Subject: Re: Great (and funny) Linus' speach about GIT Posted by mirek on Fri, 11 Jan 2008 11:21:30 GMT

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(just read some basics about Test Driven Development and the reasoning behind it, most of the TDD advocates say the improved confidence improves everything... coding speed, code quality, you name it. From my limited experience with TDD I can only agree with that, the confidence and ability to focus on single problem had earthshaking effect on my laziness and productivity, which has been quite low recent years on my side)

Well, I am afraid that is nice and good as long as you do not have to write tests for GUI libraries...

I am in fact extensively using test driven development for Core. New superoptimal String and new memory allocator were born this way. There is even 'upptst' repository to concentrate automated tests.

Anyway, I see no simple way how to apply this methodology for CtrlCore. And that is where the most tricky U++ bugs are...

Mirek