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Subject: Re: C/C++ conversion to IDL

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- > Would there be any preference for C or C++, as i am not really that
- > familiar with either and dont really have the time to learn one and
- > realise later that the other one is more appropriate?

C++ is almost, but not quite, a superset of C. Because of this, I'd advise learning C first and then go on to learn C++ should you need to.

The primary difference between the languages is that C++ supports object-oriented programming while C is procedural. If you won't be using objects, don't worry about learning C++ now. There are other differences between the languages, but none of those make a compelling case to learn C++ in this situation.

-Mike

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