
Subject: Re: High resolution TimeStop code
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Hi Cbporter and Mirek,

Here is what I use when need very precise timings, it works for Win and Linux (notice the 'timeType': that is intended to be used by client classes in order make the code portable accross OS.

HWTiming is the 'Timer Facility' type that must be used in code.

```
HwTiming.h
#ifdef WIN32
#include <Windows.h>
class windowsHWTiming
{
protected:
    windowsHWTiming(void);

public:
    typedef struct
    {
        signed __int64 nTicksCnt;
    } timeType;

    inline double diff_ms(timeType& p_start, timeType& p_end)
    {
        return (double(p_end.nTicksCnt-p_start.nTicksCnt)/double(m_TickPerSecond)*1000.);
    };

    inline timeType getTime(void)
    {
        timeType res;
        QueryPerformanceCounter((LARGE_INTEGER*)&res.nTicksCnt);
        return res;
    };

private:
    signed __int64 m_TickPerSecond;
};

typedef windowsHWTiming HWTiming;

#else
#include <time.h>
class LinuxHWTiming {
protected:
```

```

LinuxHWTiming() {};

public:
typedef timespec timeType;

// prend le temps exact
static inline timeType getTime()
{
    timeType t;
    clock_gettime(CLOCK_REALTIME, &t);
    return t;
}

// renvoie la difference en ms (milli-secondes)
static inline double diff_ms(timeType& t1, timeType& t2)
{
    return ((t2.tv_sec-t1.tv_sec)*1000.0 + (t2.tv_nsec-t1.tv_nsec)/1000000.0);
}

};

typedef LinuxHWTiming HWTiming;
#endif

```

HwTiming.cpp

```

#include "HWTiming.h"

#ifdef WIN32

    windowsHWTiming::windowsHWTiming(void)
    {
        QueryPerformanceFrequency((LARGE_INTEGER*)&m_TickPerSecond);
    };
#endif

```