
Subject: Re: null array

Posted by [David Fanning](#) on Fri, 26 Sep 2003 09:24:06 GMT

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JD Smith writes:

> But this is also slow, since you reallocate the array on each iteration
> (which starts to hurt when the array gets large). Far better is to
> pre-allocate the array to roughly the correct size, and grow it as
> necessary. Search this newsgroup for "Is there a standard 'null' array"
> for a thread on this very topic.

Oh, oh. I've started to write this up twice now.
Good thing I'm consistent in my naming convention
or I would be doing every project two or three times.
Does this remind you of anything? :-(

Anyway, you can find a discussion about "null arrays"
here, taken from J.D.'s excellent post on the topic.

http://www.dfanning.com/code_tips/nullarray.html

Cheers,

David

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