Subject: Re: counting bits Posted by JD Smith on Tue, 18 Feb 2003 22:58:27 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

On Tue, 18 Feb 2003 14:55:22 -0700, David Fanning wrote:

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> Rick Towler (rtowler@u.washington.edu) writes:
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>> Now David, isn't this the pot calling the kettle black? With 4,110
>> posts to this newsgroup some would say you need to get a life! :)
> I don't know. Anyone who is counting my posts is a little suspect, too.
> :-)
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> No, I just have this sister-in-law who is well, you know, nice. And it
> just occurred to me that JD and Craig may have a little too much free
> time on their hands, if you know what I mean. I thought I'd try to kill
> two birds with the same stone.
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I hope your sister-in-law (or wife, for that matter) isn't a user of Google Groups. Also, I'm flattered you'd want me in your family, but my wife would probably frown on it. And to defend myself, I collected all those bit fiddling tricks while writing a 64-bit endgame solver for Reversi years ago. Hmm, I guess that isn't exactly too compelling of a defense against the "Get a life" rubric, but it will have to suffice.

JD