

---

Subject: Re: fast for loop

Posted by [Conor](#) on Mon, 11 Jun 2007 19:26:53 GMT

[View Forum Message](#) <> [Reply to Message](#)

---

On Jun 11, 1:39 pm, David Fanning <n...@dfanning.com> wrote:

> Conor writes:

>> Normally I have no artistic talen what-so-ever, so

>> coming up with confusing idl code in order to avoid for loops is my

>> way of expressing my creative talents :)

>

> I'm a big proponent of the Programming as Poetry school

> of thought. But I would encourage you to read more Billy

> Collins:

>

> <http://tinyurl.com/29dzj5>

>

> And less of the more contemporary poets:

>

> <http://www.moriapoetry.com/perrone998.html>

>

> Your programs will be better for it. :-)

>

> Cheers,

>

> David

>

> --

> David Fanning, Ph.D.

> Fanning Software Consulting, Inc.

> Coyote's Guide to IDL Programming:<http://www.dfanning.com/>

> Sepore ma de ni thui. ("Perhaps thou speakest truth.")

personally, I'm a fan of this type of poetry:

[http://www.foo.be/docs/tpj/issues/vol3\\_2/tpj0302-0012.html](http://www.foo.be/docs/tpj/issues/vol3_2/tpj0302-0012.html)

I was even pondering writing some obfuscated IDL, but it's just not the same as perl. IDL just doesn't have that naturally confusing syntax that makes obfuscation so wonderful :)

---