
Subject: Re: print wrong characters

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Wed, 24 Jan 2007 15:14:24 GMT

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Joan writes:

> i want to convert strings because my widgets display wrong characters.
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> for example: i want to write: baleny=E0 (it's a catalonia's town). and
> IDL writes: balen=FD
> any ideas=BF?
>
> i think that the problem must be UTF conversion or string format
> displaying..

Karl can probably speak more authoritatively on this topic,
but I think this is a can of worms. :-)

<http://www.cs.tut.fi/~jkorpela/chars.html>

I find it impossible to construct a string using unicode
characters for display in a widget. However, if I use the
unicode characters (an accented a, for example) in a string
(I probably used the Windows Character Map application to
grab the right character), then this is **usually** displayed
properly.

Cheers,

David

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Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")
