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Subject: Re: First Impressions (about theIDE) and [FEATURE REQUEST]

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Quote:

First, there is no "class view" (I mean, yes, there is a "browser" but it is somewhat premature).

yes, I agree. Browser must be refactored. I'd move the browser to the right side and use tree there. The best would be if Mirek (or everyone else that can) developed "dynamic panels" like in VS or Eclipse. Then everyone could place any browser everywhere.

Quote:

Why not using treeviews in the browsers?

I prefer current solution to treeview in browsers (the exception is code browser)

I can easily switch between packages without scrolling if my project consists of many packages. But to satisfy all of us we could have like in the eclipse classic navigator and tree navigator.

Quote:

theIDE is very ugly

Well, it's a matter of taste. I find theIDE quite eye candy (maybe some icons could be changed). Besides theIDE pretends native platform look. So change your platform theme and theIDE will look different.

Summing it up. This is the list of changes I would do. Order has matter:

1. Better code completion. Ability to add outer resources to the parser.
2. Help window. Now searching is unusable to me. This must be changed.
3. Docking windows, including ability to dock window to tab control.
4. Code browser - tree view, help integrated (if you select an item the help is shown next to it or below - depends on window orientation).
5. Block operations in the editor
6. Configurable syntax highlighting (I mean typing keywords).

I think I could take care of help window.

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