
Subject: Re: Who's up for breaking IDL?

Posted by [Paul Van Delst\[1\]](#) on Mon, 04 Aug 2003 15:31:43 GMT

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Tim Robishaw wrote:

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> Oh, wait. Now it does. Yeah. I'm confused. What this suggests to me
> is that you cannot have a file that stores a routine and name it with
> capital letters. (I could call the actual routine name, inside the
> file, PRO ReSoLvE_Me... this isn't a case sensitive issue... it's all
> about how I choose to name the file.) Otherwise, RESOLVE_ROUTINE will
> choke on it if the routine has not already been compiled. That is
> dumb. Someone please tell me that I'm right???

Yep - you're right. Filenames should always be lowercase (on unix systems at least...dunno about windows.)

It is a bit nutty, I agree, but that's the way it is. I think case sensitivity in any language is silly. I don't know how C programmers can stand it.

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