
Subject: Re: idl 7.0 eclipse plugins and updates
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Mon, 21 Jan 2008 09:46:15 GMT
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Rick Towler schrieb:

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> Reimar Bauer wrote:
>> Hi,
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>> a very nice improvement the eclipse workbench !
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>> Some questions from one using it already with different other languages.
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>> 2. Is there an other update extension planned as using the
>> Software-updates feature? A shell command without X would be nice on
>> a unix system. (probably on a win system too, where the user has no
>> admin rights) Or does one know about something similiar?
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> Are administrator rights required to update Eclipse/IDL Workbench on any
> platform? I currently run as administrator on my windows machine (which
> is the standard configuration for a few more weeks) so I haven't run
> into this.

Yes you do need root/administrator rights. On linux you don't have write access as user on the file location of installed programs.

Reimar

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> Changes in how US federal civilian IT systems are managed will require
> an update mechanism (if provided w/in the application) that can be run
> as a standard user. Waivers for applications failing to meet this
> criteria will be granted in the short term (even MS office fails at this
> right now). Longer term, vendors will have to change their applications
> or face issues selling to US Federal agencies.
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> On a related note, has any .gov users tried running the last few
> versions of IDL under the FDCC? Any problems? We're in the early
> stages of rolling out FDCC and I will be setting up a machine next month
> to test the various applications used by our group (IDL being one).
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> -Rick
