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Subject: Re: Ambiguous keyword abbreviation error

Posted by [jkj](#) on Wed, 12 Sep 2007 18:20:25 GMT

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>  
> This is diverging OT into more of a style thing, but why not bite the bullet and punch out  
> the extra two characters for the sake of clarity:  
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> pro my\_procedures, column=column, color=color  
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> ?  
>  
> cheers,  
>  
> paulv

Actually, I do and did :-) but in the post it seemed clearer to stress  
that only one unique letter was required in order to satisfy IDL.

Also, I personally never abbreviate keywords and think it's poor  
practice to do so (what if an additional keyword gets added to a later  
version that matches some abbreviation I have grown accustomed to...  
uuugh!).

-Kevin

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