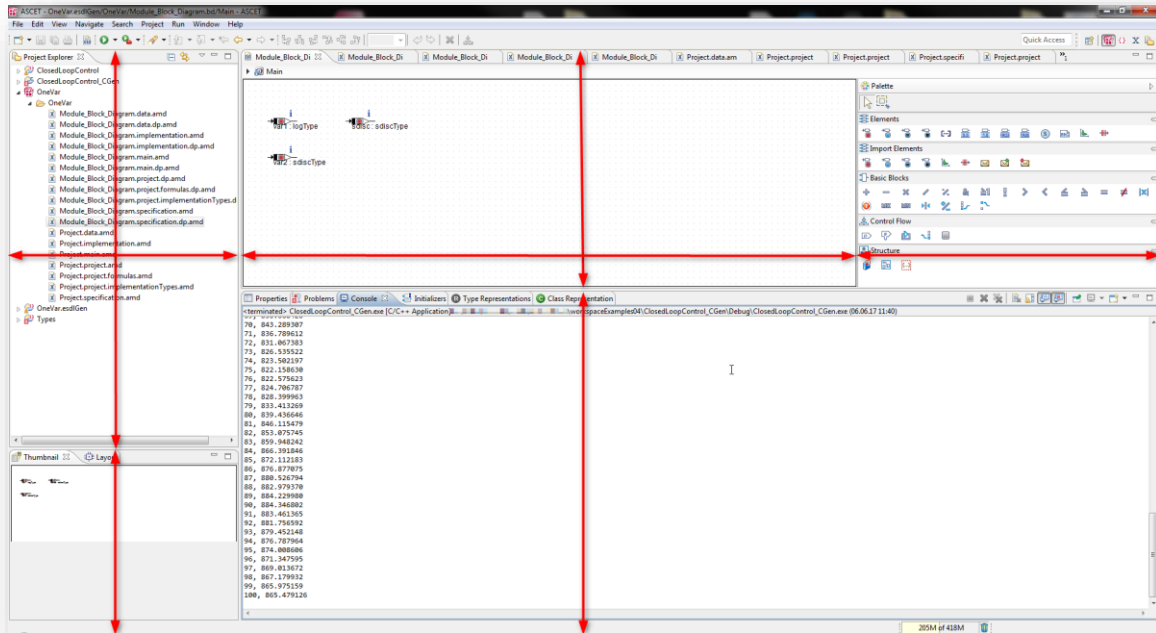


How to store GUI layout changes persistently in Eclipse based software?



Question

- How to store GUI layout customizations persistently in Eclipse based software?
- Where are GUI layout settings stored?
- How to switch between different GUI layouts?
- I know how to save and restore user preference settings but this does not affect the GUI layout
- How can I save the sizes of the windows?

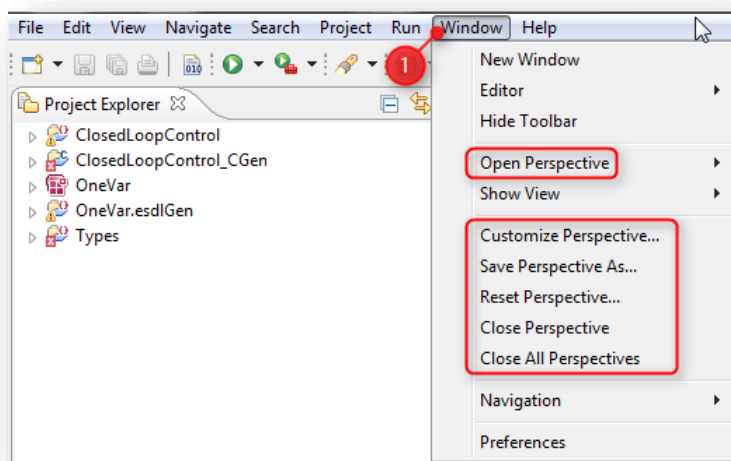




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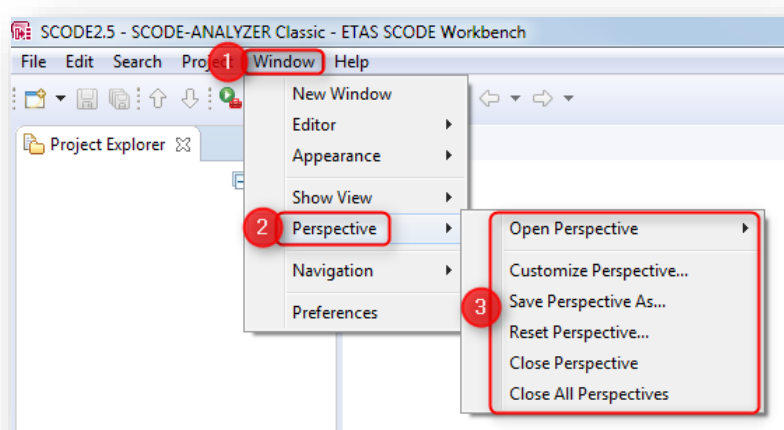
- GUI settings are stored in **Perspectives**
- There are several functions regarding perspectives available under **Menubar > Window**

In **ASCET-DEVELOPER V7.3**:

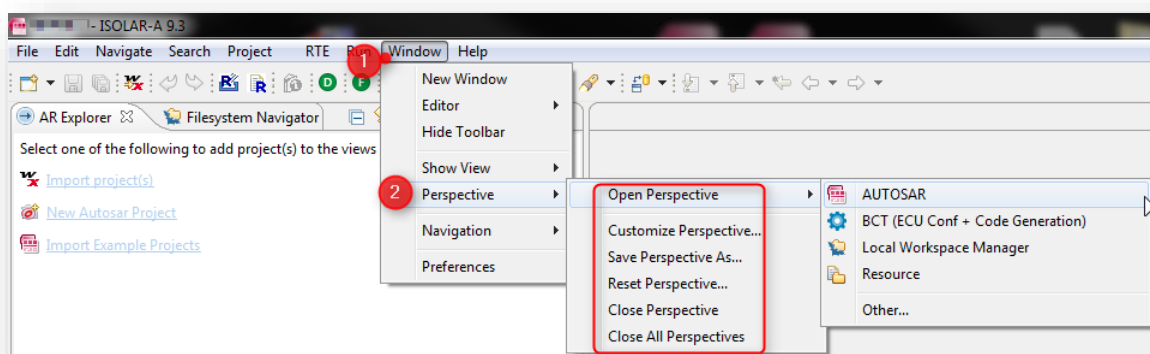


- For example:
 - **Save Perspective As...** let's you save the current GUI settings and with ...
 - **Open Perspective** you may open just this stored GUI settings at any time later on

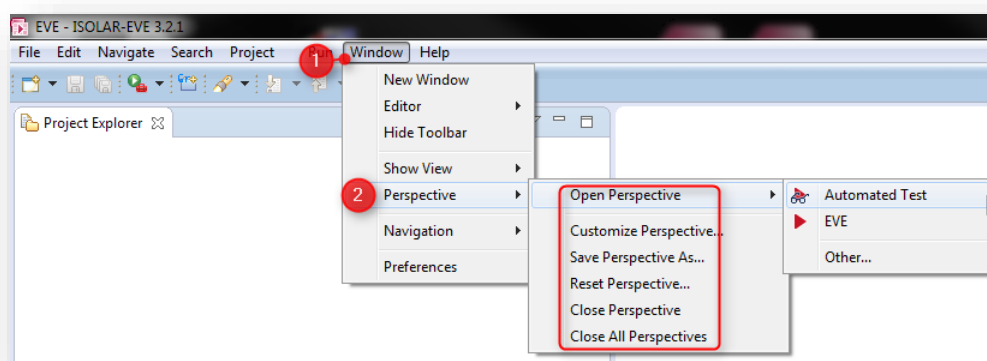
In **SCODE-ANALYZER V2.5**:



In ISOLAR-A V9.3:



In ISOLAR-EVE V3.2.1:



Additional information

- A **Perspective** is the configuration of the views (sub windows) of the application with respect to size and location on the screen.
- The latest perspective will always be...
 - Stored during shutdown and
 - Restored with all other preferences during start-up



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