
Subject: Re: IDL 5.0.3 on Macintosh

Posted by [azM](#) on Mon, 22 Oct 2001 14:26:05 GMT

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If they had only made an option similar to the ones in Microsoft Word: Save as Word 95, Save as Word 97 etc..

I know I am a lazy programmer :-)

"David Fanning" <david@dfanning.com> wrote in message
news:MPG.163dcbdc647d898971b@news.frii.com...

> azM (user@azm.nl) writes:

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>> i'm still working on my intership assignment. My problem right now is
that i

>> have to write a really small program to get some data from a Macintosh
>> system with IDL 5.0.3 installed and send the data to a Windows 2000
system

>> with IDL 5.5.

>> I wrote a simple UI on IDL 5.5 and ported it to the Mac. of course I did
not

>> expect it to work right away, but I also didn't expect it to be so hard.

Can

>> anyone help me with this? Or does anyone still have some small programs

>> written in IDL 5.0.3 that make use of widgets and events triggered by
some

>> buttons or stuff on these widgets?

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> I have doubts about the GUI Builder in the best

> of times. But there is no way it is going to

> write code that will run in IDL 5.0.3. New

> keywords, etc. to make the GUI Builder work

> were introduced after that.

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> I'm afraid you are going to have to write

> this widget program by hand. The good news,

> of course, is that you will learn exactly

> how and why widget programs work. :-)

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> Cheers,

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> David

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