
Subject: String to MS-Windows Clipboard
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Has anyone written an IDL procedure to insert the contents of a string into the Windows clipboard? (Why would anyone want to do this? Oh, lots of reasons ...) I've just hacked one out using SPAWN, Windows Batch Language, and a DOS-Windows interface utility, but it's REAL ugly--use it on !PATH and it crashes IDL! I presume a much better job could be done using CALL_EXTERNAL plus a suitable DLL, but I don't have the tools to write the DLL. (Or could one tap into existing Windows DLLs???)

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