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Subject: Re: Library/Functions to write configuration file for application

Posted by [Karl\[1\]](#) on Mon, 31 Jan 2011 23:55:27 GMT

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On Jan 31, 3:14 pm, Paulo Penteado <pp.pente...@gmail.com> wrote:

> On Jan 31, 8:04 pm, Robin Wilson <ro...@rtwilson.com> wrote:

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>> This is the sort of format I was thinking of, but I wasn't sure how to

>> parse it in a nice way. 'Nice' in this context means that:

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>> \* It can cope with strings, integers and floats

>> \* The order of the file either doesn't matter, or can be changed fairly

>> easily

>> \* New parameter names can be added to the code fairly easily

>> \* Comment characters can be used

>> \* Preferably that I don't have to write loads and loads of IF statements

>> to parse the file correctly.

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>> Is something along those lines fairly easy to do myself? Or should I

>> wait for Paulo's routines?

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> That is pretty much what those text file routines do. I will clean

> them up and post them later, and you can decide if they seem useful.

XML is good for something like this.

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