Subject: Re: event fields

Posted by sit on Fri, 24 Jun 1994 15:55:50 GMT

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Brian Schwartz (bschwar2@cc.swarthmore.edu) wrote:

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- : pade 20-6 defines event.id, event.top, and event.handler. From context, I
- : have an idea what event.value is. But there is also event.select, and
- : probably some others.

event.select is a flag in a button event from an exclusive or nonexclusive base and indicates whether the button has just been set or unset (1 if it was set, 0 if released). The only other field I can recall offhand is event.button from draw widgets only which returns which button was used to generate the event.

: Thanks,

: Brian.

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James Tappin, School of Physics & Space Research University of Birmingham sjt@xun8.sr.bham.ac.uk "If all else fails--read the instructions!"

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Posted by crdmi on Mon, 27 Jun 1994 16:28:06 GMT

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Could someone explain event.handler? I read the manual, but I still don't get it.

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Daniel M. Israel "So you better hope there's intelligent <crdmi@vulcan.giss.nasa.gov> life somewhere out in space, 'cause there's Goddard Institute of Space Studies bugger all down here on Earth!"

2880 Broadway, New York, NY -Monty Python's "Universe Song"

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Posted by robijn on Tue, 28 Jun 1994 08:19:43 GMT

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In article <2umumm\$gqp@vulcan.giss.nasa.gov>,
Daniel M. Israel <crdmi@vulcan.giss.nasa.gov> wrote:

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> don't get it.

event.id is the ID of the widget that sent the event, event.handler is the widget to which the event handling function belongs. E.g., when you have a base widget with a lot of button widgets as childs, you can associate an event function with the base widget only. When a button is pressed, the base widget receives an event where event.ID is the button that was pressed and event.handler is the ID of the base widget. You'll need that in more complicated situations such as compound widgets.

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Posted by rivers on Wed, 29 Jun 1994 01:29:02 GMT

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In article <bschwar2-240694095447@boson.swarthmore.edu> bschwar2@cc.swarthmore.edu (Brian Schwartz) writes:

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Each different widget type has a different event structure which it passes to your event handler routine. All contain the .id, .top and .handler fields, but other fields differ from widget to widget. They are described where each different widget type is described.

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