
Subject: Re: Proposed change to U++ to allow owning children.

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Now we have a much cleaner solution thanks to Kohait00's input.

Brief list of changes to the current library code:

In CtrlCore.h

Added to Ctrl class

```
bool owned : 1;
```

And 2 public members

```
bool IsOwned()const{ return owned; }  
Ctrl& Owned(bool v=true){ owned=v; return *this; }
```

In Ctrl.cpp, initialized owned flag to false

```
Ctrl::Ctrl() {  
    GuiLock __;  
    LLOG("Ctrl::Ctrl");  
    destroying = false;  
    owned = false; // <-----This line is added  
    parent = prev = next = firstchild = lastchild = NULL;  
    top = NULL;  
    exitcode = 0;  
    frame.Add().frame = &NullFrame();  
    enabled = visible = wantfocus = initfocus = true;  
    editable = true;  
    // GLX = false;  
#ifdef PLATFORM_WIN32  
    activex = false;  
    isdhctrl = false;  
#endif  
    backpaint = IsCompositedGui() ? FULLBACKPAINT : TRANSPARENTBACKPAINT;  
    inframe = false;  
    ignoremouse = transparent = false;  
    caretcx = caretcy = caretx = carety = 0;  
    SetRect(Rect(0, 0, 0, 0));  
    inloop = popup = isopen = false;  
    modify = false;  
    unicode = false;  
    popupgrab = false;  
    fullrefresh = false;  
    akv = false;
```

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hasdhctrl = false;
}
```

And in CtrlChild.cpp

```
// @param: q , the child to be added
//      q, an existing child to precede p
void Ctrl::AddChild(Ctrl *q, Ctrl *p)
{
    GuiLock __;
    ASSERT(q);

    LLOG("Add " << UPP::Name(q) << " to: " << Name());
    if(p == q) return;
    bool updaterect = true;

    // remember and change
    bool owned=q->owned;
    q->Owned(false); // that way it's guarenteed not to be
    // accidently delete'd when possibly changing parents

    if(q->parent) {
        ASSERT(!q->inframe);
        if(q->parent == this) {
            RemoveChild0(q);
            updaterect = false;
        }
        else
            q->parent->RemoveChild(q);
    }
    q->parent = this;
    if(p) {
        ASSERT(p->parent == this);
        q->prev = p;
        q->next = p->next;
        if(p == lastchild)
            lastchild = q;
        else
            p->next->prev = q;
        p->next = q;
    }
    else
        if(firstchild) {
            q->prev = NULL;
            q->next = firstchild;
        }
}
```

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    firstchild->prev = q;
    firstchild = q;
}
else {
    ASSERT(lastchild == NULL);
    firstchild = lastchild = q;
    q->prev = q->next = NULL;
}

// succesfully added as children of *this, now
// it's perfect time to restore saved owned flag
q->Owned(owned);

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q->CancelModeDeep();
if(updaterect)
    q->UpdateRect();
ChildAdded(q);
q->ParentChange();
if(updaterect && GetTopCtrl()->IsOpen())
    q->StateH(OPEN);
if(dynamic_cast<DHCtrl *>(q))
    SyncDHCtrl();
}

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```

void Ctrl::RemoveChild0(Ctrl *q)
{
    GuiLock __;
    ChildRemoved(q);
    q->DoRemove();
    q->parent = NULL;
    if(q == firstchild)
        firstchild = firstchild->next;
    if(q == lastchild)
        lastchild = lastchild->prev;
    if(q->prev)
        q->prev->next = q->next;
    if(q->next)
        q->next->prev = q->prev;
    q->next = q->prev = NULL;

    if(dynamic_cast<DHCtrl *>(q))
        SyncDHCtrl();
    // code added to allowed owned child****
    if(q->owned)
        delete q;
    // end code added by Lance

```

```
}

void Ctrl::RemoveChild(Ctrl *q)
{
    GuiLock __;
    if(q->parent != this) return;
    q->RefreshFrame();

    bool owned=q->IsOwned();
    q->Owned(false); // we still need it to be alive

    RemoveChild0(q);
    q->ParentChange();
    if(GetTopCtrl()->IsOpen())
        q->StateH(CLOSE);

    if( owned )
    {
        delete q; // this is why the new'd-only requirement.
    }
    // no need to restore q's owned flag, it's either destroyed or
    // its owned flag is correctly set
}
```

File Attachments

1) [CtrlCore.rar](#), downloaded 395 times
