
Subject: Re: IDL support for international characters (unicode)

Posted by [Ben Panter](#) on Mon, 26 Feb 2007 16:00:09 GMT

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Mirko wrote:

> Hello group,

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> I have submitted a feature request to RSI for unicode support. They
> already have one request on file. I am hoping that by generating more
> noise from us, we can push this request up the priority queue.

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> I would personally like to use Greek and other character sets to code
> mathematical formulae.

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> I am guessing that our non-english speaking folks would also
> appreciate the convenience of using their native characters.
> Although, it may make IDL programs less shareable. I for one will not
> be able to review or modify a code written in any of the oriental or
> mid-eastern character sets.

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> Mirko

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Hi Mirko,

Is there much more to this than being able to give variables names
like the \alpha symbol instead of just 'alpha'? Or coding variable names
in a Cyrillic alphabet? I'm struggling to see the real need at the
moment, but I've probably missed something key.

cheers,

Ben

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or you could try ben at ^^^^^^^^^^^^^^^
