

## User Interface - Bug #3245

### move-before-tab-item and move-after-tab-item must not affect the z-order

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##### #1 - 02/07/2017 03:04 PM - Constantin Asofiei

These two 4GL functions are implemented in ThinClient.moveAfterTabItem and ThinClient.moveBeforeTabItem. When using them, they rely on frame.getContentPane() to adjust the order of the frame.getContentPane().widgets() - this is the actual Z-Order list of the widgets...

Now, the problem is a little confusing:

1. move-before-tab-item seem to be effective (not a no-op) only if they are executed in the context of an active event loop.
2. in FWD, when executing them before the frame/widget is realized, it will affect the layout (when it should not).

I think the issue here is that these two must be a no-op if there is no active event loop. The z-order issue can be checked by having overlapped widgets (adjust their coordinates so that they overlap): after their tab position is changed, check if anything z-order related changes.

##### #2 - 02/07/2017 03:15 PM - Constantin Asofiei

Something else to check: in nested event loops, is the adjusted z-order preserved (from outer to inner and viceversa)?