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Subject: Re: It's suspected to be an issue with Font.  
Posted by [Lance](#) on Sat, 07 May 2011 21:10:36 GMT  
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Quote:

A second issue: On Ubuntu, I applied the above changes to font substitution table and recompiled theide, the Chinese font displays perfect, but this time the input method won't work. Chinese characters entered in the code editor are displayed as narrow blanks, when copy paster the blanks to gedit, gedit also display blanks; copy good text from website or gedit to the code editor works fine.

Regarding this issue, here is some results of my further experiments. It has been re-confirmed with the most recent version 3407. The test was done on a Ubuntu. G++ is 64bit. The patch to font replacement table has been applied.

When I compile theide using GCC Debug mode, the ide works beautifully: font is pretty, input method works fine; all is good, well almost, as the chinese wide comma issue remains.

When I compile theide using GCC Optimal mode, the ide display existing chinese fonts as well, but Chinese input method doesn't work. Strange, non-displayable characters are inserted, who are invisible to me but will fail the compiler.

BTW, the ide "version.h" file reads:

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#define IDE_VERSION    "3274-lucid-i386-nogtk"
```

As this is a pretty old version, the actually nightly release version may already have this issue fixed. That I wouldn't know.

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