
Subject: Re: Some IDL8.2.1 Workbench related problems
Posted by [Jeremy Bailin](#) on Sat, 08 Dec 2012 18:57:47 GMT
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On 12/4/12 10:07 AM, Paul van Delst wrote:

- > What is this "Workbench" thing people keep talking about? :o)
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- > It's probably an obvious sign of my old-fartness (what with being a
- > computer-y type back in the 70's when compucolors were the go, and
- > various PDP 11-whatsits and DEC-whosamis in the 80's) but I've never
- > warmed either to the idea or execution of IDEs.
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- > I have always found them to be extremely limiting compared to just using
- > the various tools as needed and are supplied on a regular system. And,
- > when they don't work right you've got an additional degree of freedom in
- > your bug detection, to say nothing of the time wasted spent figuring out
- > why feature X of the IDE isn't working right (probably because your Java
- > RTE install is busted, or old, or from the wrong vendor...).
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- > But that's just me. I guess I'm a dyed-in-the-wool command line guy (or
- > is *nix my IDE? Hmmm....)

Not just you... I'm a much younger fart, but I couldn't agree more!

-Jeremy.
