EiffelVision

Requirements Specification

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Introduction

1.1 Purpose

This document is the functional specification of EiffelVision GUI and graphics library. The document describes all the functional requirements for the library and function as a basis and reference when designing and programming the library.

The audience of this document are the developers and maintainers of EiffelVision. The EiffelVision programmer's manual will be written based on this document.

1.2 Scope

This library is a new version of ISE's EiffelVision. In this document the terms 'EiffelVision' and 'the library' refers to the new library and the term 'old EiffelVision' refers to the old library. Although EiffelVision is a rewrite of old EiffelVision, parts of the old EiffelVision are used in the implementation of the library whenever appropriate.

EiffelVision is a software library for application developers using Eiffel language. EiffelVision offers an object-oriented framework for both graphical user interface and graphics development.Using the library, developers have an access to all the necessary GUI components to develop a modern, functional and good-looking application. The library also offers tools to draw figures, points, lines, arcs, polygons etc., on the screen.

1.3 Definitions, Acronyms and Abbreviations

Eiffel	[Meyer 1992]
EiffelVision	GUI and graphics library for applications development described in this document.
old EiffelVision	Old library for the same purpose than the above.
GUI	Graphical User Interface.

GTK	The GIMP tookit. See section [GTK 1998].
Widget	GUI component in EiffelVision.
Developer, Library User	The application developer, who is using EiffelVision library.
User, Application User	The user of the application developed using EiffelVision

1.4 References

[Meyer 1992]

> Bertrand Meyer; *Eiffel: The Language*; Prentice Hall Object-Oriented Series, 1991; second revised printing, 1992.

[GTK 1998]

> *GTK Web page*; http://www.gtk.org/; 1998.

1.5 Overview

Chapter 2 describes the general factors that affect the library and its requirements. Chapter 3 contains the detailed requirements on the fuctions and the external interfaces of the library together with design constraints.

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General Description

2.1 Library Perspective

EiffelVision is an abstract, is multi-platform library. Supported platforms are Microsoft Windows and Unix/X Window System using GTK toolkit [GTK 1998].

2.2 Library Functions

The main functions of the library are to provide components for building graphical user interface for an application and drawing figures onto a screen.

2.2.1 Graphical User Interface

EiffelVision provides a set of GUI components and methods to associate actions to GUI events. GUI components in EiffelVision are called widgets. Widget hierachy is presented in picture 1.

Figure 1 Class hierarchy for EiffelVision widgets

Most of the widgets in EiffelVision have events and the user of the library can associate commands to the events. For example, for a BUTTON widget there is an action **Button_press**. In order to associate an action, for example open a dialog, to this event the user defines his own command class inheriting from a EiffelVision class COMMAND, creates an object of that type and uses a feature **add_action** from BUTTON.

2.2.2 Events

An event is an external action, usually triggered by the application's user, which may affect the execution of the application.

Simple examples of events are mouse button pushes and keystrokes. Others include timer activation, mouse movement, auto-repeating keyboard, context resize and change of window resources.

In an application, not all events will be meaningful for each context. For example a keystroke is typically ignored if it occurs outside of any window. So part of what defines an application is the two-dimensional grid of what events are meaningful for what contexts. Such a grid is called a **state domain**. Here is a simple example of state domain:

Event	Left click	Right click	Cursor out	Keyboard
Context				
Window_1			●	●
Window_2				●
Button_1	●	●	●	

The • mark signal the entries for which the given event is meaningful for the given context. For example the "Cursor out" event (which occurs if a user moves the cursor out of the current context) is meaningful for *Window_1* and *Button_1* but not for *Window_2*.

As its execution progresses, the state domain may change. For example a typical application may give you, most of the time, the choice between several possible events (left-clicking, right-clicking, moving the cursor, entering text at the keyboard) in several contexts (the windows, panels and buttons of the application), so the state domain may be quite large; but a certain operation may trigger a confirmation panel in which the *application* will only recognize two events: left-clicking on the OK button and left-clicking on the CANCEL button. This means the application has entered a new, smaller state domain.

2.2.3 Commands

When an event occurs in a certain context, and the context-event pair is part of the current state domain, the application will execute a certain action. That action is represented in Eiffel by an object — an instance of the EiffelVision class *COMMAND* (more precisely, a direct instance of one of its proper descendants).

In X toolkits such as Xt, OpenLook and Motif the closest notion is that of a callback. A callback is a reference to a certain C function; you can plant a callback in the toolkit to specify that the corresponding function must be called when a certain event occurs.

Callbacks also exist under Windows, allowing Windows components to call application-specific functions provided by an application's developers. They make it possible to avoid the massive switch instruction that is traditionally found in Windows applications.

The EiffelVision notion of command is more abstract than the notion of callback. It conforms to the object-oriented model (every command will be an object) and provides added power: in addition to the *execute* procedure, which describes the command's execution and corresponds to the callback, command objects may have other features, in particular a *cancel* procedure that deletes the effect of the command. This makes it possible to equip an application with an unlimited undo-redo mechanism, as described in chapter 12 of *Object-Oriented Software Construction*.

Here is a general model for a class describing undoable commands:

deferred class
    UNDOABLE_COMMAND

inherit

    COMMAND

feature
    undoable: BOOLEAN **is** *True;*
    execute **is**
            -- Execute the action of this command
        deferred
        ensure

> *done*: **not** *undone*
> **end**

> *undo* **is**
> -- Cancel the action of this command
> **deferred**
> **ensure**
> *undoing_occured*: *undone*
> **end**

> *redo* **is**
> -- Re-execute previously undone command
> **require**
> *undone*: *undone*
> **deferred**
> **ensure**
> *executed*: **not** undone
> **end**

> **feature** *{NONE}*

> *undone: BOOLEAN*
> -- Has the command been undone?

> **end** -- class COMMAND

The *redo* command is often, but not always, identical to *execute*.

A list of objects of type *UNDOABLE_COMMAND* is called a **history list**. Keeping a history list enables an application to support a multiple-level undo-redo mechanism. When a user requests an "undo", the application can simply execute

history_list.item.undo;
history_list.back

Dynamic binding ensures that the proper version of *undo* is applied to each selected command (*history_list.item*) in the list. A similar scheme is used when the user requests a "redo".

2.2.4 Figures

The interface of an EiffelVision application may include not just predefined contexts but also graphical figures.

The EiffelVision model figures is inspired from a familiar notion: geographical maps. The design of a map uses several levels of abstraction, illustrated on the Figure 2:

- We may view the reality behind the model (in an already abstracted form) as a set of geometrical shapes or **figures**. For a map the figures represent rivers, roads, towns and other geographical objects.

- Then, the **world** is a set of such figures.

- The **windows** are rectangular areas of the world.

- The map is a representation of a part of the world which can contain one or more windows. For example a map can have one main window devoted to country, and subsidiary windows devoted to large cities or outlying parts (as with Hawaii in maps of the USA).

- And the **device** is a physical medium on which the map is displayed. The device is usually a sheet of paper, but we may also use a computer screen. Various parts of the device will be devoted to the various windows.

DEVICE

window1

window3

window4

window2

WINDOW

WORLD

FIGURES

Figure 2 The graphical model

The four basic concepts — *world*, *figure*, *window*, *device* — transpose readily to general graphical applications, where the world may contain arbitrary figures of interest to a certain computer application, rather than just representations of geographical objects. Rectangular areas of the world (windows) will be displayed on rectangular areas of the device (the computer screen).

The above figure shows the three planes: world (bottom), window (middle) and device (top). The notion of window plays a central role, as each window is associated both with an area of the world and with an area of the device. Windows also cause the only significant extension to the basic map concepts: support for hierarchically nested

windows. Our windows will be permitted to have subwindows, with no limit on the nesting level, although no nesting appears on the figure.

Note that two transformations are involved, both of which may include a translation and a scale factor: from world to window, and from window to device. This gives the necessary flexibility to a model, as you may:

- Move a window with respect to the world (as in when drawing a map of a different part of a country) or with respect to the device (as when moving a map on your desk).

- Change the scale of the window with respect to the world (as when changing the scale of a map, the map size remaining constant) or with respect to the device (as when deciding to use a smaller or bigger map).

2.2.5 Drag and Drop

2.2.6 Pick and Drop

2.3 User Characteristics

Users of EiffelVision are software developers who should have certain knowledge in order to use the library. The library users should have a reasonably good knowledge of Eiffel and Object-Oriented software development. They should understand the basic conceps of Graphical User Interfaces, but a platform specific knowledge of GUI programming is not necessary. For example, the library user doesn't have to know MS Windows programming, because EiffelVision is an abstract library.

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Functional Requirements

3.1 Widgets

A widget is a basic component when building the user interface. All widgets, except for deferred widgets (marked with symbol * in picture 1.) are meant for the library user to create the corresponding GUI components.

Creating widgets is simple and consistent. All the widgets have a creation procedure make:

make (par: EV_CONTAINER) is

Procedure 'make' has one argument, parent, which is an EiffelVision container (See section 3.4). As all the widget need to have a parent, exept the Windows that can be create with the 'make_top_level' creation procedure, you need to create the parent before to create the widget.

Procedure 'make' creates the widget using default setting for the specific type of widget. Some widgets have additional creation routines which can be used, when more detailed control over the widgets creation is needed.

indexing

    description: "Most general notion of widget (i.e. user interface object)"
    status: "See notice at end of class"
    names: widget
    date: "$Date: 1998/10/02 16:58:46 $"
    revision: "$Revision: 1.19 $"

deferred class interface
    EV_WIDGET

feature -- Access

parent: EV_WIDGET
> -- The parent of the Current widget
> -- If the widget is an EV_WINDOW without parent,
> -- this attribute will be *Void*

require
> *exists: **not**destroyed*

feature -- Measurement
-- The coordinates are effective only if widget is inside a
-- fixed container. Otherwise they are calculated
-- automatically by the container widget.

height: INTEGER
> -- Height of the widget

require
> *exists: **not**destroyed*

ensure
> *positive_height: Result >= 0*

minimum_height: INTEGER
> -- Minimum height that application wishes widget
> -- instance to have

require
> *exists: **not**destroyed*

ensure
> *positive_height: Result >= 0*

minimum_width: INTEGER
> -- Minimum width that application wishes widget
> -- instance to have

require
> *exists: **not**destroyed*

ensure
> *positive_height: Result >= 0*

width: INTEGER
> -- Width of the widget

require
> *exists: **not**destroyed*

ensure
> *positive_width: Result >= 0*

x: INTEGER
> -- Horizontal position relative to parent

require
> *exists: **not**destroyed;*
> *unmanaged: **not**managed*

y: INTEGER

               -- Vertical position relative to parent
        require
            exists: **not***destroyed;*
            unmanaged: **not***managed*

feature -- Comparison

    same (other: **like** *Current): BOOLEAN*
            -- Does Current widget and *other* correspond
            -- to the same screen object?
      require
            other_exists: other /= void

feature -- Status report

    automatic_position: BOOLEAN
            -- Does the widget take a new position when
            -- the parent resize ?
            -- (If it does, its size doesn't changed).
            -- False by default

    automatic_resize: BOOLEAN
            -- Is the widget resized automatically when
            -- the parent resize ? In this case,
            -- automatic_position has no effect.
            -- True by default

    destroyed: BOOLEAN
            -- Is Current widget destroyed?
            -- (= implementation does not exist)

    insensitive: BOOLEAN
            -- Is current widget insensitive to
            -- user actions?
            -- (If it is, events will not be dispatched
            -- to Current widget or any of its children)
      require
            exists: **not***destroyed*

    managed: BOOLEAN
            -- Is the geometry of current widget managed by its
            -- container? This is the case always unless
            -- parent.manager = False (Always true except
            -- when the container is EV_FIXED). This is
            -- set in the procedure set_default

    shown: BOOLEAN
            -- Is current widget visible?
      require

exists: **not**destroyed

feature -- Status setting

destroy
> -- Destroy actual screen object of Current
> -- widget and of all children.
    ensure
> *destroyed: destroyed*

hide
> -- Make widget invisible on the screen.
    require
> *exists:* **not**destroyed
    ensure
> *not_shown:* **not**shown

set_automatic_position (state: BOOLEAN)
> -- Make *state* the new *automatic_position*.
    require
> *exists:* **not**destroyed
    ensure
> *automatic_position_set: automatic_position = state*

set_automatic_resize (state: BOOLEAN)
> -- Make *state* the new *automatic_resize*.
    require
> *exists:* **not**destroyed
    ensure
> *automatic_resize_set: automatic_resize = state*

set_insensitive (flag: BOOLEAN)
> -- Set current widget in insensitive mode if
> -- *flag*. This means that any events with an
> -- event type of KeyPress, KeyRelease,
> -- ButtonPress, ButtonRelease, MotionNotify,
> -- EnterNotify, LeaveNotify, FocusIn or
> -- FocusOut will not be dispatched to current
> -- widget and to all its children. Set it to
> -- sensitive mode otherwise.
    require
> *exists:* **not**destroyed
    ensure
> *flag = insensitive*

show
> -- Make widget visible on the screen. (default)
    require
> *exists:* **not**destroyed

ensure

    shown: shown

feature -- Resizing

set_height (new_height: INTEGER)

    -- Make *new_height* the new *height*.

require

    exists: **not***destroyed;*

    positive_height: new_height >= 0

ensure

    *dimensions_set: implementation***.***dimensions_set (width, new_height)*

set_minimum_height (min_height: INTEGER)

    -- Make *min_height* the new *minimum__height*.

require

    exists: **not***destroyed;*

    large_enough: min_height >= 0

ensure

    min_height = min_height

set_minimum_size (min_width, min_height: INTEGER)

    -- Make *min_width* the new *minimum_width*

    -- and *min_height* the new *minimum_height*.

require

    exists: **not***destroyed;*

    large_enough: min_height >= 0;

    large_enough: min_width >= 0

ensure

    min_width = min_width;

    min_height = min_height

set_minimum_width (min_width: INTEGER)

    -- Make *min_width* the new *minimum_width*.

require

    exists: **not***destroyed;*

    large_enough: min_width >= 0

ensure

    min_width = min_width

set_size (new_width: INTEGER; new_height: INTEGER)

    -- Make *new_width* the new *width*

    -- and *new_height* the new *height*.

require

    exists: **not***destroyed;*

    positive_width: new_width >= 0;

    positive_height: new_height >= 0

ensure

    *dimensions_set: implementation***.***dimensions_set (new_width, new_*

height)

      set_width (new_width: INTEGER)
                  -- Make *new_width* the new *width*.
          require
                  exists: **not***destroyed;*
                  positive_width: new_width >= 0
          ensure
                  dimensions_set: implementation.dimensions_set (new_width, height)

      set_x (new_x: INTEGER)
                  -- Put at horizontal position *new_x* relative
                  -- to parent.
          require
                  exists: **not***destroyed;*
                  unmanaged: **not***managed*
          ensure
                  x_set: x = new_x

      set_x_y (new_x: INTEGER; new_y: INTEGER)
                  -- Put at horizontal position *new_x* and at
                  -- vertical position *new_y* relative to parent.
          require
                  exists: **not***destroyed;*
                  unmanaged: **not***managed*

      set_y (new_y: INTEGER)
                  -- Put at vertical position *new_y* relative
                  -- to parent.
          require
                  exists: **not***destroyed;*
                  unmanaged: **not***managed*
          ensure
                  y_set: y = new_y

feature -- Event - command association

      *add_button_press_command (mouse_button: INTEGER; command: EV_COM-
MAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)*
                  -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when
                  -- button no 'mouse_button' is pressed.
          require
                  exists: **not***destroyed*

      *add_button_release_command (mouse_button: INTEGER; command: EV_COM-
MAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)*
                  -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when
                  -- button no 'mouse_button' is released.
          require

*exists: **not**destroyed*

*add_destroy_command   (command: EV_COMMAND;   arguments: EV_*
ARGUMENTS)
                  -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when
                  -- the widget is destroyed.
        require
                 *exists: **not**destroyed*

add_double_click_command (mouse_button: INTEGER; command: EV_COMMAND;
arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)
                  -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when
                  -- button no *mouse_button* is double clicked.
        require
                 *exists: **not**destroyed*

*add_enter_notify_command   (command: EV_COMMAND;   arguments: EV_*
ARGUMENTS)
                  -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when
                  -- the cursor of the mouse enter the widget.
        require
                 *exists: **not**destroyed*

add_expose_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)
                  -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when
                  -- the widget has to be redrawn because it was exposed from
                  -- behind another widget.
        require
                 *exists: **not**destroyed*

*add_key_press_command   (command: EV_COMMAND;   arguments: EV_*
ARGUMENTS)
                  -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when
                  -- a key is pressed on the keyboard while the widget has the
                  -- focus.
        require
                 *exists: **not**destroyed*

*add_key_release_command   (command: EV_COMMAND;   arguments: EV_*
ARGUMENTS)
                  -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when
                  -- a key is released on the keyboard while the widget has the
                  -- focus.
        require
                 *exists: **not**destroyed*

*add_leave_notify_command   (command: EV_COMMAND;   arguments: EV_*
ARGUMENTS)
                  -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when

-- the cursor of the mouse leave the widget.
> ***require***
>> *exists: **not**destroyed*

> *add_motion_notify_command   (command: EV_COMMAND;   arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)*
>> -- Add *command* to the list of commands to be executed when
>> -- mouse move.
> ***require***
>> *exists: **not**destroyed*

> *last_command_id: INTEGER*
>> -- Id of the last command added by feature *add_command*
> ***require***
>> *exists: **not**destroyed*

> *remove_command (command_id: INTEGER)*
>> -- Remove the command associated with *command_id* from the
>> -- list of actions for this context. If there is no command
>> -- associated with *command_id*, nothing happens.
> ***require***
>> *exists: **not**destroyed*

end -- class *EV_WIDGET*

3.2 Primitives

A primitive is a widget that has no children. It means that other widgets cannot be put inside a primitive. Some primitives can have components inside, but the type of the components is pre-defined. For example, a button can contain a pixmap component and a text component, but nothing else.
deferred class interface
> *EV_PRIMITIVE*

end -- class *EV_PRIMITIVE*

3.2.1 EV_BUTTON

Class **EV_BUTTON** is one of the most useful user interface components. It is also a common ancestor for different button classes.

A button has a 3D appearance as the underlying toolkit implements it. A button can contain a text label, a pixmap, or both. When both of them are present, there are two

different ways to present them; pixmap on the top and label on the bottom, or pixmap on the left and label on the right.

The reason why a button is not specified as a container is that on Windows it would be difficult to implement. It would be conceptually nicer to have button as a container and then but a label inside it when needed a button with a text and pixmap inside it when needed a button with pixmap. More complex situations would also be easy to manage. In practice, however, only labels and pixmaps are interesting as components to put inside a button.

indexing
     description: "EiffelVision button. Basic GUI push button. This is also abase class for other buttons classes"
     status: "See notice at end of class"
     id: "$Id: ev_button.e,v 1.9 1998/09/22 01:46:45 samik Exp $"
     date: "$Date: 1998/09/22 01:46:45 $"
     revision: "$Revision: 1.9 $"

class interface
     EV_BUTTON

creation
     make,
     make_with_text

feature -- Access

     pixmap_container: EV_PIXMAP_CONTAINER
               -- Pixmap inside button

feature -- Event - command association

     add_click_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)
               -- Add 'command' to the list of commands to be
               -- executed when the button is pressed
        require
               valid_command: command /= void

end -- class *EV_BUTTON*

3.2.2 EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON

EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON is a descendant of **EV_BUTTON** and is very similar, except that it will always be in one of two states, alternated by a click. A toggle button may be depressed, and when clicked again, it will pop back up. Click again, and it will pop back down.

Toggle buttons are the basis for check buttons and radio buttons, as such, many of the calls used for toggle buttons are inherited by radio and check buttons.

The default state after creation is 'not pressed'.

indexing

description: "EiffelVision toggle button. It looks and acts like a button, but is always in one of two states,alternated by a click. Toggle button may bedepressed, and when clicked again, it will pop backup. Click again, and it will pop back down."

status: "See notice at end of class"

id: "$Id: ev_toggle_button.e,v 1.9 1998/09/28 16:12:26 samik Exp $"

date: "$Date: 1998/09/28 16:12:26 $"

revision: "$Revision: 1.9 $"

class interface

EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON

creation

make,

make_with_text

feature -- Status report

pressed: BOOLEAN

-- Is toggle pressed

require

*exists: **not**destroyed*

feature -- Status setting

set_pressed (button_pressed: BOOLEAN)

-- Set Current toggle on and set

-- pressed to True.

require

*exists: **not**destroyed*

ensure

correct_state: pressed = button_pressed

toggle

-- Change the state of the toggel button to

-- opposite

require

*exists: **not**destroyed*

ensure

*state_is_true: pressed = **not**old pressed*

feature -- Event - command association

> *add_toggle_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)*
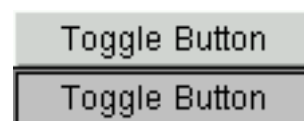> > -- Add 'command' to the list of commands to be
> > -- executed when the button is toggled
> > *require*
> > > *valid_command: command /= void*

end -- class *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*

3.2.3 EV_CHECK_BUTTON

Check buttons are similar to toggle buttons, but they look a little different. Rather than being buttons with a label and/or a pixmap inside them, they look like check buttons on the underlying toolkit. That means usually a small square with a label right of it.

indexing
> description: "EiffelVision Check button. Widget that has a check box and a text."
> status: "See notice at end of class"
> id: "$Id: ev_check_button.e,v 1.4 1998/09/28 16:12:24 samik Exp $"
> date: "$Date: 1998/09/28 16:12:24 $"
> revision: "$Revision: 1.4 $"

class interface
> EV_CHECK_BUTTON

creation
> make_with_text

end -- class *EV_CHECK_BUTTON*

3.2.4 EV_RADIO_BUTTON

Radio buttons are similar to check buttons except that radio buttons are grouped and only one in a group may be selected at a time. Radio buttons having the same parent belong to the same group. Sometimes it can be possible to have several radio button groups inside the same parent, for example a window. However, this is not a problem, because special containers can be used to group radio buttons. For example, **EV_FRAME** is a good component to group radio buttons, because it also groups the buttons visually inside a border.

Radio buttons are good for places in an application where one option is needed to select from a short list of options.

After the creation, the radio button which was created first in the same group is pressed and the other radio buttons of the group are not pressed.

indexing
    description: "EiffelVision radio button. Radio buttons aresimilar to check buttons except that radiobuttons are grouped so that only one may beselected at a time."
    status: "See notice at end of class"
    id: "$Id: ev_radio_button.e,v 1.3 1998/09/28 16:12:25 samik Exp $"
    date: "$Date: 1998/09/28 16:12:25 $"
    revision: "$Revision: 1.3 $"

class interface
    EV_RADIO_BUTTON

creation
    make_with_text

feature -- Initialization

    make_with_text (par: EV_CONTAINER; txt: STRING)
              -- radio button with *par* as parent and *txt* as
              -- text label

end -- class *EV_RADIO_BUTTON*

3.2.5 EV_LABEL

A label ia a static text that can be put anywhere in a window, such as an explanation next to a text field.

indexing
    description: "EiffelVision label"
    status: "See notice at end of class"
    id: "$Id: ev_label.e,v 1.7 1998/09/09 21:50:23 aitkaci Exp $"

date: "$Date: 1998/09/09 21:50:23 $"
revision: "$Revision: 1.7 $"

class interface
  EV_LABEL

creation
  make,
  make_with_text

end *-- class EV_LABEL*

3.2.6 EV_TEXT_COMPONENT

EV_TEXT_COMPONENT is a deferred class and an ancestor for several classes. Later, it shouldl give several tools to manage a text. In particular, it will have features to find a string, cut, copy or past a part of the text.

indexing
  description: "EiffelVision text component. Common ancestor for text classes liketext field and text area."
  status: "See notice at end of class"
  id: "$Id: ev_text_component.e,v 1.3 1998/10/02 17:03:50 aitkaci Exp $"
  date: "$Date: 1998/10/02 17:03:50 $"
  revision: "$Revision: 1.3 $"

deferred class interface
  EV_TEXT_COMPONENT

feature *-- Access*

  text: STRING
      -- Text in component
   require
    exists: **not***destroyed*

feature *-- Status setting*

  append_text (txt: STRING)
      -- Append txt *into component.*
   require
    exist: **not***destroyed;*
    not_void: txt /= void

  prepend_text (txt: STRING)
      -- Prepend txt *into component.*
   require
    exist: **not***destroyed;*
    not_void: txt /= void

select_region (start_pos, end_pos: INTEGER)
>   -- Select (hilight) the text between
>   -- *start_pos* and *end_pos*
>   **require**
>   *exist:* **not***destroyed;*
>   *valid_start: start_pos > 0* **and** *start_pos <= text.count;*
>   *valid_end: end_pos > 0* **and** *end_pos <= text.count*

set_maximum_line_length (length: INTEGER)
>   -- Make *length* the new number of characters on a line.
>   -- If *length < text.cout* then the text is truncated
>   **require**
>   *exist:* **not***destroyed*

set_position (pos: INTEGER)
>   -- Set current insertion position.
>   **require**
>   *exist:* **not***destroyed;*
>   *valid_pos: pos > 0* **and** *pos <= text.count*

set_text (txt: STRING)
>   -- Make *txt* the new *text*.
>   **require**
>   *exist:* **not***destroyed;*
>   *not_void: txt /= void*
>   **ensure**
>   *text_set: text.is_equal (txt)*

feature -- Basic operation

copy_selection
>   -- Copy the *selected_region* in the Clipboard
>   -- to paste it later.
>   -- If the *selected_region* is empty, it does
>   -- nothing.
>   **require**
>   *exists:* **not***destroyed*

cut_selection
>   -- Cut the *selected_region* by erasing it from
>   -- the text and putting it in the Clipboard
>   -- to paste it later.
>   -- If the *selectd_region* is empty, it does
>   -- nothing.
>   **require**
>   *exists:* **not***destroyed*

paste (index: INTEGER)
>   -- Insert the string which is in the

        -- Clipboard at the *index* postion in the
        -- text.
        -- If the Clipboard is empty, it does nothing.
     require
        exists: **not**destroyed

   search (str: STRING): INTEGER
        -- Search the string *str* in the text.
        -- If *str* is find, it returns its start
        -- index in the text, otherwise, it returns
        -- *Void*
     require
        exists: **not**destroyed;
        valid_string: str /= void

end -- class *EV_TEXT_COMPONENT*

3.2.7   EV_TEXT_FIELD

A text field allows the application user to enter one line of text. A text field has maximum length and visible length. The text can contain alphanumeric and numeric characters as well as special characters (what? Unicode? iso8851-1?), but there is no formatting for the text. All the text in the field uses the same font and color.

Sometimes it is necessary to check the validity of text inserted using the text field. For example, a text field can accept only numbers of even better, phone numbers in certain format. The following is a suggestion for the validity checking:

Offer a class EV_TEXT_FILTER with a redefineable feature *filter (char: CHARACTER): BOOLEAN*. Filter will return *True*, if the character is valid. Another creation procedure for **EV_TEXT_FIELD** has to be added: *make_with_filter (filter: EV_TEXT_FILTER)*.This is not yet very effective. A better solution would be to create the filter object giving a regular expression to describe the validity of the input

indexing
    description: "EiffelVision text field. To query single line of text from the user"
    status: "See notice at end of class"
    id: "$Id: ev_text_field.e,v 1.2 1998/09/01 00:07:20 samik Exp $"
    date: "$Date: 1998/09/01 00:07:20 $"
    revision: "$Revision: 1.2 $"

class interface
    EV_TEXT_FIELD

creation

      make

feature -- Event - command association

      add_activate_command   (command: EV_COMMAND;   arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)
                -- Add 'command' to the list of commands to be
                -- executed when the text field is activated
        require
                valid_command: command /= void

end -- class *EV_TEXT_FIELD*

3.2.8 EV_PASSWORD_FIELD

A password field is a text field which can be used when querying a password in the application. The text typed into a password entry is not shown, but for every character typed an asterisk (*) is shown instead.

3.2.9 EV_SPINBUTTON

Spinbuttons are single line entries with two small button on the right side of the text field. The buttons have symbols arrow up and arrow down. The contents of spinbutton can only be numeric. When pressing the up button and down buttons, the value of the entry respectively increased and decreased of the chosen value.

3.2.10 EV_COMBO_BOX

A combo box contains of a text field a button. When the button is pressed, a list of possible choices is opened. Text can either be typed in to the entry field or selected from the list.

3.2.11 EV_TEXT_AREA

A text area is like a text field, but with a possibility to enter multiple lines. The property maximum length controls the number of characters on one line. When typed more characters, the cursor is automatically moved to the next line. A text area will have two creation routines, one to create a text area with or without scrollbars.

indexing
> *description: "EiffelVision text area. To query multiple lines of text from the user"*
> *status: "See notice at end of class"*
> *id: "$Id: ev_text_area.e,v 1.1 1998/08/18 01:47:04 samik Exp $"*
> *date: "$Date: 1998/08/18 01:47:04 $"*
> *revision: "$Revision: 1.1 $"*

class interface
> *EV_TEXT_AREA*

creation
> *make*

end -- class *EV_TEXT_AREA*

3.2.12 EV_TEXT_EDITOR

A text editor is a complete multi-line text widget with text editing features. The text inside have several different colors and fonts.

3.2.13 EV_SEPARATOR

Separators are simple widgets that display one or several lines. They are used to separate two areas on the screen. Separators are usually used in menus, but can be used in other widgets too.

This single class specifies the direction and style of all separators. The relevant features are *set_double_dashed_line*, *set_double_line*, *set_no_line*, *set_single_dashed_line*, and *set_single_line.* The direction can be set by *set_horizontal* and queried by *is_horizontal*.

3.2.14 EV_RANGE

EV_RANGE is a deferred class and a common ancestor for EV_SCROLLBAR and EV_SCALE.

3.2.15 EV_SCROLLBAR

A scrollbar is a simple concept. It has a thumb indicating the relative position within the scrollable material (or position within the scrollbar) and arrows at both end to give a direction indication. Usually the thumb can be dragged to move it to a specific position, clicking on the arrows moves it of one line unit and clicking near the arrows moves it of one page unit. The line and page units can be set by the user.

Scrollbars can be used by themselves to specify relative values such as sliders on a hi-fi system but are usually attached to something else.

EV_SCROLLBAR is a deferred class, it is the ancestor of EV_HORIZONTAL_ SCROLLBAR and EV_VERTICAL_SCROLLBAR.

The events that can occur on a scrollbar include the movement of the thumb and the position being changed.

Depending on the toolkit, there may be a possibility to have acceleration of the speed of movement of the thumb. This is usually based on an *initial_delay* and a *repeat_delay* which can be set (*set_inital_delay* and *set_repeat_delay*). Also affecting the movement is the *granularity* which will affect how much the thumb is to move as well as the *maximum* and *minimum* of the range of movement. The routines to set the motion affecting values are *set_granularity*, *set_maximum* and *set_minimum*. The current position of the thumb can be set and queried using *set_value* and *value* respectively.

3.2.16 EV_SCALE

A scale is like a scrollbar, but is used to set or represent numeric values. It can be considered as a scrollbar with a label indicating a value. The text used for the labels in the scale is **EV_FONTABLE**.

EV_SCALE is a deferred class, ancestor of EV_HORIZONTAL_SCALE and EV_VERTICAL_SCALE.

Like a scrollbar, a scale \has a move event and a value changed event. There are routines to attach and remove commands from these (*add_move_action*, *add_value_changed_action*, *remove_move_action* and *remove_value_changed_action*).

The granularity, minimum, maximum, thumb value and orientation all have the same meanings and associated routines as **EV_SCROLLBAR**.

The major difference between a scrollbar and the scale is the output modes of the scale. The scale may be set so that it only does output values (*set_output_only*) and have this queried (*is_output_only*). The label may be made to appear with whatever text using the *set_text* feature and queried using the *text* feature. The numerical value of the scale may be shown by setting *is_value_shown* through the *show_value* feature.

By default, the maximum of the scale is on the bottom for the vertical scales and on the right for the horizontal ones. However, this default behavior can be changed by *set_maximum_right_bottom* and can be queried with *is_maximum_right_bottom.*

3.2.17 EV_LIST

A list is a component with a list of options which may be selected by a user. There may be only one selection allowed or multiple selections allowed. The text within the list is of type **EV_LIST_ITEM**.

3.2.18 **EV_MULTI_COLUMN_LIST**

A multi column list has the functionality of list with the difference that the item in it is of type EV_MULTI_COLUMN_LIST_ITEM. A multi column list item consists of several parts so that each part is the list item represents the item in one column. A multi column list also have a title row which is displayed on top of the list. The title row controls which columns are visible and what is the visible size of the columns. Columns can be added, removed and resized.

3.2.19 **EV_TREE**

A tree is a component which allows data to be represented hierarchically. A single data item in a tree is of type EV_TREE_ITEM.

3.2.20 **EV_MENU**

A menu is a rectangular area with a vertical list of menu items. Each menu item is of type EV_MENU_ITEM.

indexing
        description: "EiffelVision menu. Menu contains menu items several menu items and shows them when the menu is opened."
        status: "See notice at end of class"
        id: "$Id: ev_menu.e,v 1.4 1998/09/11 00:53:19 samik Exp $"
        date: "$Date: 1998/09/11 00:53:19 $"
        revision: "$Revision: 1.4 $"

class interface
        EV_MENU

creation
        make_with_text

feature -- Implementation

        implementation: EV_MENU_I

end -- class *EV_MENU*

3.2.21 **EV_MENU_ITEM**

A menu item is a component that can be put on a menu. Menu item is shown as a piece of text.

indexing
        description: "EiffelVision menu item. Item that must be put in an EV_MENU_ITEM_ CONTAINER."
        status: "See notice at end of class"

id: "$Id: ev_menu_item.e,v 1.5 1998/09/22 21:40:29 aitkaci Exp $"
date: "$Date: 1998/09/22 21:40:29 $"
revision: "$Revision: 1.5 $"

class interface
    EV_MENU_ITEM

creation
    make_with_text

feature -- Status report

    insensitive: BOOLEAN
                    -- Is current item insensitive to
                    -- user actions?
            require
                    exists: **not***destroyed*

feature -- Status setting

    set_insensitive (flag: BOOLEAN)
                    -- Set current item in insensitive mode if
                    -- *flag*.
            require
                    exists: **not***destroyed*
            ensure
                    flag = insensitive

feature -- Implementation

    implementation: EV_MENU_ITEM_I

end -- class *EV_MENU_ITEM*

3.2.22 EV_MENU_BAR

A menu bar is a group of menu-bar items that appears on the top of a window. Menus.
combo-box, text fields are menu-bar items.

indexing
        description: "EiffelVision menu bar. Menu bar is a vertical the screen or in the window
containing menu items."
        status: "See notice at end of class"
        id: "$Id: ev_menu_bar.e,v 1.3 1998/09/29 02:01:21 aitkaci Exp $"
        date: "$Date: 1998/09/29 02:01:21 $"
        revision: "$Revision: 1.3 $"

class interface
        EV_MENU_BAR

creation
        make

end -- class *EV_MENU_BAR*

3.2.23 EV_OPTION_MENU

An option menu looks like a button. When it is clicked a menu of choices is opened. The
user can select a choice in the menu. The selected item is shown as a label of the option
menu button. On Windows there is no native option menu component, but a read-only
combo box can be used instead.

3.2.24 EV_FRAME

A frame is simple widget that draws a border around its children.

3.2.25 EV_PROGRESSBAR

A progressbar can be used to show progress in the application, for example, to show the
progress in compilation.

3.3 Drawables

3.3.1 EV_DRAWABLE

A drawable is a common ancestor for component that can contain pictures. These pictures
can be pixmaps or drawn using figures (see section 3.9).

3.3.2 EV_SCREEN

A screen is a drawable and refers to the screen outside the applications windows. By using
the class EV_SCREEN the application can draw figures and pixmaps anywhere on the
screen without even having to open any windows.

3.3.3 EV_DRAWING_AREA

Drawing area is a widget that can contain pictures.

3.3.4 EV_PIXMAP

A pixmap is a picture consisting of several pixels of possibly different colors (pixmap = pixel map). The current implementation of pixmap is a pixmap widget, but pixmap should exist as a separate structure. The pixmap widget should be removed completely and used drawable with a pixmap component instead.

Pixmap is itself a drawable, but it can be put inside of any drawable.

indexing
  description: "EiffelVision pixmap. Pixmap is a data structure that contains a picture."
  status: "See notice at end of class"
  id: "$Id: ev_pixmap.e,v 1.3 1998/09/17 22:59:47 samik Exp $"
  date: "$Date: 1998/09/17 22:59:47 $"
  revision: "$Revision: 1.3 $"

class interface
  EV_PIXMAP

creation
  make,
  make_from_file

feature -- Element change

> *read_from_file (file_name: STRING)*
>>   -- Load the pixmap described in 'file_name'.
>>   -- If the file does not exist, an exception is
>>   -- raised.
>>   -- What about a file in wrong format?
>>   *require*
>>   *file_name_exists: file_name /= void*

end -- class *EV_PIXMAP*

3.4 Containers

A container is a widget which allows other widgets, called its 'children', to be put inside it. Some of the containers allow only one child. However, because the child can also be a container, it is possible to put several widgets inside any container. See the discussion about containers fixed, box, etc...

Usually container manages its children. It means that the size and position of a child are specified by the container. The child can only specify its size and location under the restrictions of the container. For example, child can set the minimum size, but not the actual size. Also the attributes *automatic_position* and *automatic_resize* of **EV_WIDGET** control the appearance of the child inside a container. The only container which does not manage its child is fixed container.

indexing
>   *description: "EiffelVision container. Container is a widget that can hold children in-*
side it"
>   *status: "See notice at end of class"*
>   *id: "$Id: ev_container.e,v 1.6 1998/09/29 02:01:18 aitkaci Exp $"*
>   *date: "$Date: 1998/09/29 02:01:18 $"*
>   *revision: "$Revision: 1.6 $"*

deferred class interface
>   *EV_CONTAINER*

feature -- Access

> *client_height: INTEGER*
>>   -- Height of the client area (area of the
>>   -- widget excluding the borders etc) of
>>   -- container
>>   *require*
>>   *exists:* **not***destroyed*
>>   *ensure*
>>   *positive_result: Result >= 0*

> *client_width: INTEGER*
>>   -- Width of the client area (area of the

                                        -- widget excluding the borders etc) of
                                        -- container
                          require
                                        exists: **not***destroyed*
                          ensure
                                        positive_result: Result >= 0

                manager: BOOLEAN
                                        -- Manager container manages the geometry of its
                                        -- child(ren). Default True.

end -- class *EV_CONTAINER*

3.4.1 EV_WINDOW

A window is a bordered rectangular area visible on the screen. A window is a basic GUI component and a basis for almost every application. A window is a container and any widget, except for a window, can be put inside it. A window also has properties menubar, toolbar and statusbar. All of them can be visible on non visible. A menubar is the topmost component in the window, just below the window borders. A toolbar is located just below the menubar. A statusbar is the component on the bottom of the window. Should we allow floating menu- or toolbars?. The class interface is presented below.

indexing
        description: "EiffelVision window. Window is a visible window on the screen."
        status: "See notice at end of class"
        id: "$Id: ev_window.e,v 1.12 1998/10/02 17:02:04 aitkaci Exp $"
        date: "$Date: 1998/10/02 17:02:04 $"
        revision: "$Revision: 1.12 $"

class interface
>   EV_WINDOW

creation
>   make,
>   make_top_level

feature -- Access

>   icon_mask: EV_PIXMAP
>>   -- Bitmap that could be used by window manager
>>   -- to clip *icon_pixmap* bitmap to make the
>>   -- icon nonrectangular
>>   *require*
>>>   exists: **not**destroyed

>   icon_name: STRING
>>   -- Short form of application name to be
>>   -- displayed by the window manager when
>>   -- application is iconified
>>   *require*
>>>   exists: **not**destroyed

>   icon_pixmap: EV_PIXMAP
>>   -- Bitmap that could be used by the window manager
>>   -- as the application's icon
>>   *require*
>>>   exists: **not**destroyed
>>   *ensure*
>>>   valid_result: Result /= void

>   parent: EV_WINDOW
>>   -- The parent of the Current window: a window.
>>   -- If the window is a top level, this attribute
>>   -- is *Void*.
>>   -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

>   title: STRING
>>   -- Application name to be displayed by
>>   -- the window manager
>>   *require*
>>>   exists: **not**destroyed

>   widget_group: EV_WIDGET
>>   -- Widget with wich current widget is associated.
>>   -- By convention this widget is the "leader" of a group
>>   -- widgets. Window manager will treat all widgets in
>>   -- a group in some way; for example, it may move or

                              -- iconify them together
                require
                              exists: **not***destroyed*

feature -- Measurement

        maximum_height: INTEGER
                              -- Maximum height that application wishes widget
                              -- instance to have
                require
                              exists: **not***destroyed*
                ensure
                              Result >= 0

        maximum_width: INTEGER
                              -- Maximum width that application wishes widget
                              -- instance to have
                require
                              exists: **not***destroyed*
                ensure
                              Result >= 0

feature -- Status report

        is_iconic_state: BOOLEAN
                              -- Does application start in iconic state?
                require
                              exists: **not***destroyed*

feature -- Status setting

        set_iconic_state
                              -- Set start state of the application
                              -- to be iconic.
                require
                              exists: **not***destroyed*

        set_maximize_state
                              -- Set start state of the application to be
                              -- maximized.
                require
                              exists: **not***destroyed*

        set_normal_state
                              -- Set start state of the application to be normal.
                require
                              exists: **not***destroyed*

feature -- Element change

set_close_command (c: EV_COMMAND)

set_icon_mask (mask: EV_PIXMAP)
        -- Set *icon_mask* to *mask*.
    require
        exists: **not**destroyed;
        not_mask_void: mask /= void

set_icon_name (new_name: STRING)
        -- Set *icon_name* to *new_name*.
    require
        exists: **not**destroyed;
        valid_name: new_name /= void

set_icon_pixmap (pixmap: EV_PIXMAP)
        -- Set *icon_pixmap* to *pixmap*.
    require
        exists: **not**destroyed;
        not_pixmap_void: pixmap /= void

set_title (new_title: STRING)
        -- Set *title* to *new_title*.
    require
        exists: **not**destroyed;
        not_title_void: new_title /= void

set_widget_group (group_widget: EV_WIDGET)
        -- Set *widget_group* to *group_widget*.
    require
        exists: **not**destroyed

feature -- Resizing

set_maximum_height (max_height: INTEGER)
        -- Make *max_height* the new *maximum_height*.
    require
        exists: **not**destroyed;
        large_enough: max_height >= 0
    ensure
        max_height = max_height

set_maximum_width (max_width: INTEGER)
        -- Make *max_width* the new *maximum_width*.
    require
        exists: **not**destroyed;
        large_enough: max_width >= 0
    ensure
        max_width = max_width

end -- class *EV_WINDOW*

3.4.2 **EV_DIALOG**

Dialog is a special window which can be used for pop-up messages to the user, and other similar tasks.

3.4.3 **EV_PRINT_DIALOG**

3.4.4 **EV_COLOR_SELECTION_DIALOG**

3.4.5 **EV_FONT_SELECTION_DIALOG**

3.4.6 **EV_FILE_SELECTION_DIALOG**

3.4.7 **EV_FILE_OPEN_DIALOG**

3.4.8 **EV_FILE_SAVE_DIALOG**

3.4.9 **EV_INPUT_DIALOG**

3.4.10 **EV_MESSAGE_DIALOG**

3.4.11 **EV_INFORMATION_DIALOG**

3.4.12 **EV_QUESTION_DIALOG**

3.4.13 **EV_WARNING_DIALOG**

3.4.14 **EV_ERROR_DIALOG**

3.4.15 **EV_FIXED**

Fixed is an invisible container that allows unlimited number of other widgets to be put inside it. The location of widgets inside a fixed widget is specified by coordinates relative to the top left corner of fixed. The coordinates are widget attributes *x* and *y*. Fixed is the only container that allow the children specify their location and size freely.

indexing
> *description: "EiffelVision fixed. Invisible container that allows unlimited number of other widgets to be put inside it. The location of each widget inside is specified by the coordinates of the widget."*
> *status: "See notice at end of class"*
> *id: "$Id: ev_fixed.e,v 1.5 1998/09/29 02:01:18 aitkaci Exp $"*
> *date: "$Date: 1998/09/29 02:01:18 $"*

revision: "$Revision: 1.5 $"

class interface
   EV_FIXED

creation
   make

feature -- Access

   manager: BOOLEAN

end -- class *EV_FIXED*

3.4.16   EV_BOX

Box, like fixed, is meant to be used to collect other widgets and control their appearance. Using box, widgets can be packed horizontally or vertically. Box controls the position of the widgets inside it and it can do automatic resizing. Widget inside a box can be used to right justified or left justified. **EV_BOX** is a deferred class, with effective descendants horizontal box and vertical box.

  By default a box is homogeneous, which means that the space for all the children are is be the same size than the space for the largest child. Children can be resized to fill the space of to be in the center of the space (controlled by widget's attributes *automatic_ resize* and *automatic_position*). Box can be set to non homogeneous by using the feature *set_homegeneous* with a parameter *False*. If the box is non homogeneous, each child has a space relative to the size of the child itself.

  The default spacing between the children is 0. That can be changed by the feature *set_spacing*.

indexing
   description: "EiffelVision box. Invisible container that allows unlimited number of oth-er widgets to be packed inside it. Box controls the location the children%'s location and size automatically."
   status: "See notice at end of class"
   id: "$Id: ev_box.e,v 1.8 1998/09/29 02:01:17 aitkaci Exp $"
   date: "$Date: 1998/09/29 02:01:17 $"
   revision: "$Revision: 1.8 $"

deferred class interface
   EV_BOX

feature -- Element change (box specific)

   set_homogeneous (homogeneous: BOOLEAN)
        -- Homogenous controls whether each object in
        -- the box has the same size. If homogenous =
        -- True, expand argument for each child is

    -- automatically True
       require
          exist: **not***destroyed*

    set_spacing (spacing: INTEGER)
          -- Spacing between the objects in the box
       require
          exist: **not***destroyed*

end -- class *EV_BOX*

3.4.17 EV_VERTICAL_BOX

A box in vertical position.

indexing
    description: "EiffelVision vertical box."
    status: "See notice at end of class"
    id: "$Id: ev_vertical_box.e,v 1.4 1998/09/29 02:01:22 aitkaci Exp $"
    date: "$Date: 1998/09/29 02:01:22 $"
    revision: "$Revision: 1.4 $"

class interface
    EV_VERTICAL_BOX

creation
    make

end -- class *EV_VERTICAL_BOX*

3.4.18 EV_HORIZONTAL_BOX

A box in horizontal position.

indexing

> *description: "EiffelVision horizontal box."*
> *status: "See notice at end of class"*
> *id: "$Id: ev_horizontal_box.e,v 1.4 1998/09/29 02:01:19 aitkaci Exp $"*
> *date: "$Date: 1998/09/29 02:01:19 $"*
> *revision: "$Revision: 1.4 $"*

class interface

> *EV_HORIZONTAL_BOX*

creation

> *make*

end -- class *EV_HORIZONTAL_BOX*

3.4.19 EV_TABLE

Tables are another way to pack widgets. Table contains a grid of rows and columns where the widgets are placed in. The widgets may take up as many spaces in the table as specified.

The homogeneous attribute of the table has to do with how the table's boxes are sized. If homogeneous is *True*, the table boxes are resized to the size of the largest widget in the table. If homogeneous is *False*, the size of a table boxes is dictated by the tallest widget in its same row, and the widest widget in its column.

The rows and columns are laid out from 0 to n, where n is the last row or column. A table layout with two rows and two columns is presented in Figure 3.4.20.

Figure 3.4.20 Table layout with two rows and two columns

The coordinate system starts in the upper left hand corner.

3.4.21 EV_SCROLLABLE_AREA

Scrollable area is a container widget with horizontal and vertical scrollbars around it. Any widget, except for a window, can be put inside a scrollable area the scrollable area offers automatic scrolling. If the widget inside is bigger than the visible size of scrollable area, the scrollbars can be used to move the view of the widget. Size of the thumbs of the scrollbar corresponds to the visible size of the widget (the size of the scrollable area) and the size of the whole scrollbar corresponds to the size of the whole widget.

indexing
> *description: "EiffelVision scrollable area. Scrollable area is a container with scroll-bars. Scrollable area offers automatic scrolling for its child."*
> *status: "See notice at end of class"*
> *id: "$Id: ev_scrollable_area.e,v 1.2 1998/09/11 19:53:11 samik Exp $"*
> *date: "$Date: 1998/09/11 19:53:11 $"*
> *revision: "$Revision: 1.2 $"*

class interface
> *EV_SCROLLABLE_AREA*

creation
> *make*

end -- class *EV_SCROLLABLE_AREA*

3.4.22 **EV_SPLIT_AREA**

Split area is a container widget with two children with groove drawn between them. The user can control the relative size of the two parts by moving the groove. Split area can be either horizontal of vertical.

indexing
>   description: "EiffelVision split area. Split consists of two parts divided by a groove, which can be moved by the user to change the visible portion of the parts. Split is an abstract class with effective decendants horizontal and vertical split."
>   status: "See notice at end of class"
>   id: "$Id: ev_split_area.e,v 1.3 1998/09/29 02:01:22 aitkaci Exp $"
>   date: "$Date: 1998/09/29 02:01:22 $"
>   revision: "$Revision: 1.3 $"

deferred class interface
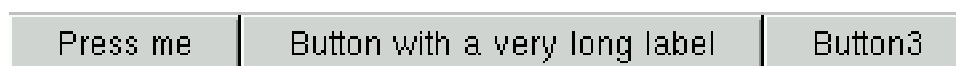>   EV_SPLIT_AREA

end -- class *EV_SPLIT_AREA*

3.4.23 EV_NOTEBOOK

Notebook is a collection of pages that overlap each other. For each page there is a tab corresponding to the page. Only one of the pages is visible, but the tabs are visible either top, bottom, left or right of the page. When the tab is clicked, the corresponding page is made visible. If there is a lot of tabs, it is usually not possible to show them all at the same time. The number of visible tabs can be set. If there is more tabs than visible tabs, scroll buttons are shown and they can be used to control which of the tabs are visible.

Each page is a container that allows one widget to be put inside it. Pages can be added to and removed from the notebook.

indexing

description: "EiffelVision notebook. Notebook is a collection of pages that overlap each other. For each page there is a tab corresponding to the page."

status: "See notice at end of class"

id: "$Id: ev_notebook.e,v 1.3 1998/08/08 21:08:20 samik Exp $"

date: "$Date: 1998/08/08 21:08:20 $"

revision: "$Revision: 1.3 $"

class interface

EV_NOTEBOOK

creation

make

feature -- Status setting

> *set_tab_left*
>> -- set position of tabs to left
>> **require**
>>> *exists:* **not***destroyed*

feature -- Element change

> *append_page (c: EV_WIDGET; label: STRING)*
>> -- New page for notebook containing child 'c' with tab
>> -- label 'label
>> **require**
>>> *exists:* **not***destroyed;*
>>> *child_of_notebook: c.parent = Current*

end -- class *EV_NOTEBOOK*

3.5 Events

EiffelVision has general events, which are common for all the widgets, and widget specific events.

3.5.1 General Events

The following list describes the general events.

button press	A mouse button is pressed over the widget.
button release	A mouse button is released over the widget.
double click	a mouse button is double clicked over the widget.
motion notify	Mouse pointer is moved over the widget.
delete	The widget is deleted.
expose	A part of the widget has to be redrawn because it was exposed from behind another widget.
key press	A key is pressed over the widget.
key release	A key is released over the widget.
enter notify	Mouse pointer is enters the area of widget.
leave notify	Mouse pointer leaves the area of widget.
more??	

3.5.2 Widget Specific Events

As the name suggests these events are specific for each widget. For example, button has a click event which happens when a button widget is clicked. For information on events specific to a widget, see the definition of widget in section 3.1.

3.6 Commands

A command is an object created by the library user to perform some action in response to an event. EiffelVision offers a deferred class **EV_COMMAND**. The library user can inherit from **EV_COMMAND**, to define a new command class and redefine feature *execute*. The routine *execute* is executed in response to an event.

indexing
        description: "General notion of command (semantic unity). To write an actual command inherit from this class and implement the 'execute%' feature"
        status: "See notice at end of class"
        date: "$Date: 1998/08/28 01:16:17 $"
        revision: "$Revision: 1.2 $"

deferred class interface
        EV_COMMAND

feature -- Access

        event_data: EV_EVENT_DATA
                -- Information related to Current command,
                -- provided by the underlying user interface
                -- mechanism

feature -- Status report
--XX check the purpose of this this

        event_data_useful: BOOLEAN
                -- Should the context data be available
                -- when Current command is invoked as a
                -- callback

        is_template: BOOLEAN
                -- Is the current command a template, in other words,
                -- should it be cloned before execution?
                -- If true, EiffelVision will clone Current command
                -- whenever it is invoked as a callback

feature -- Basic operations

        execute (arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)
                -- Execute Current command.
                -- *arguments* is automatically passed by

> -- EiffelVision when Current command is
> -- invoked as a callback.

execute_address: POINTER
> -- Address of feature execute

end -- class *EV_COMMAND*

The above specification and class interface are only temporary. The final implementation will use routine objects when they are available. It means that the library user doesn't have to create a new class for each command by inheriting from **EV_COMMAND**.Instead there are two choices for EiffelVision: one approach would be to have a class EV_COMMAND with a creation routine taking a routine object and the user argument (a tuple) as arguments. Then the execution function of this command would execute the routine abject with the argument and the event_data as parameters. The other choice is just to put the routine object as an argument for *add_command* features.

3.7 Arguments

Arguments for commands are currently passed using an object of class **EV_ARGUMENTS** and its descendants. However, the final implementation will use tuples instead, when available.

Thanks to the tuple mechanism, argument types are checked at compile time, so that the argument passing mechanism is type-safe.

3.8 Event Data

Event data is information specific to an event, for example, the location of the mouse pointer. Widget specific events do not have any event data.

indexing
> *description: "EiffelVision event data. Information given byEiffelVision when a callback is triggered.This is the base class for representing event data"*
> *status: "See notice at end of class"*
> *id: "$Id: ev_event_data.e,v 1.7 1998/09/29 02:01:16 aitkaci Exp $"*
> *date: "$Date: 1998/09/29 02:01:16 $"*
> *revision: "$Revision: 1.7 $"*

class interface
> *EV_EVENT_DATA*

creation
> *make*

feature -- Access

> *widget: EV_WIDGET*
>> -- The mouse pointer was over this widget
>> -- when event happened

feature -- Debug

> *print_contents*

end -- class *EV_EVENT_DATA*

3.8.1 EV_BUTTON_EVENT_DATA

This class represents event data for button events: button press, button release and double click.

indexing
> *description: "EiffelVision button event data.Class for representing button event data"*
> *status: "See notice at end of class"*
> *id: "$Id: ev_button_event_data.e,v 1.6 1998/08/28 00:44:12 samik Exp $"*
> *date: "$Date: 1998/08/28 00:44:12 $"*
> *revision: "$Revision: 1.6 $"*

class interface
> *EV_BUTTON_EVENT_DATA*

creation
> *make*

feature -- Access

> *button: INTEGER*

> *keyval: INTEGER*

> *state: INTEGER*

> *x: DOUBLE*
>> -- x coordinate of mouse pointer

> *y: DOUBLE*
>> -- y coordinate of mouse pointer

feature -- Debug

> *print_contents*
>> -- print the contents of the object

end -- class *EV_BUTTON_EVENT_DATA*

3.8.2 EV_MOTION_EVENT_DATA

indexing

 description: "EiffelVision motion event data.Class for representing motion event data"

 status: "See notice at end of class"
 id: "$Id: ev_motion_event_data.e,v 1.5 1998/09/03 23:32:20 samik Exp $"
 date: "$Date: 1998/09/03 23:32:20 $"
 revision: "$Revision: 1.5 $"

class interface
 EV_MOTION_EVENT_DATA

creation
 make

feature -- Initialization

 make

feature -- Access

 state: INTEGER

 x: DOUBLE
     -- x coordinate of mouse pointer

 y: DOUBLE
     -- y coordinate of mouse pointer

feature -- Debug

 print_contents
     -- print the contents of the object

end -- class *EV_MOTION_EVENT_DATA*

3.8.3 EV_KEY_EVENT_DATA

indexing

 description: "EiffelVision key event data.Class for representing button event data"
 status: "See notice at end of class"
 id: "$Id: ev_key_event_data.e,v 1.1 1998/08/28 00:44:15 samik Exp $"
 date: "$Date: 1998/08/28 00:44:15 $"
 revision: "$Revision: 1.1 $"

class interface
 EV_KEY_EVENT_DATA

creation
>   *make*

feature -- Access

>   *keyval: INTEGER*

>   *length: INTEGER*

>   *state: INTEGER*

>   *string: STRING*

feature -- Debug

>   *print_contents*
>   -- print the contents of the object

end -- class *EV_KEY_EVENT_DATA*

3.9 Figures

Figures work as in old EiffelVision and the implementation will be taken from there as far as possible.

3.10 Timers?

3.11 Other notes

Colormap handling under X Windows System so that it always gets the closest color.

3.12 Using the Library

EiffelVision has been designed to be simple to use and still effective. This section gives examples of using the library.

The following class implements a main window of an EiffelVision example. The main window consist of button box with toggle buttons containing label and text. Each button is associated to a command, which opens a demo window.

indexing
>   *description: "MAIND_WINDOW, main window for the application. Belongs to*
> *EiffelVision example.";*
>   *status: "See notice at end of class";*
>   *id: "$Id: main_window.e,v 1.18 1998/09/23 00:11:28 samik Exp $";*
>   *date: "$Date: 1998/09/23 00:11:28 $";*
>   *revision: "$Revision: 1.18 $"*

```
class MAIN_WINDOW

inherit
        EV_WINDOW
                redefine
                        make_top_level
                end;
        EV_COMMAND

creation
        make_top_level

feature --Access

        container: EV_VERTICAL_BOX;
                        -- Push buttons

        current_demo_window: DEMO_WINDOW;

feature -- Initialization

        make_top_level is
                local
                        b: MAIN_WINDOW_BUTTON;
                        c1: LABEL_DEMO_WINDOW;
                        c2: FIXED_DEMO_WINDOW;
                        c3: BOX_DEMO_WINDOW;
                        c4: NOTEBOOK_DEMO_WINDOW;
                        c5: TEXT_FIELD_DEMO_WINDOW;
                        c6: TEXT_AREA_DEMO_WINDOW;
                        c7: MENU_DEMO_WINDOW;
                        c8: SPLIT_AREA_DEMO_WINDOW;
                        c9: SCROLLABLE_AREA_DEMO_WINDOW;
                        c10: BUTTONS_DEMO_WINDOW
                do
                        precursor;
                        !! container.make (Current);
                        !! c1.make (Current);
                        !! c2.make (Current);
                        !! c3.make (Current);
                        !! c4.make (Current);
                        !! c5.make (Current);
                        !! c6.make (Current);
                        !! c7.make (Current);
                        !! c8.make (Current);
                        !! c9.make (Current);
                        !! c10.make (Current);
                        !! b.make_button (Current, "Label", "", c1);
                        !! b.make_button (Current, "Buttons", "../pixmaps/buttons.xpm", c10);
```

```
                !! b.make_button (Current, "Fixed", "../pixmaps/fixed.xpm", c2);
                !! b.make_button (Current, "Box", "../pixmaps/box.xpm", c3);
                !! b.make_button (Current, "Notebook", "../pixmaps/notebook.xpm",
c4);
                !! b.make_button (Current, "Text field", "../pixmaps/text_field.xpm",
c5);
                !! b.make_button (Current, "Text area", "../pixmaps/text_area.xpm",
c6);
                !! b.make_button (Current, "Menu", "../pixmaps/menu.xpm", c7);
                !! b.make_button (Current, "Split area", "../pixmaps/split_area.xpm",
c8);
                !! b.make_button (Current, "Scrollable area", "../pixmaps/scrollable_
area.xpm", c9);
                set_values
        end;
```

feature -- Status setting

```
        execute (arg: EV_ARGUMENT1 [DEMO_WINDOW]) is
                        -- called when actions window is deleted
        do
                arg.first.effective_button.set_pressed (false)
                arg.first.actions_window.destroy
                set_insensitive (false)
        end;
```

feature -- Status setting

```
        set_values is
                do
                        set_title ("Test all widgets")
                end;
```

end -- class *MAIN_WINDOW*

The following class presents the main window button used in the code example of main window. Together these example show how to create a complete user interface easily. The interface is built without specifying any coordinates nor sizes for the widgets. Everything is calculated automatically at run time. The example will be even simpler when tuples and routine objects are available and used in command and argument implementation.

indexing
```
        description: "main window button for the application. Belongs to EiffelVision
example.";
        status: "See notice at end of class";
        id: "$Id: main_window_button.e,v 1.5 1998/09/22 22:32:34 samik Exp $";
        date: "$Date: 1998/09/22 22:32:34 $";
        revision: "$Revision: 1.5 $"
```

class MAIN_WINDOW_BUTTON

creation
        make_button

feature {NONE} -- Initialization

        initialize (par: EV_CONTAINER) is
                        -- Common initialization for buttons
                        -- (from *EV_BUTTON*)
                do
                        widget_make (par)
                        !! pixmap_container.make_from_primitive (Current)
                end;

        make (par: EV_CONTAINER) is
                        -- Empty button
                        -- (from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*)
                do
                        !EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON_IMP! implementation.make (par)
                        initialize (par)
                end;

        make_with_text (par: EV_CONTAINER; txt: STRING) is
                        -- Button with 'par' as parent and 'txt' as
                        -- text label
                        -- (from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*)
                do
                        !EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON_IMP! implementation.make_with_text (par,
txt)
                        initialize (par)
                end;

        widget_make (par: EV_CONTAINER) is
                        -- Create a widget with *par* as parent and
                        -- call *set_default*.
                        -- This is a general initialization for
                        -- widgets and has to be called by all the
                        -- widgets with parents.
                        -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
                require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                        valid_parent: par /= void
                do
                        parent := par
                        set_default
                ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                        parent_set: parent.child = Current **and** *par = parent;*
                        exists: **not***destroyed*
                end;

feature {NONE} --Initialization

    make_button (*main_w: MAIN_WINDOW; button_name, pixmap_file_name: STRING;*
cmd: DEMO_WINDOW) **is**
        local
            p: EV_PIXMAP;
            a: EV_ARGUMENT2 [MAIN_WINDOW, EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON]
        do
            make (main_w.container);
            set_text (button_name);
            if *pixmap_file_name /= void* **and then** **not***pixmap_file_name.empty*
then
                !! p.make_from_file (pixmap_container, pixmap_file_name)
            end;
            !! a.make_2 (main_w, Current);
            add_toggle_command (cmd, a)
        end;

feature -- Access

    font: EV_FONT **is**
            -- Font name of label
            -- (from *EV_FONTABLE*)
        require -- from *EV_FONTABLE*
            exists: **not***destroyed*
        do
            Result := implementation.font
        end;

    parent: EV_CONTAINER;
            -- Parent container of this widget
            -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

    pixmap_container: EV_PIXMAP_CONTAINER;
            -- Pixmap inside button
            -- (from *EV_BUTTON*)

    text: STRING **is**
            -- Text of current label
            -- (from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*)
        require -- from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*
            exists: **not***destroyed*
        do
            Result := implementation.text
        end;

feature -- Measurement
-- The coordinates are effective only if widget is inside a

-- fixed container. Otherwise they are calculated
-- automatically by the container widget.

height: INTEGER **is**
    -- Height of widget
    -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
    exists: **not***destroyed*
do
    Result := implementation.height
ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
    positive_height: Result >= 0
end;

maximum_height: INTEGER **is**
    -- Maximum height that application wishes widget
    -- instance to have
    -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
    exists: **not***destroyed*
do
    Result := implementation.maximum_height
ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
    Result >= 0
end;

maximum_width: INTEGER **is**
    -- Maximum width that application wishes widget
    -- instance to have
    -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
    exists: **not***destroyed*
do
    Result := implementation.maximum_width
ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
    Result >= 0
end;

minimum_height: INTEGER **is**
    -- Minimum height that application wishes widget
    -- instance to have
    -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
    exists: **not***destroyed*
do
    Result := implementation.minimum_height
ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
    positive_height: Result >= 0
end;

*minimum_width: INTEGER **is***
        -- Minimum width that application wishes widget
        -- instance to have
        -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
    require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
        *exists: **not**destroyed*
    do
        *Result := implementation**.**minimum_width*
    ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
        positive_height: Result >= 0
    end;

*width: INTEGER **is***
        -- Width of widget
        -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
    require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
        *exists: **not**destroyed*
    do
        *Result := implementation**.**width*
    ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
        positive_width: Result >= 0
    end;

*x: INTEGER **is***
        -- Horizontal position relative to parent
        -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
    require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
        *exists: **not**destroyed;*
        *unmanaged: **not**managed*
    do
        *Result := implementation**.**x*
    end;

*y: INTEGER **is***
        -- Vertical position relative to parent
        -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
    require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
        *exists: **not**destroyed;*
        *unmanaged: **not**managed*
    do
        *Result := implementation**.**y*
    end;

feature -- Comparison

*same (other: **like** Current): BOOLEAN **is***
        -- Does Current widget and *other* correspond
        -- to the same screen object?

                                                        -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
                                    require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                                                other_exists: other /= void
                                    do
                                                Result := other.implementation = implementation
                                    end;

        feature -- Status report

            automatic_position: BOOLEAN;
                                                -- Does the widget take a new position when
                                                -- the parent resize ? (If it does, its size
                                                -- doesn't changed). False by default
                                                -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

            automatic_resize: BOOLEAN;
                                                -- Is the widget resized automatically when
                                                -- the parent resize ? In this case,
                                                -- automatic_position has no effect. True by
                                                -- default
                                                -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

            destroyed: BOOLEAN is
                                                -- Is Current widget destroyed?
                                                -- (= implementation does not exist)
                                                -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
                                    do
                                                Result := (implementation = void)
                                    end;

            insensitive: BOOLEAN is
                                                -- Is current widget insensitive to
                                                -- user actions? (If it is, events will
                                                -- not be dispatched to Current widget or
                                                -- any of its children)
                                                -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
                                    require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                                                exists: **not***destroyed*
                                    do
                                                Result := implementation.insensitive
                                    end;

            managed: BOOLEAN;
                                                -- Is the geometry of current widget managed by its
                                                -- container? This is the case always unless
                                                -- parent.manager = False (Always true except
                                                -- when the container is EV_FIXED). This is
                                                -- set in the procedure set_default
                                                -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

pressed: BOOLEAN **is**

> -- Is toggle pressed
> -- (from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*)

require -- from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*

> *exists:* **not***destroyed*

do

> *Result := implementation.pressed*

end;

shown: BOOLEAN **is**

> -- Is current widget visible?
> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

require -- from *EV_WIDGET*

> *exists:* **not***destroyed*

do

> *Result := implementation.shown*

end;

feature -- Status setting

destroy **is**

> -- Destroy actual screen object of Current
> -- widget and of all children.
> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

do

> **if not***destroyed* **then**
> > *implementation.destroy;*
> > *remove_implementation*
> **end**

ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*

> *destroyed: destroyed*

end;

hide **is**

> -- Make widget and all children (recursively)
> -- invisible on the screen.
> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

require -- from *EV_WIDGET*

> *exists:* **not***destroyed*

do

> *implementation.hide*

ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*

> *not_shown:* **not***shown*

end;

set_automatic_position (position: BOOLEAN) **is**

> -- Set *automatic_position* at *position*.
> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

            require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                exists: **not***destroyed*
            do
                automatic_position := position
            ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                automatic_position_set: automatic_position = position
            end;

set_automatic_resize (resize: BOOLEAN) **is**
                -- Set *automatic_resize* to *resize*.
                -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
            require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                exists: **not***destroyed*
            do
                automatic_resize := resize
            ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                automatic_resize_set: automatic_resize = resize
            end;

set_center_alignment **is**
                -- Set text alignment of current label to center.
                -- (from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*)
            require -- from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*
                 exists: **not***destroyed*
            do
                implementation.set_center_alignment
            end;

set_insensitive (flag: BOOLEAN) **is**
                -- Set current widget in insensitive mode if
                -- *flag*. This means that any events with an
                -- event type of KeyPress, KeyRelease,
                -- ButtonPress, ButtonRelease, MotionNotify,
                -- EnterNotify, LeaveNotify, FocusIn or
                -- FocusOut will not be dispatched to current
                -- widget and to all its children. Set it to
                -- sensitive mode otherwise.
                -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
            require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                exists: **not***destroyed*
            do
                implementation.set_insensitive (flag)
            ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
                flag = insensitive
            end;

set_left_alignment **is**
                -- Set text alignment of current label to left.
                -- (from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*)

       require -- from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*
          exists: **not***destroyed*
       do
          *implementation**.**set_left_alignment*
       end*;*

set_pressed (button_pressed: BOOLEAN) **is**
          -- Set Current toggle on and set
          -- pressed to True.
          -- (from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*)
       require -- from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*
          exists: **not***destroyed*
       do
          *implementation**.**set_pressed (button_pressed)*
       ensure -- from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*
          correct_state: pressed = button_pressed
       end*;*

set_right_alignment **is**
          -- Set text alignment of current label to right.
          -- (from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*)
       require -- from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*
          exists: **not***destroyed*
       do
          *implementation**.**set_right_alignment*
       end*;*

show **is**
          -- Make widget and all children (recursively)
          -- visible on the screen. (default)
          -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
       require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
          exists: **not***destroyed*
       do
          *implementation**.**show*
       ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
          shown: shown
       end*;*

toggle **is**
          -- Change the state of the toggel button to
          -- opposite
          -- (from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*)
       require -- from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*
          exists: **not***destroyed*
       do
          *implementation**.**toggle*
       ensure -- from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*
          state_is_true: pressed = **not***old pressed*

end;

feature -- Element change

    set_font (a_font: EV_FONT) is
        -- Set font label to *font_name*.
        -- (from *EV_FONTABLE*)
    require -- from *EV_FONTABLE*
        exists: **not***destroyed*;
        a_font_exists: a_font /= void;
        a_font_specified: a_font.is_specified
    do
        implementation.set_font (a_font)
    end;

    set_font_name (a_font_name: STRING) is
        -- Set font label to *a_font_name*.
        -- (from *EV_FONTABLE*)
    require -- from *EV_FONTABLE*
        exists: **not***destroyed*;
        a_font_name_exists: a_font_name /= void
    local
        a_font: EV_FONT
    do
        !! a_font.make;
        a_font.set_name (a_font_name);
        set_font (a_font)
    end;

    set_text (txt: STRING) is
        -- Set text of current label to *txt*.
        -- (from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*)
    require -- from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*
        exists: **not***destroyed*;
        not_a_text_void: txt /= void
    do
        implementation.set_text (txt)
    ensure -- from *EV_TEXT_CONTAINER*
        text_set: text.is_equal (txt)
    end;

feature -- Resizing

    set_height (new_height: INTEGER) is
        -- Set height to *new_height*.
        -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
    require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
        exists: **not***destroyed*;
        positive_height: new_height >= 0

        do

              implementation.set_height (new_height)

      ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*

              dimensions_set: implementation.dimensions_set (width, new_height)

      end;

set_maximum_height (max_height: INTEGER) **is**

              -- Set *maximum_height* to *max_height*.

              -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

      require -- from *EV_WIDGET*

              exists: **not***destroyed;*

              large_enough: max_height >= 0

      do

              implementation.set_maximum_height (max_height)

      ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*

              max_height = max_height

      end;

set_maximum_width (max_width: INTEGER) **is**

              -- Set *maximum_width* to *max_width*.

              -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

      require -- from *EV_WIDGET*

              exists: **not***destroyed;*

              large_enough: max_width >= 0

      do

              implementation.set_maximum_width (max_width)

      ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*

              max_width = max_width

      end;

set_minimum_height (min_height: INTEGER) **is**

              -- Set *minimum__height* to *min_height*.

              -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

      require -- from *EV_WIDGET*

              exists: **not***destroyed;*

              large_enough: min_height >= 0

      do

              implementation.set_minimum_height (min_height)

      ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*

              min_height = min_height

      end;

set_minimum_size (min_width, min_height: INTEGER) **is**

              -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

      require -- from *EV_WIDGET*

              exists: **not***destroyed;*

              large_enough: min_height >= 0;

              large_enough: min_width >= 0

      do

            implementation.set_minimum_size (min_width, min_height)
       ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
          min_width = min_width;
          min_height = min_height
       end;

    set_minimum_width (min_width: INTEGER) **is**
          -- Set *minimum_width* to *min_width*.
          -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
       require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
          exists: **not***destroyed;*
          large_enough: min_width >= 0
       do
          implementation.set_minimum_width (min_width)
       ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
          min_width = min_width
       end;

    set_size (new_width: INTEGER; new_height: INTEGER) **is**
          -- Set width and height to *new_width*
          -- and *new_height*.
          -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
       require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
          exists: **not***destroyed;*
          positive_width: new_width >= 0;
          positive_height: new_height >= 0
       do
          implementation.set_size (new_width, new_height)
       ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
          *dimensions_set: implementation.dimensions_set (new_width, new_*
height)
       end;

    set_width (new_width: INTEGER) **is**
          -- Set width to *new_width*.
          -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
       require -- from *EV_WIDGET*
          exists: **not***destroyed;*
          positive_width: new_width >= 0
       do
          implementation.set_width (new_width)
       ensure -- from *EV_WIDGET*
          dimensions_set: implementation.dimensions_set (new_width, height)
       end;

    set_x (new_x: INTEGER) **is**
          -- Set horizontal position relative
          -- to parent to *new_x*.
          -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

>>> **require** -- from *EV_WIDGET*
>>> *exists:* **not***destroyed;*
>>> *unmanaged:* **not***managed*
>> **do**
>>> *implementation.set_x (new_x)*
>> **ensure** -- from *EV_WIDGET*
>>> *x_set: x = new_x*
>> **end**;

> *set_x_y (new_x: INTEGER; new_y: INTEGER)* **is**
>>> -- Set horizontal position and
>>> -- vertical position relative to parent
>>> -- to *new_x* and *new_y*.
>>> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
>> **require** -- from *EV_WIDGET*
>>> *exists:* **not***destroyed;*
>>> *unmanaged:* **not***managed*
>> **do**
>>> *implementation.set_x_y (new_x, new_y)*
>> **end**;

> *set_y (new_y: INTEGER)* **is**
>>> -- Set vertical position relative
>>> -- to parent to *new_y*.
>>> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
>> **require** -- from *EV_WIDGET*
>>> *exists:* **not***destroyed;*
>>> *unmanaged:* **not***managed*
>> **do**
>>> *implementation.set_y (new_y)*
>> **ensure** -- from *EV_WIDGET*
>>> *y_set: y = new_y*
>> **end**;

feature *{NONE}* -- Implementation

> *implementation: EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON_I;*
>> -- (from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*)

> *remove_implementation* **is**
>>> -- Remove implementation of Current widget.
>>> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
>> **do**
>>> *implementation := void*
>> **ensure** -- from *EV_WIDGET*
>>> *void_implementation: implementation = void*
>> **end**;

> *set_default* **is**

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-- Do the necessary initialization after
-- creation
-- Set default values of Current widget.
-- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

</div>

> **do**
>
>> *implementation*.*build*
>> *parent*.*add_child (Current)*
>> *managed := parent*.*manager*
>
> **end**;

> *set_font_imp (an_implementation: EV_FONTABLE_I)* **is**
>
>> -- Set *implementation* to *an_implementation*.
>> -- (from *EV_FONTABLE*)
>
>> **require** -- from *EV_FONTABLE*
>>
>>> *an_implementation_exists: an_implementation /= void*
>>
>> **do**
>>
>>> *implementation := an_implementation*
>>
>> **end**;

feature -- Event - command association

> *add_button_press_command (mouse_button: INTEGER; command: EV_COM-MAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)* **is**
>
>> -- Add 'command' to the list of commands to
>> -- be executed when button no 'mouse_button'
>> -- is pressed
>> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
>
>> **do**
>>
>>> *implementation*.*add_button_press_command (mouse_button, command, arguments)*
>>
>> **end**;

> *add_button_release_command (mouse_button: INTEGER; command: EV_COM-MAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)* **is**
>
>> -- Add 'command' to the list of commands to
>> -- be executed when button no 'mouse_button'
>> -- is released
>> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
>
>> **do**
>>
>>> *implementation*.*add_button_release_command (mouse_button, command, arguments)*
>>
>> **end**;

> *add_click_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)* **is**
>
>> -- Add 'command' to the list of commands to be
>> -- executed when the button is pressed
>> -- (from *EV_BUTTON*)
>
>> **require** -- from *EV_BUTTON*
>>
>>> *valid_command: command /= void*

        do

            implementation.add_click_command (command, arguments)

        end;

     add_delete_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS) *is*

            -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

        do

            implementation.add_delete_command (command, arguments)

        end;

     add_double_click_command (mouse_button: INTEGER; command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS) *is*

            -- Add 'command' to the list of commands to

            -- be executed when button no 'mouse_button'

            -- is double clicked

            -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

        do

            implementation.add_double_click_command   (mouse_button,   command, arguments)

        end;

     add_enter_notify_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGU-MENTS) *is*

            -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

        do

            implementation.add_enter_notify_command (command, arguments)

        end;

     add_expose_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS) *is*

            -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

        do

            implementation.add_expose_command (command, arguments)

        end;

     add_key_press_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGU-MENTS) *is*

            -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

        do

            implementation.add_key_press_command (command, arguments)

        end;

     add_key_release_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGU-MENTS) *is*

            -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)

        do

            implementation.add_key_release_command (command, arguments)

        end;

add_leave_notify_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGU-
MENTS) is
> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
> **do**
> > *implementation.add_leave_notify_command (command, arguments)*
> **end**;

add_motion_notify_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGU-
MENTS) is
> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
> **do**
> > *implementation.add_motion_notify_command (command, arguments)*
> **end**;

add_toggle_command (command: EV_COMMAND; arguments: EV_ARGUMENTS)
is
> -- Add 'command' to the list of commands to be
> -- executed when the button is toggled
> -- (from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*)
> **require** -- from *EV_TOGGLE_BUTTON*
> > *valid_command: command /= void*
> **do**
> > *implementation.add_toggle_command (command, arguments)*
> **end**;

last_command_id: INTEGER is
> -- Id of the last command added by feature
> -- 'add_command'
> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
> **require** -- from *EV_WIDGET*
> > *exists: **not**destroyed*
> **do**
> > *Result := implementation.last_command_id*
> **end**;

remove_command (command_id: INTEGER) is
> -- Remove the command associated with
> -- 'command_id' from the list of actions for
> -- this context. If there is no command
> -- associated with 'command_id', nothing
> -- happens.
> -- (from *EV_WIDGET*)
> **require** -- from *EV_WIDGET*
> > *exists: **not**destroyed*
> **do**
> > *implementation.remove_command (command_id)*
> **end**;

invariant

>   -- from *GENERAL*
> *reflexive_equality: standard_is_equal (Current);*
> *reflexive_conformance: conforms_to (Current);*
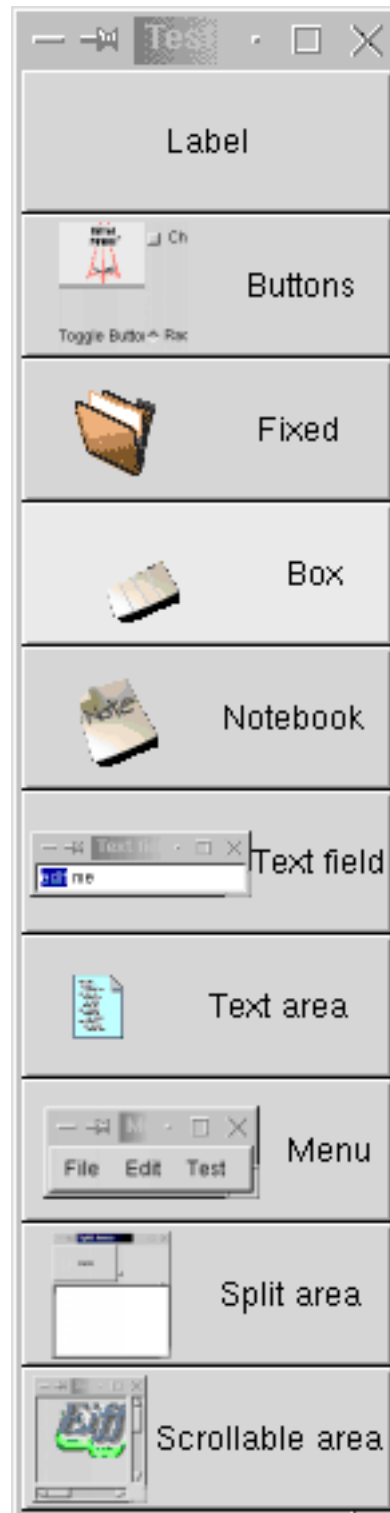
end -- class *MAIN_WINDOW_BUTTON*

Figure 3.12.1 shows a screenshot of the example.

Figure 3.12.1 Main windoindexing