
Subject: Re: IDL syntax coloring in BBEdit
Posted by [Kenneth P. Bowman](#) on Mon, 29 Nov 2010 13:57:21 GMT
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In article

<2a90cee2-da8b-4dc1-bc94-4c163af8655a@r16g2000prh.googlegroups.com>,
"M. Katz" <MKatz528@yahoo.com> wrote:

> I'm wondering if anyone knows of an up-to-date syntax coloring module
> for BBEdit (on Mac OS X). I have one that works great, but it doesn't
> know about IDL 8.0's new functions and procedures.
>
> Looking through BBEdit.app version 9's "Package Contents" I couldn't
> locate where that module now resides, but I know I loaded such a
> module several years ago, in BBEdit 7 or 8.
>
> Thanks!
> -M.

The language module that is available here

http://idl.tamu.edu/syntax_coloring.html

still works in BBEdit 9. (I'm running 9.6.)

The file "IDL Configuration.plist" is a simple Mac
plist file that contains the strings to search for
and highlight. It would be a simple matter to add
the new IDL 8 routines to the list, but I confess that
I don't know how to get a listing of IDL functions
and keywords.

The file was put together by Will Powell from Macquarie
University. His contact info is in the file.

Ken Bowman
