Subject: DO_APPLE_SCRIPT questions... Posted by arkos on Tue, 14 Jul 1998 07:00:00 GMT

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Another question as I try to move some of my Unix IDL code to my Powerbook for you Mac using IDL'ers:

I'd like IDL to print a Postscript file to a printer, given the filename of the PS file (as a string variable in the IDL code). What would be the easiest way to accomplish this? Currently I use a SPAWN command for Unix, but this won't work under the Mac. Is there some variant to use, or can someone provide some insight into how one could cook up an Applescript solution to this that could be called from *within* the IDL program (I don't want to use Applescript to run the IDL program externally)?

Thanks a lot!

-- Greg

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