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Subject: Re: Does the IDLDE regularly hang for anyone else?

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Since moving from ILD7 to IDL8, the IDLDE crashes a lot for me. This is running on Linux. As with David, I find this happens when programming objects. I haven't yet been able to reproduce a specific crash in order to report a bug.

One thing I noticed is that it can sometimes crash (but not always) if I compile a running .pro. Under IDL7 I got lazy and realised that instead of stopping then re-compiling, the re-compile button effectively does both, saving a mouse click and delaying carpal tunnel a little bit longer. This worked fine under IDL7 but will crash the IDLDE under IDL8 too often to make it worthwhile. I'm trying to break the habit with mixed success.

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