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Subject: Re: New IDLDE

Posted by [JD Smith](#) on Tue, 13 Mar 2007 00:15:46 GMT

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On Sun, 11 Mar 2007 05:17:28 -0700, swingnut wrote:

> On Mar 9, 3:58 am, Reimar Bauer <R.Ba...@fz-juelich.de> wrote:

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> Great. Not in time be useful, so looks like its Kate+IDL (in wine) or

> LiteEdit+IDL for the rest of my degree. Though the CVS support would

> be tempting, I need to learn that ... :-)

Plug for Emacs+IDLWAVE: typical editing session:

1. Edit, edit, edit.
2. Complete keywords with M-Tab, look up calling syntax with C-c ?, investigate the curious divergence of DIMENSION keywords and arguments among TOTAL/MEDIAN/etc. in the manual with M-?.
3. Review changes to last checked in version: C-x v =
4. Check in with CVS: C-x v v
5. Compose witty commit messages, commit with C-c C-c

Emacs has powerful hooks for lots of revision control systems, and it's quite useful. Check the commit logs, look at who futzed with what when, etc., all without leaving the browser. And yes, there are menu items for all of these, until you learn the shortcuts.

JD

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