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Subject: Upp 711-dev1 released  
Posted by [unodgs](#) on Fri, 09 Nov 2007 09:08:50 GMT  
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Changes since 710-dev1:

Going into Help (pressing F1 or icon/menu) now does not change the tree or topic.  
F1 in help now has the same effect as pressing Ctrl+Tab  
Win64 support (library only)  
Automatic setup in TheIDE now supports (auto-installs) MSC8 - x64 compiler  
Drawing now supports Null  
Fixed GetMinSize in .usc  
Layout Font property height now zoomed  
"init" files in packages. More here <http://www.ultimatepp.org/forum/index.php?t=msg&th=2834&start=0>  
Fixed "Writes to freed blocks" bug in ide  
Added ProgressIndicator::SetColor  
Added ASSERT\_ macro - ASSERT with "message" parameter. U++ will now tell you what is wrong with your Value conversions  
New widget MultiButton  
added void Ctrl::LayoutId(const char \*s) to put the name of layout variable into the Ctrl  
There is now much improved chameleon support for DropList, DropChoice, DropGrid, DropDate, DropTime and EditField for Windows Vista  
StaticRect enhanced to support Ch Values  
Added chameleon utility functions to add and remove margins from rectangle  
Chameleon can set now style for individual componenets of composite widgets  
IconDes / .iml changed to premultiplied format  
Added BackPaintHint. More here <http://www.ultimatepp.org/forum/index.php?t=msg&th=2867&start=0>  
Fixed Upp to work in Linux again  
DateTimeCtrl replaced by DropDate and DropTime  
Improvements to painting system  
Many fixes to GridCtrl and DropGrid

That should be all Since this releases src package is back. SVN was updated.

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Posted by [Novo](#) on Fri, 09 Nov 2007 13:08:53 GMT  
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theide.exe is 8.5 megabytes now. It looks like you've uploaded the debug build ...

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Posted by [unodgs](#) on Fri, 09 Nov 2007 19:37:06 GMT

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Strange... It's too big. I'll check it. Thanks for reporting.

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Posted by [waxblood](#) on Sat, 10 Nov 2007 16:30:22 GMT

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Posted by [mirek](#) on Sun, 11 Nov 2007 22:39:30 GMT

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Platform? Compiler?

Mirek

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Posted by [waxblood](#) on Mon, 12 Nov 2007 19:33:13 GMT

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This is the corrected version:

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Posted by [mirek](#) on Mon, 12 Nov 2007 23:16:27 GMT  
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Thanks, this one is much better Patched.

Mirek

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Posted by [Novo](#) on Tue, 13 Nov 2007 02:37:33 GMT  
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I'd make it for NOGTK + Optimal + Shared configuration.

TIA

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Posted by [mirek](#) on Tue, 13 Nov 2007 08:40:43 GMT  
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Posted by [Novo](#) on Tue, 13 Nov 2007 15:42:21 GMT  
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It is only a few mouse clicks ...

Bureaucracy forever !!!

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Posted by [mrjt](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 12:50:50 GMT  
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No, still no Linux chamaleon advances...

Mirek

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Posted by [mrjt](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 13:53:38 GMT

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Thanks. I do have one more problem though:

The new DropDate/DropTime ctrls are very nice, a big improvement over the previous versions. However, I have a custom Date control that I want to have the same functionality. I previously did this by reproducing some of the DateTimeCtrl code, but with the new template structure I should be able to do this with:

```
class MyDropDate : public DateTimeCtrl<MyEditDate>
```

Unfortunately because the bodies of some of the DateTimeCtrl member functions are in a cpp file you can't use the template with anything not defined in the header (ie DropTime and DropDate).

Would it be possible to move the bodies of these functions into the header? There are only four functions without too much code.

Cheers,  
James

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Posted by [cbpporter](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 14:32:33 GMT  
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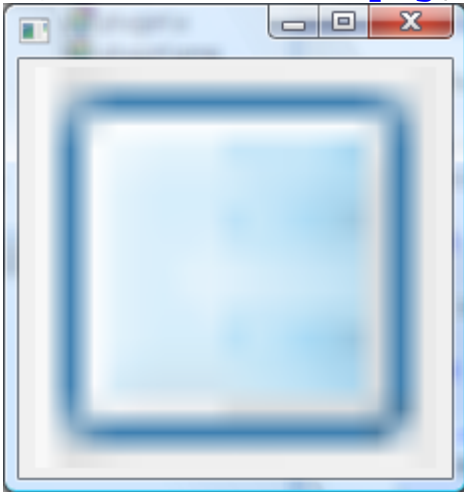
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1) [ScrollButton.png](#), downloaded 559 times



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Thanks. There are three things I need:

1) The system the application is a front-end for uses an integer date type that is different from the

Upp Date int type. For convenience it is easiest to have a custom Convert that can accept this type. Obviously there is no point adding this.

2) I do some key handling so that the user doesn't have to type the date separators themselves, so they can just type 020807 and have 02.08.07 in the field. I guess this could be added as an option and based on GetDateFormat, but would anyone else want it?

3) I want NullText set for every date field, and it's easiest to do this in the constructor.

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Animation is beyond Chameleon for now. Other minor differences should be ironed out through the time (and reports are welcome).

Mirek

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Posted by [cbpporter](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 18:06:35 GMT

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One more thing. Visual Studio 8 detection is not that good. My VS had no C++ installed, yet it thought that I had and even tried to use the inexistent C compiler.

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Posted by [cbpporter](#) on Wed, 14 Nov 2007 18:57:49 GMT

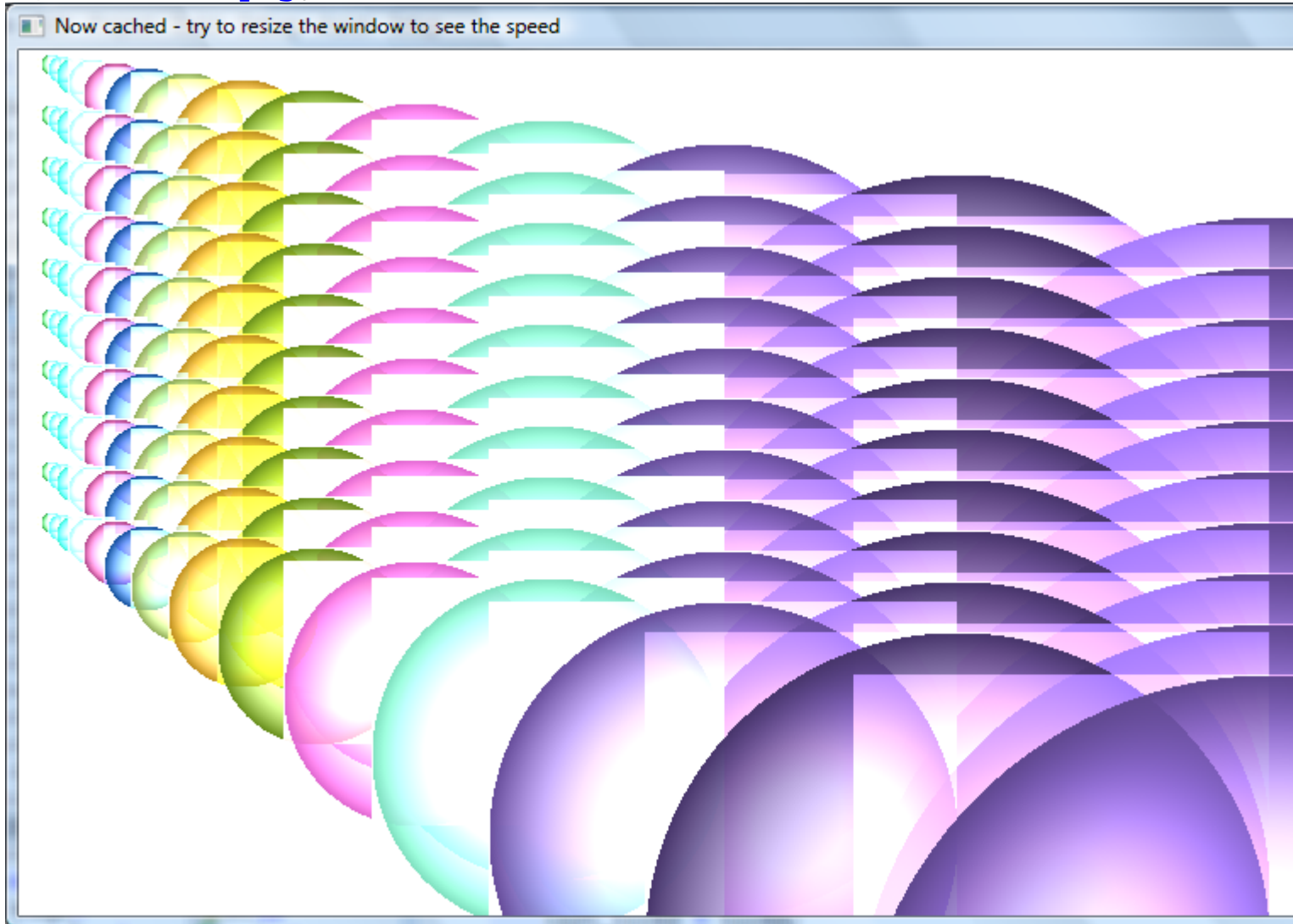
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Well, actually, a bug in Image06 (missing Premultiply). Fixed...

Mirek

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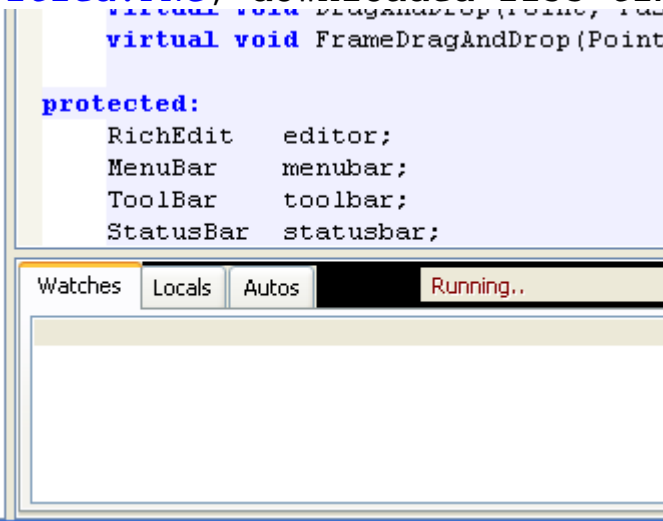
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Thanks. Interestingly, I have already noticed last week, fixed.

(Moral of the story - there was missing "Transparent()" flag for debugger pane; with the new optimization, painting was complete avoided behind the opaque part -> black).

Mirek

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I had the same issue with FlatButton. Also missing Transparent()

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Interestingly, I was able to easily solve "TopFrame" problem (by splitting the class to MultiButton and MultiButtonFrame), but that appearance trouble is more difficult... Anyway, SetFrame now works without a problem (perhaps did before too).

UPDATE: After more thinking, it now behaves (I hope) perfectly.. (TopFrame works, correct appearance in all cases).

Mirek

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