Subject: Re: Using Vi in the 7.0 Workbench
Posted by Haje Korth on Tue, 04 Dec 2007 15:54:49 GMT
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David,
it had a more provoking effect without the smiley. And don't get me wrong, I
know the basics of using vi because on UNIX terminal you sometimes don't
have other choices. However, it never occurred to me that I would use it to
edit my code.

I hope I am far enough away from the people I emotionally touched with my
comment. :-) (and I hope the smiley difuses any personal grudges.)

Haje

"David Fanning" <news@dfanning.com> wrote in message
news:MPG.21bf0320580a629598a124@news.frii.com...
> Haje Korth writes:
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>> I don't get it. Isn't vi that entirely user unfriendly editor form the
>> unix
>> side where I have to hit "i" before I can even start inserting any text
>> in
>> my document? I thought we are trying to get away from that toward more
>> usable terrain?
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> Whoops! Haje forgot the smilely face thingy. :-)
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> Cheers,
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> David
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> P.S. One thing I learned about working in a UNIX shop
> recently is that it's not generally a good idea to impugn
> someone's choice of editor, no matter how archaic it
> seems to you. And, anyway, I'm beginning to see a lot
> more value in the old than I used to see. :-)
> --
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> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")