
Subject: Re: Some errors about 7.0.3 update

Posted by duxiyu@gmail.com on Wed, 07 Jan 2009 05:26:42 GMT

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Now I am using 7.0.3 on my notebook.

There are some improvement which I think is useful.

For example, you can use Shift+F8 to "Run Selected Text". I usually use this function.

Therefore, I want to find a way to upgrade IDL on my desktop to 7.0.3.

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On Jan 7, 9:36 am, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

> dux...@gmail.com writes:

>> I followed the instruction to update on the ITT website.

>> When the Update Sites to Visit dialog appears, I selected "ITT Visual Information Solutions".

>> But on the next step, it didn't find the available updates about 7.0.3 stated in the instruction.

>> There are only some update about IDL Code Contributions and IDL Workbench Updates.

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>> Another computer with 7.0.3 was updated in August 2008.

>> Is there someone who update IDL 7.0.0 to 7.0.3 recently?

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> I think it is the Workbench you are trying to update. There haven't really been any changes to IDL since about 1954, or least it seems that way. The numbering system is totally screwy. The Workbench version and the IDL version, although they both use 7.x.xx as a numbering scheme, don't (this is the way it was explained to me) have anything to do with each other. Go figure. :-(

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> Cheers,

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> David

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