
Subject: Re: Web interface development
Posted by [R.Bauer](#) on Wed, 07 Jan 2009 20:51:13 GMT
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Jeff N. schrieb:

> You could also combine PHP and IDL if you really wanted to. Dr. Henry
> Throop gave a presentation at the IDL user's group meeting called The
> New Horizons Geometry Visualizer: Planning the Encounter with Pluto
> where he did this very thing. I didn't see his presentation, but
> downloaded it from ITT's website. It looked very slick. You can find
> the presentation at:
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> http://www.ittvis.com/portals/0/pdfs/idl/uc/GV_oct08.pdf
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> The one potential "gotcha" to this is that PHP has to start and stop
> an new IDL session every time someone uses the web interface (by way
> of a shell script if i recall), so it could get slow and probably
> wouldn't be appropriate if you have a lot of users to support. But if
> you have just a few, it might be the perfect idea. I actually tried
> the web interface, and it seemed to work fine to me, so i am
> investigating it for a project i'm working on myself.
>
> Jeff

both on a webserver can give lot's of security implications.
Be careful.

Reimar
