Subject: Re: up/down arrows not working in IDLDE
Posted by Bruce Bowler on Wed, 16 Oct 2002 12:31:17 GMT

On Wed, 16 Oct 2002 03:04:47 -0400, Reimar Bauer put fingers to keyboard
and said:

> Bruce Bowler wrote:
>> On Tue, 15 Oct 2002 11:20:21 -0400, Reimar Bauer put fingers to
>> keyboard and said:
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>>> Bruce Bowler wrote:
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>>>> On Tue, 15 Oct 2002 10:30:25 -0400, Bruce Bowler put fingers to
>>>> keyboard and said:
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>>>> >Oddball problem...
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>>>> >I'm running IDL 5.5a on a redhat 7.2 system.
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>>>> >In IDLDE, the up and down arrow keys don't move the cursor up and
>>>> >down in the "view" window. The left and right arrows work fine in
>>>> >the view window. The up and down arrows seem to work fine in all the
>>>> >other applications that I've tried.
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>>>> >Any ideas?
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>>>> I hate following up to my own posts, but not as much as I hate leaving
>>>> out details... The up/down arrows *WORK* in the "command" window.
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>>> Please switch your terminal into "linux console" then it works.
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>> Huh??? I don't understand what you mean...
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> Did you know this article:
> http://www.dfanning.com/misc_tips/commandedit.html

No, I didn't, but I do now. Perhaps I'm being exceedingly dense, but
what is the "console window"? When I right click on the window where I
have this problem (remember, it's ONLY the up/down arrows that don't work

and ONLY in the "view" window, in the "command" window they work fine),
there isn't an option that says anything about "linux console" or
anything even similar.

Bruce

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