
Subject: Re: Passing objects and parenthesis... doing something wrong here?

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Hi Helder,

This was a bug, but has now been fixed. However, looking at my change log, it looks like it was fixed for IDL 8.2.

Is it possible that you are running either IDL 8.1, or a beta version of IDL 8.2?

If you want, try the following code:

```
pro test_junk::mymethod
  o1 = obj_new('idlgrplot')
  o1.symbol = obj_new('idl_container')
  print, o1.symbol.nlist
  ; % Attempt to call undefined method: 'IDL_CONTAINER::GetProperty'.
end
```

```
pro test_property_on_object
  a = {test_junk, field1: 0}
  a = obj_new('test_junk')
  a->mymethod
end
```

If you get a syntax error when you save and run this, then you must be running an older version of IDL.

Hope this helps!

-Chris

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p.s. you actually don't need to have a cleanup method for these objects, or call `obj_destroy`, because the automatic garbage collection will take care of it. :-)
