
Subject: Re: Reason for Poor Documentation?

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Tue, 23 Apr 2013 16:32:44 GMT

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Subject: Re: Reason for Poor Documentation?

Posted by [chris_torrence@NOSPAM](#) on Tue, 23 Apr 2013 22:56:55 GMT

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On Tuesday, April 23, 2013 10:32:44 AM UTC-6, David Fanning wrote:

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Hey David,

This has now been fixed. Someone tried to do an automated cleanup of the html tags in the docs, and a terrible thing happened to this table.

Thanks for reporting it!

-Chris

p.s. it might not make it onto the IDL 8.2.3 DVD, but it should be updated on the web once 8.2.3 is released.

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Posted by [Haje Korth](#) on Wed, 24 Apr 2013 13:34:39 GMT

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Thanks for leaking this. When might we expect v8.2.3?

Subject: Re: Reason for Poor Documentation?

Posted by [chris_torrence@NOSPAM](#) on Thu, 25 Apr 2013 03:32:54 GMT

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Hi Haje,

8.2.3 should be out in the next month or so, barring any other documentation disasters. :-)

-Chris

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