
Subject: Re: New IDL 7.0 Project Problem
Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Fri, 04 Jan 2008 19:34:44 GMT
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Ryan writes:

> Yes, I am using Windows. The path I used was a network path but I
> tried to save it to put a local folder (C drive) but I get the same
> problem. I've tried two different folders on my C drive. I looked
> for ".project" files in the first folder but there wasn't any in
> there.
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> There shouldn't be a problem if my Workspace folder is the same as the
> project folder right? (It's not, but I'm just curious to prevent any
> future mishaps)
> Is it possible that my Workspace folder being a network drive is
> messing it up?
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> I am completely new to using Eclipse.

The "workspace" is just a folder where (in theory) all of your IDL projects are going to live. I say "in theory" because it is possible to create projects that live outside your workspace folder, but knowledge of those projects is going to remain in the workspace folder (in the .metadata folder that gets created in your workspace. You should put this, I think, on a local disk.

You can then easily create a project in your workspace. Once you have the project folder set up, just right-click the project and choose the Import selection. You can import (copy) files from wherever you like into the project folder.

Here is an article that might help explain some things for you:

<http://www.dfanning.com/workbench/overlap.html>

Cheers,

David

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