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Subject: Re: communication between 2 computers using a socket

Posted by [Heinz Stege](#) on Mon, 19 Jul 2010 21:28:21 GMT

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On Mon, 19 Jul 2010 11:14:29 -0700 (PDT), nata wrote:

> Hi guys,

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> Is it possible to communicate 2 PCs via a socket ?

> I have an internal network and I just want to make 2 computers

> communicate with each other in order to have control for 1 program.

> My initial idea is to open a socket and read and write from these 2

> different computers. Reading the documentation I see "The SOCKET

> procedure opens a client-side TCP/IP Internet socket as an IDL file

> unit" so I don't know if I can do what I want.

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> I'm using Windows, anykind of help is appreciated...

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> nata

You can try idl\_tools from Randall Frank and Ronn Kling:

[http://www.kilvarock.com/idl\\_tools.htm](http://www.kilvarock.com/idl_tools.htm). The description says, that the  
SOCK\_CREATEPORT(portnum) function creates a listening socket.

But I don't know, if it works. I never tried it.

Heinz

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