Subject: IDL version 5 bug in widget_control,/reset

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I don't know if anyone has mentioned this before or not, but there is a bug in
IDL version 5.0 involving the command

 widget_control, /reset

If you use this command before any widgets have been created, then IDL will
crash with a segmentation error. One can get around this by preceding it with
the statement

 if !version.release ge '5.0' then dummy = widget_base()

RSI has been notified, and confirm that it is a bug. As yet, they have no
projection as to when it will be fixed.

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