Subject: Re: Adobe 7.0 in IDL

Posted by JD Smith on Tue, 25 Oct 2005 21:34:03 GMT

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On Tue, 25 Oct 2005 09:18:17 -0700, Steve.Morris wrote:

>
>> Try the command: M-x browse-url <enter: http://google.com> and see what
>> happends first.
> Thanks, this is now set :))
> I have gone to customization and then set up lynx-emacs in Browse Url
> Browser Function.
>
> Actually there's a bunch of other browser, but I didn't find w3m. Anyhow
> it works perfectly fine with lynx (alternatively I have tried with
> mozilla, just to ensure thing work)
>
>
>> If you don't get either, you've not configured emacs correctly. This
>> needs to be done before you can get the idlwave help system as it uses
>> URLs for its help pages.
>
> But still, I cannot manage to open the online help! If I put the following
> line in my .emacs
>
> (setq idlwave-help-browser-function 'lynx-emacs-browse-url)
>
> or this one
> (setq idlwave-help-browser-function 'lynx-browse-url)
>
> then I get the usuall Wrong type argument: listp, lynx-emacs-browse-url
>
> (alternatively I have tried with   setq idlwave-help-browser-function
> 'mozilla-emacs-browse-url   but it's always the same story)
>
> The only way to have a pop up at the help call is to have (setq
> idlwave-help-browser-function 'w3m-emacs-browse-url)
>
> but then nothing is seen (and w3m is not displayed in the possible browser
> when settin up Browse Url Browse Function... there is emacs w3 that I
> wonder what's and I didn't manage to make it work) :(
>
> What's wrong??? Say I want use lynx what should I do?

I'm not sure where you are getting these function names, but they're
not correct. If you set it up with customize to work, and say "save
for future sessions" this should be a non-issue. Just remove the
help-browser-function line from your .emacs, and IDLWAVE will default

to the system-wide browser. You only really need this variable if you
want different browsers in IDLWAVE vs. other Emacs stuff.

JD