# CoCoA-5 - Design #567

# Emacs UI: coloured syntax in output buffer has problems if error message shows a single double-quote

29 May 2014 16:37 - Anna Maria Bigatti

Start date: Status: Closed 29 May 2014 **Priority:** Normal Due date: Assignee: Anna Maria Bigatti % Done: 100% Category: **EmacsUI Estimated time:** 1.00 hour CoCoA-5.1.1 Seoul14 Target version: Spent time: 1.62 hour

## Description

consider this

after this error all input is coloured as inside a string.

#### History

#### #1 - 29 May 2014 16:39 - Anna Maria Bigatti

maybe error messages should be printed

```
--> ERROR: Division by zero or by a zero-divisor
--> ... jhakjhdglkajhgfljhalkjghaljhglajhdfsg",1/0];
-->
```

?

I like that, and it will be all printed in red!

#### #2 - 29 May 2014 17:09 - John Abbott

- Status changed from New to In Progress
- % Done changed from 0 to 10

Let's try the proposal. As it is a "trick", it should be well documented.

## #3 - 29 May 2014 17:11 - Anna Maria Bigatti

first step done (in Lexer.C)

### #4 - 30 May 2014 09:16 - Anna Maria Bigatti

- Status changed from In Progress to Feedback
- Assignee set to Anna Maria Bigatti
- % Done changed from 10 to 90

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Easy when you know where, more difficult to find **where**. Done.
I had to change ErrorReporter::ErrorPrefix("--> ERROR: "), and

void outputUnderlinedLine(ostream &out, intrusive\_ptr<const Line> line, size\_t from, size\_t to)

in Lexer.C

I think that's all needed.

## #5 - 02 Jul 2014 16:11 - Anna Maria Bigatti

- Subject changed from emacs: coloured syntax in output buffer has problems if error message shows a single double-quote to Emacs UI: coloured syntax in output buffer has problems if error message shows a single double-quote
- Status changed from Feedback to Closed
- % Done changed from 90 to 100

No comments so another quick check and ... closing!

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