
Subject: Re: Where is the CVS plugin for the workbench?

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On 12/26/07 9:34 PM, in article C3987954.1AF17%rfrench@wellesley.edu, "Richard G. French" <rfrench@wellesley.edu> wrote:

> I have a large set of IDL programs for which I've been using CVS. I can see
> on the ITT website references to a CVS plugin for Eclipse, but I haven't
> been able to locate it - perhaps it is already present, but I don't know how
> to activate it.
>
> Assuming that I can get CVS fired up, I am at a complete loss about how to
> import an existing large project into the Workbench environment. Is there
> someone out there who uses CVS (I'm using OS X 10.5) and IDL 7.0 and has
> made things work? I think there is going to be a market for someone who can
> write a usable manual for Eclipse/Workbench/CVS, assuming that it can be
> done. Thanks!
>
> Dick French
>

OK, am I nuts? I tried this on my system:

Fire up the IDL Workbench

Help->Cheat Sheets...->Team/CVS->Check out a CVS project

This then lists 'Check out a CVS project' in a window.

Under Introduction,
Open the CVS Repository Exploring perspective
> Click to perform

Then I get an error message:
The command did not complete successfully.
Details>>
Perspective could not be opened.

What's the use of including a CVS cheat sheet in the standard distribution
if it doesn't work? What am I missing?

Thanks!

Dick French
