
Subject: Re: IDLWAVE Mac OS X

Posted by [Karsten Rodenacker](#) on Wed, 12 Jul 2006 10:04:09 GMT

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Try to open a Terminal.app and type
open -a /Applications/Utilities/X11.app
export DISPLAY=:0.0
emacs ttt.pro
^C^S in ttt.pro should bring up the second buffer with IDL!

Regards
KR

Am Wed, 12 Jul 2006 10:00:52 +0200 schrieb jgc <javier_corripio@yahoo.fr>:

> Hi there,
>
> (This is a question for a non-computer expert. I am sorry but if you
> are an expert, I believe your good intentions, but you will shower me
> with a megaton of computer bablespeak that I will be unable to
> understand, even if I ca read Sanskrit backwards)
>
> Has any of you idlwave running smoothly on a Mac OS X?
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> Idlde in X11 deserves the price of MrMs universe ugliest and greyest,
> so I am trying idlwave.
>
> I get emacs to recognise idl .pro files, and it attempt to show the idl
> toolbars, but then, everything dissapear, when I invoke the idl shell
> (or C-c C-s) two terminals open up separately, no inside buffer on
> emacs. I wonder if you will be willing to share some hints on the
> instruccions in your .emacs file, how many .emacs and .profiles and
> where (where by default, I know that you can customise everything).
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> It looks to me that macs are rather pseudo-unix, and idl for macs does
> not run with ../../bin/idl
> but rather with /applications/rsi/idl_6.2/idl.app, which seems to be in
> rather bad terms with emacs
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> Many many thanks in advance for your answer, and many thanks to the
> cube if it is in plain English.
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> Javier
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