

# Autoformatting and whitespace

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What is going on with autoformat eating whitespace more greedily with each release?

The ideal way for me would be like this (Rubymine < 2.0)

```
create_table :test do |t|

  t.integer   :foo,   :null => false

  t.datetime  :bar,   :null => false

  t.string    :baz,   :null => false, :limit => 32

end
```

Then in 2.0 or 2.0.1 suddenly this happened:

```
create_table :test do |t|

  t.integer :foo,   :null => false
```

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```
t.datetime :bar, :null => false
```

```
t.string :baz, :null => false, :limit => 32
```

```
end
```

And now in 2.0.2 autoformat collapses all white space:

```
create_table :test do |t|
```

```
  t.integer :foo, :null => false
```

```
  t.datetime :bar, :null => false
```

```
  t.string :baz, :null => false, :limit => 32
```

```
end
```

I like most of my Ruby code formatted with whitespac so it neatly aligns into columns and I also like autoformat, but it's pretty impossible to use after 2.0.2. Can't find any options either how to make autoformat eat a little less whitespace in the middle of the lines 😞

Does anyone know of any option to configure it or would it possible to add one?

Tags: rubymine, autoformat, whitespace



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Nov 6, 2007 1. **Re: Autoformatting and whitespace** Jan 29, 2010 2:25 PM

Hello Tarmo,

It seems like it's a RubyMine bug, I've created an issue: <http://youtrack.jetbrains.net/issue/RUBY-5715>

Feel free to vote, comment and track progress of it.

Regards,

Oleg



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Jan 29, 2010 2. **Re: Autoformatting and whitespace** Jan 29, 2010 3:36 PM

Thanks Oleg, hope it will get fixed for next release 😊



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Sep 18, 2007 3. **Re: Autoformatting and whitespace** Feb 9, 2010 6:23 PM

And now in 2.0.2 autoformat collapses all white space:

Hmmm, latest published RubyMine version is 2.0.1 😊

In my case RM just remove useless whitespace before **":foo"**, and **":null"**

E.g.

1.

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will be converted to

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```

2.

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```

to

```
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  t.integer :foo, :null => false
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