
Subject: Re: Promised new IDE?

Posted by [Michael Galloy](#) on Wed, 31 May 2006 15:37:44 GMT

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David Fanning wrote:

> Michael Galloy writes:

>> It is also "project based" (i.e. every file is part of a project), so

>> I'm interested in how that is going to work for the "interactive IDL" users.

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> Oh, oh. The thing isn't even released yet and already we are

> hearing about the Dark Side. This can't be good.

I would just call it a lack of my imagination.

>> The other thing that I think will be great is that it should be open to

>> third party authors making plugins that extend (or change) the

>> functionality of the DE. It only takes a few developers out there making

>> plugins to greatly enhance the value of the new DE.

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> Well, now *this* sounds like the marketing model I'm more

> used to. :-)

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> Cheers,

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> David

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> P.S. Do you think the people making the value-added plug-ins

> will get a T-shirt?

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Believe me, if there was anything I could have done about the Unix DE, I would have done it long ago. I think this is a step up.

Mike

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