

xygadget

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Chapter 1

xygadget

1.1 xygadget_plugin: Introduction

xygadget_plugin

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xygadget_plugin is a PLUGIN that offers
a button that will resize in both horizontal and
vertical directions, as the name implies.

Constructor

Methods

Tags

Exceptions

History

1.2 xygadget_plugin: Constructors / Destructor

Constructor

```
xygadget(  
    tags  
    :PTR TO tagitem)
```

For creating a new plugin object use for example:

```
DEF xygadget:PTR TO xygadget_plugin  
NEW xygadget.xygadget([..., TAG_DONE])
```

1.3 **xygadget_plugin: New Methods**

```
    set(  
        tag  
        , value)
```

By calling this method it's possible to change attributes at runtime. You can use all tags with the S flag set. This method can also be used before the GUI is created and when the window is closed.

Value is a LONG and contains the argument for the used tag.

Example:

```
DEF xygadget:PTR TO xygadget_plugin  
...  
NEW xygadget.xygadget([..., TAG_DONE])  
...  
xygadget.set(PLA_XYGadget_Disabled, TRUE)  
...  
  
value,check:=get(  
    tag  
)
```

This method is the counterpart to set. All tags with G flag can be used. Argument is the tag you want to get. Return values are the requested value and as second a boolean value. So if check is FALSE the used tag can't be get.

```
...  
value,check:=xygadget.get(PLA_XYGadget_Disabled)  
...  
  
After this:  
value=TRUE  
check=TRUE
```

1.4 xygadget_plugin: Tags

The letters [ISG] show you when the tags can be used.

```
I =  
    Initialisation  
    S =  
    Set Method  
    G =  
    Get Method  
        PLA_XYGadget_Text           [ISG]
```

The text contents of the gadget in the PLUGIN.

PLA_XYGadget_Disabled [ISG]

Disable or enable the gadget. Setting this tag causes the gadget to become disabled; it is ghosted.

Boolean; defaults to FALSE.

1.5 xygadget_plugin: Exceptions

Constructor

"util" will be raised if the utility.library has not been opened.

1.6 xygadget_plugin: History

v1.0 (30.8.97)

- o Initial release.

v1.1 (2.10.97)

- o Added some safety checks to ensure that the window is open before attempting to render into it in custom PLUGIN methods (set_disabled(), et al.)

v1.2 (28.11.97)

- o Converted to the EasyPLUGINS Style Guide format.