
Subject: different compiler produces different look? [SOLVED]

Posted by [forlano](#) on Tue, 24 Oct 2006 15:26:51 GMT

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Hello,

this is what I see with MSC8

and this is what I see with mingw

I used Display to set the appearance of some columns. The same program show differently the same Courier font depending by the compiler. Is this normal?

Luigi

```
struct FontDisplay : Display {
    virtual void Paint(Draw& w, const Rect& r, const Value& q,
        Color ink, Color paper, dword style) const
    {
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        String txt = AsString(q);
        w.DrawRect(r, paper);
        w.DrawText(r.left + 2, r.top + (r.Height() - GetTextSize(txt, fnt).cy) / 2, txt, fnt, ink);
        //w.DrawText(r.left + 2+1, r.top + (r.Height() - GetTextSize(txt, fnt).cy) / 2, txt, fnt, ink);
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File Attachments

1) [ScreenHunter_1.png](#), downloaded 1956 times

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Subject: Re: different compiler produces different look?

Posted by [mirek](#) on Wed, 25 Oct 2006 00:50:24 GMT

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Posted by [forlano](#) on Wed, 25 Oct 2006 12:19:27 GMT

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OK.

Luigi

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Posted by [forlano](#) on Wed, 25 Oct 2006 12:53:35 GMT

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Posted by [mirek](#) on Wed, 25 Oct 2006 13:07:10 GMT

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OK. Simply renaming one class fixed the problem. I believed that the name "FontDisplay" was same special U++ reserved name to do this special task ...

Thanks a lot.

Luigi