Subject: OBJECT GRAHPIC BOOKS
Posted by Mark Chan on Sun, 23 Sep 2001 19:22:40 GMT
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I am a Direct Graphic user.

1) Will RSI, sometime in the foreseeable future, discontinue support of DG?

2) Could you recommend a couple of books to bridge the gap between DG and
OG?

Thanks in advance,
Mark

Subject: Re: OBJECT GRAHPIC BOOKS
Posted by David Fanning on Wed, 26 Sep 2001 14:27:48 GMT
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Colin Rosenthal (colinr@toliman.uio.no) writes:

> My colleagues often find me simulating. It's what I'm paid to do.

Sorry. I was thinking of something else at the time. (Blush)

Cheers,

David
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Subject: Re: OBJECT GRAHPIC BOOKS
Posted by Pavel A. Romashkin on Wed, 26 Sep 2001 15:02:41 GMT
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Cheers,
Pavel

Subject: Re: OBJECT GRAHPIC BOOKS
Posted by colinr on Thu, 27 Sep 2001 09:04:37 GMT
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Maybe SOMEBODY should PAY SOMEBODY to write a book explaining IDL object
graphics to the uninitiated. I mean, what is the point of building up this
huge and expensive software package and then not bothering to provide even
a rudimentary tutorial?

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Colin Rosenthal
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Do you mean, RSI? Good luck :-(

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