
Subject: IDLWAVE fontlock / fontify weirdness in Xemacs

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I have Xemacs 21.1.12 (default with RH Linux 7.0 Respin), and updated all of my packages to the most recent versions as of 10/31/00 (which means IDLWAVE 1.22...or a modified version 4.5 I assume).

The problem I'm experiencing is in the fontification. For whatever reason, all of a sudden every time I start a new line, or even modify an old line for that matter, it all turns green (the color for strings). this only really happens after a certain block in the code. The possibly offending code (which works, and I see no syntax problems with it) follows. Any ideas?

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; Convert MJD to a YYYYMMDD (see - http://bowie.gsfc.nasa.gov/time/)
  caldat,date_beg+2400000.5,month_beg,day_beg,year_beg
  caldat,date_end+2400000.5,month_end,day_end,year_end

  month_beg=string(month_beg,format='(i2.2)')
  day_beg=string(day_beg,format='(i2.2)')
  year_beg=string(year_beg,format='(i4.4)')
```

To clarify a little more, what happens is that I can type anything before the line with the first "format" statement, and it works perfectly. If I add, or modify anything after the "format" statement, the whole line becomes green, as if IDLWAVE thought it were a string.

I really don't like the IDLDE, so I sure hope there is a solution to this.

Thanks,

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