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Subject: Re: display line numbers in idlde?

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swingnut@gmail.com writes:

> Ok, my preferred solution would actually be to running idl locally (as  
> opposed to ssh to a server) in Linux, editing in kwrite, at full  
> resolution of my laptop, but since I don't feel like wrestling with the  
> Sisyphean task of achieving all that while trying to get something  
> done, I ordered the Windows version of IDL. I'm using idlde because I  
> can't get idl to compile the pro files in my current working directory  
> -- it compiles the library routines I call but won't compile my files  
> when called.

Probably named incorrectly. See this article:

<http://www.dfanning.com/tips/namefiles.html>

> idlde allows my to load them all at once and compile them  
> all at once, but I still need line numbers because ctrl+g is cumbersome  
> to be constantly hitting about every minute. So, is there a way to get  
> idlde to show line numbers of the currently displayed file?

You could glance down to the status bar to see where  
your cursor is located. :-)

Cheers,

David

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Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: <http://www.dfanning.com/>

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