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Subject: Re: Polygon hull

Posted by [davidf](#) on Thu, 21 Dec 2000 20:04:34 GMT

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Pavel A. Romashkin ([pavel.romashkin@noaa.gov](mailto:pavel.romashkin@noaa.gov)) writes:

> Talking about a stable OS... My Win98 is reinstalling at home right now.  
> Yesterday it found an infrared port (that I don't have \*any\* hardware  
> for) and is trying to use it instead of the modem for dial-up. It likes  
> the idea of the modern IR better than the old primitive ISA modem. I  
> told you David, Win98 on my PC detects not only what's installed on the  
> computer, but also what you bring close to it, so it must've detected  
> that IR remote control for the TV that I forgot in the office. :-(

Uh, Pavel, I'm sending a couple of guys in white coats  
over there right now. Don't be alarmed when they show  
up. They are going to fix this computer for you.

> David Fanning wrote:

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>> P.S. What I don't understand is why I don't look  
>> in the book first, instead of spending 45 minutes  
>> digging around in my notes. There is even an index  
>> entry and everything! Sheesh.

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> Maybe you should get one, David. Pretty good book. Amazon will deliver  
> it timely :-)

I try to keep a book around, but I'm always feeling  
sorry for the students (Do you see what they pay for  
textbooks these days!) and I'm always selling my own  
copy cheaply. The only problem with this system is the  
marginalia. Notes like "Who wrote this nonsense!?"  
and "What a jerk!" does not inspire great confidence. :-(

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