
Subject: Re: dependency tree / call graph in idl (cscope for idl)?

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David Fanning wrote:

> Sven Utcke writes:

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>> what's the recommended way to do dependency tracking in IDL, you know,
>> FUNCTION X depends on PRO Y which calls FUNCTIONS A, B, and C. That
>> stuff. Preferably, but not necessarily from emacs?

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>> In C, I would for example use cscope <<http://cscope.sourceforge.net/>>.

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>> Reason I'm asking: I inherited a project with quite a few
>> interdependent files (79 files so far, with 14000 lines, but I'm sure
>> to find I missed some once dependency tracking works), and in order to
>> get any idea at all what this is doing I would like to look at some
>> sort of call graph.

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>> So what is the IDL-way of doing this?

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> Whew! Don't you just hate it when someone comes to IDL for
> the first time from a modern programming language. :-(

This task may not even be *feasible* if the program does not
consistently use square brackets for array!

Ciao,
Paolo

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> Cheers,

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> David

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