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Subject: Re: TabBar Major Revision

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yes, at first I did think of that too. but it's only fitting for image-serialization, but usually users are not expected to draw any lines and dots right into an image located at a file-tab or something. the images must originate from somewhere: either hard-coded or dynamically loaded. I think I remember windows has serialied its icons at shut-down. the funny thing is that a long time after erasing the icons from the file-system, they still did decorate the desk-top. sounds more like data-junk than real serialization. for example if you decorate the tabs with a symbol for the file-type in the ide, and then some new graphics-designer would contribute great icons for upp's file-types, then all users would need to close all tabs and re-open them in order to enjoy the new design...

well, that was my train of thought. judging by your usual enthusiasm to implement something new, I would guess your hesitation in this case is a result of having similar thoughts. even the self-justification "they are small" does sound as if such a solution wouldn't be what you want. maybe you did "forget" thinking of animated gifs when writing that?

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