
Subject: FSC_FILESELECT entry field

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I am using David Fanning's FSC_FILESELECT (http://www.dfanning.com/programs/fsc_fileselect.pro) as part of an image display widget (so every time a new file name is entered, the file is read and the image display updated). It works fine so long as one uses the BROWSE button to select a file. But if the directory or file name is entered manually, then an event is triggered with every keystroke (e.g. each letter of a directory name), whereas I would only like an event to be triggered after the user hits [RETURN]. I suspect that this is a problem in my programming rather than a property of FSC_FILESELECT since it doesn't appear to occur in the example included with FSC_FILESELECT.

Any ideas on what I might be doing wrong to cause this behavior? My call to fsc_fileselect is like this

```
file = fsc_fileselect(control_base, event_pro='imv_filename',$  
/mustexist, filter = '*.fits', /read )
```

where the program imv_filename reads the file and displays the image.

Thanks, --Wayne Landsman

P.S. I am widget programming for the first time in 10 years so I may not yet be able to properly phrase the question...
