
Subject: TheIDE must understand project-relative paths
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There is a need to store and update binary within some project directory. I.e. \$(PROJECT)/out
This is very convenient when you work with svn/git and keep up-to-date version of binary + some config files in a subdirectory of your project (this is especially important when working with other developers and testers who need latest binary and configs).

TheIDE does not allow to make project-relative filename in Build/Output mode/Target file override.
It would be VERY convenient to be able to write something like \$(PROJECT)/out/mybinary.exe as a target file.

I also tried to use Custom build steps/post-link with a command copy \$(OUTPATH) \$(DIR)/out1/\$(OUTFILE) but TheIDE doesn't understand it as well so this executes the following command: copy C:\upp\out\PROJECTS\MSC9.Debug.Debug_Full.Gui.Io.Mt\Silos.exe /out1/Silos.exe

Making TheIDE understand project-relative paths will make team development for TheIDE much more comfortable.

P.S. Mirek, if you wish, I may try to add it manually and send you updated sources.
