## Subject: Re: IDL 8.1 workbench crash when using Source/Format Posted by Ammar Yusuf on Tue, 24 May 2011 16:23:20 GMT

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On May 24, 10:49 am, Jean < jeanbilh...@gmail.com> wrote:

> Hi all,

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- > Just wanted to know if you are having the same issue. Sometimes (most
- > of the time 80% of the time) the Source/Format button freezes the
- > IDL workbench and I have to do a Force Quit to bring the application
- > back. I also have (1/3 of the cases) problem restarting the
- > application and I have to reboot my computer to bring IDL workbench
- > back to life.

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- > I have to notice that I'm using IDLdoc to comment my procedures/
- > functions.

> I tested it and get the same problem on leopard and snow leopard.

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- > I should probably contact the ITT but I wanted to check with you guys
- > in case I'm the only one having this issue.

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> Jean

I haven't had that problem but sometimes when I'm debugging code and stepping through it IDL will just freeze. It happens if I hit the 'Step' button too fast sometimes. In some instance IDL will just disappear which is really bizarre. It's happened a few times when I'm using the new plot function which will plot something and then IDL disappeared from the taskbar and I had to reopen IDL to start over. It's not as frequent so hasn't annoyed me much. By the way I'm on a 64 bit Windows 7 machine if it matters. Thanks.