Subject: Re: DCOM and Active X

Posted by efrans on Thu, 07 Dec 2000 17:13:33 GMT

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In case anyone is interested, this is from RSI Tech Support:

"IDL does not include support for connecting with DCOM applications and there are no plans to add such capabilities to IDL."

## efrans@my-deja.com wrote:

- > Has anyone had any experience using IDL's Active X capability over a
- > network using DCOM (Distributed Component Object Model)? I see no
- > mention of DCOM in any of IDL's documentation, so I am also curious
- > whether or not IDL even supports it.

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- > I would like to embed an IDL draw widget inside a LabView GUI and
- > perform some data analysis functions using IDL. However, the problem is
- > that I've only gotten this working when IDL and LabView are installed on
- > the same machine. Unfortunately, there are times when the CPU usage is
- > being maxed out by LabView and it'd be nice to have IDL crunch on the
- > data on another machine on the network. This would avoid
- > possible glitches and data dropouts. After IDL is done, the results
- > would be displayed in the embedded draw widget.

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- > This combines the best of both worlds in my opinion and I sure hope it's
- > possible.

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> Thanks in advance for any help!

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> - Eric Frans

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