
Subject: Re: To PVM or not to PVM

Posted by [ronn](#) on Thu, 09 Dec 2004 16:46:48 GMT

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Haje,

No it is shareware. Basically I send you everything you need to make it run (source and examples) and if you like I ask for a nominal fee.

If you are interested just send me an email.

Ronn

Haje Korth wrote:

> Ronn,
> is your interface freeware? Where can it be downloaded?
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> Haje
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> <ronn@rlkling.com> wrote in message
> news:1102594155.582712.252330@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com.. .
>> Hi Robbie,
>>
>> I am the one that wrote the IDL to PVM interface and I use it on a
>> mixed network everyday. I decided to use PVM since it had a book
>> on
>> the how to use it and making a dll for IDL was fairly simple.
>>
>> You are right about having to compile PVM on each platform and
>> having
>> to use rsh on windows. But once you do it, it is done and you can
>> forget about it.
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>> As far as IDL not being multithreaded, that is true. But you aren't
>> doing multi thread with IDL_PVM, you are doing multitasking which
>> works
>> fine. In fact using my IDL interface to PVM is actually a bit
>> easier
>> than standard PVM since IDL always knows the type of data that is
>> being
>> sent back and forth. In standard PVM code you have a separate call
>> for
>> each data type. Finally, with IDL_PVM your slave processes can
>> either
>> be IDL save files or C executables.
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>> Ronn Kling
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>> Use these books to upgrade your IDL skills.
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