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Thread: [Sublime3 unexpected indent trickle affect](#)

datguy.dev - October 25, 2016, 6:31 pm

Greetings,

I was curious if you guys had any tips about a Sublime setup when it comes to Python? Sometimes when I go run my code I get an unexpected indent error. It happens ... so I go check statements, tabs, and spaces.

The issue is when I 'fix' one line of code, the spaces or whatever, it affects the next line. I fix that next line, and it happens to the next line! It is quite frustrating. It doesn't matter if I start corrections from the top or below. I can select the text and see the spaces and tabs. They change as I make the corrections to other lines.

chefragoo7 - October 25, 2016, 6:49 pm

No tips about Sublime setup, but launching the script by:

Code python -tt script.py
should solve the problem.

SpacePupper - October 25, 2016, 10:05 pm

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bytez - October 26, 2016, 4:59 am

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datguy.dev - October 26, 2016, 11:34 am

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Honestly, it is just messing up because of the current spacing issues in scripts. This is a good learning experience for me to setup before starting. Thanks for the suggestion. It saved me quite some time. ?