
Subject: Re: postgresql queries

Posted by [wita](#) on Fri, 11 Jan 2008 16:08:54 GMT

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On Jan 11, 4:55 pm, Dave <Confused.Scient...@gmail.com> wrote:

> Does anyone know if there is a general way to connect and query a
> postgresql database from within IDL using linux and os x? My group
> has a few linux licenses for 6.4/7.0 but I'm using an older version of
> the student version on my laptop (os x).
>
> Many thanks,
> Dave

Dear Dave,

You will probably need the IDL dataminer which is licensed separately.

I am not sure whether it supports PostgreSQL though.

The other route is to write a DLM using the open source drivers for
postgress, but I have no experience with that.

If IDL is not strictly needed, you may consider Python which has
excellent DB support including PostgreSQL.

with best regards,

Allard
