Subject: Re: Is PDF the only help option in 5.6? Posted by Eric[1] on Tue, 11 Feb 2003 15:56:26 GMT

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- > ... and In article <MPG.18b2bf3adc860ca6989ad7@news.frii.com>,
- > David Fanning <david@dfanning.com> writes:

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- > |> Oh, I think they will get used to it. Users are inherently
- > |> conservative and loathe to change. Just be patient. A couple
- > |> of months from now you won't hear any more about this.

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- > Just because people get used to something doesn't mean it is good. And I
- > really do think this was a change for the worse. Is it just us Unix users
- > that this has happened to or did something similar happen on MacOS / Win?

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> Hugh

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> ObFreeSoftwareZealotry: Yet another reason to try R.

We are running on both Solaris and MacOS X and the help is PDF on both of those.

I would also comment to David that sometimes users are loathe to change for a good reason. User interface is a big deal to some of us and this really appears to be a step backwards. Unfortunate. It seems things like this should improve with time, users should not have to "just get used to it". That is a real Microsoft type mentality.

Eric

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