ActiveState Releases Komodo IDE 4.4

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"Developers want to spend more time coding and less time searching," said Trent Mick, Komodo Dev Lead. "So we pushed the features of the standard function list, adding CSS entries, XML nodes, and more 'Awesome Bar'-style functionality to our new Sections List feature."

Another work-saving addition to Komodo IDE 4.4 is the improved Subversion (SVN), CVS, and Perforce functionality, which simplifies team development and project management with multi-file commits and a new Change List tab to track and group documents that have been edited.

"Having the Sections List makes jumping around my code so much easier and quicker, with the added benefit of not having to use my mouse as much to find the method I need," said Komodo user Anton Visser of helloecho.com. "[And] the improved SCC makes committing code that much easier. I used to use a third party SVN tool, to commit changes, but now that I can commit changes from my entire project, I don't need that tool any more."

New in this release is added extensibility for Unit Test Integration, enabling developers to use their preferred unit testing framework, as support for frameworks can now be added via extensions. PHPUnit, Ruby rake-based test (as used by Ruby on Rails), Perl TAP-based test, PyUnit, and Nose are already integrated.

Rounding out the key features of Komodo IDE 4.4 is Zend framework support, a top request from Komodo IDE's PHP users, as well as user interface improvements.

"Komodo just keeps growing and growing, even with minor releases," added Rudolf Horbas of hypotext.de. "I just can't keep up with discovering all the new and useful features!"

Komodo IDE 4.4 is a free update for all Komodo IDE 4.x license holders and Perl Pro Studio and Tcl Pro Studio subscribers. Read more at www.activestate.com/komodo_ide.

About Komodo IDE

ActiveState's Komodo IDE 4.4 helps developers create great applications using dynamic languages and open technologies.

Award-winning tools for debugging, code intelligence, visual code navigation and the regular expression toolkit help developers write cleaner code faster, while source code control integration, a project manager and multi-user support assist in team development.

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With improved performance for all supported languages (including Perl, PHP, Python, Ruby and Tcl, HTML, CSS, JavaScript and XML), simple Firefox-style extensibility, and flexible multi-platform licensing for Windows, Mac OS X, and Linux, Komodo IDE has developed smart tools with developer freedom and choice in mind. Learn more at www.activestate.com/komodo ide.

About Komodo Edit:

Based on the award-winning Komodo IDE, Komodo Edit is a free, open source, feature-rich editor for the full range of Komodo-supported dynamic languages (Perl, PHP, Python, Ruby, and Tcl) and platforms (Linux, Mac OS X, and Windows). Like Komodo IDE, Komodo Edit also supports client-side Ajax technologies, including JavaScript, CSS, HTML, and XML. For more information or to download, visit their website.

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