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Subject: Re: Desperately seeking AVI source code  
Posted by [Haje Korth](#) on Fri, 28 Jan 2005 13:16:31 GMT  
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Mark,  
you raised the same concerns I had and that is why I openly requested the source code of the new version here. I also sent an e-mail to Oleg without any response. I have not heard back in any way and I am not sure what to make of it.  
I actually like the DLM version better, so I wanted to try to port some of the changes to the old DLM, which is missing the selection of codec by keyword.  
Let me know if you find out more...

Cheers,  
Haje

"Mark Hadfield" <m.hadfield@niwa.co.nz> wrote in message  
news:ctbki8\$qc2\$1@newsreader.mailgate.org...  
> Hello folks (especially Oleg Kornilov and Ronn Kling)  
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> As many of you know, and as explained briefly by David Fanning here  
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> [http://www.dfanning.com/fileio\\_tips/avi.html](http://www.dfanning.com/fileio_tips/avi.html)  
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> there are two versions of a package to read & write AVI files in IDL on  
> Windows. I have been using Ronn's DLL+DLM version for some time and am  
> very happy with it, though there are one or two things I would like that  
> it doesn't do. I see that Oleg has recently posted an improved version  
> of his DLL-only package and I have given this a quick run also. It seems  
> to work as advertised, though I have managed to crash IDL a couple of  
> times with it (good old CALL\_EXTERNAL).  
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> I am \*very\* wary about relying on a binary package that might become  
> obsolete with a new version of IDL. I would \*really\* like to get a copy  
> of the source code so I can recompile it myself if necessary. I see that  
> Haje Korth asked to see it, but I don't see any reply. How about it guys?  
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> Mark Hadfield            "Ka puwaha te tai nei, Hoesa tatou"  
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