
Question

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Beautifying for Object Script ?

This a spin of from [For and If with one line: to brace or not to brace](#)

Has anyone seen or heard of a Beautifier for Object Script?

There is a bunch of them out for XML, HTML, JavaScript, CSS, PHP, <https://codebeautify.org/>

What I think of is a utility / package that is able to

- #1 format your source code by appropriate Tabs/Spaces
- #2 (more important) - to replace legacy notation with bracket notation - to wrap all kind of (post-)conditions in JavaScript style

It's definitely a tricky thing.

And I never head of any attempt to do it.

A simple example:

```
IF a=2 set b=2
```

```
ELSE set b=0
```

might become

```
set $TEST= (a=2)
```

```
IF ($TEST) { set b=2 }
```

```
ELSE {set b=0 }
```

to move to brackets and maintain \$TEST correctly

Also covering all the other strange things you know all

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