
Subject: Re: IDL killer

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Mon, 14 Mar 2005 13:14:08 GMT

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m_schellens@hotmail.com writes:

> ++(((a=1))=3)

I think it must be a general rule by now that any time you fail to have a LHS of an expression in IDL (by, for example, putting the RHS in parentheses and thereby making it a temporary variable) there is an excellent chance you will crash IDL. Just on the face of it, I would guess there must be an almost unlimited number of these expressions.

I'm not so sure this is a bug as much as it is a peek into the underlying structure of the IDL code. In any case, I'm not surprised by it any longer.

Cheers,

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