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Tips and Tricks to Strategies to Keep Your Clarion Applicationns Running Smoothly

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Introduction

- Audience Advanced Beginner to Intermediate
- Theme Using the Debugger to Understand Code Flow
- Goal Everyone Knows How to Locate 80% of Their Application Generation and Template Problems in Under 5 Minutes!
- Focus on Windows, but Most Applies to DOS As Well.
- Personal Background

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Development Cycle in CW2.0+

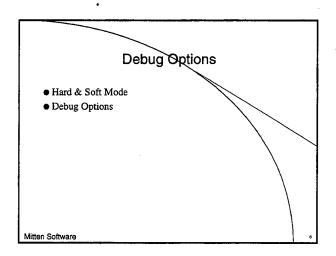
- Define an Application With "Manageable Complexity"
- Build the Dictionary
- Use Wizards To Generate App
- Create Revision Checkpoint
- Review App
- If OK, Then Exit.
- Refine The App
- Debug

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Quick Overview of Steps in Program Creation Create Dictionary Import File Headers (Clarion/xBase/Topspeed/DRF'S) Import Dictionary (V2.1 Apps, V3.X Dcts, CW Txd'S) Create App Wizards Import Apps Generate Source Compile Source Link Objects & Libraries Mitten Software

Files Used in Program Creation CW20.Red Look at Program Module Create Dictionary (TXD'S) Create App (TXA) Source Is Text (CLW, CLI) Templates Are Text (TP?).



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Examples of Finding and Fixing Problems Finding Data Updates Defects Quickly Event Problems Improper Data Updates Invalid Totaling

| Summary & Questions |
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