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Subject: [APPROVED] Two new Esc ide macros - GetLineLength() & Target()  
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Hello,

In the previous week, I was trying to implement simply test runner for Google Test using Esc. This task was hard - but possible with minor TheIDE modification. In this topic I proposed two methods in redmine topic - here is the link: #1540.

GetLineLength(line) - Methods returns numbers of chars in concrete line - line parameters:

Example:

```
myLine = 20;  
myLineLength = GetLineLength(myLine); // <- Will obtain length of 20-th line.  
currentLineValue = Get(GetLinePos(myLine), myLineLength); // <- Will obtain the whole line into  
the string
```

Target() - Returns current target

Exaple:

```
target = Target();
```

```
// Below line should work - however there is a bug in esc that i cannot equals to 0!!! (Should be fix  
in the near future)  
if (count(target) == 0) {  
    Echo("Target is unknown. You need to build your project first");  
    return;  
}
```

```
Execute(target + " " + "--gtest_filter=" + myFilter);
```

The funniest thing here - is that it prints program output directly on TheIDE console

What do you think about that? If you have any proposition about improvements in TheIDE API - you can post it here.

Documentation:

- TheIDE API - Documentation (I made small update here today - it should be updated in the next day)

Sincerely,  
Klugier

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