
Subject: Re: How to Auto Insert IDL 7 Template
Posted by [Douglas G. Dirks](#) on Wed, 16 Jan 2008 17:30:17 GMT
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David Fanning wrote:

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>>> I presume this is part of the Auto Insert business that has
>>> to be turned on for the Templates. Do I have that right?

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>>> If so, how do I get that to work? Do I type the name of the
>>> template? The first characters of the line of the template?
>>> I've tried everything I can think of to do, all without
>>> success.

>> Ah, never mind. I misunderstood how this was suppose
>> to happen. (Assumptions were blinding me to your
>> limpid prose. :-)

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>> All is good now. Thanks.

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> Well, maybe not. Can someone explain to me how the
> Auto Insert functionality changes anything? I find
> the same behavior with all of the templates, and even
> those I make myself, whether or not this attribute
> is turned on or off.

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> Thanks,

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> David

It turns out that the IDL Workbench is not honoring the "Automatically Insert" checkbox on the Template editor dialog. Instead, it **always** inserts the template if the subset of the name typed is unambiguous.

This is logged as a problem to be fixed in an upcoming release.

In the meantime, if you want the template to **not** be inserted automatically, you'll have to stop typing before you've typed enough of the name for it to be unambiguous.

Sorry for the confusion,
Doug

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