
Subject: Re: Read HTML Page?

Posted by [Joseph B. Gurman](#) on Wed, 24 Oct 2001 02:45:37 GMT

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Andrew -

At the risk of being accuysed of a very bad pun, too cool!

Joe Gurman

In article <3BD60718.2AC111FF@dsto.defence.gov.au>, Andrew Cool
<andrew.cool@dsto.defence.gov.au> wrote:

> Holger Nies wrote:

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>> Hallo!

>> I'm looking for a procedure, I can use to read an Internet page in IDL.

>> Is there anybody, who has experience in this area?

>> Thank You.

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>> Holger

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> Hallo Holger,

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> I've emailed you an IDL GUI Web Browser (21kB) that I wrote using IDL's
> Socket routine - prompted by Mr Markwardt's post many moons ago.

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> If you specify just a Web site name, e.g. www.rsinc.com, you'll
> get the *basic* HTML for that page, both as text, and displayed
> in IE or Netscape. Note, it's simple, basic, and does suck down
> all the associated images specified in the HTML.

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> Alternatively, you can nominate a specific file at a URL, e.g.
> a .EXE, or .ZIP, or JPG/GIF/etc, and that file will zoom back,
> and if it's a common image format, will hopefully be automagically
> displayed.

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> It even attempts to call your virus scanner software.

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> Obviously you'll need to edit the code to suit your image display
> and virus scanner software.

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> This package works through the firewall wall here nicely.

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> Lots of room for fiddling to your heart's content!

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> Andrew
