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Subject: Re: Cleaning up inherited object classes  
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 03 Dec 2003 20:28:43 GMT  
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Ben Tupper writes:

- > I would defer to other's on the question if a subclass MUST have its own
- > CLEANUP method. I haven't tried it, but I'm not sure that it does
- > (unless it has its own pointers and objects to cleanup.)

I'll tell you this, I have spent an \*untold\* number of hours chasing down memory leaks only to find that I forget to call a superclass CLEANUP method from my object's CLEANUP method! I've done it so often this is the \*FIRST\* thing I look for when I'm chasing memory leaks now.

Who says you can't teach an old dog new tricks?

Cheers,

David

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