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Subject: Re: 2022(?).2 beta

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Hello Mirek and Lance,

I think we should remove AStyle completely from the TheIDE. The true thing is that there is no true maintainer of that code and it was not updated for years. However, I think we should do it when we will have alternative.

As a replacement to AStyle we should go with clang-format executable. It is bundle with clang tool-chain. So, if you have clang you have clang-format. In the context of utilizing clang-format, we should create our own style basing on the current U++ source files style and make it default. Moreover, user should be able to provide it's own style for the package by adding/defining .clang-format file. So, we will have customization like we currently have. However, it will be moved from UI to text. We could also add some features like reformat code on save etc.

If I will have more time in the next year, I can look at this topic. It's shouldn't be hard to implement.

Klugier

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