    endif else begin
      widget_control, Draw, draw_xsize = 200, draw_ysize = 200
      tvscl, dist(200)
    endelse
  end
  "DRAW" : ; viewport scroll event (do nothing here)
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"SCROLL" : begin
    widget_control, Text1, get_value = X_text
    widget_control, Text2, get_value = Y_text
    widget_control, Draw, set_draw_view = [fix(X_text),fix(Y_text)]
end
endcase

; Display the current viewport coordinates
widget_control, Draw, get_draw_view = temp
widget_control, Label, set_value="Viewport at: " + $
    strtrim(string(temp(0)),2) + ", " + $
    strtrim(string(temp(1)),2)

end

pro testdraw

Base1 = widget_base(title="Test of draw widget", /column)
Base2 = widget_base(Base1, /row)
But1 = widget_button(Base2, value="Toggle size", uvalue="TOGGLE")
But2 = widget_button(Base2, value="Exit", uvalue="EXIT")
Draw = widget_draw(Base1, xsize=200, ysize=200, $
    x_scroll_size=200, y_scroll_size=200, $
    uvalue="DRAW", /viewport_events)
Label = widget_label(Base1, value="Viewport a: 0, 0", $
    /dynamic_resize, /align_left)
Base3 = widget_base(Base1, /row)
But3 = widget_button(Base3, value="Scroll to:", uvalue="SCROLL")
Text1 = widget_text(Base3, xsize=5, ysize=1, uvalue="SCROLL", $
    /editable)
Text2 = widget_text(Base3, xsize=5, ysize=1, uvalue="SCROLL", $
    /editable)

widget_control, Base1, set_uvalue = [Draw, Label, Text1, Text2]
widget_control, Base1, /realize
loadct, 5
tvscl, dist(200)

xmanager, "testdraw", Base1

end

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