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Subject: Re: Declaration of variables in IDL

Posted by [Paul van Delst](#) on Wed, 03 Oct 2001 16:09:40 GMT

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Todd Clements wrote:

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> It's much

> better to embrace the weakly typed variables and reuse the same variable

> several times in each function.

Note to original poster: Apologies for maybe stating the obvious, but Todd Clements is joking. If you can avoid it, you should not reuse the same variable several times in each function - it can be a maintenance nightmare depending on the complexity of the function/procedure in question.

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p.s. If he's not joking, he should be :o)

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