
Subject: Re: Fun Writing Books
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Wed, 14 Dec 2005 12:21:27 GMT
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Fiç½LDY Lajos wrote:

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> Hi,  
>  
> just a little experiment:  
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> IDL> print, !version  
> { sparc sunos unix 5.3 Nov 11 1999}  
> IDL>  
> IDL> s={n:'s',i:1} & t={t:',ii:2} & help,[s,t]  
> % Conflicting data structures: T,concatenation.  
> % Execution halted at: $MAIN$  
> IDL>  
>  
> regards,  
> lajos
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This must go wrong and this is different about the one we are speaking here.

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IDL> a = {Name:'Larry', Age:46}  
IDL> b = {Name:'JoeBob', Age:39}  
IDL> c = [a, b]
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Please show your results to this here.

cheers

Reimar

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> On Wed, 14 Dec 2005, Reimar Bauer wrote:  
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>> Mark Hadfield wrote:  
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>>> Reimar Bauer wrote:  
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>>>> I believe this wasn't restricted. Both are anonymous structures not
>>>> named!
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>>> Concatenation of anonymous structures in the way David describes
>>> definitely used to be forbidden. Each anonymous structure has an
>>> internally generated identifier and IDL used to insist that these match,
>>> which effectively meant the only way to create an array of anonymous
>>> structures was replication. This restriction was removed a few versions
>>> back (don't recall when) and IDL now tries to do the sensible thing.
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>> But then it was always possible. I have used this often in the past
>> versions too
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>> Reimar
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>> Reimar Bauer
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>>     a IDL library at ForschungsZentrum Juelich
>> http://www.fz-juelich.de/icg/icg-i/idl_icglib/idl_lib_intro.html
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