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Subject: gui , how to switch between the visual dlg.lay to the text view

Posted by [nneilson](#) on Sat, 21 May 2016 09:06:10 GMT

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gui , how to switch between the visual dlg.lay to the text view of the dlg.lay file

I used this before but do not remember.

Neil

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Subject: Re: gui , how to switch between the visual dlg.lay to the text view

Posted by [nneilson](#) on Sat, 21 May 2016 09:17:42 GMT

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ide help === ide keys ctrl + t

edit: The 'default' of adding the Z still seems like a bug to me. I lost several more hours chasing this down again. Is there a way to turn the 'default' off so the Z will not be automatically added?

[http://www.ultimatepp.org/forums/index.php?t=msg&goto=40153&&srch=dlg.lay#msg\\_40153](http://www.ultimatepp.org/forums/index.php?t=msg&goto=40153&&srch=dlg.lay#msg_40153)

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Subject: Re: gui , how to switch between the visual dlg.lay to the text view

Posted by [Klugier](#) on Sat, 21 May 2016 10:14:18 GMT

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Hello nneilson,

In last release (2015.2) we improved TheIDE by adding button to switch between text/designer/hex view. You can find it near navigation icon (TheIDE toolbar).

This is the list of the options:

- Edit as text
- Edit using designer
- Edit as hex

Icons:

To switch to text mode just select first icon.

Sincerely,  
Klugier

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File Attachments

1) [ViewModeSwitchers.png](#), downloaded 654 times

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Subject: Re: gui , how to switch between the visual dlg.lay to the text view  
Posted by [nneilson](#) on Sat, 21 May 2016 17:46:27 GMT  
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Thanks Klugier - that is a good improvement

In the text mode there is much finer control of the size and position of the little boxes, that is what I need.

Using ctrl + T is not as positive and on my computer it has to be the right ctrl and not the left

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