
Subject: Re: On-the-fly compilation of routines

Posted by edward.s.meinel@aero on Thu, 06 Nov 2008 16:05:18 GMT

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On Nov 6, 10:31 am, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

> gsever writes:

>> Could you please elaborate a little more your yes answers?

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> I think what Reimar means is that this is **always** how things
> work in IDL. It would be extremely unnatural if you always
> had to compile files in IDL. Once compiled, IDL programs
> stay compiled for that IDL session, unless you specifically
> recompile them. You can recompile any program that changed
> at any time you like. Then, you will be running the **new**
> compiled program.

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> Cheers,

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> David

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

And that command would be ... <drum roll> ...

.compile your_program_name

<cymbal splash>

Ed M
