
Subject: Re: Animations: A can or worms?

Posted by [Yunxiang Zhang](#) on Thu, 19 Feb 2004 05:45:18 GMT

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Hey, Paul

Nice website. Works pretty fluent with IE but my firefox doesn't know how to open jnlp files although it work fine with other common applets. So what is jnlp and how to make my firefox understand it? Anybody knows how?

Thanks!

Yunxiang

On Wed, 18 Feb 2004, Paul Sorenson wrote:

> What I've been doing is generating a series of png files and animating them
> with java. I wrote an animation player in java that lets the user sweep
> through the animation with their arrow keys if they want to. You can have a
> look at some examples on my web page: www.paulsorenson.com . The animations
> on that page automatically cache themselves on your machine via java
> webstart. At this point, I'm not sure how to remove the cache :-) Maybe
> just seek and destroy the files:-)

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> -Paul Sorenson

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> "Haje Korth" <haje.korth@jhuapl.edu> wrote in message

> news:c0tiq7\$dqi\$1@aplcore.jhuapl.edu...

>> Hi everyone,

>> I need to bring up a question (again after a year) that David describes as

> a

>> can of worms: Animations. I need to create a massive amount of animations

>> with IDL. The problem: Animated GIFs are due to license issues not

>> acceptable, the IDL MPEG routines have serious quality issues, and AVI2IDL

>> requires constant interaction. Therefore can anyone update me on

>> state-of-the-art animations creation in IDL?

>> IMHO, RSI really has to start think about this problem before customers go

>> over to other solutions. Time is moving on and technology advances.

>> Presentation without animations are almost history, and we need a solution

>> NOW!

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>> Thanks,

>> Haje

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