
Subject: Re: Message From RSI VP of Engineering
Posted by [Pavel A. Romashkin](#) on Thu, 25 Oct 2001 16:11:34 GMT
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I am sure you will miss the DE that you are used to. I can't stand the DE under Unix, sorry. If the performance will be what it is like on our HP-UX, I will not even try the OSX version.

Pavel

Ben Tupper wrote:

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> JD
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> Thanks for assembling this comparison. This is the kind of meat-and-potatoes
> information I have been lacking. The numerical performance issue is a weighty
> one; that's not to diminish the importance of the native interface and display
> speed/rendering. I don't want to ask you to compare apples and oranges, but (I
> will anyway) how do you think the numerical performance of a Unix port of IDL to
> OS X will compare to that we currently see in IDL on the G4 under OS 9? When we
> switched from Unix IDL to Mac, I was blown away by the performance increase...
> will I be blown 'back' to the slower performance?
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> Ben
