Subject: Re: baffling syntax error
Posted by penteado on Thu, 22 Apr 2010 23:16:06 GMT

On Apr 22, 7:49 pm, "R.G. Stockwell" <noem...@please.com> wrote:
> "Gray" <grayliketheco...@gmail.com> wrote in message
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> news:3fd12140-7afc-4375-b8d6-3bf139f1d2ab@e21g2000vbb.google groups.com...
> On Apr 22, 5:16 pm, mgalloy <mgal...@gmail.com> wrote:> On 4/22/10 3:03 PM, Gray wrote:
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> ....
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>> Haha. I always forget about this, since I only index arrays with []
>> thanks to my c++ background.
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> one followup would be to figure out why this happened in the first place.
> You may not have paths/ etc set up correctly, causing IDL to think it
> was an array.

No path problems are needed. Without the compile_opt, if a name is
used by a variable and there is no function with that name already
compiled, IDL will assume it is a variable name, and will not try to
find a function to compile. But if a compiled function uses a name,
any references to the name will be interpreted as function calls,
ignoring a variable of the same name, regardless of when the variable
was defined.