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Subject: Problems

Posted by [slashupp](#) on Mon, 27 Dec 2021 04:49:59 GMT

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using nightly 16138

[Setup/UppHub] option is disabled in menu - why?

Available only on package-selector:

lists stuff from 'AutoScroller' ... 'sundials'

'Install' fails - it fails to install a package to the default location

(I should be able to change this download location - at least it should ask,  
or via the 'More..'-menu ... )

I tried to 'install' TerminalCtrl but git-clone doesn't seem to work, fails  
with "Failed to start executable"

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Subject: Re: Problems

Posted by [Klugier](#) on Mon, 27 Dec 2021 11:26:30 GMT

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Hello Slash,

It seems that you do not git in your environment. Could you enter terminal and call:

git

The UppHub option in the Setup -> UppHub.. is disable via HasGit() method:

```
#ifdef PLATFORM_WIN32
```

```
String GetInternalGitPath()
```

```
{  
    return GetExeDirFile("bin/mingit/cmd/git.exe");  
}
```

```
bool HasGit()
```

```
{  
    String dummy;  
    static bool b = FileExists(GetInternalGitPath()) || Sys("git", dummy) >= 0;  
    return b;  
}
```

```
#else
```

```
bool HasGit()
{
    String dummy;
    static bool b = Sys("git", dummy) >= 0;
    return b;
}

#endif
```

UppHub requires git in order to work. We will need to communicate it better.

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I created following PR to adress some issues from this thread.

Klugier

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Subject: Re: Problems

Posted by [slashupp](#) on Mon, 27 Dec 2021 18:03:29 GMT

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I installed git & now it works but another issue then crops up:

the install replaces my .config which contain a lot of own nests  
the paths to which gets clobbered - WHY? why does the upphub  
install need to mess in such a manner with the .config?

Remember that theide's default install is not always what is  
on a local machine, please do not make assumptions and then hard-code them,  
CHECK if the install is what is expected AND THEN ASK! if it is not

(On this note: upp-install should have a default beginner install script  
AND a custom install (== if !default) script where it asks where & how to install)

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Subject: Re: Problems

Posted by [Klugier](#) on Mon, 27 Dec 2021 20:40:21 GMT

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Hello,

What do you mean by install? Did instillation script (install.sh) mess with your configuration files or  
it was messed by installing UppHub package?

Klugier

Subject: Re: Problems

Posted by [slashup](#) on Tue, 28 Dec 2021 07:16:37 GMT

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'Install' is the button label & I am using that to refer to the whole process that happens when it is clicked.

(this refer to upphub 'install'-button for selected upphub-package)

What happened was: before I clicked it, my setup, environment, etc, was just fine, and after I clicked it

Upp/theide behaved as if it was a new install on first run, my customizations were all gone.

(sorry for my 'shouting' in the prev post, but I think it understandable that I was not very happy when

I saw what happened :) )

I think some kind of standard customizable install plan for Upp/theide should exist that prevents this

kind of random overwrites, the current installing scheme is not well.

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