
Subject: Re: IDL 8.0 onwards: can I always use the same workspace?

Posted by [MariLiza](#) on Thu, 28 May 2015 06:44:12 GMT

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On Wednesday, May 27, 2015 at 3:08:09 PM UTC+3, David Fanning wrote:

> Mari Liza writes:

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>> Do you know if it is possible to always use the same workspace for ALL IDL instances? for all loadings of IDL? so that IDL does not prompt me all the time for a new workspace?

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> Uh, as far as I know, that's what the rest of us always do.

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> What's amazing to me is how you ever got into a situation where you are
> using dozens of them. I must be having a failure of the imagination,
> because I can't even come up with a plausible explanation for how such a
> thing could happen. :-(

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> Cheers,

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> David

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> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming: <http://www.idlcoyote.com/>

> Sepore ma de ni thue. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

Dear David,

Do you mean to tell me that you are able to simultaneously load two, three, four different IDL 8.0 onwards in WINDOWS and not have IDL ask you for a new workspace each time?

PLEASE tell me how to set this up, I have tried everything, unclicked all sorts of "refresh workspace at start-up", "prompt for workspace at start-up", I have asked IDL to keep in memory 30 different workspaces, but nothing works. If IDL is running once, then from the second instance onwards it asks for a new workspace.

This includes running save files simultaneously.

Thank you!

MariLiza
