
Subject: Re: Debugging in IDL 7

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Thu, 20 Dec 2007 17:58:09 GMT

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David Fanning writes:

- > Part of my problem is that I can no longer reliably
- > determine where I am in my files.

OK, here is my real problem.

I get into the Debug perspective. The editor window in this perspective is pretty small. (There are lots of other windows containing information that I am sure is totally relevant to my needs, but I don't understand them yet.) Since I want to do some editing, I make the editor window bigger by double clicking on it (nice feature, by the way).

When I am finished with my edits, I double click the window again, which (as I poorly understand it) is suppose to make the window go back to its previous pusillanimous size.

BUT, all hell breaks loose, and all of a sudden my Debug Perspective looks like Hurricane Katrina came though. Most of my windows are now missing, and the ones that are there are about 10 times their normal size. (My IDL command window is right this minute taking up a third of my display!)

I have NO idea how to sort this out. And, of course, if I exit now, IDL is going to think I set this Perspective up this way by choice and will ALWAYS give it to me from now on!! Sigh...

I just want to fix my file and get on with my life....

Cheers,

David

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