Subject: Re: idl 6.3, cdf_epoch16 keyword to cdf_varcreate
Posted by Foldy Lajos on Mon, 12 Jun 2006 20:10:14 GMT
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Hi,

IMHO, the interpreter should search for an exact match first, and look for abbreviations only if an exact match can not be found. CDF_EPOCH is an exact match, so it should not generate an error message.

regards,
lajos

On Mon, 12 Jun 2006, Martin Rother wrote:

>
> Hi Gurus,
>
> today one of my colleagues raised the simple question about
> the 'CDF_EPOCH'/'CDF_EPOCH16' optional keywords of 'CDF_VARCREATE'.
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> this, indeed, seems ambiguous for my (may be limited) understanding
> of the way the interpreter is handling keywords.
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> have I accidentially missed something in the documentation,
> or is there some trick to avoid the
>
> % Ambiguous keyword abbreviation: CDF_EPOCH.
>
> error message?
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> hints welcome,
> best regards,
> martin.
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