

Re: VS2005 conditional directive

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Hi Kevin,

I finally have the chance to try today. I have a web page with following code:

```
protected void Page_Load(object sender, System.EventArgs e) {
#if DEBUG
Response.Write("Debug");
#else
Response.Write("Release");
#endif
}
```

I switched project to release mode, and compiled with web deployment project, and copied all files to server. I opened web.config of this project on server, and noticed :

```
<compilation debug="false" defaultLanguage="c#">
```

When I run the project, I still see "Debug" displayed.

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yours Hardy

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Hi Hardy,

Based on my research, VS2005 still supports the conditional directive. You can switch the DEBUG and RELEASE mode in web.config file. An element named `<compilation debug="false"/>`. If you use true, it is debug mode, while if you use false, it's release mode.

When I tried it on my machine, it works fine.

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