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Subject: How I do to debug my programs?

Posted by [jasperlotus](#) on Mon, 27 Oct 2008 13:50:43 GMT

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MINGW + GDB.

Hello,

I'm a new user of the IDE, and I have a problem when debugging my programs. I've set the breakpoints and when I hit F5, just see 'Running...' but cannot view the value of my variables.

So, please help. Thanks!

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Subject: Re: How I do to debug my programs?

Posted by [zaurus](#) on Mon, 27 Oct 2008 15:24:31 GMT

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Hi,

I'm experience the similar situation. But I found out that it just takes long time for the variables to come up. If you wait for maybe 2 minutes then the values of the variables are shown and you can continue to debug.

I didn't have this problem with the old 2007.1 version, but now with 2008.1 and MINGW I have it consistantly. If using the VC compiler and debugger then everything works smooth.

I expect it has something to do with GDB.

Zaurus

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Subject: Re: How I do to debug my programs?

Posted by [cocob](#) on Mon, 27 Oct 2008 17:53:20 GMT

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Subject: Re: How I do to debug my programs?

Posted by [jasperlotus](#) on Wed, 29 Oct 2008 11:40:29 GMT

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cocob wrote on Mon, 27 October 2008 18:53 Chose Full info Level for debug in output mode.

The default setting is 'Full' already!

I'm now must debug myself with the console version of GDB, and yep, with MSVC it works well, but I have no MSVC installed on my home PC

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Subject: Re: How I do to debug my programs?  
Posted by [zaurus](#) on Thu, 30 Oct 2008 04:45:52 GMT  
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Hi!

You can still debug in Upp. Once the debugger reach the breakpoint just wait for a while. Don't press F10 or anything. After 10-20 seconds the variables under 'Auto' or 'Local' will come up and you can start stepping through your program with F10.

It somehow seems that the communication between Upp and GDB is very slow. I don't know what's the reason for it. It used to be ok with older versions of Upp with MinGW.

It's a bit annoying, but still can do some debugging.

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Subject: Re: How I do to debug my programs?  
Posted by [jasperlotus](#) on Thu, 30 Oct 2008 11:18:03 GMT  
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It produces like this...

```
----- jasper_testing ( MAIN GCC DEBUG DEBUG_FULL BLITZ WIN32 )
cd D:\MyApps\coding\jasper_testing
D:\MyApps\apps\MINGW.Debug.Debug_full\jasper_testing.exe (17521 B) is up to date.
```

OK. (0:00.04)

```
gdb D:\MyApps\apps\MINGW.Debug.Debug_full\jasper_testing.exe
```

```
GNU gdb 6.8
```

```
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```
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This GDB was configured as "i686-pc-mingw32"...
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```
(gdb)
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```
set disassembly-flavor intel
```

```
set exec-done-display off
```

```
set annotate 1
```

```
set height 0
```

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set width 0
```

```
set confirm off
```

```
set print asm-demangle
```

```
b D:/MyApps/coding/jasper_testing/main.c:10
```

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Breakpoint 1 at 0x4013fa: file D:/MyApps/coding/jasper_testing/main.c, line 10.
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run
```

...and no more things happen.

I can only press Shift+F5 to stop this procedure.

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Posted by [zaurus](#) on Sun, 02 Nov 2008 09:51:30 GMT

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Posted by [jasperlotus](#) on Sat, 08 Nov 2008 16:56:41 GMT

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