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Subject: Re: CJK source code comment

Posted by [mirek](#) on Thu, 27 Mar 2008 13:38:35 GMT

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mobilehunter wrote on Thu, 27 March 2008 09:31I just installed TheIDE for linux (sabayon).

I tried to insert some japanese comment to UWord source code.

But nothing happened (no character shown).

I also tried to enter japanese character at UWord, i got box character instead. One box character per IME session, i input many characters but only 1 box character shown.

Does this feature already supported?

Which source code part should i play with?

Thanks

I guess, for the comment, make sure you have utf-8 encoding for the file first...

Then the problem is fonts. AFAIK, "predefined" linux fonts do not contain CJK glyphs. In fact, they do not usually contain even anything else than ISO8859-1, but U++ goes over this limitation somewhat by synthetising characters in unicode range 256-512...

Frankly, I am not 100% sure what to do with it. I guess we will need to pull CJK from other fonts than those predefined I guess (but at what priority?).

BTW, speaking about it, what is the notion of font for CJK? I have noticed that for the limited number of fonts that support CJK on Win32, all glyps look basically the same, just the density is somewhat altered... (if this is the case, I could probably just use some "default CJK" font for missing glyphs or something like that..).

Mirek

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