## Subject: Re: Squirrel - the programming language Posted by unodgs on Fri, 25 Nov 2011 13:24:00 GMT

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mdelfede wrote on Fri, 25 November 2011 02:42

@Unodgs: I like squirrel because it's simple, powerful and it forces you to declare variables, even if untyped.... I hate javascript because of this lack which makes very easy to introduce hidden bugs just because of mispelled vars.

I tried this binding utility and I must say I didn't expect it to be so easy.

```
struct Test {
    void SayHello() {
        Cout() << "Hello\n";
    }
};

.. bindings ...

RootTable(vm).Bind("Test", Class<Test>(vm)
    .Func("SayHello", &Test::SayHello)
);

Test globTest;
RootTable(vm).SetInstance("globTest", &globTest);

.. and the script ..

local test = Test();
test.SayHello();
globTest.SayHello();
```

This is just awesome! As for JS - I'm not a huge fan either (I don't like broken == operator and few other weird things) but if it comes to declaring variables you can use var everywhere and new strict mode. That should help.

@SenderGhost: Thank you for sharing Squirrel language - I didn't know this one.