
Subject: Re: Help with SPAWN

Posted by [enod](#) on Sat, 22 Jan 2005 14:33:38 GMT

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"spawn, tmp_path /NOSHELL"

Miss a comma?

If your EXE is a windows GUI program, SPAWN can call it without showing the command window when supplied with /NOSHELL keyword. But, if you want to run DOS command, use HIDE keyword can bring the command window to back, while it will still show in the task bar.

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Marc Reinig wrote:

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Subject: Re: Help with SPAWN

Posted by [Haje Korth](#) on Mon, 24 Jan 2005 12:54:12 GMT

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Marco,

try /hide instead of /noshell to start the console minimized. Read the help

for more detail...

Haje

"Marc Reinig" <Marco@newsgroups.nospam> wrote in message
news:41f1ad85\$1@darkstar...

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