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Subject: Re: Site addition ideas (Re: ids-pvwave archive)

Posted by [philaldis](#) on Tue, 23 Mar 1999 08:00:00 GMT

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On Tue, 16 Mar 1999 13:33:41 -0800, mgs@ivsoftware.com (Mike Schienle) wrote:

> In article <7cdmmr\$obq\$1@info.abdn.ac.uk>, "Martin Downing"  
> <m.downing@abdn.ac.uk> wrote:  
>  
>> [pukey MIME deleted]  
>>  
>> Hi,  
>> Can anyone tell me whether an archive is maintained anywhere for this =  
>> newsgroup?  
>  
> I don't know of an official archive, but as David Fanning mentioned  
> DejaNews is searchable.  
>  
>> If so can you download chunks (eg months) in a searchable format?  
>> I find this a very useful newsgroup. However i do not always check it =  
>> regularly!  
>  
> I keep 3-6 months of the newsgroup on my system for updating the FAQ. It's  
> not internet searchable, or even on my web site at the moment, but it  
> could be with a little effort. I run daily backups, as well, so I should  
> have the last year or so available on those.  
>

That would be invaluable to someone like me who doesn't have internet access on my machine at work and has to trapse over to the library when I want to look up if someone has had a similar problem in previous months. If I could have it on my machine at work it would be a great help.

Cheers,  
Phil Aldis

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