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Posted by David Fanning on Thu, 12 Jan 2012 00:21:20 GMT
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Posted by Axel[1] on Thu, 12 Jan 2012 02:57:51 GMT
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I would make your feature requests more widely known,
especially to people who might be able to do something
about it. None of us here are going to be doing any
"programming" (in the sense of adding features to
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