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Subject: Re: It costs how much?!?!?

Posted by [J.D. Smith](#) on Wed, 06 Dec 2000 08:00:00 GMT

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Mark Hadfield wrote:

>  
> "J.D. Smith" <jdsmith@astro.cornell.edu> wrote in message  
> news:3A2EAC1D.8192BF7E@astro.cornell.edu...  
>>  
>> I recommend you wait for OS X to come around. You will certainly have a  
>> nice Emacs available at that point, and if you squeak enough, an IDL  
>> Shell (non-IDLDE) mode too.  
>  
> Well, an IDL Shell has been technically feasible on Windows for 10 years now  
> and has never been implemented by RSI, so we all better get squeaking long  
> and loud!  
>  
> Squeak. squeak.

The difference is that porting to the BSD layer of OS X will be trivial  
in comparison with rolling your own Window's Shell.

JD

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