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Subject: Re: Problem with scrollable draw widgets and frames

Posted by [davidf](#) on Mon, 13 Apr 1998 07:00:00 GMT

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Perhaps it is a Motif problem.

Cheers,

David

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Subject: Re: Problem with scrollable draw widgets and frames

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In article <MPG.f9c6394ce0e0e42989780@news.frii.com>, [davidf@dfanning.com](mailto:davidf@dfanning.com)  
(David Fanning) wrote:

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Works fine on my Mac, as well. Cast another vote for a Motif problem.

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Note that you can use the following workaround and it works  
(I'm on a Sun Ultra1, IDL 5.0.3):

```
pro test2, leader
  a = Widget_Base(Title='test', /Column, Group_Leader=leader, /Modal)
  B = WIDGET_BASE(A, /FRAME) ; ADD THIS LINE
  d = Widget_Draw(B, $      ; CHANGE ARG1 FROM "a" TO "B"
    ; frame = 1, $      ; COMMENT OUT THIS LINE
```

```
XSize=100, YSize=100, /Scroll, X_Scroll_Size=50, Y_Scroll_Size=50)
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Widget_Control, a, /Realize  
end
```

```
pro x_event, event  
    test2,event.top  
end
```

```
pro test  
    x = Widget_Base(Title='test', /Column, XOffset=200, YOffset=200)  
    y = Widget_Button(x, Value='pushme')  
    Widget_Control, x, /Realize  
    Xmanager, 'x', x, Event_Handler='x_event'  
end
```

Dave

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In article <35329F22.D77F9004@as.arizona.edu>,  
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Hi Dyle,  
I ran your program on my SGI  
IDL> print,!version  
{ mipseb IRIX unix 5.0 Apr 28 1997}

I get the same error messages as you and also get thrown out of IDL.  
Without the FRAME, it works.

Rose

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I get the same problem and error messages on sparc sunos unix 5.0.3.

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