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Subject: IDL 7.0 (Windows version) - widget\_table does not generate expected event

Posted by [bkaifler](#) on Wed, 06 May 2009 11:48:44 GMT

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I would like to have widget\_table generate an insert character event without changing the contents of the widget. Keyword ALL\_EVENTS is set, but the event handler is not called. Here is a simple test:

```
pro table_eh, event
  print, 'event'
end
```

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pro test
  tlb_id = widget_base()
  base_id = widget_base(tlb_id)

  data = [[indgen(5)],[indgen(5)]]
  table_id = widget_table(base_id, VALUE=data, /ALL_EVENTS, $
    EVENT_PRO='table_eh')

  widget_control, tlb_id, /REALIZE
  xmanager, 'gui', tlb_id
end
```

I tested this program with IDL 6.4 (Linux version) and it behaves as expected. The help page for widget\_table does not mention any changes in IDL 7.0. What am I missing?

Thanks for your attention

Bernd

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Subject: Re: IDL 7.0 (Windows version) - widget\_table does not generate expected event

Posted by [Mark\[1\]](#) on Fri, 08 May 2009 00:08:04 GMT

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On May 6, 11:48 pm, bkaif...@gmx.de wrote:

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> expected. The help page for widget_table does not mention any changes
> in IDL 7.0.
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Widget handling in IDL 7.0 was affected by the new Eclipse-based DE. I recall an issue with timer events.

You should report this to ITTVIS.

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