
Subject: Re: IDL Workbench Epiphany--Or Something
Posted by [tenkyuu](#) on Thu, 23 Oct 2008 02:16:35 GMT

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On Oct 1, 7:37 am, Philip Elson <philip.el...@metoffice.gov.uk> wrote:

> If you think that is impressive, on a windows machine with office
> installed you can open up .doc's, .ppt's & xls's - all with related
> menus!

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> Quite a nice bit of kit.

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> On 19 Sep, 21:51, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

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>> Hi Folks,

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>> Whoa! I accidently clicked on a JPEG file I had in a resources
>> directory in one of my IDL Workbench projects. As soon as I did
>> it, I expected all kinds of bad things to happen. But, what
>> happened instead, is that the JPEG file opened up in the editor
>> window, just as if I had clicked a *.pro file. And more than
>> that...when I click on the image tab, I get a whole lot of
>> buttons that allow me to perform various rudimentary image
>> processing tasks (Quick Fix, crop, etc.). Moreover, I have
>> new Menus in the menubar that includes an Image menu with
>> even more choices.

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>> What is going on here? Is this part of Eclipse? Part of the
>> Workbench? What?

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>> Cheers,

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>> David

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>> David Fanning, Ph.D.

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

Hello,

Is there a stand-alone routine for reading an Excel file into a
structure (so it can be used within a program)?

Thanks,
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